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### WE INSPIRE

"I would like to say what a fine job all the Editors are doing in putting out DX NEWS & the f/c list, CX of frequencies, etc. Although I did not DX as much as I would have liked to in the last year, being a member of the NRC certainly "inspired" me to more DX than usual."  
- David Deutsch - 1611 Nelson Avenue - Bronx 53, New York

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### SPECIAL DX

Mon. June 24 W I S A 1390 Isabela, Puerto Rico 1,000w. 2:00-2:30 am, EST NASA  
Reports to Mr. Ronald T. Cushing, CE, WISA, Box W, Isabela, Puerto Rico. (v/q)  
(Info from Bill Hutchinson)

### CONGRATULATIONS TO -

JOHN CALLEMAN, on his new job at Radio Station KFJZ-1270, Fort Worth, Texas!

### HEARD SINCE LAST ISSUE

630	C H E D	Ex-1080 kc/s.	NRC	1350	W C H I	Now 1,000 D-1	FCC
660	W N B C	New XR (in Bronx)	NRC		W R K M	Now 1,000 D-1	FCC
810	W I G O	Indianapolis, Indiana	NRC	1360	W P P A	Now 5,000/500 U-4	FCC
920	W I R D	Now 5,000 D-1	FCC	1400	W N U E	Ex-950; 1,000/250 U-1	FCC
970	W A V E	New DA	FCC	1410	K K O K	Lampoc, California	NRC
950	W B E R	Moncks Corner, N.C.	NRC	1470	W K M F	New night DA	FCC
970	W M A Y	New day DA	FCC	1480	K B E A	Now 1,000/500 U-4	NRC
1010	W I N Q	Tampa, Florida	FCC	1520	K A C Y	Now 10,000/1,000 U-4	FCC
1050	W I V Y	New site	FCC	1530	W C T R	Chestertown, Maryland	NRC
1080	W O A P	Now 1,000 D-1	FCC	1570	W B D S	Greenville, Penna.	NRC
1290	K W N S	Pratt, Kansas	NRC	1580	W N J H	Now 1,000 D-1	NRC

### Now 1,000/250 U-1:

1230- KLWT, KDIX, KVAS. 1240- KASL, KSMA, KAKE. 1340- KSMO, WAML. 1400- WNUE, K7NA. 1450- WRKD.

### "AN" SITUATION

ALL ONS: 560- W G A N (inc. MM) 1490- W P O R 1570- C F O R, except MM.

### NRC DENVER CONVENTION NEAR!

Just to remind you how close the time is getting for the big doings in Denver! Be sure to plan NOW to be on hand for all the festivities. The dates are over the Labor Day weekend, August 30-31, and September 1-2. See the July & August DX NEWSes for much detail on the coming events, but don't dawdle - make those plans now to attend!

## V E R I E S I G N E R S

570	K LfA C	Robert W. Friffin, SM	F	1270	W W J C	R. G. Elm, CE	A
590	W B B Y	Edward Horat, CE	F	1310	W B F D	William Smith, CE	D
620	K S T R	Norman Price, CE	A	1340	K I C K	Cliff Hume, CE	A
	K W F T	Ben Ludy, P, GM	B	1350	K T L Q	Gerald O. Gilbert	E
630	KuD WfB	J. R. Halverson, CE	E	1360	K S C J	Ernest Kruger, CE	A
690	W CuY B	R. V. Robinson, CE	F	1370	W ApX E	R. M. Chamberlin, O	G
710	K GqN C	W. H. Torrey,	E		K X L F	Bobby Keith	A
790	K GqH L	Frity Bartlett, CE	B	1390	K C E Y	Mel Freedman, CE	B
820	H JeE D	Antonio J. Restrepo, CE	G	1400	W G I L	James Thompson, CE	D
860	K W R F	Paul Demaree, CE	D	1410	C FwM B	John Forrest, CE	CG
900	W F R O	Snelby Bristow, CE	F	1440	KuF DqA	W. E. Ninemire	E
930	K R O E	Bordon Smith, CE	A	1450	K B B S	Ralph P. Burger, CE	E
	W S L I	Richard A. Voorhis, M	D	1460	W O C H	James D. Ochs, CE	A
	C J C A	Gordon Skutle, CT	D		K Z O T	Fred B. Campbell, CE	A
	K I U P	Frank Toomey	F	1470	K L I B	A. J. McKinney	A
950	K S E L	R. G. Purrington, CE	B		K TrW O	B. G. Lorkwid, CE	E
960	W ThC H	Lee R. Montrose, CE	A	1480	K ThH S	Daniel Patterson, CE	E
	K AfB L	Howard Imms, CE	E	1490	K X R A	Kenneth L. Olson, CE	E
990	W I B G	J. Henninger, CE	A	1510	W J C O	Donald L. Wright, CE	D
	K R S L	William Hanrahan, CE	F		K GqA	Val Strange, NxB; TD	D
	K L I R	Del Smith	F	1560	W L V N	Harold Seligman, VP	D
1000	C KfB W	Douglas Hirtle, CE	F	1570	K O L S	Lloyd Gaffaney, CE	A
1010	K RqV N	R. J. Bitner, CE	B		WuJ Ems	Claude Casey	G
	W UqN S	G. M. Bailey, SM	D		W B U Z	Kenneth Marvin Wasmund	D
1080	W E E P	W. W. McCoy, CE	G	1580	W K K D	Russ Salter, M, CE	A
1110	K R L A	Jack M. Reeder, CE	E	1590	K R A D	Austin G. Kramer, CE	A
1120	K CfL E	Don Harris, PD	F	1600	K G K O	Marvin Paul Bridges, O A	A
1220	C K D A	M. G. Doyle, CE	B		K LqA K	Ed Scott, P	E
1230	W N E B	Walter Chenausky, CE	A	A - W. Stone	B - R. Pietsch	C - R. Edge	
1240	K S O N	Jack Rabell, CE	B	D - R. Johanns	E - J. Johnson	F -	
1260	K PuO W	Charles D. Pitts, A	E	D. John	G - E. Cooper		

## CHANGES IN STATION DATA - F.C.C.

(Purchased from the Seabrooke Printing Company, Washington 4, D.C.)

## NEW STATIONS

920	Madison, Wisconsin	1,000 D-1	1470	Dimmit, Texas	500 D-3
930	Lynchburg, Virginia	1,000 D-1	1540	Syracuse, New York	50,000 D-3
1090	Garden City, Michigan	250 D-3		Waverly, Tennessee	1,000 D-1
1320	Covington, Kentucky	500 D-3	1560	Woodbury, Tennessee	500 D-1
1500	New Roads, Louisiana	1,000 D-1		Rennselaers, Indiana	250 D-1
1510	Mineola, Texas	250 D-1	1570	Danville, Pennsylvania	1,000 D-1
1420	Lubbock, Texas	500 D-1			

## NEW CALLS

1410	W R D S	S. Charleston, W. Va.	1560	W F O L	Hamilton, Ohio
1470	W P G F	Burgaw, North Carolina	1570	K R S A	Alisal, California
1520	W V O B	Bel Air, Maryland		W B D S	Danville, Pennsylvania
	W C H E	West Chester, Perma.	1590	W C S L	Cherryville, N. C.
1530	W C T R	Chestertown, Maryland	1390	W K L P	Keyser, West Virginia

## CALL CHANGES

740	K G O L	Avalon, Cal., from KBIG	1430	W I I I	Homestead, Fla. fr. WSDB
1350	K B M R	Bismarck, N. D. fr. KQDI		W E E F	Highland Park Ill. WNSH
1400	K P A T	Berkeley, Cal. from KRE		W G Y W	Fountain City, Tenn. WFCT

Note: KGOL/KBIG-740 has since changed to KGLM according to Randy Lee of NRC)

## FACILITIES

800	W K E E	Huntington, West Virginia, to 5,000 D-1, from 1,000 D-1, same channel.
860	W A Y E	To Baltimore, Maryland, from Dundalk, Md., and to 1,000 D-3, from 500 D-3; and move XR NE.
1070	W I B C	Indianapolis, Indiana, 50,000/10,000 U-4. Change patterns & move XR NW
1080	W J O E	To Port St. Joe, Florida, from Ward Ridge, Fla., and from 1570 kc/s., and to 1,000 D-1, from 250 D-1.
1130	W I S N	Milwaukee, Wisconsin, to 50,000/10,000 U-4; from 1150 kc/s. (con'd P.13)

MUSINGS OF THE MEMBERSGlen Kippel - 853 West Orchid, Apt. B - Upland, California

OK, I thought I'd get off a note just in case anybody was wondering what happened to me. These nice people at KASK called up & asked me how soon I could come to work & I said "How about next Monday?" & they said "OK," so anyway, here I am working for KASK in Cucamonga (not in Ontario) & roughly midway between Frank Williams & Raleigh Biss. Be ye forewarned, I may drop in any time. While coming back from my brother's place in Hermosa Beach last Sunday I decided to try another route, came up the Long Beach Freeway & lo, suddenly found myself in Lynwood. But, alas & alacrity, I had to get to work so I wasn't able to stop. No DX, this apartment is made of chicken wire so signals don't come through & an outside antenna looks impossible. I am using the aluminum window frames which work best of anything I've tried. Hey, SCALD, how about Long Beach '65??? Or can San Diego get by without L.A.? Long Beach be more centrally located for all SCALD people? Or maybe, to top the upcoming Denver Convention, we could have the '65 NRC Convention in Disneyland. Well, Big "D" '63, Buffalo sixty-fo'. And, 73.

Leo Fox - Box 68 - Star City, Saskatchewan

Hello; me, you lucky peoples. No longer at Box 370, U. of S., now Box 68 above. This is written chez John Oldfield, DXer a la Edmonton. Tomorrow, je pars for Elsa, Y.T. I will become not only the most Northerly NRC member in N.A. but the first to hear CBXO (or will I?) SCers, CKOM CKBI have surveys. L'aggregate: 922-352. Pauvre Doug Murray - I promise to send you those surveys. Denver, maybe. Gonna visit a brewery. PS, tentative to Martinique-1500 'ope, 'ope.

John Oldfield - 11623 84 Street - Edmonton, Alberta

DX: 5/14- KETO-1590 Seattle RS 3:05. 5/16- KFHA-1480 Lakewood, Wash. 6:20-6:45 c/w mx & mentioned NRC. Was this a sked DX Test as there was no mention of it in DX NEWS? (No info on it here, John -ERC) We also heard a strong but fading Jap up until sunrise on approximately 1000 kc/s. "we" meaning Leo Fox & I. Leo is on his way to the Yukon squaws, & he has told me that he might do some work as a surveyor's assistant at Keno Hill Mines, too, if he can find the time. I just found out that he will have a LOCAL station. It's just NE of Whitenorse a few hundred miles. We did the tour of all the loco radio (spelled correctly) stations, & the breweries - oops, I mean "ginger ale" plants. This was all for a good cause, Fokie's "ginger ale" label collection. Only one QSL, KFLY v/1. Local CHED (ex-1080) is now on 830 kc/s. as of 5/14 officially, but I have many earlier logs of QC & test mx. 73, see you in D.C. '63.

Bob Pietsch - 317 San Fernando Way - San Francisco 27, California

Guess it's about time for another Musing from this den. Nothing much new on the DX front here what with summer setting in etc. Latest additions to the logbook are: 4/6- KWFT-620 5:49am, & KRVN-1010 amid the muddle 7:23am. 4/11- XEXX-1420 1:54am. 4/13- WDAF-610 6:12am. 4/21- KRDG-1230 on top briefly 11:21pm. 5/4- CKDA-1220 5am, & KPAT-1400 (ex-KRE) 5:30am. 5/5- KSEL-950 6:02am, way over usually dominant KJR. 5/19- KSEE-1480 7:09am with SS programming. Veries of late included KSON-1240 KCEY-1390 KRLC-1350 (after seven months) JOBK-670 in Osaka with beautiful card for Japan #1, KRVN-1010 KGHL-790 KIUP-930 KWFT-620 WDAF-610 KHFH-1420 KEWI-1440 (for 7/26/62 report) KSEL-950 CKDA-1220 & WOWO-1190. Totals now 352/122, states 33/27, countries 8/5. Hope everyone has a great summer & some good DX is heard. 73s.

Richard H. Cooper - Box 223 - Kittanning, Pennsylvania

Happy to report I am about to get back at DX after a real tough bout with Asian Flu, followed by a stay in the hospital where I had a little surgery for my bum knee. The knee seems real good again & as soon as I get rid of the crutches in ten days or so, I'll be back at the old hobby. Form letter in from KEWI. Missed last specials save WUNS because of sickness. Had a real good year generally, with about 80% returns. As usual, Western Pennsylvania is toughest section to get answers from. WZUM WARO WMBA still holdouts. No reply from XEYC which my son arranged. I have written him offering to make verie cards if he'll answer reports. Expect to visit WEND-1580 Ebensburg, Pa. next week & hope I can get them to answer all old reports. Project for the summer is to type up a new log & recount my veries. Thanks to all who made the past year one of the most interesting in my experience. I thought the bulletins were finer than ever! (Glad you're feeling so much better, Dick! -ERC)

ONLY A LITTLE MORE THAN TWO MONTHS TO GO BEFORE THE BIG DENVER NRC CONVENTION. PLAN TO BE THERE! AS THEY SAY IN SOUTH BOSTON, VA., "WHLE." "WE'LL HAVE LOTS OF FUN."

