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FLASH TIPS

Well gang, this is the last of the weeklies. We will be on the every-two-weeks schedule until the second issue of May, then we will be monthly in June, July, and August. Don't hesitate to send in your reports to the various columns. There's still a lot of DX out there in the "off" season. (MGW)

Also, there is no DX Calendar this time. Ran out of tests. On behalf of the Seattle Publishing Committee, I would like to thank the CPC for a job well done. Keep up the good work.

president's REPORT

RECENT BOARD OF DIRECTORS ACTIVITY:

| PROPOSAL | RLF | NH | GM | FJP | BP | RS | JZ | RESULTS |
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| 7.2-28 | F | F | A | F | F | F | F | PASSED |
| 7.2-29 | F | A | A | A | F | F | F | PASSED |
| 7.2-30 | O | O | A | A | O | F | O | DEFEATED |

DIRECTORS: Robert Foxworth, Nancy Hardy, Grant Manning, Father Jack Pejza, Bruce Portzer, Ron Schatz, John Zondlo.

- 7.2-28 Approve the convention bid by Indianapolis.
- 7.2-29 Reconfirm Bill Hardy as Special Features Editor.
- 7.2-30 Not allow Gilfer Associates any free advertising in DX Monitor, and that IRCA not endorse their services. Submitted by Grant Manning.

Positions still open:

EDXR Editor: to replace Mike Mitock.
Conditions of Frequencies Editor: to replace John Clements.

For either position, please contact me.

Respectfully submitted,

Richard C. Evans,
President, IRCA

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DEADLINES: 4/11; 4/25; 5/9; 5/30
All times in EDXR are ELT!!!

- 540 KWMT IA, FORT DODGE good w/c&w mx 3/2, PSA Red Cross 1911. (BP-NJ)
- 560 WIND IL, CHICAGO 2/13 0132 talk program, Phone 828-9110, ad for Ricks. Poor - fair sig. WGR splatt. (WGD-ON)
- 570 WMCA NY, NEW YORK 2/13 0149 ads for S. Korean Gyn Syng Trade, entre talk show, "All About NY". Poor signal. WKBN QRM. (WGD-ON)
- 670 WMAQ IL, CHICAGO 2/13 0009 c&w mx, spots, promos ("WMAQ is gonna make me rich!") Very good-xlnt sig w/CFTR splatt. (WGD)
- 720 WGN IL, CHICAGO 2/13 0018 20's to 50's mx, add for Tollman Federal. Very good - xlnt signal. (WGD-ON)
- 740 WKIS FL, ORLANDO 2/28 1745 weak in the mess with "Kiss" ID. (BP-NJ)
- 750 WBMD MD, BALTIMORE 3/3 dominant o/WHEB w/ xlnt sig 1657-1705. Nx @ 1700. WHEB weather in background. (BAR-NY)
- 810 WGY NY, SCHENECTADY 2/15 2059 talk/interview program, ID, NBC Nx, ads. Very good-xlnt sig. (WGD-ON)
- 840 WHAS KY, LOUISVILLE 2/14 0048 Windmill Restaurant ad, National wx, IDs, contemp mx, promo. Very good=xlnt sig. (WGD-ON)
- 910 WGBI PA, SCRANTON 2/25 dominating frequency at 2027 w/spot for CBS Mystery Theater. Hrd before. (BAR-NY)
- 920 WOKY WI, MILWAUKEE 2/17 0021 Open-Line Show, IDs, promo (call 472-3171). Fair sig, CKCY, WJAR QRM. (WGD-ON)
- 930 WPAT NJ, PATERSON 2/25 ID at 2015 u/WBEN basketball game. (BAR-NY)
- 970 WCSH ME, PORTLAND 2/22 2200 fair w/WWSW QRM w/NIS. (BP-NJ)
- WEBR NY, BUFFALO 2/14 0006 s/off. Mod., - poor signal. QRM-WAVE? (WGD-ON)
- WWSW PA, PITTSBURGH 2/21 0110 wx, sports, MoR mx. Very poor, not good enough to send report. (WGD-ON)
- 980 WRC DC, WASHINGTON 3/7 finally hrd at 0139 w/fair sig o/usual CKGM, local WTRY off, ID "WRC, All news, all the time". (BAR-NY)
- 1000 WREM KY, JENKINS s/on 0559 2/21, ID as WREM-FM, nothing about AM (??). Clobbered by WCFL s/on 0600. Way too early for their LSR, no PSA listed in NRC log. (BP-NJ)
- 1010 WINS NY, NEW YORK 2/28 0035 w/typical all-news fair, plenty of news & IDs, no reportable info. Fair sig. (DD-GA)
- 1030 WBZ MA, BOSTON 2/15 2222 sports, open line w/ads & promo ("BZ Bonanza"), xlnt signal. (WGD-ON)
- 1070 WNCT NC, GREENVILLE believed hrd on 3/1 w/ ID (?) at 1715. Had mentions of NC. (BAR-NY)
- KNX CA, LOS ANGELES 2/7 0322 battling w/WFLI, "When you're up, we're on, KNX Newsradio 1070". CA #2 for me! (BP-NJ)

1080 WTIC CT, HARTFORD 2/17 0030 state lottery ad, open line prog. Fair sig, KYW splatt. (WGD-ON)

KYMN MN, NORTHFIELD 2/21 poor sig noted from 0236-0257 on DX TEST. V/1 said received 33 requests for veries in 2 days!!! (GT-FL)

1200 WOAI TX, SAN ANTONIO 2/14 0230 s/off. Poor signal. Splatt from WHAM, CHTN, WCAU and WGAR. (WGD-ON)

1230 WNMB MA, NORTH ADAMS 2/27 hrd w/good sig and ID at 0850. (BAR-NY)

1240 WNEZ NY, SARANAC LAKE 2/24 hrd at 2009 w/good sig and mentions of Saranac Lake. Local WWWD was off, and since they are AN, I assume they were having problems. (BAR-NY)

WGBB NY, FREEPORT 2/24 ID hrd at 2011 w/poor sig. Local WWWD off. (BAR-NY)

1270 KFJZ TX, FORT WORTH 0326 2/21, in briefly, "KFJZ, Fort Worth-Dallas Wx". (BP-NJ)

1300 WFBR MD, BALTIMORE 2/14 0020 pop mx, IDs, wx, Air Force PSA. Poor-fair sig. WERE (?) QRM. (WGD-ON)

1330 WFBC SC, GREENVILLE 2/21 0535, nx & Greenville-Spartanberg wx w/WRIE. (BP-NJ)

WHBL WI, SHEBOYGAN 3/7 DX TEST tried, not heard. (GT-FL)

WTRX MI, FLINT 2/21 0107 ID, Very poor; not good enough to send report. (WGD-ON)

1350 ---- unID; 3/4 at 1910 hrd ID CK--, which must have been CKAD or CKLB. (BAR-NY)

WINY CT, PUTNAM 3/9 quick ID at 1920. Hrd #10 for 1350. (BAR-NY)

1380 CKPC ON, BRANTFORD 2/27 ID hrd at 0858 w/good sig, no QRM. #30 for ON. (BAR-NY)

1390 WFBL NY, SYRACUSE 2/14 1322 rr mx, promo, Chapels Candy Store ad. Moderate sig. Not any CHOO QRM!! (WGD-ON)

1410 KQV PA, PITTSBURGH 3/7 0239-0242+ Nx & community notes @ 0239. Fair sig in WING null. (GT-FL)

1430 KELI OK, TULSA 3/7 0220-0230+. "Tulsa's best mx...K-E-L-I", rr mx. Fair in WIRE null. (GT-FL)

WCMY IL, OTTAWA 3/7 DX TEST tried, not heard. (GT-FL)

WIRE IN, INDIANAPOLIS 2/28 a surprise at 0133 w/good-xlnt sig and ID. (BAR-NY)

1450 CHUC ON, PORT HOPE 2/26 hrd GSQ at 0600, and at 0602 very weak ID. "This is Radio station CHUC". This could be my best catch. (BAR-NY)

1460 *CJOY* ON, GUELPH 2/28 DX TEST not heard due to very local WOKO domination 0100-0130. (BAR-NY)

1500 WTOP DC, WASHINGTON 2/15 2210 all nx, Northern VA Hotline PSA, Metrobus ad. Fairly good signal. (WGD-ON)

1520 WVOB MD, BELAIR 2/14 1744 s/off. Poor sig, WKBW QRM. (WGD-ON)

1530 WCKY OH, CINCINNATI 2/15 2159 open-line prgm, ads, CBS Nx. Very good sig. (WGD-ON)

WJDM NJ, ELIZABETH 2/27 1635-1648 w/poor-fair sig and SS programming. (BAR-NY)

1550 WNTN MA, NEWTON 2/27 xlnt sig 1902 w/ID. Had rr format. QRM and WPTR-1540 slop in background. (BAR-NY)

+ 3/2 at s/off, booming signal. Don't know how this went unnoticed for so long. (BP-NJ)

1560 WWBK NY, BROCKPORT 2/14 1302 Nx, sports, MoR mx, Fenley Bros. ad, other ads. Xlnt sig. (WGD-ON)

WQXR NY, NEW YORK 2/15 2147 nx in progress, ads, ID, Boston Symphony Concert. Xlnt sig. (WGD-ON)

1570 WPGM PA, DANVILLE 3/1 hrd w/fair sig at 1810 and mentions of a new shopping center in Danville. (BAR-NY)

WTOW MD, TOWSON 3/1 hrd w/good sig at 1812 IDing as "Sunshine Radio". (BAR-NY)

+ 2/14 1745 s/off in progress. Fair signal. (WGD-ON)

1580 WCRV NJ, WASHINGTON 3/1 quick ID hrd at 1746 thru QRM. (BAR-NY)

WRDI NJ, HAMMONTON 3/1 hrd @ 1750 w/fair sig o/QRM. IDing as "RD Radio". S/off at 1757. (BAR-NY)

