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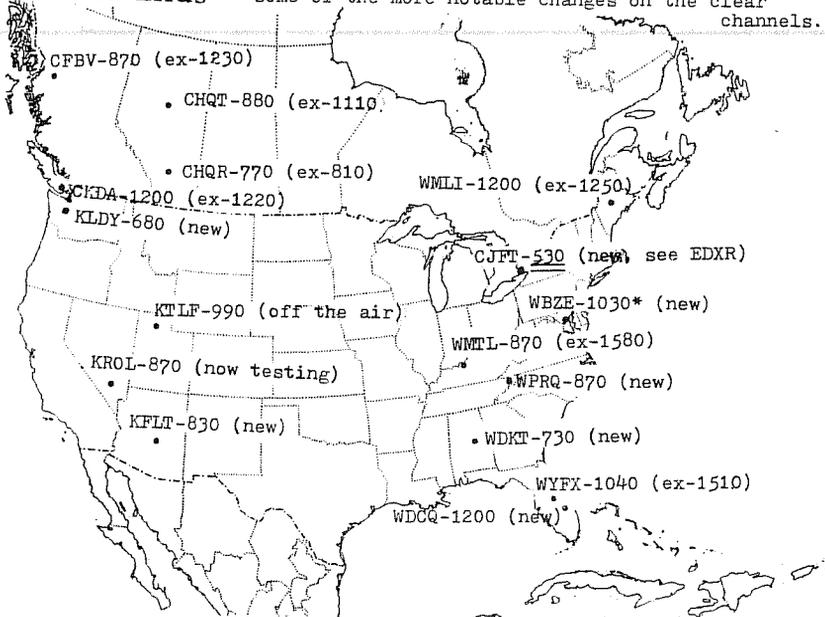
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We'll Open this issue with a couple of important announcements from Headquarters

- Convention Host Wanted: Would you like to host next year's IRCA Convention? If so, get in touch with us right away. It's an exciting and rewarding experience, you get to meet a lot of other club members, and you save on travel expenses! We can fill you in on all the particulars, such as finding a hotel, arranging station tours, and other activities. Traditionally, the club alternates between east and west, so west coast members are especially encouraged to consider hosting the 1987 convention.
- Changes at the Goodie Factory: The IRCA Goodie Factory is temporarily closed. We have transferred it to a new Goodie Manager, who is in the process of putting things in order. We'll announce his name in the next DXM. In the meantime, we've learned that a number of orders were not properly filled in recent months. If yours was one of them, and you haven't received a letter offering to straighten things out, let us know and we'll get to work on it.

Odds and Ends

Lots of changes have taken place lately. Here are some of the more notable changes on the clear channels.



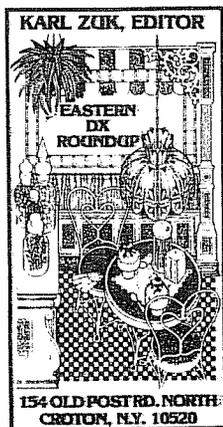
Plus two Alaskans: KIIYU-910 Galena, 5kw ND, mostly // KSKA-91.1 FM
 KCHU-770 Valdez, 1kw ND, due on "in early August"

Thanks to David Reitz, Rod O'Conner, Robert Wien, and various DXR & DXF contributors.

* Note the similarity between their calls and a certain 50 kw station on the same frequency.

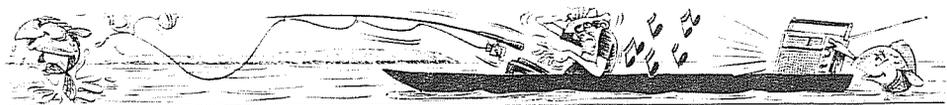
EASTERN DX ROUNDUP is brought to you by:

- (RB-NY) Raymond Bauernhuber, 141-12 243rd Street, Rosedale, NY 11422
Panasonic RF-2800 with telescopic antenna and shotgun boom
- (JHD-PA) John H. Demmitt, Box A, K0848, Bellefonte, PA 16823
Sony ICF-S5W
- (JH-PA) Jim Hall, 240 Byron Road, Pittsburgh, PA 15237
ICOM R-71a, Beverages, staggered loop system, Gates wedge
- (JH-PA2) Jim DXing at Greater Pittsburgh International Airport
Avionics West EC-200 aircraft receiver
- (DLR-KY) David L. Reitz, 9332 Fairground Road, Fern Creek, KY 40291
R-1000, Radio West loop, GE Superadio.
- (RCR-PA) Robert C. Ritchey, R.D.#1, Box 738, East Freedom, PA 16637
DX-160, 100 foot longwire
- (GS-DC) Gardner Smith, W9ALZ, 1000 Perry Street NE, Washington, DC
20017...Sony ICF-2010, Zen antenna, good karma.
- (WPT-DC) William P. "Bill" Townshend, 4500 Connecticut Avenue NW, Apt. 901,
Washington, DC 20008...Realistic TRF 12-650
- (NjW-ON) Niel J. Wolfish, 3900 Yonge Street, #706, Toronto, ON M4N 3N6.
DXing at Williamsford, ON (south of Owen Sound) with an ICOM
R-71a, Union CR-2021, loop, SM-2, beverages: 500 feet east,
1000 feet south, 600 feet southwest.



Quick news before the tips: Sanyo has introduced the first automatically switching FM stereo, AM stereo "boom box" radio, the MW-250. The sound is excellent on AM, and switches between Motorola and Kahn with great accuracy. It lists for \$159 US, write to: Sanyo Electric Inc., Consumer Electronics, 1200 West Artesia Blvd., Compton, VA 90220. Some synchronous AM repeater construction permits have been applied for:
 870 KRDL NV, Las Vegas (?) asking for two repeaters. Henderson, NV 300D/500N and Reno, NV (no power given.) Each repeater will have its own studio facilities, owners are trying to build a statewide network.
 1150 KGNW WA, Seattle. Also asking for two repeaters: Everett, WA (30 miles north of Seattle) 50W and Tacoma, WA (30 miles south of Seattle) 90 watts, both fulltime.
 770 KOB NM, Albuquerque. Asking for one repeater at Santa Fe, NM, 190 watts, nights only. Should be very interesting DXing these. Who are you really hearing?? Now to the tips.....

- quick thank you to Jim Hall for the KDKA "K-Team" bumpersticker! Real nice! Thanks!
- 530 CJFT ON, Fort Erie (?) 7-11 (no time) Apparently a newly licensed station IDing as "CJFT 5-30" with many mentions of simulcasting with CJRN 710 kHz in Niagara Falls, ON. Definitely parallel with CJRN on morning of 7-11. Announcer said at one point "Hello to our friends in Fort Erie..." Very strong ; I bet this really gets out well. There goes Costa Rica! (JH-PA)
- 540 CJSB ON, Ottawa. 6-10 2219 Very good with ID and returned to Blue Jays baseball. (JHD-PA)
- 540 WLIX NY, Islip. 7-13 1425 Excellent with religious programming. (RB-NY)
- 560 WFIL PA, Philadelphia. 7-13 1420 Fair with oldies from the 50's and 60's. (RB-NY)
- 570 WKBN OH, Youngstown. 6-20 2034 Good with talk show on health. (JHD-PA)
- 580 WHP PA, Harrisburg. 6-19 1249 Very good with EBS teat and Lionel Ritchie record. (JHD-PA)
- 600 WICC CT, Bridgeport. 7-13 1435 Fair with news, sports, weather, soft rock'n'roll. (RB-NY)+6-13 2120 Weak with ID, Century 21 ad, another ID by man. (JHD-PA)
- 600 WCAO MD, Baltimore. 6-13 2115 Good with security tips for travelling overseas. ID. (JHD-PA)
- 620 WELB PA, Greensburg. 6-12 0650 Good with weather weather warning: floods, thunderstorms. (JHD-PA)
- 630 CHED AB, Edmonton. 6-10 2207 Weak with CBC's As It Happens. (JHD-PA)
- 770 WYRV VA, Cedar Bluff. 7-2 2022 Pop rock music, ID, weather. local spot for LR limousine service, into more rock music, ID, sign off announcements at 2045. (DLR-KY)+7-5 2045 Sign off by man, fair to poor. (RCR-PA) (Welcome back, Robert!-kz)
- 770 WJMW AL, Athens. 7-2 2045 After WYRV sign off with C&W music, IDs and local spots. (DLR-KY)
- 770 KOB NM, Albuquerque. 7-6 0142 All-era C&W heard at times with WABC, New York, NY. No clear IDs heard , but many references to area saloons and regional weather reports. Excessive nulling of WABC would only yield the Columbian. The HJ here often runs American type top 40 rock late at night, which may be mistakenly assumed to be KOB. (JH-PA)
- 780 WBBM IL, Chicago. 6-11 2132 Excellent with Burns and Allen show. (JHD-PA)
- 780 WABS VA, Arlington. 6-20 2019 Very good with ID jingle, and sign off with religious message. (JHD-PA)
- 800 WSVS VA, Crewe. 6-11 2105 Good with ID and promo for Country Countdown. (JHD-PA)
- 830 WLND OH, Cortland. 6-21 2048 Good in null of WNYC, New York, NY, with C&W music. Sign off with strange patriotic anthem that sounds like a cross between The Star Spangled Banner and God Save The Queen. New catch #1397. (GS-DC)
- 830 CFJR ON, Brockville. 6-29 2255 with "Classical Potpourri," a delightful mish-mash of classical music including Rossini, Sibelius, etc., but all by Canadian orchestras. Completely dominating the channel, not a sign of that 50 kW station near Lake Wobegon, MN. (GS-DC) (I love stations that dominate, don't you? Hand me that whip!-kz)
- 840 CHUR ON, North Bay. 6-11 2123 Good with ID by man and record "You Are The Sunshine Of My Life." (JHD-PA)
- 840 WHAS KY, Louisville. 6-29 2235 Pickle joke contest promo. Best pickle joke wins a trip to London No wonder the FCC considers AM radio to be ailing! (GS-DC) (Is that a pickle in your pocket, or are you just happy to see me??-Mae West.)
- 860 CJBC ON, Toronto. 6-12 2220 Very good with two men and a woman speaking French and discussing music. (JHD-PA)
- 860 KWPC IA, Muscatine. 7-13 0058-0101 "KWPC Muscatine" singing ID tentatively heard into full data sign off, including owner/operator, address, didn't catch power, if given, Distant sounding but nicely readable on high peaks over CJBC, Toronto, ON. I believe that it is still 250 watts, much needed. (JH-PA) (Very nice-kz)



Gone fishin'? Keep up with DXing! Read EASTERN DX ROUNDUP when you're frying!...

