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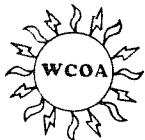
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- MM Dec 4 KADE-1190-Boulder, CO. 0200-0300 1 kw-ND. May use 52.1 watt PSA the last 5 minutes. v/s-Bob Greenlee, GM. Prepaid calls accepted. 4840 Riverbend Road, Boulder, CO 80301. (From NRC-DX News)
- MM Dec 4 KPPC-1240-Pasadena, CA 0330-0400 100 w. 1000 cycle tone, music & ID's. Possibly KROY may be off during part of the test. Rpts to: George Chambers, CE, KPPC, 3844 Foothill Blvd., Pasadena, CA 91107. Arranged by Matthew Shugart for IRCA..
- MM Dec 4 KRRR-1360-Ruidoso, NM 0400-0500. Test will include tones, IDs and perhaps other items (details later). Varies from Arthur J. Borgemenke, CE, KRRR, Box 39, Ruidoso, NM 88345. Arr: P. Nolan-GWDXA
- MM Dec 18 KDLG--670-Dillingham, AK 0515-0615 5 kw. Tones, voice/code IDs, DX gab & some Eskimo language. Rpts to: Les Robinson, GM, KDLG, Box 670, Dillingham, AK 99576. Arranged by Eddie Ryan. GWDXA...

### REPORT FROM BERMUDA - Charlie Taylor

Reception of Europeans/N. Africans has been nothing less than phenomenal. Hets from 9 kHz channels begin appearing here around 1530 local time & by 1630 there are signals on nearly every 2 kHz channel. At 1600 local, nearly every Spanish high-band channel is a mess of SAHs & hets. I concentrate on 2030-2130z, as during this period NAs haven't faded in completely, allowing less slop from adjacent 10 kHz NA channels. No, I don't count all totals from Indianapolis, Philippines, & here together. I have separate logbooks from each location (totals here are 195 hrd, in 25 countries, 24 states - farthest west is Utah - & 4 provs). I'm planning to submit lists of Caribbean FEMs from time to time to aid in IDing some of them. Duties at the NASA STDN (Satellite Tracking & Data Network) Bermuda were operating antennas of UHF command uplink to Skylab (it's a satellite, Bruce) up to 2 weeks ago. Now I'm working in our PNE lab (precision measurement equipment), which job I hired on for. UHF Command will remain a collateral duty, though. Skylab makes a pass about every 1.5 hrs & we have contact w/ it h-10 minutes per pass--depending on its height above local horizon. Those few minutes are tense but all hell will break loose when Shuttle goes up & we're supporting live humans! Equipment is currently an SFR-h, a Palomar 1W loop, Matsushita RQ-500 T/R & phone-line antenna. The SM-2 is sick & will be repaired soon. As to the phone-line antenna, it works very well & seems to have an effective length of about 1000'. Due to numerous bends it seems to be non-directional. Daytime Groundwave Spectrum from Bermuda:

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| 540 WCTO Cypress Gardens, FL | 710 WGBS Miami, FL                            |
| 550 WOHG Pawtucket, RI       | 720 WJBR NYC                                  |
| 555 ZIZ St. Kitts            | 720 WJON Colon                                |
| 560 WGAN Portland, ME        | 730 WACE Chicopee, MA                         |
| WGAI Elizabeth, NC           | 740 WMBL Morehead, NC                         |
| 570 WPCA NYC                 | 750 WJVI 2nd harmonic of local 375 kHz beacon |
| 580 WKAQ San Juan, PR        | 770 WARC NYC                                  |
| 590 CMW Habana               | 780 ZBVI Roadtown, BVI                        |
| 600 WEEI Boston              | 790 WJAR Norfolk, VA                          |
| 600 CMKV Holguin             | WRAN Providence, RI                           |
| WICC Bridgeport, CT          | 800 WTVR Camden, NJ                           |
| 610 WIOD Miami, FL           | 810 WJVM San Juan, PR                         |
| WTP Philadelphia, PA         | WJY Schenectady, NY                           |
| 620 WVMJ Newark, NJ          |   |
| 630 WQBS San Juan, PR        |   |
| WPRO Providence              | 830 WNYC NYC                                  |
| 640 CMQ Habana               | 840 WVEF Cap Haitien, Haiti                   |
| 660 WNBC NYC                 | 850 WRAP Norfolk                              |
| 670 CMKP San Pedro, Cuba     | 870 WHOA San Juan, PR                         |
| 680 WAPA San Juan, PR        | 880 WCBS NYC                                  |
| WPTF Raleigh, NC             | 900 WEAS Savannah, GA                         |
| WRKO Boston                  | 920 WJAR Providence                           |
| 690 WAPE Jacksonville        | 930 WFBC St. John's NB                        |
| CBF Montreal                 | (To be continued soon.                        |
| 699 HJDC Valverde, DR        | 73 de Charlie)                                |



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A letter from Wm. E. Newbrough, on KNBR stationery: "I am writing in response to an item that appeared in the June issue of the DX MONITOR, which was just now brought to my attention. (Page 518). The Wm. Newbroughs at WMAQ and KNBR are one and the same. I was transferred from WMAQ in Chicago to KNBR in San Francisco in October of 1977. It may be that some of the QSL letters, with my signature, were being used after my transfer. This would account for the confusion."

### EDITORS DUE DATES TO HEADQUARTERS:

Masthead Date	Deadline at HQ
Sat Dec 9	Mon Dec 4
Sat Dec 16	Mon Dec 11
Sat Dec 23	Mon Dec 18
Sat Dec 30	Fri Dec 22
Sat Jan 6	Fri Dec 29
Sat Jan 13	Mon Dec 8

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# eastern dx roundup

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DEADLINES: Mondays All times are Eastern Local  
(Sats. before Xmas and New Years Day)  
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## Splatter:

"Station # 800." (see WFAK-1220)  
Roger Morby - NY  
"I have logged 65 new stations in past three weeks." Ian Meyers - NY  
"WSKI DX TEST for your state (VT), and state # 39 for me." Mike Brooker - ON  
"During the first five days of the month conditions were generally auroral, but things have been settling down since then....For three days 11/8-11/10 all areas of the country seemed to be doing equally well. This may explain my loggings on 1470 of KWSL, Sioux City, IA and WDOL, Athens, GA within three minutes of each other." Dave Faulkner - MI  
"First time to hear KKA from anywhere, state # 33 in two months." (see KKA-1560)  
Paul Mount - OH  
"MA # 50." (see WFGL-960) Linda Morby - NY  
"For once I've had some time when auroral cx prevail. I needed most of those stations." A. W. Luckey - DE  
"Brings me to 335 stations on MW."  
Denis Beaugard - QU  
"My farthest midday logging, 925 miles. (see 830)" Bill Townshend - DC  
"I did manage to scrape up two clears, which I have been trying for so long; and I finally have them, KSL & WOAL." David Pontanez - NY  
"My best catch so far this season." (see WTVN-610) Bryan Lee - CT  
"Election Day was great for DX'ing."  
Steven Miller - MA  
"Heard two of my most wanted stations, KRWN-880 and WKIS-740." Mike Brooker - ON  
"The world's quickest s/off." (WHLT-1300)  
Dave Faulkner - MI  
540 WDAK GA, Columbus 11/5 0245 On top here with rock mx. (AWL-DE)  
550 KTSA TX, San Antonio 11/13 0132-36 Fair at least 0132-36 w/rock, ID/promo 0132 "KTSA plays the most...and plays better music." WKRC and Cuban QRM, moderate QRN, long fades. New. (PRM-OH)  
560 WIND IL, Chicago 10/29 0130 6th on 560! (ed: additional info (?)) (DB-QU)  
570 CHYM ON, Kitchener 10/29 0135 "On 570 - CHYM". (DB-QU)  
WMAM WI, Marinette 11/10 0730 "It's 6:30 at WMAM", doing quite well in WKBN null mixing w/CHYM/WSYR. (DF-MI)  
580 WTAG MA, Worcester 10/14 2023 Fair w/nx. (DB-QU)  
590 WARM PA, Scranton 11/11 0713 Have never heard them so good. WEEI just barely underneath. Harry West show, T-40 mx. (BL-CT)  
600 WCAO MD, Baltimore 11/2 1923 Very poor buried u/WICC w/T-40 mx. (IM-NY)  
WMT IA, Cedar Rapids 11/11 0330 Good w/teletalk o/Cuban 0330 w/CST TC, "You're listening to Night Line on WMT in Cedar Rapids, Iowa." (PRM-OH)  
610 WIOD FL, Miami 11/13 2030 Jx ID, Mutual mx. Good o/u WIP. WIOD & WIP fighting it out. (WPT-DC)  
WSLC VA, Roanoke 11/10 1718 C/w mx, "another WSLC winner" or something like that. WTVN nulled, WIP on top here after 0730. (DF-MI)  
WTVN OH, Columbus 11/11 1649 Sports call-in talk show. #: 221-WTVN. Ad for a Chevy dealer located in Williamsport, Ohio. I called them, and the annrc was absolutely amazed. His exact words were "phenomenal" and "What kind of rig do you use?". After the phone call, I went to listen again. The annrc came on and said, "We just had a call all the way from Brooklyn, CT"; and the other annrc with him said, "They're everywhere tonite!" By far my best catch so far this season. Fair sig. (BL-CT)