David Pope - Box 173 - Crescent Beach, South Carolina

Sorry I haven't reported in so long. Veries in are WAPA WGY WTCW HJKL Nice-I 4VW KCBS WLUV WFOA HOS22 WDEA VOA-Rhodes WCFV Hilversum I YNOL WYOU Spain-584 BBC-647-1545 XEG Radio Zagreb, Rumania-755 Antigua-644 France-944 CSB9 YVLX Rome-845 CMCA Bulgaria-827 Czech-1286 Dresden-1043 KXEX LRA-870 PRB9-1000 WTRL are a few of them. DX: 5/21- KXKW-1520 testing behind WKBW @ 1:23. 5/20- WTIF-1340 testing at 3:16. KGA-1510 logged with much static. 5/17- WBCI-740 testing 12:05 with good signal. 5/14- WPUV-1580 in very clear with test at 12:20. 5/7- WPGC-1580 in with test at 1:10. 4/29- WICE-1290 in with very good signal at 3:15. 4/24- WPHO-660 behind WMAL at 12:40. 4/9- CJOC-1220 logged with weak signal @ 1:58. Totals are 770/241, countries 59/39, foreign contest points are around 280-290 with 36 verified, countries, that is. 73s.

C. Alan Taylor - 2529 East 9 Street - Indianapolis 1, Indiana

Howdy clods! 'Tis Musings time again after not having said anything for centuries. Little WIGO-810 here in Naptown made its debut in style today 5/15 with adult good mx, soothing to the ears. Am going to try to get the v/s on this one. Till then it would be better to send your reports to the above address so that I can assure you a verie. Local WBNY-1500 has begun construction per Chuck Callahan. When we went out last March they obly had their power transformer bank up & a lot of paper-covered tubing containing tower parts. Info on WIGO "Radio Weegoh" 810 kc/s. 2502. D-1, studios in Farmers Trust Company, owned/operated by Capitol Broadcasting Company. Address: 143 North Delaware. Ralph Luke Walton, Owner & President; Stokes Gesham, VP, GM, TD. XR uses tower of approximately 300-odd feet, located on Water Company land approximately 1.5 miles NW from circle. Township: Center, Indianapolis. Ron Schatz, favor de mandarme un ejemplar de su forma de Portugues (please don't goof it up Ernie). To those having Naptown maps, WIGO's XR is on the NE side of the W. 16th Fall Creek Bridge. (Actually about some 1,000 feet to the NE of same). Hasta el proximo musado en Abril.

Dave Gleason - 2520 Wellington Road - Cleveland 18, Ohio

Saludos, DXers. To Andy Rugg: I have a TGUX verie for you. And to the other DXers who sent me reports, I am endeavoring to get veries. Have already added TGZ TGED TGO TGUX TGJ TGBOL & TGW-640 to my Guatemala list, & I soon move on to El Salvador. Some info about Guatemalan stations. Many of them (I have a list) have no tape equipment, so think before sending reports that way. At many stations a pennant represents a verie, so if you get one, don't write back for a letter or a reply card. It will just irritate the station. John Callarmann a ketter you wrote to TGJ is reprinted in their ad folio. Since Dave Roys & gang put out the LA list many changes have been made. So, since the Club can't put out another one, by Convention time I will have one complete for CA, Mexico & Colombia & Venezuela. If anyone wants one, please drop me a card, so I'll know how many to run off. I guess it's free. Please, if you don't do LA DX, don't ask for a list, hi. List will include call, slogan, power, frequency, signer, address & any special info. By the time I return I will have photos of about 175 stations, along with rate cards, ad folders, prayer table, clothes & a glowing model of Paul Kallinger, & will bring all to Denver. Will have a slide projector in my room, & all are invited. Also I have obtained 14 AM mapbooks, 17" x 24", complete with all stations, one map per frequency, all directional patterns, day/night operation, etc. to be given away at Denver. Sorry to miss those Newfoundland DXes. Well, you can't win 'em all. Personally, I say "Montreal for '64", that is, if anyone there wants a convention. Otherwise, Ed Krejny wants to have one, in Cleveland. Well, I have to go to Radio Progresso now for an interview, so Collo N. Denver! 73.

Dave Dunn - 110 Leland Avenue - Columbus 14, Ohio

DX for past month or so has been: 4/15 - WGOO-1470 @ 3:32am with f/c. 4/21- KCCR-1590 @ 1:08am with f/c (for my second S.D.) 4/22- WAIK-1590 @ 7:33pm. 4/29- WEAN-790 @ 3:30am. KTHH-790 @ 3:55am with f/c. WVON-1450 @ 2:04am. WHEC-1460 @ 4:43am with s/φ on. WGLD-1560 @ 5:15am with s/on. WJCD-1390 @ 7:13pm with s/off. 4/30- WHRV-1600 @ 7:44pm. 5/1- KCLU-1590 @ 8:06pm & s/off @ 8:15. 5/7- WIL0-1570 @ 7:58pm with s/off. Latest veries are v/c- CKPC WIBG WFBC KAAY; v/l. KEND WJDD WCOS WCEF WFOA KVPK KCCR WORX WAIK WGOO WEAN & WHEC.

Jack L. Keene - 4902 Eppes Street - Houston 21, Texas

Greetings from the nation's most air-conditioned city. Not too much brewing here, with limited DX time. Plenty enough of the CAs are still showing. 5/13- KGWA-960 @ 10:15 pm. WEMB-1420 @ 12:30am r/c. 5/16- KTRH-740 AN with Space Flight. 5/21- KAOK-1400 @ 7:20pm. S/off on 1570 @ 7pm with "America," who? HI---1573 @ 10pm. 5/22- CMCK-982 @ 10pm with call letter ID. That's all here. 73.

Bill Stone - Box 543 - Stouffville, Ontario

Letter 5/13, WNEB Worcester, Mass., signer, Walter Chenausky, CE, "Thanks for the reception report. It was one of just two that I got for my efforts that night." Besides me, Ken Murphy, Glenbrook, Conn. Here's the answer to erratic programming on DX programs. Says later on he hopes to sked another DX program, next winter. 5/1- WQTV-1570 on most of the night, ET/M; WOCH-1460 ET/M 1:03-1:12 s/off. KLIB-1470 1:13 f/c-TT, off at 1:30 EST. WFLI-1070 TT/M most of AM; ET. 5/2- Ran into bunch of D&D IDers (not a word) - 1220, 610 & 1550 kc/s. One on 1400 I'm sure was WSYL. 5/3- TT again 1400 strong; 1490 680 960 & 1330, D&D. WKKD-1580 ET/M 2:24 on. 5/4- WJVA-1580 easy on f/c 1:40 on EDT; WDOV-1440 1:46 Dowagiac, Mich. f/c. 5/5- KOLS-1570 TT-f/c 2:05-2:25, CE - said first test in five years in letter; 1550 TT 2:25-2:50 D&D; again 3:36-4:10, still no speech. 5/6- 12:05, WJOB top station, WSTR second with NX, both signed shortly after. WNEB-dx came through in spots. Carousel-type marches; organ mx. KXLF-1370 RS 1:10-1:30; WLBS-1580 1:36 f/c-TT. 5/8- No DX; storm (Colo.). 5/9-11- Storms from Col. & Kansas giving us gears, one on 5/11 left snow. 5/11-12, no DX, at CDXC Convention in Kingston, grand time by all. Sam gave us plenty of laughs & comment on Saturday night. We'd have trouble hearing some of them there stations, if they were the way Sam showed them. Week of 5/13-17, mess of static, more Col. rain, soaked now we are. Was the snow up to the eyeball level Andy in Montreal? 5/18- WMPO on ET/TT/M 1:33 to way past 2, giving WYNR & honey lips the gears. KLIC-1230 2:07-2:20 on f/c-TT. 5/19- CHIE-1410 now AN, announcer says s/off MM 5/20 at 1am EDT. 5/20- 12:30 on 1230 WJOB on ET/M; 1:06-1:25 s/off KWLA on f/c-TT; 1:30-2 1510 surprise, KMOR easy 8-8 topping KGA all the way, s/off @ 2. Any ideas on this one? 1340 2:49-3 EST, announcer said this at 2:50, 8-5 level, 2 kc/s. selectivity, KSEF, KSEF on the air for the purpose of f/c; more TT. Said same at 2:55 & 3am, ID was smeared, no location given. 3:05-3:30 KUDL AN cinch, with KWK off; 1340 KICK 3:32-3:45 s/off f/c-TT; KVOD-730 4:13-4:30 ET/M. 5/21- WABH through CKOC f/c-TT 12:20-12:30 s/off; WBOX-1570 through CKIM/WGLE QRM 12:38-1:30 s/off 5/22- Unk TT 12:57 2 D&D ID; KSO s/off 2am SSR. 5/23- 12:30 WQVC ET/TT; 1440 WAJR ET/M XR trouble; 910 WPFB AN, nice musical program; WPTW-1570 2:20-2:30 ET/M; OCs 1550 1560. 5/26- 1:01-1:50, WCRL ET/TT/M f/c; 1580 WEYY 2:25-2:32 s/off, return RS 6:30am. 1600, Ralphie's pal TT 3-5, again on 5/26, all AM, in three hours, no IDs. TT 1590 3:30-4.

David Deutsch - 1011 Nelson Avenue - Bronx 53, New York

No report from these parts since March but I still don't have much to say. DX extremely slow. I see from the New York Times that KWK-1380 in St. Louis was ordered by the FCC to close 7/29 because of fraud in two treasure-hunt contests. Also, WQXR-1560 has protested to the FCC about ~~the~~ signal crowding by new stations on 1550 & 1570 (WEXT-1550, West Hartford, Conn. with 1,000w. D & WAPC-1570 Riverhead, N.Y. with 1,000w. D.) DX: 3/29- WRVA-1140 @ 4:20; WRXO-1430 @ 5:00 s/on. 4/15- WGH-1310 @ 2:36; KTH-1330 @ 3:07; WHIH-1400 @ 3:42. 4/21- WSUN-620 @ 4:51; WTOB-1380 @ 5:05; WEZE-1260 @ 5:08. 4/22- WADC-1350 @ 2:32. 4/27- No WRJS DX but thank-you letter out; WSPD-1370 @ 3:05. 5/12 WNAV-1430 @ 5:00; WRIV-1390 @ 6 s/on. V/cs from WATE WFAA WYOU WRVA WCFL WSUN (large colorful postcard) & WNOR (after two months). V/ls from ZFBI (another one after two months), WRAA (CE said WRAA "no longer goes on the air at 4:00 due to interference with another station). Since this most likely will be my last report before the fall & also my first year as an NRC member, I would like to say what a fine job all the Editors are doing in putting out DX NEWS & the f/c list, CX of frequencies, etc. Although I did not DX as much as I would have liked to in the last year, being a member of the NRC certainly "inspired" me to more DX than normal. 73s till October. Have a fine Convention in Denver. (Thanks, Dave - I hope to meet you in the fall! -ERC)

Ken Murphy - 60 Plymouth Road - Glenbrook, Connecticut

New loggings are very rare here now with only four or five in the last month. KLO-1430 WKIG-1580 WQFM-1270 WRSC-1390 & WNEB-1230 were the latest additions. Was real happy to add WNEB as I've been after them a long time. I added them on their DX & was real amazed at the poor signal, sounded more like 10w. than 1,000. Nice verie from them said mine was the only definite report with a probable from Bill Stone. Wonder where all the other N.E. DXers were? The latest info from WLTN-1400 is they plan to be on "on or before 7/15" so it would be wise to watch that frequency around 7/1. I'll be up in that vicinity around the first or second week of June. Am still trying to concentrate on the N.E. stations & have now added a very nice v/l from WMAS-1450. Checked through my delinquents recently & find about 83% which is very close to previous years. Wish I had time to write f/ups but do intend to get one out to KWB/DX. Hope all have good summer.



Dave Brown - 105 Waterford Street - Edinboro, Pennsylvania

The termination of school has finally made it possible for me to devote a little more time to DX. QRN has been very low for this time of year. DX to date includes: 4/9- WEMB-1420 @ 12:30am with f/c. 4/9- WCTT-680 on with Cincinnati/Philadelphia EB @ 11:30. 5/6- KOEL-950 f/c @ 1:30. WJCO-1510 f/c @ 1:45. KWNT-1580 f/c @ 1:50. 5/20- WDGY-1130 under WNEW @ 12:00. WHOT-1330 @ 12:10 for the first time I have heard them since they changed from 1570. 5/21- WBDS-1570 Danville, Pa. on with ETs. They are a new station & hope to be on the air soon. They were asking for phone calls, but because of my phone bill they had to settle for the post office. WVOP-970 f/c @ 12:30. WGSR-1570 f/c @ 2. WSAN-1470 @ 2:35. 5/23- WWML-1470 f/c @ 11:55pm. CKLM-1570 @ 12:05. WSWW-1590 f/c @ 12:25. CFGL-1310 @ 1:28. 5/24- WARD-1490 @ 11:05. 5/25- CMHQ-640 @ 11:01. WFRG-1600 @ 10:55. Verie out to WBDS, while WVOP & WGSR veries received. I have been having some trouble with my loop of late. It doesn't seem to want to tune in any frequency above 1000 kc/s. Does anyone know where I can obtain the plans for a new loop? That seems to be just about it for now, so best of DX to all. 73s.

John C. Dyckman - 318 Fairview Avenue - Canfield, Ohio

In this writing I shall pass on to those who like those far-off foreign stations a little help in getting one in Panama. This is station HOKO-760 on the dial. This station is known as the "Voice of the Isthmus." Two missions have been instrumental in getting this station on the air & now to quote from a bulletin I received the other day, "Since the missions assumed control, HOKO has grown from a basement studio location with a 500w. XR to its present modern installation with a 5,000w. XR, a 320' tower, an XR building on its own property & a more than doubling of its broadcast hours. Your gifts will be greatly appreciated for the needs of Station HOKO. We need approximately \$4,800 in gifts from new donors to cover our obligations. The gifts are to be sent to Station HOKO - Box 691 - Miami 47, Florida. I thought that since I had this info that it would be right to pass it on to the others in the Club. This cost me nothing so it should not you. 73s & good DXing for this station.