- 860 KKOW KS, Pittsburg. 7-7 0209 ID and concert promo for Pittsburg State University, C&W hits, and Oklahoma/Kansas forecasts. Largely over CJBC on beverage. (JH-PA)+7-12 2228 on top again with storm interference and current C&W music. Many mentions of thunderstorms in Oklahoma. Back again at 0058 with abrupt power reduction leaving faint KWPC. Now heard on both day and night powers. (JH-PA)
- 870 WMTL KY, Leitchfield. (no date or time) Noted here since early May, ex-1580 kHz, with C&W music ABC news, and singing IDs 'W-M-T-L Leitchfield..' (DLR-KY)
- 870 WHCU NY, Ithaca. 7-13 2100 Sign off by man, fair to good. (RCR-PA)
- 870 WFLO VA, Farmville. 7-7 2030 Sign off by man, no SSB, good. (RCR-PA)
- 870 WWL LA, New Orleans. 6-12 2215 Good with "Take A Closer Walk With Thee" program after ID.(JHD)
- 900 CKTS PQ, Sherbrooke (Lemon or lime?) 7-11 2130 Very strong in null of CHML, Hamilton, ON. Hard rock, English language DJs. A very slick operation. (GS-DC)
- 900 WKDW VA, Staunton. 7-12 2045 Sign off by man, no SSB, good. (RCR-PA)
- 900 WFLS KY, Pikeville. 7-12 2045 Sign off by female, poor under WKDW, Staunton, VA. (RCR-PA)
- 930 WFMD MD, Frederick. 6-11 0636 Good with ID, DeVal ad, weather, Maryland lottery results. (JHD)
- 940 WCPB MS, Houston. 6-10 2103 Time check by man. Fair. (WPT-DC)
- 940 CJGX SK, Yorkton. 5-25 0413 ID as "GX-94" by young lady, some C&W songs, and local spots heard at 0435, poor over CBCA. (Njw-ON)
- 970 WFUN OH, Ashtabula 7-4 0715 Good with auto sales ad, ID as "W-Fun," in back of WBLF, Bellefonte, PA. (JHD-PA)
- 990 WANT VA, Richmond. 7-12 2220 Gospel music, ID "990 WANT" by man, gave phone number:345-WANT, back to gospel music, fair to good. (RCR-PA)
- 1030 WBZE MA, Indian Head. 7-9 2030 Sign off by man mentioning that WBZ in Boston could be heard throughout the night, ID "WBZE Indian Head-Washington," no SSB, fair to good. (RCR-PA)+6-27 0007-0012 with special test, ID "WBZE Indian Head," and music of a space theme and scary music, "WBZE Indian Head, test complete." and off. (JHD-PA)+6-11 0654 Very good with Christian rock music:"By The Light," an ID and a traffic control report. (JHD-PA)
- 1040 WJTB OH, North Ridgeville. 7-11 2100 Sign off mentioning the Taylor Broadcasting Company, religious , mostly black oriented gospel. Slogan:"The New AM," one of the more informative ones I've heard. (GS-DC)+ 7-8 2100 Sign off by man, no SSB, Good. (RCR-PA)
- 1040 WSKE PA, Everett. 5-24 0610 with YL spinning C&W tunes, promo at 0615 for American Country Countdown at 1300-1700, good over WHO, Des Moines, IA. (Njw-ON)
- 1050 WSEN NY, Baldwinsville. 6-12 2044 Good with ID as "The Oldies Channel." Invitation to tune to their FM outlet and then they went off the air. (JHD-PA)
- 1060 WBMB MI, West Branch. 5-24 0800 Dual "WBMB-WBMB-FM" ID into oldie "Pied Piper," and a song by The Box Tops, fair with KYW, Philadelphia, PA. (Njw-ON)
- 1070 WNCT NC, Greenville. 6-12 2109 Weak with male announcer, and IDed as WNCT. Record. (JHD-PA)
- 1070 WIBC IN, Indianapolis. 6-12 2100 Fair with ID, news, Sears ad, in with about 6 stations.(JHD)
- 1070 WINA VA, Charlottesville. 6-12 2155 Good with record "Wake Up Little Susie," ID, CBS news.(JHD) +7-7 0105 with sign off by man, SSB, good over CHOK, Sarnia,ON. (RCR-PA)
- 1070 CBA NB, Moncton. 6-12 2112 Poor with weather and several mentions of NB. CBC program in progress. (JHD-PA)
- 1070 CHOK ON, Sarnia. 6-12 2130 Good with ad for Ontario Savings, Blue Jays-Tigers baseball. (JHD)
- 1070 WKOK PA, Sunbury. 6-13 1148 Very good with water boiling alert due to a broken water main. (JHD)
- 1080 WOAP MI, Owosso. 5-24 1755 News and traffic with YL announcer. At 1801 "You're listening to WOAP Owosso...it's one after 6.." into C&W music. Poor with WTIC, Hartford,CT. (Njw-ON)
- 1110 KFAB NE, Omaha. 7-7 (no time) Trying to make it past WBT, Charlotte, NC, all morning with MOR/pop music, with interference from WHIM, Providence, RI. Definitely NBC news noted at 0500, with WBT with ABC and WHIM with CBS. Can one of the central/western roundup hotshots confirm KFAB is an NBC affiliate and still MOR? I'd appreciate any help. (JH-PA)
- 1110 WHIM RI, Providence. 7-8 0347 with mentions of Martha's Vineyard, current C&W music, at times destroying WBT. At 0330 it sounded like a reverbed ID by a YL "WHIM.WHIM.WHIM.." (JH2-PA)
- 1140 K500 SD, Sioux Falls. 7-4 0302 with Dakotas weather, "K-S-O-O" ID. Noted off back end of beverages under WRVA, Richmond, VA, while hunting Cubans. Another domestic present, but never peaked to a readable level. (JH-PA)
- 1150 CJRC ON, Ottawa. 6-25 2300 French ID on the hour, barely riding over the Cuban(R.Bayamo).(GS-DC)
- 1150 WMTG MD, Gaithersburg. 6-25 2300 Noted silent.(GS-DC)
- 1160 UNID 6-25 2310 Station testing with open carrier on and off. Huge signal smothering the wolfpack. (GS-DC)
- 1160 WCCS PA, Homer City. Regarding William Wyllie's UNID here in the 5-31 DXM, it is indeed WCCS, as suspected. WCCS likes to do remotes, especially from the Indiana Mall in Indiana County, PA. I hear them all the time. (JH-PA)(Thanks, JIm-kz)
- 1180 WHAM NY, Rochester. 6-11 2209 Excellent with The Lone Ranger..another adventure with Tonto.(JHD)
- 1190 WKDJ PA, Hugesville. 6-12 0813 Good with ads in Williamsport and Milton. Weather, ID and C&W music. (JHD-PA)
- 1190 WCBV VA, Bluefield. 6-27 2042. Ex-WBDY. Very good with ad for getting fishing licenses at a country store, Bluefield Auto Club ad, ID. (JHD-PA)
- 1190 WANN MD, Annapolis. 6-27 2028 Very good with man giving sign off, listing the states that the signal covers. (JHD-PA)
- 1220 CJSS ON, Cornwall. 6-30 0220. Fair with WGAR silent. Someone was on the frequency with open carriers and test tones. CJSS is a little hKwer. No sign of powerhouse CHSC, St.Catherines usually heard here. (GS-DC)

Even more to come....so stayed tuned to EASTERN DX ROUNDUP!!!

Fun in the sun! and maybe more stations before you're done...if you read EASTERN DX ROUNDUP!!!

- 1230 WKBO PA, Harrisburg. 6-15 0730 Weak ID by man, state news, commentary, behind WBPZ, Lock Haven, PA. (JHD-PA)
- 1240 CJNH ON, Bancroft. 5-24 1727-1921 Tentatively heard with Montreal Expos baseball, on the Expo Network, parallel with CKAR, Oshawa on 1350 kHz. I could not hear CJQB, Belleville, the station CJNH is supposed to relay. Signal was poor to fair under CJCS, Stratford, ON, but I did not hear any local spots or IDs, just the familiar voices of Duke Synder and Dave Van Horne doing the play by play. Have never been able to hear this in Toronto because of CJCS. (NjW-ON)
- 1260 WPBB PA, Phillipsburg. 6-12 1336 Very good with tornado watch info., and a remote broadcast from a satellite dealer. (JHD-PA)
- 1270 WXYT MI, Detroit. 6-11 2205 Good with weather emergency notices for tornadoes. ID as "AM-1270." (JHD-PA)
- 1280 WWTC MN, Minneapolis. 5-24 2218 "Weatheradio 1280" noted with weather forecasts (What else?) poor under WPXY, Rochester, NY, with their top 40/CHR music. (NjW-ON)
- 1290 WQLN PA, Lykens. 5-23 2000 ID by man. Fair. (WPT-DC)
- 1290 WFBG PA, Altoona. 7-14 0004 Sign off by Sean McKay, no SSB, fair. (RCR-PA)+6-12 0819 Very good with two announcers in verbal battle over school taxes. (JHD-PA)
- 1300 WXPX PA, West Hazleton. 6-20 0612 Good with ID, contest, weather. ID as "13-X." (JHD-PA)
- 1300 WFBR MD, Baltimore. 6-20 0625 Good with musical promo, jingle ID and music. (JHD-PA)
- 1300 WLXG KY, Lexington. (no date or time) Noted since mid-May, ex-WTKC, with "13 Gold WLXG" IDs and Cincinnati Reds baseball. (DLR-KY)
- 1310 WTUX IN, Indianapolis. 7-1 2105 Ex-WMLF, with ID, weather forecast into "The Golden Age Of Radio" music program. (DLR-KY)
- 1310 CIWV ON, Ottawa. 5-24 0719 Ex-CKOY, with IDs as "W-1310", music by The Bellamy Brothers, and a commercial for a lumber store in Bell's Corners, good with WNIC, DeWborn, MI. (NjW-ON)
- 1330 WHOT OH, Campbell. 6-25 2214 Invitation to WHOT birthday party on June 30. Easy rock. Also IDed as "FM-101." (GS-DC)
- 1330 WEAW IL, Evanston. 6-25 2130 IDed only as "AM-1330" until sign off with no national anthem. Gave location as "Evanston-Chicago." New catch #1398. (GS-DC)
- 1330 WNYM NY, New York. 6-25 2143 with Jewish ethnic music..a fine cantor! May be religious in nature (religious and ethnic-kz) certainly not popular. (GS-DC)(A real "narrowcaster"-kz)
- 1330 WADJ PA, Somerset. 6-13 0640 Very good with listeners invited to attend DJs anniversary celebration. ID as "DJ". (JHD-PA)
- 1380 WXIC OH, Waverly. 6-26 2100 Quick sign off by man, just ID and gone, fair to good. (RCR-PA)
- 1390 WMPO OH, Middleport. 7-5 0024 C&W music, test broadcast (?), ID "Coming home to country.. WMPO-WMPO-fm Middleport-Pomeroy, Ohio," good to very good. (RCR-PA)
- 1400 WKWK WV, Wheeling. 7-9 0001 ID as "1400 WKWK" by man, into news, briefly very good. (RCR-PA)
- 1410 WHTC NJ, Eatontown. 7-13 1335 Good with pop music from the Jersey shore. (RB-NY)
- 1440 WRRR OH, Warren. 6-11 2200 Very good with ID as "This is the heart of the valley, WRRR, Warren." (JHD-PA)
- 1450 WJIN NJ, Atlantic City. 7-13 1345 Soft rock music and ads for Atlantic City. (RB-NY)
- 1460 WCMB PA, Harrisburg. 6-21 2005 with syndicated "Solid Gold Saturday Night" program, easy copy in null of WPRM, Manassas.(That's Bull Run, Yankees!)(GS-DC)+6-13 0650 Weak with ad for a store in Harrisburg, ID by man.(JHD-PA)
- 1460 WBUC WV, Buckhannon. 6-23 2000 Sign off by man, SSB, Fair. (RCR-PA)
- 1460 WPRW VA, Manassas. 6-16 0549 Good with talk about Liberty Weekend Op Sail in NYC. ID. (JHD-PA)
- 1470 CHOW ON, Welland. 6-13 0655 Good with DJ saying that this was his last day on CHOW and ID. (JHD)
- 1480 CKAN ON, Newmarket. 7-9 0005 Sign off by man, instrumental of "O,Canada," very good. (RCR-PA)
- 1510 WMRE MA, Boston. 7-14 0008 Oldies rock music, ID "WMRE", fair over and under WLAC, Nashville, TN (RCR-PA)
- 1530 KGBT TX, Harlingen. 7-3 2359-0100 Heard Latin ballads in semi-WCKY Cincinnati, OH. Stations like KOMA, KSTP and others were also in. Is KGBT a Spanish speaking station, or did I have a HJ or YV? Further loggings confirm, with 90% certainty, that it was KGBT. Not the Mexican or the HJ or YV. (JH-PA)(Someone please confirm their format!!-kz)
- 1540 CHIN ON, Toronto. 6-13 0700 Good with Italian and English IDs and news in Italian. (JHD-PA)
- 1540 WPCR PA, Philadelphia. 7-13 1410 Fair with oldies from the 50's and 60's and DooWop music.(RB-NY)
- 1540 WNIO OH, Niles. 6-23 2100 Sign off by man, no SSB, fair. (RCR-PA)
- 1540 WPXZ PA, Punxsutawney. 7-4 1110 Good with weather, ID, various ads. (JHD-PA)
- 1550 WXVA VA, Charlestown. 6-11 0802 Very good with news of an election, ad for Jay's Automotive, and weather. (JHD-PA)
- 1550 WCTW IN, New Castle. 7-2 0130 Easy listening formatwith a scattering of old rock. A terrific signal for 250 watts! (GS-DC)
- 1560 WFSP WV, Kingwood. 7-4 2040 Good under WQXR, New York, NY, with light rock. Signed off at 2100. (GS-DC)
- 1560 WTOD OH, Toledo. 7-4 2115 Sign off with a mostly acappella SSB. C&W music format. (GS-DC)
- 1570 WCLE TN, Cleveland. 6-10 2100 Sign off with mention of transmitter location northeast of Cleveland. Fair. (WPT-DC)
- 1570 CFOR ON, Orilla. 6-27 0005 Sign off by man, "O, Canada," Good. (RCR-PA)
- 1570 WFEL MD, Towson. 6-13 0703 Using new ID, ex-WTOW, with "Through The Bible" program. (JHD-PA)
- 1580 WPGC MD, Morningside. 6-17 0645 Good with talk show taking calls from women about the bachelor they want. (JHD-PA)(All said Gardner Smith-kz)
- 1580 WOXR AL, Talladega. 6-24 2100 Sign off by man. Fair to poor. (RCR-PA)
- 1580 WVVO OH, Columbus. 7-6 2118 Black oriented, on top of channel during sunset skip. (GS-DC)
- 1590 WUSJ TN, Jonesboro. Regarding Robert Ritchey's WUSJ logging, this is their correct call now, ex-WJSO.(JH-PA)(Thanks again, JIM1-kz)
- 1590 WJRO MD, Glen Burnie. 7-5 2032 Black religious, formerly with a big band 1940s format. Format change. (GS-DC)

590 WHPY NC, Clayton. 7-5 2013 "Music Country WHPY" slogan with C&W music. (GS-DC)
 590 WETT MD, Ocean City. 7-5 2011 Rock oldies. (GS-DC)
 1590 WCBG PA, Chambersburg. 7-5 1943 On sunset skip with MOR rock. (GS-DC)
 1590 WGGG NY, Salamanca 5-23 2029 Sign off with mention of 500 watt PSA power. Good. (WPT-DC)+6-13
 0742 Good with conest, dairy ads, ID. (JHD-PA)
 1600 WPDC PA, Elizabethtown. 6-13 0729 ID by man, news and some interference from WAYC, Bedford, PA.
 (JHD-PA)
 1600 WAYC PA, Bedford. 6-13 0734 Good with ID, sports, Sanka ad and a faint heterodyne. (JHD-PA)
 1610 TIS IL, (near Chicago). 5-24 and 5-25 0200+ Noted both nights, after Anguilla signed off, with
 weather and Chicago area road reports from The Illinois Department of Transportation.
 Poor. (Njw-ON)
 1628.6 WHOT 5-25 0124-0213 Somebody trying very hard to sound like a 60's top forty station. Lots
 of echo, oldies by Martha and The Vandellas and Aretha Franklin, etc., plus lots of chatter
 by a male announcer (most of which I had no idea of what he was babbling about!), very poor
 to fair. (Njw-ON)
 1650 CJCL ON, Toronto. 5-25 0134 While looking for other pirates, I found CJCL also audible on 1650
 with the usual Music Of Your Life. I can't understand why I would hear this here, having
 never heard them on 1650 in Toronto. (Unless somebody decided to relay them) Poor to very
 poor. (Njw-ON) (How about a wierd image: CHIN 1540 minus CJCL 1430=900. 1540+900=1650-kz)*
 Three pages plus in the height of summer...you guys make me blush! A really nice turnout! All you
 readers out there...how about scribbling down a few and mailing them in? Pleeeeeese! The ABC standard
 60+ hour week is starting to catch up with me. Have not DXed in ages! WSKQ, 620, Newark, NJ may be
 the first Spanish format AM stretch station with bumperstickers. I see them all over Manhattan. Want
 to see a good movie? Check out "About Last Night..." really powerful! That's it! Until next month-kz

