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A PLEASURE

"I just want to express my sincere pleasure at being a member of the NRC. Of 106 new stations I have received since joining the Club, a large percentage have been directly responsible to one of the best, if not the best BCB publications in the world, DX NEWS. Keep up the good work!"

-Buddy Dillard - P.O. Box 195 - Murfreesboro, Arkansas

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| 1320 | W CTX | Artur S. Broman, CE |
| 1330 | K TOO | John W. Parrham, M |
| 1340 | W QIX | Terrell Willis, A |
| 1350 | W AL N | W. A. Alexander, CE |
| 1360 | K FQ C | Joseph Walters, PD |
| 1370 | K OW B | Robert E. Strack, CE |
| 1380 | W V Z | Fred Brill |
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| 1400 | W OVE | Ed Lane, GM |
| 1410 | K BAN | A. W. Bishop, MD |
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| 1440 | K GFL | Leslie Davis, CE |
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| 1480 | W DFO | Charles F. Halle, SM |
| 1490 | W HHT | H. O. Garvin Jr. |
| 1500 | W RQK | Ray Boyd, DoE |
| 1510 | W QOK | John T. Campbell, P |
| 1520 | W RZD | Herbert C. Rice, P |
| 1530 | W MBR | Hal Chestnut, M |
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| 1820 | W JHR | A. Franza, TD |
| 1830 | W JHS | Butch Burnham, PD |
| 1840 | W JHT | J. P. Wintermute |
| 1850 | W JHF | Paul C. Lund, CE |
| 1860 | W JHJ | J. Dalton Reese, CE |
| 1870 | W JHH | E. B. Blakesly |
Well, finally luck changed and a pair of new calls were added as a result of the fine work of our late-starting but fast-traveling CPC. On 3/6 WEMP was way over 8-9 here and on testing before 4 o'clock; WMHI was equally strong with an interesting show, but no trace of WERT on 1350. WADC was well under 5-9 and WAVY weaker and a third program was audible but sure didn't sound like a DX as music went on and on with few if any breaks. No time to try the other DXs. On 3/8, WFFL-1070 was added testing at an early hour, and has been more or less audible ever since, at night battling with WIBC and in daytime it's a three-way tie much of the time, with WHEE added. CHOX who used to be top signal on 1070 here last summer is not coming in at all now. On 3/9, WKEB-1460 was added at 5:30 a.m. as they came in top of the mob briefly. They seem to s/on weekdays at 4:30 as they were heard doing so on Monday 3/13. WAWO-1420 was added during an ET at 4:30 on 3/11. (WHK off AN for the moment at least). CX very poor on 3/13. Static way up and signal level down, but did hear W8IZ-1380 with ET and WFTN's new AN on 790 way back of WTAB. WAFJ, Daytona Beach had complete control of 1450 again, no XEXQ, just a weak hetro on 1460. KMA and KGLO rolled in like semi-locals and WTTF was easy although not better as static was really tough. Two others, QSL card from WACT and letter from WERE, reply delayed due to change in CE's. 73.

Dick Cooper - P.O. Box 223 - Kittanning, Pennsylvania

3/6-WBBK WEEM WMHI Specials all received and reported but I couldn't raise WEMP and didn't have time to try for the others. The f/c list is very much help to me as is the new Vane Jones Log. Letter verie in from WEHH on late with flood alert. Letters from WMIC WWHO KTOE WHFR WDDY. Printed cards from WETT WTRA, mimeo card from WDXR. WMLP sent nice letter and said they had reports from eight states and Canada on their flood alert; also that they will soon move to 1380 kc, which indicates they must have acquired the facilities of WAGQ. About 40 reports out, many to local daytimers in an effort to boost my total. I believe WEHH is in the non-answering category. I am acquainted with several of the staff and will shortly see if I can get them to answer. Drop me a card if you have a report outstanding to WEHH. Logged WEIZ-1460 Belzoni, Miss., as per asked in DX Down the Dial. My son Tom was formerly an announcer with WDOB in Canton, Miss., which is owned by same firm as WEIZ. He is acquainted with several of the staff at WEIZ and we are anxious for their answer to our report. 3/11, form letters from Swan, WICE, friendly handwritten letter from WKK, printed card from WMJ. Logged WXGI WAGQ WECX WAPP all testing this morning. 3/12-"Radio Caribe" on 860 a real powerhouse this morning with English announcements. 4WV-1325 has been strong evenings at 9:30-10:00. Happy to see my old buddy Pat Reilly back in the groove.

Carroll Seth - 154 Parkridge Avenue - Buffalo 15, New York

News Item, courtesy Jamestown Dispatch, Jamestown, N.Y., Mar. 14, 1961. Two aremen, J.B. "Pat" Reilly of this city and A. Carroll Seth, of Buffalo, are among the first volunteers to be accepted by President Kennedy's Peace Corps. In accordance with their wishes, they have been assigned to New Zealand where they will work with the Maori Aborigines. Both men are packing Hammarlund receivers with their gear. These will be used to intercept any messages Pres. Kennedy may send. Mr. Seth tells us he has already contacted an intrepid rancher, Mr. Don Reed, of Christ Church, N.Z. Mr. Reed has informed him that the natives, known locally as Makis and Kusinis, are quite restless. They can be appeased, however, by gifts of #16 copper stranded wire. This wire is not used for personal adornment but is strung by the bale around their picturesque seaside corn-cribs. Mr. Reilly states that the natives have a quaint belief that this wire brings them Heavenly music. Our best wishes go with these men who are leaving the comforts and pleasures of home for life among wire-worshipping aborigines.

Neil Eubanks - 2902 Monroe - Amarillo, Texas

CX for the most part have improved, although Monday 3/13 was another depressing and poor AM due to static. Since last issue I have logged 21 new stations. Total logged to date is 462. Now that basketball season is over, time for DX is more plentiful. Well, here goes: 3/8-WEMP, Milwaukee; KPAL Palm Springs s/off, WKBK La Crosse, DX, KFRO Longview, Tex. DX, WBBK, Blakely, Ga. DX, KSGB Liberal, Kan. 3/7- WDIA Memphis, KGOR San Antonio, 3/10-KFJB Marshalltown, Ia. f/c, WABY Crossville, Tenn. f/c (both thanks to LES's f/c list). 3/11-WAVE Louisville s/off. 3/12-KNEE Scottsbluff f/c, 3/13- ARA DX, XEXQ DX. 3/14- KCGR Charleston, Mo. f/c, KASQ Albuquerque f/c. Quite a few of the DXs have been coming through lately and I believe more would if if weren't for those pesky ANs. That's about it for now - see all in Amarillo. 73s.
I've received 21 new stations and 15 verif's since my last mailing. Verifications:

