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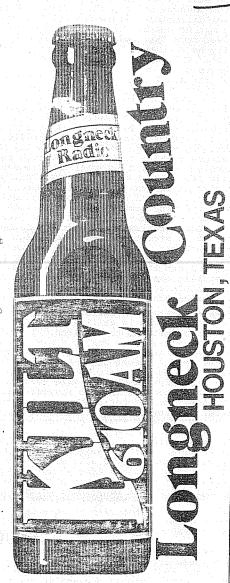
It's time once again to select the site for next year's IRCA convention. Since this year's gathering was in the midwest it would be most appropriate to have it in the western US or Ganada this year. However, people from other areas are welcome to volunteer. To get started, write to our new president, Karl Zuk, 154 Old Post Rd. N., Croton NY 16520 and ask for a convention bid form. Then all you need to do to get started is to line up a hotel with reasonable rates. Hosting a convention is a great way to have agood time (assuming you're somewhat masochistic), and a good way to meet lots of other DXers without having to travel very far from home.

Speaking of conventions, this year's gathering in Peoria was reportedly a lot of fun, with attendees from as far away as California, Oregon, and Massachusetts. A complete write-up will appear in an upcoming DX Monitor.

# OTHERNESS

Please accept our apologies for the poor printing quality on the last DX Monitor. Some were't as lightly printed as others. Basically, it was a problem with the printer; we're working with them to rectify the situation.

As a reminder, please send your address changes to John Clemmer, P.O. Box 482, East Moline, IL 61244, rather than to Seattle.



# EASTERN DX FORUM

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Reports from members living east of the Mississippi River Deadlines: Fridays 9/11, 9/25, 10/2 thru 3/18/88 This column typed: 8/30/87.

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I have been reading with great interest the recent comments made in the DXM about the medium wave band here in Europe. Gene Martin's Forum in DXM Vol. 24 No. 33 has prompted me to relate to you some of my perceptions, from someone at the actual scene. First of all, I haven't perceived any real difference between the station density here and my previous QTH in Utah. Of course, the station density is much greater in Maryland, where we moved from last year. So it would be difficult to compare the station density between here and the States: it just depends on where you are DXing from. Obviously, in the case of DXers from the East Coast or some of the larger urban centers elsewhere, the band here in Europe would appear to be relatively clear by comparison. As far as the amount of modulation that stations use here goes, my perceptions are basically the same as what has been stated by others in previous forums. That is, the level of modulation in most cases is lower here compared to that in the States. However in all fairness, I really don't have any strong locals that would cause problems here. There are only four stations that I could classify as semilocal or local (Radio Free Europe-720, BRF-801, AFN-1107, and VOA-1197). And none of these stations cause any real problem with side channel interference because they are far enough away. In fact I have found I have more problems with side channel interference from stations like the Yugoslav on 1134 than from the above four. This corresponds pretty closely to my experiences in Utah where I had maybe 6 or 8 local or semi-locals to contend with, and only 2 or 3 of them caused any significant problem. Also I think that the band here in Bavaria is much different from other places in Europe. I have heard many complaints from DXers in Great Britain, who were complaining about problems with over-modulation from their locals. So as you can see it is strictly a matter of perception. Having said all that, I do wholeheartedly agree that the medium wave band in the States is messed up, but as 1 have indicated before in my previous forums, DYing here in Europe has its own kind of problems, such as NSP pests, superpowered stations from virtually every country in this part of the world, and the always obnoxious, unnullable synchros. I hope that you find this account of my experiences to be interesting. Auf wiederseh'n von Bayern. Bill.

Mike Brooker, 99 Wychrest Avenue, Toronto, Ontario M6G 3X8 Anyone who is still waiting for a verie from WMBI-1110 or WMBI-FM-90.1 should be getting theirs soon. I visited Chicago on August 3-6 to watch the Blue Jays vs. White Sox at Comiskey Park. While in the Land of Lincoln I dropped in at WMBI's studios to see if I could get a hand-delivered verie -I had sent a report to WMBI on March 31 and had yet to receive a verie. I met with James Wagner, W8KAS, Assistant Technical Director (and verie signer) at WMBI/WMBI-FM. He said that he had sent out a verie to me on July 29, and sure enough a v/q and schedule were waiting for me when I got back from Chicago. Mr. Wagner apologized for the delay and said he was beginning to clear out the backlog of reports. He was waiting for new QSL cards to be printed, showing WMBI's current network of 11 stations and a satellite network, but since new cards hadn't been printed he decided to go with verie letters instead of QSL cards. He showed me old reception reports still on file. I saw reports sent by other ODXA and IRCA members and even my 1980 report to WMBI-PM. I also had a very nice tour of WMBI's studios at 820 North LaSalle. This "verie" interesting visit to WMRI makes up for the lack of stickers and other promo items I got from other Chicago stations. I made the rounds of several Chicago stations on the Michigan Avenue strip between the Loop and the Water Tower but all I got were a couple of buttons and a coverage map from WFYR, a Cubs sticker and schedule from WGN, WLS/Pepsi bumper stickers and Z-95 (WTZ-FM) survey charts. I also got a Z-95 (WLS's FM) T-shirt for \$4. When I last visited Chicago in 1985 (on the way to the ANARC Convention in Milwaukee) I came away with a stack of WLUP bumper stickers an inch high, dozens of WLS and WMET stickers, stickers and a frisbee from WBBM-FM (B-96), note paper, a canvas tote bag and a coffee mug from WAIT, and even an autographed post card of Larry Lujack. By the way, Toronto won all 3 games on the South Side. Blue Jay power SOX Chicago! 73 Mike

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I second Ernest Cooper's enthusiastic comments on the FM banf activity lately. In a matter of one hour on 7/3, I logged KZZY-103.5, Devils Lake, ND and KFBQ-97.9 Cheyenne, WY. KZZY was coming in stronger than a couple of locals here! What was really strange was the armchair copy for almost 3 hours! Also, about 2 weeks later, heard CKFM-99.9, Toronto, Canada (they're the FM sister to CFRB & CFRX-shortwave). There have been some decent openings to the Midwest so far this summer, with several new loggings from Iowa, Texas (if you can consider this midwest) (I call it southwest—ree), Cklahoma, and Missouri. On to something else — should any IRCA members hear any of the stations here in Huntsville, I would be glad to walk through a report for them. Here in the Rocket City, we have WDKT-730, WTAK-1000 (which has an outrageous signoff announcement!), WIKC-1140, WBHP-1230, WFIX-1450, WAAY-1550 (which has succumbed to the "Talknet" craze), and WEUP-1600. WAAY, WBHP, WDKT, and WEUP are 24 hours, with WFIX signoff at midnight local. Will probably submit a roster of all AM stations here to kadio Programming notes soon. Have had a batch of veries recently, but all in all things have slowed during the hot wx. Vacation time seems to contribute to the celay in replies. Before I go, for those who collect stickers, send me a SASE and I'll send those from the locals here. 73's.

Tom Jasinski, 503 Jensen Street, Shorewood, Illinois 60436 Greatings: I am sure you all heard about the 9+ inches of rain that flooded the NW side of Chicago on 8/13. I was hoping that the floods would have knocked out one or two of the 50kW power houses (WBBM, WGN, WMAQ). They all have transmitter sites NW of the City, but no luck. We are located about 40 miles south of the hardest hit areas and got about 2" of rain. Did note WLUP-1000 (x-WCFL) off the air MM 8/10. S/on was at 0455 CDT. They did have a Tuesday morning SP until a few months ago. Also noted local WBYG-930 Sandwich, Ill. off the air several times this summer. Once on Monday 4/27 and again on Priday 7/10. Also noted with terrible sounding audio on 6/30. The 60hz hum was stronger than the audio all night long. They should have either shut down or been forced off by complaints. They are fully automated so the engineer fixed the problem in the morning. The 7/10 SP was preceded by a terrific electrical storm that passed thru on 7/9 that knocked out power to most of Will County. Joliet's only 24hr AM station, WJOL-1340, was knocked off and returned at reduced power from a gas generator. From 3/4 to 8/7 I took my family down to Springfield, Ill. and St, Louis, No. We visited the sights, Capitol building, Arch, etc. On the return trip we crossed the mighty Mississippi on a rickety ferry boat north of St. Charles, No. On the way to the ferry, we passed KIRL-1480 towers at the junction of Highway "B" and Highway 94, just a couple of miles south or the River. Also on the return trip, we spotted a weather radio at the I-55 rest stop just north of Springfield, Per the sign at the rest stop, the frequency should have been 1200 kHz. Heard only a weak carrier on the car radio with no audio. This little trip was my vacation for the summer, so no chance for the convention in Peoria. Maybe next year! QSL's in so far this summer: WEKS-1080 for DX test, WOKJ-1550 (after several f/up's), Radio Grenada-535, CKLC-1380, WFBC-1330, WCVL-1550, WAIT-850, WCOW-1290, CHWO-1250, WDDX-1420, WRRQ-740, KTEK-1110 (pppc after several f/up's), CBX-740, WWKB-1520, XEX-730, WECT-1390, WKXP-1490, and WLSM-1270. The Radio Grenada reply was non-specific and came after several f/up's. Original report was for reception on 1/25/85. Reply arrived on 6/25/87. That's 821 days: In the meantime, I have a little boy who was 7 months old in June! Rich, I hope by now you are settled in up in Wisconsin and will enjoy the fall scenery up there. 73's. (Would you believe some of the trees around here have already changed colors--and I'm typing this on 8/30'--rce

Raymond Bauernhuber, 141-12 243rd Street, Rosedale, New York 11422

This is my first letter to Eastern DX Forum so some introduction is in order. I've been a radio nut since I was about 5 years old (I'm now 42) and have DX'ed bW and BCB for over 10 years. I work with a Sony 2010 + a Falomar loop and shotgun loop. Long Island just had some pirate excitement with a Honduran registered freighter (the "Sarah" anchored 5 miles off the Coast of Long Beach and broadcasting as RNI (Radio New York International). They utilize a "Pree Speech Format" and play lot's of Rock 'N' Roll from the 60's. On 7/25 the Coast Guard and FCC boarded the vessel and cited hem for broadcasting without a license. They were tack on the air the next day but on 7/28 they were re-boarded by the Coast Guard and placed under arrest, with the station shut down. 1050 used to be WHN with country format; it's now WFAN - All Sports Talk! There goes another 3-letter calling: I hope everyone is coping with the next and heving a good summer. 73. (Ray, welcome to EDXF, and keep reporting. I was thru Rosedale last June on the Southern Parkway, while we were going from Long Island back to Fenn.—rce)

Charles A. Taylor, P. G. Box 346, Grifton, North Carolina 28530 919-524-5004. Local WGOW-1340 and WSFL-1380 remain silent. went off on/about 3/15. The fate of either is unknown. On my R-F gulch theme of EDXF of ed. 789, I found out that local WNTC-FM-107.9 (Greenville) also has its transmitter radiator on the 1780-ft Grifton tower. that's WNCT-TV-9, WITN-TV-7, and their respective FMs, WNTC-FM and WDLX-93.3 (100 kw, the latter two) kicking and cussing, bellowing and blasting away 2½ miles away from Chuckie-Poo's humble hovel. "Ow ain't I clever! That reminds me of a story (are you awake, rce?), adreding from my notorious and infamous past: After getting out of the Navy in Oct., 72, I returned to the Philippines, to set up a business in Leonor's (my bride of 19 years) hometown of Sorsogon, Sorsogon (near the southern-most tip of the island of Luzon). To clarify: the family stayed behind in the Philippines during my last year in the Navy 1971-72. Anyway, 1 arrived at our a partment in Sorsogon late 11/5/72 PM. After kissing and hello'ing the wife and young' uns, I brought my trusted GR-78 (Heath) out of its hding place and dialed around the SE Asia MW dial. Exhaustion (jet-lag) cut short my bandscan, but not before I noted a bodacious signal from local DZMS-1250 (now 1251), blasting off my size  $7 \frac{1}{2}$  socks. The morning light the next day revealed why: our apartment was 300 feet away from DZMS's tower! Amargh! In a serious vein, I've come to an awareness through the past few years here and abroad, that one reason for the apparent decline in reception of splits from TP, TA, or even Latin America, is the tremendous barrage of sideband interference from immediate adjacent-channel (plus/minus 5-10 kHz), and second adjacent-channel stations. Those who have compared the situation here in N.A. with that in Europe tell us the sidepend interference problem is on at least an order of magnitude less there than here. My personal experience in Asia is that the sideband interference problem there is less severe than here, but worse than in Europe. Japanese commercial BC stations are not afraid to shovel the coal to the modulators, but they are concerned with modulation quality (lack of distortion, intermodulation, flat band pass). Likewise, JO commercials are not jam-packed, stuffed in, shoe-horned on top, under, next to, and between one another as they are in US/Canada. So that is another reason for the relative lack of sideband interference there, and especially in Europe. Finally, today (7/27), I tuned my Panasonic RF-2800 around the FM band for the first time. I can see immediately that this is no place to try to DX FM with a mediocre FM receiver as the RF-2800 is a mass of mush and muck between stations. Anyway, no serious NX (FM, or AM for that matter) is contemplated from here, as this (VOA Greenville Relay) is only an interim duty station until I get orders elsewhere. If I were to be here permanently, then I could invest much more time in elaborate facilities (e.g., a permanent beveridge antenna). That's enough for this EDXF. Behave yourself in Wisconsin, Rick! 73 de Charlie.

