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SHE ENJOYS OUR FINE CLUB

"I certainly enjoy 'DX NEWS' and hope I may enjoy my membership in this fine club for a long time to come. Everybody is doing a swell job to make 'DX NEWS' what it is and are to be congratulated. 'Fishing you the best in DXing."

Mrs. Clara Wachtel, 1031 Fifth Avenue S.E., Cedar Rapids, Iowa

BEG PARDON

Since the issue of Dec. 8, 1951 we have been numbering issues wrongly. Through error, both the Dec. 1 and Dec. 8 "DX Newes" were headed number 11. So this is #28, and we are straightened out now. Sorry.

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Very sorry that this issue is being mailed late but Postoffice missent stencils to Northeast, Penna. some 30 miles away and they did not arrive on Friday and on Saturday I was well on my way on a flying trip to relatives in Arlington, Virginia. Hope to get most of them in the mail before I go to work today. While in Arlington I had a splendid visit with member Rog Anderson, charming wife and gorgeous daughter. Real Southern hospitality from a former New York state Jimtowner. Sorry that Hank Holbrook was DXing on different channels that night and couldn't get over to see me. Ah, to be young again.

Coming bulletins and Deadlines Brooklyn, Lemoyne Buffalo

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Unless I get more work done than planned, the Election issue will be April 26. So far two members have written in requesting their names be omitted from the ballot. Don't forget, last year's requests do not carry over, I must be notified each year of your wishes.

The front page this issue is being dubbed-in by Hal Wagner as it seems your regular editor has forgotten that April 1st is "ALL FOOLS DAY" hi...
STAFFORD E. DAVIS, CHIEF ENGINEER. Mr. Davis is hopeful you will all be at the dials to try to log his station. Now the information we have is this program is Monday, April 6. However, April 6 is Sunday, so we feel Mr. Davis means that he'll be on Monday, April 7, after his Sunday night sign off. This should be good in mid-west and west, but will be tough in the east. Arranged by DON KASKE.

FORREST W. TIPTON, CHIEF ENGINEER. Mr. Tipton originally schedule this program for Saturday, April 12, and we suggested he move over to Monday, April 14 to avoid all-nighters. Since Mr. Tipton has already gotten out publicity on April 12 date, and since he wants those reports very much, he is going to be on BOTH mornings, for our National Radio Club - maybe clear channel Mon, BOOM.

RUSSELL B. NELSON, CHIEF ENGINEER. Mr. Nelson tells us this half-hour DX will follow his regular frequency check. We expect that KMHL will use band music so as to penetrate better the eastern all-nighters. He also is awaiting a lot of DX reports, and we are only sorry that 1400 is never clear. But band music should get through the others with dance tunes, so let's be in there trying. ARR: JACOBSON
March 29, 1952

"D.V. NEWS"

Meetings of the Members

Glad to hear that so many of you got WIAA's DX. Really had a lot of fun on the show. Only wish it could have lasted longer. Have not had too much time for DXing lately. Only been up once in the last two weeks - that was on 3/10. Got all three specials. Sterling, Ill.; Pembroke, Bermuda, and Nassau, Bahamas. The best here was Bahamas. 8-9 plus, 10 to 15 dB over S9. Illinois came in next best with heavy interference for a while. The next of course was Bermuda. Poor readability, about R 2-3. Conditions during programs were very poor. Rain all the time and very heavy static.

Mayb's the reason I got them was that I got my DB2A pre-selector back from the repair man and hooked it up. Boy does it really help on the ICE! I guess March the 15th was a lucky day for me. After listening to the specials on the EBC I tuned in on SW. I logged Mawes, New Caledonia on 6.055 ms/s, with good signal. That makes about my 8th country heard on the short wave broadcast bands. Antenna at present is a 100'-

9-shape running SW to NE with hook up to radio from SW corner. It's about 36' high. Works fine on the EBC. As to the March bulletin and to Ralph Johannes reporting I am red-headed. 15' high and around 190 lbs. Maybe that will help your Rogue's Gallery. H1. Only voice from any EBC station received here in last two weeks is from station KNBD in Duncan, Oklahoma, 1350 kc/s. Got them on SW after WIAA went off.

Listed as 250 watts. Stated the following info on station's transmitter and antenna: Transmitter is a W.E. 461-A-1 with a single shunt-fed, 200' antenna. By the way, the telephone number is 1350, same as frequency. Address is P.O. Box 1192. Wall, that about does it for this week. Thought I would send in a little longer one as I missed the last two issues. Best DX to you all. 73s.

William J. Prater - "The Hillbilly DXer" - Grimsley, Tenna.

Since last report voices came in from KOLS WPBC WGBG WSWK WADD KIFL KSTV KOKK WENG WAGA WHIL WEPH WEAU KOKK KLEF WAKU WGAU WC continuous music on 3/16. Reception has been very good and very bad but this morning it's been good again, so will keep at it a few more weeks yet I hope. Mar. 12 was good with 41A better than I heard in years but the morning they were down already. Also thought I had 3XC but got no call. DX from WKBW was very good. Also KNBD s on 3:00 p.m. for Moonlight Bermuda. The 15th found WATA 1450 on f/c per list; WINV s on 3:00 a.m. and WKEP s on 3:15 a.m. Mar. 16, WBEY DX good 4:30-5:00; WDSU ran all night, WKBW and WOKI s on 3:00 a.m., WPAC continuous music, 3:00-3:30. Mar. 17 - WKEB and KEKL DXs good here through other stations. KNOE-1420 on ET at 3:30. Mexican on 1320 with American music but didn't get call. WAPM ended f/c at 4:15, Mar. 15 - WAKK on ET at 3:30, WZEV on their DX one day late. Call in very well. WINK had a f/c 4:10-4:20, also WIPG-1230 4:45-5:00 and WPTN-1240 5:00-6:05. KUNI-1280 testing 4:45-5:00, KRMA-760 testing at 5:15. Mar. 17 - KEKY-1380 weak on f/c 3:45-4:00 with interference. WEDC 1350 seems to be a new all-nighter called by KGEM. KGEM-680 was weak this morning. Mar. 20 - 3:15-4:30, calls clear but KUSTA supplied music. West Coast was very good so I wonder about their DX on the 24th. Hope it's better. Heard AHF-780 on f/c 3:30-3:45 using tone, sending call in CW and at conclusion, made voice announcement. Hope I sent that report to the correct address. WHIA-1460 had a f/c 4:50-4:30, KSBN-1420 very strong at 4:30. Also want to thank Steve for the fine DXs. ZBM was copied solid here so I stayed with them to 3:15 I was so pleased at hearing them. ZNS powerful here but not needed. These along with WHEY made some very enjoyable DX! Guess I have gone out far enough for this time. I need some sleep after all the work you CPC men are making!

William J. Prater. - "The Hillbilly DXer" - Grimsley, Tenn.

