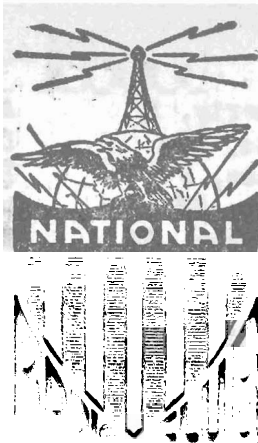


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HOPE FROM PORT HOPE

"nclosed please find a money order for five dollars for my annual fees tothe NRC and first class postage. I have no idea what the coming year has in store for my DX activities, but I can assure you that being a member of the NRC will make it a brighter one due to the great work done by the different departments and the CPC. Thanks.

-Bill Wicklund, 54 Pine St. South, Port Hope, Ontario

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CHANGES IN STATION DATA - FCC, CDT

NEW STATIONS

550 Orange Park, Florida	1,000 D-3		
970 Austin, Texas	1,000 D-3	980 Pompano Beach, Florida	1,000 D-3
980 Chase City, Virginia	500 D-1	990 Miami/South Miami, Fla.	5,000 U-3

NEW CALLS

600 W C V P	Murphy, North Carolina		
920 K T O C	Jonesboro, Louisiana	1430 K A O L	Carrollton, Missouri
960 W R O P	Lake City, Florida	1460 W E L Z	Belzoni, Mississippi
1010 W C S T	Berkeley Springs, West Va.		W M N M Lafayette, Tennessee
1320 W A G Y	Forest City, North Carolina	1480 W Y R N	Louisburg, North Carolina
1410 K L F D	Litchfield, Minnesota	1580 W B P D	Orangeburg, South Carolina

CALL CHANGES

	new	old		new	old		
550	K A K I	KTSA	San Antonio, Texas	1250	K H O K	KGOL	Golden, Colorado
	W S A U	WOSA	Wausau, Wisconsin		W Y T H	WMGE	Madison, Georgia
810	W A B W	WIPA	Annapolis, Maryland	1370	K O K E	KTKX	Austin, Texas
910	K Y S S	KDOO	Missoula, Montana		K P O S	KRWS	Post, Texas
980	K O K A	KZEA	Shreveport, Louisiana	1400	W R I G	WSAU	Wausau, Wisconsin
1050	K C I J	KOKA	Shreveport, Louisiana	1500	K T X O	KTAN	Sherman, Texas
1150	W A X X	WCHF	Chippewa Falls, Wisc.	1580	W G R C	WSTK	Green Cove Spgs, Fla.

FACILITIES

680	C J O B	Winnipeg, Manitoba, to 10,000/2,500 U-2.
930	K I T E	To Terrell Hills, Texas, from San Antonio, Texas, and to 5,000/1,000 U-2, from 1,000 D-1.
950	C K B B	Barrie, Ontario, to 5,000/2,500 U-3, from 1230 kc/s., 250 U-1.
1320	W I L S	Lansing, Michigan, 5,000/1,000 U-4. Changes in daytime DA.
1400	K D W E	Stamford, Texas, 250 U-1. Cancel permit for 1390 kc/s. Stays on 1400.
1480	W S A R	F-11 River, Massachusetts, 5000 U-4. Changes in day and night DA.

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VERIE SIGNERS

550	K FpR M	F. L. Daugherty, E	A	1320	K X Y Z	Ted Hills, M	K
	W K R C	D. M. Frantz, ESu	D		W I L S	John Whitacre, CE	K
560	K P Q	James Wallace, P	B	1330	W A S A	John Hartogensis, CE	O
570	K IqUuB	Del Williams, CE	JM		W E A W	Edward A. Wheeler, P	N
590	K C S J	Kenneth Renfrow, CE	K		W B L F	Lee C. Ray, M	N
630	K H O W	Ben Stanton	K		W LuO L	Karl Peterson, P	J
640	K F I	H. M. McDonald, OpSu, EDpt	K	1350	K LpY D	Vern Tucker, CE	AC
670	W M A Q	Ruth M. Pashley	K	1360	K SqC J	Stephen Dier, CE	K
680	C J O B	R. V. Durie, CE	K	1370	K G N O	Robert Ellinger, CE	K
710	K U R V	Edgar McBurney	K		K P O S	Robert G. Purrington, TD	K
740	K R M G	Rae Jones	K	1380	K S W O	Emmet L. Keogh, M	K
750	K SuE O	Leslie W. Coleman, M	A	1390	K CrR C	David B. Tennison, CE	K
790	K G H L	V. Braunberger	K		W R I V	John F. Mulcahy, SM	I
830	K I K I	Angelo J. Rossi, M	F		W HpP B	Clyde Laughter	I
860	K P A N	Clint Formby, M	K	1410	W ApL A	R. B. Hurley, CE	A
870	W WqL	A. Windmeyer	A		W H T G	H. M. Gade	P
900	C H N O	P. Scott, M	D		W D S K	L. A. Feduccia	G
	K M C O	David White, A	D	1420	W VqJ S	Earl Jagoe, CE	J
910	K L A N	Clifford H. Hansen, M	C		K TcR E	Pat Matthews	K
950	K A H I	Gene Ragle, GM	C		W H K	Ralph H. DeLong	K
	W P E H	Murray Arnold, SM	H		W BpR D	Marlen J. Hager, CE	L
960	K G K L	Lewis O. Seibert, M	K	1430	W WqG S	R. B. Mitchell, A	K
	K W Y K	Al Lucero, PD	C		K AqR M	Elbert H. Dean, CE	C
980	K UuP I	J. Ronald Bayton, O	A		K A M P	William H. Ellison, GM	A
	W S U B	Lawrence A. Reilley, GM	NP	1440	W G I G	Duane Niner	H
	K FqW B	Leonard G. Hayden, CE	K		K OqK Y	Myron Turvey	L
1010	K CpH J	Jean G. Johnes, M	A	1460	W RqA C	R. Liediek, CE	J
1080	C H E D	A. C. Nichol, CE	B		W AfC O	Jack Vinson, CE	K
1130	K SqD O	V. A. Milton, CE	C	1470	W M B D	George Pyle, CE	HK
1150	K C K Y	William Parady, M	KE		W B I G	Ernest Pate, CE	H
	K O Y E	(Juan S. Chavez, GM (John S. Sanchez, GM	E	1480	W LfO K	B E. Jones, CE	K
	K J B C	Jack Cecil, CE	K		K BfO X	Gordon Vaughan Jr., ESu	K
1220	K A B R	Neil Edwards	N	1500	K H A T	Ray Odom, GM	A
	W L P O	Lawrence McCann, CE	N	1510	K S T P	Elizabeth Bain	K
	W GuNY	Clarence Pulling, E	O	1550	W LqA C	F. D. Binns, CE	K
	W J U N	K. G. Callahan, CE	O		W RqA Y	Lee Kennedy, CE	K
	C K D A	David G. Hill, M	C	1570	K R E S	Joseph Kilgore	C
1250	K S M L	Hal W. Blymiller, M	K	1580	C HqU B	Lee Fox	K
	W E T U	D. L. Conley, CE	A	1590	W fE SuY	Carnell Tucker, Co-M	P
	CuK RnB	Gilles Bernier, PD	P	1600	W OrK J	Plumes H. Green Jr.	K
1260	W W I S	Walter Boller, CE	M		W K D L	Joseph G. Rachuba, PD	P
1270	K I H O	John Kramer, CE	K		K W E L	(Jerry White (Jack J. Quirk, A	J K
	K E P S	Donn S. Mitchell, M	C			<u>C R E D I T S</u>	
>	K F J Z	James T. Peterson, CE	C	A -	Fran Nittler	I - Stan Horss	
	W B H C	William Hellingworth, M	P	B -	Fred Barene	J - Ev Johnson	
	W K Y R	Allen W. Dripps, CE	H	C -	Jim Critchett	K - John Callaman	
	W T S N	James Price, CE	H	D -	Ralph Jchanns	L - Pat Reilley	
1280	W M N F	Douglas Jones, CE	P	E -	John Callaman	M - Len Kruse	
	W D S P	Laderne Foster Jr., CE	P	F -	Mort Meehan	N - Hal Williams	
	K H E P	Wallace R. Johnson, GM	C	G -	Scot Segraves	O - Bart Brown	
1290	K BuI O	Irene Schlautman, OM	J	H -	Ron Fowler	P - Lefty Cooper	
1300	K V O R	Rolan Cobb, CE	K				
	K G L O	Roger E. Sawyer, CE	N				
1310	W LuO B	T. Richard Dunn, CE	P				
	W V I P	Ernest Machanic, CE	P				
1320	K O L T	Roland D. Moore	A				
	K SpL R	Darrell K. Anderson, GM	A				
	W E Z B	Gene Newman, M	C				

We have several more v/s here which we are holding over for our next issue, which will be in two weeks. Deadline for "Musings" and v/s is Tuesday, September 23, and for DX Down the Dial it is Thursday, September 25. Let's hear from all of you lads.

