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DX CALENDAR

Fri. Oct. 17	WBCI	740	Williamsburg, Virginia	500w	0015-0100 EDT	IRCA
Sun. 19	WDON	1540	Wheaton, Maryland	1kw	0000-0100 EST	IRCA
Mon. 20	KSKI	1340	Hailey, Idaho	1kw	0300-0400 EST	IRCA
(Note that all states observing DST return to standard time the AM of Sun. 10/26!)						
Mon. 27	WCMS	1050	Norfolk, Virginia	5kw	0000-0100 EST	IRCA
	WGSM	740	Huntington, New York	5kw	0230-0300 EST	NRC
	WCIR	1070	Beckley, W. Virginia	10kw	0300-0500 EST	IRCA
Mon. Nov. 3	KVAS	1230	Astoria, Oregon	1kw	0300-0330 EST	IRCA
Mon. 10	WBRG	1050	Lynchburg, Virginia	1kw	0300-0330 EST	IRCA
	KAIN	1340	Nampa, Idaho	1kw	0400-0500 EST	IRCA
Mon. Dec. 22	KXRB	1000	Sioux Falls, So. Dakota	10kw	0130-???? EST	NNRC
	WSAL	1230	Logansport, Indiana	1kw	0330-0400 EST	RLA
	KCLR	1530	Ralls, Texas	5kw	0400-0430 EST	RLA
	KWVY	1470	Waverly, Iowa	1kw	0430-0500 EST	RLA
	KEZU	920	Rapid City, South Dakota	1kw	0500-0530 EST	RLA

WBCI info received too late to be of use to those receiving this bulletin. Did make DX NEWS in time, however. Will be extension of r/c. -Jim Nall

WDON times approx. Reports go to: CE, WDON, 2647 University Blvd. West, Wheaton, Maryland 20902. Verie will be by QSL card (v/q). Program arranged by: -Jerry

KSKI rpts to: Kent Frandsen, G.M., KSKI, P. O. Box 486, Hailey, Idaho Robertson 83333. This is another in the series of programs arranged by: -Percy R. Kesteven

WCMS is extending its r/c. Program will consist of C&W music with frequent IDs. Reports to: Mr. Leo Higgins, CE, WCMS, 5600 Curlew Dr., Norfolk, VA 23502. -Jim Nall

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WGSM will use cycle tone (TT) and many IDs. Both 5kw and 1kw aux. trans. will be tested. The 5kw is dir. Southward. Reports to: Mr. Don Huber, WGSM, 9 Aquaview Court, Huntington, New York 11743. The only expected interference will be the Cuban and KCBS. If the station remains on a few extra minutes and KCBS leaves promptly 0300 EST that MM, it could well be heard nationwide! KRMG may (and probably will!) be on as they are assumed NSP. This program arranged by: -Cliff Reno

WCIR info unknown. Taken from DX NEWS where listed as IRCA. Who?

KVAS is re-sked of 10/6 pgm not broadcast because the CE was out of town. Cycle tone from 250 to 7500 Hz will be used as well as voice IDs. Reports go to: Chief Engineer, Radio Station KVAS, Radio Central, Astoria, Oregon 97103. -Pat Martin

WBRG reports go to: Chief Engineer, WBRG, P. O. Box 1079, Lynchburg, VA 24505. -Jim Nall

KAIN reports to: Mr. Don Bower, CE, KAIN, P. O. Box 27, Nampa, ID 83651. -Percy K.

KXRB reports to: Mr. John L. Breece, General Manager, KXRB, P. O. Box 1101, Sioux Falls, S.D. 57101. Arranged by Pat Taylor, NNRC. -Info from Pat Taylor, NNRC

WSAL, KCLR, KVYV, and KEZU info sent by Bill Lafferty via Tom McCormack/RLA. All programs were arranged by RLA members. Details at a later date. -Bill Lafferty

FOR SALE!! Hammarlund HQ-180A with noise blanker, clock timer, matching speaker, exc. cond. Asking \$350 but will entertain all reasonable offers. For info, call or write Bill Lafferty, 359 Northwestern Ave., West Lafayette, Ind. 47906; 317-743-2134.

 NO EAST COAST SECTIONS RECEIVED THIS WEEK AS OF TUESDAY 10/14. No idea why; sections will appear next issue which will definitely be 34 pages. -Publisher

The following is from Dave 'Fish' Fischer and reprinted by decision of your publisher. While it has not been approved by the President or the Board, there is no reason why IRCA can't participate. Latest DX NEWS indicates the National Radio Club will print the same information shortly. Any changes, corrections or amendments will appear next week or details on how they may be obtained will be there. All inquiries and entries should go to Fish and only Fish. Do not write pub. HQ or anyone else, hi! -DEE

(0) FDXC: FRIENDLY DX CONTEST

(1) Any NRC or IRCA member may enter.

(2) FDXC begins 0007 EST, October 22, 1969.

(3) FDXC ends 0011 EST, May 28, 1970.

(4) Entry fee: 50¢.

(5) Enter on or before November 1, 1969. After this date, only new club members may enter FDXC.

(6) There will be four classes of entrants, 2 from each club: (D denotes Domestic and F denotes Foreign) (I) NRC-D (II) IRCA-D (III) NRC-F and (IV) IRCA-F.

If you belong to only one club, then may enter the D or F (or both) contest classifications for your club. If you belong to both the IRCA and the NRC and (i) if you enter only one classification (D or F), then you must declare which club you wish to be affiliated with and (ii) if you enter both contest divisions (D and F), then you must enter one as NRC and the other as IRCA. Contestants must specify these choices upon entry and these choices will remain in effect until the end of FDXC.

(7) Club scores in each division will be the average score (e.g. in NRC-F, the sum of all individual scores of NRC-F entrants divided by the number of NRC-F entrants). A club's TOTAL score will be the sum of the scores from both divisions (D and F) divided by two. Awards will be based upon TOTAL Club scores. The club with the highest total score will be declared winner and will be awarded a plaque or trophy. (This award will remain with the winning club until another FDXC--with possibly different rules etc.--is declared between both clubs in some future year.) Four individual awards will be offered; First place awards to the highest individual scores in the Domestic and Foreign divisions of the winning club and second place awards to the highest individual scores in the D and F divisions of the second place club. Standings will be published periodically in both DXN and DXM and final FDXC results will be announced at the 1970 club conventions.

(8) Rules: All reports to the FDXC manager MUST be made on a special report form--available free to each entrant. For the Domestic division, these log forms list in a vertical column each 10 kHz channel from 540 to 1600 and have sufficient

---room to list Call, Location, Date and Time (use EST!) beside each freq. For the Foreign division the log forms list the frequency blocks 535-599, 600-699, 700-799,, 1500-1605 with five blank lines (for entering 5 loggings) under each freq. block. Enter Call (if any), Freq., Location, Date and Time (EST). When an FDXC form is filled by a contestant, it should be dated with the date of the last logging and mailed promptly to the contest manager for record keeping. This date of the last logging on one FDXC form serves as the starting date for the next FDXC form which will be mailed by the contest manager to the contest; no logging prior to the date listed by the contest manager on a FDXC form may be logged on that FDXC form. After Nov. 1, 1969 all first FDXC forms will bear the date on which the contestant's fee and entry reaches the contest manager. On or before Nov. 1, 1969, all first FDXC forms will be dated Oct. 22, 69. All entrants should mail their last FDXC forms to the contest manager on or after May 28, 1970 without penalty for omitted or skipped log entries (see below). All forms must be received on or before June 15, 1970 for final scoring by the contest manager. Entrants in the Domestic divisions are to log only US and Canadian stations and entrants in the Foreign divisions are to log only non-US and non-Canadian stations.

- (9) Scoring: No stations may be logged more than once during the entire contest by the same individual. For the Domestic division, each station logged counts 1 point except that any station logged between 1000 and 1401 local time counts 2 points. All foreign division loggings count 3 points. Any FDXC form which is not completely filled will receive a deduction of 5 points for each frequency or line skipped or omitted. Any FDXC form completely filled will receive an additional bonus of 25 points (domestic) and 50 points (foreign). No credit will be given for verifications in this particular contest. Only positively identified loggings may be claimed--you're on your HONOR!!!
- (10) Contest Manager: FISH (Dave Fischer), Box 6256, Lincoln, Nebraska 68506. Decision of the contest manager is final regarding any debated issue of the FDXC. To enter, send entry fee along with make and model of receiver(s), type of antenna(s) and division entry/entries desired: NRC-D, NRC-F, IRCA-D or IRCA-F.

KYAK Plans a Boost, But Not Yet Country music stn KYAK in Anchorage is planning to boost its power from 5kw to 25kw, thereby becoming the most powerful station in Alaska - but General Manager Robert Fleming said Friday that a definite date for the changeover is still up in the air. Fleming said that, despite a full-page ad announcing the switch, the station will have to wait until the FCC gives the go-ahead on the project. Fleming said KYAK is aiming at Oct. 1 to make the power boost, at the same time stretching its broadcasting day from the current 13½ hrs to 20 hrs. "All the equipment is installed and ready to go," he observed. "As soon as we get the green light, we'll go to 20 hrs for a few months until the setup is proved out. Then we'll go on the air full time." Fleming conceded that the power jump "makes me think a little. Nobody's done this in Alaska before," he said, "and we don't know where our signal is going to go. All of a sudden a lot of people who never heard an Anchorage station before will be listening in on local news --- and prices that might be quite different from what they've been paying. It should be very revealing." --courtesy of Ross Harp, Jr. from Daily News, Anchorage; 9/20/69.

IRCA Domestic and Foreign Contests There are already lots of entries but it is not too late for you to enter. Send your fee(s) to Bruce Collier, 3512 Avenue B, Council Bluffs, Iowa 51501. If you don't have rules, write Bruce or to Pub. HQ for a copy of the latest revised rules. A complete list of all contestants and the current standings will appear next week, 7 days from now! -DEE

Page Protectors for QSLs, Anybody? A source of inexpensive plastic sheet protectors with black paper in the middle has been located. If enough are interested, they can be sold (at cost) for 5.0 to 6.5¢ each, including shipped. Minimum lot would be 100. No order has been made and none will be accepted from members until they have been tried for a while. But if you are interested in these, drop a post card to pub. hq stating HOW MANY you would probably want. -DEE

SECOND ANNUAL REPORT TO THE 1969 IRCA CONVENTION (ABRIDGED)

SUCCESS is the best word to describe the results of this aspect of IRCA Club operations! In 13 months of full operation a total of 118 applications have been processed and awards mailed. Fifty-six members have received awards to date--this averages out to just over 2 awards per person.

A few things have happened to this Committee this year which may be worthy of note. The most important is the fact that taped veries are fully accepted. The Countries Award was amended by the BoD so that Awards are given in increments of 5 after the first 10 have been earned. Previously the increments were in blocks of 10. A new method of applying for 500 or more veries for the Total Stations Verified Award is now in effect but so far no one has taken advantage of the new procedure. This is a real disappointment.

On the financial side of the picture the situation is very rosy indeed. With about 12% of the awards mailed out, about 20% of the cost of printing them is now in the IRCA treasury. Of an original cost of about \$100.00 to the treasury for the purchasing, printing, and shipping of the awards themselves plus the cost of envelopes and stiffeners, slightly under \$20.00 has been repaid. If this present rate of repayment continues, the full cost of printing the awards will be repaid in 5 years while another 4 years or so will be required to mail out all the certificates.

In last year's report to the IRCA Convention this Committee requested suggestions from members in regards to new series of awards which might be offered in the future. Of four ideas which came in, one is being given serious thought and a proposal will be sent to the BoD in the fall concerning it. This award would be for verifying Domestic Capital Cities (i.e. capital cities in the U.S. and Canada). It would be issued in increments of 20, 25, 30, 35, 40, 45, and 50. (The N.W.T. and Yukon would be considered provinces for the purposes of this award.) Due to the extremely difficult nature of verifying certain capital cities in certain states and provinces, the final increments of the awards after Verified 50 Domestic Capital Cities would be 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61 and 62. Any member who verified either the Yukon or N.W.T. would receive Honorable Mention on his award.

