SINGS N.R.C.'S "BATTLE" HYMN

"Here are my dues for another year. I will not do too much DXing for I am working to get my amateur ticket. But I still enjoy reading the DX News. The NRC has been a very profitable Club to me and will continue to be."


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CONVENTION NEWS

Summer greetings to all you members of the NRC from your 1958 Convention Hosts. I will try to put a few explanations in this note about the map of the City of Findlay which you all should have by now. We have marked the location of the Phoenix Hotel with a red square on the map. You will note it is located on Main Street. For those of you traveling the Ohio Turnpike from the East or the West, you should leave it at the interchange for U.S. 25. You then come South on Y.S. 25 till you come to the by-pass for Findlay. Do not take the by-pass but continue on South on U.S. 68 and City Route 23. This will bring you right in front of the hotel. For those of you using U.S. 224 from either direction, all you will need to do is to go to the South when you come to Main Street. For those coming from the South or West and using U.S. 25, follow the by-pass till you come to Route 12 interchange, turn right and follow Route 12 and it will bring you out to the hotel. For those of you using U.S. 20 you will go on it until you come to U.S. 68 which will be at Williamstown, Ohio, then turn North on it and go 16 miles and you will be at the hotel. For those coming by train you will have to come to Toledo as Findlay does not have its commercial hook up yet. You also might get connection with Lima. As for those of you who are wanting to know about the way to come by train, that is the big problem here now as they are trying to take off so many of them that I can't say just now what the connections will be. They tell me they should know by August 1. May we remind you the hotel would like for you to have your reservations for your rooms in to us by August 1. The reason for that is so that they will know how much help they are going to need for over the Labor Day season. The blanks were sent out to you some two months ago so we will be looking for them this month. If you have lost yours you may send your request for the room, also just what kind and your time of arrival to us on a slip of paper along with $5.00 which the hotel is asking as a guarantee you will take the room. We are looking for all of you DXers who live within 250 miles of here to be here 100%. (continued at foot of Page 2.)
Dear Mr. Wagner,

I should appreciate receiving a copy of the DX NEWS, as we are very much interested in the activities of all DXers.

We recently took over the title, "White's Radio Log" and have included the Log as a special section in our Radio-TV Experimenter. I am sending you a copy of our current edition.

The current edition of "White's Radio Log" is not too accurate. As you know, Mr. White was an elderly gentleman and probably did not have the enthusiasm to keep this directly as up to date as he would have liked to have done. We are very busy right now revising the Log and when the new edition appears on the newsstands on August 28, it is going to be as complete and accurate as humanly possible. More than two thousand changes have been made and a number of new features have been added which we believe will make the Log of even greater service to all radio amateurs.

I am sending you a copy of our current edition of the Radio-TV Experimenter with my compliments. I hope you will find it very interesting.

Cordially yours,

V. D. Angerman, Publisher, Radio-TV Experimenter
450 East Ohio Street, Chicago 11, Illinois.

JONES' NORTH AMERICAN AM-EN RADIO-TV STATION LISTINGS

Stan Morss sends us the clipping about this Log, issued quarterly, 50¢ a copy, or $2.00 for a year's subscription. It contains 64 pages, 5,000 stations, listed geographically, indexed by frequency, and alphabetically by call letters. They have a nice plug for NRE on Page 3 and a nice DX write-up. Stan says it is evidently run by someone avidly interested in DX. Address: Van A. Jones Co., 3749 North Keystone Ave., Indianapolis, Ind.

(Convention News, con'd from Front Page)
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Send all items in E.S.T. to Ray B Edge-325 Shirley Ave-Buffalo 15 N.Y.

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<td>Decorah Iowa F/C is 2nd FRI 0415-0430 but usually on the air an hour before with test of music and all reports will be answered if sent personally to Don L. Jackson, CE c/o Station KDEC 308-1/2 West Water St. Decorah, Iowa. who says all reports in next 6 months will be of great interest to him since they anticipate moving antenna site (Jackson)</td>
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<td>Phoenix Ariz went on the air on 6/23 at 0700, studios are located at 335 W. Maryland. (Buss Boatman)</td>
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**ON THE STATIONS STATIONERY**

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**June 23 1958**

To National Radio Club;

We have made plans to put on a special program directed to DX listeners.

Each month our Radio Station frequency is measured by RCA Communications in Riverhead N Y at 0415 to 0430 AM EST. Our normal programming does not begin until 0528 so this time from 0430-0528 is, we believe, an excellent spot for such a program.

The frequency measurement and following DX Listeners program will be from 0415 to 0525 the FIRST MONDAY of each MONTH. The program will contain a key word or words required for verification and such word or words will be repeated after each record played, as well as our call letters. First program planned is the first Monday in July which is July 7 1958.

Yours truly  John Aldhizer, Radio Transmitter Supervisor, c/o WSLS Radio, Forest Lawn, Salem, Virginia.

(PS from Edge--) A sample verie card was enclosed, its printed.

REMEMBER MAKE THOSE PLANS NOW TO ATTEND THE NRC CONVENTION AT FINDLAY.
Only activity at this den during the past couple of months has been the logging of several new stations being received here during daylight hours. Reports have gone to WAGE 1320, WJDD 1470, WNLK 1010 and WAGE 1570. All have verified with the exception of WJDD. In all, this past season was a slow one with reports going to 86 BCB stations. Four have come to hand from 65 of these stations for a return of 75.3%. Only six f/ups were mailed with three answers being received. Forty-three domestic stations have verified for an average of 82.6%. Twenty-two foreign veries back to date for a 64.7% return. Reports went to 33 stations conducting DX programs with 81.3 verifying as of June 26th. Best domestic verifying for the season included CHEM 750, KDKZ 1490, GJLX 650, KTUT 990, KTVG 1230, KMMZ 1360, KMGX 1380, and KRED 1440. Two long sought foreign stations finally verified - TGS 855 and KJWZ 1582. By far the best foreign verify was received from ZTB-5 1270 which enclosed a clipping about my reception. Eye-catching QSL cards were received from WNOH 1520, HJAV 1185 and a very beautiful card from ZYX-9 1270 kc/s. Most clever verify was the letter of KQDY 1320, and the most friendly letter was sent by EDU-44 1015. BCB totals now at 1,956 verified from 74 countries. Had a fine season on LW adding 180 veries to bring my total verify on that band to 251 stations in 30 states and 24 countries. Most distant foreign beacons were Ecuadorian stations GTE 420 kc/s, 3 kw, and ESM 386 with 1 kw. Most distant U.S. beacon was GCM Point Arqueillo Light Station, California, 302 kc/s, 800 watts. Best catch on the low frequencies is "OV" Oakville, Manitoba, 412 kc/s, 20 watts. Just had picture tube replaced on TV set, so hope to get in some DX from this poor TV location, using only an indoor antenna at present. TV totals, 70 verified from 26 states and three countries. Top TV veries included KFZL, Denver, Co, and KCH, Santa Clara, Cal., 3, and CKBH, Santa Clara, Cal., 3. No matter where you DX on the radio spectrum there are many hours of enjoyment to be had in this wonderful hobby. Quite likely I'll miss the Convention as I have to take vacation starting the 26th of June. Will tour Ontario. 73.