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PER THE LIST:

1360 WHBG VA, HARRISONBURG 3/4 TT hrd w/gud sig but ID at 0015 not hrd due to WWBZ tone. (BAR-NY)

1470 WBTX VA, BROADWAY-TIMBERVILLE 3/4 s/on at 0000 w/ID then into tones, s/off at 0015. (BAR-NY)

WJDY MD, SALISBURG 2/28 0018 f/c booming in w/tone & ID every minute. I think I've finally learned SAM's secret, hi. (DD-GA)

1490 WBCB PA, LEVITTOWN hrd 2/28 0150-0201 w/xlnt sig, tone, and a few IDs. (BAR)

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BROUGHT TO YOU BY:

BP- Bob Pegg, RD 3, Box 357 Milford, NJ 08848/Realistic TRF & 300' longwire

WGD- Bill Dulmage, RR #3, Colborne ON KOK 1SO/

BAR- Bob Rice, RD 2 Peaceable St., Ballston Spa NY 12020/ Drake SFR-4 & 500' longwire

DD- Don Davis, 107 Oakdale Dr., Warner Robins, GA 31093/ S-76, longwires & loop

GT- Gerry Thomas, 2811 SW Archer Rd. C-18, Gainesville FL 32608/ SX-110 & wedge loop

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So it goes for all the weekly EDXR's! If you've been watching the column heads for the deadlines, then you know we break next week, and come back on 4/9! Nice to see the column growing in size per content, and also great to see so many of the members supporting EDXR! Guess that's it for now....see you in 2 weeks! 73...mrm

**central dx
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DEADLINES: 3/30 4/13 MON 4/25 5/11 6/1 6/29

580 CKAP ONT Kapuakasing, 3/6 1905-20, xlnt with soft RR, YL DJ, lots of IDs, no ads.

640*WOT*IA*Ames, 3/14 xlnt 0635-45 on DX //(PB) test w/slight QRM fron Havana. Had jazz mx, IDs very frequently. (PLB)

690 WVOK AL Birmingham, 3/14 1847-49 o/WTIX w/C&W "Call In and Win" promo, jingle.(PLB)

WTIX LA New Orleans, 3/14 1847 weak thru WVOK w/calls, man talking (promo?). (PLB)

870 WHCU NY Ithaca, 3/14 most wanted finally bagged 1858-1911. Had ID, CBS Nx at 1900, another ID after CBS Nx 1907, into CBS sports. WWL did not carry CBS Nx this hour. (PLB)

1260*WGVN*MS*Greenville, 3/10 0103-0224. Xlnt on ET w/various tones, extended periods of OC, & fragments of C&W Mx; one ID at 0223; way o/WNDE, but, surprisingly having some trouble w/KGBX prior to their s/off at 0105; daytimer in these parts and never reported. (SAM)

1400*KWLA*LA*Many, 3/12 0242-49. Very good to fair on ET w/various tones, brief periods of OC, and extended ID w/TC at 0248. Some QSB in moderate QRM, but most of the time well o/GY QRM; occasionally hrd here & rptd, but no verie ever rcvd.(SAM)

1560 WTOP OH Toledo, 3/14 blasting in 1815-20 with C&W, ads, promos. (PLB)

1580*WSRF*FL*Fort Lauderdale, 3/10 0243-0314. Good to fair on ET w/KLOU 70% nulled. Primarily 400 cycle tone interrupted by frequent brief periods of OC; one very faint ID hrd at 0313; first hrd several seasons ago & v/q rcvd in about 3 weeks. (SAM) (I had a v/1 in 8 days, back in Dec., 1969--rce)

*WORG*SC*Orangeburg, 3/10 0104-0218. Good to unreadable on ET w/frequent periods of QSB and heavy QRM; KLOU in 60% null; various tones, many extended periods of OC & c/w Mx sung by gal who sounded like Dolly Parton; badly garbled IDs on the average of one every 20 minutes; hrd testing last season & rptd with no verie. (SAM)

PER THE LIST:

1st SUN: WYWY- 950 KY T (SAM)
2nd THU: WTNK-1390 MS T (SAM) ends test w/request for DX reports

A TIP OF THE HAT THIS WEEK TO:

PLB - PHILIP BCERSMA, 15570 Cleveland Street, Spring Lake, Michigan 49456
SAM - SCOTT A. MENTZER, Route Three, Tylertown, Mississippi 39667

Quickly: This is the last of the weekly issues. Keep an eye on the head of the column. All are Wed., but Thursday arrival here will probably make it OK except the last one in April which has been up as I will be leaving on vacation the end of that week.73

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western dx roundup

ALL TIMES ARE EASTERN LOCAL

DEADLINES: April 1, April 15, May 13, June 3

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(Rw) Robert Wien-945 Desert Isle Dr.-San Jose, CA
GE TRF long-range portable 95117

- 640 *WOI* IA, Ames 3/14 0633-0650 fair on DX test through strong KFI on RS (obviously KFI didn't have their SP.) WOI had alternating mx & 1 kHz TT, w/mostly unintelligible ID's in between. "WOI" heard in 0642 ID, then TT; inaudible ID 0644 & more TT; 0645 clearly heard legal ID twice & word "testing", then mx. WOI never heard here before. (BH-WA) 3/14 0632-0654 weak but readable on DX Special. Tough to hear through KFI null. Best in KFI talk periods. Heard very frequent ID's "WOI, 640 kHz, Ames, Iowa." 1 kHz TT's, big band mx. DX pretty good (Cuba was in an hour earlier.) (JJ-WA)
650 *unID* 2/28 0319 very faint TT heard w/1 kHz tone. Looped WNW. Possibly KYAK or KOKL? Also heard 3/7. (RW-CA)
690 *unID* 2/27 0544 unID testing on 690, very poor u/NETRA, moderate KNER-630 slop. (RW-CA) (CEU tests here quite often w/TT.-KH)
740 *unID* 3/7 0407 unID announcer saying "KD?" or "KE?" on air for testing. Pretty sure it wasn't KBRT. Whozit then? Looped BNE. (RW-CA)
790 *KQHL* MT, Billings 3/7 0250 easily heard, mixing w/KABJ, much KJRL slop. TT w/1 kHz tone, per the list. (RW-CA)
930 KACI OR, Grants Pass 3/3 2101 poor to fair, above everything, KHJ underneath. Promo for Manfred Mann at the Medford Armory, spot for Western Door & Cabinet, MES mx. (RW-CA)
950 *KNTX* MT, Helena 3/7 0335 poor u/pest XEGM w/1 kHz TT, no trouble hearing. Per the list. (RW-CA)
1060 KR3P UT, Salt Lake City 3/6 0820 poor to fair w/slow fade-out in semi-null of KPAY, KUPD in background. Mx "Torn Between Two Lovers," DJ Don Kelly, mx for Salt Lake City, Provo & Ogden. (R)
1070 KERR MT, Polson 3/6 2020 poor to fair w/no sign of KNY, slow fade-out. Spot for South Shore Inn on Flathead Lake in Polson at intersection of highways 93 and 35. (RW-CA)
1080 *unID* 2/27 0548 TT'ing u/KRLD & KNUJ, very poor to unreadable. (RW-CA)
1140 *KLUU* NV, Las Vegas 3/7 0336 noted on for testing w/very good to excellent signal, no QSB whatsoever; rr mx. (RW-CA)
1150 KKEY OR, Portland 3/3 2047 poor to fair, slow fade-out, above everything, moderate HLOK-1170 slop. Spot for Flowers by Berkhart on West Burnside in Portland, phone number 223-6151 given, spot for

