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THIS ISSUE ..goes out Wednesday evening and at the PO by 4 AM Thurs. 1/13. If you get DXM by FCM or Air and do not receive it by Sat. W of Rockies or do receive it by Fri. E of Miss. River, please advise pub. by pc. Two half stencils are being held; one received late. Next DXWW might be very large if the unusually good TA cx were widespread and properly taken advantage of. PO has been doing a fairly good job lately. And an awful lot of guys didn't DX 1/3! But 1/10 made up for it. Only sketchy details but it seems WBAT-1400 Anderson, Ind., was hrd from the WC of Calif. to Edmonton, Alta, and all over the MW. See flash tips on page 15.

DX MEETING This is final notice of the DX meeting in Creswell, Oregon, hosted by Andy Kerr, 555 W. D Avenue, Creswell, Oregon 97426. Date is Sat. Jan. 15. All DXers from all bands and all clubs and non-club DXers are invited. For more info, give Andy a phone call.

THIRD CLASS POSTAGE HIKE The widely-touted 23% hike in 3rd class postage is a figure based chiefly on bulk-rate rates which have nothing to do with any radio club. The single-piece 3rd class rates increased as little as 0¢ until you reach 4 oz's which goes from 12¢ to 13¢ to 9¢ for 16 oz's which goes from 36¢ to 45¢. This means IRCA club supplies increase 9¢ per pkg. Same for NMPs. Effective date is something like Jan. 24, 72. So if you are ordering club supplies, whether IRCA or other, please get your orders in by that date where possible. Adjustment in prices is possible but not presently planned. The effect on the club of the 3rd class hike is something like 6¢ a year; no US radio club will be set back by more than 24¢. -DEE

FREQUENCY CHECK LIST ADDENDA NRC, NNRC, and IRCA, are co-operatively preparing a list of additions, corrections, and deletions to the 1972 f/c list published in the 12/25 DXM. Information (please be sure of its accuracy) should be sent directly to: Joe Fela, 150 Robert Place, South Plainsfield, NJ 07080.

DX CALENDAR

Mon. Jan. 17	0200-0400	WHEX	1580	Columbia, Penna.	500w	NRC/Dave Schmidt
Fri. 21	0115-????	WMBG	740	Williamsburg, Va.	500w	VDXA/Fred Heutte-r/c
Mon. 24	0200-0300	4VEC	830	Cap Haitien, Haiti	2500w	VDXA/Fred Heutte
Mon. 31	0300-0330	KTYN	1430	Minot, N.D.	5kw	NRC/Carl Dabelstein
Sat. Feb. 5	0100-0115	KSDR	1480	Watertown, S.D.	1kw	NRC/Carl Dabelstein
Mon. 7	0200-0230	KUPK	1050	Garden City, Kansas	5kw	NRC/DX NEWS
Mon. 14	0100-0400	WEEZ	1590	Chester, Penna.	1kw	NRC/Dave Schmidt
	0300-0500	KSRM	920	Soldotna, Alaska	5kw	NNRC/via John Tweedie

That's the complete list of DX Programs/TESTs we have. If you sent in anything that should have arrived on or before 1/12/72, please re-advise pub. Missing mail never turns up; it is usually sorted into file bins. For write-ups on these programs, flash tips/CPC results, and Broadcasting Information, turn to page 15. -DEE

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- 540 CBEF ON Windsor Poor 1/3 2300 w/nx & XEWA/WDAK/HICM QRM. (RSD)
CBK SK Regina 2018 - 2103 w/CBC concert of Indian mx 12/28, fair sig. (GWJ) 50 kw CBC
- WARO PA Canonsburg poor 12/23 1648 - 1658 s/off w/religious pgm. (RSD) 250w, DA - D C&W 42 hrs. wkly. - BYB
- 550 WRIC VA Richlands good 12/25 1650 w/ads, mx, EBS test. (RSD)
CFNB NB Fredericton very weak tent. w/ mx & AST TCs. Who else would it be? KFYR QRM 0218 12/28; WGR surprisingly off. (JJ) 50 kw, DA - 2 Own; R. Atlantic Ltd - BYB
- KFYR ND Bismarck fair w/rr and promos for 1971's top hit review 0219 12/28. Had before but never reportable till now. (JJ) 5 kw, DA - N NBC MSP
- 560 WSWA VA Harrisonburg 1/1 good 1455 w/mx. (RSD) NBC MOR
CKCN PQ Sept-iles in good o/WFIL 2311 12/26 in FF. Hrd. for 1st time on Xmas last year. (RCM) 10kw-D 5kw-N, DA-2
- WFRB MD Frostburg good 1/1 1500 w/nx & mx. (RSD) 1 kw - D
- WHBQ TN Memphis 1/1 1813 - 15 w/spots, wx & SID; no WFIL QRM @ this time. (WBF) 5kw-D, 1kw-N, DA-2 Drake rr/RKO
- WIND IL Chicago has recently been coming in @ a good level; previously inaudible - have they changed patterns? Reported 12/26 0237 w/DJ talk & phone calls; weak but sometimes has come in at vy. good level (they always come in better after you report 'em, right?). Bill-board mag. describes format as popular mx presented in the style of early rock bestg. (JJ) IN very weak 0320 12/25 w/ID. Only thing here for 20 min. then WFIL cominating channel. (RCM) 5kw, DA-2 pop/talk
- WQAM FL Miami 2025 - 2041 12/30 w/rr mx, IDs, "50 years at 56, the rock of S. Florida, WQAM - Miami. Sig. exc. (GWJ) 12/35 1831 w/nx & rock. (RSD) 5kw - D, 1kw - N
- 570 WKBN OH Youngstown fair 1/3 2325 w/cw. (RSD) 5kw, DA-N CBS cw
- 580 WCHS WV Charleston poor u/WMCA w/cw mx, IDs, CBS nx, ad 2356 - 0010 12/28 - 29. WCHS had been signing off at 2355 but now continues past 0010 ELT. (SSH)
- 590 WHP PA Harrisburg good 1/1 1513 w/Cotton Bowl Game. (RSD)
WEEI MA Boston o/WARN w/question & answer show 2142 1/1 - strong sig. (JMP) 5 kw, DA - 1 CBS
- 600 WOW NE Omaha xlnt 0720 1/4 w/quiet rock. (RSD) 5 kw ABC
WMT IA Cedar Rapids poor w/local spot, into sports 1715 12/29 u/WTAC. Hrd w/pockey portable rx. (TRP) Fair 0712 1/4 w/farm prices & nx. (RSD) 5 kw, DA - N CBS

What is this, low frequency rediscovery week or somethin'? - DF
Winter's low QRM levels usually improve cx most down at the low end.

610 WHPL VA Winchester poor 12/31 1936 w/cw. (RSD) 500w, DA-2 NBC
 620 CKCK SK Regina good 12/27 0238. Must be easiest SK w/little
 WSUN. (BB - NY) Fair o/WSUN w/MOR, cw & Ann Landers
 0341 1/3. (TRP - MI) 5 kw, DA - N
 WATE TN Knoxville in the null of WTMJ w/upbeat MOR 2114 12/29.
 Weak & still lots of WTMJ on port. (TRP - MI) 5kw DA-2
 WHJB PA Greensburg fair 12/25 1400 w/nx. (RSD - VA) MBS
 WSUN FL St. Petersburg by 0404 o/CKCK w/nx, MOR 1/3. (TRP-MI)
 630 CKRC NB Winnipeg hrd w/rr 1828 12/29. Poor w/CFCO. (TRP - MI)
 WMAL DC Washington in strong w/nx o/WPRO 0130 12/30. (RCM-PQ)
 640 KFI CA Los Angeles fair strength 0700 1/4 but too much WMAL
 splash so only tentative. Cuba faded 0655 so who else
 tho? (RSD 0 VA) WHLO maybe - DF *(BB - NY)
 680 WPTF NC Raleigh u/CFTR 12/31 0031. This is tough w/o ut loop.*
 690 WADS CT Ansonia 1104 12/28 u/WXUR w/MBS nx - weak. (JMP - PA)
 WAPE FL Jacksonville w/ET 12/31 0005. (BB - NY)
 730**WNAK**PA Nanticoke fair on IRCA DX TEST w/Xmas & MOR mx, IDs, TT
 0031 - 0201 12/27. Hrd r/c 0031 - 0045. Seemed to be
 reaching NY, NJ & PA. Had slight WOR/CKAC QRM & UnID
 Canadian s/off 0555 EST. (SSH - NY) On DX TEST good
 12/27 0153 w/CKDM & CKAC QRM. (BB - NY)
 740 KCBS CA San Francisco fair w/CBS nx 12/27 0200. (BB - NY)
 KRMG OK Tulsa in good 1/4 1814 - 1825 w/nx, commercials & IDs
 w/CBL nulled. (GWJ - MD) Poor 12/25 1848 u/CBL. (RSD)
 KTRH TX Houston ID hrd 1900 12/25 u/CBL/KRMG. (RSD - VA)
 780 WBBO NC Forest City 1701 - 14 12/28 in good w/rr & comm. (GWJ)
 800 WTMR NJ Camden fair 1/1 1635 w/mx & sports. (RSD - VA)
 810 KCMO MO Kansas City 1/4 in good w/ fad. conds. 1759 - 1813 w/nx
 followed by "Harold Easley Show" sports, Dick Guthrie
 show w/mx. (GWJ - Baltimore) CBS MOR?C&W
 WSJC MS Magee 1/2 1800 - 1815 w/rel. pgm. & ann. of facility
 change. Signal poor to fair. (GWJ - MD)
 820 WOSU OH Columbus fair 1/1 1820 - 1828 nx & s/off, no SSB, WBAP
 QRM. (RSD - Arlington, VA) 5 kw, LSS WBAP
 850 KOA CO Denver poor w/WHDH/CKVL QRM 12/27 0100. (BB - NY)
 WKIX NC Raleigh fair 12/28 0220. SIDs w/rr on "The Big 85
 w/WJW & CKVL on. (RVM - OH) 10 kw-D 5 kw-N, DA-N
 WRUF FL Gainesville good w/phone talk show 2330 12/28, UnID SS
 QRM. (GDD - Key West, FL) 5 kw, DA - N NBC
 900 CKTS PQ Sherbrooke 1851 - 1910 12/28 w/cw mx followed by rel.
 pgm. sig. good w/no CHML in EE. (GWJ - MD)
 KFAL MO Fulton 12/30 1740 - 42 w/wx & s/off promo for FM, KKCA
 97.7 & SSB. (WBF - Laurel, MD) 1 kw - D
 910 WLAS NC Jacksonville fair 1/1 1715 w/s/off, no SSB. (RSD-VA)
 WRNL VA Richmond good 1/1 1655 w/mx & nx. (RSD - VA)
 WSBA PA York in very good w/WSBA Editorial 0134 12/30. (RCM-PQ)
 Good w/CHML splash 12/27 0150. (BB - NY) 5 kw - D, 1 kw - N, DA-2
 920 KARK AR Little Rock very good w/rr, SIDs 2345 12/28, UnID MOR
 underneath. (GDD - FL) 5 kw, DA - N NBC
 WMMN WV Fairmount fair 12/24 2150 w/Xmas mx. (RSD - VA)
 930 CJON NF St. John's in fair w/half garbled sig. at times. Way
 o/WBEN & UnID TT 0150 - 0210 12/30. ID as "Radio One,
 NFLD C-J-O-N" not good enuff for a rpt. (RCM - PQ)
 WJAX FL Jacksonville 1st time hrd w/MOR & PSAs, completely dom-
 inating freq. - no sign of WPAT 0028-0100 12/20. (BWB)
 940 KIOA IA Des Moines good on open freq. 12/27 0145. (BB - NY)
 WCPC MS Houston 1/1 w/rel. pgm. w/Rev. John Hudson 1800 - 1814
 followed by s/off w/suggestion to turn to 93.3 FM no
 SSB or any anthem. Sig. very gud. (GWJ - Baltimore)

