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## SPECIAL PROGRAMS

Date	Calls	Kc/s.	Location	Watts	Program	A.M. E.S.T.
Mar. 22	W X R F	1590	Guayama, Puerto Rico	1,000	NNRC	3:00 - 4:00
22	K W R O	1450	Coquille, Oregon	250	NRC	4:15 - 4:30
25	W H U C	1230	Hudson, New York	250	NNRC	1:00 - 2:00
25	W I C Y	1490	Malone, New York	250	NNRC	1:00 - 2:00
25	W C B M	1400	Baltimore, Maryland	250	NNRC	1:00 - 4:00
25	W A C O	1460	Waco, Texas	1,000	NNRC	4:00 - 5:00
25	W P W A	1590	Chester, Pennsylvania	1,000	fc	5:30 - 5:45
25	K X L K	1400	Great Falls, Montana	250	fc	6:45 - 7:00
26	W A R E	1250	Ware, Massachusetts	500	TEST	4:30 - 5:00
26	W I S C	1480	Madison, Wisconsin	1,000	NRC	5:00 - 5:30
27	K B K O	1290	Portland, Oregon	1,000	TEST	4:00 - 4:30
28	K D S H	950	Boise, Idaho	5,000	NNRC	2:00 - 5:00
28	W I R C	630	Hickory, North Carolina	1,000	test	3:00 - 3:30
28	C K B L	1250	Matane, Quebec	1,000	NRC	3:30 - 4:30
28	K L T I	1260	Longview, Texas	1,000	test	3:30 - 4:30
28	C J R W	1240	Summerside, Prince Edward Island	250	NRC	4:15 - 5:15
29	W A T N	1240	Watertown, New York	250	NRC	2:00 -
30	W C E D	1230	Du Bois, Pennsylvania	250	NNRC	4:00 - 5:00
Apr. 1	W D O S	1400	Oneonta, New York	250	NNRC	1:00 - 1:30
5	W N B H	1340	New Bedford, Massachusetts	250	NNRC	4:00 - 5:00
8	X E B I	1360	Aguascalientes, Aggascalientes	1,000	NNRC	4:30 - 5:00
14	W L N H	1340	Laconia, New Hampshire	250	NNRC	1:30 - 3:30

### WRITE-UPS OF THIS WEEK'S SPECIAL PROGRAMS

W H U C Hudson, New York  
Michael Tackach, Chief Engineer  
March 25 - 1:00-2:00

This is the time Mr. Tackach himself chose for the DX program, and of course, it will be a very difficult feat to log this station for the majority at this extremely early hour. However, Eastern DXers should be able to have some success, and so we suggest you in the East tune in and write in, lest WHUC not get many reports. Arranged by NNRC.

W C B M Baltimore, Maryland  
G. Porter Houston, Ch. Eng.  
Mar. 25 - 1:00-4:00

We are not sure of the starting time for this program, but it will probably begin with the conclusion of WCBM's regular schedule. WCBM is still on 1400, and is building a larger transmitter for use on 680 kilocycles. It could be possible the show will be heard on 680, so be sure to check 680 if WCBM isn't heard on 1400. Arranged by the NNRC.

W A C O Waco, Texas  
Goodson McKee, Announcer  
Mar. 25 - 4:00-5:00

Recently established on 1460, it has been several years since WACO last DXed for the dial-twisters, so a good many should need this station. The program is expected to occur on a clear channel, and most of the members should have no special difficulty in pulling WACO down their aerials. Be sure to listen in, then. Arranged by the NNRC.

W A R E Ware, Massachusetts  
Ansel Gridley, General Manager  
Mar. 26 - 4:30-5:00

"We will appreciate your giving as much publicity as possible to this test so that we may receive a maximum number of reception reports," writes Mr. Gridley. An oddity that these two write-ups, WACO

Con'd ) & WARE, are from the only two stations in the U.S. bearing the same calls as P. II ) the name of their cities. Should be a clear channel for WARE. Info from ADDY

