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COMMENTS ON THE VERGE OF THE NEW DX SEASON

"The September 19th Bulletin which arrived today was just swell, and bet all the boys liked it a lot."

- Len Kruse  816 Euclid Street  Dubuque, Iowa

"Certainly glad to know the time is again about here when we will have the "DX News" weekly. Missed it a lot during the off-season."

- Charlie Conley  359 Market St., Lemoyne, Penna.

DX CALENDAR

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And beginning "soon" - Every Sunday -

CMHC 1410 Santa Clara, Las Villas  1,000 12:01 - 2:00 a.m. | 12:01 - 2:00 C |

All the above will count for bonus points in the N.R.C. DX Contest.

* - Note change in both date and time for WPM from this week which was last announced.

** - Note change in date for the full-day DX from WMLF. It's a Saturday morning.

Due to a change in regular sign-on time, WMLF actually broadcast our tape recording on September 20 from 6:15 to 7:00 instead of 6:15 to 6:30 a.m.

NEW MEMBERS

DEN NICHOLS  5966 Nichols Road  Mason, Michigan
JOHN P. ALEXANDER 2301 Jefferson Avenue  St. Albans, West Virginia
JACK FOSTER  9 Wilmot Street, Concord, Dunedin, B. W. Z., New Zealand
HUMPHREY EHRENBERG  701 West 17th Street, Apt. #87, New York, New York
STEVE JOHNSON  Box #416  Havre de Grace, Maryland
JIM GAYLORD  333 East 91st Street  Seattle 5, Washington
ULMER KIVY  Homelevaen 30, Kristiansund, Swedish
CARL E. PARSONS, Jr.  2001 Central Drive, North, East Meadow, New York
PHILIP J. POTTER  1715 Pleasant Street  Carlisle, Pennsylvania
ERNST MARSHALL  22 Edinburgh St., Green Island, Dunedin, New Zealand
LARRY BOYER  Barry's Park  Solvartuna 3, Sweden
JONATHAN PARKER  54 Sunset Drive  Croton-on-Hudson, New York

RENEWALS

Warren Boulsham  Nelson Sesse  George Cordola  Richard Dittmer
Robert Gursch  Ted Sailing  Harry Shaffer  James O'Brien
John Bosco  Barry Fleece  Elwood Borowick  Roy Miller
Raife Luton  Ken Murphy  Jack Willard  Albert Stanton
Steve Walbridge  Ernest R. Cooper  Ken Mora  Jack Ehs
Bill Rees  Robert Duggan Jr.  Ken L. Roden  Herbert Campbell
Alan Arnold  Walter Seaman  Frank Johnson  Harry Hightower
We wish to...
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

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This list was again prepared for us by Len Kruse, who has found that one will be able after all to continue preparing this list for us from time to time. For those who are new members and who have never seen one of these lists before, these are stations not as yet on the air, in the order in which their Construction Permits were issued, with the 'owners' names. So there is much to look forward to in this new season!

**PERSONAL COLUMN**

Congratulations are in order this week to Jim O'Brien, who has welcomed his first child into this world, and the National Radio Club salutes Lorraine Barbara O'Brien, and wishes her every fine thing, and congratulations to the parents! Congratulations, too, to Harold Williams, who, by the birth of Miss Alice Caroline Enigha, becomes a grandfather! Congratulations to both the parents and to the grandparents on this happy occasion.

Last time Sid Rosenbaum offered Kittens and so far, no takers. This week Bill Moser offers some foreign stamps he has to anyone who cares to write to him.

John Hoegerheide and Pete Taylor are back in college again.

Notice how our Pennsylvania contingent has sprung forth in this issue! We are glad to see them sending in these reports. Once this club had its strongest faction in the Keystone State, and we challenge those lads to resume that post!

Eldon Addy is leaving us, to go overseas for a period of perhaps two years. We wish our old friend well, and hope he'll return to the United States and the National Radio Club at the same time.

Recent visitors: Len Kruse and Dot to Marty and Joe Bremer, as the former were returning from their swell eastern trip which, of course, included the Convention.

And Walt Swanson to Pat Ekelley. Both are Jamestown, N.Y. members, and Pat informs us that Walt is taking active hiking in stride now.

John Johnson has just bought a "Keeble Model" Philco. Watch out, Pat!
Laurie Boyer - 22 Edinburgh Street - Green Island - Dunedin, New Zealand
I am 21 years old, have been DXing for 2 years and have 450 verified, 115 on the North American Continent, 6 in Africa, 165 in Australasia, 41 in Asia, 5 in the
Pacific Islands and 45 in Europe. Most of my DX is done in a small city, a couple of
miles from where another member of our club was his DX, Ken Mackay. It was Ken
who advised me to join your club and after seeing a few of your bulletins I don't
think I'll regret it. Unfortunately at my crib I have to use a battery set as the
power is not laid on but we are hoping to get it on before the DX season starts.
The receiver I use here is a 1935-3 valve Philco and is not very good at all but a
battery set is pretty hard to come by here so I'll have to make it do in the meantime.
Here at home I use an 11-valve Edidyne which I think is a pretty good set. I am
rather keen on getting a pen friend in the States and I wonder if the NGB could help
me there. Ever since I can remember I have had high hopes of going to the States
but don't think they'll ever come off. DX is pretty poor here just now but I have
managed to log a few so here is a list of them. Logged AM, 810; Ceylon 925; NOFO
JOHN; JOHN Vitamin 1969; CEQ-1950; TSQ-1950; WYDP-1950; KRAI-1950;
WYDP; CEQ; JOHN; WYDP-1950; JOHN 1950; JOHN KIT; WYDP-1950; JOHN;
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future I can plan a trip back east and see all my DX friends. (The best of luck to
you Eldon, and we'll love to know what DX is like in the Marshall) - Ed.)

Eldon Adly — Anamos, Iowa

The last two years surely have passed by fast for me. I'm afraid my DX activities
are over for some time to come. I just can't get interested in it out in California
with the poor reception out there and I have been holding down two jobs with the re-
result I haven't had any time whatsoever to think of DXing. Now I've signed up
with the Home-Narver Construction Co. with a job in the Marshall Islands on an
Atomic project with the prospect of being out of the country for 18 months. I deem
it wise to keep my membership in the NGB so will drop it for this time being. Hate
to do it since I've been a member for over 20 years but now with so little time I only
scim through the bulletins and all the stations are strange and new to me. So,
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you Eldon, and we'll love to know what DX is like in the Marshall) - Ed.)

Everett Johnson — 501 15th Street — Pendota, Illinois

Only a week has passed since last report so not much to offer in the lines of DXing.
Really enjoyed "DX News" with all the news reports and humor. Some "DX News" gets
bigger and better each issue. I'll never forget that Wheeler-Wing-Ding after meet-
ing all you fine DXers and break trouble, hi! Guess I was second in Wheeler, look-
ing for our fine host, Sid, from 11 a.m. Saturday till 3 p.m. Never climbed so many
hills in so much time. Was up to that shelter at least four times, hi! Well, my lat-
est new capture are KNEZ-1250 EDN-1350, GRR-1010. Varia are from KNEZ-1250 WHE-
1030 WHE-720 WNO-1150 WTA-1300, all reported and verified since Sept. 8. Have
checked up and find that 299 varia were gotten from Sept. 1, 1952 to Sept. 8, 1952.
Total varia in 21 months, 410. More next week. Best DX to all.