John Callaman - Box 9145 - Fort Worth, Texas

Nothing new to report to the Musings column aside from the new address change. I don't even have the hammarlund unpacked yet. I am now at KFJZ-1270 as night newsmen. Will be doing five minute newscasts on the hour for KFJZ, on the half hour for KFJZ-FM & the Texas State Network from 5:00-12 midnight. Sleep all day & DX all night, wow! Watch me go, contest-types, next year! All my correspondents who wondered why I haven't written recently, now you know. Congrats to Glen Kippel on the new job. KASK & KFJZ are both a long way from Tulia. Still no announcement of a date on that little secret I mentioned in an earlier letter, Ernie, but she has quit her Pampa school-teaching job & is looking for something in this area. The home is 37 miles from Fort Worth. 73.

Roy H. Millar - Box 91 - Marysville, Washington

Sorry I missed the last issue of Musings & IDXD columns, but for some reason the 4/27 DX NEWS didn't arrive until 5/15, so I wasn't "reminded" of deadline! Only new logging since my last report & probably my last from Bellevue location as all antennas are down & the DAK3 dismantled, was 4/20 when WFUR-1570 Grand Rapids was heard @ 5am s/on, but shortly buried in QRM. On the verie side of the picture, hard work & long hours of late spring now bearing results, i.e.: "Radio Moscow-548 (Vladivostok) & 629 (Khabarovsk) in for first Russian veries, & are specific as to frequency, but not location. "Radio Peking"-760 (Peking?), 940 (Hofei, per FBIS) 1000 (Kweiyang, per IDXD of 9/21/57) & 1040 (possibly Shanghai) all in & boosting my China totals nicely. All are specific as to frequency, but no locations given. Also in are Nancy-I-836 WRYT-1250 "Radio Vila Verde"-735 (Macau) & "Radio Sarawak"-730 (Kunhing, Sarawak). Latter two most interesting as "Radio Vila Verde" says a nes plant recently installed with 10,000w. & my report "first authentic confirmation of our broadcast"; hey, New Zealand, don't some of you have this baby? "Radio Sarawak" veries by what appears to be a mimeo of a hand-drawn QSL card; "takes great pleasure in confirming your reception of our station" but doesn't specify frequency. Nancy-I-836 is fourth TA veries & at 200kw. the most powerful. No other TAs out now except an old tentative or two from other seasons. Outstanding reports of this season still out include 2XM (tentative) Guadeloupe, WEMB-DX HOK HOU & several YV & HJs. Really rewrote my Asia & Europe DX records this season; minimal sunspot activity undoubtedly had a lot to do with this & next season should be even better, so! As to Foreign Contest, as of 5/31 219 points, with 31 veries from 17 countries, 5 continents. Real rewarding season. Don't believe any of these 31 were duplicates in any sense although I am counting Radio Americas & Radio Swan separate, which may be stretching the point a bit. 73.

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DX NEWS

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Skip Dabelstein - 12524 C Street - Omaha 44, Nebraska

Now as summer draws near, DX has gotten steadily worse. The DX heard during May is: WAVN-1220 8:28 s/off on 5/2. On 5/4 @ 6:40pm KIRX-1450 came way over semi-local KWBE in Beatrice, Neb. A report was sent to semi-local KCHE-1440 in Cherokee, Ia. on 5/5. On 5/7 @ 8:15pm KJCK-1420 Junction City, Kans. was heard when local KOOO went off 30 minutes too early (by accident?), as they did all week long. Also, KCHA-1580 in Charles City, Ia. s/off @ 8:29. On 5/25 the f/c-TT of KWEW-1480 in Hobbs, N.M. was heard @ 2:01. That's all for the entire month. About 15 f/ups have been sent. The v/s column has been a real help. I notice some of you members have gotten veries from stations that didn't verify for me. Who are thr v/s for: KNEA KGRT WGAZ WAOK WEZJ KWNO WDEF KMAE KWRT KDIO KTOP KRIW WGUS WRFC WERH WCHI WHHY WISK KFSA WGH KOAL KHBR KGPC KACT KSID KCHY KWRE KKin WHIS. Any info would be appreciated. Latest veries received here are KEWI KLEM KNWC KWWL WBUV KGLO CBL & WWHY. Veries now total 446. Larry Schwartz: The v/s for KTLW is Bob Greer, GM. Bill Stone, the v/s for KEWI is Bob Russell PD; WGEN is Frank Laughlin, CE, KBHM is Leland Ebert, CE, & KBHS is A.M. McGregor, P. Doug Murray- The v/s for KIFG is David Koob, CE. WTHM is Douglas Geisenhauer. Well, that's about it so 73s & swing loose and remember WMTL in Leitchfield, Ky. Keep-  
Writing Musings To Lefty.

Hank Wilkinson - 6620 Beeman Avenue - North Hollywood, California

Convention Time at Denver just around the corner. I wonder how many "old timers" will be there? It just occurred to me that I started DXing 32 years ago, in 1931, on the shores of the Chesapeake Bay in Maryland. I didn't know that other fellows had the same hobby until I purchased a copy of RADEX & read of DXers, their reports & veries, TA Logs & various DX organizations. I joined the NNRC first, then became so interested in foreign DX through the IDA (International DXers' Alliance) that it has occupied my full DX time ever since. Of all the foreign veries collected from 1933 to 1945 I have only a handful left due to a crate of DX material being lost by the Railway Express en route to California when we moved out here in 1945. This accounts for my small number of veries in the Supremacy Ratings." I count only the veries that I have collected since moving out here to California. Throughout the yet I have found the NRC & its DX NEWS is the finest publication of its kind for the BCB DXer. There is nothing to compare it to. For weekly up-to-date info on BCB DX the NRC has no equal & hasn't had any since the late 30s. Many loyal and dependable members have made the NRC what it is today. I want the NRC to remain internally & externally strong now & in the future. I sincerely hope the Convention is a huge success in Denver in '63 so that the NRC is bigger, better, & stronger in 1973. Recent veries are: Radio Peking-1040, JOPG-540 4VAB HOJ2 4VS (after two years) & 2CO-670 in Adbury, NSW, Australia. Still have unanswered reports out to ZEM1 TICA KHAI CB114 Radio St. Pierre-1375 Guadeloupe-640 LR3 Radio Pyyongyang"-625 YVLW YVQT HJES YVLT HCVE4 TISS & YVQR. A good summer to all.

Ron B. Schiller - Box 456 - Marmouth Beach, New Jersey

Verie total 1,126; among the newer ones: WAGL CKOT WIRC WOCB WAGC WSHP KFJB KRLD KAAV WXMT WGRP WIPM WRAI(?) WIVV WMSK KGVW CJLR KPNC CHAT KVSH XEWA XEDM KROM PJAS & PPs: WBUZ WBOS WHLO. KINT-1590 said mine first report from the E, heard 4/1 @ 2:40 testing with WAKR off. CE said tests once a month so maybe first MM? WOCB wanted for ten years, pulled through local WGBB @ 6:30 s/on. WENZ-1450 AN, WKWK-1400 AN & WKV-1490 AN on 4/5, new WSHB-1400 Raeford, N.C. ETing 1:30, no reply yet. 4/8, WAMO-360 SSS strong 6:45-7. WHBT-1600 another report atop WWRL @ 7; WCNB-1580 SSS 7:15. 4/9, WOTW-900 s/on 6, alas no answer either. WGRP-900 s/on 6:04; WAMW-1580 SSS 7:15. 4/10- WNOH-1550 heard many times s/on 5:57 in reverse. 4/21, WXMT-730 r/c; KAAV & KRLD AN copied KFJB-1230 r/c through the pile. 4/13, WHOT-1570 SSS to s/off, first time ever heard here. 4/14, WSHP-1480 s/on 5:02; WJCW-910 s/on 5:40; WLCY-1380 RS; WBLF-1330 s/on 6; WAGC-1560 RS Easter. 4/17- WCEC-810 RS through WGY 6:04 s/on. 4/25, CKOT-1510 RS 6am very strong. 5/2- WAGL-1560 RS through WQXR 5:30. 5/7- WXGI-950 through WPEH 6:30pm & 5/14- WESO-970 s/on 4:29:30 with WCHN. Resumed DXing in late January & added about 140 veries with 30 reports still out. Canada was as good as ever, 20 of 23 verified, being denied (so far) by only CKSO CKDM & CHWO. K stations were good too, only KATZ KRIG KXEX KPIK & KXEO are unanswered out of 27 Ks reported. But oh those Ws! Especially anxious for: WCEC WOTW WAMO WSBS WEMD WTAG WQMN WCKR WIRV WSHB WCLO & WBEY. Signers anyone? WRAI-1520 verie, a friendly letter in EE with a ham QSL from the station's secretary. WIVV-1370 made it nine-for-nine on Puerto Rico, seven this season. 5/15- Heard unn KWNT-1580 & WFUR-1570 SSS tonight- pretty late in season! 73.

Ralph M. Johans - 11 East Chippewa Street - Buffalo 3, New York

DX & the veries went out with a bang. All-out reply by CJCA, Radio 93, Birks Bldg., 104 St. at Jasper Ave., Edmonton, Alta, a v/1, v/q (with the Tiger), CM, Visitors' Guide & Edmonton booklet; sked is 24 hours seven days with 10/5kw. U-4, N directional. When main XR needs servicing, a 5kw. standby XR is then used; Cordon Skutle, CT, mentioned Steve Weedman & Keith Rich (two ex-CJCA announcers) are with WNBC NYC, possibly 2-6pm. All-out by KGA-1510, CBS, Box 1-1, Spokane, Wash., Val Strange, TD, v/q, v/1, two CMs, Program & Folder, the big CM is very good mapped; 24 hours with Sunday midnight to MM 6am PDT off for equipment maintenance, the N directional has to protect WLAC & so signal is strongly cut that way (& my way also.) Nice v/q by WUNS-1010 250w. Lewisburg Pa. for NRC TEST, G.M. Bailey, SM says Joe Pellitier has nothing to do with WUNS! He lives & works in Philadelphia. WITT opened 9/57, changed to WUNS 7/62 & moved to new building (near XR) S of town in 9/62. V/1, CM, by WGIL-1400 with 25th Anniversary Seal, 60 S. Kellogg St., Galesburg, Ill. (5/27 heard f/c-TT 3:45-3:55 EST), XR is remote control & sked k,000/250 U-1 weekly 4:55-midnight, Sunday 6:55-11pm CDT, I presume. V/1, CM, KWRF-860 250w. (r/c-TT second Thursday) Paul Demaree CE says 7am CST all year s/on on Sundays, weekdays June, sked 5am-7:15pm CST. V/1 (odd) CM, folder, WSLI-930 Capitol Bg. Co., Box 8187, Battlefield Station, Jackson, Miss., sked 5:10am- (Sunday 6:15) 11:30pm CST. V/1, CM, WLWN-1560, Subsidiary of Second Thursday Corp., 503 James Robertson Parkway, Nashville (ET 4/22 heard) RS is 6am-SSS, a three-tower directional protecting WQXR/WDXR. V/1, CM, WJCO-1510, Box 380, Jackson, Mich. r/c-TT "Whhee" (warbling TT) CE says Detroit monitor requests this, is first Monday 1:30am EST, June sked 6am-8:15pm with directional pattern. WBUZ-1570, 13 E. Main, Fredonia, N.Y. Dunkirk-Fredonia Bg. Inc., r/c with Cambridge, Mass. first MM @ 12 midnight, July/August off 9pm EDT. All summer RS s/on 6am EDT, "Breakfast with Buzz" (Ken Gregory, host). KG is the CE's radio name. V/1-CM WBEF-1310 Inquirer Bldg., Bedford, Pa., box 572, Bill Smith CE said r/c now 5:30-5:45am EDT (5/27, fourth MM heard) & in fall may move time due to QRM. V/1 & program WKFD-370 South County Bg. Co., 19 Updike St., N. Kingstown, R.I., Fred Higham Jr. ACE is 14 years & got third class licence (5/26 heard s/on 5:57 EDT) said Pa is mercenary (he won't answer). June-July sked 6-3:30, SM 8am. Have fun. 73

Roy Barstow - 16 Harding Road - Walpole, Massachusetts

Hardly any DX to speak of lately, partly because I am working days now. Static rolling in now. 4/16- CKVL-850 & another station under WHDH @ 11:05pm, most likely WKIX. 4/22 - CFOR-1570 burying CKLM @ 10:30pm. 5/18- CJOC-1220 in solid with TT @ 1:50am, no IDS heard. Back to 4/10- WCIN-1480 TT ID @ 2am for a new one. 4/11- WEND-1580 ET/M 2am, another new one. The latter two are the only new ones heard in the past three months. WMBX-1510 as you know is AN, but are off MMs. My original report went to KOLD-1425 for reception, but now know from Hank Tyndall it was CFSE, an AFRS in Quebec. I sent another report to them on another logging I had taken for 1/5/63 reception. It is not as detailed but hope I get results. I wonder if they are still on. If they are, they're on 1450, their assigned frequency & that means no more chances on a logging. Other than that nothing else new. A v/c from KHOK. Others are KWLA v/1 WAGC v/1 WNYC WSWW KAST (my first Oregon, now for Alaska!) KEWI KHOG KWBY & KXEX, a mimeo letter. Four more will make the 500 mark. Have been trying TV DX again this year but nothing spectacular. Farthest catch 500 miles distance, so until next time, 73.