STATION WRITE-UPS FOR SPECIAL PROGRAMS

- W I S C Madison, Wisconsin  
W. M. Greeley, Chief Engineer  
Mar. 26 - 4:30-5:00  
"A suitable verification card is being prepared. Hoping this will meet with the approval of members of your organization ---," writes Mr. Greeley, in part. WISC is putting on its first DX program, and reports are very much desired. Almost all need this station, so be sure not to forget to tune in for WISC. We thank them for this courtesy towards us. Arranged by Eldon ADDY
- K B K O Portland, Oregon  
Harold Kreiger, Chief Engineer  
Mar. 27 - 4:00-4:30  
Station KBKO, a new 1 kw. daytimer, having taken the air just 1 month ago, has consented to this special DX test, and being a new one, almost all the entire membership needs KBKO in their logs. The channel should be open all the way for them, and that means a good chance of logging this new west coast station. Be sure to listen for their test. Information from L. KRUSE
- K D S H Boise, Idaho  
James Hohmtz, Chief Engineer  
Mar. 28 - 2:00-5:00  
A long, three-hour program is being put on by KDSH as their second such of the season, and reports are looked for urgently by Mr. Jomhtz. The channel should be clear after 3:00 until almost the end of their program. Be sure to look for this station with its fine, 5 kw. transmitter, on March 28, with a big DX program, then. Arranged by the NNRC.
- W I R C Hickory, North Carolina  
Elmer Troutman, Chief Engineer  
Mar. 28 - 3:00-3:30  
This will be a half-hour test program of music, which will follow a 2:45-3:00 a.m. tone-test frequency check program. WIRC is new this winter, and is anxious to hear from the DXers all over. A clear channel once again is expected for this show, except for the Hawaiian KPOA, of course, so most should be able to land this non-directional station. Information from the NNRC.
- C K B L Matane, Quebec  
Roger Bergeron, Managing Dir.  
Mar. 28 - 3:30-4:30  
Located about 100 miles north-east of far-up Rimouski, this city is near the mouth of the St. Lawrence River, and uses A.S.T. Address is 144 Ave. St. Jerome. CKBL is brand new, and everybody needs them in their logs. so don't let this golden opportunity get away from you. 1250 should be clear for the duration of this special DX program. Arranged by Addy and Stone.
- K L T I Longview, Texas  
Merl Saxon, Manager  
Mar. 28 - 3:30-4:30  
A special test from another new station will greet us in the form of this special broadcast from KLTI, P.O. Box #1866. One of KLTI's regular announcers, Leonard Peterson, will em-cee this test, and besides being a test, it ought to be an interesting program, again on what is expected to be a clear channel. KLTI normally operates daytime only. Information from the NNRC.
- C J R W Summerside, P. E. I.  
A. G. Rogers, Manager  
Mar. 28 - 4:15-5:15  
Another brand new station! WEDC has been asked to sign for this show's first 45 minutes. "We will use commercial band macords as they stand a better chance of banging through the QRM than transcriptions," says Mr. Rogers. This is Canada's smallest province, and no doubt all need not only CJRW, but the province as well. Tune in before the 5 a.m. QRM. Arranged by Addy-Stone
- W A T N Watertown, New York  
Harry Righter, President  
Mar. 29 - 2:00 a.m.  
Now that WBIR has abandoned its all-night show, more of us should be able to bag the WATN unique frequency check programs, which are always conducted by Mr. Righter himself. Harry'll play your requests, if you'll but acquaint him with your favorites, by card. Why not drop him a card now and ask for a number? Let's all listen in this time, and report. Our continued thanks.

All time listed above, and through-out "DX News" is as usual, in E.S.T. - New York time. We salute all the above stations, and wish them good reception on their DX programs and

Musings of the Members  
Herb Campbell - Athens, Pa.

Three of the late four DXes on grave-yard channels have been rather spectacular successes here. CKOX, a swell show, was so good that WEXL was not missed until ten minutes after they left the air. Verie by return mail. Mr. Vincent and his cat, "Whobby" were more than letter perfect on the WHOB DX. WALE was at least 90% readable over WMIN, and nothing of consequence missed. WSRS didn't fare so well - about 30% readable. Foerster's new log in use since the first of the month is most timely and useful. Commendation is deserved, by Art, in making the best of what seems to have been a bad bargain. And, oh yes, WFEC, 1220 Kc/s., was on ET until 4:45 a.m., 3/22.

Joe Brauner - Williamsville, N.Y.

DX improved a lot this week and several old friends were heard for the first time in weeks. And a few new ones adied. Veries were few and far apart, letters from WCON and WTSV, and a "C of C" card from KIMR. New stations were KPHC on 3/7 f/c. KYOU on 3/9 f/c and on 3/10, heard WONE on ET, KCBQ signing off regular schedule at 3:55 a.m. and believe I had WFTR ending a test at 4:18. On 3/12, WALE had a tough time getting here on 1400, but got several announcements almost complete - sure welcomed this one. Also heard KYOU again on a test 3:45 to 4:00, using music this time. Tuned for WASA's f/c at 5:45 and got him fairly well, while logging another new, and much stronger, one, WKNK, who signed on a regular scheduled program at 5:45, very good here until WHRV and WFRG signed on at 6:00 o'clock. WKNK seems to sign on weekdays at 5:45. Believe WHBQ was on 560 this morning, some one with program like his was back of WIND, and didn't notice him on 1400 although there was a lot more QRM there than WMIN stirred up. CKNW seems to be on all night, every night, lately. 1400 is clear again on Mondays, but WING seems to be all night again except Mondays. And WRVA's all-night show has arrived. WTTS, 1370, plans to be on Sundays until 4:00 a.m. at least, and invited names for the program. Latest catches are WTTS on 3/33, and on 3/14, WHAK, 960, with test at 4:30, and KGST, 1600, with remarkably loud signal at 5:00 a.m. '73's.

Grant Batson - Westfield, New York

Even though the DX season is nearing a close, reception isn't much improved. 2/28, WWOD on 1390 Kc/s., 3:26-3:59. CKOX on 1340 had a battle to come through, don't think WEXL was on, but reception is better here days than on the DX program. WVET on 1280 was well heard, 4:30-5:00 a.m. 3/2 - KSGN on 900 Kc/s. was quite good in spite of weather conditions. 3/3, A new one on 1460 Kc/s/ - WFVG, cf Fuquay Springs, N.C., 3:33-3:47. This town is East of Durham, according to a postal map. Also, same day, WULA on 1240 with TT 4:01-4:16. 3/4, WIL testing on new frequency of 1430 with 5 kw., 3:31-3:59. WOR on DX not heard as well as expected. 3/6 - WMLN on 1290 good on their DX 3:30-4:02. WGJV met plenty of QRM on 1400 - only got 4:06-4:35. WLP on DX 3/9 well heard and every night is generally good reception from there. 3/11 - A new one! WSHB on 1220, Stillwater, Minn. heard on ET 4:12-4:45, for Q-R R-8 signal. 3/12 - WALE on 1400 met WMIN for a good victory; didn't notice WHBQ - have they gone? And WASA on 1600 TT 5:47-6:00, again due to Lefty's f/c list. Veries not creating any flood here. WAPO KWHI KSBW WFWA WNEZ KXIT. WLSI WTND CMHB, from last March 8! WCON CKOX WSWN- plain card but verification on it, WVET WPTR, swell letter and literature of station, and pictures. WFVG letter verie signer John Koudracki, C.E. - letter-head says, "Wake Broadcasting Co." There's a Post Office there because their letter is thus marked. WENA verie signer Juan Alfredo Arias. The program in Spanish, report in English, verie is in perfect English.