John W. Comstock - Rural Route 2 - Shellyville, Indiana

(KNSKFL) I'm joining the NRC and saw your piece in my sable copy. I thing AMing is great and hope to learn tips on getting these daytimers to start verifying my reports, hi hi. I use a KNSKFL QSL for the AMing and wonder what you use for the purpose? I have heard 700 stations and around 250 are verified. Wonder how many you got back? I have trouble getting veries. I use a Zenith Trans-Oceanic and an outdoor telephone wire on the pole. Before wire gets to box the signal pickup is great. Since DX is poor I now listen to FM and got 86 stations so far. I can't get WDXR to answer my two accurate reports - any success with them? I better say 73a, and good luck in DX. (Welcome to the NRC, John, and I have found 2,980 in 26 years at it. WDXR hasn't answered me either, but others have been more fortunate -Ed.)

Len Kruse - 816 Euclid Street - Dubuque, Iowa

Very little been at this den during the summer months, and in fact, only one new logging was made the past month. Station WCHR (1330) Corinth, Miss. formerly WKBX, was heard on 1400-kc-AM on June 26, from 8:45-9 a.m., with ORF from AN WLOL, Minneapolis. The big item of late is the fact that I have passed the 3,200 mark in verifications, all from this den. The present official count stands at 3,205. My latest verifications came from (letters): KTET KLYS WOOC WMEB KILT WQGS WDOE KAFR, and KXTN sent a notation on my reception report and returned same. The new KAFR in Douglas, Arizona, has a cute slogan: "Where Copper is Queen and KAFR is King." Will we see you in Findlay?

Mike Ferguson - 337? Prospect Avenue - Houston 4, Texas

Quite a bit has happened to me during the past few months, explaining why my DX correspondence has suffered so severely. I changed jobs May 15, becoming assistant general manager of the Houston Baseball Club in the Texas League. Just a month before I had enlisted in the Army Reserve program, which will place me on active status from mid-September to mid-March, wiping out the '58-'59 DX season. Our new home, now an actuality after several years' planning, will be ready by the time this is published, and I've already picked out a couple of ideal trees for long, high arials. We will have only half an acre, but I'll be able to take advantage of the neighbors' antenna as well as our own in stretching the wires. Incidentally, vindication is a wonderful thing. Early this year I reported hearing WNGC's DX show and another member shoted this catch, saying WNGC was not on. A very specific verie signed by President R. A. Douglas finally came in answer to a f/up a few weeks ago. 73 for now. (Congrats all around, Mike, but watch out for major league baseball in your city, hi! -Ed.)
John M. Mann - 1585 Quinet Street, Apt. 30 - St. Laurent, Montreal 9, Quebec

Well, I've been a NEQ member for a few months now and I wish to tell you that I find the Club great and a big help in my BCQ DXing. I enjoy the DX NEWS very much. I was going to send you a report on my DXing lately but that will have to be in another letter.

My main reason for writing was to tell you that the local station in Verdun, Quebec (a suburb of Montreal) CKVL on 850 kc/s is now 50,000 watts. I just made a phone call to all the local radio stations to find out the names of the QSOs. I thought this might be of interest to the Club members. I also have the addresses. They are as follows: CKVL, 211 Gordon Avenue, Verdun, Quebec, Maurice Rousseau, CE, English and French speaking station only. CIAC, 980 St. Catherine Street, West, Montreal, Len Spencer, CE, French only. CFRC, 4824 Cote de Neiges Road, Montreal, J.C. Douglas, CE, English only. CJAD, 1191 Mountain Street, Montreal, L. Sharley, CE, English only.

CJMS - 158 Dorchester Street, Montreal, Jean Garceau, CE, French only. CHER, 40 Place du Marché, St. Jean, Quebec - Guy Devalet, CE, French and a little English. CM (English) and CF (French), 1425 Dorchester St. West, Montreal. Again I would like to express my appreciation for the great club as the NFC. Hope the above info is of some use to the club. 73s and good DXing. (Forwarded by Ray Edgar). (Thanks for the kind words, John, and welcome to our midst. Please send your reports to me in Brooklyn.)

L. Lehasan - P.O. Box 624 - Los Gatos, California

When you keep asking to hear from the fellows who have been sort of silent I know I'm in that group. For the past 20 years I've been reading the bulletins keeping my interest alive, but somehow just about the time I figure I'm set to go I move or work on other activities eat into my time. Each summer I make an effort at getting started, perhaps in the summer because it isn't so cold getting out of bed as it is in the winter. So here I go again from the shores of Monterey Bay at my little cottage 3 mi from the KE50 towers. Receiver is my 11 yr old NC-173 and the old 161/2 vertical antenna is above ten' above ground. This July 4th morning I found static very heavy and signals jumped the midwest 50 kw's barely heard. About 4 a.m. EST I heard the following ANs you fellows back East might need: KAVL 610, Lancaster, KBL 1440 kc/s, Burbank(six nights a week) and KMAO 1400 Indio. While living in various sections down South I never heard Indio. On 760 kc/s, KGU was 8-3 in static without a trace of WJR which usually overrides them. Then came the shocker, on 830 kc/s. when KKI became my first 250 watt Hawaiian. They were partly copied for 34 minutes amid heavy static until WCCO just a wee bit louder also in static came on with a TT. And with this effort I think I've topped last season's efforts of Karl Raymond, and E.C. Gemes and I'll go back to sleep until next summer so they can catch up. Regards.

