

SPEEDX
the dx radio magazine for active shortwave listeners

## EVEN <br> SUPER SPEEDX VOTES...



Hi folks, and bienvenido! Usually $I$ begin this column by giving you the list of new Full Members. Unfortunately, I cannot bring you that lis $t$ this month, as I am typing the column on the 16 th, and it still has not arrived! But I will try to print those names next month. Tnx for your understanding......

This month, we have 24 Terrific New Members to add to the SPEEDX ranks:

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A big SPEEDX welcome to all of youl Now, to become a full member, all you have to do is start contributing! Loggings, articles, etc. shou ld be in the hands of the editors by the 12 th of each month. Or, you can send all of your contributions to the SPEEDX Central Distribution Ed itor, "Perky" Peggy Thompson at: 2706 Alabama Street, La Crescenta, CA 91214. All material sent to Peggy must be at her QTH by the 6 th of the month. Whichever route you choose, your contributions will be helping all SPEEDXers! And finally... the New Member who contributes the most to the pages of SPEEDX, or is the first to earn Full Membership, will win a nice prizel Let's hear from you in the pages of SPEEDX!

A THOUGHT TO FORGET: Dieting is the penalty for exceeding the feeding Iimit!

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Summer down Lutz way has been a hot one, with our outdoor thermometer soaring to almost $100^{\circ}$ most every day. A common saying down our way is that Florida has two seasons....this summer, and last summer, hi. Thank goodness weather reports call for relief in a couple of days! We heve lots of material this month, including the final crop of BOD statements. I would like to say that
 3oth are gppreciated here, and I hope you will continue your great support of DXM, because it is you, and not me, who make DXM what it is. And now, without further chit-chat, I begin with election information...
** Let*s start by giving you the names of those who declined their nomination. As such, the following will not qppear on the election ballot: Bob Bodell, Robert Zilmer, and Terry Lindley. Now, onward to the statements...
**Don Johnson: My thanks to those who nominated me for the BOD. After declining the $1979 \& 1981$ nominations, due to the work load at cluo Hos, I have decided to seek a spot on the BOD once more. It appears $42 S$ duties will pass on and I hope to have the time to devote to this important position. Long time members know my track record w/SPEEDX. For newer members I have: Been on the BOD 6 years (1973-1979) four as President... Published the bulletin for five years... Edited or filied in on many column in SPEEDX...Been club EQS/ Business Manager-Treasure for ten years...etc.

As far as my hobby politics go, I would class myself as a moderate. I am for a steady orderly growth of the club, both in content and size. We have grown by 100 members each year since I have been involved with the ooeration of SPEEDX. The size and content of the bulletin has also improved. If elected, I will do my best to keep us going down the road of progress. I urge all Flis to take the time and a 906 stamp (or $13 t$ postcard) to vote. You have earned the right to select the folks that represent you through your contributions to the club. Use it! 73's fon
**Mike Chabaik: My TNX to those who placed my name in nomination, for a BOD position. During the oast few years, the SPEEDX bulletin has borne witness to the steady growth of its utility coluran. The large utility contributor following, olus an equal number of silent utility buffs, underscores a demonstrative need...

Nomely, that utility related matters should have a vocal representotive zmong the ranks of the SPEEDX S0D.

As your current utility editor, I believe that I can adequately be such a volce.

Overall, I would work with $30 D$ members, striving to further the SPEBDX goals, wile likemise insuring that utility matters, have an expressive proponent on the Board..... TNX \& 73 s gang.......

[^0]That's all of the election material. In the past two months, you have read the statements and ideas of the candidates. Now it is vour turn. If you* re a Full Member of SPEEDX, I urge you to vote, because the people elected will have a great influence on the future of our club...TNX...ds.

Since I'm running out of room on this page, I thought I'd briefly explain what DXM is all about to the new members. DXK is the HQS section of SPEEDX. Official information, etc. will gppear here. However, we also like to have a bit of humor, and if you have an quasing anecdote, then DXM is the place to send it. We try to have an equal balance of information and humor....

Radio Ops Blay Chess Worldwide: The ancient hobby of chess and the modern hobby of ham radio are now joined in an organization called CARI-Chess and Amateur Radio International. Enthusiasts in Europe as well as Australia and New Zealand are playing chess over the air, although most members are in the United States.

Jim Luciani, a 17-year-old ARO in Egg Harbor, NJ, played the first official CARI game with Mike Sakarias, of Goodnews Bay, Alaska, a remote Eskimo village CARI officials report.

Sakarias says, "Since coming to the Alaskan bush my chess playing has faded because there are not many opportunities for it up here. But there is lots of time for amateur radio. I am delighted that both hobbies should be brought together like this."

K1rk McM1llan of Christchurch, N.Z., recently completed a game with the CARI founder, Vince Luciani, also of Ege Harbor.
"Chess playing over the air is entirely different from over-the-board or even computer chess," says McMillan. "Playing an unknown opponent thousands of miles away, waiting for his best moves to come in all so mysteriously against your best strategy is hard to describe. It adds something quite new to chess which must be experienced to appreciate..." Thanks to Betsy Robinson of $\mathbb{T N}$ for forwarding this article from a recent issue of Grit Magazine...

Jason Borrl, who lives in the real LA, sends an update on GESP (the Guide to English SW Programs): GESP, published by Dan Ferguson, is now in booklet form, to be published bi-monthly, instead of in monthly issues. The by-time iist will be provided most of the time, with the by-country lists issued every so-often. The price for a subscription in the $U_{0} S$. is \$15. for six issues. If you're interested, then write to: P.O. Box 8452 , So. Charleston, WV 25303. Tell Dan DXM sent you!

And now, for the lighter, side of our hobby...here are a few items from that great ambassador of good will and humor...John Demmitt of Bellefonte, PA : Hear greater defination with the new deluxe 3-D radio. This unit comes with a red speaker for the right ear and a blue speaker for the left ear (sounds kinky to me, ds.). This unit can be yours. Just send your big bucks to gyp Enterprises, 100 Bunco Street, and wait and wait and walt for your 3-D radio to come. John, how 'bout sending a review to Technical Topics, HII! ds.

WANTED: XBROX, Hadio Duplicado in Mexico has run out of QSL's and requests holders of their cards to make copies and send them to XEROX so they may have a copy.

HELP WANTED: The Voice of America is seeking an announcer. Requirement, must speak s-1-o-w e-n-g-l-1-s-h....

SPEEDXer Dick Hull of WA sends word that Radio Norway is seeking No. American reception reports. Those of you interested should send your reports to the following address: Olav Grimdalen, FRQ manager Radio Nowway, P.O. Box 6701, St. Olav's Pl., Oslo 1, Norway. Tell Olav Dick Hull and DMM sent you! Dick also mentions that Radio Dermaris is currently unable to provide listeners with pennants, stickers, etc. Obviously another station feeling the crunch of world inflation!

And speaking of Radio Denmark, Todd Morsan of NC knew that "Herstedvester" is a small village west of Copenhagen. It is the location of Radio Denmark's transmitter. As such, Todd gets the Radio Dublin sticker. And now, the question Por the Sept. "Pen the Tail on Ye Editor," that new DX game show which is sweeping the codntry: The new SW station in Alaska has the callsign KNLS. What do the letters "NLS" stand for? First correct entry will get a SPEEDX bumper sticker.....

Wanna Buy SW Gear at a Discount (who doesn't!!): SPEEDXer Mark Murphy in NY sends word that East Coasters might try: Executive Photo \& Supply Corp, 120 W. 31st st., NY, NY; call 800-223-7323 for orders. Focus, in NYC (212-8717600); Capital Elect., 120 Duane St., NY, NY 10007 (212-233-5460); or Bi-rite Photo \& Elect., $15 \mathrm{E} . \operatorname{l} 30 \mathrm{th} \mathrm{St.}, \mathrm{NY}$,NY 10016 ( $800-223-1970$ for orders).

Word has reached this desk that the East and West Radio Club of the F.R.G. is going to hold their fifth annual International DX Contest. One task of the participants will be to listen to as many broadcasts from the Arab world as possible. Interested? Then write: EAWRC, c/o Hardy Borger, Eifelwall 46, 5000 Köln 1, F.R.G., including return postage or 1 IRC.

This month, thanks to Rick Drollinger, DXM has a third page, so on we gooooo:

Just when you thought it was safe to tune the A BO bands, John McDowell sends word that ARO station UK $3 K$ P, operated by Pravda, operates on CW on 14088 kHz (Sat, only) from 05 to 0530 and 0900 to 1000 GMT . They also operate on phone on 14182 kHz on Saturdays from 0600 to 0800 and 1030 to 1330 GmT . This via Radio Moscow's DX Program on 21 June, 1983.
U.S. Said to Consider 40 options if the Cubans Jam Radio Stations: Senior Reagan Administration officials have indicated to commercial broadcasters that they are considering a list of 40 options for retaliating against Cuba, including "surgical removal" of the transmitting antennas, if the Havana Gov't begins regular jamming of American radio stations, according to Congressional and broadcasting officials.

In exchange for a pledge by the National Association of Broadcasters to relax its vigorous opposition to Radio Marti, a proposed Administration propganda voice beaming from Florida, broadcasting officials were assured of $a$ range of options. These included "surgical removal of the offending antennas" or a cutoff of communications between Havana and Cuban troops overseas...

The options, Congressional aides and broadcasting officials say, have been mentioned in several meetings with Administration officials, including Thomas 0. Enders, Assistant Secretary of State for Inter-American Affairs. Participants in the meetings say no written policy was produced, but informally the options were mentioned to assure the Cuban interference would not be tolerated

Edward Fits, president of the National Association of Broadcasters, said he had been assured by Mr. Enters that "if you are with us, well help you," but Mr. Fits would not publicly confirm that Mr. Enders had mentioned bombing as a retaliatory measure. (Tn to Steve Camp and DXSF 31 for this...ds.)

Don Johnson (where have I heard that name before, HI!) sends word that a new publication called Tune in the World, A Listener's Guide to International Shortwave Radio is now available from Global Village Press. This book conthins profiles of over sixty international SW stations, which includes achedules, pictures of personalities and facilities. Also included is a brief technical introduction especially helpful to the new listener. All in all, it sounds like an excellent book! It is available from the above publisher at: P.O. Box 1345, Jeffersonville, IN 47131-1345. Also, if you en soy the SPEEDX UTE colum, then you will want to purchase the SFEEDX Reference Guide to the Utilities (SRGU). If you have not yet ordered your SRGU, then you may rice price info Prom Don Johnson at: 17770 Strickland Ave., Elsinore, CA 92330. Quite comprehensive, the SRGU is probably the WRTH of UTE listening!

FR3 (France Regions 3) is no more. According to SFEEDXer Philip Dampier, reception reports and correspondence to FR3 stations should now be sent to Telediffusion France (TDF), their new name. Phillip is also looking for people interested in becoming affiliates of station WDX-AM, a carriercurrent station that he runs. He will provide lists of program sources, plus news on how you can begin your own carrier-current station for a mere pitlance. Write Phillip at: 3176 Elwood Ave., Rochester, NY 146:8-2535.
Personal Notes From All Over: Our own CDE, Perky Peggy (who refers to herself as 'Ye Old CDE'-now I don't believe that, do you?) wants to thank Mr. A. Nonymous for the stamps he sent her way! "I am pretty sure 1 know who you are \& tho ' it is just a bit out of context, Luke 8:17 will do... "(3) Oh well, I don't think the smiley turned out as good as you wanted, Peggy, but I'll have to keep practicing! It would be nice if my Smith-Corona had a 'Happy Face Key, ' but unfortunately, it doesn't! HI!!

And now, the only typewriter in futz (hope it doesn't break) presents an excert from DXM 1977: The Passing of oranges and Lemons': Those of you who have been listening to the BBC in recent weeks may have noted that the station has changed its identification signal from the old English nursery -rhyme tune 'Oranges and Lemons' to a simple peeling of bells. Member Roger Peterson presumes that London has some good reason for the change...nevertheless, he feels a lot of old listeners are going to $m 1 s s$ that famous tune... Roger first heard it in France in 1944 in the farm house of a member of the French Underground who was helping him to escape to Spain after his B-17 had been shot down...and notes that tune brought hope to thousands of Frenchmen who were waiting for the Allied invasion...

Well folks, that ends DXM for this month. Let me remind you that my popular1 ty poll is still going on, so make sure to send in your list of favorite stations, personalities, and programs. Also, keep up those good contributeions! Couldn't have a column without them. And now, I bid a fond adios!

CRACKER COUNTRY: Does the Radio Peking name change mean we now have to eat "Beijing" Duck?
SPEEDX, P. O. BOX E, ELSINORE, CA 92330 USA

The SRGU is being released in sections as they are completed. The sections now available are listed below. Note that the prices include an attractive 3 -ring binder in blue w/SPEEDX logo on it. Measuring $7^{\prime \prime}$ x $9^{\prime \prime}$, this will hold the entire SRGU when it is completed. Future sections will be priced according to the printing and postage costs for the number of pages involved. If you are not a member of SPEEDX and wish to be informed when the next installment is released, send a SASE(or the equivalent) with your order to the above address.
Note that the binder is the major cost of your initial purchase. Future sections will cost about 2-4 dollars(in NA). Buyers overseas ONLY may purchase the SRGU w/out the binder, due to the extremely high postage costs to mail it.

## BASICS

Covers the basics of receiving the UTEs. A few of the topics covered are:what is a UTE?. ..what is to be heard?....the past....the future.....international call signs.....what is SSB? USB? LSB?....designators....propagation....

## MORSE CODE PRIMER

Ever wonder what those strange 'dit-dah-dit's are? This primer will tell you. And, how to start listening to these stations around the world. If you are getting started in CW or even thinking about it, this section will be very helpful.

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## PANORAMA

BULGARIA...Radio Sofia broadcasts in English daily to Europe and North America. Times to North America are 0000-0100 and 0400-0500 UTC and to Europe 0730-0800, 1930-2000, 2130-2200 and 2230-2330 UTC. Feature programs are: Mon ECONOMIC OUTLOOK, SPORTS ROUNDUP; Tue LIFESTYLE, AMONG THE PEOPTE(2nd, 4th weeks), CULTURAL OUTLOOK (1 st, 3rd weeks); Wed THE SOCLALIST WORLD OF TODAY, YOUTH CORNER, ACROSS THE MAP OF BULGARIA(1st, 3rd weeks), STAMP SLOT(2nd, 4th weeks); Thu MOSAIC OF FACTS ABOUT BUIGARIA, MIDWEEK MAILBAG; Fri FROM FRIDAY TO FRIDAY (program guide for following week), DX PROGRAM, LISTENERS CORNER(with News from the Science World, Nature Almanac, Hobby Time, Letter from Sofia); Sat TOPICAL STUDIO and POP HOUR(1st week), THE OLD TREASURE BOOK and CIASSICAL REVIEW (2nd week), TOPICAL STUDIO and BULGARIAN FOLK ( 3 rd week), THE OID TREASURE BOOK and SCANNING THE PAGES (4th week); Sun ANSWERING YOUR IETTERS, RADIO SOFIA MAGAZINE PROGRAM (with Walks and Talks, Sights and Sounds, in and around Sofia, Spectrum, Youth Magazine, Cultural Life). (Thanks to John McDowell, IL and William Thim, CT)

CEINA(People's Republic of)...Radio Peking has the following feature programs for September: 1--CUITURE IN CHINA (growing cooperation with foreign companies in film making); 2--THE LAND AND THE PEOPLE (a trip to Zhuang village); 3--MUSIC FROM CHINA(a look at Chinese stringed instruments); 4--LISTENERS IETTERBOX (railway system, airports); $6-$ TRAVEL TALK (Jinan, an ancient city if east China); 8--CHINA IN CONSTRUCPION(two major petrochemical works); 11--LISTENERS LETTERBOX (bicycles); 15--CUIIURE IN CHINA(the recording inđustry); 18-IIISTENERS LEMTERBOX (the national flower, bird and animal of China); 22-CHINA IN CONSTRUCTION(harbors under construction in Guangdong Province); 23--THE LAND AND THE PEOPLE (wedding customs of the Tu people); 25--CHINA ANTHOLOGY (The Grand Canal) and LISTENERS IETTERBOX (work of a Chinese police officer); 30--PROFILE (person born in the year People's Republic was founded). (Thanks to John McDowell, IL)

DOMINICAN REPUBLIC/NETHERLANDS ANTILIES. .. Radio Earth has retimed its broadcast to 0ट己O-0300 UTC Tue-Sun--stili on 11700 kHz . (Direct)
ECUADOR...HCJB broadcasts HAPPINESS IS, a daily program featuring HCJB staff, visitors and in-depth topics; can be heard to North America at 1230 UTC and 0430 UTC (last time not on Mon). (Thanks to Lyle M. Taylor, SD, John Demmitt, PA and Michael Moore, TX for the HCJB info)
EGYPT...Radio Cairo broadcasts to Europe in English daily 2115-2245 UTC On 9805 kHz . Fixed items are 2117 NEWS HEADLINES, ORIENTAL MUSIC 2120 FROM THE EGYPTIAN PRESS 2130 NEWS 2140 COMMENTARY (Mon-Wed-Sun) 2241 NEWS HEADLINES, ORIENTAL MUSIC, S/OFF. Feature programs are: Mon 2125 PHARAONIC TREASURES IN WORLD MUSEUMS 2145 ARABIC SONG 2150 YOU ASK...WE ANSWER 2205 THIS IS ISLAM 2215 ARABIC POETRY 2225 FAVORITE MELODIES; Tue 2125 HERE AND THERE 2140 SPOTLIGHT ON THE MIDDLE EAST 2150 ARABIC SONG 2155 CAIRO MAGAZINE 2215 TATES AND LEGENDS 2225 GREATEST HITS; Wed 2125 QUIZ TIME (Part 1) 2145 ARABIC SONG 2150 RECEPTION REPORTS 2200 QUIZ TIME (Part 2) 2205 ABOUT ARABIC BOOKS 2215 AL AZHAR: BEACON OF ISLAMIC THOUGHT 2225 MUSIC AROUND THE WORLD; Thu 2125 THURSDAY TALK (political) 2140 EGYPT AND THE PALESTINE CAUSE $\frac{T h u}{14} 5$ ARABIC SONG 2150 MEETING IN CAIRO 2205 TOURISM IN EGYPT 2215 SCIENCE IN EGYPT 2225 OUR MUSIC...OID AND NEW; Fri 2125 ISLAMIC PAGES 2140 POINT OF VIEW 2145 ONCE AGAIN ON AIR 2205 CAIRO CHRONICLE 2215 ISLAMIC CUIMURE IN EGYPT 2225 DOWN MEMORY LANE; SAt 2125 CITY OF THE THOUSAND MINAREIS 2140 EGYPTIAN PUBLIC OPINION 2150 ARABIC SONG 2155 STAMP COLLECTORS CLUB 2205 NANES MADE FAMOUS 2215 WORID OF THE PHARAOHS / 7 C. 2225 CEIEBRATED EGYPTIAN SINGERS; Sun 2125 SUNDAY TALK (cultural) SStari ARABIC SONG 2150 LISTENERS MAIL 2205 THE KORAN 2215 HISTORY 2225 ALBUM.

HUNGARY...Beginning this month, Radio Budapest presents a new style topical program, which will include news, commentaries, a press review, current affairs, reports and topical events that will be aired from Mon to Fri at 1600 and 0200 UTC... Simultaneously with the start of the Topical Events program, RB will continue to air Listener Participation features at 0930, 1050, 1430, 2000 and 0100 UTC on weekdays, a repeat of the previous day's program on Sat at 0930 and 1430 ; also on Sat, the Listener Participation program can be heard at 1600, 2000, 0100 and 0200 UTC; and on Sun, tune in at 0930, 1600, 2000 and 0200 UTC. RB will continue to present SPORTS PANORAMA on Mon, with STAGE AND SCREEN, BOOKS AND MAGAZINES and MOBILISATION AGAINST APARTHEID as integral parts of the program schedule. Some of the Listener Participation features are TABLED FOR DEBATE, WHAT YOU SAY, CALLING DXERS AND RADIO AMATEURS, TEN IS THE TOP, MASTERS AND THEIR MUSIC, POP INN, GUEST SPOTS, RAPID REQUESTS. (Betsy Robinson, TN; Larry Talbot, WI;
MONACO...Trans World Radio, Monte Carlo broadcasts in English beginning at 0725 UTC daily on 7160 kHz . REVIVE YOUR HEARTS is heard daily at 0725, followed by BACK TO THE BIBLE on Mon-Fri at 0730; on Sat Jou can hear THE SACRED PAGE at 0730, while Sun features A VISIT WTTH MRS. $G$ at that time, followed by JANZ TEAM at 0745 . At 0800 UTC, the frequency switches to 9493 --where we'll pick up next month. (Thanks to Dirk Zimmermann of West Germany and Chris Stark of NB for this sked)

NETHERLANDS...Radio Netherlands has issued their new program schedule. The folder is in all languages broadcast by RN rather than the specially printed schedules for each language. English feature programs include: Mon THE MONDAY REPORT; Tue TALKING TO(interview); Wed THE WEDNESDAY REFORT; Thu NEDIA NETWORK; Fri THE FRIDAY REPORT; Sat SHORTWAVE FEEDBACK; SUn HAPPY STATION. Free copies of the schedule are available /from RN. (Direct)
SPAIN...Sat Eaglish lineup for Radio Exterior de Espana: SPAIN AND ITS MUSIC, PRESS REVIEW, NEWS, SPORTS ROUNDUP, GETTING TO KNOW SPAIN; SUn features SPECIAL FEATURE, RADIO CLUB, HIGHLIGHTS OF THE WEEK, NEWS, SPORTS ROUNDUP, DX PROGRAM. English is broadcast to. North America in one-hour transmissions beginning at 0000, 0100 and 0530 UTC on 9630 and 11880 kHz . (Thanks to Betsy Robinson, TN)

UNITED ARAB EMIRATES...UAE Radio in Dubai broadcasts in English at 0330, 0530, 1015 and 1615 UTC. Programs include a frequent MAILBAG feature, as well as programs on Arab history, culture and arts. A NEWS BUITETIN is also featured during the half-hour broadcast. (Fred Johnson, IL; Thomas McKeon, IN; John Demmitt, PA)

ANARC 183...The Untold Story
Last month you read a report by John Trautschold on the 1983 ANARC Convention, held July 15-17 in Rosslyn, VA. Here are some random observations on happenings during the weekend: Friday afternoon featured equipment exhibits and displays from clubs and stations. A wine and cheese reception on Friday night gave conventioners the opportunity to meet one another........ Saturday's seminars were well-attended--in fact, the first one featured an overcrowded room with no microphone system. When RCI's Ian McFarland asked if those in the back of the room could hear him, a voice from the audience exclaimed "What you need is a relay station!" ........A near riot developed near the end of Joseph Costello's talk on WRNO's shortwave history. Mr. Costello announced that he had some WRNO bumper stickers to give away at the podium. The sound of shifting chairs echoed through the convention hall, and, when the talk ended, the pandemonium which followed reminded one of an after-Christmas sale in a department store........Sunday's HAP Auction was a wild and woolly affair. Auctioneer Sam Barto skillfully extracted over $\$ 2,200$ from those in attendance for the benefit of the Handicapped Aid Program. Pennants from shortwave stations were very popular, with some pennants drawing bids approaching $\$ 30$. Station $T-s h i r t s$ mere also popular items. Of course, there were also RNZ cuff links, RFI cards and an ESPN frisbee. If you missed ANARC' 83 , you missed a good time! (WWS) CUN 30

## Technical Topics

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READER RESPONSE: Many thanks to many of you who have sent in information on various bits of gearl Thanks especially to Koji Yamada of Tokyo, Japan for the information on the new SONY ICF-7600D alias ICF-2002. Price of this in Japan is $¥ 46,800$ 。 (Figure it out with the current exchange rate for the Japanese Yen.)
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NEW PANASONIC RF-B600 Another direct entry digital receiver from NationalPanasonic. Covers spectrum in 4 "bands": $150-420 \mathrm{khz}$. (Why not to 550 to include the maritime bandsl), $520-1610 \mathrm{khz} ., 1.6110-29.9999 \mathrm{Mhz}$, and FM 76108 Mhz . (Note SW reading out in $\mathbf{~} 1 \mathrm{mhz}$. increments.) Can be tuned both by direct access keypad or a rotary knob on the front of set. (Two tuning speeds) Set will band scan or scan pre-programmed memory channels. (nine memory channels available)t Has combination battery condition/"S" meter: Two bandwidths of selectivity. (Unknown widths, as my Japanese is rather poorl I CAN read a little, but not much.). Apparantly uses two sets of batteries: 4.5 volts for memory and 8 "D" cells for radio power as well as capable of operation from 12 v . external source. Selectable SSB reception is provided for. Set measures $376(\mathrm{~W}) \times 122(\mathrm{H})$ I 291 (D) (MM dimensions) $14.8^{\prime \prime} \times 4.8^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{X}$ $11.5^{\prime \prime}$ English dimensions. Weighs 11.9 lbs. or 5.4 kg . Built-in whip antenna, flip foot, and carrying handle. Maybe this might be a winner from Panasonic, who has had a few "design" problems in the past. Looks good anywayl Japanese priceı¥ 128,000 .
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UNIVERSAL AMATEUR RADIO, INC., 1280 Aida Dr., Columbus, Ohio, 43068 has a RTTY interface capable of reception of virtually all types of commonly used RTTY transmission, INCLUDING TOR/SITOR/AMTOR, bit inverted Baudot, ASCII and CW modes. The INFO-TECH M-600A decoder sells for $\$ 799.95$. Requires a video monitor and can be adapted to serial printers (RS-232/MIL188 levels) or a Centronics parallel standard. Has loads of features too numerous to mention here. Particularly interesting is the "bit inversion" that is used in some enciphered transmissions that this machine is said to be capable of deciphering. For more information, write to SPEEDXER Fred Osterman, SWL Dept. at address above. Tell him you saw it in SPEEDX!
++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++ AUDIO NOTCH, BANDPASS FILTERS: Are sometimes very useful in SWL receiving applications. One use for a notch type filter, is to get rid of unwanted "hets" or whistles that are caused by the carriers of adjacent stations "beating" with each other. Bandpass or rolloff type filters can be very useful in reducing noise (which mostly resides in the higher frequency spectrum) and enhancing voice readability (with some reduction in fidelityd) Various forms have been marketed by Gilfer, MFJ, and others that will make a difference, especially in the "Utility" bands where you are sometimes greeted with a variety of QRM. (More on this, later issue.)
++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++ BASIC PROPAGATION Program for Sinclair $2 X-81$ or $T S-1000$ computer is available from the Editor above. This is a menu driven program for determining the "MUF" or maximum usable frequency for a particular propagation path. All that is needed is a 16 K TS -1000 computer and data transmitted by WW at 8 mins. past the hour to determine Sunspot number, latitude/longitude of each end of the path. Printout $\$ 2+$ SASE, cassette: $\$ 6.95+\$ 1$ post \& packing.
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## SEPTENBER 1983

Well, we had a close call this month. Lest week, I was admitted to the hospital, suffering from a severe case of the stomach flu. It was a good thine it hit me now when it did, or you might not be reading this now! I'm feeline fine now, so all is back to normal.