Well, that about completes the summary of this year's activities by the AAC. As always, I am open to your suggestions, comments, and criticisms. Your support of this phase of IRCA operations is greatly appreciated. Thank you.

Percy R. Kesteven, Chairman
IRCA Achievement Awards Committee

AAC AWARDS ISSUED

The following is a list of AAC Awards recently given to IRCA members:

Series I, States Award

Thomas J. Graf (30)
Mike Pawlowski (30)
Kevin L. Slater (20) & (30)
Rob Keeney (30)
Cliff Reno (20)
Dave Christensen (20)
Richard J. Wall, Jr. (40)
Robert A. Schneider, II (20)
Bruce Kirkpatrick (40)
Reid C. Wheeler (20)
Gary Franklin (20)
Gary Krupp (30)
John H. Oldfield (40)
Larry L. Abraham (40)
Ernest J. Wesolowski (40)
Roger S. Horie (20)
Gary Luthals (30)

Series II, Provinces Award

Rob Keeney (6)
Bruce Kirkpatrick (6)
John H. Oldfield (10)
Ernest J. Wesolowski (8)
Brian Williams (6)

Series III, Countries Award

Richard J. Wall, Jr. (15)
Ernest J. Wesolowski (20)
Brian Williams (20)

Series IV, Total Stations Verified Award

Ray Hartman (400)
David L. Osborn (100)
Richard J. Wall, Jr. (400)
Jon E. Pearkins, Jr. (300)
Gary Krupp (100)
Mike Pawlowski (100)
Gary Franklin (100)

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DEADLINE: We are now weekly, so deadline is the Friday, 8 days before publication on Saturday. Please keep DXR & DXF reports on separate sheets with name on each sheet, unless both are extremely short. Double space, please!

- 560 WQAM FLA, Miami in a big mess; hrd an ID & rr mx 2220 10/4. (DB)
 KLVI TEX, Beaumont s/off 0001 9/25 w/SSB w/KLZ QRM. (DR)
- 620 KWFT TEX, Wichita Falls very poor 1409 w/cw mx 10/4. (DO)
- 680 KOMW WASH, Omak DX Special not hrd. (GH)
- 690 CBU BC, Vancouver in w/strong signal w/wx 0205 9/6. (DB)
 WTLX LA, New Orleans fair 0338-0355 w/SS stn took over 10/1. (RCE)
 KHEY TEX, El Paso f/c TT w/ID 0115 8/25. (GBS)
- 730 KLOE KAN, Goodland in good w/1900 s/off 10/7. (DO)
- 770 WABC NY, New York o/u KOB 0015 9/25 w/rr mx. (DR)
- 810 WSJC MISS, Magee fair o/u WMTS 0600-0612 10/12. (RCE)
 WMTS TENN, Murfreesboro w/cw mx o/u WSJC 0600 s/on til 0612 10/1; Unm. (RCE)
- 830 ----- R. BELIZE, British Honduras clear w/"Sat. Night Dance Show". Where was pesky WCCO? 2330 10/4. (DB)
- 910 KEGN IDAHO, Caldwell on easily w/religious songs on DX 10/6. (BN) Good signal gospel & IDs on DX 0402. (GH)
 KOYN MONT, Billings good w/f/c TT 0145-0200 8/11 o/UnID; morse code IDs. (GBS)
 KCJB ND, Minot hrd 0130 8/21 w/cw mx; off MM only. (GBS)
 KBIM NM, Roswell good 1950 w/Ad for KBIM TV. 10/2. (DO)
 WCOC MISS, Meridian good 1956 w/ID 10/2. (DO)
 KRRV TEX, Sherman poor weak ID 2128 10/2. (DO)
 KNAF TEX, Fredericksburg good 1630 w/NK, WK 10/3. (DO)
 WRNL VA, Richmond s/on w/SSB very poor 0400 10/1. (RCE)
 KGLC OKLA, Miami excellent w/lousy cw mx 0405 10/1. (RCE)
- 920 WGST GA, Atlanta poor u/o TT (perhaps jammer) 0436 10/1. (RCE)
 KLMR COLO, Lamar good 0700 s/on 10/6. (DO)
- 930 KIUP COLO, Durango 0702 s/on 10/7. (DO)
 KOGA NEBR, Ogalala very poor w/0700 s/on 10/7. (DO)
 KWOC MO, Poplar Bluff good 0600 s/on 9/26. (DO)
 KSDN SD, Aberdeen finally o/u WTAD/KDHL w/NK, WK, rr 2300 8/21; SD #22. (GBS)
 WSAZ W. VA., excellent w/good mx no QRM from WKY 0330 10/1. (RCE)
- 950 KMER WYO, Kemmerer not hrd on DX 10/6 per IRCA sked; NRC says 10/13. (GH)
 CFAM MAN, Altona 0010 s/off 8/25; 10 min. after AN-6 local KRST. (GBS)
- 960 CFAC ALTA, Calgary good 0144 8/25 w/MoR CKWS pest was off. (GBS)
 WELI CONN, New Haven f/c 0000-0010 8/11 w/ID 0005 during CKWS fade. (GBS)
 WBRC ALA, Birmingham apparently AN hrd 0145-0215 10/1. (RCE)
- 970 KSYL LA, Alexandria good on f/c w/ID 0017 8/25. (GBS)
 WAKK WISC, Superior poor on f/c 8/16; ID finally made it at 0100 end. (GBS)
 KJLT NEBR, North Platte poor w/ f/c. one day ahead 0000-0015 10/4. (DO)
- 1050 CFGP ALTA, Grand Prairie finally hrd 0110 8/19 w/TC & rr. (GBS)
- 1090 WFWR IND, Fort Wayne w/religious type prog 0650 10/1. (RCE)
- 1110 KEOR OKLA, Atoka audible weakly in daytime w/KFAB nulled; v/l. (DR)
- 1130 WCAR MICH, Detroit 0125 9/8 w/W-car ID. (GBS)
- 1140 KLUC NEV, Las Vegas good signal 9/25 2040 s/off; ann as Nev. most powerful stn (DR)
- 1190 KRDS ARIZ, Tolleson fair w/KLIF looped 9/24 2355 but heavy WOWO QRM; "Kards radio". (DR)
 KEZY CAL, Anaheim s/off 0200 10/6 w/KRDS & KLIF both off. (BN)
 KEX ORE, Portland hrd for first time in years 10/6 after KEZY s/off. (BN)
- 1210 WADE NC, Wadesboro ET-mx 0153-0200 8/25; good signal; no QRM. (GBS)
- 1220 KOUR IA, Independence hrd 1945 8/12 w/WAVN off early. (GBS)
 CHSC ONT, St. Catherines poor u/slop from WQUA & WCAU MoR mx 0136 9/6. (DB)
 KVSA ARK, McGehee f/c TT 9/17 0640-0645; s/on 0645 w/SSB. (F)
 WSLM IND, Salem 9/16 0630 s/on w/SSB. (F)
 WAVN MINN, Stillwater s/on w/SSB 9/17 0645. (F)
 KOFO KAN, Ottawa s/on 0700 9/18. (F)
- 1230 KMOR UTAH, Murray on AN 9/23 w/MoR mx; reported. (BN)
 KNUZ TEX, Houston good 0315 w/lawn care ad 10/6. (DO)

- 1230 KRSY NM, Roswell finally heard KRAZY radio; good 0025 with ID 10/5. (DO)
 KHDN MONT, Hardin hrd surpsisingly well on f/c 0120 9/15. (GBS)
 WUBE O, Cincinnati hrd u/QRM w/cw 0130 9/15. (GBS)
 WKCO WISC, Wausau now AN-6 off NM; dominating 0130 9/4 w/cw & SID. (GBS)
- 1240 WSBC ILL, Chicago 0001 s/off 9/2. (GBS)
 WJPD MICH, Ishpeming 1959 9/3 w/rr. (GBS)
 KLTZ MONT, Glasgow f/c ID 0243 8/25. (GBS)
 KASL WYO, Newcastle 0205 8/12 w/SID & rr u/WEDC/KAIKE. (GBS)
 WKDA TENN, Nashville good 0334 w/ID then rr 10/6. (DO)
 KFOR NEBR, Lincoln in briefly 9/24 2310 w/WX. (DR)
 KEAN TEX, Brownfield ETing 0140-0225 s/off, repeating "Listen To The Rhythm OF The Falling Rain" over & over along with tone. Finally IDed at s/off 9/30. (BN)
 KBMY MONT, Billings on easy with IRCA DX 10/6 & PRK announcements. (BN) Beautiful signal 0333 w/ID, code number(12543), tone, IRCA plugs, 0341 Col Bogey; Kesteven on tape I assume. (GH) In fairly well for first 15 min on 10/6. (DO)
- 1250 KWSU WASH, Pullman easy o/WTAE at s/off 0115 8/18. (GBS)
- 1260 KWHK KAN, Hutchinson fair at s/on 0500 10/4. (DO)
 KPOW WYO, Powell 9/24 w/WX & ID 2315; heavy QRM. (DR)
- 1280 KCNT NEBR, Broken Bow in poor w/TT f/c 0030-0100 9/20. (DB)
 WANS SC, Anderson in briefly poor 0230 10/1 w/local WWCA-1270 on the air--their towers about 1½ miles from my pad. (RCE)
- 1300 WKCY VA, Harrisonburg w/TT f/c in excellent 0130 9/13. (DB)
 ???? UnID w/TT f/c o/KGLO, WERE 0030- 9/20. (DB)
- 1310 KNOX ND, Grand Forks is the city. (GBS)
- 1320 KJHN ARK, Ft. Smith good 2135 w/rr 9/25. (DO)
 ???? UnID w/TT f/c poor u/WILS 0400-0415 9/15. (DB)
- 1330 WJPS ILL, Evansville 0001 s/off 8/18 after local WLOL s/off 0000. (GBS)
- 1340 WJOL ILL, Joliet 0130 8/18 w/NX. (GBS)
 WKGN TENN, Knoxville hrd w/ID fade-in & rr 0145 9/15. (GBS)
 KDEN COLO, (plug) tune-in for my newscasts on hour Sat. eves & special program Sun. eves(Mon EST) at 0000-0100. Reports urgently wanted. During Oct. only. (GH)
- KGFW NEBR, Kearney hrd 9/7 0700 s/on w/SSB. (F)
 KZNG ARK, Hot Springs s/on w/SSB 9/17 0500. (F)
- 1350 WKCU MISS, Corinth barely hrd 0245-0300 u/QRM 8/15. (GBS)
 WISV WISC, Viroqua mostly L&C o/QRM 1750 9/13. (GBS)
- 1360 KFFA ARK, Helena w/Ark. State - Tenn. Tech football all alone w/no WBAY 2115 on 10/4. (DB)
 WBAY WISC, Green Bay good 0155 w/NX 9/28. (DO)
 KS-- ???? in good with a test 0005 "This is KS--" no tone afterward; help!! 9/28. (DO)
- 1370/?KGMF MINN, New Prague is this a new station?? I can;t find it any where. Hrd s/on 0601 9/26. (DO)
- 1380 WWCM IND, Brazil poor 0543 10/1. (RCE)
- 1390 WNUS ILL, Chicago good 0345 w/rr mx 10/4. (DO)
- 1400 WDWS ILL, Champaign ET w/ID 0100 8/28. (GBS)
 WGIL ILL, Galesburg on RS 0105 8/28. (GBS)
 KEMI NEV, ETing TT 10/6 0215-0225 & on. (BN)
- 1410 KLEM IA, LeMars s/off 1930 9/18. (F)
 KCLO KAN, Leavenworth daytimer--was my closest unheard, most needed station-- new loop technique employed & thar they are! (F)
- 1420 WLET GA, Toccoa f/c 0140-0145 8/15 w/WHK QRM. (GBS)
 KABR SD, Aberdeen f/c ending 0135 8/15. (GBS)
- 1430 WIL MO, St. Louis in 2345 9/24 w/cw mx o/KELI. (DR)
- 1440 CKPA ONT, Ottawa w/MoR mx 0215 8/25. (GBS)
- 1450 KLNW IA, Cedar Rapids hrd on s/off 9/14 0200. (F)
- 1460 KSO IA, Des Moines s/on 0558 9/20. (F)
 WTMB WISC, Tomah ending ET 0020 9/15. (GBS)

