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HALF WAY FROM OMAHA TO WHITE PLAINS

Yes, it was just six months ago many of us were roveling in and around Omaha's famous flown House. And he is also just six months till we'll be at it again, but this time in the Roger Smith Hotel, in White Plains, New York. It has been decided to hold both dirmers - Saturday night and Sunday afternoon - right within the headquarters of the 1960 NRC Convention, the Roger Smith Hotel, in the heart of White Plains. To out-do last year's big Omaha Fiesta would seem to be well nigh impossible, but a really great attempt will be made to do just that. Of course, you all can help - simply by being there. We feel that at this location we will have the largest gathering of the Clan in the 27 year history of the National Radic Club, and we are hoping that EVERYONE will be there - old members, new members, in between members, and members of their families too. Yes, it is still six months to go to the Labor Day weekend of 1960, but many who work in offices and factories have to begin now to choose their vacation dates, and we know you'll never regret including this three-day Convention in your vacation plans, which could thus also take in a visit to New York City and its Great White Way: So, come from near, and come from far, and have a real DX ball:

NRC DX CALENDAR

 Kc/s
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 E.S.T.
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 Columbia, Pennsylvania
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 1:00 - 4:00 a.m.
 N N R C

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 Virginia Beach, Va.
 5,000
 3:00 - 3:30 a.m.
 D X R C

 1210
 Thule, Greenland ('KOLD') 250
 3:00 - 4:00 a.m.
 D X R C

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3:00 + 5:00 a.m.

Note: On the KETC-1210 DX from Greenland, the power may be 1,000 watts instead of 250 watts, and a station we imagine everybody will be tuning for on a clear channel.

1520 Portland, Oregon

Remember that in only size more weeks, DX NEWS will go onto its summer schedule, We will continue to issue weekly until the April \$16 issue, and then the summer schedule will set in, through to mid-October, when again, we will be back at you each week. Then there will be another April issue dated April 30, and then one issue will appear in each of May June July and August, making the usual total of 34 issues. Our last few issues have been nice and full, and we do hope all of you will continue to support DX NEWS with reports for these remaining six issues. Send all your late tips on r/cs, s/ons or s/offs, or odd times a certain station can be heard, to Ev Johnson for his fine DX Down the Dial column. All loggings of stations outside of the United States. Canada should go to Fred Van Voorhees, for his International DX Sigest. Also, all members located in countries other than the United States and Canada should send their

members located in countries other than the United States and Canada should send their reports of all their DXing to that section. Then, for your day to day reception, and veries received, and chit chat about your receivers, etc. there is the Musings section. Deadlines for the International DX Digest and Musings of the Members is each Tuesday. For DX Down the Dial, it is Thursday of each week. Now, as the season wanes, but only in date, not in DX activity, as these pages will attest to, be sure to join the regular members who report so faithfully, and without whom we simply would not have a DX NEWS weekly during the six month DX season from mid-October to mid-April. And your verie signers should be jotted onto a separate sheet and sent along with your Musing.

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√950 W D L M 1400 KSLY San Luis Obispo Cal. East Moline, Illinois NRC FCC 1340 WKEY 1480 WREA Now 1,000/250 U-1 FCC East Palatka, Fla. _1350 WAAP NRC · 1580 W G O R Now 10,000 D-3 Ex-WEEK NEC

Ronald Beitman - 3729 Oakwood - Amelia 3. Ohio

Really slacked down on BCB DX as I am in an SW contest, Recent stations heard: 1/22/60 WBSC at 9:35 p.m., WRBC at 9:42. 1/23- WWKY (local) at 1:34 p.m. 1/24- WAGG at s/on 7:17 a.m., WACR at 8:15 p.m. s/off. 1/25- KVLC at 6:14 s/off, KSIS at 6:15 s/off. WSMB at 7:43 p.m. 1/26- WSPA at 10:30 p.m. 1/30- WKYR on for test purposes at 12:40 a.m., WSGN at 1:06, WREN at 1:45 with unID TT on 1250 at 1:49. Logged KLOU for first time at 2:10, WOKJ at 5:43 p.m. s/off, KFMJ at 6:06 s/off, logged KFSA for first time also at 2:35 a.m. 1/31- WEMP at 2:45, WGAT?? help - on 540 kc/s. from Columbus, Ga. at 3:01. Anyone hear WGUN DX on 1/31? New station - WTOI?? possible QTH at Portsmouth Ohio. Recent veries in are: KNCO with nice personal letter, KSIS also with personal letter, KVLC, WACR and WGOH with verie written at bottom of report. Got coverage maps from WIND WKAP WESC. Others were KFI WGBI WEIG WIEG KISA WEMP WOAY WGOH WIMJ WWKY and a few not worth mentioning, hi. Oh - one more - 250 watt KFRU from Columbia, Mo. for longest 250 watt station. Other 250 watter was VELM. The CE of WELM, Art French, said WEIM will increase power from 250 watts to 1,000 watts and frequency from 1400 to 1410. Think that XERF "exterminators" should go to work again and get XERF off for good. Did XERF drop power to 50,000 watts? 73s, gang: (Welcome to the NRC, Ronnie, and thanks for the nice report - may I suggest you list the frequencies of your catches? -Ed.)

Stan Morss - R. R. 3 - Bradford, Massachusetts 2/16- TT 970 at/2. A welcome relief, local WHAV off AN this AM. Netted WSSB for a new one fighting it out with WECB. WICH 1310 now AN. Verie CHEC with folder showing pictures of staff, towers and buildings. Very nice. Also KAVI. 2/19- WANS Olean 1360 TT 1:50. CMCA 730 1:51-2 s/off along with many other Cubans. TT 740 2:01, no ID. Veries HIF, La Voz de Atlantico and WKVT. 2/20- Whij 1580 1:45 a.m. WDXR 1560 still on at 2:45. Verie, Radio Guardian. 2/21- WOOW with mail order 2 a.m., now Greenville N.C., sounded like AN. 2/22- KCRG 1600 Cedar Rapids Ia. 12:29-12:48 a.m. RS for a needed one. WEIR 1430 Weirton, W. Va. s/off 12:58. WHOL 1600 Allentown Pa. 1 a.m. f/c for another new one. WALA 1410 at 1:28 announcing as 24 hours. XEVX 570 Commacabro Tabasco 1:32 to 2:01 soff, for some sort of celebration - lots of applause, cheering, etc. Music, carrier and TT 2:06 on 620, no ID. CJBQ 800 DX for DXRC 2:33. KELP 920 has evidently joined the seven day ANers - still on at 3:10 a.m. WPRW 1460 Manassas Va. test 3:19. WABG 960 with AN show. If I remember rightly Lefty needs tem. XIAN s/off 4:00 950 and no sign of KFSA, but a SS (LR-3?) and two weak in English still there. 4:10 station with Agua Caliente results on 1170 but WWVA came on too quick for ID. KPOI 1380 fighting KGMS 4:40-5 a.m. WYZE s/on 5 a.m. 1480.

Harold Wagner - 429 Terry Street - Apt. 2 - Longmont, Colorado Managed to skirt all the snowy weather on the way out and had good roads all the way. Did get two flats though but with the locad I had on the truck I can't complain as the tires were recaps anyhow. Sorry I couldn't stop to see some of the fellows on the way but with a top speed of 40 mph the only way I could make any distance was to start off at daylight and drive till dark. Now all I have to do is to convince some employer I'm the man he is waiting for, hi. Not meaning any dispersions on our three members in Denver I hope I don't have to go down to their big city for work. My Super Pro is still on the sick list but since getting here have got the BC-314 working although the IFs need touching up. Reception is really surprising to me, although it may be the wire around the molding (a la Pat Reilley) instead of my long wires back East causing it but I don't notice any SSes here I got back there. WIM is clear here and I was only 300 miles from them back East and couldn't get them. KYV is clear except for TV squeals and I was 100 miles from them and couldn't get them, either, clear, that is. KMX was in like a local at 7 p.m. MST. Out here the National channels are that while back East they are happy hunting grounds for the SSes, hi. There is lots of open land out here and I brought my aerial wire with me so here is hoping I get myself a job and a place in the country to put it up. John Alexander had to move to California to get an Asian, maybe I can make it from here, hi.

Herbert H. Rhoads Jr. - 122 Carlisle Street - Gettysburg, Penna.

Heard since last time are: WJWS-1370 kc/s. at 4:10 a.m. WTIX-690 at 4:30 a.m., WOMR1050 at 4:55 a.m., WFLA-970 at 5:45 a.m., WPOW-1330 at 6:55 a.m., WITA-1140 at 4:45 a.

m., WPON-1450 at 5:05 a.m. Latest veries - WGUS-1600, WKZO-590, WJWS-1370, WTIX-690,
WQMR-1050, new call letters for WGAY, Silver Springs, Md., WFLA-970. This is all for
now. 73.