Jack Hathaway — 44 Garden Manor — Bantoul, Illinois

I am including a form reply from KOHA and thought you might want to pass along
to the other members their verification policy and I think that quite a few stations use
this same criteria, 9/7, heard and reported WUT, 1210; WUEC, 1220. Heard and reported
WIAK-1340, heard WIAK 1320; WIAK 1210, WUEC. Heard and reported WIAK
1340, heard WIAK 1320, announces s/o at 7:30 and said s/o
was 8 EST, 9/8. Heard WABT, 1420, 6/15-5/30 at which time WIAK came on and covered
them up. WABT-770 heard and reported, WIAK-1060 heard. 9/9— Heard and reported
WIAK-1260, WHEW-1260 WHER-1240 (I'm getting in a rut) Heard WDE
1360, 9/10, varia from WDG & WDE, 9/10, Heard WDE-1260 1-130 and reported. 9/11-
Heard WDE-1260. 9/15— Heard WDE-1260, heard and reported WHER-1260 & WUEC, 1220.
9/11, heard WUG-1260. 9/17— Received varia from WDP-1260 and WDE-1260. The let-
ter just write "reception confirmed" across report and CE signed it. 72.
Well, DX is now most certainly on the up grade. Total stations heard to date are 1,583 with 1,344 from the U.S., Belgium 1, Brazil 3, Costa Rica 1, Colombia 1, Cuba 9, Dominican Republic 1, Hawaii 5, Mexico 38, New Zealand 1, Puerto Rico 2 and Trinidad 1. Unidentified Spanish 26. Total verifications number 683. Latest additions to my verifications are XEX-RFL-p, WLP-VTHC-WSR, WTHC-WDR, WERL-WDR, WSR-RAF-p, WTP-BUAP-IKFR. DXing done includes excellent late afternoon reception of stations such as WTHC WSRP-KGA-KRP-WFRR. DXing on Sept. 5 produced the following logs: WBB, WHB, at 21; WD7H at 4:30, KPOC testing all night, WOCL testing WC at 6:15. Sept. 7 produced WRES and RIKB at 2400. KDZV at 21:30. Sept. 14 had WBB at 21:30 with a Cardinals game. Sept. 15 had WBB at 21:30. KPOC testing on 1260 at 21:30. KFTH testing 2:15-2:30. KWB-980 a/s at 3:30 as did WBB. KWRB, Clinton, Okla. heard at 2:30 testing. KSC-1270 testing at 3:10. Others logged but not enough for reports were KIT Takoma a/s at 4:00 and KFBD at 21:30. Oh yes, if any of you were DXing on Sept. 6 did you get the call letters of the Costa Rican testing on 1250 most of the morning? Any help? And finally the same day a Spaniard was heard weakly on 1180 which I believed to be either Columbia or Guatemala. RS at 2300. Any help? Last of interest is Sept. 18 with WBB on its regular late show. XENW Monterey testing most of the morning on 1260 kc/s. XENW on Consired Test at 3:30 as was WBB who signed off test at 3:35. Another unidentified Consired station on 1260 behind XCB-1890, WJAR (welcome to us! Heard for 6 years) at 21:30. Consired - you're wonderful, as you get rid of WQX and WERT. WJAY on RS at 4:30. WDSB-1450 off Consired test at 4:30. KPOC testing from 4:15-4:30. What a mess 1180 kc/s was with most stations on that frequency. If they pull tests like that in winter we'll log some foreigners there. All for DX now. An at Madison one week are school starts and still going strong with my girl. This week I go out until one on a date. DX till five, and sleep till noon. Rough life! RS to all.

Mike Ferguson - 337 Prospect Street - Houston, Texas

Well, a few signals have managed to find their way into my neck of the woods lately, but pickings have been pretty slim. 9/9 was a good date as far as noise is concerned and I added seven newcomers to my log. WBB-1450 must have started their f/c a little early because they left at 2:30. WJEL-1230 came next on f/c 2:15-2:30 with trouble with CSK and KBB. Also on f/c. Noted that WWB was off that morning. They stay off. KROK testing at 2:144 and later. They seem to be on every time I DX. Others heard were WAWD, WBBR and a tentative report out to OGKU, which would be my second M.E. station heard and my first verite. I taped 6 hours of them and feel sure it was OGKU, but no actual identification heard. Lots of noise made them tough. Verite so far this year are really scarce, with only WAFL and WBB coming through for me so far out of eight reports. Also KBBF. I listened for quite a while during the "Consired" tests on 9/15, hoping to get something unusual, but the noise was too high. Heard someone briefly on 1260 kc/s, with two alternating announcers, talking about Oklahoma A & M, so it was evidently WBB. No log on them, however. I thought that all stations in the U.S. were to go off during these tests, but many of the all-nighters stayed on their regular frequencies. Hope that I will have bigger and better things to report next issue.

Bob Seifert - 332 Westworth Avenue - Evening 15, Ohio

After the small meeting at Wheeling, I left with spirits high, ready to catch the special show from WHO in Cincinnati. After driving all night I arrived at 5:15 a.m. and found 1280 kc/s on my dial. At the time of the show KNRD had everything covered here. Now I see from the "DX News" which arrived 9/32 that the show was delayed for broadcast on the 20th. My rush home was for nothing! I sure wish to thank Sid Rosenbaum and his wonderful mother for the swell time I had on my first visit to Wheeling. From the looks of the "DX Calendar" it surely is going to be a swell season. If it is all possible I will try to have WHO to cooperate on the morning of Nov. 2, so if you fellows could give me some letters telling of your desire to catch KBBF. Maybe we can get the GR to run some tests that morning with no power on. Since no one seemed to know that the KBBF had a member by the name of Seifert when I was in Wheeling, I promise to report as often you'll be tired of me.

Dick Cooper - 273 North Avenue - Kittanning, Pennsylvania

Heart a few EM's 9/23: WBB-1500 Minton, Ind. 2:30; WDB-1530 Popola, Miss. 2; WDR-1230 Lake City, S.C., 1:30; WBB-1180 Geneva, Ill., 1:15-1:45 f/c. Hope I can get time to DX this winter. Will try to take part in WBB. Be sure to listen. RS to all.
Hello gang. I thought I'd better get a report to Lefty to be sure that it gets in as I always seem not to have room on my page. Very sorry that we could not hitch around Wheeling for the Sunday and Monday part of the Convention but as you know, that's why it has been planned to hold our annual NEC Convention in Buffalo every other year, to give us Buffalo folks a chance to have a vacation ourselves and get to other places. This year the Edgis went to Wheeling, then on to Natural Bridge and then down to the Blue Ridge Parkway and into the Smoky Mountains and then on to Lookout Mountain where we ran into Erick Johnson and family. Then back through Tennessee with stops at Oak Ridge and Norris Dam and then on up visiting Cumberland Falls State Park in Kentucky where it's really beautiful and instead of crossing the Cumberland River by ferry (it wasn't running) we drove across the river in our car. From there, home with a stop at Wagner's only to find him working. Arriving home, found that we had received two letter varies, from WGBW and WNOB, both now here, making total varies now 1,927. Will get going this fall and make up for all the lost time this summer when so many new ones testing were missed. So again saying we are very sorry that we could not stay over in Wheeling to attend all of the Convention and where so many new faces were seen. Enjoyed every bit of what we could take in and hope to see all of you here in Buffalo over the Labor Day weekend in 1954. Thanks to Sid for doing such a swell job for this year's Convention.

