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DX CALENDAR

Mon. Nov. 3	KVAS	1230	Astoria, Oregon	1kw	0300-0330	EST	IRCA
Mon. 10	WBRG	1050	Lynchburg, Virginia	1kw	0300-0330	EST	IRCA
	WUPR	1530	Utuaado, P. R.	1kw	0330-0400	EST	NRC
	KAIN	1340	Nampa, Idaho	1kw	0400-0500	EST	IRCA
	WYSE	1560	Inverness, Florida	1kw	0430-0500	EST	NRC
Mon. 17	WMVO	1300	Mount Vernon, Ohio	500w	0300-0330	EST	NRC
Tue. 25	KWPC	860	Muscataine, Iowa	250w	0200-0215	EST	IRCA
Sun. 30	CKCM	620	Grand Falls, Newfoundland	10kw	0030-0430	EST	NNRC
	CKGA	730	Gander, Newfoundland	1kw	0030-0430	EST	NNRC
Mon. Dec. 1	WCVR	1320	Randolph, Vermont	1kw	0100-0200	EST	RLA/NRC
	KMER	950	Kemmerer, Wyoming	5kw	0359-0503	EST	IRCA
	KSRA	960	Salmon, Idaho	1kw	0400-0500	EST	IRCA
Mon. 15	WCVR	1320	Randolph, Vermont	1kw	0100-0200	EST	RLA/NRC
	WHHO	1320	Hornell, New York	5kw	0400-0500	EST	IRCA
Sun. 21	VOCM	590	St. Johns, Newfoundland	10kw	0100-????	EST	NNRC
Mon. 22	KXRB	1000	Sioux Falls, South Dakota	10kw	0130-????	EST	NNRC
	KLIX	1310	Twin Falls, Idaho	5kw	0240-0310	EST	NNRC/IRCA
	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
Mon. 29	HICM	570	Santo Domingo, Dom. Rep.	---	0400-0430	EST	NRC
Mon. Jan. 12	WNXT	1260	Portsmouth, Ohio	5kw	0200-0215	EST	NRC

KVAS reports to CE, KVAS, Radio Central, Astoria, Oregon 97103. -Pat Martin

WBRG reports to: CE, WBRG, P. O. Box 1079, Lynchburg, Virginia 24505. -Jim Nall

WUPR reports to: Sr. Benito Martinez, Gen. Manager, WUPR, Utuaado, Puerto Rico 00761.

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

WYSE reports to: Mr. C. W. "Red" Wright, Gen. Manager, WYSE, P. O. Box 326, Inverness, Florida 32650. This and above WUPR arr. by Len Kruse of NRC. Info: NRC/Ernie Cooper

WMVO reports to: Mr. David C. Burns, CE, WMVO, P. O. Box 348, Mt. Vernon, Ohio 43050.
Info via telephone from: -NRC/Dan Myers

KWPC may run past 0215. Middle-of-the-road music and IDs will be used. The station is anxious for reception reports which should be sent to: Mr. Ralph Stormer, KWPC, Muscatine, Iowa 52761. -Dave Bright

CKCM and CKGA reports to: Mr. Feltham, CKCM, Grand Falls, Newfoundland, CANADA. -NNRC

WCVR reports to: Mr. David H. Chestnut, Jr., Engineer, WCVR, P. O. Box 1320, Randolph, Vermont 05060. Will be on both 12/1 and 12/15. Program arr. for RLA and NRC by Sheldon Swartz and info via: -NRC/Ernie Cooper

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 FLASH FLASH FLASH
 Mon. Nov. 6 KFUD 850 Saint Louis, Missouri 5kw 0115-???? PoP - RLA?
 Mon. Nov. ?? WIRO 1230 Ironton, Ohio 1kw 0300-0400 PoP - NRC
KFUD info via RLA bulletin and the text is: "PoP being run beginning at 0115. Station breaks will be given at s/on and $\frac{1}{2}$ -hr intervals. Reports to: Mr. John Fisher, CE, KFUD, 801 DeMun Ave., St. Louis, MO 63105." -RLA/Grab Bag
WIRO info via phone from Dan Myers. Will be PoP for NRC some MM in November; which one is not known. Reports go to: Mr. Kenneth H. Auble, P. O. Box 292, Ironton, Ohio 45638. May remain on past 0400 for dedication to NRC (with nighttime 250w).-NRC/Myers

WHHO was inadvertently left out of the body of listing last issue. They will use music and PSAs. 5kw from 0400 to 0425 and 500w 0425-0450. Reports to: Mr. Norman E. Jorgensen, CE, WHHO, 85 Canisteo St., Hornell, NY 14843. -Roger S. Horie
KMER (above WHHO info a bit out of order; should be after KSRA below) is re-sked. They were unable to make their test last time due to problems at the station. A special test tape has been made for KMER by Percy Kesteven. It will consist of tones, a variety of music (but not RR to avoid confusion with KJR), and a special three number code which is to be quoted in the reception reports. Look for "orientation tones" during the first minute. Reports to: Mr. Bruce Hymas, KMER, P. O. Box 432, Kemmerer, Wyoming 83101. -Percy R. Kesteven
KSRA reports to: Mr. Dale Smith, Manager, KSRA, P. O. Box 950, Salmon, Idaho 83467. Another program arranged by: -Percy R. Kesteven

WHHO (as above)
VOCM reports to: Mr. W. Williamson, Operations Manager, VOCM, P. O. Box 4-590, Saint Johns, Newfoundland, CANADA. Info on three Nfld pgms from: -NNRC/John T. Tweedie
KXRB, KLIX, WSAL, KCLR, KWVY, KEZU, HICM, and WNXT info at later date. One important note though: HICM reports do NOT go to the station. NRC member Cesar Objio, Calle Benigno F. Rojas 46, 3er. Piso, Apartado 5, Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic, will receive and verify all reception reports for DX. HICM info via: -NRC/Jerry Starr

CONTEST STANDINGS (as of 10/16/69)

Domestic Singles Contest

1. Osborn	227 Points	24 S&P	39 Stns	(4-22-7-7)
2. Wood	181	23	27	(4-17-5-4)
3. Haworth	96	13	17	(0- 9-5-3)
4. Killick	90	12	18	(9- 0-9-1)
5. Brown, Quentin	79	9	10	(1- 8-1-0)
6. Myers	68	8	11	(1- 7-2-2)
7. Evans	49	6	7	(0- 5-0-5)
8. Nittler	17	2	3	(2- 0-1-0)

All others = no entries

Domestic Doubles Contest (partners are listed alphabetically)

1. Erickson-Myers	68 Points	8 S&P	11 Stns	(1- 7-2-2)
2. Nittler-Robinet	17	2	3	(2- 0-1-0)
3. Johnson-Perlmutter		NO ENTRIES		
4. Northam-Krejny		NO ENTRIES		

All others = no entries (note: teams will not be assigned until entry fee time is up, on or about 12/1/69, the deadline for entering)

Foreign Contest

All entrants = 0

Total Members Entered in Domestic Singles = 35
 " " " " " " 20 (with 4 teams)
 " " " " " " 9

Publisher's Corner: 20 pages this week plus 1 Worldwide SR-SS map. Holding over some Broadcasting changes, an item on FCC favoring FM over AM, no stencils.
 NOTE WELL: Lynn Brooks phoned to say there will be no Midwest sections this issue; very little material, all of which will be combined into next issue. -Don Erickson

Proposals to be voted on by the Board in the near future:

A joint committee with the National Radio Club be established to investigate the advisability of, support for, and means of accomplishing a merger between the two clubs. This committee shall be composed, on the part of IRCA, of the President and 2 other members to be appointed by him, with the provision that IRC also name three members to the committee. [Submitted by Father Jack Pejza]

A series of 15 Bylaws amendments, designed to clarify some discrepancies in wording, grammar and punctuation in the Bylaws, submitted by Mike Northam. The proposed amendments were designed so as to not alter the intent of the existing Bylaws, however a complete text and explanatory information concerning the amendments is available from Mike Northam at the address below (six pages).

A proposal to fully accept taped verifications as having the same status as written verifications, plus a separate proposal establishing standards for taped veries (those set out in the Achievement Awards Regulations, March, 1969), submitted by P. Kesteven.

A proposal to establish a new series of Achievement Awards, for verification of state capitals. Awards would be issued for 20-55 capitals verified, in increments of 5, and 55-62 capitals verified, in increments of one (provincial capitals would be included). Submitted by Percy Kesteven.

A proposal to amend the Editorial Policy, Section III D so as to read:

"Part 4. Violate any federal, state, or local law. However, editors must state that an omission was made to the report or the report itself was omitted. In the case of an entire report being omitted, the editor will notify the member via personal letter that the report has been omitted but will not list the member's name in the column." Submitted by Ray Hartman.

A proposal to disburse \$60 for 10,000 Prepared Postcards (PPs) to be sold to the membership at \$1 per 100 postpaid, submitted by Don Erickson.

A proposal that the IRCA purchase IRCA stationery on erasable bond paper, submitted by Don Erickson.

An amendment to the IRCA Bylaws, Article X to be amended to read:

Section 1 - Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the IRCA shall be held in conjunction with the annual convention for purpose of presenting the reports of officers, committees and boards, and such other business as may come before the meeting.

Section 2 - Special Meetings

Special meetings of the IRCA may be called at any time by the Board of Directors on its own motion, and must be called by the Board of Directors on petition of at least 10% of the membership. Such meetings shall be held at such times and places, either within or outside the state of Colorado, as the Board of Directors or petition herein specified shall determine.

Section 3 - Convention Location

The Board of Directors shall solicit during January of each calendar year bids submitted by those wishing to host the annual convention. The Board shall subsequently cause a special election to be held among the members to select the convention site and date. Such special election shall be conducted during the first quarter of each calendar year. The Board may, on its own motion, determine any bid made as unqualified prior to the special election.

Section 4 - Voting

Each member shall have one vote on each and every matter submitted to a vote of the members. At all meetings except as otherwise provided by law, the members entitled to vote who are present shall constitute a quorum. All action except as otherwise provided by law, by the IRCA's Constitution or bylaws, shall be by majority of those members present and voting. Presence and voting by proxy may be allowed at the discretion of and in accordance with rules prescribed by the Board of Directors."

Submitted by Mike Northam.

Committees: The position of Chairman of the New Member Welcoming Committee is now open. This committee is responsible for writing new members, explaining about the IRCA and how the new member can participate in club activities. If you would be interested in chairing this committee, or in writing such letters to new members, please write to me at the address below.