D Z N E W 5 Frank Wheeler - Box 176 - R. D. 5 - Erie, Pennsylvania

The new catches I've received since last reporting are as follows Feb. 6- WGHN 1370 kc/s. 2:48 a.m., WSWV 1570 kc/s. 3:35 a.m. Feb. 11 - WGAT (Thanks to DX Down the Dial) Feb. 13 - KGLC 910 kc/s. MNRC. Feb. 14 - VKTF 1420 kc/s. Feb. 15 - KFDF-1580 kc/s. again thanks to DX Down the Dial, I received a verie from KDUZ (Dec. 14 DX for NNRC) and they said they were disappointed in their Special for the NNRC as they had received only seven reports. On with my new catches: Feb. 20 - WHTA 1580 kc/s, 1:45 a.m. WQMN 1320 kc/s. 1:52 a.m. Hedley Simmonds, Hamilton, Ont. says they will have a new station in Hamilton, Ont. on 1280 kc/s. with 5,000 watts operated by J. Irving Zucker, and will operate 24 hours per day, calls CHIQ. Transmitter at Lynden, Ont. 73s.

Peter Putnam Bretz - 941 Cox Lane - Santa Maria, California Well, the KCOY DX went off as scheduled, but not without incident. During the first march selection, in walked an F.C.C. inspector, of all people! I asked him what in the name of Heaven he was doing up at this hour of the morning? He said that he was at the studios to check up on the DX program. So, for the rest of the broadcast I didn't ask any questions, but made sure that the XR log was filled out, accurate to the letter, and that everything was in order. The FCC man spent the duration of the show talking to our CE, and he didn't seem too happy as he talked. After the program was over. I finally found out the reason of his being here, Seems that when the copy of DX NEWS with the big write-up about the KCOY DX on the front page arrived at FCC HQ in Washington, they didn't like what they read, namely the fact that we were going on day pattern. So the night of the show, they sent a telegram to the local man in Los --Angeles and told him to get on his horse and up to Santa Maria and "observe" the show. Fact was, the FCC had a week to notify us if there was anything wrong, but KCOY got no. such indication. And nothing was done about the pattern during the show. That was fortunate, for on night pattern, no one in the East could have possibly picked us up. As it was, Mahone Bay, Nova Scotia sent a correct report. The whole thing is ridiculous, and time will tell if anything will happen. The inspector has already sent his report in to Washington. Oh, the permils of the DX, hi. If you sent a report to KCOY, your verie will be out as soon as possible. On other matters, but the time I got the word that XERF was off the dir, they were back on! Listened to them this morning, and the announcer said that the reason they were off was that a big tube had blown up and they couldn't get the part. The announcer went on to say that "now we're back on the air, be sure totell your friends and neighbors that XERF is now again serving them with the finest (the announcer was serious) radio listening possible." Wonder if anyone else caught that? Out of space, 73.

Buddy Giles - 2844 Guilford Lane - Oklahoma City 20, Oklahoma

Hi gang! Have been DKing more of late, or I should say have been hearing more lately. Wish the verie return would be in as good quantity. Sure think Ray Edge has done a fine job on bullatin - couldn't have better service! NRC is the best! Here is a summary of what had been heard this season: KABL KEYZ-dx KPOA-650 KFAL-dx KURL CKDA KOUR KKIS-dx Weuc-dx ktyo kcta kban krad kcpx kaji kxen kicn ktux Welo-dx cfry ckux kpon WJWS-dx KGWU UPLO all verified and KPOI WXTN KNDE-dx KMGM UKTF KWIC KACE WGSR XEOY KZUM WANS IDGO-dx. More recently with details: 2/1- WMIA 1070 4:30-5 a.m. 2/7- KGFL 1430 f/c 2:15 a.m., KAGO 1150 RS, KBLR 730 RS to 7:30 p.m. s/off. 2/8- KHBC 970 RS, HJAT 1080 3:49-4:10 a.m., CX-28 1090 also heard, but not enough for report, KOOD 990 s/off 4, WAXX 1150 testing studio equipment, Jamaica on both 700 and 750. 2/15- KFDF 1580 f/c and ET 1-2 a.m. KCOY-1440 DX good, KHSJ-1320 test 3-3:15 a.m. 2/16- WMXY 1480 test 3-3:15 a.m. 2/22- KIMO 850 RS. 2/23- KIWO 1480 RS, KSVN 730 test 2:15-2:20 a.m., KUNT (?) Davenport, Iowa 1580 ET 3:05-3:15 a.m. Verie count, 2,802 BCB. If everybody heeps changing his calls make 3,000 some dayl Note there have been some good DXing this year from other fellows - hope each and all have had great seasons and that the veries roll in. Hak Ward - thought of you in tornadoes down there when it was clear here, what a switch, hi. Best of DX to everyone.

David McCurdy - R.F.D. 2 - Wyoming, Illinois

I thank all NRC members who make this such a good Club and especially the editors of the various sections. I am probably one of the tardiest members in reporting. I'm tlways either too busy or too tired or too lazy. Even though my radio has an "invisible sideld" against most DXes I've still heard a few. How about each member telling all the countries he has heard, so that the other members will know what it's possible to hear? (Forwarded by Ray Edge)

Bob Foxworth - 69 Elm Street - Summit, New Jersey

Lefty promised to pay me a visit on the 23th so I will hand this to him in person and save a stamp. Mid-winter vacation from school let me DX the morning of the 22nd, and here are the results: KOGT-1500 Orange, Tex. s/off 12:58 with "Dixie", even ith KCRG. 1:00 WTSA 1450 s/off not needed. WHOL 1600 f/c to 1:10. At 1:14 KFID 900 ID on f/c through CHIL and reported. KGA 1510 at 2 a.m. for new state. 2:00 to 2:15 WHSC 1450 f/e way on top. WCOS 1400 AN topping the channel. WALA 1410 says 24 hours, no KQV heard this AM. 2:35, WNAT 570 booming in at s/off, second new state. Total now 46 heard. CJBQ 800 for DXRC good S-8 and in clear. 2:45 long wanted KELP 920 fair signal, someone behind, was it KOIO? WOKY ET at 3. 2:55 KGA s/off, 2:57 WABG 930 ET using beeper phone to give effect of telephone interview. KVI 570 believed heard at 3, too weak to ID positively. 3:01 KXOA 1470 s/off in clear. 3:15 to 3) so someone on 800 too weak and a lot of noise, was it KINY f/c? KGMS good signal, report sent finally. 3:51 VSM TT off momentarily, KPOA behind, playing theme from something or other, also signals on 870 and 880 heard. 4:33 WMIA 1.070 s/on. 4:35 tried for WADP DX and only WABG booming in, gave WX for Greenwood, wonder if DXers might have mistaken call for WADP? Sure sounds alike. Never stuck with 1250, WHNY unneeded. Someone heard behind WEMP though. 4:57 WATE 520 s/on SSB, no Interval signal from HI3T noted, also nothing from Mandeville at 4:59. WEMB and VGAS on 1420. WDEV 550 logged finally. Very good signal and atop the channal. 5:30 Lefty's WKVT on 1490 way down in the soup, and no report. Tuesday AM got WOK 1480 ET to 2:19, KWNT 1580 ET for new call at 3:15, and KELO-1320 on RS over WILS Lansing, a happy day: Wednesday, managed unneeded KPCA r/c; don't ask how I came to be up so late! (I asked and didn't find out either -Ed.) Thursday, TT 1570 all AM, same 1550 at 1:30, 1370 at 1:45 and 1310 at 1:15, band music on 1270 under WXYZ at 1:30, WOK 1480 again over non-verifier WLOK on for r/c at 2:23, both testing. TT 1390 at 2:50, again no ID. Tried KHVH again this Sunday bur carrier too weak to hear anything. Veries are letters from WWRJ and CKOT and returned report from WCRL 1570 who appreciated my tapa.