Stan Morss - Bradford, Massachusetts

3/7 - Very noisy. WBUT on ET 2:21 for only new one. WSTS testing most of A.M. 3/8-WFTM all-night test on "1240 megacycles" to quote the announcer. WSHB on ET 2:42, KGAL test at 3:15. WEAY on with broadcast saying they propose to go on all-night again. WING & WRVA back on all night - WING says off Mondays. WEWC test at 4:08. WGOV test at 4:34. Veries CKOX & WFSB. 3/9 - On 1490, I really fouled up - I copied the weak station as usual, which turned out to be WWSW, & let go by an S-7 KICO, darn the luck. Spokane stations with election returns. Veries - KWGB & WJLL. 3/10 - WVOK test at 2:05, WNOP, 2:09. KPAN at 2:30. WSHB-ET 2:57. WJJS-f/c 3:05. WONE with what sounds like another all-night show. CBM testing 3:30. WPAB f/c 3:36. WJJM f/c 4:00. 3/11 - WTOM on TT. WJJK s/off test. 2:00. 3/12 - CBX on "Calling the North" Message show till 2:24 s/off. WIL on 1430 all A.M. KPAC f/c 2:40. KFRE to 3:00 s/off. WFEC 3:20, ET. WALE DX 3:51, on. WDEL not heard. Verie, WHPE. To Ted Weiser - KFMI by Nathan Wilcox, C.E. WERD by Bill Kennedy, C.E. 3/13 - WHOD with some QRM 6:55 to fade-out at 7:20. WCMW clear here at 7:20. Still have a few hold-outs since 1400.

Musings of the MembersTed Weiser - Schuylkill Haven, Penna.

Veries in are WFAX WDNE KQV WSM KXIT CKOX KIMR WAVL WJLL WVET WOR WFGV WHPE WATN KIXL WMSA KOBE, very good luck on follow-up veries from WMAW KMAE KICO KSDN, letters from WRR and WOTW, but no mention of verification. A prepared card from WMAW v/s R. H. Host, Card from KSDN v/s George E. Crocker, C.E., very friendly letter from KICO KMAE verie letter v/s George W. Smith, Jr., Gen. Mgr. WSM v/s Aaron Shelton, Studio Supervisor, very pleased with my daytime reception report. Very nice letter from WOTW, c/s Robert C. Bingham, C.E. on my follow-up report, but no mention of verie. Nice letter of verification from Mr. Righter of WATN. 3/8 - WRAY testing 45 minutes, heard back of WWSW; WFWO on test, WVCG on f/c, 3/9, WJPD on f/c, WOBT on f/c in the clear WHOB on DX, heard name mentioned, WSHB with ET on 1220 Kc/s. in the clear. 3/10 - WSHB again with ET, KCBD on f/c, WIDE with all-night show, very strong in the clear on 1400 Kc/s. WONE on with ET on 980 Kc/s. over CKVL. 3/11 - WOME in the clear on 1240 Kc/s., ditto on WENC. 3/12 - WALE very good with DX. 3/13 - WTTS heard on late Saturday program. WHBQ now fighting it out with WIND on 560 Kc/s.

Sid Rosenbaum - Wheeling, West Virginia

Working day turn this week and my listening limited to evening and two mornings when I got up at 4:30 a.m. On 3/7 - KUOA WJDX WTOD WRF CHOK WNOX, all from early twilight through evening. 3/8 - WCAI WJPA WVVW WCMB WOKZ. 3/9 - KLOU WESC WKRC WILE. 3/10 - WEOU WSSP WESA WHCG-f/c KONO-f/c. 3/11 - KRLD KFMJ OJML KTHS GBW WMOA. 3/12 - WORD WRGA, both sign/pn programs. WEBJ WGR. 3/13 - WMIN WSHB, on final ET, and on air officially 3/14. 3/14 - Static heavy this morning, heard WHAK with test 4:15, and WORD sign/on at 5:00, as well as WLOS. Not much new material in any of the above. Reported to a few new ones however. The Bert McAllister letter in "DX News" of 3/5/49 sure hits the nail on the head. My reports in future are going to be along lines he suggests. Thanks to Ted Weiser and Ray Edge for verie information. Also Hal Wagner, letters. Veries coming in show. Letters from WJLL-DX WRR-dx WVET-DX WALD. No sign of KSEA on DX. Cards from KIXL-DX WVVW KPMC. A card from KWTC, Barstow, for f/c. What a small world - it was signed by Rob Reno, Program Director. Bob formerly connected with WWVA. Very pleased to hear from Wheeling, and asked to give regards to staff of above station.