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

First, I want to congratulate Scooter Segraves for getting that fine NEQ publicity into "Popular Electronics." At last report, it had a circulation of 250,000 so this write-up is really something. Most of my DX has been chasing down easy-to-log holdouts. By date line it is as follows: 5/21 - Sputnik III 20,005 kc/s. at 4:40 p.m. 5/17 - CKSL, London, Ont. 1290 at 2 p.m. 6/19 - CMAK Sarnia, Ont. 1070 at 3:30 p.m. 6/20 - CHIO, Sudbury, Ont. 900 at 2:40 a.m. on AN sked. Only three verics in since last mailing, all letters: CKYL (my Northermost Canadian) WBEF and WOSC. I noted with interest Hal Wagner's remarks regarding the N.Z. editorial and the present situation in the NFC. I haven't seen this piece by Mr. Brads but if we're going to look around for editorials that apply, the one at the front of the June SW Section is in a way quite appropriate. Of course the material issues are different, and this is an intra-club matter while the discussion in the NNRC article involves several organizations. However, the basic principles are, unfortunately, identical. This is especially true of the last paragraph. 73s. Here is some info to fill out the few gaps in your baseball list: St. Louis (NL) - WTOH 940, WPBS 1330, KMO 1340. New York (AL) - WWBG 1240, not 1480. Detroit - WBFC, 1490. Kansas City - KODE, 1230. Also Detroit, WBSE 1340.

Ston Morong - B.R. 3 - Bradford, Massachusetts

5/17 - Verie in English from XEP after f/up on Spanish Report Form. 5/22 - Verie, WBEF and WRAJ. 5/31 - Verie on Spanish Report Form and WBEF. 5/5 - Verie WOSC DX, no f/up sent. 6/2 - Verie from GMKR, Santiago, Cuba, on Spanish PP cc. 6/5 - Verie on form from KNBE 1260 test at 1:10. WFLB 1490 AN selling appliances with GMOK in, no sign of WMST (ex-CLAIR) AN show. Couldn't tell if WFLB is a regular AN show or not. 5/12 - WBEF 990 on ES, some 10 power from local WCAP. Verie PP card back from WBEF, not even signed. Anybody have any better luck? Veries, WMN, WPBS and WCLS.
From May 7 to June 30 reports have been sent to 1290 KUMA for Oregon ERE, 1390 KTIL, same; 1280 KJOY for AN ET 5/19; 1240 KAKE AN 6/9; 1440 KETS AN; 620 KNKS California ER; 1280 KYA AN; 1240 KASL f/c 6/18; 1460 KNRT ET 6/18; 1220 KFSC f/c 6/19; 1240 KORE special f/c 6/19; 1480 KHAT ET, Phoenix, 6/23; 1370 KONO BB 6-6:30 5/23; 1390 KEDC Navecito program, 6:30 on, Monday 6/23; and 980 KINS 7-7:30, 6/23. Verices have been received from 610 WASL, QSL unsigned; 620 KNRS; 980 KGNN, color post card; 1220 KFSC; 1240 KASL; 1280 KJOY; 1290 KUMA; 1300 WOSC; 1440 KETS and 1460 KNRT, thanks, Phil Robbins. First f/ups went out this weekend to 16 stations, and seconds to ten, we had a magnificent vacation trip. Our case was never lost or stolen. Our landing in Casper, which KATT tried to help find, finally returned late that night. And on arrival in Rapid City a telegram said Paulsen's mother had died suddenly. So we had to cancel the rest of the trip and return to San Francisco and Richmond for the funeral, and on home. Very sorry to miss catching the Mittlers in Denver, and Bus Boatman in Phoenix; hope they can come out to see us soon. The Club's DXers' friend Jack James wrote he was no longer with KVFG, Cortez, but trying to get work in the Chicago area. I did do some DXing the second week of our vacation, with moderate results. I have received the Views A. Jones Co. AM-FM-TV Log; might be valuable, if the AM list by frequency were alphabetical by call, rather than by state. A good article on DX, and the NNC advertised in it - 3749 North Kyssth Avenue, Indianapolis, Ind. Also received the list if Canadian Broadcasting Sat, including their addresses; good BIS list by frequencies, by call. May 31st ended seven years in San Diego; 1,812 stations heard; 998 verices. DX occasionally, and reporr results, follows. Happy vacation.

Hal Williams - 50 Third Avenue - Seymour, Connecticut

As this is being written on Saturday 7/5 I am reminded that but eight short weeks remain before the annual NNC Convention and while I am really very sorry that it will be impossible for us to attend, I hope that many can be there as I know Marie and Elbert Tewell are arranging for a #bang-up affair. Those who can go and do not so will only have themselves to blame for missing a grand opportunity to meet their fellow DXers and enjoy a real pleasant time. Even though I will not be there I will be thinking of you. DX activities are at an all time low here as I have spent very little time at the dials the last couple of months. 6/8, from 2:15 to 2:40 I noted WHEN, Syracuse, N.Y., WSNW, St. Petersburg, Fla., WWNR Beckley, Va., and XENK all on 620 and all readable except XENK but alas, none needed. WWCQ-1260, Waterbury, Conn., again blasting away AN. 6/9, getting home at 1 a.m. I spent three fruitless hours at the dials. Lots of good DX but nothing new here. 6/16- WWAM-680 Rochester, N.Y. logged on f/c-TT. They never answered my report as WRT so hope they have a change of heart. 6/23- WEZL 1590 Richmond, Va., logged on top and almost in the clear at their 4 a.m. s/on. They topped WAKR easily until WBCB s/on at 4:35, then WGTO s/on at 4:46 and WNOs s/on at 4:49. WEZL is now heard daily at s/on. Schedules announced as 4:00 a.m. to 7:15 p.m. Veries are almost an unknowthing here as but three have been received since 5/21. On 6/9 a v/l from WEZY-990 Torrington, Conn. for a new call and on 6/7 3 a v/l KEZB-1310 sulphur, La. in the menu this morning a v/l sent to Lake City and forwarded by Hal Wagner from WEZL-1590 in Richmond, Va. for a verie total of 1,910. I could not help noting the very fine summer issues of DX NEWS for May and June and I trust that the July and August issues will be as well filled. Currently I am preparing 14 reply cards to send to delinquent stations reported in 1952. All have had f/ups. Seventeen f/ups were sent on 10/15/57 with ten replies and the seven not replying were sent PP cards on 7/4. They are WFMN-1460; KEVE-1440 NNNC DX 1/13/57; WVEA-860; WHC-1580; WLLR-1570; WDOS-730; and WCFP-1450. Ten f/ups sent out 3/5/58 with but three replies in, so seven PP cards will be sent out this week end to WZOK-1320; WGGV-1570; WNBV-1470; WIOD-1360; KEDF-1150; WHEB-1390 and KLIP-1190. While I am not in favor of PP cards for veries, they are decidedly better than no verie at all so I am hoping that I'll get results. 73.