KIRL KNEB CW5K-dx WAAP KFPC KEZz-dx KGGM-dx KQYN WOMP Sacramento Conrad KIRB KFBS-dx KTOO KS00-dx KIDO-dx. Six of my last 15 verif's were through CPC-arranged programs for an even 40%. Congrats on great work, CPC. New to the DX. 1/13- WAAP-1350 on f/c at S-7. 1/21- KPOW-1260 f/c; KLIX-1310 RS, KRAD-1590 RS. 2/3- WCMQ-1350 s/on at 9:00 EST. 2/6- KGGM-dx S-5. This Monday AM was poor DX-wise but great DX-wise with two Conrad programs received as well as three other new stations logged. They were KQYN on their f/c at 4:30 and KTVV-1250 on RS and KGGM-dx. 2/8- KAGT-1340 s/on at 9:00. 2/24- KODI-1400 f/c in at S-9. 2/26- WOKJ-1590 with their Spiritual music heard weakly but enough for a report. 2/27- Caught CKVZ-630 while waiting for the KIDO-dx to begin, then 3:02, KIDO DX. KS00-dx came in strongly and I took reports on the two DXes by alternating switching after announcements. KTOO-1280 f/c, WRRR-1330 f/c and WISE-1310 RS ended a rewarding AM of DX. 3/12- KOIN-970 RS. 3/13- I managed to get a report on KIA's DX but KG0 was just IDable and not readable enough to report. No other special got through and KARR's f/c at 4:40 put the wraps on March 13's DX. Enclosed with my Sacramento Conrad v/f was a QSL from Jerb, W6JN, a ham at the station. They also enclosed a 28-minute Conrad Script which was used during their program. He mentioned Conrad drills were held on the first Monday of even-numbered months. In other words the next would be April 3rd, so tune 640 and 1240 then. A few weeks ago KTOE was asking for a phone call from anyone outside a 700 mile radius, especially Saskatchewan. I got curious and wondered why they wanted a call from Saskatchewan, so got on the phone and called them up. It happened that the DJ's girl was in a choir that was touring Saskatchewan, and other provinces and states. At the time the choir was at Saskatchewan, so he asked me to pass along his regards to her. In return, he paid for the call and promised to send me an LP. I hope you're feeling better now, Joe. I know just how you felt while recuperating and it isn't a very nice feeling. Let's have our Alberta DXers get back into the DX NEWS pages soon. That'll be it for this issue. Come on fellows, let's keep DX NEWS good and thick. Remember, HAMILTON FOR '32! 73.

Jeff Stewart - 3018 Washington Street - Amarillo, Texas

Greetings from the Texas Panhandle Static Farm. Except for 3/14, static has been unusually bad for this time of year. Only 3/6 DX that came through for me was WKBZ-1410 which was unneeded here. Only new logging of the morning was KFRO-1370, Longview, Tex Big Deal! On 3/10, logged my 700th station, WAIL, Baton Rouge, La. RS at 1444 a.m. Also on 3/10, KRAD, East Grand Forks, Minn. was logged according to the f/c list, and KEPA-1590, Pine Bluff, Ark., testing at 2:04. On 3/12, WHK-1420, Cleveland, O. RS at 6:31 a.m. Missed out on everything on 3/13, as the alarm failed to go off, mainly because I forgot to set it. On 3/14, CX were pretty good. Heard unneeded KOTA-1330, Rapid City, S.D. s/off at 2:00. Heard KTOO-1240 Flat River, Mo. and KRAL-1240, Rollins, Wyo. both according to the f/c list. Also KOUR, Independence, Mo. testing on 1280 from 2:45 to 3:02. Only new verie is KFRO, Longview. That about does it from here, so 70's and good DX to all. Oh yeah, how much extra is the membership fee for bulletins to be sent first class? These late bulletins and letting me out of some of the DX shows, and it's beginning to get me down. 70's. (Poor Edge can tell you ev.)

Stan Alexander - 207 North Tenth Street - Atchison, Kansas

I joined the NRC back in December and I think it's about time I sent in a report. In February I got me a Hallicrafters S-120 and I am quite pleased with it. I used to use a Philco-42-300 and a Sentinel-344. Varies in from WBWM WOAI CJBC KTB5 WLS KDEA and WABC. Reports out to KTNN WRBC WOQA and XERF. Now for latest DX. Received KWNS KCOL KOOL KF5G CERB WPZ KWOA KKL KNAL KBEH WCH 0TH WRDS WYDE WZIX KZBX EVRO KLOC WCHW KSHS WAYS WMP WDAK KEYS KBYU KGLC KOLF KQVB WLBJ KSD. This brings my totals to 248 stations logged with 31 states and four countries. The KABE test got three letters from New Zealand. Best DX to all. (Welcome to the NRC, Stan, and to these pages also! We hope to hear more from you, and often! -ed.)

Sid Rosenbaum - 805 Market Street - Wheeling, West Virginia

The past week brought one veriey letter, WWFF-1230, Clifton Forge, Va. Veriey says r/c is second Tuesday, 1:00-1:15 a.m. On 3/11 I heard KMUL-1330, f/c 2100-2115 and WNJR-1430 with 2:00 s/off. The pesky tester on 1590, sometimes with music, but never with an ID has been puzzled as it sounds like a semi-local. We had an unseasonable electric storm here on two occasions last week - maybe an early spring.

THE AMARILLO CONVENTION IN SIXTY-ONE SHOULD TURN OUT TO BE A NIFTY ONE! Sept. 2-3-4!
March 25, 1961

CARLON HOWINGTON - 13675 CLEVELAND AVENUE - UNIONTOWN, OHIO

DX since last report pretty good but varies coming in very slowly. DX since last report:

1/28 - CHUC-1500 at 8:00 a.m., WGIG-1440 at 6:01 p.m. and CJMS-1280 on with R'n'R at 7:10 p.m.

2/25 - WGCM-680 from 6:18-6:30 a.m. weak, WTKG-1390 in at 7:00 a.m.

1/30 - WODE-1300 from 1:43-1:59 a.m. s/off. KRAK-1140 s/off at 2:03.

JBC on 560 820 700 750 at 2:15 a.m. CJUX-900 test at 3:15 a.m. WMEX-1310 on test at 3:25 a.m. WCHD-1090 s/off on 7:00 a.m. till 7:12 when KTHS/WBAL took over.

2/26 - WTGC-1560 in well at 7 a.m. with WQIC-1390 good at 7:30 p.m.

2/26- WQCM-1380 s/off at 5:45 p.m. KUZN-910 from 6:45-7:00 p.m. s/off. 2/13 - KRAK-1140 at 1:07 a.m. KORL-650 good at 1:30 a.m. KTPI-1270 in clear at 1:35 a.m. KIMA-1460 at 2:55 a.m. KINN-660 at 3:32 a.m. over WQAM, WJWS-1370 on DX at 4:04 a.m. and WGOG-1320 on top at 4:14 a.m. 2/15 - WMTT-1250 s/off at 5:30 a.m. till 5:38.

2/19 - WQNE-1340 on top from 6:42-7:02 a.m. WQNC-940 at 7:00 a.m. s/on, WLSD-1280?1:15 a.m. s/off with Dixie. 2/20 - Guess WAFF or WAKR off for 17 minutes and logged WETT for a much wanted station. WPTF-1600 on ET from 1:20-1:49 a.m. with KLAK QRM, KENO-1460 in cleat at 8 a.m. 2/11 a.m. KTHS-1090 on NRC DX at 3 a.m. Who was on 920 from 3:40-3:45 a.m. with TK? 

**Hi. New stations are 1/15 - HZIA-1440, 1 a.m. 40 watts; 1/22 - HZIG-1070 4:02 a.m. 2/6 - WEAD-1570 5 p.m. 2/7 - CMGF-915, 7:45 p.m. 2/8 - CHK-1202, 9:20 p.m. 2/9 - WANY-1580 5:27 p.m. WSIX-980, 7:55 p.m. CHOW-1470, 6:35 p.m. CERL-980 7:55 p.m. KPLK- WMAU/WK/Y/VT/1470, 5:00 a.m. 2CN-1540, 6:43 a.m. XFO-970, 8 a.m. 2/11 - WEEN-1440 5:40 a.m. WHEL-1270 5:30 a.m. s/on. KOXY-1440 5:10 a.m. and 1540, 5:44 p.m. WEED-1460 5:58 p.m. 2/12 - WCIF-1430 6:30 a.m. WCIN-1480 5:58 p.m. WDOS-730, 5:15 p.m. WTRA-1480 6:01 a.m. s/off. WALA-1410 4:55 p.m. KETI-1470 7:55 a.m. WETG-1450, 6 a.m. KRCG-1470 7:58 a.m. 2/15 - KMAR-1560 7 a.m. WSHE-1570 5:55 p.m. WPEX-1580 5:55 p.m. WCIN-1570 6 p.m. 2/18 - KITAN-580 8:30 p.m. 2/19 - WNYR-1350 5 p.m. KOSI-1430 10:25 p.m. WNEL-1430 10:26 p.m. WCIR-1420 9:55 p.m. 2/20 - WCMY-1430 5:33 a.m. Varies in from WSO-1390 Tunis-629 BDR-660 2YC-660 Freiburg/Sofia-827. WJHL/ WJCN-910. CSB-1034. TGRL-1182 Radio Tropic-1185 WMJK/WSQJ-1220. KJGC-1320 WRNK/WMN/KCMA-1460; WAAQ-1470 WIL-1580. Any help? 1400 c/d midnight Canada-930 2/6 6:40 a.m. 1560, c/d 3 p.m. WGBI/WEZ-1470, 2/9 6:50 p.m. on (?). Radio Antigua-644 2/16 12:44 a.m. on (?). ID: 86- Radio Nacional-990 1600 c/d 5:15 p.m. WOSS-730 2/12 5:29 a.m. on? What does c/d mean?**

Wayne Pierce - Vestal, New York.