John H. Demmitt, Box A K0848, Bellefonte, Pennsylvania 16823 Nothing has been happening when it comes to DX this time of the year, but I did notice that reception improved several days following the two recent earthquakes. There is a lot of interesting programming available on the AM so the summer months will not be wasted. WFAN, ex-WHN, is now full time sports and have even managed to get a nationwide plug about their new format during a game carried on the first night of their change over... July 1st. A number of talk shows supplement the games. WBAL's Jones & west Show even gave this station a plug. Speaking of WBAL, on June 6th they devoted air time from 0900 - 1700 to cover the topic of child acuse. Experts and spokesmaen were available to take calls from listeners about the subject. WBAL does an excellent job in serving its listeners with issues of current interest and other public service items. On June 19th a special phone-in show covered the state of New York with 55,000 watts of power! UGY-810 from Albany (six--rce) and WGR-550 from Buffalo patched their audio in a simulcast using a theme of state government as a topic of discussion. The experiment worked using dual ID's but switching to locals for ads. Going over the correspondence file at WPHB-1260 shows a lot of interesting reception reports from as many as 40 states including California. Many of the distant reports came at a time during the 1972 flood when the station stayed on the air at night with its 5000 warts of lower. Today the station will often go off the air whenever a severe thunderstorm hits the area. An attempt is under way in many areas to form radio monitoring groups to report viblations of obscenity to the PCC. Since many of the stations are challenging the obscenity rule, I doubt this will have much of an impact but the law may be tested. It is interesting to note that the Porn Commission released a report stating that reading porn is harmful and often leads to criminal acts. With this in mind and realizing the thousands of exhibits the Attorney General and his panel examined to determine their findings, perhaps the Attorney General and his panel should be locked up to protect the public. How can that material se bad for the public yet not bad for those who examines it? My point is that the obscenity rule is

censorship and censorship of any kind is bad and more harmful than any effects that might be realized from what the public is supposed to be "protected" from.

Rick Evans, 1431-E 29th Avenue South, Wisconsin Rapids, Wisconsin 54494 with the cooling weather of late August seems to have come better reception on the radio. Fvery time I turn on the radio, I get stations I never really expected to hear again. I'm now up to 94 heard from 23 states and 2 provinces. After years of hearing CHML-900 trying to be the dominant station on the east coast, it was a shock to hear them so weak out here. Also a surprise were the regulars from Iowa and the Quad Cities such as WKBF-1270, KSTT-1170, KRNT-1350, KSO-1460, and KWLO-1330. The best frequency here so far is 1320 with 4 stations heard on it, including local WFMR in wisc. Rapids. I guess I'm sitting on 1320 late at night because I remember not worrying about 1440 in Lanscala, Pa. when I lived over there until WNPV switched from being a daytimer to fulltime status. Totals from the Philadelphia area were 246 heard from 32 states and 4 provinces. I never made an effort there for any foreign stations, and so I heard only 1 foreign country, PJB-800. Frank Merrill was here on 8/5 for a good visit. He brought in his GE Superadio--the first time I think I've seen one in action—and we used it to pick up my first kinnesota logging. Since then, I've "managed" to hear WCCO-830. Overtime is starting to pick up at work (great since our 15% pay cut just kicked in on 6/27), so I'll probably be staying up later at night every night. What's my goals for the end of the year? Probably 250 heard and 25 or 50 veries in by the end of this year. No reports out yet, as I'm still learning what's regular here, but a couple I know aren't normal. such as WWCH-1270 or KIOA-940, I wasn't able to hold long enough for a report. WBYG-930 bombed in here the first MM I listened and I figured it would be a LPC every MM. Haven't heard it since, hi. Also others I haven't heard yet I would have expected are WSAI-1360 and WSPD-1370. Also a surprise on MM is the lack of the talk shows I expected to be all over the dial. More common here day and MMs have been C&W music, which, of course, doesn't bother me much. Gotta run. Next deadline here is 9/11 then 9/25 followed by every Priday until March. Don't forget to report to CDXR.



# Mestern DX Forum

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By a strange coincidence, I was DX'ing recently, listening to WKQW 1120, under Buffalo's WHTT, when NRC and CIDX member Paul Routenberg called from Nepean (suburban Ottawa) with a tip on Radio New York International on 6240 and 1620. From my listening post on the apartment balcony, the Short Wave frequency was audible only on my ICF-2010 when the antenna was fully extended and I stood on the edge of the balcony. On the other hand, 1620 was audible quite easily with the radio and my SM-2. This pirate was heard quite well as late as 2230 (local time) on Sunday, 26 July with recent rock music. They were also heard the following day on the car radio with pop/rock oldies such as "They're Coming to Take Me Away" by Napoleon XIV.

Incidentally, for anyone who may have been privy to the vexatious rumor that I was the operator of "WKKK" in 1982, I have nothing to do with this pirate station. If anyone heard Radio New York International, but didn't catch the address, they gave one as 496 La Guardia Place, Suite 451, New York, New York 10012. Apparently they've already been caught by the FCC. (Yup. Outside territorial waters to boot, or, outside their jurisdiction. Should be an interesting court case-RtH.)

I hope the convention in Peoria was a success. I would have liked to have attended, but the location was too far for me this year. I hope everyone had a great summer.

ROB HARRINGTON, 3041 S. FLAMINGO WAY, DENVER, CO 80222 - P.O. BOX 37512, DENVER, CO 80237-0512

Hello to all. My wife and I have just moved in to our first (rented) house. Just put up my spider web antenna with about 135 feet of wire criss crossing under the roof of our patio. Reception is great and there's no interference at all. Even the power lines are quiet. Everything here is on one floor and the house is really nice for us.

Please, all mail should be directed to my new F.O. address, including DXM.

The old P.O. box will be void after December.

I hope to be more active in IRCA this season than I was last year. Until my next report, 73 de Rob. (Good hearing from you agair, Rob-RtH.) 5

MIKE BITTNER, 27215 SUNNYRIDGE RD., PALOS VERDES, CA 90274

After my frustrating attempts to hear a legal ID from KLTW 1400 San Luis Obispo, I gave up each time and went on to other loggings. They continuously give their slogan "Kay-Light, the Light AM, 14-hundred" all around the clock but no legal ID on the hour. However, this past weekend I drove up to the Bay Area and back and decided to monitor their frequency as I drove through their coverage area. Discovered that they consistently give the legal ID at 22 minutes past the hour. Don't know what's magic about xx22, but maybe this info will help anyone trying to sort out the jumble on 1400. (Not to mention, Mike, their ID time is just slightly illegal, hi-RtH.)

The log continues to build as I DX from my new, quiet location, but still have blank spots at 1060 and 1080 due to ENX 1070, whose 300 foot tower I look down upon from my 700 foot elevation five miles to the south.

Have had some nice SRS surprises such as KEZZ 1400 La Junta, Colorado and

Had a nice phone chat with SMM and that RFMS is still the legal ID for the Las Vegas station that continuously announces as AFM and that RUDE is now KGMG after at least two call changes. 73 de Mike

DOUG NYHOLM, 2071 CEDAR ST., SAN CARLOS, CA 94070

It's been over a year (maybe two) since my last forum so I thought I'd let RtH and everyone else know that I'm still alive. No, I haven't DX'ed in about

a year also, but got bit by the bug a couple months ago.
Rich Toebe and I have planned a Beverage DX pedition at the coast over the weekend after Labor Day (I don't even know if this forum will make it in time.) (Sorry, publication date will be that weekend, maybe you can forum with your results-RtH.)

After staying away from the dials for a year it sure is easy to log 40 or 50 new stations, but now after two months things are tightening up a bit. I enjoy the verie signers column that Tim Hall does and I've already found it to be useful. I now have 1,416 veries and plan to report everything I get to

your column, Tim.

I just received my new AM Pacific Log from DX Australia. And, in a note from Harry Weatherley he stated that the print quality of the DX Monitor has deteriorated quite significantly in the last year which I also agree. I don't know if it's due to the printer or certain individuals trying to squeeze extra life out of an old typewriter ribbon. I think now with nearly everyone using computors and in some cases lesser quality dox matrix printers to create their reports, they don't realize when they are reduced and copied the quality goes to heck. To those would it be possible to double strike or bold print (whatever you call it) the entire report to make it darker? Maybe I shouldn't gripe right away after not being active for over a year, but improved print quality for the best radio club bulletin around would be great. (No Doug, this is YOUR club, and I've noticed it too, and as your elected BoD member, I'll look into it-RtH.)
Wishing everyone great DX this upcoming season and until next time, 73.

RIC HEALD, 8539 BELLAMY WAY, SACRAMENTO, CA 95828

Looks like a late summer for the Big Valley this year. Cool until we were the second hottest reading on 30 August with only 1100 and wouldn't you know it, the air conditioning in my car gave out, hi. Only Bullhead City, Arizona beat us out, but they're used to it!

I saved Doug's forum to run just before mine. I thought I was the only one getting faded copy of DXM. I went back to typewriter because the dot matrix I used doesn't have double strike features. In some cases, yes, it's poor ribbon. But, when the same column is excellent quality on one page and nearly unreadable on the next, it's the printer's fault. I use film instead of ribbon, camera ready. And having worked at a print shop several months here in town, I would say the printer is trying to squeeze out extra life in the rollers. I've compared DXM #772 with the August DXM. The first is aboslutely clear. The latter, well, front page is faint, page 2 is clear while page 3 is washed out. Seattle, time to have a chat with our printer. I realize we're getting discounted rates because of our volume and frequency, but that shouldn't mean discount quality.

On to other stuff. We're back to square one. AGNA 1320 is back to NSP and

on to other start. We're back to square one. AGMA 1320 is back to NSF as apparently has made changes. I used to be able to null them to hear EBUG, but couldn't Jo so MMA 31 August. Either they were using lower power while working on their night pattern and pattern has changed, or. . . Finally, KPAY 1060 turned off their MM carrier to bring in KUKQ Tempe with C&W and ID'ing as "Q Country." Funny, from the Bay Area I had no trouble nulling KPAY to regularly bring in Tempe, but I'm just enough closer here that KPAY rules the rocest on 1060. closer here that KPAY rules the roost on 1060. Finally got the NRC AM Log and have sent for their updaters. My old one

was so that that the restricted from the mass lites, it. Bood locating log. Got a postcard from ex-IRCAn Dan Sheedy that my mystery station in FM ID ing as KS-103 was KSDO San Diego. My first FM DX logging.

Doug, sorry I won't be able to make to the Beverage DX'pedition. It's a beach having your weekend Friday and Saturday and unable to participate in regular weekend activites. I'm going to try another GTG here with CAMP sometime this fall.

Watch the deadlines. We're getting back into the weekly schedule soon and with that, my annual offer: You can feel free to send in two or three forums in one envelope to run concurrently. Just mark them as 1, 2, and 3, etc.

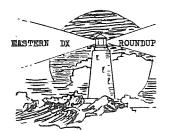
Best of DX to all and see y'all in 14.73 de RtH..

# radio programming notes

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Deadlines: 9/25, 10/23, 11/20. Late contributions acrue 15.8% interest compounded on alternate leap years.