G. Harley DeLounges - 56, Gray Street - Aberdeen, Scotland

This past month has been as far as DX in concerned. No DX and only one verie, namely from Radio DDR of Berlin-Oberschoneweide for Deutschlandsender 782 signed by Hans Hersberg of the English section. Also the North American Service sked of Rado Moscow together with a card of the Pravda Building was received. That's all. Well, tomorrow we will leave Aberdeen for Newcastle-on-Tyne, Doncaster, and Epworth, the home of John Wesley, the founder of the Methodist Church. At Epworth we will sleep in the old rectory. From there we will go to London, where my father has an engagement with Queen Elizabeth, the Queen Mother on July 7. Then on July 16 we will go to Brussels, Lille, Holland, Germany, Denmark, Sweden. I can hardly wait till we get to Esposition.
Greeting, MAC members. This is my first offering to the Musings section, as I joined the Club only last month. I had no idea there was such an interesting club in existence, devoted entirely to CB DXing. I own a Harmonium HQ-150 receiver and use a 100 foot long wire antenna. I began logging on July 12, 1957, and have received 690 stations. I am proud of 23 Canadian stations and five Hawaiian, with a distance record of 1YZ, 800 kc/s., Rotorua, New Zealand, from which I today received a beautiful QSL card!

For the benefit of those of you who collect QSL cards as I do, the following is a list of the ones I have: KWSC-1250; WHAM-1180; WEG-1050; KXN-1070; KFAB-1110; WMA-570-520; KBSC-880; WSA-1200; WKKX-1150; KXXL-1080; WOWO-1190; WHAM-780; KNOX-1120; CKOK-900; WJR-760; CTQC-600; KOA-850; WHO-1940; CKK-540; CBN-990; CKKK-620; WIVI-1040; CTJL-1220; WJDO-1160; KFI-1260; WLAQ-1610; WPXK-1460; CKDM-730; KOYO-960; KDKE-1020; WRA-560; KKL-1160; CHL-900; CTEN-1060; IYZ-800. I am trying to get at least one confirmation each of our new 49 states, but still lack eight: Connecticut, New Jersey, Delaware, Maine, Vermont, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, and Alaska. I hope to get these coming DX season with the aid of your CFC programs. I often make long distance phone calls to radio stations, especially those testing, to report my reception, recording the calls. Once in a while I make a call outside the U.S. to stations carrying on RE. Incidentally, on a phone call to KAPA, 1460, in Colorado Springs, Colo., I discovered they changed their call letters to KYSN. Logged recently are: KQO-940; KOLQ-920; WPUS-1580; WWSR-1320; WBES-1450; KVJO-1340; KJOM-1480; KSIR-900; KEIS-800; KMB-1320; KEPL-1440; WSCN-800; KOME-1300; KTUC-1400. I know of three publications listing all U.S. AM stations: "Broadcasting Yearbook", "White's Radio Log" and "Spot Radio Rates and Data." The last one has operating schedules for every AM station! So long for this round.

73s. (Welcome, Larry, to our Club, and we hope you'll be a regular here! — Ed.)

Bus Boestman — 207 North Hayden Road — Scottsdale, Arizona

Hello fellows! We finally got settled down in our new house but find that our worries have just begun. The yard is barren; no grass; so we have one heck of a job right there. Then such bothers as no telephone yet, air-conditioning fixtures, and carpeting add considerably to the headaches that are inherited with one of these "mass-production homes" in the Valley area. Any and all suggestions on how to keep this Arizona dirt from tracking into the house will be welcomed, hi. Still no real DX out here yet but give me time! I am getting up at 5 a.m. every morning but don't feel like DXing then since I usually stay up pretty late at night with one thing or another, hi. I should have a little spare time later in the summer as my job may not take all summer to complete. Still am entertaining hopes of getting a new rig but will have to wait and see about the job. To my mailbox since the last issue: letter from John Bryant back in Stillwater, letter from Len Kruse, and tape from Bryant. Nothing new from John (as usual, hi,) but haven't seen the tape yet. Len asked about picking up a few words in this area. I will try to get any that are within striking distance from Scottsdale if you care to send a copy of your report to me. I must add that I don't care to visit any of the DXers of the past season. RS or tests, OK, but please don't send any DX! If I can't obtain a verie for you, I'll write back to let you know that I tried anyway, hi. That's about it from here for now. 73s to all.

J. E. Neely — 226 Groveman Street — Jamestown, New York

Cheer up, DXers, a verie back from WDQI, 1410, for a report to them on March 5, 1957.

Other veries are WDEW on f/up, WNNF, 1280, who f/c on fourth Tuesdays at 3:00 to 3:10, so verie states, WAGE WABC. 6/9-2 WLCI, 1260, test at 2:03. TT atop WCAU, 1210, several times lately. 6/11 WNTS, 1560, test at 1:59. WSPA, 950, ER at 2:05. WLAP, 550, another new AN. 6/13 WAGE, 1570, test atop XRB at 1:16. 6/16 WADB, 1580, ET at 1:53 KSTN, 1420, good at 2:13. WCAQ, AN on 1130. 6/17 WKBX, 1580, at 1:52. WEZL, 1590, atop WAKR at 2:02. 6/18 KOBY, 1550, very good at 1:55 and KSTN also at 2:00. KKNV, 1460, test at 2:18. 6/18 WPJS, 1390, f/c at 2:30. Caught third harmonic of KTVP on 3300 as I was going up dial to Observatory Canada for correct time today. WDVA, 1250, test at 2:50. WFHR, 1340, f/c at 1:51. Unknown fading Spanish speaker, 1320, 2:00 to 2:40 but no ID caught. This was a Colombion. 6/24 WMDF, 1580, f/c at 3:04 and asking for DXers' mail. 6/25 WJAK, 1460, f/c at 2:36. 6/26 KBSB, 900, ET at 2:00 for new call. 6/27 WSBT, 1150, ET at 2:45. 6/28 WJWA, 1500, at 1:28. 6/30 WDSX, 1570 atop. XBS on at 1:50 for new call. WJUL, 1600, ET at 2:16, hope they verify this as none from 3/3 report. WCHL, 1360, test at 3. 7/1 WFMR 1240 atop mess here at 2:30 and WBSL in back. 7/5 A of today I have 22 reports out plus eight f/up reports out yet. WEZL 1590 atop WAKR 2:29. It seems that my birth certificate says I was born 64 years ago today but I was too young to remember. (Congrats, Pat! — Ed.)
DX at a standstill here at this den. Only one AM and that was Sunday 6/29 when I did manage to hear one new station, namely WCHB in Chapel Hill, N.C. 1360 on test at 2:02-2:10, shorted out. Others heard but not needed here in my collection were KZBE 560 RS 1210; WBIG 1470 RS till 2 and could be an AN, KGAT 1600 heard till 1:30, KWHX 1130 is AN, TT 1570 but XERF too strong, KETS 1440 AN, TT 1260 1:35 on, no voice; TT 1380, no voice. CKL 1380 AN, KTVX 1360 AN, Spanish on 880 behind WCGS. Spanish signals very strong this AM. TT 900 1:50 but cannot seem to get them to ID. I am still hoping to make the Findlay Convention. Perhaps we will have a carload if plans turn out OK.