- two-way telephone systems, mention of "Key Radio." (RW-CA)
1220 *KIBB* CA, Palo Alto 3/5 0411 noted testing w/classical mx, but no TT's. (RW-CA)
1230 *KAAA* AZ, Kingman 2/28 0209 easily heard, but still barely above mess w/KBEE in background. ID "This is KAAA, Kingman, AZ, operating at 1000 watts on 1230 kHz." then code ID. (RW-CA)
1230 KIBB CA, Bishop 2/24 2051 atop frequency for one minute, then faded out into "buzzsaw" arr. Spot for Kentucky Fried Chicken w/mention of Bishop, SID "K-I-E-S." (RW-CA)
1230 KLAU NV, Las Vegas 2/28 0325 fair, above frequency briefly, then suddenly faded out. ID "KLAU, Las Vegas, with the finest music in southern Nevada." (RW)
1230 *KQIK* OR, Lakeview 3/7 0304 poor to fair, above everything except for KYJJ just underneath. Varying tone, strong code ID's. Per the list. (RW-CA)
1230 *unID* 3/7 0210 poor, but above everything on 1230, TT'ing w/1 kHz tone. Looped from east. Anybody know this one? (RW-CA)
1240 KSUB CA, Susanville 2/24 2057 very poor, barely o/heavy KWBV/KROY & misc. 1240 BEM, then faded out. Mention of Boy Scouts and Susanville. (RW-CA)
1240 *KMOI* ID, McCall 3/7 0320-0330 on 15 minutes later than on list. Fair to good, above everything w/1 kHz tone, code ID's, approximately every 15 seconds announced on the air w/500 watts. Per the list.(RW)
1310 ?KLIK? ID, Twin Falls 3/5 0436 very poor, mixing w/unID's and KMTA-1430 harmonic, in KDIA null. Mx w/mention of Frank Church, wx, mention of 2:36 (KBT) and J&W mx. Too weak for ID. (RW-CA)
1320 KXYZ TX, Houston 2/27 0456 poor u/KOPX, CHQM off. Spot w/mention of Harris County, ID "K (pause) XYZ," mention of Crosby and Nash at 0459. (RW-CA)
1330 KUPL OR, Portland 2/27 (time not logged) poor to fair, KPAC temporarily off. Wx for Portland, PSA for poster contest by Humane Society of Portland, ID "you found the Northwests favorite, KUPL, Portland, the favorite on 1330." (RW)
1340 *KPGX* AZ, Page 3/5 0220 poor, but solid TT heard o/mess at 0220, probably 1000 watts, o/KBBT & KBAA. SP between 11:20:50 and 11:21:15, o/at 11:32. Per the list. (RW-CA)
1340 KRAM NV, Las Vegas 3/6 2028 poor to very poor mixing w/KEEN-1370 slop, faded into mess. Ad for Union Plaza Hotel, mx. (RW-CA)
1340 *KAZUL* AZ, Parker poor to fair w/KEEN-1370 slop, no sign of KROM. 1 kHz tone, ID at 0213. Per the list. (RW-CA)
1400 *unID* 3/7 0250-0255 poor, slow fade-out in KRE null, looped BSE. Approximately 25 sec. intervals of TT, 1-2 sec. SP, then another 25 sec. TT. ID at 0255 unreadable, but made out word "kiloHertz". KNTA slop bad. Whozit? (RW-CA)
1400 unID 2/24 2152 very poor to poor in KRE null but o/everything else. J&W mx w/"Gonna Have a Wild Weekend." (RW-CA)
1420? *KXOW* AR, Hot Springs 3/7 0515 barely audible TT heard way u/KSTN & KUJ. 1 kHz tone. Presume it to be this one, per the list. (RW-CA)
1420 KUJ WA, Walla Walla 3/7 0356 fair. o/KSTN. Mention of Walla Walla, mx "24 Years of Waiting For a Chance." (RW-CA)
1420 *unID* 2/28 0354 unusual TT w/funny "humming" sound, intermittent. Looped M-S, o/ KSTN. (RW-CA)
1430 *KNTA* CA, Santa Clara 3/7 0443 noted on w/TT. (RW-CA)
1430 ?WIRE? IN, Indianapolis 3/7 0307-0309 strong suspect, poor u/KARM, fading out. J&W mx. KARM blanked it eventually. (RW-CA)
1450 *KAWT* AZ, Douglas 3/7 0216 very poor, just above mess w/much KNTA-1430 slop. TT w/1 kHz tone. Per the list. (RW-CA)
1450 *KUSL* AZ, Show Low 3/7 0239-0245 in ZEBT null very poor w/ONE, much KNTA-1430 slop. TT noted w/SP 0239:40-0239:55, intermittent to end at 0245. Per the list. (RW-CA)

- 1450 KVEN CA, Ventura 3/7 0300 very poor, just above mess in BEST null, after KMTA s/off. End of s/off w/mention of sister station KHAY-FM at 100.7. (RW-CA)
- 1450 *KDXU* UT, St. George 3/7 0227-0230 u/mess w/severe KMTA-1430 slop, mixing w/unID rr, better signal at 0228, clear at 0229, fade at 0230. ID 0230. Per the list. (RW)
- 1490 *KYCA* AZ, Prescott 3/5 0216 solid TT heard o/mess in KRX-1500 null, later KDB & unID Q&W mixed w/KYCA. K100 noted in back-ground. Per the list. (RW-CA)
- 1490 *KCUZ* AZ, Clifton 3/7 0225 clear TT heard mixing w/KDB, intermittent, in KRX-1500 null. Per the list. (RW-CA)
- 1490 *KVAC* WA, Forks 3/7 0332 poor to very poor, mixing w/KDB & unID Q&W, gone at 0339 check. TT w/1 kHz tone. Per the list. (RW)
- 1500 KSTP MN, St. Paul 3/5 0410 noted in freak occurrence when KRX was off for 20 sec. w/technical problem. Poor, QSB'ing in & out w/"You Make Me Feel Like Dancin'". (RW-CA)
- 1530*?WCKY?*OH, Cincinnati 3/5 0234 strong suspect u/KFBK, poor, QSB'ing in & out, TT'ing intermittently, o/at 0237 w/MOR mx. (RW-CA)

Without Robert's 41 tips, this would have been a very short column! This is the last of the weekly issues, so be sure to read the deadlines listed at the top of WDXR. 73

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 Not much DXing of late due to college mid-terms and what not, but figured a muse is long overdue. (a muse?-jz) Last December received my 100 Total Stations Verified Award and 20 states verified. Since then my tape recorder has taken a long rest. Only new stations since the first have been WIXZ McKeesport, PA, CFTR Toronto, ON, & WPRW Manassas, VA. Totals at this location stand at 165 stations heard, 105 tape verified, and 21 states tape verified. 73's to all and good DX.

Karl Forth-630 S. Ardmore-Villa Park, IL 60181
 Hello. It's time for the usual post-anniversary issue re-intro. I'm 21, and working as a driver making deliveries in the "Loop". If my present plans pan out, I'll go to either Southern Illinois University or the University of Illinois in the fall. I've been DXing since 12/70, an IRCA member since 1/72. Heard/verified/taped totals are 1,831/979/948 stations, 48/48/48 states, and 10/10/9 provinces. Maine and Alaska are the only states needed. The get-together here 2/19-20 was a success, with Martin Madeley, Dale Whitehead (both of NRC), Mark Lathrop, and Sheik Kareem-Abdul Kramer in attendance. Thanks to Steve Francis, Ernie Wesolowski, Rollie Lindblade, and Rich Pistek for the calls. Highlights included a basketball game in the snow, a discussion about derailling trains and three new stations for me and two for Mr. Kramer. Veries in recently: v/1 WTCB-990 WPIT-730 v/f KHIL-1250 WGSM-740 v/c WDOL-1470. KYME test heard with a number of code IDs but nothing else. CU Later.

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 Though I am not particularly active in IRCA, I have been a member nearly a year, and am starting to resume with a McKay-Dymek antenna a hobby I started 15 years ago with a tiny transistor radio--BCB DX. The Forum is as interesting as the Roundup, except once in a while when someone dabbles into technical sciences without adequate background. In WDXF, 5 March 77, Jef Jaisun casually drops some confusions about astronomy. That's my field (amateur since 1957, planetarium director 1969-76, now assistant editor of Sky and Telescope magazine), so I thought I'd set the record straight and offer IRCA members my services to answer such problems before they reach publication, rather
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than after. There was no geocentric or heliocentric alignment of Saturn, Mars and Uranus in February, nor any time soon. Saturn and Uranus move quite slowly, and it will be a few years before Saturn and Uranus even approach such a situation; it has been more than 20 years since the last time. When an alignment does occur it is a ponderously slow affair. The only known effect any planet has on any other is gravitational. The gravitational effect of ANY other planet on us is considerably smaller than that of the chair you are sitting in is on you right now. Thus, Jaisun's mention of the alignment is both incorrect (as there was no such alignment) and irrelevant (as it could have no effect on radio propagation even if it did happen). The sunspot concern is quite different. Here, the effects are clear and important. I presume this is the reason geomagnetic indices are published in the Monitor. The sunspot cycle averages 11 years or so, but each cycle the magnetic polarity of the spots "flips", so that you could call the true cycle 22 years -- for the first 11 years, from minimum number of spots to maximum and back to minimum, the major leading (reckoned by direction of solar rotation) spot will have "north" magnetic polarity in each sunspot group; for the next 11 year cycle from min to max and back to min, the leading spot in each group will have "south" polarity. Midwest droughts have occurred very roughly at 21 or 22 year intervals, corresponding with solar sunspot minima. Lots of earthly phenomena correlate with sunspot periods, but the physical mechanism by which this happens is not proven in ANY case. Also, during the "Maunder Minimum" when there were practically no spots for many decades, areas that had droughts generally didn't have them for the entire period of minimum, which thoroughly muddles the correlations. This was described briefly on a CBC radio science report that interviewed Jack Eddy of the University of Colorado last week.

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 Well, it's "Anniversary Time" (soon to be a new game show), and an opportune moment to offer a re-intro. I'm 17, and a senior at Weston High School, in Weston, CT. DXing BCB since 1971, officially since the summer of 1975. I haven't counted any totals recently, but I guess that I've heard between 300 and 400 stations from this point. I don't send for veries, and I don't tape; consequently, I don't go for awards. I do, however, try and send in to EDXR any info which is of possible interest to others, as everyone should... I don't send in tips as often as I should, but then again, I don't DX as often as I should, hi. On this occasion, may I humbly request as many of the membership ("everybody" would be presumptuous) as possible to send in DX material. I especially encourage people interested in radio programming to send me any information they may come across, as well as any articles they may write, so that I might include them in "Radio Programming Notes," a struggling semi-column. That's it for this collection of cryptic rambling, 73, and good DX from BIG.

Philip Boersma-15570 Cleveland St.-Spring Lake, MI 49456
 A couple of veries have been received here (believe it or not, hi). A nice v/1 from WKXO for their DX test, signed by DXer and NRCer Chris Bobbitt. A form letter was received from WSDL, acknowledging my reception report sent for their DX test. But it does not clearly state whether or not my report was correct. Should I count it as a verie? On to other junk: in the local radio scene, WYON-FM 101.3 has now changed calls to WMLW, using the automated "mellow music" format. Who syndicates that stuff, anyway? I liked WYON's format, consisting of big bands and old popular standards, but the new WMLW format is pure chickenrock garbage. Muzak for the under-45 set. WKBZ-850 now has a 2 hour news block from 6 to 8am every morning. Great idea. They insert 5 minute commentaries by Paul Harvey and Ronald Reagan once per day. Maybe the hippiepinkocommies like me ought to demand equal time and have a 5 minute commentaries by William S. Burroughs, hi. THAT would certainly liven up anyone's morning.