1150 CHSJ NE St. John in good o/everything 2305 12/29 w/nx. (RCM)
 WDEL DE Wilmington quite a shock w/0400 s/on12/31, into nx.
 Stronger than when hrd in Chicago on 1971 TEST. (GDD)

1170 WBRW NJ Somerville is now on the air w/continuous mx, few IDs
 as "preferred Radio" nx @ 15 after the hour - hrd w/
 WHLW QRM 1035 12/29 xInt. (JMP - PA) 1 kw - D
 WCOV AL Montgomery strong w/Rose Bowl o/WWVA 1800 1/1 - real
 surprise. (JMP - PA) 10 kw - D, 1 kw - N, DA-2 NBC

1220 CKCW NB Moncton in fair w/ID 0150 12/25 u/WGAR/CKSM. (RCM-PQ)
 CKSM PQ Shawinigan in good w/Xmas best wishes from staff &
 management in FF 0220 12/25. WGAR QRM. (RCM - PQ)

1230 CHVD PQ Dulbeau in strong in FF w/ID 0310 1/3. (RCM - PQ)
 WCRO PA Johnstown 1821 12/28 w/ID in mess. Fair sig. later
 on. (JMP - Yardley, PA) ABC *(JMP)

WKBO PA Harrisburg finally o/WEEX/WCRO 1745 12/28 - good sig.*

1240 WEDC IL Chicago in fair w/ID, "R. International" 0230 1/3. No
 QRM. WSNY off? (RCM - Valleyfield, PQ)
 WSNJ NJ Bridgeton o/WGBB w/strong ID WGBB nulled 1200 12/29.
 (JMP - Yardley, PA) MBS MOR

1250 WEMP WI Milwaukee in strong o/everything 1934 12/29 w/ID & mx.
 Real surprise here. (RCM - PQ) 5 kw, DA - 2 MOR
 WTAE PA Pittsburg fair 12/22 2100 w/mx. (RSD - VA)

1270 WTNT FL Tallahassee poor 12/22 2105 w/Atlanta Hawks BKB. (RSD)

1290 WFBG PA Altoona 0250 1/3 w/a local nx bcstg. Poor w/WIRL.
 (TRP - MI) 2138 - 2155 12/30 w/rr, sig. fair. (GWJ)
 WHIO OH Dayton in gud - poor w/mx, local & CBS business nx 1/4
 2006 - 2016, much QRM. (GWJ - MD) 5 kw, DA - N CBS

1300 WFBR MD Baltimore SP is SM, not MM as previously noted. SP is
 usually 0100 - 0500. Format is Top 40 rr. (BWB - MD)
 WKCY VA Harrisonburg poor u/WFBR 12/24 1510 w/cw. (RSD - VA)

1310 KNOX ND Grand Forks in weak w/r/c per '72 list, 0129 1/3 w/ID
 & TT ending 0130. New State!! (RCM - PQ) Blasting
 in here 0020 w/ 1,000 cps TT - DF
 WIFE IN Indianapolis in weak w/ID 0130 1/3 u/weak CKOY & a-
 bout 10 sec. after KNOX TT ended. (RCM - PQ)

1320 WVOJ FL Jacksonville barely o/jumble 0451 1/3 w/long ID. (TRP)

1330 KFH KN Wichita surprisingly w/ID & into nx 1950 12/31. Severe
 WKNR slop and alsu jumble on 1330. (TRP - MA)
 WPOW NY New York 1728 - 1803 12/29 w/Greek pgm. till 1800 w/
 Polish pgm. sig. poor w/much QRM. (GWJ - MD) *(RSD)

1340 WOVE WV Welch vy. poor 12/27 2200 w/ID, CBS nx, WOOK nulled.*

1350 KRNT IA Des Moines in w/clear ID "This is KRNT, Des Moines, IA"
 0121 1/3. No pgmng noted except WSLR & weak TT in
 background. f/c? ET? (RCM - PQ) 5 kw, DA - N CBS
 WKLX VA Portsmouth dominant w/rr SIDs o/WSMB 2215 12/29. WSMB
 nulled. (GDD - FL) 5 kw, DA - 2 ABC

1360 WPPA PA Pottsville 1135 12/29 tent - nulled E - W wk sig. (JMP)

1370 WDEA ME Ellsworth in very good w/s/off 0100 1/3. (RCM - PQ)

1370 WSPD OH Toledo fair 2306 12/26 w/local nx. (RSD - VA) In
 very good after WDEA s/off 0120 1/3. (RCM - PQ)

1380 KUDL KN Fairway 1/3 0300 w/s/off w/SSB. (WBF - MD)

1390 WEOK NY Poughkeepsie in w/beginning (apparently) of ET 1/3
 0127. TTs, MOR noted here past 0135 but then only
 apparent OC. (DF - MI) 5 kw, DA - D MOR
 WFBL NY Syracuse 2203 - 2219 12/30 w/rr & wx. Gis. good. (GWJ-
 MD) Fair 12/27 0006 u/WEAM OC. (RSD - VA)

WLAN PA Lancaster poor u/WFBL and probably WNUS w/light rr, con
 test promo 0020 12/29. (SSH 0 NY) ABC

WNUS IL Chicago fair 1/3 0026 w/phone in pgm. (RSD - VA)

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1400 WFEC PA Harrisburg w/f/c - TT 0203 12/27, steady u/WYSL, rptd.
 (JJ - Jim Jankowski - Corfu, NY) *(JMP - PA)

WINC VA Winchester u/slop w/ID Ac nx 2300 12/29 - Lucky #500.*

WLLH MA Lowell in fair 0116 12/28 w/SID & mx. (RCM - PQ)

1410 WLAQ GA Rome poor 1/2 2022 u/KQV w/cw. (RSD - VA) 1 kw, DA-N

1420 WCED PA DuBois fair 12/23 1840 w/a visit from Santa. (RSD)

1430 WIRE IN Indianapolis mixing w/KELI on cw show 0320 12/27, po-
 tent sigs. (GDD - FL) 5 kw, DA - N Format; C&W

WTTT MA Amherst in fair 1600 - 1615 w/nx, wx, & s/off, no
 SSB but special Xmas mx. (RCM - PQ) 5 kw - D, DA

WVAM PA Altoona w/all night show 12/28 0109, good signal. Spots
 for H&A Appliances & rr. (JJ - Corfu, NY)

1440 CKPM ON Ottawa tent. w/FF nx, strong sig 0133 1/1. (JMP - PA)
 CKPM is EE rr stn - DF

WHHH OH Warren good 1/2 2050 w/good mx & church remote. (RSD)

WAAB MA Worcester alone 12/27 0314. (BB - NY) *(RCM)

1450 WCTC NJ New Brunswick in fair w/ID 0206, s/off 0209 12/20.*

WKIP NY Poughkeepsie in fair o/mess w/SID & wx 0213 12/30. (RCM)

WNAB CT Bridgeport fair o/mess w/ID 0200 12/28. (RCM - PQ)

WOL DC Washington rr/soul, apparently automated 12/26 0252.
 ID 0300, "From Arlington, WOL, 1450. (JJ - NY)

WSNO VT Barre in fair w/ID & s/off 0000 12/29. (RCM - PQ)

WWSC NY Glen Falls in good the rest of night 0230 on, 12/28.
 (RCM - Richard Mayhew - Valleyfield, PA)

1460 WBNS OH Columbus fair w/MOR 12/27 0345, all alone. (GDD-FL)

1470 WBIG NC Greensboro had lite mx, ID 0230 1/3. Fair dominating
 freq. (TRP - Tom Palmer - Detroit, MI)

1480 KCKW LA Jena (TENT) TT here 0100 - 0115 12/26 but no ID read-
 able KCKW is sked tho. (RSD - Arlington, VA)

WHBC OH Canton poor 12/24 1400 w/nx & Xmas mx & I have the QSL
 card to prove it hi. (RSD - va)

WSAR MA Fall River good 12/31 0114; why are MA stns. booming
 in. (BB - NY) 5 kw, DA-2 rr

1490 CHYM ON Kitchener fair/weak w/ID & forecast 0430 1/3. (RVM)

WABJ MI Adrian again noted w/nx, promos & PSAs 0305 12/20, w/
 xlnt sig. comp. dom. freq. This was just about the
 only stn in from the north that morning. (BWB - MD)

WDBQ IA Dubuque noted here way atop channel w/s/off, SSB 1/3
 0105 after nx. (DF - MI)

WFKY KY Frankfort poor 1/3 0044 - 0108 w/soul, nx & s/off w/
 SSB, QRM from WTXL/WDXB. (RSD) - VA)

WMBM FL Miami Beach good 12/27 0350 w/soul format in mess. Not
 a daytimer due to WKIZ. (GDD - FL) *(RCM - PQ)

1500 WDEE MI Detroit fair u/WTOP w/ID 0040 12/26 finally hrd.*

WDEN GA Macon w/a booming signal o/KSTP 0307 1/3. Had an ET
 w/rr, cw, many IDs & SIDs, tts. Why do CEs have such
 an attachment for "Danny Boy"? (TRP - MI) 1kw-D ABC C&W

1510 WLKR OH Norwalk noted fair on s/off w/many details, mentioned
 FM affiliate 1710 12/16 o/WLAC. (BWB - Baltimore)

WMEX MA Boston not really an unusual station. What was unusual
 was that I was in Buffalo at the time, only a couple
 miles from WKBW - 1520. There was no trace of KB on
 the frequency and for a minute I thought WMEX was KB.
 12/22 abt. 2030. (JJ - NY) Poor w/much QRM 12/28
 0030. (BB - Williamsville, NY)

1520 WXPQ GA Eatonton xlnt on s/off w/loads of details 1730 12/17;
 no sign of WKBW. (BWB - MD) 1 kw - D ABC

It has been brought to my attention that WAXY-1460 Rochester (WHEC)
 will go rr 1/8 w/"Waxy" slogan & that CJRN is still on 1600 - DF