1460 KIRL MO, St. Charles s/on 0600 9/20. (F) Good 0130 with an ET rr mx 9/28. (DO)
 1470 WHHY W. VA., s/on 0500 u/WMED s/on 0500 10/1. (RCE)
 KRBC TEX, Abilene in good 2325 w/rr mx. (DR)
 1480 WABB AIA, Mobile AN w/cw mx 10/6. (BN)
 1490 WABJ MICH, Adrian 0035 9/8 o/KBON. (GBS)
 WGEZ WISC, Beloit f/c-TT 0005-0020 9/9. (GBS)
 1500 KDFN MO, Dauphin fair w/lousy programming 0620-30 10/1. (RCE)
 1510 KIFG IA, Iowa Falls 1920 9/3 o/KSTP. (GBS)
 KPBC IA, Port Sulphur s/off 0105 8/18 after WLAC; on for hurricane. (GBS)
 WMEX MASS, Boston hrd weakly w/rr 0107 8/18. (GBS)
 1520 WLUV ILL, Loves Park s/off 1915 9/20. (GBS)
 1530 KFBK CAL, Sacramento finally IDed o/XKEL 0200 8/25. (GBS)
 KCLR TEX, Falls on f/c (2nd Wed) 9/10 0130-0145 TT. (BN)
 1550 WNTN MASS Newton w/ID 0133 8/26 on DX test. (GBS)
 WOKJ MISS, Jackson good 0004 w/rr mx 10/5. (DO)
 1560 WVAK IND, Paoli excellent w/cw mx 0500 10/1. (RCE)
 WEGS IA, Slidell on for hurricane 0035 8/18. (GBS)
 KMCD IA, Fairfield hrd 1930 8/25. (GBS)
 1590 WWUN MISS, Jackson good 0244 w/rr mx 10/4. (DO)
 1600 WBTO IND, Linton poor 0520-0526 w/spots from surrounding towns 10/1. (RCE)
 WTRU MICH, Muskegon 0105 w/ID & rr 8/26; AN now. (GBS)

REGULAR CHECKS HEARD PER IRCA F/C LIST:

1st MON: KBAN-1410	TEX (BN)	KSUB-590	UTAH (BN)	KLYQ-980	MONT (BN)
1st SAT: WIRV-1550	KY (DO)		2nd TUES: KRAL-1240	WYO (BN)	
2nd SAT: KDCE-970	N.M. (DB)		3rd THUR: WTJS-1390	TENN (BN)	
3rd SAT: WAIX-970	WISC (DO)		4th TUES: WTAX-1240	ILL (BN)	
4th FRI: KSIW-1450	OKLA (BN)	WSAO-1550	MISS (BN)		
4th SAT: KBRS-1340	ARK (DO)				

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Please note that all the r/c's heard per IRCA list in the 10/4/69 DXM MW-DXR sent in by Dave Osborn were heard during August (4th thru 25th approximately). -LDB

MIDWEST DX FORUM

LYNN D. BROOKS - Box 253 - Ponca City, Okla. 74601

Well, the merger talks look almost like those of last year, with sometimes a complete lack of common sense in some of the reports & opinions. Seems to me like some are a little "selfish" in their attitude, as they are only concerned with the retention of club name & other of IRCA's unique characteristics. The whole point of the merger is to "strengthen the HOBBY" & not any one club. The club which arises from a merger will definitely have the strong points of each of the two clubs & will thus be a strong club without some of the problems that both clubs now face. Those of you who aren't NRC members are sure missing some great "technical" articles & a fine foreign DX section (which combined with our section would make for a great foreign section). And as far as costs go, the larger the club, the less the cost per year per member when you are offset printing the bulletin. The big cost is the initial cost to print the first sheet, then each sheet is progressively cheaper. And we don't then have to depend on someone to devote countless hours each week to mimeograph the bulletin. I sure hope that some of you not favoring a merger, are volunteering to mbn to take over the publishing of the DXM. We just might need your help! 73 & good DX to all.

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EDITOR: Lynn D. Brooks - Box 253 - Ponca City, Okla. 74601 DEADLINE: See MW-DXR!!!!

LARRY M. ABRAHAM - 8470 W. Tuscalosa - Frankenmuth, Mich. 48734

It was simply great--the convention I mean. Had a wonderful time looking at lots of veries. Those pennants from the Latin America stns are marvelous, too. I think that most of us at the convention were enthused & quite happy to have R. Wood of Hawaii in attendance. I was glad to finally meet LBG, Ed Krejny, & A. Merriman & many of you others from Toledo, Mich., Chicago as well as the rest. It seems there was not even enough time to talk to everyone or see all the veries. Latest catches include: KEWI-1440 KELO-1320 WSKT-1580. Totals now: states 43/40, prov. 8/5, ctys 27/7, total 813/168. Fred Osterman--your HWA at 0030-0100 on 750 is KFQD. Above address is new & permanent. 73. (This is old rpt & was filed in wrong place. Sorry, Larry! LDB)

AMN LARRY COLTON - FR-366527263 Sgdn. 3755 - Box 10663, CMR 3 - Sheppard AFB,

The recent bulletins have once Texas 76311 again brought up the question of merger w/NRC. Although I rejoined when previous discussions were dying out, I received the impression that the reason for the proposed merger in the first place was because of apparent crises in both clubs. However, since these crises have since been remedied, the incentive for a merger considerably lessens. Opinion, at least so far, seems to indicate that this time the membership in general opposes a merger, & I would have to agree. I believe our bulletin is the best all the way around, & our club offers more opportunities for members to participate in the workings of the club than any other club in existence today. To have an effective merger, we would have to give up some things--possibly our format, & most probably our name & identity. To me, the IRCA stands for the most progressive & the best club, & I would not be able to vote for a merger unless by so doing it would save the club from collapse, & we are not at that point. 73.

MARV GARBER - 2539 Kessler Blvd. - Lincoln, Nebraska 68502

After a long & fun summer it's nice to be back on the DX scene! I spent the summer in San Jose & had a nice time. Thanks to all IRCAers (RPM, AL, BwB, & FBK) there for their hospitality! A special thanks are in order for Randy Miltier for finding me a job. Also, it was nice meeting DKK at ERBA Hq, did you like my traveling companion, DKK? Only 4 new veries in since May--WMC, KCKY(I found it PSL), ZNS, & CFSL. That brings my totals to 306 veried from 40 states, 6 prov, & 13 ctys. I see by the 9/20 DXM that we are again involved in a merger discussion. I don't know how LBG presented it yet since I haven't rcvd my 9/6 DXM. I think maybe it was sent to S.J. or it was that unpredictable 3rd Cl. mail again--would you send me another, DEE? Sorry I didn't make Chicago but I couldn't leave work any sooner. I did make St. Louis & it was nice to meet many DXers there. A big welcome to all the new Nebr. members! I think we've picked up a half-dozen or so since I last reported. If any of you guys are down in Lincoln be sure to look me up. And watch out, because I'll do likewise, hi! Shame on you Nittler for losing those Cal. addresses! I was looking forward to eyeballing you. FBK: I did make it to the Fillmore. I tried to get hold of you but you're hard to find! A plea to my correspondents--please be patient--I'm snowed under,

DAVE "FISH" FISCHER - Box 6256 - Lincoln, Nebraska 68506

Perhaps I can interest you in another session of FOW? Read on anyhow. FOW, Frequency of the Week, was deemed acceptable by IRCA at 1968 Convention & I assume it's still so. Basic idea is to monitor specific frequencies each week & report to DXR results --skeds, s/on, s/off, ET, r/c, etc.--the result is hopefully a show of CoF for the frequencies monitored. Also, DXers obtain an idea of what other's log on same frequencies. That FOW has never "overloaded" DXR should be mentioned. If you're interested, here's my suggestion of FOW for October: Oct 12-18 1230, 990, 1270, 1110, 900. Oct 19-25 1240, 920, 1260, 1170, 940. Oct 26-Nov 1 1450, 1600, 1280, 1560, 880. FOW anytime you like, no time limits or specific times for it during the week listed. Report to DXR, LDB knows FOW in every detail--he's a supporter--right LDB? (RIGHT!! I think it's great, but we need some of you DXers to support it to make it go. Let myself & the other DXR editors hear from you in regard to how you like the idea. Last year I underlined the FOW's to call attention to them in the DXR, but support was never there so I finally dropped it. It's a GREAT plan if we can have your support. It will give us a great CoF List if it's handled properly & gets lots of support. So monitor those special frequencies listed above & report those things Dave has listed. And let me know your comments on the subject. Okay? -LDB)

FRANK MERRILL, JR. - 10673 Saline-Milan Rd. - Milan, Michigan 48160

Having been a member of IRCA for 4 mon. now, it's high time that I send in a rpt! I was previously in IRCA between 64-65 during the peak of my BCB DX interest but have not been as active the past year of two. As an intro, I am 22, single, & will soon graduate from the U. of Mich., going into accounting work. I encountered my 1st BCB DX back in I believe 1955, when I hrd WOR; however, my activity was only very spotty until late 1960 when I became "active", & I have not had a month since w/o at least 1 new catch. My heard total stands at 2637, considerably less were I to drop "call letter changes" from the total. Verified total is about 830. States 49/49, prov 10/10, ctys 57/32(incl. VAC). My best catches include: 2UE-950 Sydney, 4YA-780, ZCO-1020, 3GI-830, KZOO-1210, Beirut-836(my only Asian), in that chronological order. Beirut was hrd in Plymouth, Mich.(about 20 air miles from here) while visiting a former NRC member in late '65. My rcvr is Hammarlund HQ-129X w/longwire of about 120 ft. My best domestics would include KCAS-1050, KLUC-1140, KSTV-1510(SSS catches), KGIW-1450, KHDN-1230(f/c TT's in 66-67), KBUC-1370(now KREL) at night, CKRD, but I find it rather hard to really tell which are my best. My DX interests have spread into TV/FM & I am especially avidly interested in FM DX. (This is a little over $\frac{1}{2}$ your rpt, Frank. The rest will be in next week's DXM. WELCOME to the Forum & the club. -LDB)

BILL NITTLER - Box 112 - Englewood, Colo. 80110 (HQ-180)

Veries in from CJIC-1050 & CKWS-960 both QSL cards. Three veries in during Sept., all Canadians! Listening has been curtailed the past couple of weeks due to work & laying the groundwork for my entry into politics. I am running for the Englewood City Council so will be a busy boy for a few weeks & thereafter if elected. The few times I have listened I have noticed a marked improvement in signal strength over this time last year. Glad to log, at long last, KMOR-1230 Murray, Utah one of my most wanted. Congrats to the IRCA CPC for such a fine start. I noted in a "sample" copy of the NRC bulletin that I just rcvd that the IRCA was well behind in the "CPC Scoreboard" last year. I went back through both club's bulletins & couldn't come anywhere near the NRC calculation on DX Specials they list. Guess it depends on which club you are a member of as to who did the best in the CPC race. Anyway, we're off to a great start.....thanks guys! 73.

LARRY M. ABRAHAM - 8470 West Tuscalosa - Frankenmuth, Mich 48734

Hi gang! DX has been so so of late. Am sticking mostly to the 1540-1580 range during s/off times. This section of the band is usually hopping with a lot of DX. Had a nice surprise visit from Dan Mirrs & Bill Raczko of Toledo along with F. Merrill of Milan, Mich. We visited many stns in the Saginaw area. I have compiled a list of stns which have not verified for me in the last $1\frac{1}{2}$ yrs. Here goes: WCLS CKDM WIDS XERF WFBC KVGB HIBE R.CARIBE-840 CKY WMDR WJEF WJIM WISM ZEM1 CJNR WHLO KWOC KCTA KOMA KATZ KPH KECK WJVA WSB(believe it or not). Which ones do verify? (Veries here have been rcvd from KOMA KECK KPH KCTA WSB & XERF verifies for many people. -LDB) Let me add a comment here since I just thought of it again. I disagree in the way the ECDXR is typed, with city left out & only state & call mentioned. It only irritates me when I must look up in my log to which city certain calls are licensed. So therefore, I will never again contribute to the ECDXR until the form is reinstated that was previously used. A very unusual verie came in the mail the other day, it was from WGSB-1480 in Geneva, Ill. what was unusual was that it took 2 yrs, 2 months, & 2 days.