650 WSM TN, Nashville 11/14 1632 Talk show by OM. Fair 70 mins before LSS. (WPT-MD)  
680 KKYX TX, San Antonio 11/3 1836 Well atop CTR w/cw mx, spot for 1st Nat'l Bank of San Antonio. (DF-MI)  
730 CKAC QU, Montreal 11/7 1810-1814 Xlnt at 1810-1814, sports, end of mxcast w/"CKAC" jx and ID then program promo. (KJ-GA)  
KWRE MO, Warrenton 11/11 1716 Good with Fball scores, country mx, then talk at 1722 about Indians in NM history, then mx, 1729 said Barbara Mandrell is #1 on the KWRE survey, "Country Service Radio". (PRM-OH)  
WARB LA, Covington 11/7 1800 S/off, announcer's name sounded like "Dave Curtis", ment 250 w. daytime power. (KJ-GA)  
WFMC NC, Goldsboro 11/11 1700 Good w/s/-off o/WPIK, "WFMC Goldsboro, N.C... WFMC operates...1000 watts...broadcast group..." (PRM-OH)  
WJYM OH, Bowling Green 11/11 0700 Good after WPIK/WFMC s/off w/ID. 2 IDs at 0700 into UPI news w/Ed (PRM-OH)  
WPIK VA, Alexandria 11/11 1658 Very good w/country, mention WKRA-FM at 1658, country song then s/off at 1700. (PRM-OH)  
WPIT PA, Pittsburgh 11/11 1635 Good, alone at 1635 w/mention of show on 101 FM. (PRM-OH)  
???? UNID, 11/11 1713 Good w/mor mx, then s/off 1715, ID like "WOMJ, 730 on your AM..." (PRM-OH)  
740 CBL ON, Toronto 11/8 0321 Show called "Mostly Music", Wednesday edition. Fair to good signal. (SDM-MA)  
WBAM AL, Montgomery 11/4 1845 "The Big Band in Montgomery" w/good sig with local like strength. Don't know why this has eluded me in the past. (AWL-DE)  
WKIS FL, Orlando 11/3 0139-0151 W/con-test promos, plug for Dolphins football, PSA for fire prevention-cum-ad for Firemen's Ball, "KISS" ID's and mx like "Get Closer" by Seals & Crofts. Fair sig thru strong CBL OC. (MB-ON)  
+ 11/4 0300 Fighting it out w/SS stn. No sign of CBL. (AWL-DE)  
WPAQ NC, Mt. Airy 11/4 1645 Good sig w/local ads. (AWL-DE)  
750 WSB GA, Atlanta 11/6 0432 Pretty song by Al Martino. Good signal, in like local. (SDM-MA)  
780 WBBM IL, Chicago 11/7 2300 First timer, in great. CBS Radio Network Nx and TC. Good. (SDM-MA)  
790 WETB TN, Johnson City 11/4 1715 On top at s/off. (AWL-DE)  
WQXI GA, Atlanta 11/4 0030 In good. (AWL-DE)  
800 CKLW ON, Windsor 11/8 0332 Canadian Nat'l Nx. Fairly good, QRM "Nx Radio 79, WEAN. (SDM-MA)  
810 KCMO MO, Kansas City 10/26 1945 Good in WGY null, "We only play the mx you want to hear." (AWL-DE)  
WMTS TN, Murfreesboro 10/24 1915 W/s/off announcement. No SSB. Fair o/WGY. (MB-ON)  
820 WBAP TX, Ft. Worth 11/13 0040 In well w/c/w mx, local WGY off. (LSM-NY)  
830 WCCO MN, Minneapolis 11/14 1237 Mushy, choppy signal, poor, unintelligible u/WNYC. OM heard at times albeit barely, just so you know something is there. My farthest midday logging at 925 miles. Hoping for better signal this winter. (WPT-MD)  
WNYO NY, New York 11/14 1235 Talk by OM, no ID but I'm familiar with Format. NRC log and Comm. World list 1000 w. 1000 watts my left foot! Probably 5-10 kw. Fair sig. (WPT-MD)  
(ed: Maybe they've got a good ant & it's properly loaded.)

840 WVPO PA, Stroudsburg 11/4 1645 W/ID, possible s/off way u/WHAS even w/WHAS nulled. (DF-MI)

850 WEAT FL, West Palm Beach 11/4 0205 Poor w/SS stn. (AWL-DE)

WKIX NC, Raleigh 11/6 0145 Noted after WJW s/off w/AT-40, no IDs but ment of Raleigh & spot for store in shopping center in Durham. Good w/KOA nulled. (DF-MI)

WPTB GA, Statesboro 11/4 0200 AP nx, "Southwest Georgia's best mx.", on top. (AWL-DE)

???? UNID, 10/16 0245 Tele-talk show (861 8257) with an ad for truck stop 120 mi west of Omaha & US Ski Assoc. (534-5931). Very heavy QRM. (DF-NY)

870 WHCU NY, Ithaca 11/8 1637 Nat'l & local nx, wx report (temp 47°F/8°C), ID by OM. Tentative now a positive. Good signal. (WPT-MD)  
(ed: Bryan Lee-CT has brought to our attention that this and Bill's previous logging on 870 (DXM for Oct. 28) is correctly WHCU, not the misprint, WCHU, listed in Comm. World.)

880 KRVN NE, Lexington 10/15 0713-0719 W/PSA For Nebraska Lung Assoc. for quitting smoking, message to chicken farmers about how to increase egg production. Mor mx, fair, way over WCBS. One of my most wanted stations, and Nebraska # 2. (MB-ON)

WRFD OH, Worthington 11/4 1700 Good in WCBS null. (AWL-DE)

900 CKTS QU, Sherbrooke 10/16 0025 Top-40 mx "Music Radio CKTS" jx heard clearly (interesting how I get this after I ask you about it, DXM for Oct. 7) CHML QRM. (DF-NY)  
(ed: yes, sort of a double-check.)  
11/7 0027 Poor signal but strong at times. Lotsa QRM. (SDM-MA)

+ WJTH GA, Calhoun 11/8 1713 ID fair thru surprisingly strong WEAS. Had rr mx. (DF-MI)

910 CKLY ON, Lindsay 10/13 2300 Baseball. Fair. (DB-QU)

WRCQ CT, New Britain 11/6 2003 Having lots of trouble overcoming unID LA station. Never heard them so weak. (BL-CT)

920 CKCY ON, Sault Ste. Marie 10/12 0200-0219 W/nx, spot for Modern Cab Taxi, wx, contest promos, rock mx. Fair - good o/WJAR. (MB-ON)

WGST GA, Atlanta 11/3 2320 O/u WTTM w/"Radio 92 Trivia Time". (AWL-DE)

WMMN WV, Fairmont 11/13 0029 Good with Steelers Locker Room pgm, spot for Zenith/Stop & Go Food Stores in the tri-state area 0033, spot ment 583 Morgantown Ave. in Fairmont, is on Steelers' FB net, then jx ID into nx. (PRM-OH)

WMNI OH, Columbus 10/29 0325 Fair(DB-QU)  
(ed: additional info (?))

930 WBEN NY, Buffalo 11/8 0427 Poor but audible signal, QRM from neighbor WPAT -NJ. (SDM-MA)

WCNR PA, Bloomsburg 11/11 0737 Xlnt signal w/nx, wx & sx and an ad for Hawkins Chev.-Olds in Danville. New. (BL-CT)

WJAX FL, Jacksonville 11/3 2320 Female anncr ment local elections. Fair. (AWL-DE)

WVNH NH, Rochester 10/14 1905 Baseball. Fair, QRM from WBEN on 930. (DB-QU)

940 WCPC MS, Houston 11/7 1729 My best so far. For how long I've been trying to log a Mississippi station! Finally w/WCPC ID and sponsors for local election returns, in CBM null. State # 29. (IM-NY)

WMAZ GA, Macon 11/7 1700 Song, "I Just Wanna Stop" into CBS nx. (IM-NY)

950 KLIK MO, Jefferson City 11/13 1749 Wrigley's Spearmint Gum ad, DJ was Steve Mitchell, into ABC-Contemp. Nx 1755. This first heard previous night on car radio!. (KJ-GA)

KPRC TX, Houston 11/13 1817 W/traffic report & sports. (KJ-GA)

KXJK AR, Forest City 11/13 1747 "Your Nx & Info. Station" into nx & spot for 1st Nat'l Bank of East. AR. (KJ-GA)

WLIT OH, Steubenville 11/2 1715 S/off u/partially nulled WWJ & o/WKAZ, no SSB but clear ID. (DF-MI)

960 WFGL MA, Fitchburg 11/1 2104 In well w/clear ID at 2104 during auroral cx. MA # 50. (LSM-NY)

WHYL PA, Carlisle 11/11 0741 T-40 mx, ID: "Y-96", ad for (?)Bontime in the Carlisle Plaza Mall. Great sig, no sign of WELI!. New. (BL-CT)

WTCB WI, Shawano 11/9 1725 Rr mx, drawn out ID by OM, o/WFIR & co. Long wanted. (DF-MI)

970 WAVE KY, Louisville 11/3 2315 "Ninety-Seven WAVE" at 2315 on top(AWL-DE)

WCSH ME, Portland 10/13 2200 NBC Nx, then ID, "CSH". (DB-QU)

WHA WI, Madison 11/9 1727 W/report on something from NRP YL correspondent in DC, into Wisconsin state news. (DF-MI)

980 CBV QU, Quebec 10/14 2000 Weak, CKGM nulled by TRF antenna. I have now logged all stations in Quebec City. (DB-QU)

WTRY NY, Troy 11/6 2000 Having same problem overcoming unID LA station as WRCQ. Both stations had trouble getting out, which is unusual since both are pesky regulars. Must have been a bad night. (BL-CT)

990 CBW MB, Winnipeg 10/9 0100 ID "CBC in Manitoba", then nx. (DB-QU)

CBY NF, Cornerbrook 11/9 2318 In well at 2318 w/end of CBC nx, ID, into bagpipe mx. (LSM-NY)

1010 CFRB ON, Toronto 11/7 1901 Wiping out WINS. Had T-40 mx, then nx.(BL-CT)

1050 KMIS MO, Portageville 11/4 1745 Strong w/s/off at 1745. Could've been the one here a few minutes earlier w/MO U. f'ball. (DF-MI)

KSIS MO, Sedalia 11/4 1745-1800 Way o/CHUM 1745-1800 s/off. ID also noted thru KMIS at 1736. (DF-MI)

KSOH AR, Little Rock 11/4 1800 Thru KSIS s/off, still there after for a moment, ID, "Little Rock, Arkansas" heard about 4 times. (DF-MI)

WDZ IL, Decatur 11/4 1740 ID here weak w/much QRM. (DF-MI)

WHGI GA, Augusta 11/5 1730 Way o/CHUM w/gospel mx, s/off using new call letters. (DF-MI)

WSEN NY, Baldwinsville 10/24 0820 On top. (AWL-DE)

1070 WCIR WV, Beckley 11/4 1620 Good signal. (AWL-DE)

\*WFLI\* TN, Lookout Mtn. 10/16 0315 Testing with music, strong at times. ON-J mx & "WFLI" jx. (DF-NY)

\*????\* UNID, 11/6 0045-0103 Testing with tone. Engineer was fooling around with pitch control. "Boing" (?) effects with tone. Not too strong sig. No ID. (DF-NY)

1080 WMVR OH, Sidney 11/4 1715 ID, weak under WOAP s/off. (DF-MI)

WZTQ WV, Hurricane 11/4 1630 On top, ment oil tanker explosion in St. Albans area. (AWL-DE)

1110 WBT NC, Charlotte 11/6 0442 Xlnt signal NC Fed'l Bank spot, ID & TC(SDM-MA) 11/6 1959 (1090, 1100, 1120 and even 1130) What a mess. QRM noticed even under ever present WNEW! It sounded like they increased power to 500 kw or moved their xmtr to my back yard! hi. (BL-CT)

+ 1150 CJRC ON, Ottawa 11/7 1851 Good signal but fadey. FF mor mx. Playing oldies. Heard ment of Ottawa. u/WACQ. (BL-CT)

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WNDB FL, Daytona Beach 10/31 0130-0135 W/Larry King show, Mutual nx, ad for Pennzoil, ID as "This is the sound of Daytona...WNDB", spot for a Halloween Haunted House. Fair - good o/CJRC in a CKOC SP. (MB-ON)

1160 KSL UT, Salt Lake City 11/9 0002 CBS Nx, "10:06" TC & "KSL-1160-for your information" into KSL news. Weak sig, deep fades. About time I got this. State # 26. (DF-NY)

1170 WAMB TN, Donnelson (Nashville) 11/9 1745 In o/WWVA/KVOO w/s/off doing surprisingly well. (DF-MI)

WHLW NJ, Lakewood (comment) re: Bill Townshend's logging of WHLW-1170 (DXM for Oct. 28). In the 4/1/78 DXM under "Broadcasting Information" it shows that the FCC denied their renewal; though in the new NRC log, it does show them listed. (BL-CT) (ed: Must be they're still there.)

