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## DX SPECIALS!!!!!!

Feb. 13	WGPA	Bethlehem, Pa.	1100	250w.	0130-0200	EST	NRC/TEST
13	CKXR	Salmon Arm, B.C.	580	1kw.	0210-0300	EST	IRCA
13	CKCR	Revelstoke, B.C.	1340	250w.	0210-0300	EST	IRCA
13	KREL	Corona, Calif.	1370	1kw.	0300-0400	EST	NRC
13	KLIB	Liberal, Kansas	1470	500w.	0330-0400	EST	NRC/TEST
20	WRYM	Newington, Conn.	840	1kw.	0130-0230	EST	NRC/TEST
20	WNAK	Nanticke, Penn.	730	1kw.	0230-0330	EST	NRC/TEST
20	CKCQ	Quensel, B.C.	570	1kw.	0300-0500	EST	IRCA
20	CKWL	William Lake, B.C.	1240	250w.	0300-0500	EST	IRCA
20	WKQV	Sullivan, Indiana	1550	250w.	0330-0400	EST	NRC/TEST
20	KSNN	Pocatello, Idaho	1290	1kw.	0330-0400	EST	IRCA/TEST
20	CJJC	Langley Prairie, B.C.	850	1kw.	0415-0500	EST	IRCA
21	KVOM	Morrilton, Ark.	800	250w.	0625-0640	EST	NRC/TEST
21	WEAS	Savannah, Ga.	900	5kw.	0200-0215	EST	NRC/TEST
22	WWNY	Watertown, N.Y.	790	1kw.	0400-0430	EST	NRC
27	WBEU	Beaufort, S.C.	960	1kw.	0230-0430	EST	NRC/TEST
27	CFJC	Kamloops, B.C.	910	10kw.	0300-0400	EST	IRCA
27	WCKB	Dunn, N.C.	780	1kw.	0300-0330	EST	NRC/TEST
27	WPET	Greensboro, N.C.	950	5kw.	0300-0400	EST	NRC/TEST
27	CKUA	Edmonton, Alta.	580	10kw.	0302-0345	EST	IRCA
27	WLTH	Gary, Indiana	1370	1kw.	0330-0400	EST	NRC/TEST
27	KARI	Blaine, Washington	550	1kw.	0330-0500	EST	IRCA
Mar. 6	CJAT	Trail, B.C.	610	1kw.	0310-0400	EST	IRCA
Apr. 2	KMCO	Conroe, Texas	900	500w.	0100-????	EST	NRC/TEST
FEB. 20	WSNW	Seneca, S.C.	1150	1kw.	0415-????	EST	NRC/TEST

WGPA will test with music & IDs. Reports to: Mr. L. Edwin Rybak, CE, 428 Brodhead Ave., Bethlehem, Pa. 18016. f NRC/Bob Shaw

CKXR & CKCR will air the same program. The stations are known as "The Big R" & IDs may be same. Show will be done by Mr. Greg (Whip Edwards) with frequent IDs & IRCA will be mentioned. f Len Mack

KREL reports to: Earl Hoskinson, CE, Box 100, Corona, Calif. f NRC/G. Jones

KLIB reports to: Joe Johnson, CE, Box 856, Liberal, Kan. 67901. f NRC/Zwier

WNAK reports to: Mr. Robert W. Neilson, Manager & CE, 40 E. Main St., Nanticoke, Penn. 18634. f NRC/Dan Shoaf

CKCQ & CKWL will test with the same program. f Len Mack

WKQV will test with 250w. Reports to: Mr. Earl A. Engle, Manager, Box 545, Sullivan, Indiana 47882. f NRC/Dan Shoaf

KSNN & CJJC - see last issue.

WSNW reports to: Mr. Herbert J. Hosea, CE, Seneca, S.C. Will also run FM, WBFM on 98.1. f NRC/ Joe Fela--as well as below.

KVOM will have a f/c. Reports to: Manager, Box 541, Morrilton, Ark. 72110.

WEAS will run a f/c. Reports to: Mr. J.A. Brimmer. This one was on for the NRC last month. Will be their last test for some time. f NRC

WBEU will test with tone & IDs. Reports to: Engineering Dept. DX, Box 951, Beaufort, S.C. 29902. Also, FM will be on 98.7. f NRC/ Joe Fela.

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REPORT!!!!!!

GREAT JOB CPC!!!

DX!

P S T D X R O U N D U P

	John W. Hoogerhoide	15 Rustic Place	Eugene Oregon
570	KLUB ?Utah	Salt Lake City, Holiday Inn AM 1/15 0533. KLUB? ( JEP )	
	KLAC Cal.	Los Angeles, Phone in program w/ ID 0558 1/15 ( JEP )	
580	KFXD Ida.	Nampa, S/on 0700 1/23, No anthem. CKY dominant prior to s/on ( JWH )	
	KTAN Ariz.	Tucson, S/on Orch SSB 1/23 0730 weak u/ KFXD. Tx MBN ( JWH )	
	??? ???	Another orch SSB noted about 1 minute after KTAN s/on on same date. KANA or KUBC ? Can someone monitor ? ( JWH )	
620	KVAL Ida	Wallace, S/ on 0730 w/ Orch SSB u/ CKCK ( JWH ) 1/24	
	KSTR Colo	Grand Junction, s/on 0500 No anthem. Then w/ cw mx and way atop KHES in SS until 0830 1/24 ( JWH ) 1/11 0820 w/ cw mx ( DKK )	
	KGW Ore	Portland, S/on SSB 0827 1/10 killing KSTR ( DKK )	
680	WPIN Fla.	St Petersburg believed the one w/ ID 0533 MM 1/9 ( LBG )	
760	KGU Haw.	Honolulu, strong w/ organ rx 0405 1/2 ( BP )	
790	KGHL Mont.	Billings, RS strong 0642 1/16 ( LBG )	
800	KPDQ Ore.	Portland, w/ CKOK till 1942 s/off, No anthem 1/4 ( BP )	
840	WHAS Kent.	Louisville, Fair-good 0718-0725 12/26 ( BP )	
850	WRUF Fla.	Gainesville, weekly 0535 1/23 after apparent 0530 s/on. W/ HFKC	
860	XZMO Mex.	Tijuana, Again NSP. Noted 1/23 and 1/28 AM ( JWH ) ( JWH )	
870	KLIM Haw.	Honolulu, Classical rx u/ WWL RT 0515 0405 1/15 ( BP )	
910	KALL Utah	Salt Lake City, 1/15 0550 w/ KNEW w/ wx and pop mx ( JRP )	
	KIXI Wash	Seattle, NSP off for some reason 1/9 0930-0958 ( BP )	
	KNEW Cal.	Oakland, caught while KIXI was off ( BP )	
920	KOLO Nev.	Reno 1/15 0602 and alone ( JEP )	
930	KFMY Wash	Perndale, rx at 1840 1/11. Some KJR slop ( BP )	
	KFWQ Cal.	Paradise. "Q" Radio, ex-KNGL hrd 1/2. News and info station ( DKK )	
940	KHOS Ariz.	Tucson, w/ cw rx 0530 on RS 1/23. A new NSP? ( JWH )	
	??? ???	Cw rx 0606 1/15 Who? CJGX or above probably Jon ( JEP )	
960	KLAD Ore.	Klamath Falls, Jan S/off 1955 ( DKK )	
970	KPUA Haw.	Hilo, Atop w/ "Islanders House Party" 0400 1/13. ( MBN )	
1150	??? ???	TT FC u/ KAYO 0330-0345 1/9. No ID hrd ( DKK )	
1170	KLOK Cal.	San Jose, RS 0609-0613 w/ unknown 1/15. Jon unk. could be KCBQ	
1190	KFX Ore.	Portland, S/off 1/15 0300 instead of usual 0500 ( DKK ) ( JEP )	
1220	KLIP Cal.	Fowler, 1/11 in clear w/ SS 1015-1030 ( DKK )	
	KIBE Cal.	Palo Alto, Jan s/on 1030 w/ cl rx ( DKK )	
1240	CFVR BC	Abbotsford, S/off followed by CBC AM pgm 0305 12/26 ( BP )	
1250	K4SL Cal.	Ukiah, S/off no anthem 1947 12/27 ( BP )	
	KWSC Wash	Pullman, RS s/off No anthem 0215 12/29 ( BP )	
	KTW Wash	Seattle, New NSP Noted AM w/ cw rx 1/21 and 1/23 ( JWH )	
1260	KTEE Ida.	Idaho Falls, fair o/u KTCM 1/14 1847 ( WJW )	
1270	WORX Ind.	Madison, Not hrd on DX 12/26 ( BP )	
	KCOK Cal.	Tulare, RS s/off "America" u/ CHWK 0205 12/30 ( BP )	
1280	KTOO Nev.	Henderson, S/off unkn. choral anthem 1943 1/13 ( BP ), S/off 1943 / "My God Be With You" in Jan. ( DKK )	
1290	KEOS Ariz.	Flagstaff, FC TT 1/2 0215-0230. Not on 690 yet? ( DKK )	
1310	KBUZ Ariz.	Mesa, S/on 0600 daily exc. SM ( DKK )	
	KPOD Cal.	Crescent City S/off 2015 No anthem ( JWH ) 1/27	
1340	KWSL Colo	Grand Junction, fc/TT 0200-0215 1/23 ( JWH )	
	KATY Cal.	San Luis Obispo, S/off No anthem 0200 1/23 ( JWH )	
1380	??? ???	SS hrd loudly 12/18 on AM program. No ID hrd. Who dis? ( DKK )	
1390	XFOR Mex.	Raynosa, Very loud 0220 and past 1/23. Must be more than listed 1000 watts as a poor reception night ( JWH )	
1400	KOHD Ore.	Cottage Grove, Sunday S/off 2000 w/ orch SSB. Time should be distinctive. Leaving KUKI and others ( JWH )	
	KBMI Nev.	Henderson, atop briefly w/ ads for Las Vegas 2050 1/22 ( JWH )	
	KTWT Wash.	Tacoma, S/off 0459 1/13 o/ KPAT RS is gd rx ( MBN )	
	KATI Wyo.	Casper, S/on No anthem 0701 1/13. Ann. freq in kHz ( MBN )	
	??? ???	S/on 0659 1/13 w/ Oh Canada ( MBN ) CKSW, Swift Current, Mike ( JWH )	
	KPAT Cal.	Berkeley, Strong 1/2 0318 w/ cl. rx ( BP )	
1430	KJAY Cal.	Sacramento, Jan S/off 2015. Now plays c/w rx ( DKK )	
1440	KPRO Cal.	Riverside, Gd sig. 0515 12/20 ( BP )	