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- 1530 KFBK CA Sacramento very poor 12/27 0123 until WCKY test 0133½ w/mx & part of an ad hrd. Verified. (RSD - VA)
- WTHM MI Lapeer in strong w/s/on, nx wx 0800 - 0810 12/16, no WCKY till 0825. (RCM - PQ) 5 kw - D, DA MOR
- 1550 KOKA LA Shreveport remarkably good w/SIDs & soul mx a little below CBE 1/4 1819. (RVM - OH) 10kw - D, 500w-N DA-N
- WCVL IN Crawfordsville fair w/ID 1810 1/4 & local nx. (RVM)
- WMOO AL Mobile w/religious pgm. 1730 - 1800 12/17 atop freq. (BWB - Baltimore) 50 kw - D, DA MBS Format; Negro
- WOKJ MS Jackson good w/state nx 1803 ID 1805 then faded out. Returned 1815 w/forecast mixed w/CBE & lots of others 1/4. State #38. (RVM-OH) 50kw-D, 10kw-N, DA-2 Neg (NN)
- WSER MD Elkton wk. w/mention of MD & DE - nulls N-S - most probable one 1230 12/29. (JMP - PA) 1kw-D, DA ABC
- WXVA WV Charles Town fair w/CBE ID 0620, "This is WXVA, 1550 kcs in Charles Town, WV," w/MOR 1/3. (RVM - OH)
- WYNX GA Smyrna fair 12/25 1724 w/mx & s/off @ 1729, no SSB. (RSD - VA) Noted 12/17 1725 - 30 w/cw, many promos o/ KOKA QRM. Also noted on ET - PoP test 12/19 0120 - 0135 s/off. (BWB - MD) 10 kw - D C&W
- UnID ?? Fair to weak w/rr temp. given as -3°. I am sure it wasn't CBE/WOKJ/KOKA/WCVL, woman DJ 1/4 0613. Any ideas? (RVM - OH) KEDD/KNIC/KQXI/KQWB take your pick.
- 1570 CFOR ON Orillia fair o&u CKLM/XERF w/light rr & MOR, SIDs 0005 12/31. CFOR has had a report of mine for over six months & still no QSL. (SSH - NY)
- WNCA NC Siler City noted 1700 - 1705 12/22 w/nx, sx, wx & ads atop freq. (BWB - MD) 1kw-D Not; Tobacco Contemporary
- WTOW MD Towson poor @ s/off 12/29 1646. (BB - NY) 5 kw - D
- WCRV NJ Washington faint 1/3 1520. Why at this time? Doesn't make sense. (BB-NY) You'll find that SSS cx sometimes begins @ 1500 or even earlier this time of year - DF
- WSRF FL Ft. Lauderdale fair 1/2 2205 w/underground rr & "Surf Radio" IDs. (RSD - VA) 10 kw - D, 5 kw - N DA - 2
- 1590 WCBG PA Chambersburg very strong but fady o/WAKR on r/c - TT, s/off ID, 0005 - 0015 12/27. Cx to PA were good 12/27. WCBG only gives a s/on & s/off ann. on r/c. Checking my log I rcvd WCBG 12/28 70 on r/c w/same strength same amt. of QRM from WAKR, same amount of fading etc. as on 12/27/71. Wierd. (SSH - NY) NBC Top 50/CW
- WGOE VA Richmond fair 0046 tune in - 0058 12/27 w/TTs, QRM from WAKR. (RSD - VA) 5 kw - D
- 1600 WWRL NY New York believed hrd w/rr show 0530 12/27, before WKWF OC ruined everything. (GDD - FL) Very poor 12/24 2255 u/WINK w/ads & PSAs. (RSD - VA)
- 1610 WIBH PA Philadelphia (app) a bootleg here 12/30 0040 - 0013 s/off w/rr album cuts. Location gives as Phila, no add. fair sig. w/occ. QRM f/WWRL splash. (JJ - NY)
- WPOW ?? Hrd here 0015-s/off w/rr oldies, no add as w/WIBH. Wk. sig. w/much atmospheric noise. Does anyone know the address of this or WIBH?? (JJ - Corfu, NY)

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Not much DX done this week, largely due to the lack of an rx. New one should arrive about the end of January so not too much is expected either. Would you believe the EC has a member who does not know how to use 24 hour time. Reports, otherwise, have been good. Went and bought a new quire of stencils 1/7 & when I got home there were two more waiting for me from DEE. If only I'd known hi. Final exams coming will curtail activity for Brh & I. 73s, good DX & report!!!!!!!!!!!!

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Deadlines: Fridays until February and maybe even past then.

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Hi Gang! Happy New Year! The WNAK DX Test came thru fairly well 12/27 as I expected they would. However, some unexpected things happened too. One of the phone lines was unusable, the CE at WGSM-740, in Huntington, L.I. happened to run across WNAK while setting his alarm clock to WGSM & called WNAK, Tom Sundstrom called, the NRC got more of a plug than the IRCA did, even tho this was an IRCA Test, & the local folks went wild w/joy as they thought that their favorite stn had gone NSP! But, thru-out all this, the CE @ WNAK managed to have a good time, and the Test was a success. It would have been even more of a success had cx been better, but, according to the CE, WNAK seemed to be getting into NY, NJ, & PA only. WNAK has been heard at the Mexican border on their tests! The WKY DX didn't make it--freq. was all WPAT. BEWARE: Many frequency checks from PA stns only have s/on & s/off IDs, so keep this in mind when DXing! V/q from WSPD in 2 weeks. 73s!!

Richard Mayhew - 266 Dufferin Rd. - Valleyfield, PQ, Canada

Hi, fellow DXers! DX has been very good here--my best catches being CJON St. Johns, KNOX Grand Forks, ND, & KRNT Des Moines, IA. CJON was my 5th NFLD & KNOX was a new state. More DX in DXR. This Dec. has been the first time that I have really DXed since Aug. Just too much other work. MMs have been shot since I had a class at 0900 Monday. This semester I plan to leave it open if I can. New equipment in my shack-- a typewriter and a set of earphones. My skills at typing are not too great yet but some day soon...Watch out Brh & DF-hi! The earphones are really great in helping to hear background stations. I'm planning to get a new rx but my old one is working so well, I'm beginning to doubt whether I will need it. I also plan to DX other bands. I've DXed TV, picking up FL & AL & FM not getting too much there. I also plan to join a few more clubs soon. This year has started w/a bang - I picked up 5 new stns on 1/3/72. Maybe 350 heard by the end of Jan., presently at 327. Well this is 16 lines so I've got to go. 73s.

Budd Bailey - 8800 Wenner Road - Williamsville, NY 14221

DX during vacation has proved good. Many new stations, see DXR. New veries include v/1-WWOL, WISS, CKFH, WIS. Many new foreigners noted, but haven't IDed them. These include XEWA, WERPM, & something on 810. (HJCY Colombia or XEPW possibilities-Brh) New totals: 245/89, 31/24, 5/4. Just sent in order for SM-1. Good new for Brh & DF: got 2 new DXers to join. Both should report often. (Good, every new EC member helps toward winning the contest.-Brh) WNAK in well on test. CKOM & CKAC trouble. WKY was smothered by WBEN OC which started @ 0255, hi. Rest unheard. Do we still send DXR reports to Brh? 73s. (It would be better to send DXR rpts to DF, there might be a printing delay if they are sent to me-Brh)

Randy Minnehan - 975 Chestershire Rd. - Columbus, OH 43204

Hi everyone! DXing has really been good lately. Top song of 71 here is Joy to the World. Anybody interested in trading SCs w/the top hits of 71 listed on the back? If so, please write. I have plenty WCOL SCs. How would a SM-1 work on a TRF? No TAs in, but I am still looking. New totals: 214/49, 37/25, 5/3. Latest taped veries: WKIX; WTOP, WBT, WQXR & KSL. Cassette tapesponders please write. Good DX to all!

Gary D. DeBock - Bks. 439, FSS - Key West, FL 33040

Greetings. V/1 WCAI, WAYK, WRNL, WIII. V/f WCOA(mentioned that night pattern is toward Cuba, hence the strong sigs here), WAJR for Test+2 CMs showing both patterns. The reception of WDEL last MM was a surprise here, even tho night signals in Key West seem to favor that general area. WRC & WINA usually dominate in early morning. Totals 172/9 for DX since 12/6. Miami should have no trouble w/Dallas in Super Bowl.

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 580 WCHS WV Charleston, fair 0143 1/2 w/jingle & RR Mx (DP)
 590 WOW NE Omaha, with news 2000 12/14 (REK)
 WROWNY Albany, ET TT 0404-0415+ 1/3, strong here (rce)
 600 KROD TX El Paso, MoR Mx, 0756-0800 1/1 fair under partially
 nulled WMT (rce)
 710 KIRO WA Seattle, with ID 0308 12/7 (REK)
 730 CKAC PQ Montreal, in FF 0242 1/3 good slight WGN slop w/Mx(RSK)
 740 KCBS CA San Francisco, fair w/Nx & KCBS Mx time 0320 12/7(REK)
 770 WCAL MN Northfield, fair w/s/off 0445 12/12 (REK)
 790 KULF TX Houston, mixing with KFGO 0248 12/13 (REK)
 810 CHQR ALT Calgary, fair over KCMO 0810 12/2 (REK)
 860 CFPR BC Prince Rupert (or CHAK?) w/Voice of the Northwest ID
 and Christmas carols 0230 12/15 (REK)
 900 CKDR ONT Dryden, over FF 1857 12/27 (REK)
 ??? ? ? FF station here too. I'm positive it's CKVD, too
 strong for a LPRT, ICI Radio Canada ID 1900 12/27
 (REK) (I spotted CHML on MM 1/3 playing FF songs,
 first time I've noticed that--rce)
 940 KVSH NE Valentine, 1/2 1818 fair mixing w/CBM w/Wx (RSK)(RFK)*
 960 KGKL TX San Angelo, noted on at 0340 12/30 w/RR, good signal**
 970 WAKX WI Superior, fair with weather 0722 1/1 (rce)
 980 CHEX ONT Peterborough, fair 0219 12/30 (REK)
 1000 KOMO WA Seattle, fair with s/off 0300 12/6 (REK)
 1060 KLMO CO Lingmont, 12/29 1810 fair o/u KYW with spot (RSK)
 1080 CKSA ALT Lloydminster, fair with spot, 0845 12/9 (REK)
 WKLO KY Louisville, 12/31 0227 poor with SID (RSK)
 1090 KVDB IA Sioux Center, with s/off Nx 1645 12/29 (REK)
 KING WA Seattle, fair with RR 0017 12/6 (REK)
 1130 KLEI HA Kaliua, fair w/WDGY TT ID's every half hour, when
 WDGY cut power off, it was gone. Reported 0330 12/6*
 1190 KEX OR Portland, fair with Mx and ID 0213 12/7 (REK) (REK)*
 1220 WLPO IL LaSalle, poor 1727 12/31 with spot (DP)
 1230 CJNL BC Merritt, fair o/everything w/s/on, new station,
 0800 12/2 (REK)
 CFGR SAS Gravelbourg, w/FF 0835 12/7 (REK)
 KDZA CO Pueblo, fair over mess and KHDN 0110 12/15 (REK)
 KBMY MT Billings, fair w/temperature 0150 12/10 (REK)
 KHDN MT Hardin, fair over mess 0117 12/17 (REK)
 KXLO MT Lewiston, fair w/wx 0845 12/7 (REK)
 KREW WA Sunnyside, poor w/CBS news 0900 (REK)
 1240 KMOR UT Murray, dominated channel with weather 0310 12/10 (REK)
 KTHE WY Thermopolis, fair 1718 12/16 (REK)
 1250 CHSM MAN Steinbach, noted off for some unknown reason 2053
 12/4 (REK)
 WEMP WI Milwaukee; w/U of Wis. BKB 2053 12/4 (REK)
 1260 KROX MN Crookston, 1900-1915 12/29 w/Nx and Crookston area
 ads. Weak to good sig w/little QRM (RFK)
 KWYR SD Winner, 12/29 1753 fair u/WIBV with news (RSK)
 WEKZ WI Monroe, 12/30 1654 poor with spot (RSK)
 1290 WHIO OH Dayton, fair w/ID u/pest KOIL 2012 12/2 (REK)
 1310 KFKA CO Greeley, fair w/shoe service (that is what it looks
 like--rce) 0200 12/10 (REK)
 1330 WRRR IL Rockford, 12/29 1725 fair w/news (RSK) good 1730
 12/31 ending "Triple R News", then into s/off annt.
 Reported (DP)
 1340 KICK MO Springfield, with news 0230 12/13 (REK)
 KIJV SD Huron, with ID 0229 taped 12/13 (REK)
 1360 KRUX AZ Glendale, w/ID 0240 12/10 reported (REK)

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DEADLINES: Thursdays.