Who's William S. Burroughs? If ya don't know, ya ain't a recycled '60's radical, hi. In a pinch, Abbie Hoffman will do, when it comes to philosophy. Speaking of which, do any AM stations carry the Progressive Radio Network's Newsblimp? A number of FM-ACR stations do. Well, I have to jog. 73s:

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With ref. to Schatz 2/26 DXF, even if he hadn't lifted my report out of context his account still leaves no doubt of my reception and that the report was verifiable. Arguments about size of a report are nonsense; one has to wonder what kind of a fantasy world some IRCans are living in. However, by not issuing me a QSL Schatz did prevent me from using it as an illustration for my article on R. Million. Nevertheless, I was still able to write, sell and publish the article using other illustrations. Meanwhile, Schatz has omitted the fact that neither the station's address nor Schatz connection with it were published in advance. In order to be able to send the station a report within two days of the test - broadcast was morning of 3/8 and my report was mailed AM of 3/10 - one had to hear the test in order to know the address. Again I am sending an advance copy of this DXF to President Evans in the event he wants to take some action on the matter. But I will continue to research, write, sell and publish articles and novels on clandestine broadcast activities.

A note from the Editor-in-Chief: about advance publicity, Mr. Stanbury is wrong. Radio Millón apparently notified many Spanish speaking groups all over the Americas. Even the Seattle group (which isn't very big) was notified of the times and addresses. This came to my attention when my Spanish teacher asked me several questions about it. I was rather surprised that she would know about something like that, but recognized the address for North American reports as being that of Ron Schatz. I meant to publish this address in the bulletin that would appear just after the test, or up to a few days before, but I forgot to, so it appeared in the following bulletin. Also, there was no mention of any radio clubs being involved. MGW

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Fellow IRCA'ns: I'd rather discuss DX than politics within these pages; yea, even club politics; but as an elected club official I have an obligation to let the membership know where I stand on crucial issues affecting the welfare of the club. The issue - how to interpret our set of Constitution and By-Laws: In the past the unspoken consensus has been that nothing can be done in the club unless it is specifically permitted by the C&BL. Two years ago, as DXWW editor, I permitted longwave DX info to appear in said column - on the grounds that while the C&BL may not specifically authorize it, it doesn't specifically forbid it either. The new interpretation was never challenged either way, and I was subsequently elected to the BoD with the membership knowing how I stand on C&BL interpretation. But again a precedent has occurred, and some tribunal must decide: Does the Editor-in-Chief, namely Mike Worst or anyone else in that position, have the right to terminate memberships in the performance of his duties and responsibilities? As I see it - absolutely! Not only do the C&BL mention nothing that specifically prevents the EiC from taking such action, but I feel he has a downright obligation to throw any member out of the club when failing to do so would endanger club welfare through rash statements, etc., marring the club image or subjecting it to adverse legal action through his heavy responsibility, DX Monitor. Simply put, if a member so becomes a pain in the....to the EiC so as to interfere with his duties and service to the general membership, the EiC should kick him therein - out of the club, subscription and all. The booted member, however, reserves the right to bring his case to the BoD for a final decision. Well, our booted member turns out to be Bill Harang, and Bill already has petitioned his case to the BoD - complete with a threat - to the BoD! Perhaps Mike can do us an even greater favour by relieving us of the Swan-Americas-CIA-Millón-Oswald controversy once and for all with his new-found powers! By the way, if anyone thinks I've been speaking out too

strongly lately, you have the right to stand up and be counted. Remember - elections are coming up; nominate and vote with thought and care. 73 de RFS.

John Zondlo-6617 Maryland-Hammond, IN 46323

Greetings As RFS says, there are many things which the C&BL does not forbid. Yet, while I support the idea behind the intentions of Mike Worst, I consider his actions a matter of poor judgement and an insult to the BoD. At no time did MW advise the BoD of his actions, which would have met with the approval of this member. Unfortunately, the hands of the BoD are tied in regards to reprimanding MW, since he is soon to leave the EiC post and there is no one waiting immediately in the wings. I do not support the termination of the memberships of Harang and Stanbury. Also, RFS' comments seemed to indicate that Harang was booted out of the club; such is not the case, however....his reporting rights have been "taken away", and he has been reduced to a subscriber, a position I feel has no place in a club, but that's a matter of semantics. Even though RFS has complained about the C&BL, I've seen nothing in his 2 years on the BoD to show that he's interested in changing the situation other than taking a poll of the members. Is RFS running for IRCA president? Could be. 73

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Recently had my HQ180 restored to like-new condition electrically & mechanically by electronics wizard Frank Glass of Los Gatos, CA. Frank loves working on radios and did a fine job on mine. He even gladly re-worked on old Hallicrafters portable that had been sitting in a barn for 10 yrs and had literally becomes a "rat-hotel" (it's amazing how those critters will even eat IF coils, let alone dial cords and wires). The Hallicrafters was a real mess, but now it works great for a 5 tuber. Many moons ago Frank was the CE at KXRX 1500 San Jose. Says he got quite a few reception reports from the South Pacific, many from G.I.'s stationed there, but that the New Zealanders were the champs, as far as sending in the greatest number of good reports. Frank is working on a selectivity modification to the Yaseu FRG-7 that will allow a choice of either the original wide selectivity or narrow bandwidth by using a diode switching arrangement between two filters. I haven't done a selectivity job on my FRG-7 yet because I hate to muffle its beautiful audio, but w/2 filters you can have your cake and eat it too. I'll pass the info on when I find out more about it. Stopped at Quement Electronics in San Jose and it made me realize what a 2-horse town I live in (Sonora doesn't even have a full fledged Radio Shack). I walked through Quement w/wide-eyed amazement. Here it was, an electronics store the size of a great big Safeway. Doodled on some new Ham gear, bought some new knobs for my Hammarlund, then headed home via Mt. Hamilton. Quement had an old NC-183 for sale, if anyone is interested in one. 73 de RET. (Randy, where is Quement located in San Jose?-Rth).

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Greetings to all! I've been in the IRCA for about 1 mont now so I think it's time to make an intro. I'm 18 yrs old, a senior in high school and DX w/a FRG7 & a 75' longwire NW-SE. I've been an SWBCer for almost 3 yrs and I'm finding out that BCB is lots different. First thing I noticed is that MM DX sessions are murder cause I've got to get up at 9AM to prepare for school. On 3/13 I noticed something weird. At 2332 XEWA, XETRA, XEMO, XEW, XEGM, XECL, XED, XEPRS, XEB, XEXX, XEBBX, XERF were all // w/a prgm of Beatles music! XEMO & XERF are religious & this was a Sun....anybody hear something like this before? (Sounds to me like the La Hora de Mexico, or
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whatever the exact thing is, when everyone either goes // w/the feed in Cd. Mexico or goes off the air. Anybody?-RtH). Since I started seriously DX-ing BCB in Jan my totals are: states 23/8, provinces 2/2, foreign 10/3, TDH 124, TDV 9. High postage and low income are the cause of that low TDV. In closing, the wx man sez 50% chance of rain tonight and there is not a single cloud in sight of my QTH. Til next time, 73 de MDB. (Welcome to IRCA, Mark, please report to WDXF often. - RtH).

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 My latest veries are: KVGB, KFI, KBUD, KGVJ, KLBK, & KSEO. I now have veries from 39 stns in 22 states as well as 2 countries. I'm looking towards the time when I have veries from all 50 states. I've ordered the Space Magnet-2; when it arrives myabe I'll be able to hear better DX. I'm sorry to hear that KDWN has taken off the DX REPORT. I was hoping to start an exchange of programs between KDWN & KCHU (FM). I hope everyone gets a lot of new ctaches and veries.

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 This has not been an overly outstanding season for me but a few new ones have found thier way to McCook. V/l's from: CKDR 900, KNCY 1600, KMSD 1510, KCHE 1440, KWMB 1190, WCOW 1290, KYXX 920, KKOX 1390, KRKK 1360, KMCL 1240, KSIL 1340, WNDE 1260, WSDL DX 1560 and v/r KWAT 950, v/c CFNS 860, and last be not least, WLBC 1340 for PoP test of 3/7, for a new total of 2718. Raging blizzard here as I write this w/KBRL staying on all night (3/11) as power out in most areas and TV stns in area all off. We are one of the fortunate blocks not to lose power. KICX went off the air in early afternoon. Had ice storm first followed by 6" of snow, and wind. First real snow storm of the Winter here, and wetness certainly welcome. KBRL changed mind about changing calls. I've had my difference w/Stan Stansbury over the yrs (R. Swan, etc) but I think that Ron Schatz' attack on him in these pages was entirely uncalled for and very unbecoming a Board member of our club. Further comments from me are not necessary as I'm sure many of you were also turned off by Ron's Forum. This club has survived numerous "controversies" in the past, but we certainly don't need them! The Seattle group has done an outstanding job in delivering the "Monitor" to us on time each week and certainly deserve our thanks! Well, we made it through 13 years as a club and all our volunteers continue to keep the IRCA at the top. 73.

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 Speaking of droughts - (and I truly feel sorry for the people in N. Calif) we are experiencing a drought of our own in this part of MN w/temps soaring to +140C, what little snow we had is fast melting. The forest fire danger will be very high very early this Spring. The change in weather has changed DX from W to E around here. Had a WY bonanza last week, logging 3 new WYs in a little o/an hour. Has anyone ever received a verie from a Cheyenne stn? (Yes-RtH). I had to resort to alternative no. 3 to get a verie from KSTT, WDGY now IDing as "Full color Y-11". I notice in Broadcasting Yearbook that 1130 kc is listed as US & Canadian clear. That has to be a joke. W/5 US stns running 50kw during the day. Detroit, Milwaukee, and Minneapolis are not that far from each other. WDGY is running a 9 tower array. (And they've practically detuned the entire town trying to run their 50kw pattern nights, so have settled for 25kw!-RtH). The broadcast band is getting out of hand. (I'm just finding that out, hi?!?!?) Is anyone interested in a TEST from WAKX 970kc Superior-Duluth? They said they would do it almost any MM we ask for. I don't know who to contact in IRCA to set it up. 73. (Rob Keeney in KS is your man. Anytimr after 0300, preferably, 0400 EST would be best-RtH).