Joe Fela - 102 Hawthorne Avenue - Newark 12, New Jersey

Veries since last report are v/1s from WQTV WEMB WNJH (1kw. by now) KWRF KUTT WSUB. V/fs from KXEX-TEST & KEWI (for 7/29/62 report). QSL cards from WUNS-1010-TEST, WJBK WPUV & WLBR. The more recent DX goes like this: 4/25- WIOD-610 @ 2:33am for call change; 2:38 KRZY-1580 r/c-M. 4/30- 1:58am s/off KEYS-1440, 2:00 WHOT-1330 AN; 2:46 WQTV-1570 TT. 5/6- 12:22am, CMBC-690 with "Radio Free Dixie" program; 1:01 s/off KFJZ-1270; 1:18 WOOW-1340 TT; 2:05 s/off KPRC-950. 5/7- 12:20am, WOWY-1590 f/c-TT; 12:29 WBGR-1370 on PoP; 1:01 s/off KWWL-1330; 1:33 WAPE-690 ET; 1:50 KWRF-860 r/c-TT. 5/20- 1:54am, CHUB-1570 for Province #10 heard (CKLM was off); 2:10 KGA-1510 with EB from Hawaii; 2:13 KWYO-1410 r/c-TT asking for reports; 2:49 KXEO-1340 r/c-TT; 3:00 WNJH-1580 ET/M with 1kw. 5/21- 12:47am, WBDS-1570 on ET/M & badly off frequency; WTTC-1550 f/c-TT @ 1:12. 5/24- 12:10am, KUTT-1550 r/c-TT. 5/27- WJTN-1240 @ 12:02am s/off. 6/4- WNAV-1430 AN @ 3:28am. I haven't been doing too much listening recently due to the poor CX & noise & I'll probably remain close to inactive through the summer. 73s all. AS THEY SAY IN MOUNT AIRY, N.C., "WSYD." "WE'LL SEE YOU IN DENVER." DON'T FORGET THE BIG NRC CONVENTION IS COMING UP VERY SOON - AUGUST 30-31; SEPTEMBER 1-2. BE THERE!



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D X N E W S

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Ernest J. Wesolowski - 1416 Pasadena Avenue - Omaha 7, Nebraska

Thanks to Skip D. because I almost missed the deadline this month. Not one new station was logged since last report. I sent out 16 f/ups & here is what came back: WLIJ CKY KHOZ WAGC WCVS & WSFC. All of these GMA said my first report was misplaced! This goes to show that many of the stations do verify, but when they get our reports, they're laid aside & are sometimes lost. Other of the holdout f/ups are to WRVK KRLA VOA-1040 WGUS WDMG KTOP WGH WERH WLIQ & KABQ. So far since 1/1, 150 reports were sent. Some other veries are from KQYX XEMO-q KBOA KFGQ & KXEX-TEST. Still nothing in from KWBY-TEST! Tried this AM for the DX from KPOF but heard nothing but static & KALL. Yesterday, I just completed the info gathered by me on the f/c list. Have 98 checks. Remember to send in a list soon to Larry Godwin in Boulder, Col. Any check you hear may help others! Will be attending the '63 Convention in DENVER, & will expect to be seeing YIU! Will be away in Europe 7/15 for two weeks. The Contest will end on 7/15, & all lists of veries must be in by 8/15. I now have 384/61; Dabelstein 300/61; Johnson 361/22; Wheeler 237/24; Fela 297/25; Hartman 255/25; Shirley 0/25; Kruse 282/0; Oved 125/0; Krejny 431/61; Karchevski 282/24; Bennett 74/0; Barstow 367/24. Total logged is 1,078. Total verified is 631. Have a nice vacation. Remember always: Keep Alert; Nobody Hurt." 73s.

Dan Miller - 1121 Parkway Avenue - Covington, Kentucky

Things here at WPE4DAG have been hopping despite the lack of Muses. The following article was copied verbatim from the 6/6/63 issue of Cash Box Magazine: "FCC Closes KWK in St. Louis. The FCC last week ordered the revocation of the license of KWK in St. Louis for mis-conduct. The station was given until 7/29/63 to close. The FCC charged the station with misconduct in the operation of treasure hunts. Station execs placed the prizes in their hiding places on the last day of the hunts, which according to the FCC was fraudulent. Owners of the station said the punishment was too severe, & that a fine would have been sufficient. Chairman Newton Minow concurred in the revocation of the license." On the semi-local scene, WIGO-810 in Indianapolis is now on RS, a regular S-5 here. Report sent 5/16, verie back 5/29, a v/1. QTH: 143 N. Delaware St., Indianapolis 4. V/s Stokes Gresham Jr. VP. DX by date: 5/27- WTRC-1340 f/c-TT; WJOL-1340 RS, CKOY-1310 RS. 5/28- UnID SS on 830 kc/s. @9pm, ID sounded like "Radio Cardena" but also mentioned Havana. Who? A note to SCers. WLW has started ussing surveys. If you want one, please drop me a line with an SAS. I also have plenty of WCPO which are now extinct, plus WSAI & WING. Bouquets to C.M. Stanbury for his fascinating article in the May '63 issue of Electronics Illustrated entitled "The Strange Case of Radio WUMS.". All read this article. The new Whites Log has been received but there are many mistakes as usual. VJ is twice as accurate. Other veries are KTOE WJEH XELO ZFBL WHUN with CM. I have added a second tape recorder, another RT-200 by Monarch, same as the first. I am now planning a complete audio programming panel which will include mixer, VU meter, patch panel, etc. for easier compiling of tapes. This ends the hot air from the bluegrass state. Totals 315/155. 73.

David Johnson - 3620 Ivy Street - Denver 7, Colorado

Greetings from Denver's newest member. I started DXing a little over a year ago with a Knight-Ranger & have since graduated to a Hallcrafters SX-24. I have 184 logged with 103 verified. My best catches are KICY & 2BL with 2BL verified. DX has been very light due to finals, but here goes: 5/27- KYNO-1300 @ 3:23, KYVA-1230 4:05 "on AN in honor of graduating seniors of the Gallup area high schools." 5/30- Heard the s/on of a KCCC-1510 @ 6:59, called themselves the Christian Voice of Kansas. Where in Kansas are they? (Independence, ex-KANS -ERC). 6/3- F/cs KBTA-1340 @ 2:46, KFGQ-1260 organ mx 2:50, KAWT-1450 @ 3:09, KBUN-1450 @ 3:15, KAAA-1230 @ 3:19, At 3:22 on 640 & modulating over to 650, a Conelrad Test. Where do you write for this one? Veries since 5/10: KNIT-1200 KWFT-620 KSAL-1150 KEYJ-1400, KEEE-1260, KDLK-1230 KYVA-1230 WJAG-780 KAOK-1400 WRVA-1140 KGA-1510 KEAN-1240 XEMO-860 KSET-1340. I hope you can all make it to the "Queen City of the West" so that I can meet all of you great DXers. Thanks to SCALD for the nice card. (Welcome to NRC, Dave, and we hope to hear more! -ERC)

Maurice W. Nittler - 1755 South Vallejo Street - Denver 23, Colorado

QGVA-1240 WPOW-1330 WCGR-1550 WOR-710 WCBS-880 WFLR-1570 WGR-550 WHAM-1180 are some of my latest daytime catches. Of course they were heard in N.Y. Only Denver DX was early May when 1ZD-800 was logged & reported. Am visiting this evening with Editor Cooper & getting an idea of how he manages to get out all the work issue after issue. Will return to Denver in a few days. Sorry I wasn't able to visit more DXers but time wouldn't permit. See you all in Denver in '63.

Ed Satterthwaite Jr. - 69 Homestead Drive - Doylestown, Pennsylvania

DX continues to be nil here, partly because of poor CX & partly due to lack of time. The new WKOK-1070, Sunbury, Pa. is heard here regularly; they seem to use a great deal of CBS network programming. I have recently purchased & am now converting a surplus R-23/ARC 5 Command receiver. This is the Navy version of the Army's famous BC-453. It is a compact six tube superhet that covers 190-550 kc/s. with a very sharp IF at 85 kc/s. & can easily be coupled into the 455 kc/s. IF of a regular receiver to provide greatly increased selectivity. It is available at many surplus outlets for about \$15. Another receiver in the Command series of interest is the R-24/ARC-5 (Army BC-946) which covers 520-1500 kc/s. with a 239 kc/s. IF. This receiver will probably outperform any of the \$60-70 commercial communications receivers on the BCB & is currently selling for about \$25. Conversion of either set should run to about \$15, or \$10 with careful shopping. The Navy (ARC-5) versions of these receivers are slightly more desirable for conversion, since they have loop input provision & a better AVC system. If there is anyone interested in these receivers who hesitates to tackle the conversion on his own, the June 1963 issue of Popular Electronics contains rather detailed & complete instructions for one approach to this. 73.

Ben Dangerfield 3rd - 202 Governor's Drive - Sproul Estates - Chester P.O., Pa.

I'm doing some domestic DX, but still getting in returns from the season just ending. My biggest thrill for this year was the receipt of a v/c from Baghdad, Iraq, on 764 kc/s. This was for a 1/26 report which I feared had gone astray during the overthrow of the Iraq government that occurred at about the time my letter was arriving. That was country #72, & first from Asia. Also in the select category was a v/1 I received from CFSE -Senneterre, Que. the drifting 50w. RCAF station I found on 1427 kc/s. last November. I had sent them a belated report following info sent me by Hank Tyndall in April. Only recent DX of the top drawer variety came on Sunday night, 6/2, when the Vatican stations on 1529 & (more sensationally) 782 kc/s. were heard AN @ 9pm with bulletins on the Pope's condition. Pretty sketchy signals, of course, but recognizable. I wonder if other NRCers noted these rare stations? Some of the stations being heard around here are, or maybe I should say were, these. 5/13- KKJO-1550 behind DBE @ 10pm. 5/14- WSHN-1550, @ 7:50pm. 5/19- WBDS-1570, Danville, Pa. testing @ 12:25am. 5/20- KGA-1510 clear @ 3:10am, & later, WKBK-1220 s/off @ 7pm. 5/23- CKPC-1380, atop @ 10:30pm. 5/27 - WHOT-1330 loud @ 3am, & all alone. 5/30- WKOK-1070 noted S-9 @ 1pm with Phillies BB. 5/31- WWIL-1580 test @ 1:30am. 6/3- CKLY atop 910 @ 3:19am, after WFNC-940 noted strong @ 2:55. Recent veries, in addition to those mentioned above: Belgrade-633 v/c; KXEX-1550 (v/1 re TEST on 2/18) KTOE-1420 v/1, Sevilla-647 (v/1 & v/c) & KQV-1410 v/c. The latter is the first station I tried to verify from my home state, so you can see I am giving the foreign DX a rest. How many remember when KQV, with 500w., shared time evenings with WSMK, Dayton, on 1380 kc/s? And shared XRs with WJAS?

Bernie Duffy - 77 Livermore Avenue - Staten Island 2, New York

Seven of us N.Y.-N.J. Metropolitan area NRCers had an enjoyable gabfest with H.E. Smith, CE of WPOW-1330 N.Y. 17 N.Y. (and Staten Island 12) at my home, 6/6. He fully appreciates our hobby, & has knowledge of it since he built his own sets as a youth in Arkansas. Whilst a student at Brown University, Siloam Springs, Ark. years ago, he began his career as an engineer & after that he was the original CE at WAVL-910 Apollo, Pa. for 13 years, till three years ago when he came to our local. He offered to present a DX TEST for us next fall, & said he could get WFRB-560 Frostburg, Md. (owned by a friend of his) to do the same - anyone interested? My latest additions to the Heard Log are: KWLA Many, La., KCAT Pine Bluff, Ark., oth 1530, WHOT-1330 Campbell, O. & WKEN -1600 Dover, Del. making a total of 3.030.

Charles Reh - Box 382 - Leamington, Ontario

Note new QTH. DX has really fallen off during the last month, but I did manage to get a few new ones: 5/11- WAAP-1350 r/c 1:05am; KLEE-1480 f/c 1:20. 5/12- WVJS-1420 11:56 pm s/off. 5/13- WDOB-1370 ET 1:52am; WNAV-1430 2:00. 5/14- WWHG-1320 7:01pm; WKBZ-850 9:15. 5/18- WBDS-1570 ET 1:15; WGSB-1480 1:45am. 5/19- KELO-1320 1:05am. 5/20- WJPD-1240 12:02am s/off; WKBH-1410 12:30s/off; WYMB-1410 f/c 12:55; KGEM-1140 2:01 s/off. 5/25- KEVE-1440 lam s/off; WSET-960 1:05 s/off. 5/26- WUFO-1080 7:02pm. 5/29- WSHP-1480 4:01am s/on; CJEM-570 9:05pm. 6/3- WKYW-900 8:16pm s/off. Here's some info on Windward Islands BCB stations (from Pop'tronics). St. Georges, Grenada has a 500w. outlet on 540. There are also 25w. stations on 1530 1570 & 1580. They are all 24-hour stations. Does anyone have plans for building a loop? I'd appreciate any help. Until next month, best DX & 73s to all.

June 15, 1963

D X N E W S

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John C. Johnson - 625 Park Street - Sheridan, Wyoming

Hello from Wyoming's only all-American city. Well, I am now out of high school. 5/21 was graduation night. Now to DX. Mostly f/ups. Have over 100 to send out. DX since last issue: 4/22- F/ups went to KTWO-1470, KOWB-1290, KOTA-1390 & KPOW-1260. 4/30- KIXI-910 @ 3-3:15am with QRM from KISN until KISN s/off @ 3am. 5/24- F/up went to KDWB-630. 5/27- F/up to KFDA-1440, conducting r/c; KXRA-1490 r/c @ 1:48-1:55am; unwanted KFIV-1360 f/c @ 2am. 6/2- F/up went to KNOX-1310; KODY-1240 r/c @ 1:30-1:45am; KDIM-1340, r/c @ 1:45-1:55. 6/3- F/ups went to KCJB-910 & KHWI-1440. 6/4- KPEM-740 r/c @ 2-2:15; F/up #2 to KIMN-950; KXGO-790 r/c @ 3:15-3:30am. 6/5- KGHL-790 r/c @ 2:05-2:20am; KBBS-1450 r/c @ 2:35-2:50. 6/6- Sent PP to KOMA-1520. 6/7- KPOF-910 NRC DX KXRX-1500 @ 5:55-6:05am; KEEN-1370 @ 6:14-6:25am. F/ups went to KYA-1260 & KUDI-1450. Recent v/ls- KABL KTLQ KVSH KTWO KPOW KOTA KTHS (ex-KTCN) KIXI KRLA (ex-KXLA) KDWB (enclosed survey with translation of "Sukiyaki") KXRA & KBBS. V/c, KNOX & NRC Convention cards from KGNC KFDA & KLAQ. That's it for now. Totals at 515/330. KENI-550 mobile unit was here in Sheridan 5/23. 73 & good DX.