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       590 ON TORONTO was oldies/AC, to switch frequencies with all news
                CKO-99.1 FM so upon sale the CKO news format moves here
       620 CA HANFORD was country, now AoR oldies // KCLQ-107.5
630 MO ST. LOUIS was AC/talk mix, now CHR/AC (Clemmer-IL)
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KXOK
       640 MA WESTFIELD was WLDM-1570, adult standards, now rock oldies
       690 ID BLACKFOOT was satellite country, now Transtar adult stds
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WAUG 750 NC NEW HOPE new station, on air with SMN "Heart & Soul" black
                oldies--note this station, though owned by St. Augustine's
       College, is being run commercially, programmed to Raleigh 790 ME RUMFORD was CHR // FM, now silent, will return 9/1 with new
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       800 IA IOWA CITY was country, now rock oldies
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       900 MI GAYLORD was WZXM, country, now SMN rock oldies // FM
       910 WA VANCOUVER was Transtar ad. standards, now live rock oldies
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       920 GA ATLANTA was all news, now all talk (Jeter-GA)
WFMD
       930 MD FREDERICK was ad. con., now AC/country mix
       930 WV HUNTINGTON was WGNT, easy listening, now CHR // FM 93.7
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       960 WA RICHLAND was adult contemporary, now rock oldies
WWNN 980 FL POMPANO BEACH was WWHT, SMN black oldies, now "motivational
                talk" (see Note #1)
WMAK
       980 KY LONDON was live rock oldies, now SMN rock oldies
WNYR
       990 NY ROCHESTER was country, now Transtar adult standards
KBIB 1000 TX MARION new station, to be Spanish religious
WISN 1130 WI MILWAUKEE was AC/talk, now all talk, includes ABC
               Talkradio & Larry King (Noonan-WI)
WAJL 1190 FL PINE CASTLE was WWLD, ad. stds, now religious; ownership
               switched with 1440 Winter Park FL
WKIT 1200 ME BREWER was WGUY, news-talk, now adult contemp. // FM 100.9
WITH 1230 MD BALTIMORE was adult standards "Music of Your Life",
               switches to SMN "Stardust" satellite adult standards
WIPC 1280 FL LAKE WALES was religious, now SMN satellite adult contemp.
WQUE 1280 LA NEW ORLEANS was WMKJ, black oldies, now black/CHR //FM 93.3
KGMG 1320 CA OCEANSIDE was AoR oldies // FM, now satellite ad. standards
KCPX 1320 UT SALT LAKE CITY was rock oldies, now AoR oldies except
               simulcast with their CHR FM overnights
WKRZ 1340 PA WILKES-BARRE was rock oldies, now adult standards
KSRO 1350 CA SANTA ROSA was ad. con., to become news-talk (Monti-VA)
WQMI 1380 NH PORTSMOUTH was silent, now AC/oldies // WQMI-FM-95.3
WPHD 1400 NY BUFFALO was CHR // WPHD-FM-103.3, now album rock // FM
WHCC 1400 NC WAYNESVILLE was AC "Classy," now SMN satellite CHR
KRQZ 1440 CO WRAY was country, now silent
WWLD 1440 FL WINTER PARK was WAJL, religious, to be adult standards -
KDNT 1440 TX DENTON was rock oldies, has returned to country format
WWHT 1450 SC CHARLESTON was WLNB, black oldies, now CHR/black // FM 94.3
KCLF 1500 LA NEW ROADS was silent, back on air with SMN rock oldies WBZI 1500 OH XENIA was WLGY, rock oldies, now country // WBZI-FM-95.3
KDKO 1510 CO LITTLETON was black, now SMN black oldies "Heart & Soul"
WSSH 1510 MA BOSTON was WMRE, silent, now soft adult contemporary
WSES 1550 NC RALEIGH was WCLY, religious, now black
KYOK 1590 TX HOUSTON was black, now SMN black oldies "Heart & Soul"
WAOS 1600 GA AUSTELL was WCK2, country, now rock oldies (Jeter-GA)
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Eastern DX Roundup, like a beacon in the darkness. Groping in the fog? Looking for the meaning of life, your purpose, your calling? Well, here it is; EDXR. The answer to all your problems.

all your problems.

EDER is coming to you live from sunny
Long Island, home of Radio New York International. Unless you have recently returned from the Australian outback, you have probably

neard about RNI. It seems that, thanks to a 17,000 pound anchor, they are located on an old Honduran freighter named "The Sarah" in international waters three miles off Jones Beach. Frequencies included 1620 kHz, 103.1 kHz, 190 kHz, and 6240 kHz. Unfortunately, the FCC and Coast Guard boarded the ship, shut it down, and arrested ith operators. The station received considerable press coverage, including front-page stories in Newsday for two days, and articles in the Daily News (thanks to Karen Grace of Brocklyn for submitting the article).

In other news, Charlie Taylor of Grifton, NC writes in to clarify an earlier logging. He says, "Regarding Gary Heisey's logging of WCXN-1170, that is indeed Claremont: "North Carolina's Christian Connection." Many thanks, Charlie.

Finally, Robert Ritchey writes in with information concerning volume 24. He says,
"... concerning Gary Heisey's ... UNID GA station on 1120 kHz on 5/12 was WQXM Gordon,
GA, with 16 kW days. His 1130 kHz Brazil, IN station was probably WSDM. Iheard them
briefly on 12/8/86 and the ID sounded like WSDM to me. Also, his UNID on 1170 kHz was
WCXN Claremont, NC ... with religious programming." Many thanks, Robert.
With that, here's this month's reporters:

- (RB-NY) Raymond Bauernhuber; 141-12 243 Street; Rosedale, NY; 11422 Sony ICF-2010, telescopic antenna, Palomar Loom
- (JHD-PA) John H. Demmitt; Box A KO848; Bellefonte, PA; 16823 Sony ICF-S5W
- (GH-PA) Gary A. Heisey; Box 310F RDl; Osterburg, PA; 16667 Philoo Radio, 4' floppy loop antenna
- (RCR-PA) Robert C. Ritchey; RD #1 Box 738; East Freedom, PA; 16637 DX-160, 100' longwire
- (JDS-AL) J. D. Stephens; 3605-8 Chasewood; Huntsville, AL; 35805 Panasonic RF-2600, 30' longwire
- (WPT-DC) Bill Townshend; 4500 Connecticut Ave.; #901; Washington, DC; 20008 Realistic Portavision-40 (12-648)
- 540 CJSB ON, Ottawa 6-25 2300 Fair to good w/ news of Postal workers picket lines. (RB)
- 560 WFIL PA, Philadelphia 7-15 2125 Good w/ "The oldies channel, WFIL." (RB-NY)
- 610 WDAF MO, Kansas City 7-2 0140 July 4th celebration annount, wx "It's 76 on Signal Hill at WDAF." Country mx. (JDS-AL)
- 630 WLAP KY, Lexington 7-4 2300 Vgood o/ usually dominant KX6K w/ wx, ID, "Solid Gold Saturday Night." (JDS-AL)
- 650 WSM TN, Nashville 6-19 2245 Poor to fair w/ Grand Ole Opry w/ Grandpa Jones, promo for shops along Music City Drive. (RB-NY)
- 680 WRKO MA, Boston 6-27 0500 Fair w/nx, sports, wx, "Talknet" w/ Neil Meyers. (RB)
- 720 WWIII PA, Shiremanstown 7-10 0653 Good w/ PSA testing water. Annount ment station was working on changing logo after IDing as "WW2." Traffic, light mx, AP nx. (JHD-PA)
- 720 WWII PA, Shiremanstown 7-15 1735 Vgood w/nx for Harrisburg area, ID as "WW?" and "720 AM Stereo," EZL mx, AP nx, sports. ID at top of hour "WWII 720 AM Stereo, Shiremanstown-Harrisburg." (RCR-PA)
- 720 WWII PA, Shiremanstown 7-17 1530 Strong w/ soft pop oldies, adult standards. If as "720 AM Stereo WW2." AP nx. Called station, recep said they started June 17th, days only, but couldn't answer power or ant pattern because the CE wasn't in. S/off at 2030, man said "FCC requires us to s/off at 8:30 PM." "Serving 16 PA counties and 3 states, this is WW2, Shiremanstown. Good night." Monti's info says 5 kW, but sounds more. Too early to tell how much of a pest they will be. There goes daytime WGN DX. (GH-PA)
- 730 KSUD AR, West Memphis 7-18 2000 Weak w/old time gospel mx and intvw w/ Jim Blackwood of the Blackwood Bros. gospel group. (JDS-AL)
- 910 CKLY ON, Lindsey 6-19 2310 Fair w/ post-game wrapup of Jays- Brewers game. (RB)

- Now, more of reader-supported Eastern DX Roundup...
- 920 WHJJ RI, Providence 6-28 2135 Poor w/ Columns Yankees- Pawtucket Red 20x game, ads. (RB-NY)
- 940 CBL QU, Montreal 6-19 2315 Good w/ "Good evening from Calgary," classical mx. (RB)
- 940 WKGM VA, Smithfield 7-10 0638 Good w/ ID as "KGM" and "940 Christian Radio." Light gospel mx. (JHD-PA)
- 940 WMAZ GA, Macon 7-2 0205 Fair w/ ID as "Stereo 94 WMAZ" and mx. (JDS-AL)
- 950 WPEN PA, Philadelphia 6-19 2320 Strong w/ ads, big band mx and MOYL. (RB-NY)
- 980 WILK PA, Wilkes-Barre 4-21 2006 ID by man after nx by woman. Fair u/ WWRC. If I hadn't come back from the NRC convention a day early last 8-31, I would have had to wait until now to bag this bird. (WPT-DC)
- 1030 WBZE MD, Indian Head 7-10 0642 Vgood w/ ID as "Power Station, WBZE." Gospel mx w/ rock beat. (JHD-PA)
- 1040 <u>Cuba</u> 7-21 2110 Many ments of Guba, propaganda about CIA involvement in disease and epidemic in Cuba. Strong EE program. I saw Monti's report in 7-16 that Cuba would be day only, but anything goes w/ Cuba. (GE-PA)
- 1070 WCIR WY, Beckley 6-10 2055 Mixing w/ WINA, fair w/ "103 CIR," sung IDs, rock mx. (GH-PA)
- 1080 WCII KY, Louisville 7-15 2240 Kentuckiana wx, Elvis mx, ID as "CII." KRLD weak this evening. (JDS-AL)
- 1170 WWVA WV, Wheeling 7-15 2140 Good w/ "Prophecy for Today." (RB-NY)
- 1190 WANN MD, Annapolis 7-10 0712 Good w/ "You hear it all, right here on WANN."