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Deadline: Thursday. Please list all items by frequency on one side of the sheet only. All times are EST. Use separate sheets for DXF rpts.

- 550 K TSA-Tex. Fair w/rr 0300 8/31. (RSR) (RSR)*
- 570 WKYX-Ky. Fair w/good C&W mx, no fading, WMCA QRM, 2325 8/27.*
- 610 WIOD-Fla. @ 0455 10/20 u/SGN w/WDAF muller. (FDP)
- 640 WHLO-Ohio Fair signal but suffering from flutter 1927 10/13.(MP)
- 670 WMAQ-Ill. Fair signal @ 1927 on 10/14. (MP)
- 680 WINR-N.Y. Fair w/pause for ID from METS game 2230 9/2. (RSR)
- 730 WNAK-Pa. Fair w/f/c-tt ending 2345 9/21, FF QRM. (RSR)
- 740 WBCI-Va. Not hrd on 10/17 during r/c DX, all CBL. (KL)
- 760 WJR-Mich. Easily hrd after WABC s/off @ 2311 9/22. (MP)
- 770 WEW-Mo. Fair w/wx to pop mx, no sign of WABC 0625 10/11.(RSR)
- 810 KCMO-Mo. Poor u/WGY w/detailed wx & radar 1955 8/31. (RSR)
- 820 WAIT-Ill. Hrd 10/14 @ 1802 w/classical mx, covered by WOSU. (KL)
- 850 CJJC-B.C. Loud w/C&W w/CKVL looped 0320-0355 10/13. (RB)
- 900 WFIA-Ky. Fair w/religious mx to s/off 1900 9/25. (RSR)
- 910 WRKL-N.Y. Good signal @ 1714 s/off 10/13. (MP)
- WJCW-Tenn. Fair w/ID to CBS nx on the hour 1800 10/13. (RSR)
- KNAF-Tex. S/on-SSB 0601 then brief march mx into nx 9/24. (RB)
- 930 WKY-Okla. Fair w/nx, wx (w/radar), then rr 0105 10/5. (RSR)
- KDET-Tex. Good w/rr 0635-0700 10/5. (RB)
- *920* CKNX-Ont. Fair w/nx, then pop mx, WMAJ a pest 1905 9/1. (RSR)
- 940 WOIT-Ohio @ 0700 9/24 s/on. (FDP)
- 970 WJRZ-N.J. Fair o/u WWSW w/C&W 0200 9/1. (RSR)
- WWYO-W.Va. Fair w/f/c-tt @ 2330 9/1. (RSR)
- WJMX-S.C. ID after TT 0420 10/20. (RB)
- 980 CKNW-B.C. ID during CKGM pause w/WON off 0131 10/13. (RB)
- 990 WHOO-Fla. Good w/"equipment tests" 0325 10/13. (RSR)
- 1000 WCFL-Ill. Very good signal w/no QRM 2113 on 10/11. (MP)
- WIOO-Pa. Fair w/ID 1730 10/3. (RSR) (RSR)
- 1030 KOTA-Tex. Poor w/s/off, WBZ almost completely dominant 2015 8/28.
- 1050 WCMG-Va. Fair w/f/c-C&W mx 2310 9/21. (RSR)
- 1070 KNX-Cal. Well atop w/nx 0151-0158 s/off 10/20. (GJ/MD)
- WKOK-Pa. hrd 10/14 @ 1722 w/nx & wx, vanished @ 1730 pwr cut. (KL)
- KOPY-Tex. Weak & alone w/wx then C&W 2230 10/4. (RB)
- 1080 WOAP-Mich. Fair w/pop mx, s/off 1845 9/3 w/SSB. (RSR)
- 1090 KINGO-N.D. Fair u/KAAY w/s/off-SSB 1958 1927. (RB)
- 1120 KMOX-Mo. Very good @ 2111 on 9/19. (MP)
- 1140 KNEI-Iowa Will be 1kw in a few days, requests reports. (RB)
- 1150 WGBR-N.C. Fair w/nx to s/off 2315 9/29, much fading. (RSR)
- WTAW-Tex. L&C w/C&W 0610-0630 9/24. (RB)
- KOLJ-Tex. Fair w/several ads 0632 10/1. (RB)
- KPNG-Tex. Way u/KOLJ w/ad 0634 10/1. (RB)
- KIZZ-Tex. Fair on r/c per list 0110 9/20. (RB)
- 1220 WERT-Ohio Hrd 10/13 @ 0201-0231 w/DX-march mx, very weak and mixing w/Mexican. (KL)
- WGNY-N.Y. hrd 10/14 @ 1713 s/off-SSB way o/CHSC. (KL)
- WSLM-Ind. Fair w/good C&W mx; WGAR? QRM; 1815 9/7. (RSR)
- 1230 WJOB-Ind. Hrd 10/13 @ 0118 w/phone talk. (KL) (MP)*
- WNOR-Va. Terrific signal only because I was in Va. 0100 10/11.*
- 1240 WARF-Ala. @ 1950 9/25 o/QRM. (FDP)
- WLAG-Ga. Good w/religious pgm 0440 9/29. (RB)
- WGBB-N.Y. Hrd 10/13 @ 0047 w/rr; Usual WSNY not hrd. (KL)
- 1250 KFAY-Ark. Good w/C&W 10/2 0630. (RB)
- KALO-Ark. Poor w/f/c-tt ending 0115 10/12. (RSR)
- WREN-Kan. Finally came thru WTAE w/ID 0240 9/2. (RSR)
- 1270 WCMR-Ind. Hrd 10/15 @ 1848 w/old-time mx u/WXYZ. (KL)
- WHLN-N.Y. Had E/T-tt 10/18 @ 2321+. (KL)
- wLBR-Pa. Good w/nx to pop mx, KFJZ QRM 0405 10/13. (RSR)

- 1280 KTLK-Colo. Poor w/rr, "K-Talk" 0350 10/13. (RSR)
 KSOK-Kan. S/on w/NA 0602 10/1. (RB)
 KCNI-Neb. S/on w/NA 0601 into wx 9/29. (RB)
 WONW-Ohio Good w/school openings to easygoing mx 1935 9/1. (RSR)
- 1290 WEYE-N.C. Fair w/s/on 0535 9/21. (RSR)
- 1310 WTTL-Ky. Fair w/s/off 0035 10/18. (RSR)
 KKGf-Mont. Xlnt on r/c per list 0104-0110 10/13. (RB)
 KZIP-Tex. Xlnt w/C&w 0610-0630 9/29. (RB)
- 1320 WKIN-Tenn. At 1800 10/1. (FDP) (RSR)*
- 1330 WEAW-Ill. Hrd 10/17 @ 1830 w/s/off. (KL) Good w/mx 1800 10/12.
- 1340 KZNG-Ark. Fair atop w/C&w 0610 10/2. (RB)
 WOOK-D.C. Atop w/soul mx 0215 10/20. (GJ/MD)
- 1350 KBMR-N.D. S/on w/no NA 0600 10/9. (RB)
- 1360 WBAY-Wisc. Unusually loud w/nx, wx, C&w mx 0109 10/20. (GJ/MD)
- 1370 WABD-Ky. At 1855 9/30 w/WSPD nullled. (FDP)
- 1380 KWK-Mo. Poor w/rr, WBNX QRM, 0005- 9/15. (RSR)
 WSYB-Vt. Hrd 10/14 @ 1629 w/ID, CBS report. Covered by CKPC @ 1639. (KL)
 WBEL-Wisc. Steady w/ID, then "Lifeline" 1930 10/11. (RSR)
- 1390 WNUS-Ill. Poor w/nx 2330 9/15. (RSR)
- 1400 WWIN-Md. Fair w/rr, then faded out 2305 10/7. (RSR)
 WBAT-Ind. Weak in the jumble 10/16 @ 1815. (BER)
 WKFR-Mich. Fair 10/16 @ 1800. (BER)
 WMIN-Minn. ID on E/T 0230 10/20. (RB)
- 1410 ????
- 1420 WTCR-Ky. Hrd 10/13 @ 1752 w/C&w o/u WHK. (KL)
 WBSM-Mass. Fair w/nx, WHK off, 0100 10/15. (RSR)
 WCOJ-Pa. Poor w/much WHK QRM 0100 9/2 after Phillie game. (RSR)
 WCED-Pa. Poor w/s/on-SSB 0635 10/5. (RSR)
 CKPT-Ont. Poor u/WHK w/rr to nx 0055 10/12. (RSR)
 WVJS-Ky. Good @ 1835 10/1. (BER)
- 1430 WIL-Mo. Finally hrd w/good signal 10/5 @ 2230. (BER)
 WNJR-N.J. Hrd 10/14 @ 1703 w/nx & wx, quick fade-out. (KL)
 WKEX-Va. Good w/honky tonk piano mx 0505 9/21. (RSR)
- 1440 WBUY-N.C. Fair w/s/on-SSB, then wx 0630 10/5. (RSR)
- 1450 WMAJ-Pa. Atop w/ID 0100 10/20. (GJ/MD, DXing from Saugus, Mass.)
 WHSC-S.C. R/c-tt ID 0044 10/20, good signal. (GJ/MD)
 CHUC-Ont. w/nx, sports, wx 2314 10/19. (GJ/MD)
- 1460 WDOG-S.C. @ 0500 10/20 s/on w/NA. (FDP)
 WRAD-Va. Good w/rr 0630 9/21. (RSR)
- 1470 WEAG-Tenn. Good w/f/c-tt 0245 9/3. (RSR)
 CHOW-Ont. Fair w/good rr, "C-How" or "C-Ho" 1830 10/11. (RSR)
- 1480 WAFT-Mich. @ 1855 9/29. Local WCIN was apparently off at this time - no sign of them. (FDP)
 WBLU-Va. Fair testing w/rr 0050 9/14. (RSR)
- 1490 WABJ-Mich. Good w/easygoing mx 0245 10/12. (RSR)
- 1510 WLKR-Ohio Fair w/s/on 0700 10/5. (RSR)
- 1525 WSJM-Mich. Accidentally here after 0500 s/on 10/18, was back to assigned 1400 by 0615, the poor guy at the station couldn't figure out how he managed a goof like this (RB)
- 1530 KFBK-Cal. Fair but surprisingly clear & strong at times w/quiet mx to nx; KXEL & WKBW slop 0100 9/1. (RSR)
- 1540 WABQ-Ohio @ 1725 10/12 w/NN programming. (FDP)
 CHIN-Ont. Fair w/foreign pgm, s/off in EE 1830 9/27. (RSR)
 ZNS-Bahamas Good w/almost continuous easygoing mx, "The Voice of the Bahamas." 2340 10/4. (RSR) Should have been sent to DXWW, Richard. - MD
- 1550 KKHI-Cal. Poor w/nx & wx to s/off-SSB 0200 8/31. (RSR)
 WAAY-Ala. Fair but weak w/nx ending, then rr 0100 9/14. (RSR)
 KGMO-Mo. Fair but steady w/f/c-tt 0005 9/30. (RSR)
 WKYE-Tenn. Fair w/pop mx 1830 9/4. (RSR)