Norman L. Maguire - 1420 Columbia Drive NE - Albuquerque, New Mexico

Veries received since last report include: KRDS WYOU KNBR KWAY CKLM CKLG KLEF 4VEF YSAX KXEX XELG WBVL & KBUY. These veries enabled me to go well past the 2,800 verified mark but doubt if I can reach 2,900 veries this season. Reports have gone to: 4/8- KWAY-1570 test; KTRG-990 4:20am RS; CKLM-1570 4:45 RS. 4/22- YSAX-800 6am RS; XELG-680 9pm RS. 5/20- WBVL-950 4:30 f/c. 5/25- KBUY-1010 6:45pm RS; KRRR-1340 7:30pm RS; KPOS-?-1370 7:50pm RS; KLOV-1570 8:45pm RS; KFIF-1550 9:15pm RS. 5/26- KFIF-1550 9:45am RS; KDAB-1550 10:15am RS. 5/27- KWNS-1290 3am ET. The 5/25-26 DXing was up at the trailer, the first DXing there in a couple years & first with the HQ-180. RX was sure hot, but statif level was extremely high, so no luck on foreign DX on this session. Received the CBCBA Award from the Canadian DX Club with two seals which is a very beautiful certificate & one well worth trying for.

Andy Rugg - 16 Lakebreeze Avenue - Pointe Claire, Quebec

CHRS is the 1090 Arab that everyone heard a few months ago - I should have checked this at Christmas but didn't get around to it until May. 5/20- Unn WLSH-1410 ET 12:17am; WVMT-620 3:12pm. 5/21- CBT-540 9:34pm. 5/24- CBY-990 9:27pm. 5/27- Tuning across 1320 @ 12:05am I heard somebody mention the familiar Dunker Bldg. on King St. W. - I quickly tuned back & logged CKKW. They never verified my report from Waterloo but answered one from here in two days; unn WDCR-1340 ET 12:11 am, unn CJCH-920 now AN; CJNB-1460 s/off 1:06; WAIR-1340 ET with gospel mx 1:18; copied AN Cubans on 780/880/890 & wrote Radio Havana. Finally copied WBRW-1510 6:57pm. 5/30- Rarely heard WCEB-1330 giving WEVD trouble 11:27pm. 6/1- Much-wanted WVOX-1460 ET 1:06am, unn WWIL-1580 ET 1:28. Veries: KWLA-1530 WKRG-710 CBT-540 CKKW-1320 CJCS-1240 WGHN-1370-PP WCVS-1450.73

Stan Morse - Route 3 - Bradford, Massachusetts

I am planning to heard N & help Andy Rugg & the FLQ with either a trip north side of St. Lawrence or Val D'Or area. WMEX is always a "Peach for the Beach" - I never go to the beach so I ignore WMEX. Verie from KUDL - address is KUDL, Radio, Lemexa, Kansas, per verie. WPOR back AN again & WGAN noted on MM.

David Oved - 560 Grover Cleveland Highway - Buffalo 26, New York

DN is so-so & new totals are 291/199. V/ls: WLEA-1480 WWJC/WHLD-1270, v/c WDXR-1560, WNOR-1230 in five months. DX: 5/12- WLEA-1480, Hornell, N.Y. @ 5-5:07pm with NX. 5/18- WBDS-1570 Danville, Pa. @ 1:39-1:50am on their first time on the air ETing. 5/19- WDXR-1560 Paducah @ 2:42-3:01am s/off. 5/24- WHLD-1270 Niagara Falls @ 5:08-5:24pm with sports & mx. WHEN-620 Syracuse @ 5:25-5:36pm with mx & NX. 5/26- WCOY-1580 Columbia, Pa. @ 1:40-1:52am with ET. WBAY-1360 Green Bay, Wis. @ 3:38-3:51am on AN for charity. 6/1- WVKO-1580 Columbus, O. @ 1:19-1:29am with ET. Also logged WJVA-1580 r/c on second Saturday per list. Guess everyone is making Denver plans 'cept me - no bread. Oh well, 73s & BUFFALO '64 from Buffalo 26.

Bill Hutchinson - 2412 Ellis Road - Baltimore 34, Maryland

Summertime DX at a low ebb here due to heat & static. New WCTR-1530, Chestertown, Md. now on RS, as is WISZ-1590, Glen Burnie, Md. Address for WISZ is 159 Eighth Ave. N.W., Glen Burnie, according to Baltimore NRCer Charles Spellman. New WVOB-1520, Belair, Md. although expected on RS before now has not been heard here, & is apparently not on yet. I finally sent a report out to ZNS-1540 after listening to them for three years! Local WCEM-680 has been sold to Metromedia, Inc. & I wonder if this will mean a change in call letters? WIEER-1570 noted at 5pm Sundays after early Sunday s/off of WAQE. It looks like I will be attending the NARC gathering near Asbury Park on 6/22 & if any NRCers are planning on being there, I will enjoy meeting with them. 73.

Randall J. Seaver - 2119 30 Street - San Diego 4, California

Greetings from the land of tuna boats, JFK visits, & of course, the NOISE. I've been up every MM since late March with the exception of 4/29, & the last three or four have been pretty disgusting. Anyway, here we go in EST: 4/22- KFYO-790 on top of the pile @ 6:51am, KTFQ-1250 s/on @ 6:58, KMOP-1330 s/on @ 6:59, KRE-1400 ETing @ 7, Had a s/on @ 8:03 on 920, but lost in Surfin' USA, from needed KQEO-920. KSVQ-980 s/on @ 7:15. Had a s/on on 1380 running third behind KSRV & rocker @ 7:28, & an SSB on 1430 @ 7:30, KGFL. KAWT-1450 @ 7:37, KPHO-910 finally @ 7:42, KSEI-930 s/on @ 7:57, KIUP-930 @ 7:59, KLYD-1350 s/on @ 8, KEAP-980 @ 8:15. At 8:03pm KGOL on their first day. On 4/27, only KSOP-1370 SSB s/on @ 7. 5/6, my first PDST DX, & my best so far; KBYE-890 s/on @ 6. An SSB on 1350 lost @ 6:02, KGH-790 @ 6:06, KPAT-1400 on RS @ 6:28 with cl mx. KNIN-990 @ 6:45, KONI-1480 again @ 6:58 s/on, KGEN-1370 on RS @ 7:11. 5/13- KXIT with a TT on 1410, logged three IDs, verie back in ten days. Heard at 6:23; a 6:30 s/on on 1330 was KVKM, an ever-so-weak s/on @ 6:50 on 550 sounded like KHER, but impossible. Another call I'm not sure of, sounded like KPFA-1480 but with CST @ 6:55, KTAE-1260 s/on @ 6:57, KSEW-1380 s/on @ 7, KSAN-1450 @ 7, KCOK-1270 @ 7:04. On 5/19, stayed at Randy Lee's, heard KRZY ETing on 1580 @ 4:01, KROE-930 TTing through KHJ @ 2:10; KCUB-1290 holding its own with KWEN @ 3. 5/20- KHEM-1270 s/on @ 6:53. 5/27- A goodie, KCLW-900 250w. s/on @ 6:32, KLMR-920 s/on @ 6:41. 6/3- A TT on 1280, gave several IDs, but too weak at 6:00-6:16. Heard an SSB on 1260, s/on in SS @ 6:30; KVOY-1400 @ 6:34, KRBC-1470 s/on @ 6:42 with two SSBs. Five of us San Diego members & Bob Coomler & Frank Williams had a SCALD meeting at Randy Lee's 6/1, very nice seeing you guys again. Totals here are 295 heard from only 37 states, nine veries. New veries are KEVI finally, KXIT KVKM KFSD-600 via Randy Lee, XELNY, a 20w. illegal station here with a QSL. SCers write me, I have 510 different, many for trading. 73s.

Randall Lee - 4685 Biona Drive - San Diego 16, California

Greetings from Southern California. Eighteen days of light rain & static, consecutive. Help. I thought this was summer! Due to the fact of poor CX & much noise, DX has been limited. DXed MM 6/3 ' heard only one station, KRCO-690 Prineville, Ore. on for an ET at 5:00. Have them veried from three seasons ago. Recently added a Hallicrafters S-77A to the RX collection. It needed a little work. The price I was quoted on the repair was too much so I forced myself to work a little & fixed it myself (re-strung the dial cord & alligned it.) With all the receivers I now have, you'd think I'd be able to hear some better DX this summer. Two years ago was the best DX for me. Added about 100 veries one winter. I'll never do that again. SCALD had a meeting at my "apartment" last Saturday. Those present: Randy Seaver, Jim Critchett, Tom Colthurst, Larry Schwartz (local boys) Frank Williams, & Bob Coomler from LA. Had a policy meeting (haha). Did a little survey collecting & trading. Now the survey total is up to 320, with a few duplicates for those who write. Pres. Kennedy was in town this Thursday. He landed at the local airport & made his way from there to state college by way of El Cajon Blvd. I was fortunate enough to get a photog assignment that day & was able to ride in a camera truck right in front of the president's car. All work should be that hard to take, hi. Veries: KGLM KGOL KBIG (Avalon, frequent call changes). That's about it for now. How about the Convention in San Diego in '65? Any comments, you guys? Have a good summer. 73s.

Tom Colthurst - 2330 F Street - San Diego 2, California

No MM DX since 4/29 because of school. Nine heard that date, including WLIK-1270 5:05 am EST & WJNC-1430 5:05 s/on. Brand new KKOK-1410 (Double K - OK) Lompoc, Cal. on 5/31 & ever since, regular daytimer. Not as strong as KNEZ-960 but with less interference (KNEZ mixed with KAVR). KSON's ditched their PM cl mx & are now semi-rock. Veries: KWEI KVEL KQVR KGGF KSKY Radio Americas, KGOL-740 (Radio Avalon) WFBM KGFL LZD VOA-1178 KTFO (used SAS) KILT KEVI KGML (Avalon XR under different call) KALB KRRV KOSI KGH- WPAP-f/up KTAE KXEX KLCN (hi LDS) & WLIK. Thanks to Frank Williams & Bob Coomler for the fine time up in Culver City (A & W, hi), on 4/27, & thanks to Randy Lee for inviting us all over 6/1, seven NRCers in attendance. Sorry we couldn't meet you, Ove Nelson. More DX by next time, I hope. 73s and great DX.

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

Thanks to Dave Gleason for my HJED-820 v/1! Only DX: 5/20- R/cs of KWLA-1530 & WDIC-1430, latter tough due to ANs WNAV/CKFH. 5/21- Unn WKIG-1580 f/c-M. 5/22- Unn WCED-1420 AN, ER, under WHK. 5/27- Noted WCTR-1530 behind WMBT/WQVA at SSS, not reported. 5/30- WBDS-1570 ET/m off about a half-kilocycles & causing a howl with AN CKLA-1570.73

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DX NEWS

CHANGES IN STATION DATA, con'd from P. 2 - FACILITIES, con'd.

- 5,000 U-3, and move XR SW.
- W C U E Cayahoga Falls, Ohio, 1,000/500 U-2. Changes in nighttime pattern.
- 1230 W C B T Roanoke Rapids, North Carolina. Move XR SE.
- 1240 K S O N San Diego, California. Move XR NW.
- W D U N Gainesville, Georgia, to 1,000/250 U-1, from 1,000/250 U-5, same chanl.
- 1250 K H O T Madera, California to 500 D-1, from 500 D-3, new antenna.
- 1280 W T C N Minneapolis, Minnesota, to 5,000 U-2 from 5,000/1,000 U-1, move XR SW.
- W. Q. I. K Jacksonville, Florida. Cancel antenna change.
- 1310 K F K A Greeley, Colorado, to 5,000/1,000 U-2, from 1,000 U-2, no change nights.
- 1390 W P L M Plymouth, Massachusetts. Changes in nighttime pattern.
- 1430 W B R B Mount Clemens, Michigan, to 500 U-4, from 500 D-3; move XR NE.
- 1450 W K E I Kewanee, Illinois, to 500 U-1, from 100 U-1, same channel. (This is the way Seabrooke shows it - they probably mean 500/250 U-1 -ERC)
- 1540 W - - - To Richmond, Virginia, from Hopewell, Va. 10,000 D-3.
- 1560 W B Y S Canton, Illinois, to 10,000 D-3, from 250 D-1, same channel.
- 1580 W N J H Hammonton, New Jersey, to 1,000 D-1, from 250 D-1, same channel.
- K L O U Lake Charles, Louisiana, to 1,000 U-2, from 1,000 U-3, no change nights.

PERMITS FOR 1,000/250 U-1:

- 1230- KHDN, WBPZ. 1240- WEBBQ, KPRB. 1340- WGWC, WFEB. 1400- WKPT, WKWK.
- 1450- WCON, KWBE, KLWW.