SUMMARY OF UNREPORTED STATIONS

Through Volume 23 #33 dated July 12, 1986

Compiled by Don Kaskey, 465 Burnett St., #1, San Francisco CA 94131

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	V23	V22	V21	V20	V19	V18	V17	V16	V15	V14	V13	V12	Prior	Total
CANADA	196	63	33	15	17	16	11	12	4	5	0	2	45	== 419
U.S.A.	2068	683	443	372	244	249	123	155	68	46	27	39	285	== 4802
TOTAL	2264	746	476	387	261	265	134	167	72	51	27	41	330	== 5221

New Stations reported as having taken the air during the period covering
 V23 #28 through #33:

680-KLDY-WA	930-KTLD-CO	1200-WDCQ-FL
770-CHQR-AB (x--810)	1030-WBZE-MD	1200-WMLI-ME (x-1250)
820-WRFA-FL (x--800)	1040-WYFX-FL (x-1510)	1200-CKDA-BC (x-1220)
840-CKBX-BC (x-1240)	1040-KPAD-OK (ET's)	1330-WSPQ-NY
870-WMTL-KY (x-1580)	1170-WHCI-AL	1340-WALH-GA
870-CFBV-BC (x-1230)	1190-WECC-GA	1460-WEMR-PA

Delete the following stations from the above totals:

- 680-KVGO-LA Reported as ON THE AIR in error. Never took the air. CP
 was cancelled by the FCC.
- 1230-CBON-QU Has moved to 710 and become a 40 watt LPRT.
- 1440-KFPS-MO Reported as ON THE AIR in error. Is still a CP.
- 1530-WJRL-MS License was cancelled by the FCC.

Other notes of interest:

- 540-CKCY-ON Did not switch from 920 as reported. Is still on 920.
- 820-WIQT-NY Did not switch from 1000 as reported. Is still on 1000.
- 830-KGLR/KFLT-AZ, Tucson, reported on by M Street Journal several
 months ago with religious format, was premature. Still
 not on as of 7/1/86.

John Wilkins of Denver CO writes that while vacationing in Arkansas
 earlier this summer he heard previously unreported stations KBBA-690
 & KJWH-1450. Thanks John.

Previously unreported stations noted by IRCA reporters in DX MONITOR since
 the last update (V23 #28)...Covers V23 #28 through #33:

AR---6	KBBA--690,	KCGS--960,	KJWH-1450 & KNWA-1600 (all by Wilkins-vac AR)
MD---0	WBZE-1030	(Smith-vac WV & Demmitt-PA)	
MI---1	WFEN-1160	(Brooker-ON)	
OH---2	WFAH-1310	(Demmitt-PA)	
PA---3	WACB-1380	(Ritchie-PA; WARD-1550 (E. Cooper-MA)	
VA--10	WYRV--770	(Demmitt-PA)	

1460 KKCS CO, Colorado Springs daytime log here, ex-KKHT. C&W music, ID'ing as "KCS AM & FM." (ØW-CO)

 550 KOY AZ, Phoenix Su 6/29 1554 poor midday signal. KBLU-560 much stronger. At 1600 "KOY, Phoenix---music you love." "Good afternoon. It's 880 right now in the valley. Chance of rain this afternoon." Into news. Also used "KOY 55 AM" IDs. No sign of KUZZ. (SMM-PS)
 560 KBLU AZ, Yuma Sa 6/28 1403 fair midday with CBS News. Then numerous ads w/ments of Yuma and "AM 56" IDs. Into pop music. At 1420 "K-Blue weather," then promo for "CBS Game of the Week on K-Blue Radio 56." (SMM-PS)
 (KSFO) CA, San Francisco 7/21 0307 totally off. (RW-CA)
 570 KCNO CA, Alturas 7/8 2326-2347 fair u/KLAC/KLUB w/C&W, ad for Lariat Ford in Lakeview, Oregon, YL weather, OM s/off MSG with music "Tumblin' Tumbleweeds," off at 2347. IRCA Almanac clearly shows Alturas sunset time for July as 2330. What gives? (TRH-NV)
 KLAC CA, Los Angeles Sa 6/28 1826 poor midday signal w/PSA-fund-raising contest "Vote for Ugliest Bartender." "57 KLAC" ID, into Linda Ronstadt song. (SMM-PS)
 590 KFXM CA, San Bernardino Sa 6/28 1828 solid signal with Big Band music. (SMM-PS)
 +7/8 0535 good with Big Band, OM talk about earthquake which struck a few minutes earlier (we felt it here in Las Vegas). (TRH-NV)
 KSUB UT, Cedar City noted daily midday with "Color Country." Very few midday catches from Las Vegas. (TRH-NV)
 600 KCLS AZ, Flagstaff fair 7/6 1546-1600 with sports, weather, ads, and Casey Kasem "American Top 40" at 1600. (TRH-NV)
 KSXO CA, Redding 7/10 2357 fair with long ad string, song, poll for top 3 songs--call 243-KSXO. (TRH-NV)
 KLZZ CA, San Diego Sa 6/28 1832 fair with "Currently we have overcast skies at KLZZ--easy 106." Into Pepsi ad. (SMM-PS)
 610 KAVL CA, Lancaster 7/6 1300 noted weak middays, fair-good o/KFRC at night. (TRH-NV)
 620 KTAR AZ, Phoenix 7/6 1302 noted poor-fair middays with talk programs. (TRH-NV)
 KWFT TX, Wichita Falls 7/11 0607-0615 poor-fair u/KTAR, KNGS with OM Texas news, weather for Wichita Falls & Oklahoma. (TRH-NV)
 640 KFI CA, Los Angeles noted daily midday, fair-good with excellent readability. (TRH-NV)
 660 KTNN AZ, Window Rock 6/30 0323 rock music in fair to good. (GL-CA)
 670 (KBOI) ID, Boise 6/30 0242 totally off, but too much KFNN-660 slop to DX frequency! (RW-CA)
 680 CJOB MB, Winnipeg 7/11 0617 poor in KNBR null with AdCon, promos, and a couple of IDs. Not enough for a report. (TRH-NV)
 690 KZKZ AZ, Flagstaff 7/8 2244-2254 poor to fair w/AdCon, OM ID/TCs. Inaudible middays. (TRH-NV)
 XETRA BCN, Tijuana Sa 6/28 fair/poor signal (apparently Palm Springs is outside of their "beam"). Ads, "69 Extra Gold" ID; into oldies at 1836. (SMM-PS)
 710 (KMPC) CA, Los Angeles 6/30 0326 noted off. No sign of KFAM-700. (GL-CA)
 720 KDWN NV, Las Vegas Su 6/29 1550 fair midday signal with Los Angeles Dodgers baseball game. (SMM-PS)
 730 ?KLOE? KS, Goodland 7/21 0730-0735 tent. good through CKLG null, horrendous KCBS-740 slop made reception almost impossible, but pulled out bits & pieces including two ments of Kansas, one of "Topeka," and sports ment. the Royals. Gone by 0735, 0730 coincides with Goodland LSR in July, per SRS maps. First time I've even heard a trace of this common S. Calif. logging! (RW-CA)
 750 KERR MT, Polson 7/5 0046-0104 poor-fair with C&W, ads, OM IDs, slogan "750 Hit Country." Hardly noted since, as KAMA (pest) dominates nightly. (TRH-NV)
 KMMJ NE, Grand Island 7/10 0711 poor u/KAMA with C&W music, couple of IDs by OM. Not enough for a report. (TRH-NV)
 760 KFMB CA, San Diego Sa 6/28 1838 fair with rundown of So. Californians who recently won the Calif. Lottery "Big Wheel" spin. Why KFMB presented what should have been a paid advertisement as a free news feature is beyond me! (SMM-PS)
 KSJL TX, San Antonio 7/11 0723-0730 fair o/nullted KFMB w/furniture store ad, YL news update, OM weather, IDs. (TRH-NV)
 770 WABC NY, New York City MM 7/7 0205 u/KOB, CHQR with usual YL psychologist talk show. Here, I can null KOB. At home I can't, because I have to null KFMB-760 to hear anything on 750 or 770. (TRH-NV)
 780 KAZM AZ, Sedona 7/22 1510 poor midday w/PSA, ID "AM Stereo, KAZM." (TRH-NV)

780 WBBM IL, Chicago 7/19 1330 dominating channel with YL news, sports, weather. Las Vegas is almost directly inbetween Reno & Sedona, so I assume neither KROW nor KAZM puts much in this direction at night. (TRH-NV)

KROW NV, Reno 8/30 0328 on with OC & tones. Some fades, plus KAEC-790 sloop. (GL-CA)

790 KXTC CA, Clovis 7/12 0240-0254 poor w/KAEC with MYL, ads, promo, ID by OM "Your Great American Concert Station, KXTC." Also good at SSS. (TRH-NV)

KAEC CA, Los Angeles Sa 6/28 1840 fair with XESU nulled. Usual talk and "KAEC" ID. (SMM-PS)

830 KNCO CA, Grass Valley 7/21 2315 booming in with long promo anncet. No sign of KFLT yet. (TRH-NV)

860 ?KUTR? UT, Salt Lake City 7/12 2245 presumed with MDT TCs, IDs as "860 AM Stereo" by OM. Briefly o/XEMO but quickly faded. (TRH-NV)

870 ?KROL? NV, East Las Vegas 7/19 1710 noted very strong OC, seemed to loop SE. No ID heard, but must be the E. Las Vegas synchronous xmtr testing, as it produced a mixing product with KDWN on 1590 while it was on. (TRH-NV)

890 *KDXU* UT/NV, St. George-Las Vegas 6/30 0604 noted with OC. (RW-CA)
KDXU +7/16 1305 good midday with AdCon. Entirely inaudible along "The Strip" due to all the electrical noise, but pretty good elsewhere in town. Fair at best on car radio. The "Las Vegas" IDs are stretching things a bit, hi. (TRH-NV)

900 KBIF CA, Fresno 7/12 2310 poor with XEW. "Seminar in Faith" program. ID. (TRH-NV)

KKAP TX, Floydada 7/11 0708-0720 fair to good with Texas state net programs, YL ID. Really gets out for 250w. (TRH-NV)

910 KPOF CO, Denver 7/12 0400 poor w/XEAO with ID-slogan "Denver Christian Radio 910." (TRH-NV)

KALL UT, Salt Lake City 7/8 0733 poor with OM-YL "KALL Satellite Weather," back to Mutual's "America in the Morning" with Jim Bohannon. (TRH-NV)

920 KKAM CA, Palm Springs Sa 6/28 local. MYL format. Stereo, per Sansui CX-990 car radio. (SMM-PS)

KVEC CA, San Luis Obispo 7/21 0330 good with local spots & ID o/KLOC and KOLQ. (RW-CA)

940 KBRE UT, Cedar City 7/4 1848 poor-fair with Cherry Coke ad, ID. Also poor-fair middays. (TRH-NV)

970 KVIM CA, Coachella Sa 6/28 local. SS format. (SMM-PS)
+MM 7/21 0221 OM "Club 97 en K-V-I-M" promo/IDs. Fair w/KYTE, XEJ. (TRH-NV)

(KNUU) NV, Paradise-Las Vegas MM 7/21 0205 already off for MM SP. (TRH-NV)

KYTE OR, Portland MM 7/21 0210 fair with MYL OM ID "Making memories with the MYL on KYTE." (TRH-NV)

990 KGTM TX, Wichita Falls 7/22 0734 fair with OM local news features. ID. (TRH-NV)

1000 KRHS AZ, Bullhead City 7/6 1535 very weak middays with AdCon. (TRH-NV)
KOMO WA, Seattle Sa 6/28 0053 strong signal (KTNQ-1020 splashes them back home). "Keep up with the Expo World's Fair in Vancouver by tuning in KOMO AM 1000 for weather in Vancouver, and border crossing reports." Into song "Sonny." (SMM-PS)

1010 KCHJ CA, Delano Sa 6/28 0050 good w/"Calif. Angels Radio Network" // KMPC-710. Possibly network feed includes local KMPC ads, as I heard an ad for "The Goodwill Games...exclusively on KTLA Channel 5." Delano is between Fresno & Bakersfield, so KTLA can't be received up there; though possibly KTLA is carried on cable, in which case perhaps it was a local ad. Network broke for local station identification at 0100, but DJ screwed up. He announced "1010 KCHJ," but forgot to say "Delano"! Local KCMJ has moved up to 1140, of course. (SMM-PS)

1070 KFDI KS, Wichita 7/8 0717 poor w/KNX w/C&W, OM IDs, not enough for a report. (TRH-NV)

1080 KSCO CA, Santa Cruz 7/4 2315 o/KRLD at SSS w/relig. program, OM ID. This is my UNID from last month. (TRH-NV)

KRPX UT, Price 7/10 2230-2245 good w/"Q-101 Hometown Countdown," promo for Mr. & Mrs. Eastern Utah Suntan contest. S/off 2245 (night CP is not on yet). Slogan "E. Utah's Fun-in-the-Sun Summer Station, Q-101 FM." (TRH-NV)