Ted Matson - Schenectady, New York

Just about time for a short report. I have refrained from writing before, because I had really nothing to report. I have finally reached 403 veries with 20 out, so maybe I'm on my way. Reports out lately to: WVOT WWOD WVET WFGV WLOS WAAT WHOB WMRN WCKY WIDE WJPS. Veries received from WAPA WVOT WVET WPHG WLOS, with a nice four-colored letter-head. WSOO, WSHB were also heard but no reports were sent out.

Pete Clarius - Staten Island, New York

Since my last report, I logged: WBSR WLBF WDNE WGIG WRQN WDSR WJLL WGUW WARK WCNT WCMN WDLF WFGV WRSR WJMO WMLS WGVV WFWO WBUT & WSTS. Veries have come in from: WARK WLAM WHPE WCVL WJNT WMCW WGRW WIND WBSR WLBF, and WVMC, after a follow-up. This brings my log to 1218, with 1065 verified. Long hold-outs are: WDXI WVCH & CHVC, to whom I sent three follow-ups, each with a good old American nickel for postage. To Lefty - Who signed your WPTR letter of verification? Well, I guess this is all until later, so 73's (My WPTR verie is signed by W. R. David, Sr., Vice-President in Charge of Engineering Ed.)

Lefty Cooper - Brooklyn, New York

Veries? What are they? None here, except duplicate from WILK, same card, but with definite verie added in ink, as I suggested he do for all DXers. Here is the DXing for the week, with signals much stronger, but static keeping pace with them: 3/10, logged WLXW Carlisle, Penna., behind WAWZ and fighting it out with WSYB, 6:00-6:15 p.m. s/off. I need only WPIT & WRYO on the Keystone State now (except for hold-out WAGB - hey, Dick-scare up my verie down there, will ya?) since I caught WISL that same morning on his monthly f/c-TT, with terrific signal here. WHOM's carrier not on until 5:53 or so. 3/13 - On 980, good signal, but never seemed to identify, and was commercial program. I doubt if it could be CKVL, for they are very weak here, and WAAT swamps him. Maybe WONE, but not sure. WTTS on what sounded like weekly all-night show on 1370 (Bloomington, Ind. - strong signal). WCSS was on 1490 with Red Cross program until about 3:00. WEBC on 1320 till 3:00 on top. WJZ, announcing as Lodi, N.J. test on 770 & 1540 harmonic 3:05. WSHB good 3:30-4:00, even heard through occasional WGAR carrier. WOAY testing 4:00-5:00 on 860. KPOJ at last, over KFAC, 5:00-5:30 a.m., S-8 at times! 3/15 - WHAK

Musings of the Members  
Eldon Addy - Marcus, Iowa

DX here on the better side this week. Monday, March 7th, KBOL, 1490 Kc/s., Boulder, Colo., heard on swell DX for the Clubs. WSGB, 1220 Kc/s., Stillwater, Minn. on ETing and saying will be on air with regular programs March 13th at 9:00 a.m. Tuesday, WEWO, 1080 Kc/s., Laurinburg, N.C. heard on DX-Test swell here. Also on Tuesday was WTAW, 1150 Kc/s., College Station, Texas, on ET all A.M. Wednesday A.M. I was amazed to hear WHOB, 1490 Kc/s., Gardner, Mass., on his DX with an S 7-8 signal. On top 4:00-4:12 a.m. E.S.T. No DX Thursday. Friday, KDEC, 1240 Kc/s., on f/c. He announced as KWLC & KDEC, Decorah, Iowa - time, 4:20-4:30 a.m., E.S.T. Saturday A.M. - My best DX catch since Jan. 1st - CJDC, 1350 Kc/s., Dawson Creek, B.C., Canada on regular till 3:00 a.m., E.S.T. Believe this is daily. Has recorded show 2:30-2:55, then news. Easy over the Mexican all-nighter. WTEC, 1220 Kc/s., Miami, Fla., was ETing all A.M. so report sent. WASA, 1600 Kc/s., Havre de Grace, Md., was on monthly f/c 5:45-6:00 with QRM from WKNK. This Sunday A.M., WTTs, 1370 Kc/s., Bloomington, Ind., was on all A.M. so report sent. Then WHOS, 800 Kc/s., Decatur, Ala. on sign on at 7:00 a.m., E.S.T. with a well-known march easily over WIBK. New veries in from KSGN WHPE WGVV-DX WFVG CKOX-WRR and three oldies-WTCJ KSTV and WBUK. KSTV signed by Doyle Collup, C.E. Owner, and will verify if a prepared card is sent. WBUK signed by A. Lynch, General Manager. KSTV will soon move to 1240 Kc/s., and will appreciate reports on his new frequency. However, don't forget that prepared card.

Ray B. Edge - Buffalo, New York

Reports going out in past week were to - 3/8, WDAN on f/c, KFAC on regular schedule, WEWO on Test, WKRC on test, WLS on all-night beam for Bill Odom, 3/11 - WNAO on FCC test, WSHB on ET, 3/12 - WALE on DX and 3/14, WILM and KSEA who was really a tough baby here. Letter veries received were from KULP KSGN, for second verie on test for March 2nd, WMBM WDAN WKRO WPHH which replace old verie cards and CHNO and WFVG. Total now 1554. Regarding CHNO. If any of you fellows reported that DX, I suggest that you send a duplicate report to John E. Jordan, signer of my verie who states that in past few weeks he has received a number of letters asking about veries for their November 26th program. He says they were all answered shortly after the broadcast, they had a change in office staff and that might be the reason. WFVG, 1460 Kc/s., will begin its regular schedule at 6:30 a.m., Wednesday, 3/15. Will be on the beam for the coming DXes that have been arranged lately by our GPC. Congratulations fellows, as you certainly picked some real DXes. Hope the weather favors them and that all the boys will be in there tuning for them. The new ones are still coming on the air so it looks as if those who want them will have to be DXing all through this coming summer. Maybe we can persuade an F.C.C. freeze, hi. See in "Broadcasting" that KABR on 1420 will surrender its license on April 1, 1949.