- 1450 ??? ??? Unk. 1/9 0315 said to send "PO Box KUG" Who?. How about PO Bx K, Eugene, Guess Whom? ( JEP )
- 1460 WFMH Ala. Cullman, S/on orch SSB and rooster crow 0600 1/23 ( JWH )  
 KTYM Cal. Inglewood, atop mess 0747, 12/26 ( BP )  
 KENO Nev. Las Vegas, fc/ mx 0318-0330, 12/26. Earlier then on list ( BP )
- 1480 KLEO Kans Wichita, fc/TT 0515-0530 1/23. On list ( JWH )  
 KWIZ Cal. Santa Ana, ET/mx 1/9 0410-0430 or so ( DKK )
- 1490 KRNR Ore. Roseburg, w/ cw mx and KBZY 2010 1/22 ( JWH )  
 KENE Wash. Toppenish, while typing 2100 1/22 atop ( JWH )  
 KOWL Cal. Bijou, AN Mt. Is this MSP now? Hope not ( JWH ) 1/23  
 KWAC Cal. Bakersfield, r&b 0338 1/2 ( BP )  
 KBKR Ore. Baker, S/off instr. SSB 0200 1/16 ( MBN )
- 1510 KASK Cal. Ontario, Ruined by KFBK, one ID 0321 1/9 hrd ( DKK ). Weak on DX 0329 1/9 ( LBG )
- 1520 KOMA Okla. Oklahoma City, S/on 0559 MM 1/9, No anthem ( LBG )  
 KACY Cal. Port Hueneme, TT/mx 0500 1/23 ( JWH ) S/off 1/9 orch SSB 0301 ( JEP ), U/ KYMN 2030 1/18 ( WJW )  
 KTFB Cal. Mendocino, S/off 2014 1/15, No SSB ( WJW ), S/off Jan w/ "America the Beautiful". S/on 1015 ( DKK ). On DX 0407-0436 ( JEP )
- 1530 WCKY Ohio Cincinnati, fair w/ pop rr 0635-0651 12/26 ( BP )
- 1540 ??? ??? weak inst SSB way u/ KXEL 0630 12/26. WHO ? ( BP ). Probably KCUL Bruce,  
 KVFS Ore. Eugene, gd. w/ fades 1940 1/18. Probable s/off 1945 ( WJW ). S/off Jan is 2000 Bill
- 1560 KPMC cal. Bakersfield, 1/9 s/off 0300 w/ vocal SSB ( JEP )
- 1570 KRSA Cal. Salinas, S/off 2015 in Jan, No anthem ( LBG )

This weeks contributors:

LBG, Larry Godwin..... Berkeley Cal.  
 DKK, Don Kaskay..... West Sacramento Cal.  
 JWH, John Hoogerheide..... Eugene Oregon  
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 JEP, Jon Perkins..... Burnaby BC  
 WJW, Bill Willson..... Vancouver BC  
 BP, Bruce Portzor..... Seattle Wash.

A hearty welcome to our column to my good friend and DXer Don Kaskay, out Sacramento way. Report often Don. We want to hear what you're logging. Thanks for card from LBG saying my 1:80 unknown was not KWUN who s/off 515 PM PST w/ vocal SSB and not orch SSB. Larry, it turned out to be KSEE in Santa Maria. Did you all hear the new ANors in the past week, on 1250, 1490, 940, 860 all now ruined. Especially hope 1490 doesn't continue as some good DX WAS available there. Some dandy DX tests scheduled lately. Hope conditions are good on MM.

MORE PST/HST DX FORUM

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Hi gang, DX is still a bit rare here, but the DU's are picking up. This is a good season to try Australia, N.Z., Fiji, Samoa, Tonga, etc. Hats off to Steve Russell who has done such a great job as Forum editor this season. He may be our next member in Vietman, hi. When reporting to the Roundup, please report f/c's as f/c's, not as ET's, as it will make next year's list better. I'll be looking forward to receiving your list of checks, Ken Poole. By the way, the fifth week of checks (fifth Monday, etc.) is included in the f/c list by placing an L by those stations that test the last week of the month. Philip Sullivan, I'd like to see your bearing program but doubt there would be enough interest to warrant including it in the bulletin. The Gran Hotel in Managua (where Americans were held as hostages) is where we stayed in '65, hi. Good DX and don't forget to report to all the bulletin sections when you have time! (Only takes a few minutes and a stamp, right Larry? - bl)

Garry Stoklas, 718 Waimea Drive, El Cajon, California 92021

No veries and little DX. KINY-800 @ 0230-0300 weak but readable w/ top 40 format. Thought at first it was KILW w/ top 40. Noise level low but constant. Get ready SD--DEE will be down in a month or less! Hope to make the IRCC meeting in Santa Barbara. 73's for now.

Ye Ed: Mike Northam - 1840 Agate, Apt. 2 - Eugene, Oregon 97403 - REPORT!

Jon E. Pearkins, Jr. - 8445 15th Avenue - Burnaby 3, B.C. CANADA

Hello, Hello! Recent veries: (Days in parens) v/q WLAC(16) KOA(11), v/1 CJDC(7) KNEW (18) KXOA(14) WRBC(20) KRYG(14) KBAM(105) CKOV (385 - my longest verie). Log Check: #393-394: KMFB KLAC (#70 Calif). Totals: 394/196. Hope to reach 200 veries by the end of January, hi! From CJDC I received a carbon copy of a verie letter. It was dated 1/6. They probably got a couple of reception reports and wanted to kill two DXers with one v/1. (Poisen pen carbon paper, Jon? mbn) WLAC brags that they get reports from Europe, Central and South America, Australia, New Zealand, and from islands in the Atlantic and Caribbean. They say they cover half the globe. KRYG has a HI AN Show on SM's according to v/1. KXOA uses a Reatheon Model RA 1000 1 kw directional XR at night and a Collins model 21E 5 kw XR. WRBC: Tower 330 feet self-supporting. XR day Gates 5 kw, night Collins 1 kw non-DA. First on in 1940. Format - Top 60. For whoever wants to know: Burnaby is a municipality of about 42 sq miles and well over 110,000 people (110 kilopeople) with Vancouver to the west and New Westminster to the south. Burnaby is mostly a residential locality and is the largest municipality in the world except for a few in Japan and China. It has no radio stations and one TV station. We don't have our own P.O. and Burnaby 3 uses the New West. PO and B. 1&2 use Vancouver PO. Welcome new members especially Eric Floeden. On the local scene the only radio stations in greater Vancouver not planning a raise in power are CBU CKLG & CJOR. As far as I know only CJJC CKLG CFUN & CHQM have scheduled SP's. All of the above are AN-6 except CJJC.

Dallas A. McKengie - (ZL1PE1AJ) - G.P.O. Box 3700 - Wellington, New Zealand

Hi gang, well now that I know the Editorial Policy, I'll be brief. Logs: Hauraki-1480, BBC-701, & 2NA. QSL's: JORF & 2NA (cards); Hauraki (letter, no card yet printed). R. Hauraki's address is P.O.Box 2964, Auckland, New Zealand. I've caused a stir in N.Z. DX circles. I got a QSL card back from Radio London, but no one believes it. The NZR DXL won't accept it even though I asked Radio London to be 100% sure before sending their card. So I've dropped. Will sit on my wall as an example of what might have been. I will not enter this in my DX records total, or in any IRCA comps. even though I sent them a 30-minute report with 3 separate IDs etc, the NZRDXL says I didn't hear them, so if anyone heard a station on 7 October 1966, playing a programme on approx 1135 to 1138 kHz about Radio London, at 9 GMT I would like to know about it please. I've passed IRCA member Rich Healds report on to Radio Hauraki (Alaska First again) and to Arthur Peterson, I can only say Radio Peking has a new QSL (in English). I only log the Overseas service, and request them to put frequency on QSL (they usually do in Biro), but I've given up logging them as they send too much Subversive material to us in the mail I just hand mine into the fire, once I dropped some into the Local Police, as it was pretty hot, and is likely to cause some trouble if you are found with it.