1180 ???? UNID, 11/5 0200 About 0200 heard SS talk. Would think this might be the VOA station located in FL. It is technically a domestic without the right call. (BL-CT)

1190 t\*WKOX\* MA, Framingham 11/13 0309 WOWO off heard weak ID at 0309, this foll'd by Dave Mason mx and variable TT's ID sounded like "WKAX", but heard "Framingham". Can anyone verify if this was on for sure? (KJ-GA)

1200 WOAI TX, San Antonio 11/9 2215+ CBS Mystery Theatre. Later CBS mx, WOAI Salute to Veteran's Day, into The World Tomorrow at 2315. Weak but very clear at times. Believe it or not, the Venezuelan was giving problems (it comes in almost every night). This is state # 27 & one of my most wanteds. (DF-NY)

1220 CKSM QU, Shawinigan 11/1 2036 O/u/WGAR w/nx broadcast in FF. Hoped to get enuf info for log report, but no dice. (IM-NY)

+ 11/9 2350 FF rocker in WGAR's null w/a good signal. "CKSM" jx at 0000, nx and then "CKSM-douze-vingt" ID, into Boston mx. Slight fades, not bad. New. (DF-NY)

WFAX VA, Falls Church 11/1 1659 Fair to poor w/ID, s/off, at end of Chaplain Ray pgm. QRM from WGAR/CJSS. Stn # 800. (RAM-NY)

WSOQ NY, N. Syracuse 10/24 0830 Local ads. Good. (AWL-DE)

KLPW MO, Union 11/7 1732 ID o/mess with WGAR nulled. (DF-MI)

WBCH MI, Hastings 11/5 1700 ID o/nulled WGAR, no real competition from anyone else here at all. Doing surprisingly well. (DF-MI)

WERT OH, Van Wert 11/7 1700 MBS nx at 1700, spot for Chevy truck dealer in Van Wert 1708 mixing w/a number of others. Stations in & out here this PM like nothing I've ever heard. A real war. (DF-MI)

WFKN KY, Franklin 11/8 1647 ID in a big mess, Fair sigs. (DF-MI)

WKMT NC, King's Mountain 11/7 1700 ID briefly atop, then u/rapidly building WERT. (DF-MI)

WJUN PA, Mexico 11/8 1640 Similar cx today as on 11/7, many stations battling for dominance in WGAR null. WJUN briefly atop w/ID, mention of Mexico, much mention of Pennsylvania doing quite well for a while. (DF-MI)

WREV NC, Reidsville 11/7 1700 ID directly after WKMT ID, then u/WERT. Not noted again. (DF-MI)

1230 WCRO PA, Johnstown 11/2 1723 "It's 5:23 WCRO Nx Time", then continuing nx & wx for Johnstown. Good sig dominating freq. Wonder if they might have cut power late. (DF-MI)

WFAI NC, Fayetteville 11/13 0231 Fair w/TC "Newstime is 2:31". Jingle, "WFAI Playing through" and talk mentioning WFAI 0231 o/QRM (PRM-OH)

WXCF VA, Clifton Forge 10/26 2020 Weak in pile. (AWL-DE)

1240 WDXY SC, Sumter 11/6 0015 Noted w/ID while waiting for WCNC r/c, which showed up immediately after WDXY ID. Fair sigs. (DF-MI)

WFTM KY, Maysville 11/3 0700 Atop good with ID. (DF-MI)

WJTN NY, Jamestown 11/11 0358 Good with Inst mx, then ID at 0400 for AM/FM into nx. (PRM-OH)

WKDA TN, Nashville 11/13 0243 Good o/QRM w/country mx, contest w/Chevrolet, then promo "WKDA Nashville Country" at 0246. (PRM-OH)

1250 CBOF ON, Ottawa 11/1 2032 Good with FF Broadcast of hockey game. Must have been a Canadian junior hockey game, because the Montreal Canadiens were not playing. (IM-NY)

CHWO ON, Oakville 11/11 1620-1630 Good w/foreign language pgm (French?) at 1620-1630 then ID in 2E and talk of other programs. Foreign QRM also. (PRM-OH)

WEER VA, Warrenton 11/4 1700 w/WTAE/WXOX ID, into nx. Fair sigs. (DF-MI)

WIPS NY, Ticonderoga 11/9 1630 Pretty much alone here in WXOX/WTAE null, various spots, ID, slight CHWO QRM. (DF-MI) (ed: Very good, surprised you heard "Ti" way out in MI!)

WLEM PA, Emporia 11/7 1655 In briefly w/WTAE in WXOX fade w/ID & much mention of western PA. (DF-MI)

1260 CIHI NB, Fredericton 11/1 2028 Surprise! w/ID "Winning experience from your friends at CIHI". Excellent. (IM-NY)

+ 11/1 2110 Totally predominant on freq at 2110 w/r&r mx & ID. (LSM-NY) (ed: note above two about 1/2 hr of each other.)

t WBBG OH, Cleveland 11/13 0305-0314 Believe this w/segues oldies 0305-0314 after NBC nx at 0300. Jingle after nx sounded like WBBG but no other IDs heard. Thought they had talk format. QRM from WNDE talk and WWDC rock. (PRM-OH)

WEZE MA, Boston 11/9 2330 End of rlg's pgm & ment of "inspirational radio in Boston...WEZE". WNDR vying for freq. New. (DF-NY)

1270 WTSN NH, Dover 11/9 2334 Top 40 format. Clear for about 5 mins. Came in unexpectedly w/ID "1270 Radio...WTSN" Faded out and never came back. (DF-NY)

Drat. Also new. (DF-NY)

WXYZ MI, Detroit 10/17 0405 End of AC news, quit smoking ad, ment of sx show 6-8 pm featuring Matt Pavlich. Into Top 40. WSPR QRM bad. (DF-NY)

+ 11/13 0025 Predominant w/ad for lube job at some local garage, mx, Time check 0025. (LSM-NY)

1280 CKCV QU, Quebec 11/5 2139 In predominant in FF o/CJMS/WADO w/clear ID, "C-K-C-V, Quebec, 12-80". (LSM-NY)

WGSO LA, New Orleans 11/3 2350 Losing battle w/SS stn. 2-way talk show my favorite format a la WKDB. (AWL-DE)

1290 WGLI NY, Babylon 11/1 1644 1/2 Xlnt w/ID just before pattern change when it disappeared totally. Only 2nd time heard. (RAM-NY)

WHKY NC, Hickory 11/3 2355 W/local nx, poor. (AWL-DE)

1300 WHLT IN, Huntington 11/3 1730 rr mx, then world's quickest s/off; "This is WHLT, AM & FM, Huntington, IN" and gone, no SSB, no s/off annmnt etc. Good sig thru WOOD. (DF-MI)

WKCY VA, Harrisonburg (date? time?) CW at s/off. (AWL-DE)

1320 \*WHHO\* NY, Hornell 11/13 0030 On for ET u/probable WKTC. (LSM-NY)

WSCR PA, Scranton 11/11 0645 ment of "using high power", mor mx, slow jx ID. Very good sig. New. (BL-CT)

1330 WYGO KY, Corbin 11/9 1712 Through w/two very nice IDs at 1712. Much QRM from the usual group of pests. (DF-MI)

1350 WNLK CT, Norwalk 11/6 1952 Political ad for Ron Sarasin for Governor, T-40 mx. Rarely blasts in this loud. Excellent signal for 500 w. (BL-CT)

WZIX PA, York 11/6 0578 Another first timer from this rcvr by a unanimous one vote decision, this declared my best. Lotsa QRM but audible. (SDM-MA)

1360 WPPA PA, Pottsville 11/1 1725 In fair w/many ments of Pottsville & Schuylkill county. Heard u/WDRG at 1725. (RAM-NY & LSM-NY)

WSAI OH, Cincinnati 11/4 1900 "Country Fresh WSAI" on top. (AWL-DE)

1370 WCOA FL, Pensacola 11/4 0010 Anita Bryant w/political msg. on top. (AWL-DE)

1380 (WAMS) DE, Wilmington 11/4 2015 Off with xmtr problems. (AWL-DE)

WMLP PA, Milton 11/13 1645 Predominant on freq at s/off at 1645. (LSM-NY)

WNVR CT, Naugatuck 11/8 0600 In well at 0600 w/ID as "14-N-V-R" o/UNID s/on. (LSM-NY)

1390 WLAN PA, Lancaster 11/7 2213 Election Day catch. QRM, poor sig. (SDM-MA)

WTJS TN, Jackson 11/5 2330 w/WVON/WFBL partially nulled here w/ID, two PSAs. Fair sig. (DF-MI)

WVON IL, Chicago 11/11 0140 Very good w/soul mx at 0140, ID and TC over WFBL and one w/ABC/E nx at 0132. (PRM-OH)

1400 \*WHCC\* NC, Waynesville (11/13) 0040-0043 Fair w/f/c TT w/full IDs each min giving phonetic alphabet. (KJ-GA)

1420 WOC IA, Davenport 11/11 0145 Good u/-WHK w/easy listen "Moonlight In Vermont" (ed: how nice) at 0145 & into wx and ID. Hoping for WWSR-VT testing. (PRM-OH)

1430 WEIR WV, Weirton 11/11 0148 Good+ with "Celebration" rock song, YL DJ contest promo about Steelers game, win dinner at Holiday Inn in Weirton, "The Ohio Valley's Sports Connection", 14-30, WEIR" into rock at 0148. (PRM-OH)

1460 CKRB QU, St. Georges de Beauce 11/4 2326 Mess on 1460 but just atop w/ID and FF mx. Fair. (IM-NY)

+ 11/6 2138 Mor FF dribble by DJ. Excellent o/WBET & WOKO. (BL-CT)

KSO IA, Des Moines 11/13 0051 Fair w/-country, jingle at 0051. QRM from WCMB and WBNS, one talk, one rlg at the time. (PRM-OH)

WPRW VA, Manassas 11/4 2329 ID "1460-AM WPRW" surfacing for ID in CKRB null. Fair. (IM-NY)

1470 CHOW ON, Welland 11/11 1608 Good ending Saturday Sports Special at 1608, ID, "broadcasting from our country estate" country mx, Wild Bill DJ. This an hour+ before sunset. (PRM-OH)

KWSL IA, Sioux City 11/9 0704, 0709 noted first w/nx for various parts of Iowa, then later w/rr mx, YL annr & nice ID. Someone had s/on here 0700 w/very slow instrumental SSB. Could've been KWSL-was from same direction. (DF-MI)

WDCL FL, Dunedin 11/6 1744 S/off a big surprise through WOHO/WBIG QRM, nice ID. (DF-MI)

WDOL GA, Athens 11/9 1717 ID noted in the mess while waiting for KWSL to re-surface. Weak. (DF-MI)

WRGA GA, Rome 11/6 1727 ID, much mention of Rome through WOHO/WBIG QRM. Fair signal. (DF-MI)

1490 WAEY WV, Princeton 11/4 1900 SID barely readable in much QRM. (DF-MI)

WDAN IL, Danville 11/3 1759 On top w/ID, into nx. (DF-MI)

WESB PA, Bradford 11/9 1700 On top with good sigs, ID, then back down into the mess, probably due to power cut. (DF-MI)

WMPX MI, Midland 11/11 0300 Atop w/ID mentioning "Midland County, WM--" & into UPI news. Call to station confirmed. (PRM-OH)

WYTL WI, Oshkosh 11/5 1719 Here battling WMPX/WABJ for dominance for about the next half hour. Had many IDs, c/w mx, no spots noted at all. (DF-MI)