Send all items in E.S.T. to Ray B. Edge 325 Shirley Ave-Buffalo 15, N.Y.

FREQ CALL

REMARKS

550 KAKI San Antonio, Tex ex KTSA now using this new call (Callerman)
 630 KHOW Denver, Colo Sked 0700(0800)-0200 says verie (Callerman)
 640 KFI Los Angeles, Calif Silent MON 0300-0830 when back to PST(Cal)
 650 WSM Nashville, Tenn off AN Monday but TT (Hal Williams)
 710 KURV Richfield, Utah normally S/off 11:30 PM says verie (Callerman)
 770 WABC New York N Y will not be off SUN AMs as of 9/14 (Williams)
 780 WBBM Chicago, Ill is NOT Silent MON AMs (Williams)
 980 KJVC Richfield, Utah hrd F/C/m during KGLN F/C on 8/25 to 0247(Cl m)
 990 WHOO Orlando, Fla alnite SUN 9/7, so maybe another one (Kruse)
 1060 WNOE New Orleans La seems back on slaughting (Callerman)
 1130 KWKE Shreveport La begins S/off ann at 0155, NOT AN AN (Callerman)
 1190 KGYW Vallejo, Calif changed call to KNBA, 250 watts (Bob Motte)
 1220 CJRL Kenora, Ont Canada on 24 hrd on 9/7 so maybe another (Kruse)
 1230 WFRP Savannah Ga is now 24 hours daily (Kruse)
 WBER Easton Penn S/on 0450 during DST, EST other months (Williams)
 KLAS Las Vegas, Nev F/C will be 0305-0320 1st MON when PST returns
 KHHH Pampa Tex was alniting Labor Day Wk-end (Callm) / to Nevada)
 1250 KVLV Fallon Nev F/C on 8/25 at 0200-0215 - 2 Hrs early (Callerman)
 KNSC Pullman, Wash in the clear to 0217 S/off (Callerman)
 1270 WTAL Tallahassee Fla Alniting on 9/7, so maybe another one (Kruse)
 1300 KFTL Carson City, Nev hrd here on 9/7, its new freq (Motte)
 1340 KTAL San Angelo, Tex ended TT on 8/25 at 0225 (Callerman)
 1350 KLYD Bakersfield Calif F/C ended on 8/25 at 0206 (Callerman)
 1360 WKMI Kalamazoo, Mich now operates 24 hours daily (Kruse)
 1380 KWK St Louis, mo tested several AMs in late Aug with OC & TT(Clman)
 1390 KCRC Enid Okla Sked 0700-0800; F/Cs SUN AMs during Reg Sked(Cl m)
 1400 KTUC Tucson Ariz Sked 24 hrd Silent SUN 0500-0700; MON 0200-0800
 1410 KBIG Odessa, Tex seems AN SAT & SUN AMs (Callerman / (Morss)
 1420 KPBP San Angelo, Tex F/C on 9/11 at 0200-0215 and then EV OTHER
 2nd THUR at same time (Hal Williams)
 1430 WWGS Tifton Ga now S/on at 0500, as of 8/23 says verie (Callerman)
 1470 WBIG Greensboro, N C now on 24 hrd daily, 7 days as per ann (Kruse)
 1480 KGLU Safford Ariz S/off 0101; KGCX Sidney Mont S/off 0106;
 KIMC Lincoln Neb S/off 0100 and SUN AMs at 0300.
 KANS Wichita Kans definitely not an alniter, S/off 0102 (Callerman)
 1500 WJBK Detroit Mich has F/C-TT on 3rd MON at 0115-0130; WTOP Silent
 1570 KLGH Mexicali B Cfd S/off 0200; Will be 0300 on return / (Williams)
 to PST; last hour in Spanish request show, Am Hoch & Roll
 1580 WWIL Ft Lauderdale Fla resumed alniting (Kruse) / records (Callerman)
 1590 WZZL Richmond Va new S/on SUN AMs at 0500 with 5Kw and can be hrd
 quite a distance (Kruse)
 KGAS Carthage Tex This daytimer was an alniter the Labor Day Wk-end
 KCBD Lubbock, Tex Sked 0700 (0800-0900) 0100 and F/C is on 3rd THURS
 and begins as 0101 says verie (Callerman)

News item From Broadcasting of 6/2/58; Quote" FCC announced it will accept after July 7th applications from Class IV (local) AM stations to increase power up to 1 Kw daytime maximum. NARBA agreement currently pending Senate ratification, removes 250 watts maximum for Class IV daytime operation for all outlets located more than 62 miles from the Mexican border. No action will be taken on applications until coordination of NARBA agreement can be effected among the North American Countries.

News item From Broadcasting dated 9/8/58 shows that to date a total of 65 Class IV stations have applied to go to above the 250 watt power limit, 60 to 1 Kw and 5 to 500 watts; They are 11 on 1230 kc; 9 on 1240 kc 15 on 1340 kc; 9 on 1400 kc; 11 on 1450 kc and 10 on 1490 kcs. "and"

Remember, report items in E.S.T. always and continue those HOT tips.

MUSINGS OF THE MEMBERS

Stan Morss - R.R. 3 - Bradford, Massachusetts

7/22- CKDH 1400 on at 4:28 $\frac{1}{2}$ EST over an EST AN with Owl Club, to complete Nova Scotia again. WWIL AN or sounded like it at 4:20 EST. WCSH 4:45 RS. 8/3- 1480 WTRA at 5:30 a.m. EST s/on. WTLB 1310 announcing as now 24 hours but no sign of WORC AN show 5:45 a.m. EST. 8/4- WIL test 2:24. WOOW AN show at 2:45. WEBB 1360 at 3 a.m. musical test. KARK 920 at 3:15, TT. WLEU and WQSN fighting it out on 1450 at 3:20. Someone using a Spud Anderson tape on 1330 with WEZE Station Break. WEZE was not on and this signal was about equal to Cuban AN. 8/7- WLOW AN show at 4:15, and WORC AN show this AM again. Veries, KHFH and CKDH. 8/18- WORC is off Sundays and Mondays, so that's solved. WTLB heard Sunday AM to 6, then WLOB s/on. Somebody under local WNBP, maybe WAAN; no ID made as yet. See you in Findlay.

John L. Rouse - 96 Ward Street - Wallingford, Connecticut

Well, with this being my first report to the NRC I will introduce myself as a beginner in BCB DX with 265 stations logged thus far and 200 verified. June, July and August netted 60 catches and a few of the better ones I will list. KOGT 1600 on 7/21. WJNF 1280 8/5 at 2:00 testing. WBZY-990 6/1. CFRS-1560 7/2. KGIL 8/8. HJKL 7/5. HJDK-770 under WABC at 11:45 p.m. 7/5. The greatest surprise of all came on 7/1 while tuning from 1500 on. In came ZNS-1540 at 10 p.m. for about 15 minutes with an S-9 signal. They were readable in the background for about two hours but ~~trickled~~ faded out after that. I have a report out to them. Veries have trickled in from XEW KMCO WEST (second f/up) WABC WRIV CFRB KDUZ WBZY WALK and WKAP. Reports out to WPRO five months with four f/ups and a PP card, still nothing. Funny thing, a friend of mine had an 8 x 11 card verie from them in ten days about a year ago. Looking forward to the DX season for some more TAs as that is what I am more or less after rather than filling up the log with Stateside stations, but, of course, I do both. The past season has netted me five TAs with "Radio Africa" Tangier heading off the list of all DX, Czechoslovakia, France, Bulgaria, England being the other four. Japan is my aim even if it takes the rest of my life. A DKer at the NNRC Convention the 9th of August had me drooling with a verie from JONR. I almost offered him a sizable sum for it, hi. Met Harold Williams at the get-together. Plenty of SAs pulled in this past season and during summer months. Plenty of hollouts despite the use of return postage and Spanish form letter. Sent a report to XEM in Spanish and it came back in English I believe, hi. Took plenty of time to get the fool thing typed, too. CEM uses standard CBC card. CFRB had a nice one. CHUM, eh. Most Canadians have nice cards with the exception of a few. Prague sent v/l and card plus five picture post cards. Sofia had a very nice card along with v/l. France had letter verie (thin paper), England, no verie, hi. I always had trouble with them on SWBC too. Well, that does it and 73 to all. (Welcome to the NRC, John, and we certainly hope to hear from you often! -Ed.)