RICK EVANS - P.O. Box 1988 - Glen Park Station - Gary, Indiana 46409

Good morning--long time no report. My feelings on the merger are these--it would be a good idea, as I belong to both clubs, but one of the values of a DX club to me is the incentive to DX more, not so much the information in them but the spur to listen. Therefore, I would like to see both clubs remain as they are. The above address is new. It's about 4 miles closer to my pad than the main post office which is not on my way to work, & is rather inconvenient. My batchelor pad is located about 3 miles from the towers of WIND-560 AN & about $1\frac{1}{2}$ miles from WJCA-1270 also AN. WLTN-1370 is about $2\frac{1}{2}$ miles but they are daytime. I am working 1530-2400 local time & unmarried again, so I expect to be hitting the dials for the contest. 73. P.S. I am open for all correspondents to write.

Don't forget, keep all forum reports related to DXing. After all, that's what the club is about, We're not a club of SCers, rock-n-roll or soul music connoisseurs. Also, who cares where the latest nomadic d.j.'s are located. Is that DX????? -LDB

DAVE "OZ" OSBORN - 3111 S. 105th St. - Omaha, Nebraska 68124

If I can't talk about SC'ing, or rock music, what does that leave? (DX!!! -LDB) New veries: v/q WKYC KHOW WGY WSMB KGO XERF KXOK v/1 KBRS KIRL CJOC KWK WAKX KTOE KIZZ WANV WKCU WGEM WXCL WDAY KDTH WSAO. New report out to: KLOE KIUP KIMR WPRT CKX WTRV WFAA(570) KJLT & a zillion others. Winter DX is really back, as all the old favorites are on the dial again. Saturday morning, 10/4, the fearless foursome of Omaha, had their 1st annual bash. The gala event massed about 30 new ones. Fearless 4: Me, B, Haworth, Greg Zimmerman, & Mark Dirk. The 9/20 DXM came 10/4 & the 10/4 has yet to come. What gives?? (Ask your friendly postmaster, or go 1st class. -LDB) Good-bye KFNF! We'll miss you! (What a laugh!) Be4 I s/off, I might as well give my DX totals: 368/148; 34/33 states; 4 prov. 73's.

GEORGE B. SHERMAN - 104 Pinewood Circle - Rosemount, Minn. 55068

This is my first DXF report. I'm 18 & I've DXed since '65. I've been a member of IRCA since July & a member of NRC since Aug. '68. My rx is an 8-xistor Realistic AC/DC long range TRF portable. Total hrds: 771 stns, 38 states, 5 prov, & 12 ctys. I want tapesponders to discuss DX, record stns, etc. Please write if interested & I'll start us off w/3" reel which records half hour on 2-tracks & can be mailed for 12 ¢ 1st class. You can start by mailing me 3" tape if you have one, but please don't send bigger ones. Stn density here: 30 stns w/in 50 mi., newest is WEVR-1550 in River Falls, Wisc. Another report soon, 73. (WELCOME, George, hope to hear from you soon) (Uh-oh! Left out a line. Add to above rpt, "P.S. I also enjoy receiving letters & will send anybody writing a quick reply." -LDB)

BILL HAWORTH - 3610 S. 114th St. - Omaha, Nebr. 68144

Greetings. Veries since last report: v/1 WPTX KCNW WMT KDTH KOLY WIP WIMA WJAG KOAK v/q WDAF KSL WSPA WBZ KMON WOI. Only new rpts out are: WKY WPRT KRVN KSAC. Does anyone know how long it takes for WJJD to verify? In my opinion, tapes should be counted as veries, after all, it also proves that you heard the station. I really enjoyed the all night DX session with Mark, Greg, & Oz. The conditions for me were not too good, but I say wait till next week. Bill Kilgallon, where are you? 73.

DAVID ROGERS - 703 - 5th st. - Alva, Oklahoma 73717

Greetings. Well, as you can see by the address, I'm going back to college at NSC here in Alva this fall. I quit at KGYN in May not due to any dislike or disagreement with the station, but simply because I'm interested more in getting a good education than working right now. NSC has a better department in my majors: political science & speech. Before leaving KGYN I donated 500 QSL's so they should be verifying for some time to come. Mail can be addressed to me here in Alva, or at my home address, Box 348, Buffalo, Okla. Congrats to all officers elected in last IRCA election! A few new veries since last report: KJLT KCLV KF/WB KBOI KTUE(from Guymon) WPAW KHUZ KPRC KPUR KSOK KOFO AM/FM KIUL WKY & KEOR. Tnx to KOFO CE Bob Davis of IRCA for verie on AM & finding my '64 FM rpt & verifying it too. Hope everyone has a good DX season.73.

BILL NITTLER - Box 112 - Englewood, Colorado 80110 (HQ-180)

JCJ--The KCHY-KCGO call change was made last spring. KEND-980 CP has been deleted. Happy to report that Mark Robinet & I will again team in the Domestic Doubles Contest---anyone think they can beat us? The new member list in the past two bulletins has been most impressive. A big welcome to you all. The early CPC work in the west looks tasty. I still have mixed emotions on the merger question & much prefer the IRCA formats & bulletin to the NRC's. However, let's all look at the question objectively & not get bogged down in the same old animosities that beset the previous merger proposal. It seems to me that most of our members who do not belong to the NRC do not favor a merger. They, like me, belong to the IRCA solely because they think it is the best club & we get the information we want. Only verie is from KNOR-1230. KMER-950 apparently not on DX again as not heard here. 73.

Mail Service IRCA is lucky to have generally superb service though sometimes an issue will be delayed (3rd class only) several days. The only solution is for editors to continue co-operating by getting all sections to Riverside by Monday or notifying me of any delay by then with the number of stencils to expect. Absolute deadline for stencils is Tuesday PM. This will permit smooth flow of work; when the bulletin gets done before 4:00 AM the morning it is mailed, service is almost 100% perfect. As always, details on bulletin service, both 3rd and 1st, is greatly desired. A list of the dates you receive issues will be much appreciated! -DEE

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- 540 CBXQ B.C. Ucluelet, reported w/fair sigs 9/6 @ 0400. V/c by CBC-Vancouver(LAK) ???? UnID. Strong TTer 0321 tune-in to 0328 when it left the air on 8/15. W's better than S-9 here. Looped N-S so not CBK...(LAK) ??-ed.
- 550 KENI ALAS. Anchorage, excellent every night after KMVI s/off (REW) (DF)
KOY ARIZ. Phoenix, in with good sigs on 9/13 @ 2330. Format was mostly Pop mx.
- 560 KSFO CALIF. San Fran. 9/21 @ 0002 w/MoR & NX. Then a 30 sec spot for the Giants (DGC) Don't mention the Giants anymore if you would Dave--ed.
- 570 KLUB UTAH Salt Lake City, good music 9/6 @ 0455, at a level w/KLAG. (REW)
- 580 KFXD ID.Nampa, 0304-0309 on 8/15. Hypnotizing TT scattered w/snatches of RR Mx. (LAK) weak @ 2122 9/29 w/"Don Campbell Show" w/pop Mx. Also bits of KWIN slipping thru (RCW) Wish KWIN would scatter bits down this way--ed.
- CKY MAN. Winnipeg, 9/21 @ 0615 w/Ann'r then Contest winners, jingle ID. (DGC) Heard 9/24 at 0600 with News (REW)
- 590 KUGN ORE. Eugene, s/off hrd 0200 8/29 w/fair sigs o/CJOR slop. Rptd, no verie as yet (LAK) w/NBC NX 2130 9/29 ID. QRM from KHQ partially looped out(RCW)
- KSUB UTAH. Cedar City, hrd on PoP test 0300-0400 & f/c 0400-0430 on 9/1. (LAK)
- 610 CKYL ALTA. Peace River, local news, weather with KFRC looped on 9/20 at 0300(REW)
KFRC CALIF. San Fran. Hrd w/RR 10/3 @ 2235. Fair signals. (DF)
KEPR WASH. Kennewick, Regular here (ACM)
- 620 KTAR ARIZ. Phoenix, hrd at 0700 9/22 s/on. Then into NBC NX. Good sig, wiping KWFT into oblivion (LAK) hrd w/RR 10/3 @ 2250 w/fair sig. (DF)
KSTR COLO. Grand Jct. Caught s/on 0704 9/22. Taped rpt out. Went into C&W MX, w/ many K-Star ID's. Signal-WOW! Creamed KTAR, KWFT & CKCK. Some CJOR slop(LAK)
- WSUN FLA. St. Petersburg, 9/22 @ 0410, well over CKCK (REW)
CKCK SASK. Regina, Good sig till KFRC s/on 0400 8/25 (BWB)
KWFT TEX. Wichita Falls, faint w/CKCK 0600-0700 9/22. C&W mx. Texan sounding country DJ. (LAK) Not too strange if you think about it Larry, hi--ed.
- 630 CHED ALTA. Edmonton, very good, others looped. Heard 9/14 @ 0745. (REW)
WMAL D.ofC. Washington, 9/29 s/on w/SSB 0431, into religious. First D.C. here(REW)
KIDO ID. Boise, strong @ 2140 9/29 w/MoR mx. (RCW) Very good w/DX test 0303 on 10/6 (BWB)
KGDN WASH. Edmonds, 0240-0300 8/15 w/TT. IDed w/under modulated voice @ 0300(LAK)
- 650 KORL HAW. Honolulu, weak @ 0145 9/29 MM w/MoR mx & heavy QRM, no WSM (RCW)
- 660 KFAR ALAS. Fairbanks, good to excellent every night in September (REW)
KOZN NEBR. Omaha, C&W music 9/18 at 0635 with KFAR looped (REW)
WNBC N.Y. New York, talk program, very good 9/25 at 0445 (REW)
- 670 WMAQ ILL. Chicago, 9/7 @ 0247 w/fair sigs & no KIRO spur (DGC)
- 680 KOMW WASH. Omak, fair with DX test 10/6 @ 0325 (BWB) 10/6 0342-0356 for IRCA Special, music & Omak info, in the clear (BDP)
- 690 KKUA HAW. Honolulu, Hrd u/XETRA mx for the 1st time @ 0400 9/28 (BB)
- 710 KMPC CALIF. Los Angeles, testing on & off all MM 9/1. TT's, OC, Mx, the works(LAK)
WOR N.Y. New York, talk show AN 9/1, hrd faint u/KMPC's OC. (LAK)
- 720 KUAI HAW. Eleele, good over WGN @ 0200 on 9/8 (BWB)
- 730 CKLG B.C. Vancouver, hrd for 1st time w/RR 9/2 @ 0100 w/good signal (DF)
CKDM MAN. Dauphin, almost level with CKLG at 0605 on 9/18 (REW)
- 740 CBX ALTA. Edmonton, local ID at 0200 on 9/20 (REW)
CBL ONT. Toronto, with morning show atop frequency at 0410 on 9/9 (REW)
- 750 KFQD ALAS. Anchorage, very good by 0150, excellent by 0200 on 9/20 (REW)
WSB GA. Atlanta, hrd w/light mx & announcements 10/5 @ 0430. Good sig (DF)
- 760 WJR MCH. Detroit, hrd w/NX & WX 9/27 @ 0500. Good signal (DF)
- **790 KKON HAW. Kealekekua, 9/27 1000 s/on. Reactivation of former KONA, & a much better signal here on Oahu; in operation with so-called tests, but sounds like normal programming. In EE & JJ, Filipino soon. S/on briefly in Hawaiian, into EE, MoR. Not surprised this has been reactivated, as the Kona Coast is an expanding area. Owned by Kona Coast B.Corp. (REW) Tnx for info--ed.
- 800 CKOK B.C. Penticton. very good with RR mx 0230 on 9/21 (BWB)
CKLW ONT. Windsor, on top 9/20 at 0220 (REW)