We are begiming to see a few reports on the new Alaskan religious station, KNLS. They sean to broadcast mainly in Hussian and Chinese, but some Bhglish has been reported. As one might expect, signal quality has been poor, since the transmitter is so far north, and they aren't beaming into the lower 48 states. The address is P.0.Box 473, Anchor Point, Alaaka 99556.
Once again this month, we only have 7 paces to play with. Hopefully we'll get our 8th page back when the X picks up. I got a letter from Cam Huffaker in Mexico City, advising us to keep our radios tuned to Honduran frequencies. With all the American personel in Honduras, some stations just might atart including some hoglish programs. Sounds good to me!
Many of us W/H IXers have run accross pirate atations advertising loop telaphone numbers from time to time. Did you ever wonder just what those acrery loop mmbers were, or how they worked? Well, check out the August 1983 issue of Poprilar Communications, pages 21-23. There is a fine article on phone loops you should read. Despite mome nogative connents by some, I think Popular Commoications is a ereat publication, worthy of jour attention. Give it a try if you haven't already.
Well. I don't have too much more to say, so I'd better stop wasting lines. So, here we go with.
ABCBNTINA
60600507 Re Nacional, excellent px of Andean nrx, IDs, and into very modern orchestral $\operatorname{mx} 0519$ (454 7/10 Huffaker MEX)
117100100 RAS ES, biog. of Bolivar, ro, "Getting to Know Arisentina", mx of Arcentina ( $555,7 / 24$ Hall WA): $/ / 15345$ (444 7/12 Stanley AZ) +2

BOIIVIA
3310
0110 R. San Miguel, $O M / Y \mathrm{~m}$ w/apparent variety px , ment of "R. San Kiguel" at 0120 and 0126 . Het de RTMY but strong sifg otherwise (fr 7/10 Parics FIL)
49450046 R. Illimani, px on LA revolutionists and revolutionary mx (YJ), ID over chimes at 0100 ( $4447 / 24$ Huffaker MEX)
50310050 R. Cuarto Centenavio, long tlk by OM, ID by oM at 0102 as Madio FL) (Cuarto?) Centenario, Tupiza", ad jingles, T-storm QRN (pr 7/18 Parks

## $\frac{\text { EBAZIII }}{3235}$ <br> 3235

0016 R. Clube, Marillia, EZL mx , w/even a few Knas tunes thrown in! Poor sig, but got full ID at 0130. Plenty of ads (pr B/8 Cereghin MD)
33650000 Re Gultura, good OM ID at 0000. Usual type of Braz pops. Batter sig by 0105 re-check ( $p$ r/fr $8 / 8$ Cereghin MD)
3375
0200 K. Nac. Seo Gabriel, Braz slo-bailads. Fuil OH ID at 0200, into amnts and brief local mx, plus a few ads. Het and GRN ( $\mathrm{fr} 8 / 12$ Cereghin MD )
47651020 Re_Nac. Cruz do Sul, ID, Radiobras ID. Ad/PSA for Telebras (phone company). TMk, sambas. Practically covered by Cubam Mayak (322 7/30 Mahoney FL) ( 322 8/9 Brenesal FL)
47750258 A Voz de Oeste, Arn and Braz EKLI IXx, ID w/sta jingle at 0315. Ads for Cuaiba businesses. Some RIITY QRM. Noted on 5032 on 7/29 at 0020 (fr 7/7 Parks FL)
48050155 Rdfado. Amazonas, non-stop Braz pops, TC, full ID by OM at 0200. Strong co-freq RITY QRM (pr 7/12 Farks FJ)

That's all for this page... who are you voting for in the BOD elections?

| EMUBOE - oontinued |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 3280 | 0113 | LY del Napo. rx and discussion of CA situation. ID at 0117 (T/12 Euffaker Mixx) : 0206, thent (pr 8/12 Geroghin ID) |
| 3325 | 0405 | Ondas quevedenag, Lfan ballads, TGe and IDs at 0407 and 0414 (between two UIEF) ( 333 7/12 Huffaker lixx) |
| 3381 | 0330 | H. Iride allightly stronger audie than R. Mara-3275. Latin mx, M type, some upbeat vocals. WHPH lista freq as 3380 (but what's a kilohertz or two between friends? fc) OM anncx, fast Ins. Some atmospheric crashes to 19 ( 333 7/16 inarosiers MA) |
| 3395 | 0429* | B. Zaracar long s/off routine $w / \mathrm{TCs}$ and an annt for a teachers meeting, $\overline{H A}$ (exc sig, but audio distorted on modulation peake) (444 7/11 Hurfaker MEX) ( 333 7/16 Desrosfexs MA) |
| 4792 t | 0445 | Sistema de Enis. Atalava, Lim ballads (no andino), run by an alnost inaudible Ofo Foisy and brardened w/incr. CW GRM (212 7/10 Schleainger TX): 0944 ( 444 7/26 Huffaker MEX) |
| 4820 | *0853 | Re. Pazy Hien, soft mix (to wake up to) into ID and NA at 0902, followed by siked of joc for the day ( 443 7/26 miffaker MBX) |
| 4870 | 0255 | R. Rio Amazonag, bailads relg tilk by OM. Ftall ID by cal at 0301. NA, 0304*. Bursts of CW QRM (fr 7/25 Parke IL) |
| 4911 | 0307 | Fm. Gran Colcmbla, ports, ID at 0311 (including BaN ID) rax-almost unintelligable due to bad modulation (432 7/12 Huffaker MEX) |
| 5015 | 0306* | Budiofonicas Populares de Ecuador, Inm mx w/lots of ads between selections. ID $\mathrm{w} /$ Andean max by YI (note name which differs from previous Iisting) ( 343 7/26 Huffaker MEX): 0150*, Moyabaribe on freq (Ed 7/11 Rukik FL) |
| 5025t | 0310 | Be. Solendit, ballads, maynos, patriotic mx in honor of Simon Bolivar. K amer. ID was not given "R. Splendit" but QuId given as Cuonea, so presume come kind of network feed. Heavy QPM de het at 0330 ( $\mathrm{fr} / \mathrm{g} \mathrm{d}$ 7/25 Pexics ${ }^{(514}$ ) |
| 5050 | 1003 | Jenus del Gran Poderf, relg ax (Jeaus del Gran Poder), ID and NA at 1006, Biblical reading $w / \operatorname{mxx}$ (444 7/26 Huffaker MEX) |
| 6095 | 0530 | HCJB KB, OM mes "reflections" on past veeks nxs relg message; ID and midil address at 0545 (some het) $(4347 / 31$ Preston CA ) (Krist VA) +2 |
| 9745 | 0210 |  |
| 15115 | 1311 | EGTB, EE, "Bible For You", "Yorning in the Momtains"。 Songe and mx, item on what one values in life ( $3537 / 26$ Krist VA) |
| 15155 | 0230 |  |
| 15250 | 0030 |  |
| 17885 | 2230 |  Lenglois GA) |
| 17890 | 1427 |  |
| CAMCuAD ISTANDS |  |  |
| 3958 | 1112 | FIBS, EFS, BBC nx, FTBS ID, 7:19 AM TC- Garlie's day off. I seem to have a $50 \%$ chance of hearing them if I stay up this late ( $3337 / 23$ Lucas GA): 1000, (222 6/8 Scheel IA): ARO QRM, 1011 (222 7/8 Schlesinger ITX) |
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| CALARECS TSGAKUS |  |  |
|  |  | IF de Calaragey, long meld s/orf amnt asid NA (433 7/26 Huffaker MESX) |
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| CUYANA |  |  |
| 5950 | 0840 |  Guyana Proadcasting Comp. Onmmel $3^{\prime \prime}(4337 / 29$ Getzel NX) |
| FABAGUAZ |  |  |
| 9735 | *0958 | fr. Ma de Paractany, lotr of Iatin pop mix. Flenty ID. DH GRM at *1055 (555 7/15 Card RI)(222 8/9 Hrenesal Fi) |
| P6, |  |  |
| 4755 | 0909 | In Monte- ? , huaynos, TCs and IDs every 5 min . (I hear the ID as "de Peru" instead of "dos mill", but w/the QBN, I can "t ibe sure) (343 7/24 Huffaker riz) |
| 4762 | 0455 | He Inca de Perur, full ID at 0500, gave studio location as "T?? 2469, Eifma, Peru" (343 7/9 Huffaker MRX) |
| 4790 | 0200 | H. Atlantidg, lots of tik I can't understand, positive ID at 0202 (343 $7 / 18$ Card RI) |
| 4825 | 0107 | WY de la Selva, pr of Minsica Joven"(not pops, but LA ballads) (you fould think that those young people would go for the pops over the ballads..jc) ID at $0130 \mathrm{w} / 7 \mathrm{C}$ ( $3337 / 9$ Hioffaker NHX) |

    more. . . PFRTU. . .
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sevempas, two $0 M \mathrm{w} / \mathrm{long}$ discussion, politics or current events, several mentions of R. Pampas. Full ID at 0250. Week UTG het, finally KO'ed by R. San'a (Yemen ART jc) carrier around 0255 (pr/fr 7/28 Parks FL)
$48600147 \frac{\mathrm{R}_{0} \text { Chinoharcocha, }}{7 / 11 \text { maffaker MLX }}$ ) soft ux, ID at 0229 (cut up by local UTEs) ( 343
4910 ns 0325 ․ㅗ Valera, just caught ID as, "Few bars of Ave Maria, then simulated CW...Fate es Radio Valera, Raxapoto, OAFPK", then noticas w/mention Tarapoto. Relieve this is new name for R. Vision listed on 4915 in WRIM ( pc 7/20 Parks FL)
0000 B. Madre de-pios, rery weak and down in the mud at local sunset. IAm slominstrumentals. Rapid-fire OM ID. No QRM, moderate QRN (vpr 8/14 Cereghin MD): 0131 ( 343 7/25 Haffaker MEX)
6/26 Huffaker MEX)
49750332 R. del Pacifico, rele wr, ID at 0340 (umusually good sis tonight) ( 444
50150900 B. Moyabamba, typical mas guitar, men yellinge entimusiastically. Bad het. Another Sp. OM under it ( $4238 / 9$ Brenesal FL)

50450320 as "R. Andes" at times (444 7/24 Huffaker MEX) Huffaker MEX) Re Amazonas, upbeat Iatin vocals (only some of them Andean), enthused talks by CM DJ w/frequent IDs. Iots of taped promos and jingles, too. Semed to use "A taste of Honey" often as a musical there. Rather weak from 0250 to 0322 trme-out, but much better on recheck 0438-0503*. Some fun stuff noted at 0322: after ID by Of, for same reason played instrumentals of "Happy Birthday" and "For He's a Jolly Good Reliown! CK..: At 0500, complete ID by OM w/call as OAXBX, choral NA, some gort of brief shout by a group of people (1), and off at 0503*. My first solid log of this one, and definitely best reception ever. (232/ 333 7/9 Gmmingham OH ) (whew l. .jo)
$1110 \frac{R_{0} \text {. Yac de Pern, political speeches on Simon Bolivar armiversary. ID }}{1130}$ at 1130, QRM de umid on 6095, sane QSB by 1130 (fr 7/25 Parks FL) : Carl Huffaker Thed it as "R. Nac 1080 (MN relay? jc), but also heand "R. Nac de Perru" IDs. (I guess they do relay their 1080 MN outlet, al though it's listed as inactive in the WRTH jc) (343 7/26 Haffaicer MEX)
67250203 H. Satelite, mentions towns in Peru and Fcuador. Local mx, ID at 0220 ( 232 7/27 Robichaud NB)
 of Peru. Weak and out by 1005 (7/23 Lobiell MA)
R. Occidente, heavy QRN masks ads. TCs, LAm mx (222 7/27 Gilster MC) +1 LV de EI There, weak sig fading in and out of blegnd, could not pull ID, ad for "Shper Radio en El THere" at 0251 (242 7/9 Huffaker MEX)
 233 Desrosfers MA)
 geveral times-(MN in Valencia)-which evidently originated pre (443 6/30 品ffaker MIRX)
8/1 Gilster NC)
$4800 \quad 0045 \quad$ Ren $_{*}$ Iara, mellow vocals on a Sunday evening. TC, the usual patter ( 232
$48300910 \frac{\text { R R Tachira, }}{\text { Hancock AL }}$, variety local nx, IDs ( $2228 / 2$ Hotaling NV ) ( $3337 / 25$
48400759 Hancock AL): 0240 ( $4437 / 14$ Huffaker MEX)
$49001020 \begin{aligned} & \text { Go Jurentud, real nice mir pgm. Strauss walties, Sousa marches ( } 333\end{aligned}$ $7 / 25$ Hancock AL)
Degrosiers MA)
497000400 En Prmbos, IAm mix, an ID and tik ( $3447 / 30$ Preston CA) ( $3437 / 10$
96200100 Rdif Nac de Venezuela, YI/OM, Latin rax, ID ( 444 6/22 Langlois GA) 060 Be fumbos, CM amar, IDs, Lim vocals (444 7/22 Thampson CA)

## 0 ONTDENTIPTEDD <br> 3260 <br> 0215

UNID, too strong for the only Latin listed here, IV del Rio Carrizal, Bouador, at a measly 250 watts, unleas they've increased power. Soccer (atch, Or armar, but no. $\mathrm{ID}_{0}$ Maybe even a new station? (pr 8/12 Ceraghin MD)
6050
0030 UNID, retey to $I D$ be of $7 / 26$ at $0100 \mathrm{cMP}, 2 \mathrm{OM}$ in debate, long praises , sounds taped. Hiss in backround, read ilst of names. R. National?? Corld be HCJB but prog. does soumd like their to 0145 GMT. No ID hrd (of course, the best way to ID HCJB is to listen for their 'V' time sigrial at the top of the hour jc)-oops ! both logs were in SS! jc (444 7/27 Desrosiers MA)

NOFIH AND CENTRRAL AMERICA, PLUS THB ISLANDS.
ATASKA- remember, AIagkn is a seperate radio country I Full EF ID was hrd at 1030. They gave the halifhour pr in RR (religious) 473, Anchor Point, AX 99556. ID in RR by YI and (or) CM was hrd at 0958, 1031, and 1127. They play Glen Millers old song "In The Mood" during or right after the ID. At 1158 alosed off 11820 and went to 9680. 11820 had a fair-to-poor sig $\mathrm{w} / \mathrm{some}$ QRM from TWR when they S/O at 1115 on 11815. 9690 was very weak here in MA, but prehaps in the west and midwest (and north jc) it might be easier copy (Welch MA) *0900, "Chariota of Pire" theme till 0900:30. Fis ID: "Radio Station KNIS.a.begins its broadcast day. Station KIILS is owned and opereted by...According to the Federal Communications Cormission, HNLS

- broadcasta with a power of 100,000 watta ahortwave from Anchor Point, Alaska, United States of America. "(232 7/27 Cunningham OH): 0911
 alogan, $\mathrm{HR} / \mathrm{EF}$, TWI/ Homaire splatter (fr 7/26 Packs FL) (Well, eome good reporta. This one will be tough here on the East Coast, but Weatoners should fare better, as should Canedians" The best time to look would be when the A-Inder drops, and you can tell when that happens by 1 istening to WWV propagation forcasts at H+18 minutes. I have yet to hear them around 1800 or so, bat I have yet to try around 1000. j0) Canada, McDonalds. ID as CFCF ( 444 8/4 Bingham MA)
60700335
GFin Toronto, ER, Music to Midnite" (333 7/9 Fisher WI)+2
EBC Relay, EFF, "Sports Houndup", world nx, culnty on Beazil's economicproblens ( 454 7/10 Krist VA)
$8 / 3$ Bingham MA) +1
61300420 GinX, Halifax, EHG, beseball scores, ID, song, "Dust in the Wind" (444
$6160 \quad 1010$
61950400
9590
9755
2345
0100
0600
2132
Ti. H, mx, info on Africa ( $3441 / 30$ Manning ix)
1715 CBCNOSE, Bakimo, OM rx, //9625 (453 7/15 Fraser MA)
$\begin{array}{rr}11720 & 1715 \\ 11945 & 2129\end{array}$
119600645
152601601
 BBC Relay, प\#F, "Hadio Newsmeel" (454 7/20 Dearobiers MA) (Traver CA) DH Rolat. SS, TD. This station is: one bis source of QRM for TPA1, Filac de Paragray (but let's be fair... itlac is a big source of QRM for IW, tool hil jo (555, 7/15 Gaxd RI) IW Helay, SS, OIf, popular rax. Nx at 0000 , ment Cuba ( $444 \mathrm{~B} / 4$ Traver CA)

ㄹ. Belize, Kgs, and of oprea pem, then US country music (yeah1 jc). $0500^{*}$, prayer, NAT QSQ, tech info ( $4348 / 8$ Scheel IA)

CKXAN, St. John's, RE2, world CBC wx, local me, wx, "This is CBC radio in Nerformaland" (323 7/29 Getzel NY)
EBC Relay, EE, "Moridian", exhibita of paintings ( $5547 / 14$ Fraser MA)
HCI. EK, "Maili bag" (444 7/11 Langiois GA) (444 8/1 Engilish IXX) +2

H. Japan on same freq ( $433 \mathrm{~B} / 5$ Traver 0A)
$\begin{array}{rr}9790 & 2132 \\ 11720 & 1715 \\ 11945 & 2129 \\ 11960 & 0645 \\ 15260 & 1601\end{array}$

ECI. KEL, IXX ( 544 7/4 Tinofee FFiK)
BBC Relay, FHE, nx, America mupplying Chad and South African border
controls. Ger ccaposer Geo. Vaughner (433 7/25 Fhgilish TX)
I forgot RGI 9555 in RR at 1645 by Minofeev IRG.. Borryl jc
I'm going to try something new, by movinig ChaNDESTINES after Canada, and PIRATES after
Nicarasua. Clandestines will include politioally-motivated atations, while Pirates
will inalude hobby pirate日. After all, it makes sense to put them in alphabetical
order, and seperate the two types of stations, in my opinion. Iet me know what you
think. jo

| 50 | 0230 | B. Venceremos, SS, ID at 0245, usual oratory by $0 M / \mathrm{YL}$ w/inspiring max in backround. No te- 6650 at 0230 , at 0242 jumped to 6675 - at 0246 , bacic to 6650 ( $2327 / 5$ Jones IXX) |
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| 6686a | 0044 | R. Guazaua, SS, OM/VI w/siogans, revolutionary songs, ment R. Vencerenos, FrIN and R. Farabundo Marti but s/off ID (0055*) |
|  |  | Guazaua" (gd 7/20 Paxks FL) |
| 6900 | 0256 | R. Quince de Septiombre, SS, much revolutionary tik. Various ments of Nicaragua. Marching ixy. Occasional IDs. Tuned out w/unrelenting revolutionary thumping away. $/ / 7000$ better modulation but more CW and fades ( $2327 / 13$ D'Angelo PA ) |
| 6930 | 0110 | Re Farabundo Marti, SS, tjks on Fl Salvador/Nicaracua, Lism |
|  |  | intermittant CW Qrm. $0145 *$ ( $433+7 / 11$ Famularo NJ)(7/18. Jones ITK) |
| 7350 | 155 | IV de CID, SS, OM/YL, comedy skit re: Castro w/audience (Fidel is good |
| CUBA Jeah, I misplaced Guba again! Costa Rica follows ! \#1! \%*+1 |  |  |
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|  | 1140 | Mayak Relay, RR, oprea $\mathrm{pem}, / / 4765$, but only half the sig strencht of 4765. More fading. Almost out by 1230 ( $2528 / 1$ Mahoney FI) |
| 4765 | 0320 | Mayak Relay, RR , musical play- modern- like a Eroadway play. Mice mx (3338/5 Traver CA) |
| 11760 | 1500 | IHC, EF, OM ID, native mx ( $333 \mathrm{7} / 24$ Addison KS ) ( $433 \mathrm{7} / 27$ Lieu CA) IL) |
|  | 1100 | $\underline{R}$. Moscow Relay, ms, ID, headlines, News and Views ( $4447 / 26$ Mclowell |
| 11925 | 0408 |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 11930 \\ & 15230 \\ & 17690 \end{aligned}$ |  2358 RHIC, ID at 2358 , followed by time and freq info ( $3447 / 6$ Jones TX) <br>  |  |
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COSTA RICA out of order...reits !
48320610 OM, pop- not Latin-mx (222 8/5 Traver (AA) (433 7/6 Hancock AL)R. Roloj̣!
50550352 Fapro del Caribe, HE, relz Dem, ID, mX ( 423 7/31 Marning TX)

61500500 R. Impacto, OM ID "Este es R. Impacto!" LAm pop and rock mxx. Vexy good sig $(7 / 17$ Fisher MA)(Hesch NY)(Schlesinger TX) (Cox CA) (Preston CA) +4

## DOMINTCAN REFUBLIC


117000030 LV del CID, political tik ( $3537 / 23$ Fernando NY) (D'Angelo PA)
11700 *0200 R. Eaxth (note new time fc) EE, Rudy Rapinal w/rxx from Mr, then Curacao tape ( 333 7/27 Huffeiker MEX) ( $4447 / 23$ McKeon IN) +4

## Gampada

150452336 RFG , EF, Calypso mx ( $3347 / 23$ McKeon IV) (Stanley AZ) (Palmer WA) +4 ID, then 3 min Padre Nuestro (OM) 0334* ( $3436 / 12$ Huffaker MEX)
$48351210 \frac{\mathrm{R}_{0} \text { Terulutlan, sexron abt a man named Juan who travelled by car and }}{\text { plone beter }}$ plane betreen Perua and Guatempla- strange! (next time, try the train! jc) ( 433 8/1 Mehoney FL) ( $4347 / 17$ Huffaker MIXX)
HONDURAS
32500335 Re Iusz y Vids, rel tuk (w/political slant at 0255) full ID at 0401 (freq checked at 3250 tonight)( 343 7/12 Euffaker MEX)
48200323 HRVC, NS Billy Graham relg pem ending. YL ID at $0324 \mathrm{w} /$ next pem begiming at 0325 ( $444 \mathrm{8} / 8$ Scheel IA)
 "Esta es la hora, i. Progreso" TCs btm records, full ID, 0206*. Het de R. Quilto, Ecuador (fr 7/20 Parks FL) ( 433 7/6 Huffaker MEX)

2255 Su Pantera, pops ax, ID and Prandy Presidente ad at 2300 . This time of day, at least, IDB as "Q4" (XEQM) (343 7/10 Huffaker NEX)

$14896 \mathrm{v} 0116 \begin{aligned} & \text { WN de Anerica Latina, Xeh, px of noticias and deportes w/OM and } \\ & \text { IN }\end{aligned}$ occasionally y ancr, many many ads and jingles throughout. Frequent mentions of Mexico and tows therein. At 0130, apparent slogan ID by OM as "IV de las Noticias, XBW". Then into even more noticias. liever heard a "Voz de America Latina" ID myself, but got the call sien, plus good friend Thad Adaraszek got "real" ID from this one the night before. Ricc level, but horrendous modulation problems made for nearly nil intelligability. Also suffered wild fluctuations in signal (cont)
level from mimute to minute. Ifkely their 15160 transmitter with serious problems. Noted often ( 444 bed mod $7 / 28+$ Cmninghen 0H) NITHRRLAND ANITLITBS no room for detailed listings. The following were reported... HN, 6165, *0230 EBS by Krist and Gunter. RN 95900230 EF by Gaxmie. RN 9715 EFE 0530 by Cox and Lord. RN 97700734 सWS by Thompson and McKeon, in DD at 0850 by Scheel. RN 176052050 in EEE by Lieu.