  Urban contemp mx. (JHD-PA)
- 1210 WCAU  $\frac{PA}{W}$ , Philadelphia 6-22 2040 Strong w/ Gary Hudson hosting "Radio Classics" (RB-NY)
- 1230 WFAS NY, White Plains 7-18 1900 Good w/ "Supergold" oldies. (RB-NY)
- 1250 WREN KS, Topeka 6-23 0000 Fair w/ WBG nx, wx, ad for Royals baseball, into "Talknet" at 0007. (JDS-AL)
- 1260 WIBV IL, Belleville 6-22 2113 Good but mixing w/ WNDE, w/ "WIBV Belleville" jingle, contemp C&W mx. (JDS-AL)
- 1300 WAVZ CT, New Haven 6-22 2050 Poor w/ hvy QRM, QRN, QSB. MOYL format. (RB-NY)
- 1300 WLXG KY, Lexington 7-15 0142 Weak w/ wx, ID as "13 Gold WLXG," then Elvis. (JDS)
- 1350 WNLK CT, Norwalk 6-23 0730 Poor to fair w/ QRH, w/ nx, wx, promo for Hiel Simon's "Biloxi Blues" at Westport Playhouse. (RB-NY)
- 1350 WSMB LA, New Orleans 6-22 2258 "Nightwatch" talk program, wx, NDE nx. (JDS-AL)
- 1380 WRBQ FL, Tampa 6-9 2356 Weak w/ time check, frequent jingles, pop mx. (JDS-AL)
- 1370 WSPD OH, Toledo 7-15 2325 Poor w/ "Talknet" and "AM 1370 WSPD" ID. (JDS-AL) (Ocops: It's amezing what a gust of wind can do to one's sense of order. -TK)
- 1370 WSPD OE, Toledo 7-22 0529 Fair w/ WXXI-Rochester. Ad w/ start of song "Upon a Star," nx. (JHD-PA)
- 1400 WINC  $\frac{VA}{WINC}$ , Winchester 7-3 0820 Fair and alone w/ "92.5 WINC," pop mx, some oldies. WINC FM and AM at top of hour. No usual WMAQ. (GH-PA)
- 1410 KCLO  $\underline{\text{KS}}$ , Leavenworth 6-22 2205 Fair w/ C&W mx and "Leavenworth's favorite country." (JDS-AL)
- 1410 WHTG PA, Eatontown 6-23 0735 Good w/ promo for Vista Volunteers, MOYL format.
- 1420 WOC IA, Davenport 7-4 0056 Good w/ Larry King and ID as "Newstalk 14 WOC." Per QSL, Larry King was added 7-1 after being off for two years. (JDS-AL)
- 1440 KWEZ LA, Monroe 7-14 2310 Good sig w/ ads, "Z-14 KWEZ." DJ was "The Coz." (JDS)
- 1450 WIIN NJ, Atlantic City 6-15 1550 Strong w/ "Phillies Warmup," w/ Richie Ashburn interviewing Lou Boudreau prior to Cubs-Phillies game. (RB-NY)
- 1460 WVOX NY, New Rochester 6-15 1600 Strong w/ "Hudson/Westchester radio, WVOX, New Rochelle," nx. (RB-NY)
- 1470 WOHO OH, Toledo 7-17 2335 Poor in mud w/ Rastside Auto Parts ad, Cleveland Indians promo. (JDS-AL)
- 1480 WARE AL, Mobile 6-8 2034 Motown mx, IDs as "Mobile's Heart and Soul." (JDS-AL)
- 1480 WADR  $\frac{NY}{W}$ , Remsen 7-13 1955 Poor w/ C&W mx, in jumble. Came up for poor ID. Mixing W/ WSAY. (GH-PA)
- 1500 WTOP DC, Washington 5-6 0640 Noted off air. (WPT-DC)
- 1530 WCKY OH, Cincinnati 6-18 2125 Good sig, w/ promo for Jan Michaels show, ads, nx w/ Ron Briggs?? (RB-NY)

- $\overline{\text{LA}}$ , Waterloo 7-2 0025 Weak w/ wx, C&W mx, frequent "KXEL" jingles. No ads or other details in over 30 mins of listening. (JDS-AL) 1540 KXEL
- MD, Morningside 6-23 0928 Noted off air. Off twice this month during day. (WPD) 1580 WPGC
- FL, Ft. Lauderdale 7-26 0130 Numerous ments of James Earl show and Ft. Laud and Pompano beach area. #844-8240 and #583-8490 for requests. Black artist, 1580 WSRF some rap mx. At 6145 sig suddenly dissappeared, leaving bad static. Fair to good. Unable to hear ID. Ironic that WVKO-1580 has similar black format. Maybe a satellite feed? (GH-PA)
- NY, In-the-water 7-20 1900 Host Hank Hayes w/ R&R w/ "Free Speech Format" 1620 RNI on RNI. "It's our ship that makes the difference." Boarded 7-25 and cited for oper w/ out license, but back on air on Sunday. QSL address is: Radio New York International; 496 Laguardia Place, Suite 451; New York, NY; 10012. (RB-NY)
- 7-23 2300 Good w/ operation in intl waters off New York City coast on the good 1620 RNI ship "Sarah." Test transmission of uncensored records such as "Shotgun," "Bonniee Clyde," "Dead Skunk," "When I Die," and "Tracey." Code given at end of trans near midnight which was instruct for land base crew. QSLs. Planning to sell ads. (JHD-PA)
- 7-26 2140 Rock pop oldies, said to be trans on 49 meter band SW. Good sig o/ 1620 RNI static. 50 kW at least, 80 on HQ129X sig, cutting in and out at times. DJ Randi Steele requesting adv support. #728-1830. Saw these guys getting arrested on TV, but sounded legal. (GH-PA)

Less than one month to go and it's back to school time once again (for me, it's my last time as I am now a senior). By the time you read this, you might very well be sipping a Marguarita or a Tom Collins or what-have-you in downtown Peoria. Win one for 73s de Tim the Gipper ... 

# IRCA Foreign DX Reference, Volume 24

Phil Bytheway is completing the cross reference listing of all the stations reported to DXWW-W and DXWW-E during volume 24 of "DX Monitor" (9/86-8/87). There are three sections available: Trans-Atlantic, Pan American, and Trans-Pacific. Each section contains a frequency listing (countries reported for each frequency) and a country listing (frequencies reported for each country) showing the "DX Monitor" issue number in which they were reported. These guides are a valuable reference to what was heard last year, and where to look to find specific information about the receptions.

Each listing is 5 or 6 pages long. You can order any one of the three (TA, PA or TP) for \$1.00 each, or all three for \$2.50. Make checks out to Phil Bytheway and send them to: 9705 Mary N.W., Seattle, WA 98117.

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# All along the watchtower

Although interference to AM stations hasn't increased since Radio Marti went on air, U.S. treads carefully in establishing new AM's, fearing Cubans could still retaliate

U.S. problems with Cuban-caused interference to American AM stations have not received much publicity in recent months. Indeed. FCC monitors have not found that the inauguration of Radio Marti and its broadcasts to Cuba in May 1985 has been followed by an increase in the interference that American stations, particularly in the Southeast, have suffered for years. Such retailation had been feared in some quarters. But State Department officials remain sensitive to the possibility that the Castro government will introduce new AM stations to interfere with American outlets.

Richard Shrum, of the State Department's Bureau of International Communications and Information Policy, discussed the government's uneasiness regarding the matter at an NAB session last week. He said the department was working with the FCC on a small number of applications for AM stations in the Southeast, mostly Florida. The aim is to accommodate them without causing what Shrum described as an "overreaction" from Cuba.

The problem stems in part from the fact that Cuba walked out of the meeting of westem hemisphere countries in Rio de Janeiro. in 1981 on developing a new plan for AM radio, without signing the final agreement. As a result. Shrum said, the Rio agreement

does not apply to U.S. relations with Cuba Craft magazine, March 1938 as a does to U.S. relations with other countries in the harmonic of the countries in the countries in the countries in the countries of the countries tries in the hemisphere. Instead, U.S.-Cuban relations are governed by a broader pro-vision in the International Tele-International Telecommunication Union agreement to which both countries adhere

"Our job is to work with the FCC to license the maximum number of AM sta-tions," Shrum said, "But we operate under the ITU agreement, and we are aware of the danger. Cuba could operate a lot more sta-tions than it does. We don't want Cuba to overreact and cause interference to the U.S.

Shrum also reported that the Rio agreement could be sent to the Senate for ratification within the next few months. He said "the ratification package" is circulating among affected government agencies and would be submitted to the White House for its consideration "in the next three or four

Shrum's appearance at the NAB reflected an awareness of the broadcasting industry's growing stake in international relations. And Shrum indicated the interest can go the other way. "It will be important for the State Department to work more closely with the NAB," he said. He expressed specific concern about the elimination of research laboratories, like CBS's, which have been lost in one of the economy moves that have en-gulfed the company. The elimination of the CBS Labs. Shrum said, "took away five in-dividuals" he had sent to CCIR [International Radio Consultative Committee | meetings in the government's behalf.

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# THE IRCA ALMANAC

Bill Hardy would like information on music countdown programs for the new Almanac. Bill wants to include as many programs as possible. He will obtain much info directly from networks and syndicators, but he wents to include partial listings for shows such as "Rick Dees Countdown," "Country Countdown," "Live Prom Gilley's" and similar shows that haven't been available. Please check newspaper listings, jot down any you hear while DXing (promos or the show in progress), or while on vacation. Please send the info to Bill Hardy, 2301 Pacific Ave., Aberdeen, Wash., 96528, by Sept. 15th. Include calls, frequencies, program titles, and date/time i. known.

While you're at it, if you come across any information on stations with THM Radio Network or Music of Your life, send that also. Thanks!

NANCY HARDY, EDITOR



2301 PACIFIC AVE., ABERDEEN WA 98520 DEADLINES FOR TIPS: Tuesdays Sept. 29, Oct. 6, Oct. 13, Oct. 20, Oct. 27 REPORTERS FOR THIS ISSUE: (MAB) Mike Bittner-27215 Sunnyridge Road-Palos Verdes, CA 90274 Surplus ARC-5, SM-2 loop (TRH) Tim Hall-350 0 St. F-1-Chula Vista, CA 92010 ICF-2010, Radio West loop (TRH-UT) DX\*ing along I-15 in Utah with Chrysler car radio with stereo (TRH-UT1) DX ing at Fillmore, UT w/ICF-2010 & Radio West loop (TRH-ID) DX'ing at Mack's Inn, ID w/ICF-2010 & Radio West loop (TRH-BC) DX'ing along Hwy. 93 with Chrysler car radio (NHP) Nick Hall-Patch-1538 Amphion St.-Victoria, BC V8R 4Z6 Homebrew receiver, 3' box loop antenna (BH&NH) Nancy & Bill Hardy-DX'ing near Spokane & Yakima, WA Car radio (EH&NH-MT) DX'ing in western Montana car radio, GE portable Gary Larson-2806 Lincoln-Burbank, CA 91504 (GL) Patrick Martin-F.O. Boy 843-Seaside, OR 97138 SP-600, 200' LW, 1500' East Beverage (PM) (JSM) J. Steve McDonald-3319 Glasgow St.-Fort Coquitlam, BC V3B 4K8 Sony ICF-2010, Radio West loop Doug Nyholm-2071 Gedar St.-San Carlos, CA 94070 (DN) FRG-7000, Sony ICF-6700W, Radio West loop (5P) Dale Park-2253 Kanealii Ave.-Honolulu, HI 96813 Sony ICF-6700W, Realistic Minisette 16 (5P-HI1) DX'ing at Maui, Hi with Minisette 16 (5P-HI2) DX'ing at Kailua, Oahu with Delco FTR car radio Pete Taylor-DY'ing in Monterey, CA (Pm) Robert Wien-1309 Dentwood Dr.-San Jose, CA 95118 (RW) GE Superadio, GE long-range portable, SM-2 (ØW) John Wilkins-4385 Hoyt St. #205-Wheat Fidge, GC 80033 R-390A, R-1000, 4° box loop OF SPECIAL INTEREST:  $\frac{AZ}{2^4}$  Tucson  $8/2^4$  ex-KIKX, per call to station, station is now  $2^4$  hours, NSP, 5000 watts days, 500 watts nights. Format is 580 KJMM "new wave." (RW-CA) WA, Yakima 8/6 1825 noted on with Spanish language, "Padic Exitos," while staying in Yakima. This was dark two years ago. 930 KZTA Several times an hour they give an English ID as "The voice of Central Washington, KZTA, Jakima," then Ranchers music. Last year they were granted KZTA, then KAJR (Yakima has KAJR-FM 99.3) now back to KZTA. Live DJ's with occasional requests and dedications, but no ads I could discern. (BH&NH-WA)  $\underline{UT}$ , Tooele 8/4 1250-1300, 1541-1600 fair sigs in downtown Salt 990 KTLE Lake, great sigs to the north, but oddly not noted south of Salt

Lake. MOR format, slogans "Tooele Country Radio" & "The only station that cares about Tooele Country." This station had been

SK. Kindersley 8/5 0241 new station is on, relaying CJYM-1330. Fairly strong signal, but subject to noise (low het) and fading. (TRH-ID) +8/17 was listening to the freq. with a very weak KPRZ etc, when up faded a sports report & an ID for Broadcast News at 0704. I

reported silent by several DXers. (TRH-UT)

1210 CFYM

thought at first it was CKWA but they couldn't have been on at CFYN cont \* d this time. Program went into MOR music & lost about 0709. Made calls to both CKWA & CJYM-1330 who relays 100% to CFYM-1210. The P.D. at CJYM confirmed my report on the phone and asked for the report to be sent to CJYM in Rosetown. One of my best catches: SK #1. (DN-CA)

1240 KLFE CA, San Bernardino-Riverside 8/10 0600 good over KSAC-KSMA-KJOP with ID "News is next on K-Life, KLFE, San Bernardino-Riverside, " into USA Network News. Ex-KDIG. (RW-CA)