DX since my last letter is this: 3/5 WFAI on NIBC DX, KSOX and WAPF heard on 3/5 twilight DX; WSDR heard with moderate signal on WBC DX 3/10 with KORB QRM. 3/12 added WKBW on transmitter test with tone and music. 3/14 heard WAKK with good signal on 3/15. WBTN-1230 heard on transmitter test with tone and music. 6/14 a brand new one with WAKK 990 in Aiken, S.C. A visit from them will keep S.C. at 100%. On 3/31 WGBY was a real surprise here, KWBW QRM to 5:00. 4:45 to 5:20 there was another station testing with Dixieland music, very loud here, but no identification given. At 5:20 the channel was clear for WGBY and copied almost 100% to 5:30 s/off. WGBY a few minutes late getting on. Voice total now 2,224 with new ones in front: KSOX WFAI KKEB; WBTN Tuscaloosa, Ala. WHIL KOLV WOKI WZSB KCCU & WAXY. Oh yea, KRBT Baytown, Texas sent both a card and letter. I already had them as Goose Creek. The CPC guys have really been hot this season and they are to be congratulated by all of us. Many nice new ones added here as a result of their efforts. 73.
Musings of the Members

John Hoogerheide - 4723 North Larkin Street - Milwaukee, WI, Wisconsin

Well another DX week has rolled by and I must say that it sure didn't produce anything startling. Every bad break possible occurred. The British Columbian test was slept through, however I did manage to wake up around 5:00 and log a few new ones. Then of all the bad breaks WGBY was again slept through. I must have shut off the alarms in my sleep. And I almost slept through all of the 3/17 tests but I did wake up in time to get the last part of KERB. I want to thank all of the members who wrote me such nice letters welcoming me into the club. It is really fine that the members take that much interest as to welcome the new members into the club. Now for my DX of the week.

3/15 - WMIX on regular f/c s/off at 2:05. KWIO on test at 2:30. KX WB 1440 kc/s. in Focastello Iso. s/off at 3:02. They must have changed their call letters because the last time I heard them they were still KBO. KCOB on f/c at 3:10. WHTN at 3:14. Also KSET. KNYC 1460 in Juarez, Mexico noted on with a type of announced DX show in which they listed the names of people who had sent them reports. Both in Spanish and English. KNOM noted at 3:40. Seemed to be a test but had ads and news. CHEX s/on at 3:00 with "Oh Canada." WCEN at 6:12. WGG good signal before WJIN came on with carrier at 6:45. WMWX testing at 6:15.

3/17 - Nothing except the latter part of the KERB DX show and no sign whatsoever of KBN but frequency had lots of QRM. WAKU tested at f/c. 3/18 - Frequency tests noted from KICD WCRS. Not even much came in as far as reports. KVCW answered my tentative report with a definite no. I had enough for a good report but I wasn't sure if the station was KVOC. Likewise for KICA who told me that it was the farthest north that KICA has been heard non-test. This was at about 8 p.m. on a good southwest reception night. Other report in from WJDE WKLJ WCOB WSOY KTAN WKLA KXAN WDAO XXLE KOAL WRAQ KCMO KOLO WOR. Well that's it for a dull week.

Oh yes I finally got around to counting up my stations log book. I have 354, Texas is my leading state with 72, with Illinois second with 66.

Pete Taylor - McCallie School - Chattanooga, Tennessee

3/12 - KLAC on 24 hours a day now. KERB L280 f/c, my second strongest Oregon station (as far as reception) clear and strong, excepting a carrier which went on near 4:15. WMIL and WHW on 1500 with the "two-toned" thing, which according to reports is HQG. Does HQG verify? Fading classical music, Spanish speaker, 1590, 4:25. f/c, dode, on 1240 4:27. KOY strong on 550, no sign of KFYR, or are they still 24 hours? WILJ all night. Brazilians barely audible on 900, 1180, 4:30. Weak f/c 1000 kc/s. 4:00-4:16. Does anyone ever hear DZEH-710, or DZFI 800? Have read nothing of these two Philippine stations being heard. WHAL all night. 1290 f/c 4:45. Where is WILJ? I hear it s/on at 5:00 daily, but never can quite catch the name of the West Virginia town (Matoan, or Metawan, or something). Strong signal though. WMIL 5:05. Thought I had an Aussie or Zeder on 780, but discovered it to be WGN harmonic of all things. That's all I need. WOLR woman announcer 5:10, music WJSJ on too. WILJ causing noise on around 905 kc/s. Sniff at 5:33. 3/14 - f/c's on 550, 1600. XEPH clear 3:25, KEJL f/c 2:18 as per list. 450 f/c 2:17 with CB under. Probably WCCO testing again. WJDA on 1230 2:33. WCHS all night. 1250 f/c 2:48. 550, 550 f/c's at 2:45. WSM music until about 3:00, then tone. 820 strong f/c tone most of the night. WAKN 990, Alden, S.C. asking for reports 2:45-3:00. New station, hillybilly music, covering XET. KEBS better than usual 2:58. KCRA s/off 3, followed by WMJW test of 5 kc/s transmitted local WDAB testing transmitter intermittently after 3 f/c along with PBB-7 (900) 3:29, off 3:30. Hawaii night. KHON fading in and out 3:35, KPOA Dixieland music 3:45 (Mutual in the Islands.) KULA audible, KGCB Hawaiian music 3:46. S90 jammed up quickly with f/c and some other station than KGCB with music, along with the stronger than usual HNL. What station on 1300 is always on at 5 a.m. (not sign on, but is always there whenever I DX), is very weak and much fading. Popular records. Weak station sounding like KE--(might have FH) plays "Auld Lang Syne" at 4:00 a.m. Leaves immediately, on 1290 kc/s. 380 station has prayer at 4:00, followed by classical music. On nearly every time I DX. Any help? f/c 4:05. I'm writing this on 3/15, and will be on the train to Miami when WGBY tests. Will be seven hours out of Miami, so if my not-too-juicy batteries pull through, I may pull it in, and what a Royal Pains Special! Since joining the National Radio Club I have received various from KEFY KLZ KOCV KINGS KULA WORC KONO KOO KOOL WMAM KYA KCVB WMMI KTVL WJBC KOTA WLOS KTEN WHER WLYT KERB KEMM KANS WTAW & WLOS, and still have around 30 reports out. Good DX and less HNL to you all.