Leonard Lockwood - Route 10 - Box 792 - Olympia, Washington

After waiting since last December 3, when I placed an order for an English RACAL RA-17C receiver and a RACAL RA-37B low frequency converter, I finally received shipment on August 4. This receiver tunes continuously from 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ kc/s. through 30 Mg/s. and has a bandspre d scale of 145 feet. Each kilocycles is marked and it tunes to 100 cycles per second. Heard KGDN 630 kc/s. in Edmonds, Wash. s/off on August 15 at 10 p.m. saying they would return at 9 a.m. in the morning. They were putting in an S-9 signal. On August 11 heard WMAQ in Chicago, Ill. on 670 kc/s. ID at 3 a.m. after being on with modulated tone. Also logged CFAC in Calgary, Alta. on 960 kc/s. from 4:50 to 5 a.m. with their "Short Night" program. They carry this program Monday through Friday mornings from 3 to 8 a.m. in case anyone needs them, and they were asking for reception reports and said they would verify. To Jim Critchett and Stan Stanbury, I now have my receiver, which to my estimation is the best in the business for DXing, hi. 73 for now but you will be hearing from this location from now on as I finally have something to hear with. I will be giving these other fellows a run for their money now.

Fred Barene - 2828 West 69 Street - Seattle, Washington

DX here this summer very disappointing and consequently not much being done. The only fairly new veries are KPQ-560 Wenatchee, CHED 1080 Edmonton, Alta., KSDO 1130 San Diego and KFLY 1210 Corvallis, Ore. Reports this summer to KIT-1280, KYA-1260, KASY-1220, KPDQ-800, KEM-950, KSL-1160, KPVA-1480 and KEYS-1440. Some of this may overlap last report but I didn't see it in the last issue. KASY-1220 in Auburn, Wash. is now RS and real powerhouse here. KOL-1600 Seattle is a new AN. Very few reports out this summer with approximately 33% return is pretty discouraging. Had a very nice visit (cont'd P 5)

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(Fred Barens, con'd from P. 4) from John Callaman when he was in these parts. I have logged 599 stations and verified 320, 78 veries being Californians. Let's hope that the coming winter brings good reception and good DX programs. 73.

James E. Critchett - 1119 West Arbor Drive - San Diego 3, California

From July 1 to August 12 reports have gone to: 960 KWKY for its early program, 3:15 to 6:45, 7/2; 1210 KDCO for f/c, 7/11, 3-3:10; 1340 KZOK for AN program 7/11 (quit AN already); 1310 KBUZ for an ET 7/21; 1430 KADY for s/on 5:30 Monday, 7/21; 1270 KEEPS for ET 5:41 to 5:51 Monday 7/21; 610 KFRC on RS 1:55 to 2 Monday 8/11; 1430 KALP for second Monday f/c 2-2:15 (thanks, Francis N.); 1310 KFBB f/c to 2:10 same AM; 630 KHOW, ex-KVOD, 7 a.m. s/on 8/11; and new 960 KNEZ, Lompoc, Cal., in clear here from 8 to 8:15 when KAVR signs on for the day. Thanks to Francis for the KHOW call change, and to Karl Raymond for KNEZ. A huge stack of veries since June 30th, many from f/ups, though. 800 KDDD-dx; 910 KLAN; 950 KAHI; 960 KWKY; 980 KUPL-dx; 1220 CKDA; 1240 KCRE; 1240 KDCO; 1270 KEEPS and KFJZ; 1280 KHEP; 1310 KBUZ; 1320 WEZB; 1340 KSFE and KZOK; 1350 KLYD-ET; 1360 KRCK-dx; 1370 KGNO; 1430 KALM-QSL; 1430 WATP-dx; 1480 KHAT-ET; 1550 KRES, and 1600 KBBC-dx. 1600 WGOA verified reception of their 3/3 DX. Nobody else reported to the DX NEWS as having heard them that morning because of the WEUP ET; were they really on, then? 1320 KSLR changed to KUDE, and is AN except Mondays; 590 KFXM quit the AN program, but KPAS, Banning replaced them on 1490, hasing KBLA. 1550 KOBY off at 4 Saturday 7/19, so not AN; but 1070 KFBI AN Monday 7/21; 630 KOH same as KNBC from Golden Hotel, Reno to 4 nightly; 1520 KACY on RS but weak here, AN also except Mondays. Plenty of summer static, too. Had a 75-foot flat two-wire N/S antenna installed from the neighbor's garage to our house top last weekend, so far about the same signal strength as the TV antenna; will report after further tests. Have enjoyed visits from Dick Northup, John Callaman, and Bus Boatman and friend and Raleigh Biss. Have fun at Findlay. 73.

Charles P. Atherton - Box 188 - Harvard, Massachusetts

I did not report at all during last two months of last season due to sickness and extreme weather conditions that put a stop to my DXing, so about time I brought myself up to date now that a new season is about to begin. Results for last season show the addition of only 50 veries, six from Maine, five from Virginia, four from Massachusetts, three each from Illinois, Michigan, North Carolina and Pennsylvania, two each from New Hampshire, New York, and South Carolina, and one each from California, Georgia, Iowa, Louisiana, Mississippi, New Jersey, Ohio, Oklahoma, Tennessee, Texas, Utah, Vermont, West Virginia, Ontario, Newfoundland, Bermuda and Jamaica. Best were KTUT in Tooele Utah on DX and ZEM-1, while ZQI 1180 gave me one new country for the season. Guess I had better either resolve to quit or to tune the dial a little more often. Have finally put together the loop antenna with considerable help and urging from Fred Burleigh and must say that the results are pleasing as well as surprising. Really had looked at this thing from a skeptical standpoint but volume and directional effect is quite pronounced and feel I have made a worthwhile addition to my equipment. My wife feels decidedly different, as it certainly is not a thing of beauty, and it is quite an eyesore in the den. So far it has survived the summer, so guess I've perhaps got it made as far as being allowed to keep it on hand to DX with. We shall see. Would like to ask all contributors to the Supremacy Ratings to bring your totals up to date. If not taken care of by October first listing, many names will be dropped according to the Club rules. Good season of DX to all.

Sam A. McLaughlan - P.O. Box 26 - Gatineau, Quebec

Here is my latest report to "Musings of the Members." I am looking forward to my first ~~listing~~ DXing winter on the BCB. Sounds real exciting, DX Specials and all. Since the spring, a total of 91 stations have been reported to, excluding many 50 kw. stations, partly because of laziness. Here are the stations logged in the last month: KLOX-1130, WOKY-920, WING-1410, CKEY-580, WIP-610, CJMS-1280, WTOP-1500, WVVA-1170, CKWS-930, CBW-990, WTIC-1080, WOC-1420, WOWO-1190, CHVC-1600, CFJR-1450, WSAR-1480, WBZ-1030, WJET-1400, WLS-890, WFBL-1390, WBBN-930, KSTP-1500, WEVD-1330, WJL-1340, WHBG-1530, WBAP-320, WTOB-1330, WTKO-1470 and WEAM-1390. DXing will probably be interrupted in mid-September as I am moving down to Kingston, Ontario, where I will be going to Queen's University. Still have another two years to go in Chemical Engineering. Hope to get over the 200 mark in stations verified this winter. Till next time, 73s and DX to all. You are doing an excellent job with the bulletin.