1250 (KGBU) OR, Florence went off the air several months ago. (PM-OR) BC, Swartz Bay this is a 5 watt repeater of the weather info station at Victoria airport (which is 162.4 MHz). Whenever a 1260 PA annot. is made at the Swartz Bay ferry terminal, it is also broadcast on this repeater. Only ID heard was at 1715 on 8/6. The signal is easily heard in the daytime within a few miles of the terminal, but has also been heard weakly in Victoria about 20 miles away, on 8/9 at 1820. Address for reports is: Norm Dressler, Victoria Weather Office, Victoria International Airport, Box 14-9600, Canora Rd., Sidney, B.C. V8L 4R1. (NHP-BC) CO, Denver switched call (ex-KBRQ) at 0200 7/1. Played (get

1280 KXKTthis) versions of "Louie, Louie" over & over for 60 consecutive nours! No ads or annots., just an hourly semi-legal ID. Finally, at 1400 on 7/3, went into new format, i.e. rock oldies, mostly 60's. Simulcasts with FW, and IDs as "The Cool FM is KXKL Denver-Boulder, Kool 105." (ØW-00) SA, Mojave 8/17 0845 ex-KDOL, fair over KMAK with ID simply as "13/40 KWAY" into what counded like all the simply as

1340 KVOY 1340 KVOY." into what sounded like elevator-type music, but frequency a jumble by this time, not enough for report. (RW)

1470 KMFI AZ, Sierra Vista per call to station 8/14, KSVA changed calls to KMFI on 8/4. Sign on is 0800 ELT. Format is oldies -type.(RW)

1480 (KKAR) WA, Vancouver went broke, so off the air as of 8/10. (PM-OR)

1550 KSVY WA, Opportunity 8/6 1328 is back on the air with new calls. Not

heard during morning bandscan (8:30am local time), but strong with adoon music 132t just above KGA-1510. Young DJ, probably live, announced "Your continuous hits station, KS(B?)Y in Opportunity, Wash., playing nothing but your favorites each day from 10am till 10pm," then more adoon music, mostly semi-recent hits. Could be DJ's personal collection because this station as KXXR was Music of Your Life! KXXR went dark last year. 10am-10pm schedule suggests minimum required hours for a full timer to avoid losing license! KSVY calls per both NRC and Robert Wien. (BH&NH-WA)

AZ, Phoenix 7/12 "55-AM KOY" ID at 2152 during commercial 550 KOY

break in talk show, under KUZZ & KLAC slop. (MAB-CA)
560 (KSFO) CA, San Francisco 8/17 0322 totally off. (RW-CA)
580 WIEW KS, Topeka 8/4 2359 good with promos, ID, CES News, lots of

ads. (TRH-ID)

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KCMY OR, Ashland 8/5 0005 poor under WIBW with woman with s/off. Are they "specified hours" now? (TRH-ID)

590 (KSSK) HI, Honolulu noted off the air 8/9 on rare SP. Also off briefly 8/11 0649-0650. Internal mixing product by rx of KUMU-1500 and 2nd harmonic of its IF (1500 - 910 = 590) noted as usual.(5P-HI)

600 KL2Z CA, San Diego 7/20 0658 with rock simulcast, ID for KKLQ FM 10c. (TN-CA) (KLZZ?-NH)

KKLQ +8/24 ID 0500 "The new Q 106, KKLQ AM & FM San Diego. A better mix of music and more of it." Disco music. (PM-OR)

CA, San Francisco 7/25 Larry King with sports scores ending at 0636. Weak high-pitched het, had slop from KKLQ-600. "Magic 61-610 KFRC AM, KFRC Sar Francisco, your station for Giants baseball annetation of the Mutual News. (MAB-CA)

 $\underline{\text{OR}},$  Portland 8/24 0328 with TT, good loop N, KTAR strong in null. (RW-CA) 620 \*KGW\*

640 KFI CA, Los Angeles 7/23 0826 ad, DJ patter, ad, back to the Lohmann and Owens Show with Earth, Wind & Fire song. Poor, KORL-650 slop, thunder QRN. (5P-HII) +8/13 0514 outtake of Elvis Presley record heard, Larry King promo, ad, woman LJ discussing the Presley outtake, into willie Nelson song "on Six-40 K-F-I." Song by Streisand and Sibb, more DJ patter, adoon song, DJ with TC, weather. Poor, local QRM, KORL-650 still off. (5F-HI)

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AK, Anchorage 8/7 0409 C&W music, ID by DJ "K-Y-A-K" and some
650 KYAK
             talk. Into Juice Newton song, another ID "A-M 6-50 K-Y-A-K."
             ment. of contest & phone number, Mickey Gilley song, ID &
             phone number 563-4334, Judy Rodney tune, DJs ID'ing themselves as Rob & Eddie. I didn't think it was possible, but I got it!
             AK #1, thanks to KORL being off. Very poor to poor, KFI-640
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QRM and het from 648. (5P-HI2) HI, Honolulu 8/25 1550 noted back on the air but with a twist-it's now a relay station for a Maui FMer! Heard on Ford car KORL radio as KLHI-FM and KORL with former station's format of light rock. Per phone call, KLHI's takeover began 0145 (8/24 HST). According to the Honolulu Advertiser, KLHI is "leasing" the KORL xmtr, frequency, and callsign while KORL's owner, Pacific Comms. of Dallas, sorts things out. KORL declared bankruptcy after a deal with local investors fell through: an auction ? failed to attract "qualified bidders." KLHI is 50kw on 101.1 and using slogans "Maui's Incredible F-M One-Oh-One and Hawaii's Music Legend, A-M 65," "Maui's Incredible Combination," and "Maui's Most Listened-To Station." (5P-HI)

WY, Orchard Valley this freq. change surprised me. Good 0700 KUUY with ID still stating Orchard Valley not Cheyenne. (DN-CA) (Date?---NH)

AZ, Window Rock 7/7 0700 with local spots, haven't heard them 660 KTNN much since. (DN-CA)

670 (KBOI) <u>ID</u>, Boise 8/17 0324 totally off. (RW-CA) 690 (XETRA) BCN, Tijuana 8/24 0426 totally off. (RW-CA)

700 ?KBYR? AK, Anchorage is this station permanetly off the air? I sure thought I heard them 8/3 at 0851. (DN-CA)

WA, Newport 8/6 1315 this one is still on the air, regular country format, "Magic 700" slogan. Fair signal just southwest of Spokane on I-90. (BH&NH-WA)

WA, Seattle 7/23 0820 news item about a local school board & a 710 KIRO wild animal auction; ID "K-I-R-O Newstine 5:20," into CBS business news. Poor, ripply unID (KMPC?) in back, no het from 711。(5P-HI1)

720 ?KDWN? NV, Las Vegas 8/7 0423 woman hosting sports talk show, phone number given, ment. of Union Plaza Hotel. Poor, underneath KUAI. (ŠP-HIŽ)

BC, Jaffrey 8/7 1636 LPRT excellent with CBU relay, talk about Pacific Nat'l Expo. Very good range for only 40 watts. (TRH-BC) 740 CBKW

UT, Price 7/20 0730 with Nat. Farm Report. Good. (DN-CA) 750 KOAL

CO, Thornton 8/24 0830 tent. on hour with USA Radio Network 760 KJIM News (have never heard of this network!), o/u KFME/CKQR, solid over KFME/CKQR at 0830 with clear "KJIM" ID, then faded out rapidly. (RW-CA)  $\underline{WA}$ , Seattle 8/3 poor under the now 770 mess with C&W music at

770 KRPM 0720. (DN-CA)

AB, Calgary presumed to be the one way behind KEOB/KRPM 8/1 at 0813 with "QR" ID. (DN-CA) (They blacked out "CH" on "QR 77" road sign near Calgary. So "QR-77" is all the ID they give! --NH) CHQR

NV, Reno 7/23 0815 unannounced C&W music, save for ID "7-80 780 KROW K-R-O-W with 50,000 watts of the Great Country." Fair, KABC-

KS, Colby 7/5 2207 C&W music on "K-Triple X," 2212 weather with temps for W. Kansas villages, 2213 s/off annet. with invite to tune 100.3 FM, orchestral NA. Good with KLTT-800 slop. (\$\varphi \text{W}-CO) 790 KXXX

(KGO) CA, San Francisco 8/17 0540 totally off. (RW-CA) 810

WA, Burien-Seattle 8/5 and many other nights here with 24 hour 820 KGNW

religion. Poor signals generally though. (DN-CA) HI, Honolulu 7/23 oldies rock music of u sports news at 0646 with 830 KTKT high-pitched het. Singing ID 0652, into more oldies rock. (MAB)

(KIKI)+Noted off the air 8/9 0640, 8/10 0635 & 8/11 0650--3 straight SFs. Heard back on 8/11 at 1102 with DJ giving prize to 1st person to call up after KIKI came back on; I was that person & won a dozen Crispie Creme doughnuts! (5P-HI)

BC, 100 Mile House now heard most nites with much better signal 840 CKBX ther 50kw KCNW. (DN-CA) (KCNW-820 is only 5kw nites & nulls KGO. -- PH)

?CKBX?+7/14 "This is the Night Shift...brought to you by satellite for all of Vancouver" annot. at 0538. (MAB-CA)

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CA, Modesto 7/14 "NEC Radio Network" annot. at 0805. Several
860 KTRP
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ads for fishing gear to 0808. ID 0810 under unID Mexican. (MAE) UT, Salt Lake City 8/5 "KUTR welcomes you to another broadcast day" s/on at 0729. "Hot and cloudy in Salt Lake City" weather KUTR report at 0732. (MAB-CA)

+Heard behind KTRB 0655 with easy list. music. What's their nite power? (DN-CA) (190 watts per National Radio Club.--NH) (CBRR) BC. Cranbrook 8/7 1708 apparently silent, not noted while in the area. (TRH-BC) (They may have moved freq. due to their closeness to CKIR-870 Invermere .-- NH)

EC. Prince Rupert 8/3 with classical music behind KTRB/KUTR CFPR at 0649. (DN-CA)

CEKF2

SK. Saskatoon finally heard 7/16 0700 with French program & CFC Sask. ment. on the hour. (DN-CA)

LA, New Orleans 8/7 "Way Down in New Orleans" annot. 0550, into piano solo "Alabama Jubilee." Fairly good sig c/u nulled KIEV. 870 WWI DJ giving request dedications at 0552, into Hank Snow song. ID given by DJ at 0556. (MAB-CA) NV. Laughlin 8/3 0705 with C&W music. KIEV really kills them

KROL

here. (DN-CA) BC. Invermere 8/7 1757 excellent along Hwy. 93 with news, CKIR

weather, ads, trivia quiz, "Columbia-Shuswap Radio" IDs.(TRH-BC) MT, Whitefish 8/3 0709 with local ads/program. Rare here. (DN) OR, Phoenix 8/7 Larry King under nulled KRVN. "Right here on 880 KJJR

KWFR un, rhoenix o// Larry king under nulled kkvN. "Right here on Medford's finest radio, KMPR Phoenix" arnot 0659, ID and into CES News at 0700. Floated up to good sig. level at 0701. (MAB) AF, Edmonton 8/10 0730 klnt with ID "Music throughout the night, on QT-88," way over KMFR/KIXI/KRVN. (RW-CA) MB, Brandon surprised me 8/3 0729 while trying for CHQT. C&W music mixing with KEVN made it through. New. (DN-CA)

CHQT

CKLQ

BC, Kimberley 8/7 1706 LPRT very weak at 93-95 junction, with 900 CBRK

CBKV

EL, RIMDETIES C// 1/VO LPRT VERY WEAK at 93-95 junction, with classical music from CPC. (TRH-DC) EC, Radium Hot Springs 8/7 1215 LPRT, excellent sig. with good range. CPU relay with CPC feature programs. (TRH-DC) WA, Vancouver 2/4 0753 good but fading with nice BBD/MYL format, ID "KKSN, 91 AM, at last a station that plays your kind of music." (TRH-ID) 910 KKSN

CA, Los Angeles finally took time to log this old call change on 7/30, ID as "The southlands #1 smokin' oldies station, AM-930." (DN-CA) KRTH 930

\*KRTH\*+8/3 0305 with TT. (GL-CA)

MT, East Missoula 8/5 1459 lady gave "East Missoula" legal ID KTCY preceding a tape-delayed Ac newscast. This would confirm reports they are fulltime now. Adcon music format with "Classy" slogans.