Pat Bailey - 11 Irving Place - Jamestown, New York

New varies are WHEF WQHR WDDI WJZZ WCXW. Score here is 2,433 now. 9/14 - WISO, 1260 test at 1:35. WQUR, 1430, f/c at 2:09. KINQ, 1460 stop KEDU at 2:55. CFON, 1260, all night. CGIA, 930, at 3:23. KMUR, 890, strong and clear, 3:33 to 4:00. 9/15 - KICI, 960, f/c at 12:44. WCTW, 1320, f/c at 2:08, for new one. Mexican on 1600 2:29 to 4:00, for new one. Believe WIFE, 1260, with Night Hawk show at 3:10. One on 1460 with TT and sounded like WHEF at 3:51 ad 4:00. 9/16 - Had late company. WORG, 1230, off at 3:33. WCAU announced as having been on Consolad test on 1240 at 3:35. KMAH, 1230, at 3:33. WMFR, 1240, all night. 9/17 - WLSZ, 1220, test at 2:19. WKRH 1410, test at 2:50. 9/18 - KEDU, 1360, test at 1:52. WCIO, 1320, f/c at 2:17. 1430 has had TT on top of KIO several days now. 1560 has had unknown on 3:21 to nearly 4:10 with Spanish music but no voices. 9/19 - WFAJ, 1450, ET and f/c 3:05 to 3:15 for new one. Had a visit from Walt Swanston tonight and he has started to DX and verify now. (Is he going to send in reports, I hope I hope - Ed.) Forgot to mention, after arriving home from Convention Labor Day night, had a very nice visit from Walt Swanston and Roger Anderson, who was visiting WBT. 9/20, a bunch of TT on today. A loud Mexican on 1240 stop of everything at 2:50 to after 4:00 when I quit. 9/21 - WGBW, 230, auxiliary transmitter test at 2:20. WKNW, 1450, test at 2:55. WBAR, 1460, ET at 3:39 for two new ones. 9/22 - WHEF, 1350, test at 3:38 for new one. WKGR, 1240, WXAL, 1400, all on regular f/c as listed. Unknown Spanish on 1240, 2:29 - 3:46, no call heard on this test. 9/23 - WJOY, 1260, ET at 1:46. WTRF, 1600, ET at 2:28 for two new ones. WMFR, 1320, test at 2:48. WGOV, 960, test at 2:15. WMFR, 1460, f/c 2:21:15. 9/24 - ET Cubana Nacional on 910 all AI, no call given. WBOC, 1600, ET 2:10 for new one. Unknown TT with XPEL, 950, several mornings now. WCTW, 920, has f/c on third Tuesday 1:20 to 1:30. I heard extra f/c because of not being heard by monitoring service on regular f/c period. 9/25 - 3:35 had Cuban, sounded like GMQ. KLMQ, 910, test at 2:32. 9/25 - WISO, 1370, football game at 2:32. 1400 and a f/c at 3:10 - 3:15, sounded like KBOO in Arkansas. Is WMAI, 1450, an all-nighter now? Several hurricane stations on. 9/27 back to EST now. KLMQ, 1430, for a new one until 3:00.

Stan Boree - W.R. #3 - Bradford, Massachusetts

Well, another season and varies from last season still creeping in. WHEF WQUR WDDI WJZZ. Get WHEF if you need it as a TV vorex in the books with WHEF, and if WHEF can't be sold it'll be off the air. Tried "Consolad Morning" but electrical storms all around us took care of any chance for new loggings. WHEF last station logged in August. Holdouts from last year include WHEF WQUR WHEF WABD WHEF. The latter four get a report and follow-up every year but no soap - even prepared cards make no difference.

Dick Cooper - Box 233 - Middletown, Pennsylvania

New ones testing this AI (9/25) include KEDU-1240, Salem, Mo. KEDC-1590, Newland, Texas. Logged WHEF-1310, Foley, Ala. on Hurricane Watch; also WABD, Mobile, Ala. WHEN RETURNING TO FREQUENCY CHECKS, PLEASE MENTION TYPE OF MODULATION TO HELP OTHERS.
Hal Williams - 50 Third Avenue - Seymour, Connecticut

"DX News" with the news of the Wheeling Convention received here Saturday. I sure would have liked to have been there to meet some of those 22 DXers and their families whom I had not had the pleasure of meeting, if it were possible, so I'll start looking forward to '54. Sorry I was at work on 9/20 with WTRF had the NBD tape recording. The advance DX Calendar surely looks good. As scheduled to work 10/18 no WPME but I'll be off. I hope, for KG and WJZB and also for WRTF, so three out of the first five listed sound good to this muttager, hi! Looks like a big year for NBD! But I don't see how the CPC can do better than last year. Sid and his committee surely are tops! Varies slow—only three received. On 9/21 a letter received in a WNEU Boston U. envelope. On opening it I found my NBD report sent to WCGB-WB20 Waltham, Mass., on 9/18. Typed on the back, "Please excuse lack of stationery. This certifies verification of your reception report of 8/31/53 of WCGB, Waltham, Mass." signed by CG. Guess he must be a student GE. 9/24 QSL from WIMI (1170) and letter from WNAC who took over the WLAB facilities on 680. I hope I'll have more varies to report next time, hi. Received my 300 NBD forms 9/15 so now all I have to do is log stations and report them, hi. No luck on Connelrad AM here, bad storm and I was at work. On 9/16 I really got busy and sent 7 up to 16 stations reported April through July. 5:30: WPX (1240) WIGA (790) WJRC (910) WBCR (1240) WQAT (1450) WJBR (1450) WRIB (1450) WJGK (1450) WPOT (1350), third try for this muttager! WYLI (960) WYTX (1270) WILD (850) WYDA (1260) WPTT (1540) WOOF (1490) & CHEK (650) so here's hoping for good results. 9/21, WIKI (1450) heard this 100-watt signal a lot of station readings of our National Anthem, fair through WYLI. WNEU uses vocal "Sweet and Low" for s/off at 1:10. XSGI (190) Sto. Genevieve Mo. T-f/c with Kansas City 1:15-1:30; WBAR (1460) Bartow, Fla. 1:45-2:30 QSLed by unknown tons 1:50-2:10. 9/27, first morning of EST gave us WETZ (1330) New Martinsville, W. Va. all AM with "Red Feather" drive. As they never verified my 7/18 and 8/23 reports sent them a third. WTUP (1280) Tupelo, Miss. 9/27-9/28, used about a dozen Spike Jones recordings. What a racket, hi! To Ev Johnson, your letter received, will answer soon. 73s.

Charlie Conley - 368 Market Street - Lebanon, Pennsylvania

The season is certainly under way for the DX Vee, believe it or not, has reported and had verified WBAR 1460, Bartow, Fla. Came about this way. WCGB shut down at midnight Sundays and for a change they didn't leave their carrier on last Sunday AM so I wanted to see if anything new could be logged. Caught a log on WABR and WBHS' s/off, then at 1:05 caught WABR with a fine signal on their first broadcast, ET, announcing they expected to begin HS about 9/27. Want another try at the other two before sending reports to them. However WBAR came right back with a nice letter verio for my first this season. Heard WTUP 1330 ETing and asking for reports 1:45, WHTO, 1500, Linton, Ind. ETing also with report requests and announcing going on HS in eight or nine days with 500 watts, and WURF, 850, 3:00 with special hurricane broadcast, all the morning of 9/26. Don't have time to get reports to them tonight (9/27) as I gotta hurry home to see Ed Sullivan at 8 p.m. Can see where this TV will win me! Between TV and a lot of work the past two weeks I haven't had time to catch up with my correspondence to thank Sid and the Sullivans for a pleasant Labor Day Convention! Certainly glad to know the time is again about here when we will have the "DX News" weekly. Missed it a lot during the off-season.

