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NOTES FROM HEADQUARTERS

We'll begin this issue with a few odds and ends worth passing along to all of you:

of you: 1984 Convention: So far Phil Bytheway has received the grand total of three bids for the 1982 IRCA Convention: from Louisville, Toledo (0H), and Saint Louis. I don't know if any others will show up in the next few days, but it's obvious that we'll have to have a runoff vote by the membership sometime soon. Start thinking about which of these places you'd like to see hold the convention.

Wanted -- DXWW East Editor: Neil Kazaross is interested in stepping down as editor of DXWWE (see page 19 for details). If interested, contact our prez, Phil Bytheway, 9705 Mary Avenue NW, Seattle, WA 98117 as soon as possible. And by the way (pun intended), Phil has been working quite a bit of overtime lately, so if you find he's a bit slow in getting mail out, that's the reason. And finally, our apologies to those of you whose 9/24 bulletins were mailed late (mostly Canadian/foreign members); the printer's press broke down and it took a few days to repair it.

NEW ALASKA TIME ZONES

According to newspaper articles sent in by Steve Mittman and Art Peterson, Alaska's time zones will be rearranged on October 30. Most of the state will be on what is now Yukon time (GMT-9), except for the westernmost part of the Aleutian Islands, which will be GMT-10.

BOOK REVIEW: WHITE'S RADIO LOG

A few issues ago, we mentioned that this log, formerly part of Communications World & other magazines, is now available in booklet form. We're pleased to say we recently received an evaluation copy in the mail and it looks well worth the \$4.95 (plus S&H) they're asking for it. The guide is 138 pages long, in 5x8 inch format, making it handy for taking on DXpeditions and other travels. It includes listings of AM stations (by freq. call, & location), FM stations (by call & location), and TV stations (by location). There's also a listing of shortwave stations. Content-wise, it seems to be quite accurate. In years gone by, the White's log was known to have all sorts of typos and glaring errors. This edition has obviously been very carefully checked before publication. However, it's not as up-to-date as one might hope. The log was apparently not updated after about August, 1982, even though it was released in mid 1983. For example, KTXI and KWIP moved to 880 in Sept 1982, but are still listed on their old freqs of 910 & 1460. Also, the lack of "by frequency" listings for TV & FM stations limits their usefulness for DXers of those bands. Overall, though, the first edition of the log is quite useful and nicely complements our IRCA Almanac. You can order the White's Log from Worldwide Publications Inc, PO Box 5206, North Branch, NJ 08876. Price in the US/Canada/Mexico is \$5.95 (including postage & handling).

We have lots of material on hand, but not much room to run it so we'll wait until later to run it. In the meantime, I think you'll enjoy this week's issue. See you next week.....bp.

* * New Members * *

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EASTERN DX FORUM.

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Deadlines: Fridays.

Don Moore, Apartado #3, Santa Bárbara, SB, Honduras

Nore observations from Camp Honduras. Over 1000 of Ronnie's finest
gys in green are now stationed at Comayugua, where in less than a month
they have already presented the underequipped local hospital with a major
VD epidemic. Meanwhile in that colonial town an old custom has suddenly
become fashionable again, through necessity: not letting one's wife or
daughter walk in the streets without male escort. Another foreign policy
victory! Comments on DXWW-W 8/20. Robert Wien, your 870 would appear
not to have come from CAm, no 1200 s/ons here that I know of at least.
Fritz Helberg, on 1100 did you note anything to be sure you had the YN?
A mention of Nicaragua could have been news. Although they could be
active, I've never noted them and the HJ Reloj is regular here. HOLY7
on 770 is 24h as listed. On 870, Radio Honduras has repeaters of 10kw in
Nacaome (near Choluteca) and lkw in Juticalpa. Am unsure of call. On
DXWW2, while HRVN-650 may claim 100kw, no way do they use that much,
doesn't even sound like 50kW. I would guess about 20kw. "Harvey Steppsure", there really is a La Voz de Los Altos, on 1310, in Ouezaltenango,
Guatemala. Here, however, Los Altos refers to the western Guatemala highlands. At the breakup of the Central American Federation in 1838-9, an
attempt was made to set up a separate nation of Los Altos, with its
capital in Quezaltenango.

Ernest R. Cooper, 5 Anthony Street, Provincetown, Massachusetts 02657
Hi! I had a scrumptious time at the NRC Convention except that I darned near got pneumonia in the hotel, which was frigid throughout. We had 63 people there. Next year's NRC convention will be in Colorado Springs, Labor Day weekend. You're all invited! Shortly after the NRC convention, ill luck struck me as the Provincetown Rescue Squad zipped me to Cape Cod Hospital, in Hyannis, 45 miles away (our nearest hospital). I was stricken with chest pains which wouldn't quit, even after four nitro pills taken every 15 minutes. This is being composed in my hospital room, one week later, and I'm still here, but feeling A-1. The cardiologist wants me to go to Mass. General Hospital directly from here, for a cardia catheterization examination, which will determine the next step. So, please, no early-AE calls to my home until I give the all-clear signal. A call at a wee hour with me in the hospital could be very scary to Bob at home. I just purchased a McIntosh MR-78 FM tuner and I have yet to see what it can do. It had better be good—it cost a pretty buck! So, good DX to all of you, and I hope to be back in the mainstream soon again. Any mail, send it to my home address, above, please. God bless, and say a little prayer for me. (Ernie, sorry to hear the news, Trust you will be fine soon.—rce)

Richard C. Evans, P. C. Box 1294, North Wales, Pennsylwania 19454

I'm not surprised a bit by the news of the FCC voting 4-0 to
permit longer hours for daytimers. It's the same pattern as what I am
seeing with the ICC, with the majority of the ICC commissioners almost
literally thumbing its nose at the Congress, courts, and common sense.
How post-surrise operations will affect our hobby is anyone's guess at
this time, but I think it make things interesting, judging on how some
stations skip nicely when they forget to sign/off at the right time when
we go back to standard time. Don Moore, I should be getting a letter off
to you this weekend to let you know I am interested in the newspapers you
mentioned. A couple of days ago, I answered an ad for rate clerks posted
by a truck line in Grand Rapids, Mich, so hopefully, soon, a move will be
made back to my native bichigan. Will let you know more later. PTL.



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Western DX Forum

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1983/4 DEADLINES - WEEKLY ON TUESDAY, 12 DAYS PRIOR TO PUBLICATION DATE

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Bosh -- a sort of "Post Sunset Authority?" Should be an added challenge for SSS DX'ers. The longer hours for daytimers looks good to cover PM drive, but would it do much good beyond 7PM? KIBE 1220 has been ribbing FCC in their sign-off (. . . "due to antiquated rules from the 1930's," or something like that), then they been staying on for up to eight minutes beyond s/off time with the KDFC simulcast (compared to going off as much as 15 minutes early last year). They probably wait for KASY, KCCS or CKDA to start clobbering them before cutting the AM switch. (Daytimers are allowed a five-minute

grace period, once in a while, hi-RtH.)

KNBR 680 is carrying (L.A.) Raiders this season (waiting for the Giants' season to end first. . .finally, hi). They dropped the Warriors BkB; KCBS will have them instead.

Weird conditions last night (29 September), with fair signals from the east (WIW, WIS, WCAU under KCLG, etc) while I had much trouble trying to get the Padres/Dodgers on either KFMB or XEXX (had to settle for the Dodgers side. . . on KDWN and KTMS).

Next week - directional antenna arrays for cordless phones. 73 de MaS.

JIM HILLIKER, 1502 E. HEDGEWOOD DR., ANAHEIM, CA 92805

Greetings to all. Rain has come to SoCal this week and it feels like the

season is off to a good start.

My work schedule is great for DX'ing now. I work from 2-9PM doing afternoon drive news. So, I have all night to DX and can sleep in a while. That gives me MM to DX and I can DX SSS on weekends.

Went over to visit with Matthew Shugart at his apartment in Laguna Beach. It's a very tiny place, but I brought my R-1000 and R. West loop. We heard the pirate KXRY 830 that night; haven't heard it since. It was Matt's first logging since February. He says hello to everyone; he's still going to school at University of California at Irvine.

I'm still hearing a few new stations, 24 this month, which brings me up to a total of 354 as of 30 September. East coast is coming in well and heard South Carolina for the first time and another from Georgia: WYNX 1550. Hope-

fully these conditions will continue.

Logged KBAS 1490. Called the station. They were surprised and wanted a letter from me. Address, not in NRC Log is: 2332 Suite A, Highway 95, Riviera, A7 86442. Station is licensed to Bullhead City. He told me that they're automated using Satellite Music Network's Starstation format. But, they're getting a new 50 kw FM soon and the FM will be Starstation and the AM will use the country format.

Other happenings, my girlfriend Laura won the new Sony SRF-A100 AM stereo receiver from KHJ this week. She also won a KHJ "The Boss is Back" t-shirt, which she gave to me. The receiver works very well, interesting hearing different systems. KFI is using the Magnavox system now after Harris was taken off by the FCC. (Between the IRCA convention and KHJ, Laura's really cleaning up, hi-RtH.)

I've been in touch with local DX'ers Don Erickson, Mark Bixby, Steve Mitt-

man and Doug Pifer. By the time you read this, I probably will have seen most of them at the 08 October SCADS meet.

Received veries back from KV00 (nice package of maps, keychain, badge, etc.); KVSF and KIQS. I've got 16 reports out right now.

Well, that's all for now. Take care and 73 'til the next time.

(Just when you thought you've read enough, back it comes again, and there's still one more installment, even. . .it's the Jaisun Journals)

JEF JAISUN, 12860 136th AVE. NE, KIRKLAND, WA 98033--Jaisun Journals III

Reflections on the convention. A lot of auction stuff that came from Seattle area DX shacks simply swapped local locations. I had to open my big mouth a couple times with remarks like, "Hey, if you guys won't bid on it, I will." Wrong thing to say at an IRCA auction. I got a lot of books, a KXA Gold 77 ashtray (I don't smoke), (Ohmagosh, you've given that up? Hi-RtH), PM's cheezie FM stereo set, some busted headphones. There's a Yiddish phrase for stuff like: Vilda matziya. It means, "wild bargain." Indeed, hi. I did pick up some rather good electronic tech books, which, for a guy like me in

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Of Special Interest

1050 WSKE PA Everett, ex-1050 fair-poor days, pretty good SR & SS. C&W format. (BH-MD) 10/1 1500 fair w/ Pitt football. (RAL-VA)

_____ 970 WWIT NC Canton, 9/26 1945 s/off by m, no SSB. Fair. (WPT-DC) 1000 WSUM 0H Parma, 9/29 1937 C&W mx w/ ment of I-77 & state 82. Fair.

(WPT-DC)

1090 WKFI OH Wilmington, 9/29 1945 s/off w/ ment of SW OH. Final words by f. Fair u/ WBAL. (WPT-DC)
1330 WADJ PA Somerset, 9/29 1735 nx by f, fair. (WPT-DC)
CKLD PQ Thetford Mines, 9/3 2136 nx in FF by m. Xlnt. (WPT, at NRC

convention in Enfield, CT)

1390*WEED*NC*Rocky Mount, 9/10 0332 "WEED, Rocky Mount, NC testing" by CE.