1090 KLSC CO, Denver 7/5 2208-2229 poor-fair o/u XEPRS, KANN with ID "AM 10-90, KLSC, the Granddaddy of Rock & Roll" into "Classic Gold Show," live from a local hotel. (TRH-NV)

KKYN TX, Plainview MM 7/7 0309-0338 fair in XEPRS null w/C&W, YL weather, promo for KKYN Rodeo Parade, ID "Country 1090, KKYN." (TRH-NV)

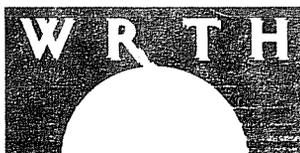
- 1090 KANN UT, Ogden 7/8 2257-2300 poor-fair with relig. program, ID "KANN, Christian Radio for Northern Utah." S/off mentioned studios at 2222 Washington Blvd., Ogden. Power given as 5000 watts, PSA 18 watts, not 22 as in NRC Log. (TRH-NV)
- 1110 KRLA CA, Pasadena Sa 6/28 1845 good signal (much stronger than KNX-1070) "Be my 11th caller..." contest, into Diana Ross' "Love Child." (SMM-PS)
- *KRLA*+7/14 0300 off air for testing with OC & tones. New Irwindale xmtr under construction, hopes to begin testing mid to late Aug. Was at xmtr to talk with CE about 0140 to 0245 and left before testing started. New site will have 5 towers. (GL-CA)
- KRCX CA, Roseville 7/8 2306 OM "Radio Capital, K-R-C-X" ID after newscast. Fair-good o/KRLA. (TRH-NV)
- 1140 KCMJ CA, Palm Springs local with C&W format. Stereo, per Sansui CX-990 car radio. Sa 6/28 1854 "3:54 and 108° in Palm Springs." Lady DJ. (SMM-PS)
- 1180 ?KQWA? AZ, Williams 7/4 0909-0938 u/KERI weak with long sets of C&W, talk by OM. Too weak to identify. (TRH-CA3)
- VOA FL, Marathon MM 7/14 0535 fair-good with usual OM-YL news.(TRH-NV)
- KOFI MT, Kalispell 7/22 0457 fair with ment. of Ad Council then "Coffee Weather Bank, weather check is sponsored by..." New.(DP)
- 1210 KCLG UT, Washington poor-fair middays with C&W, IDs. (TRH-NV)
- 1220 KTSJ CA, Pomona 6/30 0845 good at s/on into relig. programming. (RW)
- 1230 KFLR AZ, Phoenix per call to KFLR, changing calls to KQNC in "mid-July." (RW-CA)
- KGEO CA, Bakersfield 7/22 0400 fair in between splash, SID "K-G-E-O... Bakersfield" into "Mr. Bojangles." (DP-CA)
- ?KSZL? CA, Barstow 7/21 0905 tent. with ments of "high desert" & "Barstow" heard through KGEO/KWG/KCBN/KPRL, but lost to KDPC-1220's s/on. KSZL is now on the air per recent trip through area, 0300-0900 SP nightly, C&W format, "K-sizzle and K-duck" IDs. Apparently gets out well. (RW-CA)
- 1240 KDIG CA, San Bernardino Su 6/29 1540 "It's 12:40 on 1240 KDIG." Into Calif. Angels baseball game. (SMM-PS)
- 1250 KHIL AZ, Willcox 7/11 2214-2230 fair with C&W, lengthy s/off annc't by OM ment. KWXC 98.3 FM. Closed with song "I Love You, Arizona." (TRH-NV)
- KDHI CA, Twentynine Palms Su 6/29 1550 wind down of "American Country Countdown." 1608 "World of Sports from ABC." At 1609 "It's 960. We've got the best in country music for you on K-D-H-I." Is this format change from easy-listening recent? (SMM-PS)
- WREN KS, Topeka 7/5 2307-2323 fair u/KTMS with oldies, ads, "5-county Forecast," ID, PSA for Topeka Parks & Recreation. (TRH-NV)
- 1260 KOIT CA, San Francisco 7/22 0420 fair with Beatles song followed by OM with "K-O-I-T weather." (DP-CA)
- KVVF NM, Santa Fe MM 7/7 0129-0200 fair o/KGIL with oldies, PSA for NM State Police, ID, KVVF Weather Outlook. S/off at 0200 ment. studios at 1718 W. Alameda. Announced 5:00am s/on time. (TRH-NV)
- KWYR SD, Winner 7/8 0659-0708 very good with s/on, "This is KWYR, Winner, SD, AM 1260, your country music & news authority at the power of 5000 watts." Into SSB (instrumental) followed by Ai news, single ID, C&W. (TRH-NV)
- CFRN AB, Edmonton 7/11 0444-0548 good o/XEMW with AdCon, slogan "Edmonton's Music, CFRN," ad for Hat Hut (baseball caps, uniforms, etc). Lots of promos for station contest "Win a bike a day on 1260, CFRN." (TRH-NV)
- 1270 KNWZ CA, Palm Desert local all-news format. Sa 6/28 1856 "K-News time 3:56." Into ad for Triple E Swimwear in Cathedral City. "Your news and information station, KNWZ 1270." (SMM-PS)
- 1290 ?KESP? CA, Santa Barbara 6/30 0849 poss. one with SS music way u/KAZA OC in KHSL null. No trace of KMEN. KESP only heard once as KKIO on a DX test. (RW-CA)
- 1300 KROP CA, Brawley Sa 6/28 fair at 1858 with song sung to the tune of "Billie Joe McAllister." "Your country kicker for all of South-eastern California, KROP Brawley - (?) - Calexico." Into UPI Radio News. (SMM-PS)
- 1310 KIOT CA, Barstow noted daily with AdCon. Also nightly u/KDIA. (TRH-NV)
- 1320 *KGNR* CA, Sacramento 7/21 0333 good with TT just after s/off ment. 0800 s/on, o/KBUG. (RW-CA)
- KAVI CO, Rocky Ford 7/2 0904 hospital report, sponsored by Rocky Ford Nat'l Bank; then C&W music. (RW-CO)
- 1340 KWXY CA, Cathedral City local w/easy-listening format. Sa 6/28 1904 EZ listening versions of "Take Me Home Country Roads" & the Beatles' "Abby Road" collage. (SMM-PS)

- 1350 KABQ NM, Albuquerque 7/11 2330 YL ID "Fiesta musical en K-A-B-Q." Poor u/KCKC. (TRH-NV)
- 1360 PKZIQ? CA, Ridgecrest 7/4 0900 unID SSB u/KQP. Possibly them. Quickly faded. (TRH-CA3)
- KQP CA, San Diego 6/30 0332 fading MYL music sounding like Love Story. (GL-CA)
- 1370 KSOP UT, S. Salt Lake City 7/8 0500 poor u/KWRM w/OM ID, C&W. (TRH-NV)
- 1380 KLPZ AZ, Parker very weak middays, caught occasional ID. (TRH-NV)
- 1400 KRCQ CA, Indio Sa 6/28 local with SS format; "Radio Catorce (14)" IDs. (SMM-PS)
 +Per call to KRCQ, hasn't changed calls to KUNA (old calls for now KLTW-1400 San Luis Obispo, CA) as of 7/20. (RW-CA)
- 1420 KSES CA, Yucca Valley semi-local. Sa 6/28 1912 "1420 KSES" IDs, promo for "Secret Sounds Clues," sponsored by Yucca Valley Florist. "A couple away from CBS sports..." (SMM-PS)
- 1440 KVVN CA, Napa 7/15 0000 good o/KUHL with Larry King, OM ID, Mutual news. CE now says they were only running 500w non-directional when I heard them last month. Rcvd QSL. (TRH-NV)
- KPRO CA, Riverside per call to CA directory assistance, no listing for this station (number disconnected) & not noted while passing thru San Bernadino on vacation. Apparently silent pending new ownership which plans to use calls KDIF (not to be confused with KDIQ-1240 San Bernadino!). (RW-CA)
- 1450 KPSI CA, Palm Springs local. "You're tuned to Talkradio 145 -- KPSI." into ABC Talkradio affiliation. Promos for Dodger baseball coverage. (SMM-PS)
- 1480 KWUN CA, Concord 7/21 1000 noted with this ID o/KYOS, so hasn't changed calls to KPOP on 7/20/86 as reported by Radiophiles bulletin. (RW-CA)
- 1490 KBAS AZ, Bullhead City 7/6 weak middays with OM DJ. C&W. (TRH-NV)
 +7/22 0244 fair at best with Dolly Parton and lively YL SID. (DP)
- KWAC CA, Bakersfield 7/22 0300 good with full ID & address o/KBAS. (DP-CA)
- KGUD CA, Banning semi-local, but signal quite choppy due to being slightly QRM'ed by unID station (KDB??). Sa 6/28 1931 ad for Chuck Overshaw Toyota of San Bernadino. ID at 1935, "Good times, K-Good 1490." Into MYL. (SMM-PS)
- 1530 KCLR TX, Ralls 7/21 2300 OM ID, ranchera music. Surprised to catch them on this late---PSSA or night authorization? (TRH-NV)
- 1580 (KDAY) CA, Santa Monica 6/30 0420 noted off. (GL-CA)
- 1590 KOGO CA, Ventura-Oxnard 6/30 0423 MYL music, Pistol Packin' Mama, fading pretty bad. ID into Mills Brothers. (GL-CA)
- 1600 KWOW CA, Pomona very weak midday, but quite loud at night. (SMM-PS)
- 1610 KMC490 CA, Barstow 7/4 0732 TIS noted with good signals, message now has "elevator music" in background. (TRH-CAI)

UNIDs:

- 790 6/30 0319 unID TT strong o/KABC/KXQR. Poss. same ET'er as last MM. KWIL or KEKA? (RW-CA)
- 1280 UnID Music Country Net station heard nightly. Possibly KKAL. (TRH-NV)
- 1480 6/30 0119 unID TT weak u/KWIZ, loop east. Has to be CDT or EDT ET'er. Ideas? (RW-CA) (Bill says it doesn't have to be CDT/EDT if it's a fulltimer testing night facilities, although in practice very few fulltimers test before midnight.--NH)

This is being typed up early (Sat. 7/26) because Bill was able to get a vacation at the last minute. Hopefully not too many reports will arrive on Monday & Tuesday! The next WDXR deadline is Tues. August 26. ♡



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PAN AMERICAN DX ROUNDUP

- 590 MEXICO, Fresnillo, Zacaticas-XEYQ Poor to fair u/o KDXU 7-22 at 0243 w/man ID songs. This is certainly Robert Wien's unid from last month. Fresnillo is in Zacaticas and the morning show. They have lots on anmts and spots Mentioning Zacatecas. (TRH-HV)
- 1610 ANGUILLA, Caribbean Beacon 6/15 at 0927. Man w/airline ad phone #497-2671. ID "You're listening...Caribbean Beacon from the beautiful island of Anguilla...favorite radio...keep your radio dial..."all in light caribbean accent..Vy poor, static, deep fades. New country and Caribbean #3 from here. (5P-Hi*)

TRANS-PACIFIC DX ROUNDUP

- 531 JAPAN, Morioka-J00G 1128 6/22 Man singing //3970. poor to fair . This was the only firmly IDed JJ this morning the HHK powerhouses just weren't in. (NHP-BC2)
- 612 t AUSTRALIA, Brisbane-40R 1239 5/6 DU man talking but not // w/4920 or 6150. A similar situation noted on May 25 beverage party. On 5/8 at 1244 however, this was definately //6150. Does 40R sometimes run a local pgm separate from ABC at this time? (NHP-BC) (Yes, I have hrd 40R and 5AH separate from SW // in the past.PM)
- 620 ++HAWAII, Hilo-KIPA-Plans to set up co-channel synchro in Ha'alehu misspelled in broadcasting. (5P-Hi)
- 792 AUSTRALIA, Brisbane-40G 1151 5/25. Sounded like relig. talk //9650 Poor. (NHP-BC1)
- 1008 U.S.S.R., Magadan-1118 6/22 Operatic singing poor to fair //4455 Still not quite sunset in Magadan at this time, so wonder if this really is the location. At 1111 audio here was almost certainly JJ so it points to JONR. (NHP-BC2) (That is the way it goes here-first RR and then JONR for Asians.PM)
- 1035 t SOLOMON ISLANDS, Honiara-H4B1-1204 6/22 Jazzy guitar mx, then man giving tc "after 11 o'clock" then speaking in Unid language. No SW //available, but this seems most likely, even if it was a long way from the bearing of the wire (only hrd on the 1000 footer though) By this hour all Asiatics had faded out and DUs were poking through. (NHP-BC2)
- 1053 UNIDS, 1121 6/22 Monster carrier here, but only audio was the peculiar whooshing noise, likely the Korean jammer. What audio did fade up , caused a SAH and appeared to be JJ talk (JOAR?) and not //North Korean 4557. (NHP-BC1) (Sounded like JOAR.PM)
- 1494****PAUPA NEW GUINEA, Wabaq-1212 5/25 Briefly poor w/r/r then woman in unid language //2410 The only other time I've logged PNC (864) was also at this site. A pretty nice catch especially at the end of May. (NHP-BC1) (Great catch Nick. This one I have tried for but without any luck. Both 864 and 585 have come in here.PM)
- 1548 AUSTRALIA, Emerald-40B 1237 6/8 Man talking then Jazz //4920 poor to fair. (NHP-BC)
- 1615 NEW ZEALAND, Ohura-OR 1238 6/3-Weak and fady but def. "OR" in HCW over and over. Has been noted several times since. (NHP-BC)
- 1620 AUSTRALIA, Brisbane-4RPH-weak w/talking book type program at 1215 on 7/25. ID at 1230. (PM-OR)
- 1629 AUSTRALIA, Sydney-2RPH-Woman ancr, old MOR mx DU ancr at 1228 on 7/25.(PM-OR)
- 1620 t AUSTRALIA, Brisbane-4RPH-1230 6/8 Poor to almost fair w/s/off anmt. "...studcos in....etc. then anthem. Unfortunately my tape machine overloaded so all I got was garbage. Getting a firm logging on these RPHs is going to be the death to me. (NHP-BC)