Joe Brauner - 33 Howard Avenue - Williamsburg 21, New York

Since the last report we have added these new calls to the log: WTON 920, with f/o at 2 a.m. on 9/15. Had just returned home from a midnight DX gagefest with Len Kruse, while Marty and Dot talked of other things, at their hotel at Niagara Falls. After they found us away from home when they call here on their way back west, so we followed them out to the Falls for a visit. Also added were WHTO, 1500, and WTUP, 1380, on 9/24 with ET and WABR, 1250, with f/o-ET on 9/25. In general DX has been poor for September although it improved the past few days. The AM of 9/26 was the first really good night here. KHON was readable much of the time on 1380 at 4-4:30, but WABI came on at 4:39 so their early program is still on. WKNX was copied with difficulty through WNOX on their regular f/o on 9/21 and a report sent out. Previous early evening reception had not warranted a report. Varies have arrived by letter from WUWY, WJZ & WBNM and a reply card, signed, is back from KGID. WJZ says regular f/o is on third Tuesday, 1:30 to 1:30, ET, had a second (later) one this time due to monitor's not being able to catch the first one. 73.
The owner of CHOC, the new station in Santa Clara, Cuba, has asked me to inform the members of the National Radio Club that "starting soon, possibly within two weeks" CHOC will begin weakly programs for our club which will run until 3:00 a.m. Sunday mornings. English announcements will be made, and reports from our members are desired. I believe that verifications are certain as much as mine was very friendly and arrived in only one week. CHOC operates on 1410 kHz, with 1,000 watts power. The address is: Sr. Nario Perez Marrero, Propietario, Radiosciencias CHOC, Radio Cadena Central, Apartado 263, Santa Clara, Cuba. I have also sent this information to Ed and Van Voorhees. The quotes above are from the letter since no definite date was stated, but the first program should soon be due. I will send Sr. Perez an acknowledgement and suggest that veriess be sent out promptly. Best of DX & 73.

Bernie Duffy - 27 Greenmore Avenue - Staten Island 2, New York

The most interesting DX activity for me this summer was the "Junior DX Convention" at my place, wherein Everett Johnson, wife and daughter, Ron Schilier, and Pete Clarrieus had a pleasant get-together, during which we locked over Johnson's and Schiller's rare and attractive veriess. I'm looking forward to a similar gathering of New York area DXers early in November. Additions to my heard list during the latest "off season" are: KFRF 1370, WAYS 1360, WBYI 1350, KERK 1350, WQCI 1350, KWH 990, WBCO 1600, WQUP 1600, and WAMI 1640, WQCI 1640, and WQOS 1650. Oddly enough during our heat wave of about 1600 static was almost nil and DX signals quite strong. Veriess during that period are letters from KFRF WFRM KOOL WJAI WAMI WQCI WQOS and a pencilled "OK" on my report to WRES (enclosed in their most attractive envelope, this making me feel cheated). WRES sent a typed postal. KERK is anxious to get reports on their second Thursday 2:15 f/c. and that comparison of their signal be made with WQCI's. 8/27 I heard an ETT on WQCI at 3:15-3:30, that had 3-time orchestra records and cycle tone, but no identity - I'm wondering if it wasn't WRAR, Barlow, Fla., that Hal reports as testing recently. (That's right - Ed.)

J. Warren Buntzahn - 231 South East Street - York, Pennsylvania

It's been a long time since I've seen DX and I just can't seem to DX when the weather is so nice outside. So I have logged no stations since last spring. Most of the veriess to come in over the summer were WAKU WSSA WSSK WQCI WAMI WJAI WFRM WPOQ WQCI WSMM WQOS WQCI WBCO WQCI WAMI WQCI WAMI WQOS. I thought I would give up DX but a chance in jobs gives me more time (I hope) and so I hope to get started in October. Veriess now total 2,666 here. Now I want to join with the others in expressing deep appreciation to Sid and his mother for their wonderful hospitality at Wheeling. We sure had a good time and it was a real pleasure to meet so many new DXers as well as a-gain meeting with the old friends of other Conventions. It all added up to steal a line from Bill Rogers to say: "I never met an NBC man I didn't like." They're certainly a great bunch of fellows. I imagine Sally must have been quite a basketball player, for her surely makes tasty snacks with her cake. Guess I might as well close now and hope to have some DX to report next time. Wish Loty and the Dodgers the best of luck in the World Series!

Bill Rogers - 217 Camelotville Street - Unipont, Pennsylvania

I've really been enjoying meeting all the DXers at the Convention, especially those who have been reporting their DX doing's in "DX News." I also met some who haven't, such as 5th, Sullivan, etc. It is rather hard for me to imagine some of you actually DXing, ha! (Those two don't! - Ed.) Thanks go to Sid, his charming mother, and all of you for being so friendly. 9/15, up for combined tests and never had so many stations on one frequency as 1320 had. No one of them could be copied, 920 had KDKA and others unidentified. WJRS-560 reported on NS 5:35-5:35 a.m., 9/26 - WQCI 1370, WJAI 1370, and WAMI 1410 had hurricane broadcasts. WQCI was reported, WJRS-560 had "25 as did WFRM-1600. Both were reported. Other reports for 8S went to WQCI 1370 and WQOS 1350 during September. Veriess were few and far between. They were all letters and all for 8S reception. WJRS-1470, WQSS 1350, WQCI 1350, WQCI 1350 and KDKA 1010 verified. I've entered the "DX Contest" so things should pick up about 10/1. I have a few foreign stamps for any collectors of such who will write me. "Let's make No. 21 the year we get things going."
Paul Garston - 1203 Threechale Avenue - Chicago 46, Illinois

Guess this is the same song for me as the wife and I have moved, and business and health is such that DXing is out of the question at present. At long last the last of the "Three Little Griffs" has returned to the bottom of the pool. "Hi! I can only praise the efficiency of the good old NEC and hope, God willing, I may become an active member again in the future. I have in my files my priceless varia from stations delayed, and a few rare foreigns also thanks to the NEC. One outstanding result from last season was CWOK and Dick France; the CE said I took the cake on that special for the club. As I was the only one to log the 30-watt portion of the DX, which fell in the third 15-minute portion of the scheduled program. Would appreciate the V's of CWOK as most of my stuff is packed down south, and these have not as yet answered for their DX. (Hubert Ferrer, Secy - Ed.) Guess the NEC does other things besides arrange DXes, as through CWOK and Dick France I was able to learn that my Uncle Charlie is still very much alive and healthy in his 70's after many unanswered letters. He hates to write. The NEC does it again via a DX! We'll shortly be six miles north-east of Springfield, Ill. on a farm and three miles east of NRY's four-tower array of which I am in the mill - no stop-over until we visit friends northeast of the towers. Can even hear Tulsa in the background very strong at night. When we are again in a position to sit back and relax I shall be back in the fold, as DXing is wide open here. Cubans and 8055 knocking out St. Louis and a lot of other frequencies. So with many regrets I say best of luck to everyone and 73s, 30, over and out. (Good luck, Paul - we'll miss you and we'll be waiting! - Ed.)

Lee Krause - 336 Religion Street - Davenport, Iowa

Well, fellows, it was rare good to see a lot of the old faces again and a lot of new ones, too, for that matter, at the Convention this year at Wheeling. Thanks go to Sid for being a fine host for the shindig. I knew I had lots of fun. From all indications, the NEC will have another banner year especially with Sid again serving at the helm of the OPC. Very little DXing has been done here since our arrival home. Your new logbooks were made, namely: WEAR (1250) Bartow, Fla. on ET the morning of 7/21; while on 9/25 the NW of the new WDEP (1500) Linton, Ind., was heard; the regular schedule of programs from WDR (1270) Leopoldina, Ill., was heard beneath powerful WSEP from 6 to 6:30 a.m. on 9/24; Station WIFM (1300) Tupelo, Miss., was heard on 9/25 and 9/27 with ETs with interference from KOTA which is on until 4 a.m. daily. The only new verification letters came from WBRZ KEJ and WETX. The letter was secured by a personal visit to the station on our trip out east. Fellows, you better make a note on your calendar now for the special DX program from that much-sought-after station WCOH, Lapier, Mich., to be held on Tuesday, November 2 from 3 to 4 a.m., E.S.T.