Roy H. Millar - 16208 S.E. 36th Street - Bellevue, Washington

Well, the "Summer, DX-wide," didn't last long; only two slim months of June and July, then August really opened up nicely with 14 new stations logged, and clear to the East Coast at that. To said DX since last report: Aug. 11th- KHAT-1480 ID at 7:00 AM under KYOS. Aug. 18- KWKY-960 logged briefly at 7 a.m. under AN CFAC, and a Monday AM at that. Aug. 20- KHOW-630 s/on 7:00 a.m., very weak. Aug. 22- KBOX-1480 ID at 5:55 a.m. very weak. Aug. 23- CKNW noted on 980 (ex-1320) and CKLG on 730 (ex-1070) both on RS at midday here. Aug. 25- All on 1320, UNID ESst on RS logged from 4:00 a.m. until after 4:30 a.m., perhaps WILS but sounded more Southern to me; WCOG (Greensboro, N.C.) s/on with good strength at 5:30 a.m. KELO s/on 6:30 a.m., immediately covered by s/on of KQDY; KAVI s/on 7 a.m. topping QRM. Aug. 27- KUDE-1320 logged on AN programming until KCRA s/on 7:30 a.m. Aug. 29- KOSI-1430 logged on AN programming, heavy QRM; KTUL-1450 ID under KOSI at 6:06 a.m. Now to veries: WPNX-1460; KLBW-570; KDHL-920. Nice, but all too brief phone conversation with vacationing Norm Maguire; trust a good trip all the way! 73.

G. Harley DeLeurere - 1 East Eighth Street - Mounted Route 21 - Hobart, Indiana

Several stations have been logged since August 23. 8/23: WKIS-740, Orlando, Fla. on AN from 4:00-4:20 a.m. WTRU-1600, Muskegon, Mich., from 4:20-4:30 with WAKR QRM. 8/24: WHBG-1360, Harrisonburg, Va. with f/c from 1:00-1:10. KIKS-1310, Sulphur, La. with f/c from 1:40-1:53. 8/26: WSIP-1490, Paintsville, Ky. and KWAK-1240, Stuttgart, Ark. 8/27: WCRR-1330, Corinth, Miss. and WEOA-1400, Evansville, Ind. I list the times that these last four stations were on. 9/1: XERCN-1110, Mexico, D.F. "Radio Cadena Nacional" from 12:45-1:00 a.m. KLPM-1390, Minot, N.D. from 1:00 until s/off at 1:10. KGAS-1590 Carthage, Tex. with "Operation Deathwatch" from 1:55-2:05. WHSC-1450, Hartsville, S.C. with f/c through WQSN from 2:05-2:15. KNUZ-1230, Houston, Tex. on AN from 3:00-3:12. CJRL-1220, Kenora, Ont. over KNUZ from 3:04-3:07. 9/2: WRWS-1360, Cleveland, Ga. with ET from 5:21 to 5:30 a.m. 9/3: KRIS-1360, Corpus Christi, Tex. WJCD-1390, Seymour, Ind. with ET from 2:00-2:05. WCLB-1220, Camilla, Ga. with ET from 2:15-2:30. Reports were sent also to WIMS-1420, WLIP-1050, KIMN-950, KRWY-1460, KTLN-1280, and WCFL-1000. Veries were from WKNX-1210, WSAN-1470, KPIG-1450, Deutschlandsender-782, KNOX-1510, and WKIS-740 and KIKS-1310. I now have 506 veries. 73s. I also received a QSL card from WCHB-1440, Inkster, Mich. (Welcome back home, Harleigh - Ed.)

John Callarman - 2411 11th Avenue - Canyon, Texas

Summer DX and summer not! 8/4 KLAS f/c 2:05-2:20, KNUZ QRM, trace of WCLO; WCLD-1490, f/c-M 2:30-3:00 through KTOP, under UNID TT; KRIG-1410 closing ET 4:01; WAGS-1430 4:00 s/on, verie said that early only during tobacco season; WAAY-1550 good till 6:00 s/on of very powerful XEBG. Daytime loggings 8/5 produced KWOE-1320, KSML-1250, KCRC-1390, KPOS-1370, ex-KHWS, before SX-15 died! 8/14, thanks to tip from Larry Godwin, found XERF silent and logged XEGE to 2:00 s/off, then CHUN to 3:00. Also 8/14, had KWEL-1580 at 8:30 s/off, verie back 8/19 said had just moved to 1600 after my report, so got 'em just in time. 8/20- KWEL-4600 heard to s/off 8:30 when dominant KBBB left the air. 8/22- KCMO-1220 r/c 1:14 s/off for taped report; WSPD AN and KAST RS on 1370 2:30-3:00. 8/23- WDXR-1560 fair at 1:30; Ray Robinson show with Top Tunes on 1470 till 2 a.m., but no ID. Thought I heard XEAU ID in English?? KTSM-1380 2:11 s/off, Babe Ruth baseball. 8/25- KLYD-1350 ending f/c 2:06, powerful; KTXL-1340 s/off TT 2:25; EGLN-980 r/c to 2:52 s/off, bothered by KSVG ET to 2:47; KFBI-1070 announcing AN 2:14 on a Monday AM, weak here; KWK-1580 TT over KGAS to 3:52. Has been TTING often in past few days. 8/25 found KPBM-740 best heard on RS through KRMG for log. 8/26, untangling 1480 mess finds KGLU off 1:01, KANS off 1:03 with the "Lord's Prayer." KGCC off 1:07; then KWIZ and KBOX fight it out; KVLV-1250 f/c 2:00-2:15, two hours early, then KWSC in clear to 2:18 s/off; KPOW-1260 strong on r/c; heard KERG call on 1280 through KTLN and WDSU, while on channel, decided to log these two, not enough for report to KERG; TT on 1050 during KUBE scheduled f/c as XEG had equipment trouble, but no ID. 8/30- Found XGRF and WSMB fighting to dominate 1350, KRNT and two more there too; taped KXAR-1490 r/c atop channel; daytimer KGAS-1590 running AN with "Operation Death Watch," who with Proof of Performance test on 1580 2:15 QD? WACO-1460, KRIG-1410 both noted AN, I hope just for Labor Day Holiday! KTBW-600, 78-hour marathon 3:36-4:00; KAKI-550, San Antonio, new call. 9/1- Too many extra ANs, very strong, causing slopover on the clear channels on the S-38-A, so I logged KTRM-990 and to bed. Well, I thought for a while I was going to make the Convention but missed it, unfortunately. Last minute arrangements didn't come through. I eagerly await the official rundown of what happened at Findlay. Best wishes.

Hank Wilkinson - 6620 Beeman Avenue - North Hollywood, California

Well, September is with us again and it brings a brand new DX season to increase our loggings, verifications and friendships. I sincerely hope that the NRC Convention was well attended and that everyone arrived home safely. I made several phone calls but couldn't catch Ray Edge, Pat Reilley, Hank Ward, Hal Williams, or Hal Wagner. I hope someone will take the time for a "write-up" on the Convention doings and get it in one of the earlier bulletins for the fellows who couldn't make it. I feel that someday, and not too far away - we should hold two separate Conventions over the Labor Day weekend. One would take place in the East or the Mid-West and the other in the West or Far West so that all DXers would have an opportunity to attend an NRC Convention. All problems, future plans, present situations, programming, etc. would be discussed at both Conventions and all comments, etc. would be compiled for the President and the Board of Directors of the NRC. Let's face it - there is too much country to cover to attend a Convention where the majority of DXers live. However, the West and Far-West membership is growing and we want to be represented without taking a week off in order to do so. We could have our Convention in cities like Frisco, Seattle, Denver, etc. which would make it possible for us to attend whereas we cannot at present. I would like to know how DXers of the NRC feel about this matter. I, for one, would like to see some action on this by next summer. I sincerely believe that all NRC members would like to be able to attend a Convention that would be centrally located for them. If this plan could be put into effect there certainly would be closer ties among DXers all over the U.S.A. There are over 50 members, perhaps more, that live west of the states of Minnesota, Iowa, Missouri, Arkansas and Louisiana. I feel that this is now necessary and a step in the right direction for the future of the NRC. I wish to point out that this is my thought on the subject of Conventions and that I, alone, should be criticized if it is due. 73.