THANKS TO THESE REPORTERS:

- TRH-HV TIM HALL-DXing while on a business trip to Las Vegas, Nv.
5P-HI* DALE PARK-2253 Kanealii Avenue-Honolulu, Hawaii 96813
DXing at Ahuimanu Elementary School Kane'ohe HI. W/Sony ICF-6700W
- NHP-BC NICK HALL PATCH-1538 Amphion Street-Victoria, B.C. V8R 4Z6
NHP-BC1 DXing at Sombrio Point SPR4 and 1000' at 270 degrees
NHP-BC2 DXing at Jordan River with SPR4 and 1000' and 2000' at 320 degrees.11

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It's been some time since I last appeared in these pages, so thought I'd drop a line during the summer doldrums. We are in the midst of the driest year since 1879 here, as well as the hottest summer since the scorcher of 1980. All this means lots of time inside in the a.c., but the summer static really puts a damper on the DX, although I try anyway! We spent a week prior to Memorial Day in Fla., at St. George Island on the Gulf Coast near Appalachicola and of course the TRF went along and got a workout doing a daytime bandscan. The first few days were stormy so I did a little FM until the weather cleared. There were quite a few differences this time to my "St. George" Bandscan of a few years ago; quite a few call changes, lots of format changes, and even a new station or two, such as: WJAX-690 Jacksonville, (ex-WAPE) mentioning the "All New WJAX"; WRFA-800 Largo, Fla (ex-WSST) using the slogan "Radio for America" with a c/w format; WJEP-1020 Ochlocknee, Ga. coming in well in the daytime there; New station WDCQ-1200 Pine Beach Center, Fla with an oldies format; and WPSO-1500 New Port Richey, Fla (ex-WGUL) using the slogan "Talk Radio". As can be expected, there were Cubans either dominant or audible to varying degrees on about twenty-two AM channels there in the daytime. Back at home, there is not much DX to report, although I was surprised to hear R. Belize back on 6/2 totally dominating 830--this is the first time that I have heard them since the switch from 834. I have heard the new WPRQ-870 Colonial Heights, Tenn. several times lately, and the new WDKT-730 (ex-WABT-1360) Madison, Ala. is heard most any morning here at s/on time of 0600 EDT. One interesting development lately is fellow DXer Chuck Hutton's verification from 3LO-774 Melbourne, Australia for our 11-3-85 tentative reception while on a beverage expedition to eastern Alabama, with a 1500' west wire. We both heard the faint signal, with bits of music and talking, and after repeated listening to the tape, Chuck decided to send in a report and bingo! Now, I need to write to them and attempt to get the reception verified for myself! That would be a nice addition to my verie collection--a DU verie, so hopefully they will respond for me, too. Well, I suppose I have rambled on enough for now...I am looking forward (already) to cooler fall weather and the start of some serious DXing! '73's.

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It's been a while since my last forum so I thought I'd give a little input to EDXF. DX here has been slow lately due to high local interference. The local cable TV company introduced a new service a few days ago with new converter boxes, more channels, etc. The one thing obvious is more leakage and thus more TVI. The converter boxes completely control the TV by changing channels and even the on/off. When the box is switched off the TV actually stays on but there is no picture. Having been an IRCA'n for just over a year now I'd have to say it's helped my DXing a great deal. The log sections and Broadcasting Information are the two most useful. The only complaint I have is there is no section entirely devoted to veries which I think would be a great help to those of us who QSL. I realize there are QSL's reported in some members forums but it would help if there was a list compiled perhaps quarterly or bi-monthly complete with the names of v/signers and other information such as days before reply received, and # of follow ups. I'd even be willing to do such a column. Recent good catches here include CKAP-580. IDed only as "AM-58". I called the station and mentioned the name of the DJ heard and was informed that I did hear them. DJ was Marc Bergereon and format was hard rock. I enjoyed Gene Martin's comments on Halley's Comet. I observed this object from Oct. to early June and saw it about 40 times. Astronomy has always been my first love with DXing being second. Now all I have to do is combine the two into Radio Astronomy. '73's.

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Here I am once again, static-chasers, to continue, in a sense, my 7/12 Forum. Moving on to the Roundups, I see nothing wrong with information gleaned from the "extracurricular" activities of IRCA members appearing therein. IF there is any place where late-breaking news on slogans, formats,

"otherness", etc. belongs, it is where one finds DX tips generally. It might be less essential during the time when DXM goes monthly, as Greg KONTI's column appears in each issue then, but that's the only problem I can see. Besides, as far as I'm concerned, the more info in DXM, the better - if it helps only one DX'er log a new station/state/province/country, that's one more than would be helped otherwise, right? I also get the impression that many of the more senior members of our club are concerned that the changes in DXM (such as those which sparked the Forum-Roundup debate) over the years signal a dilution--for lack of a better word--of IRCA "traditions". First of all, the IRCA--as a democratic institution--must exist for the benefit of all its members, regardless of seniority. Secondly, however, we must not forget the club's past and the many contributions of members to the club over the years. Has anyone talked about a 25th Anniversary book/history/momento, whatever? The magic date is less than three years away, so the time to think about it is now. I joined that other MW club (the three-letter one, hi) in its 51st year and, shortly thereafter, purchased the NRC 50th Anniversary Book. Although totally new to the MW club scene (I joined IRCA around the same time), that publication made me feel a part of a long (albeit stormy--judging from the origins of IRCA) history. Maybe the IRCA could use a similar treatise come early '89. 73.

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919-758-2171 (work) 919-756-1150 x260 (home) Greetings from sunny N.C.! We arrived in Greenville 5/9 after a 6-day stopover in Indianapolis. We left Whidbey Island, Washington on 4/29 at 0835, and drove I-90, I-80, and I-74 through Wash, Idaho, Mont., Wyo., S.D., Iowa and Ill., arriving in Indianapolis on 5/2 at 1530. We overnights at Deer Lodge, Mont, Wall, S.D., and Durant, Iowa. Eastern Washington, Idaho, and Montana were an experience to be remembered. What is VOA in my address (temporary till we get permanent quarters)? I think it stands for Voice of Afghanistan or something similar. Anyway, am now GS-10 and have escaped the excessive cost of living on Whidbey Island. I miss the good country life, but not once did the Olympic or the Cascade Mountains offer to pay for groceries, hi. With a bit of luck, we'll be departing for one of VOA's overseas relays in two years or so; but in the meantime, I'm hoping to get in touch with area DXers, especially those of N.C. Met with Bill Coleman, Jr., and Jim Headlee (NRCer), recently, at Bill's QTH. Thanks for the hospitality, Bill. Haven't done much DX recently, the reason being we've been in hotel (Cameolt Inn, Greenville). This place is a pure infestation of NSP TVI and RFI from the hotel's computer terminal, plus being 1.3 miles from WBZQ's xmtr site and 2.2 miles from WNCT-1070's xmtr site. Expect to be moving into our home-to-be in rifton, N.C. around the end of July. Grifton is on NC 11 some 18 miles south of Greenville, and 11 miles north of Kingston. At-hut! WJIK-1580 is still there, and not yet 830. 73 de Charlie.

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Larry Glick, host of his own night talk show on WBZ-1030 from Boston announced that his show will shortly be aired at a new time...at noon! This spells very sad news not just for the millions of listeners outside the day contour but for the night owls living in the Boston area and the station itself. Hard to believe how the station could make such a decision but Larry seems to be the only one who is happy about it, as he will be able to see what real daylight looks like both going to and returning from work. WBZ plans to air records, news, weather and ads during the night spot which will make it just one of the many ordinary radio stations. What a waste of a 50,000 watt powerhouse. The announcer at WPHB-1260 Phillipsburg, Penn. mentioned this on his afternoon show and it was plain to see all of the emotion that is involved. I believe WBZ will regret making that decision. Still waiting for the TV set to arrive. My local TV store assured me that they could get the model I wanted and that was eleven years ago but when we went to check about the order after six weeks, they did not have the paperwork in order but kept assuring us that it was on the way. Was just informed that the set is no longer being made. The gal did say that if I added \$75.94 to the \$400 she already had of mine, she could get me a set that was just what I wanted. Still waiting and she told me it would take another six weeks yet. Because of this I could not watch the 4th of July celebration but was able to hear good coverage on the radio. The networks and local New York stations...especially WOR-710 kHz painting an excellent picture thru the magic of radio. I was also able to hear a local parade and a broadcast from a nearby carnival over a couple of local stations. It pays to keep scanning the AM as you never know what you are going to be hearing. 73.

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Seems like WLS has finally gone talk with an occasional song or two. I guess this was bound to happen sooner or later. The programming at WLS has been erratic at times during the nighttime hours, since new management took over the big 89 last Jan. Recently, I've found another album oriented RR music station. It's CFLS-920 Levis, Quebec. Better than CHML, their signal here is fair to good with minimum fade, after boring WHMN signs off at 2400. However, they announce in French, and play some heavy metal, and may only be audible in northeastern US (The DXM helped me to verify this one). Don't know what their power is but if I can get their address I might request QSL info. (Gary, the 6th edition of the NRC Log says 10,000 watts--rce) That sample report in principles of BCB DX should come in handy. Only hope that they can read English, hi. Once again, I want to thank Tim O'Hare for the Hammarlund 129X. Radio arrived in good shape and works just fine. Also was surprised to find Whites Radio Log is available. Don't know if it's original but plan to order and find out. If I may, the address is Antique Electronic Supply, 688 West 1st Street, Tempe, Arizona 85281. Price \$4.95. They also sell tubes, kits, and other good stuff. (Gary, no trouble with your report. Just keep sending them in, hi--rce.)

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I will refrain from commenting on REW's resignation and opinions at this time. It is interesting, though, to read other's comments on the situation. I do miss Wood's excellent contributions to the columns, and I hope IRCA is not deprived of the man's DX accomplishments for much longer (reading, Richard?). A couple of questions for Pat Martin: Have you (or anyone) ever received a verie for Dominica BC Corp-595? Even with IRC's and picture p/c's and a f/up, still nothing, and I'm wondering what their policy is. And Pat, just curious, re your tent. WLAM-1470 in 2/23/85 WDXR - did you ever ID it? If so, nice job. I am still looking for a Palomar BCB loop (I have the loop amplifier), and will trade two other Palomar loops for the one BCB coil. Evenings here the low-band is periodically destroyed by QRN until later in the evening, and luckily, nights are eathly quiet - most TV's are off before local midnight and finally, the house next door is now vacant, previously occupied by college partiers who often ran TV's AN. I've been searching for the QRN (entirely different from the line-noise that plagued me a while back, which was corrected) but nothing found yet. I suspect an air-conditioner or dishwasher. I was procrastinating the repair of my typewriter, but the last DXWW-E was embarrassing and had me with tools in hand and typewriter parts everywhere (to heck with repair bills) and I do believe I got the thing fixed - originally thought to be simply the ribbon - but the keys were not firing right, therefore not firmly. Next column should be much better, I hope. I was concerned when hegring about Bruce wayne's incident via Steve Mittman's 7/12 forum - in many cases such occurrences can be easily avoided by performing a careful and thorough preflight (inspection) prior to initial contact, especially on flying "aluminum foil" craft such as the Cessna Cardinal. Steve, if local papers cover the FAA investigation, I would appreciate any clippings. Speaking of a/c, I had the pleasure to tune on an Avionics West AM/FM a/c radio recently. I was surprised at selectivity/sensitivity; and when airborne engine noise was at an unexpected minimum on much of the BCB, although the use of transpanding equipment somewhat squelched out portions of the band, and when local to NAVAIDS like ILS compass locators, reception was often disturbed intermittently. All the following comments pertain to 7/12 EDXR: Tim Kridel, your 860-unID is NOT WAMO-Pittsburgh, who is still WAMO and soul. I suspect a coastal station, Tim; maybe WBGR-Baltimore? John Demmitt, your 540-CBGA1 may very well be CBEF instead -- did you obtain an ID? Bill Harms, your 940-WESA slogan "98 SA" comes from their FM, and is usually "98 E-S-A" -- did you hear the "E" as well? Finally, I agree with Zuk's ending comments about DX tips being reported if only uncommonly heard stations, or commons repted only if there's station changes, et al. And Karl, you're doing a bang-up job on the column, but I must say I do not condone some of the comments printed; nothing personal. I jovial attitude is recommended, but it's easy to get out of hand, and I don't think DXM is the place for such. Overseas DX is minimal at present, but weak eastern domestics have allowed many rare catches (see EDXR) and I can only say that this summer clearly is much better for DX than last. Nothing much else to say right now, so keep in touch with the IRCA columns, and DX once in a while. Robert Ross, niche catch re CBK-540 Watrous, SK, what with CJSB et al (and KCY rumored to have finally opened on 540). Good DX...JH.