John Beesberide - 112 Chamberlain Avenue - Melbourne, Wisconsin

Well I guess its time again for another DX report from Wisconsin. Not too much has been done as static has been very bad especially on the lower frequencies. Dates go back to Sunday Sept. 20 when KLM in Keshoto, Iowa was on a 70c until 2:19; hard behind WEAF. Wednesday Sept. 23 had new stations testing in WTPP-1320 in Tupelo, Miss., and WDEO-1350 in Lake City, S.C. Also WABE in Baton Rouge was testing from 2-5:15. And now we go to Saturday Sept. 26. First KNOO in Dodge City, Kan., on until 2:15 with a football game between U.C., Kansas, and Kansas. WTHB on a 70c. KEKH on until 2:45 with a fundraiser program for Dry Dock #8. WBAI in Linton, Ind., 500 watts, on 1600 testing new equipment to go on the air in eight days from this report. And lastly hurricanes "Florence" had a whole slug of Gulf stations on all night. WOOA on from Pensacola and WAEI-1480, WEE in Foley, Ala., on 1310 has March music and hurricane warnings. WICAL Tallahassee on with Hurricane Watch Party and WJTS in Marianna, Fla., on with Storm Party and was asking for distant listeners to write in, WEAR etc. on with warnings on 1250. That's about it. WDEP if it was on could not be heard due to QRM. Verifications are coming in a slow pace with the December 1952, WDEP WE5E WIFM WUPW WIFR WAEK WEAE KARA (p) WOOG. Also take note that WEDC says they are going to be deleted soon to make way for WEDC-TV as those of you who need her bed better get busy. They are on most of the night on Wednesday mornings. As far as school goes I've got a real rough schedule sitting in class for 36 hours each week so afternoon DX is out except on weekends. Also plan on joining a fraternity this semester but none of this is going to stop me from DXing as I've got my goals set on the 2000 mark by next summer, which will mean almost 500 stations to log. Well 73s for now. I'm going to watch our fighting Badgers down the Penn State Lions this afternoon.
October 5, 1958

Groton DX Club - 46 Ironside Drive - Groton-on-Hudson, New York

This really fell in here during the last two weeks with the following received.

560 K D A V Lubbock, Texas 1460 W B U N Bangor, Maine
900 C H N O Brk-1440-kp/s. 1460 W B R C No-WGR
1220 C K C W now 10, 800 C-92 1460 W B A R Bartow, Florida
1350 W J T O Raleigh City, South Carolina 1460 W S T N Cincinnati, Ohio
1340 K S M O Salem, Missouri 1460 W E S K Escanaba, Michigan
1350 W A T B Brk-1415 1460 W A H R No-WGR
1350 W U T N Tupelo, Mississippi 1460 W G A W No-WGR
1400 C H R B St. George, Quebec 1460 W E T O Linton, Indiana
350 W A W Spartanburg, South Carolina

CORRECTIONS FROM LAST ISSUE

The correct calls for Red Deer, Alberta, are 850 is CKBH, not CKBH as listed.
WIRK is the correct call for the delayed station at Woodstock, Virginia, not WTKS as listed. They were listed incorrectly in the F.C.G. releases.
ED X R F W B

CHANGES IN STATION DATA - U.S., October 5, 1963

NEW STATIONS

730 Bowling Green, Ohio 250 W S 1530 Ashville, South Carolina 1,000 D-1
960 Jefferson City, Missouri 5,000 D-1 1590 Cebalguan, D. V., Cuba 100 U-1
1080 Parkersburg, West Virginia 250 D-1 1630 Winter Park, Florida 1,000 D-1
1340 Price, Utah 250 U-1

RCF CALLS

610 X U A M' Agana, Guam 1230 W H C O Sparta, Illinois
620 X E D M Albuquerque, Washington 1220 X A D O Arapahoe, Oklahoma
650 W N S Murphysboro, Tennessee 1400 W O H O Toledo, Ohio
1060 X C C V Corvallis, Oregon 1540 W G L E Camilla, Georgia
1150 X C C T Corpus Christi, Texas 1580 W M N Y Cebalguan, L.V., Cuba

CALL CHANGES

(XAVR is also reported W Y W by "Broadcasting.")

FACILITIES

850 W E S Z Muskegon, Michigan, to 1,000 U-3, Not to change to 5,000/5,000 U-3.

KOMA's Veris Policy (from Jack Hathaway)

We try to confirm our formal valifications to listeners who send a report that we can check with our program logs to make certain that it was actually KOMA that was heard. CBS programs are not enough, since any CBS station might have the same program on. A station break is not enough, but the program advertised during the break is usually a good report.

Also in this form letter KOMA describes its studios and transmitter and other facts about their city and state. If you'd like a copy of this, write KOMA.

VEXI SIGNED LIST

Some of you are sending these names to Roy Miller, and some to Hal Wagner, but they are supposed to be sent to Your Editor in Brooklyn. If sent to anyone other than the Editor, they must be re-called to him by the other, thus causing more work to these already hard-working officers, and delaying the appearance in the column of your veris-singers. So make sure to send them with your regular DX report to Brooklyn. This also applies to the West Coast Lads. Possibly Roy Miller will act as a sort of "clearing house" for you and forward them to Brooklyn, in order to keep all these veris-singers in one place to facilitate reference on the part of the members. Thank you.

WE SALUTE THE WEST COAST SECTION

Which bows in with this issue, the first of our weekly issues for the new 1963-1964 DX season! We hope it will be a great success, like our other fairly new features, the Foreign DX Digest, so ably edited by Fred Jan Voorhees, and the TV DXer, also very capably handled by Hank Ward, our Alaskan explorer. Good luck to Roy Miller and we hope the column pleased especially our good members out west. So, remember, you 'pioneers' out there - it's up to you to make it a success - we in the east can't help you in any way. IT'S UP TO EACH OF YOU!

DX CONTEST IS ON!

And you have until November 15 to get your entry fee of $25 in to Contest Manager Robert Gorsuch, 2099 "D" Avenue M.E., Cedar Rapids, Iowa, but don't wait until then - this will be a very interesting and exciting contest, and the more entrants we have the more excitement will be generated. So, let's really get in on the fun, and we repeat, you'll not have to do a lot of re-verifying, for almost everyone needs at least two stations in every state and province, n'est pas? But be sure to log and report those M.E. DX programs, for they are the big point-getters! Why not send that quarter in right now to Bob Gorsuch, lest you forget it?

WELCOME, NEW MEMBERS

All of you whose names appeared on Page 1 of this issue. We invite you and all the others of course, to send in DX reports to us. The more we have, the better the issue, and we are all interested in what the new fellows are hearing. Deadline in Brooklyn is now every Wednesday for the next six months! Yes, we're weekly again!
Oct. 3, 1953

F.W. MILLER, Box 754, Bellevue, Wash.

"DX NEWS" - WEST COAST DX

IMPORTANT: To conform to the balance of "DX News", ALL TIMES ARE E.S.T.