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- 810 WGY N.Y. Schenectady, level w/KGO 0325 9/13 & several other nights (REW)
- 835 KGRE ORE. Gresham PIRATE hrd w/"Honky Tonk Women" 32 times in a row! This was hrd on 9/29 (BB)
- 850 KICY ALAS. Nome, religious, excellent 9/8 @ 0355 & several nights since (REW)
CKVL QUE. Verdun, FF talk show 9/22 @ 0530, quite good thru KOA TT. (REW)
- 860 WAZE FLA. Clearwater, s/on 9/6 @ 0615, on top, later KONO up again (REW)
KONO TEX. San Antonio, hrd w/RR & WX 10/5 @ 0455 with poor signal (DF)
- 870 KIEV CALIF. Glendale, 9/18 @ 0810, end NX., into C&W music (REW)
WVL LA. New Orleans, quite good thru local KAIM 9/13 @ 0325 (REW)
- 880 WCBS N.Y. New York, hrd w/American Airlines Mx show 9/20 @ 0400 w/fair sig(DF)
beautiful signals here every night in September (REW)
- 890 ???? UnID. 9/15 0530-0535 w/poor sig & RR mx.(MJW) sounds like WLS Matthew--ed.
- 900 KFRB ALAS. Fairbanks, Over CJVI w/sports 0115 on 9/2 (BWB) in CBS Net 9/22 @ 0455 & again 9/24 at 0710 with Rock & Roll music (REW) //(DF)//
CKBI SASK. Prince Albert, hrd w/RR 9/2 @ 0030. Fair sig, XEW was hard to loop out
- 910 KPHO ARIZ. Phoenix, 9/14 0330-0339 w/good signal & news. (MJW)
- 920 KREX COLO. Grand Jct. 9/29 @ 0345 w/R&R mx. KMTN was looped (REW) beautiful--ed.
WMEG FLA. Eau Gallie, 9/29 @ 0400 w/Hi show, too weak to report; Eau Gallie #2 here (REW)
- KGAL ORE. Lebanon, w/good sigs o/mess 0059 on 9/5 (BWB)
- KELP TEX. El Paso, 9/14 0340-0350 w/poor signal & RR music (MJW)
- 930 KAGI ORE. Grants Pass, 9/18 @ 0730 dominating KHJ. (REW)
- 940 KHOS ARIZ. Tucson, hrd w/C&W mx @ 2303 9/25. QRM from KFRE-Fresno (BW)
KIOA IOWA Des Moines, s/on 9/22 @ 0500 but CBM still dominant (REW)
CBM QUE. Montreal, s/on 9/22 @ 0456 (REW)
- 950 KIMN COLO. Denver, hrd w/RR 10/5 @ 0400 w/poor sig & KJR looped out (DF)
KATN ID. Boise, regular here. A good stn often times overlooked in favor of more powerful KBOI (ACM) //(DF)//
KJR WASH. Seattle, hrd for 1st time w/RR 10/5 @ 0415 w/good sig & KIMN looped//
- 960 CFAC ALTA. Calgary, 8/25 @ 0424 w/MoR, easy w/KJR OFF finally (DGC) at a level with KABL @ 0145 on 9/22 (REW)
- 970 CJYR ALTA. Edson, s/on @ 0759 on 9/23 then into News (REW) Nice catch Rich--ed.
KBIS CALIF. Bakersfield, s/on @ 0801 on 9/23 (REW)
KBEE CALIF. Modesto, ID for AM & FM at 0755 on 9/23 (REW)
WAVE KY. Louisville, local weather at 0510 on 9/15 (REW)
- 990 KKIS CALIF. Pittsburg, 8/11 @ 0206 with s/off, no SSB. 1st time here (DGC)
KTRG HAW. Honolulu. RR programming is very far from usual on KTRG, which is a talk stn: EE talk 0300-2300, JJ talk & some JJ mx 2300-0300. At 0300 switch from JJ to EE, beginning with news, then talk (REW)
- 1010 CBR ALTA. Calgary, hrd w/ a CBC show 8/25 @ 0030 w/fair signals (DF)
KDJW TEX. Amarillo, ID hrd on 9/22 @ 0525 w/a poor signal (BW)
- 1020 KDKA PA. Pittsburgh, hrd w/talk show 9/20 @ 0445 w/good sig (DF) Poor sig here 9/22 @ 0500 w/ID & News. No KSWs QRM (BW)
- 1030 WBZ MASS. Boston, hrd w/Pop mx 9/28 @ 0200 with good signals (DF)
- 1040 WHO IOWA Des Moines, better than local KHVH without loop 9/9 @ 0435 (REW) Hrd w/football @ 0000 10/4 with fair signals (DF)
- 1050 CKSB MAN. St. Boniface, totally dominant, CBC FF Net, local ID @ 0715 on 9/25(REW)
KORE ORE. Eugene/Springfield, 9/24 at 0845 s/on & 9/25 @ 0845 s/on. Good sig (REW)
CJNB SASK. No. Battleford, excellent w/traces of CFGP 9/4 @ 0020 (REW)
???? UnID. RR s/on way o/XEG which was very weak 0545 9/25. Not CHUM. What US stns would be RR in Minn-La. slice of U.S.? (DMK)
- 1060 KUPD ARIZ. Tempe, hrd w/RR, ID as "Cupid Rx" 9/20 @ 0425. Good sig w/QRM from KNX slop (DF)
WNOE LA. New Orleans, o/KUPD et al 0319 on 8/30. V/c in 5 days (BWB)
KYW PA. Philadelphia, hrd ID w/under KUPD 9/20 @ 0425. (DF)
- 1070 WFLI TENN. Lookout Mt., very weak u/WDIA/WIBC/CFAX et al w/ID 0517 on 9/29 (DMK)
WDIA TENN. Memphis, fair w/Gospel Pgm. u/CFAX, ID @ 0512, ad for Tennessee Pride Sausage (DMK) No date given--ed.
- 1090 KNCR CALIF. Fortuna, logged as new stn. w/2130 9-6 s/off, no SSB. Is MoR, 10 kw Non-DA from 156' tower per v/l. Seems to appreciate tapes. (DMK)

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- 1130 GKWX B.C. Vancouver, hrd w/music & ads 10/5 @ 0400 w/excellent signals (DF)
- 1150 KRKD CALIF. Los Angeles, 9/28 @ 0659 s/on, into religious transcription. Best yet here, KAYO usually dominant. (REW)
- 1170 KCBQ CALIF. San Diego, excellent at unexpected KLOK SP 0200 on 8/28 (BWB)
- 1190 KEZY CALIF. Anaheim, hrd at 0500 on 9/28 (BB)
- KEX ORE. Portland, NX at 0405 9/15. Noted w/very good signal (BW)
- 1200 WOAI TEX. San Antonio, Dodger-Astro BB game from "The Sports Capitol of the West" @ 2344 on 10/2 (BW)
- 1230 KDAC CALIF. Ft. Bragg, s/on 0845 9/18 & in very good. (REW) Never hrd here--ed.
- 1240 KBMY MONT. Billings, 10/6 0322-0341 for IRCA Special, easy log thru KROY, sorry DKK. TT's, mx & much promo for IRCA (BDP) Was this the stn Tting on/off after 0400 10/6? No ID's heard (DMK)
- KTIX ORE. Pendleton, weak but steady here daily (ACM)
- 1270 KBAM WASH. Longview, u/KCOK w/WX, s/off no SSB @ 2130 on 9/8 (DMK)
- 1290 KHSL CALIF. Chico, heard 10/1 at their 0730 s/on. (REW)
- KUMA ORE. Pendleton, regular here but directional at night (ACM)
- 1310 KPOD CALIF. Crescent City, way over KDIA 9/18 at 0855 with RR music (REW)
- KNPT ORE. Newport, 9/23 at 0830 w/excellent sig, little KDIA. Local school dinner menu (REW)
- 1320 KHIT WASH. Walla Walla, in regularly days here (ACM)
- 1330 WLOL MINN. Minneapolis, briefly even w/KFAC w/"WLOL News" 0402 9/6 preceded by teletalk. Fairly consistant that AM but not heard since. (DMK)
- 1340 KAOR CALIF. Oroville, 10/2 @ 0915 ID, up briefly thro' KATA, which is usually dominant at this time (REW)
- KORK NEV. Las Vegas, hrd w/one ID at 0445 on 9/28 (BB)
- KPDN TEX. Pampa, hrd 9/18 at 0710 w/local spots (REW) (BB)
- 1350 KSRO CALIF. Santa Rosa, hrd at 0345 w/underground mx so must be all night now.//
- KRLC ID. Lewiston, strong @ 0155 10/1 with pop mx. (RCW)
- KBMR N.DAK. Bismarck, noted on top 9/7 at 0615 (REW)
- CKLB ONT. Oshawa, in with clear ID @ 0300 on 9/7 after News (DMK)
- 1370 KGNO KANS. Dodge City, dominant 9/15 @ 0610, some local KPOI splatter (REW)
- KOKE TEX. Austin, 9/22 from 0500-0505 w/low signal & news. (MJW)
- 1380 KSWO OKLA. Lawton, hrd s/on w/SSB @ 0540 9/22 w/good signal (BW)
- 1390 WFBL N.Y. Syracuse, 9/29 @ 0447 w/MoR mx. My 1st upstate N.Y. regional. (REW)
- KLPM N.DAK. Minot, f/c noted 9/13 @ 0432; according to verie, power was 3490w(REW)
- KCRC OKLA. Enid, 9/15 @ 0545 s/on. Acc to verie, most distant reception on RS(REW)
- 1400 WMSL ALA. Decatur, s/on w/SSB 0500 9/29, beautiful sig as expected. Into News & C&W music (DMK)
- KXIV ARIZ. Phoenix, 8/25 @ 0337 w/light Classical mx, definitely not silent as in NRC Log (DGC) //(DMK)//
- KELD ARK. El Dorado, w/clear ID @ 0545 10/6. Announcer mentioned "Lifeline" Program running 0530-0545 which accounts for UnID hrd 9/29 w/Pgm at same time
- KQIQ CALIF. Santa Paula, hrd 9/24 at 0700 w/non-stop music (REW)
- KUKI CALIF. Ukiah, hrd 8/25 @ 0352 with ET using TT (DGC) //(DMK)//
- KFRU MO. Columbia, in very poorly but fair w/complete ID 0330 on 9/22, into MoR.
- KTFS TEX. Texarkana, weak u/QRM with ID 0459 10/6. Soon faded (DMK)
- KATI WYO. Casper, 8/25 @ 0240 w/wierd test, on w/ID then off!!! (DGC)
- 1410 CFUN B.C. Vancouver, hrd 0155-0200 w/fair signal with News. (MJW) Matthew, this stn has since changed calls to CKVN. You did not list a date heard---ed.
- 1420 KSTN CALIF. Stockton, 0220-0225 9/14 poor w/weather & RR music (MJW)
- 1430 KEGL CALIF. Santa Clara, good with KARM/ KALI QRM @ 0645.(REW) No date listed--ed
- CKFH ONT. Toronto, easy but very fady w/RR o/u KELI 0245 9/8. KARM/KALI off for first time in almost a year (DMK)
- 1440 KVON CALIF. Napa, 10/1 at 0800 s/on, into local news. (REW)
- KUHL CALIF. Santa Maria, excellent w/slight KDNC QRM 9/18 at 0700 (REW)
- KEWI KANS. Topeka, w/good sigs over unid. at 0520 on MM 9/29 (BWB)
- 1450 KAWT ARIZ. Douglas, 10/6 0310-0320 ET w/TT's & many ID's. KRZY a little rough, but enough for report (BDP)
- KSOL CALIF. San Fran. 8/25 @ 0230 with s/off (non-vocal SSB) (DGC)