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A few quick words, because it just turned midnight and work comes

early. I think Richard Berg-Andersson does have a valid point above-- IRCA must change over the years to fit the needs of the members--and those needs are different now than when the club was first formed. I'm not sure how many members are willing to stay up all night to listen as we did back then, partially because of the change in the band conditions. We didn't have all the ANers, mc stations were testing during the night, and they were willing to help DXers. I can remember Roger Winsor calling WJOB-1230 and asking them to test with an open carrier instead of a tone, so that we could hear the DX Test from WSME-1220 Maine. WJOB did and we did hear WSME that morning. On the other hand, though, some of the proposals coming up have been discussed before..and before..and before...why not accept the fact that the old-timers do know what they're talking about and listen to them. The time issue is one of them. CAT, my Dad sends along greetings to you. He still remembers you from the 1976 NRC convention. And yes, I still owe you a letter from two years ago. Just be patient, hi. Gary Heisey, good luck with that Hammarlund 129X. They were great radios. I'd love to have one of my own. I've sent in my reservation for the NRC convention this Labor Day weekend in New Castle, Del. It may be the "other" club, but it's only about 55 miles down the road, and I've been a member of that club for 21 years now, just a little bit shorter than my time in IRCA. Gotta run. Thanks for the good turnout this time, and keep the reports coming. PFL.

MONTHLY A. N. A. R. C. REPORT
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There is a lot to report this month. I finally received all the back bulletins that I needed to report on past ANARC events and things can directly affect IRCA. In order to get it all typed in time to mail to IRCA HQ's I am starting a day early.

First let me say in regard to our President [Richard Wood] giving his resignation, I feel that IRCA must press on. Richard Wood has his reasons for resigning and he has or will state them. It is not the purpose of this column to say if Richard Wood is right or wrong. I have known Richard Wood for a good many years and know he means well in what he does even if some of us do not agree. Enough said on that subject! If more is to be said it will have to come Richard Wood himself!!

"It's neither good news nor bad news, but it certainly is a relief. That's the best way to describe my feelings about the news from John Kapinos that HAP-USA is officially out-of-business." That was a direct quote from the ANARC Executive Secretaries report in the April issue of the ANARC newsletter. The assets of HAP-USA have been transferred to Courage Handi-Hams. This was done in keeping the intent that those who contributed to HAP-USA over the years wanted to be sure that the money went to help the handicapped among the hobby. For those who wish to write to Courage Handi-Hams the address is: 3915 Golden Valley Road, Golden Valley MN USA 55422.

H. R. 3378 is still not dead nor has it passed. The latest is that we must still fight H. R. 3378. Congress has the opinion that H. R. 3378 only will effect a small minority. As I have said before, this is only the first of many steps to stop us from listening to radio broadcasts of our choice. It will not (yet!!) eliminate receivers that can pick up the cellular telephone frequencies but will make it a felony to listen to such frequencies. This does not mean to simply tell another person what you heard. It means to inadvertently tune a radio to one of these frequencies. We must all stand up for our rights to listen to any type of radio transmission we wish. As I have said in the past, this is one step in the direction of communism. Fight now before it's too late to do so or forever remember that you were told what could happen. If anyone would like a complete copy of the statement of the ANARC Executive Secretary made before the Subcommittee on Courts, Civil Liberties and the Administration of Justice Committee on the Judiciary United States House of Representatives Concerning H. R. 3378 I have a copy and would be glad to copy it and send you a copy of your own for the cost of duplication, postage and the envelope. That comes to \$3.00 in U.S. funds. Please send me a money order only and be patient -- you will get your copy as soon as I can get to a copy shop to make it for you. If you would also like a copy of the report made by Robert Horvitz, send me an additional 50c. And for a fact sheet on H. R. 3378 send me an additional 35c. That is \$3.85 for the entire package. I am not making a single penny on this and do not wish to!

We must all try to support the World Radio TV Handbook a little more. For years the WRTH has listed the various DX hobby clubs regardless of what aspect of the hobby the club related to. You could be a shortwave club, a mediumwave club, an FM & TV club, a utility club, etc. and the clubs name and headquarters address would be listed in WRTH each year. A report was written by the editor of the WRTH, Andy Sennitt, to the ANARC Executive Secretary in which Andy Sennitt said that it should be brought to the attention of each club that there were several clubs that gave no support to the WRTH; no clubs names were mentioned. I hope IRCA was not one of those! Let's all write to Andy and tell him of the good work he does each year. And, he should get a copy of at least one or more of our bulletins (DXMonitor) as a thank you for an effort well done!

Send your comments about ANARC, IRCA, this column, etc. to me. If they fit I may include them in this column! If they don't fit I may send them on to the editor of the column they do fit. If they either do not fit this column, I can't determine what column they do fit in or you request that I return your comments, I will do so. If you want your comments back include a S.A.S.E. I want to hear from you. Let me know how you feel about ANARC, IRCA, this column, etc. I want to serve the best way I can as IRCA's ANARC Representative. Support IRCA, ANARC & this column! It is just as much your column as it is IRCA's column. 73 and good DX to all. *Albert* Albert!



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Somehow I get the idea that Cuba's Castro is teasing Ronald Reagan in the current flap over Radio Marti and its anti-Castro broadcasts into Cuba from the Florida Keys.

The upshot is that the US is paying a somewhat heavy price because it set up Radio Marti with the avowed purpose of weakening Castro's hold on his people. I haven't heard any rumors that Castro feels threatened and many Americans have reported that most Cubans approve his policies.

Meanwhile, the US is burdened with 200 or so Cuban undesirables to use the polite term, unsavory characters that would like to return to Cuba. They are the floatsam left from the Mariel boat lift into Florida in 1980, that flood of refugees that Castro unaccountably permitted to come to the US. It seems that the great majority of the arrivals have settled into the Cuban community in Florida and other places without too many problems, but then there is the hard core of the undesirables. Many of the have accumulated police records since arriving here, and they are being kept mainly in the Federal penitentiary in Atlanta, although a dozen or more, I hear, are being kept in prisons as far away as the state of Washington.

Recently, the US and Cuba have been negotiating about returning the undesirables to Cuba. Remember their return was underway and progressing steadily until that day when Radio Marti took the air. Castro stopped the return in retaliation for the birth of Radio Marti.

So Radio Marti's broadcasts to Cuba loomed large in those recent negotiations with the Cubans who suggested the US should give Cuba four clear channels to use in broadcasting to the US.

The Cubans certainly knew the US could never agree to that, but it made the point that if you are going to broadcast propoganda to us, then we want the right to broadcast propoganda to you.

So it looks like to me that Castro was simply testing Reagan by that negotiating ploy he surely knew the US could not accept.

Meanwhile the Cuban undesirables remain a burden to the US. We get to feed and house them at our expense. They are a national embarassment for our civil liberties people are clamoring for their release because the Constitution doesn't permit people being kept in prison without a trial in our Judicial system.

Did the US outfox itself when it launched Radio Marti?

Is there any sure way to tell the difference between Uncle Sam and Uncle Sap?

Aren't the Cubans telling us they will take back the undesirables when we shut down Radio Marti?

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Greetings from Steinbeck country. Haven't done too much DX'ing since the Anniversary issue. Seems my loop and receiver have some problems and it will be a while until I can get them fixed. I've enjoyed reading each DXM to keep up with the ECB scene, because I'm sort of isolated from other DX'ers. IRCA member Bill Higgs lives nearby and I had a nice chat with him a few months ago. On Sunday 22 June, Rich Toebe and Rich Segalas came down for the day to visit and talk radio, DX, etc. We had a great time and they hope to make it down here again soon. We may even try out a Beverage antenna on a piece of land Laura's dad owns. It's at the 2,000 foot level and the inland location is usually free from the fog that covers the coast this time of year.

Laura started working at her store in Monterey 23 June, so the drive to San Jose each day is over, thank God. By the time this gets printed, our 1 year wedding anniversary will have come and gone. I mentioned that we met at a 29 Palms Beverage GTG in 1982. The funny part is, she's not a DX'er. She just went along for the ride because she was living with a couple who gave me a ride out there, a ham radio operator. Since, Laura's only DX'ed twice, one time hearing two stations before I did? (Isn't that always the way with a noa-DX'er?— hi - Rth.)

I'm still doing weekends and fill-in at K-Wave 97-FM and did some news work at KTOM. KDON 1460 went back to those calls in May and went to a nostalgia format called the "Unforgettables." The new owners of KRML 1410 still hope to go 5 kw fulltime if they find a spot to put the towers.

KRMI is still jazz and not surprisinsly, didn't show up in the last ratings book. They still have some paid religion in the early mornings on weekdays. KOMY 1540 is having their 6th annual old-time radio marathon this Saturday and Sunday (27 and 28 June) for a total of 13 hours. Should be good, they put in a nice signal here on the Superadio.

I've hunted around and found most of the AM towers in the area. KCTY 980 has three towers at their studios off Natividad Road in Salinas just north of Laurel Drive on the east side of the road a mile or so down a dirt road. Just south of them are KTOM's four towers. One of those towers is used by KKES 1570. KXES hopes to go to 5 kw someday. KIDD 630 has two towers in Marina off Highway 1 at Reservation Road. KRML 1410 has one tower behind some condos along the Carmel River at Rio Road and Carmel Rancho Road. You can't miss KMRV's (1240) tower on the Cannery Row waterfront in Monterey. KNMC 880 says their towers are east of Chualar on Iverson Road which is northeast of Gonzales. I think they have three towers, but not certain. KRKC 1490's tower is out at the airport next to what looks like their old studio building. A sign has KRKC 1570 crossed out and 1490 painted over it. I don't know the exact location of KDON 1460, only that it's in the Pajaro Dunes area near Watsonville. Hope to find it someday. (Hint: On the Bay straddling Pajaro River-RtH.) We saw KXFC 1540's towers (four of them) off Highway 1; they look like flagpoles. (They ARE flagpoles, hi-RtH.) Hope to visit KOMY and KSCC next time I get up that way.

Caught some TV DX by accident on 19 May. I saw channel 2 from Midland, Texas and chnnales 3 from Portales, New Mexico. Called Steve Mittman and he also had the New Mexican. Thanks Steve for your recent phone calls and letters.

That's all for now, and hope everyone has a great summer. Until next time, 73 and best of DX.

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(Cont. from last month. . .) Throughout the long day she endured one interview after another, and calmly reported what had happened as though she were a professional reporter! She said, "I lived with a man who showed me what it means to be dedicated and to be a professional." Later she said, "He was only two weeks from achieving his dream of surviving 25 years as an airborne traffic reporter. . . It meant everything to him, and he worked very hard to be able to keep doing it. He always kept himself in good physical shape, so he wouldn't have any problem renewing his license." KFI ceased its usual "fun and entertainment" programming and devoted its daytime hours to news accounts and tributes to him. (According to KFI, he was always involved with various charities.) Virtually every radio station in L.A. called to wish their condolences, and even Larry King called and later spoke of it on his show. And, in what certainly has to be a first, for this one day, the cut-throat competition was set aside, and every station in town asked its listeners to turn on their headlights in tribute to Wayne! I tuned up and down the dial, and regardless of the format - - KLAC-country; KMPC-Big Bands; KMX-news; KLOC-rock; KIIS AM & FM-CHR, KJGC-jazz, etc., every station was reporting that KFI/Coast 103's Bruce Wayne "KF-Eye in the Sky" had been killed, and were asking their listeners to turn on their headlights for him. As I was driving home from work at 6 PM, it was still daylight, and just about everyone had their headlights on. No matter what sort of music a person listened to, everyone knew Bruce Wayne. It sure was great that all the radio stations were able to forget about competition and honor this radio legend. During Wayne's funeral ceremony, the various radio station airborne reporters are going to fly in formation - - with one aircraft missing. . . representing Bruce Wayne's. 73.

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I recently read a few items in NRC's DX News that I just had to comment on. They are some of the same items that have been discussed in DX Monitor countless numbers of times; in fact, they are the very reasons why IRCA was formed in 1963. I was not an IRCA member until 1970 and an NRC member until 1975.

One of the most important items was a comment that NRC is not a democratic club like some others. It's felt that NRC HQ's should make all the msnsgement decisions and that the membership should make no decisions regarding the club.

Another comment regarded the new FM DX column in DXM. I have said before that I've no objection to FM in DXM. FM DX is not that much different than AM DX. Maybe the conditions of FM DX are a little more challenging and difficult than AM DX; but it's still DX. In addition to IRCA (my first DX club), I belong to NRC, WFFDA, ASWLC & SACDS. ASWLC has some AM & FM DX as well as brief mentions of even longwave DX. IRCA should get

into some limited form of FM DX, in my opinion. It's also been said that IRCA is a Western club and that NRC is an Eastern club. The comments in NRC's DXN said that NRC is not an Eastern club. I don't agree with those comments that NRC is in no way an Eastern club because there aren't any members on the east coast; but there are members in Atlanta. Atlanta is in the state of Georgia which may very well be in the South; but it's in the eastern part of the country not in the Western part of the country as San Diego is. This DX'er uses a line along the Mississippi River to designate east and west.

Last, but not least, important is that NRC doesn't publish a membership list because the membership is too large. This is no excuse. So what the hell if it costs a little extra postage to send out one bulletin a year. I'd certainly pay 17¢ or 34¢ extra to get a membership list in one bulletin a year. I'm very glad that IRCA sends out a membership list once a year.

Both clubs are great clubs and I wouldn't give up my membership in either club even though some of the same information will be found in both publications. Now that NRC has FM DX and even if IRCA gets FM DX, I won't give up my membership in WTFDA either. The same goes for my membership in ASWLC. If IRCA or NRC got a SW column, SCADUS is an all-band club so I wouldn't give up SCADS either. I did give up LWCA long ago because lack of interest in LW DX. Lately, I haven't had a big interest in any type of DX; that that's due to a lack of time for much serious DX. I run my own business and that takes a lot of my time that would otherwise be devoted to DX.

In closing, remember I'm your ANARC representative and that I want to hear from you on ANARC matters. Send me your good and bad comments. I may publish the best of them in my column, space permitting, if you give me permission to do so.