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1360**WLAW**GA Lawrenceville, 12/31 0010 w/ET TT & OC fair (RSK)
 KMO WA Tacoma, fair w/C&W 0212 12/2 (REK)

1370 WCCN WI Neilsville; good 1730 12/28 with s/off (DP)

1380 WMEE IN Fort Wayne; fair, now a pest 1932 12/2 (REK)

1390 KCBC IA Des Moines, fair over WNUS 0210 12/13 (REK)

1400 KRPL ID Moscow, fair 0810 12/15 (REK)
 WMIN MN Minneapolis, poor with ID 1922 12/3 (REK)

1420 WHK OH Cleveland, had KTOE on the run 0248 12/10 (REK)

1440**WROK**IL Rockford, hrd on ET w/MoR 0505-0525 12/27. Seemed to
 use both day and night power. QRM from KEWI OC.
 Many IDs (RFK)

KPUR TX Amarillo, fair with ID 0325 12/10 (REK)
 ???? ?? UNID, w/program of old pop music called "Hitsound"
 0308-0520 12/27 weak to fair sigs, no IDs, TCs or
 ads hrd. Stn also hrd 11/29, both MM. Who? (RFK)

1460 KRNY NE Kearney, 1/2 1829 in like a ton of bricks w/s/off (RSK)

1470 WMBD IL Peoria, fair w/CFRW nulled 1922 12/14 (REK)

1490 KBKR OR Baker, Wx, then s/off 0200 12/13 (RFK)

1510 WINU IL Highland, 12/30 1742 bombing in way over WLAC
 with weather (RSK)

1520 KMPL MO Sikeston, good 1706 12/31 with spot (DP)
 WTTO OH Toledo, 1/3 0312 poor w/R&R Mx (RSK)

1530 KDSN IA Denison, w.Morning report 0830 IDs 12/27 (RFK)
 KSMM MN Shakopee, poor 1705 12/29 with news (DP) 12/29 1706
 good with news over WCKY (RSK)

1540 CHIN ONT Toronto, 1/1 1657 w/s/off poor (RSK)

1550 KKHI CA San Francisco, 1/3 0258 fair w/s/off, mentioned just
 about everybody connected with station, but failed to
 to give their power or frequency (RSK)

KQWB ND Fargo, fair 1716 12/29 w/RR Mx(DP)

1570 WONA MS Winona, 1/1 fair w/Wx 1813 (RSK)
 KVRA SD Vermillion, 12/30 1759½ xlnt w/Wx, stn 700 hrd (RSK)

1580 CBJ PQ Chicoutimi, fair with FF program 0210 12/10 (REK)
 KDAY CA Santa Monica, fair over WSRF 0411 12/10 (REK)
 KPIK CO Colorado Springs, fair with C&W 1925 12/11 (REK)
 WSRF FL Fort Lauderdale, poor w/ID & RR, 0410 12/10 (REK)

1590 WAIK IL Galesburg, 1/3 1759 with s/off fair (RSK)
 KTCH NE Wayne, fair with farm spots 12/8 0910 (REK)
 WSWJ WI Platteville, 1/2 1758 w/promo fair (RSK)

1600 WEUP AL Huntsville, 1/1 1746 Gospel format, with ID, on
 top for five minutes (RSK)
 WKDL MS Clarksdale, 1/2 1814 good with s/off (RSK)

1610A WPOW OH Cincinnati, 1900-2000 1/2 w/rock, giving request line
 phone number, enabling Rog and I to locate it. Power
 is ten watts (rce)

REGULAR CHECKS PER THE LIST:

4th MON: KTNM-1400 NM, used Mx instead of TT (RFK)

A TIP OF THE HAT THIS WEEK TO:

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No veries in this week. Perhaps I should send out some reports, hi.

BILL NITTLER - 4590 So. Julian Street - Englewood, Colorado 80110

V/1's in from WENK - 1240 & KDHN-1470 for 2487 total. Only report out for the season yet is KVWM-970 which was my fourth report to them so verie returns have been great this season, but then, I haven't sent many reports either. Fred Prechtl: Your 900 mystery EE accent is probably Radio Barbados. Finally heard a DX special this season with 4VEC-830 hrd weakly behind WCCO. WKY-930 was RS and no mention of NNRC heard here. No Christmas DX as I spent the weekend in North Platte, Nebr. Glad to see that Rick Evans will continue to handle the Midwest section...sorry I haven't had anything to report lately, Rick. This week's accolades go to the gang that put the annual f/c list together! It's a great aid, particularly for newer DXers. Even with my lofty total, I was able to get 5 or 6 new ones last season from it. Dozens of checks were heard here, however, per the list, so it's quite accurate in many cases. Check the MWDXR for lists of r/c's heard at bottom of column for the best tips on which ones can be heard. Since DX has been weak here for me, will close out 1971 and wish everyone the best of DX in 1972! 73.

TOM GARCIA - Box 15186 - Tucson, Arizona 85708

For 1972 I resolve to complete my writeup on the Hammarlund HQ-200. Had a "rejection" slip on my last effort for the club (100 MHz frequency standards) and that slowed me down. I'll send a copy to anyone who wants one. Haven't done much DXing lately though I am a "casual" listener at best, not keeping logs or sending for veries. I spend most of my time putting up and taking down antennas, good healthy outdoor exercise anyhow. Reading about the activities of other club members is enjoyed very much, as usual. Is there such a thing as a utility listeners club? Would like an address and/or a bulletin sample. 73.

JOHN TULL - 5539 Oak - Kansas City, Missouri 64113

I have been DXing one year now and I want to thank all of you that reported your DX, also the various editors who really make DXM. You have all helped my DXing. My new year's resolution is to do more rporting in 72. The wife is home from the hospital, just in time for Christmas; but she will be on crutches for at least another 2 weeks. I have 5 days off over new years and hope to do some late AM DXing. Very few reports sent out in Dec. due to being Chief Cook and Bottle Washer for the household. New veries: YSS-655 v/1 & nice card w/sm. pennant; PJC2-855 card...can't make out verie signers name. They mailed the card with the U.S. stamps I sent them and the Curaco postmark is off to one side of the stamps. CKLW-800 Windsor w/card. WSLR-1350-OH-card. WLDS-1180-ILL-card. KOOL-960-AZ-card. KXOW-1420-ARK for test 12/12/71 v/1. Last but not least XERF-1570 Mexico. May 72 bring much DX your way.

DR. RICHARD E. WOOD - L.S.U. - Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70803

Just back from an exciting DX pedition to Mexico City and Guatemala City; using well-known Canadian DXer Gregg Calkin's Drake SW-4A receiver and a simple wire antenna thrown down the front of the Camino Hotel in the Guatemalan capital, the following US stations were heard: KTRH-740 WBEM-780 KULF-790 WBAP-820 WCCO-830 KCTA-1030 WHO-1040 KENR-1070 KRLD-1080 WKYC-1100 WBT-1110 KMOX-1120 KWKH-1130 KSL-1160 KVOO-1170 WHAM-1180 VOA-Marathon very loud on 1180 KLIF-1190 WOAI-1200 WCAU-1210 WGCM-1240 in Gulfport, Miss. WDAE-1250 KRGV-1290 WSMB-1350 KAOK-1400 Lake Charles, La. KLCL-1470 same city, remarkable nightly signals, and WLAC-1510. Guatemala is an ideal DX location, at least from the countryside & away from the 31 capital locals; but even they seldom run AN & some are quite weak. On Christmas day, quite a few, including TGW-640 did not run at all. Visited TGW-640 & was given a QSL card which was printed in 1967; they still have a stock of them, which is not surprising, as to the best of my knowledge such TGW QSL cards (in blue & white) have not been sent to any DXers. Many other stations visited, including R. Nuevo Mundo-880 & sister stn R. Sensacion-1240 (picked up hitherto unreceived QSL letter), R. Mundial-700, TGN-730 the famous missionary stn. In Mexico City visited XEQK-1350, the R. Mil network-1000 and sister stns, XEVOZ-1590 & affiliates, & many others. All very friendly, many interviews on air.

The easiest way to crush your laurels is to lean on them.

When we blow our own horn it uses up the wind we need for climbing.