| Micaragut |  |  |
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| 5950 | 0100 | IV de Nicamagua, EKs, mia Thas. re: Casey's momcalled secret trip. Bazz on signal ( $543^{7 / 8}$ Hancock AL) (Gunter NC) (Johnson III) +6 |
| 11715 | 1110 | IVdX, politioal canty. Marimba ax at 1122. ID (4447/29 Jonoe TX) |
| PIRTIES 7 |  |  |
| 6230 | 0459 | VODemocracy PLeng, "Bpisode Fi $^{2}$ of VOD"- anmsr interupts music to speak in a language I don't know, but I tape all of it I can. YL speaks at 0501/jingle mx played next at 0505. Nux ends- sounds like a dead caxrier. Nothing heard till 0525 when I give up till another night ( 333 7/30 Leonard MSis) (also heard $7 / 29$ on 6240 at 1105 in Z\#E, by Leonard NE) |
| 7425 | 0331* | Crystal Ship. EF, nook mx. IDs as "Crystal Ship on 7425 khz in 41-meter band". 0326 played preacher's coments condeming rock n' roll. 0327 ID and ask for phone calls to (301)840-9948 (that's a Maryland number, but I don't know for what city that exchange is for je). Had XI ID and $O M$ w/freedom of speech ID/pitch. Original iN came back but no calla. 033米 w/73'g and fight for free radio ( 232 7/17 D'Angelo PA) |
| 7430 | 0207 | YODemocracy, ER, tonight's question freedom or not freedom. Soveral Billy Joel songs. Derogatory atatements about contenta of R. Moscow be. QuHF P: O. Hox 982, Battle Greek MI 49016 (322 7/19 Thim CT) |
| 7430 | 0357 |  R. Hishlander" That was it. Sic/caxrier gone/cut. ( $3537 / 4$ D'Angelo PA) |
| 7440 | 0330 | Vocormunien, (oh good grief., what next? jo) ER, flute mx, 2 CM, "We'll take your calls if you want Commonism" (let's hope no ome oallad jo) IDs- "broadcasted by gatelite" for "Negroid" popriation. Africen somg (I agree with yous completly diagusting jc) ( $2127 / 26 \mathrm{MoKeon}$ IN) |
| UNITTED STATES reports mhortened to make sure I get everything in |  |  |
| 5995 | 0405 | 7OA, ES ( $8 / 3222$ Bimghan MA) |
| 6030 | 1046 | AFRTS RES ( 555 8/8 Scheel IA) ( 454 8/4 Bingham MA) |
| 6185 | 0430 | WRTIO, FWE (544 7/16 Hencocir AL) (555 7/23 Mokoon IN) |
| 9530 | 0900 | VOA, HRE, (454 6/30 Keenan CA) |
| 9535 | 1730 | WLFR EE ( $4548 / 3 \mathrm{Mc}$ (ents AL) |
| 9575 | 1600 | VOA EFE ( 555 6/7 -too old !1 jo- Kaman CA) |
| 9615 | 0920 | KGgI SS (454 7/11 Schlesinger TK) |
| 9650 | 0050 | VOA Pris ( 453 7/23 Fraser MA) |
| 9705 | 0221 | WTANO ES (444 7/17 Krist VA)(555 7/27 McKeon IN) |
| 11710 | 2115 | YOA PR ( 333 7/20 Tywofeet PRG) |
| 11855 | 2130 | Wirio Ess (454 8/2 Binghar MA) |
| 11925 | 1930 | VLES L4E (455 7/23 Ianslois GA) |
| 15145 | 0215 | WTiB EiB ( 443 7/29 Bradley MA) |
| 15410 | 1835 | VOA FHB ( $3337 / 21$ Addison KS) |
| 15430t | 1316 | AFPTS ERE ( 434 7/19 Leonard ME) |
| 17640 | 0019 | VOA ESS ( $353 \mathrm{7} / 23 \mathrm{Krist}$ VA) |
| 17730 | 0000 | VOA FH (454 7/30 Krist VA) (223 7/12 Addison- WIXB at 1705) |
| 17765 | 0046 |  |
| 21570 | 0335 | AFRTS EE (244 7/27 Lien CA) |
| 21615 | 2020 | WYTR EE ( $3547 / 27$ Lieu CA) |
| 21840 | 1342 | VOA EES (333 7/19 Lemaxd ME) |
| 26040 | 1720 | VOA EXE ( 254 7/10 Desrosiers MA) |

WHEw! I'II fimally done, 3 days and 295 logs later. Thanks to 58 loyal reporters. The next for weeks are going to be really busy ones for me. Let's see, I'll bo in Defiance, Ohio August 20-23, then I'li be moving down to Washington on Aug. 26. My first day of classes at Univ. of MD are Auge 31. Wish me luck! By the was, how many of you own Atari 800 computers, like me? If you have any SWI/IX programs, I'd love to hear about it. Gee, I still have some filler space left...I logged my 400 th station last week. It was H . Senegal. I was hoping it would be KNLS, but I'm not pioky. A quick fundow of my equipment includes a DK-302 (my main rig), a IX-160, and a GE World Monitor II. Hiv antennae include a CB quarter-wave vertical, and a 40 meter longwire. How many of you IV IXX? I do from time to time. My beat catch was a Cuban on Chamel 5, mixing with WHG, Washington. I couldn't identify it further, but it was Cuban. How 'bout that! Hey, now I'm out of room 1 So, remember my new address, and see you in 301 73's dohn Cerortm WOXBIAO


Six pages this month instead of the usual five, so let's get right to the loggings! (Note: Mark is taking over AFRICA starting in October. We are looking for an editor for Europe...if you are interested, please write to above address. JRT) ALBANIA Radio Tirana
5020 *0257 RT Gjirocaster; anthem \& into Albanian s/on w/ID followed by tlk by OM/YL, $/ / 5057$ (not as atrong), 343(7/17 D'Angelo-PA) @0320 w/Arabic-sounding mx, ID by YL @0329?, much better than //5057, 433(7/15 Hancock-AL)
7065 *0000 RT; EE YI ID, "Nx about Albania", rpt on 5 yr plan, cmtry on 7120 . 0132 military maneuvers in Pacific, 444(7/27 Krist-VA)

| 7300 | 0132 | RT; pgm on how Albanian cows are better than other cows!, 444(7/24 Dampier-NY) ©0230 EE W/IS, ID, YL nx, features on Alb. lang \& nuke arms, CW QRM, 433(7/13 Stanley-AZ) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 7300 | 0330 | RT; EE nx, then pgm on tourist's views of Albania--all say |
| 9480 | 2200 | it's wonderful \& none were American, $545(7 / 28$ McKeon-IN) |
| 9500 | 0630 | RT; EE w/nx, tlk on Alb. army \& song abt same, tlk on Euro missiles, |
| 9750 | 0130 | RT; EE, ID @0135 \& story abt efforts to increase trade btwn |
|  |  | U.K. \& China, $444(7 / 29$ Stiner-NY) |
|  |  | RT; Alb. w/tik first 35 min., all mx last $20-25 \mathrm{w} / \mathrm{Alb}$. folk songs, easily hrd nitely \& gud mx, 555(7/14 McKeon-IN) |

AUSTRIA Osterreichischer Rundfunk
59452130 ORF; EE W/nx, items on Bruno Kreitsky, request for letters, 333(7/20 Timofeev-FRG) *0128-0154* in EE w/nx \& various features, $/ / 9770$, $333-545(7 / 2-8 / 3$, 10 rptrs) @O330 in EE 9770 *0129 w/nx \& tik on Autobahn travel, 444(7/3 Klosowski-FL)
9770 *0129 ORF; EE w/"Austria Calling" \&'"Report from Austria", cmtry on Salzburg festival as being frivolous, $0155^{*}, 433$ ( $7 / 30$ Krist-VA) tlk on Jehovah's Witnesses conference in Vienna, 333(7/29 Stiner-NY)
116650434 ORF; EE w/nx \& tik on Salzburg festival \& Eisenstadt Music Seminar, 323 ( $7 / 30$ Preston-CA) $* 0459$ in GG w/IDs in several langs, into OM nx in GG, 444(7/9 Brewer-AR)
15165 *0430 ORF; EE s/on w/nx, report on Croatians in Aus. w/Croat folk songs, clear to 0457*, 444(7/22 Stanley-AZ)
15275 *1230 ORF; Report from Austria, to ENA, 333 ( $8 / 6$ Zilmer-NM) 343 (7/29 Spremo-NY)

| BELGIUM Belgische Radio en Televisie |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 6225 | 135 | BRT. EE "Brussels Calling" w/nx \& features to 0112*, 333-555(7/1-8/3 9 rptrs) |
| 9880 | *0030 |  |
| 9900 | 0320 | BRT; xylophone IS, YL w/opening in FF ©0327, anthem, OM nX in FF, new freq?, 322(8/1 Palmer-WA) |
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| 17 | *1400 | BRT; EE w/tlk on Belgian National Day, 555(7/22 Robinson-TN) tlk on wx problems, fish recipe, 1442*, 454(7/26 Krist-VA) |
|  |  |  |
|  |  | 353(8/1 Spremo-NY) |

BULGARIA Radio Sofia
9700 *2230 RS; EE W/ID, nx, cmtry on US VP's Euro tour, 444(7/10 KristVA) @2300 w/DX pgm, sunspot rpt \& ARO DX tips(I doubt if most SWL's are interested in ARO tips, RS!-MK), 444(?/ Jones-VA) $* 0000$ in EE w/nx, item on testing cruise missiles in Canada, 444(7/27 McDoweli-IL) 554 (7/9 Fraser-MA)
117500040
151352132 R. Moscow via Plovdiv(UHN-MK) ; EE rpt on education \& health in JSSR, 454(7/23 Fraser-MA) RS; EE ID \& $n x$, YL ID @2141, brief mx, into YL/OM cmtry on Helsinki Accord \& Euronukes, 332(8/1 Lucas-CA)

| CZECHOSLOVAKIA Radio Prague |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 6055 | 0002 | RP; EE w/nice selection of class. baroque guitar mx, ID at 0024, 544(7/22 Lipman-NJ) |
| 7345 | 0230 | RP; EE IS/ID/nx, cmtry on Mid East, mx for tape recorder, hVy QRN, $442(7 / 14$ Stanley-AZ) $@ 0313 \mathrm{w} / \mathrm{EE} \mathrm{nx}$ or cmtry, bad flutter, $242(8 / 8$ Scheel-IA) |
| 11950 | 0309 | RP; EE OM cmtry, folk mx, cmtry on disarmament, 322(7/16 Swinn-CA) 343 ( $7 / 4$ Jones-TX) |
| 11990 | *0100 | RP; EE nx \& cmtry, mailbag, $434(7 / 13$ Stanley-AZ) 444(7/17 Krist-VA) $433(7 / 23$ Bingham-MA) @0111 w/emtry on how bad imperialism, capitalists, \& human rights are in terrible USA --scary stuff, but why do people immigrate here? (maybe we'r all masochists \& don't know it, hi-MK), $433(7 / 28$ Johnson-IL |



| ANCE | Radio | Fr |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 3965 | 0030 | RFI; FF w/song "Comme d'Habitude", 353(7/3 Robichaud-NB) |
| 6140 | 0000 | RFI; FF w/nx, incl. worry on developments in Chad, 444(7/21 Stiner-NY) |
| 7135 | 0414 | RFI; EE W/ID \& world nx, //15155-9745-11735-11875 but not hrd, ARO QRM, $322(8 / 2$ Johnson-IL) EE w/Afr. \& world $n x$, bad CW QRM, 222(7/30 Preston-CA) |
| 11735 | 0451 | RFI; EE YL w/Afr. nx, OM w/sked, ID @O455 w/invite to tune in 1600, QRM de Noscow co-channel, $322(7 / 11$ Lucas-CA) 222 (7/7 Gammie-MI) |
| 15200 | 0604 | RFI; FF YL w/popular mx \& tlk, 343(8/4 Traver-CA) |
| 15300 | 1600 | RFI; EE w/ID in FF/EE/PP, concertina mx then PCA w/nx pgm, $/ / 15315(322), 444(7 / 31$ Coleman-MA) FF @0642(8/4 Traver-CA) |
| 17620 | * 1600 | RFI; EE "Paris Calling Africa" to 1655*, 242-454(7/22-8/4 6 rptrs) |
| 17795 | 1631 | RFI; EE w/OM/YL, $n x$ on Arab League warning US re Libya, 33 (8/4 Traver-CA) |
| 21620 | 1615 | RFI; EE w/"Your Questions Answered", 344(7/12 Hancock-AL) |

GERMAN DEMOGRATIC REP. Radio Berlin International

| 6040 | * | RBI; SS w/ID, nx by YL, 444(7/20 Desrosiers-MA) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 9560 | *0230 | RBI; EE w/nx by YL, OM cmtry, tlk on Christians \& churches in GDR, $443(7 / 16$ Stanley-AZ $)(/ / 11970,9730)(7 / 22$ Stiner-NY) $@ 0308$ w/"Science \& Tech. Kaleidoscope", 0309*, said 02300310 was to WCNA, no QRM, $555(8 / 1$ Falmer-WA) |
| 9620 | *2030 | RBI; EE w/nx, cmtry on RSA, "DX Pgm for Europe", QRM de CBC on $9625,333(7 / 18$ Krist-VA) |
| 9730 | *2315 | RBI; EE w/rpt on US \& Nic., 200th birthday of Simon Bolivar, $/ / 11975$ (also 353), 353 (7/19 Fraser-MA) to $2357^{*}$, QRM de DW 9735, 433(7/11 Krist-VA) (Spremo-NY) @0000 in EE w/nx, 222 ( $8 / 5$ Zilmer-NM) $444(7 / 11$ Hancock-AL) EE 0130-0215, heavy QRM de Swiss Radio Int., $412(7 / 27$ Stiner-NY) |
| 11975 | *2315 | RBI; EE w/ID \& nx, 2357*, 433(7/18 Krist-VA)(7/5 Stiner-NY) EE * 0000-0040*, $433(7 / 17 \mathrm{Krist-VA})$ EE 0130-0215, nx on exhibition of joint space mission btwm USSR/GDR cosmonauts, $444(7 / 29$ Stiner-NY) $7 / 21$ McDowell-IL) $333(7 / 27$ Stone-0N) |
| 15100 | 0448 | RBI; GG, "RBI" ID @0450, OM tlk on Japan nuclear bombing of WW2, 433 ( $8 / 4$ Traver-CA) |
| 21465 | 1230 | RBI; EE w/YL nx, demonstrations abt nuke arms buildup, 333 (7/3 Stiner-NY) |
| 21540 | 0841 | RBI; EE w/IS, ID by OM, tlk abt holiday, "Thank You for Writing" pgm, 353(7/10 Kosugida-Japan) |

GERMAN FEDERAL REP. Deutsche Welle, Radio Free Europe
60850120 DW; EE w/press review \& story on Margaret Thatcher, 555 (7/15 Stiner-NY)
6145 * 0100 DW ; EE w/nx, cmtry on Euronukes, $333(7 / 18$ Stanley-AZ)
95050230 RFE; ID as "R. Svobodna Europa", unk lang, sig very poor by 0240, 232 (7/12 Jones-TX)
9565 *0100 DW; EE w/nx, Sunday cmtry on tourist attraction near Bonn, "Famous German Composers", QRN, 443(7/17 Stanley-AZ)
151501955 DW ; EE OM tIk of birthdays, ID de VOG correspondent, cmtry,
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| 15255 | 2200 | RNI; EE w/ID, $n x$ \& cmtry, story abt Norwegian benefits from \$ exchange rates vs. oil exports, $333(7 / 31$ Stiner-NY) |
| 17715 | 1902 | RNI; EE w/local nx, food pgm, "Made in Norway", increasing QSB, 333(7/17 Fisher-WI) QRM de Saudi Arabia, 443(7/17 |
| 21730 | 1400 | Fraser-MA) into relig. pem in NN (91930, 433(7/10 Hancock-AL) RNI; EE nx on law of the seas conference in 0slo, 534(7/17 Timofeev-FRG) |

## POLAND Radio Polonia

7270 0100 RP; Polish w/nx, $m x$, usual propaganda, format similar to EE pgms, 545(7/17 Card-RI)
11815 *0300 RP; EE IS, ID, OM nx, "Panorama" pgm, xmn faded out @0315, severe QRM, $332(7 / 19$ Stanley-AZ)
151200145 RP ; Polish(for seamen-MK) w/oratorical tIk by OM w/occ. "mechanical" applause to 0154, ID 0159, 243(7/22 Jones-TX) *0200-0259* in EE w/nx, cmtry, features, 323-444(7/11-7/22, 6 rptrs)
News from WBI via BBCMS: former RP PL/EE bcsts to NA are now separate as follows--0200-0300 EE 15120, 11815, 9525, 6135, 6095; 0300-0355 EE on same freqs; 1130-1225 PL 17865, 11840, 9525. In addition, two new EE xmns apparently to Europe are carried at 1730-1755 on 9540 \& 6135, and 1730-1800 on 9675, 5995, and 3955(apparently these are different pgms). A new Esperanto best is at 1530-1555 on 9675 \& 7285.

PORTUGAL Radio Portugal

| 6075 |  | RP; EE W/DX pgm interview with 10 yr. old DXer, march mx, 454 (7/23 Bingham-MA) |
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| 9575 | 0532 | RP; EE w/YL tlk on sightseeing in Port., mx interludes, $O M$ ID \& NA at 0600*, 323 (7/29 Preston-CA) |
| 11775 | 2035 | RP; EE ID, nx, stamp pgm, 434(7/15 Hill-SC) |
| 11925 *0300 |  | RP ; EE w/nx, very long \& detailed pgm on 15 th |
|  |  | ury stained glass windows, 433(7/7 Klosowski |
|  |  | of Music" pgm, QRM de Havana on 11930, //6 |
|  |  | Stanley-AZ) 344(7/4 Jones-TX) |

ROMANIA Radio Bucharest
11810 0420 RB; EE w/details on how to join the RB SWL Club, 433(7/23 Hancock-AL)
11940 *0400 RB; EE w/YL nx, OM cmtry, pop mx, RB Listener's Club info, 423(7/21 Stanley-AZ)

SPAIN Radio Exterior de Espana
9630 *0000 REE; EE Panorama pgm, YI nx, interview of leader of Spain's employer association, $444(7 / 13$ Stanley-AZ) ( $7 / 9$ Addison-KS) @0158 EE w/end of pgm on SS lang, NA 0200*, 444(7/27 JonesTX)
11880 *0000 REE; EE w/nx, $m x$ \& various features to 0200*, 323-544(7/18/1, 9 rptrs) ©0615 in EE w/ID "Spanish Foreign Radio bcstng from Madrid", 434(7/23 Leonard-ME)
151251935 REE; SS w/flamenco solo by OM \& tik on flamenco mx, ID 1955, tribute to deceased comedian, nx @2100, gd(7/30 Sharpe-CA)
153752000 REE; EE YI tlk about violence in the Basque regions, 243 (remember Radio Euzkadi, the Basque clandestine w/xmtr in Venezuela? The Basque lang. is really different!-MK) ( $7 / 27$ Lieu-CA) 444 (7/17 Hancock-AL)
153952155 REE; SS w/tlk on mx group, @2200 sked \& request for rpts, then s/off, 544(7/23 Timofeev-FRG)
176601608 REE; SS w/OM/YL tlk over mx background, QRM, 222(8/4 Traver)
SWEDEN Radio Sweden International
$9695 * 0230$ RSI; EE nx, mx, rpt on OPEC meeting, "Love \& Sex in Sweden" (oh boy; oh boy!!!)(calm down, Herbert!-MK), 544(7/18 Brad-ley-MA) $332(8 / 3$ Speer-CA) $333(7 / 15$ Stiner-NY)
11705 *0230 RSI; EE pgms to 0258*, //15420, 333-454(7/9-7/27, 5 rptrs)
11710 *2300 RSI; EE tik on reforestation, Swedish humor (ja!), 322(7/20 Swinn-CA) 444(7/11 Krist-VA)(7/24 Blanchette-FL)
152702305 RSI; EE tlk on Sweden's economic problems, 444(7/11 GunterNG) 334 ( $7 / 20$ Addison-KS)
17840 *0230 RSI; EE s/on in USB, "Weekday Monday" pgm after nx, 354(7/11 Stanley-AZ) 343(8/6 Zilmer-NM)

15305 *0145 SRI; EE "Dateline" pgms to 0215* when into SS, 343-444(7/1-
$\frac{\text { SWITZERLAND }}{6135}$
$9725 * 0144$

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$17830 \quad 1530$
17850 * 1815
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Swiss Radio International
SRI; EE w/IS, ID, OM world nx \& local, tlk on freedom of the press in Swiss, QRM de VOA 6130, 333(7/20 Stanley-AZ) SRI; YI ID, EE "Dateline"pgm w/cmtry on world economic situation, 444(7/14 Krist-VA) to 0215*(3 rptrs) @0314 w/closing ancmits in GG, then theme tune \& opening in FF, $544(8 / 1$ Palmer-WA) @0451 EE w/2 OM's tlkng on climbing Matterhorn \& Swiss bank accounts, //11715(434), 444(7/27 Johnson-IL)(7/ 30 Hull-WA) $433(7 / 3$ Klosowski-FL $)$
SRI; EE w/nx, yodeling, pgm on notable Swiss who settled in U.S., 545(7/19 Robinson-TN) "The Great Saturday Grapevine" pgm, //15305-9725-6135, 343(7/16 Stanley-AZ) 7/27, 5 rptrs)
SRI; EE W/nx on wars in Ethiopia/Chad/Iran w/TC 1530 by SWiss chronometer, into FF @1600, 444(7/17 Stiner-NY) SRI; EE w/nx, cmtry, item on whale hunting, 1845*, 433(7/25 Krist-VA)
SRI; EE "Dateline from Swiss R. Int.", 444(7/19 Leonardi-ME)

## U.S.S.R. as given

All sites in parantheses were supplied via UHN, and indicate actual sites when possible, listed sites when not. -MK

## RSFSR-European

$\overline{9} 765^{-} \overline{2} 2 \overline{3} 0^{-}$RM(Krasnodar); EE w/Posnar's tlk on Samantha Smith visit labeled as Soviet propaganda in US papers--I've seen very tasteless cartoons of it in local paper, 444(7/12 Fraser-MA)
$11890 \quad 0411$
153200622 RMWS(Lgr); EE W/YL/OM stories of Soviet life, item on Australian security service, 222(8/4 Traver-CA)
Ukraine $\frac{S S R}{15}$
$\overline{15100}-202 \overline{9}$

151051812
Unknown Sites
$\overline{9470^{-}}-2 \overline{2} 2 \overline{0}-$ R. Mayak; RR w/American songs, quite rare on Soviet stn isn't it? $333(7 / 2$ Robichaud-NB)
98002330 R. Kiev; EE "Young Generation"--interviews w/professional youths, 454(7/21 Fraser-MA)
117202340 R. Kiev; EE w/world nx pgm to 2340, followed by prop. on So-
118600030 Viet "society", 343(7/7 Jones-TX)
118802330 RM; EE w/YL Mid-East cmtry, ID, 444(7/14 Langlois-GA)
11960 1830 R. Kiev; EE W/nx, ID, s/off, 444(7/13 Langlois-GA)
 R. Kiev; EE w/ID @2334, YL ancr w/typical pro-Russia tlk \& pgm, 544(7/22 Lipman-NJ)
154551647 R. Mayak; RR w/2 OMs ancng weightlifting event, time pips @1700, OM ID, nx, 444(7/31 Famularo-NJ)

RM \& RMWS EE pgms to West NA are all via Asiatic sites; pse note that RM to ENA on 9600 0000-0300, and RNWS to ENA on 11840 1000-2200 are via the Havana, cuba relay facility. One thing to keep in mind is that the "Radio Kiev" \& "Radio Vilnius" xmns are not necessarily from those cities, but are pems which can be carried on any RM xmtr; unfortunately, unlike RM/ RMWS these services do not indicate xmtr sites on their QSIIs. I am assuming however that the WCNA freqs for them are from Asiatic sites.
UNITED KINGDOM BBC

|  |  | BBC; SS w/London Calling LA ID by YL, Big Ben, nx by OM, 444 (7/12 Desrosiers-MA) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 99 | 0017 | BBC; EE w/R. Newsreel, "About Britain", 555(7/30 Krist-VA) |
| 11680 | 1144 | BBC; EE w/"Can I Help You" pgm, 322(8/1 Leonard-ME) |
| 11835 | 0103 | BBC; EE w/murder mystery radio play to 0114, then nx summary, 454(7/28 Jones-TX) |
| 11910 | 2315 | BBC; EE W/Alistair Cook's "Letter from America" saying Reagan is doing better than credited with!, 444 ( $7 / 24$ Gunter-NC) "Radio Newsreel" @0015, 544(7/22 Hill-SC) |
| 12095 | 2115 | BEC; EE w/tlk about what faces reveal, $544(7 / 5$ Timofeev-FRG) |


| 15070 | 2200 | ```BBC; EE w/TC-ID-nx, "World Today" discussed Iran-Iraq war, 444(7/26 Ryeder-FL) +4 rptrs``` |
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| 15420 | 2300 | BBC; EE w/nx, look at Reagan press conference, part 4 of |
|  |  | "Whip Hand" (wasn't there a 50's movie of this name about |
|  |  | Russian bacteriological warfare attack on Alaska? Movie |
|  |  | buffs, help me out!-MK), 454(7/27 Krist-VA) @2330 w/"Brain of Britan", 544(7/25 Hill-SC) |
| 17705 | 1612 | BBC; EE W/YL tik on Italian politics, then story abt tr |
|  |  | ure hunting (the one abt Cocos Is, was really great-MK), 343 (8/4 Traver-CA) |
| 2171 | 1325 | BBC; EE w/cmtry abt marshal law in Poland, 343(7) |
|  |  | ME) |

VATICAN Vatican Radio
$6015{ }^{*} 0050$ VR; EE "This is VR Overseas Service" by YL, "A Many Splendored Thing" pgm abt a nun from India who works at VR, 454 (Krist-VA 7/29)
$\begin{array}{llll}9605 & 0050 & \mathrm{VR} ; \text { EE relig. tlk, } 333(8 / 5 \text { Zilmer-NM) } \\ 11740 & 0549 & \mathrm{VR} ; \mathrm{Mass} \text { in Latin, ©0600 nx in various langs, EE nx @0620, } \\ 11845 & 0050 & 423(7 / 23 \text { McKeon-IN) } & \mathrm{VR} ; \mathrm{EE} \mathrm{s} / \mathrm{On}, \text { Words and Songs" pgm, s/off, } 544(7 / 9 \text { Spremo) }\end{array}$
$\frac{\text { YUGOSLAVIA }}{9620 \text { *2115 }} \begin{aligned} \text { Radio Yugoslavia } \\ \text { RY; EE ID \& YL } n X, ~ h e a v y ~ " c h i r p i n g " ~ Q R M ~ s t a r t e d ~ \& ~ s t o p p e d ~\end{aligned}$ 2115-2130--jammer?? 222(7/13 Talbot-WI) nx on preparations for Sarajevo olympics, 444(7/17 Robichaud-NB) 533(7/19 Spremo-NY)

## News from WBI/BBCMS:

Hungary on 7/11, RB ancd EE sked changes "in keeping with a request from mañy listeners" has expanded and added to EE programming as follows--1050-1120 Mon-Fri 15160, 11910, 9835, 9585, 7155, 6025
1430-1500 Mon-Sat as above
1600-1630 Daily as above
Sweden A summary of the RSI changes introduced 7/5--
$\overline{1} 400=1 \overline{4} 30$ English 17860 replaces 17790
1430-1500 Swedish as above 1500-1530 French as above
1600-1630 Swedish 17880 replaces 17790
2300-2330 English 11710 replaces 11705
SCOTLAND-U.K.: Pirate stations to watch for here include Radio Lynda(P.O. Box 16, Falkirk, Scotland) on 6262 kHz ; Radio Freedom International(Dept. R, 67 Elm Row, Edinburgh EH7 4AQ) is reported broadcasting every 1 st \& 3d Sunday around 0900-1200 on 6230; Radio Stella International (17 Glendevon Road, Edinburgh) testing on last Sunday of each month 0955-1200 on either 7315, 7320, 7325, or 7340. (This information revd from Ruth Hesch-NY via Podney Sixe's column in "DXAGB News", Five Acres, Whiteditch Lane, Newport, Saffron Walden, Essex CB11 3UD U.K.)