+ 11/11 0237-0250 Good w/country, YL DJ, spot for Mark Furniture on Commercial Ave. in Neenah, ID into wx at 0243. (PRM-OH)

1500 WDEE MI, Detroit 11/11 0255 Good w/contest "15 minutes to call the Big D" c/w format. (PRM-OH)

1510 WLAC TN, Nashville 11/4 2024 Pablo Cruise's "Don't Want To Live Without It", Good in WITS null. (IM-NY)

1520 WIBG NJ, Ocean City 11/6 1642 Fair to good 1642 w/ID. In and out w/WKBW & UNID, probably unneeded WCHE. NJ # 20. (RAM-NY)

1540 CHIN ON, Toronto 11/2 1700 In total WPTF null w/sign off. (IM-NY)

KRXV TX, Ft. Worth 11/4 1833 Clobbering partially nulled KXEL w/cw sounding mx, much talk, spots. (KXEL was unusually weak this PM till about 2000) (DF-MI)

WANL AL, Lineville 11/3 1745 Caught end of s/off at 1745 u/KXEL. (DF-MI)

WADK RI, Newport 11/6 1030 Legal ID, nx, story about lowering speed limits in Rhode Island. (Who cares!! hi) (IM-NY)

WDON MD, Wheaton 11/7 1651 "New one from Andy Gibb on WDON". (IM-NY)

WKIE VA, Richmond 11/7 1659 ex-WRGM, nx w/story of families refusing to pay water bills. (IM-NY)

1550 KOKA LA, Shreveport 11/3 1813 All alone in CBE null w/soul mx, SID, talk by black DJ. (DF-MI)

WAAY AL, Huntsville 11/1 1732-1740 With giveaway of Birmingham Bulls hockey tickets, two paid political announcements (one G.O.P., one Demo.), plug for WAAY's second annual all-volunteer Xmas parade, spot for Sound Distributors, Stereo Dealers, "Way" IDs. Fair until killed by CBE. (MB-ON)

+ 11/11 1743 Good w/CBE nulled with spot IHOP (?) at 3001 S. Parkway. F'ball scores, FDU lost, "Your Radio Station WAAY" into rock. (PRM-OH)

WBSC SC, Bennettsville 11/8 0743 Very good w/mention of Carolina Coast, next Marlboro County weather. Spot for Hamer Electric Co. in Bennettsville then wx at 0745, 58 degrees in Radio Park, "Another Service of WBSC Radio News". (PRM-OH)

WCTW IN, New Castle 11/4 1847 Local ad heard u/WCVL. (AWL-DE)

WCVL IN, Crawfordsville 11/4 1845 c/w mx between games of regional volleyball tourney. On top at 1845. Good sig for only 250 w. (AWL-DE)

WKBA VA, Vinton 11/7 1606 Ment of C&W concert in Virginia area. (IM-NY)

WNTN MA, Newton 11/7 1615 "WNTN It's 4:15" ad for local insurance agent. (IM-NY)

WTTT PA, Tonawanda 11/2 1641 S/off with ment of FM affiliate on 95.3 MHz. (IM-NY)

\*WXVA\* WV, Charles Town 10/23 0100-0135 ET'ing w/simulcast of FM station, WZFM. Played rock mx w/OC where there would be ads on FM. Nx & wx at 0130. Good signal. (MB-ON)

+ 11/7 1642 Very good dominant for a minute w/"open House" crafts store in Charles Town. ID "XVA". (IM-NY)

1560 KKAA SD, Aberdeen 11/13 0110 Weak ending drug talk, gave address in SF, wx, then what sounded like a prayer for a radio station and listeners, then a louder 0113 w/full ID and nothing else heard. QRM from preacher. State # 33. (PRM-OH)

WAGL SC, Lancaster 11/8 0746 ID as I tuned in, "I'm Tony Grey reporting for "Wagel", the Carolina's greatest music station" into rock 0746. Good o/unID QRM. (PRM-OH)

\*WBKC\* OH, Chardon 11/6 0105-0120 Noted ET'ing w/rock mx and frequent ID jingles. Fair-good w/no KKAA. (MB-ON)

WDXR KY, Paducah 11/13 0106 Fair w/end NBC nx 0106, sign off mention Box 2427, no SSB heard. WQXR, other QRM and slight CBE slop. Should this WDXR report go to Nancy Hardy's column, hi? (PRM-OH)

WWBK NY, Brockport 11/2 1641 Story in Itself on this logging. While bandscanning I stopped on WQXR for a moment. During a pause in a cl song, heard WWBK Brockport legal ID. (IM-NY)

1570 WBUX PA, Doylestown 11/2 1632 u/o CKLM w/nx on county court cases. (IM-NY)

WKOL NY, Amsterdam 11/2 1619 C&W version of "Whenever I See Your Smiling Face". Fair-very poor. (IM-NY)

1590 WAKR OH, Akron 11/5 0000 In almost total WQQW null w/WAKR nx. Fair. (IM-NY)

WARV RI, Warwick 11/2 1542 o/u mess w/religious programming & ID & wx. Fair. (IM-NY)

WCCR IL, Urbana 11/13 1745 Noted w/s/-off, ment "...our service is a product of the free enterprise system" (KJ-GA)

WDBL TN, Springfield 11/13 1733 Fair w/local nx at 1733, ad for "Roscoe Halsey's 66 Service Center" (KJ-GA)

WQIQ PA, Chester 11/2 1603 Fair suddenly atop pile w/"QIQ" nx and legal ID. (IM-NY)

1600 CHNR ON, Simcoe 11/4 2352 "...on CHNR moving" (?) Vickie Sue Robinson mx. (IM-NY)

+ 11/11 1808 Good o/WFRM mentioning Hungarian Hall in Delhi, ID, spot for Stelco's Barbed Wire and w-, "It's 7° Celsius at CHNR" into Meatloaf Recipe time. Lasted to 1618 tune out. (PRM-OH)

WAAM MI, Ann Arbor 11/11 1800 Atop after WFRM jx w/mention Stadium Blvd and "WAAM Ann Arbor" jx into news w/Sue Ellen. (PRM-OH)

WFRM NC, Reidsville 11/11 1745-1818 Fair-LOUD w/rock, ID's as "16-FRC" spot WFRM Turkey Trot at 1755, legal ID in jx 1800. WEUP/CHNR/WAAM QRM. (PRM-OH)

WUNR MA, Brookline 11/4 2349 Through much slop w/ID "WUNR Super-1600". Fair but QSB. (IM-NY)

DX TESTS  
 1240 WSKI VT, Montpelier 1/30 0030-0110 With TT's, frequent IDs, jazz mx by the Tijuana Brass. Phone number was 802-223-5275. (I didn't call them!) Poor to unreadable, but I got some clear IDs on tape for state # 39 and all states east of the Mississippi. (MB-ON)

PER THE LIST  
 1240 WCNC NC, Elizabeth City 11/6 0015-0030 F/c w/500 Hz TT, IDs by OM speaking very slowly and given about every minute. Very good sigs dominating the channel on TT, IDs not too well modulated & rather indistinct. (DF-MI)

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To Dave Faulkner: Have found all your recent comments most interesting. Sorry that space does not allow printing all of them in this column. What do you know, have found that one logging got away and has been left out. Oh, well, we'll throw it in with next week's.

73 and good DX Bob Curtis

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OF SPECIAL INTEREST

650 WSM TN Nashville 11/12 0600-0700 WSM has regularly gone off the air SM's from 0600-0700. I've found them off 4 out of the last 6 Sunday mornings. The other 2 mornings I was not up. They occasionally do a little testing but it doesn't last long. So everybody up. (RS) (noted off 11/19 here--ed)

1140 KMJJ NV Las Vegas 11/4 0444 In fair while trying for CBI sign on. Numerous mentions of KMJJ and Magic-11 with promo for contest. (PAL) (This was on SM during WRVA's SP. Paul, I beleive CBI signs on later on SM...like after WRVA does--ed)

600 CFCH ON North Bay fair 11/19 0634 w/ rr, "Super 600" promo. During WMT SM SP. (RAL)

ID'ING the UNIDS  
 930 ???? (SM-MA) (see EDXR for Oct. 28th) Steve, your UNID is probably WBen Buffalo, NY, as they would most likely play K-C and the Sunshine Band. (BL-CT)

1560 \*????\* (PRM-OH) (see EDXR for Oct. 28th) Denis Beauregard suggests that this could be KKAA. If so, Paul has already resolved the question, see KKAA-1560 above.

Thanks to Bryan Lee and Denis Beauregard for offers of help with other UNIDS and tentatives; which have already been resolved, notably CFYN, WZTQ and WTDQ.

620 KWFT TX Wichita Falls 11/10 0459-0506 SSB vocal by Robt. Goulet, s/on w/ calls, CBS nx, regional nx. Signal fair w/ dips and fades, unid QRM. (JL)

660 KSKY TX Dallas 11/4 1800 Good signal w/ ID "The 10,000 watt voice of the Gospel in the great Southwest", spot for a Bible store and into program called Words of Truth. (PAL)

790 KGHL MT Billings good 11/19 0727 w/ MoR, wx (temp 0°). (RAL)

910 KRIO TX McAllen 11/10 0432-0442 ID w/ calls, rr mx. Signal faint, mixing w/ WOKK, u/ local WJCS. (JL)

940 WFNC NC Fayetteville 11/10 0423-0426 ID: "Country 94-WFNC", cw mx. Signal weak, fluttering w/ QSB. (JL)

950 KIMN CO Denver 11/10 0405-0412 wx (temp. 32°), calls, rr mx, ID "Music Radio-Kim" (pronounced as one word). Signal fair w/ fast flutter, slight QSB. (JL)

970 WMAY IL Springfield 11/10 0353-0357 cw mx, wx (temp. 45°), ID w/ calls. Signal poor w/ QSB, fluttering, QRM from WAVE, WFLA. (JL)

1070 WAPI AL Birmingham 0757-0810 11/7 Fair to good w/ mx-ID as Alabama's favorite radio station-WAPI-home of the Tom & Jim Show. NBC nx at 0800. Wx and various spots. (PAL) Fair 0605 11/19 o/u CBA/KNX w/ NBC nx, wx, MoR. During local WTSO's SM SP. (RAL) //(RAL)

WGOS NC High Point fair 11/19 0616 w/ s/on.  
CBA NB Winston poor thru KNX/WAPI QRM 0559 11/19 w/ Oh Canada, s/on. Better at 0607 during wx. (RAL)

1150 WKKN IL Rockford 11/11 0841 Fair w/ spot for local airline (Air Illinois), then into wx. (PAL) (Paul, they changed to these calls a couple of years ago--ed)

1230 WAUD AL Auburn 11/11 0755-0805 Very strong w/ spot for bank and news. I wasn't really paying much attention to this one, just assumed it was a semi-local.