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- 550 KBOW MT Buttewk but alone on ID 0600 1/2. (BH)
- 570 KLUB UT Salt Lake City in fair u/KVI 0632 12/31. (KH)
- 590 KFXM CA San Bernardino thot I had same nxcast that began w/Ae sig (see KTHO) 0534 12/30 but Ae sig hrd thru this nx; then thot hrd "San Francisco Bay forecast" so KFXM most likely, o/u KUGN/KTHO. (BH)
- KTHO CA So. Lake Tahoe hrd Ae nx sig 0530 12/30 & local annr doing nx (Ae net nx starts 0630 EST). Dipped u/KUGN mx; sig hrd thru KFXM nx 0534 not loud enuf to ID; call hrd thru mess 0537. Listed in BYB as ABC. Hrd wk u/KUGN SM 1/2 0633, no KFXM. Off MM 1/3. (BH)
- KUGN OR Eugene atop KFXM/KTHO 0533 12/30 w/up MoR mx; o/KTHO 0632 1/2; alone gd-to-poor AN 1/3 so likely NSP. (BH)
- 620 KWSD CA Mt. Shasta fair w/nx u/KGW 12/4 1935. (BP)
- KSTR CO Grand Junction s/on 0800 12/24 w/KGW nulled. (BP)
- 630 KJNO AK Juneau fair o/KIDO 0907 12/31. (KH)
- KGVW MT Belgrade poor w/hymns u/KIDO 0850-0900 12/15. Gave ID one second before local KGDN s/on! (BP)
- 780 WBBM IL Chicago fair sig 0655 1/3 w/KCRL temp. off; KCRL NSP makes this rare. (BH)
- KCRL NV Reno s/on "after ant. adjustments" 0704 1/3. WBBM audible. (BH)
- 790 KABC CA Los Angeles lately dominates when on; AN-6, off MM 0300-0800; others like KGMI/KWIL usually under. (BH)
- KSPD ID Boise atop 0821 1/3 w/loud RR, using PSA, o/KABC & others
- KGHL MT Billings 1st time hrd 1/3 0746 w/KGMI OC (ID 0745)/(BH)
- KJRB WA Spokane vy wk sig here lately! Formerly w/KABC nitely & clear MM's, hrd vy wk nx & ID 1/3 0559 so app'y still NSP, just wk. (BH)
- 800 KUZZ CA Bakersfield "R. Bakersfield" @1100 w/nx, AM/FM ID, & CW mx 1/1. (GM)
- CHAB SASK. Moose Jaw s/on w/anthem atop rumble 0657 1/3 (BH)
- CJAD QUE. Montreal in the clear w/MoR 0555 12/27. (BP)
- 830 KIKI HI Honolulu 12/31 0857 in poor. (KH)
- 840 KOS CA San Diego PIRATE in w/RS oldies, gd sig, somewhat overmodulated in parts, a beautiful 2nd harmonic on 1680 noted on the 180 at the same time. 0130-0300 12/26. (GM)
- 910 KPHO AZ Phoenix in w/heavy KALL QRM, but gd rpt sent just the same. 12/22 0155. (DGW)
- KBGN ID Caldwell thru nulled local KIXI 1830 12/15. (BP)
- 920 KOLO NV Reno 12/29 0420 o/u/KGAL, I must be in DA lobe (1kw), assume it protects KXLY. Unhrd MM 1/3. (BH)
- KGAL OR Lebanon brief s/off after "Silhouette" 0258 1/3, ann MM s/on 0900, 1kw DA-1, AN-6. (BH)
- KXLY WA Spokane s/off w/Glenn Miller "Moonlight Serenade" 12/31 0400, then male vocal SSB, ann. s/on 0830. Off by 0300 1/3; w/KGAL/KOLO off, alone on freq. 0833 1/3. (BH)
- 930 KYSS MT Missoula "Kiss Radio" w/nx 12/4 1830. (BP)
- 940 KBRE UT Cedar City atop w/ID & IMN nx 12/11 1900. (BP)
- 960 KFLN MT Baker s/off no anthem atop CFAC 12/11 1815. (BP)
- KLAD OR Klamath Falls "R. 96" w/CW 12/4 1825. (BP)
- KALE WA Richland unhrd AN even SM lately, just KABL/CFAC. (BH)
- 970 CJYR ALTA. Edson o/u KPUA w/MST TCs, mx, 0700-0720 12/30, no sign of KOOK, this unhrd 12/28. (BH)
- KBEE CA Modesto atop w/MoR & nx 1930 12/23. (BP)
- KAYT ID Rupert fair w/local ads 12/15 0815. (BP)

- 970 KREM WA Spokane s/off 12/29, KABL/CKNW slop precluded s/on anct or hearing any anthem; easy past 0300 w/KOIN off.
- 980 KFWB CA Los Angeles 12/30 0503 "Group W Correspondent" hrd in nx u/CKNW; CKNW strong as always, but had it been off (it's NSP) KFWB would've been vy gd. (BH)
- KUPI ID Idaho Falls fair w/CKNW nulled 0840 12/15. (BP)
- KVLV NV Fallon s/off SSB o/u KINS/CKNW 12/4 1930. (BP)
- 990 CBUS B. C. Hundred Mile House, CBC repeater stn hrd here shortly before 0317. Vy wk sigs. Just-readable modulation. Carrier faded by 0320. CBUS is 40w repeater relaying CBU-690. (PM)
- 1010 KSAY CA San Francisco dominant w/CW 1905 12/15. (BP)
- 1030 KTWO WY Casper just to add another state, this ain't AN (thanks!) on RS 0840 1/2, easy whenever on since. (BH)
- 1060 KUPD AZ Tempe s/on 0710 12/27. (BP)
- WNOE LA New Orleans fair w/nx & RR w/CFCN nulled 0705 12/27 (BP)
- 1090 KING WA Seattle s/on w/inst SSB then NBC nx 0759 MM 1/3, XEPRS chewing up as always, believe off MM 0300. (BH)
- 1150 KAGO OR Klamath Falls MoR w/local KAYO nulled 0925 12/20. (BP)
- 1230 KAAA AZ Kingman in vy gd w/frequent IDs & local nx 0133 12/23. DGW
- KRDR OR Gresham ann. "s/off after nx" 0354 MM 1/3 so evid. 0400-0800 SP. (BH)
- KMOR UT Murray atop 0530 1/3 w/ID & wx, you'll never guess format
- KWYZ WA Everett on RS 1/2 0712 w/automated "Big Country" atop/BH. mess, not NSP as off at least 0600-0730 MM 1/3; not full-time CW. (BH)
- 1240 CFVR B. C. Abbotsford normally atop AN-6 (OC only MM 1/3). (BH)
- CJAV B. C. Pt. Alberni s/off 0302 1/3 gd. (KH)
- KOAD CA Lemoore s/off 0303 w/no SSB, add. of xmtr given, KSON off. 12/26. (GM)
- KSUE CA Susanville nx & community calendar in mess 1935 12/20. (BP)
- KOEN OR Roseburg s/on 0900 12/20. (BP)
- 1270 KBUB NV Sparks s/off 1930 12/16. (BP)
- 1280 KJOY CA Stockton local nx & ad 1837 12/16. (BP)
- KVOV NV Las Vegas s/off in mess w/negro anncr 1930 12/15. (BP)
- 1290 KHSL CA Chico strong as always (w/KUMA off) 12/31 0445, spot 24 hrs, unsure abt MMs since KOL was a problem 1/3. (BH)
- 1300 ???? UnID w/ABC-Contemp. nx (delayed from L. A.) 0355 1/3 u/KOL. Is KYNO Ac or was this KOZE on late? (BH) (KYNO is not Ac, to the best of my knowledge, & as far as I know no other Drake is, either, Bill. --BGP)
- 1330 KFAC CA Los Angeles alone w/classical AN-7 after KPOK off. (BH)
- KVKM TX Monahans s/on SSB 0655 12/20. (BP); poor sig on 0655 s/on 1/8 tearing up CFAC. Sig was almost unintelligible but was audible until 0703 fade-out. (BGP)
- 1340 ???? UnID who has Kathryn Kulman 0725-0755 12/30? Evid'ly nx before, & it ain't KMEL or KSMK! (BH)
- KATA CA Arcata w/KMEL AN-6, off MM. (BH)
- KAOR CA Oroville atop KATA briefly 1859 12/21. (BP)
- KSKI ID Hailey strong w/ID & IMN nx 1900 12/27. (BP)
- 1350 ???? UnID SSB s/on 0540 12/20 seemed to loop SE. BP)
- KIVN HI Lihue new call, ex-KTOH, may be NSP. See DXWW for details
- KRLC ID Lewiston clear w/CBS nx 0800-0815 1/3, way o/KIVN, no//BH
- KSRO this early, don't believe it's AN. (BH)
- KRVC OR Ashland poor u/KSRO w/drama ending 1930 12/21 followed by nx. (BP)
- 1360 KFIV CA Modesto "K-5 sports" fair w/KMO off, KEEN slop. 0358 1/2.
- KGB CA San Diego ID 0330 1/3 between "Silhouette" & "Powerline" minus usual KEEN slop. (BH)
- 1370 WSPD OH Toledo in vy poor w/what sounded like nx 0400 12/27. (GWE)

- 1380 KTOM CA Salinas pop mx way o/KRKO 12/30 2145 then o/u KRKO until ID & into local ballgame 2155. UnID dinner mx in there too. ??KPOI??HI Honolulu ID never came in clear, tho there were many of them. RR mx & Ai nx lead-in 12/20 0153. (DGW)
- 1390 KGER CA Long Beach local relig. mx show atop at least 2 others 0545 12/29. (BH)
 WNUS IL Chicago 0404 12/26 in w/xlnt sigs, w/spot for FM, and quiet MoR mx. Several IDs hrd. (GM)
- 1400 KPAT CA Berkeleys/off no anthem 0301 12/20 after nx. (BP)
 KQMS CA Redding s/on poor in mess w/SSB 0830 12/27. (BP)
 KSLY CA San Luis Obispo dominates most am's inc. MM, didn't check SM yet. (BH)
 KTNM NM Tucumcari r/c 0334-0338 12/27. (BP)
 KBMI NV Henderson s/off no anthem 0258 12/20. (BP)
 KIXX UT Provo s/on 0800 12/27 into SSB. (BP); in wkly w/end of s/on 0800 12/27. (GWE)
- KODI WY Cody s/on SSB 0800 12/27. (BP)
- 1410 KERN CA Bakersfield nx on par w/CKVN nx 0137 1/2, stuck around for call. Hrd behind CKVN AN 1/3. (BH)
- 1420??KHIP??UnID s/off thru XEXX OC 0210 w/male vcl SSB, sort of opera-sounding, mentioned NBC aff., not in VJ log. 1/1. (GM)
 KCCN HI Honolulu thru XEXX OC 0220 w/Hawaiian mx & local spots, ID & Seasons Greetings, 1/1. (GM)
- 1430 WIRE IN Indianapolis poor w/CKFH nulled 0530 12/30. (KH);
 CKFH ONT. Toronto fair sigs o/WIRE 0535 12/30. They're a regular every morning just now. (KH); giving address on spot atop a few others 1/3 0412. (BH); in fair w/KALI nulled as much as possible w/contest annct & record promo 12/27 0405. (GWE)
- 1440 ???? UnID automated "Hit Sounds" oldie RR 0405-0430 1/3, 10 sec. dead air 0428:30 like an ID was supposed to play but didn't. KPRO? Or the other half (hi) of CJOI? (BH) (Not KPRO, Bill, they're MoR...not automated. --BGP)
 CJOI (Wetaskiwin, ALTA --BGP) ??? unlisted, 0552-0600 12/29 OC w/automated time anncr giving MST TCs every min., NO legal ID 0600. TCs clearly mention CJOI & the "Parkland"; def. 1440 -- call change? Where? Unhrd since. (BH) 'CJOI only came on a few months ago, so it's too new to be listed anywhere yet. --BGP) in gd on 0700 s/on 12/27. (GWE)
- KPRO CA Riverside hrd ID while tuning past 0359 1/3, unsure if test or the UnID above. (BH)
- 1450 ???? UnID jazz pgm 0340-0400+ 1/3, abt 0345 spot ment. "Siuslaw Natl Forest" suggesting Eugene, 0410 noticed w/black church service, gone by 0500. KEED? KSOL? PST TCs, 2 guys rapping.
 KEST CA San Francisco w/Black relig. pgm. until 0430 s/off 12/27.
 KOBO CA Yuba City s/off 0600 12/29, ann. s/on 0900, normally (BGP) 0400-0600 (not hrd MM 1/3) spots for Marysville too. (BH)
 KVSI ID Montpelier in w/ET 12/27 0652 w/wk sigs. (GWE)
 KEEP ID Twin Falls in fair 0740 12/27. (GWE)
 KGMV MT Missoula nx loud & atop KONE & others 0600-0606 12/29, then ID using KJR top-of-hour ID sig (2001 theme) even had inst KJR logo--undoubtedly inspired by KJRB! (BH)
 KOME NV Reno o/u any others most nights, mostly alone AN 1/3, NSP. (BH)
 KEED OR Eugene Where has this formerly dominant AN gone? Unhrd lately. (BH)
 KURA UT Moab s/on SSB poor u/KAYE 0802 12/27. (BP)
- 1460 KENO NV Las Vegas fair w/20-20 nx 0420 1/3, KDON gone. (BH)
- 1470 KNDE CA Sacramento easy RR as "Candy," seems to save call for legal IDs only, much better sig than old KXOA. (BH)