When listening to the BBC, ever wonder why some relay sites have better audio quality than others of equal strength? The difference lies in the type of feed used to send the signal from the U.K. to the relay site. Those sites fed via satellite receive a higher quality signal than those fed via ISB, SSB, and DSB feeder xmns on regular shortwave heard on out-of-band frequencies. The following is a run-down of what the BBC relay sites use from the U.K.:
Cyprus $\boldsymbol{L}^{\text {Masira }}(0 \mathrm{man})_{2}$ Sackville (Canada)---fed via hi-quality satellite. Antigua, Ascension_Is.---fed via SW feeder; from 1984 they will be fed Singapore---news \& topical pgms sent by telephone-quality satellite circuits or by radio, non-topical pgms sent on tape; from late 1983, will be fed by high-quality satellite link.
Greenville_\& Delano(USA)---fed by SSB SW feeder.
Lesotho---picks up regularly scheduled, non-feeder $S \psi$ xmns from Ascension and the U.K.
From "BBC Waveguide", No. 2. Enjoy September everyone, 73s Mark
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## WITH THIS CDLUMN, I BID ADIEU

Well, nothing's forever, I guess. After two years of editing this column, I've decided to step down and turn the reigns over to somebody else. But, beginning in Dotober, I'll be editing the Log Report "A" column for Frendx, the official publication of the North America Shortwave Association. I really enjoyed doing this column and making the decision to "retire" as editor was not an easy one. I'd like to thank everyone who has supported me so faithfully each and every month. Although space doesn't permit me to personaliy thank everyone, there are a Few people I'd like to single out. Stu Hall, thanks for the encouragement and kind words, your regular contributions were greatly appreciated. David Sharp, thanks for your continual support. You easily submitted more loge to me than any two other SPEEDKers combined. John Demmitt, thanks for the letters and amusing musings. Larry Cunningham, thanks for the detailed reports. Ron Howard, I still have your postcards. Thanks again to everyone. Your support has been very gratifying for me. I'll continue to see you all in the pages of SpeEax through loggings and articles for Art Getzel. Keep supporting the club. It isn't anything without you!
 Algeria
177452016 R. Algiers; EE, Top 40 mx , IV at 2022, "You have been listening to R. Algiers," at 2030, into SS, 7/31 (a'Angelo, PA)
$\frac{\text { ANGDLA }}{9535}$
1445 R. Nacianal de Angola; LL, YL w/omty on Angola, Zimbabwe and South Africa, 1 cl $m \times$ and pips at 1500, into fastpaced political emty by $O M$ and $Y L$ w/mx background, even a song about Angola!, $7 / 28$ (Hall, CA)

## ASCENSION ISLAND

11860 O740 BEC; EE, OM/YL w/special $\quad \mathrm{BX}$ about products made in Africa, 8/4 (Traver, CA)
154001600 BBC; EE, TC, ID, nx by OM, tx on the lifting of martial law in Poland, 7/22 (Ryader, FL)
177551618 BBC; EE, $O M$, $n \times$ of Africa, tapes from Swaziland and Nigeria. $8 / 4$ (Traver, CA)
216601200 BBC; EE, play of the week--"The Snob," a laugh a minute as a man gives up his mistress, family and friends to get to the top of society's goals, $7 / 24$ (Demmitt, PA)
BENIN
$\overline{4870 t} 0514$ QRTB; $F F$, drums w/tribal singing, $0 M$ speaking to crowd in FF, then more drums, some type of proclamation, 8/5 (Traver, CA); 0550, FF, OM, afro mx, $7 / 20$ (Cook, CA)
50252225 ORTB/Parakau; FF, nx at 2250, ID as "Parakou, Voix de la Revolution," revolutionary speech, NA, 2302*, 7/26 (Robichaud, NB); FF/lol Vern, $\mathrm{P} \times$ of unusual lol ohants, sounded like a bird or wild animal, quite interesting, 8/2 \{Sharp, FL\}
BOTSWANA
4845v 0345
R. Botswana; Setswana, cowbell IS, NA and s/on, faded into slop, //3356 not hrd, 7/25 (Sharp, FL)

## CAMERDDN

A new xmtr carrying programs from the regional station, Radio Douala, was observed on July 20 and 21 on 4795 kHz . A news bulletin in

English was relayed from Yaounde at 2100 and the station closed down at 2305 approximately (BBCMS)**See below for reports...mln.
40000530 R. Bafoussam; tent in FF, could not positively IO but hrd Cameroon mentioned, $7 / 10$ (Desrosiers, MA)
$4800 \quad 0112$ R. Douala; $O M$ w/long $t \times i n F F$ at tune-in, good lvi w/murmurs of R. Lara underneath, at 0115, long string of IDs by $O M$, some as "Ici Doulala, emettant de ...Cameroon," and some as "R. Douala," the latter giving freqs, meter bands and complete address w/P.O. Box number. May have been the inaugural broadcast(nope, see below), because ID string lasted a good three minutes $w /$ IDs repeated sveral times. At 0118, lite inst. mx, mentions of "Nouvelle emission," f/out by 0200, 7/25 (Larry Cunningham, OH)**Good meeting you in Columbus, Larry. Thanks for the log! mln. 2244, frequency noted as $4795 \mathrm{w} /$ request show, songs from "Les Veterans" and other pieces, $7 / 15,353$ (Robichaud, NB)
48502304 R. Cameroon; FF, EE song, singer's biography, 7/11 (Robichaud, NB); 0503, EE, $O M \mathrm{w} / \mathrm{mx}$ to Africa, $m \times$ at 0514 w/YL DJ voiceover ID ae "...happy Monday morning to rest of the world. This is Cameroon..." $7 / 11$ (Lucas, CA); 2302, EE/FF, $n \times$, EE $s \times$ to 2304, then ID, FF vocals w/FF host after 2305, 7/17 (Soomre, MA); 2343, FF, OM and YL tx, $m \times p \times, 7 / 22$ (Lipman, $N J$ )
50100427 R. Garoua; 2 OMs w/repeated IDs, mentions of Garoua, 7/27 (F. Johnson, IL); 0430, FF/EE, complete ID, first in FF, then EE, NA, more OM $t \times, 8 / 2$ (Sharp, FL); 0450, aM w/short tribal songs, fading, 8/1 (Cook, CA); 0503, FF, DJ in FF w/mx $p \times$, $7 / 24$ (Lipman, NY)
97452257 R. Cameroon; FF, $m \times, n \times, l c l \mathrm{mx} w / O M$ and YL hosts, 7/28 (Manning, $T X$ ); 2240, FF, general conversation betwean FF OM and $Y L$, pop $m \times$ played, $Q R M$ de $A A$ stn, probably Baghdad, 7/27 (Sharp, FL)
CENTRAL AFRICAN REPU日LIC
5035 0443 R. Centrafrique; FF, high-life mx, OM IDs, usually "Radio Centrafrique" or a variation thereof. 7/30 (Sharp, FL)

## CLANDESTINE

"Voice of Mozambique National Resistance" announced that its regular broadcasting service on 4764 kHz would be inaugurated on July 1, it continued to carry repeats of its June 23 transmission until the end of the second week in July. The station's current sked is 0400-0500 and 1700-4800 in PP and Vernaculars. The radio station operated as the "Voice of Fres Africa" from a xmtr in Gwela, Zimbabwe, from the summer of 1976 until Feb. 13, 1980, when it was closed down. It was heard again broadcasting from a different location on March 31, 1980. The station was last hrd IDing as "Voice of Free Africa" at 1700 on May 12, 1983. (BECMS)
$5015 t * 0430$ R. Truth; EE, opens w/birdcall (soft of like whipperwill followed by a trilling sound), ID missed due to R. Cult. Cuiaba QRM, $7 / 12$ (Parks, FL); 0430, EE, IS, into tx about political situation in Zimbabwe, $7 / 30$ (Sharp, FL)
$9027 \cdot 0416$ R. Vatan; Farsi, tx w/several mentions of Khomeini and Iran, signal was slightly stronger than VOIRI on 9022 $\mathrm{kHz}, 8 / 2$ (Sharp)**Probably more appropriate under Egypt as this is supposedly a $\times \mathrm{mtn}$ from Cairo's $\times \mathrm{mtr}$. mln.
179401645 V . Sudanese Revolution; AA, two OMs, primative sounding $m \times, 8 / 4$ (Traver, CA)* $*$ Best from Libyan $\times m t r \ldots m l n$.

## DJIBOUTI

In a broadcast on June 27, Djibouti Radia reported that the President had inaugurated a new $\times \mathrm{mtr}$ for the station. Monitoring observations over the past month have revealed a noticeable improvement in the reception of transmissioms oit 4703 kiz. (ancins\}
EGYPT
94750200
R. Cairo; EE, Egyptianmx, mail call, tx, cmty, $7 / 26$ (Lori Klosowski, FL); d200, EE, s/on, In and welcome by YL, inst. mx, ID and rept on agriculture, $7 / 19$ (J. MoDowell, ILJ; 0300, EE, IS, ID, //12000, YL inteview, 7/11 (Stanley, AZ); 0216, EE, $\mathrm{nx}, \mathrm{mx}$, "Reader's Corner," 7/8 (Robinson, TN); De32, EE, OM nx, YLw/tx, 7/9 (Gammie, MI) 0

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| $4940 \quad 2317$ |

KENYA
The Voice of Kenya's General Service in EE announced thet from July 25 it would retime its 1400 news bulletin to 1500 . This change would enable the Vok's news bulletin to reach more listeners. The decision had been taken in light of the change in working hours which meant that many Kenyans now worked until 1400 in the evening. (BACMS)
4934t 0257 Voice of Kenya; Swahili, flute and drum IS, followed by pips to 0300, then into Swahili px, could not pull out ID, weak reception, 7/25 (Sharp, FL)
LESOTHO
$4800 t 0417$
R. Lesotho; $p x$ of Afro chants and lite $m x$, hrd Underneath R. Lara, no positive IO, 7/30 (Sharp, FL)

LIBERIA
47650558
ELWA; EE, IS to 0600, followed by OM IO, "Good morning this is ELWA, Monrovia..." $8 / 2$ (Sharp, FL)
156001700 VoA/Monrovia; EE, VoA $n \times$, "African Panorama, $" n \times i n$ special EE at 1730, 7/26 (Krist, VA)
LIBYA
"Radio Bardai," which supports the Transitional National Union Government under Goukouni Oueddi and is hostile to Hissein Habre, shows this sked: 1800-1830 in FF on 6009, 1830-1900 in Colloquial Arabic on 6009, and 1900-2000 in local languages on 6009 kHz . This radio station was first heard in February 1983. It shares a xmtr with the anti-Upper Voltan government station "Voice of the Upper Voltan Popular Revolution." The station announces that it broadcasts from Bardai, a town in the extreme north of Chad, but the transmiter is believed to be located in Libya. (日ecms)
118152210 R. Jamahiriyah; report on Israeli secret agent, several IOs, gave Tripoli and Malta addresses, excerpts on Qaddafi speech, $7 / 8$ ( $0^{\prime}$ Angelo, PA); 2200, EE, Sadat px, weakend harmony $m \times p \times$, requests for letters, $7 / 10$ (Soomre, MA)
MAOAGASCAR
$11740 \quad 1455$

21640 1819*
RN Relay; EE, Feature on the woodpecker, 8/4 (Speer, CA); 2030, EE, "Newsline" px, "SW Feedback," 7/16 (Fraser, MA)

MAURITANIA
$4845 \quad 2349$ (Famularo, NJ); OG10, EE, end of $n \times$ by $\mathrm{OM}, \mathrm{IO}$, into
commentary, $8 / 2$ (Sharp, FL) (Famularo, NJ); OG10, EE, end of $n \times$ by $\mathrm{OM}, \mathrm{IO}$, into
commentary, $\mathrm{B} / 2$ (Sharp, FL )

LV de la Revolution; guitar Is repeated to 1230, then usual crowd participation pro-revolutionary chants, into tx by $O M$ and lol $m \times$, $8 / 2$ (Sharp, $F L$ )
R. Abidjan; $F F$, AFro and FF mx, $O M$ OJ, U.S. CEW mx, 7/22 (Lipman, NJ)
72152335 RTVI; FF, national $n \times$ at 2356 after mx px , NA, 0000\% (Robichaud, NB); 0620, FF/Vern, OM, ads, Afro mx, abruptly left air 0630* $7 / 28$ (Thompson, CA)
Africa \#1; FF, OM w/nx, YL says "Good Morning" in EE and other languages, rooster crows, $8 / 5$ (Traver, CA); FF, IS, $Y L$ w/salutation and mx, jingle, $O M$ w/world $n x, 7 / 2\rangle$ (F. Johnson, IL); 0454, FF, high pitched tone to 0500, usual s/on $m x, Y L$ IO and sked, $8 / 2$ (Sharp, $F L$ ); 0550, upbeat Afro $m x$, vocals in FF, //11940, $7 / 10$ (Oesrosiers, MA)
ANO; $O M$, world $n \times$, YL w/Afro pops, $7 / 12$ (Hotaling, NV); 2029, $F F, O M$ and $Y L$, singing IO at 2030 (R. Hesch, NY); 2025, OM and YL, both sounded like they were having a great time, no mention of RFI Relay, several ads, one For Busch 日eer, $7 / 10$ (Desrosiers, MA)
GBC; EE, Afro drums, OM TC for 0600, world nx, IO, $7 / 30$

RTVM; AA, mx, caught in between TWR/Bonaire, AFRTS and RHC, I've hrd 'em enough to think it is them, $7 / 28$ (F. Johnson, IL)


SENEGAL
f. Senegal; IO at 0701:30, nx in FF, $0702,8 / 8$ (Scheel, IA); 2320, FF/Vern, tx by OM, seemed to be a mixture of FF and a lol Vern, YL IO at $2325 \mathrm{w} / \mathrm{tribal}$ chants Following, $8 / 2$ (Sharp, $F L$ ); $\square M \mathrm{w} / \mathrm{tx}$, sounds like NA at 0137, then ID, s/off, $7 / 10$ (Desrosiers, MA); 2353, FF, long tx by $O M$ in FF, same chants, other $O M$ tx, 0003*, 7/22 (Lipman, NJ)

## SEYCHELLES

Current English sked for FEBA is as follows: 0400-0500 to East Africa on 15200 and 11800 kHz . 1225-1230, news to South Asia on 15325 and 11865 kHz . $1500-1600$ to South Asia on 15325 and 11895 kHz . (日BCMS) 118650327 FESA; ' AA, "What A Frisind We Have in Jesus," IS, AA IM $\overline{I D s}$ between mx , then YL ID and $t \times$, into relg $p x, 7 / 26$ (Sharp, FL)
15200 \%0400 FEBA; EE, 15 minutes of Bible drama, $n \times$ round-up, show time, got thanks to June SPEEDX column (Chra, RI)
SIEARA LEDNE
59802255

Sierra Leane BC; EE, high life mx, IQ, lol and Afro mx, rock $m x$, strong het on same frequency (Parks, $F L$ ); 2315, EE, wedding $m x, I D$ and $T C$ for "18 minutes past 11 o'clock," disco, rock and soul mx , another ID , 7/13 (D'Angelo, PA)
SOMALI REPUBLIC

| $6790 \quad 0336$ |
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| SOUTH AFRICA |
| $4835 \quad 0509$ |

48800350 SABC; Afrikasns, s/on w/NA, station ID, cock orow, into more' $t x$ and presumed $n \times$ by $O M, 7 / 26$ (Sharp, FL); 0500, OM, mention of Durban, Zimbabwe, Johannesburg, positive ID, lang sounded like Afrikaans, $7 / 10$ (Desrosiers, MA)
49900405 RSA; EE, OM m× about US sending aid to Chad, $8 / 5$ (Traver, CA); 0400, YL tx in EE, "You are tuned to Radio RSA, the Voice of South Africa, it is four hours UTC. Here is the news..."7/30 (Sharp, FL)
5980 *0200 RSA; EE, OM w/"Africa Today,", mx bridge, OM w/cmty (Cox, CA) IS, IDs, TC, freq and target area in program details, $O M$, into feature $p x$, "Under the Southern Cross," $7 / 25$ (Ryeder, FL); 0200, EE, $n x$ and amty on local doings, $7 / 14$ (Fraser, MA); D208, EE, OM w/"News Comment," pop mx, //5980, 7/14 (Berri, Ca); O200, EE, "P. O. Box 4559," listener's complaints of poor reception and interference from other stations, 7/31 (Klosowski, FL) Freq info, IS and 0527\%, $7 / 31$ (Preston, CA)
96150207 RSA; EE,EE, $n \times$, tlk of urban terrorism, socceer scores
(Robinson, $T N, G u n t e r, ~ N C) ; 2107, E E, n x$, mailbag $p x$, one letter from Beer can collectors of America, $7 / 23$ (Bingham, MA); 0200, nx about Africa, omty on UN bias in favor of SWAPO, filler $m x, 3 / 4$ (Sharpe, CA)
11900 *2059 RSA; EE, "This is R. RSA, being from Johannesburg," by OM, "Under the Southern Cross" px, "The Bushmen Story," QRM de Moscow on same freq, $7 / 10$ (Krist, VA)
177800630 RSA; EE, $\quad 0 \times$ about mercenaries being released, war in Chad, water shortages in S. Africa, "Good Morning Africa" px, 7/23 (Timofeev, FRG)
SWAZILAND
3200 0430 TWH; EE, ID, inst. $m x$, tx about Isiah and Judah, 7/3 (Soomre, MA)
4760 0418 TWR; GG, speech by OM in GG, possible Swazi NA or stn song at 0428, s/off at 0430, 7/24 (Lipman, NJ)
96401558 TWR; EE, IS, ID, relg and pop mx px, 7/31 (Kosupida, Japan)
TANZANIA
$5050 \quad 0342$

Togo
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TRANSKEI
$3930 \quad 0527$

TUNISIA
7225 0450
$1174520 \uparrow 7$
A. Tanzania; tent. w/OM in Swahili, flute and drum $m x$, no pasitive IO, nothing but Baki on 4785 so could not check //, noted $w /$ tent IDs only, $7 / 26$ (Sharp, FL)
R. Togo; $F F$, sure $I D$ by unique $I S, N A, \quad \mathrm{M}$ in $F F, 7 / 28$ (F. Johnson, IL); 0527, FF, chime IS to 0529, NA, IO, 8/己 (Sharp, FL); 0553, FF, EE pop song, DG00, IS, OM IÓ later, $7 / 24$ (Lipman, $N J$ ); 0610, $O M$, upbeat mx, very similar sound to Gabon, $7 / 10$ (Desrosiers, MA)

Capital Radio; EE, $\square M$, acme medicine ad, Benson $\&$ Hedges and other ads, "Cool Line" telephone \# givan as or 4-11-726-4788, a bit of $n x$, a spot of reggae and that ${ }^{\dagger} s$ it! $7 / 11$ (Lucas, CA); EE, U.S. top 40, OM, Transkei wx report, nice opening to $S$. Africa this $A M, 8 / 2$ (Sharp, FL) ${ }^{*}+$ August is always a prime month for this region. mln.

RTVT; $A A, m x$, prayer, chanting, QRM de AROs, $8 / 5$ (Traver, CA); 0630, $A A$, vocals, tx by $O M$ and part of an ID, "...Jumhuriya af Tunisiya," 8/2 (Sharp, CA)
RTVT; new Euro sve noted here again $w / d e c e n t$ signal and solid AA px, though there was QRM from both 11740 and $11750 \mathrm{khz}, 7 / 25$ (Sharp, FL)

## UGANDA

Fumors out of $\mathrm{U}_{\mathrm{gand}}$ is that Radio Uganda is planning a meactivation and expansion of the expansion of the external sve from Soroti by the end of 1983 (Sharp, FL). Radio Uganda reported on July 28 that TV experts from Japan had completed a one-day survey mission in Arua to assess the damage caused to radio and TV stations there in the "liberation war." The two experts from the Nippon Electric Company were accompanied by officials from the Ministry of Information and Broadcasting. (BECMS)
UPPER VOLTA
Here is a programming breakdown for Radiodiffusion Television Voltaique broadcasts which can be noted in North America on 4815 kHz . 0600-0605 Program preview in French
0630-0645 News in French (not on Saturday or Sunday)
0730-0745 News in French
0800 Frequency change on shortwave to 9515 (Thur/Sat/Sun)
2230-2245 News in French on 4815 kHz
The current sked for RTVV is M/T/W/F: 0530-0900, 1200-1400, 16002400; Thur: 0530-2400; Sat/Sun: 0700-2400 on $4815 / 9515,1341,747 \mathrm{kHz}$ and 99 MHz . [BBCMS]
ZAMBIA
49110357 R. Zambia; $Y$ L atx, clear "R. Zambia" ID and more $t x$, perhaps nx, decent signal under QRM, $7 / 26$ (Sharp, FL)

Well that should just about wrap it up. SPEEOX member Cornelia Campbell sends word of a book that should interest any member interested in AFAO SW and UTE stations. It's called The Africans, by David Lamb. The book is listed under Random House, New York, 1982. Gaod reading. Thanks again everybody. 73! jhike Nikiohid

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To date 27 people have written to inform me that Vanuatu iss the former New Hebrides Islands. I have decided to print one such peice of info so that everyone will know about the former New Hebrides Islands. Look for it at the beginning of the Oceania section.

A F G H AN I STAN R.Afghanistan
150701900 RÀ: EE-ID, QRM \& jamming. (343.7/5 Card-RI)
B A N G L A D E SH R. Bangladesh
178001235 RB : EE-YL w/pgm of nx , \& ID. (322 7/17 Sato-Japan)

| 1446 BBS: EE-Time check, ID, OM w/nx \& mx. (322 7/23 Kosugida- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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R.Beijing

RB: AM-OM \& YL w/talks // to $6765 .(333$ 7/29 Hotaling-NV) Heilongjiang PBS: CC-YL w/ID, pgming for local stations.(433 $7 / 17$ Sato-Japan)
7BSO 1047 Fuijan: CC-YL w/mx pgm \& singing. (353 7/7 Hesch-NY)
$115151840 \mathrm{RB}: \mathrm{AA}-\mathrm{YL} \mathrm{w} / \mathrm{nx}$ or cmtry, YL W/ID. ( $2427 / 12$ Lucas-CA $)$
15180 2310 RB: SS-Pgm of nx by YL $\&$ OM. ( $4448 / 1$ Palmer-WA)
152451500 RB: EE-Nx pgm of intl events, quiz pgm. (fair 8/3 Sharpe-CA)
$153850430 \cdot R P:$ EP-NX cmtry s/off 0456. (242 8/3 Zilmer-NM)
154351010 RB: EE-CC lang lesson, ID, \& sked. (444 7/11 Famularo-NJ)
RR: EE-CC lessons, to run is "pao", to fall is "shuaitao".
( $5557 / 20$ Robinson-TN) (Fraser-MA) (HeKeon-IN) (McDowell-II) (Blanchette-FL)
RB: IN-IS, ID, Nx pgm, UTE GRM. ( 323 7/11 Famularo-NJ)
RR: SS-Ax pgm, ID, listeners letters. (good $7 / 21$ Sharpe-CA)
RE: EE-ID, OM w/wld \& Asian nx. (343 7/15 Stanley-AZ)
RE: EJ-YL reading a story, just caught end. ( 343 8/4 Traver-Ch
RB: EE-OF w/ID, nx, \& cmtry on Viet troops in Kampuchea. (433 $7 / 11$ Krist-VA) (Stiner-NY) (Zilmer-NM) (Stanley-AZ)

IN D ONES I A Voice of Indonesia
3215 t 1150 RRI Monado: II-MX pgm by YI, much fading. ( $7 / 23$ Schlesinger-TX 47191120 RRI Ujung Fandabg: II-Pop mx pgm. ( 343774 Schlesinger-TX $)$ 48751340 RRI Jorong: IN-Radio drama, chimes 1401.(332 7/17 SatoJapan) (333 7/23 Schlesinger-TX)
117901403 VOI: EE-OM w/pgm of nx, much fading. ( $2317 / 23$ Schlesinger-TX $)$
151500836 VOI: EE-YL w/nx pgm, ID, mx pgm. (222 7/20 Lucas-CA)