570 2Y4 - Wellington, N.Z., 9/14 at 4:20 AM. (Credit Allen)

580 KDAV Lubbock, Tex. ETTing 8/24, 3:40-3:28 AM. (Allen). Also reported on r/a fl., heavily QRV in Albuquerque. (Maguire)

590 WDFL Panama City, Fla., heard 9/16 with Storm special. (Gitchett)

620 KKNJ San Bernadino, Calif. r/a at 4:47 AM, 9/17. (Allen) Ed: 5/off time?

655 YSH San Salvador, Salvador heard quite regularly; 5/on around

11. Ph. Mike Ferguson reports probably 100 kw. now. (Miller)

670 LA QRMIG W1MC 9/28 until 5/off at 11:07 PM believed to be

TIBO in San Jose, Costa Rica, "TIBO Oriental",--any help? (Miller)

790 KFRE Fairbanks, Alaska r/a at 3:13 AM. 9/14, a Mon. (Maguire)

800 KGDC Portland, Ore. ETTing 9/17 at 3:35 AM. (KRBE & KFDQ--Allen)

830 JORB Osaka, Japan at 4:19 AM, 9/14. Mon. (Allen)

860 KURI Honolulu, T.H. Heard over QRV 3:55 AM, 9/14. (Allen)

880 WYC Anchorage, A.K. r/a at 3:10 AM, 9/14, a Mon. (Allen)

900 WAB Tokyo, Japan at 4:07 on 9/14. (Allen) Ed: JORB reported moved

210 KELN Natchezville, Ark. r/a on 5 AM, Mon. 9/27, (Gitchett) to 690.

320 WGST Atlanta, Ga. r/a on 5:30 AM. (Gitchett)

450 WSFA Spartanburg, S.C. r/a on 5:15 AM. (Gitchett)

500 WAF Detroit, Mich. r/a on 5:30 AM. (Gitchett)

990 KESG Pittsburg, Calif. ETTing 3:53 AM, 8/24. (Allen)

700 KLIR Denver, Colo. r/a on 7:15 AM, 8/20. (Allen)

1060 KXGC Chico, Calif. (Ex 1150) Football, 11 AM & on, 9/25. (Allen)

1220 KHEE Palo Alto, Calif. ETTing 3:38 AM, 9/25. (Allen)

1230 KLAS Las Vegas, Nev. r/a on 5:16 AM, 8/24. (Allen)


1290 KORR Fairbanks, Alaska 8:40 AM, 9/24. (Allen)

1320 KFVF Tucson, Ariz. r/a on 9/24 AM. (Allen)

1320 KFAC Los Angeles, Calif. reported silent Thu. AM, 8:30-10 PM. Ed: This is a regular silent period? (Miller-<fromReader>)

1340 KIST Santa Barbara, Calif. ETTing 3:37 AM, 8/24. (Allen)

1360 KFAC Flagstaff, Ariz. ETTing on new frequency, 8:35 AM, 9/24. (Allen)


1380 KJFX Detroit, Mich. r/s-37 3:45 AM, 9/11. (Allen) LAST MON.

1380 KKLH Clifton, Ariz. F/c 9/14. (Allen) Ed: Is this a regular silent period? (Miller-<fromReader>)


1400 KFAYM Reno, Nev. 3:15 AM, 9/28. (Allen) Ed: 2nd ON?


1490 KQID Oakland, Calif. ETTing 3:30 AM, 8/31. (Allen)

1490 KQUB Santa Barbara, Calif. ETTing 3:33 AM, 8/31. (Allen) Ed: Reg. 4th

1500 WITC Linton, Ind. r/a on 9 AM, 9/24. (McKenzie)

FREQUENCY CHECKS ARE LISTED 2nd Mon.

KPOO, KKGN, 4th Wed. KUKI, KSLT; 3rd Thur. KRCO, 4th Thur. KAST. (Allen)

OK, kids, please pardon errors, omissions, etc., we'll try to improve as time goes by! KRCO requests for KCO-DX in all long lasting here. DX

Thanks for all the reports; keep the F/c as listed coming too, as well as the "HOP" DX tips, & please list by frequency, call, & location.73a
Send all items in E.S.T. to Rey E. Edge-325 Shirley Ave-Buffalo 15 N.Y.

830 CMBZ Havana, Cuba seems to have quit the alignt show (Lefty-Blin)
920 WTCW Whitesburg Ky 3rd TUES 0120-0130 (Reilly-Brauner)
1010 CBS Edmonton, Alta S/off 0205; S/on 0800 (Ev Johnson-Ell)
1230 KLCV Monroe, La S/off 0205 (Ev Johnson)

WCPO Cincinnati, Ohio F/C hrd 0920-1200 - 3rd MON (Knack-Okla)
1240 KCRT Trinidad, Colo hrd F/C-M 3rd SUN 0200-0215 (E Johnson)
1250 KBZU Hutchinson, Minn began reg sked on 9/12 (E Johnson)

WJOT Lake City, S.C ET/M - 9/23; QRM from WWMO (Erick-Johnson)
1330 WABA Havre de Grace, Md F/C-9/21 from 0445-0500 on 3rd MON but
this is 1/2 earlier than listed (Joe Knack-Ponca City Okla)
1340 WLNH Laconia N.H. Anyone waiting for verie, write to Walter Avery
and I'm sure he'll send it pronto. They will be moving to
1350 kcs soon, this fall or next year (Howard Kemp-Flushing Conn)

WMON Montgomery W Va F/C hrd 0920-0440 3rd MON? (Knack)
1350 KMAB Manhattan, Kan hrd testing 9/12 at 0300-0315 (Ev Johnson)
1350 WTPW Tupelo, Miss ET/M nightly since 9/24 (Erick-Johnson-Lefty)
1400 KVOP Plainview, Tex F/C-9/21 - 0515-0530 as listed (Knack)/(Knack)

KUNO Corpus Christi, Tex F/C 9/21 0530-0545 as listed 3rd MON
1410 CMHC Santa Clara, Calif. Cuba will broadcast weekly programs beginning
within 2 weeks (sept 18th) for our Club, they will run until
0200 EST Complete QRA in my report on Page 9 (Grayson-Penn)
1430 WFOD Postoria Ohio F/C 1st WED 0015 on till Detroit says OK (Tewell)
1440 KEFI Chihuahua Chih Mexico- now on till about 0300 (Erick Johnson)

1450 KODE Las Cruces N Mex F/C-9/21 0400-0415 3rd MON as listed (Knack)
1450 WLEU Erie, Penn new alnter Tues thru SAT AMs (Erick Johnson)
1450 WBAR Bantow Fla ET/M/TT 9/27 thru WCMB (Erick-Lefty) 9/21 (Geary)
1550 KERR Eastland Texas hrd ET/on. 9/26 at 0200 (Geary)
1600 WETO Linton, Ind ET/M on 9/24 (Erick & Lefty)

Have a couple notes on hand from a couple lads asking about their
sept 19th issue of DX News. All were mailed on Sept 21st, MON AM at 6
AM EST. Reason for the 2 day delay was as you know because of our
vacation. So maybe mailing Mondays isn't too good although Wagner had his
copy on Tuesday 22nd, so they will arrive and we do not have any more
copies on hand. We acquired a couple more new members and with the
sample copies needed, we used up what we had. But your copy will ar-
rive I am sure. "Pop" Edge.

Regarding the rates on our Club Letter Heads and Report Forms that
was published in the last issue, please disregard them. We are now in
possession of the complete increase in parcel post rates and there will
be a slight revision in prices. Further Pop Edge has ran out of both
Letter Heads and Report Forms and I also believe Wagner has too. So if
any of you experience a delay in receiving what you ordered, you will
know it is because the supply has run out. We do expect our new supply
shortly.

One other thing both Hal Wagner and Oke Pop would like to pass on
is that none of you members need worry about your DX News being stopped
just yet because you might be a little late in paying your dues when
they become due. Of course we like it very much when you are prompt,
as it helps a lot here, but you can be sure that if you happen to be
a little late, your DX News will still be mailed and it would only be
after a couple dues notices had been ignored before we stop DX News.

The Edge's were very pleased to read where so many of you folks en-
joyed your visit to Wheeling for the convention. Again many thanks to
both Sid and His Mother for a small hospitality. By-now.
Joe Brewer says that many a man who is a two-ton truck at the office is but a trailer at home. (Loser)

We hear that the only reason the Duquesne Brewery has not gone out of business is that Sullivan has been operating his own still. (Moser)

When asked what has four legs and gives milk, Ron Schiller replied, "Two milk men." (Moser)

The law might call stealing a kiss 'petit larceny, but really it grand larceny! (Mozzy)

Broumage Sales ad: "Good chance to get rid of everything not worth keeping but too good to throw away. Bring your husband." (Rosenbaum)

Definitions:
WIFE: A continual buzzing in the ear.