Attention!! "Madame Tina" 2902 South Monroe, Tallahassee, Fla. is open from 7 a.m. to 9 a.m. WKEB-1580 advertises this woman as being capable of destroying "evil spirits" pains and all the rest. I say that this lady should be brought to Amarillo in '61 so that we can all hold hands, and dispose forever with Aners. WSLZ-1380 received well here on the 12th but report already logged for 2/26 test. I noticed that the local bombast, WENB-1430 didn't sign on until 8:00 a.m. this Sunday.

**Walter I. Goldy - 4166 East Pima - Tucson, Arizona.**

Not much to report, for I'm still out here in Tucson, so no DXing. Did receive a verie from WGIS, Brunswick, Ga. for a report of July 4th, 1960. Mention is made in it that station will answer if post card or stamped self-addressed envelope is enclosed.

They say also that their f/c is third Saturday each month, 12:05 to 12:15 a.m., EST. Verie signed is Cecil Tancersly, Maintenance Engineer. I hope to have more of a report when I return to River Forest, Ill.

**In Texas! Panhandle YOU'LL GET YOUR FILL, SO - LET'S ALL CONVERGE ON AMARILL-01 9/2-4!**
Have been meaning to write in for months now, so here goes. In a nutshell, my troubles have been the same as those of which our editor has written so eloquently: images, AN NYC stations, images, and more images. It's become rather discouraging, to put it mildly. I suspect that my HQ-150 may be partially to blame, as I've never been too pleased with it. But I've noticed on the car radio after WNYC has left the air that WABC WOR et al. are there on 830 just as on the Hammarlund. I suppose that these traps and things of which members write might help, but I'm not at all up on the technical aspects of radio. As for the possibility of getting the HQ-160 tuned up, I just think back and shudder when I recall my attempts at having my old 8-40B fixed up. I guess it would be okay if you had a good repairman, but I've yet to find one. With those remarks as an introduction, I'll go on to report a grand total of 1,403 logged and 1,295 verified, with only 43 new ones since the Convention. Discouraging, as I said before. The NRC Specials account for eight of the additions, with last week's logging of KIA and KOLO Specials a high point of the season, at least for the last few months. Have also picked up some of the LA splits that so many have reported — YNOL-825, TIFC-1075, and 4VEH-1035. I suppose I would hear more if I listened on days besides Mondays, though I don't think the real DX or distant reception is there. I've been sending reports covering longer and longer periods of reception, but the returns aren't encouraging. Since Sept. 1 I have received no reply from KDJI-1270 WHDL-1220 WHGO-990 WLBZ-790 WHEZ-1320 WNHC-1340. (some Yale influence, I suspect), CKKZ-1320 WTC-1250 KATZ-1200 WBNJ-1410 WBEU-1310 WJAR-880 WCPC-1320 and GDJ-800, plus other & more recent ones. Suspect my space is up, so 73.

Harvey J. Epton - #4 - St. Patrice de Beaumage, Quebec

Bonjour, DXers. No listening done at this location lately because of poor CX. Have received some varied though, WHAV-1490 PP card, v/s A. Carter, WGAN-560 PP, WOW-590 WDXR-1560 and CKCL-600 for their DX show. They says "We received 12 reports, well scattered, the farthest being from the South of Washington." To Roy Millar, I should arrange more DXers for you - first you get KOLD and now CKCL, congrats boy, Guess that it for this time. 73a to all.

Len Kruse - 816 Euclid Street - Dubuque, Iowa

The really big news at this den is the fact that I have reached an even 3,500 veries, and I consider that NEWS. The past week I have added a total of seven veries to my collection; letters from KPWB-ax WGDY-ax WDKX-ax KBAY WFLI; and cards from WDQ-ax and KATL. On 3/13 reception on the EBC was poor again for the third Monday morning in a row, thus only one new addition added during the line-up of DX Specials. Station WTVF 1500, Tiffin, Ohio, was heard on 3/13 from 4-5 a.m., and despite poor CX they were heard fairly well. On 3/17 I heard a test from KBEA-1480, Mission, Kansas, from 2:50-3:05 a.m., using tone.
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Have failed to report for several weeks so this may get a little long and weary. Letters back from KILO WYAL WCMN (with v/1 and window sticker). Cards back from WTHS WGY WLAG WHAM WFLH WSYA WYMA WCTM WCOO WYJO WHBQ WIFW WYTA WNBC WBT WJUD AND WJJD.

Veries still out to: VKOM KLMR WBZ with WFTS WSKK WHSC CKAC CKSY WHDH CHOK and La Coruna, Spain, 692 kc/s. Other than that the rest of the mess goes as follows: 25/1- WFWA-1310, WBOC-1470 with WPLH-1470 (fighting it out). 26/1- WUJR-1430 WABB-1480 CKEH-1430 WSHE-1480 WCOS-1400 WMTV-570 f/c for the early morning catchers, WATQ-1540 WBOF-1550 WWCH-740 for the daytimers, and WQRF-1060 WAVE-970 for the late evening stations. 27/1, found only early morning stations, such as WMBD-1470 WEST-1400 WMAJ-1450 WSGC-1540 WEDO-1320 WROV-1240 WNYK-1400 WRBP-530 WNOE-620 and WIRE-630. The latter two s/on at 5:00 EST. 1/2, all found real early DEDW-1570 with f/c, WOKJ-1590 f/c KILO-1540 s/off at 2:00, WENX-1380 WPAT-330 CBO-910 KXXL-920, the second Washington station in as many days. The other one, KIT-1280 sent back a letter and said that on a short report they couldn't verify, so that is that. 2/2, (1:32-3:10 a.m.) WABG-990 f/c, WROK-1440 with s/off at 2:00, WAGN-730 f/c, WTRY-980, and WHDH-850. 3/2, in the early evening found WYSL-1090. 4/2 (1:57-3:40 a.m.) WINK-940 CKCO-1150 and WJUD-8590 with f/c. 5/2, (11:15-2:15 a.m.) CXJL-900 and at 2:00 with La Coruna-692 (with La Coruna given twice in a few as the only ID) and WREL-1420. 7/2, (1:52-2:14 a.m.) WBBT-1280, WOND-1400 and CKEX-550. 9/2 found WGAT-1050 f/c and WTTM-920. On 14/2, 1:55-2:40, WJAR-920, WNOG-1270 f/c, WBOB-1350 f/c, WEMH-1310 CKFY-1310 CKAC-730 WQXL-790, WTHU-740 f/c, am at 5 p.m. 320 found WHEN and WLEZ fighting it out. 20/2, 1:40-2:22 WFTS-1500 f/c, WSKK-1600 f/c, WSHC-1450 f/c and CMCD-790. 23/2 at 8 p.m., GMHL-860 and WFCF-1330. 25/2 (12:01-1:00 a.m.) WQHO-1470, WREL-1390 WNRD-1230 WENB-1460 WKBK-1250 and WETU-1250 with emergency flood information. 26/2 had CMBC-690 at 1 a.m. 27/2-1:43-3:00, WBBT-1440 with flood info, WBNY and WENP both on 1250 so didn't stick around to catch the DX Program from WHNY. By the way at 1:55 a.m. they were on the DX program and the sked had them on for later in the morning - what gives?  