Good. (WPT-DC) 1430 WDEX NC Monroe, 9/29 2047 T40 mx w/ ID by m DJ. Fair to good atop channel. (WPT-DC)

Eastern DXers

BH - Bill Harms, Laurel, MD RAL - Bob Lazar, Reston, VA

WPT - Bill Townshend, Washington, DC

73's

electronics school, has been a pretty decent find. Like bp's 15-year-old FCC exam cram book, replete with 600 of the questions you're most likely to no exam cram book, replete with oboto the questions you be most likely as ho longer find on the exam. Still, it's good background stuff, and I found my-self getting about half the answers right with only the few months of tech study under my brain belt. I hope to take the General (First Class) exam sometime this fall. Does anyone know where I can get my hands on a current

cram book or study guide?

Sorts funny how those convention pix printed in the bulletin came out.

The ones of Segalas and Phil came from a roll that somehow was totally. fogged prior to shooting, so it's amazing they came out at all. Whereas the group shot with John Price at KSPL looked a lot better in the glossy print. Oh well, such is the life of the next Ansel Adams show, hi. (The exciting conclussion - wake up Seattle Publishing crew - of Jaisun's Journal next wk.)

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After last week, seems like shouting into a barrel this week. Back on the

weekly schedule; this always seems to happen every year.

Local radio: Finally talked to PD (owner's son) at KRED re applications

for two more area stations (1160 Ferndale, 1200 Eureka). His opinion: They'll be turned down - not enough financial backing. This market is already at the saturation level. Speaking of new stations, KEKA FM's target date is 15 October. Via the grapevine (engineer friend at KEET-TV), they'll simulcast KEKA AM until the AM's sunset s/off, then feed Satellite country music. This will be real interesting - going from a mixture of standards, big band, MoR to country in a matter of a minute or a newscast.

Mark, daytimers are given a five minute grace period to leave the air, as well as fulltimers to power up or down. I can't begin to tell you how many times I powered up five (or more) minutes before legal sunrise when I weekended at KPLS 1150 Santa Rosa, hi.

Jef, it was my experience at the '76 S.F. IRCA convention that at the auc-

tion, Erickson would bid furiously to get the price off and had the knack of knowing when to shut up and let some poor sucker buy the overpriced merchandise, except a couple of times when I timed it right and he ended up with the goods, then had to nerve to ask if we accepted Visa, hi.

Conditions have been the pits lately when checking - guess I'm listening at the wrong time. Have done some midday scans weekends and some SSS after work (too many TVs turned on) with zero results. In fact the only DX has been shooting skip to Dixie on the two-way. That's desparation, hi. Jim, that's quite a list of area DX'ers you've been in touch with lately,

and as I recall it's been a while since they last forumed. . .hint, hint, hi. Otta room. See y'all in seven. Save some DX for me, 73 de RtH. .

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All da Rest DAUPHIN, 9/15 1225, rck mx, spots, "DM 73" IDs & "73 CKDM" IDs. FM-IA 730 CKDM MB HARROGATE, 10/1 0634 fair in CBL null W/lcl spot & wx. On 45 minutes 740 WSVQ TN early, apparently forgot about the month change. RK-IL ST. IOUIS, 9/17 0714 "WEW Presents", ID, MX, BED MX. FM-IA GAYLORD, W/good signal & S/Off 9/24 1945 O/WNNO. JR-WI 770 WEW MO 900 WZXM MI YORKTON, 9/15 1008 ID, livestock rpt into mx, very poor O/U/KIOA. FM-IA TUPELO, 10/1 0700 fair in mess W/S/On. Shouldn't have come on until 940 CJGX SK 1060 WCFB MS KYW's sunrise @ 0715. Several other CLT stations here also came on early. RK-IL WAUKON, W/loud S/Off on 9/24 2014, fair O/KSOO & WRVA. JR-WI KNEI IA 1140 STILIMATER, 9/30 2030 good W/S/Off, no SSB. RK-IL
ALBIA, 9/19 0819 a fast fade in & out, W/ID & market rpt. FM-IA 1220 WVLE MN 1370 KLBA IA BUTTE, 9/16 0108 rck mx, "13XL" IDs, wx, fair. FM-IA MT KXLF MANCHESTER, 10/1 0325 fair thru WSPD & UniDed ET. RK-IL WFEA NH WESTIOCK, 10/1 0446 fair W/C&W mx & PSA for Westlock Fire Dept. RK-IL CFOK AB MCKEESFORT, W/faint but clear calls C&W mx 9/25 0043, poor U/WGEE. JR-WI PARSONS, 9/21 2026 ID in KXEL null, "Kansas City Royals baseball on 1360 WIXZ PA 1540 KLKC KS KLKC" FM-IA WEST VALLEY CITY, 9/13 0920 C&W mx, Utah State fair promos & ID, fade into KKJO. FM-IA (Fritz, was this AM or PM ? Please report in Eastern 1550 KRGO UT

Dem Bums

RK.... Freddie the Freeloader
(R-1000, HQ-140X, HQ-129X, Radio West Loop, Kowalski Loop, spiral loop)
FM.... Fritz Mellberg Box 10B Hawarden, IA 51023
(ICOM R-70, Unamplified wedge, random wires)
JR.... John Rieger 529A South 71st Milwaukee, WI 53214
(ICOM IC-H70, R-1000, Kowalski loops)

time & put your initials on each report, ed.)

CADX XIV

It's getting closer & closer to the 14th annual edition of the CADX holiday get together. The dates are Dec. 30 Jan.2. There will be all sorts of fun, including a MM AN session. For more info, call the host, Robert Kramer, at 1-(312)-262-6299. Don't forget the 2nd annual Silent Film festival on New Year's morning beginning at 0005. Some brief reviews of what is to be seen follow.

HAUNTED STOCKS: Harold Lloyd, Mildred Davis (1920) ***
Mildred is included in a relative's will to inherit a house. The catch, she and her husband must live there for a year or it goes to a crooked uncle. Unfortunately, Mildred has no marriage prospects. In the meantime, Harold has lost the latest of the only woman he ever loved. As a result, he tries time after time to kill himself... all attempts are botched up. When he tries to throw himself in front of a car, he runs into Mildred's lawyer, who arranges their marriage, When they move into the house, the coniving uncle tries to scare them out of the house by making it appear haunted.

EASY STREET: Charlie Chaplin, Edna Purviance, Eric Campbell (1917) ****
Charlie is a skidrow bum that wanders into a mission. He becomes infatuated with the daughter of the minister & vows to go straight. He joins the police dept. & cleans up, singel handedly, the toughest street in town.

THE BAKERY,: Larry Semon (1921) ***
Larry is an incompetant bakery clerk. Some great sight gags in this one.

RADIO GUIDE

Dallas Morning News via Charles George

KRGX (570) 24 hours: Contemp.	KSKY (860) Sunrise-sunset: Religious
KKDA (730) 6 am-sunset: Contemp.	WBAP (820) 24 hours: Country
KJIM (870) Sunrise-sunset: Country	KBAX (970) 6 am-Sunset: Jaxz
KPBC (1040) Sunrise-sunset: Religious	KRLD (1080) 24 hours: News
KVIL (1150) 6 am-sunset: Contemp.	KLIF (1180) 24 hours: Country/Larry King
KFJZ (1270) 24 hours: Big band	KAAM (1310) 24 hours: Oldies
KXOL (1360) 24 hours: Country	KBEC (1390) 6 am-sunset: CNN
KDNT (1440) 24 hours: Country	KMEZ (1480) 24 hours: Easy listening
KUQQ (1540) 5 am -midnight: Spanish	KXVI (1600) 6 am-midnight; Gospei

FM STATIONS	KCBI (89.5) 24 hours: Religious
KNTU (68.1)* 7 am-1 am: Jazz-classical	KHON (90.9) 6 a.m12 mid.: Community
KERA (90.1) 24 hours: Nat'l Public Radio	KVTT (91.7) 24 hours: Religious
KAFM (R2.5) 24 hours: Contemp.	KESS (93.9) 24 hours: Spanish
KW16 (\$4.5) 24 hours: Christian	KMMK (953) 0 am-midnight: Pop
KSCS (98.3) 24 hours: Country	KEGL (97.1) 24 hours: Album rock
KZEW (98) 24 hours: Album rock	KLVU (98.7) 24 hours: Contemp.
KPLX (99.5) 24 hours: Country	KMEZ (100.3) 24 hours: Easy listening
WRR (101.1) 24 hours: Classical	KTXQ (102.1) 24 hours: Album rock
KMGC (102.8) 24 hours: Pop-adult	KVIL (103.7) 24 hours: Contemp.
KKDA (104.5) 24 hours: Soul	KOAX (105.3) 24 hours: Easy listening
KIXK (108.1) 24 hours: Classic hits	KNOK (107.5) 24 hours: Soul
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WESTERN DX ROUNDUP

All times are Eastern Local

Phone for hot WDXR tips: (206)532-6827 till 10pm(PLT)--no collect calls DEADLINES: Tuesdays Oct. 18, Oct. 25, Nov. 1, Nov. 8, Nov. 15 REPORTERS FOR THIS ISSUE: Alan Davidson-8121 E. Balfour Dr.-Tucson, AZ 85710 (AD) GE 7-2950 w/built-in antenna Jim Hilliker-1502 E. Hedgewood Ave.-Anaheim, CA 92805 (JH) Kenwood R-1000, Radio West loop (ASL) Albert Lobel-Post Office Box 26762-San Diego, CA 92126 FRG-7 & Radio West loop Roy Millar-7420 57th Dr. N.E.-Marysville, WA 98270 (RM) FRG-7, SM-2; Grundig 5077, SM-1 Bruce Portzer-6546 19th NE-Seattle, WA (bp) (bp-WA) HQ-180A, 4 loop (bp-BC) FRG-7, 1000° EW Beverage at Jordan River, BC 9/3-9/4 (bp-UT) Realistic TRF at Ogden, UT 9/6-9/9 Robert Wien-1309 Dentwood Dr.-San Jose, CA 95118 GE Superadio, GE long-range portable, SM-2 OF SPECIAL INTEREST: WA, Seattle new signs along I-5 at mileposts 162 (N'bound) and 171 (S'bound) advise to "Tune to 530 when lights are flash-530 ing." Similar sign at east end of SR520 floating bridge and probably near east end of I-90 floating bridge. Apparently to advise of congestion on the two floating bridges and/or construction of new I-90/I-5 interchange, but haven't hrd it construction of new I-90/I-5 interchange, but haven't hrd it on the air yet. This may explain the recent absense of the TIS at Henry Jackson Airport (formerly Sea-Tac Airport). (bp-WA)