MIDDLE-AGED LADY: A build in a girdled cage.

WOMAN WHO DOESN'T PLAY BRIDGE: Fugitive from the chin gang. (Rosenbaum(sing))

Tom Johnson really goes fishing for DX. His dial cord is actually fish line!

Lefty has the only voice on record from the transmitter of Sal Williams' hearing aid.

Now that Tower Bank sends all stations prepared cards for verities, we surmise he must get his "Variety" on some stand.

"The boy sat on the Brooklyn Bridge—His feet, they touched the water."

—Longfellow!

We just know somehow that Carroll Seth has a tail. For proof of it, see page 9 of the March 7, 1953 "DX News" where there is a reference to Carroll Seth's appendage!

Conley found a place in his home state where they serve pancakes that are so thin that they have only one side!

"Why doesn't I'mogene Coca take a bath more often?" "Because Sid loves her!" (Houtzahn)

Boy Edge has taken a cold shower every morning for years but now we learn it is only because the rest of the family gets up first! (Houtzahn)

Bill Proctor ate 24 carrots the other day, and now he's worth his weight in gold.

The guy who really cleaned up last season was Jim Critchett. He won a set of towels from WRB, La Grange, Ga.!

Duffy received an over-the-weight letter with only 2¢ in postage on it, and it was all wet. Must have been the postage due.

There is a mental hospital in New York called "Bellevue." New out in Washington. Ray Miller has gone from Seattle to Bellevue and immediately.wants to become an idiot! Which proves to some extent that Lefty Cooper is crazy.

We were going to tell you the gun about the broken nail, but there's no point to it. Remember, old DXers never die—they just sleep away. (Loser). In to, all.
ALASKA—KA reports reception of KFBB (790) with S-7 signals at 0313 on 9/14.

CUBA—JH sends news of logging CMBC (690) from 2215 to 2230. I wonder if anyone has ever priced a verie out of this one. I've tried three times with no success. Reception above on 9/9.

MEXICO—Also from JH news of his logging XEB (1220) from 2230-2245 on 9/9. RRM notes XERF (1030) under WZQ and also when WZQ not heard. XED (1050) well on top of XEB. XENL (1010) Guadalajara, Jalisco, over CBX from 2300-2330 on 9/25. This is his first log from Jalisco, and so far it is only tentative.

EL SALVADOR—RRM reports continued good reception of XBS on 655 signing off at 2500. He says that Mike Ferguson has advised him that XBS is now using 10 Kw. (I think that is correct—PV)

COSTA RICA—From RM information on TIMB (665) San Jose. Slogan is "Radio Crystal". Sked: 0745-2400, and QRA: Apartado 341, San Jose.

UNITED STATES—KB reports WHOM (1480) and WTOP (1500) on 9/13.
VENEZUELA-#-KB has logged YVMF (1120) on 9/13/53.
ECUADOR-#-Following information received from RM on HC1BD (1111) Quito. "Radio Continental, Una Voz Ecuatoriana para la America", 200 watts, Schedule 0600-2300, QRA: P. O. Box 2583, Quito. A further check on the time for the HCBR program indicates that WLW should be silent, so our fears may have been foolish ones. Program is scheduled for November 2nd.

CHILE-#-From KB logs that he has logged CE114 (1140) on 9/13.
ARGENTINA-#-LR reports logging LR3 (950) "Radio Belgrano" at 0230-0500 GMT with many well known recordings. Nice level. KB adds his logging of LR1 (1070) and LR6 (1090) both on 9/13.
URUGUAY-#-KB has logged CX32 (1170) on 9/13. So has LR who gives the frequency as 1172 Kcs, and the call as CXA32. (CX32 is correct) LR says they were well heard at 0015 GMT with usual South American music and songs. Verified with a letter. QRA: Compania Uruguaya de Publicidad SA, Calle de 1815, Montevideo. Power 10 KW.

BRAZIL-#-KB sends along his usual list of Brazilians heard, this time on 9/13: ZYK20 (890), PRF7 (900), PRF4 (940), PRB8 (960), PRG9 (1100), PRN4 (1140), PRS (1200), ZYK7 (1300), ZYK3 (1320), PRB6 (1340), ZYQ7 (1550), PRG3 (1650), PRB7 (1410), and PRD5 (1400).

EUROPE

SPAIN-#-From LR logs of an unidentified Spanish station on 1456 Kc. at 2345-0005 GMT with dance music. Bad modulation and deep fading made identification impossible. Any help??

GERMANY-#-Latest schedule from Suddeutscher Rundfunk at Muhlecker (675) gives time as 0000-1900 Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday from 2255-1900, and Thursday and Saturday 2255-1900, all EST.

AUSTRIA-#-DR reports receiving the relays of the BBC from Graz (1025) at 1515, GMT, I believe.

ITALY-#-Also from DR logs of his logging Milan I (899) with English announcements and records at 1400 GMT.

TRIESTE-#-AFRS Trieste (1304) has been heard in the evenings with very weak signal under AFW Heidelberg, now on this frequency. On Saturdays they close at 0005 GMT after complete station announcement and national anthem. (LR)

AFRICA

SPAINISH MOROCCO-#-"Radio Dersa", Tetuan, is regularly logged here on 904 Kcs. at 0015-0100 sign-off on Saturdays. Strength often up to R-7. Then often play well-known records like "Night and Day", "Begin the Beguine", etc.Verified by air mail after 16 days with a nice card. (LR) (Times here are GMT)

TUNISIA-#-KB notes reception of Tunis (962) regularly.

ALGERIA-#-Also from KB news of reception of Algiers (980).

TAURIER-#-KB also has heard Tangier (1238) regularly.

ASIA

IRAN-#-KB reports as his scoop of the week reception of Azerbaijan on 796 Kcs., logged on 9/4 at 1745 GMT behind VOA-Salonika.

KINGDOM OF JORDAN-#-Further reception of Remallah (877) is reported by KB on 9/9 at 1825 GMT. LR also reports that his reception of this station has been good from 1830-close-down at 1930. News in Arabic at 1900. All programs are in the same language, but they may announce in English at any time. Verifies by air letter.

SYRIA-#-LR reports that Damascus (665) can be heard around 1900-2000 GMT with programs in Arabic, but much CRI from Europeans.

TURKEY-#-TAV, Radio Istanbul, (704) often broadcasts hit tunes, records with Stan Kenton, Ella Fitzgerald, Nat "King" Cole, etc. Was heard one evening at 1845 with strong signal. (LR)
GOA (Portuguese India): The station in Goa on 557 Kcs. has the call letters CGGBA (FM).

FORMOSA (Taiwan): RM reports information on BEVT (510), giving schedule as 0200-0400 in English and Chinese. Also BEC5 (1080) "The Voice of Salvation", 1430-0430 in Chinese.

PHILIPPINES: RM reports that the correct call of the station on 1250 Kcs is DDBU, not DBBU as reported in the International Log.

JAPAN: From GA news of Japanese reception with the following heard: JOAB (950) Tokyo 6-7 at 0407 on 9/14; JOKP (990) Kitami, S-7 at 0411 on 9/14; JOEB (830), S-8 at 0419 on 9/14; and JOFR (1290), S-9 at 0349 on 9/14.

CHINA: DR reports receiving a station on 1520 Kcs. at 1100 GMT in chain or relaying station on 640 Kcs. Mukden (560) now seems to have increased power. Loud and consistent at 0900.

PAKISTAN: Rawalpindi (1150) has Radio Pakistan news at 1015.

Peshawar (620) rarely heard to sign-off at 1230, as listed in IWT Log. (All above from DR)

RYUKU ISLANDS: VOA Okinawa (1180) still announces as conducting test programs to 1000 GMT sign-off. Signals still badly jammed. (DR)

OCEANIA

NEW ZEALAND: DR reports that ZKV (1460) code practice station has been classified as a "Utility" by the New Zealand Radio DX League for DX purposes. GA reports his reception of ZTV (570) Wellington, good S-9 at 0420 on 9/14. He also heard IYC (880) Auckland, with S-5 signal at 0310 on 9/14.