Francis H. Mittler - 2264 South Josephina Street - Denver 10, Colorado

DX - what is that? Reception CX really poor here including the past two Mondays and only two reception reports sent out in that time. Hate to miss all the fine DX programs lined up for those two Mondays but static about as bad as I have ever seen it, even in mid-summer. Monday 3/6 a complete blank here. Monday 3/13 did manage to log needed KQJO-1300 DX through heavy static. I could tell both WEXQ and WTFF DXes were on but too much static to get a log on either. Only other report out in past two weeks was on 3/12 when I logged WEZL-1390 Richmond s/on at 5:00 and heard all the way up to 6:00 topping 1390 most of the time. Veries pretty scarce too with just four in. These included nice letters from KQJO-600 and KOHU-1570 and postcards for WTHS WFTS DXes which gave me a total of 1,953. A new Anner is KFOW-1600 with hillbilly music in believe they are off mond.ys. KGER appears to be back安宁 990 already. XFRO DX also heard but not needed and was wondering who they were DXing for but note it was for the NNC. Monday 3/6 noted KFOW-1490 on NS yet at 3:11 so might be An including Mondays. We had a good snow here today to end our summer weather so maybe that will help CX for this coming Monday. XERF off both Sunday and Monday 3/12 and 3/13 but too much static to hear anything. There are a lot of others I would rather see go off AN than XERF though such as KNAK-1280 XKOL-1360 KGBC-1390, etc. I hope everyone is making plans to be at Al soldo for the big '61 Convention as I know Larry, Jeff and the boys are going to put on a really big whirling. I would like to take the XERF trip but am afraid I might end up in the Del Rio jail and don't want to miss the Convention. Hi. Best of DX to everyone. ?3a.

(No name or address)

1/3, after working a mid-shift found only WEVY at 7:30 a.m. on 1230. 4/3, in the late evening 5:30 p.m., WREK-1390 was loud and clear. That is about all I have to report for a whole month so I haven't had too much extra time to spend on the bands. By the way I know I am getting a lot of stations that are from South America but unless they give a different ID, they just go down the drain so what can I do? (Like - HELP!) My number of QSL cards has climbed quite a bit since I started to poll members about which stations they have found veri by QSL card. Anyone inquiring a list can write and I can see what I can do. I will be around all summer with any DX that can possibly slip through. Oh yes I almost forgot. Is this Anderson around that is a DXor from Virginia? I know one from an Air Force tour. Is this possible they are the same one? 73s from one of Sam's boys.
DX has slowed with noise and much static although I hear one now and then. I think I had a pretty good season with 120 reported and got 95 veries back, to raise my total to 2,022. The last two Mondays have been very noisy and much static but I guess one can expect that in March. So no DX from my friend Jose in Mexico heard. Still have at least 50 reports out to be verified since 1/1/60, so should have my 100 veries since Sept. 1st before I give up for the warm weather, hi. My DX since the first of March all needed in my log and reported: KFRO-1370 heard on DX Test Mar. 6th and took care of WMHI. They went off at 4:50 a.m. but too much static and electrical storms in the area so not much heard of WMHI DX heard. Some of WEDM-dx cut very little. Sent letters to both and told them what I heard and hope for reply. WCLD-1390 DX not needed but did sent report and they said they received only four reports — mine, two from Ohio and one from Indiana, so DX must have been rough all over. On 3/8 I heard needed WIRN-1550 on test at k2:17 a.m. 3/10- WSIZ-1380 again on Ets add WRAD-1460 in like a local at 5:45 p.m., also WBLU-1480 ditto at 6 p.m. 3/11- Brought in KXEN-1010 for second report, WSIZ again and at 5:30 p.m. WPEG-1550 Winston-Salem, N.C. good signal. 3/13- WJMW-730 RS and s/off at 7 p.m. S/on at 7:30 a.m. 3/5- WTTF-dx came in and out with KLAK on and then musical test. HGJE-dx in for few minutes. And that's it. Been hearing TT on 1470 this week and wonder if might be WMPP Chicago Heights? Also TT on 1460, maybe WIXN, Dixon, Ill. Will keep trying. My new veries since 3/1 are BJR-550 WIXI-1480 duplicate today again, KVFD-1400 WVRE-dx-PP WFUN-799 KBEC-1390 WKLQ-1600 after three tries, WBCM-1440 WCDL-1440 KFRO-1370 and plain cards from WMWH-dx and WBPX-dx. So goes DX from this den. Will continue to try for a while yet. Would like to see some of those 50 reports verified. All for this time and good DX. 73s.

Frank Williams - 5237 Elmwood Avenue - Lynwood, California

Greetings again from Lynwood, where the signals of KGBS ionize the air for miles around. KGFR-1390 Long Beach has resumed its AN show, after being off the air after midnight from about Feb. 1 to March 1. Thus during the month of February I got relief from this AN menace, and logged five new stations around 1390 that KGFR had blocked. (KXEN San Jose, WLOGY St. Petersburg, KXXV Phoenix, CFUN Vancouver, and KBCB Des Moines). KGFR very strong here, its XR being located two miles South of me in Paramount, Cal. Its 5 kw. signal is beamed directionally North and South from 250' twin towers. Last Tuesday I heard the new KOGO-600 San Diego (ex-KFSD) and was unimpressed at its new format. Here are my best catches since my last report: KATZ-1600 St. Louis; KXGO-790 Fargo, N.D.; KWGO-1050 Waaco, Calif. f/o, CKBL-900 Prince Albert. Could any of you Southern DXers help me out on a mystery? What is the Cuban propaganda station on 760 with the slogan of "Radio Voz de la Hora?" It gives the EST every two or three minutes with Communist propaganda in between. It beams in here every night with S-5 from about 7 until 9 p.m. Help! Before I close, fellows, I'd like to announce that I am planning to make the Amarillo Convention, somehow. I'll be in college then to complicate things, but I'll try as hard as I can to get there. The disease called DXing has infected me so much that missing this Convention would be the worst thing that could happen to me since KGBS signed on last summer. 73s from a half mile North of a 50 kw. XR and I'm for Vientiá in '62.

Ernie Cooper - 433 East 21 Street - Brooklyn 28, New York

Four veries in; WFDL-1370-dx typed card; WHNY-12-50 form letter; WDNW-360; and a beautiful v/k from WEDM-1460-dx, if you like bright pink paper, hi. DX this week still coming in. 3/1, while typing the DX NEWS stencils, noted ZNS-15+0 behind WPTR at 8:20 p.m. so acted on a DX NEWS tip of the previous week and tuned to 8+0, and found "Radio Caribbean" booming in at better than S-9 from 6:55 to 8:30 p.m., using French and English announcements, and mostly Spanish and U.S.A. records. Absolutely no sign of WHAS here! Thursday PM though it was all WHAS with a "dump-ball" game, so this one in St. Lucia should be dialed on sprospoty nights. 3/18- "Radio Tricolor"-HJCU-736 logged on another DX NEWS tip of s/off at midnight, from 11:40 p.m., easy. 3/19- Logged XENK-620 behind AN WBSN 2/43-3:13 a.m. with two-year-old U.S.A. Top Forty tunes. 3/20- Two more new loggings thanks to our fine CPmanship. WGSN-1150 not very good, just over an AN here, and only S-6 but logged for a much-wanted one. Tuning back and forth between them and WILZ-1590 netted me the second new one, with a very nice program. WGSN played mostly "Spirit of '76" type music with a shrill fife or piccolo featured in most of their selections. No luck with WBYG-1450 DX. I think I had WDXL-1490 on rc- TT 4:35-4:45, with the TT over ANs WOLF/WARK and that old familiar OC, back again.
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J.B. "Pat" Reilly - 628 Spring Street - Jamaica, New York