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| 9815 | 0011 | KI: EE-Nx pgm, Calling All Listeners DX pgm. (333 8/1 ManningTX) (333 Fisher-WI) (Stanley-AZ) (McDowell-IL) (Johnson-IL) |
| 9895 | 0030 | KI: EE-OM \& YL w/ID \& Mailbag pgm. (444 7/11 Langlois-GA) |
| 11590 | 1800 | KI: FE-Sign/on and a nx pgm. 332 8/3 Spremo-NY) |
| 11650 | 0200 | KI: ET-Nx pgm, "Questions \& Answers DX pgm. (good 7/28 Gammi MI) |
| 11655 | 0025 | KI: EP-OM w/ID, sports $n x$, \& mx pgm. ( $3337 / 10$ Addison-KS) (233 Preston-CA) (Desrosiers-MA) (Koehler-IL) (Stanley-AZ) ( +3 |
| 12025 | 0200 | KI: EE-IS, ID, YL w/nx pgm. (444 7/13 Stanley-AZ) |
| 15585 | 2000 | KI: EE-Nx pgm, talk on Jewish schools in Afr. (7/8 TimofeevWest Germany) (Addison-KS) (Gunter-NC) |
| 15615 | 0458 | KI: HH-S/On in Hebrew, // 11655.(444 7/16 Stein-NJ) |
| 17630 | *2000 | KI: EB-OM w/time \& freqs, nx pgm. (434 7/17 Jones-TX) (Lieu-CA) (Addison-KS) |
| $J$ A P | A N | R.Japan |
| 9500 | 1130 | RJ: EE-OM w/pgm of $\mathrm{nx} .(7 / 25$ Piatelli-CA) |
| 9505 | *1300 | RJ: EE-OM w/political cmtry. (444 Cox-CA) |
| 9525 | 1555 | RJ: BU-OM w/ID, s/off at 1559. $3337 / 28$ Palmer-WA) |
| 11875 | 084 ? | RJ: EE-Oriental mx pgm. 323 7/13 Lord-CA) |
| 15135 | 0454 | $\mathrm{RJ}: \mathrm{JJ} / \mathrm{EE}-\mathrm{IS}$, announcements in JJ \& EE. ( 433 8/4 Traver-CA) |
| 15235 | 0850 | RJ: EE-Wld nx, ID, \& Current Topics. (252 8/2 Famularo-NJ) |
| 15300 | 0520 | RJ: EE-OM w/"Japan Scene", ID \& nx. (333 7/29 Preston-CA) (HullWA) (Stanley-AZ) (Addison-KS) |
| 17755 | 0315 | RJ: EE-"Japan Speaks" talk on a Sumo wrestler. (333 7/23 |
|  |  | Hancock-AL) (344 8/3 Johnson-IL) |
| 17810 | 0518 | RJ: EP-Disc on Japanese waters. (222 7/23 McKeon-IN)(Zilmer-NM |
| 17825 | 0000 | RJ: EG-JJ lang lesson then Japan Today. (3337/6 Keenan-CA) |
| 17870 | 0656 | RJ: JJ/II/GG-OM \& YL w/JJ lang lessons. (322 8/4 Traver-CA) |
| 21610 | 0130 | RJ: EE-IS, ID, OM w/wld nx, talk on a Sumo wrestler. (354 7/22 Stanley-AZ)( |
| K 0 R |  | (North) R.Pyongyang |
| 9360 | 1741 | RP: FF-OH w/talk on America \& Reagan, YL w/ID. ( $3337 / 5$ Lucas-CA |
| 9977 | 1130 | RP: EE-Feature on Journalists, anti-US cmtry. ( $3327 / 3$ Talbot-WI ( 343 Cox-CA) ( 444 Lieu-CA) |
| K 0 R | E A | (South) R.Korea |
| 7275 | 1120 | RK: ES-pgm of nx. (333 8/2 Zilmer-NM) |
| 7550 | 1618 | RK: EE-YL w/pop mx pgm, ID 1620. (332 7/26 Lucas-CA) |
| 9750 | 1426 | RK: RE-Culture pgm, mx, letters, \& ID. ( $3347 / 24$ Swinn-CA) (good Sharpe-CA) ( 333 Zilmer-INM) |
| 11810 | 2300 | RK: Es-Nx pgm, cmtry \& ID. (212 7/27 Stiner-NY) |
| 15575 | 1440 | RK: ED-weather report, talk on Intl trade fair. (433 7/21 Hill -SC) (Ryeder-FL) (CoxəA) (Getzel-NY) |
| 15600 | 1433 | RK: EE-YL w/"Korean Culture" pgm. (444 7/10 Fisher-??) |
| K U W A | A I T | R.Kuwait |
| 11675 | 2032 | RK: EE-"Star Tracks" pgm, \& s/off. (444 7/7 Spremo-NY) |
| 15495 | 0233 | RK: AA-OH w/chanting and Arabic talk. (444 7/23 Lipman-NJ) |
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| 11955 | 0235 | RI: EE-YI w/IDs, nx pgm. ( $3227 / 8$ Cunningham-OH) (444 GunterNC) (322 Ryeder-FL) (323 Stiner-NY) ( 323 Muzyka-NY) (Golab-IL) ( 332 Stanley-AZ) (D'Angelo-PA) ( 544 Card-RI) ( 434 Gayle Van Horn |
| M A L A | A Y S | I A R.Malaysia |
| 4950 | 1330 | RM: EE-Pgm of mx, cmtry on Nationalism. (fair $8 / 2$ Sharpe-CA) |
| 4970 | 1430 | RM: MA-ID, OM w/"Warta Berita". (322 7/17 Sato-Japan) |
| 5030 | 1106 | RM: ? ?-Mx pgm, ID, YL \& OM w/talks. (443 7/20 Kosugida-Japan) |
| 6100 | 1415 | VOM: ??-OM w/Malaysian pop songs. (poor 8/? Sharpe-CA) |
| 15295 | 1540 | RIM: AA-Arab mx pgm, OM w/ID \& nx . ( poor $8 / 3$ Sharpe-CA) |
| M O N G | G 0 L | I A R.Ulan Bator |
| 12070 | 1201 | RUB: EE-OM w/ID, and $\mathrm{nx} .(4337 / 18$ Sato-Japan) (334 Card-RI) |
| N E P A | A L | R.Nepal |
| 9590 | 1453 | RN: EE-YL w/nx about US-China relationship. (322 $7 / 19$ Sato-JA) |
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P A K I S T A N R.Pakistan
11667 1642 RP: EE-IS, ID, and talks. (7/24 Lobdell-MA)
PH I LI P: PIN ES VOA
61101111 VOA: EE-NX pgm, beset by co-channel QRM. (333 7/11 Schlesinger - T1X) (

95031345 FEBC: ??-Rel pgm, ID in EF. R.Japan QRM. (333 7/26 zilmer-NM)
96051210 R.Veritas Asia: JJ-"Mailbag pgm, 1D by YL. (444 7/18 Sato-Japan
Q A TAR Gatar Best Servics
179102040 QBS: AA-Time pips on hour, IS, OM w/wld nx. ( $3437 / 26$ Lipman-NJ (323 Gayle Van Horn-TX) (433 Sato-Japan)

SAUD I ARABI A Best Ser of the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia 11820 2242 BSKSA: AA-OM w/talks, mx selections. (322 7/28 Thunberg-PA) 15060 0425 BSKSA: IK-OM w/Turkish mx pgm. (343 8/4 Iraver-CA) (Hull-WA)
 -CA) (
61950900 BBC: EE-Nx pgm, talk, on film director. (454 Keenan-CA)
97401230 BEC: FE-Drama pgm, wid nx. QRAled by Un-ID. (434 7/3 SchlesingerTX)
117501517 EBC: EE-OM w/wld nx, disc on Reagan. ( $3537 / 20$ Thompson-CA)
119401510 SEC: EE-Pgm of $n x$, traffic advisory. (222 8/4 Speer-CA)
SRI I A N K A
118351045 SLBC: EE-Pop mx pgm, rel pgm from CA. (342 7/7 Blanchette-FL) (Hesch-NY) (Card-RI) (Soomre-MA)
151201045 SLBC: EE-Jazz mx pgm, QRM from DW. $2527 / 3$ Card-RI)
154250100 SLBC: EE-Pop mx pgm, \& rel pgm. (222 7/19 Golab-IL) (222 Iipman $-\mathrm{NJ})\left(353 \mathrm{D}^{\prime}\right.$ Angelo-PA)(Cunningham-OH)(Krist-VA)

T A I W A N VOFC
118250202 VOFC: EE-Nx pgm, ID, address, \& mx pgm. ( $4548 / 8$ Bingham, MA)
155751400 VOFC: EF-Nx pgm, cmtry, \& features. $3437 / 8$ Zilmer-NM)
178000300 VOFC: EE-IS, ID, OM w/nx \& cmtry. (332 7/18 Stanley-MZ) (Zilmer)
T U R K E Y Voice of Turkey
11740 O 300 VOT: EE-Nx pgm, talk on US manuvers in Egypt. ( $4337 / 9$ StinerNY) (Moore-TX) (Stanley-AZ) (Hill-SC)
119002221 VOT: EE-ID, the DX Corner. (444 7/23 Bingham-MA)
152200454 VOT: TK-YL w/mx pgm, ID \& nx pgm. (433 875 Traver-CA) ) Moore-TX
UNITED ARAB EMIRATES UAE Radio
11730 0330 UAE: EE-Wld $n x$ pgm, disc on Mosques. ( $4127 / 22$ McKeon-IN)
$153001630 \mathrm{UAE}: ~ E E-I D$, freqs, YL $w / \mathrm{NX}$ pgm \& ID. $(3237 / 26$ Ryeder-FL) ( 333 Stiner-NY) (333 Famularo-NJ) (212 McDowell-IL)
154350345 UAE : ES-Interview w/Canadian teacher living in Dubai. Pop mx pgm. (444 7/16 Klosowski-FL) (McKeon-IN) (D'Angelo-PA) (Hill-SC)
177750330 UAE: EEANx pgm by YL. (433 7/4 Hancock-AL) ( 242 Stanley-AZ ) ( $4447 / 20$ McKeon-IN)
21655 1620 UAE: EE-YL w/nx pgm \& weather. ( 343 7/4 Timofeev-FRG) (ColemanMA) (333 McKeon-IN) (243 Spremo-NY)
217000530 UAE: FFF-YI w/nx pgm, ID, ( $1217 / 23$ McKeon-IN) (443 Timofeev-FRG
V I E T N A M
6627 * 1124 PAC Thai Best Station: VT-S/on w/chorus \& theme mx , YL w/ID, then local mx. (322 7/17 Sato-Japan)
100402030 VOV: EE-YL w/nx pgm, flute mx \& ID: ( $2117 / 24$ Stiner-NY)
150101655 VOV: RR/VT-OM w/annc in RR, Viet mx selections. (322 8/1 Palmer - WA ) (353 Moore-TX) (243 Scheel-IA)
$Y$ EMEN ARAB REPUBLIS R.San'a
48540304 RS: AA-Talks, very clear reception. ( $3537 / 15$ D'Angelo-PA)
To date 31 people have responded with info on Vanuatu as I requested. I can sure depend on the Speedx membership. I have decided to print one such peice of information which comes from the National Geographic Society, used by permission and submitted by Claude Noneman of E.Lansing, MI. Thanks claude for sharing this. Now all of us will be filled in on vanuatu.

Courtesy of The National Geographic Society, and submitted by claude Noneman
A group of some 70 islands administered as the New Hebrides by the United Kingdom and France for 74 years. Vanuatu became independent within the Commonwealth in July, 1980. A secessionist rebellion on Espiritu Santo was quelled shortly afterward. Americans used the islands as a base from which to attack the Japanese in the Solomons and New Guinea during world War 2, inspiring James Michners "Tales of the South Pacific" Today the nation pursues varied activities from manganese mining to meat canneries, and handicrafts.

Area: 14763 square kilometers or 5,700 square miles.
Population: 117,000
Capital: Port Vita Population 17,000
Religion: Protestant, Roman Catholic
Language: Bislama, French, English
Literacy: 20 per cent.
Life Expectancy: 51 years
Economy: Meat \& fish processing, light industry, manganese mining.
Exports: copra, cocoa, coffee.
Domestic Consumption: yams, taro, manioc, bananas, \& fish.
Per Capita Income: \$590.00

A U S T R A L I A

|  |  | VLM4: อe- // to $9660 \mathrm{w} / \mathrm{pop} \mathrm{mx}$ pgm. $(322$ 8/8 Scheel-IA) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 5995 | 1138 | RA: EE-MX followed by Australian Profile. (333 7/30 LeonardMA) (434 Gayle Van Horn-TX)(Schlesinger-TX) |
| 5150 | 1312 | VLR6: Fis-om w/pgm of exc Jazz mx. (333 7/28 Palmer-WA) |
| 9580 | 1105 | RA: BE-Wld nx pgm, review of papers, \& ID. (454 7/2 Hesch-NY) (Fraser-MA) (Demmitt-PA) (Spremo-NY)(Blanchette-FL) |
| 9610 | 1411 | VLW9: EE-Nx pgm, weather report. (353 7/30 1)Angelo-FA)(Gunter - NC ) |
| 9660 | 0630 | VLQ9: IE-OM w/pop mx pem. (434 8/8 Scheel-IA) |
| 9680 | 0620 | VIR9: EE-YL w/pop mx pgm. 333 8/8 Scheel-IA) |
| 15120 | *0600 | RA: EE-IS, 1D, QRH \& jamming. (222 7/27 Lucas-CA) (Cox-CA) |
| 15160 | 0527 | RA: ESOM says This is Australia, coming to you from the city hall in Mount Gambier. Talk with residents of the area and playing popular records. ( 433 8/4 Traver-CA) 444 PicKeon-IN) |
| 5320 | 0400 |  |
| 15425 | 0455 | VLis 5 : ES-2 OMs w/live annc of futbol match. (233 7/30 Preston) |
| 17705 | 0524 | RA: Fs-Rock mx pgm. (222 7/23 McKeon-IN) |
| 17795 | 0300 | RA: EE-Nx pem, talk on economic expansion. (555 7/22 Klosowski -PL) (Sharpe-CA) (Stanley-AZ)(Robichaud-NB)(Piatelli-CA) + 11 |
| 21680 | 0337 | RA: De-Tx pgm, OM w/talk on duels. (242 7/8 Gammie-MI) |
| 21740 | 0100 | RA: ES-Wld nx, stock prices, pop mx, mx pga. (454 7/15 Bradley -MA) (Piatelli-CA)(Hancock-AL) (Ryeder-FL) (Stiner-NY) (Stanley-AZ |

COOK ISIANDS R.Cook Islands
117600659 RCI: DE-Nx Pgm, OM w/ID, mx pgm. (232 7/18 Lucas-CA) (Vickeon-IN

9510. 1355 RCI: EB-DX Listeners Log, rel pgm. (322 7/23 Schlesinger-TX) (333 Zilmer-Nif)
96701630 RCI: EE/JJ-Rock mx pgm, from Los Angelos. (444 7/25 Stone-ONT)
118400930 K「NR: ES-Scripture readings, gospel mx. (322 7/8 Soomre-MA)
119001400 KYOI: EJ/JJ-TJS rock mx pgm, 1D. ( $3437 / 9$ Rrewer-AR) ( 333 Schlesinger-TX) (Stone-ONT) (Scheel-IA) (Lipman-NJ)
$151900535 \mathrm{KYOI}: ~ E T-O N \mathrm{~W} / \mathrm{ID}$, rock $\mathrm{mx} .(4447 / 20$ Hull-V/i)
Reports seem to be down about 20 to $25 \%$. I guess the summer doldrums have gotten to a lot of us. Autumn will hopefully bring some better conditions for DXing. I have an unusually high amount of QRIM here.

| NEW Z E A L A N D |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 11960 RNZ: EE-OM w/ |  |  |
| 15485 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { RNZ } \\ & (333 \end{aligned}$ | ES-Mx from Romeo \& Juliet. ( $1427 / 27$ Lieu-CA) (253 Scheel-I $\dot{A}$ ) Johnson-IL) |
| 17705 | RNZ: | EE-OM w/local $n x$ \& talk on race relations.(7/9 Piatelli-CA) |
|  | (444 | Mckeon-IN) (Hill-SC) (Gayle Van Horne-TX) (Hancock-AL) (Preston-CA |
|  | (353 | Stanley-AZ) After looking back now I can see that I left the |
|  | time | off all 3 of these. It is as follows: 0959, 2035, \& 0500. tml |
| $\begin{aligned} & \text { PAP U A A } \\ & 3205 \mathrm{t} 1135 \end{aligned}$ |  | NEW GUINEA |
|  |  | R.Western: ??-OM w/pgm of Guitar mx. $3427 / 4$ Schlesinger-TX) |
| $\begin{array}{ccc} S O C & \text { I E T } \\ 11825 & \text { T } \end{array}$ |  | $Y$ I S L A N D S |
|  |  | R.Tahiti: TH/FF-Polynesian mx by YI, OM w/ID.(444 7/30 Preston-CA)(444 Gayle Van Horn-TX)(433 Traver-CA) |
| 15170 | 0300 | RT: $\mathrm{FF}-\mathrm{OH}$ w/call in talk show \& pop mx pgm. (454 7/22 StanleyAZ) ( 433 Hill-SC)(433 Soomre-MA) (444 Hancock-AL) (333 Blanchette -FL) (444 Cook-CA) |
| $\begin{array}{rrr} \text { S O L M O } \\ 9545 & 0638 \end{array}$ |  | N I S L A N D S |
|  |  | SIBC: EE-YL w/rock mx pgm, ads, \& IDs.( 343 7/28 Thompson-CA) (333 Gayle Van Horn-TX) (Mckeon-IN) (433 Traver-CA) (233 Freston |

$V A N U A T U$
72600654 RV: FF-ON w/continuous talk.(121 8/5 Traver-CA)
$++++++++++++++++++++++++++\quad$ W B J N E W S +++++++++++++++++++++++++
ISRAEL The ship-borne radio station "The Voice of Peace" anchored off the coast of Israel is currently heard broadcasting on the frequency of 6240 khz. Announcements in llewbrew and English state that the broadcasts are experimental and that reception reports are requested from listeners. JJAPAN Radio Japan states that the test transmissions from Gabon in Africa were well received in the primary target areas of Europe and the Middle East. The tests were therefore a success. This has reinforced the ir intent going ahead with the project. to transmit R.Japans programs from Gabon. TTURKEY Turkish Police Radio from Ankara is currently observed broadcasting from 0558 to 1000 and 1058 to 1600 daily on 6340.

That is about all of interest from the WBI this month. I hope the QRN begins to fade soon. See you next month. 73 s


## listen to the world on shortwave

For Sale: Robert Leary has several things for sale-not enough room for detalls- RME Shortwave Receiver, needs work, \$30. Info-Tech M-200-F CW/RTTY Decoder, like new condition! $\$ 350.00$ I will ship $\neq$ Insure postpald by UPS. Military Surplus R-44/ARR-5, covers 28 to 150 MHz . Needs work, \$25., you pay shipping. Robert also has an AN/APR-4Y w/ CV -253 tuning unit, covers 38 to 1000 MHz . Also panaramic adapter for the above, good condx, $\$ 100.00$. Also a $\mathrm{BC}-608$, covers 27 to $39 \mathrm{MHz}, \$ 50$ you pay shipping. Robert Leary, 67 Eber Ave. Akron, OH 44305 (216-376-2402). No Collects.

For Sale: Info-Tech M-200-F Tri-mode converter, decodes 45, 50, 57, 74, 100 Baudot; 110 and 300 ASC II; and CW 5-60 WPM; has 170, 425, 850 , and variable space shift. Exc cond. 1yr. old. Manual and original carton, and World Press Service Freq Book, all for $\$ 349+$ shipping. Bank M. o. or COD. Eugene D. Krolak, Jr., 173 W. Labo Rd., Cerleton, MI 48117 (313-654-8387) No Collects.
For Sale: Numerous recent $S W$ and scanner bulletins, books and frea. lists. Send SASE for list. Also, freq extender for SPR-4, inc. 9 crystals for $\$ 59$ (plugs into a crystal socket) and a Radio West ?刀" Ferrite Loop Antennabest of fer. J1m Uerlings, 3908 Kelley Dr., Klemath Falls, OR 97601 , or call (503) 884-7659, after 0130 GMT.

# WORLD SERVICE STATION SKEDS PROGRAMMII <br> PROGRAMWE SCHEDULE <br> <br> \section*{BULLETIN DE PROGRAMMES <br> <br> \section*{BULLETIN DE PROGRAMMES <br> <br> <br> ENGLISH SERVICE} <br> <br> <br> ENGLISH SERVICE} <br> Editor: <br> CHRIS LOBDELL P.O. Box 146 <br> Stoneham, MA 02180 <br> Deadline: 12th <br> EMISSIONS TRASMISSIONI programs SERVIZIO <br> COMUNICATI NEL CORSO 

Hello everybody! Well, summer in New England sure has been hot and humid! We've had a respite the past couple of days though. Before you know it, the summer will be history.
The first Sunday in September will mark the start of a new broadcasting period, known as "S83". Please send in those new skeds so we can include them in the October Station Skeds!! Unless otherwise stated, schedules are for English programs and times are in UTC. Items credited to the BBC MS are copywrited and used by permission of the world Broadcast Information Division of the BBC Monitoring Service. On to the skeds:

| ALASKA. KNLS (not KLNS as I misquo ed last month) has this 583 sked. |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 900-1200 | 9620 | USSR | Russia |
| 1200-1330 | 6170 | China | Mandarin |
| 1330-1630 | 6170 | YSSR | Russia |
| Tentative winter |  |  |  |
| November 6th: |  |  |  |
| 0700-1200 | 6170 | USSR | Russian/ |
|  |  |  | Ukranian |
| 1200-1500 | 6170 | China | Mandarin |
| 1500-1730 | 6170 | USSR | Russian/ |
|  |  |  | Ukranian |
| 1730-2000 | 6185 | USSR |  |
|  |  |  | Uk |

The station's mailing address is P.O. Box 473, Anchor Point, AK 99556.
(D. Hosmer)

CHINA (Taiwan): The Voice Of Free China, current as of August 4th. 0l00-0200 11825 N. America/Austral.
15345 "
17890 "

| 0200-0300* | 11740 | Central America |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 0300-0350 | 11825 | N. America/Austral. |
|  | 15345 | " |
|  | 17800 | " |
|  | 17890 | " |
| 0300-0350* | 5985 | North America |
| 0610-0710* | 5985 | " |
| 1030-1040\# | 5980 | Southeast Asia |
| 1100-1200\# | 5980 | " |
| 1500-1530\# | 5980 | " |
| 2030-2130 | 9610 | Africa/ME/Europe |
|  | 9765 |  |
|  | 11725 | " |
|  | 11860 | " |
|  | 15225 | " |
| 2140-2240 | 11825 | North Amer/Austral. |
|  | 15345 | " |
|  | 17800 | " |

CHINA: CONTINUED.
2140-2240 17890 N. America/Australia

* = via WYFR, Florida
\# = via Kaohsiung
(M. Flannagan, BBC MS)

ECUADOR. Radio Nacional del Ecuador via an HCJB transmitter. In The Spanish language.
2155-0030 15350
(BBC MS)
GERMANY (Federal Republic): Deutsche Welle in Cologne. Current North American Sked.

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\begin{array}{ll}
0100-0150 & 6040,6085,6145,9545, \\
& 9565,9590,11865,15105 \\
0500-0550 & 5960,9545,9690,11705, \\
& 11905
\end{array}
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Transmissions air from various sites in Germany, Malta, Antigua, Montserrat.
See WRTH for this info.
(L. Taylor)

GUAM. KTWR in Agana, J83 schedule.
0900-1000 11840
1330-1430 9510
1500-1530 9510
2330-0000 15320
(E. Soomre)

HONDURAS. HRVC, La Voz Evangelica.
Undated sked on QSL card.
1100-0300 4820 Spanish
0300-0500 4820 English
(E. Soomre)

HUNGARY. Radio Budapest, sked effective on September 25 th.
0130-0200* 6025 North America 9585 " 9835

HUNGARY: CONTINUED

| $0130-0200 *$ |
| ---: |
| 11910 |
| 12000 |
| 15220 |

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11910 "

15160 "

| $1700-1730$ | 6025 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |$\quad$ Europe

9585 "

9835 "
11910 "
12000 "
1900-1930!

| 6110 |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| 9585 | $"$ |

9835 "
11910 "
12000 "

HUNGARY: CONTINUED.


JAPAN. Radio Japan (NHK) in Tokyo has the following 583 schedule. General Ser.
TIME ASIA AMERICA EUROPE

0100-0130 $17810 \quad 17755$

15300
9505
17785
17785
1100-1130
$\begin{array}{cc}15195 & 9505\end{array}$
9635
1300-1345 11815 9505
1500-1545 11815 95059675
$\begin{array}{cccc}1700-1730 & 11815 & " & " \\ 1900-1945 & " & 15300 & "\end{array}$
$\begin{array}{cccc}2100-2130 & \text { " } & \text { " } & \text { " } \\ 2215-2230 & 15195 & 17755 & 9645\end{array}$
15235
2300-2330 15195 $17755 \quad 9645$
2300-2330 15195 177559645 15235
RELAYS VIA SINES, PORTUGAL
0700-0715 15235
2215-2230 11740
REGIONAL SERVICES TO NORTH AMERICA
0130-0230 15195, 17825, 21610, 21640
2345-0045 15300, 17825
(B. Bode11)

MALTA. Radio Mediterranean has this undated schedule.
1800-1857 6110 Arabic
2130-2230 " French
2230-2330 " English
(E. Soomre)

NAMIBIA. Radio Southwest Africa in
Windhoek. This sked is valid until
September 3oth.
0358-0630 3270
0400-0615 3295
0615-1515 6185
0630-1445 7190
1445-2200 3270
1515-2200 3295 German/Vernaculars
2200-0358 3270 Vernaculars
2200-0400 3295
(E. Soomre)

Vernaculars
German/Afrikaans
Vernaculars

NETHERLANDS ANTILLES. Trans World Radio on Bonaire has this sked which expired on April 30th! Anyone have a more up-to-date listing? 0400-0600 9535 North America 1115-1235 11815 " (P. Card) I think the 1115 transmission is extended past 1235 on weekends, Ed.