REPORTERS

In this list we may list some as reporters who do not actually have any credits in the information section. The reason for this is to acknowledge letters from these people, which do not necessarily contain information for the DIGEST. We want to welcome two newcomers to our list of reporters this week. They are Don Reed of Oamaru, New Zealand, and Jack Hathaway, of Rantoul, Illinois. Hope a lot more of you will start to report to the DIGEST. Here are this week's DXers:

GA-Gone Allen, 1013 Marion Street, Vallejo, California.

DR-Don Reed, TH. R. D. Oamaru, New Zealand.

RM-Ray Moore, P. O. Box 19, Rowley, Massachusetts.

LR-Lars Ryden, Barrvagen 12, Sollentuna 3, Sweden.

KB-Ken Brownless, 7, the Avenue, Clifton, Yorks, England.

SW-Sweden Calling DRs, "Radio Sweden", Stockholm, Sweden.

RM-Ray H. Miller, P. O. Box 754, Bellowc, Washington.

Jack Hathaway, 44 Garden Manor, Rantoul, Illinois.

BC-Herb Campbell, N. D. #3, Athens, Pennsylvania.

HW-Harold Wagner, R. D. #1, North Girard, Pennsylvania

GENERAL

We overlooked a note from LR that he has heard YWBR (1490) at 0240.

0350 GMT sign-off with very good signal. In parallel with YWBR (4940).

He reports using an 8 tube Superhet, Swedish built, ordinary EC set.

Antennas are one 30 meter T type, directed North and South and one 20 meter L type in East-West, both around 20 meters high. He reports US stations coming in around 1450-1530 GMT, but he has logged only 4.

DR notes his best voice just in from KDMA in Montevideo, Minnesota, 100 watts. (Nice going, Don) All members have noted that the DX season is really starting. With the DIGEST to exchange information, I think we can look for a really good foreign season, or rather an International season. A list of Asians well heard in New Zealand is at hand and may be used later. I also thank Roy Patrick for sending a copy of RADIO REVIEW, a review of European broadcast programs with emphasis on the programs themselves. That cleans it up for this week, so until next week, all the best in International DX from your editor, 73.
A couple of the kids have taken up our offer of sending contributions to "Wheeling Wheeses." We didn't mean jokes - we meant money!

Bill Moser is in with this one. Hank Halbrook and Bill Moser must have kept their mouths open too much. Mrs. Rosenbaum treated them to dinner on Monday. Although Joe Brauner was still in town, he was not there. I guess Mrs. Rosenbaum thought he got enough to eat, anyway.

Sid Rosenbaum couldn't resist writing about some of us to this column. Let's see what Sid dared to say about us.

Sid never spins when going up the back steps from his home - afraid it will run down the back of his neck.

Pete Taylor, who is 6' 2" asked Don Kaskey if it were cold up there.

Lt. Bob Duggan threw a scare into the boys when he arrived (in uniform). "Thought he was a 'revenuer" said Conley, Sullivan, and Soth.

Bill Moser says, "I may get over the Convention, but I'll never look the same."

Joe Brauner said, "That trip to the WWVA transmitter reminded me of the drunkon ball player - couldn't see the bases for fog." (Tower bases, that is.)

Now back to your Editor's views. He cheated, of course, carrying a note book with him all the time. Cooper, the super-duper snooper.

Ray arrived with a small cut on his head. The unanswered question before the Convention was, "Who hit Pop on the Top with a hop?"

Perhaps some of you Conventioners can answer this one. We heard a rumor which we can't confirm. Did Pat Rainley actually stay at the W.V.C.A. Saturday night?

Bob Duggan looked really handsome in his uniform. But imagine joining the Navy just to get a varie from the U.S.S. Courier, chasing it all over the Mediterranean!

Lefty mentioned his varie from defunct WNCJ, Aiken, South Carolina. Joe Brauner had one too, and said he was very glad to get his Aiken back.

There was a very pleasant air about this Convention. Could it have been because a certain goat holliner wasn't around? If Hal Wagner is reading this, we're only kidding!

We even met members we didn't know were members, in John Alexander and Bob Seifert. They had joined since April, the last time the list of new members was published.

Our apologies to those two fine kids and glad to have you both aboard.

When Barry Furope got back to Massachusetts, they called him "Cookie" because he had been a wafer so long.

We really heard some startling news from Dick Cooper. Kittanning (population about 6,000) has a SUPER! Must be quite a place, everybody happy and peaceful - both of 'em.

Don Kaskey has a permanent enemy in Lefty. Lefty mentioned that quaint station which used to be on all-night, announcing "WMRJ, Chicago," right after the war. Don, innocently enough appearing, but with malice in heart, said to him, "Which war?"

We just knew it. Carroll Seth is now working for a forging company.

At that Saturday night card game at Sally's place, lo and behold, Sally pulls out some "Fleece" tissues. This was a good tip-off on the kind of a game the kid played.

Carroll won the astounding sum of $5. You buying, Carroll?
Here is perhaps the funniest item of all. Five of the DXers actually got up at 6:00 a.m. Sunday to make a broadcast on WTVF! What a motley-looking crew.

The fog was so thick you could cut it with a knife that morning. We were waist-deep in muddy water before we realized we had missed the bridge across the Ohio.

Sid actually got us to WTVF's combination studio-transmitter around 7:00 a.m. He came in on instruments.

Pete Taylor, a very virile lad, took a look at the WTVF tower and it was all we could do to restrain him from climbing it to make sure the top was actually there.

We were to go on at 7:15, 15 minutes ahead of WTVF's regular schedule was due to commence. But there was no announcer on hand! They must have tipped him off we were coming.

The engineer on duty talked with us in Studio A while we waited. He seemed amazed that we had all heard his station in our home towns. Or was he just unassuming?

Finally the announcer arrived and WTVF got going at 7:30 a.m. and put on a religious program by transcription. And with us unholy five in the next room yet?

The announcer said we could make a tape recording and he placed us around an oblong table. What a heck of a way to conduct a round-table discussion!

The five talked for 12 minutes, and the program even opened and closed with the club theme song for DX programs, "National Emblem March." Who feels like marching at 8:00 o'clock on a Sunday morning, though?

We had heard a rumor that Sid Rosenbaum had once operated a bowling alley, so we let him speak first and get the ball rolling.

Then Lefty started interviewing the others - Kaskey, Taylor, Bremer, and Rosenbaum. And he managed to get in several juicy plugs for good old NBC, too.

As we chatted, the announcer slipped a note on the table which read, "Imagine how you hear WTVF at your respective homes." Seems they too wanted a few plugs.

So we plugged them - literally, not physically.

We left, taking snapshots of the very beautiful modern building with ourselves deocrating the premises by standing in front of the place.

Don Kaskey showed for 15 minutes after leaving before he discovered he didn't have any chewing gum. We told you that fog was thick!

It's good for Cooper, Kaskey, Bremer and Rosenbaum that that wasn't on television - not with that handsome brute, Pete Taylor, on the same panel!

If we ever want to get some lady members, all we'd have to do is to print his picture on Page 1 of "DX News." That'd do it, by golly.

Sid had hoped to show us some of the countryside. We managed to see a little of it, through the fog, by getting out of the car, kneeling down, and looking at it.

Sid drove us past the three-tower array of WTVF - he told us.

We have a great new idea for a co-operative venture for our Page 1. Ray will do the Edie, Barry the Post-ings, Major Bob Daggan the mast-head, and Pete "Atlas" Taylor the body.

And for this kind of stuff they've raised the postal rates. Imagine.