Thirteen years since the June report. They are letters from KWEB-dx OBR 550, KAPR 930, KIAT 1300, KXDM 560, XEN 690, PP cards from TWG with one of their own, KBX 960, December report, WFMN 1460 April 1957 report, WFWL 1220 June 157 report, KELC 1220 Jan 1 report, WAZX 1380 for September 1955 report, and that's it. Total now 1,716 with nine to go for 20 since last Labor Day. Thirty-six foreign veries and five new countries past season. Antenna went down in May and so put up temporary one for summer. If WX permits I still enjoy DX but static really takes the joy out of it. Glad to see a fairly good-sized bulletin for summer, and be glad to get back to serious DX come fall. All for now and see you in Findlay I hope. Best DX to all and pleasant summer. 73a.

Wells H. Perkins - 1651 Mountain Avenue - Wauwatosa 13, Wisconsin

I've found out where I live! Geographically, that is - 39°59'10"W, 89°5' 115' North Latitude - that's right on the west side of Milwaukee. Not much stuff on the domestic side lately except WLOX 1490 in June, WDXR 1560, WSPR 1490, KEST 690 and WGBS 1010 in April, and KSTR 690-dx and KOBT 1550 in March. DX has been good with TGW 640, YNLU 966 and YSIE 1075 logged every month since around September, 1957. June 16 brought in TGW CIEC YNLU YSIE CMER 640 and TW 775 and heterodynes on 650 and 880. June 15 good also with heterodynes on 650 and 800. LA 880, CMHQ, TWG YNLU and YSIE. June 5 brought YSIE in at an S9 with Q multiplier, TGW CMER and YNLU. FM DX heard here on June 3 and 4. But I can't mention all my DX! I would really love a ride to WFFD and in Ohio this fall. Please, somebody passing through Chicago or Milwaukee? Best 73 and DX to all you sumertime DXers. I hope I'm not wrecking your eyes Ern, I'll type the next one.

Ores Wilson - 226 North Fourth Street - Reading, Pennsylvania

There really is a WKBX in Machias, Maine! It is a non-commercial station on 1400 kc/s, with 5 watts of power. I can't understand this - it must be a special grant by the FCC. It's probably the only 5 watt operating. They play popular records on a part-time schedule. Veries still coming in, with the 930 weather. Letter, WBA 1230, cards, WOND 1400, WOTE 1420, WQF 1400. Still have four more to hear from. Out of 33 sent last season, 29 have answered. I got more than I expected! Another new station of RS during the daytime is WBNZ 1600, Elizabethtown, Pennsylvania. 73s.
I was indeed gratified to see the note in the bulletin that Hal Wagner has a list of 65 prospective members for the NBC. Hats off to the magazine in which the article appeared! No doubt this burdens Hal Wagner, but I am quite sure that he welcomes all new members with the same enthusiasm now as ten years ago. Today, 6/30/58, closed the NBC Foreign DX Contest of this season and I find that my "Northern" California DX buddy beat me out of first place by either four or five points. Congrats to Clarence Freeman, hi! This past DX season was very good to me, even though I received only 85 points in various from my total reports. I added five new countries, namely, Fiji, Jamaica, Virgin Islands, South Korea and North Korea. In last year's contest I entered 31 vies for 199 points and 17 countries. In this year's, I entered 30 countries, for a total of 192 points and 16 countries. I realize that neither Clarence nor I went over 200 points - Don Reynolds had 311 in last year's contest and Roy Millar had 265 in the year before that - but there was a keen feeling of competition. Perhaps next year we can get in some of the boys out here who have done very little DXing in the past two years. They know who they are! The following is a breakdown of vies for this past year:

Colombia 5, Panama 3, Costa Rica 3, Venezuela 2, Japan 6, and one each from the following: Guatemala, Puerto Rico, Canada, Mexico, Cuba, South Korea, North Korea, Fiji, Virgin Islands, Hawaii and Jamaica. I haven't heard from John Callamian since he left, but no doubt he has completed his trip on the West Coast. Received a letter from Verne Taylor and his remarks concerning the Pacific Ocean area made my mouth water; especially when he mentioned that the Aussies were being heard very well during the month of May. The Zedders, however, were dead during this same period. Expect to heighten the East end of my an ema with the help of Don E. Cannot make the Convention this year, A fane summer to everyone. 73.

Bob Lohette - 210 Stevenson Drive - Pleasant Hill, California

Since I sent a Usings report last, I guess three months ago, I haven't done too much DXing to brag here in Pleasant Hill. Back on the first of May I did determine how many stations I can hear here in the daytime. Space permitting, here is the list.

Going down the dial from 540, KVIP Redding can be heard faintly through sideband splash from Hamilton Field aircraft beacon on 530. KFSO 560 San Francisco, KBX 580 Fresno, KFRC 610 San Francisco, KNOS 620 Hanford is weak here. On 630 kcs, I can hear two stations, KDID Monterey and KOMP Reno. KNBC 680 KCB 740 and KGO 810, all San Francisco.

KTFR 860 Modesto, KLX 910 Oakland, KOLO 920 Reno poke a very weak signal in here. If it weren't for the EFO I wouldn't hear it. KFBE 940 Fresno, KAH 950 in here real weak alos, KROK 960 Oakland, KHEE Modesto 970, KATT 990 Pittsburg, KSAY 1010 San Francisco, and a faint signal from KQRE 1010 Delano. KQSY 1050 San Mateo, KQAY 1060 Chico, KSOO 1210 Santa Cruz, KCB 1100 San Francisco, KFAX 1140 Stockton, KLOX 1170 San Jose, KGW 1190 Vallejo, KIEE 1220 Palo Alto, KGK 1230 Stockton, KQSL Sacramento and KMBY Monterey on 1240 with KNOY the louder of the two. KYA 1260 San Francisco, KQJO 1230 Stockton, KHSN Chico and KFBE Gilroy 1290. KBR 1310 Oakland, KCBR Sacramento 1320, KOMY 1340 Watsonville very weak, KSB 1350 Santa Rosa, KFIV 1360 Modesto, KSFY 1370 San Jose, KSMS 1380 Sacramento, KBE 1400 Berkeley, KMTY 1410 Marysville, KSBM 1420 Stockton, KNON 1440 Napa, KSAN San Francisco and KATR Yuba City can be heard way in the background with no audio on KSN 1460. KDON 1460 Salinas, KCOA 1470 Sacramento, KQOC 1480 Merced, KAPP 1490 Petaluma, KXXK San Jose 1500, KTIM 1510 San Rafael, KFBE 1530 Sacramento, KOSY 1550 San Francisco, KCVR Lodi 1570. I have been trying to ID the call letters of a station inered on 1580 for several days now. Most of their commercial are located inered. KSJO San Jose 1580, and lately KUBA Yuba City 1600. That's a total of 60 stations on 55 frequencies. Can anybody beat this for daytime activity?