Scouter Segraves - The Swamp Angel DXer - Stuttgart, Arkansas

Basil de-hibernates! Hello, people, how are the post-Convention headaches feeling? Enjoyed a call from Bryant, Reck, Battle, Lefty, and Morss at 3:30 a.m. our time Labor Day - they seemed to be really enjoying themselves, hi! Sorry I couldn't be with you, fellows, but Bryant probably explained why, ni. Glad to hear that Omana gets the nod for next year. If I'm able to be in anything but "A" box of pine in '59" I'll be there. Actually, I have no reason for writing this thing - no DXing and only two veries in the last month. They were WDSK-1410, a friendly v/l back in three days, and WJUN-1390, two letters on two different letterheads for their NNRC DX, after sending a PP letter). WDSK says they f/c third Thursday at 4:15 EST. Enjoyed recent visit to the land of Bryant; sorry to miss seeing Giles, Ward, and Borden, but no way of contacting them. Will leave this next week to go back to Tulsa for a little more schooling, and intend to DX there. Have really enjoyed these last five years in NRC, and think I've learned how to use the various departments in the best way to really rack up the DX. We'll see after a year of Tulsa DXing. Good to hear from you fellows again, will try to get around to writing each of you. This thing begins to ramble even more, so I'll shut 'er down for this time. Oh yeah, anyone hearing KWAK, send the report to Vernon Kuehn. 73.

Hort Meehan - P.O. Box 624 - Los Gatos, California

Radio K-C (KACY) logged on 1520 kc/s. this Saturday AM at 7:30 to 8 a.m. PDT on RS. I haven't kept up with things of late so don't know if this belongs in your "Heard Since Last Issue." If it doesn't, just disregard. I sent my report (second in a year) to Oxnard. If and when I get a reply back will give additional info on this station. Other verie (7/4) was KIKI 830 kc/s. 320 Ward Avenue, Honolulu, Hawaii, Phone 6-3456, signed by Angelo J. Rossi, Mgr., a "Royal Howard Station." Announcer at time was George Chun on "House of Sounds" program and he thins Frank Sinatra is tops so plays his records often. Hope I can get in a little DX from time to time this winter and if I do will drop a line. Static heavy but heard KRRV 910 kc/s. Sherman, Tex. 1 kv/ s, on at 4:30 a.m., PDT.

Anthony Lagatutta - 323 Eighth Avenue - New York, New York

DX seems to have vanished from the skies here. The reception is truly fantastic. It is so horrible here. It is now 8:15 p.m. There is no trace of WTOP WKBW WCKY WPTX which normally are good at this time. If good DX depends on atmosperics, they really destroy reception in NYC! I noted in the latest DX NEWS WATD changed to WCRE. Is this a reverse error or did WATD change back to the former WCRE call? If you like Elctronics, see the movie "Fly." I saw it and it is as fantastic as the reception in NYC. 73s.

J. B. "Pat" Reilley - 226 Crossman Street - Jamestown, New York

New veries are BRD KOKY. Still have 29 reports out yet, have fingers crossed for few new veries. 8/13- WHOK, 1320, test for new call at 2:00. 8/14- WCAY, 620, new call at 2:10 on ET. Unknown TT on 790, 2:34, with weak music underneath with call sounding like WAZY. 8/16- WTJS, 1390, 2:03 with Card-Dodger ball game. WJR, 760, test of new Continental 50 kw. transmitter. 8/18- KWYO, 1410, f/c at 2:10. 8/20- WKYW, 900, test at 2:23. 8/21- WVOK, 690, test at 1:39. 700 today at 1:30, 520 yesterday at same time. 8/22- Northern Lights very bright at 1:25 as I came from work. WLBR, 1270 sounded like AN. 8/25- Unknown tester on 1460, 2:24 to 3:20, never used voice at all, when I to bed at 3:20. 8/27- WFRP, 1230, hurricane news at 2:08. WCPC, 1320, test at 2:12. An unknown Mexican on 1320 mentioning Monterrey often at 2:25 to 3:00 s/off. 8/28- KRGI, 1430, test at 1:56. WTRB, 1570, f/c at 2:15. WCRR, 1330 f/c at 2:47 for a new call, ex-WKBX. Again I want to thank Elbert and Marie Tewell, also the hotel management for the grand time in Findlay. Even the girls in coffee shop who took care of our eating needs. Hope to see more new faces in Omaha next year.

Len Kruse - 816 Euclid Street - Dubuque, Iowa

Back home after attending the fine NRC Convention in Findlay, Ohio over the Labor Day Weekend. Our thanks to Marie and Elbert Tewell for the fine job they did in making the many arrangements for the biggest NRC gathering ever in our 25 year history. It was so nice to meet the many who attended for the first time, but also good to see the many regular conventioners. I am looking forward already to the Omaha Convention in 1959. As to my latest DX, I heard the brand new WWIS 1260 Black River Falls, Wis. on ETs on 8/14; and then on 8/16 I heard KQDI 1350 Bismarck, N.D. on ETs. And as for new loggings in this new DX Season, I heard on 9/4 WAAY 1550 Huntsville, Ala. (ex-WHBS) on its RS 5:30-6 a.m., in the clear. Then on 9/5 Station WSUZ 800 Palatka, Fla. was heard on f/c 3:15-3:50 a.m., also in the clear. Followed on 9/6 with the logging of the new KOKA 980 Shreveport, La. (ex-KZEA) with its RS s/on and programs 6:00-6:15 a.m. which consisted of Negro Hymns. That Saturday morning 9/6 found a number of stations on the Gulf Coast on AN with the approach of Hurricane Ella; none of them needed in my DX Log. Heard for example, were KLOU KIOX KBRZ WABB KNAL, etc. My most recent verifications were letters from WWIS XEOK, a QSL card from KLUB, and a PP card from KBCL. This brings my total veries to 3,231, as the 1957-1958 DX Season came to an end.

Tom Shindledecker - 421 Glen-Moore Boulevard - New Castle, Pennsylvania

Greetings! Not too much news from here DX-wise, but a small trickle of veries has come in. New loggings here have included WROK-1440 on Aug. 15 at 11:50 p.m. with the conclusion of the College All-Star Game; WMT-600 on Aug. 27 at 9:00 a.m. for my second best daytime DX with no sign of WFRM. (Best daytime DX is WRGA-1470 at an hour when WPAR, 20 miles distant was on the air). WACA-1590 was heard on Aug. 30 at 7:00 p.m. till 7:15 s/off. WPEP-1080 installed a new hi-fi transmitter on Sept. 9, so if any of you heard tests on 1080 previous to the 9th, it was probably WPEP. Veries in recently include WMT-600 who mentioned that they make a frequency response test each Wednesday at 2:00 a.m. EST. Cycle tones ranging from 50 to 10,000 cycles are used. WROK-1440 verified via QSL card. My special interest is QSL cards. For the benefit of others interested in QSLs, here's a list of mine: WPIC-790, KMOX-1120, WCKY-1530, KMX-1070, WKBN-570, WBZ-1030, WIBC-1070, WBNS-1460, WADC-1350, WKMC-1370, KRLD-1080, WOV-1280, WING-1410, WLAC-1510, KLRA-1010, CFRB-1010, CJBR-900, WNAE-1310, CBX-1010, WJLB-1400, KDKA-1020, WHAM-1180, WKEV-1520, WGAR-1220, WRBL-1420, KGLC-910, WMOA-1490, WBS-590, WJR-760, WISR-1680, WBEI-590, CKOM-1420, WAKR-1550, WCTT-680, CBE-1550, WDEV-550, WPME-1540, CFCC-330, WIVA-1170, KPRC-950, WKRC-550, KOA-850, WVOK-690, WOMB-1460, WKIX-850, WFL-870, WTOP-1500, WIND-560, WBT-1110, KFH-1330, WIVA-1350, WTH-1230, WFRB-1300, WBAM-740, WDVA-1250, WTUP-1380, KPOP-1020, KOB-770, CJIC-1490, and WROK-1440. Hope everyone had a good time in WFIN-land. I hope to have more DX for the next issue. 73, bestDX

Ross M. Har, Jr. - 3508 Austin Street - Amarillo, Texas

Hello, fellow NRCers. Not much to report on this round. Have been spending most of my time logging stations within 250 miles of Amarillo. Have had fairly good luck getting veries from these stations. Only three veries in last week: CKWX WCAM CKWX. WCAM gives me a new state confirmed. Received a phone call from John Callarman in Canyon but was at work at the time. I'm looking forward to meeting John soon. I hope to catch those hard to get stations during the coming DX season. I never thought I could enjoy membership more in a radio club than I have the NRC. I have made new friends and the DX NEWS is tops in my book. Keep up the good work! 73s.