1210 *KREW* WA, Sunnyside 9/21 0431 ET'ing w/TT, OC. Had hrd a tone looping N extremely strong, def. wasn't KCLG or KGYN, suspected KREW, so called stn next day, 9/22. They said they had been ET'ing previous night, was still on 1230 kHz, but was scheduled to move to 1210 kHz on 10/1/83 w/10kw days & 1kw nights, and were testing their xmtr they will be using. There goes 1210 in the Pac. NWI Maybe Pat Martin did hear them ET'ing! (RW-CA) Pac. NW! Maybe Pat Martin did hear them ET'ing! (RW-CA) Tr. Salt Lake City has apparently dropped CNN (unless it's at 4am). No CNN features or promos noted 9/6-9/7 despite considerable listening. (bp-UT) 1280 KDYL ***** KOY AZ, Phoenix 9/25 2315 w/sports nx. (ASL-CA)
KSFO CA, San Francisco 9/25 2328 w/Great Sounds and spot for
United Airlines Tours to Hawaii. (ASL-CA)
?WIND? II., Chicago 9/25 2335 very unlikely but nonetheless I hrd 550 KOY 560 KSFO several referals to the Windy City. Never before hrd here & still not counted in my official logs. (ASL-CA) UT, Salt Lake City 9/25 2345 very likely u/KLAC. Too weak to 570 ?KLUB? be sure. Only other one ever hrd here was CFWH Whitehorse YT and I doubt I'll ever hear that one again. (ASL-CA) (Program details?--NH) 580 KMJ CA, Fresno 9/25 2350 w/Talknet program (per IRCA Almanac).(ASL)
600 ?KROD? TX, El Paso 9/25 0005 very likely u/a very strong local KOGO.
Tive hrd KROD before in KOGO null. (ASL-CA) CA, San Francisco 9/25 0010 w/rock mx. (ASL-CA)
NM, Albuquerque 9/15 0145 good w/C&W mx, YL DJ, ment. of "All-610 KFRC KRKE new KRKE." Unusually strong signal tonight. (AD-AZ) OR, Medford 8/22 0359 ABC Contemp. nx, YL w/wx, "KYJC Medford" STD, then rock mx. Good at first but gradually lost in QRM. KYJC (bp-WA) OR, Portland 8/29 0452 off or running OC, leaving KWFT & CKCK 620 (KGW) to battle it out. (bp-WA) AB, Edmonton 8/29 0135 local-like w/rock mx, contest promo, ads, "6-30 Ched" IDs. Creaming KIDO, no sign of CKOV.(bp-WA) 630 CHED CA, Los Angeles 9/26 0442 still noted ID'ing as "AM Stereo, 640 KFI KFI," even though KFI has Harris stereo which was banned by FCC. Have they switched systems? (RW-CA)
KFI +9/17 0550 noted w/OC & TT's. (AD-AZ)
(KFI) +9/17 off or TTing much of morning; on RS at 0756 tune-in tape segment. No domestics heard. (RM-WA)

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690 (XETRA)BCN, Tijuana 9/15 0549 went off at the end of a song for
           unknown reasons. Still off at 0620 recheck. (AD-AZ)
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UT, Ogden now oldies w/IDs as K-7, AM-73, and "The Best of 730 KSVN Utah Gold." Ex-C&W. (bp-UT)

(CKLG) $\frac{BC}{0700}$, Vancouver 8/29 0505 & 9/19 0517 noted off. Back on by 0700 8/29 and 0620 9/19. Have noted this one off many MMs lately. (bp-WA)

MT, Polson 9/4 0102 dominant w/AP net nx, C&W mx, "7-50 Kerr" IDs. Good w/KXL/HTX in background. (bp-BC)
HI, Kahului 9/24 0408 fair o/XEW in CJVI null w/wx, ID. Rare 750 KERR

900 KNUI here. (RW-CA)

CA, Oakland-San Francisco 9/24 0350 totally off. (RW-CA) 910 (KNEW) UT, Salt Lake City 9/24 0359 fair o/mess w/"Kall 91" ID in KALL XEAO null. (RW-CA)

920 ?KDES? CA, Palm Springs 9/17 2015 poor to fair w/Sat. Nite Oldies Request Show, Calif. Hwy Patrol PSA, ID by OM sounded like "92 K-Des." Looped E-W. (AD-AZ)

930 KSWB

940 *KFRE*

OR, Seaside 9/4 0959 strong w/s/on. (bp-BC)
CA, Fresno 9/23 0458 w/TT. (RW-CA)
AZ, Phoenix 9/16 2020 good w/oldies mx, traffic rpts. Ex-KARZ. 960 KOOL (AD-AZ)

UT, Richfield 9/8 2142 fair w/wx, pastor at 2144, s/off at KSVC 2145. New. (AD-AZ)

1020 (KTNQ) CA, Los Angeles 9/24 0410 totally off. KYXE bombing in, now using "Supercountry KYXE" slogan. (RW-CA)

WA, Selah 9/14 ID 2056 as "24 hours." Joins KTBI-810 as another "mid-day" cross-Cascade regular. (RM-WA) +9/15 0102 good w/C&W mx, "AM 1020 Super Country, KYXE Selah"
ID, ABC nx. Noted C&W mx here MM 9/19 but didn't check for ID, so KYXE may be NSP. (bp-WA)

KUKQ AZ, Tempe 9/16 2023 good w/urban/soul mx, ment. of 1st day of
"New K-Q," so possibly format change. (AD-AZ)

(KPAY) CA, Chico 9/23 0300 w/annct. they'd be "off for the night,"
then off w/OC. (RW-CA) 1060

CO, Englewood 9/18 0406 good w/oldies mx. No sign of KCKY. 1150 KRZN New. (AD-AZ) +9/22 0438 fair o/KPRZ w/"Cruisin' eleven-fifty" slogan, oldies. Not hrd often. (RW-CA)

OR, Portland 9/12 0702 and 9/19 0635 noted off w/intermittent 1190 (KEX)

OC. Has been NSP for a while, so maybe... (bp-WA)

AZ, Kingman 9/18 0305 very poor at s/off, ment. of s/on next 1230 KAAA marning at 5am. Pulled this one out of mud. New. (AD-AZ) KLAV

NV, Las Vegas 9/18 0310 poor w/pop mx, album giveaway promo, wx at 0313, DJ Ken Anderson. New. (AD-AZ)
NM, Gallup 9/18 0245 fair o/mess w/OM DJ, rr mx, clear ID. KYVA

Dominant on freq. all nite. New. (AD-AZ)

Towns of the City 9/19 2146 fair w/oldies & light pop mx, wx at 2152. Call change, ex-KCPX. KHYT-1330 off for unknown reasons. (AD-AZ) 1320 KBUG

NM, Gallup 9/19 2155 poor w/CBS football w/KHYT off. Extreme 1330 KGAK

1330 KGAK NM, GAILUP 9/19 215) pool wy obs toolstall w, and T-storm QRN. New. (AD-AZ)

1350 *KSRO* CA, Santa Rosa 9/23 0520 ET'ing w/C&W mx. (RW-CA)

1370 (KEEN) CA, San Jose 9/20, 9/21, 9/23 0300-? off for various periods these days, was also off last week a lot. (RW-CA)

1390 *KGER* CA, Long Beach MM 9/26 0500-0645 off RS; off & on w/OC, TTs. Back on RS when checked 0645. (JH-CA) UT, Logan MM 9/26 0528 C&W mx, quick IDs, noisy, some QRM KBLQ

KELQ OT, Logan MM 9/26 0220 C&W mx, Quick DS, Noisy, Some QNM from what I assume was KSLM. New. (JH-CA)

1410 *KERN* CA, Bakersfield 9/25 0516 w/TT. (RW-CA)

1470 *KUTY? CA, Palmdale 9/25 2145 tent. in tight KWIZ null. Man talking, obvoius commercial, ment. of Canyon Country (north of Los Angeles) the QRM from Mexican (XEBEC?) fading up o/it. Fair. (JH-CA)

1530 (KFEK) CA, Sacramento 9/26 0423-0800 totally off. (RW-CA)

*KECK? NE, Lincoln 9/26 0800 poss. one w/blip ID "--C," into unID returns to an burn. Had C&W prior to ID. wined out by KFBK

network nx on hour. Hrd C&W prior to ID, wiped out by KFEK s/on. What's KECK's format? (RW-CA)

1540 (KZLA) CA, Los Angeles 9/26 0318 totally off. (RW-CA)

1550 WMMOO AL, Mobile 9/26 0736 good at first in partial KRGO null, then lost rapidly. Wx for Mobile, into relig. hymn. New, AL #3.(RW)

KQXI CO, Arvada 9/26 0858 fair o/KRGO w/Through the Bible program, ID, into Voice of Prophecy, then lost. (RW-CA)

1550 WYNX GA, Smyrna MM 9/26 0715 tight KRGO null, looking for WMOO or WOKJ, but nothing. Then, 0715, voice faded up, "...Family Radio, 15-50, W-Y-N-X," "N" was barely hrd, due to noise. Then, into ad for Bible Bookstore. Faded out w/QRM from Mexican. Only hrd for about a minute. Called stn to confirm

wextrain. Only firm for about a minute. Called str to confirm it. They asked for a report. New. (JH-CA) (Good catch, Jim. You've earned a pat on the head by the official WDXR penguin for reporting such a great catch!--NH) ND. West Fargo-Fargo MM 9/26 0323-0340 KKHI appears to be off, KRGO dominant, in fact, a pest! Suddenly voice fades up w/quick ID "...degrees on K-Q-W-B," into rr mx, fade out, leaving KRGO alone. Mx faded up o/KRGO several times & got one more ID. Fair to noor. New. State #31. (JH-CA) KQWB

one more ID. Fair to poor. New. State #31. (JH-CA) SC. Lancaster 9/26 0645-0655 good at times o/WPAD w/relig. 1560 WAGL program, wx, several local spots, nice jingle ID, all on tape, C&W. Should've been on 500w PSA at this time, switch to 50kw

of the second of 1590 KMTI This reception is strange in that nulling KLIV also nulls Salt Lake City (nearly!), just like when I hrd KURY-910 Brookings, OR in KNEW's null! New. (RW-CA)

Sept. f/c heard: 3rd Wed. 0230-0245 KKIT-1340 NM (RW-CA) UNIDs:

590 9/25 0000 lots of stations mixing it up here w/NBC, CBS, ABC hourly

860

nx. Too much KOGO-600 slop to ID any. (ASL-CA)
9/19 0525 classical piano mx, then "American Pie" 0531½. Strong,
creaming XEMO, looping NNW/SSE. (bp-WA)
9/24 0436 unID w/Larry King weak in mess u/KGAL in KOLO null. KORK
and KQEU listed, but KORK no longer carries it. Thought I hrd CBS 920 nx on hour. Does KXLY carry King, or was it KQEU I had? (RW-CA) 1010

9/22 0426 unID TT very strong, loop NE. Probably CBR, but the way this week went, maybe KTLE ET ing on 1010? (RW-CA)

9/21 0442 way u/KTOM w/Larry King. KOTA or KTSM? (RW-CA) 9/24 1017 wx in KPMA null w/forecast for "low 70's," then ID as 1380 1400

KELK, KCCK or similar. (bp-WA)

9/26 0745 faded up in mess w/wx for "Austin," then lost, no doubt 1540 either KGEC, KUQQ or KEDA. KEDA common here w/KZLA off, but KGEC is closer. Wasn't in SS, either. (RW-CA)

I've had the "Stiff Penguin Flipper" award for a few years now, but a few days ago I thought it would be nice to have an award for someone who reports a good catch. So with this column the "pat on the head by the IRCA penguin" begins. I'll award it for a very good catch, or anything else that I think deserves a "Penguin Pat." So, if you live in WDXR-land send in your good catches--maybe you will earn a "Penguin Pat" like Jim earned this week.

THE RATINGS IN GUATEMALA CITY

These two charts are taken from an eight page booklet entitled "La Radio Es el Medio", printed up by Radio Rumbos, 1210 kHz. It summarizes the 1982

Multiplex ratings survey in Guatemala.