NEW ZEALAND. Radio New Zealand in Wellington. This schedule expired on September 3rd.

| 0515-1215 | 9620 | Pacific/Australia |
| :---: | :--- | :--- |
|  | 15485 | $\mathbf{n}$ |
| 1800-2100 | 11960 | Pacific |
|  | 15485 |  |
| 2115-0500 | 15485 | Pacific/Australia |
|  | 17705 | " |

(B. MacGibbon, P. Card, BBC MS)

PAKISTAN. Radio Pakistan in Karachi has this schedule as published in the August edition of "Pakistan Calling".

| 0230-0245* | 17840 | Southeast Asia " |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 15325 |  |
|  | 21595 | " |
| 0339-0345+ | 15325 | $\underset{\text { Africa }}{\text { Afric }}$ |
|  | 17640 |  |
| 1100-1115* | 17660 | Western Europe " |
|  | 21802 |  |
| 1600-1615* | 15455 | East Africa |
|  | 15565 | Middle East |
|  | 11670 | ! ! |
|  | 17660 | East Africa |
|  | 17640 | Middle. East |
| 1645-1745 | 11670 | Europe |
|  | 15515 | " |

* Slow (dictation) speed news.
+ part of the Swahili service, news in English.
(direct)
POLAND. Radio Polonia in Warsaw
had this schedule, dated July 28 th. 0200-0355 6095, 6135, 7145, 7270, 9525, 11815, 15120 to North America
0630-0700 6135, 7270, 9675 to Europe
1130-1155 3955, 5995, 6095, 7285 to Europe

POLAND: CONTINUED.
1830-1855 9525, 7125, 9675, 11840
$\begin{array}{ll}\text { to Europe } \\ \text { 1830-1900 } & 3955,5995,6135,7285 \text { to } \\ & \text { Europe }\end{array}$
2000-2025 3955, 5995, 6095, 7285 to
2000-2030 $7125,7145,9525,9675$ to Africa
2030-2055 6095, 7285 to Europe
2230-2300 5995, 6135, 7125, 7270 to Europe.
(BBC MS)
PORTUGAL. Radio Portugal in Lisbon, this schedule went into effect on the loth of July. The North American beam.
0300-0330 6060, 11925 East Coast
0530-0600 6075, 9575 West Coast
(B. Robinson)

SEYCHELLES. FEBA in Mahe has this sked, dated August 4 th.

| 0400-0500* | I1800 | East Africa |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 15200 | " |
| 1225-1230 | 11865 | South Asia |
|  | 15325 | " |
| $1500-1600$ | 11895 | " |
|  | 15325 | $"$ |

* = Saturday and Sunday only. (BBC MS)

UPPER VOLTA. Radiodiffusion-Television Voltaique in Ouagadougou. sked valid as of July 21 st.
0530-0900 4815 French, on Mon., Tues, Wed., Friday
1200-1400 9515 French on Mon, Tues,
1600-0000 Wed, Friday
1600-0000 4815 French \& vernaculars on Mon, Tues, Wed, Friday
0530-0800 4815 French on Thursday
0800-1600 9515 French on Thursday French and vernaculars on Thursday

On Saturday, Sunday, sign on is at 0700 with the rest of the sked the same as Thurday. Unconfirmed is the report of an English broadcast on Sunday from 1330-1400 on 9515 kHz .
( BBC MS )
1200-1225 6095, 7285 to Europe
1230-1300 9525, 9675, 11840, 15120 That wraps up another STATION SKEDS to Africa column. Hope you found it informative.
1400-1430 6095, 7285 to Europe Next month I hope to have the new fall
1500-1530 $\begin{aligned} & \text { 2955, 5995, 6095, } 7285 \text { to } \mathrm{S} 83 \text { skeds for you. }\end{aligned}$
1600-1630 6135, 9540 to Europe Things to remember:
1630-1700 7125, 9525, 9675, 11840 to Africa
1730-1755 3955, 5995, 9675 to Europe
1730-1800 6135, 9540 to Europe
Write on only one side of the paper! If you write on both sides, I'll have to choose one side when I cut the skeds apart for sorting. The info on the reverse will be lost. 73,





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| $\because$ CUBA: |  |  | **** CARIBBEAN **** |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 8573.0 | C 2031 | CLA21- Havana MARCO - tfc list (TJY-MD) |
|  | 15497 | C 1500 | CMU967- Santiago de Cuba NAVRAD- clg UHDK (RMA-IA) |
| MART | 13032 | C 0105 | FUF- FF NAVRAD Ft, de France- V mkx (JH-AL) |
|  | 17391 | C 1925 | FUF- FF NAVRAD Ft, de France- V mkr (RJC-MA) |
| P.R.: | 8471 | C 0110 | NMR- CG San Juan - CQ/QSX mkr (PAT-CA) |
|  | 16300 | U 0144 | NNNめNRD- USN MARS $\mathrm{p} / \mathrm{p}$ with NNNøNIM (BCW-VA) |
|  |  |  | **** SOUTH AMERICA **** |
| ARGN: | 12728 | C 0138 | LSO5- Buenos Aires NAVRAD- WX b/c (TJY-MD) |
|  | 16925.4 | C 0130 | ISO3- Buenos Aires NAVRAD- WX b/c (AJD-NJ) |
|  | 17195 | C 0045 | LPD44-G.P.R. Buenos Aires- V mkr (GLT-NM) |
|  | 17286 | U 0156 | IPL- G.P.R. Buenos Aires- SS/OM/VM (JRJ-MS) |
| BRZLI: | 8517 | C 0631 | PPO- Olinda MARCO - V mkr (SF-CA) |
|  | 8520 | C 0115 | PPO- Olinda MARCO - V mkr (PAT-CA) |
|  | 8634 | C 0604 | PPR- Rio de Janeiro MARCO-V mkr (SF-CA) |
|  | 17161.9 | C 1855 | PPO- Olinda MARCO-V/QSX mkr (RJC-MA) |
|  | 22352.5 | C 0045 | PPR- Rio de Janeiro MARCO- V mkr (GLT-NM) |
| CHIL : | 5355 | C 0245 | CCS- Santiago NAVRAD - V mkr (JEBB-CA) |
|  | 22072 | C 2140 | CCS- Santiago NAVRAD - V mkr (FWB-NJ) |
|  | 22446.5 | C 2016 | CBN32- Natales MARCO wky CBNI (FWB-NJ) |
| COLO: | 4277.1 | C 0320 | HKB- Barranquilla MARCO - CQ mkr (BLJ-TX) |
|  | 8570 | C 0621 | HKC- Buenaventura MARCO - CQ mkr (SF-CA) |
|  | 17004 | C 2246 | HKB- Barranquilla MARCO - CQ mkr (BLJ-TX) |
| ECUA: | 3810 | A 0937 | HD210A- SFTS Guayaquil (JH-AL) |
| URGY: | 12750 | C 0040 | CWA - Cerrito MARCO - NTM/tfc list (AJD-NJ) |
| VENE; | 6100 | A 0150 | YVTO- SFTS Caracas (JH-AL) |
|  |  |  | **** EUROPE **** |
| AZOR: | 5598 | U 0105 | Santa Maria Aero wkg Speedbird??? (MWS-IA) |
|  | 5598 | U 0312 | Santa Maria Aero wkg Gander Aero (JDW-MN) |
|  | 8989 | U 0222 | CUW- Lajes Awys clg King 47 (MWS-IA) |
| BELG: | 8649 | C 0603 | OST- Oostende MARCO - V mkr (SF-CA) |
|  | 12781 | C 0507 | OST- Oostende MARCO - CQ mkr (SF-CA) |
| BUL. : | 5540 | U 1948 | Borgas LDOC wkg Bulgarian a/c (IK-UK) |
|  | 11273 | U 1352 | Borgas LDOC wkg Bulgarian a/c (IK-UK) |
|  | 11273 | U 1458 | Sofia VOLMET - EF/YL (IK-UK) |
| CYPR: | 3186 | C 0232 | KWS78- USEMB Nicosia - QRA mkr (FWB-NJ) |
|  | 6751 | U 0046 | (RAF) Cyprus Flight Watch wikg Architect (IK-UK) |
|  | 13122.5 | U 2223 | 5BA54- Nicosia MARCO - EE/CK/YI/VM (SHR-FIJ) |
| DEN. : | 11246 | U 2017 | Danish AF Varloese wkg DAF 679 (IK-UK) |
|  | 12916.5 | C 0353 | OXZ6- Lyngby MARCO - CQ mkr (SF-CA) |
|  | 17068.5 | C 2055 | OXZ8- Lyngby MARCO - CQ mkr (PAT-CA) |
| ENG.: | 3435 | C 0120 | GYA - Lond on NAVRAD - DE mkr (SHR-FL) |
|  | 7970 | L 0010 | BBC- Daventry feeder (KWK-VA) |
|  | 8516 | C 0632 | GKC- Portishead MARCO - DE mkr (SF-CA) |







| NOR. : | 11 | U 1412 | RNOAF Ludair wkg J.W. $\varnothing 66$ (IK-UK) | 18373.0 | 0742 | 50/425- | BCT28- PTP Shanghai PRC - QRA mkr (PAC-UK) |
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|  | 11454 | C 0452 | LBA219- Stavanger NAVRAD- V mkr (JEB-CA) | 18419.2 | 0635 | 50/425r | CLP67- EMBACUBA Baghdad IRAQ-w/CLP1 (AM-UK) |
| PORT: | 6388 | C 0525 | CTP94- Deira NAVRAD - DE/QSX mkr (JEB-CA) | 18523.0 | 0630 | 75/425r | RBMVAE- BA (Gurkhas) Dahran NEFL-w/Hong Kong (AM) |
| SPAN: | 8447 | O var. | AME3- probable Madrid NAVRAD clg UMA7 (FWB) (BLJ) | 18670.0 | 1126 | 50/425n | FTS67-AFP Paris FRAN - EE/NX (RDS-NJ) |
|  | 8682 | C 0555 | EAD- Aranjuez MARCO - CQ mkr (SF-CA) | 18697.6 | 1130 | 50/425n | DFS70L3- DPA Hamburg FRG - EE/NX (RDS-NJ) |
|  | 12933 | C 0350 | EAD- Aranjuez MARCO - CQ mkr (SF-CA) | 18715.2 | $0658$ | SITOR | PCW5- DU EMB Cairo EGPT- tfe PCW1 (JK-FRG) |
|  | 13065 | C 0120 | EADL4- Aranjuez MARCO - CQ/QSX mkr (JH-AL) | 18886.9 | 2000 | 50/850n | MKD- RAF Akrotiri CYPR- RY/FOXs (RMA-IA) |
|  | 17065.2 | C 2103 | EDZ6- Aranjuez MARCO - WX b/c (TJY-MD) | 18907.0 | 1945 | 50/850r | MKG- RAF London ENG - RY/FOXs (RMA-IA) |
|  | 17184.7 | C 2239 | EAD/EDZ- Aranjuez MARCO- CQ/MC mkr (BLJ-TX) | 19280.0 | 1400 | 75/425n | 4UV- UNO Nairobi KEN. UN tfc (RMA-IA) POU1d DU FMB Tslamabad FAKT- w/PCH1 |
|  | 22533 | C 2000 | EAD-Aranjuez MARCO - CQ mkx into tfc list (FWB-NJ) | 19302.8 | 1029 | SITOR $50 / 425 r$ | PCW1申- DU EMB Islamabad FAKI- w/PCW1 (JK-FRG) <br> Y7AT7- MFA Berlin GDR-GG press/coded tfc (PMA-IA) |
| SWED: | 12880 | C 0011 U 1829 | SAG6- Goteborg MARCO - V mkr (TJY-MD) | $\begin{aligned} & 19443.0 \\ & 19616.0 \end{aligned}$ | 1310 1300 | $\begin{aligned} & 50 / 425 r \\ & 75 / 850 r \end{aligned}$ | Y7A77- MFA Berlin GDR-GG press/coded tfc (PMA-IA) NBA- USN Balboa PANA - testing (PMA-IA) |
| SWIS: | 13205 | U 1829 | Berne LDOC wkg a/c Bravo Mike (IK-UK) | 19616.0 19747.1 | $\begin{aligned} & 1300 \\ & \text { var. } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 75 / 850 r \\ & 50 / 425 r \end{aligned}$ | NBA- USN Balboa PANA - testing (RMA-IA) <br> 6VJ79- Dakar Air SENE- RYs/WX (RMA-IA) (RDS-NJ) |
|  | 18023 11234 | U 1120 U 0018 | Berne LDOC wkg a/c Hotel Papa Zulu (IK-UK) RAF detachnent Izmir wikg Architect (IK-UK) | 19747.1 19790.0 | $0135$ | $\begin{aligned} & 50 / 425 n \\ & 50 / 850 n \end{aligned}$ | 6VU79- Dakar Air SENE- RYs/wX (RMA-IA) (RDS-NJ) <br> CTU89- Monsanto NAVRAD PORT- PP tfe (RDS-NJ) |
| USSR: | 11234 8710.6 | U 0018 C 0146 | RAF detachment Irmir wkg Architect (IK-UK) UAH- Tallin MARCO - DE mkr (JHW-NJ) | 19790.0 19877.7 | 0927 | 50/850n | 9JA69- ZIANA Lusaka ZAMB - EE/NX (JK-FRG) |
|  | 8888 | U see | RR/YL VOLMET - 2203-Syktvkar, 2205-Sverdlovsk, 2210- Yeniseysk, 2215- Kurumoch (IK-UK) | 20014.8 20300.0 20328.0 | 1730 1548 1122 | $\begin{aligned} & 50 / 425 r \\ & 75 / 850 r \end{aligned}$ | CLP18- EMBACUBA Conakry GUIA- clg CLP1 (AM-UK) NPN- USN Agana GUAM - coded tfc (JEB-CA) 6VK221- PANA Dakar SENE - FF/NX (JK-FRG) |
|  | 8990 | U 0121 | Novosibirsk Metro (continious-RR/YL) (IK-UK) | 20328.0 | 1122 |  | 6VK221- PANA Dakar SENE - FF/NX (JK-FRG) <br> WWO USN North West Cape AUST- 1 deling (TEB-CA) |
|  | 12451 | A 2328 | Radio Moscow feeder (in AM??) (SHR-FL) | 20367.0 | 1540 | $75 / 850 n$ | NWC- USN North West Cape AUST- 1deling(JEB-CA) |
|  | 12690 | C 0156 | UJY-Kaliningrad MARCO - CQ mkr (JHW-NJ) | 20520a | 1855 | $75 / 850 n$ | LOL- Buenos Aires NAVRAD ARGN- RY/SGs (RMA-IA) |
|  | 12693 | C var. | URD- Leningrad MARCO- DE/QSX mkr (RDG-AUST) (SF-CA) | 20622.5 | var. |  | 5KM- Bogota NAVRAD COLO- msgs OBC (AM-UK) (RMA) |
|  | 12925 | C 2001 | UDK2- Murmansk MARCO - callup to 4LS (PAC-UK) | 20627.5 | 1830 | $50 / 4253$ | GMN- unkn ENG- press??- RYs/5 figure msgs(RMA) |
|  | 12970 | C 2012 | URL- Sevastopol MARCO - CQ mkr (PAC-UK) | 20714.4 | 1923 | 50/425r | CLP18- EMBACUBA Dar-es-Salaam TANZ-w/CLP1 (AM) |
|  | 13555 | U 0200 | unusual RR net with callsigns of OX CART, MECHANIC, MARKSMAN, PARIS, etc (RLR-KS) | $20876$ | which | ASCII ${ }_{\text {A }}$ | correct?? - see your $20014.8 \mathrm{kHz} . .$. <br> /850r XQ8AF1- Cerro Tololo Observatory CHIL |
|  | 15024 | C 1605 | RFNV- Moscow Aero wkg CoL Havana (IK-UK) |  |  |  | wkg krk92 A.U.R.A. Tucson A.Z (RMA-IA) |
|  | 17115 | C 2100 | URB2- Klaipeda MARCO - DE mkr into tfc (PAT-CA) | 20948. | 0653 | 50/425n | BUL EMB Luanda ANGO- tfe MFA Sofia (AM-UK) |
|  | 18830 | L 0013 | Radio Moscow feeder (PAT-CA) | 20987.0 | 1435 | 50/425n | INDO EMB Algiers ALGE- tfc MFA Jakarta (AM-UK) |
| YUGO: | 8767 | U 1544 | Zagreb Aero clg Belgrade Aero (IK-UK) | 21807.5 | 0728 | 50/425- | YOV28- AGERPRES Bucharest ROMA- QRA (PAG-UK) |
|  | 12780.5 | C var. | YUR5- Rijeka MARCO-V/QSX mkr (RMA-IA) (SF-CA) | 21876.0 22728.3 | $\begin{aligned} & 1004 \\ & 1054 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 50 / 425 n \\ & 100 / 425 r \end{aligned}$ | HSF212BNN- THAI EMB Bonn FRG-w/New Delhi (AM-UK) YクG34- GDR EMB Phom Penh KAMP-w/Berlin (AM-UK) |
|  |  |  | **** AFRICA/MIDDIE EAST ${ }^{* * * *}$ | 22782.5 | 2000 | 100/42 | WEN62- USIA New York - EE/NX (RMA-IA) |
| ANGO: | $\begin{array}{r} 8562 \\ 12780 \end{array}$ | C 0627 <br> C var. |  |  |  | 100/42 | *** VIF//LW//MW **** |
|  | $\begin{aligned} & 12780 \\ & 10057 \end{aligned}$ | C var. <br> U 2112 | D3E51/61- Luanda MARCO- CQ/QSX mkr (BLJ-TX) (SF-CA) Brazzaville VOLMET - FF/OM (ES-MA) | 263.0 | 1121 | ROG- Ros | ers Muni Airport AR - NDB (GS-MO) |
| DJIB: | 13042.6 | C var. | FUV-FF NAVRAD Djibouti- V mkr (BLJ-TX) (JH-AL) | 286.0 | 0318 | AOQ- AI | iance NE - NDB (LMT-SD) |
|  | 16504.8 | C 0035 | FUV- FF NAVRAD Djibouti- V mkr (GLT-NM) | 293.0 | 1119 | PPR- unk | $n^{(p o s s i b l e ~ P F F ~ P a r s o n s ~ K S) ~ N D B ~(C S M o ~}$ |
| ISRL: | 13051.5 | C var. | 4XO- Haifa MARCO- CQ/QSX mkr (JH-AL) (BLJ-TX) | 317.0 | 0425 | IBM- Kim | bal NE NDB (LMT-SD) |
|  | 22491 | C 2006 | 4XO- Haifa MARCO - CQ mkr (FWB-NJ) | 365.0 | 1036 | PTS- Pit | tsburgh KS NDB (CS-NO) |
| KEN.: | 10057 | U 2110 | Nairobi VOLMET (ES-MA) | 373.0 | 0445 | BOD- Bo | man ND NDB (LMT-SD) |
|  | 11300 | U 2342 | Nairobi Aero wkg Luxair 181 (IK-UK) | 376.0 | 1058 | FSK- For | t Scott Muni Airport KS - NDB (CS-MO) |
| LIBE: | 4886 | C 0038 | KKN44- USEMB Monrovia - QRA mkr (SHR-FL) | 383.0 | 0333 | CNP- Cha | pple NE NDB (LMI-SD) |
| REUN: | 8475.5 | C 1225 | FUX- FF NAVRAD - V mkr (GLT-NM) | 408.0 | 0715 | GDV- G | ndive MT a KS NDB (LMT-SD) (CS-MO) |
|  | 13215 | ${ }^{C}$ var. | FUX - FF NAVRAD - V mkr (IK-UK) (DRH-FA) | 410.0 521.0 | 1113 | MSB- | a KS NDB (CS-MO) |
| SAUD: | 10476 | I 2320 | BSKSA Feeder (SHR-FL) | 521.0 | 0314 | YWA- | MIL Petawawa ONI GAN - NDB (MdL-ME) |





| NZEL: | 8598.4 | 1245 ZLO- Irirangi NAVRAD - CQ mkr (GLT-NM) |
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|  | 11130 | 0458 ZLX22-Wellington Metro-CQ mkr (JEB-CA) |
|  |  | SHIPS |
| 4097.0 | 0 S 0201 | ELTP- AL RAZIQ wkg WOM (FWB-NJ) |
| 4410.1 | 1 U 1141 | H.K. BECK (tug) wkg St. Louis MO IWMAR (JDW-MN) |
| 6200 | U 1211 | WTDO- NOAA OREGON 2 wkg unid sta (JRJ-MS) |
| 6506.4 | 4 U 1202 | NJSJ- CGC CAPE CARTER wkg CG San Francisco (JDW-MN) |
| 6506.4 | 4 U 1033 | NODX- CGC SWEztBRIAR wkg CG Kodiak (JDW-MN) |
| 6506.4 | 4 U 1037 | NDTS- CGC DAUNTLESS wkg CG Miami (JDW-MN) |
| 8198.1 | 1 U 0225 | NORSE VENTURE p/p via WOM (AJD-NJ) |
| 8805.7 | U 1303 | MARINE GENIE wkg VIS Sydney (JDW-MN) |
| 8811.9 | 9 U 0015 | SONG OF AMERICA $\mathrm{p} / \mathrm{p}$ via WOM (JDW-MN) |
| 13107 | U 1345 | GENERAL LEE p/p via WOO (JDW-MN) |
| 13113.2 | 2 U 1933 | NFMC- USS MARS Wkg CG San Francisco (RWP-ME) |
| 13128.7 | 7 U 1338 | ODYSSEY p/p via WOO (JDW-MN) |
| 16485 | U 0142 | WPTP- BAY RIDGE clg WOM (JRJ-MS) |

TWA 900/904- SPEEDBIRD $274^{* * * *}$ wkg G
TWA 900/904-SPEEDBIRD 274 wkg Gander Aero (JDW-MN)
QUANTAS 11 - JAPAN AIR 77 wkg Nandi Aero (JDW-MN) QUANTAS 11 - JAPAN AIR 77 wkg Nandi Aero (JDW-MN)
CG 1477, CG 2124 wkg CG New Orleans (JDW-MN) CG 1603 wkg CG Kodiak (JDW-MN)
GG 1491 wkg CG Boston (BCW-VA) CAPITOL 222, CUBANA 477 wkg New York Aero (JDW-MN) AMERTCAN 684, CAPITOL 222 wkg New York Aero (MF-WI) AIR FRANCE 232 wkg Santa Maria Aero (JDW-MN)
CLIPPER 99 wkg Gander Aero (JDW-MN) CANMIL 5517, IBERIA 952 wkg Gander Aero (JDw-MN) CANMIL 1041 wkg Churchill Aero (JDW-MN) AEROFLOT 243 wkg Tripoli Aero (RJL-GA) SOUTH PACIFIC $401 / 414$ wkg Guam Aero (JDW-MN)
CLIPPER 11, SOUTH PACIFTC 410 wkg Honolulu (JDW-MN)
AIR TRANS 202, CAPITOL 215 wkg New York Aero (JDW-MN) AIR TRANS 202, CAPITOL 215 wkg New York Aero (JDW-MN)
KOREAN 985 wkg Singapore Aero (JDW-MN) KOREAN 985 wkg Singapore Aero (JDW-MN)
MAC $60172 \mathrm{p} / \mathrm{p}$ Travis CP via Hickam Awys MAC 60190, NAVY 670 wkg Andersen Awys(JDW-MN) (RAL-OH)
CANMIL 8453 wkg CANMII St. Johns (JDW-MN) CG 1454 p/p RCC via CG San Francisco (MWS-IA) JAPAN AIR 12 wkg Tokyo Aero JAPAN AIR 12 wkg Tokyo Aero (JDW-MN)
NORTHWEST $2 / 8$ wkg Anchorage Aero (JDW NORTHWEST $2 / 8$ wkg Anchorage Aero (JDW-MN)
AIR INDIA 214 wkg Calcutta Aero (JDW-MN) AIREVAC $38083 \mathrm{p} / \mathrm{p}$ Andrews Metro via Loring (LSD-NJ)


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This editor offers a 9 page listing of Abbreviations \& Terminology



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**** NOTE: Usually from October through May, this utility column will mean extensive dumping of excess loggings, due to a lack of available line spaces, I am now asking this:

Think about sending in, primarily your better than average
loggings. Quality rather than quanity, will help me out during those
heavy input months......Many TNX

## **** Duplicated Loggings... Many of you Speedxers are members of



 the duplicated logging approach.
 into two or more US based Sh clubs, then you should obtain the maximum benefit from such expenditures. Seeing the same loggings in club X \& Y, really defeats the purpose, for in essence you are wasting your own money.

 duplicated loggings, one club column ends up as a rehash of the
 suggesting that you should play favorites, or abandon one of the

If say you $\log 30$ xmsns, send 15 to club $X \& 15$ to club $Y$. In this manner, each club column has unique loggings, and this in the



You therefore get your money's worth each and every month. This
would apply to the run of the mill loggings. If you monitor a real

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# QSL <br> REPORT <br> EDITOR: <br> Leon Kanopka <br> 139-37 254th Street <br> Rosedale, New York 11422 U.S.A. 

Welcome to the world of QSLing. Join us for a brief trip around the planet, seeking the rare, and the not so rare QSL...

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ASCENSION ISLAND-BBC Relay-11820, f/d PFG in 1 yr, $2 \frac{1}{2}$ months after f/up directly to site (Holbrook-MD).
BENIN-ORTB-Parakou-5025, Bio Guera Square card with no data handwritten veri statement on reverse in FF. In 90 days for FF rpt and 3 irc sent registered air mail (Lobdell-MA). Lamda warriors card with handwritten veri statement on reverse for 2 irc and FF rpt (Stephany-NY).
CAMEROON-R. Bertoua-4750, f/d form letter requesting donations in 39 days for EE rpt and ms (Kivell-NM). V/S-James Achanyi-Fontem.
CANARY ISLANDS-REE-15365, $f / d$ art card in 23 days along with stickers and pennants for 1 irc and $S S$ rpt (Van Horn-TX). Art card in 34 days for STLRF (Speedx Tri Lingual Report Form) (Talbot-WI). In 28 days for SS rpt (Mahoney-FL). 11815, f/d art card in 61 days (Lipman-NY).
CAPE VERDE-Radio Voz de São Vincente-3930, date/wrong freq letter in 124 days for 2 irc and EE/PP rpt (Stephany-NY). 7154, no data logo card for PP rpt and 2 irc in 24 days (Hosmer-MI).
EGYPT-Radio Cairo-?????, Mosque card in 60 days (KIosowski-FL). V/S Rita.
GABON-Africa No. One-15200, no QSL-but a R. France Int'l sked and pennant from France, when report was sent to Gabon???(McKeon-IN). || $\downarrow \dot{\downarrow}$ (Dillainan-OH)
IVORY COAST-R. Abidjan-7215, f/d card in 32 days for FF rpt and 2 irc $\uparrow \uparrow \uparrow$
LIBERIA-ELBC-6090, The Sound of Progress card in 5 mo for EE rpt and 1 irc (Witte, CA). Same in ?? days for 1 irc (Van Horn-TX). Same in 27 days for EE rpt and ms (Mahoney-FL). V/S-Tom Srorton-Maint. Eng.
LIBYA-R. Jamahiriya-11816, Freq only letter in. 24 days for 2 irc (Parks-FI). Datelfreq form letter in 175 days (Golab-IL). Same in 125 days (FisherMA). Same in 240 days (Welch-MA). V/S-Mohammed Sweidan. All of these were thru P.O. Box 17, Hamrum, Malta.
NAMIBIA-R. SWA-3270, $f / d$ Aloe Dichotoma card in 37 days for 2 irc and EE rpt. Also reed books on Namibia (Dampier-NY).
NIGERIA-FRCN-Kaduna-4770, f/d form letter in 53 days for $\operatorname{ms}$ (SchlesingerTX). V/S-Iusuf Garba. FRCN-Enugu-6025, f/d letter in 39 days for 2 irc (Walters-NJ). V/S-P.A.O. Orogbu. Bendel Bestng Service-4932, f/d letter in 9 wks (Barto-CT). V/S-L.I. Asoera, Chief Tech. Officer. VON-15120, $f$ /d Rememberance Arcade Card in 365 days for 2 irc (Greenbauer-AZ).
RWANDA-DW-17800, 30th Ann Card with $\mathrm{f} / \mathrm{d}$ in 28 days (Welch-MA).
SAO TOME E PRINCIPE-R. Nac-4807, f/d form letter in 28 days (Dampier-NY).
SEYCHELLES-FEBA-11955, f/d map card in 27 days for 2 irc (Card-??).
SOUTH AFRICA-R. RSA-9585, 9615,25790 , f/d Elephants card in 19 days (Bingham-MA). Ebebezer Dam card in 15 days (Klosowski-FL). Same in 22 days (Mahoney-FL). Johannesburg skyline card in 32 days along with pennant (Brewer-AR). Dam card in 54 days for 2 irc (Swinn-CA). Skyline and Cheetah cards in 20 days (Ducos-France). Radio 5-3250, f/d industry card in 37. days (Dampier-NY).
SWAZILAND-Radio SR-6155, f/d Swazi Warrior card in 117 days for 2 irc was recd by Stephany-NY.
TUNISIA-Radioduffusion Television Tunisienne-15225, f/d Oasis card in 5 months for 2 irc (Campbell-CT).
ZAMBIA-ZBS-4911, plain card in 78 days for 2 irc (Kivell-NM). V/SPeter Musuba. Card was full data.
ZIMBABWE-2BC-3396, p/d card in 60 days (Barto-CT).