Joe Brauner - Box 22 - Valier, Pennsylvania

Not much to report yet. Since last report we logged as new, WBLF, 1330, on RS at 5:15 a.m., on 8/9. 8/16 netted two, WNIL-1290, at 2:12 a.m. with r/c and CJNR, 730, coming in well for a time after their 4:30 a.m. s/on. 8/25 added WJDY, 1470 on RS at 5:30 a.m. 8/28 brought WKKS 1570, as they closed down after a day of program tests at 7:26 p.m. As usual, the Convention weekend found at least one AN tester. I heard WFRH, 1350, all AM on 8/31. That's it. Veries continue very slow, most recent ones being f/ups via PPs. PPs came from KFNV WELK WCRY WDEW WAMD WZOK KWEB. Letters from WIKY WSUZ WBLF, and station card from KOKY. F/uup went to WIPS, heard at times back of local WCAE during r/c. Also to WBBE heard on RS in evening. DX improving at times, brief sunset session on 1570 on 8/30 brought in WHLP WHOT WTRB KLLA and KOLS in 30 minutes. None new, but all verifiable. Still trying to get data on WPOW, 1330, on RS Sundays, with KFH silent, is best. But he just can't put a readable signal through the Cuban on there at 6 a.m. Can ID, but so far very little program identified. On 8/21 (Third Thursday) heard WPFM, 1350 running r/c at 4:45-5:00 a.m. using tone and voice. Not new here, but rarely heard. 73.

Hal Williams - 50 Third Avenue - Seymour, Connecticut

First of all I was delighted to learn that so many were at Findlay for the NRC Convention but really sorry that I could not be there. As we start the new DX season I wish for each of you many new catches and veries. My DX by dateline since last report: 8/5- WLSD-1220, Big Stone Gap, Va. f/c-TT 12:15-12:30 but not needed. 8/10- WGEL-870, Kannelapolis, N.C. heard on ET-M 2:08-2:14 s/off for a real surprise. 8/11- WHIL-1110, Providence R.I. announced as ETing at 4:00 with news, baseball scores and schedules for Monday. Sounded like a RS broadcast but not needed. 8/12- KCHR-1350 Charleston, Mo. f/c-TT under WADC 1:47-1:56. 8/14- WRAD-1460 Radford, Va. f/c-TT 1:30-1:45 with MAIL QRM. KPEP-1420 San Angelo, Tex. f/c-TT 2:00-2:15. (Letter from manager states they were not on but check every other month at that time. Next test on 9/11. He also states that someone was illegally using their call if I really heard KPEP). WCAY-620 Cayce, S.C. ET-M 2:25-3:05 asking for reports and phone calls. 8/15- A real surprise, WCRV-1530, Washington, N.J. emergency test to local transmitter trouble 12:20-12:29. 8/16- WCAY again on ET. 8/17- KGLO-1300 Mason City, Iowa TT 1:01-1:05 and verified. Some catch with the AN WAVZ but 13 miles from my home, hi. 8/18- WTOB-1380 and WHLM-550 both running tests 1:15-1:45 but neither needed. KIMN-950 Denver, Col. on f/c 1:45-2:10 with WPEN and WWJ silent for a new call. (Verified them years ago as KPEL.) 8/19, I wrote letters to four stations who failed to return PP cards sent in '56-'57: KABR-1320, WBBE-1490 for NRC DX 1/25/56, WDDT-900 and WJAT-800. 8/20- Three new f/c loggings all difficult through QRM: WCCN-1370, Neillville, Wis. 1:35-1:55 through WSPD; WKBJ-1300, Milan, Tenn. under WWRL 2:01-2:15 and WTCE-990, Flomaton, Ala. 2:16-2:30 under WIBG. 8/27- WKLY-1440 Paris, Ind. f/c with vocal hymns 1:00-1:15 but not needed; hi, Eric Bristow. 8/28- WTCH-960 Shawano, Wis. s/off at 1:58 after late Braves-Giants game in 'Frisco, nice new one. 8/29- Many New Englanders on AM with hurricane news. Hope they were caught by those who need 'em. 9/1- ZQI-720 logged on hurricane alert, AN. Have SW verie but never heard on 720. 8/31- Finally logged both WILL, Willimantic, Conn. and WHMP, Northampton, Mass. 1400 with Red Sox baseball game Sunday afternoon. 9/4- Quite a surprise, WAMB-1530 Waynesburg, Pa. on test and off at 1:08, #145 from Pennsylvania for me. Thirty used, veries next time. 73.

Ev Johnson - 504 16th Street - Mendota, Illinois

First I must say I enjoyed meeting all you new faces and to see the ones I have met before. Really enjoyed the Convention. DX here, not much. On the 17th of August heard WVET 1290 Rochester, N.Y. on for baseball game till 2:00. Veri back today and on Sept. 1 WMAC-1460 and WMAQ-1320, Maquoketa, Iowa on RS. Veri back from WRAC, QSL card. WVET sends out an 8 1/2 x 5 1/2 QSL card, very nice. So you see I am getting started slowly, hi. Other veries in for August are from WLOL-1330, WVJS-1420 QSL card, PP card from WTAW-dx. Two pretty QSL cards from KLUB. PP card from KWEL, now 1600, from 1580 and KEMO, letter for their DX. Hope to have more to report next issue. Best DX to all in the coming season. 73s.

Bart Brown - 68 Hawthorne Avenue - Glen Ridge, New Jersey

I had thought I could be able to submit a long report for this issue, but I've let time slip up on me. DX this summer has been fair here, but I have heard nothing out of the ordinary. One Monday morning KRUX 1360 was heard briefly, for the best catch of the summer. I imagine I would have had some nice loggings if I had had (con'd P.10)

(Bart Brown, cont'd from P. 9) the patience with the Spanish speakers on 800 and 1320 kc/s., but I let them go. Some of the veries which pleased me the most were from fairly nearby stations, such as WROW 590 and WNDR 1360, both holoouts of several years. The old S-40B finally broke down, so I went out and splugged on a new HQ-160. I've only had it about a month, so I'm not yet prepared to comment upon it. In general it seems like a good receiver, although it seems susceptible to images from WHEW WOR WABC WMGM and out other AN NYC friends. I'll be leaving Tuesday, September 9 for my first year at Harvard Business School, so the real testing of the receiver will have to wait till Thanksgiving and Christmas. While I managed to do some listening during the past four years at Princeton, I know I have no chance during the next two at HBS, so the set stays home. I must admit that after some 13 years of listening, it will be strange without a receiver. I can rationalize the whole thing, though, by saying that I couldn't count stations heard in Massachusetts with my other stations, all heard in Jersey. Enough of this. Hope the new mail service will get this to Brooklyn by the deadline. Until sometime, 73 to all.