PENT OF GOOD DX MORNINGS REMAIN, SO LET'S ALL KEEP AT IT AND LET'S HAVE REPORTS!
Listings of the Members

James E. Critchett - 1310 Essex Street - San Diego 3, California

1st Sat., 3/1 - 1490 KHER, 1440 KSIX & 1570 WPUS on f/c as listed by Arnold. Also
KCSM 1400 at 3:55 on test and WPUS, 510. 1st Mon., 3/3 - 1340 KIST, 1400 KHEA, 1340
KGLS, 1460 KTOR, 920 KMA, 1380 KHOD, 1440 Keko, 1260 KGAN, 1340 KFVL all on f/c as
listed. Also 1180 KKSH and in addition AFS, 1050, at 3:05 testing, 1490 KFNR at 3:58
testing, and at 3:51 on 1340, KOKR said f/c, using tone. Apparently on 3:45-4. No-
thing outstanding for Sat., 3/8, no KKKK. 2nd Sun., 3/9, 800 WHEE finally heard on
f/c as listed. Also WLAQ s/off at 5, to return at 8, they said. 2nd Mon., 3/10
1340 KYCA, 1310 KKKK, 1160 KEMH, 1340 KFTR, 1240 KENO, 1320 KGPH, 1230 KUN, 1340
KURL and 1340 KJAI all on f/cs as listed. KSKN, always a nuisance in San Francisco,
continued its reputation by completely covering KG5T, if on. Too much machine static
for Bahamas and Bermuda. 2nd Fri., 3/14 started a good weekend. 1030 WBEZ asking for
reports at 3:05 and everybody else reporting "Sleepy Time Girl" so I heard her on 1340
WBEZ s/off at 3:30, 1450 KRFN, 1490 KFTRN, 1330 KFRR and 1450 KFTR all heard on listed
f/c's. Was WATS on? Tone clear but call too weak to identify on 1470, 3:45-4. KENO
still strong side-band QRM. 3rd Sat., 3/15 No QJB -- wasted it, too. 610 K1UN back
midnight-5 nights a week, they said. Who else testing there, 3-4? Also, who
testing on 930, 3:45-4:15? 1600 KOL s/off at 5, on 9, through WTVK. 790 KFBR
off at 5; 1250 KGIL all night, storm warnings. 3rd Mon., 3/17-- No WBEZ here, believe
WBEZ not on; KBEL & KENZ both very good here. No WOE, of course. New
nuisance, 1240 KGSA to 4. At 3:32, 1420 KFDR said f/c with 5 kw., tone, then off. F/c's
heard as listed were 910 KVAL, 1340 KAPA, 1460 KAVT, 1450 KODE, 1320 KBEL 1230
KYYC & 1340 KENZ. KNFS said modulation percentage tests at 4:35 on 1210, tone of varying
pitches used. At 5 on 1260 WTVK said testing, then WILU s/on & 1280 WILY on HS. At 5:15 on
1930 WOE s/on here as IRS for the Atom City. Enough for one night. Now for recent DX
News Remarks. First in rebuttal to Charlie Conley in 3/1 magazine, I am very glad to
see all listings of network affiliation. WYrich does not list changes in his supple-
ments; & besides being a hobby of mine, helps often in identification of a station.
Agree with him regarding equipment listings -- they mean nothing to me. But I Like
these listings. Verlins, 940 WIINZ, 1270 KGGC, 570 WACO, 1340 KOPD, 1400 KBNZ &
1540 KBEL & 1490 KONI and 1600 WBBK. That is all for this time. Best wishes.

Jon R. Schiller - 30 Park Avenue - Avenel, New Jersey

DX here has been fine and a new aerial sure helps. The new aerial runs about 100'
long and is 15' high. On 3/17 I got WBNF Asheville, N.C. on s/on at 6:00 (5 kw., on
1310), then I got 5 new ones on FH listening. Sure was surprised! They were: WRAR,
Burlington, Pa. at 5:30-5:40 (500 w. on 1110); WTVK, in nearby Trenton and can't
explain why I haven't heard them before. I believe they will probably take over 1300
now that WLTZ is deleted; WAPR, Allentown, Pa. (not new but they didn't verify for me
in the fall so I'm trying again); WVKO, Columbus, O. at 6:45 on s/off; and WHAF, Troy,
N.Y. at 7:15 Very surprised to get them as two locals, WEET and WSVI share that
frequency! On March 15 I got WILN, Charlottesville, Va., on s/on at 6:00 a.m. (1 kw.
on 1360); WAMC, Dearborn, Mich., on s/on at 6:00 (5 kw. on 1310); WBEZ, Uniontown, Pa.
on at 7:00 (thanks to tip in "DX Down the Dial" (1 kw. on 1350). On March 19 I got
WSSS, Fulton, N.Y. on s/on at 6:00 (1 kw. on 1300). No new verities because I haven't
sent out reports lately. That's it for now. Good DX.

Bob Sanderson - 2073 Warner Avenue - South Brunswick, N.J.

Verities have been very slow here. Only 3 in this week, from: WVBG 240 and WTMN. 3/14
Australians came through very nicely with a few new additions to the log. JOAB SEE
Tokyo was also pouting in. WWIN (1400) Ashland, Ore. s/off f/c at 4:20 a.m. 3/17-
K3C (1390) Des Moines, at 3:15. KREH on DX was moderately strong although there was
some KSAF QRM. KBNZ was also good on their DX and the channel was clear for the
whole hour. None of the others heard. KNFT (1310) Newport, Ore. with modulation
check at 5:23. KFTR (1360) Ft. Morgan, Colo. s/off f/c at 5:50. 3/19 - KGLU (1400)
Safford, Ariz. 1/c at 3:15-3:30 a.m. This was supposed to be on the 2nd Wednesday. WATM
(1500) Whaling, at 5:23 and topped by an unknown EST station sounding like WE--
. They left 22059 telephone number at 5:32: KORG (1500) Cedar Rapids, Iowa, s/on 7:00.
That's all from here with reports out to KWEB 240 WILX KYX KZNB DX KERL MX
WTSN (tentative) and KNFT KGLU WGLL. 73s and best of DX.

TO THOSE OF YOU WHO STOP DXING AT THE END OF MARCH: DON'T FORGET THAT WE HAVE
STILL TO COME (IN APRIL) SOME SPECIAL DX PROGRAMS. TRY TO LISTEN IN AND SEND
REPORTS FOR THEY ARE COMING ON FOR YOU! AND DON'T FORGET REPORTS TO "DX NEWS
Bill Moser - 217 Connellsville Street - Uniontown, Pennsylvania