73 and good DX to all (both IRCAnS and NRC'ers) de ASL.

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Hello. Called Ed Stolz of KWOD FM Sacramento for information on local 1500 KRCA. Still haven't found a transmitter site, but says he might be able to use an existing site. We talked for about 35 minutes and I found out that KRLA 1110 is now building a new site in Irwindale. Because that night was my only night off, I decided to drive out there to see if any towers were to be found. Went east on the 210 freeway to Myrtle in Monrovia and south to Peck Road. While on 210 I could see a tower lit, but not sure where it was. I went into Arcadia and the tower appeared taller. All this going on at 10 PM or so. I reached Longden, then Arrow and turned onto the latter. The tower was in an open field next to a truck yard north of Arrow. I found the way to it and it's off of Longden west of Arrow intersection. Gate open, no challenge from security (odd, and I thought they'd have a person watching the site.) I saw five locations for towers plus a portion of new transmitter building. I left there to go by current site in South El Monte and met CE David P. . . (sorry Gary, can't make it out-Rth), a very understanding person once I explained what I was doing there. He says hopefully mid to late August to begin testing from new site, so I'm sure this will be after midnight. That night they went off at 12 Midnight to test for four hours with tones and OC (morning of 14 July).

I'm hoping to return more to new site as towers go up. Official address is 277 E. Longden, Irwindale.

Not much else going on here except for running evenings in different areas. (Have the cops caught up with you yet? Only kidding, hi-Rth.) 73.

ART PETERSON, 851 31st ST., RICHMOND, CA 94804

Last weekend (19-20 July), I located KFBK 1530, KNCO 830, KHWHY 1030, and KFIA 710 transmitting towers.

KFBK: 2 tall towers +- 100 feet E/W of each other, on E. Catlett Road just east of Pleasant Grove Road halfway between Sacramento and Yuba City (the place Rand McNally made famous, hi-Rth) east of Hwy. 99.

KHWHY, 4 unpainted towers, one with a light in a square layout off Green Valley Road at county line (Sacramento/El Dorado-Rth.). Not on an island of Folsom Lake, but off Mormon Island Cemetary Road.

KFIA, 6 tall towers and painted traditional colors. Just east of junction of Cirby and Old Auburn Roads. Had a strong spur on either side of 710.

KNCO, 2 small unpainted towers E/W of each other just south of airport and NO LIGHTS!.

Are we seeing a trend here? KNCO and KHWHY, new stations, are using small cross-section towers without the traditional red and white checker paint. (And, I might add, FAA required-Rth.) KNCO gets away with no paint and no lights right next to an airport. (Could be day use only airport, but still, in inclement weather, lights are needed-Rth.) Ric got me

started on this with a tour of Sacramento area transmitting sites after the CAMP GTG. (That comes under the category of how to win friends and influence people, like KRAN's Mary Ann Bailey, hi-RtH.) 73.

RIC HEALD, 8539 BELLAMY WAY, SACRAMENTO, CA 95828 Tele-Forum: (916) 386-8677 to 2200 PIT & ppd

You typewriter die hards are probably rejoicing by now, hi. The dot matrix decided not to function AFTER all forums had been stored on disc. So I ran for my typewriter, Murphy's Law still in force, line refused to advance after carriage return, so frantically called around until I could borrow this one. Pardon the mess as they say around construction sites.

CAMP's first GTG not exactly a barn stormer, several regrets received here because of the holiday, but had a nice visit with Robert Swinn of Santa Cruz (he's the guy who called me several months ago at KRED saying he was listening), and Art Peterson. Art, you realize we go back 20, count 'em, 20 years? Robert had to leave mid afternoon. So Art and I went on a tour of some of Sacramento's transmitter locations: KRAN-1140, KJAY-1450, KSMO-1380, KSAC-1240, from KSAC could see across the American River to KXOA-1470.

Later did some early SSS DX. Nothing spectacular, but stuff that's normally blocked by Bay Area stations daytime. We did hear a LOUD KWTR (ex-KELC, hi) on 1270 and static on 840, hi.

We have a mystery on 1250. We thought we were positive about the ID until I saw KHOT 1250 listed in July's NDXR as being CRW at s/off. Well, on 04 July, heard a station on 1250 mixing with KLLK & KTMS with SS and ranchera music. Then, Art and I heard their ID on 05 July as Radio Caliente. Now then, Nancy Hardy, get ready with not one, but two Penguin Flipper awards. Ya see, both Art and I are fairly conversant in Spanish. We couldn't figure out R. Caliente. I even had the VJ open looking at Mexican possibilities. Then Art's face lit up with, "That's it! R. Caliente, hot radio, K-HOT."! Now then, is KHOT also doing SS. Glen Kippel, you're our only San Joaquin member. What's K-HOT doing?

Based on Art's letter, took a trip Sunday 27 July and located KFBK (and took picture), KFIA (actually in Roseville, 9 miles from Carmichael), XHWY and one for you Art, KCRX 1110. It's off Antelope North Road, just NW of Roseville Road across the SP tracks in Citrus Heights. Four towers, and again, weirdly spaced. Towers 1 and 2, and 3 & 4 are about 100 feet apart, but a good 1/2 wavelength or more between towers 3 and 2.

I agree with others that this sunspot low cycle won't produce the results of the good one in the mid-60's. Of those reasons, back then, nearly all 24 hour stations were off on MM, the Clears hadn't been duplicated, power increases weren't granted like rabbits like today, and far fewer stations on the air then. I hope, though, that something will come through.

Well, gotta wrap it up for another month. In spite of summertime DX conditions, best of DX to all, and I pray for rain in Dixie. 73 de RtH. .

FOCUS ON FORMATS:

Salt Lake City, UT

570	KLOB	Adult Contemp.	88.9	KBYU Provo	NPR/Classical
630	KTKK Sandy	Talk	90.1	KUER	NPR/Classical/Jazz
700	KFAM N. Salt Lake City	EZL	90.9	KRCL	NPR/Block Prgmng.
800	KNRK Brigham City	Adult Standards	91.7	KOHS Orem	Contemporary
860	KUTR	Not Listed	93.5	KLTQ	Blended Contemp.
910	KALL	Adult Contemp.	94.1	KLCY	Adult Contemp.
1060	KRSP S. Salt Lake City	Contemporary	94.9	KLPZ Provo	Adult Contemp.
1090	KANN Ogden	Christian	95.5	KJON Ogden	Contemp. Rock
1160	KSL	Adult Contemp.	96.1	KFMV Provo	Contemporary
1230	KLAF Murray	Comedy	97.1	KISH	Adult Contemp.
1290	KBYL	Nostalgia	97.9	KZAN Ogden	C & W
1320	KBUG (See below)	Adult Contemp.	98.7	KCPX	Contemp. Rock
1370	KGSP S. Salt Lake City	C & W	100.3	KSFI	EZL
1430	KLO Ogden	Big Band	101.1	KDAB Ogden	Contemporary
1490	KJON Ogden	Adult Contemp.	101.9	KKAT Ogden	C & W
1510	KZZI W. Jordan	Spanish	103.5	KRSP	Album Rock
1550	KRFN W. Valley City	MOR/Variety	104.3	KSOP	C & W
1600	KBBX Centerville	Gospel/Spanish	105.5	KCGL Centerville	Modern Music
			106.9	KSOS	Adult Hits/Oldies
			107.5	KRMR Orem	Adult Music

KBUG was oldies (1964-73 era) when I was in SLC 7/22. bp.

(Salt Lake Tribune, 20 April 1986; updated by Dale Park)

DX WW II

We have some nice support from individuals this time around ... why not join them by sending in your tips? Let's get them on the record:

Trans Pacific

KIRIBATI - Radio Kiribati's new transmitter holds steady at 846 kHz. However, when it breaks down, the standby transmitter is used, and it may vary from 843-848 kHz. (David Smith, DXA)

PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA - The PRC uses Daylight Savings Time (UTC +9h) from May 5 to September 14 to save energy. (H. Fujita, FERC Log)

SRI LANKA - DW-1548 is restarting its operation and has added GG 1000-1400. (ARC, via FERC)

Trans Atlantic

ALBANIA - R. Tirana has been noted on 696 kHz with full ID at 1900 and s/off at 1930, varying up to 2000. (Stefano Valianti, Italy, MWN)

CANARY ISLANDS - EAJ50-1008 R. Las Palmas is operating 0500-0200, but beware of ERFJ56 RCE in Málaga on the same frequency 24 hours a day. (PDX, via ARC)

EGYPT - 500 kW tx at Abis is now on 773 kHz, ex-774. (EBU, via MWN)

FAEROE ISLANDS - the manager of the projected 531 kHz station, Johan Isholin, predicts that they will be on the air with the 200 kW tx early in 1987. Address is Utvarp Foroya - P. O. Box 328 - DK-3800 Torshavn - Faeroe Islands. (ARC)

FINLAND - On January 25, one year had passed since the government allowed 22 independent radio stations to open up. However, three stations never got going and the first bankruptcy took place in February this year when Radio 951 in Toijala was closed down after six months due to a bad financial state. It seems that news about possible MW tx's are more rumours than facts. All stations are VHF only, and there are just a few applications for MW stations. (Jorma Ma'nityla, ARC)

FRANCE - R. France "B" net (603, 945, 1557, etc.) now also relays France Int. (RFI) programs which are not the same as on shortwave. Basic Network "B" sked is 0435 - RFI for foreign workers; 0600 - relay of local FM stations, 0700 - Radio Bleue; 1100 - relay of local FM stations; 1200 non-stop music; 1600 Schools and University programs; 1900 non-stop music; 2000 RFI. (Stefano Valianti, MWN)

IRAN - IRIB YASUJ-891 is on 0230-1830 except Ramadan when 24 hours, according to info in QSL letter. (Vashek Korinek)

MOROCCO - The Oujda 2 station has shifted to 594 kHz from 593 since December. Moroccan Radio broadcasts in Spanish 0800-0900 on 702, 1053, 1197, 1296, 1485, and 1593 kHz. The tx's in 1296 (Rabat) and 1593 (Marrakech) are not listed in WPTX-86 (SCDX, via MWN)

MOZAMBIQUE - Bn. Interprovincial (nom. 1008 kHz) is somewhat unstable and moves between 1010 and 1011. (Vashek Korinek)

NETHERLANDS - 747 kHz primarily broadcasts Radio 1; 675 kHz is Radio 3. Lopik on 675 kHz continues with R. 3. 1008 kHz uses 400 kW, and 747 kHz 200 kW during daytime, 400 kW nighttime. (AVE, ARC) A few more Dutch pirates: 1612 - R. Santana (Postbus 73, Neede); 1615 - R. Rainbow (Postbus 725, Arnhem) (MWN); 1614 - R. Cowboy Jimmy (Postbus 25, 9636 Zuidbroek) (PLAY-DX)

SPAIN - RCE station ERFJ5 at Cadiz is now on 747 kHz with 10 kW (ex 1314) from a new transmitter site (EBU, via MWN). 558 kHz Bilbao 20 kW planned for Basque programs; 774 kHz RI/RNE 10 kW planned at Santiago de Compostela (Horst Rauch, MWN)

SOUTH AFRICA - 729 kHz, 864 kHz, and 990 kHz now all relay R. Labowa (FRI) service 24 hours per day, except several hours daily in the morning and evening of R. Venda (729, 864) and R. Tswana (990) (Vashek Korinek)

SWITZERLAND - R. Suisse Romande has been at 765 24 hours a day with classical mx at night. (SDXL via MWC via ARC)

UNITED KINGDOM - An experiment to provide low power radio at events such as festivals, outdoor shows, and sporting occasions has been outlined by the Home Secretary. Twenty-five licenses at 450 will be available this year and the next for providing information or other services at events on a single site lasting no longer than two weeks. MW frequencies will be allocated, and rules will be in line with those relating to the content of community radio stations. (WDXC, via ARC)

USSR - R. Vilnius-666 is scheduled to beam to Europe in English at 2230-2300, // 6100 kHz. (MWN)

LONGWAVE CHANGES - The 1979 WARC decided that the arrangement of channels in the LF band should be standardized along the same lines as those on MW; that is, all channels should be multiples of 9 kHz. The first moves took place 2-1-86; the next five channels should move on 2-1-88, and the last five on 2-1-90. (BEXC, via ARC)

Pan Americana

ARGENTINA - Many (possibly most) stations sign off later than indicated in WRTH '86. (Vasek Korinek, in Chile)

BRAZIL - R. Panamericana-620, S. P., also identifies as "R. Jovem Pan" (not "Pam"). (Vashek Korinek, in Chile)

ZYH445-590 R. Cruzeiro da Bania now uses 50/5 kW. ZYI425-610 R. Celeste on, ex 1090 (CRM via Ollie Alm via Thorð Knutsson, ARC)

CHILE - Santiago/San Bernardo area: 880 is R. Corporación (ex R. Alondra); 930 kHz always identifies as R. Nuevo Mundo (not Mundo Nuevo); 1000 kHz is R. Cien (for CB 100), ex R. Novísima); 1300 R. Em. Andrés Bello is now only on FM 98.5; 1330 R. Panamericana signs off 0400 (not 24h); 1540 R. Sudamérica signs off 0030. 600 (R. Gigante), 1420 (R. Calendaria), and 1600 (R. Chronos) cannot be traced on these frequencies nor any other frequency (incl. FM), and there is no mention of them in the current telephone directory.