J. 'dan' Sheedy - 5337 Remington Road, #308-2 - San Diego, California 92115

Hi! Just finished finals on 24 Jan, and it looks like my GPA will be in the "B" range ..joy! DX has been rotten recently, due to noisy cx and an inclination to sleep through the sessions. Tapes: KVIO-1600, XEAA-1340, KBOX-1480, 2AP-1420, CP34-680, HJCJ-1040, XEB-1220 TGRT-670..new countries are underlined. Totals are 913/571; 45/40 states; 38/30 ctys; and 7/6 prov. The 12-AVS has been taken down--the roof leaked--so now I'm using the old faithful window screen; for those of you with no outdoor space for a 1w and no energy to build a loop, try the window screen, it's a good antenna! Help wanted dept.-- I would be muchly beholdent to anyone who could give me some hints as to the best times to hear KGFL-1430 and KHAP-1340, my most wanted from N.M. CPC: perhaps a test from KBLC-1270? Anyone wanting a sample of a radio stn FCC log sheet just drop me a line.. I've got some I can rough sketch for you..knowing what the log looks like helps in reporting..there's one heck of a lot of stuff most people report that isn't logged.. and by putting it in the report usually just wastes time (and at all stns time is \$). Maybe some appropriate comments could be elicited from Glen Kippel, JAC on the matter? Hope so..the more information the better. DeWayne B., where in CSC are you?? 73.

Mike Northam - 1840 Agate, Apt. 2 - Eugene, Oregon 97403 (mbn)

Greetings group! No DX lately as I've been on the go. Veries this week: v/c WAPA for country #8. Note the recent veries (long outstanding) from CKOV, they may have just gotten a new CE who is trying to catch up (or maybe they're just a little slow, hi.) Mike Mitock seems to have thrown the YKFI controversy out in the open, but I wonder about the veracity of his information. I have been monitoring YKFI for some time now and it is on 910 kHz rather than 1440. The Hindu "ki Sonn" ID is very distinctive there DF calculations seem to indicate Middle Mysore, rather than Upper (above Lower). 73's.

--- Deadline: Wednesday AM mail ---  
 Larry Godwin - P.O. Box 1048 - Berkeley, California 94701

Hi gang. Congrats to Gray on his great Tirana and Trinidad veries, both countries I'd like to QSL from Berkeley. Welcome to the IRCA, Bob Foxworth! Johansen of World Publications says the books ordered by IRCA members were dispatched 1/18, so should arrive soon. I expect the WRTH's are on the way from New York by now, also. (Mine's in. mbn) Rich Heald in Sitka writes that he has IDed Radio Hauraki, so I imagine he's the first from N.A. Don't forget to send your loggings to the Roundup and give the details of reception (i.e., date & time, plus format heard). The next IRCC Convention is in the planning stages, so stand by Ed Krejny and other interested DXers! Probably it will be in Santa Barbara, in February or March, and any DXer from any club (or no club) will be welcome. 73 and good DX. (How about non-DXers in clubs, Larry? (hi) mbn.

K.G. Scrimgeour - 1105 Virginia Way - La Jolla, Calif. 92037

Busy times lately, but from the few times I've DXed, I guess I haven't missed much. I notice that the DU and South Pacific stations on 90 metres (Noumea, Fiji, Rabaul, etc.) are getting stronger, so maybe the BCBers will perk up from that direction in the next few weeks. All my recent domestic catches (all 3, hi) have been reported by others in the Roundup, so nothing to add, John. Four veries in a week, and all quite desirable - 3YW, KCCN, KWBC, CKOV. CKOV-630 is BC #18, and my best from the province (replacing CHQM); report was for March, 1965. DXWW and the 3 Roundups are looking good, and getting good support. Nice work on all the bulletin. Bill Raczko, I've been told by Pat Riot that Dan d. Receiver has been learning Chinese, and will be filling us in on Red Guard activities soon; he's really an anti-anti-Maoist DXer! By the way, I note that all the latest news of the anti-Mao strife in Kiangsi has been monitored on Radio Kiangsi, Nanchang (anyone remember the 835 and 843 stations??) - no Asian reception here for weeks, so none of the interesting stuff heard. Top song in La Jolla for 1966 was "Moon Over Miami" with Guy Lombardo; anyone top that for conservatism? 73 good stat.

Dave Martin - P.O. Box 471 - Palo Alto, California 94302

DX since my last report to the Forum has been rather disappointing. Lousy conditions, Christmas holidays, a less-than-satisfactory antenna, and my own sluggishness are factors which just aren't conducive to bringing the veries. A few did arrive, however (all v/q except those marked otherwise): WGN KOB WHO KDKA WBZ KGA WOAI WBBM WIS KGBS CBW (v/1&q) KFAB KOMO KNX CKLG (v/1) KSWs (v/1). Nothing in yet from CKWX KEX WCAU CHUB WBAP KCMO. Has anyone ever received a verie from WCAU? CHUB? (Both here. mbn) I'm presently constructing an IRCA loop in hopes of being able to dampen some of the noise from local powerhouses KCBS, KGO, and KNBR. As it stands now, these stations are putting just enough slop onto adjacent frequencies to hurt the DX. George Junak: KLOK plays some r&r, but it is definitely not a "hard rock" type like KFRC and KHJ. "The New KLOK" has a request format similar to KWIZ, but seems to be a little more middle-of-the-road as far as the records that are aired. Thanks LBG and BL/GS/DEE for the cards! That's it for now. 73.

Donald K. Kaskey - Hotel El Rancho - P.O. Box 235 - West Sacramento, Calif. 95691

Many thanks for the nice cards and letters welcoming me to the IRCA. It is a pleasure to be among you. A brief personal resume reveals that I am 32 years old (rapidly approaching 33), currently employed as the Sales Manager of Hotel El Rancho, have been DXing off and on since 1950 from locations in Iowa, Nebraska, Texas, Iceland and now California. To all of you who may be in the vicinity I would appreciate a visit as I am always happy to talk DX. A word of caution to the unwary however--I drink--. Overall I have acquired 1722 veries, mostly from my midwest locations. I was at my parents for Christmas (in Iowa) where most of the veries were stored so I packed them up and left instructions to have them sent here, however that was 20 days ago so they are probably blowing in the wind somewhere in Wyoming or so, hi. Oh yes, in case there are any girl DXers, I am single too. (So am I, where are they, Don? mbn) Also I have belonged to the NRC since 1950, with the exception of 1959-64 when I became inactive DXwise. I'd like to know how Jon Pearkins ever got a verie from KWIP? I've been trying since 1958. Also what do you have to do to get one from KPIR? To JWH KWUN is my closest unheard thanks to KXOA & KCAL s/on at 0800 daily. Very poor CX so far this month, also power line buzz so not many stations to report. 73's. (A hearty welcome to this section to you Don, and to IRCA. JWH and I eagerly await your contributions! mbn)