Larry Godwin - 2802 Bonham Street - Amarillo, Texas Greetings from the NRC DX Capital of the Golden Spread! Although DX hasn't been too good this week, the following was heard 2/22: "Radio Caracas" (Venezuela) outlet on 630 kc/s. ID in the clear at 1:31 EST, parellel to transmission on 750 kc/s.; CKOK-800 Penticton, B.C. covered up DXRC DX from CJBQ Belleville, Ont.; WABG-960 Greenwood, Miss. ET AN covered up NNRC DX from WADP Kane, Pa.; WPRW-1460, Manassas, Va. ET 3:00-4:00 at official s/on. Skipping to 2/28, the Northland was in very well, with CJOC-1220 Lethbridge, Alta. 15 db over S-9, and smallar signals from CKDM-730 Dauphin, That's it for DX this week. More work on the f/cplist this weekend, and more to come this week. I think a few words of proase are in order for Amarillo DXer Jeff Stewart, who has sacrificed a great deal of his time in helping me compile the f/c. list. Phil Scott, Jack Hathaway, and John Tudenham have also made the task much easier. Thanks to Marty Wright and Sam McLaughlan for tapes received last week - replies are in the mail. Still workin on Foxworth's 5" tape. Forgot to mention last week a letter Jack H-thaway received from Dave Thomas in Proctorville, Ohio giving us a tip on some special ETs from stations in Antartica and Baffin Island to test on 2/29 on 1605 kc/s. I'll give them a try, but doubt if they will make it - suppose other DXers received tips from Dave on the tests. Veries stand at a humiliating 594, and have hopes of making 600 this week. Veries in last week from TIRA-732, YVMN-1200, and TGED-1205; also KPLK-1460 for DX. That's it from the Panhandle this time - more next issue. 73s to all and best DX.

Several good DX openings recently, especially to SA and CA. PJA-10 655 heard on 2/22 at 1:37 a.m. EST. along with HRN HRTV HRZN, mystery on 594, 1207, 1213, 895 and Spanish and a tentative French one on 836 on 2/8 around 2:00 a.m., but very broken. Some U.S. and Canada heard here are: WATV-900 Birmingham, WVOK-690, Birmingham, KLGR-1490 Redwodd Falls, Hinn.; KXDA-1470 Sacramento, KIMA-1460 Yakima, CKDA-1220 Victoria, B.C.; CJOC-1220 Lethbridge, Alta.; WBOW-1230 Terre Haute, KJBSp1100 San Francisco, CKEY-580 Toronto, CKSB-1050 St. Boniface, CFCN-1050 Calgary, CFRN-1260 Edmonton, KOLO-920 Reno, CKXL Calgary 1140, and many more. Veries in from- KOOD KPOA KRAM KAGO KKIS HSGM KYOU KURL WCJU And 12B for #3 from New Zealand. KPOA-650 Honolulu said that my too and a half hour report was a little skimpy! Can anyone tell me how to get veries out of TGJ PJA-10 or YSS?

Page 6 Ralph Johanns - 11 East Chippewa Street - Buffalo 3, New York File #4, Paul Kellinger, (no relation to "Friendly Neighbor Station's" announcer) also lives on a third floor like I do, but three houses away. He came over the roofs and pounded on my window pane to tell me to tune away from XERF as he was listening on his crystal set (he uses earphones at that) and had his antenna wire consected on the gas pipe and my having XERF on one receiver while airing the other set. This I always do after several unspeakable TTers. It seems as thought TERF had no technical difficulties and so created an oscillation on my friend's set. I ler him listen in on the "Royal Jelly" convercial and he left friendlyplike saying he himself would now listen at night to FREX, as they have no silent period set aside to TT on. I have no tape recorder and so cannot use this for another KEREferie. Now you see why I get along so good on 1570 kc/s. 2/25 VNCA Siler City TTed 2:40-3:35 a.m. I've an old VNCA-1340 verie from deleted Asheville N.C.; WPAZ Pottstown Ted on 1370 kc/s, call at 4 a.m. through WSPD AN. 2/22- CKEY-580 was off, but had carrier on/off till 5:59 a.m. s/on and so got WRKH (Rockwood Tenn.) son 5-5:30, when WGAC s/on took it over and another one at 5:45 a.m. I took VGAC as my older verie is from them on 1240 kc/s. with EVT use of 195 watts. 2/24: WJVA-1580 had long 2:47-4:30 a.m. PoP M/TT; 1590 kc/s. had WEHH TT 2-2:22 a.m.; WAUB Tred also on 1590 through WAKR AN 4:30-4:40 a.m., WCEG Chambersburg s/on at 5:01 a.m.; took CJRH-1310 for an evening report (no go at night) 5-7 p.m. 2/ 22- CJEQ-800 OK but their Directional setup is very notable here and cannot get Im when CKIM is on the air. I heard 'em better when on 1230 kc/s., on DX was Eill McKay mentioning Jim Ernst of Mahone Bay N.S. for NRC sample bulletins. 2/26: 1480 2115-2139 andx taxax Ther said had WLEA Hornell N.Y. TTs through WHOM test; 1580 no KBIA/c, -only KLOU AN; WINZ AN strong had a TTer also 2:15-2:30 and later. TTer said WPRF Greenville Pa. testing at 4:01, then at 4:31 sounded like WMIX - who were they? KGMO-1220 r/c-TT through XEB an. s/off saying back RS at 7:15 a.m. CST. V.1s by WAKY-790 a WcLendon station, Kentucky Home Life Building, is directional when on night pattern, 1 kw. That's ex-WGRC. WAWK-1570 Noble-DeKalb Broadcasting Co., Houte 6 and W.E. Avenue, Kendallville, Ind. P.O. Box 47, longhand by CE, Sunday off all year 5:10 p.m., weekly in March 6:45, 7:15 in April. WKTL was call till 7/57, new call saying "walk" (WAWK) Nice v/1 by VMAQ-670 tells a lot of old 1922 VGU with 250 w. and I'll tell you nextweek.

Hal Williams - 50 Third Avenue - Buffalo 15, New York Slim DX loggings again this week but here is what was added by dateline: 2/22- CJBQ-800 Belleville, Ont. on DX Special for DXRC 2:30-3:00 but not needed, S-9 signal but garbled. WABG-960 Greenwood, Liss. heard on "Night Watch" 3:30-4:10 for a new catch. Announcer said "WABG, Greenwood Night Watch on for an ET." Not needed KGER-1390 Long Beach, Calif. was coming in ten db over S-9 2:40-3 s/off. 2/23, with VCKR-310 Miami, Fla. easily read from 2:00-3:00 I guess WIP IS silent on Tuesday mornings. 2/25, was surprised to hear WSM-650 Nashvilla, Tann. with TT 2:30-2:43 and later. Must be off AN. Exactly three veries received this week. On 2/23 QSL card from WBRX-1280 for MWRC DX 1/11. Verie #148 from Pennsylvania. 2/24 a plain hand written post card from WWRJ 910 for their 12/28 DX after a f /up letter. 2/25 a double QSL card via air mail from TIDCR-625 San Jose, Costa Rica. (See International Section for details). Sorry indeed to learn of the unforturate accident to Marty Brauner. An avalanche of about 200 cards would help while away sme of the long hospital hours. I remember her not only for the 1954 Convention but also the 1952 Convention in Buffalo/Williamsville when Marty and Joe hosted the Convention and I met them for the first time. Swell folks. Come on, fellow NRCers, let's swamp that hospital with "get well" cards to Ers. Joseph Brauner, Adrian Hospital, Room 24, Punxsut wney, Pa. Do it now! Hope for some better DX this week as I'll be working from 6 a.m. to 2 p.m. Sorry that because of my work schedule I will not be able to attend the gathering of the DX Clans at Lefty's or at Bernie Duffy's. I only get one Saturday and Suniay off every four weeks. 73.

Jim Warner - Berwick, Pennsylvania I'm back in operation again tith the S-38B and am planning on adding some DX now. DX by dateline: 2/22- WCHA 800 Charbersburg, v/l back. WHIO-640 at 6:35 p.m., location? 2/13- VLSC 1500 at 12:05 a.m., Nashville, Tenn. 2/13- VPTR at 12:50 1540, New York. WQAM at 1:15 on 560, miami. WPAT at 1:30 on 910 - New York? WATN at 8:45 on 520, Syramse. 2/14- WCOJ at 3 p.m. on 1420, Coatesville, Pa. 2/15- WENY at 11:30 p.m. 1390 k. //s. Albany, N.Y. 2/16- CAO at 12:05 600 kc/s. Baltimore. WATE at 12:10 520 kc/s. Kanville, Term. VLAC at 6 p.m. 1500 Nashville. 2/20- WINC at 1:55 on 940, Mami, Wia. Varies for 1960 at ten, 69 for season. Latest are WHO WCFL WGN WCHA. 73, best DX Ray H. Kraul - 6423 33rd Street 3 Berwyn, Illinois

Winter was slow in coming, but ever since the groundhog came out of his hole, it's been a corker! Snowy, gusty, blowy, sleety, and cold. Should be great for DX but only on a few occasions has DX been completely clear of QRN. Saturday 2/20, heard KWBG-1590 with Iowa-Indiana basketball game till 11:35 CST. Then s/off at 11:38. Went to bed to catch a few winks and up again at 5:30 a.m. Found WTCO-1450 with "Listeners' Appreciation Show" 5:30-5:45. Heard 2nd new one of the morning with WROA-1390 RS 5:45-5:55. Other not needed DX: WTJH-1260 s/on 6:00; WTMD-920 s/on 6:05 and WJPS-1330 test at approximately 6:30. Monday 2/22: WFHR heard on 1320 kc/s. with f/c-TT over WILS 1:40-1:45. I haven't seen notice of their frequency or power change but they sounded more like 1 kw. than 250 watts. KOTA-1380 RS and s/off 1:55-2:00; WHSC-1450 r/c 2:00-2:15; KSTW-1420, KGMS-1380 and KABL-960 all in well around 2:05-2:10. WABC-960 ET 2:30 ? and really taking care of 960; WPCF test on 1430 at approximately the sale time. Neoded KSVC 980 f/c-M 3:15-3:25 good signal; AN KELP-920 3:25-3:30 very good, WPRW-1460 ET 3:50. Listenedenext on Saturday AM the 27th, but contracted "All-night-itis" and gave up at 2:00. At the rate veries are coming in, I figure that by June 1, 2030, 70% of my outstanding reports as of now will be in my fiels (with any luck). There were four received this week, all letters. WDEL WLOI WRUF and KFAL from November DX.