The top chart is interpreted as follows. Three time periods across top followed by an average (promedio). Stations are down the left column. S.S. and Fabuestereo are FM, VEA is the 1570 station. "Otras 20 emisoras" refers to 20 others not listed above. "Encedidos" is the percentage of the total Guat City population listening to the radio during that time period, and apagados, those not. The station percentages are not audience shares, but the percentage of the total Guat City population tuning in. E.g., Nuevo Mundo's average of 4% is a 10% audience share of the 39.4% average

listening (Arbitron might disagree with me...).

Below are the ten most popular programs. Number one is the country's most popular news program. The others I've not heard but can judge from titles: #2 Children's Festival, #3 Marimba Music, #4 radio soaps, #5 not sure, Flash Gordan maybe?, #6 "Cleaning Clun", music for housewives, #7 soaps, #8 memory club, #9 "Little Mornings in Your House", #10 "Guate-

malan Hour" (Chapino is a slang term like Yankee).

The booklet is of little practical DX use but interesting nonetheless.

If anyone is interested I can photocopy and air mail it to you for \$2.00 US, cash only please. It is entirely in Spanish, but is rather easy to understand.

While on booklets, another one I just got is a 38 page (20 pages photocopied) one on Emisoras Unidas in Honduras. Again not of practical DX use, but if you're interested in broadcasting down here, this contains station profiles and lots of operational details. At least a fair Spanish background is required for this booklet. I can photocopy and airmail it at \$4.00 US, cash only.

--- Don Moore, Apartado #3, Santa Barbara, SB, Honduras

RATING: RADIO CIUDAD GUATEMALA AGOSTO 1982

Rating	7:00 - 12:00	12:00 - 14:00	14:00 - 17:00	PROMEDIO
NUEVO MUNDO	4.0	5.5	2.9	4.0
CIRO'S	4.3	2.6	3,8	3.8
SONORA	4.6	2.0	2.2	3.4
RUMBOS	4.0	3.1	2.2	3.3
MUNDIAL	3.2	2.7	3.4	3.2
5-60	3.7	1.6	1.8	2.8
FABULOSA	2.7	2.7	. 0.8	2.1
S.S.	2.0	1.4	0.9	1.6
VOZ DE LAS AMERICAS	2.1	1.1	0.6	1.5
CONTINENTAL	2.0	0.6	0.6	1.3
FABUESTEREO	1.6	1.2	1.0	1.3
VEA	1.8	0.9	. 0.5	1.3
VOZ DEL HOGAR	1.7	0.7	0.5	1.1
EMPERADOR	1.3	0.9	0.3	0.9
SENORIAL	1.2	0.4	0,6	e.o. • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •
Otras 20 Emisoras 16 A.M. 4 F.M.	7.9	7.2	5.7	7.2
ENCENDIDOS	48.9	34.6	27.8	39.4
APAGADOS	51.9	65.4	72.2	60.8

RADIO: CIUDAD GUATEMALA PRINCIPALES PROGRAMAS

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	PROGRAMA	EMISORA	HORARIO	RATING	DURACION DE MINUTOS
1	Independiente	Nuevo Mundo	12:00 - 13:00	7.8	60'
2	Festival de los Niños	Ciro's	16:00 - 17:00	5.8	60'
3	Chapimarimbas	Sonora	10:00 - 12:00	5.6	120′
. 4	Novelas	Nuevo Mundo	8:00 - 10:00	5.2	120'
5	Guatemala Flash	Fabulosa	12:00 - 13:00	4.7	60'
6	Club de la Limpieza	Ciro's	7:00 - 10:00	4.5	180*
7	Novelas	Mundial	7:00 - 8:00	4.3	60'
8	Club de los Recuerdos	Rumbos	7:00 - 11:00	4.2	240'
9	Mañanitas en su Casa	Sonora	7:30 - 10:00	3.9	150′
10	Hora Chapinisima	Ciro's	11:00 - 12:00	3.9	60′

DX WORLDWIDE - WEST

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We are now into the weekly issues! TP DX seems to have died down at this QTH ate No. A few of the stronger JJs and of course the DUs. I did take a logging on the VOA station on 1580-Antigua this week. See below. In MW news, The Voice of Asia on 621 KHZ with 600 KW in Taiwan has moved to 612 KHZ per NZRDXL and DXA. The move was on 9/1/83. We may have a better shot at the station now. In other news from DXA, the new ABC station at Manjimup,W.A. has changed its call letters from 6PB to 6MJ on 738 KHZ. From Arthur Cushen: 4ZG-558 KHZ-1 KW, has been operting from Gore, N.Z. will move to a new tx site at Dacre and boost to 5 KW(Near Invercargill) on October 20th and 3:00 PM NZ Time. Originating transmissions from the Dacre site also used by 4ZA and 4YZ (864 and 720 KHZ). In the afternoons (weekdays) they will be relaying 4ZA and inserting their own local ads (different than 4ZA). Hopefully the idea of automated Ads will catch on to make verifying relays and syros stations easier. In other news, 4VL-Charleville,Q is running a DX Test on October 10th from 1215-1245 UTC on their translator at Cunnumulla with 176 watts (1584 KHZ). I doubt this column will reach anyone except Seattle, so it probably will not do too much good. This is from DXA and 4VL Radio. Only one report in this week from Bruce Portzer, so away we go:

PAN AMERICAN DX ROUNDUP

730		COSTA RICA, San Jose-TIJC at 0905 on 8/29 fair w/CKLG off with LA mx and ID "Radio Reloj, numera una en Costa Rica" (BP-Wa)
990		MEXICO, Mexicali-XECL fair-good with LA Pops and "9-90 CL" ID w/KOMO splat nulled at 0636 on 8/15 (BP-Wa)
1000	t	COLOMBIA, Cartagena-HJAQ most likely the SS o/u KTOK w/LA folk mx and ment of "la costa norte de Colombia" at 1016 on 9/19 (BP-Wa)
1580		ANTIGUA-VOA, hrd in the mess with Symphonic mx from Stage Musicals at 0345, NX in EE at 0355 and s/off with "This program has come to you from the United States of America" at 0359.30 on 10/3. Lots of KDAY, KLOU, XEDM QRM. Only hrd on 1500' East Beverage. Checked on 10/4, not hrd. Reported. New. (PM-Or)

TRANS-PACIFIC DX ROUNDUP

on 10/4. (PM-Or)

531		AUSTRALIA, Ke mpsey-2MC, mixed with 2 or 3 stations here at 1150 on 9/4. Top of the hour, produced 5 or 6 pips, "2MC news" ID, "CQ"
		several times in morse code, then Network nx. (BP-BC)
		AUSTRALIA, Dalwallinu-6DL, weak w/Jazz and male talk // 6140 at 1356
		on 9/4 (BP-BC)
648		AMERICAN SAMOA, Pago Pago-WVUV, at 1305 on 9/4 good w/nx in U.S. EE
		"5 minutes after 2" TC, then nx in Vernacular. (BP-BC)
650		ALASKA, Anchorage-KYAK, good w/ID,TC,C&W MX at 1054 9/12 (BP-Wa)
657		NORTH KOREA, Pyongyang-fair w/male talk at 1257,flute mx 1259,
		pips at 1300 9/10 (BP-Wa)
700	t	ALASKA, Anchorage-KBYR, probably the one w/oldies and promo for
		U or W Foolball, fair-weak at 1124 9/12 (BP-WA)
711		UNID, wicked het on KMPC at 1119 on 9/12.No Audio (BP-WA)
720		HAWAII, Eleele-KUAI, Hawaijan mx and EE/Hawaijan ancr, fair-weak u/
		KDWN oc/TT 0738 8/15.S/off 0858 w/Island tune. (BP-Wa)
738		TAHITI. Papeete-good w/FF Pop mx at 0722 9/4 easily Separable from
150		740. (BP-BC)
7.7		
747		JAPAN, Sapporo-JOIB good w/EE talk on Stradivarius, 1122 9/12 (BP-Wa)
750		ALASKA, Anchorage-KFQD, creaming KXL w/rr mx and TC, ID at 1053-9/10(BP)
756		UNID, sounded like CC talk at 1152 9/12 in noise and KXA splat (BP-Wa)
765		NEW ZEALAND, Hastings-2ZK, good w/piano mx at 1126 9/4 (BP-BC)
792		AUSTRALIA, Brisbane-4QG, good w/nx at 1302 9/4 (BP-BC)
819		NEW ZEALAND, Rotorua-1YZ, monster signal w/Jazz // 756 at 0920 on
		8/15 (BP-Wa)
830		ALASKA,Long Island-KABN at 0929 8/29,fair in WCCO null w/ID and
		string of ads and promos (BP-Wa)
840		ALASKA, Sand Point-KSDP, fair at 0655 to 0700 with s/off info
340		and "Alaskas Flag" This station sure gets out for only 250 watts,
		and Alaskas i lay in is station sure gets out for only 200 watts;

864 NEW ZEALAND, Invercargill-4ZA, fair u/o unid with pop mx and 7/ 1008 at 1259 9/4 (BP-BC) 870 HAWAII, Honolulu-KAIM, ending "Hour of Decision" Then ID.TC. NX, at 0927 on 8/15 (BP-Wa) 882 UNID, Prob. 1YC w/het against local KIXI at 0908 8/15 (BP-Wa) 890 ALASKA, Adak-AFRS, hrd with rr mx very strong at 1330 on 9/3, much stronger than stations on 891. (PM-Or) 891 AUSTRALIA, Adelaide-5AN,good w/Jazz and // 702 at 1240 9/4(BP-BC) 927 AUSTRALIA, Gladstone #4CD, "Your station 4CD" ID then nx in KSWB Splat at 1400 9/4 (BP-BC) SOLOMON ISLANDS, Gizo-H4B, hrd fair in KDEO/KFRE slop at 0730 on 10/1, Island mx and Native ancr, // 1035 I believe. (PM-Or) AUSTRALIA/NEW ZEALAND, Telephone talk w/Aussie accent,mixing with light rr 1318 974, fair in KOR splat.Probably 2UE/IXW.(BP-BC) 945 954 970 HAWAII, Hilo-KPUA, ID and nx atop freq. at 1401 9/4 (BP-BC) HAWAII, Honolulu-KHVH, nx and tc,ID at 1405 9/4 (BP-BC) 990 1008 NEW ZEALAND, Tauranga-1ZD, great signal all night at 0735 onward 9/4, // 1035, 1044,etc. (BP-BC) 1017 TONGA, Nuku'Alofa-A3Z at 0847 9/4,good w/mx and YL ancr,switched to native tunes w/male ancr at 0900 (BP-BC) 1035 SOLOMON ISLANDS, Honiara, at 0913 9/4, vernacular male ancr // 5020 (BP-BC) CHINA, fair w/JJ FS pgm 1058 9/12, potent by 1130 w/YL in JJ(BP-Wa) UNID, good het, no audio at 1100 9/12 (BP-Wa) NEW ZEALAND, Christchurch-3ZB, pop mx // 1008, fair to nil in 1044 1053 1098 KFAX slop (BP-BC) 1107 UNID, het and carrier at 1136 9/12,bits of audio 1148 (BP-Wa) CHINA, Yambian, fair w/man in KK at 1136 9/12 (BP-Wa) AUSTRALIA, My. Isa-4LM, at 1347 9/4,ad w/possible ment. of Mt. 1206 1368 Isa and possible phone # w/847 or similat prefix. Then lost in 1370 splat. (BP-BC) (Bruce, could the number have been a Suffix? I checked and found prefixes for Mt. Isa as 433 and 434. Unless they could have been giving a number from another town. PM) UNID, het at 1105 9/12-USSR? (BP-Wa) 1377 1413 AUSTRALIA, Newcastle-2KO weak to fair w/Pop mx and ID 1013-9/4 (BP-BC) 1475 MALAYSIA, Sabah-Radio Malaysia fair w/man in Tagalog at 1044 on 9/4, hetting presumed 1XA-1476 (BP-BC) 1476 UNID, weak Oriental, sounded KK or CC at 1106 9/12, USSR? (BP-Wa) 1566 SOUTH KOREA, Cheju-HLAZ, monster signal w/JJ pgm at 1255-9/10(BP-Wa)

VERIFICATIONS:

PORTUGAL, Lisbon, sent nice vq for Tent. report sent (taped), for 9/15 reception, fast service, took 12 days. (PM-Or)

THANKS TO THESE REPORTERS: (If it wasn't for Bruce,I wouldn't have had a Column.Hi)

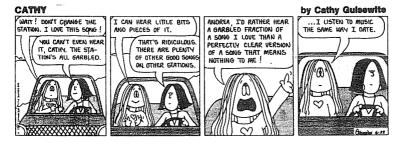
BP-BC Bruce Portzer, DXing at Jordan River, B.C. with NHP-FRG-7,

1000' E/W bev.