1470 KSEM WA Moses Lake ETing w/RR most of MM 12/27, ID 0513. (BP)
 KAPS WA Mt. Vernon "Town & Country R." gd w/CW & ACN nx 1855
 12/22. (BP)

1480 KRED CA Eureka EARLY s/on 0658 12/29, now A1, s/off nites 0300;
 Always strong here. (BH)
 KWIZ CA Santa Ana 1st time hrd, fair atop one other w/RR 0650
 12/29. (BH)

1490 KLOG WA Kelso call & dedication to "guys in Kelso" 0423 12/31,
 appearantly RS (maybe off 0500) (BH)

1510 ???? UnID HI show hrd u/mucho KYXI slop w/KGA off 0412 12/31.
 Is there a 1510 carrying HI or just a KFBK image? (BH)
 KIRV CA Fresno strong w/s/off no anthem 1945 12/21. (BP)
 KTIM CA San Rafael s/off SSB 1945 12/21 u/KIRV but o/KGA. (BP)

1520 KMPG CA Hollisters/off 1946 12/21 o/KYXI. (BP)

1550 KOBY NV Reno s/off no anthem u/KKHI 12/4 1930. (BP)

1560 KIQS CA Willows s/off, no anthem, u/KPMC 12/4 1945. (BP)

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O&O = Owned and Operated - see next page. Not a standard abbreviation but looks good.
 o/u = over and under in case anyone wonders. One of these days, somebody might pre-
 pare a really complete list of IRCA-used abbreviations. The one in the DX Booklet and
 sent to prospective new members is only partial. A good complete list would run about
 3 pages; if details explanations were included, 4 pages. Who's volunteering? -DEE

Broadcasting Information (as compiled by Mike Worst) Dec. 27 and Jan. 3 issues

WMEL	610	500w-D	Pensacola, Florida	granted WVIX
WATE	620	5kw	Knoxville, Tennessee	granted WETE
WMEG	920	1kw	Melbourne, Florida	requests WMEL
new	1060	1kw-D	West Branch, Michigan	CP
KTOH	1350	5kw	Lihue, Hawaii	requests KIVM
WEGA	1350	500w-D	Vega Baja, Puerto Rico	start operation
new	1590	500w-D	Honesdale, Pennsylvania	requests WHPA

CPC results Russell Francis, Lynwood, Calif., rpts reception of WWJC-850 DX. DEE
 tried last few minutes but not sign. Steve Howe had TT from WWJC 0235.
 WHDH, KOA, HJKC (?), and others cause interference in different parts of the country.
 Tom Sundstrom, NJ, had ID thru WHDH 0245. Bob Neal, Forbestown, Calif., said "easy
 0240-0300 s/off; QRM from KTAC and KOA testing." Mike Hardester had fair sigs w/KOA
 TT on & off. Many IDs. Mike mentions that NRC Logs list as Superior, Wisc., on 1270.
 When they changed to 850 and increased power, their licensed location was also changed.
 Trans. location, anyone? Al Lehr, Livermore, Calif., had WWJC w/several IDs. WBAT-
 1400 was rptd by John Oldfield 1st half hr and by Al Lehr 3rd half hour. Al said code
 IDs only audible and taped. Bob Neal "virtually certain" w/taped Morse Code. DEE had
 no sign of them. Tom Sundstrom hrd code IDs and tone. Steve Howe had TT and code IDs.
 WKZO rptd by no one. WDWL likewise. Steve Howe tent. on KUPK. Page Taylor reports
 extremely exc. TA cx on Sat. PM EST 1/8. Gene Martin had earlier forewarned DEE. And
 sigs were exc. strength carrier, little audio.

CPC WRITE-UPS will have to wait till next issue. See last issue for WHEX, WMBG, 4VEC.

On 12/28, while pouring thru 7½ years of DXM's which I've been reading till four in the morning, I thought how dumb to stay up so late and not DX! So every night since except 1/1 I have been checking out stns for s/ons, s/off's, etc. I do this every now and then for the CoF list, and am also double-checking for info for the upcoming Wash. state-of-month. I skipped 1/1 since many stns are on that night only and I didn't want it to throw me off! Will check Sat M. skeds next week. The result of all this is in DXR and some in DXWW. Of greatest interest is the KTOH-1350 call change to, I think, KIVN. Was AN 1/2-1/4 so is probably NSP. If KTOH was your most wanted, well.... When does the next NRC log come out? If you hear a UPI newscast on 740 it's probably just KCBS--the CBS O&O stn appears to have UPI also and uses at least the 0300 cast. At this rate, I'll be back next week! 73

Gary Elston - 310 Crestview Dr. - Santa Clara, CA 95050

Cx very poor lately for DXing. I experienced less static when I was DXing last summer than I do now. Only really exciting catch in here was WAPA-680 in Puerto Rico a couple of weeks ago. KXEL is apparently off every MM now. The Bahamas and WPTR are now in there on MM's, so for those of you who need these stns, get them while the SP lasts. I have now hrd over 700 stns and 30 ctys. I hope to get back to DXing SW again soon. I was hearing pretty good things there last year at this time but then got so hung up on BCB that I virtually quit SW. I got an FM antenna and roto-tenner for Christmas, so I may try a little of that despite the fact that I don't really have a good FM rx. My hottest channel on BCB is 1450 with 21 stns hrd there. On a MM there its s/on after s/on with the task of IDing each s/on a great challenge. Dan Sys - 149 W. 26th Ave. - Vancouver 195, B.C. CANADA

A belated season's greetings to everyone and may 1972 be the year for IRCA's long time hassles to end. Welcome to the new Vancouver area members, they've pushed our total up to 11. What other city can boast of a membership that large? The new station on 1470 should be on by this summer with a minimum of 40% foreign language broadcasts at first and increasing later. NW members better clear 1470 up as I suspect they'll be NSP to compete with all our other NSPers. CJJC's still on 850. It's almost a year now since their first target for the switch. The latest is mid-January (but they don't say what year, hi). Keep your ears on CHQM. They're gradually heading into a light progressive rock format, especially during the AN show. I think the days of Muzak over the air are numbered. Oh yeah, one of my New Year's resolutions was to answer all the letters from correspondents which have been piling up over the last year, so the infamous SC rip-off artist will soon change his reputation. Peace.

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Greetings. DX cx of late have been so bad that there has been no new stns, thus no WCDXR rpts. Mexicans have been getting worse lately. I wish someone would tell them that doubling the modulation doesn't double the power output. In case you're wondering what I DX with, it's an ARB w/a preamp and a double spiral loop by the little ole loop maker, Ralph Sanserino. Don't look for KPPC-1240 to be on the air much longer after a recent, mock commercial they presented. Does anybody on the West Coast hear anything decent now? SAN DIEGO in 72!

Ken Horne - 2150 W. 20th Ave. - Vancouver 8, B.C. CANADA

Greetings! Since I've been a member of IRCA for over a year now, I think it's time for an introduction. I'm 17, in Grade 12, and heading out to UBC. I've been seriously DXing since 1968 and my correct totals are now 495/338, 36/3, 6/5, and 13/11. For BCB the main two rx's I use are an RCA 816-K and an RCA A-4. The 816 recent veries are KOKJ CKAY & KPUG+CM. Also CJIB KIT plus promo info, KVOG & KACY+CM. Anyone wanting CKVN Top 300 SC or CKLG and CKVN SC's write: 73. (Welcome to WCDXF, Ken!)

(DEE) - To those who are not double-spacing Forum rpts and between items in a DXR & DXWW report--if you don't understand the request, please ask me and I'll explain. 73.

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Geomagnetic Indices-- Dec. 29- Jan. 4 14 14 5 5 7 6 8

Listeners' Loggings-- Trans-Atlantic

Andy Hecker of San Jose, Calif. spent Christmas vacation in North Africa and Spain. He has sent a lengthy report on the stations he heard from about 8 or 9 locations. Since his report is so lengthy, it will be broken up into three segments, one to appear each week for the next three weeks. The location from which he heard each station will be abbreviated as follows: Mal--Malaga, Spain; Med--airborne between Malaga and Gibraltar; Rab--Rabat, Morocco; Cas--Casablanca, Morocco; Mar--Marrakech, Morocco; Fes--Fes (Fez), Morocco; Tan--Tanger, Morocco; Ceu--Ceuta, Spain (in Africa); Sev--Sevilla, Spain; Gran--Granada, Spain.

520 ??? UnID SS station, ID as San Sebastian, with SS talk 2136 12/29 (AH,Sev)
UnID SS Music, 2256 12/31, fair (AH,Gran) (Perhaps a spur? Ed)

525 ??? UnID rock music, no ID; good 2256 12/31 (AH,Gran) (Nothing listed here.Ed)

529 ... Algeria, Ain Beida, in weak but easily audible in Arabic //548 0642.(Fes)
Good with AA talk 2227; to SS later //548 12/26 (Tan) Strong with AA drama
2221 //548 1304 12/27 (Ceu) AA music and talk //548; strong 2257 12/29
(AH,Gran) (Listed as Constantine. Ed)

SBC Switzerland, Beromunster weak with concert music and GG announcements 2221
12/27 (Ceu) With opera and GG talk for short pause 2137 under Algeria
12/29. (AH, Sev)

548 ... Algeria, Algiers strong as locals with SS mentioning RNE; thought it was
RNE 12/20 (Mal) Denouncing RNE often in SS; very strong, very confusing
12/21 (Rab) Strong with talk in SS //529 2332 (Mar) AA talk and music //
529 0644 (Fes) Strong with AA talk 2227; to SS later; //529 (Tan) Strong
with AA play //529, 1304 at 2222 12/27 (Ceu) //529 with YL comedy talking
show with audience and laughing in SS 2138 12/29 (Sev)With AA music and
talk //529 only; good 2257 12/31 (Gran, AH) (Listed as Oran, Ed)

RNE Spain, Oviedo weak with SS and talk of Spain 2223 12/27 (Ceu) SS talk
2257 12/31 (Gran) SS same as Malaga local 0913 fading out 12/21 (AH,Med)
Couldn't some of the SS listed under Algeria come from Oviedo? Ed)

DLF West Germany, Braunschweig with low GG voice and talking under Algeria
12/21 (Sev,AH)

557 ... Portugal, Faro weak with PP talk and concert music 2228 12/26 (Tan) PP and
opera music o/u Algeria denouncing RNE by name 2141 weak 12/29 (Sev)

566 ... Portugal, Valenca do Minho weak with PP talk 2225 12/27 (Ceu) YL PP talk
2142 12/29 (Sev) UnID organ music fair 2258 12/31 (Gran, AH)

575 ... Germany (both) mixing; both in GG, equal 2144 12/29 (AH,Sev)
??? UnID EE with British accent, very weak, talk about overseas, but no net-
work mentioned 12/21 (AH, Rab) (South Africa or Uganda? Ed)

584 ORTF France, Paris tentative with FF under but through open SS opera in //
638,683,737. 12/21 (Rab)

RNE Spain, Madrid in SS with ID 2330, fair 12/22 (Mar) Also heard in Ceuta
2227 12/27; fair in Sevilla 2145 12/29 with singer; strong in Granada with
SS rock music and talk 2254 12/31 (AH)

593 ... Morocco, Oujda fair with AA talk and chanting //611 12/20 (Mal) Good in
AA with singing 2328 12/22 (Mar)Strong with AA talk //611 2229 12/26(Tan)
Good 2228 12/27 (Ceu)With AA talk under Rock music with SS;talk 2300;
//611 12/31 (Gran, AH)

602 ORTF France, Lyon with FF talk and MoR music 2146 12/27(Sev) Weak with FF talk
2301; squeal o/u 12/31 (AH,Gran)

611 ... Morocco, Sebaa Aoun with AA talk and chanting //593, good. (Mal)12/20.
Very loud 1512 12/22; good range in daytime; talk in AA //701 (Cas);Strong
in Rabat 12/21; Mar 12/22 2327; Fes 0650 12/25 Local; //593 2230 12/27

Hecker Log, contd.