ALBANIA-Radio Tirana-6200, 7065, 7300, date/time revolution card in 432 days after $6 \mathrm{f} / \mathrm{ups}$ (Dampier-NY). F/D card in 150 days (Van Horn-TX). Same in 106 days. (Greenbauer-AZ).
AUSTRIA-ORF-5945, 9770, 6155, 11665, f/d cards: in 42 days (Speer-CA). In 67 days (Bingham-MA). In 50 days (Dillaman-OH). In 142 days (MahoneyFL). In 60 Days for 2 irc (Hull-WA). In 34 days (Harrington-CO). In 65 days (Hesch-NY). In 23 days (No Name!!). In 50 days(Mahoney-FL). Most also received stickers and all recd skeds.
BELGIUM-BRT-6225, 9880, 11695, 17610, 17550, QSL and sticker in 25 days (Ducos-France). Palace card in 33 days (Blanchette-FL). Monument cards in 49 and 51 days (Klosowski-FL). Form letter in 22 days with $\mathrm{f} / \mathrm{d}$ (Bingham-MA). Card in 53 days (Demmitt-PA). Form letter in 23 days for 1 irc (Kapinos-MA). Remember, oney DX ceub members get QSL cands, the rest get form letters... enk
BULGARIA-R. Sofia-9700, f/d Mausoleum card in 43 days (Muzyka-NY). f/d Soviet Army Monument card in 120 days (Deinet-NJ). National Academic Theatre card in 46 days (Bingham-MA).
CZECHOSLOVAKIA-Radio Prague-6055, 11990, f/d card in 47 days (Ducos-France). Same in 129 days for 1 irc (Moore-TX). Same in 122 days for 2 irc (Card).
DENMARK-R.Denmark-15165, $\frac{1}{4}$ of painting card with $f / d$ for 1 irc in ... oh oh, John, you fongot the time-enk (Kapinos-MA). Same in 24 days for 1 irc and Danish report (Robinson-TN).
FINLAND-R. "This is not the A \& P", Finland-17800, nothing in 31 days for nothing (Kapinos-MA). That's what John called it... enk
FRANCE-Radio France Intl-QSL and Pennant in 20 days and also in 34 days (Ducos-France). F/D card in 29 days for 1 irc (Kapinos-MA). ( 0 ps freq was 7135 for both.
GERMAN DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC-RBI-QSLs in 29 days (Ducos-France) Freq was 7185. 6080, 6115, f/d but wrong freq card along with postcard and peace papers in 74 days (Arland-UK). 11975, f/d GDR scenes in $18!$ days (Kapinos-MA).
GERMAN FEDERAL REPUBLIC-Radi.o Free Europe-21720, freq only card in 7 days for $40 \phi$ US ms to NY office (Deinet-NJ). VOA-Munich-3980, Rodeo card in 7 days (Soomre-MA). DW-6040, 6085, f/d card in 57 days (Schulsinger-0H). Date only monitors card in 60 days (Jones-VA). F/D map card in 31 days (Klosowski-FL). V/S-Pete Sluge. Loni-I think that the day/month or monthiday dating depends on who fills out the cand... lnk
GREECE-ERT-9865, f/d card in 65 days for tape (Dampier-NY). VOA-Rhodes$15305, \mathrm{f} / \mathrm{d}$ rodeo card in 8 days (Hosmer-MI). VOA-Kavala-7205, f/d rodeo card in 5 days (Hosmer-MI).
HUNGARY-R. Budapest-9835, 11910, 12000, 15220, f/d cards in about 25 days along with skeds and magazines recd by: (Ducos-France)(Muzyka-NY) (Harrington-C0) (Kapinos-MA) (Bingham-MA).
ITALY-RAI-9575, f/d cards in 100 days (Deinet-NJ). In 106 days (Lipman-??).
LUXEMBOURG-R. Luxembourg-6090, p/d photo card in 38 days for 2 irc (Hosmer-MI). Same in 40 days no rp (Bingham-MA).
MALTA-R. Mediterranean-6110, f/d map card \& sticker in 15 days for 1 irc (Deinet-NJ). IBRA/ICR-9515, CN Tower cards in 28 days for 1 ire (SatoJapan). Same in 56 days tor ms (Schulsinger-0H). In 36 days for 1 irc (Soomre-ma). Cards were f/d.
MONACO-TWR-9495, Monte Carlo card in 34 days for 2 irc (McKeon-IN). Same for same in $90^{\circ}$ days (Lipman-NX). 11690, f/d card for irc in 13 days (Kapinos-MA).
NETHERLANDS-5955, 17605-f/d card in 15 days along with stamps (Arland-UK). Same in 17 days for ire (Kapinos-MA). Station was Radio Netherlands.
NORWAY-Radio Norway-6015, 9610, 11870, date/freq cards in 18 days for irc (Kapinos-MA). In 33 days along with sticker (Tilley-C0). In 22 (Ducos).
POLAND-R. Polonia-6095, 7270, 9595, f/d card in 32 days (Dampier-NY). Same in 110 days for irc (Card-??). Same with pennant in 160 days (Ducos)
PORTUGAL-AWR-9670, f/d card in 6 days along with calender and pennant thru London address (Arland-UK). IBRA-9670, QSL in 17 days (Ducos-France) Radio Portugal-6075, 9575, 11925, $\mathrm{f} / \mathrm{d}$ postcards with rubber stamped QSL statements recd in: 24 days (Klosowski-FL). In 46 days (Bingham-MA). In 24 days (Speer-CA). In 28 days for irc (Kapinos-MA). In 74 for irc (Robinson-TN). In 32 days for 2 irc (Cox-CA).
ROMANIA-R. Bucharest-various freq cards in 75 day average for no rp by: (Deinet-NJ) (Mahoney-FL) (McKeon-IN) (Bingham-MA) (Lucos-France) (Kanopka-NY). Some also recd orange pennant.
SPAIN-REE-Various freq cards in 40 day average for no rp by: (Speer-CA) (Swinn-CA)(Ducos-France)(Robinson-TN)(McCants-AL)(Talbot-WI) (Cuthill-ON) (Demmitt-PA).

SWEDEN-Radio Sweden International-various freq 35 th Ann cards in 23 days (Cuthill-ONT). In 30 days (Campbell-CT). In 22 days (Tilley-C0). In 22 days (Demmitt-PA). In 15 days (Wilkins-C0). 17841 SSB, in 20 days for an irc (Kapinos-MA).
SWITZERLAND-Swiss Radio International-6165, 9725, 11715, f/d studio cards
in 39 days (Iieu-CA). In 29 days for 2 irc (Cox-CA). In 25 days (ArlandUK). In 40 days (Demmitt-PA).
YUGOSLAVIA-Radio Jugoslavia-9620, f/d card and stickers in 90 days (Card-?).

RadIo MOSCOW SItes $\mathbf{- 1 . 2 0 2 0}$ via Moscow(Ducos-France). 9765,11750 via Lvov, 11735 via Vinnitsa, 15135 via Petropavlovsk-Kamchatsky (Welch-MA). 15530 via Ivano-Frankovsk, 15515 via Tashkent (Hosmer-MI). 11735 via Vinnitsa, 11755 via Vladivostok, 11.960 via Kenga, 15175 via Armavir, 15395 via Tashkent (Greenbauer-AZ).
All were recd in about 45 days for no return postage.
RADIO MOSCOW-NO SITES-9650, 11840 along with pennant (Demmitt-PA). 15100-(Wilkins-C0). 15495 Africa service, card, letter in 53 days without site tho requested (Drollinger-WI).
R. Vilnius-12060, $f / d$ peace card in 98 days for 2 irc (Ward-QJE). R. Peace \& Progress -19 mb , orange card in 38 days with sked (Drollonger-WI) card contained only date and time.
R. Kiev-17900, 15100 , $f / d$ card in 62 days along with sked and Jkrainian flag (Mahoney-FL). QSL folder in 76 days (Greenbauer-AZ).

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AFGHANISTAN-4450, f/d card in 60 days (Barto-CT). I forgot-R. Afghanistan
CHINA-R. Beijing-15520, f/d Radio Peking card and pennant in 30 days (Demmitt-PA). Great Wall card and sticker in 20 days (Cuthill-ONT). Same along with tape of music for 3 irc (Swinn-CA).
INDIA-AIR-9912, Lioness card in 44 days (Ducos-France). Northern gate picture cardin 43 days for 2 irc (Drollinger-WI).
INDONESIA-RRI Ternate-3345, date/ freq Indo letter in 84 days for 2 irc and Indo report (Parks-FL). Reply was recd by registered mail and $V / S$ was Rusdy Bachmid, Kepala Seksi Siaran. RRI Pekanbaru-????, letter in 3 months for Indo rpt (Barto-CT). RRI Medan-3414, f/d card in 3 months for Indo rpt (Barto-CT). V/S-Cornell R.H. Tobing.
IRAQ-R. Baghdad-9745, large f/d folder card in 150 days for 2 irc (Card-?).
ISRAEL-Kol Israel-9440, 9815, 11655, QSL in 66 days (Ducos-France). F/D Kol Israel tri lingual card in 50 days (Talbot-WI). Same in 59 days (Demmitt-PA). Same in 51 days along with apology for running out of pennants (Kanopka-NY).
JAPAN-R. Japan-Various freq no time cards were reed by (Speer-CA) (GammieMI) (Blanchette-FL) (Ducos-France) (Mahoney-FL). Time was 11 to 32 days and all recd skeds and other stuff.
MONGOLIA-R. Ulan Bator-12070, QSL and stamps in 49 days (Ducos-France). F/D card in 85 days for 3 ire (Lipman-NY).
PAKISTAN-Pakistan Bcstng Corp-17840, freq/time card in 4 months for 2 irc (CampbelI-CT).
PHILIPPINES-VOA Poro-6110, f/d card in 8 days (Parks-FL). FEBC-11840, $\mathrm{f} / \mathrm{d}$ logo card in 53 days for $\$ 2.00$ US (Lipman-NY). Morse code card in 27 days for 2 irc (Schulsinger-OH). .
SINGAPORE-Radio Singapore-11940, f/d"city skyline card in 33 days for 2 irc (Van Horn-TX). Same in 30 days for 2 irc (Speer-CA). Skeds were also recd. V/S-Kenneth A. Rappa.
SOUTH KOREA-R. Korea-7550, f/d card in 75 days (Barto-GT). Pagodas card in 53 days with pennant (Brewer-AR). 9570, Same in 64 days (Demmitt-PA). 11830, Flag card in 57 days (Lieu-CA). Time/freq card in 57 (Tilley-C0).
SRI LANKA-AWR via SLBC-15120, f/d do it yourself cards in 16 days for 2 irc (Sato-JAPAN).
TAIWAN-VOFC-11860, f/d cards and other stuff in 19 and 24 days (Ducos-FR).
TURKEY-Voice of Turkey-11740, f/d card in 51 days for irc (Gunter-NC). Same in 21 days (Bingham-MA). Same for an irc in ? (Kapinos-mA). Turkish ruins card in 27 for an irc (Moore-TX).
U.A.E.-U.A.E. Radio-17775, QSL and pennant in $50^{\circ}$ days (Ducos-FR). Card in 30 days (Johnson-IL). 17830, card and stamps in 19 days (Arland-UK). Card and pennant in 56 days for 2 irc (Talbot-WI). Same in ?? for 21655 khz (Drolinger-WI). Same in 27 days with request for reports (Kapinos-MA). They need reports so let's ollige them with many... lnk
VIETNAM-VoV-15012, $\mathrm{f} / \mathrm{d}$ card in 463 days (Dampier-NY).

AUSTRALIA-ABC-Brisbane (VLQ-9)-9660, f/d ABC map card in 32 days for an irc (Talbot-Alberta). Radio Australia-Lyndhurst-15160, f/d Platypus card in 23 days (Harrington-C0). 15240 ( 10 Kw ), f/d fairy penguins, card in 23 days for an irc (Kapinos-MA). Via Shepparton-17795, f/d platypus card in 15 days (Tilley-CO). Kookaburra birds card in 20 days for an irc (Kapinos-MA).
COOK ISLANDS-Cook Islands Broadcasting and Newspaper Corp.-11760, f/d Conch Horn card in 26 days for 3 irc (Mahoney-FL). V/S-Nooroa E. Tangaroa-Director and Chief Tech.
GILBERT ISLANDS-KIRIBATI-R. Kiribati-16433SSB, f/d canoe race card in 49 days for SASE (not used) and EE rpt (Hosmer-MI). V/S-Miss T. Benetito.
MARIANA ISLANDS-GUAM-KTWR-11840, f/d palm trees card in 30 days for ms, also recd sked and pennant (Ryeder-FL). Same in 19 days for ms (BrewerAZ). Same in 53 days for US $\$ 2.00$ (Lipman-NY). SAIPAN-KYOI-11900, f/d Super Rock card in 104 days for ms (Schlesinger-TX).
NEW ZEALAND-R. New Zealand -15485 , $\mathrm{f} / \mathrm{d}$ scene card along with pennant in 21 days for 4 irc (Kapinos-MA). 17705, Photo card in 13 days for 2 irc (Gammie-MI). f/d card and pennant in 13 days for 2 irc (Mahoney-FL). Also recd was a note asking for 4 irc for next QSL card requested. RNZ is always in danger of leing cut out of the ludget. so to helf them stay on the air I recommend that you do send the requested 4 inc when asking for a QSL card: The letters that they receive can help keep them on the .ain, lut they can also put them out of lusiness... lnk. f/d card in 15 days (McKeon-?). QSL was not requested but Tom wanted to let them know taht he heard them on a ICR 4800. They must have been happy to hear that their signal was coming thru so well.
PAPUA NEW GUINEA-R. Milne Bay -3360 , f/d card in 82 days (Dampier-NY). R. Western Province-????, $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{d}$ letter in 365 days (Dampier-NY).

SOCIETY ISLANDS-R. Tahiti-11825, f/d card in 40 days for FF rpt and 2 irc (Card-?). Conch horn card in 56 days with $f / d$ for 2 irc and FF rpt (Narva-MD). 15170, Same card in 33 days for 2 irc and FF rpt (Tilley-C0). Same card in 42 days for ms (Walters-NJ). Same card in 41 days for FF rpt and 7 francs (Lipman-NY).
SOLOMON ISLANDS-Solomon Islands Broadcasting Corp-9545, f/d card and letter in 1 month for 2 irc (Holbrook-MD). V/S-Martin Hadlow. Same logo card in 18 days for 2 irc (Kosugida-Japan).

## ******NORTH AND CENTRAL AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN******

ALASKA-KNLS-11940, date only personal letter in 12 days for a report on a test transmission (Moore-TX). 17880, Time/date letter in 12 days for US ms for a report on test transmission. Letter said that they recd only 4 prior reports. V/S-Francis M. Perry-Dir. of Engineering. Don, the letter is alsolutely a QSL, count it...enk
ANTIGUA-DW-f/d 30 ann card in 18 days with sticker (Schulsinger-OH). Same in 28 (Welch-MA). n/d building card in 59 days (Tilley-CO). Freqs were 6040 and 6085.
BELIZE-R. Belize-3285, f/d black and white map card in 21 days for an irc (Soomire-MA).
CANADA-Radio Canada IntI-f/d DIY card in 76 days (McCants-AL). Same in 34 days (Ducos-France). Freq was 15325. CFRX-Toronto-6070, f/d CFRB airplane over Toronto card, along with sked and sticker in 16 days (Van Horn-TX). Same in 12 days for ms (Kapinos-MA). This card replaces the old CFRB Marine Moblie card. CHNX-Halifax-6130, f/d card in 24 days along with stickers (Dillaman-OH). V/S-Ken Arsenean-Ch. Eng.
COSTA RICA-R, Nacional-6035, n/d letter in 90 days for SS rpt (Barto-CT). V/S-Juan Ramón Gutierrez A., Dir.
CUBA-R. Habana Cuba-9525, f/d sunset card in 105 days for irc (Lipman-NY). Habana view card in 103 days for an irc (Tilley-CO). Freq was 11930.
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC-La Voz Del CID-R. Maximo Gomez, via R. Clarin-11700, $\mathrm{f} / \mathrm{d}$ card in 13 days (Stephany-NX). f/d PFC in 11 days for SS rpt and US ms (Wilkins-CO). $n / d$ letter in 14 days for $S S$ rpt and ms (SchlesingerTX). All of these were sent to Chicago office (P.O. Box 60226, Chicago, IL 60626) and were signed by Pablo Peña, Sec of Information. f/d paper card in 8 months for 3 irc for report sent to Ven. address. Reply was recd from Costa Rica (Hosmer-MI).
GRENADA-Radio Free Grenada-15105, date/freq pink card in 1 yr 11 mofor 1 irc (Hesch-NY). Same in 473 days for 2 irc (Greenbauer-AZ). Same in 424 days for 2 irc (Gunter-NC). Same in 307 days forms (Ward-QUE). Same in 192 days (Gotlab-IL). V/S-Caroline Gellineau.

HONDURAS-R. Luz y Vida-San Luiz- 3250, date/freq personal letter in 3 mo. after 4 th f/up; $2 \mathrm{yr}, 4 \mathrm{mo}$ total. Report was in SS along with ms to San Pedro Sula QTH. Veri was in EE saying that he lost his QSL cards. (Lobdell-MA).
MEXICO-XEMRX-Radio Mexico-15430, f/d card with stamp attached in 33 days for SS rpt (Moore-TX). Same in 22 days with stickers for an irc (Drollinger-WI). Same for SS rpt and 2 irc in 30 days (Dillaman-OH).
MONTSERRAT-DW-11705, n/d card in 59 days (Tilley-CO). 30th Ann card with f/d in 31 days (Schulsinger- 0 ).
NETHERLANDS ANTILLES-Bonaire-Radio Netherlands-9590, f/d Van Gogh card in 24 days (Cuthill-0NT). Same in 20 days (Harrington-C0). Same in 24 days (Harrington-CO). Remember that only cands marked LOPIK are actually in the Netherlands. Cands manked Bonaire are in the Netherlands Antilles. and cands marked Madagascar ane from African relay... lnk
NICARAGUA-LV de Nicaragua-5950, date only letter in 65 days with small pennant (Fisher-WI). Same in 57 days for 2 irc (Hosmer-MI). Radio Sandino-6120, letter in 47 days along with pennant (Stephany-NY).
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA-WRNO-New Orleans-6155, World wide DX club card in ?? days (Gunter). Same in 104 days (Talbot-WI). 9725 , same in 110 days (Blanchette-FL). Same in 27 days (Speer-CA). Same in 101 days for ms (Soomre-MA). Worlds fair card in 157 days for ms (Moore-TX). Cards were date/freq only. AFRTS-Greenville-6030, f/d card in 39 days (Dampier). WYFR-11875, f/d Kings $8: 60$ card in 30 days (Cuthill-ONT). Voice of Free China via WYFR-5985, f/d card and goodie pack in 38 days (Speer-CA). Same in 60 days (Mahoney-FL). Same with hat pin and tape of CC Mx in 22 days (Swinn-CA). f/d card in 31 days (Bingham-MA). 5985 is transmitted by WYFR in Florida, it should not he counted as Taiwan, lut as the United States. Try another freq for a legit Taiwan QSL... Rnk USA Pirates-KPRC-1616, freq only card in 23 days (Campbell-CT). KQSB7425, f/d letter with pennant in 16 days (Campbell-CT).

ARGENTINA-RAE-15345, card and pennant in 58 days (Ducos-France).
Radio El Mundo-11755, f/d card in 185 days along with sticker for SS report and irc (Sato-Japan). V/S-Amelia Ferreras.
BRAZIL-R. Bras-15290, f/d card in 22 days (Wilkins-C0). Same in 18 days for an irc (Kapinos-MA). Radio Bandeirantes-6185, n/d card in 37 days for PP rpt and irc (Sato-JAPAN). Radio Gazeta-9685, PP form letter in 16 days for PP rpt and ms (Mahoney-FL). V/S-Lígia Dotti. CearáR. Clube6105, n/d card in 4 weeks after f/up, 25 weeks total for PP reports and ms (Wilkins-CO). V/S-Manuel Eduardo P. Campos, Dir. Presidente. Radio Poti-4965, date only form letter in 42 days for PP rpt and ms (Parks-FL). V/S-Cid Lobo, Gerente Comercial. Sr. Lobo is an automobile enthusiast, so brochures about new cars may help to get a QSL here.
 for PP rpt and ms (Parks-FL). V/S-Claudio R. Moraes, who is a DXer. R. N. de Cruzeiro do Suł-4765, p/d part typed, part handwritten verie statement on reverse of photo of station and its transmitter in 214 days for PP rpt and SASE (Stu Hall-CA). V/S-Mario de Olivira da Silva. Rádio Rio Mar-9695, EE/PP form letter with wrong date only in 235 days for PP report and ms (Schlesinger-TX). Radio Inconfidencia-15190, postcard in 18 days for PP rpt and ms (Schlesinger-TX). V/S-Marcia Griken. Address is: Rua Sao Paulo 2474, 3000 Belo Horizonte, Minas Gerais.
CHILE-Radio Patagonia Chilena-Coyhaique-6080, personal SS letter in 3 weeks after f/up 6 months total for SS rpt and US $\$ 1.00$. (Lobdell-MA). V/S-Paul Ojeda, Gerente.
COLOMBIA-Em Ondas Del Darien-6085, date only thank you letter in 41 days for SS rpt and ms (Mahoney-FL). V/S-Manuel Cardona Agudelo, Dir. Address is: Ap. A. 1289, Medellín. Radio Macarena-5975, f/d logo card in 66 days along with sticker for SS rpt and 1 irc (Gayle Van HornTX). V/S-Enrique Zambrano Nieto. Same in 59 days for SS report and ms (Stephany-NY). Same in 52 days for 1 irc and SS rpt (Jones-VA). All also recd personal letters.
ECUADOR-La Voz del Napo-3280, letter in 127 days (Ducos-France). HCJB-9745, f/d communications in Ecuador card in 48 days (Dampier-NY). Same in 31 days (Cuthill-ONT). Same in 50 days (Harrington-C0). Same in 30 days (Harrington, CO). 6095, Card in 45 days (Harrington-C0). 26020, special QSL for 100 Watt xmsm in 57 days for an irc (Soomre-MA).
FALKLAND ISLANDS-FIBS-3958, f/d logo card in 42 days after $\mathrm{f} / \mathrm{up}$. 128 days total for $\frac{1 r}{}$ irc (Parks-FL). Same 55 days after f/up, 120 days total, for 3 irc (Welch-MA). V/S-A.R. Davies.

FRENCH GUYANA-RFO-5055, $f / d$ card in 30 days for FF rpt (Barto-CT). GUYANA-G.B.S. -5950 , f/d form letter in 47 days for 2 irc and EE rpt (Ward-QUE).
PERU-Radio Madre de Dios-Puerto Maldano, 4950, f/d SS letter in 5 weeks for SS rpt and ms (Lobdell-MA). V/S-Frco. Javier Aniz. Radio Los Andes-Huamachueo-5030, f/d white card and personal letter in SS in 10 months total, 2 months after f/up, for $S S$ rpt and ms (Lobdell-MA). V/S was Pablo J. Cardenas Valverde, Director-Gerente. Same card in 129 days for SS rpt and an irc (Sato-Japan). Same in 76 days for SS rpt and 2 ire (Van Horn-TX). Same 20 weeks after f/up for SS rpt and ms (Wilkins-C0). Same in 48 days for SS rpt and ms (Mahoney-FL). Also all received the $V / S^{\prime} s$ business card.
VENEZUELA-R.Lara-4800, f/d studio card in 68 days for SS rpt and 2 irc (Lipman-NY). Same in 76 days for $S S$ rpt and ms (Kivell-NM).
Radio Valles del Tuy-0cumare del Tuy-6130, $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{d}$ personal note on back of a post card in 10 months ( 6 weeks after registered f/up) for SS rpt and ms (Lobdell-MA). V/S-Eleazar Ramos Bermudez, Director
******CLANDESTINE ${ }^{* * * * * * ~}$
LV Del GID-Antonio Guiteras-7355, $f / d$ card in 47 days for rpt mailed to Miami address. Reply was recd from Costa Rica (Dampier-NY).
Radio Vatan-(Egypt?)-15555, p/d card in 34 days for EE rpt (Barto-CT).
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Comments: We had about 65 contributors this month, down from last month, but not bad. Several people sent me some UTE material, I can not print these, they go to Mike Chabak the UTE editor. I would appreciate comments on the column. As I am new to this, I want to put together a column that the readers approve of, after all, it is your column. I want to hear from everybody, as I do not want to have the feelings of several people to make the decisions for 1500.
I also have an idea to do a tip of the month in the column. Each month I would give a tip, as sent in by a contributor. So send me your tips that have helped you get those rare QSLs, and I will pass them on to others. Another idea stemming from this one is a station of the month. This would give the details on getting a QSL from a particular station, possibly giving a picture of the respective QSL. So now you have my ideas, so yours will be greatly appreciated, and well taken. Since I have so much room left, i might as well start the Tip of the month now... ******IP OF THE MONTH ${ }^{* * * * * * ~}$
This one was received by John Kapinos, and I use it myself sometimes. Get some used commerative stamps, either soak them of $f$ of your own mail, or buy them at your local stamp dealer's bargain box, and enclose them in with your reports. This can get the attention from smaller station's personnel and possibly earn you that QSL. Also do not forget the larger stations, as sometimes it may bring you some sort of unexpected bonus.