- 550 WVAB-Va. Hrd 10/13 on DX from 0202-0232 w/xlnt signals. Lucho IDs & no trouble at all. (KL)
- 1560 WTOD-Ohio hrd 10/17 @ 1721 w/C&W u/WQXR. (KL)
- 1570 WQTW-Pa. Hrd 10/15 @ 1745 w/s/off. (KL)
- WWRP-Mich. hrd 10/15 @ 1736 w/"The World Today", Mutual sports, s/off @ 1759, no SSB, u/CFOR. (KL)
- 1580 Pirate-O. "Radio Jolly Roger," Cincinnati, fair w/special DX tst C&W mx 0045 9/1. (RSR)
- WCCR-Ill. Poor w/f/c-tt ending 0030 10/11. (RSR)
- WZKY-N.C. Good w/f/c, very careful IDs, 0040 9/1. (RSR)
- 1590 WETT-Md. Xlnt signal 10/5 @ 2207 & most of the AM. (BER)
- WEHH-N.Y. Fair w/f/c-tt 0005 9/16. (RSR)
- WDBL-Tenn. W/s/off 10/1 @ 1815. (BER)

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EAST COAST DX FORUM

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Greetings, IRCans around the world. In the greatest example of inter-club co-operation since S. J. Northam visited Boston, and as you well know by now, the EC DXR?DXF editor & I are rooming together, and all joint members are invited to send your contributions not on an either/or basis, but to both of us. The duplication will be annoying, but everyone will get the DX information and that's what "competition" is about anyway. The FDXC, speaking of which, looks like fun. Pleasant phone conversations recently with FBK, JKC, DKR, & DEE, to wit. Congratulations to Cliff Reno upon becoming SOM Editor. DX has been erratic here, w/excellent TA's and then strong Aurora. Hopefully we will soon have a Nelson mini-loop w/a super FET-amp, which should help in noisy and local-filled Boston. Perhaps we'll see you in NYC. 73. (Randy is not an IRCA member - this is a guest rpt as provided by section III-J of the IRCA Editorial Policy. -MD)

Jim Nall - 606 N. Hite Ave. - Louisville, Kentucky 40206

I haven't sent in a DXF for a long time, so I thought I'd get busy! This summer was much fun. I took a Greyhound to Pennsylvania and stayed a week. I visited WHPA in Williamsport, WUDO in Lewisburg, WKOK in Sunbury, and carrier current WVBU at Bucknell U. in Lewisburg. Then, towards the end of the summer, David Kulka stayed with us a week here in Louisville. Dave and I visited all L'ville stations except WLOU, WAVE, & only saw the outside of WHAS. Dave & I then took a Greyhound to Tenn., and N.C. for one day! Down there Dave & I visited WHCC Waynesville, N.C.; WGAP in Maryville, Tenn; WFGW in Black Mtn, NC; WWNC in Asheville, N.C.; WSKY in Asheville; and several others from the window of the bus while we were moving. This year I am taking Electronics in the mornings, then regular school in the afternoons. My Electronics teacher already gave me my tests for a Novice license, and I passed them. I should have my license by mid November, I hope. Well, good DX & 73.

Marc DeLorenzo - 132 Beacon Street - Boston, Mass. 02116

Thanks for much better support this week, lads! If any of you have any comments re DXR format, feel free to express them to me!! 73.

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WEST COAST DX ROUNDUP

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Editor: Don Kaskey, P.O. Box 235, West Sacramento, Calif. 95691 DL: Sat a.m.

Reporting Procedure requested: Single spaced items & both sides of paper are OK but it would help if all stations are listed in frequency order (e.g. 540-1600).

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- 540 WGTO FLA. Cypress Gardens H d 10/18 @ 0630 w/MoR. Mx. Quite good (REW)
KNOE LA. Monroe, assume this was them w/Amer. Contemp. Nx @ 0655 10/20 & v
poor signal (RPM)
- 550 KOAC ORE. Corvallis, 10/7 s/off v y gd thru KARI @ 0000 (LAK) //(LAK)///
???? UnID. RR all evening thru KARI up til 0200 s/off followed the Kaskey-
Portzer rule (only the words Fed. Com. Com. & the SSB fade up over
mush). JEP thinks it was KFYR but I thot I hrd "K-E-N--" so maybe KENI
- 560 KYUM ARIZ. Yuma, hrd with adv (ala KXEL) for C&W Records plus 3 ID's at
0111 on 10/23. Looped SE cutting KSFO down about even w/KYUM. (DKIK)
KMON MONT. Great Falls, hrd & rptd 10/19 @ 0330 w/NX & WX. Sigs were fair w/
slight fading (MH)
- 610 KGGM N.MEX. Albuquerque, 10/20 0340 w/local temp., easy listening; KFRC
partly looped. (REW)
- 630 CHED ALTA. Edmonton, on top of KIDO w/a talk show @ 2320 10/16 (PM)
KIDO ID. Boise, noted on DX 10/6 apparently running RS from reg. s/off time
to test time. GOOD sigs (KLS) Hrd fair on DX w/ID @ 0335 10/6 (BW)
- 650 RFV B.C. Vancouver PIRATE, Radio Free Vancouver is now on the air every Mon
2200-0000. Extremely funny article about it in local u/gnd nxrag says
CKWX drops pwr at nite; the QRM from sun's rays necessitates more pwr
in the daytime to serve the same area. Anyways, RR pgming & 250w pwr
should make it at least to Seattle (LAK)
- 660 KFAR ALAS. Fairbanks, in very nicely alone & atop TVI @ 0124 10/23 w/local
items & many ID's. Strong S-9 signal (DKK)
WNBC N.Y. New York, 10/20 @ 0430 w/good sig. WCBS & WABC also in strong(RPM)
- 670 WMAQ ILL. Chicago, w/News, solid S-9 sig. & slight Cuban QRM 0200-on 10/23(DKIK)
- 680 CHFA ALTA. Edmonton, 10/16 @ 2310 w/mx, u/o KNBR. Was in EE. Last year was
hrd in FF. Have they changed? (PM) Not to my knowledge Pat--ed.
KNBR CALIF. San Fran. s/off 0300 MM 10/20 as per CoF w/no SSB, last words
were re NAB & Code of Good Practices. (DEE)
KOMW WASH. Omak, noted on DX Test w/fair sig & off occasionally for main-
tenance. Went at least 40 minutes later than expected. Hrd 10/6 (JEP)
On unsked test quite like IRCA 10/6 test. Came upon them 100% by chance
Taped rpt 0310-0325 10/20; sig varied from unreadable to very good w/
loop. Much slop f/XETRA-690 which is collinear. KOMW mentioned perform-
ing "weekly maintenance testing" so this freq. bears watching for
those who need KOMW. (DEE) w/excellent sigs on DX Test 0311 10/20. ID'
every few records & big spiel about Omak @ 0318. (DMK) Hrd 10/20 @
0350 w/maint. test & good sig. (RPM)
- 710 KIRO WASH. Seattle, s/on 9/1 @ 0721 w/out NA. Ann. followed by "Lords Prayer
by Mormon Tabernacle Choir. (JEP) Explain this--KIRO noted for long
periods w/OC 10/13 MM. W/OC on, two OC's (about 5 kw) are switched on
700 & 720 (completely separable) & switched off exactly in //. This
is never noted in RS, so I tend to doubt it is the RX. Any explanation
or comments would be appreciated. (JEP) //(DEE)/////
- 740 KCBS CALIF. San. Fran. testing w/OC off & on & voice IDs 0225-0240 MM 10/20/
KTRH TEX. Houston, hrd w/PSA for Red Cross 0242 MM 10/20 w/UnIDed cl. mx stn
& KCBS test QRM. AN for tropical storm Laurie per ann. 0245. Good sig
with loop (DEE)
???? UnID. TT 0244 10/20 apparently not KCBS & KCBS OC too strong to get
accurate DF. (DEE)
- 750 KFQD ALAS. Anchorage, w/Mx at 2250 10/16 w/relig. program. After 2300, World
Tomorrow later. Good sigs (PM) S-9 & atop freq 10/23, MoR mx & ID @
0215 on 10/23 (DKIK)
KXL ORE. Portland, Strong sig w/extreme slop from KCBS @ 0830 on 10/18 w/
ID & weather report (BW)
- 760 ????? UnID. Hrd 10/19 w/FB @ 0500-0530 u/KCBS mx. Hrd again 10/20 w/RR @ 0330
w/very, very faint sigs. I would sincerely appreciate help on this one
(MH).. Sounds like KGU format to me Mike. I've hrd similar here--ed.