New veries are WHAM and Radio Swan for a new country. My report was sent back because of wrong address, new address is Radio Swan, Gibraltar Steamship Corp., 18 East 50th Street, New York 22, N.Y. 3/11 - Picked up new call, CHIC, for ex-CFJB this afternoon. Caught the Costa Rican on 775 tonight for new call, a good S-5 here. 3/12 - Nothing new heard. 3/13 - Very heavy static today. No HCJB heard but an oldie. KMA DX heard but verified in 1930. WJR-760 off air and Cuban strong here. KGLO OK but an oldie. Could get only guttering through noise and heterodyne on xexQ. WTTF was very hard to catch because of static, this was new for me. Went down to 1390 and copied WGUS for another new one on their 4 a.m. s/on. 3/14 - Cubans all over the dial today. Picked up WLOA-1550 for new call this afternoon until GBE overrode them at 5:45. 3/15 - No DX today but caught KJED-920 atop Texan at 9:43 for a new call. 3/16 - No DX today. 3/17 Somebody lost a dog, first on 1480 at 2:35 until after 3:00 without any ID at all, then another one lost on 1570 atop XERF, 3:02 until 3:45 when I went back to bed. Tonight while TV off, tuned to 1580 while writing to KJED, heard WTWN and WJLL leave air at 7 p.m. and WBTY on after that. 3/18 - TT on 1390, 2:40 to 3:05 but no ID at all. OC on 1590 at 3:03 until 3:20, no ID and crawled back into bed again.

Ray H. Kraul - 6423 33rd Street - Berwyn, Illinois

The last two Mondays have been pretty noisy and good DX has been hampered as a result. Have heard a few needed ones though: Mar. 6 (Monday) - KFRO-1370 with DX 3:35-4 and from 4:05-4:15 with WHMI DX also on. Heard s/on of WMED-1460 for DX at 4:00 but heard only bits of pro ram. Mar. 13 heard WMIX-940 on with a tornado alert 2:45-3:05. Verie back in three days with instructions in case of tornado, hi! After seeing what one did to Chicago, I can appreciate the anxiety these people are experiencing, while waiting for one to hit or blow over. Coming in good were KMA and KGLO DXes, both unneeded. Listened on Thursday 3/16 and heard already verified KQAO-970 on TT 2:00-2130. Then heard needed CKVL-850 AN and a f/c from KRZ-1280 from 2:35 to 2:42. Veries received the past two weeks: KDLN KSOO WKPR KFRO KXRA KXRF WMIX WHWH and WFDJ. Lastly, the NRC has left all other clubs in the dust with the work of the CPC, the publication of the new f/c list, the information in DXDD, and generally good fat Muses. Thanks to all who have given the extra effort necessary to keep the NRC at the top. Two veries in this morning's mail, both very welcome, KATL and WMED for DX.

Roy H. Millar - P.O. Box 778 - Bellevue, Washington

DX continues to hit the "skyhook" as follows: Mar. 12th- 3NA-1510 Newcastle, N.S.W. ID at 6 a.m. with good signal; 4ZB-1040 Dunedin, N.Z. time call at 6:13 a.m. and quite good till beyond 5:30 a.m. Mar. 13th, and "Lucky 13th" as XEXQ and HCJB DXs both in. XEXQ-1460 DX very rough, but quite a few spots of music types and voice made ID quite certain; hope all that wanted this rare baby landed it! HCJB's DX in with fair signal from 3:02-3:30 a.m. for a new country; I believe "W" was off and signed on at 3:30 a.m. but very weak; 2NR its usual good signal for most of the rest of the morning. Incidentally, after XEXQ's DX, WRVK was in from 4:30-4:55 a.m., then WBMR s/on at 4:55 with strongest signal ever heard from this particular station. Up to WBMR's s/on, 1460 was plagued here by a tone or heterodyne, or something, making logging of any signal on 1460 difficult. No other DX to report, as time for DXing rather scarce now. Then too the tape of XEXQ took a lot of time and work to arrive at a decent log! I very carefully monitored the full hour twice before putting together my report. Veries: 1Y2-800 CKGL-600 WOOD-1300. CKCL highly valued, as lowest powered Canadian verie from East of Ontario. Of my seven Maritime veries, only CBA and CKCL were not from DX programs, so can credit CPC for three Canadian provinces verified (Newfoundland, Prince Edward Island and Nova Scotia) that have not been heard otherwise. Likewise, three countries, Greenland (KBIQ) and Canal Zone (ACA) verified, and above Ecuador HCJB.

John Stack - 1274 Hudson Road - Teaneck, New Jersey

Hi. First of all I would like to say to Sid R. I'm sorry I haven't written to you but I had tough basketball sked. Now I have baseball coming, but I try to get a letter off to you. Not much to say anyway. I've been devoting my last few weeks to learning Italian. I'm going to Europe. I'll be in London for a few days, then Italy for three weeks. For the little DXing I've done results have been good. Loged about 30 new ones. Latest veries are WHAY WHX KDKA WFRA WFAA WHHH WMER WCAB WCKS. All this at the tail end of February when DX was good. My two best loggings ever are HCJB, Cali and WBSS-1420 New Bedford. I got WBSS under very severe DX. Will somebody tell me how to send tapes out to stations? I just got my new recorder - it's a Jelecro, long for now.
Lefty, thanks for the much needed U.S. stamps! Much thanks to the CPO and the fine job you fellows have been doing! Mar. 7- WGBS-710 overriding WOR 6:23-6:31 pattern change and #2 on there; "Radio Caribe" 840, the new one in St. Lucia, 7:20-3:05; HEB-830 again and with a good signal 11:05-11:08 s/off, with the South still continuing with its fine signals. Mar. 8- YND-675 12:01-12:12; KTOG-920 r/c-1TT 1:15-1:51 and Lefty got them too - congrats, Lefty, hi. KDFH-1370 Len Kruse-land (Hi, Len) real tough on its r/c through WSPD, but a report though; WATM-1590 Alex-land, r/c-4 2:20-2:30. Was up till 5 AST doing an economics paper and logged these on a "break" hi. In the PM, a nice log on a very good catch, WISO-1045 7:00-9:17 s/off, logged intermittently. Mar. 12- After CJCH went off, heard a strong one on 930, and turned out to be much wanted CJON 12:11-12:32 s/off for Newfie #7. Woke up at 5 AST and turned 'er on; and was extremely surprised to hear "Radio Onias del Canajagua" HDOJ-1040 with a good signal 5:10-5:29 when it faded owing to its being light here! They announced as 1,000 watts and a report via PP. Mar. 13- KMA-960 DX weak but a log 2:35-2:48 fade. WLW was on 700 and would not sign off, naturally, because of severe storm warning in that area; however, HGJB did come up 2:56-3:08, with tone and hymns, so country #36. A strong OC on 1460 but I could hear Spanish or what sounded like it in there, and was able to log a bit from 3:34-3:58 so a tentative to much wanted XEQX! WTTF-1500 DX in fine till 4:10 when I quit. Went down to Bridgewater that afternoon, as we had the day off Tuesday. Went to CKW, and typed up HOJ2 CWHR letters on CKW letterheads and hope that might impress them enough to write me, hi. PPs enclosed just in case. Veris: WGBS-1400 WHNY-1250-dx WSOR-1400 XEHK-960 (I sent a "Radio Santa Fe" tape to them, and XEXK to HJOC, (celod, Jim) but they varied on my written report, and returned my HGJB tape, which I forwarded to Colombia) KADL-1270 KTOE-1420 KNBB-960 and KS0-114 for a nice one on its DX. Get this - they were using a five-tower array, with 5 kw. beamed NW; no wonder I had trouble, hi. Anyone else in the East hear them? Ralph J.- you get nice DX, and I enjoy your reports - you too, Bob K. Nice to see Stan and Pat back with us, and I sure do enjoy your Musings, boys! &3s from snowy Nova Scotia.