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- 540 WRIC Richlands, VIRGINIA 1712-1715 s/off on 12/11. (ED)  
CBK Regina, SASKATCHEWAN - New province for me heard u/CBT 2030 1/21. (PMZ)
- 560 WHYN Springfield, MASSACHUSETTS 0700 on 12/2. (ED)  
WOOF Dothan, ALABAMA 0600 to 0611 on 12/4. (ED)  
WHBQ Memphis, TENNESSEE heard w/CC at 0444 on 1/16. (BER)
- 570 WACL Waycross, GEORGIA 1/19 at 0709. QRM from WKBN. (RN)  
WGMS Bethesda, MARYLAND ET/CC 0210 1/14. (JMK)
- 580 KALB Alexandria, LOUISIANA 0559 s/on on 12/4. (ED)  
VCHS Charleston, WEST VIRGINIA at 0716 on 1/25. QRM f/WRKH not too bad. (RN)
- 590 KBHS Hot Springs, ARKANSAS 0305-0315 w/fair signals on IRCA test on 1/23. (SRR)  
0310-0325 1/23. Verie says they were using 1 KW instead of 5. (JMK)
- 600 WPDQ Jacksonville, FLORIDA on 1/12 at 0659. Had a fair signal. (RN) Heard for the first time on 1/30 at 0325 w/R&R. (JMK)
- 610 WDAF Kansas City, MISSOURI on 1/21 at 0017. Had a gud signal. (RN)
- 620 WSUN St. Petersburg, FLORIDA on 1/16 at 0335. Very gud signal. (RN)
- 690 WAPE Jacksonville, FLORIDA heard w/R&R on 1/15 at 1703. (BER) Was very surprised to hear them on their night pattern on 1/14 at 0150. (JMK)  
KGGF Coffeyville, KANSAS on 1/11 at 0719. WLW-700 splattered. (RN)
- 710 VGBS Miami, FLORIDA heard at 1745 DA change on 1/16. (BER)
- 780 WBBO Forest City, NORTH CAROLINA heard w/R&R at 1655 on 1/14. (BER)
- 790 WETB Johnson City, TENNESSEE 0600-0603 on 12/11. (ED)
- 800 CHAB Moose Jaw, SASKATCHEWAN had a good signal on 1/16 at 0205. (BER) Copied for a report on 1/16 from 0245-0310 w/C&W mx. (JMK)  
WKDN Camden, NEW JERSEY - Lead pipe cinch at their 0715 s/on on 1/17. (JMK)
- 840 WTUF Mobile, ALABAMA ET/Mx 0125-0137 1/16. Reported. (JMK)
- 850 WKBZ Muskegon, MICHIGAN 1720-1730 12/11. (ED)
- 860 WMAG Forest, MISSISSIPPI was logged for a rpt. on 1/16 from 1805-1815 s/off. (JMK)  
WAMO Pittsburgh, PENNSYLVANIA ET/Mx 0322 1/16. (JMK)  
WAMI Opp, ALABAMA heard at 1800 s/off 1/15. (JMK)  
WOAY Oak Hill, WEST VIRGINIA 1658-1700 s/off on 12/4. (ED)
- 880 WRFD Worthington, OHIO on 1/13 at 0715. QRM from WCBS. (RN)
- 900 WGOK Mobile, ALABAMA heard at 1808 on 1/15. (BER)
- 910 WORD Spartanburg, SOUTH CAROLINA heard for the first time on 1/15 at 1735. (JMK)
- 920 CKCY Sault Ste. Marie, ONTARIO seemed to be AN on MM 1/30 w/R&R. (JMK)  
WOKY Milwaukee, WISCONSIN was in as early as 1745 on 1/25. This is only 30 minutes after local sunset which is very rare. (JMK)
- 930 WSAZ Huntington, WEST VIRGINIA 0430-0438 on 12/4. (ED)  
WITN Washington, NORTH CAROLINA 0500-0505 on 12/4. (ED)
- 940 WINE Brookfield, CONNECTICUT 0321 to 0404 w/NRC test on 1/29. (SRR, JMK)  
WCPC Houston, MISSISSIPPI - New state for me heard on 1/21 at 1758 u/CBM. (PMZ)
- 950 WPET Greensboro, NORTH CAROLINA on 1/16 at 0410. Gud signal & very little QRM. (RN)
- .... The station which relays the CBC AN program on MMs NOW is definately CKNE per a local DXer who recently sent tentatives to both CKNB & CHER. CKNB said that it is them now, while CHER replied negatively. However, the CBC ANer here late last summer was CHER, not CKNB. At that time I sent tentatives to both stations and CKNB replied that it was not them as they signed off at 2300 daily, and CHER verified and said that they had been conducting ETs using the CBC AN program for feed. This makes sense as there was a few weeks after CHER was heard when the frequency was totally clear (save LR3, this monitoring done between 0410 & 0455). Then when the CBC returned it was noticed to be considerably stronger than CHER ever was, as it was now coming from CKNB. Clear? -Ed.
- 1010 KXEN St. Louis, MISSOURI 0300-0317 w/IRCA TEST on 1/30. (JMK, SRR)  
WMOX Meridian, MISSISSIPPI heard at 1755 on 1/16. (JMK)
- 1050 WLON Lincolnton, NORTH CAROLINA 1725-1729 s/off w/"Dixie" on 1/11. (MWH)  
WVGP Sanford, NORTH CAROLINA 1/11 1728 s/off w/religion. (MWH)  
WAUG Augusta, GEORGIA 1/11 1731; Negro programming. (MWH)



- 1070 WAPI Birmingham, ALABAMA 1/12 1729. (MWH)  
 WDIA Memphis, TENNESSEE 1/12 1755; local nx. (MWH)  
 WHYZ Greenville, SOUTH CAROLINA 1745 s/off 1/6. (JMK)
- 1080 WVCG Coral Gables, FLORIDA heard from 1728-1740 on 1/16. Reported. (JMK)
- 1110 WMBI Chicago, ILLINOIS 1645-1647 on 12/11. (ED)
- 1150 WDEL Wilmington, DELAWARE s/off at 0106 on 1/14. (JMK)  
 WHMC Gaithersburg, MARYLAND ET/Mx/CC 0012 1/16. (JMK)  
 KRKD Los Angeles, CALIFORNIA logged for a rpt. from 0214-0402 s/off on 1/16. (JMK)  
 KIMM Rapid City, SOUTH DAKOTA was on an hour late for their TEST on 1/30 but it was at a better time as KRKD & XEJP were off. Copied from 0402-0412. (JMK)
- 1220 WSME Sanford, MAINE 0305-0315 (strong) on 12/12. (ED)  
 .... New local in St. Catherines, ONTARIO has been testing during daylight hours with CC since 1/3. Tone noted for 1st time 1/23. No voice yet. (CMS)
- 1230 WKBO Harrisburg, PENNSYLVANIA 0115-0130 RC/TT on 1/23. (SRR)  
 WNOR Norfolk, VIRGINIA heard at 0127 on 1/23 w/equipment test. (SRR)  
 WXTI Dublin, GEORGIA heard testing w/TT on 1/16 at 0240. (BER)  
 WSBW New Smyrna Beach, FLORIDA heard at 1734 1/15 SSS. (JMK)  
 WAYX Waycross, GEORGIA s/off at 0030 1/30. Slogen: "Big Johnny Reb." (JMK)
- 1240 WSKI Montpelier, VERMONT - "ABC Radio for Montpelier-Parre" ID 1835 1/21. (PMZ)  
 WBIR Knoxville, TENNESSEE heard on RC/TT at 0345 on 1/16. (BER)
- 1260 WGVM Greenville, MISSISSIPPI 1758 s/off on 12/2. (ED)  
 KGBX Springfield, MISSOURI 1758-1805 on 12/1. (ED)
- 1280 WIBB Macon, GEORGIA 0656 (for one ID) on 12/4. (ED)  
 WGBF Evansville, INDIANA 0700-0704 on 12/4. (ED)  
 CHIQ Hamilton, ONTARIO heard at 0353 on 1/15. (BER)
- 1290 WCBL Benton, KENTUCKY 0537-0546 on 12/4. (ED)  
 CJ?? New station from London, ONTARIO was heard fairly well on 1/30 from 0203-0220 but I couldn't get their full call due to infrequent IDs. (JMK)
- 1310 WDKD Kingstree, SOUTH CAROLINA 0120-0126 w/RC/TT on 1/26. (SRR)  
 WDOD Gatanooga, TENNESSEE heard u/a mess at 2100 on 1/15. (BER)  
 WKNR Dearborn, MICHIGAN - "Keener" heard for the 1st time on 1/31 at 0135. (JMK)
- 1320 CKKV Kitchener, ONTARIO heard at 0401 on 1/16. (BER)
- 1340 WLDY Ladysmith, WISCONSIN 0130-0200 RC/TT on 1/23. (SRR, JMK)  
 WJPF Herrin, ILLINOIS 0432-0440 on 12/11. (ED)  
 WFAU Augusta, MAINE atop mess on 1/21 at 1823. (PMZ)  
 WKEY Covington, VIRGINIA ET/TT 0300-0303 1/23. (JMK)
- 1350 WEZY Cocoa, FLORIDA 0138-0149 on RS on 1/26. (SRR)  
 WGAD Gadsden, ALABAMA heard at 1736 on 1/15. (BER)
- 1360 WAZA Bainbridge, GEORGIA 0010-0025 NRC TEST on 1/26. (JMK, SRR)
- 1370 WLTC Gastonia, NORTH CAROLINA heard on RS at 0435 on MM 1/23. (BER)  
 KGNO Dodge City, KANSAS 1808-1820 w/WSPD on 12/2. (ED)
- 1380 WICY St. Petersburg, FLORIDA ET/CC 0141 1/16. (JMK)
- 1390 WEAM Arlington, VIRGINIA ET/Mx w/their aux. TX on 1/16 at 0025. (JMK)
- 1400 WJET Erie, PENNSYLVANIA heard at 0340 on 1/16. (BER)
- 1410 KWYO Sheridan, WYOMING 0203-0210 on 11/21. (ED)  
 WPOP Hartford, CONNECTICUT has not been AN any MM since 1/16. (JMK)  
 WSRC Durham, NORTH CAROLINA ET/CC 0008 1/14. Reported. (JMK)  
 WSNE Cumming, GEORGIA ET/CC 0209 1/30. (JMK)
- 1420 WRBL Columbus, GEORGIA 0003-0007 s/off w/NA on 1/25. (SRR)  
 WDBF Delray Beach, FLORIDA on 1/25 from 0007-0022 testing w/inst. mx. (SRR)  
 Heard w/an ET/CC/TT on 1/29 at 0208. Very good signal. (JMK)
- 1430 WDIC Clincho, VIRGINIA 0125-0130 w/TT on 11/21. (ED)  
 CKFH Toronto, ONTARIO 0348-0402 on 12/2. (ED)  
 KASI Ames, IOWA 0417-0425 w/CKFH on 12/12. (ED)  
 WLAK Lakeland, FLORIDA 0005 s/off on 1/30. (JMK)
- 1440 WHHL Holly Hill, SOUTH CAROLINA heard on ET/Mx at 0243 on 1/23. C&W music w/a crazy female ancr. (BER)  
 WABR Winter Park, FLORIDA 0513-0525 on 12/4. (ED)  
 WKLV Blackstone, VIRGINIA ET/Mx 0055 1/15. (JMK)