Kermit Geary - Walnutport, Pennsylvania

The following veries have been received since my last report: CHNO CKOX KBUG KCOG KIRX KWGB KXIT WFVG WHAP WLSI & WFSV. All were letters except WLSI which was a nice printed card in an envelope. KIRX informed me that they are using my report for publicity in the Kirksville weekly newspaper and are sending me a copy. New stations heard, testing recently were KWRE WFVG WBUT WONE WSHB WTTs & WHAK. Reports were sent out as follows: 3/2 - KIRX testing from 2:35 to 2:54 a.m. 3/3 - KWRE on ET from 3:57 to 4:20 a.m. 3/4 - KULP on DX from 3:25 to 4:00 a.m. 3/5 - WFVG, Fuquay Springs, N.C., 1460 Kc/s., on ET from 4:50 to 5:00 a.m. 3/6 - KVMA on f/c from 3:00 to 4:00 a.m., and WBUT, Butler, Pa., 1580 Kc/s., on ET from 4:07 to 4:28 a.m. 3/8 - WIRJ on f/c from 2:31 to 2:47 a.m., WSSO on f/c from 3:10 to 3:17 a.m., and KSJO on regular schedule from 3:31 to 4:05 a.m. 3/9 - KFRE, Fresno, Calif., now on 940 kc/s. with 50,000 watts, from 2:40 until 3:02 a.m. and WONE on ET from 3:26 to 3:38 a.m. 3/10 - WSHB, Stillwater, Minn., 1220 Kc/s., from 4:05 to 4:34 a.m. 3/12 - WBEW on regular schedule from 5:30 to 6:00 a.m. 3/13 - WTTs, Bloomington, Ind., 1370 Kc/s., testing from 2:37 to 3:05 a.m. 3/14 - WHAK, Rogers City, Mich., 960 Kc/s., on ET from 4:00 to 4:32 a.m. 3/15 - WFAX on DX-Test from 4:14 to 5:12 a.m. How does one get veries out of KITO and XEBG?

Musings of the MembersJ. Warren Routzahn - York, Penna.

Since last report I logged WANS KWHI WTSV WKKW KSGN WPTR WBAT WASA KXIT WPTW KGBC WVJP WDNE KTKR WWOE CKOX KLWT WGUY WCMN KWRE KXLR WBUT KULP WJMO WACA KCKY WSTS WZIP WIDE KRUZ WJJJ WALE KFXD WGYV. Veries were received from : WHOC WHOK WCVB WABB WLOU KGYN WMCW WBVP WLEA KCOG WCRA WLSI WXRF KWHI KSBW KXIT KSUM WTND WTSV CKOX WJOC KSGN WJMO WPTR WDNE KWGB KULP WRR WILK WHPE WGYV. Most DX again from bulletin and the new f/c list which netted me quite a few stations. Feb. 21 found WANS on ET and nothing of KMUS. Feb. 22, WHOD did not show, KCMO test with FCC between 3:00 and 4:00 a.m. WXKW good on their DX. Feb. 23, WAVL fair on DX, KSGN weak and noisy here every time, WFIL testing auxiliary transmitter after 4:00 a.m. Feb. 26, KXIT nice on DX, WSSV testing after 4:00. Feb. 27, WRR better than expected early DX. Mar. 3, KSO testing before 3:00, KWRE on ET all A.M., KFDM test after 4:00. Mar. 4 - WBUT ET 2:30-3:30. KULP fair on DX, WINK testing and WIL test new transmitter, both after 4:30. Mar. 6 - WGYV through extreme interference even for 1400, they were on all that a.m. Mar. 7 - WSTS ET 3:00-4:00 a.m. KFSD good at 3:00 a.m. s/off, KCKY fair on f/c 3:00-3:15. Mar. 10 - WZIP & KCBF f/c by list, WIDE on ET all a.m. Mar. 12 - KRUZ very good s/off 3:14. WJJJ special test for F.C.C. At intervals between 3:30 and 4:30, WALE good on DX, KTTS good on their f/c 3:00-3:15, KTTS testing C.B.S. line to N.Y. 3:30-3:52 a.m., WCMD testing 4:00-4:20. KSFA did not come on on their DX - at least not here. That winds it up till the next time.