Doug Murray - 277 Portland Street - Dartmouth, Nova Scotia

There's not much DX here lately in this land of ice and snow although veries have been rolling in regularly with nine in so far this week, and it's only Thursday! Latest veries (since last report) are WQOK-1440 with letter and sked, CKOH with booklet and letter, WEER, both on 970, CBT-990 WHWE with map, 1000, WECO-1070 WANN-1190 WXOX-1190 CJW-570 WCOY-1650 WPWT-1430 WHND-1460 CBS-1490. CSB-81-1571 with nice card. Reports cut to WFST heard on r/c, HGJB DX, CFAC-960, WTTF. WPCT-1430 has r/c at 1:00 every second Wednesday per verie. I was speaking with the CE of CKCL-600 when on a visit to my home town this past Tuesday. He received about 12 reports which were well scattered about the continent. He seemed quite pleased with the results and even apologized for the delay in sending out replies. He also thought it quite decent of W10C to sign off for the broadcast. I thanked him for taking his time to present the broadcast. One new station heard tonight - WJJS-1370 at s/off at 6:12 p.m. I believe #3 member in Nova Scotia may soon join as my brother in Truro has become quite interested. 73s.


DX this past week has netted me six new ones. Monday AM 3/13 was quite noisy but the DX shows made it well. HGJB-700 in Quito was generally loud and easy with WLW dropped with loop. They had a fine show and a 45 minute report out air mail. KMA-960 DX fait: with another good show - there was quite a bit of correspondence on my part in regard to this as there was a big mix-up at the station in regard to the date. KGEO-1300 DX was very poor with WIBR in Baton Rouge on at the same time with TT/OC. A good log gotten on PRI-3880 in Belo Horizonte, Brazil, at 4 s/on. WTTF-1500 in well but no mention of NRC and they were on well after 4:30. KTEQ-860 wasn't on due to the tornadoes that swept that area. Letter received to that effect on 3/16 from CE who said he would happily resked. On 3/17 "Radio Caribbean"-860 in St. Lucia, Windward Islands logged at 5:30 p.m. with soft music. They use English, French, and Spanish. That same day WHWJ-1570 Selma, Ala, logged at 7 p.m. s/off clearly. Enjoyed talking to Alex Bowab who was in New York with his High School class. Did you meet any gams, Alex, hi? Veries were good with most from DXers. Letters from W2OM-1460 KEPO-1370 WBEK-1260 CXNY-1250 and crummy card from WFRN-1370. Form from WWINX-1600 and card from WSTT-1590 after five and a half months. Hope to see many DXers at Ken Murphy's house during Easter week.
The Queen's Printer; Ottawa, Ont. new booklet of Canadian stations due in April. This includes a dozen supplements. Send $1 to above for your subscription. Other countries: 5,150 (Canadian dollars). A CD exercise due Friday April 28 with Connelrad only 4-4:30 p.m. You can try then for Canadians, etc. George DeG.: 4430 Gladiola St. R.R. 1, Golden, Bob Spencer, is an old ex-NRCEr, say hello to him for me. Say Kerm: Bob Green is positive that WARR-1590 has NOT swapped places with WADC-1350. CHYOU-1470 this month Sunday s/on 7:30 a.m. and CKFC-1380 at 7:05 a.m., also nicely this 3/19 in daylight tuned WQIC-1390 s/on at 5 and then went to 1460 where WBLU Salem Va, on RS from 6:36-6:58 a.m. held front nicely. Jinn: Your 3/18 s/on by CHNS-960 at 5:24 a.m. AST came in like a local, Bob Axley was at the mike, as Dick slept in, he said. I was watching the Friday AM TV on WGR-TV-2 and so no DX. 3/17- WBAL-1090 has weekly s/on at 4:55 a.m., nice s/on by WBB-920 at 5:28 got later splashover by KLWN-910. 3/15 r/c-M by WAGF-1520 followed by WILS/WZOE ANING; WZEE-1440 s/on 4:57 a.m.; WPLA AN-590 got s/on by WZZQ at 5:25 a.m. WDLR-1550 s/on 6 a.m. (no verie yet). 3/13 took WGGUS-1330 nice from 4:09-4:35 a.m.; WYAI-1280 with XERF-type commercials; WTTF-dx good till 4:53; WVLW 6:51, WGOO 5:01, WBLX all s/ons. On 950 at 5:54 a.m. believe was WEXV Plattsburg N.Y. s/on. KGLO-1350 v/l back for 3/13 DX, he quit at 3:45 30. Also a folder. KGLO opened in 1937 with 100 watts, now 5 kw., also FM and TV and belong to Forward Group with WHTV WYAD and KHQA-KYXG TV. An interesting v/l by Evangeline EC Ltd. CKEN 1 kw. 1350 kc/s., Radio Center, Kentville, N.S. At sundown, CKEN goes N/S directional. They run same program simultaneously with CFAB-1450 in Windsor and give station breaks together and heard on both frequencies since 1947; the general effect of this is to give broader coverage in the long narrow area of Annapolis Valley. W.A. Bishop is still managing Director, for both. He verified a 1945 CFAB-1450 report for me. The West gets favored lately in the early AM s/ons as the East has too much daylight now. Best.

Sid Rosenbaum - 806 Market Street - Wheeling, West Virginia
Static has been heavy on most mornings and DX sessions brief. 3/13- WWRX-1440 testing with music at 1:00 on their only silent morning (Monday). HGB-700 weak under WBN but not needed. WGGQ-1590 on r/c 2:00-2:15. Took a log of WMA-960 on their DX for NRC. Static heavy this morn. 3/15- Some freakish reception heard in late afternoon; WHOU-1520 Clinton, Ill. heard at 5:00 p.m. with "Request Time" covering usually dominant WKEW completely. CBN-990 strong at 4:30 p.m. A prompt verie back from WMA to replace old one lost in 1936. I was a charter listener to WMA. Then on 1190 kc/s. on initial program, August 12, 1925. A new radio station is slated for Wheeling on 1470 kc/s, 500 watts, but no call assigned yet.

Ed Satterthwait Jr. - 69 Homestead Drive - Doylestown, Pennsylvania
Greetings once again. Not much DXing here due to school except on Monday AM 3/13. Band was full of static but I scored 100% on the domestic DXs for once anyway. KMA was heard at various times with a fair signal, although the QRM made copy difficult at times, and KGLO was heard with somewhat better signals from 3:32 to 3:45 when they went off instead of 3:50 as announced. WTTF was also in from 4:12 to 4:30 with fair signals. CX, such as they were, at least seemed to favor the Midwest. KXEL and WHO were noted during this period and were about the best signals on the band from any distance. Checked 700 between 2:30 and 3:00 but I found no sign of HGBJ. XEXQ was not heard either, although I heard an unusual instrumental number, somewhat like a flute, on 1460 at 3:47 followed by an announcement too weak to read at 3:49. This was under a TT. Could it have been they? Other new loggings of the morning were WCOS-1400 on top 3:55 to 4:10, WJRT-1400 under WCOS, and WRVK s/on at 4:25 on 1460. Veries are picking up, mostly because I've sent more reports recently, but some from while back are drifting in. Finally got one from WSAJ for their DX. Others that really surprise me in being overdue are CJAD WDNW KNBC and of all stations, WYAI. These seem to verify for others. I wonder if some of my mail gets lost? Some day I'll get around to writing f-ups, I guess. By the way, what's the story on WWL? Are they owned by Louella U. or what? Monday 3/20: Static again bad. The WDPO DX was on this AM and easy here, a fine signal for 500 watts. No sign of WEYG on 1450 but WEMP JD was noted for a new call. WILZ was way below WAKR 4:04-4:20. WGRM was the most wanted DX but I tuned in at 4:29 and they s/off at 4:30 instead of 5! Will send a report anyway. Only other new call added was WCRK 5 s/on on 1150. Anyone know who was testing on 1150 4:30-5:00 with tone and OC? JD sounded like WRDX. ?3.
ATTENTION ALL