- 1450 KRZY N.MEX. Albuquerque, hrd with C&W music 9/15 at 0445 (REW)
- KLBM ORE. Le Grande, sked is 1000-0230 EST. V/s is Warren D. Curry, CE, Box 907, La Grande, Ore. 97850. Have had one report from New Zealand (ACM)
- WQSN S.CAR. Charleston, strong & atop KRZY at times (!) from 0401-0407 9/29 with NX, Spts, & ID then TC & Ad at 0407. 1st GY actually on the EC yet, hi. (DMK)
- KAYC TEX. Beaumont, with C&W music 9/8 at 0420 (REW)
- KBKW WASH. Aberdeen, 10/2 at 0930 with local news. (REW)
- 1460 WPNX ALA. Phenix City, w/fair sigs 0451 9/29 w/WX. Ever hrd of a WPNX verie Mr. Kaskey? (BWB) What's a verie Bruce--ed.
- KTYN CALIF. Inglewood, finally in w/SS Pgm. & s/off 2100 9/22. (DMK)
- 1470 KLIB KANS. Liberal, fair w/sign on, no SSB at 0600 9/15. Stn. seems to have left-ist political leanings. (DMK) That's all we need Dave--ed.
- KDUN ORE. Reedsport, w/ID & NX 2101 9/22. Note new call ("Serving the land of the dunes"). Very strong. (DMK) At 0928 9/27 w/NX: call change, very good (REW)
- KDHN TEX. Dimmitt, w/unbelievable sig at s/on 0501 on 9/8 (BWB)
- ???? UnID. Hrd 0600 9/15 w/sign on. Vocal SSB sung by young children. Ideas?(DMK)
- 1480 WABB ALA. Mobile, great sig w/RR Drake-type format 0330 9/29. Weak sig around 0300 but faded up for keeps about 30 minutes later. (DMK)
- WHOM N.Y. New York, easy at 0400 9/15 s/on w/no SSB, into SS pgm 0401. Surprised to hear ANY NYC regional on the WC. (DMK) Good catch Dave--ed.
- KONI UTAH. Spanish Fork, w/WX 0712 9/8. V/r in 6 days (BWB) Patriotic s/on at 0700. (REW) No date given--ed.
- 1490 KAIR ARIZ. Tucson, "Tucsons only 24 hr all music stn" hrd 9/15 at 0500 (BW)
- KBON NEBR. Omaha, weak & fady u/KAIR w/ID 0330 9/8, into MoR. Mixing w/UnID RR most likely KNOW. (DMK)
- KBZY ORE. Salem, now AN-6, hrd 9/24 0350 on 1st morn., phone call to stn later in the day got SP as MM 0300-0800 EST/EDT. (KLS)
- 1500 KSTP MINN. St. Paul, 9/22 @ 0420 poor w/WX in N.Dak. & Minn. (MJW) Noted here at 0600 on 9/22 with News & Weather (BW)
- 1520 KOMA OKLA. Oklahoma City, 8/31 @ 0202 w/ann'r & ID, above KYXI!!! (DGC)
- 1530 KGBT TEX. Harlingen, fair w/WCKY at 0500 9/14 at s/on, into SS program (DMK)
- 1540 KFKF WASH. Bellevue, 10/2 at 0850 w/MoR music, KPOL partly looped. (REW)
- 1550 WRIZ FLA. Coral Gables, with religious program 9/13 at 0605 (REW)
- KKJO MO. St. Joseph, very good over KKHI at my local sunset 9/9 @ 2350 (REW) tearing XEBG to pieces with Pgm. test 0000-0400 9/21. CE said that if enough listeners were interested stn. might AN-6. (DMK)
- CBE ONT. Windsor, local weather heard 9/25 at 0405 (REW)
- WVAB VA. Virginia Beach, 9/29 @ 0545 s/on, my 1st. daytimer north of Fla. & East of Kentucky. By 0547 KKJO had taken over. (REW)

1600 WKWF FLA. Key West, fine signal, as often here, 9/15 at 0450. (REW)

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++++++Support certainly looks good this issue. Many thanks to our regular contributor and a big welcome to Dave Ferry, Bradford & Matthew Wall & a big welcome to Richard E. Wood who is probably one of the top BCB DXers in the world at present. Keep the reports coming and remember to send all items in EST. 73s---DKK.

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73's members and a special welcome to all new members. Latest veries in from CROK, KRRC after about a year, KBOI, KPQ, KTRC and XEMO. DEE, I hope the info I sent you will help you out. About the merger, I've heard a lot of opinions. To those who are for it, I say that the IRCA has come a long, long way since it started. Do you want to spoil the club's image as a modern and efficient radio DX club? I sincerely believe that by keeping this club a one big happy family it can become the most progressive club of its kind in North America. Look what haprened to the Roman Empire when it aquired too much. I think you fellow members who want a merger should SERIOUSLY THINK IT OVER. The one thing I would like to see very soon is a DX Forum devoted entirely to the DX world and not to such controversies as the merger, SC's, and condemnation of other club members. To all IRCA members, I urge you to support the IRCA and make this club the greatest DX club ever. Thanks and 73 to all for now.

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Hi! DX has been a little bit slow around here, but is picking up now that I replaced three dead tubes in the HA-230; next week will see 3-4 more replaced. I was wondering why my sensitivity was down, hi. A very helpful addition has been added to the BCB HQ here--Nivico TD-684U tape deck (equivalent to Allied TD-1030 minus 1-7/8 ips). Veries: v/q CKYL CBXB KAAV KRUX v/1 KUGN KYME WRFD KEIP KWYZ KYLT KBKW KEYV KOBO WBNS CFWB v/f CKVN v/pp KXL. KWSU sent a v/q, but left it unmarked. Uncountable?? Who is Big Johnny Reb of WDAK-540 fame? See you next week, all. 73 and good DX. JEP says "B.C. in '70!" Many agree.

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Greetings. After a most enjoyable IRCA convention in Chicago (it was fine to meet so many of you again), I decided to join the club. Some of you may have heard of my activities in NRC, and now I am in both clubs. Speaking of clubs, I am for a gradual movement towards union, mainly because in the eyes of the radio stns, which are our stock in trade, the differences must seem petty indeed. We are all DX'ers: that is what we have in common, and that is what separates us from all the rest of humanity. Introducing myself, I teach languages at U. of Hawaii, and prefer to use that address; but home telephone # is 261-3548. I do my DXing from the Lanikai section of Kailua, in the City & County of Honolulu. I have been in Hawaii since Sept. 1967, and DX'd mainly foreign stns until March of this year. Then I took up active North American DXing as well. Some hrd/verified totals are: Overall 888/355, countries 62/40, including 7 new countries hrd 9/21; U.S. mainland 370/192; states 35/35; Canada 41/23; provinces 6/5 (Que. just hrd); Mexico 40/15; Australia 62/47. Only rx now used for Mw DX is a Hammarlund SP-600 bought in Milwaukee while travelling between Chicago & St. Louis. I also have another SP-600, an HQ-180, and a Galaxy R-530; a spiral loop, 4' square, is the only antenna in use. Veries in since returning from the conventions, XEGS-610, CJOC-1220, KGBT-1530, KPLS-1150, Zahedan-777, KXXL-1450, KWNS-1290, KQIC-1400, KBBQ-1500, CX14-810, HJJW-1460, KIMN-950, KOBO-1450 (first verie in the world from this new stn), WLAC-1510, KSLM-1390, XEWK-1190, KOH-630, WJBO-1150, KLVI-560, KVOU-1400, CJNB-150, KLUB on 570, CKSB-1050, KLPM-1390, WGY-810, KACY-1520, KCRC-1390. 73. (Dick, welcome to the IRCA. Your reports to the Forum are most welcome!-BJ).

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Hi everybody. As a new member of IRCA, I'd like to introduce myself. I am 15 years old and a sophomore in high school. Have been DXing on short wave for three years, and on medium wave for 2½ monthes. I came to IRCA via Chuck Sadoian. My rxs consist of a Hammarlund HQ-145, Grundig Satellite 5000, and I use a 3½ foot box loop antenna. I also use a Voice of Music tape recorder with three speeds. Totals are 105/32 stns, 24/20 states, 3/3 prov., 6/3 countries. Latest veries include v/q KDKA, CBS, KCPX, KSWB, WJR, WSB, CBR, CBK, v/1 CKBI, CKIG, KUPD, KBOI, KPNW, KOY. Well, that's about all for now. 73. (Welcome to the Forum, Dave! Report as often as you can-BJ.)

Greetings group. Note the new address above. Long time, no report, but I'm getting back in the swing of things after the traditional summertime activities of sports car racing/rallying, beer drinking and getting married (not necessarily in that order.) Now it's on to winter things (ERBA and snow shoveling snow, hi). DX Specials of 10/6 heard were KIDO, KBYM, KOMW, and KMER. No sign of most wanted KVAS and KBGN, though. One lone verie thus far in KHOW v/q. Clean out time in the shack: I would like to trade a barely used (and apparently barely working) Knight K6-220 30-50 mc rx for any SW rx capable of reliable reception of WWV. This is your chance to get rid of your junky Star Roamer or whatever. Start making plans now for ERBA Thanksgiving weekend in Sacramento. SBN & I will be there, as usual. 73 and DX.

Randy Miltier - 1760 Whitwood Lane #3 - Campbell, CA 95008

Hi kid! Just started to get back in the DX groove for this season. Found a lot of noise in the air last MM (9/22). Since this is a new season I'll reintroduce myself. I'm 25 years old, married and have a daughter two years old. I'm a draftsman and work at a small outfit in nearby Sunnyvale. I'm currently trying to get a fireman's job in Fremont. I should know next week whether I get the job or not. My DX gear consists of a Hammarlund HQ-140 (what else is there?) connected to a four boot box loop. I hope to build a FET booster one of these days. I noticed two of the latest electronics mags (can't remember the names) have plans for two different boosters. Anyone know anything about them? Totals veries are at 413 with 40 states and five provinces verified. Tape sent to KLPM-1390 on their monthly check, sooooo maybe state #41 will come thru. Finally checked a verie outta KONI-1480 & KBLW-1390, 'bout time. See ya at ERBA! 73.

Raleigh Biss - 3541 Sunny Dunes Rd. - Palm Springs, CA

This is the first DX I've had to report for a long time, so I wasn't really hiding. Testing on MM, I caught KULY-1420 and received a very fast v/1 from them. I also caught recently KKOK-1410 on their sign-on and got enough for a report. Other sign-ons recently heard are KUAT-1550, KRIG-1410, KCAN-1550, and KVKM-1330. I've finished my data on the achievement awards and as soon as I can find someone to make copies I will send the forty pages of data to Percy Kesteven. Best wishes to everyone, and I will try to send another report very soon. 73.

Matthew J. Wall - 25776 Walker St. - San Bernardino, CA

Greetings everyone. Well this has not been much of a month for me as DX goes. I have heard only a few stations. I heard a unid stn which was talking about the Miami Dolphins football team. It was on about 890. Other stns are KSTP, KOKE, and KMJ. Also I was wondering if a stn called KRKY was heard by anyone else. If anyone knows where it is from I would like to know since it also was an UNid. In case anyone is interested I now use a Comtrek 5 receiver with a directional loop. I just bought it last week. It has a squelch control and many other added features. I am participating in the domestic singles but have not had a chance to listen too much. I plan to send a list of my stns so far in the contest very soon. Well I better go now but wish you all good DXing. 73.

Bradford Wall - 25776 Walker St. - San Bernardino, CA

Hello All!!! Not much time DX here. Have been getting ham station set up. Recent loggings in DX Roundup. Finally heard KDKA after several unfruitful MM's. Rpts out now to KCTA, KDKA, CFAX, KMOX, KJR, WLW, WSB, KTOT, KWOW, & KOLO. October 6th looks to be a very busy MM with all the Tests scheduled. No QSL's in recently. That's all for now. 73's to all.