Bernie Duffy - Staten Island, New York

The past week I got the following veries - a nice picture card showing Havana and verifying in Spanish from GMCM via air-mail, and printed ones from WILK and KIKL, attractive letters from KFBI WHPE WMLS WGYV WFGV WRR WGNI WBAL, and finally WMCK's very friendly message. Out of the following itemized reception of the past week I added eleven new ones for a heard total of 1654. 3/10 - WTOR's f/c weak under QRM at 1:15-1:30, WBUT's ET local-like at 1:45-2:05, WNOP's f/c at 2:00-2:15, WJJJ's first of a series of three FCC-rodred tests, thanks to Lefty's phoned tip, WAVA's new all-night program well heard without over-lap from WNEW at 2:30; a long-drawn out weak cycle toner on 1050 Kc/s., at 2:45-3:00 that might have been scheduled WZIP; WISL northly f/c very loud at 5:45-6:00. 3/11 - KRBC's new 5 kw. rig booming in as the loudest Texan ever logged, 2:00-2:30, WBLK with friendly engineer/s conducting test and reading Herb Campbells's report at 2:45. 3/12 - CKAC found on till 2:05, the new WHBQ extremely weak on 560 Kc/s., WMIN very loud as the result of no QRM from Memphis, till WALE's DX at 4:00-4:30, WIL's ET excellently received at 2:15 onwards. Tuning to 1460 at 2:55 to 3:05 I hit "double bingo" by alternately hearing far Westerners KIMA and KRUZ with their final programs of the day. WFEC, 1220, came in fine as they tested and solicited reports at 3:30. WDEL's DX didn't materialize. KFAC coming in the best this season at 4:00. 3/13 - WEBC loud as they presented a recorded program till 3:05; contrary to the letters they've been sending out, seldom-identifying, remarkably strong 100 watt CFRG on till 3:35 s/eff, WTTS, 1370, coming in nicely at 3:30-4:30. 3/14 - needed WCMD in command of 1240 at 3:10 to 3:35 and later, as they played gypsy orchestra records and cycle tones, only identifying at 3:30, KTTS, 1400, with varying ranged cycles at 3:35-3:50. WROL was the open carrier on 620 at 4:25. 3/15, a weak cycle toner on top of weaker XESM at 2:17-2:20 that seemed to identify as KVLH, as a very powerful open transmitter and occasional brief cycle topped all on 1470 Kc/s. WEGW giving its calls in multiples between cycle at 3:55-4:05 behind WWSW on 1490. I liked the formation of the previous bulletin and think the remaining DX Calendar is very alluring. (Thanks, Bernie - Ed.)

Pat Reilley - Jamestown New York

New veries from WFUR WLOU WLIO WVET CKOX. New ones heard: WHOB WSTS WSHB WALE WTTS, but very little DXing here past week. Heard WIL on 1430 with 5,000 watts on 3/12, DX has been noisy here during our snow storm over the week-end and went back to bed early. March 12th bulletin not here yet, first time it has been later than Monday getting here. Am trying to promote a radio DX column once a week in our new paper, when it finally gets going. (Swell, Pat - I hope you succeed - pd.) (Its's WFGV - Fuquay Springs, N.C.)

Lefty Cooper - Brooklyn (ad'l)

The other report was put in on Tuesday, and today, Wednesday, four veries actually arrived, from WISL WXRF WFGV KWRE. WXRF's was for November 2. Nice letter from KWRE, which says they have a frequency check on the fourth day of each month, 6:45-7:00 p.m.

Musings of the MembersRalph Johanns - Buffalo, N. Y.

I missed a couple of nights listening, as season for some is nearing end; not much out of ordinary though. 3/2 - WHOK (1320) TT-f/c with Peterson Radio Laboratories in Detroit 2:00 $\frac{1}{2}$  (through KELO's s/off) to 2:16 to return at 6:00 a.m., regular. KULP (1390) Special DX fair. 3/4 - WOR special mentioned only tobacco. WIL (1430 - 5 kw), ex-1230, with ET program 2:50-4:30 etc. 3/5 - WFUR (1570) TT s/off at 4:00 to return at 6:45 a.m., regular. 3/7 - National Anthem s/on a TT f/c 2:00-2:15 by WHSC (1450), had WMOH and WAOV Tting as company. 3/10 - Took KTRB (860) 3:10-3:45 with nice strength (am trying to get a V-letter to replace card. 740 Kc/s. had now WZIP (1050 now, yes?)(Yes - Ed.) but 1:59-2:15 TT-test by WNOP, Newport, Ky. came in O.K. at 2:00 a.m. s/off. At 2:00 a.m., s/off by WMGM (1050) and WMMB f/c had no TT, but music. 860, KPAN  $\frac{1}{2}$  hour music to return at 7:00 a.m. WNAO (850) TT-F~~68~~ 2:45-3:15. KOIL (1290) 4:33-4:59, voice only. Then KUOA (1290) s/on 5:00 a.m. until 5:15 when WHIO s/on and WHLD at 5:58, E.S.T. 3/11-KGDE (1230) TT 3:55-4:10. WOMT had a YL. KDEC "tuff." WSHB (1220) 4:00-5:15, WCAU s/on 5:22 $\frac{1}{2}$  and WGAC at 5:30. 3/13 - WILL (580) till 3:02 to return at 7:00 a.m. CKEY is strong QRM. 910, WRNL off 3:30 a.m. with 500 watt-auxiliary test/ WSHB again on at 4:00 a.m. 3/14 - On 960 at 3:10 a TT'r call at 3:13, pause and 3:19 classy music, 3:28,  $\phi$  this W---? in ? City, Miss., testing station equipment. Music stopped at 3:32 due to WEBR testing - was that WHAK or WAZF (1230 listed?) KSFA special took full hour to make out at end, air was terribly noisy. KFVD TT & off at 2:46 $\frac{1}{2}$ . WHTC till 2:26 $\frac{3}{4}$  s/off, music, 2:13 had TT through WMVA. WKOY was TT. WROX TT through WROB, was music-test till after 3:03 a.m. KFPW (1400) was TT. 3/15 - KVLH at 2:05 Tting till 2:40 a.m. Who was TT'r 1:40-1:54 (1450) KW?? (sounded like IM) testing with Kansas City, Mo. (KWPM? -Ed.) Who s/off 4:12 TT on 1360 (something like KROI) KRUZ on 1460 was OK 2:50-3:05 s/off. A strong TT-tooter and weaker TT-tweeter gave no calls here for three hours. Nice V/letter by KWYO (1410) R. F. Crossthwaite, C.E. says, Opened 7/9/34 on 1370 with 100 watts. 12/15/46, on 1410, 1000-500 watts, f/c 3:00-3:15 E.S.T. and use 1 kw., sked 8:00 (Sunday 10:30)-midnight.)- 1:00 a.m., E.S.T. and New Zealand reports Jan and Feb. tests. They have own letterhead now. KSGN (900) C.E. says, 285 foot tower at foot of Sierra Nevada mountains, opened 9/17/47, sked: 9:15-9:00 p.m., E. for March and April, 9:00a.m.-9:30 p.m., Sunday s/on 10:30 a.m., E.S.T., has no regular test schedule, but twice a month (Wed. AM's) 7:00-9:00 a.m., E.S.T. has TT/V test, was in East several years, also at WCOP, Boston. I'd appreciate help on that 960 Kc/s. and 1360. 960 sounded like WHKC, Johnson City, Miss. (That must have been WHAK, Rogers City, Mich., Ralph - Ed.)