WCOL OH Columbus 11/11 0755-0805 //(RS) Barely audible, just lucky enough to catch ID with the finish of news. Much interference from WAUD. (RS)

1240 KAKE KS Wichita 11/4 0323 In fair thru GY mess w/ sx (??? please don't use this abbreviation, it has no meaning--ed) and annmt. for Decision 78 election coverage. (PAL)

1280 KSOK KS Arkansas City 11/11 0916-0918 Fair to good with various spots and schedule for state football playoffs. (PAL)

1290 WIRL IL Peoria 11/10 0305-0314 Calls, wx (temp. 42°), rr mx, ad for Sugar Bowl trip, YL anc. Signal fair to poor w/ QSB, fluttering, QRM from several stns. (JL)

1310 KEIN MT Great Falls 10/30 2100 In over WIBA w/ ID and into Ae nx. (PAL)

1320 KKOJ MO Clayton 11/11 0700 Sign on easily heard. This is the former KADI. (RS)

KELO SD Sioux Falls 11/8 0843 Poor w/ ID: 13-KELO, spot for Wrigley's Gum and spot for clothing store. Seldom heard here. (PAL) 11/10 0336-0340 ID: 13-KELO, rr mx, calls, DJ Wally Walker, PSA for Amer. Vet. Medical Assn. Signal good to poor, mixing w/ KXYZ, some QSB. (JL)

KXYZ TX Houston 11/4 0333-0335 In fair w/ Ae nx followed by ID: KXYZ Houston. (PAL)

1390 WCSC SC Charleston 11/10 1949-1952 wx (temp. 63°), ID: "14-CSC", rr mx. Signal poor w/ QSB, QRM from WROA, XEOR. (JL)

1430 WIRE IN Indianapolis 11/11 0333-0340 ID w/ calls, country-rock mx, more calls, ad for LD Telephone. Signal fair to poor w/ QSB, fluttering, displacement by KELI. (JL)

1440 KEYS TX Corpus Christi 11/8 2345-2348 ID "KEYS" pronounced as one word, TC, wx, rr mx. Signal poor w/ QSB, QRM from several stns. (JL)

1460 WTMB WI Tomah 11/11 1002-1008 Fair with spots for lumber store, IGA Foodstore and into Earl Nightingale program. (PAL)

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Bob's and Paul's reports of WSM and KMJJ prompted me to get up early this past SM to do some DXing. I woke up after WRVA signed on and I was unable to ID the SS stn on 650 due to line noise but I was fairly successful on other frequencies. I'd like to challenge any DXers who are unable to DX on Monday mornings to try some Sunday morning DX. There are quite a few stations with SPs on SM, including such powerhouses as WSM, WHO, WBT, WRVA, and WHAM. Also, some NSPers have been known to pick SM to sign off for maintenance. Another advantage to SM DXing is that many stations sign on later than on other days so that sign on and sunrise skip DXing is different. On another matter, I use the following abbreviations for ABC's different networks: Ai-American Information, Ae-American Entertainment, Ac-American Contemporary. These are the abbreviations used by the NRC Log and since they're the abbreviations for these networks that have any kind of acceptance by DXers, they will be the ones that I use in this column. Well, 73, DX, and REPORT!

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 660 KOWH NE, Omaha 11/17 0701 in fair w/ complete s/on annct. by OM. (DAK-WA)  
 710 \*KFIA\* CA, Carmichael 11/8 1948 good w/OC in KMPC/KIRO null, turned off OC at 2000. (RW-CA)  
 720 WGN IL, Chicago unusually massive signal w/tele-talk show. Had to null it to hear KDWN! 11/9 2350. Good cx to east this night. (NHP-BC)  
 740 KBRT CA, Avalon 10/30 in good w/s/on annct. (DAK-WA)  
 740 KTRH TX, Houston 11/9 0215 ID, good sig u/KCBS. (DG-OR)  
 790 KXQR CA, Clovis 11/16 0859 45 sec. s/on ID o/KABC. (DG-OR)  
 790 KBRV ID, Soda Springs 11/16 0822 ID after song. (DG-OR)  
 830 KIKI HI, Honolulu 11/16 0020 w/Wolfman Jack show; alone, no WCCO. (DG-OR)  
 870 KAIM HI, Honolulu 11/16 0025 o/u WWL w/MOR mx. (DG-OR)  
 880 WCBS NY, New York City 11/9 0230 ID fair o/Cuban. (DG-OR)  
 910 \*KNEW\* CA, Oakland 11/13 0444+ Tting off & on w/unID SS under. Back on RS at 0540. (DFJ-CA)  
 920 KVEC CA, San Luis Obispo 11/13 0531 fading up w/"Keep it on KVEC..." station promo, top 40 mx. (DFJ-CA)

920 KELP TX, El Paso 11/13 0535 popping thru KORK/KVEC mess w/ "PSA from K-E-L-P" for mass communications majors.(DFJ)

940 KIQA IA, Des Moines 11/13 0720 ID w/top 40 mx; good signal. (DG-OR)

940 KIXZ TX, Amarillo 11/13 0729 w/top 40.(DFJ)

940 KBRE UT, Cedar City 11/16 0815 w/top 40 mx u/KFRE; good ID. (DG-OR)

970 KCHV CA, Coachella 11/8 1938 good w/ad for Wright TV & Appliance, "Village Bootlegger," then SID. KUZZ soon took over. (RW-CA)

980 KVLV NV, Fallon 11/16 0910 ID, then C&W mx; poor. (DG-OR)

1000 \*KOMO\* WA, Seattle 11/13 0548+ heard Tting (for a change) w/ID at 0601. Nothing in nulls. (DFJ-CA)

1030 KCTA TX, Corpus Christi 11/13 0710-0716 in wicked mess w/Jimmy Swaggert, ID at :15, into more relig. programs.(DFJ)

1040 KPOI HI, Honolulu 10/30 0556 in fair w/TC "4 before 1 o'clock." (DAK-WA)  
+11/16 0058 way o/WHO; good sig. w/top 40 mx. (DG-OR)

1050 KOFY CA, San Mateo 11/16 2059 s/off ID in SS; no real ID, just ment. of "kofy." Is this legal? (DG-OR)

1050 CKAL BC, Vernon 11/8 2002 fair w/"C-kal" nx, ment. of a Paul St. hotel meeting, then soon gone u/XED, powerline QRM. (RW-CA)

1060 \*KPAY\* CA, Chico 11/13 0425-0434 noted Tting & OC intermittently o/KKKQ & CFCN.(DFJ)

1130 KLEI HI, Kailua 11/9 0245 w/Hawaiian mx u/CKWX; fair signal. (DG-OR)

1150 CKIQ BC, Kelowna 11/8 2015 a big surprise, way o/1150 mess w/"Q Sports," BC hockey scores; soon faded out, though w/KAYO taking over, minor KLOK-1170 slop. (RW-CA)

1240 KSUE CA, Susanville 11/9 0306 fair at s/off w/prayer, then off w/no NA. KROY/XECG down, KESE nulled. (RW-CA)

1240 KDIG CA, San Bernardino 11/8 0301 new, ex-KBON. Election returns from the "K-dig election central," only new catch on election night. KESE easily subdued. (RW-CA)

1280 KGSO LA, New Orleans at 0355 11/6, heard OM say "telephone no. is 588-WGSO, hello you're on the air," then faded down again. KIT off I guess? Strange but fine DX recently. (NHP-BC)

1320 KHSJ CA, Hemet 11/14 1600 struggling weakly w/two other stations on this frequency. (MDM-CA)

1370 KSOP UT, Salt Lake City 11/16 0805 ID u/KXLF. (DG-OR)

1390 KKOA ND, Minot 11/6 Tting at 0552, w/ID "KKOA, Minot ND testing equipment." (DG-OR)

1400 KART ID, Jerome 11/11 0000- w/several IDs as KART & Magic Valley Radio. (DG-OR)

1400 KFTN UT, Provo noted on MM 11/13 so I called the DJ who said that the stn has a new PD & he didn't like the idea of wasting the empty time on MM by not being on the air, so decided to have the stn go NSP. The DJ told me thanks for listening & hung up. If he only knew. Such is life. Now my 3rd local NSPer. (WJH-UT)

1440 WGEM IL, Quincy 11/13 0627 s/on ID, on top for a while. (DG-OR)

1450 KYOR CA, Glythe 11/14 1617 R. West loop gives me a daytime choice of good signals from KYOR or KPSI. (MDM-CA)

1470 KELA WA, Centralia-Chehalis 11/8 0308 good, o/KXOA/KSEM, w/election returns from Chehalis, wx for Centralia & vicinity. (RW-CA)

1480 KRED CA, Eureka 10/30 0700 in fair w/s/on announcement. (DAK-WA)

1480 KYOS CA, Merced 11/10 0444 rising from mess w/"Stone Zone KYOS" slogan and Little River Band mx. Clear but many deep fades. (DFJ-CA)

1490 (KGUD) CA, Banning 11/14 while the new tower can be seen from the highway these past few months I doubt if they are on the air yet. I have tried often without success. (MDM-CA)

1490 KCID ID, Caldwell this one on my clock rx 11/11 1958. A clear ID, then faded back. (WJH-UT)

1500 KROQ CA, Burbank 11/13 0731+ "Radio America" slogans w/ranchera mx, SS talk, EE ID "KROQ-AM, Burbank." I know this station's been around for a long time, so why isn't it in the newer White's & VJ Logs (it's in the old ones)? Besides, I thought they had rr mx here. What gives? (DFJ-CA)

1500 (KXRX) CA, San Jose 11/13 ???-0759 noted off. Regular SP? (DFJ-CA)

1510 WAUK WI, Waukesha OM faded up briefly 0714 10/29 w/CST TC, temperature at WAUK & temperature in Milwaukee. This much wanted, but surprising as a Mexican low pwr. job had been dominant moments earlier. Which way is WAUK's directional pattern? (NHP-BC)

1560 \*KKA\* SD, Aberdeen 11/13 0530- "This is KKA Aberdeen, SD conduction equipment tests only." (DG-OR)

1600 KBBX UT, Centerville 11/16 0800 s/on on top of frequency. (DG-OR)

#### DX TESTS:

770 ?KUOM? MN, Minneapolis 11/7 0225-0227 tentative on DX test/f/c w/tone in KOE semi-null. KOE more of a problem here than expected. Weak, unreadable ID at 0230, then turned tone off for time being. (RW-CA)

I was surprised to see Bruce will be giving up his DXNW editorship. I'll miss all the "penguinness." Welcome to the Pacific Northwest, Dave K. Keep the reports coming, everyone! ♥

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### eastern dx forum

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Just finished reading Gene Martin's forum of 11/11 and have broken out in a cold sweat. I can't imagine a more ominous death knell for BCB DXing in the South than the granting of Mexican split frequency rights. Between the Cubans (killing domestic DX) and the Mexicans (destroying LA and TA DX), this part of the country would become the armpit of the BCB DX world!! Sure, America needs the oil, but I think that if you ask a DXer which is more desirable, a gallon of gas or a clear channel, well, the answer is pretty obvious, hi. On other matters, Seaver's column, as well as other articles, has kindled an interest in rudimentary propagation theory here. Does anyone know anything about local propagation/reception variables? For example, cx improve (above and beyond QFN reduction) and occasionally even have window-like characteristics. Is this short-term (usually only a few hours) improvement due to temporarily improved ground conductivity, some sort of temperature or barometric pressure gradient/interface, or just my imagination? Seaver, Martin, Schatz, anybody? I'm o/20, so 73's.