I am reporting my 500th heard station this week. It is CHVO-1500, Niagara Falls, Ont. Heard him 3/17 at 6:35 p.m. on 8R. But I still have a long way to go to equal Lefty's fine record, hi. 3/12 - Made a log of all N.H. stations so I could hear all of them I could on election returns. Got WTSV-1320, WJIMA-1370, WKBV-1240, WJUR-810, WJUB-1260, WJLX-1460 and reported the station with the best signal, WJIN-1230. Also reported WKNE's DX 8-6 signal. 3/13 - WJUJ-1260 fine verie letter. 3/15 - WJNO verie, short but sweet! 3/16 - Wow! WJBY-DX heard and reported! They were never better than 8-6! Also a WJST-920 or 950, Charlotte, N.C. with short test. 3/17 - Best day in a long time, heard 13 new ones. KGBS-740 (first) time surprisingly. WDAD f/c. WFTY very weak on f/c. WHON, as a contrast, very very powerful on 1340 f/c. Also f/cs of WJCM WHAN and WBOY during WOFB special. WHOM-1480 on test. Same for KTOE-1420; KQBD-1260 at 4:00 s/off while waiting for WOFB. WOCE wonderful DX, poor signal. WLEN RS on 1540 at 6:15 p.m. Then #500, reported above. WDIN verie letter in mail. If WJCSI-TV and WEMP-TV are going to have 100,000 watts, they better put 'em on clear channels! Won't be able to get TV DX stations till TV DX Month, which is June. So won't be able to see TGN-TV Pete. Let me know more about it all and when it takes place. Albert Shinton will be happy to hear that my middle name is Camden! Incidentally, is WINC-990 a local daytimer? (No - Full time, 10,000 w directional -Ed.) Hiding Gustafson of Rockford, Do you know my sister by chance? Her name is Alice Ann Moser. She goes to Rockford College. Also, does W<KIX have any regular tests? Looked all through f/c list but didn't find 'em. What is their s/on/s-off RS? Thanks. Also want to express my appreciation to the members of the NRC who did such a fine job this DX season, especially Lefty, whose talk is endless; Pop and Hal. Also the fine work of the CPC. Would like to have issues of the 12/22/51 and 1/5/52 newspaper. If anyone has such, send them to the above address. I will send you the postage you used. Thank you. Must be getting close to 30 lines so will end this week's report. Happy hunting on the DX Dial.

John and Tom Haskell - 742 Elberon Avenue - Cincinnati, Ohio

Not too much DX activity this last week. Someone seems to have misplaced our f/c log, that ties us down somewhat, but not completely. 3/13 - WWJ, 1430, RS 21:00 to 21:05 KGBS, 1250, f/c 1:35-1:50. 3/14 - We both went to bed early. 3/15 John stayed up late to listen but fell asleep at the receiver, woke up at 7:30, too late to do any good.

3/15 - WJIB, 910 s/off 1:05; little daytime DX (of which there is very little now to hear around these parts); WFIN, 1330, RS 12:50-1:05 p.m.; WJDO, 1250 (new station just opened up) RS, 1-2 p.m.; WJW, 850 RS 4-6 p.m.; WFIN & WJW are old DXes which we have not written (when we first started this hobby there were some station we did not write, We have caught up with most by now); also worked on our reference list of daytime channels which we make available to other local DXers. 3/17 - We both went to bed early again; 3/18 - WWJ, 1320 ET 3:05-3:15. 3/18 - WCHI, 1490, f/c 2-2:15; WWXG, 1490 f/c 2:10-2:15; WGGD 1490 f/c 2:11-2:15. Verifies in, WWXG (FM) WAVS WRE WB2A KNJW WEO WJIN (finally) WWPB WING WJTV WIWJ WKLF WIAW WJCM WJWS-FM WJCR WJFD WLAU KGBE. Special notice: All you fellow club members may earn yourself the distinction of being the longest DX reporter to WWPB. In our recent varie the CE said to date J. Hoegerhaide in Milwaukee was the longest report they have received! The only thing that might stand in your way is CKIN, XLO. As you can see from last week's varies, we are still doing a little FM DX. Recently added a Tele-tech Model 5375 signal booster for FM & TV. Bad luck though, in the past month of so our FM non-directional tower has gone down with the wind three times, and the yagi once (It stayed down!). Does anybody know about a new station in Birmingham, Alabama? On 3/9 we heard a station on test, identifying themselves as WILD. (See foot P. 10, last issue -Ed.) According to our latest information WJNB has or soon will switch from 1490 to 850. Let us know if you have any dope on this matter. 73s from the Cincinnati Monitoring Station.

Some Results of Recent NRC DXers and Tests

KULE - 730 - Ephrata, Washington. 15 reports. Reached East Coast on "POM" morning.

CPC - 800 - North Bay, Ontario. 21 reports. NE-SW directional antenna hurt them.

CIB - 1300 - Halifax, Nova Scotia. 3 reports. CKHO-KIRK proved pretty rough.

WADG - 1340 - Ashland, Ohio. 44 reports. Says were well received, & gratified.

WOAY - 850 - Oak Hill, West Virginia. 6 reports. Disappointed frequency blocked, by 2.

WXW - 850 - Albay, New York. 20 reports. All reports gratefully acknowledged.

WFAK - 1480 - Memphis, Tennessee. 40 reports, in spite of coming on one day late.
March 29, 1952

**D X N E W s**

Musings of the Members

It's an ebb tide for DX at Playa del Rey. Really tried for WKEV but local images killed that. KENZ came in strong however, so I salvaged something out of the morning. I am enclosing a list of veri signers from those tough little daytime stations in Texas and Oklahoma. Most of these I'm pretty sure are not repeats in the bulletin - excuse me, I mean the paper. Hey Steve, how about doing me a favor? I know this long distance request it not as welcome as the entertaining little luncheon calls we used to have, but under the circumstances, I am left with little alternative. One of these weekends, would you buzz over to Freeport, and try to see what their policy toward DXers' reports is? I have tried by plea, ruse and sympathy to eke out a confirmation from WKEV over the years - even to sending them the only prepared card I have ever sent a station (one of those you had printed up, Hank) - but no go. We all know how much more satisfaction comes from verifying a station whose policy is generally negative. Lefty tells me that as far as he knows, I am the only NHJer who has WKEV verified. Letters from WJAT and CHGB are also highly prized. Considering I have lived in Southern California for years, it is fantastic, but I have just logged KFPO for the first time. They're tough. Pasadena and Los Angeles border on each other, yet KGFJ operates on 1230 simultaneously with KPPC on 1240. That's squeezing 'ere in pretty close.

Here's part of my log - 790 kc/s. CBY (N) CRSO (V) KOSY (N) KEGA (H) WLEE (N) WQXI (H) KXXX (V) KFRE (V) WGER (H) WSGW (H) WSSH (V) WBYN (H) WDEC (V) KFPO (Ack) WAEZ (H) WPIC (V) WMB (H) YVKG (V) WET (V) WMG (H) KTTN (H) KFYO (V) WJAT (V) KVOS (H) KNEW (H) WLI (V) WPRN (V) WEAU (V). 800 kc/s. - CQAD (V) CHAS (V) CROW (V) CHEC (N) CKTM (V) WBS (N) WSSW (V) WEFM (V) PFA-2 (V) WFFP (V) WJAT (V) KXIC (H) WBOH (V) WOCM (V) WDKN (V) KYZ (V) KFTE (V) WCHA (V) WDOX (V) WAB (V) WBE (V) WADD (N) KBRH (N) CEFI (H) WSSW (V) WHTN (V). In closing, I want to say that Lefty deserves a really sincere vote of thanks for the precious times he has given up over to stencil these reports from the members. There's been many a night I've seen his desk so cluttered up with reports to be typed, you couldn't see Lefty! And believe me, that's going some. 73es,

Roger Anderson - 856 South Greerbierte Street - Arlington, Va.