Jim Crhtchett - 1119 Fest Arbor Drive - San Diego 3, California Between January 28 and February 22 reports of reception have been sent to: 1090 CHEC for an ET Monday 2/8; 1050 KOFY, ending its PoP at 5:13 a.m. Saturday 2/13; 14-0 KCOY DX, a good one 2/15; 1410 KQV AN 4:19 to s/on of WING at 4:55 2/15; 1420 VKCW, through and after KSTN's s/off at 5; 1440 VBCM on RS 5:10 to 5:15, also Monday 2/15. Veries to 2/23 were received from 610 Radio Guardian, 910 KEVB, ex-KLX, an unsigned post card QSL; 940 KFRE; 1010 CBX, usual CBC QSL; 1240 KDGO for DX; 1320 KXYE-QSL; 1570 KZOL and 1590 KCHY. Potes while DXing. 560 KSFO seemed to be off Sunday 1/31; a change from Tuesdays; 1430 KLO is no AN Mondays, interfering with KALI until they s/off at 5;00; 1350 WADC said 24 hours Monday 2/22; 1470 WBIG on at 5 2/22 and 1480 WLOK on same time. Nobody near by on 1400, 2/22. Needed DX Special programs have not been heard here 🔣 lately. On 2/1 none of the NRC or NNRC programs made it; and 1010 WGUN was not heard 1/31; 950 KBOI has been verified twice, so did not try for it 2/8; 910 KGLC was of course impossible, with local KDEO AN; 960 WCRO was not heard, with CFAC AN; a third station was heard with WREN and KTW, but too weak to ID on 1250 2/22; CEAC, so no 950 "ADP. Only 1440 KCOY all'month. 1310 KFBB already verified, and don't expect to hear In fact, don't expect to hear any of the special programs listed in any others 2/29. the 2/13 DX NEWS, not such a gool season for us, in the great Southwest. So I willlisten for Eastern and mid-Western s/ons, and strange ETs. Had a very nice visit with the Raymonds at Borrego Springs; nice weekend #home, maybe six months a year. He is still a DNer, in spite of few reports. Mine are getting fewer, must be old age. I guess it is up to the younger generation to keep the Club active with reports. 73.

Francis H. Nittler - 2634 South Josephine Street - Denver 10, Colorado 10 DX again restricted to Monday AM this week. First want to mention after checking tape of 2/15 of log taken on 950 between 4:25-4:30 EST and with a little help from Glen Kippel I find very definitely that it was LR3 Buenos Aires, Argentina I was hearing with call letters given so report off to them for a new country for me. Moniay 2/22 static really bad but managed to all a few needed stations. CHOM-1320 Vancouver heard on RS 3:00 to 3:00 s/off tith QRM from WILS. WPRW-1460 Manassas Va. heard on ET 3:51+3:58 when said would be back on RS in two minutes and then on RS from 4:00 and still good at 4:52. VEAN-790 Providence, heard with s/on at 5:00 over WTAR for about three minutes. WBAL-1090 Ealtimore finally logged at s/on at 4:55 and on RS to 5:10. \CAR-1130 Detroit another long sought station logged on AN from 3:30 on with good signal topping WNEW most of the time. Veries really coming in good lately atth hine received this week. Letter from Radio Guardian-610 for their NYHC DX program, YVQ0-650 Puerto la Cruz, letter with six decals enclosed, HJAT-1030 letter and penhant and this is three new countries verified for me. Also nice long letter in English from XESB-1400 Santa Barbara, Chih. saying the time I heard them they were having a big celebration for their increase of power to 1,000 watts. Other veries were letters from KKAN-1490 CFPL 980 WTAR-790 VCAR-1130 and letter and QSL card from Pete Bretz for KCOY DX. Thanks a loy, Peta. I want to welcome a new NRC member to Colorado - Hal Wagner and hope he doesn bt think our weather is always like this, hi. Dropped in for a short time Thirsday afternoon and we went over to see Glen Kippel for a DX chat. 73s.

Jim Ernst - Mahone Bay, Nova Scotia Hi, all: My radio's all messed up, and have been getting WMEX-1510 on 580, KOMA-1520 on 590, and that drip of 1570 fame on 640. I really hate to insult a drip, but this Bulletin is censored, hi. Anyway, the high end isn't too bad, and I've heard a few good ones since last ditty. Feb. 22- CJBQ-800, Belleville, Ont. on for DXRC from 2:53 -3 (never work up till 2452) and in well; KERN-1410, Bakersfield, Calif. heard with NX. WX and s/off from 3-3:03. KQV-1410 off AN. WABG-960, Greenwood, Miss. on with an ET/ M at 3:20-3:45 when I tuned out, as I couldn't take Little Richard's cousins any longer, hi. WKBO-1230, Harrisburg, Pa. with f/c-TT at 3:45-3:50; KSTN-1420, Stockton, Calif. from 3:55-4, with the NX through WKCW's all powerful carrier, and finally, my second STN station of the morning in the form of WSTN-1420, St. Augustine, Fla. My California total is now eight, and I should be able to get five to seven more before the season's out, as I have heard only one 50 kilowatter from there, namely, KNX. Some nice veries have come in: KGER said the tape was a novel idea, and "Radio Monte Carlo" 1466 sent a letter in French, with promise of a QSL card. ,I wonder whose eyes will take a look especially at this? Hi, Texas!) Today, the 24th, three friends and myself all missed the bus so decided to take the day off, and recuperate from tomorrow. Larry and Foxy - where are the tapes? To Stan Morss - what I meant by difference between three Boston five kilowatters was the fact that all one would really accuminate would be quantity, and due to the proximity of the stations, not really quality. WCRB-1330 could not get in here due to CBH, and WCOP because of CHSJ. However, they can be heard at night. I wish WNEW had the signal "Wonderful (?) WMEX" has. WBOF said in the verie that they only had a makeshift antenna 150° high, but they do a nice job of penetrating in here all throughout their entire broadcasting day. I'll admit, they're no S-5, but nice and steady. Forgot v/l in from Radio Guardian for DX, and one in from WIZ. Got a kick out of CKCM's plugging WALT-1110, Tampa the other morning. Guess I've said enough, so I'll end this by the understatement of the year. XERF is -----

Ken Murphy - 60 Plymouth Road - Glenbrook, Connecticut DX continues quite good at this location and for some reason I very rarely get any natural interference. Early this morning, 2/27, I heard a slow, very deliberate French speaking station about even with WIBG on 990 kc/s. I didn't catch any ID and wonder whom it could have been. The time was shortly after 2 a.m. and they were giving a NX broadcast. Ny best luck on DX programs so far this year resulted in KCOY just barely pushing through an OC and surprisingly a very good signal from KBOI. KCOY verie already in, thanks, Pete! Other veries in since last report include: CHOK-1000, WWRJ-910, HVCL-1270, CFRB-1010, KSD-550, WBRX-1280, WSKO-1470, WSBT-960, WLEM-1250, WBAZ-1550, KUSN-1270, WELO-530, WJWS-1370 and WJAB-1440. Have now heard over 800 stations in my 14 months of DX from Glenbrook but reports go out to only a very few. Hope to join the group who send tape reports very soon now and any info on a good reasonably priced recorder would be appreciated. Am still hoping to arrange a get-together here in Glenbrook possibly some time in April or May 1. Sure would like to meet all the DXers in the area at that time. Good DX to all. WGHM-1150, 6 a.m. s/on is sometimes audible here, have also been heard on s/off.

Lefty, didn't you get KCOY? (Nope, Jim, a bad buzz fixed 'em -Ed.) It's plain to see I'll be taking a plain plane to White Plains for the un-plainest Convention planned!