- 1440 KETX Livingston, TEXAS heard during NRC-TEST on 1/16 at 0316 w/TT-Mx. (BER)  
 Heard well on their TEST u/an CC from 0308-0325 1/16. Reported. (JMK)  
 WVMG Cochran; GEORGIA ET/Mx 0223 1/16. (JMK)
- 1450 WJXN Jackson, MISSISSIPPI at 0158 on 11/21. (ED)  
 WVON Cicero, ILLINOIS at 0200 on 11/21. (ED)  
 WENZ Highland Springs, VIRGINIA 0344-0346 on 12/12. (ED)
- 1480 KLEO Wichita, KANSAS 0545 (one ID during news) on 12/11. (ED)  
 WBTS Bridgeport, ALABAMA FC/Mx 0315-0330 1/16. Reported. (JMK)
- 1490 WHBB Selma, ALABAMA copied from 0138-0141 (lots of info) 1/30 for a rpt. (JMK)  
 WBCB Levittown, PENNSYLVANIA 0153-0200 RC/TT on 1/23. (SRR)  
 WSCB Sutton, WEST VIRGINIA heard 0200 w/NA to 0215 on 1/23. (SRR) Heard on  
 DX at 0223 on 1/23. (BER) In well on their DX 0205 1/23 well o/WKNY. (JMK)  
 WKNY Kingston; NEW YORK 0322-0330 w/R&R on 1/23. (SRR)  
 WOPA Oak Park, ILLINOIS heard on RS at 0400 on 1/23. (BER)  
 CHYM Kitchener, ONTARIO heard at 0300 on 1/16. (BER)  
 WHCC Philadelphia, MISSISSIPPI heard on 1/16 w/ID at 0255. A test? (BER)
- 1500 KSTP St. Paul, MINNESOTA on 1/16 at 0315. Gud signal, no QRM. (RN)
- 1510 WJIC Salem, NEW JERSEY 0300-0310 (strong) on 11/21. (ED)
- 1520 KMPL Sikeston, MISSOURI ET/CC very strong at 0225 on 1/16. (JMK)  
 WIXX Oakland Park, FLORIDA ET/Mx/CC 0008 1/16. (JMK)
- 1530 KVLA Many, LOUISIANA (very strong) 0150-0155 w/TT on 11/21. (ED)  
 KCLR Ralls, TEXAS 0349-0401 w/NRC TEST on 1/30. (SRR) In here real well on  
 their TEST from 0351-0420 w/TT & lots of mx. Reported. (JMK)
- 1540 WBCO Bucyrus, OHIO heard for the first time on RS at 1728-1730 s/off. (BER)  
 KBUY Ft. Worth, TEXAS 1/12 1925 C&W mx. Note new calls just assigned. (MWH)  
 WRCP Philadelphia, PENNSYLVANIA s/on 0715 1/31. (JMK)
- 1550 WPXY Greenville, NORTH CAROLINA 0715 s/on 1/16. (JMK)  
 KGMO Cape Girardeau, MISSOURI FC/TT 0104-0112 1/30. Reported. (JMK)
- 1570 WBUX Doylestown, PENNSYLVANIA ET/TT 0038 1/14. (JMK)  
 KBJT Fordyce, ARKANSAS heard and logged for a report on 1/16 from 1820 to  
 1830 s/off. Aurora has made 1570 fantastic for SSS work this year. (JMK)  
 KOLS Pryor, OKLAHOMA copied from 1820-1830 s/off also on 1/16 o/u KBJT. (JMK)
- 1580 WJVA South Bend, INDIANA 1730 s/off on 11/20. (ED)  
 KYND Tempe, ARIZONA 1911-1924 (first Ariz.) 11/20. (ED)  
 WPAC Patchogue, NEW YORK s/on 0715 1/16. (JMK)
- 1590 WEEZ Chester, PENNSYLVANIA 0135-0138 on 11/21. (ED)  
 KLAK Lakewood, COLORADO 0403-0415 (all alone, where was WWRL?) 12/12. (ED)  
 Copied from 0403-0419 on RS w/C&W mx on 1/30. (SRR)  
 WIDU Fayetteville, NORTH CAROLINA 0458 s/on 12/12. (ED)

The THANKS this week go to:

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 MWH Mike Hunter, 1703 Westwood Avenue, Richmond, Virginia (27)  
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 SRR Steven R. Russell, 8914 Mohawk Lane, Bethesda, Maryland 20034  
 PMZ Paul Zec, P.O. Box 19, Somerville, Massachusetts 02145

Welcome to Stan, Richard and Eric. Always happy to have new reporters!

Your Editor did a little investigating into Paul Lotsof's unID SW CBC station on 960k a few weeks back. It seems that this actually originated from ZFBI in Bermuda! As you may know, ZFBI relays the VOA transmitter on 5995k in the early mornings until about 0230 or so. But instead of turning off their relay receiver, ZFBI continues to transmit whatever is on the frequency after the VOA station signs off the air. So, the CBC SW service was left on the frequency and was thus relayed by ZFBI on 960k.

Sorry to see SRR leave as Forum Editor. His fine weekly columns will be missed.

Effective as of the February 11 issue, the new ECDXF editor will be:  
Bruce Collier, 3512 Avenue B, Council Bluffs, Iowa 51503  
 Bruce's deadline will be Tuesday.

Bob Astmann, 191 Louvaine Dr., Kenmore, N.Y. 14223

Well, DX has been real slow lately. The following veries have come through: WZIP-1050, WEVA-860, WZKY-1580, WDLA-1270, WFR-1230, WDC-1310, WRRW-1460 and WKLZ-1470. Totals are now 555/357. I have finally finished figuring out my 1966 totals; they were 130/94. The best station of the year was, without any doubt, HJHJ in Columbia. 73 and good DX to all.

Paul Zec, P.O. Box 19, Somerville, Mass. 02145

New veries: v/l WIP-610 (CM), CJEM-570; v/q WOKY-920 ('66 Convention Comm.), WHO-1040, CFOS-560, CFRB-1010 (dazzling colors), CBN-640, & WTBX-950. Do any of the following verify: WICE-1290, CKLM-1570, WNDR-1260, & WARA-1320? (WICE, CKLM, & WNDR all do. SRR) SC's: I have many SC's from local stns. (WBZ, WMBX, others) which I would like to get rid of! Also have a couple copies of WBZ's top 100 for '66. Just write. My totals are now: 400/140, 31/27 states, 7/5 prov., 16/4 countries, 74/23 Canada. 73.

Ralph Vatalaro Jr., 97 REAR Franklin St., East Somerville, Mass. 02145

Hi. CX have been pretty good here lately. Dick Cooper: Come on, just 26 more stations to go if you want to tie Larry. (hi). I guess I should have entered too. Oh well, I'll wait till next year. John Callarman is on WXHR-FM now from 6-12 PM. You do a good job, but I'm really in favor of 98.5. Sorry! (hi) Well, I agree with Larry Godwin on the amount of reports IRCA has been getting lately. It's ridiculous. LEG: I forgot to send for a WTVH. Guess I'll have to buy one at the reg. price. Welcome Bob Foxworth! By the way did you check out Irma Ave? (hi) Veries: WERA-1590 v/l, WJJC-1270 v/l-CM-Windshield sticker, CBR-1010 v/q, KOMO-1000 v/c, WAPE-690 v/q, RNE-773 v/q, WGN-720 v/c. So far, I have taped reports to ZFB-1, RTM-935, Albania-1214, and Andorra-818. Mississippi needers: WCPC-940 s/off 1816 w/"Dixie". Brief s/off announcement, usually preceded by a minute commercial. 73.

Mike Mitock, 1529 Nichols Ave., Lorain, Ohio 44053 (WPE8HUA)

Greetings! Not much new in DX here, although noted some good CX during the extremely cold weather of a week ago...among them, most of the clear channels were vacant, with no signals at all on them. However, lack of postage prevented any reporting. One question: Does WDXR-1560 verify? I have 2 reports out to them. How long does CMQ take to verie? SC's: I WILL SWAP W H L O SC'S FOR WKYC SC'S FROM OCTOBER '66, OR ANY SURVEY FROM THE OLD K Y W. WPE's: I swap 100%. Hope to have some DX next time, so until then, 73, and good DX to one and all.

Matt Zahner, 7224 Gough Street, Baltimore, Md. 21224

The first static of the season occurred Tuesday when our Baltimore temperature hit 78 - pretty warm for the last of January. I've been DXing on a hand-held transistor radio my daughters gave me for Christmas. The count now stands at 6 countries: USA, Canada, Mexico, Cuba, Bonaire, and Radio Americas. Best US distance was WBAP. (I'll soon qualify as a first class BXer!!) Of course, all of these had at least 50 kw; the radio has 15 transistors, and I DXed at 0130 for several nights. Surely would have liked to have heard at least a TA het. Last week I was "holding court" in Wheaton (as you know I'm a legal officer for the state of Maryland) and tried to find your home. I called from a booth near Bethesda Suburban Hospital after I got lost but apparently you were not home. Maybe I'll give it another try when I'm in the area again. (Please do try again. The hospital is only 4 blocks from my house, so you weren't far away, hi. Welcome to the column, Matt! SRR)

Bill Raczko, 3015 East Lincolnshire Blvd., Toledo, Ohio 43606

The Midnight Skulker again writes a Forumala (hi dan) from the land of MM ANers. (That could be any place in the World, hi. SRR) No new veries this week, but the BC Yearbook and WTVH came, so it was a good week. I noticed in the BCY that they have KOB listed as 770 kc and 1030 kc. (That's because WAEG is trying to get KOB off 770 kc. SRR) Wonder how they managed that! A word about the R&R Station List: Does anyone have access to amimeo machine? If so, please write if interested in helping print the Lists. For anyone interested, I will trade a WTTO CM for any bumper sticker you send. 73.