BP-Wa Bruce Portzer-6546 19thNE-Seattle, Wa. 98115

HQ-180A, 4ft. loop. PM-Or Yer Editor

SP-600JX, RB0-2, (2) 1500 ft. East Bev, 200' Term. NE LW Ground system, 3 foot loop, SM-2, preamps, etc.



Laura & I are in the process of moving our belongings from Amesbury to Ogunquit, now. NO MORE MAIL TO AMESBURY!

The TA cx of 9/6 to 9/15 were the best I've ever noted with night after night of strong TA's all over the dial. My reports will be brief for most of the more common TA's.

TRANS ATLANTIC DX STAMPEDE

- 164
- FRANCE vg-xlnt w/FF song 0435½ 9/11. (Kaz-N) w.GERMANY-oops this is in FF !! noted gd 0435 9/11 w/deep voiced 185 FF OM in QRN. (Kaz-N)
- 218 t MONOCO barely audible in QRN w/mx 0436 9/11. (Kaz-N)
- ALGERIA Algiers 0132 8/21 Tipaza AA group vocal w/guitars & violins good, easily the best longwave TA. (MC-CC)
 ALGERIA pr w/AA mx & chants 0431 9/11 (Kaz-N) fr-gd 2305 w/AA tk 254
- 531 2305 9/14 (Kaz-SB)
- 549 576
- ALGERIA garbaging 550 w/strong het- AA talk // 531, 2306 9/11(K-SB) ALGERIA Bachar pr w/AA mx & chanting // 531 0214 9/14. I think I had some GG here w/ 2 sig's mixed; weak around 0330 9/15.(Kaz-MA) SFAIN Madrid noted almost constantly during the TA opening 9/6-9/15. Often to xlnt peaks w/little troble from WEEI.(Kaz) W.GERMANY/MORROCCO a mixture of Frankfurt w/typical soft muzak & Oujda w/AA mx 0440 9/15. (Kaz-MA) 585
- 594
- 603 612
- MOROCCO noted as big loud het on WGIR 2300 9/14 (Kaz-MA)
 in w/AA mx, fr. 2351 9/11. (Kaz-N)
 CANARY ISLANDS het was often noted but not up to the potent strenth 621 of many of the Euro. TA's. (Kaz) 9/6 -9/15
- 639
- SPAID APABEA Jeddah frag00247-249 9/9 whom foded definate & clear 648
- 648 ** SAUDI ARABIA Jeddah fr-gd0247-249 9/9 when faded. definate & clear AA talk by M. Stayed in but weak until 0320 fade out. I couldn't even here a trace of BBC pips at 0300. (Kaz-MA) + 0305 9/9 AA chants hrd briefly, poor. (Hakiel-NY)
 - 657 t
 - MOROCCO Laayoune-regeneration helped to pull bits of audio thru WNBC slop(in between songs) 0006 9/18. sd/lk AA talk. (Kaz-N) FORTUGAL pr w/M in PP 2332 9/9. Hrd other days & times, too, but WNBC slop makes this rough. (Kaz-MA) 666
- WNBC slop makes this rough. (Kaz-MA)
 UNID w/mx & then M &W in Euro. lang. briefly fr-gd but too much
 WRKO slop 0244-0246 9/9. No likely candiadates are listed as on at
 this hour in WRTH . (Kaz-MA)
 SPAIN Sevilla 0326 8/31 soft mx, SS talk by W, fr. (HAkiel-NY) +
 often easily getting by local WRKO. (Kaz)
 ENGLAND Droitwich BBC 0307 9/12 EE talk, pop mx, gd. (GH-NY) +
 v.gd noted in passing //909 w/rock 0505 9/15. Carries nightime
 pgm of muzak at earlier times in the night. (Kaz-MA)
 MOROCCO Sebaa Aioun v.gd clobbering WIW w/AA M sd/lk nx 2302 675
- 684
- 693
- 702 MOROCCO Sebaa Aioun v.gd clobbering WLW w/AA M, sd/lk nx 2302 9/14. (Kaz-SB)
- MOROCCO Tarfaya noted fr w/AA talk, 2340 9/14; France not listed on at thishour. Noted again 2332 9/12 during opening which favor-711 t Iberia & N.W Africa. (Libya 827 was quite pr & barely audible) I think this was // 819 w/AA mx & ghants but too much TVI near 819 to be sure. The above considerations plus the het I've noted looping east from Ogunquit Beach during gd N.W Afro cx make me
- think this AA stn is Tarfaya & not Libya. (Kaz-N on 9/11 & MA 9/12) FRANCE Rennes gd w/FF M&W tearing up WOR during super & best ever noted lowend TA opening. 0435 9/15. (Kaz-MA)

 FORTUGAL 2300 9/12 Norte to fr peaks w/disco mx & PP talk. (MC-Bos) 711
- 720 + v.gd in YVOE null w/PP M 2331, almost xint 2335 o/WGN 9/11(Kaz-N) + Noted in passing // 666 w/PP 2328 9/12 (Kaz-MA) TUNISIA Sfax I noted a TT looping TA here u/WGN 0350. Then from
- 720 0354-0359 tune out AA chanting & mx was noted pr-fr. No Portugal noted at the time. Stn. causing a 1.7 KHz SAH w/somebody. 9/15. (Kaz-MA)

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720 ** UNID very interesting TA noted w/WGN at 2314. Primitive tribal mx
                                then chanting which sounded more African than AA. Then M ancr in
                              then chanting which sounded more Airican than AA. Then M andr in African sounding lang, not PP or SS(YVOE was nulled) Then time now 2320 9/14. Tropical & island-type mx, with birds chirping in background lasted up to v.gd 'til 2327 fade. Portugal surfaced briefly thru WGN 2329. The unID came back 2332 & lasted until 2345 with the same tropical mx, birds often chirping, etc., Afro sounding M appeared briefly. Two possibilities are listed here. Canary Is. listed on 'till 2400 & Nigeria listed on 'til 2300 w/EE 2100-2300
                               & The at some other times. Pgmg would seem to make one think this was Nigerian but cx at the time (great opening to coastal N.Afr., 837 Canary in, however 747 Upper Volta from inland Afr. only a weak het) Perhaps Canary Is. carries local pgmg for Island natives instead of SS at this time- I don't feel cx were right to allow a 50 KW Nigerian to come in this well. Bill Bailey
                               right to allow a DO KW Nigerian to come in this well. Bill Balley has noted similar stuff here, also unID. I'll write the sth's(K-SB) SPAIN synchros v.gd w/SS //738,774 o/another w/SAH & soft instr.mx at this time,0517 9/15, the unID would most likely be Portugal as LSR should've eliminated Greece.(Kaz-MA) SPAIN 0338 9/7 Barelona RTVE fr w/W in SS, CBL phased. (MC-MA) fr 0304 9/9 W in SS talk. (GH-NY) + xlnt// even stronger 774 w/SS nx by M&W. (Kaz-MA)
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SS nx by M&W. (Kaz-MA)
UPPER VOLTA Ouagadougou noted pr looping east w/pop hit "Blue Bayou" 747

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UPPER VOLTA Ouagadougou noted pr looping east w/pop hit "Blue Bayou // 48155W (SW suffers greatly from Ute QRM) 2348 9/8.(Kaz-MA) + peaking fr-gd w/African rhythms then FF M, then slow FF song w/guitar // 4815 2354-2357 9/11. Dakar 765 is usually very strong when Ouagadougou is brd. (Kaz-N) HOLLAND 0158 9/7 powerhouse OC. (MC-MA) HOLLAND Flevoland 0448 9/11, W w/DD talk, gd. (Hakiel-NY) + big OC noted 0320 9/9 w/bits of a M, prob. Bulg. noted under. xlnt 0348-0355 w/DD W, ment Netherlands. On early for summer time. + 0345 9/15 superb! LOCAL-LIKE!! 10 dB 0/750 stns; usual two note door-bell-type TS into DD W w/s/on: far atop Bulgaria. (Kaz-MA) 747

bell-type IS into DD W w/s/on: far atop Bulgaria. (Kaz-MA) BULGARIA Petric noted w/Slavic M u/Holland OC 0326 9/13, I noted CL mx most likely from them as they're the only AN'er w/ any power 747 0106 9/14. + 0343 9/15 w/ Slavic M way u/Holland's IS w/ poss. a terribly weak third stn(no idea who) also in. (Kaz-MA)
UNID 0336 9/7 somebody u/Holland OC, causing 1 Hz SAH. (MC-MA)
PORTUGAL Lisboa 2312 Sep 12 xlnt w/ cl mx. (MC-Bos)

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PORTUGAL Lisboa 2312 Sep 12 xlnt w/ cl mx. (MC-Bos)
W. GERMANY Braunschweig good o/TVI which ruins this channel earlier
in the evening: GG ancr speaking. 0433 9/15. (Kaz-MA)
SENEGAL Dakar is now the best TA at LSS (yep, even better than 891)
v.gd every night at worst 9/8-9/17 often incredibly LOCAL-LIKE!!
from coastal QTH's. (Kaz) + 2335 9/1 AA chants & talk, better than
SW// 4890, also 0100 9/3 w/NA at s/off, xlnt. (GH-NY) + 2215 9/12
AA talk & mx; potent carrier, mediocre audio lvl. (Connelly-Bos)
They carry a mix of AA,FF, & Vernacular pgmg-ed.
SWITZERIAND Sottens gd-v.gd w/FF W looping Furope 0401(prob just 765