Hello to all members. Late veries in this den include KUSB, KIVY, WRHC and PBS-9.

Kind of slow this season. More reports are out than replies. 3/11 - KPMO (1240) f/c-TT 2:37. 3/15 - KWVO (1370) ET with music 3:10-3:41 s/off. 3/16 - WGBY-DX (1450) s/off with mild QRM until unknown ET at 4:45. Still audible through this "pest" at times. Sure want a verie from them. 3/18 - KCNJ (1280) ET with music from 3:57 to 4:04:30 s/off. 3/19 - WCRX (1590) f/c and DX program from 3:00 on; WTVS (1340) f/c TT 3:05 to 3:15 s/off. WTVS (1340) f/c-TT 3:05 to 3:15 s/off. KEBW (1380) f/c with music 3:47 to 4:00 s/off. AXAY (1600) from 3:49 to 3:56 s/off. This must have been a special program or religious one from a well-heard 500 watter. WFUN (1:50) f/c with music from 4:02 to 4:15 s/off. 3/21 - WGGA (1300) f/c with music 3:54 to 4:03:30 s/off; WAKU (1570) RS 4:45 p.m. There are still some DXes left in CKWA and possibly CFWK according to our very fine CFC man, Sid Rosenbaum. Rose to him for fine work. After call all over the State Department in Washington, I was given this address for KU2XAJ-KSAI (aboard U.S.S. Courier) which were heard 3/9 from 3:05 p.m. to 5:45 p.m. on 1150 kc/s. Mr. George Herrick - Facilities Branch, International Broadcasting Service, c/o State Dept., 251 West 57 Street, New York 19, N. Y. Try for them on return from Carribean.

Charley B. Conley - 359 Market Street - Lemoyne, Penna.

Another quiet week. Only 4 reports out. WHAN 1340, f/c & WCOB, WBEW & WFAK on DXes. WBEW ran a fine show. Have him but sent a prepared card with my report for a contest entry. WCOB difficult to read here. Was practically washed out until 4:11 by WFOY f/c then at 4:20 another tone gave him trouble, plus occasional spill-over from 2230 (WNOR I imagine). WFAK's signal while apparently good, could only be read in spots due to the extremely heavy static. No sign here of WBEW nor WHER. Didn't expect to hear KENZ through the usual 1400 scramble, and I didn't! Veries in from ZNS (embarrassing, as I did not send him an IRC, stating specifically I had him verified and madly to thank him for his courtesy. Nothing to date from ZEM whom I really want! KGFP KASH WKNB WSSO (at long last) and CJIC (See DX Down the Dial). Seems hard to believe the 51-52 DXing season is about over. This year, since letting so many of you at the Convention the reports in "DX News" have meant a lot more to me and have added zest insofar as I am concerned, to this season's DXing. Next bright spot is BUFFALO!
Musings of the Members
March 23, 1952

Pat Reiley - 11 Irvine Place - Jamestown, New York

New veries are WHHH KUHM WBAT WWNO WRNB KDIA, for 256 veries in log. 3/17 - WBRW, 1440, KERR, 1450, WCWB 1240, all caught on their DXes. WBSV and KEBN not heard here. WSBP, 1490, on f/c as listed. WCPO on f/c, 1430, 4:46. 200 and bad snowstorm and noisy. 3/18 - No DX today, too noisy here. 3/19 - 340 and very noisy. Unknown TT, 990, no call, 2:54-3:11. KORA, 1240 on top of the heap at 3:17. WQDT, 1340 and WFUN 1450 on as in list of f/c's. 3/20 - 340, too noisy to DX. WIBC and KXK scrapping on 1070 at 2:25. KKW, 1380, TT at 3:02. TT through WIFE, 1450, 3:05 to 3:26, no voice heard and I to bed. Say, Charley Conley, if you and I are old (in years) what about some of these young-old men - for instance in southwest end of your state? I can pick up GW on 1300 every morning. Danno who or what it is. KGFF thanked me for stamp. Doesn't everybody send them? Nice letter from ZNS, not old form letter. KRIT, 1320, checks frequency each 2nd Monday, 6:05-6:20 so veries are printed up. WBOV on f/c, 740, 200 a.m. bad snowstorm and no voice heard. 3/13 - No DX today, too noisy here. 3/19 - 340 and very noisy. WSVF, 1390, on f/c as listed, WCPO on f/c, 1350, 200 am bad snowstorm and noisy. 3/13 - No DX today, too noisy here. 3/19 - 340 and very noisy. WSVF, 1390, on f/c as listed, WCPO on f/c.
March 29, 1952

John Pohl - 469 North East 51 Street - Miami 37, Florida

Here goes my question box. To Bob Sanderson, Garry Watts, Ted Saling, or anyone who may know: What time does CKMB - 1410 - Vancouver, B.C. sign off? To Lefty Cooper, in the "DX News" for Mar. 8, you noted in your musings that CKMB was on 830. I have them logged at 860. Did they recently make that move? (CKMB has been an all-nighter for several seasons now on 830 - CBEL is on 860. Authority - Wayman and Mann Logbook.)

Now to get on. On 3/18 I got KRAM - 920, between 3:15 and 3:45 a.m. On 3/20 I got the WPFB - 910, s/o. On 3/22 I logged KLRA - 1010, on a special "after twister" broadcast. Also on 3/22 I got the WFAK - 1480, NRC DX from 4:06 to 4:55 a.m. On 3/23 I got CKMB - 950, when they signed on at 5:37 a.m. I got 4 veries this week. They were: WJON-1540, WGRS-580, WOCK-1430, and ZNS-1540. Since last week I figured some on WGBY. They are 550 miles from me. That makes them my best mile-per-watt station at 1 1/2 miles per watt. Some of you may have gotten WID to 610 on 3/21. They were on all night, carrying the Bailey Odham "Talkathon." (Odham is a candidate for Governor of Florida.) I did not know (myself) that they were going to be on all night that night or I would have gladly told the fellows about it. Thanks for the tip on WTX. I think that wraps it up for this time. Best wishes for good reception in everyone's den.