This while passing through Missoula. (BHANH-MT)
CA, Fresno 8/3 0303 weather for area, into a C&W trucker program. 940 KFRE In good. KRTH-930 on with tone. (GL-CA)

ID, Meridan 8/21 per call to station, format is now C&W (ex-relig) 950 KKIC

S/on is 0800 ELT, power unknown. (RW-CA)
NE, North Flatte 7/15 0445 caught just for a moment with weather
for North Platte and into relig. program. (DN-CA)
CA, Folsom logged call change 7/25, ex-KHWY, with "10-Q" 970 KJLT

1030 KIOQ slogans. (DN-CA)

WY, Casper 8/24 0335 noted AN this MM, hope this isn't a new KTWO trend. (RW-CA)

MT, Kinsey 7/10 0840 with local ads, good for awhile. I have no 1050 KMTA mailing address. Not even listed in the Miles City-Kinsey phone dir. Anybody help with an address or verie signer? (DN-CA)

1070 KATQ/KHPN MT, Plentywood Help. What are their calls now? Definitely heard 7/10 0821 with morning market report and annot. of Junior Miss competition at a Plentywood high school but no ID heard. - (DN-CA)

CA, San Francisco 7/25 Christian Destiny program. SID 0758, into 1100 KFAX ad for Sat. Evening Post. "Here on Kay-Fax" annot at 0801, into The Golden West Spiritual Hour. (MAB-CA)

CO, Grand Junction Heard in KFAX null 7/9 0050 with lite inst. music, then CBS News on the hour. ID as "KVEE AM & FM" & "Your good taste in music shows when you tune to the FM, KVEE." (DN) KVEE

HI, Kihei 8/15 0641 noted running OC instead of daily SP. Traces of music underneath, KRIA? (5P-HI) 1110 \*KHEI\*

WY, Greybull 7/12 0800 with s/on in the mess. Then news & weather. 1140 KMMZ Only in for about 3 minutes. New. (DN-CA)

- AB, Calgary 8/17 0818 over KRAK with "XL Radio" IDs, TC. 1140 CKXI
- Rarely heard with KRAK on. (RW-CA)

  IA, DesMoines 8/5 0407 weak under CKX, just faded up for ID. 1150 KWKY (TRH-ID)
- OK, Tulsa 8/9 weather rpt. ment. "Thunderstorms in Tulsa," 1170 KV00
- on, Tursa by Weather Tpt. Members. Intalaction in 120, etc. Into song by Alabama at 2355. (MAB-CA)

  MT, Kalispell 8/3 2140 noted with Talknet, runs Bruce Williams 2106-2300 and then Larry King. Not in 1985 Talknet list. KOFI 1180 (BH&NH-MT)
  - IE, Bellevue 7/12 0726 with "News 10-80" & "Car Radio" IDs: I KKAR didn't hold much hope for hearing this station here. Had Mutual
- News at 0730. Good signals. (DN-CA) ("News 10-80"??--NH)

  UT, Rest area I-15 south of Salt Lake City 874 1200 fair with tape loop repeating NOAA weather broadcast. Audible for a mile 1200 TIS or two in each direction. (TRH-UT)
  - BC, Victoria logged freq. change 7/20 0818. I thought their CKDA signal would be better. They were better on 1220 here. (DN-CA) +7/21 mall music, then Victoria weather at 0800. "AM 12-hundred CKDA" annot. at 0801, into more mall music. (MAB-CA)
    AZ, Sahuarita 7/20 0130 Latin pops, woman annor. Poor in
- 1210 KQTL QRM. (ØW-CO)
  - ?KQTL?+8/3 assumed to be the SS station in the mess at 0905. (DN-CA)
    KPRZ CA. San Marcos almost finally heard an ID 8/10 0822, "San Diego's finest Christian radio station." Still haven't heard
  - call letters yet however. (DN-CA) OK. Guymon 7/5 2218 race track results, followed by assorted pop/C&W fare. Xlnt signal. (ØW-CO) KGYN
  - UT, Washington 7/20 0159 just caught ID in KQTL/KLDI/WCAU jumble. Sounded like dual city "Washington-St. George" ID. KONY Ex-KCLG. (ØW-CO)
  - WA, Sunnyside 8/3 0755 with CBS World News Roundup at 5 minutes KREW before the hour. (DN-CA)
  - WY, Laramie 7/5 2225 weather, low of 350 (Laramie is 7000 feet KLDI above sea level & gets cold there even in July!), followed by "nostalgia rock," with a James Gang set. Good at times, but fady. (ØW-CO)
    - +Surprised me. I have been trying for KRSV in Afton. Didn't even know KLDI was on & in the mess it popped up 7/11 at 0740 with CBS Sports and ID as "Your major league sports station, KLDI." New. (DN-CA)
  - AB, Slave Lake per phone call their sked. is as follows: s/on at 1005 with local "KW" (their slogan) programming until 1pm local time at which time they s/off and begin the relay of CFOK until station s/off at 0400. (DN-CA) CKWA
- AB, Lethbridge 7/21 C&W music. Just caught ID at 0753 before 1220 CJOC sig. completely overpowered by KGFJ-1230 slop. (MAB-CA)
- OR, Astoria 8/20 0839 good with ID & spot for Warrenton 1230 KVAS
- business. New, OR #33. (JSM-BC) EC, Osoyoos 8/20 2350 with relay of CKOK BC Lions football. 1240 CKOO
- Good, New, PC #38. (JSM-BC) 1260 (KOIT) CA, San Francisco 8/24 0342 totally off, CFRN booming in, KGIL
- in their null. (RW-CA) CA, Chico 7/21 talk show about U.S. diplomacy and need for 1290 KHSL learning foreign language. Talkradio annot at 0735, ID at
- 0736. (MAB-CA) (KKZN) UT, Kanab 8/3 1530 apparently still not on the air. Not noted
- (NKZN) OT, kanab 0/3 1530 apparently still not on the air. Not noted while driving in the area. (TRH-UT)

  1300 CJME SK, Regina 8/5 0225 fair with rock music, lots of jingles & promos, "Power 13" slogan. (TRH-ID)

  1320 ?CHQM? BC, Vancouver 8/7 0429 SMN Stardust format // KLNI-1380, man listing the artists just played, then weather forecast for downtown Vancouver, man said "I'm Loug? with the music," into EZL version of "Even the Nights are Better." Is CHQM running
- SMN? Poor, ripply co-channel QRM. (5P-HI2)
  Ch. Redding logged call change 6/3 0900. They are strong 1330 KRDC almost every SRS now & years ago used to be rare here. Had CBS News on the hour. (DN-CA)
- NY, Las Vegas 7/18 station & city ID popped out of the jumble during a sudden enhancement at 0600. Unable to connect with 1340 KRAM any other programming. (MAB-CA)

- CA, San Bernardino 7/11 "KCKC 13-50 on your dial, the voice 1350 KCKC of the Inland Empire" annot. at 0112 after playing Semper Fidelis as tribute to Oliver North. (MAB-CA)
- $\overline{\text{ND}}$ , Williston 7/7 0816 with NDSU farm news & ad for bank in Williston. No IDs, but sure it was them. Poor. New, first new station logged since not DX'ing for over a year. Easy to get 1360 ?KEYZ? hooked again with stations like this. (DN-CA)
- CA, San Jose 7/11 "There's John Denver on KEEN, San Jose" annotation of the song "Rocky Mountain High." Over unID SS 1370 KEEN station. (MAB-CA)
- CA. Sacramento 7/21 ad for Sears at 0713. Various comendy bits 1380 KSMJ to 0716. ID at 0716. (MAB-CA)
- (KCKO) WA, Spokane still dark as of 8/6 while in Spokane. (BH&NH-WA) 1400 KELY CA. Berkeley 7/16 clear ID under jumble at 0700, then sank
  - back into the mud. (MAB-CA)

    CO, LaJunta 7/23 solid copy ID at 0823, into song "Come Down
    From Your Ivory Tower" by woman singer in 40's style. Further
    listening wiped out by KGER-1390 s/on at 0830. (MAB-CA) KBZZ

  - KODI WY, Cody 8/5 0925 fair, battling semi-local KIGO. Long weather report, ID, ads, AP News at 0932. (TRH-ID)
    (C---) EC, Sparwood 8/7 1710 apparently not on yet. Not noted while in the area. (TRH-BC)
- 1410 KFMS NV, North Las Vegas 7/24 two IDs by DJ with intro to song by Ronnie Milsap at 2157. Ment. Las Vegas. Only 3 letter call given with finality accent on the M. No ment. of KFMS. (MAB) ("KFM" is their slogan. KFMS used only for hourly ID.--NH) +In good on top 8/10 with C&W 0643-0655 with "KFM" IDs. Logged
  - as call letter change here. (EN-CA)
    WY, Sheridan 7/14 0641 with ad for Golden Steer Restaurant in KWYO Sheridan then KWYO Community Calendar. Haven't heard this
- station for years. (DN-GA)

  <u>GA</u>. Fresno 7/23 mall music under nulled KALI at 0814. ID at 0816. (MAB-GA) 1430 KFIG
- $\frac{CA}{CA}$ , Riverside 8/3 0611 fairly good sigs under KVON in SS.(DN)  $\frac{CA}{CA}$ , Palm Springs 7/16 "This is the desert's Talkradio, KPSI" 1440 KDIF
- 1450 KPSI annet. at 0713. (MAB-CA) KEEP
  - $\overline{\text{ID}}$ , Twin Falls 8/21 per call to station, changing calls to KEZJ on 8/27. Will sim. AM with FM. (RW-CA)
  - (KSKR) MT, Whitefish 8/4 not heard in the Kalispell-West Glacier vicinity where it was strong in 1981 as KTXX. Unless this was
- a technical failure, they could be silent. (BH&NH-MT) CA, Salinas 8/3 0309 in good with big band style music. No trace of KTYM (maybe off). Unable to hear KENO. (GL-CA) NV, Las Vegas 7/9 "This is Stereo 14-60 K-E-N-O" ID at 0300 1460 KDON KENO
- followed by singing "Kee-No" ID, into news. (MAB-CA) WA, Mt. Vernon 8/21 per call to station, won't move to 660 kHz 1470 KAPS with 10kw/1kw for some time. "FCC still considering application"
- even though I show this a grant! (RW-CA)

  CA, Merced 7/9 "14-80 K-Y-O-S" ID at 0221. (MAB-CA)

  UT. Spanish Fork 8/4 0759 fair sig., bizarre format of Krishna 1480 KYOS KHQN talk, sitar music & vegetarian "propaganda." Often forgets to
- give legal ID on the hour. (TRH-UT1) 1490 KVAC WA, Forks 8/20 0259 s/off with full ID & SSB. New, WA #42.(JSM) WA, Kelso 8/18 0836 "K-L-O-G, your sports station" poor in the jumble. New, WA #41. (JSM-BC)
  CA, San Jose 8/3 0311 in fair with Honky Cat by Elton John.(GL) KLOG
- 1500 KHTT KSTP MN, St. Paul-Minneapolis 7/9 talk show host discussing Oliver North testimony with callers. Deep fades under KHTT. "KSTP St. Paul-Minneapolis" ID at 0156. "KSTP, AM-15 hundred" annct. at
- 0159 in connection with some station promo. (MAB-CA) CA, Ontario 7/9 0200 "This is KNSE Ontaric and Riverside" 1510 KNSE annet, by man in EE followed by woman anner, in SS. (MAB-CA)
- CA, Aptos 8/14 0719 Bruce Williams beginning his Talknet gabfest; not // KIPA-620. Poor to fair with respectable signal, 1540 KNZS local QRM. (5P-HI) +Heard easy daytime in San Jose with Sony ICF-6500W but not at all on car radio due to KKHI-1550 splash. At home  ${
  m KKHI}$  really
- tears them up. (DN-CA) MI, Portage 8/24 0613 Midas ad by female ending with "... in 1560 WHEZ Kalamazoo, "ID "Music of the 50's, 60's, 70's on your oldies channel, WHEZ." Per call, they are 4900 watts directional, on reduced power of 1kw when I heard them. (PM-OR) (Great catch!-NH)

1560 \*KFRS\* WA, Sumner 8/24 0353-0410 noted ET'ing weak-fair with relig. music, good ID on hour as "KFRS, Sumner, WA testing, testing 1,2,3,4,5...," called station at 0400, CE was ecstatic he was reard down this way. Gave address as P.O. Box 86, Sumner, WA