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SWITZERLAND Sottens gd-v.gd w/FF W looping Europe 0401(prob just after s/on as OC noted earlier) 9/8. + xlnt w/FF song during super lowband cx to Europe 0443 9/15. (Kaz-MA) SPAIN synchros 0400 9/8 RTVE to fr peaks w/W in SS; storm QRN a problem though. (MC-MA) + 2315 9/12 SS talk in heavy WABC slop (MC-Bo) + 0527 9/9 SS talk, EE disco/pop mx,gd.(GH-NY) + very often in well & tremendous at 0445 9/15. (Kaz-MA) PORTUGAL 2254 9/12 Porto/Miramar gd w/man in PP, then pop mx.(MC-B) + 0522 9/9 FP talk, accordion mx, gd. (GH-NY) + v.gd w/PP M 2302 9/9/11. (Kaz-MI) 774

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9/11. (Kaz-RI)

E.GERMANY Burg v.gd-xlnt 0209-0213 9/14 w/EE & Euro rock/T40 mx & GG M ancr. (Kaz-MA) + xlnt & very strong way o/Portugal which is usually dominant at LSS. Clear GG W noted 2310-2312 9/14(Kaz-SB) 783

FRANCE Limoges dominant o/.62 Hz SAH// 837 et al 0347 9/15(Kaz-MA) SPAIN Sevilla EAJ5 noted w/SS M o/.62 Hz SAH which I presume was from France whose//'s were noted w/TT at this time 0332 9/15(K-MA) 792 792

UNID het was noted on 800 several days 9/6-9/15 at different times 801 off the TA night but I could not slice off any audio from the

presume German or Russian. (Kaz-MA)

**** 810 ** SPAIN MADRID EAJ7 checking this even channel at 0417 9/15 during wonderful opening I noted 2 men in SS which sounded more like it came from Spain than the somewhat accented SS noted on most LA's. This looped right on Spain and nulled to LA(the HJ & TV are off at this time so Bahamas was noted) The SS discussion ended at 0420 and one of the ancr's IDed as R.Madrid!! fol. by a mellow SS song w/female vocalist, until 0423 fade. This was received fr-gd thru WGY talk, oldies show(just talk at the time) CJVA was off. KCMO was noted in there later. (Kaz-MA)

- MOROCCO 2252 9/12 Rabat: xlnt w/male AA chant, best sig from this one in a long time. (MC-Bos) v.gd 2245 9/14 w/W ancr fol by group of AA W's chanting. (Kaz-SB) This one is most definately best received at the coast from my experience -ed. 819
- ANDORRA 0415 9/8 M&W in FF, pop mx, to fr peaks o/WBAP het. (MC-MA) ANDORRA gd-v.gd w/"en Sud Radio" ID by FF w following rock song. 0529 9/15. Looks like they're back on the air. (Kaz-MA) 819 t 819
- 827 LIBYA Sebha is still on the old channel- fr 2327 in het sandwich w/825 & 828 w/AA talk & mx 9/11. (Kaz-N) fr 2248 9/14 w/AA M, gd at 2259 w/AA mx in het sandwich & actually somewhat splitable from 828 Morocco(also audible) on TRF w/transfilter mod;825 St.Kitts nulled (Kaz-SB)
- 828 MOROCCO Oujda gd o/Libya 827 & loud het w/AA women chanting // 819 (Kaz-SB)
- CANARY ISLANDS Las Palmas presumed the source of fr-gd SS M 2351 9/14. I couldn't wait to ID it as the cold wind off the Atlantic forced me off the beach. They're sked to move to 936 soon (K-SB) 837
- UNID somebody is definately on the old channel per carrier noted several times weakly here.;2325 9/11(K-N)0528, which is too late for Lebanon which was here per Wood rpt. of last season, 9/15. Can European members help ?? (Kaz-MA)

 ITALY 0324 9/7 Roma II pop male vocal, fr (MC-MA) Noted during best of cx 9/6-9/15 but WHDH splash makes this hard. (Kaz-MA)

 SPAIN Murcia 0325 9/7 RTVF SS talk by women then guitar my gd 836
- 846
- 855 SPAIN Murcia 0325 9/7 RTVE SS talk by woman then guitar mx, gd. SPAIN Murcia 0325 9/7 RTVE SS talk by woman then gultar mx, gu. (MC-MA) + 2251 Sep 21 gd despite WHDH(!!-ed) pop mx"For Your Eyes Only" from James Bond movie. (MC-Boston Waterfront) +.0420 8/31 rock mx, SS talk by YL, gd. (GH-NY) + very common and exceptionally strong w/little WHDH slop on 9/15 (Kaz-MA) FRANCE Paris pr due to TVI w/alternating M&W in lang. (typical
- FRANCE Paris pr due to TVI w/alternating M&W in lang. (typical France Culture net) pgmg. (Kaz-MA) 0446 9/15.
 UNID 2250 9/12 unID 2 carrier mix, occ. mx fragments: Spain more 864
- 873
- likely than W.Ger, judging by cx at the time. (MC-Bos) W.GERMANY/SPAIN AFN w/"Lola" by the Kinks gd atop Spain w/SS mx 873 0426 9/15. (Kaz-MA)
- ENGLAND Washford 9/7 BBC gd w/folk mx show. (MC-MA) + fr-gd w/mel-882 No rock mx 2308 9/14.(Kaz-SB) + 0245 9/12 old pop tunes-vocal by M "Moonlight Serenade", some QRM from WCBS but in the clear most of the Time. Signal so strong & cx so good that this stn, unobtainable other times, was good. (GH-NY)
- ALIGERIA Algiers positively local-like(almost as gd as Dakar) 2229 9/14.(Kaz-SB) + 2200 9/12 carrier faded in well before local sunset Audio(AA M chant) L&C by 2211. (MC-Bos) + 0153 9/7 male AA chant, gd.sig. (MC-MA) + 2319 9/1 xlnt sig killing 890 w/AAmx (GH-NY) 891
- SAUDI ARABIA it sounded like I got about 15 sec of AA mx u/Canadians. Too much QRM to be sure 2243 9/14. I stayed with it for a couple min. more but nothing further was hrd. (Kaz-SB) ENGLAND synchros BBC 0256 9/12 pop.mx- EE talk, fr. (GH-NY)V.gd & somewhat stronger than 910 domestics 0505 9/15. Rock mx // 693 900 t
- 909 noted. At least a het is present here under all but lousy higher latitude TA cx. (Kaz-MA)
- 936 MOROCCO Agadir pr w/AA mx & chanting in bad apartment QRN 0145-0147 9/14. This is really lousy for 600 kW- maybe a DA??(Kaz-MA)
- 945
- FRANCE Toulouse fr to pr w/M o/944 het(Kaz-P) Awesome and nearly local-like! w/FF M&W // 864 etc. 0528 9/15. (Kaz-MA)

 TUNISIA Tunis noted 0055 9/14. Big carrier lousy audio however, AA mx. A big carrier was often noted here AN 'til fade out most nights 963
- mx. A big carrier was diten noted here AN 'til fade out most night 9/6-9/15. I don't know who it could be other than Tunis.(Kaz-MA)

 972 W.GERMANY Hamburg pr-fr w/GG W ancr & mellow instr. mx typical of the ARD night pgm. 0133-0136 9/14. (Kaz-MA)

 981 ? ALGERIA Algiers- I've read that this stn was gone- but I pulled AA chanting o/het 0412 9/15. Not // 891 but prob. not supposed to be either.(Kaz-MA)
- MOROCCO Ad-Daklah in w/AA mx to pr-fr peaks 2318-2320 9/11 during 999
- 1008
- great cx to Morocco area. (Kaz-RI)
 HOLLAND Flevoland gd w/mellow rock mx 0453 9/15(Kaz-MA)
 W.GERMANY/TURKEY Istambul slightly on top of Wolfsheim 0138-0140.
 9/14, w/3.4 Hz SAH resulting. Mid-eastern mx mixed w/muzak from 1017
- 1035
- 9/14, w/3.4 Hz SAH resulting. Figure 2005 Hz (Kaz-MA)
 Portugal Porto Alto US style pop mx 9/5 0429, fr (Townshend-CT)
 + 0232 9/6 US disco mx, PF talk, gd. (GH-NY) + unbelievably STRONG almost as good as WBZ!! w/rock mx // 1062. 0412 9/11. (Kaz-N)
 MOROCCO Sebaa-Aioun 0133 9/8 AA singing, AA talk, fr.(GH-NY) Pr in WHN slop w/AA chants 0307 9/10 (Kaz-P) Xlnt w/AA Win L&C 2254 9/14 (Kaz-SB)
 + MOROCCO 2247 9/12 Bits of AA mx & a 1 KHz het (from something st: 1044
- 1053 t MOROCCO 2247 9/12 Bits of AA mx & a 1 KHz het (from something still on 1052) noted along w/WHN het & bad WBZ slop. (MC-Bosc)

MOROCCO briefly fr w/M in AA during let up in WHN slop in between 1053 songs. 2315 9/11. (Kaz-N) WRTH is not clear on which stn is here: either the 600 KW in Tanger(per ITU plan) or a 20KW in Tetuan. PORTUGAL Azurara 2245 9/12 M in PP; gd despite slop from CJRP-

1062 1060(note that CJRP was totally burying semi-local WTTP)(MC-Bos) + pop mx 9/5 0426 fr in KYW slop (Townshend-CT) 0241 9/6 pop mx w/W in EE vocal, gd (GH-NY) + noted almost every night & xlnt during gd cx easy to copy than 1035// which often suffers from WBZ slop. (Kaz)

ITALY synchros noted w/W in II alone briefly 0314-0316 9/15 during 1062 a big fade of the powerhouse PP stn. (Kaz-MA)

DENMARK Kalundberg fr but well atop channel 0402-0404 9/15 w/M in Danish & .73 Hz SAH. Faded into others & returned briefly at 1062

0408 before the PPer took over for good. (Kaz-MA)
UNID het very often here either England, ALbania or both often
present 9/6-9/15 but no decent audio was noted in passing (Kaz) 1089

CZECHOSLOVAKIA Bratislava 0400 9/14 Slovak talk ,pips on the 1098 hour. (How Many???-ed) pr. (Hakiel-NY) Noted 0409 9/11 during gd east Euro. cx w/soft mx pr-fr (Kaz-N)

EGYPT Batra big carrier often noted here 9/6-9/15 and would fade out around 0330 which is expected for Egypt. I did not some AA talk o/low growl from 1107 2251-2253 when lost to WHIM slop(K-N) 1106.7

1116

MOROCCO pr in WHIM slop w/ M in AA fol by AA mx 2256-2258 9/11 during cx which had Moroccans all over the dial. (Kaz-N) LIBYA presumed still here w/het/carrier next to 1125 0324 9/14 0324. This stn which was common around 7 years ago no longer 1124 t gets out well to N.AM. (Kaz-MA)

BULGARIA Zagora fr in WNEW slop 0330 9/14 w/cl. mx then M in Slavic lang. (Kaz-MA) Liekly the one during gd opening 0400 9/11 w/ 6 high pitched pips then mx; too much WNEW slop to 1125

Of them mix, too much when slop to determine lang of M ancr. (Kaz-N)
YUGOSLAVIA to fr peak // 1143 w/Slavic M, then mx thru WNEW slop
0335-0337 9/11. (Kaz-N)
SPAIN 2243 9/12 nearly as gd as adjacent WNEW; SS talk gd o/other 1134

1134 1134 stns. (Connelly-Bos)