Hey, Bill Prater - Look! Veries now total 2,225 with the reception of letters from WEE2 KEXO and best, XELG (380), Leon, Gto. This one can be heard some weekday AMs when conditions permit to 1:33 (or so) s/off. I'm still trying for WASH, as my tentative report to them proved negative. While trying, I heard the "Polka Party" from WJET at 3:17 p.m. on 3/23, and Organ Reveries on WLIO (top signal), and news from CFOR. But where was WAKU? I keep trying mostly every evening, and have heard one with popular tunes too, which I think may be my station. I have heard WICE, new call for VDEH-Providence on 1390 - Sunday at 5 p.m., but couldn't get any info for report. Also the Argentinian on 630 s/o with march (Argentina National Anthem, perhaps!) at 5:40, with pretty good signal, but then just as he was about to announce, an S8 buzz came on and blotted him out. Steve thinks it's got an L-8 in call, and he also thinks it's in Resistencia, but he is still not sure of this. Erick Johnson is thrilled over receipt of a fine verie from KLGB (1320) Libby, Mont. which has f/c on 4th Monday, 5:00-5:15, TT. Oh boy - a rest for me next week! So, see you in a fortnight, guy!
Everett Johnson - 504 15th Street - Jandota, Illinois

I am very glad to send this report. Your weekly newspaper has been a great help in my DXing. I have been able to add 66 more stations to my log now standing at 1,031 since receiving our weekly newspaper. Also the f/c list of Alan Arnold. New stations logged since last week 7 are WREC 1330 3/7, RS. WHIP 1450 RS, 3/9. KFYR 1240 test 3/9. KICD-1240 testing; WIRJ-740 test; WHIN-1010 test; WRAF 1240 test, 3/11. ZNS 1540 very strong here as WOKY must have been off air or stood by for NBC program. Sent them a report. Steve Mann was really tops on that program on 3/10. On 3/13 logged KGCI, 1270, testing. WJPG-1280, KONI-1280, WMEU-1460, all testing, and WJAY-1280 RS. No luck for the next three nights; very noisy. On 3/17 logged KHER-1450 program for NBC and KUVF-1400 testing, and WAKE 1490 testing. On 3/19, KVOX-1340, WGNV-1340, WILX-1450 all testing. 3/20 - WITP-1340, WMFJ-1240, and WVTR-1250 testing. 3/23 - This a.m. WKLO, 1240, KORT-1240, WILY-1450 testing and KALJ, 1590, RS. As you will note I don't find very many on top of the dial. They are all mostly 1200 on down. Can't seem to pick many up on 540 etc. Veries in are WGY KSTV KYW WOKY WLSU (Bob Jones College in Greenville, S.C.) WAGC KUSD WBLD. WHFL sends a typed card with picture of their building housing transmitter. KWOR sends a letter with verie card, also pamphlet about their city. Heard KGCI, Broken Bow, Neb. testing on 3/13. Reports out to WCAL WHIN ZNS KFYM KERL KGCU WFRG WHIR WJRM KDFJ. since 3/7. Think I am doing pretty good for logging with a Zenith Portable (4 tubes) don't you think? All for now. I never thought until I had this report made that we don't get another till the middle of April. 73s.

Don Mosley - 908 South 25 Street - Omaha, Neb.

Looks like the DX season has ended here a few days earlier than expected. Seems every time it rains or snows a bit, a transformer in one of the lines acts up and makes a loud noise on the radio, so when it snowed 24 hours the other day I have not been able to get much, DXing just on the low end of the dial where it isn't so bad. Couldn't pull WSAJ through this mess which burned me up. However KRCO sounded like the 1,000 kilowatts they announced as using at 4:08. How many DXes lately have used Dixieland? 3 so far as I can remember - KIOR WBEV & KRCO. Anyway, up until 3/22 I managed to snag a few to bring my total heard up to 1648. Veries also came in and total 1246. Latest additions to my log have been these: On 3/18 WBEV-1430 Beaver Dam, Wis. 3:30-4 a day late on DX but doing fine here. Then a seige of Floridians took over (not that I objecting). WNTT-1450 in Tallahassee from 3:40-3:50 on f/c; WLOF-950 Orlando 4-4:15 on f/c through WWJ-FGTG QN6; WINK-1240 Fort Myers at 4:10-4:20 f/c fair through WEDG. Then WIFC-1280, Lake Wales on 4:45-5:00 with KONI-TT last 6 minutes. On 3/19 I finally heard WHGK overlapping KDZL on 1320 from 2:45-3:00 with TT f/c. First from N.Y. since WINS last December. WWJF-1590 Guayama, P.R. heard through XRM from 3:00-3:15 on f/c, and KULE-730, Ephrata Wash. from 4:45 on f/c. A couple more on 3/20. Beat the gun and logged KRCG on f/c 3:15-3:30. Not as good as on DX though. Prineville makes 18 from Oregon for me now as I also picked up KGAL-930, Lebanon on f/c 4:15-4:30 with Les Paul music. On 3/21 - Long-wanted KYUJ-560 in Yuma heard on f/c from 3:30-3:45 overlapping WIND at times to complete Arizona for me. Now if only KNIM and KPHO would kick in maybe I'd complete the state in veries, too. Also picked up WPAN-1370 Pottstown, Pa. on f/c-TT 4:45-5:00. Last one was KKEE-300, Kerman, through snowstorm and all sorts of noises from 4:50-5:30. They were really slick on DX program. Station breaks heard twice during 40 minutes. Veries came in from KXWB-1240, KXAN-1500, KQAM-1010, WKBW-1450, KSUN-1230, WNBS-1340, KNTA-970, WAGC 1450 WNEZ-1460 KSTT-1170, and WJHL-1540. Duplicates in from KIAN KONI KEWG WHKX WJIM. On 3/22 WFAK heard on DX, also WDAS and WAC for reports on emergency. That's it for now. Best DX. Late Monday edition. WBOE-1400 Galax, Va. heard at 4:52 on f/c. KDKX 1330 Del Rio, Tex. on f/c-TT 5:35-5:45 with KNUE.

F.C.T. WNS - NEW STATIONS

1240 Redmond, Oregon 250 U-1 1330 Fort Pierce, Florida 1,000 D-1

OFFICIAL CALL CHANGES

850 W I L D Birmingham, from WBB (still on 1490) 1490 W D B Q. Dubuque Ia fr WBBB

1550 W H B S Huntsville, Alabama, to 1,000/500 U-4, from 1490, 250 U-1.

HEADS UP LAST ISSUE

680 W I N R Binghamton, NY from 1490 1240 K A P K Minden, Louisiana
Ten new additions have been added to my DX Log the past week. On 3/17 KAPA (1340) Raymond, Wash. was heard on its 3rd Monday f/c, using March Music, from 4:00-4:15 AM. And at the same time I was happy to log the DX Special from WOCB (1240) West Yarmouth Mass. Again our sincere thanks to WREO for standing by. Have you sent a thank-you card to this good friend of the DXers lately? Two Florida stations were logged on 3/18, WLOF (950) Orlando with a f/c-TT 4:00-4:15 a.m., with bad QRM from WWJ and KPEL. And from 4:10-4:20 a.m. WIKI (1240) Fort Myers was heard on their 3rd Tuesday f/c. The new WAKN (990) Aiken, S.C. was heard on 3/19 from 2:15-2:45 a.m. with an ET, with QRM from XET. On the same morning at 3:15 a.m., WAYX (1230) Waycross, Ga., was heard on their first-minute f/c program and from 3:45-4 a.m., KSEY (1380) Ontario, Ore., had a f/c to make the third addition of themorning. Station KHOG (1450) Sonora, Cal. was heard on 3/20 with their f/c-TT 3:30-3:45 a.m., giving announcements every 3 minutes. At the exact same time I was happy to log the 250-watt AHF (780) at the Ramay Air Force Base in Puerto Rico, an AFBS station, on f/c. Thanks to Ken Murphy for this latter tip. And the tenth additions of the week was KEAV (1490) Hobbs, N.M., on f/c 4:00-4:15 a.m. on 3/21, with the usual heavy QRM on the 1490 spot. Verifications were a card from WAKN, and letters came from WELC, WELH, KDMA-DX WBBQ. Incidentally, I received the number one verific from the DXers club. I mailed you separately.