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My Halli SX-99 is now in the midst of a complete overhaul, and with the addition of a new tape recorder I should be ready for some serious DX sometime soon. I note with interest two CP's in the Southern California area. First of all there's one for a daytimer on 850 kHz in Thousand Oaks, Calif. (about 40-50 miles northwest of downtown Los Angeles.) The second CP is for a daytimer on 1590 in McFarland (just north of Bakersfield). 73 and gud listening.

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Listeners Loggings- East Coast

- 548 ???? UnID s/off(?) should have been at 2000 rather than 2100. Sorry. (AMG)
- 580 RJR Jamaica, Port Maria heard way over QRM with mx and s/off 0000-0005 MM 10/6
- WKAQ Puerto Rico, San Juan noted on 9/15 0300-0315. ID between each record, very strong signal. Apparently I've overlooked this one before thinking it was a Cuban. (AM)
- 611 Morocco, Sebaa-Aioun on late 9/18 to 2200 s/off. Strong signal but not able to get much audio due to 610 slop. Was // to 935 at this time and 935 was S9 + 20 db and in the clear. My first logging of 611. (AM)
- 660 XERFM Mexico, D.F. weak but clear every MM now around 0030. (SR)
- 675 YND Nicaragua, Managua heard w/s/off 0003 with slop from 690, country #25. (SR) Heard with MoR mx 2130-2145 10/6. Poor with lots of WNBC splatter. (AMG) Union Radio excellent signal on 9/16 to s/off at 0000. (AM)
- 683 RNE Spain, Sevilla excellent every evening for past three weeks, particularly strong on 9/18-19, peaking at 20 db over S9 at times and perfectly readable. On 9/25 another strong signal was QRMing them at 2315, probably Belgrade but not enough audio to identify. (AM)/ A surprise (first station heard on new receiver) around 1830 9/24, many IDs in SS. Country #22. (SR)
- 701 Andorra Andorre-la-Vieille/ Morocco, Sebaa-Aioun, het here against WLW many evenings but little audio. This is heard before sunset some evenings.
- 719 Portugal, Norte I excellent many evenings before sunset //665. (AM) /(AM)
- 719.4 CMGN Cuba, Colon. GPN's report of this one here solves the terrible het heard here nightly. (AMG)
- 725 SRS Surinan, Paramaribo ranks with 4VEF-1035 as the strongest splits audible nightly, regardless of conditions. (SR)
- 764 L.... Senegal, Dakar finally with weak audio, sounded like FF, 1852 9/24 for country #23; faded out quickly. (SR)
- 790 CMCH Cuba, La Habana certainly the one mentioning "Territorio Libre de America" 10/5 at 2300. There was also a weak SS u/CMCH which I was unable to ID. An XE perhaps. (AMG)
- 810 WKVM Puerto Rico, San Juan atop WGY 2200 10/6 along with another SS- HJGY?(AMG)
- 825 TIOS Costa Rica, (San Jose, R. Titania very good at 0025 10/6 w/MoR. (AMG)
- 840 ???? UnID La, news in PP at 0129 9/14 during a deep fade by HJBI. Are any Brazilians ANing now? (KGS) (Dunno, Gray, FJP)
- 850 HJKC Colombia, Bogota, R. Nuevo Mundo heard at 2000 9/30 atop all on a good LA night. (AMG)
- 855 PJG2 Netherland Antilles, Curacao probably the station here with EE pops and announcements in unidentified language (seemed neither EE or SS) on 9/30 at 1920. (AMG) (Probably Papaniento, Angel, FJP) / Strong carrier but weak SS audio 9/29 about 2100. What's been heard here? PJG2?(SR)
- 863 RTF France, Paris with excellent signals 0015-0030 ID 9/25. (SR)
- 900 XEW Mexico, D.F. with no trace of Canadians, just SS at 0003 9/30; also heard that AM were XEQ-940, XEOY-1000, and XEQR-1030 u/WBZ. (SR)
- 935 Morocco, Agadir, in with an S7 on 9/19 at 0110. (KGS)
- 940 YVNN Venezuela, Punto Fijo way on top 10/6 MM around 0000 with "R. Punto Fijo" IDs. (SR)
- 960 HJHN Colombia, Barranquilla, R. Sutatenza noted on 9/15 with ET, 0140-0200. This must be new 125 kw transmitter. Very strong and identification included location given every two records. Not heard since. (AM)/ Very loud on top of channel dn 10/4 from 2338 check on to ID heard at 0043. Interviews and comment in SS. (KGS)
- 962 ???? UnID TA, het fairly strong, but no audio while other TAs in well; 9/19 around 2345 on. Is Tunisia this one, perhaps? (KGS)
- 1015 YSC El Salvador, San Salvador, Radio Internacional very good on 9/15, so logged for report 2300-2315. Call and slogan ID between each record. (AM)

- 1079 ???? UnID IA, jazz, vocals with SS announcer heard on 9/24 from 2310. Loops toward Caribbean, but killed with WTIC music. (KGS)
- 1100 HJAT Colombia, Barranquilla, Radio Reloj strong on 9/14, 2330 on. ID and time between records, the Bogota Radio Rloj was weak behind. (AM)
- 1180 HIBE Dominican Republic, Santo Domingo, Radio Mil heard under WHAM with ID at 2244 on 9/22. Very pleasant music. (KGS)
- 1190 HJCT Colombia, Barranquilla, "La Voz de la Costa" clear after WOWO s/off MM 9/30. (SR)
- 1200 YVOZ Venezuela, Caracas, Radio Tiempo loud on 9/18 at ID time of 2010. (KGS)
- 1203.5A TIQ Costa Rica, Puerto Limon, Radio Casino logged with decent signals on evenings of both 9/4 and 9/5 from 2345. S/off on 0102 9/5. All in EE. Strong on 9/29 2340 on. All EE with frequent ID, North American / (KGS) rx and commercials. They use chimes frequently during announcements. This is a new frequency for them and wonder how many will mistake them for Sierra Leone? (AM) (Alan reported TIQ on 1205. FJP)
- 1205 HJ-- Colombia, unidentified station, presumable HJBE heard at 0001 s/off with the Colombian NA on 9/5. Weak, and in noise. (KGS)
- Sierra Leone, Freetown heard with Mormon Tabernacle Choir quite clearly on 9/14 from 0106. Faded by 0120. (KGS)
- ORTF France, Bordeaux heard on 8/17 at 2300 for first time of the season. Excellent signal on 9/24 at 2320, only TA audible at the time (737 made it in by 0021, after CBL s/off.) KGS)/Audible nightly until the conditions upset of 9/29. I think this is your UnID, LBG, of 9/3; 4 pips on the hour. (SR)
- 1375A ???? St. Pierre and Miquelon, St. Pierre? Heard real weakie here around 1930 9/25, sounded like FF, but could've been SS. Any recent loggings of ORTF? Perhaps TIMAR- Ray Terlaga heard them about this time. (SR)
- 1546 BBC Malta, have been looking almost every evening but not even a trace of a carrier so far; wonder if they have moved here as reported by Stanbury.
- 1550 HJAX Colombia, Pto. Colombia, heard under CBE at 2250 on 10/4, and all / (AM) alone by 0030 with CBE off. Barranquilla, Colombia ID at 0040. (KGS)
- MidWest**
- 540 XEWA Mexico, San Luis Potosi heard with near perfect reception 9/9 2230. (JZ)
- 610 ???? UnID SS; thought I heard Mexico mentioned. S/off 0045 10/5. XEBX? (DB) (Could be one of a couple Mexicans, Dave. FJP)
- 615 YNM Nicaragua, Managua. I don't understand SS, and I only got the city and country, very strong 2345 10/4. (DB)
- 640 CMQ Cuba, Havana heard with excellent signal, 9/23 2050. (JZ)
- 655 YSS El Salvador, San Salvador, I think that this is the one. I can't hear too much with WSM slop from same general direction, 2115 10/6. (DB)
- 660 XERFM Mexico, D.F. heard playing pop music, MM 9/29 0110. Weak signal with heavy QRN. (JZ)
- 760 TGHS? Guatemala, "Radio Cadena Tecun" program for campesinos, 0643 9/24, presumably on Super Radio. (GH)
- CMCD Cuba, La Habana, Reloj Nacional, WJR nulled; EST now given as "hora normal." 9/28 0200. (GH)
- 770 CMDC. Cuba, Holguin, La Voz de Cuba ending at 0526 1/6 MM, beginning Rebel de Oriente/ICR, gave station list but didn't catch a 770 one. (GH)
- 790 CMCH Cuba, Havana with same programs as CMQ, etc. 2015 10/6. (DB)
- 810 XEFW Mexico, Ote. Tampico probably the one in fair with IA and US music 9/11: 2150. (JZ)
- HJGY Colombia, Bogota heard with fine volume overriding the Mexican here, and with KCMO nulled, 2130-2202 10/6. (GM)
- 830 British Honduras, Radio Belize, "Saturday Night Dance Show" clear with no trace of WCCO-- very odd. 2330 10/4. (DB)
- 870 CMDN Cuba, Guantanamo, LV de Cuba, "nuestra entrevista de hoy" 0220 9/28; IS 0228, ID; QRM from another IA. (GH)
- HCNY2 Ecuador, Guayaquil, R. Cristal, ID in passing 0231 10/5 S;. (GH)

- 890 HJCE Colombia, Bogota 2049-2102 10/6 with WLS null'd amid pronounced auroral effects. (GM)
- 960 HJHN Colombia, Barranquilla completely dominating frequency 10/5 beginning at 0040 with what sounded like beauty pageant or similar. (RH)/All alone at sign-off 0215 10/5. (DB)/ In good with Radio Putatenza ID mentioned many times 10/5 0125. (JZ)
- 980 XEKE Mexico, Navajoa, Sonora s/off 0028 9/30 over XENR. (BN)
XENR Mexico, Nuevo Rosata, Coah. 0015-0035 with frequent IDs as "N#R" and full ID "XENR-Radio 980" at 0030, 9/30. (BN)
- 1000 ??? UnID IA with many IDs as Radio Mil. Four notes whistled, and then the call letters sung. 0120 10/5. (DB) (There are at least 4 Radio Mills on this frequency. The whistle makes it probably XEOY. FJP)
- 1030 XEQP Mexico, D.F. with fair signals and Radio Centro ID 10/4 2330. (JZ)
- 1035 4VEF Haiti, Cap Haitien, Evangelistic Voice, EE, from 2055 10/3 until earlier s/off at 2104 mentioning only 1035 on MW. (GH)
- YNCN Nicaragua, Chinandega, R. Cental 2300 10/1 SS. Nicaragua mentioned; het maybe from 4VE OC; 0026 10/2 TC and ID. (GH)
- 1040 HJFV Colombia, Barranquilla, R. Tropical, many IDs in promo; rhythmic mx at 0227 10/5 SM. (GH)
- PRG2 Brazil, Sao Paulo, Radio Tupi on top of Radio Tropical, Barranquilla, part of the time from 0255-0310 10/5 in WHO silence. No sign of Brazil here before 0240 and they vanished soon after 0330. Over the same period, mystery carriers, but surely not TA, heard on 1043 and 1035. "was an extremely poor night for high latitude reception. (GM)
- 1125 ???? UnID IA, "Radio Capital," an ID caught twice on tape, also mentioned Radio Cadena Nacional in s/off at 0101 10/10. (GM)
- 1130 HJAC Colombia, Barranquilla in fair 10/5 0125 with mention of TODELAR several times. (JZ)
- 1203 TIQ Costa Rica, Puerto Limon, first heard 10/5 at 0025 with a mixture of calypso and US rock. Also heard 10/5 2325 w/old US rock and pop from 20 years ago. EE. IDed as TIQ, Radio Casino. Couldn't make out city. s/off 0100. (RH)/ EE program with Nat King Cole music 9/26 s/off in EE 0100. (BN) (Ed. note- Bill stated frequency as 1205.)/ SS 2310 9/29; 2314 CST, 2315 news; 2330-0005 t/out EE show; up from 1200 but WOAI still a problem. (GH) (Ed. note- Glenn stated frequency as 1204.)
- 1250 XEDL Mexico, Hermosillo, Son., local ad and jingle ID 0140 9/29 dominating frequency. (GH)