YUGOSLAVIA pr // 1134 during great E.Euro cx 0335-0337 9/11(K-N) 1143 ROMANIA Cluj pr w/ M in lang, then mx 0311-0312 9/11(Kaz-N) Soft mx pr 0319 during similar opening 9/14(Kaz-MA)+ 0354 9/15 after 1152

dinner mx- Romanian talk, tnx to Kaz for tip. (GH-NY) FRANCE Strasbourg presumed source of het very often noted on 1161. t 1160 during TA cx. Cuban superpest too strong to allow readable audio detection. (Kaz)

HUNGARY just audible 0310 w/ M in lang 9/11(Kaz-N) Carrier noted 1188 t HUNGARY Just audible Usio w/ M In lang 9/11(az-N) carrier noted 0326-9/14 during similar cx. This one appears during gd E. Euro cx but doesn't have the power of some of the others. WOWO/CHTN don't help either. (Kaz-MA) MOROCCO Agadir in fair w/mx & singing then OM in lang which sd/lk accented FF. 2248 9/11. (Kaz-N) FRANCE 0448 9/8 Bordeaux to gd peaks w/M&W in FF, poss.//1557

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(MC-MA) 0516 9/15 FF talk, jazz mx, fr. (GH-NY)
ALBANIA Lushnje 0354 9/10 M in lang, prob. Albanian, orch. mx
fr, + 0400 9/12, Alb. talk, xlnt. (GH-NY) V.gd 0347-0351 9/14
w/M&W in definate AA(which is listed at this time) ment. Tirana 1215 etc. (Kaz-MA)Pr-fr in WCAU slop w/ M in lang. 0317 9/10(Kaz-P) BULGARIA Vidin briefly gd o/low growl from SSers on chan.;

1224

Slavic talk by W 0001-0002 9/12. (Kaz-N)
UNID 2240 9/12 big het against local WESX; Morocco presumed (MC-B)
MOROCCO Tanger pr-fr w/European pop mx, AA ancr 2320-2328 9/12
Typical format here. (Kaz-MA) 1233

1233

CZECHSLOVAKIA Praha-Melnik pr but // 1287 w/M talk 0332 9/14 1233 (Kaz-MA)

LIBYA often putting in a decent signal.e.g. pr 0320=9/10 w/AA chant (K-P) Often quite loud at all hours of night(Kaz-MA) 1251

W.GERMANY Neubrandenberg pr-fr w/soft instr mx that is so typical of AN GG stns 0348 9/11. (Kaz-N) 1269

FRANCE Strasbourg presumed weak w/ talk sd/lk FF M 0350 9/11. Some DXers hear gd sig's from this one but not me -hi. (Kaz-N) CZECHOSLOVAKIA pr// 1233 0332 9/14 (Kaz-MA) Presume w/mellow mx 1278 t

1287 0004 9/12 (Kaz-N)

ENGLAND BBC Orfordness fr-gd w/M in Polish 0509-0512 9/11(Kaz-N) NORWAY Kvitsoy 0402 9/7 NN talk at unbelievable strength- LOCAL-1296 1314 LIKE at S9+40 on meter!!!, xlnt. (Hakiel-NY) gd w/ w in NN w/sexy voice 0457 9/15 looping slightly north of usual Euro's. (Kaz-MA) 1200 KW can really get out - however the AU absorbtion zone often KO's this stm. -ed. Strong w/IS on piano?,xylophone? then def. piano tune fol. by NN W w/s/on L&C 0358-0402 9/14 (Kaz-MA)

- ITALY Rome 0412 9/10 cl mx, II talk, p-f (GH-NY)presumed w/mx in 1332 slop 0429 9/10. (Kaz-P)
- NORTHERN IRELAND I finally heard readable audio here 0304-0306 w/1341
- EE M ancr & typical BBC AN muzak, (Kaz-N)
 MAURITANIA Nouakchott 2236 9/12 talk, chnat, violins, pr-fr w/1350
 het (MC-Bos) + overriding 1350 w/AA talk & mx. 2354 9/14. This one
 is easy at the beach at LSS. (Kaz-SB) 1349
- 1359 UNID het noted here several day/times 9/6-9/15 at times when it could be Berlin . Het also noted 0550 9/10 during high band Iberian opening. WRTH list only 2 KW Gijon here- what happened to the MW that was due here. (A MW in Spain w/no DA would often destroy WDRC etc on 1360)(Kaz-P)
- 1377 1395
- FRANCE Lille noted in passing 0458 9/15. gd. (Kaz-MA)
 ALBANIA Lushnje 2332 9/6 W w/SS talk, gd. (GH-NY) Noted most nights
 at ISS to 2400 s/off occ. to local strength. Is SS 2300-2400(Kaz)
- GUINEA Conakry 0002 8/31, gd w/FF talk. (GH-NY) rather strong 2321 9/10 and a tip off that other highband African might be in (and they were) (Kaz-P) 1404
- YUGOSLAVIA AT UNBELIEVABLE STRENGTH w/M&W in Slavic lang. Played 1413 variety of mx, folk mx, some mx sounding Mid-eastern xlnt all the time from 0325-0355 9/10. about 30 dB better than ever hrd befor (Kaz-P)
- 1413 nr OMAN I now feel that the mid-eastern sounding mx I noted here twice from RI may have been Yugo. as they are AN on Fri & Sat nights only and were hrd above w/ some Mideastern(similar to Greek I'd say) mx. I won't log Oman here until I hear BBC EE, or a foreign lang // or BBC pips on the hour or at least something clear and definate on a non-weekend w/ Yugo. off, (Kaz)
- 1422
- GREENLAND Thule 0422 9/10 US pop mx w/EE voc., EE talk. Hrd several times since- just can't get an ID- always seems to fade out ** 1425 t at ID time. (Welcome to Murphy's 1st law of DXing-ed) sometimes interfered w/ by a SS stn on 1424.7 prob Ecuador. (GH-NY) Also noted here 9/10 w/US pop/T40 mx peaking fr-gd but generally p-f 0405-0416 fade. Played several songs w/out anmt which has been their format in the past. Looped in northerly direction. (Kaz-P) Carrier here looping accurately (NRC Altaz loop DF) almost due north 0452. I spoke to George about this stn. He says"also loops N-S. Plays several songs then W ancr in EE" Re: 1424.7 I had weak SS here once on Bev during super LA cx. No trace ever noted inland in Fawtucket, RI. --- Note that Greenland was hrd on 1430 by Brian Vernon all last season. Why would they move back? Yet pgmg sure sounded like AFRTS as has been rptd from Thule in the past. We must write al find out!! HELP Requested, Brian. (Kaz-N)
 - t ITALY synchros likely w/mx in slop. 0417 9/10 (Kaz-P)
 ENGLAND one of locals, prob. R.London here w/EE pop mx pr-fr
 0522-0523 9/10. Faded. I tried afew times later but could not 1449 1458 catch readable voice from the ancr. Albania sometimes shows up
 - here earlier in night. (Kaz-N)
 MONOCO 2229 9/12 rlg. chior mx, blasting in, killing WCEA-1470.
 (MC-Bos) 0414 9/7 GG talk, rlg mx, gd. (GH-NY) Strong by 2220
 9/14 but only fr audio due to local WCEA. (Kaz-SB)
 SFAIN locals presumed w/carrier & bits of mx thru slop during 1467
 - 1476 t an opening which had signals on almost all the highband Spanish channels(e.g. 1314,1395,1485,1503,1521,1584,1602) too late for
 - Austria as the big GG stn's had faded about an hour earlier (K-P) 1485 SPAIN GYers - I noted def. SS M here pr-fr above mess of SAH's 0418 9/10. Better by 0503 and was mostly fr-gd until 0516 with
 - a mix of two SS stn's w/mx & ancr's, etc. but no ID's(Kaz-P)
 SAUDI ARABIA fr w/AA thru WPOE QRM 2242 9/12 (Kaz-MA) Crushing
 WPOE w/het 2210 9/14 w/sun still shining above horizon(Kaz-SB)
 VATICAN noted w/bits of IS bells way u/WCKY 0439 9/11. The TA 1521
 - 1530 cx of 9/6-9/15 didn't do anything spectacular for highbanders (K-N)
 - 1521
 - CZECHOSLOVAKIA Kosice briefly o/slop w/soft instr. mx during gd E. Euro. opening 0345 9/11. Saudi faded earlier. (Kaz-N) W.GERMANY Mainflingen pr in unmerciful WPTR slop w/usual soft mx 1539 0419 9/10. There het is very common. (Kaz-P)
 - ENGLAND one of the locals pr w/mx in CBE slop 0502 9/10(Kaz-P) +pr w/EE M talking 0502 9/11. (Kaz-N) FRANCE 0440 9/8 Nice xlnt w/FF talk by M&W. (MC-MA) 1548
 - 1557

one of the Euro's. (Kaz-P)

- TUNISTA 2224 9/12 Sfax male AA chant at low modulation level on big carrier. (Connelly-Bos) They've replaced Conakry-1404 as the 1566
- stn. with the most anemic modulation -hi -ed.
 SPAIN 0439 9/8 fast SS talk by M; pr-fr (MC-MA)
 UNID 2222 9/12 carrier w/fast SAH, not gd enough for audio.(MC-B) 1575 + UNID here 2321 9/10. bits of unreadable audio in slop. I was hoping for Ivory Coast as 1493 was in- but this was more likely

Here are a few that your overwhelmed typist forgot to put in the right order. This is page 6 of TA's, I can't believe it!!!

IVORY COAST unusually gd reception of Conakry tipped me off to look for some of theless common African highbanders: noted Abidjan here //4940 pr-fr at 2325 & again at 2335 9/10 w/African rhythms-sounded like steel band.(Kaz-P)

1554 t GABON just has to be the source of bits of audio in slop, hetted by Cayman carrier which was beginning to show, 2328 & 2337 9/10.

Looping about the same as Conakry (Kaz-P)
SPAIN Gyers - 0500 9/10 SS talk chimes pips, fr. (GH-NY) At very
gd. strength w/SS mx o/low het 0529 9/10. At 0533 distinct carriers 1584 with resultant hets were also noted on 1583.3 & 1585.1-what a mess!! (Kaz-P)

1584

UNID GY-like rumble of many carriers. 2220 9/12. (MC-Bos) W.GERMANY Langenberg 0403 8/31 lively GG mx, vocals, then GG talk nx. (GH-NY) + 0430 9/8 fr w/MOR pop mx. (MC-MA) V.gd w/GG M 0502 1593 9/15. This stn was never unusually gd during the week of gd TA cx (Kaz-MA)

SPAIN pr w/SS mx in slop from 1600, 0542 9/10. (Kaz-P) 1602

Well, as I proceded along w/ this I decided to include all the TA's I hrd. I was thinking of writing a TA article but it looks like this column provides a fairly thorough listing of what is often hrd from across the pond.