Lefty Cooper - 438 East 21 Street - Brooklyn 26, New York

Continuing on from last report, other items about stations gleaned recently: WINF-1230 the new one in Manchester, Conn. had hourly news, but at the odd time of :05 every hour with the one-minute capsule at :35 each hour! Stan Morss says they are on around 6:30 Sunday AMs and can be logged then. At the Convention, I learned from Ben Patch that local WGBB-1340 is testing new single-side-band type transmission from midnight to 6 a. m., and are the only graveyarder to receive said permission. Upon getting home, imagine my surprise while tuned to WGBB during RS in the daytime simply for their music, when I heard these odd call letters given: KE2XXS, operating experimentally through the facilities of WGBB, etc." So these tests are going on 24 hours a day. During RS, they use the new for an hour, then the old the next. During the wee hours, they use only OC. Now for DX since last reported: 8/17 - Help - who is on 1600 at 4:27 EST Sundays weak in back of WURL? Sounded like a RS - WTRU, perhaps? WFEL-1390 is on early Sunday AMs, heard first at 4:39 a.m. with organ music. 8/18- WJDY-1470 at 6:34-7 p.m. s/off, about even with WSAN, thanks to a tip from Anthony Lagatutta, and a second try to get a verie from WESR-1530; also s/off 7 p.m. in August, and hear Mondays when WHAZ is on and WEVD and WPOW off. 8/19- Surprise logging of WGLI-1290, Babylon, N.Y. only S-4 here and barely over CKSL here, ET/M, OC. 8/25- WINF-123. heard after 10 p.m. through the 1230 mess, but not enough to report reception. 8/26- WSUB-980, on Hal Williams' tip, logged 5:30-5:52 p.m. when WTRY took them out. 8/27- WMNF-1280 f/c-TT, and verie says fourth Tuesday at 3:00 is their r/c. 8/28- Trying to log a new one on my birthday, but no luck. Did hear WRWB-1220 on f/c-TT, latter sounding like phone dialtone. 3:08 on 1440 Rock 'n' Roll, no announcements, and tuned away and returned at 2:25 just in time to miss the calls and location, but whoever it was said he'd return at 6 a.m. with RS. Anybody know who? OC on 1420, same time. 8/29- Several New Englanders on with hurricane warnings, and noted WJAR-920, WELI-960, WTIC-1030, WICE-1290, WEZE-1230 and WBSM-1420. 9/4- OC, TT on 730 2:06-2:13, no announcements. WSAR-1480 was off the air and heard what I think was KBOX on there weakly, a tentative to see. Do they use "hard sell" tactics? 9/5- Report to KE2XXS, experimental call of WGBB-1240. 9/3- KE-F-1170 completely blocking WWVA 10:45 p.m. 9/2- Venezuelans on, logged two, 1170 and 800. 73

HEARD SINCE LAST ISSUE

550	K A K I	Ex-KTSA	NEC	1280	K W C L	Oak Grove, Louisiana	FCC
620	W T H T	Louisville, Ky.	FCC	1290	W S C M	Penama City Beach Fla	FCC
	W C A Y	Cayce, South Carolina	NRC		W G L I	Babylong, L.I. N.Y.	NRC
680	W I N R	New N-DA, 1000/500 U-4	FCC	1300	K D O V	Medford, Oregon	FCC
810	W A B W	Ex-WIPA	FCC	1310	W K T C	Charlotte, N.C.	NRC
850	C K V L	Now 50,000/10,000 U-4	NRC	1320	K M A Q	Maquoketa, Iowa	NRC
950	C K B B	Barrie, ex-1230 kc/s.	CDT	1350	K Q D I	Bismarck, N.D.	NRC
980	K O K A	Ex-KZEA	NRC	1370	K O K E	Ex-KTXN	FCC
990	K A T T	Now 5,000 U-4	FCC		K P O S	Ex-KRWS	NRC
1050	C H U H	Now 5,000/2,500 U-3	NRC	1390	C K L N	Ex-1240 kc/s.	CDT
1100	W H L I	Now 10,000 D-3	NRC		W K R K	Murphy, N.C.	FCC
1170	K L O K	Now 10,000/1,000 U-4	FCC	1400	W R I G	Ex-WSAU	FCC
1240	KE2XXS	Experimental WGBB call	NRC		K B Y G	Ex-KTXC	NRC
1250	W Y E H	Ex-WMGE	FCC	1430	W E N O	Now 5,000 D-1	NRC
	K H O K	Ex-KGOL	FCC	1440	K O K Y	Now 5,000 D-1	FCC
	C K R B	Ex-1400; 5,000/1,000 U	NRC	1500	K T X O	Ex-KTAN	FCC
1260	W M I S	Black River Falls Wis.	NRC	1600	K W E L	Ex-1580	NRC

INTERNATIONAL DX DIGEST

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I hope that this makes the Sept. 13th issue. If it does, it is my fault that your DX NEWS is late. If not, there will be more than just this page or so. DXing has apparently ceased during the summer, and we have very little to report. I regret not having been at Findlay for the convention. Since I have heard nothing to the contrary, I am assuming that the Board of Directors approved a Foreign Contest, and we will try to have the rules in the next issue for this year. In the meantime it will be safe to send your quarters to Roger Anderson, 5700 Eighth Road North, Arlington 5, Virginia, who will be the contest manager again this year. Now let's see what we have in the way of DX News.

NORTH AMERICA

HAITI*-A new missionary station at Cayes will go on the air this fall on 760 Kcs. Call to be 4VI, power 1600 watts. (WRH)

BAHAMAS*-ZNS (1540) Nassau, heard 7/1 at 2130 with excellent signal to 2200, heard in background to 2230. Report sent. (JLR)

WINDWARD ISLANDS*-A new QSL card from the Windward Islands Broadcasting Service, Grenada, lists a schedule of 1600-2115 on 1040 Kcs. Power is 250 watts. They are only trying to cover St. George's City. (WRH)

CANADA*-CFRE (1060) Toronto, logged at 7/21 at 2345 with excellent signal. Verie received. CBM (940) heard on 7/25 at 2300 with good signal, verie received. (JLR) (John, Canadian news is normally included with your MUSINGS to Editor Ernest R. Cooper. Rather than pass it on this time I have included it here. In the future, all US and Canadian items should go to Mr. Cooper-FV)

SOUTH AMERICA

COLOMBIA*-HJDK (770) Medellin, heard 6/28 under WABC at 2345 with fair signals, tried to ID it 4 consecutive times. (JLR) HJKL Bogota, 6/5 at 0020 under WICC, poor signal. 600 Kcs. (JLR)

CHILE*-A new station is "Radio Diego Portales", Talca. The station is on the air at 0700-2400 on 1080 Kcs. with 5 Kw. Address is Uno Norte No. 1075, Talca. (WRH)

BRAZIL*-A QSL letter from "Radiodifusora Educacao", Rio de Janeiro (Operated by the Ministerio da Educacao) indicates the following schedule: Weekdays 0500-2230, Sunday 0600-2130, on 800 Kcs. over PRA2. (WRH) "Radio Indonfidencia", Belo Horizonte, is operating from 0400-2300 on 880 Kcs. over PRI3, 50 Kw. (WRH) New station is "Radio Clube de Guaratingueta", working on 1250 Kcs. ZYG2 250 watts. Address is Praça Rodrigues Alvas 182, Guaratingueta, Sao Paulo. Another new one reported is "Radio Ribeirao Preto", Ribeirao Preto on 780 Kcs., ZYR79, with 1 Kw. (WRH)

AFRICA

TOGO*-Radiodiffusion de la Republique Autonome deu Togo", Lome, Schedule Mon-Fri 0100-0300, 0700-0830, 1300-1700. Sat 0100-0300, 0700-1700, Sunday 0245-0900, 1300-1700 on 1394 Kcs. Power 4 Kw. (DW)

REUNION*- "Radio Reunion" is still operating on ECB on 620 Kcs. with a power of 1 Kw. (WRH)

ASIA (NEAR EAST)

ADEN*-The Aden Broadcasting Service is operating on 800 Kcs. with 5 Kw. power. Schedule is 0600-1530 daily. (WRH)

ASIA (FAR EAST)

VIETNAM*-Radio Hue, the Voice of Vietnam (1155) heard with news in English at dictation speed (Woman announcer at 1555 GMT off at 1605 GMT). (KM)

THAILAND*-HS1TV Bangkok (1500) heard recently to 1700 GMT with studio show. Also appears to have increased power. (KM)

JAPAN*-JOUF Osaka (1380) now being heard until 1600 GMT sign-off with excellent signal. Identifies clearly as OBC, JOUF. (KM)

OCEANIA

MARSHALL ISLANDS*-WXLG (1220) Kwajalein heard all night during recent series of atomic tests. This may be so during each series. No sign of Eniwetok though on 1385 Kcs. during this period. (KM)

NIPI-NIPI*-The following information was received from the radio station on Nipi-Nipi, "The Island Paradise of the Pacific":

QRA: Chief Wireless Officer, Nipi-Nipi Broadcasting Station,
Post Office Box 24, Information Department, Nipi-Nipi.

Frequency and times of broadcasts: 615 and 7712 Kcs. is on the air from 1700-1900 and from 0200-0530. Leading personality is M. Carragale Jarrar, Chief Wireless Officer, also signer of verifications. QSL is by attractive map type folder of island. (DW) (Would appreciate any information as to location of this island. Can't find it on my maps or Atlases-FV)

REPORTERS

DW-DX Bulletin of Die Deutsche Welle, Koln, West Germany.