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 Rain, beautiful rain! 'O hrs non-stop, 1 1/2", but not a dent in the drought. Our Editor in Chief tells me that my counterpart back East has brought it up, so I will say it this once only. IRCA is democratic in its ways, as opposed to ---, and that may in fact have trapped us in a way. I still think it's the only way to fly! Recent comments in re to recent Forums signify that 99% of IRCAnS are interested in DX and the related subjects, nothing more. However,
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unless you have all the facts, and most do not, pls stifle! To those who have the facts, cease and desist! You are tearing the club apart w/your actions! Ron merely quoted facts, true facts, but Ron, DXM was not the place. Those of us in the spotlight, or prominent members are most vulnerable for attack. Yes, I, and others have made the pages of SWNS. In fact, I'm still laughing about mine, hi, but, DX is the name of the game, right? Our club president, Editor in Chief, others and myself have been the 2 yr target of the most hateful, venomous mail I've ever seen, a regular printing press operation. My file must be 4" thick. Not a bit of this had anything to do w/the pure hobby and enjoyment of DX. Ladies and gentlemen, let us all get back to what this is all about, DX. This childishness only helps to divide us and cause members to drop out. For the sake of IRCA, KNOCK IT OFF, and grow up!! Enough, I hope, said. Am traveling North to Mendocino area the weekend of 18-20 Mar, along w/me goes the Sony, so a report upon return. Mendocino is about 140 mi, 224km from Bay Area. Bay Area scene relatively unchanged. KGO's newest aquisition, Al "Jazzbo" Collins is turning into a very popular person, hence KGO will remain NSP for many moons to come-- @R#%\$&^(*. One final note, was asked by a newer member; until SPC says otherwise, no real limit on # of typed lines for a Forum. Old rules, 25 elite, 30 pica could be a guideline. Also, if you wish to type column style, on pica, I go 51 spaces across, that's on an SCM Coronamatic. That's all this time. 73 de RtH..

Radio Programming Notes...

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BCB Radio information culled from recent issues of Billboard and Broadcasting magazines, as well as other sources. (credit is always given)

I'd like to devote this one to Canada, or more specifically, the CBC Maritime Network. Just received a sked from them, and here are some of the hi-lites:

(From a sked/brochure entitled "CBC Radio in the Maritimes")

- Network affiliates:
 New Brunswick- CBZ, Fredericton on 970Khz
 CBA, Moncton on 1070
 CBD, Saint John on 1110
 Prince Edward Island- CBC-FM, Charlotte-town on 96.9Mhz
 Nova Scotia- CBH, Halifax on 860
 CBI, Sydney on 1140

LPRTs:

- New Brunswick-
 CBAN Andover 1140
 CBAM Edmundston 1320
 CBAB Grand Falls 1350
 CBAX McAdam 600
 CBAD Plaster Rock 990
 CBAW St. George 740
 CBAA St. Stephen 990
 CBZA-FW Grand Manan 103.7
 (carries AM Net sce.)

- Nova Scotia-
 CBAC Barrington 540
 CBAR Canso 1230
 CBAU Larry's Riv. 1370
 CBHD Lockeport 740
 CBAV Sable River 1240
 CBAZ Sheet Harbour 1230
 CBAP Shelburne 1140

 That's all for this time. Next time I'll try and list some highlights from the P.M. schedule. In the meantime, fill up my mailbox, please. 73, Bruce



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ATLANTIC DX ROUNDUP

- 151 WEST GERMANY, Donebach, DLF, occ weak carrier & traces of audio here when ex are good around 0600+ several nights. (Foxworth, NY)
- 164 FRANCE, Allouis has been hrd in early morning period, usually peaks up between 0500 & 0600. (Foxworth, NY)
- 180 WEST GERMANY, Saarlouis, this has been the outstanding IF TA here this season, trnx to the well-deserved demise of WGU-20 last May (altno they do still test occasionally w/OC!). They don't peak at the same time or on the same nights as 164 does but do have very similar sounding pgming. Closest QRM is RTTY around 183. (Foxworth, NY)
- 185 EAST GERMANY, Oranienburg occ hrd here thru moderate RTTY QRM around 0530ish, depends on good cx & is moderate at best. (Foxworth, NY)
- 191 NOTHING, despite being on a very open freq, nothing strong enuf to produce audio has ever been hrd here this season. When ex are good to the west, "SET"-192 (Petaluma, CA) is hrd w/pips. (Foxworth, NY)
- 200 ENGLAND, Droitwich, BBC hrd w/19, good level 0417 3/6 & is at times noted after 0600 w/popular tunes, variety show. (Foxworth, NY)
- 227 POLAND, Konstanytnov hrd fairly well 0416 3/7, mainly woman speaking & lasted to about 0440 3/7. Not often hrd & difficult to separate from local beacon "IF"-226 (Kennedy Airport) & usually hear Canadian beacon "KI" on 227 also. (Foxworth, NY)
- 251 ALGERIA, Tebessa in AN 1A service 0220 3/7. (Foxworth)
- 539 LIBYA, Tripoli very nice 0417 3/7. (Foxworth, NY)
- 546 ALGERIA, Oran loud w/AA mx mentioning Muslim terrorists in Washington 0402; chant at 0404 3/11 //529. (Connolly, MA)
- 557 UNITED, 2 carriers here fading 0056 3/13, not strong enuf to pull audio, but the 1st sig that strong ever hrd here on this freq. (Foxworth, NY)
- 647 ENGLAND, Daventry, BBC was xInt, very listenable 0420-0445 3/7 as were many other low band freqs this date. (Foxworth, NY)
- 737 SPAIN, Barcelona, RNE strong w/man in SS, then vocal mx 0434 3/11. (Connolly, MA)
- 764 SENEGAL, Dakar fair 2230 3/12. (Connolly, MA)
- 854 UNITED, 2 sigs here 0200 3/7, looking for Rumania, one had SWEN pips on hour, who? (Foxworth, NY)
- 1088 ENGLAND/UNITED, sounded very like a W. African mixing in w/BBC 0417 3/6, sounded like talking drum type mx & am thinking of Nigeria as a possibility here. Malcom Kaufman was over & hrd, too. (Foxworth, NY)
- 1106 UNITED, strong AA 0030 3/7, soon faded, prob Morocco. (Foxworth, NY)
- 1160 FRANCE, Strasbourg very nice sig, totally dominant freq w/KSL very nearly inaudible 0549-0610 w/PI pgm //164 & ID as such at 0600 (no local ID) & did not even get a KSL ID in background as they went across hour w/mystery Theatre to 0625! France up to S-7 & faded 0618 when LA took over. (Foxworth, NY)
- 1349 MURITANIA, Nouakchott, sounded like this one's pgm hrd 0635 3/12, was similar to what's hrd on 1845 but could not hold thru 1350's. (Foxworth, NY)
- 1394 UNITED in unk lang 3/6 0557-0646, much fading; best 0610 w/YL talk. Looped Europe rather than W. Africa. LSR for Albania is about 0510 this date but w/superpower (& directional antenna?) this may be they. Sig's also on 827, 1205, 1214 looping TA. Guinea-1403 fair. (Seaver, CA)
- 1475 SPAIN, Unid stn here w/pop mx & YL anc 0638 3/12 & hrd several songs, fairly good sig & clear w/a low het in background. Went to 1502 for a quick check & when returned she was just cutting out of record & into local market rpt or some such, & she said Radio Popular ---- but I did not catch it & time was off too. Santander sked on then but just do not know who, really hurt to lose ID. (Foxworth, NY)
- 1586 UNITED, 2 sigs here 0610 3/14, a 50 Hz het u/HR & sdrudge of unreadable audio. Have never hrd a het here before. (Foxworth, NY)

PAN AMERICAN DX ROUNDUP

- 580 CUBA, prob CMTF Baracoa here w/SS political talk o/u WTAG (no WKAQ) pgm //590/600 0505 3/13. (Connolly, MA)
- 590 CUBA, San Antonio de Las Vegas, CMTW noted w/SS talk,