J. Warren Routzahn - 231 South West Street - York, Pennsylvania Too many activities this week including a couple evenings at work to do much DXing. However verifs were received from WGAS WMBA WSRO WNAX KVCL WVSC WTHR WBLO WDXL WBRX KTOC KFAL. 2/1, with 1570 clear just heard a tone signal 4:05-4:15 but didn't ID. Report off to KDWB-630 AN but they didn't verify old call so maybe no reply this time. No chance for WCVP with WCAO like a local here. 2/8- WNAXp570 s/off 3:06, KINN-950 good. 2/10- KTOC-920 r/c 1-1:30 and sounded like WIOS-1480 test 2 a.m. 2/11- WGAT-1050 r/c 12:15-12:45. WVSC-990 r/c 1-1:15, KCLO-1410 testing 1:23. 2/12- R/cs from WTHR-1480 2:15-2:45 and WBLO-1470 2:45-3. 2/15, a Latin ended a program on 1440 at 3:30 followed by a weak carrier. WSAI-1360 end test at 3:38, CKGM-980 very clear AN. On 1490 WDXL r/c 4:10 over WOLF, WOPI f/c 4:25. Maybe missed KCOY-1440 as local WGCB cane on at 4. At 5 a.m. s/ons of WSPA-950 CHNS-960 WRFC-960. Bad local buzz on from s m, WCOS topping 1400 1:20, WFHR-1320 f/c 1:30-1:45. WMED-1470 s/off 2, KLAK alone on 1600. WHSC-1450 testing 2:40, WSPD-1370 testing 2:15. 2/24- WELZ-1460 r/c 2-2:15, lusty to hear through WCMB's strong signal here, then caught KSO at 2:30. That tells the story from here; starting to look for that nice spring WX that's just around the

Alex Bowab - Box 539 - Atmore, Alabama

Hello again. Am in bed with flu. DX in past week: 2/22- WJPS-1330 Evansville, Ind. s/off at 1:00. KQEO-920 Albuquerque (#1 New Mexico for me) on RS 1:34-1:50, Heard KSL s/off at 2:00 but already have them verified. KNX-1070 in Los Angeles 2:30-3:05 s/off in the clear. KNUZ-1230 Houston. Texas atop graveyard noise with music from their "Sonic Sixty Survey," from 2:31-3:00. WABG-960 in my mother's home town, Greenwood, Miss. on an ET 3:30-4:35 with two announcers carrying on and joking like twoyear-olds. KNBC-680 San Francisco on AN RS at 4:30 with WMPS WPTF KENS etc. off. cerning WHNY's NNRC DX, I seriously doubt they were on. I heard absolutely nothing except WREN way on top. WHNY is 170 miles from one the way the crow flies and I have heard and verified them from here on their night pattern which they were to use for DX. Last November's v/l said in part, We look forward to hearing from you again, when we will run a test transmission for members of NNRC and NRC on February 22, 1960." Also noticed KLIF-1190 is AN Monday with popular tunes and no announcements at all, except ID every 30 minutes. For that AM, reports were sent to KQEO KNX KNUZ WABG. Hope I get veries for them. Something I forgot last week: Is there a station in 980 in what sounded like Weston or Western, West Virginia? Heard Sunday 2/14 on RS at 5:22. Am sure it was West Virginia. (WHAW, Weston, W. Va., Alex, ex-1450 -Ed.) KCTA-1030 in good here at SR and SS, finally sent report to them on 2/24. 2/25: KRNT-1350 Des Moines Icwa 6:27 p.m.-6:34, atop semit-local WSMB. WQXR-1560 New York at 7:04 p.m. with their "long-hair" music. Have been looking for them a long time. Veries in from these in past week: WFLO-870. "Flo" says mine is first report from Alabama.; WKIX-850, v/s was at the mike when I logged them. V/1 says I was lucky to hear them as they are directional to South-East and I am South-West of them. KPOP-1020 a QSL card, KLAK-1300, mimeographed letter, 73 for now.

Jörge Batlle - 587 Hunt Lane - Manhasset, L.I. New York Well, it certainly has been a long time since I have contacted the NRC. I have been struggling through my Freshman year at Adelphi College and running a full-scaled printing operation on the side. The company is called the Jay Bee Press Company and is located in the basement of the house. It will remain there until our building is completed some time this summer. Bob Reck is working hard at the University of Delaware, and Rusty Perrine is an ensign in the Navy. But the preceeding is not the purpose of this letter. Today I went over to a neighbor's estate and saw the new site of WEYI. It is not yet completed, but they are transmitting. The building is about the size of WHLI's and is equipped with a new RCA ten kilowatt XR. The signal is fed to the XR from the old Roosevelt Field studios. Running from the white XR building are two shiny copper conduits suspended on two cross pieces on eight foot poles. The conduits run out to three Wincharger towers about 2501 high. The towers run in a line from North-West to South-East. At the base of each tower is a concrete block building with two large glass feed-throughs in the wall. The station is still in need of a few more weeks of construction until it is on the air with the ten kw. They are now operating 1,000 watts through a small portion of the new XR and feeding the central tower. one can visit the site, just as long as they do not hamper the workers. The access road is just North of the Nassau Community Hospital on the estate of John Hay Whitney. The road is misleading and if one is not careful he will wind up at the main house. There is a dirt road off the paved road that runs to the XR. WFYI is on 1520 kc/s. and half owned by John Whitney. With the increase in power there should be a lot of requests for veries from new places. (And how do you get one, Jorge, hi - Ed.)C-U-3/19?

J. B. "Pat" Reilley - 628 Spring Street - Jamestown, New York

WWRJ WMT KUOM are new veries and 29 reports still out. 2/21- TIDCR, 625, copied before
2:00 s/off but never answered first report several years ago. Unkflown on 1220 at 2:48

with Spanish music but no ID at all. WADO, 1230, off at 3:00, then KTLN came popping
in. KSTN, overriding WHK on 1420 at 3:15. 2/22- CKCK, 620, good S-6 at 2:49. KNBC,
680, S-7 at 3:00. WABG, 960, test at 3:18. KGMS and KFOI seesawing in and out on
1380 but not enough caught om KFOI for a report. 2/33- Guess WBBF, 950, is AN with
the others now. KWNY, 1580, test at 3:03. 2/24- WJVA and several others on 1580 at
2:48 and no call until 4:00 and another day shot for me. 2/25- Very noisy, 120 today.
WNGA, 1570, on test atop XERF at 2:40 for new call. 2/26- 340 at 2 and very bad sleet
storm Mexican bothering WRCA, 660 again today. WKAZ, 950, test atop the mess here.
2/27- TT on with WDXR 1560 at 2:30 but no ID. Radio Bermuda was a good S-6 here at 2:
40. Another blizzard raging here today so more shoveling to do when I get up.

C. B. "Xi" Gerstner - 9853 Escanaba Avenue - Chicago 17. Illinois
Latest veries are letters from WRNL KWFT KLOU KFAL and a fine card from WAKR. Some of the loggings are as follows: 2/21 - 2:05 WX from wSPD on 1370. 2:07 a.m., WQOK on 1440 AN. 2:09, KSO 1460 also AN. 2:10-2:12 KRLD on 1030 being QRMed by two others. 2:13 KNX on 1070 with fine signal 2:15-2:30. KGLC on 910 with religious program. 2/22 2:46-2:49 a.m. KPOP on 1020 boming in well. 2:50-3:00 s/off CJBQ on 800 with DX program. 3:04 CKCK on 620. 3:07 KRMG 740 AN 7, 3:08-3:10 LA roughing up WJR on 760. 3:11-3:35 WABG ET on 960. 3:37-3:43 WREN/WEMP battling on 1250, both AN. 3:45-3:50 WPCF on 1430. 3:51-4:03 s/off KGMS 1380 QRMed by KWK test. 4:05 WABG still on 960. 4:15-4:18 WMCA on 570 with strong signal from WQAM on 560. Little DXing done rest of week with nothing special to report. Am Booking forward to Monday morning, as I will be off Monday and will be free to DX all night. Had a phone call from Dave Holden informing me he has joined the NRC. Has anyone received an answer to WCPC DX? They promised to answer reports, but so far no scap. They have been delinquent on three previous reports, 73.