With a new station in Santa Rosa on the way on 1150 I'll be able to hear that one too.

Two weeks ago I had an all too short telephone call from John Callamian as he passed by here on the bus northward. Thanks again for buzing me, Johnny boy. See you next time.

Melvin J. Veldhuizen - Beed Hall - Boulder, Colorado

I like very much the baseball listings in the DX News in May. Would like to see that continued. Before entering the University of Colorado for the summer term, I spent a brief vacation up in Montana. While there I noted this change in the "Game of the Day" broadcasts. KDON 560 apparently dropped these broadcasts about June 1, with one of Montana's "XL" stations, KXML 1400, picking up these broadcasts for the Great Falls area. (Glad to hear from you Mel - we hope more often, and soon!) -Ed.

WE WELCOME ALL REPORTS FOR THIS SECTION, SEND THEM TO ERNEST R. COOPER, 138 EAST 21 STREET, BROOKLYN 26, N.Y. AND - PLEASE DOUBLE SPACE YOUR LETTERS TO MAKE IT EASIER TO COPY THEM ONTO THE STENCILS. THANK YOU, AND GOOD DX TO YOU ALL.
Some time ago I received a membership application to your DX Club. Also a sample copy of your magazine sent at the request of Radio Station KVOE Emporia, Kansas who gave a special DX programme in your honour and which was heard at good strength in New Zealand. I had hoped to become a member but unfortunately, owing to Import Restrictions, I am unable to obtain the dollars necessary for subscription. The only available exchange is unfortunately, Sterling. As far as DX is concerned, the Broadcast Band is my specialty. I have a very good location for reception of station in the Far East, Middle East and Europe. My location is not too good, however, for North American reception although at times I do hear some of the more distant American stations. I received fourth veriey for N.Z. from WSAR 1480. Last month also a veriey from Aden on 800 k.c/s., 5 kw., believed to be first from N.Z. I have seen other copies of your magazine as Ted Manning in New Plymouth is one of your members and many North American changes shown in the pages of your magazine enable me to keep a reasonably accurate log of North American stations. I'm sorry I am unable to join your Club, much as I'd like to, especially as I'm sure I could forward you some interesting information from time to time on stations and reception, CX between here, the Far East, and Europe. I wish you all the best of DX and the best of reception.

EDITOR'S NOTE: PERHAPS ONE OF OUR AMERICAN MEMBERS MIGHT BE ABLE TO WORK OUT AN INTERCHANGE WITH BOB CHAMBERS FOR NEW ZEALAND AND/OR AUSTRALIAN POSTAGE STAMPS IN RETURN FOR HIS MEMBERSHIP IN N.R.C. IF YOU ARE INTERESTED, PLEASE CONTACT HIM AT THE ABOVE ADDRESS.

It is a pleasure to join such a seemingly live wire club as the National Radio Club. Please find enclosed a postal money order for $4.00. I have only been interested in BCB listening for about a month but I hope to make up for lost time, hi. During my months logging time I have logged 26 states, Canada, Mexico and 1LY in New Zealand, two nights after Larry Godwin copied it. I hope to be a very good member and a consistent reporter to DX NEWS. I hope it is possible to receive all the valuable literature like you sent Larry. Until my report to DX NEWS in the next issue, 73s. (Welcome to NRC, Ross, and we hope you will be active and send in regular reports! -Ed.)

Russell M. Mohney - P.O. Box 4 - Wheatland, Pennsylvania

Enclosed $4.00 for application to the National Radio Club. (Short Wave report, Popular Electronics, June, 1959). Please send me a copy of the DX NEWS. I am interested in SW broadcast band DX. Am building a Heath Kit, started with Allied Ocean Hopper. I am a beginner, at this DX and don’t know anything about it. (Welcome to NRC, Ross, and we hope you'll shortly hear from some of our members. We hope to hear from you for these columns as your log commences to grow! -Ed.)

Lefty Cooper - 433 East 21 Street - Brooklyn 26, New York

A few veries have trickled in: Letters: WHEC 1270, WHTG 1410, WDOE 1410, WEZL 1390. We've done a little summer time tuning here, and we can't help but refute the arguments some give that summer DX is no good. For example, this morning, 7/8/59 was as good as most winter mornings of last season were, even though it was 780 here, and the humidity about 90%! Static was absolutely nil! But to the beginning, first. WDEW 1570 heard on 88 and tried for a second report 6/26, 2:03-7:30 p.m. s/off (EST). WAQE bothered somewhat toward the end. 6/26- Up hoping WEXB 1330 hadn't changed calls yet, but they had, to WCBR, so logged the new call without having logged the old, on f/c-TT 2:15-3, possible now that WEXB's 3 a.m. s/off is EST. That evening, a twilight second report sent to WHTG 1410, semi-local here until an hour or so before sunset when WPOP bothers them considerably. WPOP used to be semi-local until the advent of WHTG. They say, WHTG, Eatontown, N.J., with studios, offices and transmitter located in New Brunswick, N.J. and the latterhead specifies an Asbury Park address. What I'm trying to figure out is where Eatontown fits into their setup at all! 7/1- "Pot-luck" DXing produced brand new WEXB 1570, Vansburg, Ky. on ET/MT just back of XERN for a welcome new one. They were logged 2:47-2:51 when just an OC stayed on. 7/2- Up again, nothing new, only WEZL 1590 testing, 1:15 a.m. 7/3- Up to try for WUSD 1280 on f/c-M with WOUV's 3 a.m. s/off, like WEXB's, now EST, opening 1280 for their 2:45-3 a.m. f/c which easily topped EMS here, and another welcome addition to the family. 7/7- WKD 1600 booming in at 2:14-2:18 s/off for a second report, first unverified. Then WADA 1390, brand newie in Shelby, N.C. on ET/MT asking reports with a 9P record prize to furthest reporter, with QRM from an OC, probably WEAM's. 7/8- After many a try, finally latched onto WCFY 1230 on f/c but they signed off at 1:12, and were not on 1:10-1:25 as listed. WYSR 1250 heard for second try for a verie on f/c-TT, 1:15-1:22. Two Spanish on 1420 at 2 a.m. D X NEWS July 12, 1959
I received your sample copy of the DX NEWS and I was quite impressed. However, I must confess that I'm confused with your different abbreviations, and some of your lingo. What frequencies do your Club members search through? What sort of report forms do you send out to these different Radio Stations when you request those veris you speak of? What sort of equipment do you folks use? What sort of an antenna is used? As you can see, I've got a million questions, so any sort of information you can give me will maybe bring me out of my doldrums. (Welcome to our Club, Ray, and we hope to hear from you soon often! Ed.)