- 611 cont. in Ceuta; weak with AA chanting 2146 12/29 (Sev) Fair 2302 12/31 (Gran)
- 620 RNE Canary Islands, Santa Cruz de Tenerife, fair with RNE ID 2326 12/22(Mar)
With opera //638 2232 12/27, weak (Tan); weak with SS o/u PP concert music 2333 12/31 (Gran)
- ... Portugal, Vila Real Tras-os-Montes with EE rock over RNE with SS talk 2146 12/29 (Sev)
- 629 ... Tunisia, Tunis weak with MoR and AA talk between; 2233 12/27 (Tan); With AA music 2229 12/29 strong (CeU);
- 638 RNE Spain, La Coruna, fair with opera //584,683,737 fading but strong at times 12/21 (Rab); Fair to good with opera //620 2234 12/27 (Tan); With YL talking in SS, fair 2147 12/29 (Sev); with Concert music 2305; FF talk under RNE //737,773,854 12/31 (Gran)
- 647 BBC England, Radio 3, with concert quartets and announcements in EE, good 2148 12/29 (Sev)
- 656 EAJ203 Spanish Sahara, El Aaiun in SS with talk about Havana, very confusing weak 12/22 (Mar) Good with SS talk and MoR 12/27 (Tan): good 2330 12/29 (CeU)
- 665 SWF West Germany, Rohrdorf with Christmas show with GG talk; Jingle Bells in GG, etc. 0653 weak 12/25 (Fes)
- ... Portugal, Lisbon with PP talk and ID 2236; fadeout to weak GG 12/27 (Tan) Fair with YL in PP and rock music 2306 12/31 (Gran)
- 674 ORTF France, Marseilles, with symphony 12/21 (Rab); MoR fair 2322 12/22(Mar) MoR fair 12/26 2239 (Tan); weak with MoR 2307 12/31 (Gran)
- 683 RNE Spain, Sevilla with SS talk; lousy engineering, good 12/20 (Mal) with opera //584,638 12/21 (Rab); strong with SS talk like a political rally 2240 12/26 (Tan); strong 2231 12/27 (CeU); local, much bleedover 2149 12/29 (Sev); good 2308 12/31 (Gran)
- 692 ... Portugal, Viseu good with news in PP 2232 12/27 (CeU)
- 701 ... Morocco, Sebaa Aioun very loud 1516, //611 daytime 12/22 (CeU)
- ... Andorra, in EE with rock, weak o/u Sebaa Aioun in FF; ID heard but difficult 12/21 (Rab); weak concert station 2319 12/22 (Mar); MoR and rock music, no talk 0655 12/25 (Fes); With EE talk and rock; strong 2232 12/27 (CeU); UnID SS; talk good, probably Andorra 2304 12/31. (Gran)
- 710 ORTF France, Rennes with FF MoR, good 2150 12/29 (Sev)
- 719 ... Portugal, Porto with PP MoR; //674 heard under it 12/21 (Rab) Doing some musical in PP 2244 12/26 (Tan); weak with US jazz 2151 12/29 (Sev); music and PP singing 2310; UnID EE rock over PP, good 12/31 (Gran)
- RFE West Germany, Munich, man talking in Germanic language, weak 2314 12/22 (Mar)
- 737 RNE Spain, Barcelona with opera //584,638, 683 on 12/21 (Rab); In SS with talk good signal 2312 12/22 (Mar); rock music show, SS IDs and talk; strong 2246 12/26 (Tan); strong 2233 12/27 (CeU); with opera, strong 2151 12/29 (Sev); with concert music //773,854, 638; ID 2316 then rock 12/31 (Gran)
- 740 ??? Rock music, no IDs 0657 12/25 (Fes) (Nothing listed. Ed)
- 755 ... Portugal, Porto fair/good with fade; PP talk and MoR 12/20 (Mal); strong 2248 12/26 (Tan); fair 2234 12/27, UnID concert station under weak;(CeU)
- DLF West Germany with 2 men talking in GG; weak 2152 12/29 (Sev)
- 764 ... Senegal, Dakar weak with GG talk o/u which nulled. Strong with man and YL talking 2124; earlier in evening, GG; maybe Swiss. 12/21 (Rab) Weak with FF talk 2310 12/22; fair carrier, no audio 0657 12/25 (Fes); Weak with AA singing, UnID FF talk under 2232 12/27 (CeU)/
- SBC, Switzerland, Sottens, good with Swiss FF show 2152 12/29 (Sev); with FF talk to opera music 2317 12/31, fair. (Gran)

(To be continued...)

Other TAs

- 665 ... Portugal, Lisbon showed up as het on Guatemala 0535 1/6; TGRT s/off at 0600, but nothing heard after. (GM,M)
- 755 ... Portugal? carrier definite at 0705; their s/on at that time. (GM,M)

- 764 ... Senegal, Dakar good at 0605 till 0700 1/6. (GM,M)
 1205 ... Sierra Leone, Freetown s/on with flute; rarely heard after 0600; beating against France. 1/6. (GM,M)
 ORTF France, Bordeaux heard 0523-25; Sierra Leone not on at this time. o/6(GM,M)
 1214 BBC? UnID carrier with poor audio 0520 1/6; nothing s/on at 0530; 0545 signal gone. (GM,M)

Latin America

- 540 YNTT Nicaragua, Managua noted mostly atop here on 1/1 from 0625-0704 with a wide variety of Latin music; noted TC for "12:30 exactamente" at 0632; had pre-recorded ID between just about each musical selection which I find difficult to decipher, but seems to be something like: "en Radio Corporacion, la voz del interes del aereo a las diez e punto". Had very heavy SS QRM here this evening and may have had a Venezuelan around 0720 but not sure. (WBF,E)
 + "Radio Corporacion" s/on 12/28 1100 over 2 other SS, one probably HJKA with "en Colombia, Bogota" heard. A "R. Corporacion" ID heard also at 1130 and XEWA s/on at 1155. (RJS,W)
 XEWA Mexico, San Luis Potosi, SLP in here nightly over/under daytime pest CBK with a fair signal. (JAM,M)
 545 XEC? Mexico, "Radio X" or "Radio Exitos" heard 1/5 0317-0400. 4th letter sounded like L; but XECL was on 990 and not a spur. Quite sure of XEC letters Needs more work, apparent s/off after 0400. (RJS,W)
 + On phone tip from RJS, UnID Mexican heard 0325-0400 1/5; mention of Chihuahua and "...50 kilociclos" at 0348; apparant ID at 0357, followed by "La Bamba" and off. "Radio X" seemed to be slogan; call to me seemed to be XET... So many SS letters phonetically sound similar--T,C,B,etc. Carrier heard 1/6 at about same time; no audio. Potent signal both times S9+20. Perhaps Blake Lawrence's UnID of last week. (FJP,W)
 600 CMKV Cuba, Holguin fair under WICC with SS vocals //CMW 0415 12/30. (SSH,E)
 650 TIBAS? Costa Rica, San Jose 0825-0838 1/3, Latin music, just with noise. One ID 0837 with singing ID right after; just too weak. (JT,M)
 HIAT Dominican Republic, Santo Domingo heard rather well on 1/1 from 0550 w/ very lively SS music; ID at 0600 was "La hora Universal, una treinta"; then mention of "La musica Universal" and into SS version of Jingle Bells. The half hour time differential is an excellent indication of a D.R. reception. (WBF,E)
 HOS22 Panama, Panama City noted on 1/1 from 0505 with Latin instrumentals to 0515 s/off; ID as "Radio Mia ...la gran cadena de la libertad con emisoras en Panama, Colon..." Only frequency mentioned was 980 kHz; then into religious blurb and anthem. (WBF,E)
 655 HCLG2 Ecuador, Guayaquil, "R. Carroussel" ID heard 12/31 at 0943 just after turning tape on. (RJS,W)
 660 HJJM Colombia, Cali, Todelar 0801-0823 signal ;just;above noise. No one else on frequency from SA. Positive Radio Uno ID by a woman. One spot, for Pepsi Cola, I think. Some deep fades, slow; tempo Latin music, co-ed DJs. (JT,M) 1/3
 ??? UnID with records in EE (soul), announcements in SS; nulls to CA, one very rapid SS ID at s/off. No NA; good S3-5 level. Any ideas? 0741-0800 1/3. (JT,M) (Sounds like XERPM to me, they play US music mostly. Ed)
 670 CMKP Cuba, San German 1/3 0714-0737, US style music, Glen Miller and so on. Woman DJ, LV de Cuba and San German mentioned often. 10 Hz beat with WMAQ. S4-5 level. (JT,M)
 720 HJAN Colombia, Barranquilla heard at 0410 and ID as Emisoras Unidas at 0418. Good signal. 1/1 (DV,W)
 + Heard 1/4 at approximately 1055 s/on with NA and "Emisoras Unidas, La Voz de la Patria, desde Barranquilla, Colombia" ID. Earlier, KUAL s/off heard at 1000 with SSB; LV de Cuba and another SS (YV?) heard. (RJS,W)
 730 HJ.. Colombia, Bogota, "Radio Melodia" heard 12/31 at 0850 and 1/2 at 0832-0845 with IDs. Is this ex-1040 "R. Melodia" and if so, where did