A few more tips-A rumor is being passed around that the German regionals my be calling it quits in the next year, so it may be wise to log them now before it is too late. They are all good verifiers, and answer EE rpts. An ire or two is appreciated. Forget about getting a QSL from Finland. All they send out now is a thank you letter that can't be considered a QSL. Maybe some letters to the Finnish reps here in the US will help, but I doubt it. Reception reports for Radio Jamahiriya, Libya should be sent to the Malta Post Box, as these seem to be more reliable.
That's about it, so i'll see all in 30 or so. 73

Corfialmente,
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I certify this summary of the SPEEDX account is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge.


## Antenna

## A TROPICAL BAND ANTENNA

by Carl Huffaker, Mexico
I have built two "Lazy Quad" antennas and find them both superior to the dipole for Latin American DXing. But why should this be of any interest to the US DXer? First, because I am no closer to the concentration of South American tropical band stations than are many US locations, and secondly, because the Lazy Quad is an inexpensive antenna and well within the means and ability of most constructors. There are a lot of us who have the interest and ability to string wire around and the discussion-and the arguements -about the results could well make a contribution to the hobby.
Most DX publications and programs, SPEEDX not excepted, are quick to emphasize the importance of an antenna but devote pages to new receivers and accessories and almost nothing to antemas. This is understandable as receiver technology and availability is growing at a rate that requires up-to-date coverage of what represents the biggest bite on the DXer's pocketbook. To promote further discussion, and perhaps experimentation, I am offering some generalizations on antennas that may or may not be valid. I would appreciate any opinions that either confirm or refute these tentative conclusions.
-Because the DXer can not usually choose his anterna site, the ground conductivity, an important factor in antenna performance, will vary greatly. This would suggest a large variation between individual results obtained with the same type of antenna located in different locations.
-Tropical band antennas are big, too big for cost efficient full size beams, and in terms of a fraction of a wavelength, are low because of tower cost.
-Low-angle transmitting and receiving antennas provide the nost direct and efficient path for the transfer of radio energy. However, low angle receiving antennas are also most sensitive to the horizon of man-made noise that surrounds most of us.
When a quad is mounted horizontally (pointed skyward) it places the entire horizon of eoise producing pwoerlines in the null of the loop. If it is mounted low, $1 / 4$ wavelength, the ground acts as a reflecting element giving it a gain over a dipole approximately equal to the loss of an extra hop in the transmission path. As the null is somewhat broader than that of a small loop, the quad can be tilted as much as 20 degrees and still retain the noise reducing characteristics. This results in both directionality and a reduction of the angle of a received signal.
To test the concept of a high angle tropical band antenna, I bent a halfwave folded dipole into a horizontal square. When mounted vertically, this is usually referred to as a "Mini Quad Loop", a popular anateur antenna. It was approximately 17 meters above the ground and tilted twoard the southeast. It is an inexpensive antenna, 30 meters of 300 ohm TV line plus the lead in (also 300 ohm line). It is a low impedance antenna, but as I later discovered in the literature, the missmatch and parallel lead in broadens the response considerably. Compared to my 60 meter (halfwave) Eolded dipole, it showed an Sunit of gain on 60 meters and a satisfactory pick up with a much improved signal/noise ration from 120 to 40 meters.
My next step was to construct a full wave ( 15 meters on a side) quad with a 300 ohm lead in. This was mounted 15 meters average above ground and also tilted to the SE. This antenna shows another S-unit of gain (over the mini Quad) on 60 meters, a drop off to about the same level on 120 and 40 meters, and the same desirable improvement in signal/ noise level.
At the moment, I'm well pleased with the Lazy Quad, and as I really don't have room for that much wire, I have taken down both the Mini-Quad and the long dipole. Buth this is an interim report. After a few weeks checout, I intend to move the quad slightly so I can work in a reflector, which I believe in this type of installation, is more properly called a counterpoise. Undoubtably, some of you have experimented with horizontal loops. I would be glad to know the details and compare results. And if anyone is interested in the construction details on what I have built, I'd be glad to send them a sketch. The local mail is, at best, erratic, but Paseo de la Rreforma 1020 , Mexico 11000 DF , Mexico will reach me "manana".

THE DIEEMNA OF SHORTWAVE PROGRAMS AND STATIONS
by Phillip M. Dampier, NY
There are a large number of ghartwave stations on the air these days with a very large mmber of porgrams to offer us shortwave listeners. But just how interesting are those programs?
At present, the largest stations of the world seem to me to be leest listened to. Radio Moscow offers very interesting music programs, but the only reason they have music on the shortwave service is to attract the listener to the station and then bombard the listener with propaganda. Have you ever noticed that the North American Service of thiss station plays little or no music and generally complains more about the US government than the RWWS. Listening to the service of this station targeted for the British Isles, I hear more about how bad the Brithsh goverment is than how the US is on the verge of world domination. This is not the station that $I$ want to hear, nor is it the station tell people about vien describing shortwave listening to a friend.

Radio Beijing is a little more interesting than Radio Noscow in that they usually only "blast" our way of life in news and comentaries. Following that, they constantly tell us that they rill not forcifully take Hong Kong and Taiwan. Radio Beijing is becoming more capitalist every day as they are now being heard on US radio stations all over the country.

The Voice of America, "our" voice simply isn't (our voice). Their broadcasts go in one direction hile the opinions of the American people go the other. They also broadcast "propaganda". When traveling abroad, how many SPEEDXers out there tune in this station for the latest ners and sports scores? Most people tune to the AFRTS. They (VOA) are somewhat popular abroad because of the American music they play. However, this atation only trangmits in languages where there is either a Commuist revolution going on, or where the opinions of a country"'s people are not favorable to the USA.

Radio Cairo is an old friend of many US listeners. But the majority send away for a QSL card and then they will have nothing to do with the station. I notice that a number of their progrems are not too wall heard here because of the frequency choices they make. I think that vith some more frequencies this station's popularity will grow as I am a fan of Middle Eastern music as well as this station.

Then we have the multitude of smaller stations, which, in my opinion can leave the airwaves any tine now. Such stations are: Radio Tirana, who the other night was telling us that Albanian cows are better bred than American cows; there is Padio Pyongyang, who keeps telling us about Kin Il Sung (again and again and againl); there is Radio Habana Cuba, whose music programs are great but that is itl; and then there are the other Communist stations in Europe who seem to have an identity crisis in that their programs all sound alike.

Frankly, I am bared with these stations. I do think that some of the stations are more interesting than others, but they all do not have what it takes.

That brings us to the question of what makes a good radio station? There is a recipe for shortwave broadcasters that has to be followed exectly or else one will see what is known as listenar fragmentation, uhere you see a number of listeners who think the station is a drug and they carnot get enough of it. But there is little chance for these stations to be heard and heard again by the casual shortwave listener, like myself. These stations are generally trying to be popular, but they do not have the budget or staff to follov the recipe $I$ was speaking of earlier. Such stations like Radio Finland, Radio Sweden, Radio Norway, Radio Deutsche Welle, SRI, Radio RSA, Radio Korea, etc. These stations generally have interesting programs, but usually are not the most popular. Radio DW, for instance, generally cnly broadcasts talk programs rith a minimum of musical entertainment (except the Germen service). The Nordic stations are very culturally-oriented and in most cases will not get off the subject of the Nordic. These stations are interesting to some people, but not to me. Others, like Radio Korea are not well heard enough in perts of the US so it usually results in the listener tuning somewhere else.

Then there are those who do not take the shortwave service seriously. I have one major example of such a station. The station is WRNO Worldwide, heralding the music of America. This station has been going for almost two years now with it's music and religion. They call themselves the ROCK OF THE WORID! Why? How many times can you hear rock music on weekends? What you will hear is someone in Russian talking about religion, or a broadcast from the New Orleans St. Jude Church, or some other religious program. This station is not doing this out of the goodness of their heart mind you. Most conmercial stations get paid a "few" dollars to air these prograns. WRNO has let go of their program standards and technical standards they originally had at the commencement of their broadcasts. Tapes going too fast, or too slow, or tapes not being heard at all.

The relays of music from the FM service makes for big trouble. And that is what happened. Apparently, I have heard some news from a few people with programs on that station and also a few employees that the shortwave service is now a "training ground" for students and others interested in moving "up-to" FM-RNOI This should be the other way around. WRNO on shortwave serves more listeners than the FM service and WRNO is really giving a "good" example of American radio to people abroad. That is why the World of Radio broadcast is never on time or isn't heard at all. It seems that there is nobody who knows what they are doing at that station. Trying to telephone them or write them about the mishaps of the World of Radio program is like telling Radio Hoscow to stop broadcasting propaganda! I know people who have telephoned the station only to hear a recording of WRNO-sponsored rock concerts and movies playing at their theater. Or they get an announcer of the $F M$ service who doesn't know anything about the shortwave service except that it exists! I say shape up or ship off the airl The only other station that I have noticed that doesn't take its broadcasting very seriously is Radio Havana Cuba. They are usually alvays overmodulating or on a frequency in which they shouldn't be. Other times they will sign-off suddenly or have the power of their transmitter lowered for some reason. Shortwave listeners do not need that. I underscore listeners because that is what this article is talking about. I am one who listens to shortwave like I listen to FM or MW. I usually only listen for programs I enjoy and sometimes I will casually DX but that is it.
All through this article I have complained about broadcasters and I have done very little comending which is just as deserved as complaints. That brings me to the "recipe" that I have been talking about. What is it? In my opinion, and I also underscore that because it is my opinion, a shortwave station needs to broadcast relevant information. Good examples of stations which provide relevant information are: The BBC with its constant and very accurate and non-biased news reports; Radio Netherlands with their Newslines, albeit a little too lengthy; Radio Canada International with their feature programs like Sunday Morning from the doraestic service of the CBC; Swiss Radio International with Dateline. And there are others as well. When I say relevant, I mean that I want to hear news that will affect me or someone I know. I am not interested in hearing about Soviet Postal Meetings or a blow by blow description of a country's leader that day. Another item which is a major factor in a station's popularity is its entertainment programs. These prograns should not be just about a certain area and should be free of any controversy. I am not interested in Radio Moscow's entertainment programs which do not come at regular intervals. Neither am I interested in opinionated talks on certain issues. These factors of not being controversial and the feeling that "you have gotten away from it all" is what made the Happy Station program perhaps the most popular shortwave show in the world and also making Radio Netherlands stand in the cream of the cropl There should be a lot more entertainment programs like this on shortwave.
The BBC also does a good job in the entertainment field with relevant, not thrown together programs about books and also their very well done plays. I wonder why they are number one? The answer is clear in that they have followed the "recipe" of success in a broadcasting station. The only other element in the recipe is a good listener-station relationship which makes you feel good about being a part of the listenership of the station. I site Radio Polonia for this. I have written several letters to this station and every reception report and every letter written has been replied with a personal note. The DX-Editor even mentioned that he was glad to hear from me again! How many stations do that? More than ever however, the limited staff and budget of stations have caused deterioration in this department. Stations like the BBC, Radio Finland, Radio Canada International, Radio Tirana, and Radio Havana are well-known for their slap-happy approach to answering your letters and reception reports. I can understand the problems faced by RCI in that they have a limited staff but the BBC could do better in replying and Radio Finland should be thinking about the fact that if you want something, you better be willing to give something in return to your listeners. At first they eliminated QSL-cards and now they have temporarily (I wonder how long that will last) have suspended sending out their postcards and are now sending form letters. If they want comments on their broadcasts, I am not going to spend $40 \propto$ to get a form letter in return! I do understand that stations more than ever need listener reaction and this has been a growing "demand" of $S W$ stations at ANARC conventions and the like. They should be a little more polite in responding to those comments instead of preaching on how they need your comments over and over again. A mention on the air or by letter would be nice. But stations in deepest need of listener reaction(i.e., Radio Finland) do not seem to ever get enough. I wonder why? Again, more conmendations go to the smaller stations like $\mathrm{RN}, \mathrm{BRT}$, and now even Radio Norway International. If these stations cannot respond by letter, they do on their broadcasts. HCJB's DX Party line is fanous for this. Also, they care about what listeners think! That brings me to the final point in this article and final ingredient in the recipe of station success-The DX Program. There are a lot of then out there, that's for sure, but which one should you listen to. In the near future, I will present a look at these programs and give you the straight facts on what some of the major DX programs have to offer you.

This year's EDXC Conference was held in London, England. It started on May 20 th and ran through May 23rd. It was another enjoyable year with everything well planned. The conference started with registration. This conference had about 130 people attending.
There were about 25 countries being represented. The countries were Australia, Austria, Barbados, Belgium, Canada, Czechoslovakia, Denmark, Ecuador, Egypt, France, Germany East and West, Ghana, Great Britain, Italy, Korea, Luxembourg, Netherlands, Norway, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Turkey, and the USA.

There were broadcasters from Radio Australia, ORF, BRT, Prague, HCJB, Radio Cairo, Telediffusion de France, Amitie Radio, Radio France International, Radio Berlin, ERF-TWR, Deutsche Welle, TWR, Deutschlandfunk, KWFR, AWR, Ghana Broadcasting Corporation, Radio Portugal, Radio Luxembourg, BBC, Radio Korea, Radio Nederlands, Radio Exterior de Espana, Radio Sweden International, Swiss Radio International, and the Voice of Turkey.
Friday afternoon we got a tour of the BBC. Later that evening we had a reception hosted by the BBC. Saturday started the conference off with some lectures by Keith Edwards, Douglas Bowers, George Wilcox, Richard Measham and John Cantrell.
After lunch, there was an exhibition with displays by Marconi Communications, Eddystone Radio and the BBC. There were also displays by the radio clubs. Ruth Hesch who was the representative of ANARC had a nice display.
Then there was a bus tour around London in which we saw some of the famous sights of London. Then it was bact to our hotel for Dinner. After dinner there was a speech by Benny Brown, presenter of "Earthlink" on Radio Luxembourg and Billboard Magezine's 1981-1982 International Air Personality of the Year. Then it was time to retire for the night.

Sunday morning we started our work groups. The topics this year were the Future of Telecommunications, the Future of the DX Hobby, Jamming and the Broadcaster-Listener Dialogue. It was this group that I joined. We had a nice talk on how the listener can make bettercommunications to the boradcaster.

After lunch we broke up into two groups. One group went to the BBC Monitoring Service in Caversham Part and the Receiving Station at Crowsley Park and then to Oxford for a brief sightseeing tour. The other group went to the BBC transmitting station at Daventry. Then they went on to Oxford for a sightseeing tour. We all met at the Spread Eagle Hotel in Oxfordshire where we had our banquet. we then went back to the hotel.
Monday morning was the final conference session. There we had the reports from the chairman of the work groups. There were also discussions on conference proposals. At noon was the official closure of the conference.
I had a greet time at the 1983 EDXC conference. I got to see all my friends of Europe. I am looking forwerd to attending next years EDXC conference which will be held in Stockholm, Sweden. Radio Sweden will host the event. So why not make your vacations plans and go to Sweden next year? Hope to meet you in Sweden in 1984.

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 Desester Pectia $\begin{aligned} & \text { Operation Secure } \\ & \text { by Mark w. Johnson }\end{aligned}$It has been said by some that those who spend much of their time monitoring the shortwave bands may know what is happening on the other side of the world but not on the other side of town. While it may be helpful to monitor foreign broadcasters in order to stay breast of international developments, these same stations won't be of much help during local emergencies. How can the SwL keep in touch with what is going on in his area without pruchasing a scanner?
Most SWLs have at least a passing acquaintance with the various agencies that are listed in the utility colums of the club bulletins. Some of these agencies such as the USCG, CAP and military are activated during emergencies and can be monitored with a communcations receiver. However, another group of stations known as Operation SECURE is also active on the HF bands during state and regional emergencies.
Operation SECURE, an acronym for State Emergency Capability Using Radio Effectively, is an outgrowth of the FCC's Disaster Communications Service. In a Notice of Proposed Rule Making adopted by the FCC on 16 January 1980, it was shown that there was a need in the United States and its Territories and Possessions for medium and long-range commuications capabilities for use during state and regional disasters. It was shown that such a service would allow units to respond to the scene of a disaster and use specifically allocated
frequencies to communicate with a conmand center located elsewhere in the state.
The frequencies set aside for this service are located between 2 NHz and 10 MHz . The FCC felt that this segment would provide the required coverage more readily than frequencies in the VHF and UHF bands. This is particularly true in areas without extensive repeater coverage
Specific frequencies are not allocated to individual licensees. At the of application the FCC will select the available frequencies in each band requested for use by the applicant. For example, the state of Florida requests two frequencies in the bands 2194 kHz to 2495 kHz and 5005 kHz to 5450 kHz . The FCC then assigns 2326 kHz and 5195 kHz . Sould the need arise to remove or withdraw a frequency assignment during a license term, the FCC will try to assign alternate frequencies.
Emissions used are SSB and RTTY. Because of possible interference to other services from these emissions the frequencies are used only for testing, training and actual emergency communications. The FCC recommends that a total of one hour per week be used for non-emergency conmumications.

To find out which frequencies are in use in your area, check with the local Civil Defense director or the state bureau of disaster services. During a state or regional emergency, you will be able to monitor the activities of the various agencies as they go about dealing with the situation.

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A VISIT TO THE BBC IN LONDON by Ruth Hesch, NY

After years of listening to $\mathrm{BBC}^{\prime}$ s "Anything Goes", a 30 minute request program hosted by Bob Holness, I was able to SEE it. In one of my letters containing comments, I mentioned planning a vacation in England and the Senior Producer of the show, Joan Davies, invited me to Bush House to see the program taped. An appointment was made for May 11th and I was met at the Reception Desk by Claire Hutchinson, her assistant. At the time, Ms. Davies was on a business trip.
First, I was brought to the office of the Popular Music Section and met some of the members of the staff. Then we vent to a recording studio which contained two rooms. In the first, and larger, was a Studio Manager, Veronica Cheng, and standing next to two record players, two reel to reel recorders and the master recording tape was another Studio Manager, Hilary Porter. Also present was Oillian Bastable, Production Secretary. In preparing the show, the Producer checks the letters from SWLers who request a variety of items including songs, instruentals, speeches, sporting events, conedy acts, etc. Items are selected for a particular show, recards and tapes are requested from the BBC library. The program is balanced as to typas of requests and special consideration is given to birthdays, anniversaries and other special observances. The program is taped three days in advance. I asked Claire if this was not a very short time. She explained the commentary is topical and there is danger it will be obsolete if done too much in advance. She gave an example of a comment by Bob about a singer in the present tense and the person dying before the show was aired, causing that part of the tape having to be changed.
Bob Holness writes his own script and does the research for it. I saw Veronica at the control panel checking the beginning and ending of each record and tape to be played, with Hilary and making notes. Each person has a printed schedule showing the items to be presented, their order, time of each and when the introduction, commentaries and endings are to be played with their timing. There is a conference checking this schedule. Then Bob went into the other room which has a chair, table and microphone. As the program progresses and while the records and tapes are played, conversation can be and is carried on between the two rooms without interfering with the master tape.
I learned a large amount of mail is received for "Anything Goes", and records are kept of the number and kinds of requests made. Claire mentioned the need of listeners asking for more comedy iteras. Most people have much of the same "middle of the road" requests. Great care is taken with humorous items that they are not offensive to people, their nationality or religion as there is a world-wide audience.
After "Anything Goes" was completed, Bob came back into the large room. Another conference was held on "Sing, Sing, Sing" which was to be taped next. The selections for this program are made by Bob and records and tapes ordered by the Producer from the BBC library. Here too, balance and variety are considered and the commentary written by Bob. This program is taped a month in advance and sent to various relay stations so that the quality is not lost as the distance to the target areas is less than if it came from England.
I was very much impressed by the expertise and professionalism of this mainly young staff. They work well with each other, the pace is unhurried but efficient and there is a friendly and relaxed camaraderie among them. They gave me the impression they enjoyed thejr work.


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## RECEIVER SELECTION

Before I begin this month, I'd like to first encourage every SPEEDXer to fill out and retcurn the questionnaire which was included with last month's SPEEDX. Thirty-five percent of the membership filled out the last questionaire, which has helped us to reformat the bulletin somewhat, decide our priorities, and give you a voice in the running of this club. The second questionnaire will help the Board of Directors decide on how to use the additional space which you said you wanted in the last questionnaire. We might even be able to gather enough data to convince doubters that there really are utility DXers out there (hi!) Remember that if you fill out the survey and sign it, you will receive two points toward membership in SPEEDX, and you'11 be deciding how SPEEDX looks and operates for the next several years. Hope to see your survey in my post office box soon!

Of course, I also want your questions for this column; if I say everything $I$ can say about receiver selection in the next two columns, I'd better have some questions to answer in the columns after that!!!

The second major factor in selection of a receiver is the type of listening you plan to do. Now, I know that there's been blood shed in the past over "SWL vs. DXer." We11, I don't plan to raise that issue again. However, it is a fact that there are two general types of listening; nearly every listener can place him/herself into one of the two types, primarily. These two types of listener demand two different types of receiver.
If you listen to shortwave primarily for content, you could be called an "informationoriented listener." If you listen to shortwave primarily for the "exploration/discovery value" of the hobby, you are an "exploration-oriented listener." These are the two categories I shall use, instead of the two charged terms "SWL' and 'DXer."

The information-oriented listener needs several things more than others -- (1) good selectivity (to separate those closely-packed stations in the BC bands), (2) good audio, (3) easy operation (little or no tinkering needed to receive a station), and (4) good operation with most antennas. This does not mean that sensitivity and all the other features of a set are not important to this person. What it does mean is that a set without more than two of these features will be significantly less useful and more frustrating to this individual than a set which includes them.

The "exploration-oriented listener" also needs (1) good selectivity (to separate closely packed signals on the lower bands); he also needs (2) good sensitivity (to dig out of the mud those very weak catches he longs for), (3) ease of connection of auxiliary equipment (such as audio filters, preselectors, and the like), (4) ease of connection to any type of outboard antenna, and (5) auxiliary features such as a BFO, a wide selection of filters, and a noise blanker, to name a few.
Some examples of a dichotomy between receivers are these: the HQ180, while being a good exploration-oriented set on the grounds of good selectivity/sensitivity, has a less-thansatisfactory audio output (due to the narrowness of the widest selectivity position available). An information-oriented listener can get very tired quickly from listening to an HQ180. On the other hand, the Drake SW4A was very valuable to the information-oriented listener: it was one of the first fairly accurate readout receivers to be fairly inexpensive as we11; it was easy to operate, and it had a good audio section. However, for the serious exploration-oriented listener, it was lacking a BFO, variable selectivity, and a noise blanker.
The dichotomies of today's receivers are less bold than those above; most receivers will do duty for both types of DXing (which is good, as we don't want to be locked into any one type of DXing, do we???). However, when we look at the "For Sale" ads in SPEEDX, or hear from a friend that he has a receiver for sale, we have to stop and think before we buy. So, next time, we'll talk about 'Kicking the Tubes: How to Evaluate a Used Receiver."


That's it for this month. Before I go, I'd like to remind all the full members that to have the privilege of voting for the Board is valuable -- SPEEDX is the only SHub which has regular elections for its Board. Exercise your franchise - it's the only one in town!

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Before getting to the ads this month, a couple of quick items. First of all you probably noticed the change in format this month. All of your ideas were incorporated here. Feel free to make any further suggestions. Also notice that many of you do not have a receiver listed. Please send in your receivers with your next set of logs so that we can fill up that column. And now...on to the ads... you can find more ads also on page 32............
STOLEN... ATTENTION... Mike Hardester sends a note concerning his recently stolen rigs. The following is missing: FRG7 serial \#6 M 082526; Kenwood R-1000 \#0070145; Drake SPR-4 serial \# 1734; Bearcat Scanner model 300 \#31058; JVC Model 3060 TV/Radio/Cassette serial \#12362403; Sony TC-106A reel-to-reel mono recorder \#28883. Additionally, Mike notes that his social security number is etched on some items...\#559-80-7072. If anyone comes accross any of these items, contact Mike immediately at MWHS-2 Medical (SC-16), MCAS Cherry Point, NC 28533. I'm sure he'd appreciate it.
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For Sale: FRG-7 w/2.9 Coliins filter, "fine tune," and internally mounted LW converter, all work done by Radio West. Exc cond. \$275.00-I ship. MFJ 752 audio filter in exc cond w/AC adapter, \$40. Bob Coomler, 207 East 45 th Place, Kennewl ck, WA 99336. 509-586-3799 No collect calls.

Wanted: Anyone with programs for the VIC-?0 useful to SWL/DX. Contact: John S. McDowell, 5728 W. 129th St. \#3, Crestwood, IL 60445

Wanted: Rick Zolla has a Commodore 64, but no printer. Anyone willing to send him a copy of a printed listing (per June "Tidbits") will receive Rick's cross reference in return. Contact Rick at: 3106 Ginger, Apt. $D$, Costa Mesa, CA, 92626

Anyone wanting a complete list of foreign embassies in Washington, D.C., should write to: John Williams, 3216 W .85 th St., Bloomington, MN 55431 .

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[^0]:    **Sandy 31aize: As editor of the Technical Topics section and a present Board member, I would like to solicit your vote for another term as member of the SPFBDX Board of Directors. It has been a pleasure to serve you the membershio these past years. For those of you who might not know me, I am a radio technician for ITT Mackay Marine here in the New Orleans area. ITT Mackay sells, installs and maintains shipboard commuications, navigation and satellite electronic equipment. My job is that of supervisory field service ensineer, my main specialty being in Low freguency, Medium frequency and high frequency communications equipment. In this business you are forced to worix with 911 sorts of stuff at times which gives one quite a diversified exposure to gear from nearly every country in the world making it! I am 46 years old and have been an amateur radio operator since 1951 and an $5 W L$ since 1946: The bug bit me young!

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