- 790 GFCW ALTA. Camrose, w/ID "GFCW in Camrose" over/all @ 2325 9/17. Then into mx Haven't hrd since early 1966. Hrd about every night in Warrenton(PM) 10/13 s/off w/GSQ non-vocal 0203½ dominating frequency. (JEP)
- WMC TENN. Memphis, presumably the one u/KWIL w/HI @ 0340 10/13 MM. (JEP)
- 800 CFOB ONT. Fort Francis, MM 10/13 @ 0552 s/on with non-vocal anthem (think it was SSB). It is def a C---call & power is mentioned as 1kw. 90% sure of this one. I have it on tape & anyone interested in hearing it, I'll be glad to dub for a reel of tape (JEP)
- XELO MEX. El Paso (for all intents & purposes) s/on MM 10/13 @ 0600½ w/vocal "Buenos Dias" and SS announcements (JEP)
- 830 KIKI HAW. Honolulu, w/new format, namely RR & completely wiping out WCCO @ 0130 10/19. The DJ's name was Bud Wiser (ouch-ed). As I am unable to think up a good funny to say about that I'll let you have the honors, DKK. (BP) He's a distant cousin of KROYs Jack Hammer--ed.
- 860 WDMG GA. Douglas, weak u/KABL image w/Sign on SSB 0430 10/20, into C&W(DMK)
- CJBC ONT. Toronto, hrd 10/20 w/NX in FF @ 0430 w/fair sig. (MH)
- 870 KIEV CALIF. Glendale, has become a regular after 0800 daily o/JJ until their 0830 approx. fade-out. Plays C&W & uses 100% mod. on time pip (used at DJ's discretion). (JEP)
- WKAR MICH. East Lansing, 10/16 @ 0650 w/long, detailed wx forecast, sounded like student announcer; almost equal with WWL. (REW)
- 900 CJVI B.C. Victoria, s/on @ 0730 MM seems reg. now. (JEP)
- CHML ONT. Hamilton, Welcome here w/RR, Hamilton WX, plugs for FM outlet @ 0529 10/13. Fair sig thru CJVI OC mixing w/unid SE, likely XEW (LAK)
- CKBI SASK. Prince Albert, with History of RR @ 2345 on 10/17 (PM)
- KUEN WASH. Wenatchee, w/up-tempo MoR at 1020 10/19 over CJVI. (PM)
- 910 KBCN ID. Caldwell, hrd on TEST 10/6 @ 0400 with s/on ann., KISN/KNEW wiped out possibilities for a rpt. (KLS) logged easily on DX TEST & no QRM with ID at 0430 on 10/6 (BW)
- 920 ???? UnID. RR here 0350 10/20 u/about 2000 db of KJR & KIXI slopover (BP)
- 930 WKY OKLA. Okla. City., in fine @ 0512 10/20 with Kiddie Show (AL)
- 970 KPUA HAW. Hilo, 10/20 noted under similar circumstances as BB had with a nice signal, slight WAVE QRM. (KLS) Over KCHV daily here (DKK)
- KOOK MONT. Billings, in well w/KBEE looped 10/23. Had NX, Spts on Montana scene 2025-2030 with ID at 2030. Hrd about 3 hours later also (DKK)
- 980 CKNW B.C. New Westminster, thought to be the one u/KFWB @ 0215 10/18 w/soft music. Not enuf for a report (BW)
- 990 KTKT ARIZ. Tucson, 10/19 @ 0832, in briefly o/XECL w/ID & slate of local church services. (BDP)
- 1010 CBR ALTA. Calgary, logged from 0028-0100 with News noted at 0100 10/10. Received here with very strong signal. (BW)
- WFGW N.CAR. Black Mtn., hrd w/ET & ID @ 0450 10/20. "This is WFGW, Black Mtn NC conducting ETs." Good sig. NC #2. Rpt. sent. (MH)
- 1030 WBZ MASS. Boston, way atop KTWO all eve of 10/21 for a big surprise. WBZ had talk show, no RR. (PM) With talk show 0331 10/23 in well (DKK)
- 1140 WRVA VA. Richmond, 10/20 w/Storm Laurie warnings @ 0435. Faded out after 5 minutes. Fair to good sigs. (MH) 10/20 @ 0525 w/local spots; vy gd(REW)
- 1150 KPLS CALIF. Santa Rosa, 10/5 w/excellent sig. 2245-2300 w/RR always o/KAYO; ID's as "Kay Plus". (JEP)
- 1160/70 KSL/KVOO UTAH/OKLA. Salt Lake City & Tulsa, noted // w/Herb Jepko's Nitcap Show. MM 10/13 0320 saw ex-IRCA'n Bob Zeel (sic?) in Roy, Utah plugging the IRCA & Vietnam war. (JEP) Jepko noted on 1170 here also on 10/23 but didn't get ID altho TC was in Central so no doubt it was KVOO. However they were not parallel w/KSL as yet as it was before KSL began the Jepco show. Interesting no? (DKK)
- 1180 KOFI MONT. Kalispell, noted 10/18 w/moderate sig @ 0753 w/News @ 0800. (BW)
- 1220 CJOC ALTA. Lethbridge, AN MM 10/13 (Canadian Thxgving) w/RR. (JEP)
- KIBE CALIF. Palo Alto, s/off at 2030 on 10/16 (PM)
- 1230 KTDO ORE. Toledo, good & clear w/KVAS nulled out 100% (only 4 miles from KVAS Xmtr) @ 2200, w/RR program on KTDO. RR 7-10 p.m. Also KRDR/KWYZ & others unidentified under KTDO. (PM)

- 1230 KMOR UTAH Murray, atop freq w/MoR 0750 & no sign of KRDR so hopefully KRDR 0655 SM s/off is regular. (BP)
- 1240 KROY CALIF. Sacramento, are they now ABC Cont? They were playing delayed ABC NX at weird times AN 10/6 MM. (JEP)
- KXLE WASH. Ellensburg, 10/6 w/ET/mx noted 0306-0314 s/off w/US Military March music dominating. (JEP) 10/6 w/ET, @ 0315 under mess. (KLS)
- KMBY MONT. Billings, noted weak @ 0315 w/PRK u/KMBY/KROY even w/loop towards Mont.; much better sig @ 0338 w/PRK again-all on 10/6 DX TEST. Were they the UnID TTer w/KXLE ET? The unID wasn't KROY/KMBY/GFVR/KXLE (JEP)
- ???? UnID. The real KMBY??? Stn here very weak u/KROY ID'ing as KMBY but not even audible 50% of the time. Format varied from Semi-C1 to Hard Rock. Any explanations? This the whole AM of 10/20 (DMK)
- 1250 KDHI CALIF. 29 Palms, had the unquestionable privilege of being my 100th Cal at 0800 s/on w/SSB 10/16. C&W flwd w/some QRM from the Russian & no QRM from KTW, which was off at the time. Is KDHI the correct call?(Yes -ed). Didn't sound like the one they gave. (BP) 10/19 @ 0900 (s/on?) briefly under KTMS (BDP)
- 1280 KNDU LA. New Orleans, at first hoped KTLK but gave clear but weak ID u/KNAK @ 0233 10/20. Promo for sports program followed. (DMK)
- 1290 ???? UnID. EE, C&W, MM 10/13 0215-0230 when watching for KEOS f/c. Only pos. item is spot for Johnny's Trading Post at 6124 South McAllis Hyway next to J.J. Korvette. Not KRGV acc. to LD op. Ideas?? (JEP)
- 1310 KKGF MONT. Great Falls, w/ID @ 2315 10/15. Way over KDIA/KLIX (PM) 10/18 @ 0658 s/on announcement first, then into SSB. (REW)
- 1330 KWWL IOWA Waterloo, s/on SSB 0530 10/20 but soon faded to WOLD. Talk about localized Conditions. (DMK)
- WOLD VA., Marion, weak w/Heater Adv & 2 ID's u/looped KFAC 0530 10/20 (DMK)
- 1340 KSKI ID. Hailey, easily o/KIST/KMAK w/loop on DX TEST 0303 10/20 w/ID's & Xmas-type mx. Wonder what they meant by "...Eng. & Programming tests only."? (DMK) In well o/KMAK/KRAM on DX 10/20. Strange they should pick calls like that, considering they closely resemble the name of a well known IRCA Member.(BP) I have pull in strange places Bruce--ed. Hrd w/DX pgm & ID 0330 MM 10/20 but quickly covered by UnIDed C&W mx stn. Plenty of QRM. (DEE) On TEST w/fair to good sigs 10/20 @ 0300, nice test w/all the phone calls. (KLS) Hrd TEST 10/20. fair sigs @ 0302 -0309 until KRAM all but destroyed KSKI's sig. Phoned & rpt sent (MH) Strangely enuf they were not hrd here altho I tried. BLEAH... (DKK)
- KXEO MO. Mexico, 10/20 @ 0005 w/reg ck, 1000 Hz tone, voice ID. KIST/XENV were QRMing (REW)
- 1350 KTOH HAW. Lihue, thot to be the one w/ sign off here 0400 10/20 w/SSB (AL)
- WSMB LA. New Orleans, in w/blab 0408 on 10/20 (AL)
- 1370 KEEN CALIF. San Jose, hrd u/o local KAST (2 miles from KAST Xmtr) @ 2150 on 10/15. KEEN C&W as always. (PM)
- 1390 KCBC IOWA Des Moines, bleh, jabbing away 0407 10/20. (AL)
- KBBO WASH. Yakima, played "Hands Across the Sea" (LBG's version) 9/1 @ 0811 for no apparent reason. (JEP)
- 1400 KART ID. Jerome, 10/19 0743-0758, S/on featuring C&W NA, solid until KPAT s/on at 0800 (BDP)
- KARR MONT. Great Falls, 10/19 0736-0743, ID & WX, fair until buried by KART s/on (BDP)
- WMAN OHIO Mansfield, with Xlnt sigs cutting up KTUC 0403 10/20. Gave American Info. jingle then, & gave temp. & time. "...Currently in Mansfield ..." Long NXcast following was in about 10 minutes. Sked: AN, Off MM only ?-0400. (DMK)
- CKSW SASK. Swift Current, most welcomed w/sign on w/GSQ 0559 10/20. Not enuf for report, however may send a tape. (AL)
- KIUN TEX. Pecos, s/on w/SSB 0556 MM 10/20 w/tremendous sig. (DEE)
- KVOP TEX. Plainview, r/c-TT per IRCA list 0415-0430 MM 10/20 anncg as "Regular" & mentioning "3rd MM". Fair sig, has been hrd better in previous months. s/on, no SSB 0530 MM 10/20 about same strength as r/c, no QRM (DEE)