Stan Morss - R. R. 3 - Bradford, Massachusetts 2/23- XEFR 1180 2:08 a.m. WIP 610 off and on testing. WCKR tops to 3 s/off, then copied loudest, which turned out to be not needed WSGN. Two under then, one KILT, nseded, but weakest and WIP back 3:30 so not enough for a report. SS on 790 under WBBM, but too much WBEM to ID, 2:38 a.m. To Sam McLauchlan, Wayne Raney is live on WCKY. Rost are records. Wonder what he did with his side kick, Lonnie Glosson? Veries WBRX and WAMR and a letter from son of WAMR's CE who is a DXer, Don Barone. Says he has 451 veries so naturally I recommended the NRC to him. 2/24- WEHH Elmira Heights /Horseheads, N.Y. 1590 TT and semi-classical music 2:05. WGOR 1580 Georgetown, Ky. testing 10 km/ 2:30, WWOK 1480 Charlotte, N.C. 2:40. WJVA 1580 South Bend Itah. test 2:55 a.m. IT on 900 at 3:10, no ID heard. Verie, WHRV. 2/25- WOOW 1340 AN mail order 4:40 a.m. Carrier on 1330 4:30 but no ID. Verie, KAJI. 2/27- WJVA 1580 South Berd 2:50 a.m. CKWS 960 Kingston, Ont. on AN. Verie WHOL, green and white card. 2/ 28-WIAM r/c 5:45. WEAT 850 s/off 6 a.m. to return 8 a.m. AN rest of week. KTLW 920 Texas City RS 6:06. 2/29- WMBM 790 South Miami Fla. TT 12:21. CKSO 790 with Olympic Hockey 12:30. KTOE 1420 RS 1:03. WLCT 1380 St. Petersburg, Fla. AN with Home-Selling telethon. CHAB 800 at 1:50 Olympic broadcast, Radio Caracas 660 at 1:54 a.m. CKNX 920 Wingham Ont. 2:20 DX. CKNB 950 Campbellton N.B. 2:23 DX. CHVC-1600 Niagara Falls Ont. 2:40 with Special show. Station with Jolson records 1260 at 3:04, no ID heard. KHOB 1390 Hobbs N.M. ET with 5 kw. about even with KCBC. WOKY 920 test 3:59. WGHQ 920 Saugerties, N.Y. test 4 a.m. Thanks to Lefty's tip VOUS s/on 4:30, Argentia, Nfld. in easily on 1480 till WDAS s/on 4:59 and WYZE 5:00 a.m. WJDY 1470 test at 5:05, Salisbury, Md. WRKH 580 Rockwood Tenn. s/on 5:06.

Bernie Duffy - 77 Livermore Averue - Staten Island 2, New York
Having finally added a few more new catches and veries, I have something to report.
The newly logged are: WJAB Westbrook, Me. heard newscasting Sunday morning Feb. 28th at 5:55-6 a.m. through heavy QFM from WQOK/WAAB. Monday Feb. 29th, WGHQ-920 Saugerties, N.Y. heard fine at 4:05 a.m. as they s/on. CKGM 980 Montreal came in poorly, through interference at 4:15 a.m. That same morning unneeded CHVC 1600 Niagara Falls and CKFH 1430 Toronto boomed in - the latter seems to ID only on the hour. WSOK Savannah Ga. usually tops 1230 kc/s. of late. My newest veries are a letter in Spanish and pennant from HJAT 1080 Barranquilla, Colombia; letters from KFAL Fulton, Mo. and WLEM Emporium, Pa. and cards from WSOK and WWRJ. The Georgia station's is a nice printed one.

Lefty Cooper - 438 East 21 Street - Brooklyn 26, New York
Two odd veries this week, neither one signed - my own f/up letter back and verie added
by WEEL-1310, and a hand-written one from WAWK-1570. Ken Murphy, I believe your French
on 990 is CBW, who carries messages to the Far North in both languages. Bad news for
local DXers - WPAT has renewed its contract for round the clock news from the Daily
News, so the AN goes merrily on, seven days. DX: 2/29, added WLCY-1380 on their AN
marathon and second report to WGHQ-920 on test, as mentioned in D D the D. UU -(Umusupl but unneeded) on 2/29 was WTRN-1290, Tyrone, Pa. with Sunway Vitamin commercials
at 4:45 a.m. under WICE AN while looking for Rocky Mount, Va. unsuccessfully. WFBL1390 5 a.m. s/on killed any chance of logging WKRK's ditto. 3/1- Someone on 1220
proving "Sheik of Arabee" and The Palome" and "Valencia" at 2:42, no announcements. Images continue to plague me, especially on 1480 and 1570, ruinging the fine XERF show.

INTERHATIONAL DX DIGEST

Edited by Fred L. VanVoorhees, Box 132, Lemoyne, Pennsylvania, U.S.A. Although I'm dating this February 27th, I haven't much confidence that it will reach Buffalo in time for the 27th DA NESS. Sorry, but a very heavy work schedule has just made it impossible for me to get the DiGEST out any better, we do have some reports on hand, and here they are:

NURTH AFERICA

COSTA RICA-*-TIHB (695) "Radio Reloj", San Jose, heard on 2/8 2222 0100-0130 on this frequency, not 690 Kcs. as listed. Tremendous vol-

ume. (Bb)

EL SALVALOR-*-"Radio Taparanatico" (1135) San Miguel s/off daily 2302 except rriday at 2235. (GK) YSEB (1075) San Salvador heard 2/7 using "La Voz de Latina America". Popular American tunes. At 2200. (RBS)

HUNDURAS-*-HRN (1005) Tegucigalpa, s/on at 0530; s/off 0005 ex-

Cept Saturday at 2258. (GK)

FANAMA-*-HOU (1025) David, noted 2/12 from 2239 until s/off at 2334, often strong signal, but TV GRM. (GK)
VIRGIN ISLANDS-*-WLTV (1190) Columbus Bay, Christiansted, St. Croix, assigned 500 watts has been deleted. (FCC) Don't think it ever did come on the air.

SOUTH AMERICA URUGUAY-*-CX28 (1090) Montevideo, is AN Monday AM's, has frequent ID as "Radio Imparcial", heard with full ID 0400 very clear. (GK) This is station believed to be LA with man and woman announcer ID as "hadio ----" in several spots between 0326 and 0350 2/8. Entirely different programming, all talk with poor modulation noted 0415-0430 same channel, doubt if this portion was CX28. (RHM)

WETHERLANDS ARTILLES-*-Verification for report of 1/13 in from

FJC2 (895), prepared card signed illegibly and stamped "JULIANA

ZENDER CUROTI CURACAO". Country #20. (RBS)

VENEZUELA-*-YVKS (750) Caracas, "Radio Caracas", seems to be
the SS that s/on 0530. The SS on 770 at 0528 seemed to say "La Voz de Venczuela" and could be YVIP. The SS on 790 seeminly AN at 0340 2/8 seems to be a Venezuelan also, maybe YVKC. (GK) EUROPE

MONACO-*-Trans-World-Radio, formerly "The Voice of Tangier" will start tests in May, 1960, over the new 100 Kw. transmitter from Monte Carlo. Regular and full schedule will be broadcast from 10/1. (DW)

PURTUGAL-*-Lisbon II (755) logged on 2/13 from 1815-1900 s/off. Strong at times. CSB-2 (1034) Lisbon, was coming in with strong signals on 2/13, 2030-2102 s/off. Featured pop music; man and woman announcers. Good volume for 25 Kw. Snowstorm tonight seemed to help reception. (BL)

FRANCE-*-I previously reported hearing Strasbourg (1277) use German between 0030 and 0100. On a second try, the language (Thru much 2RM) sounds oriental which would check with WRH (Kabyle & Arabic)(BD)

EAST GERMANY-*-Veries are slow coming in this season, but I did get a very positive one back from bresden (1043) in 3 weeks. (BD)

ENGLAND-*-Broitwich (1088) heard again on 2/13 at 0215, was on

top of 1090 Kc. stations. (BD) This station has indeed been good lately, usually 2400 or 0030-0130 and this evening 2/13 the signal was good 1900-2000. (BD) ASIA (FAR EAST)

CHINA-*-After a series of test transmissions, Radio Peking has now two new medium wave frequencies for the two international programs. se are 1190 Kcs. 290 Kcs. (DW)

RHM-*-UNID La announcing "Radio ----" on 840 0545-0555 2/11, slogan not similar to HJKC, YVMY, or any other listed in Weyrich log on 840. Closer to being like PRH9's slogan, but too late in morning for that. Sounds most like "Radio Verechi", very fast and rough to copy as hetrodyned.

UNID 2 letter call in English on 820 at 0530 on 2/7, Sunday before WBAP/WFAA s/on, similar to NHK call, but I know of no NHK station on 840; edfinitely not KBS, nor a number call. Very slow call, sounds

like NHY, signal too poor to read otherwise, even as to language. UNID station on 1370, 12/21, lovely waltz music, YL announcer at 0426 before Wholl's scheduled DX which wasn't on, not similar to wIVV erogramming, which I believe starts at 0430. Loes anyone know of a NZ/Aussie area station here with YL announcer? Have heard only man on 2AP. (RHM)

CK-*-"Radio Reloj" on 730 Kcs. heard 2/8 at 0341, after KFQD

faded out, seems to be AN. (GK)

REPORTERS

GK-Glen Kippel, 1195 South Tennyson, Denver 19, Colorado. RHM-Roy H. Millar, P. O. Box 778, Bellevue, Washington. BD-Benjamin Dangerfield 3rd, 202 Governors Drive, Sproul Estates, Chester, Pennsylvania.