PLANE HITS CBEW (Winnipeg) TOWER
(from BROADCASTING) Six men died as the result of an airplane crash into a guy wire of the 570 ft. transmitter tower of CBEW Winnipeg at Carman, Manitoba. Three airmen flying a Royal Canadian Air Force Beachcraft trainer struck the tower Feb. 4 and were killed in the fall and burning of the plane. The next day, three repaimen were killed when they were working near the top of the tower and a high wind struck the tower and sent it crashing to earth, killing the three repaimen and narrowly missing the transmitter building. The crash of the aircraft had bent the top 80 feet of the tower so that it swayed as much as 30 feet off center. Two repaimen were working in this section under the glare of powerful searchlights when the wind struck. The bent section was hurled to the ground. The rest of the tower wavered, girders snapped and it crashed to earth.

Just to sneak in again. I believe the Argentinian on 630 is LR-8. Location unknown.
SEND ALL ITEMS IN E.S.T. TO RAY EDGE-325 SHIRLEY AVE-BUFFALO 15, N.Y.

790 WQXI Atlanta Ga announced soon 24 hours (Johanns-Bflo NY)
930 KQAL Lebanon, Ore F/C-M 3rd THUR 0415-0430 (Kasky, Omaha Neb)
1220 KGMC Englewood Colo F/C-M 4th WED 0445-0500 (Brauner-Wmsville NY)
WMFC WFMG Monroeville, Ala may test, to beg reg sked 3/30th (Brauner)
1230
KRIZ Phoenix Ari F/C 4th MON 0315-0330 instead 0300-0315 (Kasky)
KOSF Nacogdoches, Tex F/C-CTT 4th MON 0515-0530 (Kasky)
KDLK Del. Ric, Tex F/C-CTT 4th MON 0530-0545 (Kasky) not 0515-0530.
KNUZ Houston Tex F/C-CTT 4th MON 0530-0600 (Kasky)
KSST Sulphers Springs, Tex F/C-CTT 4th MON 0615-0630 (Kasky)
1240 WSYD Mount Airy, N C now operating 24 hours (Johanns) (Brauner)
1250 WCHO Washington Court House, Ohio heard in this area 0600-0615.
1300 WGRA Cairo, Ga F/C-M 3rd FRI 0345-0400 (Kasky)
1320 WKN Kingsport, Tenn F/C 4th MON 0515-0530 (Kasky)
1340 WGRV Greenville, Tenn F/C 3rd WED 0415-0425 as listed but they have a "X" in the code (Brown-Goshen Ind)
WAML Laurel, Miss F/C 2nd WED T & CW call only-no voice, 0415-430.
1360 WLYN Lynn, Mass has no F/C period. W/LX Sked for April, S/on 0600 (Sun 0800)- Mix S/off 6:30 PM. (Burnham-Gloucester, Mass)
1380 KSWO Lawton, Okla. Remember boys needing this one that they are on EASTIER SUN with Easter program for several hours, also usually without station identification for long periods, so remember EASTIER MORN. (Walbridge-Pt Claire Que)
1400 WBBO Galax, Va F/C-CT 4th MON 0440-0455 (Kasky) NOT 0430-0500.
1410 WING Dayton, Ohio announced 3/20 that end of 24 hours will be this week end, so by the time you read this, WING will be off 24 hour sked (Brauner)
1450 KJIC Sault Ste Marie, Ont, Are carrying on a renovation program and on the air for test purposes quite often SUN AMs between 0300-0400. Reception rpts will be greatly appreciated. Dave Irwin, CE. This info from Conley-Lemoyne Pa)
1450 KNET Palestine, Tex F/C-M 4th MON 0515-0530 (Kasky)
1490 WIKC Bogalusa, La F/C-CTT 4th MON 0515-0530 (Kasky)
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F/C hrd as listed in our F/C list; 3/20-26 by Johanns WNOR-WMTR-WPAZ-WTAV-WBDO-KDRS-WPTM-WLEX-WLICK-WBWR-WSSO; 1st SUN WBEX; 1st MON-WBCC but 0330-0340, not 0345; 2nd TUES-WFGF-KICD-WFUW-WDXI-WRAL; 1st WED-KIT; 2nd WED-KWIK; 2nd THUR-WCCP-WBTR-WLIN; 3rd MON-WBRW-WGWC-WHAN-KRGS-KRGR 4TH WED-WJFT; 3rd TUE-WNTT-WIPC-WLICK-WINK; 3rd WED WAKE-WPCF-WXRF-KICD-WJFT-WLTV-WKSB-WVXK-WKVO; 3rd THUR WEBT-KDDD-KRCH-KROG-KOTN-KWGN; 3rd SAT-KYUM-KWEN-WPAS; 3rd SAT WATA; 4th SUN WRO-KPO-4TH MON KOCR; 4TH TUES WBOB and 4TH FRI KREL. KICD-1240 wishes reports on its weekly TUES F/C at 0215, swell photo card. All Above info from Kasky-Routzahn-Luffy and Johanns. Warren Routzahn says he believes the following are not on as listed, 1ST TUES W113; 3RD TUES KOPR-WLET and WCBT KNBU; 4TH MON WAIN-WRAD; 4TH TUES WPTC-WPEK; 4TH FRI-WPEC.
Also 1450 WRIA was hrd by him on a 4th FRI and 3rd THUR so probably no reg F/C sked.

RAY EDGE-325 SHIRLEY AVE-BFLO 15, N.Y. No rpts went out but a letter verie in from WS6A for their Test for NRC, also letters from WJHAA and WFF on a letter, to replace old verie card. Pop now has the tape recording of Jim Travis' part of WJHAA's salute to the NRC on a platter, so all of you attending the 1952 convention will hear it. Our thanks go to Bob Stregal the Dir of WGR for doing this favor. Also our appreciation to Jim Travis for sending this tape to us. Pop had a swell visit with Sid Steele who happened into Bflo for a convention. Hope Sid enjoyed the gab fest as much as Pop. Really good to talk DX

WMB Lemoyne, Pa. 24 hours daily starting 4/1. Silent 0500-0800 Sundays and midnite to 0600 Mondays, Howard Blair, CE (960 kc?) Conley-Lemoyne
Edited by Fred Vanvoorhees, Box 132, Lemoyne, Penna., Deadline Wed AM.