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(continued from last DXM-jz) To Niel Wolfish: You think CFTR is a pain, you're lucky you don't have WPTR beamed into your backyard! WPTR beamed into your backyard! WPTR must and is THE worst QRM station I have yet encountered! Doug Miske: Will I ever get a cassette from you? And now...the 2nd part in a continuing series: MWT radio station phone #'s! The only # for a radio station in Inuvik is for CBC (the operator was amazed they even had radio stations in MWT): (403) 979-4411. Notice that the 979 exchange is also used in Frobisher Bay (1700 miles away!!). My 10/28 DXM took its own sweet time. It arrived on Monday 11/26! Postmarked October 31! T3 T3 T3 T3 T3 T3 T3 (seven T3's), hi. 73s Bryan.

Allen W. Luckey-26 Gene Ave.-New Castle, DE 19720  
The last two weeks or so have been productive as far as DX is concerned. Several new catches were enjoyed. EDXR has a full summary. AU cx here lately at a good time as I've had some time to DX. I read with interest the reports of seashore DXing the last year or so by various DXers. I've tried it and found it unusual the way certain stations can be heard over much longer distances. I remember a couple of years ago I received WAPE-690 along the North Carolina coast with good signals while



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## THEY'VE MOVED!!

Yes folks, those glorious TAs and TPs are (or should be) on their new channels. The first few TPs and carriers thereof have been heard in Seattle & Denver, as noted in this week's TP section. By next issue (or the one after that) TA loggings & more TP reports will probably filter in. Since there are many TA & TP reports this time from before the change I'm listing them according to the frequency they were heard on, with their apparent new frequency shown in parentheses. Hit the dials, folks, and let the rest of us know what you're hearing in the way of TA & TP frequency changes....

## ATLANTIC DX ROUNDUP

- 529 (531) ALGERIA, Ain Seida, w/man in AA 2351 11/20. (Connelly, MA)
- 548 (549) ALGERIA, Oran, good w/woman in Arabic 2310 11/15. (Connelly, MA)
- 611 (612) MOROCCO, Sebba-Aiou, strong w/news by man in AA 2311 11/15. (Connelly, MA)
- 638 (639) SPAIN, La Coruña, poor w/SS talk 2310 11/10.
- 647 (648) ENGLAND, Daventry, good o/feeble 650 het; EE commentary by man 2352 11/20. (Connelly, last 2)
- 665 (666) PORTUGAL, Lisboa, PP talk o/brutal WNBC/WRKO splash 2306 11/10. (Connelly, MA)
- +Faint carrier from NE 11/19 0645-0700 was my first hint that this sorry DX season might be relenting a bit in the TA category. The Lisbon carrier was able to generate a BFO whistle only at the times when WNBC signal next door had built up to a good level. During the WNBC fades, not even the BFO could raise anything on 665. WNBC was varying widely this period but was not really good even on peaks. A-index was 5. It was much the same story 11/20 when Lisbon carrier was first noted 0652 & stronger than the previous night, although audio portions were too far down in the hash to warrant taping them. A-index again 5. Lisbon carrier only noted as last as 0724 11/20. Tried again 11/21 but A-index was up to 20 & there was nothing to report in the European Department. (Martin, CO)
- 583 ? UNID, European here 0311-0315 11/20. The carrier was able to put a het on KNBR, but no audio could be hrd. Used to be Spain here but now it could be Yugoslavia w/beaucoup kw. (Martin, CO) (Yugoslav not very likely due to higher latitude path & the fact that it hasn't been hrd in ECNA yet. It probably uses a directional antenna pointing away from us. bp)
- 701 (702) ANDORRA/MOROCCO, La Vieja w/apparent FF talk by woman o/u AA mx from Sebba-Aiou 11/10. (Connelly)
- 701 (702) MOROCCO, Sebba-Aiou loud, wasting W/LW; typical yelling & chanting 2312 11/15. (Connelly)
- 719 (720) PORTUGAL, Norte, superloud w/male folk vocal, feeble YVOE/WGN het in background 2313 11/15. (Connelly, MA)
- 728 ? UNID, 3-station jumble, probably Spain-Portugal-Germany 2314 11/15. (Connelly, MA)
- 737 (738) SPAIN, Barcelona, fair-good w/SS talk 2308 11/8; 728 hrd weakly, apparently //737. Loud w/man in SS, then musical interlude followed by clear ID "Esta es Radiotelevision Espanola", after that nx by man & woman in SS 2300 11/10. (Connelly, MA)
- 746 ? UNID, carrier & fast SAH. Dominant sig looped H. Europe, so probably Holland. It had man & woman announcing team, audio not clear enough to determine language 2315 11/10. (Connelly, MA)
- 755 (756) PORTUGAL, Lisboa, bombing in like a local w/opera 2315 11/15. (Connelly, MA)
- 765 SENEGAL, Dakar, fair w/male AA vocal 2301 11/7. AA talk at local strength, bombing out adjacent domestics on car rx in Belmont 2240 11/10. (Connelly, MA)
- +Its first appearance of the season 11/20 0600-0610, Dakar format apparently hasn't changed in years. 0600-0605 is AA talk, probably nx. Muezzin begins calling the faithful at 0605 & this goes on until near 0630 when other stuff begins to take over. Dakar's first appearance is usually in August here. (Martin, CO)
- 773 (774) SPAIN/UNID AA, possibly the Egyptian here w/AA chants often atop the Spaniard (which had SS talk by man) - sig to good peaks 2320 11/10. The 2 stns were nearly zero-beat (SAH about 0.1 Hz); Spain rose atop to potent level by 2322. (Connelly, MA)
- 782 (783) PORTUGAL, Miramar, outstanding/like a local utterly demolishing 780; several 1964-era Rolling Stones album cuts. then man in PP 0127 11/21. (Connelly)
- 809 (810) SPAIN, Sevilla, fair thru WGY slop w/rock mx, including "Barracuda" by Heart 0547 11/11. (Connelly)
- 818 (819) ANDORRA, La Vieja, Loud o/WOSU het on car rx in Boston 2210 11/7. Loud on car rx w/"Macarthur Park" by Donna Summers, then woman in FF 2208 11/9. (Connelly)
- 818 (819) MOROCCO, Rabat, noted w/AA violins poor thru TV QRM 2315 11/8. Good w/male AA vocal atop low growl from other stns 2349 11/10. (Connelly, MA)
- 827 (828) MOROCCO, Oujda, loud w/AA violins //weaker 818 2316 11/8. Several other stns on 827 created a SAH jumble w/Morocco. (Connelly, MA)
- 827 ? UNID, carrier 11/20 324-0330, notable only because it's the first time I have ever detected a signal on this freq, which is such a hot number back east. Have no idea who it may have been for there was no detectable audio in WOCO slop. (Martin, CO) (Probably Morocco.bp)
- 836 t (837) FRANCE, possible FF talk on fair strength carrier in merciless WHDH slop, AA mx seemed to be in there, too - possibly the same stn 2318 11/8. (Connelly)
- 872 (873) SPAIN/UNID, man in SS o/u orch mx - neither sig impressive, often in slop 2320 11/8. Fast SAH (about 10 Hz) - I think there's an AA stn hiding in that mess somewhere - noted 2353 11/10. (Connelly, MA)
- 881 ? UNID, the suggestion of a whistle on the high side of WCB3 0706-0711 11/20. Vernier & BFO measured out an interfering sig at 881 & that's all I can say. Had the Cuban nulled to permit WCB3 to make it here & display this slight interference from England. Next week-end, expect to hear NZ when their freq becomes 882. (Martin, CO)
- 899 (900) ITALY, Milano, generating screeching het on 900, sometimes II or FF talk by man surfaced 2346 11/20.
- 908 (909) GREAT BRITAIN, synchronized outlets killing 910 during best TA opening of this autumn; woman in British EE in well on car rx 2348 11/20. (Connelly, last 2)
- 917 (918) SPAIN, Madrid, to fair peaks w/rock mx 2358 11/10. (Connelly, MA)
- 935 ? UNID, Always a carrier from NE here whenever European cx are good but the audio never makes it. Again 11/20 0333-0338. (Martin, CO) (Probably Morocco. bp)
- 936 MOROCCO, Agadir, poor-fair w/AA inst mx 2325 11/15. (Connelly, MA)
- 944 (945) FRANCE, Toulouse, very good w/AA mx, then SS pgm, R. France ID o/feeble LA het from 945 0540 11/11. (Connelly, MA)
- 989 (990) SPAIN, Madrid, briefly in at strong clear level w/female rock song, then YL in SS followed by EE male vocal of late 60's hit "Hey Joe" 0004 11/11. (Connelly)
- 1025 t (1026) SPAIN, San Sebastian, SS talk noted briefly thru slop from nulled WBZ 0009 11/11. LAs on 1025 are seldom hrd here &, as this reception was during an xInt Iberian peninsula opening, Spain is assumed.
- 1034 (1035) PORTUGAL, Porto Alto, noted w/low key PP talk by man good w/WBZ nulled 0011 11/11. (Connelly, MA)
- 1043 (1044) MOROCCO, Sebba-Aiou, good w/man in FF 2253 11/7. Very strong w/Beatles' song "no Reply" 0020 11/9, WBZ nulled. In w/outstanding local-like easy-listening sig w/several Beatles' "Revolver" LP cuts 0013 11/11 (a Moroccan version of a "Beatle Weekend"?). (Connelly, MA, last 3)
- 1061 (1062) PORTUGAL, Norte, xInt during unusual cx where low-latitude TAs were loud, but domestics were weakened as if by aurora. No KVM/CJRP QRM, just a weak 1060 het which seemed to be from LA's - man in PP & feeble operatic vocal noted 2253 11/15. (Connelly, MA)
- 1196 (1197) MOROCCO, Agadir, good w/AA yelling & drumming 2255 11/7. (Connelly, MA)
- 1205 (1206) FRANCE, Bordeaux, fair w/piano mx, then woman in FF atop SAH (Cayman?) 2256 11/7. (Connelly, MA)
- 1214 (1215) ALBANIA, Iushnje, poor in GG-sounding lang 0438 11/16. (Connelly, MA)
- 1214 ? UNID, NE carrier 11/19 0742-0754, no audio, was all it took to persuade me that a possible European opening was in the making about 1 hr after the appearance of Lisbon-665. But the next night, this freq was empty although other TAs were being located. So, summing up, this mini-opening to Europe lasted no more than 24 hrs before it was shot down by this season's rampant A-Index. (Martin, CO)
- 1224 t SENEGAL, talk by man in unfamiliar language, weak atop 1223 het 2257 11/15. (Connelly, MA)
- 1232 (1233) MOROCCO, Tangier, likely w/female chanting in WBSX slop 2258 11/15. (Connelly, MA)
- 1286 (1287) CZECHOSLOVAKIA, Praha-Melnik, noted at weak level w/cl mx 2259 11/15. (Connelly, MA)
- 1349 (1350) MAURITANIA, Nouakchott, probable w/mumbled AA-sounding talk at pitifully poor audio level on a tremendous carrier (demolishing WHNE et al) 2300 11/15. (Connelly, MA)
- 1358 (1359) EAST GERMANY, Berlin, poor w/man in GG 0601 11/12. (Connelly, MA)
- 1376 (1377) FRANCE, Lille, to good peaks w/chimes, then man & woman in FF 0600 11/12. (Connelly, MA)

travelling south. My favorite DXing location away from home, though, is on top of a mountain in eastern Pennsylvania. With a cheapie car radio and broken antenna, reception was something less than astounding. WBAL-1090, 150 miles away with local like strength. WBZ-1030, over 300 miles with armchair signals. KDKA-1020, 300 miles with good signals. I can imagine what a TRF would do up there. (continued in next DXM-jz)