Mrs. Elbert (Marie) Tewell - Carey, Ohio

Now that our big wedding and camp are over for this season our minds are back in full swing to the Convention. Some plans are shaping up very well while others aren't so good or is that the lot of a Convention host? Tours are rather hard to plan for this weekend due to plants closing. But we trust there will be enjoyment for all DXers, wives, and children. A hearty welcome to all new members and we are looking forward to meeting many of you the Labor Day Weekend, August 29 to September 1, at Hotel Phoenix, Findlay, Ohio.

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1570 W H O T Campbell, Ohio, 1,000 D-3. Changes in DA.

1600 W K B T Harriman, Tennessee, to 5,000 D-1, from 1230 kc/s., 250 U-1.

HEARD SINCE THE LAST ISSUE

590 C K A R Huntsville, Ontario FCC
600 W I R B Ex-1230 kc/s. FCC 1340 K I K O Miami, Arizona FCC
730 C K A C Now 50,000 U-3. FCC 1390 W A D A Shelby, North Carolina NRC
850 C K Y L Now 50,000 U-3. NRC 1430 K A M P El Centro, California FCC
900 K S I R Wichita, Kansas NRC 1450 W S T U Now 250 U-1. FCC
1010 W S P T New 1,000 D-1. FCC 1460 K Y S N Ex-KAPA NRC
1270 K P A P Redding, California FCC 1470 C H O W Welland, Ontario NRC
1290 K S R C Scurro, New Mexico FCC 1500 W A A W Marlboro, Massachusetts NRC
1320 W H C K New 1,000 D-1. FCC 1490 K H A T Phoenix, Arizona FCC
1340 W C R R Ex-WKAB FCC 1550 W A A Y Ex-WHBS FCC
1350 W C R R Ex-WKAB NRC 1570 W K K S Vancouer, Kentucky NRC

CORRECTION: In last issue the calls for Terre Haute, Ind. on 1300 are WMFT, not WMPT.

WATCH FOR:

1320 R M A Q Maquoketa, Iowa, expected to be on RS sometime in August. (Krusse)
1590 W J S O Jonesboro, Tenn, expected to be on RS by 8/1. This from direct contact by a friend up for the summer from Elizabethton, Tennessee. (E.Cooper)

1230 W K C E Berlin, N.H. (ex-WMOU) may be in trouble for allegedly slandering a local theatre as to teen-age sex acts in said movie house. The theatre owner has attached the station's principal assets to the tune of $10 thousand dollars. A WWLP (?) of Springfield, Mass. has begun a campaign to help raise this money for Wcrusader WBCE. (Duffy) (Duffy)

1330 W A E W Crossville, Tenn. Our recent visitor and friend, CE Ed Lane, formerly here, then at WDTN-1230, is back at WANE who are under new ownership.

NEXT ISSUE IS AUGUST 16

Brooklyn deadline therefore will be August 12, Buffalo is August 14.

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

Hal Wagner, our Executive Secretary, has forwarded several of the letters included in Masons from new members. We want to say we are very happy to have you with us, but we note that most of you are somewhat confused by our abbreviations and lingo. We trust that by now you have received the sheet with all our standard abbreviations listed, and that you are well on your way towards becoming an NRC veteran. We are sure many of our members will be only too happy to write you some helpful hints on DXing, and also on receiving equipment, antennas and grounds, etc. We would like to know what DX you get, and you may send your reports to your Editor, Ernest E. Cooper, 436 Rast 21 Street Brooklyn 26, N.Y. Our deadline for publication is the Tuesday before the date of the issue in question. Our rules are simple: Please do not use any non-NRC abbreviations which many might not understand and which might make dull an otherwise interesting report. Also, we allow 30 lines to a member - 30 lines of our print here. We ask you to double-space your reports, whether you type or write them, so as to make it easier and faster for your editor to copy them off onto the stencils. We allow up to five lines to discuss anything other than BCB DX, i.e. SW, LW, or equipment, etc., the rest to deal with our principal subject, BCB DX. We cordially invite you to write in often. We go weekly beginning in mid-October, until mid-April. One issue in August, two in September, 34 in all over the course of the fiscal year of NRC, which begins with September 1. In reporting foreign BCB DX, it goes to the Editor of International DX Digest, Fred Van Voorhees, Box 132, Lemoine, Pennsylvania. His rules are to list the stations by continent, then under each continent by country, and to use only one side of the paper. He cuts the reports up, you see, to group them for his stencils. He also appreciates it if you double-space your reports. His deadlines vary, but Tuesday is generally safe. And for "hot" tips, like a late s/off or early s/on of a difficult to hear station otherwise, or a new f/c time, or ET time, etc. go to Bay B. Edge, 325 Shirley Avenue, Buffalo 15, N.Y. His deadline is the Thursday before publication date. We do not use "ham" lingo in our reports as the general rule, nor no "anti" talk - references to any group of people or stations like "AN pests" or "Spucks" or blue words, like "lousy" etc. We heartily invite - even urge - you new lads to attend this up-coming Labor Day weekend Convention. You'll love every minute of it! Try to make it, EVERYBODY, new or old!
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DX NEWS  

INTERNATIONAL DX DIGEST  

July 12, 1958  

Edited by Fred L. VanVoorhees, Box 132, Lemoyne, Pennsylvania, U.S.A.  