What a week. Stacks of reports and me with barely enough time to catch my breath. Well, here goes with what I have time for, and my apologies to whatever gets left out.

NORTH AMERICA

BAHAMAS—Through severe QRM and some interference from 5RM, we managed to get the special through from ZNS well enough for a report. (RM) Also well heard by RJ-CMS-DD. Verie in on very nice letterhead. (CC-FV)

DOMINICAN REPUBLIC—HT3A (1415) and HT3T (1040) logged very well along with 790, 820, 930, 1220, 1230, 1510, and 1400 at 1000 on 3/11 while 30 miles off the coast of the Dominican Republic. (RD)

GUATEMALA—658 KC. transmitter logged with news in French by a female announcer at 1840 3/12 while near St. Thomas in the Virgin Islands. (RD)

VIRGIN ISLANDS—WSTA (1340) in the French village of St. Thomas, broadcasts in English all day with programs designed primarily for the tourists, apparently. Heard very well at Culebra, 20 miles away on 3/12. WIVI (1230) was not heard, apparently has not yet come on the air. (RD)

BERMUDA—Special from ZBM (1235) heard, but now really well, heard "As Time Goes By" (RJ) Weak but definite. (CMS) Good. (DD)

GUANTANAMO BAY—Special from WOBY logged from 0430-0530 at which time they had disappeared. (RM) Logged 0433-0442 and 0520-0542 fair, QRM'd by KWBW and TT by another. (RJ) Logged at 0520. (CMS)

MEXICO—XEDM (1880) signed at 0600 and uses Nogales, Arizona, for Mail-Peddling, now stronger, so perhaps added power in effect. (RJ) XEYC (1460) the voice of Juarez, with program in English with YL and music. Also used Spanish. Mentioned DX reporters Dave Dary, Mel Oliver, and Ken Mackey among others. Topped KENO 0250-0320 S-off. (RJ) This program on 3/15, also logged by JC. Report sent to XEHF to try for a letter. (EC) XEHF (1370) signed on at 0900 on 3/2, a Sunday morning. (JC) On 3/17 heard XEHF (1280) announce a new show at 0359 and apparently went off then. (JC) On 3/6 XEHF (1500) at 0100. (CMS) On 3/6 XEHF (1270) at 0350. (CMS) On March 18 logged XEHF (790) at 0345 on their PC. (CMS) Received verie from XEK. (CMS)

PUERTO RICO—Hope everyone is watching for the DX from ACE on March 31 from 0400-0500. ACE will use popular music. (EC) WXRF (1590) heard on PC 3/19 with music and many identifications followed by words "DX program" from 0300 on. (RA) Nice verie letter from AHD for their furthest west report. Heard on test with 250 watts. Now want to get them with their normal 50 watts. (NM) On March 11 logged WNDL (860) at 0515. (CMS) Also got verie from WKJ (710). (CMS) On March 17 logged WFRP (910) at 0320. (CMS)

CUBA—On March 6th logged CMHC (1310) at 1955 and received a verie from CMCW (1290). (Both-CMS)

SOUTH AMERICA

BRAZIL—PRE-8 (980) logged with strong signals 0350 3/15 while 100 miles north of Puerto Rico. (RD) Report sent to PRF-2 (600) logged 3/17. (EC) On 3/21 at 0400 best Brazilians were PRF-3 (960) and PRB-9 (1220). (RA) PRF-2 gets a report as the first brazilian report for many years. (NM) On March 9, logged PRE-7 at 0325 and PRF-3 (960) at 0405. (CMS)

VENEZUELA—YYKA (630) and YYKS (750) along with other venezuelan heard with strong signals 2100 on 3/10 while off Northern Coast of Haiti. (RD)

COLOMBIA—Report sent to HJKC (330) logged 3/12 from 2200-2300 behind CMFB with no sign of W600 at all. (EC)
SOUTH AMERICA (Cont'd)

PERU--OAX4Y (1360) 500 watts from 0349 to 0356 sign-off on 3/19 on what must have been a special program. (RA) OAX4X (785) heard most evenings. (RA)

ARGENTINA--Heard my first Argentine station of the season on 3/9, LW-1 (790) at 0503. (CMS)

EUROPE

GERMANY--On 3/18 heard Voice of America relay station in Munich between 0200 and 0215 sign-off. This station is listed at 1196 Kcs., but it looked to me to be closer to 1180 Kcs. The calibration on my radio is poor, so I can't be sure. (CMS)

ASIA

JAPAN--On 3/14 JQAB (950) logged with good signal at 0645. No others heard. (BS) 3/3 JOAK (590) plainly heard at 0456. (JC) 3/9 AFRS Sendai (1430) logged at 0524. (JC) Instead of PRE-9 on 1200 I hear the Jap that Hal Stein heard, have sent a report to JOUG on a guess. (NM) AFRS-Tokyo and AFRS-Sendai are both regulars here with AFRS-Osaka being heard, but not well enough for a report. (NM)

OCEANIA

AUSTRALIA--2WL (1430) Wollongong, remains the most consistent of the Aussies. 3/15 0540-0553 with S-4-5 signals with music and play (RM) Following new ones heard: 3/14 5RM (830) Remark, S. A. at 0600 fair signals most of the time with a rapid fade. 2GZ (990) Orange, NSW at 0615 with 2KY (1020) Sydney, one on 820 several mornings around 0630 after the others have faded out, I believe to be 6GN, Geraldton, W. A. (BS) Very happy to report my first Aussie in 4QG (790) with S-9 plus signal and R-4 readability. Also heard one on 1450 which seemed to have ABC program. (DD) Dave, that is 2WL in Wollongong, NSW. Everyone else is reporting him as the best one of the best being heard. (FF) Recent reports from here to 2CY (850); 4QG (790); 4GR (580); 2RL (740). (NM) 4QG, 2RL, & 4GR logged. (JC)

NEW ZEALAND--On 3/14 logged 2YA (1200) Wanganui, with S-3-6 signal from 0440-0500. Others heard, but nothing new. (BS) 3/3 logged 2YA (570) 0455-0500. (JC) 3/8 logged 3YA (690) giving news at 0501. (JC) First New Zealander logged in 4YA (780) with S-9 plus signal and R-4 readability. (DD) Recent reports to 4YA; (780) and to 2YA (570). Work in from 12B with card and letter; (NM) 4YA logged on 900 Kcs. at 0400. (No, Stan, 4YA is on 780; 4YC on 900-FV)

SAMOA--NM advises that further reception of 2AP (1420) on most of west coast is out because of all-night program of KSTN. NM has two previous reports out to 2AP. (NM)

MYSTERY

BS asks about a Spanish speaker on 3/17 at 0600 sign-on on 1360 Kcs. CMS had one on 1180 apparently testing 0200-0217 with carrier and Latin type music. Gave GW identification at 0220 and 0240, but CMS doesn't read CW. Anyone help?

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