LEN KRUSE ANNOUNCES THAT -

"Plans for the Third Annual 'Post-Season DX Conclave' to be held in Cedar Rapids Iowa some time in April are in the making. Thus, the committee in charge, is inviting all DXers, regardless of location or club affiliation, to plan to attend."

"Many DXers will recall the two DX broadcasts over WMT and KCRG during last year's gathering, in which all who attended took part.

"So, fellows, this is your 'open invitation' to plan on coming to Cedar Rapids, Iowa, and have a great time with the gang. Of course, all wives are welcomed, too. Watch for final plans and details forthcoming very soon." (signed) Len Kruse.

CHANGES IN STATION DATA - F.C.C.NEW STATIONS

740	Tulsa, Oklahoma	50,000-10,000	U-4	1360	Modesto, California	1,000	U-2
1000	Camaguey, Cam., Cuba	1,000	U-1	1490	Beeville, Texas	250	U-1
1240	St. Cloud, Minnesota,	250	U-1		Grand Haven, Michigan	250	U-1

Pinar del Rio PDR. FREQUENCY CHANGES

800	C M A W	fr. 810 Kc/s. - 250 U-1.	(Aug. 1949)
810	C M H W	Santa Clara, L.V. fr. 800 Kc/s. - 1,000-250 U-1.	(Aug. '49)
960	K W A T	Watertown, South Dakota, fr. 1240 Kc/s/, 1,000 U-2.	
1330	C M C B	Havana, Cuba, fr. 1320.	1,000 U-1. 1,000 U-1. (August, 1949)
1390	C M B G	Havana, Cuba, fr. 690.	250 watts, share with CMBX. Previous grant of 690 with 15 kw. has been rescinded.

CALL ASSIGNED

1000 C M J G Camaguey, Cam., Cuba.  
WNCA, 1340, Asheville, N.C., and KABR, 1420, Aberdeen, S.D., leave air March 31 for good.

HEARD THIS WEEK

360 Rogers City, Michigan 1370 Bloomington, Indiana

All time AM EST

"DX DOWN THE DIAL"