- 1400 KVOP TEX. Plainview, 10/20 0415 r/c, 1000 Hz., clear voice ID's, beautiful signal, peaking at 40db over S-9 (REW)
 ???? UnIDs, 2 un-id's here 0530 & 0554 (just before KIUN s/on). Both w/SSB on 10/20. DMK: Who???? (AL) UnID w/spot for Golden Pacific Airlines @ 0808 10/19, mentioned three flights a day to Frisco as well as mention of Ukiah & just about every other town in Northern California (BP)
- 1430 WIL MO. St. Louis, 10/13 @ 1020 w/excellent signal (JEP)
 WDIC VA. Clinchco, 10/20 @ 0020 with r/c, fair through KALI/KARM. (REW)
- 1440 KPRO CALIF. Riverside, 10/20 noted AN; hope this won't be regular MM's (REW)
- 1450 KAWT ARIZ. Douglas, 9/22 w/frew ck from 0307 (tune-in) to 0318 (tune out), poor signal thru KRZY. (RPM)
 KOBO CALIF. Yuba City, weak u/KSOL/KONE w/sign off no SSB 0202 10/20. (DMK)
 KUDI MONT. Great Falls, easy o/looped KSOL w/r-c 0212 10/20. (DMK) 10/20 @ 0200-0216 r/c; excellent after KVEN s/off 0201; remarkable strength, up to 30 db over. KRZY + other in background. Pleased to note using kHz (REW) ETing w/OC 0508 and on 10/13 (JEP)
 KONE NEV. Reno, battling KRZY 10/20 0318-0345 for rpt. News to 0330 then into music MoR (DKK) noted AN 10/13 w/rr & "Kai-One" ID's (JEP) good on AN show 10/20 with numerous ID's as "K-One". (BP)
- 1460 WPNX ALA. Phenix City, 10/20 0240 a most welcome catch for state #36, though I believe a reluctant verifier. All C&W; in ID, gives Columbus, Ga., first, before Phenix City. Evidently AN-7 to combat AN-7 WCLS-1580 in same market. Very good here (REW) Hrd 10/20 0300-0330 & on (DKK)
 KDON CALIF. Salinas, checked at 0519 10/4 with pop music (BW)
 WXOK LA. Baton Rouge, probably the strong s/on SSB into R&B 0500 10/20 (BP)
 KENO NEV. Las Vegas, MoR @ 0328 10/20. Spts & Wx Rpt flwd. Good sigs (MH)
 WBNS OHIO Columbus, 10/20 0429 SSB, s/on, into relig. 1st Ohio reg here (REW)
 WPVL OHIO Painesville, very strong w/Adv for 1st Reserve Bank of Painesville @ 0510 10/20. Easily atop 1460 for 10 minutes. (DMK)
 WRAD VA. Radford, in well with C&W 10/20 @ 0405 (AL)
- 1470 WKMF MICH. Flint, 10/20 0444 special offer, C&W. Good, took channel over from CFOX. Mich. #3 and 1st regional. (REW)
 CFOX QUE. Pointe Claire, 10/20 0430 news, mostly provincial, then C&W. Very good, some XE QRM looped. My only E. Canadian regional channel logging & very pleased with this one. (REW)
- 1480 KBOX TEX. Dallas, weak but all alone @ 0345 w/jingle ID on 10/20 (DKK)
- 1490 KDB CALIF. Santa Barbara, noted AN 10/6. That they were cured of that? (JEP)
 CJSN SASK. Shaunavon, @ 0100 10/15 w/NX & ID. Vy Good, whenever hrd. Never have heard CKSW-1400 though (PM) //(REW)////
- 1510 WMEX MASS. Boston, 10/20 0310 PSA, RR. Most remarkable sig. 20db over S-9///
- 1520 KYXI ORE. Oregon City, noted w/OC much of MM 10/13 (JEP)
- 1530 KWLA LA. Many, 10/20 0045 r/c, 1000 Hz., voice IDs, off 0100. Fair to quite good w/KFBK partly looped, main QRM then from XEUR. Pleased to get this while KFBK, 1 of the top 3 or 4 mainlanders here, was still on. (REW)
- 1540 KBUY TEX. Fort Worth, atop KXEL at 0312 10/20 w/good sig (DKK) good sig & atop freq 0445 10/20 o/unid. No sign of usually strong KXEL unless they were the one underneath. (BP)
- 1550 KOKA/KKJO MO/EA Shreveport/St. Joseph..both in u/o KKHI. KKJO w/RR, KOKA w/soul. Hrd 2345 10/15 & 10/16. Quite common here (PM)
- 1560 WBKC OHIO Chadron, almost local-like w/end on Mutual NX, ID w/location & corny "Good Morning" song 0506 on 10/20 (DMK)
- 1580 WCLS GA. Columbus, 10/20 0310 w/RR. Enormous signals. (REW)
- 1600 WWRL N.Y. New York, 10/20 0420 local spots, many jingles as "WWRL New York" R&B. Lovely 20db over signal. (REW)
- KASH ORE. Eugene, Testing 0530 10/13 w/Alice's Restaurant (LAK)

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Cx to North America have been excellent for six weeks, and numerous rpts have been sent. Recent veries are KFH-1330, first from Hawaii, KYJC-1230, KDJI-1270, KRAM-1340 most distant rpt, KOMY-1340, KTRB-860, WAZE-860 most distant rpt and one of my very best, BBC Masirah Is.-1410, neck and neck with Zahedan-777 for my most distant verie @ about 8000 miles, CBL believed first from Hawaii, KUHL-1440 first from Hawaii, KIEV-870 likewise, CBX-740, KXRO-1320, WSUN-620, CKVL-850, a v/1, extremely specific, in beautiful FF for rpt in same, and Que #1 for me, province #6 verified, KBEE-970, KRKD-1150 first from Hawaii, KSO on 1460, WVAB-1550 one of my best and my first daytimer N. of Fla. and E of Ky, also most distant rpt, previous farthest being San Diego, KVON-1440. Rpts out in large numbers, reflecting the beautiful coast-to-coast cx nightly: The new KDUN-1470, also new KKON-790, KDB-1490, trying desperately to verify this one before the call-change, anyone got a v/s or any hints?, XEF-1420, KREX-920, WMAL-630 my first D.C., KIMA-1460, KFKF-1540, KAOR-1340, KBKW-1450, KBOR-1600, KOKA-1550, KBMY-1240 for the ET, KIKK-650 a very nice catch for an l.f. 250 w. stn @ 3900 miles, ZNS-1540, WCMN-1280, my 2nd P.R., YVMN-1210, VUD-1020, XEQK-1350, KUJ-1420, KUZZ-800, KNCR-1090, another newcomer, KJNP-1170 Alaska #10 and long sought, KGAY-1430, KTLI-1590, XERPM-660, KCBC-1390, CHVL-900, CKXL-1140, CJIC-1050 another one I'm pleased with as it came up briefly during a fade in dominant CFGP, KARK-920, new R. Zulia-1180, and WKAR-870 my 2nd Mich.

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Recent veries: v/q WCBs-880, CBL-740, CBW-990, KRVN-1010, KGHL-790, KMMJ-750, WFAA-820, KFRB-900, WRVA-1140, PJB-800; v/c KHSL-1290; v/ppc KDON-1460, KYNO-1300, KNDK-1080; v/1 KUAT-1550, KOMW-680 (test); v/f WRFD-880, KFXD-580 (test); & v/r KQIK-1230. Re the proposed merger: "To each his own." Totals: states 36/32, prov. 5/5, countries 5/4 excluding Alaska and Hawaii. Still no veries from KXRB-1000 for 5/19 rpt, hmmm. DX on 10/20 was quite interesting as many reg. stns were gone & new ones showed up. Stns heard were contained w/in a V from Toronto to Modesto to Atlanta except for three stns briefly noted: KFI-640, CKWX-1130, & KSKI-1340. Cuban and Mexican stns were non-existent. EC stns were in strong such as KDKA, WBZ, WABC, WFGW (ET). Any DXer who has or is using a HQ-145A or AC, I would like to hear about your views regarding it. I'm interested in both its MW & SWL band quality and any other info. that may help me decide whether to buy one or to continue looking. Matthew Wall, re you KRKY, could you send me the frequency & any info on ads heard. There is no KRKY per 1969 Broadcasting Yearbook.

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Greetings. DX rather limited of late but managed to log CKSW-1400 for my only Canadian G.Y. It's about time! New addition to the rx bank is a double conversion RBM4 surplus rx. It has 13 tubes, and features impeccable calibration over the three segments of the BCB. Sensitivity and selectivity are better than in my S-16 so I'm quite pleased. Veries? Only WMSL, CKCK, KEED, and KOSI. & "\$()#1#" For electronics fiends, I can obtain professional power supplies worth in excess (says electronics inst.) of \$200 for around \$25 ea. They feature 9 tubes, readout meter in V/MA, and cover 0-300 VDC+ and 0-150 VDC-. Also have taps between 5-7 volts for filament. These are really examples of quality and, although the one I bought was used, it was perfect in every respect. Write if interested, only a few available. New phone number is 408 272-0165 (unlisted). IRCA rules. 73.

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I made it back to the DX scene for good on MM, 10/20. Verie situation: v/q CKLW w/SC, KDKA WHAS, WSM, KFQD, KIMA, KGEM, KHQ; v/1 CFGP, KXA, KIT; v/r KCBC, KDBM for 6/2 TEST. KFQD first to break QSL barrier. Many of these veries for summer DX activity. Many rpts still out. Box loop working super fine. The QSL protectors mentioned in 10/18 DXM look like they might be a good deal. The up-coming DX programs look pretty good. I'll try to participate in the freq of the week activity as much as possible. Hope everybody else will support this activity. 73.

Hi gang. Well it has been quite a good DX start for me in what is the winter DX season. I have had veries from KSTP, KMJ, and KMPC. Reports out to KXEL, KXOL, WLW, WSB, XERF, CKWX, KOKE and KOOK. I also have veries out to KBGN and KIDO whom I heard on tests. They both had strong signals. I have just had a recent visit by Don Erickson who came over last weekend. We talked and had a very good time. I feel that it would be better for there to be no merger because I feel that both clubs would try harder to do good on the new contest they are going to start. Both clubs would be trying harder to do good. I wish all of you a very productive DX season. 73's.

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Greetings to all! I have just received the new member packet and found a wealth of valuable information within. I have had little DX here but the recent loggings are in DXR. Totals to date are: states 29/19, stns 131/31, countries 4/4, and provinces 4/2. Only two of DX Tests heard here, KBGN & KIDO. Talking about the proposed merger, I feel that the tenacious rivalry between the two BCB clubs would tend to motivate each club to improvement in areas which they feel are now lacking in. Only a few veries are in, and all are 50kw. They are KMOX, KDKA, and KOMO. New ham stn here with the call WN6KAV. I read the proposal about the WPE swap cards with the IRCA emblem and thought it was a good idea. I am planning to build a box loop here soon. I am now using a spiral. Well, that about does it for this go-around. 73 and good DX.

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Hi! DX has been quite good as of late with the TP's noted nearly every a.m. The highlight of the season came with Brian Williams reception of Khabarovsk on 1250 u/KTW on 10/16 @ 1100! All of Vancouver was midly shocked about this one. Veries are a little slow. KXLE-1240 v/1 is the only one to appear on the scene. I needn't remind anyone that any legal action taken against a member of the IRCA or against the IRCA itself would spell "DOOM" to the club, even if it never got to the courts and the IRCA was positively proven in the clear. So editors, be liberal with your correction fluid and mbn, send a sharpened sword to all those who type stencils. But most of all, members, keep an ink eraser by your side at all times. This is the secret of success for the IRCA, so may we live a long and prosperous life! 73.