- march mx anthem often hrd on SW; //600, sig o/NEEI 0500 3/13. (Connolly, MA)
- 600 CUBA, San Germán, CMTV dominant o/growl (HJHJ?), back here from 601a, R. Rebelde ID, ment of "primer pais socialista en America" 0459 3/13. (Connolly, MA)
- 610 COLOMBIA, Bogotá, HJKL dominating o/raw low het from domestics; SS male vocal followed by RGN ID by woman 0512 3/13. (Connolly, MA)
- 630 CUBA, Santa Clara, CMTD o/u WPRO w/opera //640 0457 3/13. (Connolly, MA)
- 640 CUBA, La Habana, CMTJ well u/YVQO, o/KFI; w/opera 0457 3/13. (Connolly, MA)
- 640 VENEZUELA, Puerto la Cruz, YVQO superdominant o/CMT/KFI w/SS talk mentioning Barcelona & Carupanao, interspersed mx, ads giving phone #s, then Ondas Fortañas ID 0456 3/13. Extremely loud, slopping badly onto 630 & 650 w/jx ID, ads, 0515-0517 3/13. (Connolly, MA)
- 650 COSTA RICA, San José, TIBAS "Monumentale" good w/ID & LA mx 0452 3/13. (Connolly, MA)
- 670 VENEZUELA, Caracas, YVLL good w/Rumbos ID, then LA mx, clearly dominant on channel 0448 3/13. (Connolly)
- 720 CUBA, Colón, CMTN //600 w/monotone political speech o/u WGN big-band jazz 0525 3/13. (Connolly, MA)
- 740 MONSERRAT, Plymouth, R. Antilles continues to be a regular u/WCBS & KRRT CC 0915-0945 most MMs. Finally got a good "R. On-Tee" ID 2/7 0930:30 in FF. (Connolly)
- 740 VENEZUELA, Maracaibo, YVWC u/CBL w/R. Maracaibo jx & SS mx 0528 3/13. (Connolly, MA)
- 750 VENEZUELA, Caracas, YVKS o/low WSB growl w/"Something" by the Beatles, then SS song, 0532 3/13. (Connolly, MA)
- 750 COLOMBIA, Medellín, HJDK suspected as the nonstop SSeR w/Bogotá mx hrd behind WSB w/stronger YVKS mull'd 0348 3/11. (Connolly, MA)
- 760 COLOMBIA, Barranquilla, HJAJ atop WJR & other LAs w/brassy song w/drum accompaniment, LV de Barranquilla ID, names of listeners 0535 3/13. (Connolly, MA)
- 790 CUBA, Camagüey, CMTN has re-established its frequency; noted o/WBBW w/man & woman in SS w/rx mentioning Angola 0537 3/13. (Connolly, MA)
- 784 CUBA, My Cuban sig here 0430 3/6, not noted since. (Foxworth, NY) (See above, bp)
- 820 COLOMBIA, Cali, HJED suspected w/nonstop SS mx here at loud level; a repetitive LA song w/a Dixieland jazz ending good 0540 3/13. (Connolly, MA)
- 870 CUBA, Guantánamo, CMTN way o/WML; woman w/SS talk about revolutionary struggles 0542 3/13. (Connolly)
- 1020 VENEZUELA, La Asunción, YVRS o/XDKA w/slow SS ballad 0548 3/13. (Connolly, MA)
- 1070 COLOMBIA, Barranquilla, HJAG atop other LA w/rough het, Emisor Atlantico ID, h computer-type beeps, LA mx 0550 3/13. (Connolly, MA)
- 1160 DOMINICAN REPUBLIC, Santo Domingo, HIBG fair w/Radiolandia SID 0608 3/13. (Connolly, MA)
- 1165 ANTIGUA, St. Johns "Caribbean R. Lighthouse" 2/28 1001 anthem, s/on amnt, several CRL IDs, into rlg's pgm, first positive ID. (Seaver, CA)
- 1200 VENEZUELA, Caracas, YVOZ atop WQAI w/Radiotempo ID, then instr of "It's Impossible" 0622 3/13. (Connolly)

PACIFIC DX ROUNDUP

- 850 ALASKA, Nome KIOY made a rare appearance 3/7 1006-10 w/EX for N. Canada & Alaska. Nome was -31°F. (Seaver)
- 864 UNITED, prob Indonesia, carrier hrd fairly often in 1200-1300 period. 3/11 1217 fair carrier, no audio. 3/14 weak audio 1253, soon faded. 3/6 OM talk, some mx 1240-1300, faded on hour. If this is 10 kw Cirebon, it gets good mileage (Cirebon is on N. coast of Java, named Tjirebon on older maps). At the times I've hrd audio, this was not //4719 Ujung Pandang. Will someone more knowledgeable on Indo stns comment on pgming, when is local, when RRI pgm, etc. (Seaver, CA)
- 1040 CHINA, Shanghai, xInt 3/14 1112 w/apparent CC lessons in JJ for Japan. This seems to have more CC pgms than in the past. (Seaver, CA)
- 1210 JAPAN, Osaka, JOOR xInt 3/14 1100 w/YL & OM JJ songs, single low tone on the hour, into mx. No call or shogan IDs hrd. (Seaver, CA) --- a 9SL from the stn indicates a planned switch from 1210 to 1130 on 5/15 (the day VOA-1178 vacates its spot), then a further planned change to 1179 on 11/23. (Hardester, Okinawa)
- 1310 JAPAN, Osaka, JOOF likely the JJ 3/14 1026 in WRR null while chasing unid TT. No positive ID. (Seaver)
- 1310 HAWAII, Kahului, KNEI finally hrd 2/7 1000 s/off amnt w/WRR RRI. This leaves only 790, 1500 & 1540 unhrd here. (Seaver, CA)
- 1340 HAWAII, Honolulu, WFOI xInt 2/7 0956-59:30 w/rx, TG, call ID, "K-noi" ID. (Seaver, CA)

CONDITIONS

"DX from the Pacific has picked up some, Jans xlnr 3/14. No other Indo stns hrd yet, unfortunately." - Randy Seaver
"Two very good beacons of TA ex are the stn FFH in France on 2500, who are hrd w/(sometimes o/) W/V w/cw ID 0650:33, 0700:33 & so forth; & Shannon Aeradio in Ireland on 2839; there is a very good correlation w/how well these are hrd & how high and TA ex are." - Bob Foxworth

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Kind of a small turnout this time due to the post-anniversary-issue blues, hi. 73 till next issue in 2 weeks! bp.

SOME OLD TIME STUFF from a RADEX of an unknown year

With the LUCUBRATERS

Better Look That One Up

IN spite of the warm weather, distant reception is reported from many districts as being unusually good. Better aeriels, better grounds and better sets are probably responsible in a large measure. Whatever the cause, logs are growing rapidly. Some readers report as many as six and eight new ones tuned in in a single night in spite of the fact that logs were already well filled. Many attribute these new catches to information in the column "Their Time On the Air" and to hints dropped in this department by other readers. There's nothing like fishing when you know the fish are there and hungry for bait.

B. C. Stations on S. W. Sets

"Although I frequently read in RADEX of short-wave catches on broadcast receivers, I have yet to see a report of b. c. reception on a short-wave set," says T. Colegrove, Frankfurt, Mich. "So here is one. I use a National d. c. SW-3 and I have heard 408 stations on the broadcast band in a little over a year." Mr. Colegrove favors a long aerial. He uses one with two wires, 225 feet high and 150 feet high, located on a high bluff overlooking Lake Michigan. Instead of a ground, he uses an eighty-foot counterpoise. In spite of the length of his aerial he can tune in CMK, CKAC, XER and WSB—stations in four countries but five kilocycles apart. Mr. Colegrove gives us a few DX tips. "CMK comes in fine about 9 or 10 o'clock on 725; 4QG, Brisbane on 770 and 2BL, Sidney, 855, are frequently heard after 5 a.m. EST., CMCD, 925, comes in fairly well even when the U.S. stations are on the air on both sides of it, as does GMCY, 1345; XEO comes in fine on exactly 935 kcs. every night from 9 to midnight, in spite of the fact that he is listed on 940 and his verification says 940. XEX comes in frequently about the same time on 1204 and he became quite indignant when I wrote him that he was on 1204; KGMW, Honolulu, signs off almost every morning at 4:30 a.m. KGXO, an experimental station in Kahuku, Hawaii, 7520 kcs., can be heard frequently about 5 or 6 a.m. testing with Point Reyes, Calif. He sure has a terrible sock."

Troubles in Socket Aerial

A warning is broadcast to users of light-socket antennas by R. F. Miller, 2705 Pennsylvania, Dallas, Texas, to beware of a short circuit. "During the summer my Atwater Kent 75 went haywire, cutting distance and volume in half. Having the set tested twice failed to disclose the trouble. I wrote to RADEX for help and I took the letter and the set to the shop and then they were not long in locating the trouble. Due to a short circuit in the light socket antenna, I had to replace the volume control and put in a new set of coils due to one being burned out. That was the end of my trouble." Mr. Miller wonders if anyone can help him with the following: "Using a Flewellyn De Luxe S. W. adapter on October 3rd, I heard someone talking about National Tours of Australia. The most I could catch of the rest of the program sounded like the calls of all kinds of birds. I got to hear their call letters but once and not very

clear then. They sounded like 2KY, but as this station is listed with only 250 watts, it doesn't seem possible I heard them."

Jumping Around in Canada

"On December 30th, I received CHNS on a wave length of 825 or about that, as it came in between WHAS and CMGA. I clearly heard the announcement as 'Station CHNS, Halifax, Nova Scotia,'" writes Wm. F. Lesser, 180 Harman St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

We receive many letters from readers who hear the Canadian stations on other than their assigned frequencies and who therefore assume that the listing in RADEX must be wrong. Regarding this C. P. Edwards, Director of Radio Service, Dominion of Canada, writes: "Many such changes are only temporary in character. Stations are occasionally permitted to try out a new frequency for a test period of say one month, with a view to the permanent adoption of such frequency if satisfactory. It is not our policy to show such tests in official lists unless and until same are made permanent. However, we are making careful note of your request and will arrange to furnish you each month with either a corrected list or a statement of amendments to date." We are receiving excellent cooperation from the Canadian authorities (who, by the way, use ten copies of RADEX monthly in their own official work) and we believe our readers may safely assume that the frequencies shown in this magazine are the correct ones, bearing in mind the temporary experimental use of other frequencies to which Mr. Edwards refers.

Something on Every Wave

"Listened to a station early in December on 1350 kcs. which announced as KRDO, Meridian, Idaho," reports Boyd Erlbeck, 110 N. Cordier St., Lodi, Calif. "Could this be any chance be KIDO having moved from Boise to Meridian? I am sure about the call being KRDO." How about this, Idaho readers? Mr. Erlbeck wants the time on the air for CKCD or CKFC. He recently tried out the new GM Super Converter on his Majestic 130A TRF and reports it works wonderfully well—at least 25% more power and extremely selective. "By an actual test, I tuned in on every single channel from 540 to 1500 without a miss and in each case, no matter what the distance or power, I got a station with absolutely no interference from either side. This included tuning in on WSB, five kcs. from XER and separating KPO, WMAQ, CJRW and WEAF. And power—WJZ and WABC filled the whole house."

"While DXing this morning (Sunday, January 3rd)," advises Wm. R. Anderson, 852 Manning Ave., Toronto, Ont., "I heard CFRB, Toronto, putting on a test program. They were on for over an hour but I did not hear them give their call. For music, they rebroadcast programs picked up on a radio receiver from XEW, XER, WABC, KMOX, etc. So if any listeners heard stations on 690 kcs. instead of their regular frequencies, they were listening to CFRB and not the one announcing." Ha! Perhaps this is one answer to those letters we get from readers who hear stations on other than their own frequencies and jump to the

conclusion that RADEX must be in error.