- 560 WHBQ Memphis, Tenn. On here since 3-11, ex 1400 (Brdct)
- 580 KFXD Nampa, Idaho. FC 2nd Mon 0300-0315 (Routzahn)
- WILL Urbana, Ill. FC hrd 3-11 til 0302 s/off, rturn @ 0700 (Johanns)
- 590 KFXM San Bernardino, Cal. Can be copied @ 0300 S/off (Van Voorhees)
- 730 KWRE Warrenton, Mo. FC is 4th of month 0645-0700 (Cooper)
- WMTG Vancleve, Ky. Mr. M.E. Picazo writes that they will have a live talent show for parents & friends of their school after their regular FC March 28th, 0145-0230 (Lendzioszek)
- 770 KXA Seattle, Wash. Can be copied 0330-0400 with records (Van Voorhees)
- 790 KVLU Lubbock, Tex. Was it them 3-11 S/off test @ 0442?? (Van Voorhees)
- 800 KXIC Iowa City, Iowa. March s/off @ 7:15PM. Several Canadians besides CKLW on here after that (Brauner)
- 860 KPAN Hereford, Tex. FC 2nd Thurs 0430-0500 (Cooper)
- 900 KSGN Centerville, Cal. FC twice monthly, Wed AMs 0700-0900 (Johanns)
- 920 KRAM Las Vegas, Nev. FC 2nd Thurs 0400-0420 (Van Voorhees)
- 960 WHAK Rogers City, Mich. ET 3-14 & 15 til 0430 (Brauner, Cooper, Rosenbau)
- 990 KTLN Denver, Colo. FC TT 3rd Tues 0300-0315 (Van Voorhees)
- 1110 KXLA Pasadena, Cal. Can be copied 0330-0400 with records (Van Voorhees)
- 1130 KRDU Dinuba, Cal. Tested 3-4 from 0424-0430 (Maguire)
- 1220 WFEC Miami, Fla. Said to address rpts to Miami, 38, Fla. (Van Voorhees)
- WSHB Stillwater, Minn. Reg sked started 1000 March 13th (Addy)
- ET on 3-6, 11 & 13 (Maguire, Hchanns, Cooper, Van Voorhees)
- 1230 KGDE Fergus Falls, Minn. FC TT hrd 0355-0410 3-11 with 100 w. (Johanns)
- WNOR Norfolk, Va. Expects to open 4-1. Earl Harper, ex-Newark Bears BB anncr is General Manager. Should test very soon. (Duffy)
- WSSO Starkville, Miss. Seems to test Ev Tues 0245-0300 (Addy)
- 1240 CJRW Summerside, PEI. Will DX 3-28 0415-0515. See write up page 2
- WEDC Chicago, ILL. Mr. Frank Kotnour, Manager announces that WEDC will stand by the entire hour for CJRW. (Wharton) Thanks, Derek, Members, get those thank yous to WEDC for this courtesy.
- KEXJ Jasper, Tex. S/on at 0600, hrd 3-9 (Maguire)
- KVLF Alpine, Tex. TT hrd 0545-0600 on 3-9 (Maguire)
- KWAK Stuttgart, Ark. S/on at 0630, hrd 3-9 (Maguire) (Van Voorhees)
- WHIZ Zanesville, Ohio. Hrd 3-15 with what seemed like all nite show
- 1270 KSCB Liberal, Kans. FC hrd 0300-0315 on Mar 15th (Brauner)
- 1280 WDSU New Orleans, La. Ann. silent period 0300-0600 hereafter (Brauner)
- 1340 KVRH Salida, Colo. FC TT 2nd Sat 0400-0415 (Addy)
- 1350 CJDC Dawson Creek, BC. On da ily except Mon til 0300 (Addy)
- 1370 WITS Bloomington, Ind. In clear 0130-0200 S/off 3-16 (Edge) Plans Sun morning program til 0400 (Brauner, Addy, Van Voorhees, Cooper)
- 1380 WLOS Asheville, NC. S/on 0500 on top hrd 3-16 (Johanns)
- WLXW Carlisle, Pa. Hrd thru WAWZ-WSYB-WMBG 6-6:15 PM s/off (Cooper)
- 1400 WORD Spartansburg, SC. Daily s/on 0500 with news on Barn Dance (Rosenbaum)
- ???? FC TT hrd 3-14 0430-0440 from station in Ark. owned by Southwestern Broadcasting Co. Who was it?? (Rosenbaum)
- 1410 KQV Pittsburgh, Pa. S/on at 0700 (Van Voorhees)
- WDOV Dover, Del. May change TEST date due to WING QRM (Addy)
- WING Dayton, Ohio Was silent Monday AM (Brauner)
- 1420 KABR Aberdeen, SD. Will turn in licensd to FCC 0200 on 4-1 (Brdct)
- 1430 KASI Ames, Iowa. FC hrd as listed but continued on with ET (Johanns)
- 1450 WFUN Huntsville, Ala. FC is 3rd Wed 0400-0415, not 0345-0400 (Van V)
- WHTC Holland, Mich. TT hrd til 0215 then music til 0227 3-14 (Johanns)
- WPBO Cumberland, Md. On Sundays til 0305 S/off (Cooper)
- 1460 WFBG Fuquay Springs, NC. Reg sked started 0630 3-15 (Edge)
- 1470 KVLH Pauls Valley, Okla. FC TT 3rd Tues 0205-0240 (Johanns, Van Voorhees)
- 1490 WCSS Amsterdam, NY. on til 0300 3-13 with Red Cross fund show (Cooper)
- 1580 WBUT Butler, Pa. CE Gerald D Coleman says he is swamped with reports from their ET. No stationery from printers yet but eventually all will be answered with Letterhead and QSL card (Edge)
- 1600 KGST Fresno, Cal. ET hrd 3-14 louder than KNX (Brauner)
- WKNK Muskegon, Mich. Wkday s/on 0545. 15 min in clear (Brauner)



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A WORD FROM YOUR CPC CHAIRMAN

Your CPC Chairman wants to take this means to THANK YOU for your whole hearted support of the CPC for the past season.

The 1948-49 Season is just about history and the CPC Staff is now looking forward to the 1949-50 DX Season to work on stations YOU FELLOWS want to DX or TEST.

The 48-49 season saw many new stations come on the air and many did not test during the AM hours which will make them good DX catches. Our CPC STAFF did excellent work striving to arrange DXes and TESTS it felt were needed by the majority of the members of the DX Clubs. When a station was asked to DX it was with the mind to obtain the maximum number of reports with the least amount of QRM on that particular station. Interference was placed FIRST then TIME, so if we had some stations on at a time when they could not be heard from some part of the country, it was because that time was when they had the least amount of QRM. Then some stations set their own time and we could not do anything about that. However this season we made a special effort to arrange DXes so that our west coast members would have a chance to hear them. Please remember though we can not please all of you.

Now comes the 49-50 Season. In order to find out the stations YOU the members of the National Radio Club want to hear on DXes or TESTS for next season we are reserving the below space for you to make out the list of stations by call letters in alphabetical order and send them DIRECT TO CPC Chairman Eldon E. Addy-P.O. Box 158-Marcus, Iowa. He will sort them out, and the most popular stations requested, or in other words the ones listed by most of you, will be the stations that will be asked to DX or TEST for the NRC for 1949-50. Yours for a swell summer, I am

Very friendly yours Eldon E Addy.

CPC Chairman N R C