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Once again, I've crossed the country and a new semi-permanent (hi) address should be announced in a few more weeks. Boy, am I sick of hearing about our "unstable publishing" setup. For nearly two years, Don Erickson has almost single-handedly turned out bulletins of the highest professional standards, and he has yet to miss one issue. A certain other club requires half a dozen people to produce a bulletin of no similar quality. DEE has stated that he will continue to publish until a suitable successor has been appointed. I for one will accept Don's word. I think that in view of this, any statements that our publishing is unstable are unfounded, irresponsible, and an insult to DEE and IRCA as a whole. The proposed constitutional amendment would be a good one except that it's admitted purpose is to make it possible for us to merge. If you haven't voted, check NO for the constitutional amendment. Mail your ballot now. The Age of Aquariums--there are now eight fish tanks at Toyland and more are on the way!

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The John Gunther of the IRCA, PSL that is, has returned to California and managed to find his way to Pomona this past week. Perhaps I'd better restate a portion of my editorial policy which a couple of you guys seem to have forgotten. Any statements directed in a derogatory manner against any other club will be edited by yours truly. Unfortunately I've had to invoke this authority a couple of times in this issue. WCers don't forget ERBA next month in West Sacto. It promises to be a good gathering of DXers. The deadline for reports here is generally on Fridays. I can sometimes get reports received on Saturdays typed, but this is not guaranteed. 73 and see you all in 7.

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 Deadline: Two weeks from the publication date of this issue. Featured will be
 Heard totals from Washington, Louisiana, and Ohio.

	CV	TV	TFV	Africa (#-Best)	Oceania (#-Best)	YR
1. C.M. Stanbury, Ont.	109	1350	459	23 BBC Fransistown	47 WTVV	51
2. Alan Merriman, Va. *	76	1090	107	6 Freetown-1200	2 KZOO-1210 11kw	58
3. Don Reynolds, Calif.*	74	1328	448	2 Dakar-764	42 9PA-1250 21kw	33
4. Ed Krejny, Ohio *	68	2163	377	9 Freetown-1200	6 1YG-880 10kw	50
5. Larry Godwin, Colo. *	54	1181	303	1 Dakar-764	44 2VM-1530 500 w.	57
6. Gene Allen, Calif. *	52	2627	368	1 Dakar-764	82 6WF-690	23
7. Gray Scrimgeour, Ont.*	44	486	106	1	31 AFRS-1220 700 w.	63
8. Bill Wittler, Colo. *	40	2372	201	1 Dakar-764	30 ZCO-1020	50
9. Richard E. Wood, Haw.	40	368	174	- ----	75 KBAY-1570 12 w.	67
10. Bill Raczek, Ohio	40	260	66	2 Dakar-764	1 KORL-650	65
11. Jerry Starr, Ohio *	39	746	76	2 Agadir-935	1 KORL-650	54
12. Art Peterson, Calif.*	37	132	74	- ----	10 VRH3-890	60
13. Raleigh Biss, Calif.	30	2172	152	- ----	21 KSAI-1010 50 kw	24
14. Joe Fola, N.J.	26	870	38	1 Dakar-764	- ----	61
15. Ralph Valataro, Mass *	23	212	26	2 Batra-818	- ----	65
16. Angel M. Garcia, N.Y.	22	253	27	1 Dakar-764	- ----	
17. Cliff Reno, Conn.	22	111	22	- ----	2 3LO-770	
18. Dave Johnson, Colo. *	21	566	29	- ----	4 2BL	62
19. Ernie Wesolowski, Neb*	20	1015	43	1 Dakar-764	7 4YA-780 20kw	58
20. Ray Hartman, Wisc. *	18	373	20	- ----	1 KORL-650	60
21. Frank Waldron, N.J.	18	535	27	- ----	- ----	67
22. Patrick Martin, Ore.*	18	194	30	- ----	7 Fiji-890	64
23. Hank Ward, Texas *	15	2585	77	- ----	4 VRH-930	
24. Dave Rogers, Okla. *	15	392	30	- ----	1 KORL-650	62
25. Jim Mall, Kent. *	15	392	19	1 Dakar-764	- ----	
26. Bill Migley, Ohio *	14	242	14	- ----	- ----	
27. John Oldfield, Alta.	13	362	33	- ----	13	59
28. Bill Wilson, BC	13	283	25	- ----	8 HRC-810 10 kw	63
29. Michael Northam, Ore.*	13	253	25	- ----	9 IZD-1000	66
30. Don Kaskoy, Calif. *	11	1888	37	- ----	22 4YA-780 10kw	50
31. Bob Astmann, N.Y. *	11	401	11	- ----	- ----	63
32. Bruce Portzer, Wash.	11	197	15	- ----	6 3YW-1160 2kw	64
33. Father Jack Pojza, Cal.	11	155	27	- ----	12 3YW-1160 2kw	68
34. Walt Breville, Mo. *	10	248	9	1 Dakar-764	- ----	64
35. Frank Kennedy, Cal. *	10	204	15	- ----	4 KIMO-850	57
36. Christopher Schmink, NY*10	51	10	- ----	- ----	- ----	
37. Marv Garber, Neb. *	9	247	12	- ----	- ----	67
38. Gene Mattocks, Calif.*	9	222	17	- ----	7 KHAI-1090	66
39. Brian Williams, BC *	9	210	20	- ----	11 1YG-880	68
40. Jon Parkins Jr., BC*	8	334	18	- ----	7 1YZ-860	64
41. Larry Abraham, Mich.	8	174	6	- ----	- ----	61
42. Bob Hostottloy, Minn.*	7	364	6	- ----	- ----	
43. Tom Jasinski, Ill.	7	245	8	- ----	- ----	63
44. Quentin Brown, Ont. *	7	70	5	- ----	- ----	
45. Mike Thompson, BC *	7	69	8	- ----	- ----	
46. Brother Al, Calif.	6	153	15	- ----	7 KPUA-970	
47. Snoopy, Ill. *	6	101	4	- ----	- ----	64
48. Andy Lisowski, Calif.	6	65	12	- ----	- ----	
49. Bill Corcoran, Ill. *	6	58	6	- ----	- ----	66
50. Jay Reog, Penna. *	5	178	6	- ----	- ----	
51. Kevin Slater, Oreg.	5	146	5	- ----	1 KORL-650	66
52. Chuck Sadoian, Calif.*	5	75	14	- ----	1 KORL-650	
53. Dave Christensen, Wash.	5	38	5	- ----	2 KTWI-550	68
54. John Johnson, Wyo.	4	552	9	- ----	2 KATM-870	62
55. Bruce Collier, Iowa	4	331	3	- ----	- ----	

56. Tom Kirk, Wisc.	4	158	3	-	-----	-	-----	Page 14
57. Sam Lepok, Ont.	4	130	2	-	-----	-	-----	
58. John Richards, Cal.	4	105	5	-	-----	-	-----	61
59. Mike Pawlowski, Ill.	4	104	4	-	-----	-	-----	
60. Jim Korn, Calif. *	4	84	2	-	-----	1	KORI-650	
61. Arvidas Jarasius, Ill. *	4	81	4	-	-----	-	-----	
62. Bill Wall, Ill. *	3	205	5	-	-----	-	-----	
63. Fred Jordt, B.C.	3	90	2	-	-----	-	-----	66
64. John McWhirter, Calif.	3	76	6	-	-----	-	-----	
65. Dave Osborne, Neb.	3	76	3	-	-----	-	-----	
66. Dennis Williams	3	73	5	-	-----	-	-----	
67. Gary Hailay, Mo. *	3	69	2	-	-----	-	-----	66
68. Robert Schneider II, Wis. *	3	29	1	-	-----	-	-----	
69. Reid Wheeler, Wash. *	3	21	3	-	-----	-	-----	

CV=Countries Verified TV=Total Verifications TTV=Total Foreign veries YR=Year began DXing or began DXing from present location. An asterisk * indicates that totals are over 6 months old and must be updated in order to remain listed. 73/Good DX.

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Since there's some space left I might as well blow a few lines with some ramblings. Plenty of veries in: v/q KGEM KVOO KBND KVI KOMO KIXI KMO KGW KELA v/l KKRO KBKW KONT KMAS KGY+PC KTFN+GM CHWK KAPY+GM KVAS KPEI+GM KGHO+GM KCLX v/f CKVN KUMA KFXD KBRO+GM Some of you may remember Dave Hebert of KAPS. He's now CE at KKRO so maybe a test from them later this season. Total is now 684/197. For what it's worth, what is the greatest number of stns anybody's rx'ed on one freq? Best I can do here is 24/5 on 1450 and 20/3 on 1340. I'm currently using the GE Portable as my main rx., as the good old NC-120 developed a bad case of noise....I took it down to the workshop, plugged it in and soon noted a rather large cloud of gray smoke coming from a resistor in the 2nd rf stage....so it looks like a few repairs will be necessary, hi. First Denver, then L.A., then Chicago. Now it looks like we'll Create Kaos in Vancouver Next. CU there.

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Since I'm a new member, I thought I'd tell you my story. I'm an old duffer - just turned 61. Am chief mechanic for Hertz Rent-A-Car. About 500 years ago I had an old spark gap outfit in Chicago till one day a guy with a truck came by and said I had to buy a tube or cut it out as I was fouling up the neighborhood. That was when this thing called radio first came out (those guys with their Superhetrodynes and Atwater Kents!). I just bought a DX-150. Well, this is it for now. 73.

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Well, after about a year of BCB DXing, my totals are as follows: 73/248 stns, 25/26 states and 3/4 provinces; foreign 5/5 countries. Here's the ol' re-intro; I'm 15, a sophomore at Queen Anne High. My hobbies are DXing, SCing, basketball, baseball, bicycling and collecting bad grades. I am a guard on the soph BKB team, and hope to be catcher on the baseball team. Correct me if I'm wrong but wasn't the IRCA formed because some of the members were dissatisfied with the NRC? Now they want to re-join. Personally, I think it would be good either way because the DXer is the one who procepers either way. Reports out to: KFXD, KMCM, CJOC, KDFL and KSDN. New veries: KSTO, KARR, KYNO, KMAS, KBEW, KOAC, KRED, KRPL, KHJ and KMPC. 73.