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Greetings from a very inactive TT Gambler.  
Attending college does have its drawbacks, at least as far as the DX scene is concerned. Although the school is located only about twenty miles from here, I only manage to make it home on the weekends, and then a gal (met at school, of course) takes up the majority of that weekend time. The "Old Man" has promised to try "pulling in a few hot ones" for me during the week, but he, himself, worked the equivalent of one full week's worth of overtime during the month of October, so you can figure how interested he has been in doing any "dial-twisting". This weekend (11/11-12), I decided to get down to some really serious DX, and ran two "marathon sessions" (those things will kill you, hi); all I got for my efforts were two relogs, WGEA and KGMO - the latter has been logged any number of times before, and the former is one of those notorious non-veriers; so.....speaking of tests (what else for me, hi), I notice that KDLG in Dillingham, Alaska, will be testing on 12/18; you better believe they'll come stomping in here like a "herd of polar bears", with one of those "arm chair signals" everybody talks about, hi. (I couldn't even snag the KUOM test of 11/7 on 770; I sort of hope they didn't show; not getting them has a tendency to make the "Ol' TT Gambler" look more like the "village idiot", hi.) (continued in next DXM-jz)

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I had a fine visit from Ernie Cooper of the NRC from Provincetown, MA, on Oct. 2-3. We DX'd from Riis Park along the beach and got some fine DX. WEEU-850 Reading PA came in with a fine signal. Many Philadelphia stations came in, including WDEL-1150 Wilmington DE. Three came in on 590- WARM Scranton PA, WROW Albany NY and WEEI Boston MA. The Big Z on 1030, WBZ, came in good. 1220 kHz brought in 3- WCDQ Hamden CT, WGNV Newburgh NY and WRIB Providence RI. I asked Ernie why his TRF plays so clear. He said because he drops it into pitchers of beer. We wondered how to stop WOR's annoying slop. Ernie said drop the radio on the ground, or on a cassette model, press the stop button. He stayed over in my loft and I played a few Bob Dylan records which he never heard before and liked a lot, especially the song "Lily, Rosemary and the Jack of Hearts". My best and furthest DX was on Oct. 17 at 7AM here when I DX'd KFI-640 Los Angeles CA. I heard the song "Dust in the Wind" by Kansas, followed by the announcer saying, "And now Newsbreak on KFI, Los Angeles." It was getting light out and the news faded out. Here is a limerick I wrote about hearing KFI:  
I dialed my TRF and gave it a try  
And sure enough in came KFI  
Across the USA from the West Coast  
But I burnt the toast  
Hearing Los Angeles CA made me a lucky guy!

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last night, 11/21, stns like WCCO, WCAU, WHAS & even WLW were coming in here w/perhaps the loudest signals I've ever heard...really local like without any noise. Last week I wrote to Nancy's column saying I'm sure KGUD was not on the air. Today I learn that panning's AM station that has been silent for more than 3 yrs has been testing this past week and now is waiting FCC approval to go on regular schedule w/their 250 watts on 1490 kc. Fred Cote, owner and manager of the station said it took him nearly a year and a half to complete the new studios largely because of an electronic parts shortage. The type of music they will play will be decided when a survey of panning & Beaumont residents is completed. The transmitter is located perhaps 1000 ft from where

the old KPAS XR was at the Banning-Beaumont city lines and can be seen from the freeway. The new call KGUD will be pronounced as "K-good radio". Don't have any information on location of studios as yet and I haven't been able to hear them. Calexico (like all of Mexicali) has a pipe line into 29 palms and even though KICO is 0/100mi/160km away, it kills panning only 50mi/80km away here all day. Ooops, exceeded 20c lines. 73.

GARY LARSEN-2806 LINCOLN-BURBANK, CA 91504  
Hi. Haven't been listening much to radio because of working but I did read Jim Korn's Forum re KROQ. I've been to the XR several times and agree it's a very strange site. I suppose the CE Jim met is Parrell Wampler. Currently the AM is SS & owned separately from KROQ-FM. I still think the 2 stns are at the same site in Pasadena. Gary Parton is planning to be in the area for Thanksgiving and maybe we can DX. As far as I know, KROQ is still 1kw day & nite, but the air quality sounds better. I've also been to the FM XR and could see the AM towers from there. I'm not sure why the 2 stns separated & the AM go SS. 73.

RICK HEALD-1581 20th AVE-SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94122 Tele-Forum; (415) 665-4201 to 2200 PPT pdd.  
Howdy! First I would like to extend a personal invitation for everyone west of the Mississippi to contribute to WDXF. All it takes is a few minutes, and you'll be contributing to the club. And come to think of it, anybody still up there in western Canada? Come on gang, season has begun, the TP freq change has taken place, surely someone is DXing. Onward..... Borrowed Segalas' FRG-7 Thanksgiving weekend, and although I managed to sleep late each morning, did do some ISS DX, and came up w/a few surprises. I am trying to compare the "frog" w/my Pammariund HQ129X, and I might say, I'm impressed. Been having fun w/the digital readout, hi. Can say that the pirate in Polinas (yes, Virginia, they're still operating) is on 837, and evidently they are crystal controlled, as I noticed no drift, and they do announce occasionally (very occasionally) their freq as 837. Can work much closer to locals w/less slop than w/the HQ129, and finally after yrs of trying bagged KROP 1300 on Sun (11/26) afternoon, and same day finally got a positive ID from seemingly easy QKXR 790 clovis, but looping to Fresno also loops right at KGO. If anyone in NorCal still needs KJRB 790 or KTAC 850, try around 3.45pm PST for KJRB and about 15 min later for KTAC. The latter totally drops out of sight at pattern/power change. First 2 new Asians after freq change: JOGB 873 and HLKB 891 on 11/23, but not even a het since then from anyone, like since I latched on to the frog, hi. See u in 7. 73 de rth..

SUMMARY OF STATIONS NOT REPORTED TO DXR & DXWW Columns since prior to Volume #12 (cont. from past issues).

This weeks issue shows the following stations reported for the first time in over four years: Al an Luckey-WTTM-NJ, WSEN-NY & WXOF-VA; Karl Jeter-WHCC-NC; Ian Meyers-WARV-RI; Paul LaFreneire-KSOK-KS; Mort Meehan-KHSJ & KYOR-CA; Bill Harms-KOID-ID & Dave Faulkner a whole bunch-WMAM-WI, WSLC-VA, WJTH-GA, WDZ-IL, WMVR-OH, WERT-DH, WKMT-NC, WREB-NC, WDXY-SC, WFTM-KY, WIPS-NY, WLEM-PA, WYGO-KY, WDOL-GA & WAey-WV. Nice going.

- States listings continued:  
SD-14--KOBH, KUSD, KKLS, KWAT, KDSJ, KGOR, KIJV, KFCB, KJAM, KBJM, KABR, KBRK, KBFS, KYNT  
TN-30--WOFE, WIRJ, WBMC, WORM, WJKM, WUAT, WMLR, WBEJ, WDKN, WGRV, WTNN, WLSB, WGAP, WHAL, WJBE, WWEB, WLAF, WJAK, WAAAN, WOPI, WJJM, WDXL, WTNE, WBHT, WJJP, WKYE, WTBP, WKBJ, WNPC, WTRR,  
TX-104-KDAV, KERB, KURV, KFST, KPAN, KOLW, KNAF, KBSN, KVRN, KAML, KSTA, KODA, KPXE, KCLT, KWEL, KDRY, KWBV, KBGH, KISO, KJBC, KOLJ, KFHM, KVLK, KSIX, KDLK, KERV, KLVT, KREE, KSEY, KWTX, KVLK, KXYL, KSXO, KXOX, KPRE, KSPL, KTAB, KHEM, KEPS, KEAN, KTTX, KLUU, KRAN, KVVW, KIVY, KKUB, KKLAR, KKAS, KOYL, KBUU, KWKC, KAND, KSET, KRBA, KTBO, KVIC, KQIZ, KACT, KMUL, KBOP, KULP, KRU N, KBYG, KUNO, KGVU, KEBE, KBYE, KVOP, KDWT, KTEM, KTFB, KJCH, KXIT, KBAL, KFPY, KILFB, KGNB, KSTB, KRES, KBEN, KCTI, KMBL, KCYL, KMHT, KRME, KLLL, KCON, KBST, KWMO, KSAM, KVOZ, KPLT, KDOK, KAGO, KCTY, KMND, KMOO, KEDA, KZOL, KBYP, KGAS, KINT, KBUS, KIKN,  
UT--2--KMTI, KURA,  
VT--2--WJOY, WKYR,  
VA-20--WLES, WLVA, WMEK, WGAT, WBBI, WODI, WJJJ, WAGE, WKYE, WJMA, WBLT, WELK, WHHV, WHLF, WKYY, WKDH, WTZE, WBBL, WAYB, WBLB,  
WA--2--KAPY, KUPY,  
WV-15--WELD, WHAW, WCST, WELC, WLOG, WTIP, WDNE, WVVW, WCLG, WMTD, WBBN, WRON, WSCW, WTOS, WSGB,  
WI-17--WAGO, WDUX, WKTS, WISS, WATY, WXGO, WOBT, WGLR, WISV, WATW, WJJK, WDUZ, WRDE, WRIG, WRDN, WGEZ, WFBZ,  
WY--7--KROE, KVOU, KFBC, KTCN, KODI, KBBS, KRTR,

1385 (1386) SPAIN, Madrid, good w/SS talk & mx 2303 11/15. (Connolly, MA)  
 1394 (1395) ALBANIA, Lushnje, fair w/talk by man 2304 11/15. (Connolly, MA)  
 1421 (1422) WEST GERMANY, Saarbrücken, fair o/slop w/male vocal 2335 11/8. (Connolly, MA)  
 1439 (1440) LUXEMBOURG, Marnach, poor in WFTQ slop. Fast-talk ads, seemingly in GG, also segments of a Patti Smith or Blondie song 0551-0554 11/12. (Connolly)  
 1457 ? (1458) UNID, traces of pop-rock mx, talk that may have been BE. London suspected, although the time seems a bit early 0543 11/12. (Connolly, MA)  
 1466 (1467) MONACO, Monte Carlo, xlnr/like a local, best TA. Light jazz pgm, then man in SS w/ID, followed by PP pgm 2330 11/8. (Connolly, MA)  
 1475 (1476) AUSTRIA, Wien, poor w/soft mx 0540 11/12.  
 1502 (1503) SPAIN, SS GY mess showing through bad WITS slop 2307 11/15. (Connolly, MA last 2)  
 1538 (1539) W. GERMANY, Mainflingen, strong carrier, some choral & orch mx, but sig badly diced up by WFTQ garbage 0536 11/12. (Connolly, MA)  
 1554 t (1557) FRANCE, Nice, probable, fade carrier hitting strong peaks; occasional talk by woman noted thru above average CBE slop 0534 11/12. (Connolly, MA)  
 1586 (1593) W. GERMANY, Langenberg, good w/light cl mx, then man in GG 0531 11/12. (Connolly, MA)