C.M. "Stan" Stanbury II, Box 218, Crystal Beach, Ontario, Canada

First, I have some more info on "the map" from my source, namely Don Jensen. He states that he did hear about it at the NRC convention. He has now had a chance to examine the map personally and he says that the towers in the alledged R. Americas pictures must, on the basis of said map, be on Swan Island. This is USN Hydrographic Office map #5170 and is available from that office for \$1.20. HE FLATLY STATES THAT THIS WAS NOT THE MAP DISPLAYED BY RON SHATZ. Needless to say, I intend to check the map personally. But at the moment, it does appear that there is or WAS a MW array on Swan. More on Swan later. Meanwhile here are the hard facts in the DELETION of R. Americas SW XMTR. It did happen on Sept. 20 as RA claims and there is absolutely no connection with Inez. An extensive check has failed to turn up anyone who heard the XMTR after that date (at least under that name). On that date my EI LISTENER column (national circulation 300,000) containing eye witness testimony (RFS & the NRC have now amply demonstrated just how effective this testimony was) had just gone to press. On that date (which is mid-week, mid month) firm scheduling of a program over Radio Finland (a highly respected SWEC station with a large international audience) on this controversy and produced by the ASWLC had been firmly scheduled. TO DATE NO REASON FOR THE DELETION OTHER THAN THE CONTROVERSY OVER ITS LOCATION HAS EVEN BEEN ADVANCED, LET ALONE DOCUMENTED. But based on past performances, I'm sure the Swan Islanders will try, hi. Best.

Eric Davis, 650 Kenbrock, Vandalia, Ohio 45377

Hello, hello, hello. Two moons has passed since last report. Must report now. These loggings go way back but I haven't done much dial twisting since the first half of December. Here's my newset DX: (All loggings were given to Jeff for the DXR. SRR) WKWK-1600, was, I think the station I heard from about 0455-0458 when WLDU and several other s/on's drowned it out. Recent veries include: WEUP, WCPM, WPCF, KLAQ, WJVA, KWLA, CKIG, WKLP, CKIG (first from B.C.), WDIC, WJIC, KYND (state #36), KWYO (state #37), WSAZ, KGNO, WOOF, WCBL, WTHH, WKBZ, CKFH, and WRIC. Total veries now 284 with 37 states. 73.

Richard Wall Jr., 606 North Hite Avenue, Louisville, Ky. 40206

Hello everyone, I'm a new member so I'd better introduce myself. I'm 14½ and go to Trinity H.S. I've been a ECB DX'er since the middle of 1965. My RX is a 1938, 5 tube Philco (.530-3.700 kc/s). The antenna here is an "Inverted L". My past records are 9/8 countries, 31/30 states. For SW I use a Hallicrafters S-108. I also use a 3 speed Webcor tape recorder. Recent catches are KGGF, PDQ, WRFD, KSTP, WSUN, WPET, WACL, WDAF, and KVOO. I'll try to report as much as I can to DXR. I'm willing to correspond with anyone anywhere. 73 and gud DX for now. (Welcome to the IRCA, Richard. SRR)

Steven R. Russell, 8914 Mohawk Lane, Bethesda, Maryland 20034

Since this is my last issue as editor, I'd like to thank all of the members who have supported this section of the club over the last 14 months. The new editor effective immediately is Bruce Collier, 3512 Avenue B, Council Bluffs, Iowa 51503. His deadline, like mine was, will be on Tuesday. All ECDXF reports from now on go to Bruce. Veries this week: v/1 WECB, WBAF, WJCO, & WLDX. v/q WBIR. A total of 49 reports sent out this month, a record for me, especially since I only sent out 73 reports last year, hi. I hope all of you didn't get tired of reading all of my "one finger" typing, because that's what it was! Larry Godwin: Thanks for the phone call! Quite unexpected. This stencil contains all reports received here by the 31st, all reports received after this will have been remailed to Bruce. 73 and 30, which adds up to 103, so 103 for now. Stay tuned for the Bruce Collier Show.....

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DOMESTIC DX RECORDS TO: DON ERICKSON, 24360 Myers St., Sunnymead, California 92388

REPORT!

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Going on with more DX SPECIAL INFO (especially for our 3rd class mail members!):

CFJC normally 1kw nights will test with 10kw for our special Feb. 27. }  
Len Mack.

WGKE will test with 1kw. Reports to: Mr. Joe Kotlas, }NRC/Artie Krass

WPET reports to: Mr. Steve Ingold, CE, Box 3488, Greensboro, N.C. 27402. }  
NRC/Walt Fair, Jr.

CKUA also advises that copies of their coverage map will be available to  
IRCA members on request. } Len Mack

That's about it for this time. Note that all reports going to these  
SPECIALS should include the station call, etc. Also, a thank you to each  
SPECIAL would be in order. ALWAYS include RETURN POSTAGE!

THANKS to Alan Merriman, CPC Chairman of the NRC, for sending in all the  
info re the NRC SPECIALS! REPORT YOUR DX!! REPORT OFTEN!!!

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#### Word from the P. O.:

The P.O. will delay or send back (and they legally can) all 3rd class  
mail without the ZIP CODE. But, this is ONLY the 3rd class mail. I have  
sent out postcards to members without ZIP (3rd class only), and would  
appreciate it if these are sent back as soon as possible. Also, accord-  
ing to my sources, the P.O. has not even begun to sort by ZIP. } Re  
rates: There is a very good chance that the P.O. Dept. will be raising  
all rates 1%. After we see the financial report, we will be able to  
determine what affect a postage raise would have.

#### Changing address ?:

Be sure to get changes of address in as soon as possible with date of  
change over to HQ: Box 112, Englewood, Colo. 80110. Remember all re-  
turned bulletins cost the club 8%.

#### 1/28 bulletin:

Due to the fact that we had to type 5 stencils (and complete a few more)  
the last bulletin was a little late. It was ready by 5:30PM Sunday. But  
since there is no out going mail times after 5PM Sunday, it actually  
left the El Cajon P.O. at 10:10AM Monday. With my schedule the way it  
is this next semester, I could either mail out the bulletins on Mon.,  
Wed., or Fridays. I would like to hear some comment from the editors  
and members re a mailing change. OK?

WELCOME TO OUR MANY NEW MEMBERS!!!! MANY ARE ALREADY REPORTING OFTEN!  
WILL OUR OLD TIMERS FOLLOW THEIR EXAMPLE???

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CST/MST Forum & Roundup: Dave Johnson, 940 Veta Ave., Pueblo, Colo. 81005

PST/HST Forum: Mike Northam, 1840 Agate, Apt. 2, Eugene, Oregon 97403

PST/HST Roundup: John Hoogerheide, 15 Rustic Place, Eugene, Oregon 97401

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State of the Month: Mike Bratcher, Rt. 1, Maysville, Okla. 73057

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Foreign & Domestic Contests: Ed Krejny, 6538 Belmeadow Dr., Middleburg  
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to include it? That's right, whether the bulletin is 5 pages or 10 pages  
it costs the same amount of postage. So...why not report? It's FREE!!!

Granted Extensions to CPs:

- 810 WKVM San Juan, P.R., granted extension of CP to June 15.
- 1230 WNUZ Talledega, Ala., to completion date of March 1, 1967.
- KAWW Heber Springs, Ark., completion date of June 30, 1967.
- 1190 WLIB New York, N.Y., completion date of March 15.
- 1270 WTID Newport News, Va., completion date May 1.
- 1310 WGH Newport News, Va., completion date July 28.
- 1340 WSEB Sebring, Fla., completion date Apr. 11.
- 1350 KCOR San Antonio, Tex., completion date March 8.
- 1580 WBPA Pittsfield, Ill., granted CP to replace expired one.
- KLOM Lompoc, Calif., completion date May 15.
- WUNN Mason, Mich., completion date June 30.
- WNBS Murray, Ky., completion date July 5.
- KEOS Flagstaff, Ariz., completion date July 15.

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Latest FCC INFO as of 1/30:

NEW AM STATIONS::

- Cadillac, Mich., seeks 1370kc, 1kw, 5kw-LS DA-2-U.
- McLeansboro, Ill., requests WMCL - Hamilton County Broadcasting Co.
- Red Oak, Iowa, requests KOAK - Mid-America Publishing Corp.
- Fulton, Mo., granted WFTO - Itawamba County Broadcasting Co.

EXISTING AM STATIONS::

- KORT Grangeville, Idaho, seeks CP to go 1kw from 250w daytime.
- KIFG Iowa Falls, Iowa, seeks CP to go 1kw from 500w.
- WSHB Raeford, N.C., seeks hrs. change fr. U to s/off 7PM Mon-Sun.
- WKEN Dover, Del., seeks 1kw-N, 500w-LS, DA-N, from 500w-D on 1600kc.
- WTRE Greensburg, Ind., granted CP to change studio to Park Rd.
- KWKY Des Moines, Iowa, granted change of name to: Norseman Broadcasting Corp
- KULA Honolulu, Hawaii, requests KKUA - Hercules Broadcasting Co.