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If I say nothing else in this Forum rpt, I'd like to urge the wholehearted support by the membership of the Const. Amendment before you for a vote. It deserves a resounding YES vote. Those who urge its defeat because it might make a merger less difficult are, I feel, throwing us red herrings. While I like the National Radio Club and DX NEWS very much, I do not favor merger now or in the future. I think it would be of little benefit to the members of either club. Just as we would get the "best" of each club in the new one, so must we get the worst points of each. I've seen no evidence a majority of IRCA members want the technical articles and professional printers of NRC and even less evidence the average NRC member (or majority of them) want a democratic govt. or the IRCA domestic format. And if they do, IRCA has no copyright or patent on either. If anyone fears merger is necessary to prevent future publishing crisis, I would simply like to state that my opinion is that this is neither necessary nor, if there were such a crisis that merger would be the best solution. 73.

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Listeners Loggings- East Coast

- 535a WIBS Grenada ??? WIBS logged here 10/4 at 2027//3285. But earlier at 2000 a station, apparently in EE, was heard on 535a w/a somewhat animated talk and not //3285. Seemed to be a second station on the frequency at 1935 but hadn't begun to check 3285 at that time. Aren't all WIBS transmitters always in parallel? I suppose the station on 535a at 2000 could have been Falklands (dream, dream, hi) but was not the type of programming I would expect from FIBS. More likely West Indies or Africa. How about it, super DXers? (CMS)
- 540 HICM Dominican Republic, Santo Domingo heard w/s/off announcements 2358 followed by NA 10/17. (AMG)
- YN.. Nicaragua, Managua, Radio Corporacion heard with numerous IDs 0003-0005 s/off 10/18. The most welcome catch in a long time here. WRTH lists YNTT/1 kw (pg.322) and YNOW/3 kw (pg. 216). Which is correct? (AMG)
- ??? UnID SS heard after R. Corporacion's s/off 10/17. Way under XEWA which was dominant on the frequency at all times. (AMG)
- 580 WKAC Puerto Rico, San Juan 10/8 0020-0110, w/ID after each pop record (like WABC). Who's the Cuban interfering? (TRS)
- 584RNE Spain, Madrid with 200 kw has been the most consistent TA during October. Best at 0100. (AMG) / (AMG)
- 593 ???? UnID TA causing quite a het on the domestic channel 0055 10/18.
- 600 CMKV Cuba, San German a bomb 10/17 0020 with WICC off. (AMG)
- 620YNM Nicaragua, Managua, Radiodifusora Nacional noted topping the channel 10/8 at 2030. Has been listed here for several years, but this is the first time I've been able to hear them on this frequency.
- ??? UnID, almost certain I noted a Sser here 0056 10/17. (AMG) / (CMS)
- 650 HJKH Colombia, Bogota, Emissora Monserrate heard 10/13-MM just below 650 kHz, with clear ID at 0030. (KGS)
- 683 RNE Spain, Seville, 9/21 2240 w/weak to fair signals, audio at times quite clear, pop music, 9/23, 1745 inaudible carrier, 1810 audio hrd quite well. Most consistent TA here. (TRS)
- 700 ??? UnID, presumably YVNH was the s/off with Venezuelan NA just as I tuned in at 2254 on 10/13. Very strong u/WLW. (KGS)
- 701 ... Czechoslovakia, re Nelson's reference to reception of Prague on this frequency (DXWW 10/4)-- unless there has been a change since; my reception during the Soviet invasion, station is Bratislava rather than Prague. Has there been a switch? (CMS) (Both are listed in WRTH-- Bratislava with 100kw and Praha with 30 kw. Ed.)
- 725a ?? UnID, heard 10/20 with what sounded like Arabic music 1835-2012. Ads in EE. Saudi Arabia or Central or South American? (CH) (The above edited from a very lengthy report. I think this might be SRS, Surinam, which does broadcast in Indonesian. Ed.)
- 730XE? Mexico, in SS with ID, "Radio Mexico" with orchestral music 0015 10/18. XEX? (FH) (Probably, Frank. Ed.)
- 737RNE Spain, Barcelona heard 0035-0040 10/17. (AMG)
- 750 CM.. Cuban heard with S9 on 10/13 // 630, 640, 670, and 740. Some frequency change on this one? 780 had no Cuban at the time. (KGS)

- 766 ??? UnID SS LA 10/12 s/6 d momentarily at 2340 and 0003 (10/13) otherwise barely audible through 0015. Who? Maybe hearing things, I though I heard "Nacional" and "Argentina" circa 0000. (TRS) (Dunno),
- 770 CM.. Cuban noted here S9 10/13 like the one on 750. (KGS)
- 771 TIW Costa Rica, San Jose, R. City is definitely the one here. Positively IDed the evening of 10/3. (CMS)
- 818 Andorra presumed the station in FF with pop music on 10/19 at 0110. Both man and woman announcers. (KGS)
- 820 HJED Colombia, Cali 10/8 0020 with music to ID at 0030 including CARACOL network ID, news headlines, and more music 0034. (TRS)
- 825 ??? UnID LA hetting just below Titania on 10/13 at 2306. (KGS)
- 834 British Honduras Radio Belize; very consistent almost every night from sunset to s/off. Best nights have been 10/2 and 10/19. (TRS)
- 845 RAI Italy, Roma 2, 9/21 0020-0028 w/music including r&r, 0028-0032 man announcer w/1-0-n-g pauses between words. 9/23, 1800 w/female announcer, some music, weak but clear. (TRS)
- 855 ??? 2 UnID LA's heard while CJBC in talk periods on 10/13 at 2300. Could hear audio only on the higher of these, but no ID. (KGS)
- 855.5 ??? UnID SS, 2240-2305 when lost all traces of carrier. Heard male annncr too weak to make out WNC. Did PJC2 shift frequency and s/off time?
- 855 PJC2 Curacao, Willemstad, R. Curom 10/12 heard ID, s/off and / (TRS) anthem 2315-18. Carrier off 2318. Het on low side became; barely audible after PJC2 s/off. Peru? (TRS)
- 860 (....) UnID SS heard nightly 10/15-17 after CJBC's s/off at 0000. Hymns 10/15 at 0030, radio play 10/16 at 0020, and MoR 10/17 at 0100. (AMG)
- 880 ??? UnID SS mx (LA type) w/ID w/chimes 2345 on 10/17 u/WCBS w/faint het. (FH)/ UnID LA quite weak during talk, but vocal selections fair. 10/13 from 0220. A tantalizing one, but no luck on it. (KGS)
- 935 Morocco, Agadir was S8 at 0100 s/on on 10/19. Consistently better than has been in past two seasons for me. (KGS)
- 960 HJHN Colombia, Barranquilla was the station // HJBI-840 with beauty pageant. Heard 0104-0125 10/5. IDed thanks to info in DXWW. (AMG)
- 1034 CSB2 Portugal, Lisbon. 9/23 1815-1830 w/male announcer. (TRS)
- 1088 ??? UnID TA, presumably Tirana with eastern music 2333-2345 fade on 10/18. Surprised by lack of talk. (KGS)
- 1097 EFE14 Spain, Madrid, LV de Madrid was sudible here, poorly, on 9/25 at 1950-2000. Regarding the SS listing I previously sent: (1) the list which includes only privately owned stations was not compiled by CMS but by Desmond J. Colling who is also Executive Editor of the World DX Club; (2) Many privately owned overseas stations operate at powers less than those listed for them. As the power estimated was based on extensive monitoring, I believe they are as close to being accurate as those shown in WRTH. (CMS)
- 1118.5 ??? UnID LA SS 2305-0000 s/off. Bad het against KMOX, but at times good signal and audio w/KMOX looped out--trouble was never was at ID time, darn it. Who? (TRS) / (KGS)
- 1124 ??? UnID, presumably a TA heard at 0107 on 10/19 but very weak. Spain?
- 1186 TGT Guatemala, Guatemala, R. Sonora back on this split; heard every day since 10/13 around 2230 on with "Sonora" and "Guatemala" IDs. (KGS)
- 1192 CM.. Cuba, the split here was positively IDed as a Cuban 10/3. Is it CMJP listed by RFS on 1190? Musical ID on the hour. (CMS)

- 1203.5 TIQ Costa Rica, Puerto Limon, R. Casino 10/20 0000-0045 w/good sig even w/WCAU (next door to me) OC. All EE, Peggy Lee and Doris Day records. (TRS)
- 1205 SLBS Sierra Leone, Freetown was the station heard here 9/15 2356-0010 rather than RTF-France. Have tape of IS series followed by band mx. which is likely "The Rain is Coming." 0100 s/on announcements lost to the noise. Verifies? (AMG) (I believe so, Angel. Ed.)
- 1209 CM.. Cuba, "Radio Reloj Nacional" ID 10/8 0115, all news format. GPN of NRC says CMDL, Holguin, is drifting around. (TRS)
- 1210 HJFF Colombia, Pereira, 10/8 0115-0130 w/fair to good signals. Signal varied, but clear "La Voz Amiga" taped 0130. (TRS)
- 1376 RTF France, Lille; 9/21 2255-2310 w/weak signal. (TRS)
- 1308 HJ?? UnID LA, man reading news, with four-note chime between items broke through CFM on 10/19 at 2335-2340. Colombian? (KGS)
- 1393 ??? UnID LA with poor audio on 10/13 at 2230. Faded soon after. (KGS)
- 1515 ??? UnID LA heard 2155-2200 10/10 when carrier disappeared, maybe s/off? Heard several evenings since--still working on it. Definitely separate from UnID on 1517. (TRS) (HBL, Santo Domingo, D.R., reported here recently. Ed.)
- 1517 ??? UnID La heard here 2030-2100 and 2155-2230 10/10 and several evenings since. Just too weak to ID--still trying. (TRS)
- 1556 ??? UnID La 10/10 2000-2230 in and out. Never too good, heard several evenings since. Who? (TRS) (HJLP, Tulua, R. Espacial, reported on 1555. Ed.)
- 1560 CM?? Cuba, "Radio Reloj Nacional" heard 10/8 0100 just prior to WQKR and through OC on air. "Havana" and "Revolucion" mentioned several times 0040-0100. Is this listed CMGB, Cardenas with 250 w? Signal strong. (TRS)

Overlooked:

- 625 ??? UnID SS heard here 10/1 from 2200 tune-in. I do not believe this was TIRICA as (1) the latter could not be heard on 9615 and therefore was probably off the air; (2) this station was playing romantic Latin melodies while TIRICA, when they're on, has mostly US MoR style. Gone by 2230. (CMS)
- 760+ ??? UnID SS (male announcer) ID w/brass along with other CRM 0001 on 10/18. Faded into CRM 0003. (FH)
- 825 TIOS Costa Rica, San Jose, R. Titania 10/12 2325 thru 2340 with good sig announcing "Titania" after each record played. (TRS)