Christopher Manthey - 21307 Maplewood Avenue - Cleveland 16, Ohio

I have been doing a little DXing here recently, so here are the results: 3/6- WSAN-470 on top for once, RS 4:01am (sent report but no answer yet), WNOR-1230 AN 4:30am (I had heard them long before, but for some reason never put them in my logbook!) WRFC-960 RS 5:25am, WHEE-1370, 5:30am s/on, SSB. Then, we have a little break. 4/8- WMAN-1400, 8:05am. 4/9- WPAT-930, AN 3:29am; WCNR-930, ET 3:30; WPRO-630, AN 4:49. 4/20- CJBR-900 in FF, s/off 11:57pm. They announced s/on as 6am (I assume they are on EST). 4/21- Radio Aeropuerto-910, RS 12:04am. Does anyone know the power? 5/30- A mystery: WBBS-1570, First National Bank Building, Danville, on telephone call ETs 1:18am. I believe the number was 821-1570. Does anyone know Danville where, or the power? (New, WBDS-1570, Danville, Pa. -ERC) I can't find it listed anywhere. 6/1- WVKO-1580 12:32 am ET; WSHN-1550 1:17am s/on, 1:30 s/off r/c-TT. They announced s/on at 5:56am. 6/3- CJNR-730, 10:31pm s/off. 6/4- WFEA-1370, 11:21pm. There has been a flood of veries (for me, anyway) since last report: v/f: WTVN-610 plus CM, KFRO-1370-DX; v/l- WMAN-1400 WPAT-930 (with program sked). v/d- WNOR-1230 WPRO-630. v/q- WPFB-910, WLW-700, plus CM. Totals now stand at 414/93. Now to take care of some things that I've had lying around for months but keep forgetting: 1. XR of WBNO-1520, Bryan, O. is in Montpelier, O. about eight miles NNW of Bryan, & they are owned by the Williams County BCing System. 2/ VOA XR sked Mar.3-Apr.4 lists VOA-1040 as in Sugar Loaf, Fla., 50kw., with designation as Sugar Loaf. VOA-1180 is 50kw. with designation of Marathon. However, unlike all the other XRs, no transmission sked is listed for these two. 3/ On 2/20/63 the FCC designated for hearing in a consolidation/proceeding the applications of Thomas B. Friedman tr/as Calhio BCers, Salen BCing Co., & Tele-Soncis, Inc. for CPs to establish BCB stations operating days at Seven Hills, O.; Salem O. & Parma, O. respectively. The hearing at the FCC will be held 6/24/63. They are to be DA. It will be determined if there would be objectionable QRM to: Calhio: WMBS-590 WTAC-600 WTVN-610 WFRM-600. Salem: WFRM-600 WMBS-590 WTVN-610. Tele-Soncis: WFRM-600 WTVN-610 WTAC-600. Notice signed by Robert B. Krupansky, P., Tele-Soncis, Inc. Whatever happened to the CP freeze of last year? Also, WCUE-1150 is now fulltime, NSP probably.

Dallas John - 337 South Stewart - Lombard, Illinois

I have no DX to report, except not hearing KPOF's DX. There were thunderstorms & what sounded like a N.C. station on 910. I now have 614 veries, having added the following: KXEX-TEST KLAC KOLE KLFF KLIR WVLN KIUP WHOA KVI KOKA WFRO WBBY KRSL CKEW WCYB. I have been too busy with graduation to do much DX, or even send out f/ups. Anyone have a v/e for KAHU-940? John Swanson & I met in Chicago a few weeks ago & visited WAAF & WIND. WAAF is certainly a weird station! I have my doubts about their verifying but they would do it if we went down again. Had a time getting into WIND (hi, Ralph) but made it. Hold it, I just got a verie today from YSS-655 for my 18th country. That's about it - hope to see everybody in Denver. 73.

NEXT ISSUE WILL BE OUT UNDER THE DATE OF JULY 20. MUSINGS DEADLINE, TUESDAY, 7/16.



" DX DOWN THE DIAL"

June.15,1963.

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

FREQ.	CALL.	REMARKS.
550	WKTR	Pawtucket, R.I.- S/on 05:30-(R.M.Johanns- N.Y.
790	WEAN	Providence. R.I.- 04:30 S/off 01:00.(R.Johanns.
850	WJW	Cleveland. O.- S/on 07:00 Sun- Off 12 M.- R.Johanns.
860	KWRF	Warren, Ark.- S/on 8 year around.- Wk Dys. June- 6-7:30
910	KISN	Portland, Ore.- S/off 03:00. J.Johnson-(Wyo.
920	WJAR	Providence, R.I.- S/on 5:30- R.Johanns.- N.Y.
930	KROE	Sheridan, Wyo.- R/C is 2nd SAT.-02:05-S/On MON- Sat. 07:00- SUN 09:00- Off 9 p.m. Ev.& J.Johnson- Ill-Wyo.
930	CJCA	Edmondton. Alta.- 24 hrs 7 Days.- 10 Kws D 5 Kws N(R.M.J.
930	WSLI	Jackson Miss S/on Wk Dys 06:00 Sun 7:15- 00:30-R.M.J.-
990	WLKW	Providence, R.I.-S/on 05:30- R.Johanns, N.Y.
1110	KYW	Cleveland, O.- S/on SUN 6:00- Off 12 M.(R.M.J.
1220	WRIB	Providence, R.I.- S/on 06:30- R.Johanns -N.Y.
1260	WDOK	Cleveland O.- S/on SUN 07:00- Off 11:30 P.M.- (R.M.J.
1270	WWJC	Superior, Wisc.- QRA- Roger Blm, C.E.- 1120 McCuen St. Duluth.8 Minn.- (Bill Stone. Ont.
1270	KNWC	Sioux Falls, S.D R/C 2nd WED,- 2:30-3:00- (Bill Stone-Ont.
1300	WERE	Cleveland. O.- S/on SUN. 5:30- otherwise A.N.- R.J.M
1310	KNOX	Grand Forks N.D.- S/off MM 02:00 till 17:30- R,JM
1310	WBFD	Bedford Pa.- R/C MM 4th Mon.- 4:30-4:45- R.M.J.
1350	KTLQ	Tahlequah, Okla.- S/on Daily 6:10-(J.Johnson-Wyo.
1360	KFIV	Modesto, Calif.- had F/C- 5/27-at 2 a.m.- (J.Johnson
1370	WKFD	N.Kingston, R.I.- S/on June-July-5- Sun. 7:00(R.M.J.
1400	WGIL	Galesburg. Ill.- had F/C 5/27- 3:45-3:55- S/on 4:55-till 00:00 SUN 6:00- till 11 p.m. R.Johanns-N.Y.
1410	KKOK	Lompoc Calif.- now on R/S DT.- (Colthurst-Cal.
1410	CFMB	Montreal, Que.- A.N Exc. MM.(B.Stone-Ont.
1420	WHK	Cleveland O.- 24 hrs off MM.- R.MJ.- ( Tebn.
1430	WEND	Madison, Tenn.- granted full time. D.A. N-1 Kw.- W.Lewis T
1450	WWRI	W.Warwick, R.I.- S/on 06:00 R.Johanns. N.Y.
1460	WPVL	Painesville. O.- S/on SUN at 07:00 S/off 8 p.m. (R.M.J.
1490	WJMO	Cleveland Hgts. O. S/on SUN at 6:00- off 12 M. - R.M.J.
1510	WJCO	Jackson, Mich.- R/C 1st Mon.- 1:30- S/on June 6-8:30 P.M.
1510	KGA	Spokane Wash.- 24 hrs Exc. MM 2-8 EST(R.M.J. R.M.J
1540	WABQ	Cleveland. O.- S/on SUN 6:15- Off 8:45 p.m.(R.M.J.
1560	WLVN	Nashville, Tenn. June S/on 07:00-off 8 p.m. ( W.Lewis-Tenn
1570	WDPS	Danville, Pa.- ET's 5/20- W.Lewis-Tenn. (W.L.
1570	WBUZ	Fredonia, N.Y.- R/C 1st Mon.-00:00- S/off July-Aug/8 p.m.
1590	WYNG	Warwick R.I.- s/on 06:00 R.Johanns. N.Y.

The R.I.Tips and Cleveland, O. may be local time. This is being done Tues. night as very busy Wed. Evenings.- Thanks for TIPS Will add if any comes in WED. No DX here in a month. 73's. good Summer.

The following TIPS are from Chris. Manthey- Cleveland, O.

710	CKVM	Ville-Marie- Que.- S/off 11:04 p.m.-
730	WPIT	Pittsburgh, Pa.- June S/off 7:44 p.m.
730	CJNR	Blind River- Ont.- S/on 06:00- off at 11:31 P.M.
740	CBL	Toronto, Ont.- S/on 06:00 S/off 00:07-
750	WSB	Atlanta, Ga. S/off MM 1:02- S/on 05:00.
790	WPIC	Sharon, Pa.- S/on 05:00 June S/off 8 p.m.
900	CJBR	Rimouki, Que- S/on 06:00 Off 11:57 p.m.
980	WONE	Dayton O.- S/off 00:58. NOTE*FOR THE JULY ISSUE
1150	WCUE	Akron O.- Now 24 hrs.N.S.P. ONLY SEND TIPS TO RAY EDGE
1370	WKMC	Roaring Sprs.- Pa.- S/on 04:27. JULY 17TH IS THE
1370	WHEE	Martinsville, Va. S/on 04:30. DEADLINE.
1380	WWIZ	Lorain O. S/on 05:00 June S/off 8 p.m.
1550	WSHN	Fremont Mich S/on 5:56- CBE Windsor S/off 00:07.
1570	WCLW	Mansfield, O. S/on June 6:00 CFOR S/on 5:30.

SEND TIPS TO RAY EDGE-DEADLINE WILL BE JULY 17th. Ev Johnson will be on Vacation. Then Aug 13th will be Ev's deadline for the August issue.

## INTERNATIONAL DX DIGEST

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FOR THOSE OF YOU WHO RUN OUT OF ANY TA OR TP ACTIVITY DURING THE SUMMER, MAY I SUGGEST YOU LATCH ON TO SOME OF THE SPLITS COMING UP FROM DOWN BELOW, TAKE A LOOK! MEANWHILE:

## FOREIGN CONTEST STANDINGS

## WESTERN LEAGUE (CALIF.)

1. HANK WILKINSON/- 132 PTS. ADDS HJKL, USSR-548, USSR-629, PEKING-1040, JOFG, HOJ2, /  
 2. MARVIN ROBBINS(COLO.) 121 PTS. ADDS NONE  
 3. LARRY GODWIN(COLO.) 94 PTS. ADDS CSB5, HJCG, 2YC, ZCO, VOZ-1178  
 4. CLARENCE FREEMAN(CALIF.) 91 PTS. ADDS ZEM1, 2NR TIAC AFRS-890 ZCO  
 5. MAURICE NITTLER(COLO.) 86 PTS. ADDS XEER KIKI  
 6. PETE TAYLOR(CALIF.) 79 PTS. ADDS NONE

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 \*NEXT DEADLINES:  
 \*JULY 16  
 \*AUGUST 13  
 \*SEPTEMBER 10  
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## CENTRAL LEAGUE

1. DAVID ROYS(IND.) 112 PTS. ADDS ZFB-1  
 2. ERNIE WESOLOWSKI(NEBR.) 76 PTS. ADDS PJA6, ZFB1 WRSJ WHOA XEMO  
 3. DALLAS JOHN(ILL.) 56 PTS. ADDS WPRA ZFB1 XEYC XEMO TIAC BBC-1214  
 4. JOHN CALLARMAN(TEXAS) 52 PTS. ADDS NONE  
 5. JACK HATHAWAY(TEXAS) 34 PTS. ADDS NONE

## EASTERN LEAGUE

1. BEN DANGERFIELD (PA.) 316 PTS. ADDS EAJ29 CSB4 BBC-1546 BBC-881 SOTTENS-764 PRH9  
 CB73-DX WHOA WARSAW-1502 WROCLAW-1259 SZCZECIN-1304 4VAB BUDAPEST-539 FALUN-1223  
 TIRANA-1088 HOS23 RNE-737 LR3 FRANKFURT-593 RHEINSENDER-1016 YMP TIAC NAPLES-656  
 ROME-1331 RAI-1578 STAVENGER-1313 VILNIUS-665 AFN-872 RNE-647 BAGHDAD-764 AND  
 BELGRADE-683  
 2. DAVID POPE (S.C.) 272 PTS. ADDS WAPA HJKL NICE-1554 4VS WHOA HOS22 AMERICAS-1165  
 VOA-1259 HILVERSUM-746 YNOL RNE-584 BBC-647 BBC-1546 XEG VOA-1565 ZAGREB-1133  
 TOMOSOARA-755 ANTIQUA-644 TOULOUSE-944 CS39 YVLX ROME-845 SOFIA-827 CMCA PRAGUE-  
 1286 DRESDEN-1043 LRA.  
 3. JAMES GANGLER(MD.) 157 PTS. ADDS NONE  
 4. CARL PARSONS, JR. (PA.) 110 PTS. ADDS BRUSSELS-926 BBC-881 BBC-1088 KORL WHOA WIEN-  
 11, DAKAR  
 5. HANK HOLBROOK (MD.) 109 PTS. ADDS WKFE HJGE CSB9  
 6. DAVID TUSSMAN (CONN.) 74 PTS. ADDS AMERICAS-1165 ZEM1 WRSJ 4VE CSB9  
 7. ANDY RUGG (ONT.) 60 PTS. ADDS NONE  
 8. RONALD MUSCO (CONN.) 26 PTS. ADDS NONE  
 9. HENRY MARBACH(N.Y.) 23 PTS. ADDS CMCA XEWA AMERICAS-1165  
 10. FRANK WHEELER (PA.) 20 PTS. ADDS WIAC WHOA

PLEASE HAVE YOUR FINAL ADDITIONS TO MAURICE W. MITTLER, 1755 S. VALLEJO, DENVER, BY JULY 11TH SO HE CAN COMPILE THE TALLIES, MAIL THEM NO LATER THAN THE 13TH AND HAVE THEM TO ME ON THE 15TH FOR PRINTING ON THE 16TH AND DX NEWS PUBLICATION ON THE 20TH. THANKS TO BILL FOR GETTING ALL THIS TOGETHER AND IT WAS MY TYPO ERROR FOR PUTTING THE WESTERN LEAGUE ON TOP INSTEAD OF THE EASTERN LEAGUE. THE ABOVE SEEMS TO REPRESENT A MIGHTY GOOD SEASON FOR MANY OF YOU LADS---PVT