JLR-John L. Rouse, 96 Ward Street, Wallingford, Connecticut.

WRH-Bulletin of World Radio Handbook, Hellerup, Denmark.

KM-Ken Mackey, Divisional Engineers Office, P&T Dept., Dunedin, New

FV-Mour Editor.

Zealand.

GENERAL

Actually this should appear under the title of OVERSEAS MAILBAG, but since it is just a short report from Ken Mackey, we'll give it here. Ken reports he has veries from JOTZ, KBEC, JODD, JOKB, Pyongyang, 1080 Kcs.; Baghdad 908; Station Rue; Ceylon 925; HSLTV, JOIB, KUTE, AFKN Pusan, Kansu, AIR 965; DZJW, DZMT, 1100 Kcs.; JOUR, JODC. Ken is also working toward getting a country list together that will be agreeable to all ECB DX clubs. He would like a copy of the ARRL Country list. I have no spares here. If anyone has a spare copy of the list, please send it directly to Ken or send it to me, and I will forward it to him. His address appears in the REPORTER section above.

Nice to welcome John Rouse of Wallingford, Conn., to our section, and we hope he'll be back often during the coming season. The NNRC reports a new log called the JONES LOG, which contains a listing of ECB FM*TV stations in the US, Canada, Cuba, Mexico, and the West Indies. I believe that they are listed according to country and state, and also by frequency. Cost is 50¢, and copies can be obtained from Vane A. Jones Co., 3749 North Keystone Avenue, Indianapolis 18, Indiana. I have not seen the log, and this report is copied from the NNRC, so I can give no report on the usefulness of the log. You'll just have to try it without recommendation.

The World Radio Handbook reports that their new edition is now under way, and they also report the activity of the ISWC in trying to in some way boycott all countries using jamming transmitters. The WRH defends its publication on the grounds that it is international and non-political and therefore must publish the material of all nations. I think that we all agree that this is so, and the INTERNATIONAL DX DIGEST goes along with the WRH in continuing to print all DX information, no matter what country it comes from. We appreciate the ideas of the ISWC, but fail to see that radio listeners refusing to report stations, are going to jeep jamming off the air.

Remember to send your reports on one side of the paper only, grouped according to continent and country. Please double-space, as we cut your report apart and sort all countries together. This can get pretty hard to do with thin paper and ~~ax~~ single spacing, so please do all you can to make the job easier. That is the only way we can continue to do a good job for you. Now until the next issue which will be out in two weeks, let's hear from all of you with some kind of a report. 73

It is time to say something about our wonderful Convention Hosts, Maria and Elbert Tewell. Not only did they go all out to make all the arrangements for the Convention, but we admire the way they risked their reputation around town in inviting us all to convene in Findlay, 16 miles from their home town of Carey, Ohio.

It had been a stormy season in the ranks of the governing body of the NRC, and it just seemed as Saturday dawned so beautiful and clear that it was an omen that things were going to be smooth from here on out. And, after the Board Meeting, it certainly looks from here as though that is exactly what will happen from this point forward.

Some of the younger lads - we won't mention any names - searched the city over and over for feminine companionship. Having no luck, they returned to the Hotel and amused themselves the rest of the night dropping bags of water out of their hotel window.

We've heard of bathtub Gin, but this was the first time we've seen bathtub beer in famous Room 230. Anyone desiring a warm beer or a look through some (human) nature magazines was cordially invited to that room by its occupants.

They had such a hot time in that room that they even set fire to the carpet. If you don't believe it, we saw the bill from the Hotel Phoenix for repairs to their rug.

But, hot as it was in there, it was hotter in the NRC Suite 147-148. Why? The hottest DX set seen in years was on hand, and was being worked over by many members.

Most DXers delight in tuning in a different area from their own because of the vast contrast in dial conditions. But not Len Kruse - he spent two-and-a-half hours trying to hear his own local, WDBQ-1490, through about 24 all nighters on that frequency.

After managing to log two selections and a few announcements from WDBQ, Len then called them up. They were on all night over the Labor Day weekend in a safe-driving campaign. Len talked to their DJ, their Sales Manager, and Chief Engineer. Now that they have learned they can be heard 460 miles away, we hope they don't get the idea to run AN!

After finding that KRIB-1490 was the dominant all nighter on that frequency, Bernie Duffy, a staunch Catholic, turned a deaf ear, when he found out they were located in Mason City.

After learning that the Saturday Night Banquet was to be held in the Elk's Club, Lefty confidently felt that the main course would naturally be venison. PS - It wasn't.

Two of our big members in Illinois, Walter Goldy and Ev Johnson, may be big in the DX World, but they are rather small in stature. They were almost trampled to death when the "soup's on" cry was sounded at the Elk's Club.

While awaiting the dinner bell, Don Roller was so hungry he was chewing his finger nails. But we like Roller - he's a good skate.

While the vulturous DXers were awaiting their meal, the local newspaper buttonholed the Tewells, Edge, Wagner and Lefty for some pictures for their readers to see. By the time the pictures appeared, all had, luckily, safely blown town.

After getting a look at big Bill Prater, we immediately knew what they mean by "The Solid South." Bill may be a miner, but he is of definite major proportions.

Walter Goldy, Eric Bristow and Waldron Newman posed for a picture together, as the oldest members of the NRC present. But you'd never suspect it, for they are certainly among the most active members in the organization.

They say Life Begins at 40. Lefty sure hopes so, as he hit that mark on August 28.

F U N I N F I N D L A Y

After every Convention, many members have come to look forward to these special pages. A few read them, but most use them for their old wads of chewing gum.

The Hotel Phoenix went all out to make us welcome. You see, they'd never met any of us DXers before.

Phoenix is in Arizona, and Arizona means "arid zone." And the Hotel Phoenix was just that on Sunday. Nothing stronger than coffee was available.

Those motoring to Findlay were extended the courtesy of being allowed to park free of charge in front of the parking meters. This was most frustrating to Pop Edge, who is a cop who just loves to write out tickets in Buffalo for just the same offense.

Pat Reilly and a couple other members went up to WFIN-1330 on Saturday morning and were interviewed over the air waves. It left the town full of hot air for the rest of the day, as the mercury merrily soared to a high of 90°.

They came by all methods of transportation. We even had one hitch-hiker, Ben Patch. "Thumb fun," he said upon arriving.

John Bryant, a tall Oklahoman, came by railroad for a special reason. "I want to stay in training," he proclaimed.

But top this one - Stan Stanbury and his folks came from Crystal Beach, Ontario, to the Convention by Buffalo.

We heard that Eric Bristow is a cyclist, but he didn't attempt to come to Findlay that way, but we understand he may pedal his way to Sebring this winter.

The first thing to catch everyone's eye was a Collins communications-type receiver in the NRC Suite said to retail at \$1,175.00 - or the price of a season ticket on the Ohio Turnpike.

Bob Gorsuch it was who brought this fine instrument with him. We did our best to persuade him to offer it as first prize in this year's DX Contest, but we had to settle for 100 NRC Report Forms.

To avoid the unmerciful kidding he received last year, Stan Morss loaded down his station wagon with Dr. Pepper's Tonic on the way to Findlay, hoping nobody would notice.

When Lefty's car pulled up beside the Hotel Phoenix, Pete Hansen, Don Chaydeayne and John Bryant lined up on the sidewalk waiting to catch a glimpse of Lefty in Bermuda Shorts. But he foiled 'em, emerging with the conventional long pants.

Bob Reck has the interesting nickname of "Socks." With tongue in cheek, we asked his Long Island buddy, George Battle, why. "Bobby - Socks," he explained.

Lefty had a tough time driving there. He had one Reck and one Battle, but still, the lads, and Bernie Duffy and brother John made it, not much the worse for wear.

When we heard the almost continual screeching of tires around the Hotel, we could scarcely believe that Scooter Segraves wasn't there. We had been fore-warned about his prowess at the wheel, you see.

The way the local yokels drive about town, it is no wonder the Cooper Tire and Rubber Company chose Findlay for their offices and factory.

With all that worn rubber on the highways, it certainly made for nice bouncy driving down the Main Drag.