98390 for reports. New, not bad for 500 watts. (RW-CA) 1600 KMNY CA, Pomona 8/3 0313 in good with some fading with various financial reports. (GL-CA)

+8/3 0525 with financial news & UPI World News on half hour. They used to be simple back in the days when KGST was only 500 watts. (DN-CA)

CO, Lakewood 8/4 2308 good with Denver Zephers BB game. This

station & KBBX both cover ID, MT & AB at night. (TRH-ID) 1610 WNHN752 CA, Monterey 7/28 0200 noted with 90-100 sec. tape containing information about public transportation around & about Monterey, including the Wharf area; "new wave" background music. Identified itself as being licensed to the City of Monterey & transmitting from the Police Dept. at 351 Madison St. Not so good in hotel room in Monterey, but excellent up to

about a mile south of the two KIDD towers. (FT-CA) MT, Glacier Nat. Fark (St. Mary Entrance) 8/2 1900 noted sign TIS for TIS at east entrance to park. Usual tourist message. Not noted in 1981 visit, and not currently listed in Almanac. (PH&NH-MT)

TIS MT, Glacier Mat. Park (West Glacier Fritrance) 8/3 1900 similar TIS noted at west entrance, also not in Almanac. (PH&NH-MT)

UNIDs:

760 8/17 0802 faded up under KFME o/u CKQE with hymns, faded out before song was over. Highly suspect it was KJIM-00. Will try again next

MEM! (RW-CA) 7/23 0832 man with bulletin board of PSA's, with plenty of phone numbers, but faded out before giving ID!. Very poor. (5P-HI1) 950

970 Noted opera under classical KHYV & definitely not KYTE doing something unusual. Heard 8/10 0757. If I had to guess, it sounded something the CEC would do, but only possibles were eastern Canada and very doubtful at this time. Any ideas? (DN-CA)

Seems like it has been a long time since I typed the last WDXR. Hope everyone had a nice summer. The new DX season is beginning, so if you live in WDXR-land remember to send me your DX loggings. I've recently been asked exactly who can report to WDXR. If you DX in the Mountain, Pacific, Hawaiian, or Alaskan time zones you can report to WDXR. Let's hear from YOU! 0

# DX WORLDWIDE

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Once again it is my pleasure to resume editing DXWW-E: I would like to express my sincere thanks to Bill Harms in Bavaria for substituting for me while I was in MD and GA. But, as the DXWW-E herald shows, the Pittsburgh, PA address is once again in use, so disregard any addresses previously published. Again, thankyou Bill, and congratulations for producing such fine columns in my absence. I am looking forward to a good DXing season, especially if we receive the kind of support from eastern DXers that has made DXWW-E so successful in the past.

Two reports are already on hand for this edition. Robert Wein of San Jose, CA traveled to the southern flanks of Austria between July 11 and August 04, and has forwarded a summary of stations heard by himself during that time interval. Bob, welcome to DXWW-E and yes, by all means, send the additional details you mentioned you took notes on, unless the info is better suited for Paul's DXWW2 column.

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### IRANS-AILANTIC DX (Connelly-MA all)

765 SENEGAL, Dakar 0041 6/7 : Fair to good w/high-life style Afro. mx w/flutes & drumming. 855

SPAIN, 0356 8/11: Fair to good w/female (soprano) operatic vocal; WHDH phased.

882 CANARY ISLANDS, 0403 8/11: News by man in SS, dominant o/BBC.

891 ALGERIA, Algiers : Fair w/AA chanting on 6/7 @0030. +good w/chant, violins on 8/11 @0335. +noted w/a pop-style (European-influenced) AA vocal on 8/11 @2355.

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NORWAY, 0215-0220 8/11 : Kvitsøy strong w/19≎- old es '' Get Arouse Boo Wah
1334
        Diddy Diddy, others), then man in Norwegian. Atop (Spain?) SAH.
        SAUDI ARABIA, 0305 8/10 : Duba good (despite WSSH (ex-WMRE) 1510 "megapest") --
1521
        AA a-cappella chant.
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### (Connelly-MA all) PAN-AMERICANA D X

0048 6/7 : Good w/calypso mx o/WZON/WSKQ & Canaries-621 het. 620

<u>VENEZUELA</u>, 0046 6/7 : Caracas YVLL to good peaks w/Caracas area ads, jazz mx. t <u>BRAZIL</u>, 0042 6/7 : PP-sounding talk, in jumble. 670

760

BRITISH VIRGIN ISLANDS, 0039 6/7: Calypso in jumble. 780

800 NETHERLANDS ANTILLES, 0037 6/7: PJB Bonaire noted in passing w/PP talk, loud & dominant as usual. 825

 $\frac{ST_{\circ}\ K!TTS_{\circ}}{BRAZIL},\ 0036\ 6/7$  : R. Paradise excellent w/black preacher. t  $\frac{BRAZIL}{BRAZIL},\ 0033\ 6/7$  : Rio de Janeiro suspected w/''!'m Only Human' by the Human League. 860 then possible PP talk, (fading into ORM).
ANTIGUA, 0116 6/7: ZDK xint / dominant w/cal;pso & reggae.

1100

TURKS & CAICOS, 0100 6/7: Religious pgm originating in Florida, then ID "50,000 1570 watts ---- Atlantic Beacon', poor to fair in hodgepodge w/2 unID domestics and remnants of phased CKLM.

### REPORT FROM FELDKIRCHEN, AUSTRIA (Robert Wein all)

Dates: Between July 11 and August 04, 1987 Generally between 2300 and 0100 hours. Times:

S20	Frequency:	Station:	Signal Strength:
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Next time around we will have the conclusion of Robert's European bandscan, and hopefully some more reports. Please remember to use my "new" old address posted at the column heading. Good DX.

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(Connelly-MA)

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(DXing from Feldkirchen, Austria w/GE Superradio / no external ant.)

# DX Worldwide - West



PAT MARTIN P.O. ROX 843 SERSIDE, OR 97138

# Time: UTC phone (503) 861-3185

DEADLINES: 9/15, 9/29 10/6, 10/13, 10/20.

DX seems to pick up slightly and then drop off. It is now September and I hope we have a good one. I notice the high powered JJs are coming in fairly regular again on 693, 594, etc. We have some good reports this time, including a few goodies from Wick Hall-Patch and good Latins from John Wilkins/Shawn Axelrod. So on with reports:

### PAH-AMERICAN DX ROUNDUP

- 590 CUBA, Radio Reloj 5/14 0735 fair signals usual format of nx and time pips and RR on the minute. (SA-MB)
- MEXICO. Tijuana-XETRA-7/31 0512 ad for Waterbed City, and other S. California businessses then "Solid Gold X-TRA" slogan and into 690 oldies. Fair/good o/KVNA (ØW-CO)
- 740 CUBA, Radio Progresso, all signals fair to good on 7/13-0800  $\overline{\text{LA mx}}$ , ID by man-8/5 0850 LA ballads ID by woman, 8/14 0800 LA mx and Radio Progresso Cadena Nacional ID. (SA-MB)
- 760 CUBA, Guanabaco Radio Reloj 7/17 0326, fair signals with usual format, (SA-MB)
- 910 CUBA. Radio Reloj 8/14 0805, poor signals under CKDO with usual nx time pips format (SA-MB)
- CUBA, Radio Reloj 5/15 0750 good signals, usual format (SA-MB) 930 CUBA, Radio Reloj 5/14 0837 vy poor just audible in CDGX/KIYZ 940
- mess. (SA-MB) MEXICO, Cd. Juarez, Chih. XEJ 8/14 0304 Rancheras, numerous ads 970
- "Radio Hexicana" Fair mixing w/WDAY (ØW-Co) UNID. 7/17 0320 man and woman reading which seemed like ny in 1020
- $\overline{\rm SS}$  (SA-MB) (Maybe another Cuban? PM) ++++HEX1CO, Cd. Obregon, Son. XEOBS 7/28 0406 Monitored for 24 hours  $\overline{\rm 0406-0630}$ . No ads during this period, just Radio Mexicana" jingles 1070
- after each song, and a canned ID every half hour, giving call. Freq. power (IKW), address and city. Didn't Catch address, but everything else copied OK. About 90% sure of call. Generally weak under KNX during auroral cx (A-Index+40) This listed under 1370 KHZ in 1981 IRCA list. New XE#70. (ØW-CO)
  - \*+++ MEXICO. XECH-probably the unid RW reported in 8/87 DX Monitor. Apparently Heil Kazaross-San Diego monitored 1070. This was all the info I received from a message as I wasn't home at the time Neil called. Sorry I missed the call. So it looked like Robert
- Wien has two choices. Thx for the call Neil. (PM) MEXICO, Nogales, Son. XEHN 8/14 0258. Caught end of S/off,inst. 1130 NA, vy good dominant signal in semi-AU cx. (ØW-Co)
- CUBA. Heuva Gerona-Radio Reloj 7/17 0310 good signals and usual 1180 format (SA-MB)

- MEXICO, Ojinaga, Chin. XEOG 0326 S/14 Canned ID: "Desda Ojinaga Chihuahua, Mexico, creciendo para Ud. XEOG,La Voz Internacional" then TC for 9:30, ad for local tortilleria. Ranchera songs, ads PSAs past 0400 "Radio Ranchito" good at times o/u KVSF New XE#71 3rd XE logged on 1260. (ØW-Co)
- 1270 CUBA, Camaguay Radio Reloj 7/17 0315 poor signals usual format(SA
- 1370 MEXICO, Nogales, Son. XEHF 8/14 0448 Nortena mx, local ads. Fair at best in KGNO null. (ØW-Co)
- 1420 MEXICO, Cd. Juarez, Chih. XEF 8/14 0425 Ballads, vocals, etc. Slogan is "La Romantica" Good on peaks o/QRM (ØW-Co)

## TRANS-PACIFIC DX ROUNDUP

- AUSTRALIA, Brisbane-4QR 1247 8/12. Weak but //4920 w/woman singing Jazz. (NHP-BC)
- 639 AUSTRALIA, Coffs Harbour-2CS 1300 7/30 Pop mx, then "This is stereo 64, 2CS" and news. Fair w/somebody under it with mx
- continuing across the hour, 5CK? (NHP-BC2)
- 702 UNID, 1221 7/30 Two stations here I think, schmaltzy mx behind talk. It may have been a voice over 2BL. but there's no longer a SW // to check on. I can dream about a 2KWer in Western
- Australia, which I didn't read about until a few weeks later(NHP-2) 846 KIRIBATI. Tarawa T3Ki 0732 7/4 choral mx in 850 splatter, vy poer
- but // 14802 (NHP-BC1)

  664 PAUPA HEW GUIHEA, Madang 1156 7/4 vy poor w/man giving election results u/hum //4890 (NHP-BC1) (A good catch considering how
- poor cx have been.PM)
  1062 AUSTRALIA, Thursday Island 4TI 1253 7/30 Jazzy inst. //4920
- nil to fair. (NHP-BC2)

  UNIDS, Both of these channels showing two signals each at 1300
  5/19, but too weak to dig out any IDs. Someday I'll get them...

  Maybe. (NHP-BC)(That is strange those two do not surface for you to catch IDs. especially ZRPH and 4RPH are quite common with IDs down here. The others are more rare, but still are heard with IDs from time to time. PM)

## THANKS TO THESE REPORTERS:

- SA-MB SHAWN AXELROD-21 Knights Bridge Drive-Winnipeg,MB, CANADA R2M 4E7 R-70 and SW Horizons 3 foot loop

  NHP-BC NICK HALL-PATCH-1538 Amphion Street-Victoria, B.C. CANADA V8R 4Z6 Homebrew rx 3 foot box loop, ICF2010, Shortwires

  NHP-BC1 Dxing at Sombrio Point using Beverage 1000' at 270 degrees

  NHP-BC2 Dxing at Sombrio Beach using Beverage 1000' at 260 degrees
- NHP-BC2 DXing at Sombrio Beach using Beverage 1000' at 260 degrees 30HH WILKINS-4385 Hoyt Street #205-Wheat Ridge, Colorado 80033 R-390A, R-1000 4 foot box loop

# Continued from page 7, Radio Programming Notes

Note #1: This wins the award for silliest new format of the month, it's all positive motivational talk programs, interviews, etc., sort of like the cassettes one can purchase for outrageous prices. The people assembling this format also hope to syndicate it nationally - and they claim WWNN ("Win" - of course) is a Miami radio station, when its signal is abyssmal to the south! It makes the dozens of AM stations that gave up this month and started simulcasting their FMs seem insightful by comparison...