The First and the Last

Chas. E. Summers, 28 Gallatin Ave., Buffalo, N. Y., still has the old crystal set on which he heard KDKA's first real broadcast, he being a Pittsburgher at the time. Each one in the family took turns listening at the headphones. Now Mr. Summers has 485 stations on his log with verifications from 447. He finally heard from WCOC after four months. Mr. Summers says WCBD is on the air each Wednesday from midnight to 1:00 a.m. CST with a religious program. He heard the call WFFB, Hattiesburg, Miss., on December 26th. WRBJ has changed its call.

C. R. Brown, Jr., Box 112, Tazewell, Va., reports re his Scott All-Wave. "Here on the eastern seaboard, I not only can get without interference, KNX and KFI at 9:00 p.m., EST., both with powerful eastern stations on either side of them and only 10 kcs. distant, but on the short waves I listen to VK2ME, Sidney, Australia, every Sunday morning between 6:00 and 7:00 EST, VK3MB, Melbourne, Australia, 6:00-6:30 a.m., EST, Wednesday and Saturday mornings, and numerous South American and European stations."

No. 659 is First Foreigner

Earl R. Roberts, 712 South 9th St., Cambridge, Ohio, is elated over bringing in his first real foreigner on a log of 658. It was RUS, San Salvador. Mr. Roberts reports a new station at Nassau, Bahama Islands, VPM or VPN on 340 and 610 kcs. He recently brought in seven new stations in one night, most of them with low power, with a Mexican on 1085 or 1090 which he cannot identify. It came in from 1:15 a.m. to 2:00 EST Monday, December 21st. XEL was formerly listed at 1090 but was recently changed to 1000.

Allen W. Mummey, Rt. 2, Walnutport, Pa., also picked up RUS, San Salvador on Sunday, December 20th at 4:00 a.m. EST.

Clifford Lee, 1221 Kenton St., Springfield, Ohio, heard both WLS and WENR of 870, broadcasting on about 1550 one evening late in November. WLS had the Maxwell House program and WENR had a different orchestra. He heard both announcements. Another mystery. Clifford reports that WOE at Palm Beach, Fla., and ZTN (VPM?), Nassau, Bahama Island, both on 610, broadcast every morning from 2:00 to 4:00 EST. Who is WOE?

Those Police Stations

"On my Model 40, 25-cycle Atwater Kent, I can hear short-wave police stations from 1662 to 2440 kcs., but cannot bring in the one here in Buffalo. During the day I cannot get one on short wave, but when evening comes, they crowd in three or four at once. All of them are heard at 3 on the dial." This report comes from Valentine Sadowski, 188 Miller Ave., Buffalo, N. Y. Valentine also reports that WMAK is off the air and he hopes forever.

Fred J. Ephlin, Jr., 1234 1/2 Caluega Blvd., Hollywood, Calif., can count the towers of five broadcasting stations from his windows—all within half a mile. There, DXers, is some handicap and illustrates why some logs of fifty stations may be better than others with 500. Notwithstanding, Fred has 265 on his list.

Undeliverable in Mexico

Willard K. Jennings, 45 Thorn St., Railway, N. J., thinks there must be some mistake about mail for XED being returned as he received verification promptly. Nevertheless, several other readers send us their envelopes showing the same "Fraudulent" mark as our own.

Some readers assume because no symbol is shown that certain stations do not verify reception. That is not the case. A missing symbol merely indicates that we have not been able to get a definite statement regarding their policy from that station.

C. L. Arner, Orangeville, Ohio, is proud of having brought in CKOV, Kelowna, B. C., a hundred-watter half a continent away.

Some Pending Changes

The Commission records show that WFLA and WSUN are being reduced from 1000 watts to 250, but these stations advise us that, while this is correct, the Commission has given them an experimental license permitting continuation on the old power and that a construction permit has been granted for a 5 k.w. W. E. transmitter at Bayview, which is under construction and nearly completed. We are therefore continuing this station at 1000 watts for the present.

"If your first information about a change in WPCH from 810 to 570, came from someone around New York City, I can easily understand their error," says H. E. Appar, Kenil, N. J. "I have heard WPCH on my own radio back of WMCA on 570 although WPCH was broadcasting on its own frequency of 810 at the same time. I know no explanation and I can't figure it as a harmonic. This phenomenon can be heard practically any day not just occasionally." Here is a problem: has WPCH two personalities, a sort of Jekyll-Hyde?

WLAP, Louisville, which has been on 1010 for some time, is back on 1200 although the Commission has given it "permission to operate after midnights on 1010 kcs. with 250 watts, to make antenna tests and experiments to determine that with such radiating device, operation may be had without interference with other stations on same channel."

Richard Bogert, 1416 Linden St., Allentown, Pa., reports hearing the following stations on other than their listed frequencies: HIX, 669, on 626; CHNS, 925, on 815; CHGS, 1120, on 1135; CKCL, 680, on 585.

"John McGill will be interested to know that some mornings VAS may be picked up at 3:00 a.m. EST," proffers James A. Morse, 14525 Coit Road, Cleveland, Ohio. "They give a weather report and sign off at once. In spite of their power, they come in quite weakly." (The New Canadian official list reduces the power of VAS from 10,000 to 2,000. This is more like it.—Ed.) Mr. Morse would like to hear from some DXer on the West Coast.

News From the DX Clubs

Roland Trenchard, Chairman of the Courtesy Programs Committee of the Newark News Radio Club, advises us that KGIW, 1420, Trinidad, Colo., will be on the air with an anniversary program Monday, February 22nd, from 11:00 p.m. until 3:00 a.m. EST. He also gives us the following tips: KFBI, 1050, Milford, Kans., conduct a splendid early morning program the 15th of each month, known as the International Frolic. Try them the morning of February 15th. The Wednesday issue of the Newark News, by the way, contains the committee's report of advance news and DX programs. It is sent free to out-of-town members of the club.

From Karl J. Halpern, 1435 Coney Island Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y., chairman of the Courtesy Programs Committee of the World Radio Reception Club, comes the information that that Club will hold a gala DX program on March 19th and that the following stations have agreed to take part: WPCH, 2:30 to 4:30 a.m. EST; WNYC, 3:30 to 4:00 a.m. EST; WLWB and WCAC, 2:00 to 2:30 a.m. EST. Others will be added later.

CKOV, Kelowna, B. C., announces that they put on a DX program every Thursday and Saturday night from midnight to 2:00 a.m. PST. Also XEH puts on a DX for the U. S. from midnight to 1:00 a.m. CST every Tuesday night. "Have any others heard XEV, Puebla, on about 755, with great volume on a long, late DX for the U. S.?" asks P. J. Hauss, 222 S. Butler Ave., Indianapolis, Ind.

From a letter from L. J. Foster, President, Buffalo Evening News DX Club, we quote the following: "Our Club broadcasts every Thursday at midnight over station WENB. Every week we give one paid-up membership to the listener from the farthest point who writes in and tells some part of the program. We want suggestions and criticisms regarding these programs."

More DX Tips

William D. Slade, 84 Hillside Ave., Freeport, N. Y., reports a rumor that the owners of WMCA-WPCH may exchange the latter station for WNYC so that WMCA will have full time on 570 kcs. He reports WKCB, Birmingham, on the air daily from 5:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. CST and WBCM, Bay City, from 8:00 a.m. to midnight.

A DX tip or two comes to us from Arthur Collins, 68 Amber St., Buffalo, N. Y. "VOWR, St. Johns, N. F., is only on the air on Sundays, 11:00 a.m. and 6:30 p.m. and Tuesdays and Thursdays at 8:00 p.m. EST. CMCP, Havana, Cuba, is on the air only Mondays and Fridays at 9:00 to 11:00 p.m. EST." Mr. Collins reports that WMAK, Buffalo, is no longer on the air.

Lester R. Reinmund, 1120 South 76th St., West Allis, Wis., has a verification from KGMW, Honolulu, in which they state they are on the air daily from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. and from 5:00 to 11:00 p.m. Honolulu time, which is five and one-half hours after New York time.

Another Outlaw Convicted

Martin Howard, 1632 Calvert St., Baltimore, Md., reports that another outlaw, K7STP, Seymour, Texas, has been convicted of operating without a license.

From Edgar McCarthy, 608 Lafayette Ave., Hawthorne, N. J., a member of the club, comes the information that DX programs of the Radio Listeners Club of Central New England may be heard every Sunday morning, 1:00 to 1:30, over WTAG.

Notes and Targets

E. B. Davis, 11 N. Second St., Easton, Pa., reports that the new WEEU, Reading, went on the air on New Year's Day and that CMCD, Havana, 925, has a DX program every Saturday night from 9:00 to 2:00 a.m. Sunday, EST.

"Anyone needing North Dakota, may tune in KFYR any day from 7:00 a.m. 11:00 p.m. CST," says A. N. Hirth, Fairview, N. J.

KGPK, Moorhead, Minn., has a DX program every other Friday from 2:00 to 4:00 a.m. EST; nest on February 5th, says Donald G. Powers, 134 Kishlingbury St., Rochester, N. Y.

WFEA, Manchester, N. H., is now operating says William D. Slade, 84 Hillside Ave., Freeport, N. Y.

The policy of station WGBS has been changed by its new management in regard to verification of reception. "We should appreciate it if you would advise your readers that we are glad to verify reception of our listeners and that we send Ekko stamps upon receipt of 10c," writes the American Radio News Corporation, 235 East 43rd St., New York City.

WCOO advises us that it is their practice to acknowledge communications from their listeners, but that on some recent programs they got behind on letters but have now caught up.

Identifications Wanted

"Can anyone identify station KRA, heard on November 8th, about 5:00 a.m. EST, on 50.3 meters; think it is somewhere in the Philippines, but not sure."