RBS-Ralph B. Sperry, 320 Warner Hill Road, Southport, Connecticut FCC-Eederal Communications Commission, Washington 25, D. C. DW-DX Bulletin of Leutsche Welle, Koln, West Germany.

THE OVERSEAS FAILBAG

Last DiGEST, we started a letter from Bengt Ericson in Skara, Sweden, but we had to cut it off without the last paragraph, which

is herewith passed on to you.

"From Jan 28 until Feb 28 the Muhammedans festival "RAMADAN" is held. This means that all the arab countries stations are AN stations; usually they close around 1900, but now they close around 2400. The North African stations heard very good here in Sweden. Make a try at 2300 for them."

GENERAL

although not an item of INTERNATIONAL interest, I received a letter from hurst K. Groves, of WPRB, Princeton, New Jersey, advising that they will have a test for the NRC on their FM station on March 5th from 2 to 5 AM. Their frequency is 103.5 Mc. on the FM dial. Since Mr. Groves is an NRC member, I hope that all of you who have FM radios will try to hear this program. You will probably read of this elsewhere in the bulletin, as the letter was sent to xx others in the club, but in case it isnt, here is the information needed. WPRB Princeton, N. J. 103.5 Mc. Farch 5 2-5 AM. Send your reports to Hurst K. Groves, Technician, The Princeton Broadcasting Service, Inc., Frinceton, New Jersey.
I would like to say thanks to C. C. Smith for his nice letter

and kind words received recently.

We also acknowledge receipt of the January New Zealand LX Times and the February Medium wave News from England. They have had a lot of LX reported from this side of the Atlantic, a lot more than we have been reporting from Europe. Perhaps the chief reason is that we have not had many Diers listening for Taireception this season.

Thanks to those of you who have supported the SUPRELACY RATINGS by getting your listing up to date. Now, how about the rest of you tho haven't done it yet, sitting right down and sending those current

notals to C. P. atherton, East Slough Read, Harvard, Mass. Now I guess we have reached the end of the news for this week. 73

INTERNATIONAL DX DIGEST

.Edited by Fred L. VanVoorhees, Box 132. Lemoyne. Pennsylvania. U.S.A. Sayre, Penna., March 2. -- Once again I must apologize to all of you for missing two issues. You will find last week's DIGEST in this week with this one. It was actually done last week, but didn't reach Ray on time for mailing. Extremely heavy schedule here has made it impossible to do any better. So let's look over the DX of the week. NORTH AMERICA

MARTINIQUE-*-The exact schedule of Radio Martinique is Mon-Fri 0515-0630, 1115-1245, 1730-2025. Sat 0515-0630, 1115-1245 & 1530-2100. Sun 0545-0915, 1115-1245, & 1600-2100. Frequency is 1500 Kcs.

and power is listed as 8 Kw. (WRH)

COSTA RICA-*-UNID SS ann as "Costa Rica" after each song. Excellent signals at 0217-29 on 694 Kcs. (MA) TIDCR (625) San Jose, "La Voz de la Victor", s-5 signal 2/19 0033-0135. Spanish letter (Ed Hill form) sent as they did not QSL NRC sp report on 1/4/59. Air mail QSL card received in 6 days signed by Cecilia Acosta, Gerente. Apartado 3611, not 225 as shown in last Weyrich log. New country for me in veries, (HSW)

HAITI-*-4VS (1385) Port-au-Prince, had evangelistic program on 2/18 2000-2130 fair to good signal strongth. 4VW (1325) heard almost

nightly, but no answers to my reports. Have others had any luck? (BD)

HONDURAS-*-Recent UNID SS slogan "Radio Penaire" is HRZN on 887.

Heard nightly until 0104 s/off. (MA) 715 Kcs. is probably HRTV heard
2300 with usually good sigs. (MA) HR?? (886) logged in spots from
2330 2/25 to 0100 2/26. I wonder if this is "Radio Pinares" listed in

WRH60 as MW freq. of SW HRZN (9610). No s/off heard, but no trace of signal after OlOO. (RHM)(Apparently so, as per MA's report above-FV)
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC - HIF Puerto Plata (1162) verified by letter

of 2/13, report of 11/11/59. This 7 days after I sent a 2nd report. Signer is same as CMS reported Antonio Badui-Hijo, Adm-Propietarie.

They show freq. as 1160, power 1000 watts. (BD)

MEXICO-*-XEQR (1030) "Radio Centro", Mexico City, logged 2/8 with
fair signal 0400-0455 with WBZ silent. (Spanish report sent)(HSW)

PANAMA-*-Station on 1025 Kcs. ss at 2135 with Spanish music and singing, 2141 Spanish announcement (Lost signal), 2144 Man with announcement. (No signal again) 2148 More speaking, QTH?. 2158 Marches. 2200 Off. Is this Panama????? (MA)

CUBA-*-SS on 795 from 2200-2300 on 2/23 with slogan "Cadona Havana"

and gongs. Mostly Spanish musicals S-9 at times. (MA)

SOUTH AMERICA

NETHERL NDS ANTIFLES -*- PJA-10 Aruba (655) 2/22 at 0137 with ID.

S-9 and R-5 signals. (MA)

VENEZUEL -*-YVOO (650) "Radio Puerto La Cruz", Puerto La Cruz, sent letter verification for Jan. report. Address is Apartado Correos 4125. Signer is Rafael Bellorin Malaver, Director. They indicate power of 10 Kw. (BD)

EUROPE

CZECHOSLOVAKIA-*-Praha (1286) verified my January report, and was heard along with Bratislava (1097) on 2/26 from 1900-1915 using Port-

ugoso. (BD)

WEST GERIANY - *- AFN Stuttgart (1106) tentatively logged 2/22, 0100-

0120, but hardly readable. (BD)

LUXEMBOURG -*-"Radio Luxombourg" (1439) vorified by letter my January report. A report I sent them a year ago was never answered. (BD)

FR.NCE-*-Strasbourg (1277) coming in at a high lovol, 2/22 at 0115.

(BD)

ASIA (FAR EAST)

JAPAN-*-JOKR (950) Tokyo, logged in spots between s/off of KIMN at 0402 and s/on of WSPA at 0458 2/22. (RHM) The Far East Network has changed its address to US Air Force, APO 99, San Francisco, California.

CAMBODIA-*-According to letter the Cambodian medium wave outlet

is operating on 1410 Kcs. with a power of 10 Kw. (WRH)

PH ILIPPINES-*-A new station, "The Voice of the State University" operated by the State University of the Philippines at Quezon City is on the air from 0400-0800 Ex Sun over 1580 Kes. DZUP, 2 Kw. (WRH) OCEANIA

NEW ZEALAND**1ZB Auckland (1070) shows some Monday mornings

around 0300-0333 with fair signals. QSL now in. (MA)
AUSTRALIA*-*2NR (700) Grafton, NSW, good ABC ID at 0630 2/18. Bost Aussic signal ever heard, although for only a brief period. 2GL (820) Glon Innes, NSW, weak ABD ID at 0530 2/19 no trace of 4ZA. (RHM)

FIJI ISLANDS **-* VRH3 (890) S/off with "God Save the Queen" at

0532 Sunday 2/14. (RHM)

MY TERY

MA-*-895--2/15 0102 Organ music, 0103 off R-3 S-6 No ID hoard. 836--Possibly French on 2/8 0206-0210 with singing R-2 S-4 QSB. 1454 -- Tone on 2/1 at 0320 good. 882 -- Spanish speaker with music 1/26 at R-3 S-6 QRM at 2313. 1207--SS on 1/26 at 2310. 1213--SS 1/18 and 1/19 at 0000-0015 with announcements and bad hotrodync. 965--Panama or Nicaragua 1/18 2345 music and announcements.

RHM-*-840 Kc. mystery previously reported was logged again 2/20 just prior to 0530 still sounds like "Radio Ver-cekies" but wonder if any 840 Cuban is on this early as believe I heard Havana mentioned, although this could have easily been in news. (RIM) 880 Kc. LA 2/19 Tone, then S/on at 0558, suspicion TGJ "Radio Nuevo Mondo", but time doesn't jibe with WRH schedule. 820-LA 2/19 s/on at 0600, possibly HI9Z, as doosn't sound like HJED which would seem mostlikely. No indication of being Cuban.

LF-*-Heard 2/15 SS on approx 1440 Kcs. at 024500305 with frequent ID as "Radio Novidahdi" (Sounded exactly like spelled). Latin Amer-

ican music was being played. Any help appreciated.