Mid-West

- 655 North Korea, Pyongyang again 0725 10/22, YL talk, 0743 music, 6116 miles. (GH)/ 0755 10/24 finally came very easily, 2 minutes all talk, male, couldn't understand a word. Faded out by 0800. (GM)
- 683 ??? UnID, have over 100 feet of hash on tape between 2210-2230 10/23 which may be Spain. A definite SS male announcer at 2226. LBG first caught carrier here and notified me. (GM)
- 725 SRS Suriname, Paramaribo in better than usual 10/17 2048 w/Dutch talk. 3869 miles. (GH)
- 750 YNX Nicaragua, Managua, Radio Equis, 0045-0100. LA music; 0100 s/off good signal 9/1. (MWM)
- 764 Senegal, Dakar 0115-0204 10/22 ;third and best appearance this fall for me. Got about 15 min. on tape. Signal peaked at 0200. This time I got muezzin in his morning call to prayer. (GM)

- 830 JOBB Japan, Osaka again 0750 JJ, 0759 chimes and TC (3 low short, one high long) ; much weaker than before 10/22. (GH)/ Fine volume, ID very easily on the hour 0755-0805 10/23. First Jap for me since 1932 and thanks to tip from Glenn Hauser. (GM)
- 1040 China, Peking likely. Sked in Jap, but sounded more like Chinese 10/22 081 2. 6344 miles. (GH)
- 1115 HCLA2 Ecuador, Guayaquil presumably the R. America giving an EST TC at 2210 10/17. Still 200 watts? 3299 miles. (GH)
- 1175 TI-- Costa Rica "en la cadena de emisoras Colombia..." 2257 10/17. (GH)
- 1205 Sierra Leone, Freetown. Finally got some audio. 0055 10/22 OC, 0058 IS- 6 notes down, superb. 0102 TIC off helps, 0116 bits of mx. 5930 miles. (GH)
- 1210 IGED Guatemala, R. Mil Doscientos Diez 2315 2345 with ; instrumental mx. WCAU nulled out 10/3. First ; heard a few days previous, but was unable to get ID due to fading and het. My first Guatemalan on MW. A tape has been sent. (MWM)
- 1280 XEBW Mexico, Chihuahua, Chih. on AN-7 10/20 here with KTLK off for a change. Uses "R. Variedades" IDs. Veried for me two years ago. (BN)
- 1375 TIMAR Costa Rica, Limon; mentioning Monumental at 2059 10/17. (GH)
- 1420 XEF Mexico, Juarez now AN-7 apparently as heard MM 10/20. IDs as "R. Corazon." Veried last season for me. Address is Pasaje Continental Num. 2. (BN)
- 1560 XEJPV Mexico, Ciudad Juarez, "R. Chamizal" consistently good at SSS here. (BN)

West Coast

- 650 ??? UnID here 10/16 until 0950 fade out with woman talking in UnID lang. (not EE) Played one song, which sounded like LA music, but too late for any LA stations. KORL or TP? Richard Wood, can you help? (BP)
- 652a ??? UnID here 10/13 around 2020-2040 tune out with loud het above WSM but only faint traces of what sounded like music, while tuning around on my OM's SX-96. 3 possibilities: 1) rx defect, TVI etc, the cause of the het and WSM slop my mx.; 2) a hippie oriented pirate in Vancouver, B.C. supposedly on 650 that evening according to JEP who got info from Vancouver underground paper; 3) the XE.. reported by FJP 10/18. (BP)
- 655 North Korea Pyongyang with music to gradual fadeout 1000 10/16 . 1/2 hour after LSR here and broad daylight outside, the latest I've ever heard a. TP. (BP)/ Excellent 10/15, 16, 17 at 0700-0900 rock steady sigs most days, mostly in Korean. (CS)
- 700 JOFB Japan, Hiroshima fighting UFO 10/15 0715-0730 w/NHK 2 net, ; good signals at times. (CS)
- JOKD Japan, Kitami fighting JOFB 0730-0745 10/15 w/JJ, not absolutely sure this is it; might have been the Chinese. (CS)
- 750 JOIB Japan, Sapporo excellent o/u KMMJ 10/15 0740 w/JJ, NHK pips at 0800. (CS)
- KFCD Alaska, Anchorage in with powerhouse signal all evening 10/18. Never veried my 12/65 report so a new one sent with fingers crossed. (BP)
- 760 ??? UnID heard on 10/19 w/football game 0500-0530 way under KCBS CRM. Heard again on 10/20 w/RR at 0330 u/WJR. EE on both dates. Solid signal but very very weak. Any ideas? (MH) (KGU?)
- 775 ??? UnID heard 10/18 0845 het with KXA, sounded like SS or some ; such. Lousy signal due to high noise here. HCMF2 in Ecuador? (GMa)

- 775 contd (Too late for Ecuador, Grant. I don't know what it could be. Ed.)
- 800 PJB Netherland Antilles, Bonaire here with excellent ;signals 0530 10/20 o/CKLW. Caribbean stations good that AM. (CS)/ Heard every MM after XELO and CKOK s/off. SS programing w/good signal. Report finally sent 10/6. (MH)
- 830 JOBB Japan, Osaka here excellent w/NHK JJ program 0850 10/20, NHK pips on the hour. Only Jap heard that AM. (CS)/Noted on pcrtable rx 10/16 0910, just tuning across the dial while sitting at breakfast table eating' my cornflakes (honest!) (BP)
- KIKI Hawaii, Honolulu tearing up WCCO with rr/Top 40 programming (note new format) 0130 10/19. The DJ is Bud Wiser (.) with a name like that he should be made an honorary member of ERBA, hi. (BP)
- 835 China, Nanchang good 10/15 0801 w/CC female talk. ;(CS).
- 850 XE.. Mexico Rather think you had XEZF, Mexicali, instead of XEUS, FJP (BP) (Somehow I overlooked XEZF in the lists, Bill, Thanks. FJP)
- 870 KAIM Hawaii, Honolulu s/on after anthem 0930 10/16 with excellent ;signal on Halli S-40a. (BP)
- 877a UFO just ;below 880 pcking through occasionally 0630-0700 10/19. North Korea most likely. (BP)
- 880 China outlet good here in oriental language and standard Peking IS 0700 10/19. (BP)
- 950 XEGM Mexico, Tijuana, tentatively the SS heard at Lake Cushman (40 milès W. of Seattle) ;2220 9/13 with KJR nulled. Would XEGM be the only logical choice at this time? (BP) (I would think so, Bruce. Ed.)
- 990 XE.. Mexico, unidentified noted here all evening 9/13 at Lake Cushman ; good signals and CBW/KOMO slop nulled. Mostly LA mx plus one US song. One possible mention of Jalisco, plus frequent mentions of Nasco Mexico. (BP)
- 1020 UFO here with US rr, mostly songs over 10 years old; 0400-0430, 10/20. I strongly suspect ZCO. (BP)
- ???
- 1025a ???? UnID SS here 0430 10/20; some slopover from powerhouse XEQR. (BP)
- 1035 4VEF Haiti, Cap Haitien here 0455 s/on 10/20 in SS at 0501. WRTH doesn't indicate a SS s/on at 0500-- a recent language ;change? Also heard 2040 10/19 w/weak signal. (CS)
- 1040 China, Shanghai probably the one at 0750 10/16 w/CC program. (CS)/ Heard and taped on 10/17 and 10/18 at 0830 CC talk and music. Good signal. (GMA)/Presumably the one in oriental language 0850-0905 w/music at 0905 10/16. Either there was no IS at 0900 or ;it was wiped out by electrical noise. (BP)
- 1050 ??? UnID SS here 10/16 w/potent ;signal at times but bad CRM from CFGP/ CJNB. Mentioned Baja Calif. and Tijuana, so probably XED, si? (BP)Si.
- 1178 VOA Ryukyu Islands, Okinawa noted very strong at 0850 10/13 w/EE ID at 0900. Noted also all through week of ;10/13-17, good signals at all times. It does not s/off at 0900, but ;just changes patterns or beams, dropping its carrier for a few moments. (CS)
- 1250 RSFSR, my most wanted Asian finally heard 10/16. Woman talking in oriental ;language 0740 onward. Strong at times but bad CSB and 1260 slop. Very strong around 0755 but faded completely around ;0759, then all of a sudden came ;that familiar R. Moscow IS on the hour w/powerful strength o/KDHI's SSB. Back again after the hour at various times. I don't know where ;KTRW was at the time and personally don't care. I

1250 contd just wish they'd go away more often. (BP)
 ??? UnID SS giving the Russian a fight until fadeout around 0750 10/16. (BP)
 1376 ??? UnID, probably the Russian here weak 0850 10/20. (CS)
 1475 RSFSR, Vladivostok or Khabarovsk here w/JJ program 0720 10/20. (CS)

Verifications will be held over until next week.

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Welcome to our new reporters, especially Tom Sundstrom, who is editor of "DXKcrner" in S9 magazine. Glenn Hauser, I'll get used to your European; method of indicating time one of these days, hi. (17/10 for October 17).

Chuck Sadoian indicates that DX conditions have been real good the past week and that WWV GEO predictions indicate that no big auroral storms have hit. He urges you on the West Coast to look for TAs now. A slight carrier has been noted by Chuck on 1214.

Mexico Mexican broadcasters faced with the possibility of the government controlling all stations in the country, have reached an accommodation that gives the broadcasters 20 year licenses and gives the government 12 1/2 percent of all air time. The government's "free" time is expected to center on teaching peasants to read and write, advising them on basic health facts, and encouraging good citizenship. (WRB) I wonder how the border stations took to this.

Further Comments on Merger

While I personally favor merger of IRCA and NRC, I am not going to try to push the idea down anyone's throat. I feel that it would be advantageous for many reasons for the majority of BCB DXers to belong to one organization; yet I know that many have valid reasons for opposing such a merger. I think, however, we should give the idea of a merger a fair discussion before rejecting it. From what I have seen, the main reason for opposition seems to be fear of losing the DX Monitor format and the IRCA identity. These are points which should certainly come up in negotiations with NRC, if the discussion ever reaches that point. Everyone I've talked to seems to agree that the new club, if one comes about, must have a democratic government. To me, it all boils down to this--which is better for BCB DXing--to have two clubs competing on a friendly basis, with much duplication of efforts, or one club incorporating the best of NRC and IRCA? Mull this over, and in the meanwhile, please vote on the Amendments.

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