1037 ? COLOMBIA, HJ??, no dcubt about this one, something from Colombia, although I cannot extract an ID from the tape. Was putting a distinct het on null'd WHO 11/13 at intervals 0700-0834. This was not there 24 hours before as I was checking out 1040 in the WHO SP. Am very sure of the freq, 3 kHz below WHO. (Martin)  
 1130 COLOMBIA, Barranquilla, HJAC, Emisora Rio-Mar presumed the one w/LV de Cali relay 0010 11/16 during TODEIAR mx. (Stanbury, ON)  
 1160 COLOMBIA, Barranquilla, HJBL, in well w/"R. Aeropuerto" ID 0357 11/2. (L. Morby, NY)  
 1190 COLOMBIA, Barranquilla, HJCT, LV de la Costa strong 11/14 w/ID 2259 & various Barranquilla ads 2312-2315. (Stanbury, ON)  
 1415 t DOMINICAN REP., Marién, HIOS, suspected poor-fair w/SS talk 2305 11/15. (Connolly, MA)  
 1510 ? UNID, 10/10 2200 in WLAC null, SS mx & mx. Nothing listed in FLS 1-5. Very weak, may have possibly been 1511 or another split as the TRF lacks accurate calibration (Hogan, IL) (No ideas here either. bp)  
 1550 COLOMBIA, Bogotá, HJZI, R. Fantasia logged briefly atop Freq 0157 ID 11/15. (Stanbury, ON)  
 1560 PUERTO RICO, Bayamon, WRSJ, R. San Juan, noted topping WQXR 0115 11/4. Interestingly, this was not hrd during the 11/14-15 opening, although possibly the one way v/ WQXR at 0400 w/SSB. (Stanbury, ON)

PAN AMERICAN DX ROUNDUP

555 ST. KITTS, Basseterre, fair w/accented EE & ID 0300 11/7. The Tues night pgm was Caribbean mx. (L. Morby, NY)  
 650 DOMINICAN REP., Santo Domingo, HIAT, goos w/"Still the Same" by Bob Seeger, then Universal ID, SS ads 0443 11/16. (Connolly, MA)  
 660 ECUADOR, Guayaquil, R. Carrousel, 0825-0834 11/6 IDed twice this period. It is a fact that Nicaragua's obnoxious Preferida is missing from this freq, although Somoza may turn its license over to somebody else anytime. (Martin, CO)  
 663.5 ? UNID, very weak but unmistakable "Happy Birthday" in EE 11/12 0834 on this unid. The Latin flavor is often not conspicuous on this stn. (Martin, CO)  
 665 ? UNID, the 3rd appearance of my new mystery LA came 11/21 0251-0302. Kept watching the freq for next 2 hrs but it never came back. Taped 6 or 7 mins of faint audio before 0300 but there's nothing on the tape which can be described as to content. But there is no doubt there is occ-sionally something here coming from 115-130° eastward of Colombia. Couple of times there was a het between this one & my other famous unid at 663.5 (Martin, CO)  
 680 PUERTO RICO, San Juan, WAPA, SID "W-A-P-A, San Juan" 0030 11/2 while mixing w/other unid LAS. (L. Morby, NY)  
 700 VENEZUELA, Maracaibo, YVMI, in good w/TC & ad for "Only Parts" in Maracaibo. ID in SS 0340 11/1. (L. Morby, NY)  
 700 ? UNID, who in heck wuld this be? Sound of "Stars & Stripes Forever" in WLM null 0803 11/13. WLM in NBC nx at the time. (Martin, CO)  
 705 ? UNID, OC was here from 115-120° 11/13 0747-0820. Faded out over the hour. (Martin, CO) (St. Vincent?bp)  
 720 COLOMBIA, Barranquilla, HJAN, Emisoras Unidas presumed the one w/Barranquilla ads around 0020 11/14. Fighting it out w/the Cuban. (Stanbury, ON)  
 725 COSTA RICA, San José, TILX, loud w/SS talk, Columbia mention 0444 11/16. (Connolly, MA)  
 725 ? UNID, maybe Costa Rica, hrd SS talk 0420 11/13, then faded. (Tomer, CA)  
 750 VENEZUELA, Caracas, YVKS, good w/ID in SS "750, F. Caracas". This at 0254 11/2. (L. Morby, NY)  
 780 BELFISH VIRGIN ISLANDS, Roadtown, ZPVI, good-mil w/mx, EE talk, 0200 11/7. DJ's accent very similar to those of St. Kitts & Antigua. TCs GMT-4, country #21. (R. Morby, NY)  
 790 CUBA, R. Habana Cuba o/QRM w/ID 0345 11/16. (Stanbury)  
 830 MEXICO, Culiacán, XEVO, fair 0156 11/13 when several XEVO IDs were hrd. Not there after 0200. (Tomer, CA)  
 854 t PERU, Lima, OAXLA, just a weak carrier 0445 11/16. (Tomer, CA)  
 939 ? UNID, probably YV or HJ, mushy audio & apparent SS talk, hetting CBM w/potent carrier; too early for CA 2323 11/15. Looped east of south, almost towards Africa. (Connolly, MA)  
 1030 COLOMBIA, Cali, HJER, R. Pacifico, the ID was finally caught on this one 11/6 as it went into 9 consecutive minutes o/XEQR 0728-0737. Has been 7 or 8 years since I last caught the Pacifico ID. RCM-Suceso ID also noted on half-hour. (Martin, CO)  
 1035 t HAITI Cap Haïtien, HVEC, carrier only 1013 11/9. Assume it would be Haiti. (Korinek, WA)

PACIFIC DX ROUNDUP

639 ? UNID, strong het & solid carrier w/KPI looped 0932 11/23. (Korinek, WA)  
 657 ? UNID, good carrier looping DU 0905 & various times after that 11/23. Probably 2YC. (Portzer, WA)  
 666 ? UNID, strong carrier 1022 11/23. (Korinek, WA)  
 738 t SOCIETY ISLANDS, Papeete, Tahiti, possibly the carrier detected w/BPO 0537 10/23; looped too far west to be a Latin. (Martin, CO)  
 +Noted here after phone tip from Gene. Pat het below KCRS/CBX 0555-0730+ 11/23 in & out but no audio ever definitely hrd. Was also hrd by Korinek & Bytheway w/similar results. Checked SW //1.825 & noted drama to 0700+, then mx, followed by piano mx to 0728 ID & s/off, native chorus, then French MA. SW carrier cut 0732 but 738 het remained (was off by 0800, tho). Also noted 11/25 as early as early as 0450. I assume this is Tahiti per loop bearing & frequency plan. Looks like it's only a matter of time before it's definitely IDed; unfortunately it loops almost 180° from CBX & about 20° from KCRS, so the slop is rather bad. (Portzer, WA)  
 756 NEW ZEALAND, Auckland, 1YA, audio first hrd here 1156 11/23, 6 pips hrd 1300. (Korinek, WA)  
 t +Probably the DU carrier 0918 11/23. (Portzer, WA)  
 747 JAPAN, Sapporo, JOIB, man in JJ, then YI w/amnt 1138 11/23. (Korinek, WA)  
 750 (747) JOIB, 11/140615 fading in already! Had JJ talk pips & NHK ID 0700; good. I wonder why JOIB comes in so well at this hour & not KPGD. (Tomer, CA)  
 774 JAPAN, Akita, JOUB, usual NHK pgm & pips 1200 11/24. (Korinek, WA)  
 780 (945) NHK-1 fair 0805 11/14 w/sports in JJ //840. Ancr sounded pretty excited, maybe they were playing the Cincinnati Reds, hi. (Tomer, CA) (Maybe it was a tape delayed replay of the Fribee toss at last summer's IRCA convention, hi. bp)  
 782 ? UNID, 1027 11/23, here rather than 783, may have been Russia. (Korinek, WA)  
 792 ? UNID, weak-fair carrier 0921-1254 at various times 11/23. (Korinek, WA)  
 819 ? UNID, het looping DU, quite strong, 0925 11/23. 1YZ & 2GL, both 10 kw, listed. (Portzer, WA)  
 +1037 11/23, weak carrier. (Korinek, WA)  
 828 t JAPAN, Osaka, JOBB, must have been the YL in oriental language 0855 11/23, then what sounded like mx. Fair carrier, weak audio. No pips hrd 0900 or 1100. Looped towards Japan, nothing hrd on 747/774. (Portzer)  
 +Weak carrier looping towards Japan 1039 11/23. (Korinek)  
 840 (837) JAPAN, Migata, JOJK, weak but w/o QRM 0720 11/14; at 0742 a live sports BC was hrd. (Tomer, CA)  
 846 ? UNID, carrier 0924 11/23. (Korinek, WA)  
 855 ? UNID, carrier 0925 11/23. (Korinek, WA)  
 891 ? UNID, carrier 0927 11/23. (Korinek, WA)  
 963 ? UNID, weak carrier, seemed to loop DU 1042 11/23. (Korinek, WA)

**HELP!**

REPORT FROM OKINAWA - Mike Hardester

Mike sent some material on FR3, Mayotte, in the Indian Ocean. The stn says they use 4 kw on 1458 kHz, using a 18 meter "pylône" antenna. Their sked is 0330-0430, 0900-1100, & 1500-1900 GMT Mon-Sat; 0700-1100, 1500-1900 Sun & holidays.

CONDITIONS

Comments on reception conditions received in the last few weeks: "Even the auroras (this season) aren't very exciting"-Foxworth "Lots of IAs the evening of 11/6" - Bailey "11/3 evening auroral, domestic skip in at sunset disappeared later, yielding fluttery but dominant IAs. 11/4 (early AM) domestic skip absent, IAs dominant; (evening) Africans in well, also IAs strong. Domestic skip on high end was in although weaker than usual, signals were surprisingly fade free. 11/5 Mix of sporadic E & auroral cx. TAs xint on 11/20 around 2330 GMT. 1 hrd stns, esp on the low end, easily from the car that are only occasionally hrd at home on the R-390. Many TAs were overwhelming adjacent domestics." - Connelly Excellent east coast reception was noted the evening of 11/9 (local date) & was accompanied by Dekar-765 audio & decent reception of KFAR-660. The following night, easterners were completely wiped out, WBAP & WNL even inaudible and some western stns like KSL, KCRN, & KBOI were severely weakened. (Portzer)

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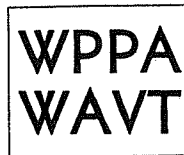
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Looks like it would be just my luck (everyone else's too) that cx should get mediocre on 11/23 after being halfway decent for a week or so beforehand. And after I invested in 5 new tubes especially for the occasion. Oh well, they'll keep the HQ-180 cooking for some time to come. It still amazes me that some many WC DXers are lamenting the loss of 1010 with the arrival of KXEG -- they're no stronger for me than VEHL was (i.e. obnoxious). I finally broke down and bought a new MRC log to help my domestic DXing. My old one was so out of date that I was starting to find White's log more useful! And speaking of logs, the IRCA Foreign log is back from the printer and is in the mail. If you haven't ordered yours yet, there's still a couple hundred laying around Phil's house just begging to be bought. 73 and good DX. bp.

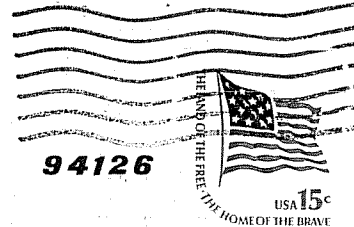


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