On April 28, 1961 from 4: PM to 4:30 PM there will be a nation wide Conelrad Drill. This means all the EBC stations in the US will be silent during that half hour with the exception of those participating in this drill but they will be either on 640 kcs or 1240 kcs, so to those of us living near the Canadian border, here is a chance to log and report those unable to be heard otherwise. (Brdg)

ATTENTION

On Page 2 of Fred's International DX Digest it tells about a log pertaining to Mexico-Guatemala-Costa Rica and other Latin American Countries. I now have 16 stencils cut by Don Roller and am informed by him that Dave Roy's is cutting them for the other countries. Regarding the publishing of this log, if enough of you want it and it will remit 15¢ to cover the cost of the mimeo ink and postage, I will run off enough copies to cover the orders received. The smaller white paper will be used, and being that we have this on hand and paid for, we do not have to worry about its cost. From advance info the centre log will consist of at least 10 pages and as stated above, if enough orders are received etc, this log upon completion will be mailed seperately and not included in issues of DX News. So to those of you interested, send in your 15¢ NOW, it can be either in coin or 3¢ stamps. To our Canadian members, they too can send either 15¢ in coin of the same amount in stamps

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860 W0MW Naugatuck, Conn Began Reg Sked 2/26/61 Days (Broadcasting)

990 W0K Providence, R.I. QRA is Radio Station "W0K" 228 Waybossot Street, Providence 3, Rhode Island WMWMWM (Magnuson-R I )
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INTERNATIONAL DX DIGEST

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The news gets thinner as the season wanes, but we still have some good material to pass on to you, so here it comes.

NORTH AMERICA

COSTA RICA-**-Copied station on 975 Kcs. using "Radio Athenea" slogan which should be TISN. (SRM) Station on 1125 Kcs. (TISN) using "Radio Centro" slogan, San Jose ID. (SRM) Station also gave SW freq. and list of stations in Central American Network on 3/11. (SRM)

HAITI-**-4WV (1325) good signal as early as 1730 on 3/11. (SRM)

MEXICO-**-XERP (660) All night slow swamped WNLX all AM 3/11. (SRM) Tried for the XEXQ (1460) DX on 3/13 from 0330 to 0400. CX were poor, with heavy static, and to make matters worse, a testing carrier on 1460 throughout the scheduled DX hour. Did pick up a station through all this, but practically unreadable. May have been XEXQ. (BD) JAMAICA-**-Jamaica Broadcasting Corp. (700) over WLTW 0455 s/on on 3/11, (SRM) News at 2300 over RJR Kingston (720) 3/11/61. Quite a bit of interference from what I took to be a Cuban and US. (FW)

NICARAGUA-**-Who is "Radio Portugena" (1475). Announces city, but not able to copy very easily. Heard with strong signals 3/11 at 2100. (SRM) Lots of well-known US tunes. Anyone have an address? (Nothing on him here-FV)

WINDWARD ISLANDS-**-On 3/14 I noted for the first time that the new station at St. Lucia (840) is on the air. Was over and under WHAS that evening from 2000-2100 using French, and signed off at 2103 in English. Followed by "God Save the Queen". No QRRI from HJRC. (BD)

SWAN ISLAND-**-"Radio Swan" (1160) sent me a QSL letter from the New York office. They state it's an international commercial radio station. Do they have commercials? I haven't heard any the few times I have heard them. Anyway, another country for me. (RP)

UNITED STATES-**-World Radio Handbook can be obtained from Radio Station WRLF, 1 East 57 Street, New York 23, New York. They do a lot of commercials over the air for it and say it can be obtained from the station. (RP) Station WAXR (1560) has been audible quite a lot around 0100 GMT; only stateside station heard here. (RP)

COSTA RICA (Additional)-**-TILX (725) San Jose, 1 Kw., strong at 2239 on March 9th. (RDH)

SOUTH AMERICA

NETHERLANDS ANTILLES-**-PJ45 (1435) Oranjestad, Aruba, fine signal at 1800 on 3/11. (SRM)

COLOMBIA-**-On 3/15, logged a rather strong L on 835 Kcs. during the mid-evening hours. Turned out to be HJDM Medellin, IDing as "Radio VISION" apparently moved from 880 Kcs. (BD)

EQUADOR-**-I listened for the HCJB (700) DX on 3/13 and a station was heard clearly behind WLW, but could not catch any IDs. The program sounded like HCJB's, who verified for me in December. Time was 0230-0300. (BD)

BRAZIL-**-The following stations have been audible here around 2/25. Some are very consistent but most nights such as Radio Globo and Mayrink and Radio Tupi are good. PRD5 (1400) Fine signal; PRG3 (1280) consistent; PRD9 (1220) Consistent; PRE9 (1200) fair; PRE3 (1180) consistent; and PRG9 (1100) fairly consistent. (RP)

EUROPE

..USTRIA-**-Nice card from Vienna (1475) for Country #60. (SRM)

FRANCE-**-Bordeaux I (1205) heard fair at 0130 on March 4. Mille I (1375) heard with very strong signal on March 4 at 0111. (RDH)

MONACO-**-"Radio Monte Carlo" (1466) very strong on March 3 at 1900. (RDH)

PORTUGAL-**-CSB9 (782) Miramar, strongest of all Europeans heard on March 3, at 1855. (RDH)
ERN.TIO N.LP.C.E 2  DX NEWS  March 25, 1961  LUXEMBOURG — "Radio Luxembourg" II (1439) good signal on March 4, at 0215. (RDH)

At sea—**CNBC Radio (1562) now on test transmissions with 2 Kw, according to Mr. Stanley, General Manager in London office. They hope to increase power to at least 5 Kw within the next few weeks. Tests are from 0200-0700 and 1800-2100 daily; 0300-0700 and 1800-2100 Sundays. Reports are welcomed. (RP)

AFRICA

EGYPT (UAR)**-Cairo V (818) heard with Arabic programming, strong signal at 1730 on March 3. (RDH) Taped.

MOROCCO—**-Sebba Aioun (701) strong signal for short period at 1805 on March 3. (RDH)

SAUDI ARABIA—**-Jeddah (723) Arabic programming weak signal at 1810 on March 3. This one also taped, but very poor. (RDH)

REPORTERS

SRM-Stanwood R. Morse, R. R. No. 3, Bradford, Massachusetts.

RP-Roy Patrick, 8 Sidney Street, Dorby, England.

BD-Ben Dangerfield, 202 Governors Drive, Sprout Estates, Chester, Pa.


RDH-Richard D. Hansen, 647 Commercial Street, East Braintree 84, Mass.

THE OVERSEAS M.I.L.B.C.

RP—**-Haven't heard anything exciting. The Brazilians are very consistent here every night. WQXR has been audible during the past two weeks from time to time, but no other US or Canadian station has been heard. Managed to get a QSL from "Radio Swan", which now gives me another country, making me 54 countries verified. Hope Greenland and India will QSL. Anyway, I am crossing my fingers and hoping for the best. Well, I guess that's about all from this end for this week.

GENERAL

We also received the regular weekly bulletin from the FCC, but this week it contained no information of a foreign nature. Many changes, but all in the domestic column, so look for the information from Mr. Cooper. I would also like to note that my plans have changed, and in spite of calling off next week's DIGEST, I may have time to do one, so if anything comes in, there may be a one-page DIGEST. If little or nothing, then I'll hold to original plans and hold off for the April 8th issue.