PAN AMERICAN DX ROUNDUP

PUERTO RICO 0338 8/21 San Juan WKAQ SS local nx R.Reloj ID, totally 580

dominant. (MC-CC)
UNID 0325 8/21 in bad WNBC slop; carrier varying freq under mod-656

ulation (FM'ing) (MC-CC) VENEZUELÀ 0003 8/21 Caracas YVLL Rumbos ID, fr-gd w/low growl.(MC) 670

+R.Rumbos ID 9/4 0326 fr.(WPT-CT) 690

700

-R.Rumbos 1D 9/4 0526 Ir.(WFT-CT)
ANGUILLA 0005 8/21 rlg chior mx, gd o/CBF at the time // 1610(MC)
COLOMBIA Cali HJCX 0305 8/31 R.Sutatemza ID, gd. (GH-NY)
SURINAM 0008 8/21 Paramaribo SRS xlnt w/local dialect, talk, pop
mx (MC-CC) + talk in unk. lang. 9/4 0519, fr. (WPT-CT)
ECUADOR Quito HCGB-1 0255 9/9 US disco mx, SS talk.fr(GH-NY)
VENEZUELA Puerto La Cruz YVQQ 0013 8/21 w/R.P. La Cruz ID atop 725

735

760 other SS LA, WJR & Prob Guyana. (MC-CC) 0016 9/2 LA mx, ID,gd.(GH) BRIT. VIRGIN IS. 0033 8/21 Roadtown ZBVI calypso mx & Carib.EE talk o/u YVOD. (MC-CC) up here about 120 mi' further north I note YVOD

780 alot stronger than ZBVI most of the time. -ed

NETH ANTILLES 0017 8/21 Bonaire PJB SS pgm. xlnt alone on channel 800 (MC-CC)

ST.KITTS 0016 8/21 R.Paradise preaching in EE, loud. (MC-CC) 825

HONDURAS Tegucigalpa HRYW 0158 9/12 band mx"Begin the Biguine" 944 (GH-NY) fr sig.

COLOMBIA Maganague HJHN w/accordion mx 9/4 0343 ,fr.(WPT-CT) 960

+ O340 8/31 SS vocal by W, ID, gd. (GH-NY)
GRENADA 0039 8/21 slightly off channel(growl resulting)
reggae mx. loud. (MC-CC) + 9/4 0455 calypso mx, gd. (WPT-CT)
VENEZUELA 0201 8/21 Carupano YVQT boisterous Carupano ID, horn fan 990

1110

1160

fare annihilating other co-channel stns. (MC-CC)
CUBA 0030 8/21 loud w/SS talk ment Habana. (MC-CC)
VENEZUELA 0031 8/21 Caracas YVOZ gd w/local SS ads. (MC-CC)
ANGUILLA 0005 8/21 Caribbean Beacon xlnt w/rlg mx //690 (MC-CC) 1200

1610

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DXing at NRC Convention Beverage-E.Windsor,CT- IC-R70, HQ-145, 1500' S Bev. W.Islip,LI,NY R7A,ICR70, loops, lws, etc. (It's that etc. that gets him all the DX -hi -ed) W.Yarmouth, Cape Cod, MA ICF2001, 30m LW phased w/SM2 Waterfront Park, Boston MA -car rx, whip tuned w.active Mark Connelly

regenerative tuner.

Billerica MA two 30m LW's phased w/active modular phasing system, R390A

Salisbury Beach, MA TRF, MW1 Neil Kazaross

Amesbury MA ICR70, Sanserino Loop Pawtucket, RI ICR70, WM1 Narragansett, RI ICR70, Bohac Loop, 130'LW

I trust that the abbreviations used for Mark's & your editor's various QTH's will be self explanatory.

Well T sure must say that the TA opening was fantastic compared to what we've been used to the last few years. We've almost completed moving into the house now & prelimary indications are that this is definately a good DX location(although I feel that right on the beach is better)

It's time to say that I've struggled thru three years of making 50 typing mistakes per page(at least), barely making deadlines(usually missing right-HQ), staying up late at night to finish, etc. I've certainly enjoyed doing DXWW-E as I love foreign DXing, but my available time has decreased almost to zero now. I also intend to start school two nights a week to obtain a masters degree. When I start school I don't see how I'll have the time or energy to continue this column, so I'm asking," DOES ANYONE WANT TO TAKE OVER DXWW-East ??" I would appreciate it greatly if someone would take over this column. The new editor could have the column for the next two years while I'm in school or permanantly if he or she wishes.(I'd be happy to take the column back after the conclusion of my schooling. I'm not resigning - but once I start school I think I'l have too. So please, If you've ever wanted to edit DXWW-East this is your chance. Thank you. Please notify me if you'd like to do this column and I'll be most relieved.

73's and good DX

- KAZ -

SUMMARY OF UNREPORTED STATIONS through Volume 20 #34, dated August 20, 1983

by Don Kaskey

The following chart lists the total number of stations in the USA and Canada and the volume they were last reported as being heard in DX MONITOR.

COUNTRY	V20	V19	V18	V17	V16	V15	V14	V13	Vl2	Prior	Total
CANADA	197	68	47	20	14	5	7	0	2	53	=== 413
U.S.A.	2205	818	543	262	238	101	68	41	64	340	===4680
TOTAL	2402	886	590	282	252	106	75	41	66	393	===5093

NEW Stations reported as having taken to the air during the period between V2O #29 through #34:

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610-KYJC-OR (x-1230)
                               1210-WDGR-GA (x-1520)
                                                             1400-KNNX-TX
1420-KSES-CA
 710-KUET-AZ
                              1230-WKWL-AL
 810-KTBI-WA
                              1230-WKCE-TN
                                                             1420-WTGE-MI
 840-KSDP-AK
                              1230-WAMM-VA (x-940)
1240-KXIT-TX (x-1410)
1240-WAWS-TX (x-1530)
                                                             1420-WADX-GA
 880-KJJR-MT (x-1400)
                                                             1430-KNSP-MN
 900-WEAK-KY
                                                             1440-WMDJ-KY
 900-WGSN-SC
                               1310-KBMV-MO
                                                             1440-KELG-TX
 980-WLPQ-KY (x-1600)
                               1330-WBAS-FL
                                                             1460-WXRQ-TN
1000-KRHS-AZ
                               1330-KWSK-ND
                                                             1490-WADJ-AL
                                                             1490-WFXY-KY (x-1560)
1490-KVLL-TX (x-1220)
1500-KABR-NM
1000-KRDz-CO
                               1360-WABT-AL
1010-WBCE-KY
                              1360-KRVV-CO
1370-KTMG-CO
1140-WSAO-MS (x-1550)
1150-CHGM-QU
                              1370-WSOL-SC
                                                            1510-WOIX-NC
1190-WSGI-TN
                               1400-KADR-IA
                                                            1540-KKDI-AR
1210-WCMQ-FL (x-1220)
1150-WTWZ-MS
                                                             1590-WWRT-TN (x-WRZK)
                               1400-WLJN-MI
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Previously unreported stations noted by IRCA Reporters in DXM since the last update (V20 #31)....Covers V20 #30 through #34.

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AL-26-WABT-1360 (Buts-TN)
AK--5-KSDP-840 (Mertin-OR)
AZ--4-KRHS-1000 (Hilliker-CA)
AR-11-KOSY-790 (Shryock-MO)
CA--0-KSES-1420 (Hilliker-CA)
CO--1-KRDZ-1000 (Wilkins-CO)
KY-10-WMDJ-1440 (Kremer & Forth-IL)
MT--0-KJJR-880 (Wien-CA)
NM--4-KCHS-1400 (Wilkins-CO)
ND--2-KPOK-1340 (Portzer-WA)
OR--1-KYJC-610 (Martin-OR)
TX-50-KWTX-1230 (Knight-CO)
WA--0-KTBI-810 (Portzer-WA)
MB--1-CHTM-610 (Kremer-IL)
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AIDS anthem his swan song

To err is human, quoth the kindly old program director. Why, this was nothing but an inconsequential mischance, he added, only a slip. Then he fired the guy who made it.

What San Francisco disc jockey Bill Lee had done was play on the air a little ditty about AIDS. It was called "The AIDS Anthem," and we're happy to point out that the lyrics are not available for publication.

Lee broadcast the thing Wednesday, explaining later that it was done on impulse and that he hadn't listened to it beforehand. About half way through the song, Lee said, he "got this really sick feeling in my stomach about my impend-ion denies". ing demise.

As soon as the music ended, Lee apologized to listeners.

Thursday, he was fired. Program director Gerry Cagle
explains: "It's not exactly what was said
that was disturbing but that something
was said about a subject that we think is a serious problem. It's like joking about people dying of cancer."

Other than that, said Cagle, Lee has a

"great style" and was "an exemplary employee.

From Tom Butas in Memphis TN

810	WCTA	TN	AlamoNot on as yet
1140	OZZW	MS	SenatobiaNow here from 1550
1220	WGSF	TN	ArlingtonNot on as yet.
	WYKY		Milan Not on as yet but ready to go at any time

From Bill Nittler in Meeker CO

1000	KRDZ	G0	Hayden'KZ-100'. On air since 7/4/83MoR format. Deer TrailCame on 1st week of August. C&W mx. 'The Voice of Agriculture on Colorado's Eastern Plains'.
1370	KTMG	G0	
	KRVV KRMW	GO GO	Vail'Radio Vail Village' is on. Hard Rock format. SiltDue on air 9/1/83. Owners picked Silt as furtherest East spot they could get a stn on 700 kHz. Will program to entire Western Slope with Grand Jct as major advertising target. Calls stand for 'Rocky Mountain West'. Slogan will be 'The Golden Sound of Music'.

From IRCA & NRC August bulletins

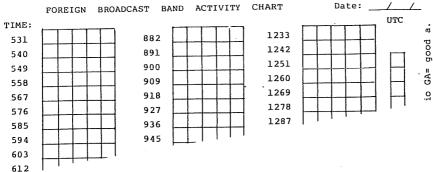
870	KUUY	WY	Orchard ValleyCP now here from 660 with 10000/2500 U4.
			Still on 1530 tho.
880	KJJR	MT	Now here from 1400. Whitefish.
1210	WDGR	GA.	Now here from 1520. Dahlonega
1510	MOIX		Blowing RockCP now on.

-----An interesting logging sheet has been developed by Don Moman (see sample section below). It's based on the 9 kHz channel spacing, and can be used to give a graphic illustration of how the band sounds as you tune across it. Although originally designed for use on Beverage DXpeditions, I've found it useful to use during overseas openings at home, as I can tell at a glance where the hotbeds of activity are. Due to my work schedule, I got up regularly before sunrise during August. A 15-minute bandscan each day netted some fascinating information about DU reception that month. For example, DU signals (if only a weak carrier) were noted here on 60 channels that month, while reasonable audio showed on 17 channels--much more than was expected.

To use the chart, note the time the bandscan starts where it is indicated, above 531. Then note signal quality, if any, on each channel as you tune up, using one or two letter abbreviations—Don uses fh = faint het through to GA = good audio. Note the time the scan finishes and there you are, the band from 531 through 1602. Over an evening's, morning's or mon month's listening, trends will show, and you'll have a good idea of where to hunt for the new ones, especially if you're going on to a Beverage expedition as I plan to. I can't wait to use it on TA's hi.

Don's not insisting on a copyright on this, so anyone is welcome to use the idea. I've had a couple of hundred printed for my own use, but with postage, etc. it would cost me about 7 cents each sheet to send them in quantity to others (U.S. stamps accepted as payment if you decide to go this route). I will send a single sheet to anyone who sends me a U.S. 20¢ or Canadian 32¢ stamp; then you can get 'em photocopied or printed in bulk, which will probably be much cheaper than my mailing quantities to you. Good DX.

---Nick Hall-Patch, 1538 Amphion St., Victoria, B.C., Canada V8R 4Z6



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