BD-*-On 2/22 0030-0100 Station heard about 1094 Kcs. with Spanish typo music. (BD)

REPORTERS

HSW-Harold S. Williams, 50 Third Avenue, Seymour, Connecticut. LF-Larry Fox, 1827 Docatur Avenue, North Bollmore, New York. RHM-Roy H. Millar, P. O. Box 778, Bellevue, Washington. MA-Maurice Ashby, 2127 North Hydraulic, Wichita 14, Kansas. BD-Benjamin Dangerfield 3rd, 202 Governors Drive, Sproul Estates, Chester, Pennsylvania, /mark.

WRH-Bulletin of World Radio Handbook, Lindorffsalle 1, Hellerup, Don-

GENERAL

Sorry to have discontinued the COUNTRY OF THE MONTH, but only 2 of you expressed any interest in it. Out of 230 members, that is hardly enough to justify it. I do appreciate the reports of those who have been faithful during this season. We have had an excellent DIGEST this season. It has generally been smaller than last year, but that is because virtually nothing was copied from other publications. I think that just about 90% of our material this season has come diroctly from our members, and that is as it should be. There is no DX club anywhere that has had as much foreign BCB information per month as the NRC. This is with an average of only 4 reporters per issue, so you who have reported have done a terrific job. As always, let me know if there is anything you would like to see in the DIGEST.

"DX DOWN THE DIAL"

all TIPS to Ev. Johnson 504-16th St. Mendota, Ill. (In E.S.T.) Send

"REMARKS".

FREQ. 550' RJR Montego Bay Jamaica. S/on 4:45. (M. Nittler-Col) Tulsa Okla S/off Tues/ 01:00- Best time for KSSS-(Kruse-Ia) 740 KRMG

CKOK Penticton B.C S/off 03:00-(M.Nittler-Col) 860 Toronto Ont. S/on SUN 08:45-(Wheeler-Pa) CJBC

Oak Hill W.Va. S/on SUN: 7:17- (McCurdy-Ill) WOAY Frederick Md. S/on 05:00- Wk Dys. (Wheeler-Pa) WFMD

930 960 KLAD Klamath Falls Ore Hrd on test 2/28- rom 900 kc/s(McCurdM)

Munfordsville Ky. S/on SUN. 07:00- (CCurdy-Ill) Gallup N.M. S/off 02:00-(M.Nittler-Col) 1150 WLOC

1230 KYVA

WCHO Washington Ct House O. S/on Wk Dys 04:53. (Wheeler-Pa)

1250 Aurora Ill. Now Full time S/off Ol:00- Ev) WMRO

1370 KSUM Fairmont Minn. S/on Wk Dys 06:30- S/off 01:00 Sun. S/on 7. KBVM Lancaster Calif. F/C every 3 months. Mar-June-Sept(Evnd Dec. 4th MON. 2:45- 3:00- Per Veri- Ev) 1380

Hobbs N.M testing 2/29- 2:45- 3:00 from 1480 Kc/s.Ev) 1390 KHOB

1330 WPCF

Panama City Fla. S/on 05:30- Ev)
Morgantown W.Va. S/off 00:00-(F. Schroyer- Pa.) 1440 WAJR

Bay City Mich. S/on 4:50-(M. Nittelr Col) WBCM

Erie Pa. Now Mutual B.Co. asking for 1320 Kc/s 1 Kw. Radford Va. S/on Wk Dys. 5:20-(Wheeler-Pa.) (Rhoads-Pa) Kendallville Ind. F/C TT 2nd Fri- 1:00-1:15- Per Veri-Ev) 1450 WGHT TRAD 1570 WAWK 1590 Salamanca N.Y R/C Mon after 2nd SUN-2:00-2:15(Sid.R.W.Va) WGGO

1400 WBNY Buffalo N Y will probably be off MON AMs from a little after Mdt until either 0545 or 0660 AM EST (Johanns-Bflo)

580 Toronto, Ont was also ff MON AM Feb 22nd but failed to check them Max again the 29th to see if off again (Johanns)

NOTICE- On Page ONE Lefty lists Ev Johnsons DX Down The Dial detdline as Thursdays, please correct this to read WEDNESDAYS. Ev has to mail his stencil Wednesday evenings to insure it arrives in Buffalo Friday.

Ray B Edge-325 Shirley Ave-Buffalo 15 N Y

Seeing that Hal Wagner finally reported to the Musings, it looks as if I will have to match it. The only DX done at this den was a report to WHRV on their early morning transmission, but also got waylaid as I ran across WIP with a program featuring Show Business with George Jessel as MC and it was so interesting that W stuck with it for 50 minutes. Back to WHRV just in time to hear WGUS-1600 S/on at 0400 followed in 30 seconds by WBLY-1600, thus blocking WHRV entirely. Then Wednesday evening thought I would see if by any chance CKPT-1420 kcs in Peterborough Ont could be heard as WHK-Cleveland usually tops that freq here, but instead heard WBSM-New Bedford, Mass topping everything on 1420 with no trace of either CKPT or WHK, so broke down and reported them despite having them verified way back on 1230 kcs with 100 watts. Naturally no veries in. Otherwise nothing new here except loads of snow which has kinda gotten all of us down, especially because of the kinda open winter we had been having. Sorry to say that my correspondance has fallen way off and to those who have written me will just have to await a while for a reply. Getting the DX News out weekly kinda keeps a fellow going, yet everything going smoothly along with getting a system worked out which helps a lot. Very glad to note that you members are getting very good mail service out of Buffalo, so lets hope it continues. The fellows at the Kensington Station have been really cooperative. The Scott is still working very good despite it age of 20 years. With Lefty plugging our 1960 White Plains convention, I can assure you that it isnt too early to make plans. Because of its location, I too feel that it could be the convention that will wind up with the largest attendance. In Broadcasting a new call listed, KFRN - Forney, Texas but no Freq. Anyone know the frequence of this station? Tried, but find no listing here.

The following letter had been received from NRCer Marty Wright some time ago. I wrote him saying that I would, when space permitted in DX NEWS, to give you the contents of his letter, then leaving anything further on the subject up to him and the members themselves. The N R C will in no way participate thus leaving you members and Marty free to take any action seen fit. Now the contents of his letter.

QUOTE I got to thinking the other day, about how much we need a non-commercial organization for the purpose of giving all clubs together, who participate in broadcast band DX, a single united spokesman - sort of a "lobbyist" you might say.

The "Popular Electronics" attempt at this was no doubt for the purpose of selling magazines, and was in my estimation, very ill advised and poorly run. I propose to set up an organization in which I will take full responsibility, and use my station, KCLV, as sort of official agency. The purpose would be to issue call letters, and actually license DX monitoring stations (not by law of course, but to give us some official standing) keep complete files on all DX monitors registered, and act as a spokesman in issuing various "propaganda" to radio stations, and in keeping the FCC, NAB, and other radio groups informed of what we do, and why. It is my belief that we need a central agency of this type, interested only in advancing the hobby, in order to improve our status as to DX verifications, of course all AM DXers would be welcome to the organization, regardless of club affiliation. The only rule would be, a member in good standing in their club. I would like to see how this idea goes in our own club first, so I will appreciate it if you would put out some info on my proposal through DX News to get the members reaction. The only cost to those desiring to register would be a 4ϕ stamp, and I would do all the work, and issue certificates. I thing a good name would be the "United Standard Band DXers of the World. Marty Wright - 309 E. 16th - Clovis, New Mexico.

If any of you NRCers are interested in the above, PLEASE write to Marty Wright at the above address, NOT TO NRC.

An item taken from the Feb 29 1960 issue of "Broadcasting"

At request of Office of Civil & Defense Mobilization, FCC announced Friday, Feb 26th that a nationwide 30 minute Conelrad drill will be held May 3rd. Participation is mandatory for all broadcasting stations licensed by FCC EXCEPT those in ALASKA-GUAM-HAWAII-VIRGIN ISLANDS-PUERTO RDCO

Drill will be held from 1;00 to 1;30 P.M. Eastern Standart Time running simultaneously in other time zones (i.e. 10 A.M. P S Time) All AM stations not holding authorization for operation on Conelrad frequencies of 640 kcs and 1240 kcs as well as all FM and TV stations (unless specifically authorized to operate by FCC) MUST REMAIN SILENT during the 30 minute duration of drill.

Programming for Conelrad stations remaining on air will be provided over four national radio networks through civil defense. Suggested local programming will be furnished stations remaining on air prior to alert.

Will lads, again here is a chance for those of you who are able to do some daytime DXing, to try for some of those close to the border Canadian stations you need. Last year I tuned in at least 6 of them but being at work was not in a position to copy for a report.

To all-As in this issue you will note that this page, with DX Down the Dial on the other side will be at the end of DX News. You can reset it after Page 10 of the Musings section. This will happen now and then when I can get DX News assembled by having both Lefty's stencils and Fred's stencils Thursdays. Make the job much easier. Thanks.