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Recent Developments in the Broadcast Field:

1. The 4-to-3 vote of the FCC for merger of ITT and ABC has been held up due to Justice Department's petition for reconsideration. As you remember, the FCC order was to go in effect Jan. 20, and would complete the \$2.5 billion merger. The Justice Department, in its petition, argued that the FCC did not adequately consider the anticompetitive aspects of the case and had not considered facts essential to an informed judgment. Of course, ITT described the Justice's move as "shocking." Word is that if ABC cannot merge without a "fight," they will simply drop out of the deal for the time being and get on with their Second-Season programming on TV.
2. The President has proposed \$19.1 million for the FCC during the fiscal year 1968. This is an increase of \$1.25 million over last year. Of this \$4.138 million is for the broadcast service. More important is \$520,000 earmarked for engineering studies and frequency allocation. The purpose of the study is to make a "more effective use of the electromagnetic spectrum." This study when completed in 3-5 years could have a direct affect on the BCB. (More about this later.)
3. NAB will now allow flexibility in the present 18-minutes-an-hour code commercial standard. But radio code subscriber must show "good cause" and "special circumstances." Also, NAB asked its staff to work with EIA in seeking cooperation of radio-set manufactures to improve the calibration of radio dials! For a spring campaign, NAB will be using new jingles with the theme "Radio--The People's Choice." And remember May is Radio Month!
4. The FCC has recently proposed a rule that would prohibit stations fr. IDing with any "promotional matter" that would lead listeners to believe that the station is assigned to a city other than that specified in its license." This after the KABL, KISN, etc. cases.

There are quite a few items of current business of interest to the Club. First, the deadline for volunteers to edit the AST/EST DX Forum is Saturday, Feb. 18; please write me if you are interested. Steve Russell has done an excellent job with the column and I'm sure it will continue to be one of the finest in the DX Monitor.

Our Secretary-Treasurer is preparing the club financial statement, which will be submitted to the Board by Feb. 1. Of course the report will be published in the bulletin shortly thereafter. The IRCA Secretary-Treasurer is, of course, Bill Nittler.

Thanks to our New Zealand Membership Fund, Dene Lynneberg of Porirua, N.Z., is now an IRCAer. \$4.00 remain in the fund, and we should have another DU member soon.

The IRCA Countries Committee is currently evaluating the new ANARC criteria, which differ slightly from our own, and the possibility of adopting the ANARC system is being considered. Also, the revised Countries List will be published soon.

Walt Nixon and Don Erickson are currently working on the Conditions of Frequencies List, which will list the AN situation for each frequency. If you have any recent info for the list, please write Walt at 4723 Kings Highway, Jackson, Miss. 39206, or Don at 24360 Myers St., Sunnymead, Calif. 92388.

There seems to be interest in reviving the Membership Committee (Mem-Com) to increase the club's size. If you are interested in being Chairman of this committee, please let me know. Write Bill Lipis about the activities of the committee if you are not familiar with it.

Since the new Editorial Policy does not refer specifically to verie-signers, the interpretation is that the names can be given in the DX Forum (nor the DX Roundup). If there is sufficient interest, perhaps a separate v/s column could be done on a regular basis. This column has not received much support in the past, however.

Now I'd like to get some impressions on subjects that will eventually be acted upon by the Board of Directors. If you'd like to express your ideas on these subjects, please mention them in your DX Forum reports.

First, support in the bulletin has been declining quite a bit in recent weeks. One possible solution might be to prepare an IRCA booklet, to be distributed free to members, treating various aspects of the hobby with the idea of helping everyone to derive more enjoyment from DXing. Paul Kirkpatrick and I recently discussed the idea and thought of including in the booklet selected feature articles that have appeared in Gray Scrimgeour's column, and special general articles to be written by volunteers. One very important part of the booklet would be a lengthy article on writing reception reports which has been written by Bob Coomler. Perhaps an article or two on the technical side could be included, but basically the booklet would be oriented toward the person new to DXing. Comments on this project are especially invited.

Jeff Kadet has suggested that members be allowed to mention the calls only of new loggings in their Forum reports, with details to appear in the Roundup. Jeff also suggests a very useful project for the domestic DXer: a list or table with local sunrise and sunset times for the entire country at different months of the year. If anyone is interested in heading this project, please let me know.

What is the general feeling on a "reluctant verifiers list"? The idea would be to list those stations which have recently been known not to verify in 3 or more instances with the intent of saving time and postage expense. I believe it is generally accepted that all stations will verify in the long run, so a "black list" is certainly not in order. But a "reluctant ver. list" might serve some short-run purposes without causing ill will on the part of the stations listed. Such a list is issued from time to time in the Medium Wave News (England). What are your comments?

What about club achievement certificates, to be issued upon verifying so many states/provinces or countries? Perhaps one of our members with printer connections could help keep the cost at a minimum. We would also need someone to head the project.

It will soon be time for IRCA elections again, so be thinking of possible nominations. Of course anyone is welcome to nominate himself. Nominations will begin April 1, in accordance with the IRCA Bylaws.

Randy Seaver is working on the stencils for a revised Constitution and Bylaws, to be included in the bulletin. Also the ballot for an official IRCA Signature Melody will be circulated soon.

IRCA Committees

Following is a list of IRCA Committees and their chairmen. Anyone wishing to work on one of these committees is invited to write to ...

Countries List: Mike Worst, Box 298, Seattle, Washington 98111.

Courtesy Programs: Larry Colton, 375 West 20th St., Holland, Michigan 49423.

Election: Randy Seaver, 2119 30th St., San Diego, California 92104.

Publishing: Bill Lipis, P. O. Box 325, El Cajon, California 92020.

Report Form: Ferdinando Martino, 7632 52nd Avenue, Sacramento, California 95828.

Recent Board of Director Action

Note: The numbers below correspond to proposals submitted. Also, the vote of each Director is indicated by region number, as follows: #1-Bertram Podall, #2-Don Roller, #3-Mike Shannon, #4-Jack Keene, #5-Ernie Wesolowski, #6-Len Lockwood, #7-Randy Seaver. Key to symbols: F-Favor, O-Oppose, A-Abstain.

- 2.2-18 Bylaws amendment to Article XIII, Section 2, specifying that letters of reprimand are to be sent by registered mail. #1-F, #2-O, #3-F, #4-F, #5-F, #6-F, #7-O. Passed.
- 2.2-19 Bylaws amendment to Article XIII, Section 3, specifying that letters concerning dismissal proceedings are to be sent by registered mail, return receipt requested. #1-F, #2-O, #4-F, #5-F, #6-F, #7-O. Passed.
- 2.2-20 Bylaws amendment to Article V, Section 2, Part 1, addition of sub-part n: "shall be responsible for reporting the results of voting by the Board of Directors in the DX Monitor; such reports must be made by the time a ballot is circulated among the membership dealing with matters that were presented to the Board for decision." #1-F, #2-F, #3-F, #4-F, #5-O, #6-F, #7-F. Passed.
- 2.2-21 Bylaws amendment to Article III, Section 3, Part 2, sub-part e: deletion of the sentence "In the case of 1965 elections, the first requirement shall be changed to three months." #1-F, #2-F, #3-F, #4-F, #5-F, #6-F, #7-F. Passed.
- 2.2-22 Appointment of Bill Raczko as Editor of Foreign DX Records. #1-F, #2-F, #3-F, #4-F, #5-F, #6-F, #7-F. Passed.
- 2.2-23 Authorization of Tom Peary to prepare an IRCA promotional tape. #1-F, #2-O, #3-O, #4-F, #5-F, #6-F, #7-F. Passed.

If you would like assistance in writing a proposal, or would like to advise the director in your region about your opinions on a particular subject, write to:

- Region 1 Bertram A. Podall, Apt. 512, 141-05 Pershing Crescent, Jamaica, N.Y. 11435  
 2 Don Roller, 812 E. 46th Street, Indianapolis, Indiana 46205  
 3 Mike Shannon, 316 South Court, Appleton, Wisconsin 54911  
 4 Jack Keene, 4902 Eppes Street, Houston, Texas 77021  
 5 Ernie Wesolowski, 1416 Pasadena Avenue, Omaha, Nebraska 68107  
 6 Len Lockwood, 516 N. E. 36th Street, Olympia, Washington 98501  
 7 Randy Seaver, 2119 30th Street, San Diego, California 92104

For a description of the states and provinces (and foreign countries) included in each region, see your copy of the IRCA Bylaws.

M I S C E L L A N E O U S

In Colombia a new state has been created from part of the state of Bolivar. It is called Sucre, and includes the city of Sincelejo. Anyone log Colombian states?

In Australia the A.B.C. will begin a 24-hour service within 2 months. The reason is to combat "the growing challenge of commercial radio stations" and the program is likely to consist of light and popular music. The N.Z. DX Times expects that 1 main center network and probably the regional net will provide the AN service. (NZDXT)

In New Zealand the NZDXT reports the new NZBC policy: network stations will not verify reports of relaying the National Programme. Thus reports must cover local news and the like originating from the individual NZBC stations.

In Albania the 1214 kc. station has been supplied by China, and Russia has been accused of jamming it. The 1358 kc. outlet is believed to be the second 250-300 kw. station in use. Has English transmission at 1700 EST. (Medium Wave News)

In England conditions for N. America were very good from Nov. 16-24, then poor, later improved on Dec. 9 but down again on Dec. 11. (Med. Wave News) Sound familiar?