West Coast

- 650 KORL Hawaii, Honolulu heard on my car radio w/news of the 50th state at 0404 on 9/28. (BB)
- XETNT Mexico, Los Mochis, apparently the one with mentions of Los Mochis 0808 10/2, (FJP)
- 652.5x XE-- Mexico, apparently a sput of some kind, with "La Hora Nacional" 2310-0000. S/off at end of show with no ID. (FJP)
- 655 North Korea, Pyongyang, I guess the one with Oriental talk 0812 10/2. Also carrier 0745 9/29. (FJP)
- 690 KKUA Hawaii, Honolulu finally heard at 0501 way under XETRA on 9/28. (BB)
- 720 KUAI Hawaii, Eleele heard way on top of WGN at 0300 on 9/28. (BB)
- 725 North Korea, Kin-chaek apparently the very faint one 0823 10/2. (FJP)
- 780 Carrier noted 0825 10/2. Perhaps China. (FJP)
- 785 Carrier 0825 10/2. Perhaps North Korea. (FJP)
- 830 CMCA Cuba, Havana with IA and US music, ID at 2250 10/5. (FJP)
- 833.5 British Honduras, Belize with VOA news, Sunday Concert 2205-2212 10/5 (FJP)
- 840 China, Nanchang probably the one fair 0708 9/29 and 0832 10/2. (FJP)
- 877 North Korea, Wonsan probably the very faint one 0710 9/29. (FJP)
- 880 UFO, very faint 0840- 10/2. HIKI or China probably. (FJP)
- 925 UFO, carrier only 0847 10/2. Perhaps Russian? (FJP)
- 970 KPUA Hawaii, Hilo heard with the best signals ever with S9+ 20 db at 0312. At first I thought that KOIN was still on the air! (BB)/ Strong "Night Owl on K-PUA"; clear channel here on MM. 0300-0330 9/29. (JO)
- 990 KTRG Hawaii, Honolulu weak with Open Line Show 9/29 0330-0345. (JO)

- 1005 Carrier only 0847 10/2. Probably North Korea. (FJP)
- 1025 HJER Colombia, Cali, CARACOL ID 0123, no local ID, mx. 10/4 0223. (FJP)
- 1040 China, Shanghai undoubtedly the one in strong 9/29 0730 and 0848 10/2 with oriental talk. (FJP)
- 1159 ???? Strong het against KSL 0900 10/2. (FJP)
- 1178 VOA Ryukyu Islands, Okinawa has been improving each morning. Finally got a clear tape 0850-0900 10/10 of ID in EE, preceded by JJ. (FJP) Apparent s/off or ionospheric absorption right after ID.
- 1420 XE? Mexico, strong SS definitely Mexican. Lively music and ads 0345-0400 9/29. /((JO)

Verifications

- 750 YNX Nicaragua, Managua took 6 months. Not actual verie but they did send a colorful pennant and some tourist information. (JZ)
- KFQD Alaska, Anchorage sent v/q in 22 days. (CS)
- 760 KGU Hawaii, Honolulu sent v/l in 16 days. (CS)
- 764 ... Senegal, Dakar verified in three weeks with a v/q and program schedule. The card shows a second BCB station as part of the Senegal II network. The station is listed for 8KW on 1304 kHz in Dakar. (AMG)
- 800 PJB Netherland Antilles, Bonaire verified with a v/q in one week showing transmitter, diesel buildings and curtain antenna. This wasn't the fold-out v/q which I had hoped for. (AMG) (With a staple in its navel? FJP)
- 1090 XERB Mexico, Tijuana, B.C.N. U.S. mail address given as P.O. Box 2735., San Ysidro, Calif. (FJP)
- 1460 HJJW Colombia, Bogota, "Radio Nuevo Continente" sent EE v/l plus postcards from Rev. Sixto M. Lopez, GM. (REW)
- 780 ZBVI Virgin Islands, Roadtown, sent verie with postcard in 17 days. (CS)

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Welcome to new reporters Dave Bright and Shelby Remington. I hope to receive many more reports from you. Last week for lack of space I didn't have room to welcome Glenn Hauser, who will be shortly moving (courtesy of the Army) to Thailand, where he hopes to keep us informed on the MW situation in the Far East. As we start this new season, I want to thank those who stuck faithfully to the dials during the summer months to keep DXWW going.

Tip for Pacific Coast DXers

Now is the time to try for VOA, Okinawa, 1178 kHz. Within a few weeks, reception will become more difficult because of increasing interference from KOFI-1180, Kalispell, Montana. As the time passes, the time of sunrise in Montana gets later and later. At the present moment, SR there (on Oct. 16) is at 0857 EST. If you try around that time, much of the QRM from KOFI should be eliminated. VOA was heard here in Ojai clearly the past two mornings, with alternating YL and man announcers, snatches of music, and the Yankee Doodle IS and ID in English at 0900 EST.

Clerical Error in the 10/4 DXWW. KGU-760 should be "now HI NSP" (not "not").

Special Test - Gordon P. Nelson

The National Radio Club and the Medium Wave Circle of England are planning to conduct a one day test of Transatlantic medium wave reception for the purpose of gathering scientific data concerning the effect of the auroral zones on long-wave MW propagation. TA MW reception is primarily controlled by the zone of absorption associated with the so-called "Auroral Zone" in the far North. (See "How to Listen to the World" pgs 42-45 for more information). By making observations of TA MW receptions from a large number of receiver sites on the same evening we will be able to roughly map the location and intensity of this absorbing zone on that particular night; when combined with related scientific measurements of quantities such as geomagnetic activity, we hope to increase our understanding of this phenomenon. Eventually a measure of prediction of TA reception- likely dates as well as likely stations - will be possible.

The dates for this listening period will be November 7th and 8th, 1969. We will supply fully detailed instruction sheets to any DXer interested in participating; please write to NRC, P.O. Box 99, Cambridge, Mass. 02138. We will also supply a list of the TA stations most likely to be audible during this period and a report of the experiment will be made available to all participants. With many DXers listening during the same period of time, the identification of unknown stations heard during the period should be materially aided too. So this will be an ideal opportunity to log some new stations, compare your loggings with those of other DXers, and contribute to a greater understanding of TA receptions.

If you think you'll be able to listen a bit on the date in question, drop us a note to get full details: you're under no obligation to participate. And in this experiment, should conditions be poor that evening, the absence of regularly heard stations is as important as definite loggings.

New Zealand The recently appointed Broadcasting Authority is at present processing applications for four privately owned stations, two in Auckland City of 5 kw, and one each in Hamilton and Dunedin of 2 kw. Following on a meeting between Australian and NZ authorities, it is anticipated that a reshuffle of frequency allocations will soon take effect to enable further NZ private stations to be licensed and to allow better Australian coverage. When the private stations are licensed in Auckland, the pirate Radio Hauraki-1480 will be outlawed. At present it is broadcasting 24 hours daily. The NZ Broadcasting Corporation has filed a writ with the Supreme Court to stay proceedings in the hearing of applications for private broadcasters. Evidently they hope to delay action until after the November elections. If the Labour party becomes the government, they would not allow private broadcasting. (Merv Branks)

UAR "The Voice of Palestine" on 773 kHz is heard in English at 1230 EST in New Zealand. It uses an Egyptian transmitter, as the Westminster Chimes are heard. (Schedule in the Summer Supplement 1969 of WRTH.) (Merv Branks)

Australia The Western Australian ABC radio frequency changes took place on June 1. 6WF in Perth is now on 720 kHz. (Merv Branks)

Fiji Rakiraki-1470 is now on the air parallel to 890 and 930 kHz in Hindi and Fijian until 0500 EST, with power of 2 kw. (Merv Branks)

India The 1000 kw Calcutta International transmitter on 1130 kHz was heard strongly in New Zealand while testing. It went on regular programming on October 1. Another million watt is timed for around April 1970, and will be located in Rajkot. (Merv Brank)

Gilbert and Ellice Islands A new 10 kw transmitter is being installed on Bairiki Island instead of Betio Island. It will use 844 kHz. (Merv Branks)

Hong Kong Radio Hong Kong Commercial Service has changed its English outlet from 1530 to 1170 kHz, until 1100 EST with power of 10 kw. Two Chinese services, both 10 kw, are on 610 and 1150 kHz until 1100 EST. HCBS is also testing on 850 kHz // 1150. (Merv Brank)

Philippines The Voice of America station at Malolos, Bulacan, on 920 kHz, was turned over to the Philippine government effective July 1, 1969, and is now called "Voice of The Philippines." (VOP). Medium wave transmissions are from 1600 to 1100 EST with 50 kw. Address is: Ernesto G. Madrid, Manager, The Voice of the Philippines, Public Information Office, National Media Production Center, Intramuras, Manila. (Merv Branks, Invercargill, NZ.)

Cook Islands Radio Cook Islands, ZKLZC, has increased their power to 10 kw on 600 kHz. They finally verified for Merv Branks with the lower power of 600 watts.

Merv Branks, Invercargill, N.Z., reports that he has varies in from KSND, KTOM, KPNW, DXOC, USSR-1385, 4AM, ZKLZC, BBC-Masirah Island-1410, VOP-920, and Rakiraki (R. Fiji.) He has reports out to Voice of Palestine, R. Veritas (860, Manila), Misarah Is.-700, AFVN Qui Khon-770, DXRA, Calcutta-1130, HLKB, CFVN, and KTIL.

Clandestine - C.M. Stanbury II
Regarding the recent DX News article on my Radio Libertad DF study, which strongly suggests that this station was either in the Netherland Antilles or neighboring Venezuelan off-shore islands, it should be noted that the source of my DF study is the same one which provided the information about the Gates "24 hour" portable used in Botswana.

Foreign DX Contest Don't forget to get your entry in to Bruce Collier before the 1st of November. See full details of the contest rules a few issues back. Let's make this a real top grade contest--there certainly are enough who are interested in foreign DXing to make this a lot of fun.

Sweden Radio Sweden has resumed publishing of their DX bulletin, "Sweden Calling DXers," although on a bi-weekly basis now. The news letter was stopped several months ago because of budgetary problems. Like most DX bulletins, it concentrates on SW, although there is an occasional MW item. It is mailed free to DXers whose items have been found useful for their SW DX program. You can get a sample by writing to Radio Sweden, S-105 10, Stockholm, Sweden. (Items taken from this are credited as "SCDX")

Mozambique The official monthly journal of Radio Clube de Mocambique states that the Lourenco Marques station has added a 50 kw MW transmitter, which is not yet on the air. (SCDX) Radio Mocidade is now using 1456 kHz instead of official 1479 to avoid the harmonic of RCM on 1474. They use 300 watts. (WRB)

Rhodesia RBC uses 998 kHz (100 kw), its so-called "National MW Transmitter" for relays of the English and African services, but only for special occasions. There are no daily broadcasts. The tests on 1410 kHz have stopped, and the transmitter is now silent. (WRB)

Netherland Antilles PJB sent Angel Garcia the following schedule:

English	0600-0740	Daily	French	1700-1715	Daily
	0600-1000	Sunday	Dutch	1645-1700	Sunday
	2100-2300	Daily	Norwegian	1645-1700	Sunday
Portuguese	0300-0400	Daily			
	1800-1830	Daily			
Spanish	0400-0600	Daily			
	1715-1800	Daily			
	2030-2100	Daily			
	2300-2340	Daily			

All times are EST. Angel notes that the last two items seem contradictory, but that's what the sked has. Bonaire time is EDST (EST + 1 hour). PJB is, of course, on 800 kHz.

Trucial States Voice of the Gulf at Sharjah has been heard in Arabic by Richard Ginbey in South Africa on 1250 kHz at 1230 EST. It is reported by Arctic Radio Club to be 1 kw. (WRB)

Don't forget, we go weekly with this issue. Make sure to get your reports in.