Valparaíso/Viña del Mar area: 940 R. Valentín Letelier del la Universidad de Valparaíso on, ex 1030v; 1410 R. Litoral signs off 0500 (not 24h); 1450 R. Universidad Técnica and 1600 R. Reloj, Viña del Mar are inactive. (Vashek Korinek, in Chile)

930 R. Mundo Nuevo, the only Chilean station with programming completely dedicated to children, rejoined the crowd of adult outlets a year after inception, spurred by increasing economic problems. The production staff had mixed children with veteran professionals at the microphone. The format will lean toward news programs. (MB via RNM via ARC)

COLOMBIA - All RCN outlets relaying the Cadena Básica now identify as "RCN + city" only. Occasionally, in station promos, old slogans may be mentioned. The new ID policy, which facilitates instantaneous hookups with network affiliates during news broadcasts, etc., is used. Some stations identify as "RCN + area".

Todelar news: This network, in fierce competition with RCN and CARACOL, was to adopt the same type of slogan use as its competitors. The tests did not turn out satisfactorily, so all stations remain with old slogans except 1170 R. Eco, ex R. Nutibara, and 1190 R. Eco, ex R. Cordillera. (HK via IKVK via ARC). (For example, widely-heard HJAJ, La Voz de Barranquilla on 760 now ID's as "RCN Barranquilla" -pls)

Other changes, mostly slogans: HJSA-1100 R. Tropical, ex-1220; HJCO-1130 R. 24, ex R. Ciudad de Bogotá; HJSL-1140 RCN Sincelejo, ex R. Sosiego, ex 1150; HJVA-1160 R. Ciudad de Bogotá, ex R. 24, broadcasts 24 hours; HJAT-1220 R. Reloj, ex 1100; HJJD-1380 Em. Villa del Páez, ex Em. Villa Pa, new location is La Plata, ex Gigante; HJVH-1460 R. Multicolor is the correct name of this station. "La radio Jalisco" is a slogan referring to the station's Mexican ranchera format. HJUW-1500 La Voz de la Feria has left CARACOL and is now independent. Slogan is "Su radio 1500". (HK via UKVK via ARC)

COSTA RICA - TIHB-730 San Jose, R. Reloj, is now 25 kW. TIUCR-870 San Pedro de Montes de Oca, R. Universidad, is 12 kW days, 6 kW nights. (ARC via DXA's RNM)

CUBA - Either CMDJ Cardenas or CMID Ciego de Ávila (or both) heard on 931 kHz May 3-5, possibly in response to VOA operations on 930 in Costa Rica and usage of Montserrat's 930 rig. (Jim Hall, Pennsylvania)

ECUADOR - HCIM1-1050 R. Municipal, Ibarra, ex 930. HCDC1-1050 R. Iris, ex 1510, uses 10 kW. HCV3-1210 CDS Internacional, ex 1215 (R. Centinela del Sur is still the official name). HCFM2-1450 R. Cristal, ex 1540, uses 1 kW. (WRTH via ARC)

HAITI - 4VU-765 R. Lumière, Aux Cayes is ex 760; 4VJH R. Antilles International, Port-au-Prince, is now 10 kW. (DXA)

JAMAICA - 750 JBC in Port Maria is definitely on, hrd 5-12 //560. (Jim Hall, Pennsylvania)

MEXICO - New stations: XEMK-930 R. Mexicana, Huixtla, Chi., at 5 kw; XEK(?) -960 Emisiones de Prueba, Tapachula, 5 kW; XEPAC-1000 R. Mil, Tapachula, Chi., 1 kW. (SDXL, via Tore Larsson in ARC)

PARAGUAY - 640 R. Guaira ex 840v; sign off 0200. (Vasnek Korinek, South Africa)

PERU - According to a recent QSL, R. Cutervo started up on 950 kHz as OEX2G. Address: JR. Comercio 725 - 3er Piso - Cutervo, Peru. (Vasnek Korinek, South Africa)

ST. LUCIA - R. St. Lucia plans to raise the power of the relay station on 625 to 10 kw. (SDXL via ARC)

URUGUAY - 890 kHz is R. Libertad de Sport; 1410 kHz is R. Noticias 44 (for CX 44); ex R. Color Panamericana. (Vasnek Korinek in Chile)

International Waters

R. Caroline - According to the London Daily Telegraph (2-3-86) the Dept. of Trade has admitted to planning a "secret" operation to clear R. Caroline off 558 to make way for BBC Essex which is due on the air in October '86. The BBC fears that it may have to find a different, inferior channel since it could not compete on the same frequency. It is interesting to note that one of the arguments leveled against Caroline and Laser was interference with emergency services in the Thames Estuary, but now we find that the BBC wants to use the same frequency for a service not a million miles from the Thames. (MWC via ARC)

Stereo 531 - According to R. Netherlands Media Network, a ship is being fitted in Honduras to float this station. (BDXC) They plan to use the Kann stereo AM system. (WDXC)

Stereo Hits 576 - (the same project as Stereo 531, according to many news reports) is reported to have a ship, the MV Manelle currently in Santander with transmitters on board and with masts and antennas being put up. (AUK via BDXC)

WSOL - This station, operated by an ex Laser crew, is due in the North Sea this summer with AM stereo on 801 kHz to coincide with a Japanese plan to market AM stereo radios in Europe. (MWN via BDXC via ARC) The operation is 576's soul service. (WDXC)

Hospital Church Ship De Hoop - which has not been listed in the WRTH for several years was noted on 2-23 on 1015 with a church service in Dutch at 2316 (? -pls). Station signed off at 1030. (DS, WDXC)

R. Caroline - plans to add a 5 kw shortwave tx (RNMN, WDXC)

This word on reports from WDXC ... "Don't you believe that DX'ers reception reports/QSL's are useless! A number of North American DX'ers have been receiving QSL letters from Gene Grassie of Restoring N. T. Christianity. They had broadcast over R. Africa on 15106 kHz when Equatorial Guinea introduced its international service in 1984. Grassie reports a landslide response from DX'ers with a poor response from listeners other than DX'ers. As a result of the DX'ers reports Grassie realised that the daily programmes were not being played, or played at random times. Consequently, they cancelled the programme."

The pirate situation in the North Sea is far from static; ships being outfitted for radio broadcasting have been variously reported/rumored as being in Honduras, Morocco, and Spain. I'll try to keep you posted.

The EBU reports new jammers on 567, 612, 1458, and 1521 kHz, replacing 702, 738, 986, 1395, and 1539 kHz. The jammer on 1220 has snifted to 1224 kHz. (MWC).

Some of the abbreviations used in this column: ARC - Arctic Radio Club, Sweden; DXA - DX Australia; MWC - Medium Wave Circle, UK; WDXC - World DX Club, UK; WRTH - World Radio TV Handbook quarterly newsletters; some of the others are initials of individual contributors. Thanks this time around to Nick Hall-Patch for passing along his MWC. I'd be happy to work out exchanges of some sort with others who receive bulletins dealing with the broadcast band. As I already receive most, I'd suggest writing before sending your bulletins; state your needs. 73.

Unreported Stations ...Continued from Page 5

WA----0 KLDY--680 (Millar & B. Hardy-WA)
WV---3 WYKM-1250 (Ritchie-PA)
WI----0 WOGO--680 (Jasinski-IL)
AB----0 CHQR--770 (Johnson-WY)
BC---4 CKBX--840 (P.Martin-OR & N.Hardy-WA); CKDA-1200 (Portzer-WA)

OFF THE AIR STATIONS: 1220-WNNR-CT, 1300-WGRC-NY, 1330-KWSK-ND, 1350-WJEB-M
1360-RQIZ-TX, 1390-KBXT-MN, 1400-KYOT-MT, 1440-KPRO-CA, 1440-WBIS-CT,
1470-WLVU-FL, 1490-KNFL-MT, 1590-WTRW-WI.....

BACK ON THE AIR: 800-KLTT-CO, 910-KOYN-MT, 1170-WCTF-CT, 1230-KSZL-CA,
1240-CJNH-ON, 1540-WADM-IN, 1600-WSNX-MI.....

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OFFICIAL SPORTS FEATURE OF THE STATUE OF LIBERTY

Honolulu, HI 96813-1345

Welcome back to another episode of this continuing mini-series about the trials and tribulations of a radio sports fan who's trying to balance the gathering of information on broadcasting, the writing of a radio club feature, school, and sex life, hi. Extremely low responses to requests on networks from various teams and flagship stations are not exactly helping to make this feature a success. I hope you fans out there (including the aradona-Wanna-Be's", hi) will help out by contributing. Additional data on TV networks d satellite feeds, e.g. transponder and downlink frequencies, is also appreciated. Now, ward and downward...

MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL

LWAUKEE BREWERS Bob Uecker, Pat Hughes (AL)

50 WSAU-WI	980 WPRE-WI#+	1260 WWIS-WI#	1390 KBXT-MN	1450 WDLB-WI
70 WMAM-WI#	1090 WISS-WI#+	1270 WRJC-WI#+	1400 WJQH-WI+	WRCO-WI+
80 WKTY-WI	1230 WIRB-MI	1310 WIBA-WI	WRDB-WI	1490 WIGH-WI+
90 WJMS-MI	WHBY-WI	1320 WFHR-WI	1430 WBEV-WI#	1550 WMIR-WI
20 WTMJ-WI	1240 WJPD-MI+	1330 WHBL-WI	WRDN-WI#+	WEVR-WI+
80 WDBC-MI	WOMT-WI	1340 WLDY-WI	1440 WJJK-WI	1570 WMYM-WI#+
60 WTCH-WI#	WOBT-WI	1380 WBEL-WI	WNFL-WI	1580 WTTN-WI#+
80 WNBI-WI#+	WJMC-WI+		1450 KPIZ-WI	1590 WTOQ-WI#
-FM-				
12.1 WRTL-WI	93.9 WDOR-WI	95.9 WMMH-WI+	98.3 WNBI-WI+	102.3 WISS-WI+
WRLO-WI+	94.1 WMLW-WI+	96.3 WJMC-WI+	99.3 WIGM-WI+	WHTL-WI
12.3 WJPD-MI+	94.3 WPRE-WI+	96.7 WATW-WI+	100.1 WDCC-WI	104.9 WRLO-WI
13.5 WNBK-WI	95.9 WRDN-WI+	97.1 WCOW-WI	100.9 WRCO-WI+	106.3 WEVR-WI+

PITTSBURGH PIRATES Lanny Frattare, Jim Rooker (NL)

190 WMBS-PA	1240 WRTA-PA	1340 WSTV-OH	1400 WPOZ-WV	1450 WMAJ-PA
120 WMMN-WV	1270 WCBC-MD	WCVI-PA	1420 WCED-PA#+	1490 WTRF-FL
190 WVSC-PA#	1280 WKST-PA	WTRN-PA	1440 WAJR-WV	WESB-PA
120 KDKA-PA	1290 WOMP-OH#	1390 WKLP-WV	1450 WEYZ-PA	1490 WJNL-PA
230 WTVV-PA	1310 WBFD-PA	1400 WAMQ-PA	WFRA-PA+	1580 WANB-PA#+
-FM-				
32.1 WCTX-PA	99.1 WIYQ-PA	101.7 WVCC-PA	102.1 WOWQ-PA+	103.1 WKGI-WV
34.3 WKBI-PA+	99.3 WVEN-PA+		103.1 WANB-PA+	107.1 WEXC-PA

ONTARIO BLUE JAYS Tom Cheek, Jerry Howarth (AL)

540 CJSB-ON	710 CHYR-ON#	920 CKCY-ON	1240 CJCS-ON	1400 CKOB-ON
560 CFOS-ON	CJRN-ON	930 CJYQ-NF	CJRW-PE	1430 CJCL-ON
600 CFQC-SK	730 CJNR-ON	CKNS-NS	1270 CJTN-ON	1450 CHCC-ON
610 CKYQ-NF	CHYR7-ON	950 CKBB-ON	1340 CKWK-NF	1490 CFFS-ON
680 CJOB-MB	830 CFJR-ON	970 CFIQ-NF	CKNR-ON	1530 CISV-MB
CIYQ-NF	900 CKDH-NS	1090 CKKW-ON	1350 CFYQ-NF	1570 CKLQ-MB
CKGB-ON	910 CKLY-ON	1230 CKRP-ON	CHRO-ON	CFOR-ON
-FM-				
93.1 CHLQ-PE	96.3 CPMK-ON	101.9 CKO5-AB	103.1 CJFW2-BC	103.9 CFQM-NB
94.9 CKPE-NS	97.5 CKO3-ON	CKAT-ON	CJFW-BC	107.9 CING-ON
96.1 CKO4-NS	100.9 CKTO-NS	103.1 CKO5-ON	103.5 CKO9-NS	??? CJFW1-ON

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LAYERS OF THE MONTH: Tim Noonan, WI; Karl J. Zuk, PA.

WANTED, DEAD OR ALIVE, BUT PREFERABLY THE LATTER: Network lists for radio play-by-play of the New York Mets, New York Yankees, and St. Louis Cardinals. I have been editing such network lists for over two years, and every season none of the teams have made an appearance. Now, my reward for the first person to send me the list for any one of these three teams is a Hawaiian Surprise Package for sporting DXers, consisting of Hawaii radio station bumper stickers and local sports souvenirs. This goes to the SportsPerson who mails in a team's radio list the earliest; i.e., earliest postmark. In case of a tie, the San Diego Chicken (or a reasonable facsimile) will draw a winner. Good luck! Ends 7/28.

JOCKEY SHORTS: Greg Monti sends word that NBC Radio will again carry NFL night and selected day games, plus the playoffs. More than 270 stations took part last year. Don Driqui, Bob Trumpy and his "NFL Live," and Bob Costas return...Variety reports that Geoff Currier, ex-CFRA Ottawa, and Mike Samples will now call Saskatchewan Roughrider games for CKRM-980...WWDC-1260 looking for announcers now that they get rights to the NBA Bullets.

I must go now. Don't forget the contest, but please contribute! See you in DXM.

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