"Who is VEM?" asks John McGill, Jr., Olive Hill, Ky., "Have heard them between 1300 and 1310 kes. three times during the past month. Once they were calling Palm Beach and once New Orleans."

"I would greatly appreciate it if you, or any of your many readers could tell me the location of an unlisted station with the call letters KDX," writes K. G. Seabrook, 346 Piccadilly, at London, Ont.

"SOS," signals Donald Murphy, 506 E. 43rd Ave., Vancouver, B. C. "On December 20th, between 6:15 and 6:20 p.m. PST, I heard a station broadcasting on 690. I heard 'Piccolo Pete,' 'Sings Another Chorus' and 'Sing, You Sinners, Sing.' Between numbers Sheaffer pen, were being advertised. They were just about to announce when a Calgary station came on and drowned them out.

"Does anyone know of a very small station in the U. S. on 720 kes.?" asks T. Colegrove, Frankfort, Mich. "I heard him the morning of December 30th

between KMPC and CKMO so I am certain about his frequency. I think he is in Minnesota as I understood him to say he was playing a selection for someone in Minneapolis. At 5:12 a.m. he said, 'Goodnight, everybody,' and signed off."

"Am extremely anxious to identify a station I heard on 1370 kes. December 15th at 9:15 p.m. EST," writes H. R. Garrett, 171 Hillside Ave., E. Toronto, Ont.

"I would like to identify a station on 1370 kes. I picked up Sunday, December 13th," writes Stanley Savage, Route 4, Spokane, Wash. "I think it was an eastern station. I heard pipe organ music from 1:00 to 1:30 a.m. PST."

"On the morning of December 6th, about 4:00 a.m. EST, I heard a station on 605 kes. broadcasting a test program. He said he was calling someone in St. Vincent Hospital, New York City. He was not in the U. S. for he said he wanted reports from listeners in this country. Can anyone help me on this?"

"On the morning of January 1st, I heard a station on 1370 kes. at 5:45, who in the middle of each selection would announce the telephone number Logan 5626. Ask your readers if they can help me with this one," is the request of Bernard Murray, Jr., 1049 West 9th St., Erie, Pa.

More Calls for Help

John M. Lennon, 122 Linden St., Camden, N. J., is very anxious to log HHK and wants some DX club to arrange a special advising this magazine in time for publication in advance. WCOO verified for him but only after six weeks.

Regarding HHK Derek Wharton 22 Elmwood Ave., Rye, N. Y., says they are on each Friday from 8:00 to 9:00 p.m. EST., Saturday, 6:45 to 7:15 a.m. and Wednesday 8:00 to 9:00 p.m.

"Both my letters to CKOC, Hamilton, Ont., asking for verification, were refused at Hamilton and Newcomb, Jr., 605 Nevada St., Urbana, Ill. The owner and address appearing in the Index by Frequencies is that given by the Dominion Government. What is the correct mail address for CKOC?"

"At midnight, PST, I received a program of dance music on 630 kes., coming in with much volume," reports Charles C. Norton, 2545 Polk St., San Francisco, Calif. "The announcer said the program was coming from the 'Buffalo Cafe,' but the city was not given."

"Who is WEM?" asks John McGill, Jr., Olive Hill, Ky., "Have heard them between 1300 and 1310 kes. three times during the past month. Once they were calling Palm Beach and once New Orleans."

R. E. Moran, 31 Rochester St., Ottawa, Ont., reports receipt of XET on 750 and they said verifications could be had by addressing XET, at Dallas, Texas. How come?

Dolphus Whitten, Jr., Gurdon, Ark., reports a new air station, KCAA, Tulsa, and wants to know frequency and power.

C. W. Thomas, McAlester, Okla., wants to know if WJSV is ever on the air when WLAC and KSTP are silent.

Donald Brickley, Rr. 1, Bloomington, Ill., heard a Cuban station on 1315 on December 27th at 2:45 a.m. with 50 watts. He caught the above information but was unable to identify the call letters and asks the help of our readers.

Three questions from Geo. B. Holland, Jr., 1340 Baker Ave., Schenectady, N. Y., who is WMLO or WNLO, heard on 1500? is WEEU on the air yet? When are HRB, HIX, VOWR on the air?

Answers to Inquiries

"For those who wanted information regarding stations VE9CB and VE9CV," writes Victor Fillion, 649 Ste. Angèle St., Three Rivers, Que. "I may say that these are Canadian experimental stations, the former owned by Canadian National Carbon Co., Hillcrest Park, Toronto, and the latter by Canadian National Railways, Bank St., Ottawa, Ont."

In answer to the inquiry in the December issue, an unsigned card conveys the information that the 'Egyptian Ballroom' is located in the Shrine Mosque, Atlanta, Ga. The broadcast is from WGST.

"Tell Virgil Engleman he heard XEN as they sign off with the sound of a train," advises Jesse L. Lansman, 717 S. Shelby St., Louisville, Ky.

Edwin Sommerer, Jr., 925 E. Washington, South Bend, Ind., wants to hear from other young DXers. He heard station KUKU but can't find it in his RADEX. (That's the "Phoney" station used in a burlesque skit by the NBC.) Edwin wants a recipe for bringing in more Canadians. Watch RADEX for their time on the air and use lots of patience.

Ernest Ball, 39 Delaware Ave., Ottawa, Ont., wants to learn of any DX club in that city. In the six months after he discovered RADEX, his log of 100 grev to 245. He counts 10-BP, Wingham, Ont., as his best catch.

Wanted, Clubs and Correspondents
James B. Crusan, 424 Smithfield St., Mount Pleasant, Pa., wants to know of a DX club near him which he could join. He also wants to know when KZRM is on the air.

Richard G. Hill, 1219 E. 86th St., Cleveland, Ohio, would like to hear from owners of a Lyric and would also like to join a DX club that could provide him with notice of coming DX specials.

Donald Murphy, 506 E. 43rd Ave., Vancouver, B. C., would like to correspond with other DXers, both in the U. S. and Canada.

I. J. Hlakeman, R. D. 6, Toledo, Ohio, would like to exchange hints with other DXers, particularly Zenith owners.

Robert D. Loughheed, Ste. 2, 610 19th Ave., West, Calgary, Alta., wants to get into touch with a DX club in his vicinity.

Russell Arnot is another DXer who would like to join a club in the Northwest. His address is 715 Fifth St., Bismarck, N. D.

William Bowers, 1417 Turner St., Allentown, Pa., with 561 stations to the credit of a two-tube set, would like to correspond with other DXers.

Charles Maylone, Box 375, Placerville, Calif., wants to join a DX club and to correspond with others in the central and eastern states.

Grand Rapids, Mich., readers interested in forming a DX club are requested to get into touch with Al Hatfield, 334 Bond Ave., in that city.

DXers interested in forming a club in Minnesota should write to Donald Babb, 903 North Owen St., Stillwater, Minn.

L. A. Thomas, 1324 E. Pierce St., Phoenix, Ariz., promises to answer all communications from other DXers wherever they may be.

Henry Kurtz, III, South Kent School, South Kent, Conn., wants to hear from other 16-year-old DXers.

M. C. Harlow, 212 Bird Lane, Clarksburg, W. Va., would like to join a DX club in his vicinity.

Robert C. House, 194 Capen Blvd., Buffalo, N. Y., wants to correspond with other DXers.

Elmer C. Roth, 1294 W. Grand Blvd., Detroit, Mich., wants to correspond. Correspondents wanted. Roy Sell, Watertown, Wis.

This Month's Changes

Table listing frequency changes for various stations. Columns include call letters, frequency, and location. Includes stations like 600 CKSD, 630 CHSR, 645 CENR, 655 VAS, 690 WJL, 730 CHSS, 750 WJR, 816 XFC, 848 WJCP, 890 WJAR, 915 CHLE, 1000 WJL, 1230 C100, 1310 WEM, 1345 CMCY, 1370 WFPB, 630 WOS, 645 CEHR, 730 CFWX, 830 CERPC, 838 HARK, 970 WIRG, 980 CRRK, 985 CICK, 990 CIGY, 1200 KMLB, 1220 WCAE, 1270 WASH, 1330 GEEZ, 1370 WBTM, 1400 K19, 1429 RGKX, 1500 WWSW, 550 CTEL, 575 XFC, 615 CHNS, 620 CXRH, 1230 WJAP, 1150 WJNS, 1200 K19X, 1270 WBS, 1370 WFPB, 1060 WMAK, 1200 WJPS, 1420 K19X, 1430 WJEC, 630 CHSS, 645 CEHR, 730 CFWX, 830 CERPC, 838 HARK, 970 WIRG, 980 CRRK, 985 CICK, 990 CIGY, 1200 KMLB, 1220 WCAE, 1270 WASH, 1330 GEEZ, 1370 WBTM, 1400 K19, 1429 RGKX, 1500 WWSW, 550 CTEL, 575 XFC, 615 CHNS, 620 CXRH, 1230 WJAP, 1150 WJNS, 1200 K19X, 1270 WBS, 1370 WFPB, 1060 WMAK, 1200 WJPS, 1420 K19X, 1430 WJEC, 630 CHSS, 645 CEHR, 730 CFWX, 830 CERPC, 838 HARK, 970 WIRG, 980 CRRK, 985 CICK, 990 CIGY, 1200 KMLB, 1220 WCAE, 1270 WASH, 1330 GEEZ, 1370 WBTM, 1400 K19, 1429 RGKX, 1500 WWSW.

Small table listing call letters and frequencies: 1360 WJKS, 1500 WDX, 630, 1200 DBQ, 1440 WDDX, 1410 WETA, 1410 WMDM.

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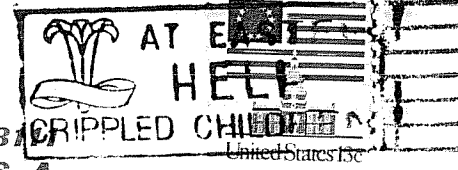
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