## LATIN AMERICAN

- 550 .... MONTEGO BAY, JAMAICA RJR IN AT GOOD LEVEL AND OVER ALL DOMESTICS 5/16 BUT MUCH WQAM (SM)  
 TIJUM ALAJUENA, COSTA RICA "RADIO PROGRESSO" USUALLY IN FAIR AFTER CMCY S/OFF (2300 DURING CUBAN DST) NIGHTLY (RFS)  
 600 XEZ MERIDA, YUC. MEXICO HEARD WEAKLY AROUND 2130 3/20 WITH ID'S AS "LA VOZ DE LA PENINSULA" S-6 MAX UNDER WPDQ (SM)  
 620 XENK MEXICO, D.F. MEXICO. "RADIO 620" AT GOOD LEVEL ABOUT 0000 2/10(SM) (OLDIE, MY ERROR-PVT); S9 EVERY MM CA. 0100-0200 NOW THAT WIOD S/OFF THEN(RFS)  
 640 .... POINT A PITRE, GUADELOUPE. VERIE FOR 2/18 REPORT. SIGNATURE ILLEGIBLE. COUNTRY #44 FROM CALIFORNIA (HJW)  
 HON31 PANAMA, PANAMA. STRANGE THAT SOME OF US THINK THIS IS HOK IN COLON. HOS22 SAME CITY IS ONLY 5KC AWAY SO THAT CAN'T BE (RFS)  
 642 .....PARAMARIBO, SURINAM. RADIKA. ANNOYING HET MANY EVENINGS, BUT SELDOM ANY AUDIO. THE LEAST THEY COULD DO IS SPEAK, HI!(RFS)  
 650 CM.. TRINIDAD, CUBA. EXPERIMENTS PROVE THIS TO BE THE "600KCS, TRINIDAD" AS PER RADIO REBELDE. EVEN THE CUBANS DON'T KNOW ABOUT THE CUBANS, WHAT A MESS(RFS)  
 660 YVKS CARACAS, VENEZUELA IN SOME SSS'S AT WEAK LEVEL BUT DEF. ID. BELIEVE IT SHARES TIME W/YVLX-670 CARACAS, "RADIO BUMBOS" (SM)(YVLH MARACAY I THINK SHELDON, YVKS RELAY--PVT)

- 675 TIU SAN JOSE, COSTA RICA. IS NOW THE MOTHER STATION OF A NEW CHAIN OF RELAYS, "CADENA MUSICAL" ALL OF WHICH OPERATE AN. THIC MIGHT BE THE NEW CALL OF THIS PARTICULAR STATION (RFS)
- 690 CMBC HAVANA, CUBA. VERY PROFESSIONALLY DONE "RADIO FREE DIXIE" PGM IS NOW ON ALMOST NIGHTLY AT 0000. TUNE IN FOR A LAUGH(SM); VERIE DIRECTLY FROM CMBC. QRA INFANTA #105, APTDO.132, HAVANA. V/S ANGEL HERNANDEZ, DIRECTOR-GENERAL. ALSO INCLUDED RELAYS & ADDRESSES (SEE CUBA, BELOW) (CAT)
- 730 YSRA SAN SALVADOR, EL SALVADOR. "RADIO AMERICA" A NOT TOO RECENT MOVE FROM 880, S/OFF 0100 (RFS); YSR? HEARD S/OFF RIGHT AFTER XEX, GIVING SW & MW FRQs. STATIC BURST KILLED LAST LTR OF CALL, BUT PROB. YSRA FROM 880 (SM)
- 765 YSKL SAN SALVADOR, EL SALVADOR. "RADIO UNIVERSAL" HEARD S8 LEVEL ON TRANSISTOR AT ABOUT MIDNIGHT ONE DAY LAST WEEK, NEVER HRD ON REGULAR RX (SM)
- 770 .... MANDEVILLE, JAMAICA RJR ON 3/15 WAS AMAZINGLY COVERING INVINCIBLE WABC FOR ABOUT 1/2 HOUR WITH US R&R, ABOUT 2100 (SM)
- 790 CMCH HAVANA, CUBA. NOW AN INCL. MM. THIS IS FORMER MYSTERY STN OF MINE. SLOGAN IS "CADENA LA HABANA" AND FEATURES TELEPHONE REQUESTS FROM LISTENERS. TIME CHECKS WITH GONG BETWEEN SELECTIONS (SM)
- 790 XEVA VILLAHERMOSA, TAB. MEXICO S9 EVERY 3RD MM 0100-0200 W/WFUN OFF THOSE NITES (RFS); HEARD S9 HERE WHEN WFUN OFF, 3RD MM, OVER/UNDER WTAR; AN MM'S WITH FREQUENT ANNCTS (SM)
- 800 XELO CIUDAD JUAREZ, MEXICO QSL REC'D AFTER 8 MONTHS, NO V/S, MEX. VERIE #12(AR)
- 801 TIGPH2 SAN JOSE, COSTA RICA. NICE V/L RECD FROM JOSE RIVERA C., DIR. QRA APTO.2299, SAN JOSE. FORMERLY "RADIO NUEVA ALMA TICA" NOW "R.CENTRO" AND 5KW, EX-3.5 KW (SM); NEW SLOGAN "R.CENTRO," NEW POWER 5KW, OFF FREQ. TOO (RFS)
- 820 HJED CALI, COLOMBIA. NO MORE EXCUSES FOR NON-LINGUISTIC DXERS; ID'S IN EE EVERY HALF-HOUR, DURING AM'S AT LEAST. ALL ESSENTIAL INFO GIVEN BY AM. ANCR(RFS)
- 830 XELA MEXICO, D.F. MEXICO. USUALLY BEST AFTER CMZS S/OFF(2400 DURING CUBAN DST); COMPETES W/WCCO (RFS); IN WELL S7 5/1 2100. GIVES ID AS "LA ONDA DE LA BUENA MUSICA EN MEXICO" AND PROGRAMS LIGHT CLASSICAL MUSIC (SM)
- 835 HJDM MEDELLIN, COLOMBIA. "RADIO VISION" ON AN 6/3 TO COVER "PAPA JUAN XXIII" AS WERE MANY OTHERS THAT MORNING (RFS)
- 845 .... PLYMOUTH, MONSERRAT, LEEWARD ISLANDS. ROME 2 HAS BEEN COMING IN TOO WELL LATELY AND SO LISTENED & SURE ENOUGH HEARD ID "R.MONSERRAT" THROUGH A THICK ACCENT (RFS)
- 850 WABA AGUADILLA, PUERTO RICO. VERIFIED 1/27 REPORT ON MY LETTER; V/S INITIALS ONLY, CAN'T READ (RHM)
- 870 WHOA SAN JUAN, PUERTO RICO. IN WELL MM 4/29 WITH WWL OFF, MAX. S7 WHICH IS PRETTY GOOD CONSIDERING I'M RIGHT IN THEIR NULL (SM)
- 880 TGJ GUAYMALA, GUATEMALA. V/Q RECD FOR "R.NUEVO MUNDO" FROM HUMBERTO GONZALEZ JUAREZ, DIRECTOR. QRA APTO. 281, ZONA 1(SM)
- 899 HJEY CALI, COLOMBIA. ON AM OF 6/3 TO COVER POPE'S ILLNESS. S4 BEST. NETWORK?(RFS)
- 900 PJA6 ORANJESTAD, ARUBA, NWI. HERE FROM 905; TOO MUCH AEROPUERTO I GUESS (RFS)
- 910 YV.. CARACAS, VENEZUELA. ON MM 4/29 0400, THIS STN HAD THE BEST LA SIGNAL EVER HEARD HERE, INCLUDING CUBANS. S9+ JUST LIKE LOCAL. STILL HEARD 'EM WELL WITH RX PLAYING AT ITS LOWEST VOLUME (SM)
- YV.. MAIQUETIA, VENEZUELA. SUGGEST FOLLOWING ADDRESS FOR REPORTS, ONE THAT SHOULD WORK: "RADIO AEROPUERTO," AEROPUERTO INTERNACIONAL DE MAIQUETIA, MAIQUETIA, D.F. VENEZUELA. NOTE THAT LAGUIARA IS A SEAPORT AND THAT RADIO AEROPUERTO IS LOCATED IN SUBURBAN CITY OF MAIQUETIA (RFS)
- 925 TILS SAN JOSE, COSTA RICA ONE OF THE "CADENA MUSICAL" RELAYS, AN (RFS)
- 930 YNW MANAGUA, NICARAGUA ON AM OF 6/3 TO COVER POPE'S ILLNESS, S8 AVERAGE (RFS)
- 940 PRF4 RIO DE JANEIRO, BRAZIL. MYSTERY SOLVED, 4/22 0320 "RADIO JORNAL DO BRASIL, CINCO VINTE MINUTOS" AT S7 MAX, ON CLEAR CHANNEL. COSMOPOLITAN MXNOTED(RFS)
- 970 XEDF MEXICO, D.F. MEXICO. S/OFF 0115, NO ANTHEM OR ANNCTS (SM)
- 982 HISA SANTIAGO, DOMINICAN REPUBLIC CLEAR AND AUDIBLE EVENINGS WHILE IT DRIFTS. SLOGAN IS "R.IN...." OR SOMETHING. ANYONE KNOW IT?(RFS)
- CMCK HAVANA, CUBA. HEARD 5/22 2200 WITH CALL LETTER ID (JLK)
- 1000 CMKW SANTIAGO, CUBA NOTED IN CLEAR EVENINGS WITH CMJG DRIFTING(SEE 1012)(RFS)
- 1010 CMBP HAVANA, CUBA BACK ON RS AFTER EXTENSIVE PERIOD OF SILENCE. "RADIO MUSICAL NACIONAL" RELAY (RFS)
- 1012 CMJG CAMAGUEY, CUBA. HAS DRIFTED WAY OVER HERE FROM 1000. "RELOJ NACIONAL"(RFS) NEW "RELOJ NACIONAL" STN HERE IS PROBABLY CMJG CAMAGUEY FROM 1000 SINCE NO "RELOJ NACIONAL" CAN BE HEARD THERE (SM)