Thanks to those who have voted so far on how they want the DIGEST set up next season. I have seven votes so far. Please send me your vote on whether you want the DIGEST to continue by Continent and Country as it has been in the past, or if you would prefer to have it set up by frequency. Please send me your vote on a postal card containing nothing else, as I want to save the votes until I am sure that all who want to vote, have done so.

Information from Don Roller indicates that there will be a Mexican log containing also Guatemala and Costa Rica available for you very soon. I am not sure at this time if it will be sent out as a service to all members, or if you will have to send for it separately from Ray. Details will be coming along soon. This was started by Bill Stone and has been finished by Don Roller.

Notes in another DX publication bring to the front the old problem of reporting fantastic catches. This club points out that some of its members have reported all but impossible stations, with the implication that someone either logged the short-wave outlet and reported the BCB station, or just dreamed up a log with an FBIS Log or a WRH in front of them. This has happened many times over the years, and often results in a vario. (I have a vario from "Radio Jibdjan" on BCB, although I never heard them, nor never hope to hear them.) Always be sure of the identity of the station you log before you report to them or to us, unless you admit that it is tentative, and even then you should have a pretty good idea of who it is. Otherwise you look bad. 73
Continuing the Log of BCB stations heard by other clubs which have not been reported by our members:

**1250**
Fusan good. (DXT)
KSDX Naha, Ryukyu Islands. 1 Kw. (TI)
Balatonszabad fair to good. (TI)
JOIR Mixed with above station. (TI)

**1259**
Wroclaw mixed. (TI)(DXT)
VO A Courier at Rhodes, mixed with Wroclaw. (TI)(DXT)
Siboria mixed with static. (TI)

**1260**
PF15 Natal, Brazil. Weak. (MWN)

**1268**
TG.Q Guatemala City, Guatemala. At 2100. (NNRC)
Thai Air Force with popular music. (DXT)

**1270**
JOFR Good signal. (DXT)
DZBW Dugupan City, Phil. Is. 500 watts. (TI)

**1277**
Alexandria, Egypt. Good at 2330. (MWN)

**1286**
Melnick with popular music, good. (TI)

**1300**
ZYR7 Fortaleza, Brazil. Week. (MNNC/MWN)
DZRL Manila, Phil. Is. 1 Kw. (TI)

**1304**
Dakar, Senegal, heard weakly. (NNRC)

**1310**
JOLF Under 1XH week. (TI)(NNRC)
Stavanger, Norway, weak. QRM from JOLF. (DXT)

**1320**
ZY534 Fortaleza, Brazil. Week. (MWN)

**1331**
Rome Regional, excellent. (TI)

**1340**
VOA Relay week with QRM from Chino. (DXT)(TI)
KSHT Ex 1360 with Brahms Lullaby as s/off. (DXT)
PRH6 Belo Horizonte, week, heterodyned. (MWN)
Arabic mixed with Hungarian Sundays. (TI)

**1350**
JOLF Mixed. (TI)

**1355**
Thai? Weak with English pop records. (DXT)

**1358**
Ibadan, Nigeria, heard on Independence Day. (NNRC)

**1360**
PRSC Rio de Janeiro, Brazil. Good. (MWN)
Yoosoo, South Korea. 250 watts. (TI)

**1370**
"Radio Continental", Recife. Fair. (MWN)
Delhi C, India. (TI)

**1376**
DZBS Manila, Phil. Is. 1 Kw. (TI)
Unknown good signal, not French. (TI)

**1385**
WXLE Sign-on. (DXT)

**1388**
ZY4 Athens with static. (TI)

**1390**
JOHC More lately. (TI)

**1394**
Graz, fair. (DXT) (TI)

**1395**
FKSN Azores at sign-off. (MWN)

**1400**
AFKN Regular, fair. (TI) At Kumori. (DXT)

**1405**
JOTB Tokyo, Japan. 1 Kw. D.Y. (TI)

**1410**
"Radio Tenerife", Canary Islands. At 1845. (NNRC)

**1420**
ZY7 Florinopolis, Brazil. Week. (MWN)
Pohang, South Korea. (250 watts) (TI)

**1421**
FBS Cyprus, good at 2330 s/on. (MWN)

**1430**
Skive, weak. (TI)

**1439**
BBC Peking. Fair. (TI)

**1440**
FBS2 Curitiba, Brazil. Weak. (MWN)

**1448**
DYCO Fair to good. (DXT)

**1450**
TED4B Taipeh, Formosa. (TI)

**1457**
DXVM Cagayan de Oro, Phil. Is. 500. (TI)(DXT)

**1458**
Cradova. Static. (TI)
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1475 HLPF  Pusan, South Korea.  250 watts.  (TI)  
Vienna I, Fair.  (DXT)  0020 Week to Fair.  (NNRC)

1480 JONF  Miyazaki, Japan.  D.Y.  (TI)

1490 JOOF  Miki, Japan.  1 Kw.  Ex 1460.  (TI)
JOCC  Tottori, Japan.  500 D.Y.  (TI)
JO*B  Kyoto, Japan.  D.Y.  (TI)
JOGC  Matsumoto, Japan.  D.Y.  (TI)
JOTZ  Hachinohe, Japan.  D.Y.  (TI)

1500 Mosul, good at 2320.  (MWN)
JOUF  Fair at sign-off.  (DXT)
JQOF  Also fair at sign-off.  (DXT)

1502 Krakow, good.  (DXT)  With static.  (TI)
Peking good.  (TI)
Chanin fair parallel with 1493 Kcs.  (TI)

1530 BEV57  Taichung, Taiwan.  1 Kw.  (TI)

1538 Ravensburg, good.  (DXT)
"Radio Djibouti", Djibouti, Somalis, around 0830.  (NNRC)
Dakar, Senegal, noted about 0630.  (NNRC)

1550 FEN  Itazoko, Japan.  Weak.  (TI)

1560 HSSTV  Off in English, then Thai with YL.  (DXT)
JOE  Nagoya, Japan.  D.Y.  (TI)
JQVM  Yokohama, Japan.  100  (TI)
JOTE  Akita, Japan.  100  (TI)

1571 Santa Maria, Azores.  Fair at 1300.  (NNRC)

1578 Porto, Portugal.  At 1820 pop music.  (NNRC)

1590 FEN  Nagoya Fair.  (TI)

1602 Nurnburg, Germany.  0030 week to fair.  (NNRC)

For the most part, this log has consisted of stations not report-
ed in the DIGEST in any other way.  Some stations have been reported
since the log was started, but this gives you an idea of some of the
stations being heard around the world by other DX clubs.  The clubs
contributing to the above were:

TI-Tune In, Bulletin of New Zealand DX Radio Association.
MWN-Medium Wave News, composed of listeners in the British Isles.
NNRC-Newark News Radio Club, Newark, New Jersey.

Remember when reporting to the DIGEST, send your material
on one side of the page only, double spaced, if typewritten, and pre-
arranged according to continent and country.  If you use a postal card
when your material is small, please try to keep writing large enough
to be read.  We usually cut reports apart and arrange according to
country before compiling the DIGEST, and it is hard to cut apart items
which are close together on the page.

Don't forget to get your foreign contest standings up to date.
They must be sent to Roger Anderson, 5600 Eighth Road North, Arlington
5, Virginia.  Contest closes April 15th, but entries may be sent until
June 30th, giving you plenty of time to get follow-ups out to those
overseas prize winners which haven't answered as yet.

Supremacy Ratings should also be brought up to date, at least twice
a year.  Send your list of victories, countries, totals by continent, and
best winner in each continent group to Hank Wilkinson, 6620 Boman Ave,
North Hollywood, California.  Remember that even though they are state
Florida and Hawaii still count as countries by virtue of their distance
from Continental U. S.  That is it for this week.