Proposed Station Sales (\* means check the format listings for more info)

KICT-550-KS, WPLP-570-FL (traded for WKIS-740!), WROW-590-NY, WKIS-740-FL, KUTA-790-UT (station currently silent), WHGH-840-GA (unbuilt CP), KIXI-880-WA, WPLA-910-FL, KWCC-930-MO, WGNT-930-WV\*, KTON-940-TX, KRHS-1000-AZ, WKBQ-1000-NC, WGEA-1150-AL, WWEE-1170-TN, WDAO-1210-OH, WIMK-1240-TN, WKBR-1250-NH, WBBG-1250-OH, WNBF-1290-NY, WOMP-1290-OH, WKAP-1320-PA, KXPO-1340-ND, KBBR-1340-OR, WNIS-1350-VA (WNIS's format will move to WRAP-850 Norfolk), KHAK-1360-IA, WLCM-1360-SC, KVYL-1370-OK, WATP-1430-SC, WSEL-1440-MS, KACY-1450-ID, KZZJ-1450-ND, KCNY-1450-UT, WINN-1460-IN, KSO-1460-IA, WCFR-1480-VT, KIKX-1490-CO, WJNL-1490-PA, WJXW-1530-FL

# Dismissed Station Transfer: WIZE-1340-OH

Not much chatter this month, so let's keep the column short and challenge Seattle to find a place for the leftover piece of page...73's.

What leftover piece of page? It was easier to rearrange your column!

Dale Park In The Vicinity Of Evanston, IL 60???

"All my bags are packed; I'm ready to go..." Well, by the time this hits the newsstands, I should be settled down and about to attend Northwestern University, home of the world-famous Mildcats football team (but hot in women's volleyball). Hence, the next column will be out in October so I expect lots of info about play-by-play networks in my mailbox by the deadline. Watch Page One or Two for my new address. Meantime, let's get the NFL Flagship/Network listings out of the way—

# NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE

930 720 550	WSB—GA WBEN-NY WGN—IL WKRC-OH	Atlanta FALCONS (50 about) Buffalo BILLS (10) Chicago BEARS (40+) Cincinnati BENGALS (30-40)	
	WWWE-OH+) WDOK-OH+)	Cleveland BROWNS (37)	Nev Chandler, Doug Dieken
	KRLD-TX <sup>3</sup>	Dallas COWBOYS (175)	Brad Schamm, Dale Hanson
UNAVA	AILABLE	Spanish (20):	
850	KOA-CO.	Denver BRONCOS (50)	Bob Martin, Larry Zimmer
760	KOA-CO <sub>4</sub> WJR-MI	Detroit LIONS (40-45)	
	WTMJ-WI	Green Bay PACKERS (55)	Jim Irwin, Max McGee
99.1	KODA-TX	Houston OILERS (25-30)	
1070	WIBC-IN	Indianapolis COLTS (13-16)	
810	KCMO-MO	Kansas City CHIEFS (50)	
1110	KRLA-CA <sup>5</sup>	Los Angeles RAIDERS (38)	Bill King, Rich Marotta
710	KMPC-CA	Los Angeles RAMS (32)	
1090	XEPRS-BCN <sup>5</sup>	Spanish (?):	
610	WIOD-FL	Miami DOLPHINS (36-40)	
1140	WQBA-FL	Spanish (?):	
94.5	KSTP-MN_	Minnesota VIKINGS (64)	
850	WHDH-MA'	New England PATRIOTS (38-39)	
970	WMLLA	New Orleans SAINTS (50+)	
1130	WNEW-HY	New York GIANTS (35)	
660	WNBC-NY)	New York JETS (1)	
770	WABC-NY)	New fork dels (1)	
610	WIFPA	Philadelphia EAGLES (40)	
1250	WTAE-PA+)	Pittsburgh STEELERS (40)	
96.1	WHTX-PA+)	ricispurgh simming (40)	
690	XETRA-BCN+)	Com Diago CHARCERS (II)	Lee Hamilton, Pat Curran, Jim Laslovic
91.1	-XETRA-BCN+)	San Diego CHARGERS (4)	Bee Hamilton, lat Cultum, Olm Basicvic
810	KGO-CA	San Francisco FORTY-NINERS (20)	Lon Simmons, Wayne Walker, Joe Starkey
710	KIRO-WA	Seattle SEAHAWKS (60)	
1120	KMOX-MO	St. Louis CARDINALS (50)	
104.7	WRBQ-FL	Tampa Bay BUCCANEERS (28)	
630	WMAL-DC	Washington REDSKINS (65)	Sonny Jurgensen, Sam Huff
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HOW TO READ: The first column has the flagship station and the Spanish flagship if used. The second column lists the team and network size. Announcers' names if known follow. The owner of broadcast rights is underlined unless noted. NOTES: 1. Syndicated by co-owned Tribune Radio Network. 2. Team owns flagships. 3. Syndicated by co-owned Texas State Network. 4. Syndicated by WJR Sports Network. 5. Bob Speck Productions owns rights. 6. KMPC produces and sells time for Spanish games. 7. Article lists old flagship 590 WEEI-MA in chart and WHDH in story. 8. Carries games if conflict on WABC occurs.

PARTIAL LISTINGS: Minnesota TWINS—600 KSJB-ND. New York METS—1260 WNDR-NY. San Francisco GIANTS—990 KHVH-HI. Chicago BEARS—1050 WDZ-IL, 1060 WRHL-IL\*. Dallas COWBOYS—990 KHVH-HI. Los Angeles RAIDERS—760 KGU-HI. San Francisco 49ERS—990 KHVH-HI.

JOCKEY SHORTS: On the national front, CBS airs 40 MTL games (barring a strike) this year, having outbid NBC. 16 of those games are on Monday nights, 8 on Sunday nights, 4 on Saturday, 2 on Thanksgiving, and 10 in the post-season. Main announcers are Jack Buck and Hank Stram, backed up by Pat Summerall, Jim Mantz, Jim Kelly and Pat Haden. "NFL Talk", a phone-in show with Nantz and Stram, follows each game. Brent Musberger and Jimmy Snyder do "NFL Preview" on Fridays. CBS also has the college Independence Bowl, John Mancock Sun Bowl, and Cotton Bowl...Westwood One's Mutual airs 16 NFL doubleheaders Sundays with Tony Roberts and Jack Ham, backed up by Joey Meyers and Jack Snow. Mutual also carries Notre Dame, 11 other college games, plus the All-American, Aloha, Sea World Holiday, and USFEG Sugar Bowls. Sister network NBC Radio claims the Liberty, Mazda Gator, Fiesta, Kose and Orange Bowls.

PLAYERS OF THE WEEK: <u>Broadcasting</u>, 3 Aug. 1987 via Pres. Karl J. Zuk, MY (you didn't have to ruin such a beautiful magazine!); Tim Hall, CA via ON.

I'm now off to that toddlin' town, my kind of town, Evanston (hi). I hope you'll support me in my location. Remember, without you, there would be no SportsCentre! See you in DXM. (Typed 31 Aug.)

IRCA VERIFICATION-SIGNERS COLUMN

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Deadlines: LAST FRIDAY OF THE HONTH - 8/28 9/25 10/30

(619)-426-3584 , 24h NSP COLUMN # 7: 7/31/87

FREO	CALL	SIGNER'S NAME / TITLE	ADDRESS			WHAT	WHEN	₩H(
560	WVOC	Andy Moore, CE	56 Radio Lane	Columbia, SC	29221	LM	10	71
586	CKAP	Mike Kristie Sandy Long. Off Mgr Michael Seguin, CE	24 Byng Ave.	kapuskasing, ON				
<b>62</b> 0	WRJZ	Sandy Long. Off Mgr	1515 Magnolia	knoxville, TN	37917	LB		
	WVET	Michael Seguin, CE	Box 520	Colchester, VT		L	.8	
630	KTKK	Stanley Bush, 6M Jack Maxton, CE	3595 S. 1300 West	Salt Lake City, UT				
690	KGSF	Jac+ Maxton, CE	Box 1087	Coffeyville, KS	67337	Ĺ	29	
720	KSAH	William J. Haberer, CE		Universal City, TX		LBM		
760	CKOR	6. A. Brad.	401 Columbia Ave.	Castlegar, BC	VIN 169			-
820	WBAP	Charles Staples, CE Bill Fletcher, CE	One Broadcast Hill	-	76103	LB		
840	HDME	Bill Fletcher, CE	620 E. Ward St.	Douglas, GA	31533	Đ.	54	
870	MHCU	Illegible . CE	Bax 69	Ithaca, NY	14851		448	
920	WMPL	Bob Olson, GM		Hancock PA		LB	230	
936	WENT	Gregg Elliot, CE	PO Box 1150	Huntington, WY	25713		22f	
940	WEPE		Bax 569	Houston, MS	38851		40	
960	KMA	Mora Plina CE	Day Enn	Shenendoan, IA	51603	OMB	В	
±030	K100	Bene Lane, Oper Mgr	409 Slenn Dr.	Folsom, CA	95630	L		RW/TRH
	KKIC	Patricia Brush, Bus Mgr		Blue Springs. MO		Ĺ	7 <del>1</del>	
1040	CIOF	Paul (???)	1199 ₩. Pender St.	Vancouver, BC	VAE 2R1			
	KKRE	Paul (???) Dan Hubbard. CE	Box 1385	Monument. CD	80132	Ĺ	- P	
1060	KGFX	Chris Hesla, CE		Pierre, SD		_	30	
1080	WEKS	Unsigned )	1147 Peachtree St.		30309			
		[ Good show, Ton '' I hear	they went silent right aft	er the DX test T	RH 1		٠.	
1110	WSLV	Bob Barnett	Bax 96	Ardmore. TN	38449	1.	9	JD
1170	KVOO	Larry White, CE	Box 1349	Tulsa, OK			9	
1210	KBYN	Larry White, CE Bill Garrett, Op Mgr	Box 130	Guyson, OK	73947	LH		
1270	WKBF	Frank L. White, CE	PO Box 247	Rock Island, If	A1204	i M	35-91	
1280	WPID	Sherry Kenndy, Tfc Mgr John R. Green, Mgr	Box "227	Piedmont, AL	36272	L		
1290	KLLF	John R. Green, Mgr	Box 4647	Wichita Falls, TX				
1310	WDCT	Dave Schweikart, Ngr	Box 1310	Fairfax. VA				
	WDOD	S. Parks Hall, CE	PO Box 4232	Chartennona, Th			16	
		E S. PARKS ???? SOUNDS	LIKE A PUN TO ME TRH 1					
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1370	MMGC	Michael Mc Culleen, VP/GH		Canton, MS				
1390	WFEZ	5. Lamar Johnson	PD Box 1414	Meridian, MS	39301	L	30	
400	KTNM	Karen E. Reed. Nx Bar		Tucumcari, NM		LB	f	
1410	KCLG	Larry Nation, Proo's Dir	335 Muncie Rd.	Leavenworth, KS	66048			
1430	WIRE	Kim Hurst, SE		Indianapolis, IN			9	
1520	WWKE		695 Delawere Ave.	Buffalc, NY		L		
1530		Kendall Burfey, PI	Box 219	Wagoner, OK	74477	LB	20	
560		Rick Wesley, PD		Liberty, KY	1 477 1		20 6	

WHA? was received: 0=05L card. L=Letter, P=Prepared card. Ln=not used as verie. B=Bumperstickers, M=Hap. WHEN did the reply zone: Mumber of days elapsed. If = Follow-up report ( or onone call ) was necessary. 

HELP WANTED: Does anybody have a signer for...

550 KEVR-ND (TL: 960 WELI-CT (TL: 1140 CKIL-AP (TL) 1570 WHII-MS (TL)

Tom also sent two responses to previous "help wanted" :tems... THANKS !!

1180 WHAM-NY John Hurst, prepared card. 1983 and 1560 MPAG-KV Edward B. Fritts, P/BK 1982. 

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Special weapone to first-time contributor TDM LASKONSKI from Indiana. In a few days, I'm off for 3 weeks vacation,

including the IRSA Convention in Pecris. See you next month ''

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