Because we are very late anyway, and also because there really isn't much at hand other than information sent in by members, this will be a short DIGEST limited only to actual reports with nothing copied from other publications. Hope to get caught up on such material next month. First of all before I forgot it, John Callarman has prepared a list of all countries with the amount of first class postage which is necessary to mail a letter back from that country to this. He has included both air and surface mail. Because of the expense necessary in setting this up and duplicating it, it is offered to you for 10c. Just send me a dime and request the foreign postage list, and one will be sent to you. A stamped self-addressed envelope will also be appreciated, as this is not a money-making deal. There will be enough copies for all who want them.

Now let's have our final Foreign Contest Standings.

FOREIGN DX CONTEST

Manager: Roger Anderson, 5700 Eighth Road North, Arlington 5, Virginia.

EASTERN LEAGUE

1. Kermit Geary, Pennsylvania. Adds CMWY CMJY HT1R-------------169
2. C. E. Stanbury, Ontario. Adds PJC2 HJFZ-----------------123
3. Roger Anderson, Virginia. No additions ----------------107
4. Hank Holbrook, Maryland. Adds WLEO XELZ CMJY CHEK XEWK
Radio Jamaica 560-----------------104
5. Frank Wheeler, Pennsylvania. No additions ----------------14
6. Charlo Conley, Pennsylvania. No entries-----------------0

CENTRAL LEAGUE

2. Jack Hathaway, Honduras. Adds WIVY------------------64
3. Mauricio Mittler, Colorado. No additions-----------------40

WEST COAST LEAGUE

1. Clarence Freeman, California. Adds 12Z CMQ JOIE-----------196
4. Don Reynolds, California. Adds None-------------------89
5. Albert Lehr, California. Adds none-------------------61

The winners of certificates for most countries verified in each league are:  
Eastern: Kermit Geary 16  
Central: Everett Johnson 10  
West Cst: Hank Wilkinson 16

The certificates and stamps will be in the mail this week to the nine winners. Roger says to please thank the contestants and say that he hopes that there will be another contest in the fall. The last report from Don Reynolds was not received until July 3, but it would not have changed the standings in that league.

May I add my thanks to all in the contest and especially to Roger for a very thorough handling of the contest. It was a job well done, and I know that everyone in the club says thanks, Roger.

Now there is a little DX information, so let's take a look at it.

NORTH AMERICA

PUERTO RICO--**WN1K (1230) Arecibo, is now in operation with their new station. Uses 250 watts. (FCC)

MEXICO--**XELZ Mexico City verified by letter. This one is on 1440 Kcs. with 5 Kw. Nice letter signed by Mrs. Cristina Zetina, Sub. Gogentro. Address is XELZ RADIO INDEPENDIENTE NUEVA XELZ, Av. Juarez No. 97 6

Piso, Mexico, D. F. (HF) Following notes from the FCC:

620 XECK Durango, Dgo. 100(1) Change in frequency from 1340 Kcs.
970 XEDF Mexico, D. F. 1300(5). Correct to unlimited operation.
1010 XEPB Hermosillo, Sonora. 250 DAY Now station.
1260 XEXR Ciudad Valles, S. L. P. 1000 DAY Now Station.
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1320 XETN Tuxtepec, Oaxaca, 100(1) New station.
1340 XECK Durango, Dgo. Now moved to 620 Kc.
1460 XENS Navajo, Sonora. 1000 New Station.
1520 XEMX Hualtangillo, Tabasco. 100(1) New Station.

GUATEMALA—After several attempts, finally got CMZ (1532) to verify.
Nice letter on plain stationery and signed by Ing. Luis V. del Moral (CG6ZE), Apartado Postal 120, Florida, Cemaguay, Cuba. Believe this is his home address. Power is given as 500 watts. CMZ (1150) Havana, has verified a March report by pc card. Signor not legible. Slogan is listed as RADIO POPULAR and the correct address is Caribello 9 Carro, Havana. 63 Cubans now verified. (HH)

JAMAICA—Mandeville (562) verified by pp card, signor unreadable. (HH)

SOUTH AMERICA

COLOMBIA—Verico letter and 5th anniversary pennant received from HJFZ. Signor is illegible but it is the Administrator. (CMS)

NETHERLANDS ANTILLES—Verico via prepared card received from PJ02. Signor is illegible. (CMS)

EUROPE

U. S. S. R.—Radio Moscow broadcasts the English service to Europe over MW at 2230 on 1385, 1522; and at 2330 on 1385, 1034, 800 Kc. (RP)

GERMANY—Norddeutscher Rundfunk stations on (Forgot to mention the frequency) are a remarkable signal for low power and always top the other German network stations on the same frequency. APN Bremerhaven has a very friendly QSL letter, signed by Rossman Irwin, Station Commander. Transmitter is located 300 yds. from the mouth of the Weser River in a swamp, this produces a fabulous grounding system and results in a directional pattern over the North Sea towards the UK, power 1 kw. (RP)

CZECHOSLOVAKIA—Prague is in English for the UK at 2200 on 1236 McInk, and at 2310 on 1097 Kcs. (Bratislava I) Report out to this station. (RP) Prague (372) signs off at 2300 with call in English and French. "This is Prague calling the town and OTR. We will now transmit a 2 Kcs. tone signal." This is on week nights only. (RP)

NORWAY—Stavanger (1313) received at good level at 1230, certainly getting out OK. Oslo (219) is better in daylight than at night for signal strength although not very strong even then. (RP)

ALBANIA—Tirana (1088) heard at good level at 2210 after BBC has signed off with Italian program. (RP) (Note that all of RP's reports are in GMT, not EST)

OCEANIA

AUSTRALIA—Verico in from 2OL, (820) Glen Innes, on a report of 3/25/58 from 0243-0259 PST. Received an ABC card and letter signed by Arthur W. Dibney, Programme Operations Officer, Address same as in WRH. (HW)

REPORTERS

IW—Hank Wilkinson, 6620 Bosman Avenue, North Hollywood, California.
CMS—C. M. Stansbury, Box 218, Crystal Beach, Ontario, Canada.
HH—Hank Holbrook, 4710 Edgemoor Lane #206, Bethesda 14, Maryland.
FCC—Federal Communications Commission, Washington 25, D. C. 

Roy Patrick advises that he is moving on July 19th to 1 Parker Street, Derby, where he will open a radio and electrical business. All of our best wishes on your new venture, Roy. Hope it is a tremendous success. HankHolbrook reports that the following reports are still out: XERR, YVQQ, DJEW, YNDS, Mennonrat, L5S, YSCB, CMSC, YNLU, XAWK, HJFK, and C0AX4. 34 foreign stations reported this season and 22 verified for a percentage of 66%. Will try to have a DIGEST for you in August if Lefty's deadline date doesn't mix with my vacation. See you then. 73,