- 730 cont Tricolor go? (RJS,W) (I think this is just a new slogan for Tricolor. Ed)
 TGN Guatemala, Guatemala, "Radio Cultural" heard 12/31 at 0759 with ID and
 apparent s/off. (RJS,W)
 XEX Mexico, D.F. in here nightly under semi-local CKDM but most of the time
 they are over CKDM. (JAM,M)
- 780 ZBVI British Virgin Islands, Roadtown, great signal 1022-1028 1/3. Even WBBM
 carrier on at 1030 didn't hurt. Morning devotional program. Many spots,
 Jet Express, Woolworths, Kentucky Fried Chicken, Tropical Cleaners. Time
 checks before and after each record or spot. Many IDs. You ought to be
 able to log this one with your 3rd string receiver and bedsprings for an
 antenna (on a MM, that is). (JT,M)
- 790 XE?? Mexico, UnID SS "Musica de Mexico" poked through 1247 1/3 over KGHL,KGMI
 OC, maybe others. 8 XE's listed; who most likely? (BH,W)
 CMCH Cuba, Havana heard on 12/27 frp, 2250 with SS vocals; ID on the hour ran
 "CMCH, del Instituto Cubano de Radiodifusion, transmitiendo desde la Ha-
 bana, Cuba, territorio libre en America". Was very strong and usual
 pest, WTAR, was missing entirely. (WBF,E)
- 800 XELO Mexico, Ciudad Juarez, Chih. s/on with SS jingle over CHAB 1200 1/3, first
 time heard. (BH,W)
 PJB Netherlands Antilles, Bonaire fair to good over CHAB, CFOB, XELO,CJAD,
 CKLW, CJLX, with Radio Nederlands relay broadcast in SS at 2300 and EE
 at 2333 and Dutch at 0007 12/24. Also 12/28 with "800" show from 2300
 in SS/EE (JAM,M)
- 810 HJCY Colombia, Bogota, "R. Sutatenza" s/on announcement at 1002 1/2 at neigh-
 borhood-listening level. (RJS,W)
- 825 TIOS Costa Rica, San Jose, heard a "Titania" ID 12/31 at 0938; on AN for Xmas-
 New Years?? (RJS,W)
- 830 4VE3 Haiti, Cap Haitien DX Special made it here 12/27. Traces of audio under
 WCCO 0215-0245, then bits of music, weak ID 0250. Faded atop WCCO with
 nice clear ID 0255 followed by 1812 Overture. Reported. (BP,W) (GMT??Ed)
 +A "positive" tentative heere on the VDXA DX Test with snatches of Xmas
 music, words 0718-0757 12/27 during WCCO "dead air". I say tentative
 only because I did not hear an ID with call, but Cap Haitien was defini-
 tely mentioned. (SSH,E)
- XEVQ Mexico, Culiacan strong with local ads and several "VQ" and SIDs 1315
 12/24. (BP,W)
- 840 HJBI Colombia re RSD's report in 1/1 DXWW, HJBI has been noted here using
 "R. Libertad" IDs as well as Ondas del Caribe. (BP,W)
- 850 HJKC Colombia, Bogota good through KOA OC and over another SS around 0900
 12/27. (JAM,M)
- 870 CMDN Cuba, Guantanamo very good signal MM with WWL off, over an UNID SS and
 another station which seemed to be EE. The UnID SS was all talk. 12/27
 (JAM,M)
- 900 ... Barbados, Bridgetown, got a beautiful tape on this one in aurora 12/22
 2322 with only slight QRM from SS. (RJE,E)
- 928.75 HJCS Colombia, Bogota, Radio Continental is now down to here 12/29 0515. (RJE)
- 990 XECL Mexico, Mexicali, BC, ID clear 1256 1/3 over CBW, thanks to KOMO OC;
 CKNW splatter. (BH,W)
- 1010 XEHL Mexico, Guadalajara, Jal. 0940 12/29, my UnID of last week, definitely
 heard this time with "Ache ele" to same IS and CST TC. Good punchy promos.
 Was AN when I visited Guaglajara in May '70. Looks like a regular when
 CBR off! No KOMO slop today; at least 2 other carriers occasionally rip-
 ping it up, but no other audio. (BH,W)
- 1015 YSC El Salvador, San Salvador, "YSC, R. Internacional" ID heard 0435 1/5 on
 a very good LA evening. (RJS,W)
 +12/30 0227-0248 music, ID as R. Internacional with call letters, YSC, by
 a woman. Good S2-S4 level. (JT,M)

DXWW is now the biggest foreign MW column produced by any club. Let's keep it going.

- 1030 XEQR Mexico, D.F. Radio Centro, 12/30 1050-1120, in WBZ null;KTWO not heard; slow Latin music; whistling heard before Radio Centro IDs. S2 level. (JT,M)
- 1035 4VEF Haiti, Cap Haitien is probably the one with what seemed to be an EE religious program 0120 12/24 with QRM from WHO. Local CKSB on 1050 not much of a problem. (JAM,M)
- 1055 HJ.. Colombia, "La Voz del Centro" ID 1/5 0259 but no location heard.(RJS,W)
- 1100 YVQT Venezuela, Carupano heard on 12/23 from 2355-0008 12/24 with SS talk; had ID as Radio Carupano, mention of Rumbos, and many spots with prices given in Bolivares; WBT nicely nulled. (WBF,E)
- 1125c TIGPH Costa Rica, San Jose, Radio Capital, 12/22 0233-0255, LA music, good IDs, siren before ID, "R. Capital, Costa Rica"; had very deep fades; thanks to RSD. (JT,M)
- 1270 ??? UnID, heavily accented EE heard here under WTNT and the Cuban 2345 12/22 Possibly PJA8, but not at all sure. (RJE,E)
- 1411.3 HJHM Colombia, Calarca, believed to be the one drifted down from 1414, heard 2315 12/22. LV de Calarca. (RJE,E)
- 1500 XERH Mexico, D.F. sometimes in here with a very weak signal under day and night pest KSTP. (JAM,M)
- 1560 XEVIP Mexico, D.F. very good 0600 with CBS and mentions of VIP, Radio 1560 1/1 (JAM,M)

Trans-Pacific

- 844 VSZL Gilbert and Ellice Islands, Tarawa heard about 0710 1/6. (GM,M)
- 890 ... Fiji Correction on my report in 1/1 DXWW; times should have been 0850-0910 tuneout. (DC,W)
- 970 KPUA Hawaii, Hilo heard music between KABL/CFAC and CKNW; 1200 12/30 heard jingle and news, CJYR music over/under; 1204 old-style jingle, "KPUA checks the weather". No sign of KOOK. KORL and KHVH in quite well at same time. (BH,W)
- 1020 ZCO Tonga, Nuku'alofa, time in Tonga is GMT + 13, so it was 11 PM there at 1000 12/28 (see last week). What I thought was "7 o'clock" could have been "11" but more likely was "Zed-C-O", as I forgot about "Zed" for Z. (BH,W)
- 1350 KTOH Hawaii, Lihue; after taping on the hour, KTOH could have been the one signing off a little after 0900 12/30. The station I taped had a "K" call, and used 5 kw, but no SSB heard on tape. A lot of QRM. (JA,M)
- KIVN Hawaii, Lihue station heard well with rock 1/2 0905-0930 but always faded during call (natch, hi). Thought I heard KI.. but non listed. Then 0929 ID boomed in with clear "Lihue". Repeated checks showed it on past 1200, so AN SM; call sounds like KIVN, but might be a M or a B or D for 3rd letter. 1/3, heard past 1230, 1/4 past 1130, so may be NSP. Ex-KTOH, never heard here. Easy now when KRLC off. Good new jingles. Slogan is "KIVN (or DJ name) gets it on". Have fun, you ECers. (BH,W)
- 1529 ... Het on the low side of WCKY/KFBK all morning 12/27. Too much KYXI slop to tell if there was any audio. Probably the Russian, although the only TP noted that morning was JOUB-770. (BP,W)

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- BH Bill Hardy, Aberdeen, Wash.
- SSH Steve Howe, Great Neck, N.Y.
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Alaska KNOM-780 is scheduled from 1600-0800 GMT. Carries one hour of religion daily, with "all varieties of popular music" the rest of the time. (Want ad in "Broadcasting" via Bruce Portzer)

Caribbean-- Russ Edmunds

In view of the geographical considerations in terms of distances between many of the islands of the British Antilles (British West Indies), compared with the Netherland West Indies, I strongly suggest that Aruba, Curacao, and Bonaire all be made separate countries, or else the BWI's (Barbados, Santa Lucia, St. Vincent, Grenada) be counted as one country in the interests of conformity and convention.

Ed: I think Russ maybe has a point here. The general rule in the past has been that an island is counted as a separate DX country if it is over 50 miles distant from the rest of the country or islands, as the case may be. There are two groups of British islands in the Caribbean, commonly called the Leeward and Windward Islands. The Leeward Islands for the most part clearly are far enough apart to be considered separate DX countries--the only question might come in the proximity of Montserrat to Antigua. In the Windward Islands, Dominica is about 80 miles from the nearest island, St. Lucia, and it always has been a separate DX country. The questions comes in the islands Russ mentioned. About 30 miles separates St. Lucia and St. Vincent; another 50 miles further south is Carriacou, and 30 miles further is Grenada. All except Carriacou are listed as separate countries in the IRCA Countries List. Holland has two groups of islands also in the Caribbean, the so-called "ABC" or Netherlands Antilles, which Russ mentioned, and the Netherlands West Indies, consisting of Saba, St. Eustasius, and St. Maarten. The NWI has only one station, I think, PJD2, so there's no problem there, but in the Netherlands Antilles, all three islands have stations. These three islands are all less than 50 miles apart. Opinions, please--should Aruba, Bonaire and Curacao be made separate DX countries?

Bangladesh Radio Bangladesh, or Bangladesh Betar Kendra in Bengal has taken over all the transmitters of Radio Pakistan in the former East Pakistan. Stations listed are Dacca-690 (100 kw), Karachi-830 (10 kw), Dacca-1170 (5 kw), Chittagong-870 (10 kw), Rajshahi-1080 (10 kw); and Sylhet-1140 (2 kw). Programmes in Bengali have been heard at 0100-0300, 0700-0800, and 1300-1530. News in English at 0125-0135, and 1320-1330. Apparently all stations are in parallel. (SCDX)

Not much DXing has been done here recently. Glad to see Randy Seaver back in the fold of active DXers. He's in a new home now, with lots more room than in the old apartment. Now all he has to do is convince Linda that DXing is fun. Gene Martin phoned the other night to let me know there was a TA opening, lasting about an hour. Maybe the Midwinter Anomaly is ending. Joint members of IRCA and NRC--it isn't necessary to type separate reports for each club--I'll gladly accept carbons, just as I'm sure Foxy will. As long as all the information I usually print is there, I don't care what format you use. And by the way, if anyone only has one or two stations to report, postcards are perfectly acceptable. Work has been progressing on several projects here--an article on the ionosphere which still needs some work on it, the IRCA Foreign Log Project, and 1972 Convention plans. I'll have to write up a 30-line summary of the convention (after all it was my proposal that each city be restricted to 30 lines)--or are we restricted to 30, since we do have the convention? I've done a little research into the history of SD and Tijuana radio for the convention bulletin; also some investigation on tours. Randy promises an ERBA Ratings on local restaurants and night-spots. My 15 are up, so see you next week. FJP.

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(DEE) - No limit, Father Jack, on material relating to the Convention once the bid is approved and voted upon (where necessary); provided, however, that it will be used here on space available basis, but given priority near the time of the Convention itself. In some past years, there has been less than a full page; others years, more like 4 or 5 pages.

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