- 1050 YSU SAN SALVADOR, EL SALVADOR "RADIO CADENA YSU" IN WELL AND NO SIGN OF XEG 5/16 2300. ANOTHER SLOGAN SOMETIMES IS "R.MIL CINCUENTA" (SM)
- 1060 CMBI HAVANA, CUBA IS NEW "R.ENCICLOPEDIA POPULAR" REPLACING CMBQ-1160 WHICH HAS LEFT THE AIR FOR GOOD. AN OF COURSE (RFS)
- 1070 WMAA ARECIBO, PUERTO RICO. S/ON 0430, EE/SS, ANNCTS & SSB (SM)
- 1090 WRJS SAN GERMAN, PUERTO RICO. DX TOTAL FLOP HERE, IF IT WAS ON AT ALL. KAAV WAS S9 AS EXPECTED AND NOTHING BUT STATIC DISCERNABLE BENEATH. THANK YOU LTR OFF ANYWAY, BETTER LUCK NEXT SEASON (SM)
- 1100 HJAT BARRANQUILLA, COLOMBIA "R.RELOJ" HRD 3/11 0232 WITH R5S5 SIGNAL(LMA); V/L AND PENNANT IN FROM RIDRIGO J. ROBLES, GERENTE. NO QRA (SM)
- 1102 HJCN BOGOTA, COLOMBIA. LET'S MAKE IT OFFICIAL; DEFINITELY HERE FROM 1100(RFS)
- 1125 TIGG SAN JOSE, COSTA RICA "R.EXCELSIOR" IN FAIR MOST EVENINGS COMPETING WITH HOJ AND SEPARABLE FROM THE LATTER (RFS)
- 1130 YNWS MANAGUA, NICARAGUA "EL ALMA DE NICARAGUA" OR "ALMA NICA" OR SOMETHING. ANYWAY IT'S BECOME A STRONG REGULAR HERE EVENINGS(RFS) (THRU KWKH?--PVT)
- 1140 CB114 SANTIAGO DE CHILE. VERIE IN ON REPORT OF 2/4, SIGNED BY MEMBER, DEPARTMENT OF PRODUCTION, ILLEGIBLE. QRA MORANDE 25, CASILLA 244V. CTRY#43/CAL.(HJW)
- 1155 YNBB ESTELI, NICARAGUA "LA VOZ DE LA SEGOVIA" SELDOM VERY STRONG BUT REGULAR TIL 0300 S/OFF (RFS)
- 1175 YSCB SONSONATE, EL SALVADOR. VERIFIED F/UP REPORT OF 1/1/62 RECEPTION BY SIGNING MY PREPARED CARD. ENVELOPE ALSO LISTS TWO OTHER STATIONS IN "CADENA DE EMISORAS DEPARTAMENTALES" NETWORK--YSCG-1210-1KW AN ZARATECOLURA AND YSCD-890-1KW SANTIAGO DE MARIA (STAN MORSS)
- 1180 HJ.. MANIZALES, COLOMBIA "LA VOZ DEL RUIZ" SEEMS TO BE THE SLOGAN OF THIS NEW CARACOL STATION. WAS AN ONE SM LAST MONTH, NO IDEA OF CALLS (SM)
- 1190 HJCT BARRANQUILLA, COLOMBIA. "LA VOZ DE LA COSTA" ON AM 6/3 COVERING POPE'S ILLNESS. PRESUME MANY DXERS LOGGED IT THAT AM ON CLEAR CHANNEL (RFS)
- 1195 TICA PUNTARENAS, COSTA RICA. TIME CHECK; "R.INTERNACIONAL INFORMA LA HORA..." NOTE NEW SLOGAN (RFS) (WOULD THEN BE EX-R.COLOMBIA--PVT)
- 1200 YV.. CARACAS, VENEZUELA. TIME CHECK: "RADIO MINUTO NACIONAL INFORMA LA HORA (TIME), HORA OFICIAL." CONTINUOUS NEWS WITH TIME CHECKS EVERY MINUTES. BEST AROUND SSS, S5 THEN (RFS)
- 1220 HIN SANTO DOMINGO, DOMINICAN REPUBLIC. IN MOST EVENINGS AT SSS OVER/UNDER WGAR, LEVEL SOMETIMES FADING INTO S7-8 (SM)
- 1220 HJFV BARRANQUILLA, COLOMBIA "LA VOZ DEL LITORAL" HERE FROM 1520. FIRST NOTED ON 1219, HERE NOW & VERY STRONG ANY EVENING (RFS); "LZ VOZ DEL LITORAL" HERE FROM 1520 (SM)
- 1230 WNIK ARECIBO, PUERTO RICO. V/L IN FROM DAVID ORTIZ, GM, INDICATES THEY HAVE CHANGED TO 1KW FROM 250W AND INVITES REPORTS FROM ANYONE WHO CHANCES TO HEAR THEM ON THIS GRAVEYARD CHANNEL. QRA BOX 1075(SM) (NOW 1KW-D/250W-N AS PER FCC NOTICE--PVT)
- 1240 XEMQ MERIDA, YUC. MEXICO. SOMETIMES HEARD ON WEEKDAY AMs. A CHANGE IN PACE ON THE GRAVEYARDS. MOSTLY MEXICAN MUSIC (RFS); THIS IS THE FORMER MYSTERY WITH US & LATIN MUSIC WHICH OPERATES NSP. A REAL PLEASANT SURPRISE ON THIS CHANNEL. "LA M-Q DE LA PENINSULA," "R.YUCATAN" ARE 2 ID'S HRD (SM)
- 1240 ZNS2 NASSAU, BAHAMAS, BWI MIMED V/L IN FROM KIM JACKSON, AM. POWER 250W (SM)
- 1241 ZNS2 NASSAU, BAHAMAS, BWI. "VOICE OF NEW PROVIDENCE." HTT WAS RIGHT, THEY'RE OFF FREQ, ONLY SLIGHTLY. ZCARRIES MOSTLY BBC PGMS LIKE SPERMAN, TARZAN, ALONG WITH ALOT OF PLAYS. INTERESTING & ENJOYABLE LISTENING (RFS)
- 1257 HJAO BARRANQUILLA, COLOMBIA "RADIO VIGIA" IS ANOTHER THAT CAN'T SEEM TO STAY IN ONE PLACE. IT'S HEADING BACK TOWARD 1250 WHERE IT WAS BEFORE. BON VOYAGE, HI (RFS) (RFS)
- 1268 YNWX LEON, NICARAGUA "RADIO ATENAS." AUDIBLE HERE WHILE ON THE SPLIT, S4 EVES/
- 1280 WCMN ARECIBO, PUERTO RICO. NOW 5KW-D/1KW-N (FCC)
- 1300 WTIL MAYAGUEZ, PUERTO RICO. NOW 24HRS BUT DON'T KNOW ABOUT MM'S. VERY LOUD AND PROVING TO BE REAL PEST (SM)
- 1385 4VS PORT-AU-PRINCE, HAITI. LTR VERIE IN EE. GIVES POWER AS 1KW, 12/11/62 REPORT AFTER 2 F/UPS. V/S ALBERT MUCCI, DIR.-ADM., Box B-81 (HJW)
- 1395 HCVE4 ESMERALDAS, ECUADOR. VERIE IN FOR REPORTS OF 11/18-19/62. VERIE LTR, CARD, & PENNANT. ENVELOPE HAD \$2 IN ECUADOR STAMPS, AIRMAIL. FREQ SHOWN AT 1395, POWER 5KW. V/S HECTOR ENDARA E., GERENTE-PROPRIETARIO. SENT 2 RPTS. AND 3 F/UPS, VERY WELCOME. AM I THE FIRST U.S. DXER WITH VERIE? NO CIGARS, THOUGH! (HJW) (NONE OTHERS REPORTED HANK--CONGRATS!--PVT)

- 1430 HJAP CARTAGENA, COLOMBIA. HAS BEEN IN QUITE WELL RECENT EVENINGS. BELONGS TO CARACOL NETWORK. NOT POSITIVE OF CALLS (SM)
- 1500 .... FORT-DE-FRANCE, MARTINIQUE. SELDOM HEARD HERE, AND DURING EVENINGS WHEN IT IT. HARD TO BELIEVE IT'S USING 50KW (RFS) (POINT-A-PITRE'S IN GUADELOUPE-P)
- 1557 .... CLANDESTINE "RADIO LIBERTAD, LA VOZ ANTI-COMMUNISTA DE AMERICA" SOUNDS LIKE A TA FROM HERE. S2 ON RARE OCCURRENCES WITH DEEP CYCLICAL FADING (RFS)
- 1573 HI.. SANTO DOMINGO, DOMINICAN REPUBLIC. "RADIO UNION" IS NEW STATION GIVING FREQ. AS 1190, SPEAKING OF DRIFTS, HI. S8 ALL EVENING (RFS); "R.UNION" NEW STATION HERE, FEATURING MUCH US MUSIC. S8-9 NIGHTLY. CALL UNKNOWN(SM); HEARD 5/21 2200 ID, VERY CLEAR ABOUT LOCATION. CREDIT TO RFS FOR LEADING ME TO THIS ONE (JLK)

## TRANS-ATLANTIC

- 638 SEBASTIAN, SPAIN. LETTER RECENTLY RECD FROM RNE-MADRID AFFIRMS THAT THE RNE OUTLET IS SAN SEBASTIAN, SO MY 12/62 VERIE CORRECTED FROM SEVILLA (BD)
- 647 SEVILLA, SPAIN. V/C AND LETTER FROM RNE MADRID SIGNED BY MANUEL AZNAR CONFIRMS SEVILLA AS STATION I LOGGED 1/26/63 HERE (BD)
- 683 BELGRADE, YUGOSLAVIA. V/C REC'D 5/11 FOR 3/25 REPORT OF RECEPTION FOR 2ND FROM THIS COUNTRY, BOTH THIS YEAR (BD)
- 764 BAGHDAD, IRAQ/ MY VERIE OF THE YEAR. QSL CARD IN EE & ARABIC CONFIRMS MY 1/25 RECEPTION. VERIE INFO ON BACK OF CARD WITH IRAQ FLAG NEXT TO STAMP ON FRONT. NOT ONLY WAS THIS COUNTRY #72, BUT CONTINENT #6, ASIA (BD) (CONGRATS VAC--PVT)
- 782 VATICAN. ON 6/2 AROUND 2100 AND DURING VATICAN CRISIS, A WEAK BUT SEPARABLE SIGNAL HEARD WITH ITALIAN ANNOTS AND PARALLEL TO 1529 AS NEAR AS I COULD DETERMINE, SO QUITE POSSIBLY HV-2 ON SPECIAL HOURS (BD)
- 836 NANCY, FRANCE. VERIFIED RECEPTION OF 3/23, LTR IN FF, TA #4 (RHM)
- 1529 VATICAN. NOTED AN 6/2 WITH BULLETINS ON THE POPE, SEPARABLE FROM WCKY AROUND 2045-2130 AT BRIEF INTERVALS. WATCH FOR THEM ON SPECIAL HOURS WHEN THE NEW PONTIFF IS ELECTED. VERIFIED FOR ME 2 YEARSAGO (BD)

## TRANS-PACIFIC

- 670 200 ALBURY, NSW AUSTRALIA VERY DEFINITE VERIE CARD REC'D FROM 200 ON REPORT OF 4/14 0427-0507 (HJW)
- 730 .... KUCHING, SARAWAK VERIFIED 4/7 REPORT, QSL, MIMED FORM (RHM)
- 735 .... VILLA VERDE, MACAU VERIFIED RECEPTION OF 4/2 WITH ENTHUSIASTIC LETTER, 10KW CALLED MINE "FIRST AUTHENTIC REPORT." (RHM)
- 760 .... RADIO PEKING, CHINA. QSL IN, NO LOCATION, BUT FREQ. SPECIFIED (RHM)
- 940 .... RADIO PEKING, CHINA. QSL IN, NO LOCATION, BUT FREQ. SPECIFIED. FBIS SAYS HOFEI, ANHWEI PROVINCE (RHM)
- 1000 .... RADIO PEKING, CHINA. QSL IN, NO LOCATION, BUT FREQ. SPECIFIED. IF I OF 9/21/57 STILL CORRECT, KWEIYANG IS LOCATION, AND WOULD BE MY 2ND MOST WESTERLY BCB VERIE (RHM)
- 1040 .... RADIO PEKING, CHINA. QSL IN, NO LOCATION, BUT FREQ. SPECIFIED. PERHAPS SHANGHAI? FOREIGN SERVICE OF PEKING (RHM)

## MYSTERIES/UNID

- 570 MYST/LA. "R.QUINIENTOS SETENTA" & BELIEVE IT'S MEXICAN. SOMETIMES HEARD 2300 BUT HARD TO HEAR DUE TO QAM (SM)
- 647 MYST/TA, GERMANIC, BBC EUROPEAN SERVICE? 2300 s/OFF (RFS)
- 730 MYST/LA. UNK SS S-6 TOPPING OMCA 0015 5/20. FULL ID IN SS, SINGING ID, CALL LETTER MENTIONED, 4 OF THEM. CARACAS MENTIONED. HRD TIL 0030. ONLY ONE IN VENEZUELA IS YVNP MARACAIBO 120KW AS PER WRH (RJM)
- 835 MYST/LA. S/OFF 2230, NOT HJDM. YMY? (RFS)
- 890 MYST/LA. WHERE IS "R.MUSICAL" HERE? AN ONE RECENT SM (SM)
- 924 MYST/LA. HEARD ON PERUVIAN NIGHTS. OAX4E? (RFS)
- 940 MYST/LA. ONE OF THE PAPAL ANERS 6/3 IN SS (RFS)
- 1240 MYST/CUBAN "R.CEINTISEIS" HRD HERE SSS, NO IDEA AS TO LOCATION (SM)
- MYST/HI.. DOMINICAN STATION DEFINITELY HEARD HERE, OCCASIONALLY, ONLY IN FOR SECONDS, NO ID EVER HEARD (SM)
- 1360 MYST/LA. "RADIO POPULAR" OLD MYSTERY; NOT CUBAN; WKAT-NSP, OUT OF MY HANDS (RFS)
- 1439 MYST/SS. 2100 s/OFF, WHO? (RFS)

HAVE TO HULK HANK'S SUPREMACY RATINGS TIL NEXT TIME--BRING YOURS UP TO DATE, HUH? ALSO HOLDING "AROUND THE WORLD," A BUNCH OF MEXICAN V/S FROM DAVE GLEASON & FEW OTHER THINGS

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"IMPROVING RECEIVER SENSITIVITY"

An NRC Extra

by Ed Satterthwaite Jr.

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Extremely high sensitivity is neither necessary nor desirable on the BCB; however, complaints of inadequate sensitivity are sometimes justified, especially when one must use a poor antenna. The following measures have been found useful;

(1) Check the condition of the receiver. Parts that are defective or that have gone bad will often make the receiver seem insensitive. This is especially true of any weak tubes, particularly in the RF and mixer stages. Another frequent source of trouble is a bad by-pass capacitor in these stages; this trouble is often found in older sets. Improper alignment of a receiver's RF and IF circuits can also greatly reduce the set's sensitivity and selectivity. The serious DXer should consider having his receiver realigned and its tubes checked before each DX season or doing this work himself if he has the equipment and experience.

(2) Improve the antenna receiver impedance match. In many cases, the wires used as antennas at BCB frequencies match the receiver input rather poorly. Although an antenna tuner is desirable, considerable improvement can sometimes be obtained from a large variable capacitor (ie one of two sections, 15-360 pf. per section, as might be found in a juv AC-DC radio) Try connecting it in series (between antenna and antenna terminal) or parallel (between antenna and ground terminals) and use one or both sections. Experiment until best results are obtained as shown by S-meter readings or listening to very weak stations (without AVC, if possible) To minimize hand capacity effects, connect the frame of the capacitor to the antenna (series) or ground (parallel) Do not place the capacitor on the metal receiver cabinet; this might short out the signal DO NOT use this method with AC-DC radios; the exposed capacitor could then become a shock hazard with this type receiver.

(3) Change the first RF tube (when applicable) While very hot tubes are undesirable on the BCB (because of the likelihood of cross modulation) the following substitutions should be considered when one is experimenting or replacing bad tubes. Except as indicated, no wiring changes are needed.

<u>Original Tube</u>	<u>Recommended Substitute</u>
6BA6, 6BD6, 6BJ6 (a)	6BA6
6SG7, 6SK7 (b), 6SS7 (b)	6SG7
6K7, 6S7	6S7 (c)
12BA6, 12BD6	12BA6
12SG7, 12SK7 (b)	12SG7

Notes:

- (a) If pin 7 of the socket was originally grounded to the chassis, remove this ground and connect pin 7 to pin 2.
- (b) As in (a), with pin 3 corresponding to 7 and pin 5 to pin 2.
- (c) Both types are nearly obsolete and differences are slight. Although some designs have more or less successfully used the hotter 6AC7, 6AK5, 6AG5, and 6BZ6, these are not recommended as general replacements
- (4) Decrease the value of the first RF stage, cathode resistor. 68 ohms is recommended value for the 6K7, 6SK7, 6BD6, and 12SK7. For these tubes, add a variable resistor (5000 ohms) in the cathode circuit and use this to add resistance if cross-modulation is noted on strong signals.

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Ed Satterthwaite, Jr has asked if further articles as this could be published. He was informed, Yes, providing they were not too technical for the average DXer, who, might be able to gain a bit of knowledge in getting the most out of his present receiver. Further future articles will be published in DX News when available AND space permits. Personally I would like to see an article on antennas and the proper lead-ins that would be the proper impedance for the different communication type receivers that are on the market today plus the more recent ones. Ray.