DX LOGBOOK

- 540 Dominican Republic, HMC, Sto. Domingo, nice signal on 1/14 at 1825 w/US SS pop/folk music. (Ralph Vatalaro, Jr., 97 (REAR) Franklin St., East Somerville, Massachusetts 02145)
- 560 Venezuela, Caracas, YVLX, R. Rumbos IDs heard all over this freq. on 1/15 at 2146. US stations kinda faded out for an hour. (Vatalaro, Mass.)
- 640 Guatemala, Guatemala, TGW was heard at s/on w/NA at 0655 1/23. Somewhat mixed with CMQ. Reported. (Art Peterson, 2726 Rollingwood Dr., San Pablo, California 94806)
- 680 Puerto Rico, San Juan, WAPA had nice s/on w/anthem and SSB 0412 1/30. Reported. (Peterson, Calif.)  
Bolivia, La Paz, CP34 may have been the one I heard before 0412 on 1/30 and mixed with WAPA after 0412. (Peterson, Calif.)
- 700 UnID, voice heard under WLW 0448 1/30--JBC? (Peterson, Calif.)
- 750 Jamaica, Port Maria, JBC heard with IS and s/on at 0445 MM 1/30 through KFQD and WSB's DC. Reported. (Larry Godwin, PO Box 1048, Berkeley, Calif)
- 760 Colombia, Barranquilla, HJAJ's IDs like: "La Voz de Barranquilla" heard with WJR at 2015 on 1/22. (Vatalaro, Mass.)
- 834 British Honduras, Belize, s/on 0630 MM 1/30 with GSQ and another anthem. (Godwin, Calif. 94701)
- 890 Fiji Is., Lautoka, Radio Fiji was with little doubt the station heard 0429-0500, 1/23 with oriental (Hindi?) music, vocal. Joyfully reported!! (Peterson, Calif)
- 910 Venezuela, Maiquetia, YVRQ Radio Aeropuerto had a nice signal at 2115 1/15 but didn't stay around for long. (Jack Weber, 19 Swift Lane, Crawley, Sussex, ENGLAND)  
UnID SS heard for a few moments with YVRQ, mentioned membership to a "Cadena Nacional". Most likely LR4, Radio Splendid. (Weber, England)
- 1000 New Zealand, Tauranga, LZD in with good signals 0457 MM 1/30. (Godwin, Calif)  
Fair to poor on a bad to worse MM 1/30 after 0500. (Ye Editor)  
Brazil, Sao Paulo, PRB9, Radio Panamericana was probably the Brazilian with football commentary at 2020 1/20. (Weber, England)
- 1020 Friendly Is., Nuku'alofa, Tonga, ZCO was in weak with music 0310, 1/27 under KDKA. (Peterson, Calif.) Had "Concert Hall" 0230-0330 SM 1/29, in and out with KDKA. This is a good season to nab Tonga. (Godwin, Calif.)  
UnID, heard 1/26 at 0320 with pop music, and accented EE announcer, over KDKA, under the Noise. (Gray Scrimgeour, 1105 Virginia Way, La Jolla, Calif. 92037)
- 1080 Venezuela, Barcelona, YVQJ, had a very good signal at 2140 1/15 until s/off with sung anthem at 2155. (Weber, England) Surely the YV with Rumbos news, at times atop KRLD, from 0525 to past 0600 MM 1/30. Taped tentative sent. (Godwin, Calif.) Rumbos chimes only heard at 0546 1/23, during a pause between records on KRLD. (Peterson, Calif.)
- 1110 Venezuela, Punto Fijo, YVNN was a definite catch at 0543-0606, 1/23; with Punto Fijo mentioned several times and Rumbos chimes used often. Under and equal to KFAB. Reported. (Peterson, Calif.)
- 1120 UnID, weak signal behind KMOX at 0315, 1/27--WVUV on late? Tonga was in at this same time, so good possibility. (Peterson, Calif.) (Godwin, Calif)
- 1130 Hawaii, Kailua, KLEI IDed behind CKWX 0330 1/29. Too bad it won't QSL./
- 1140 Colombia, Valledupar, HJNS now here, ex-1490, via Colombian correspondent. Slogan is "Radio Guatapuri". (Godwin, Calif.)
- 1160 UnID, Music heard after 0558, 1/30. LBG's Peruvian? Hope so. (Peterson, Calif.)
- 1200 New Zealand, Wanganui, 2XA was probably the one s/off with GSQ MM 1/30. I'll keep after this one. (Godwin, Calif.)
- 1210 Venezuela, San Fernando de Apure, YVRD here, ex-1220. (Medium Wave News)
- 1340 Brazil, Belo Horizonte, PRH6, "Radio Guarani" very fine signal at 2010 1/20; ID's given simply as "Gaurani". (Weber, England)

- 1360 Brazil, Rio de Janeiro, PRCB, "Radio Guanabara" with fair signal at 2100 1/20 but some Brazilian interference. (Weber, England)  
Brazil, Portaleza, ZYH25, "Radio Virapura de Fortaleza" was probably the Brazilian fighting PRCB. (Weber, England)
- 1370 Cuba, (tentatively) fair SS heard on 1/23 at 0338. CM..? (Vatalaro, Mass.)
- 1430 Cuba, Palma Soriana, CMKZ, weak u/CKFH on 1/23 at 0310. (Vatalaro, Mass)
- 1440 Mexico, Mexico, DF, XELZ heard as usual, on 1/23 at 0327. Gave WZYX a lot of trouble. (Vatalaro, Mass.)
- 1460 New Zealand, Westport, 3YW presumably the one with NZ news 0406 MM 1/30. Not a bad signal at times, but unneeded. (Godwin, Calif)
- 1500 International Waters (Pacific), "Radio ????" new pirate off the NZ coast testing from 0200-0400 EST recently, via Ken Mackey. (Godwin, Calif.)
- 1513 Colombia, Barranquilla, HJLQ was in weak at 0448, 1/23. (Peterson, Calif)
- 1520 UnID, just a second before WKBW's SSB I heard an IS just like NHK at 0500, 1/30. However, no Asians were in this morning. Could this be a part of WKBW's s/on, or perchance HIBL? (Peterson, Calif.)
- 1554 France, Nice, Nice I heard dominant from 1550 to 1560 kc on 1/20 from 2304-2330 and on. Undoubtedly the loudest T/ heard ever. US & FF rock'n roll ("Call Me" in FF and like "Nashville Cats" in EE) What's their power? 60 Kw? Anyway, country #36 logged. Written report sent. (Vatalaro, Mass.)

## VERIFICATIONS

- 755 Portugal, Lisbon returned my tape! It was recorded with a personal greeting and Portugeuse folk music. QSL received 12/17. (Richard Cooper, 13 Winthrop Road, Wayland, Mass. 01778)
- 818 Andorra, R. des Valles Andorre sent a post card in 3 weeks. Frequency given as 820 kcs. (Cooper, Mass.)
- 830 Mexico, Navolato, Sinaloa, XENSM, Salvador A. Montenegro sent a very friendly v/1 in SS for 1/7/67 reception. Along with the letter was a personalized keychain and a magazine showing the station and many scenes in the Culiacan-Navolato area. QRA: Apt. 69, Navolato. Station operates with 1 kw using Gates equipment. (Peterson, Calif.)
- 1020 Friendly Is, Nuku'alofa, Tonga, ZCO, Alfred Sanft sent usual v/q for 12/23/66 reception. Country #28 verified. (Peterson, Calif)
- 1170 Colombia, Neiva, HJDP, Radio Colosal, very friendly v/1 and pennant, for my tentative report of 1/2. V/s is Dario Silva Silva, Director, and QTH is Calle 6a. No 4-59. Also commemorative stamps enclosed. (Godwin, Cal)
- 1578 Portugal, Porto, CS85 sent a friendly v/1 in one week. V/s is Pedro Velasquey; address as in WRTVH. (Cooper, Mass.)
- 773 Spain, San Sebastian, sent a v/c, 4 color card (5 including all the post-marks, hi) stating 20 kw. Country #13 QSL. (Vatalaro, Mass.) (Sorry this was out of order, but I've been out-of-order recently too, and this ended up, literally, on the cutting room floor)(RS)

## DXWw FORUM

Jack Weber, 19 Swift Lane, Crawley, Sussex, England writes: Hi. The band has been hotting up here for South American reception with a few new loggings, but it looks as if stateside DX has gone right down the drain. Anyhow, the veries are still coming in. Got letters from WKNE, WTOC and WDEA, also 6 Spanish veries. My best ever verie came last week from ERJ64 Radio Segovia (normally inaudible here, but heard with late s/off for Christmas). They sent a large parcel containing: card, pennant, special Christmas sked, and two examples of the local hand-made pottery. How about that for a QSL! (Jack, sure it wasn't part of the proverbial kitchen sink?-RJS) Fading has been a problem lately but I managed to get reports out to YVRQ and YVQJ. If good cx hold I should be able to report more regularly in the future. I've been giving the HRO a face lift, with new capacitors and I want to fit new tubes in time for the summer 'Deep South' season. At the moment, the topcap of the HF Osc. is held on with string! 73's. Ed. NOTE: These are late again, due to working until after midnite on Wednesday eve. Sorry about the poor quality of 1/28/67 stencils. Have a lot more but no time. Conditions were extremely poor here in SD again MM 1/30. both KGS and mvse'