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With this issue, we're pleased to announce the appointment of a new Eastern DX Roundup editor: Gardner Smith, 1000 Perry St., N.E., Washington, DC 20017. Smitty has been a regular contributor to EDXR for some time, and is also well known as loggings editor for the Longwave Club of America. Many thanks to the departing EDXR editor, Karl Zuk, who has done a superb job typing the column for the last couple of years, building up the number of contributors, and maintaining a professional and entertaining style of editing. Karl will be a tough act to follow, but we know Smitty will be up to the challenge. Give him your full support, east coasters. In the meantime, we have at least one volunteer for CDXR editor. We'll fill you in on the details shortly.

DX Tests

Don't forget the two big DX tests coming up on the morning of Monday, Oct. 27:

- 0300-0330 ELT: KSRA-960, Salmon, ID, will test with 1000 Hz tone and march mx. Send reception reports to Richard Smith, CE, KSRA, Box 950, Salmon, ID 83467.
- 0330-0400 ELT: KLCY-930, Missoula, MT, will test with rock mx & test tones. Send reports to: Thomas Wojciechowski, KLCY, Box 7279, Missoula, MT 59807.

Both tests arranged by Carl Dabelstein of NRC. Info via Phil Bytheway. Be sure to enclose return postage with your report.

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BROADCASTING INFORMATION

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call	kHz	day/night	st city
WDLP	590	5000/2500	FL Panama City want 1700/2500 (this may supersede ungranted application for 2500/2500)
appl	590	750/	TN Lawrenceburg
appl	600	500/500	IN Lawrence
KFRG	610	5000/5000	CA San Francisco granted KMMG, then granted KMMS
WRUS	610	5000/5000	KY Russelville will not use WLTO, remains WRUS
WGNZ	650	10000/	FL Titusville appl for 660 kHz and 10000/1000 returned
appl	650	25000/1000	OR Eugene application returned
WLFF	680	1000/	FL Saint Petersburg wants 1000/7000
new	680	500/500	KY Newburg granted construction permit
appl	680	2500/	KY Okolona application dismissed
appl	680	500/	KY Shepherdsville application dismissed
KZKZ	690	1000/500	AZ Flagstaff granted KVNA
WLWI	740	50000/	AL Montgomery wants 50000/335
WGSM	740	25000/	NY Huntington application for 25000/500 returned
new	740	500/	WA Dishman granted KSPO
KOB	770	50000/50000	NM Albuquerque granted KKOB
KEKA	790	5000/	CA Eureka granted KFLI
new	820	1000/	TN Jasper granted WAPO
KGLR	830	50000/1000	AZ Tucson granted KFLT
WMMI	830	2500/	MI Marshall granted Shepherd MI
appl	830	1400/	OK Catoosa application returned
WGCF	830	5000/500	SC Sans Souci wants 840 kHz and 5000/ (not on yet)
WBHY	840	1000/	AL Mobile wants 10000/
appl	840	1000/	MI Hemlock application dismissed in grant of WMMI 830 to move to Shepherd MI
WREF	850	500/	CT Ridgefield granted 1000/
WJYV	850	10000/	MS Forest granted WQST
WSBS	860	250/	MA Great Barrington granted 2200/
KNUJ	860	1000/	MN New Ulm wants 1000/250
KSKO	870	5000/5000	AK McGrath granted 10000/10000
KAAN	870	250/	MO Bethany granted 1000/
appl	880	25000/1000	FL Florida City (reapplies with lower power)
appl	880	1000/	NC Winston Salem
KDXA	880	1000/250	NV Lovelock granted KLVK
appl	890	1000/1000	CA San Marcos application returned
appl	890	25000/	VA Surry application dismissed
WBML	900	250/	GA Macon application for 2000/ returned
appl	910	3000/3000	CA Antioch, experimental repeater to be synchronous with KNEW 910 Oakland CA
WFMD	930	5000/1000	MD Frederick wants 5000/2500
appl	940	1000/	NC Pembroke (reapplies with lower power)
appl	990	1000/	GA Peachtree City application returned
WKMK	1000	1000/	FL Blountstown granted WYBT
appl	1020	10000/	FL Port Orange application returned
new	1020	50000/	GA Ringgold granted construction permit (corrects frequency from 1120)
new	1020	3600/	MI Mount Pleasant granted construction permit
KNAS	1030	5000/1000	WA Shelton granted 10000/1000
appl	1040	??/	FL Nokomis application dismissed
appl	1060	2000/	CA Lake Isabelle
WMYT	1060	1000/	NC Hebane granted WGLH
appl	1060	5000/	NV Las Vegas
appl	1100	1000/500	FL Jensen Beach
appl	1100	2400/1000	FL Loxahatchee
appl	1100	10000/1000	FL Palm Beach Gardens
appl	1100	1000/250	FL Palm Shores
appl	1120	2500/	FL Parkland
appl	1120	5000/800	FL Vero Beach
appl	1120	1000/	LA Metairie application dismissed
appl	1120	2000/	NC Rocky Mount
appl	1120	1000/	NC Wilmington
appl	1120	1000/	SC Florence
WONQ	1140	2500/	FL Orlando granted 4100/
WSPC	1140	1000/	VA Saint Paul wants 2500/
KBOX	1150	5000/1000	AR North Little Rock granted KEZQ

KVIX 1150	1000/	TX Highland Park granted KVIL
KFHM 1150	1000/	TX San Antonio application for extension of time to construct 1160 kHz and 10000/1000 dismissed (this may not be permanent; the lawyers can probably still wheedle something if they really ever want to move to 1160)
appl 1160	10000/400	GA East Point application returned
new 1160	10000/	NV Virginia City wants KDXA
WJCU 1160	1000/500	NY Trumansburg granted WPIE
WDFB 1170	500/	KY Junction City wants 1000/
WKDJ 1190	1000/	PA Hughesville granted WTPS
appl 1200	5000/2500	IL Chicago application dismissed in reversal of initial decision granting a CP (see also 1590 West Allis WI)
KASY 1210	50000/1000	WA Auburn wants 50000/10000
KOFO 1220	250/	KS Ottawa granted KFRG
KFLR 1230	1000/250	AZ Phoenix granted KAMJ (KONC never used)
WGfJ 1230	1000/1000	CA Los Angeles currently operates 1000/100 when KPPC 1240 Pasadena CA is on air; granted 1000/400 for those times (Wed & Sun nights)
WMPC 1230	1000/250	MI Lapeer wants 1000/1000, then application dismissed
KPPC 1240	100/100	CA Pasadena granted 100/400
WHUM 1240	1000/1000	PA Reading granted WAGO
KTAM 1240	1000/1000	TX Bryan granted 380/380
WSSV 1240	1000/1000	VA Petersburg granted WPLZ
WGL 1250	1000/1000	IN Fort Wayne wants 2400/2000
WKDX 1250	1000/	NC Hamlet wants 1240 kHz and 1000/1000
WZBO 1260	1000/	NC Edenton granted 732/ (superseding appl for 811/)
KIAM 1270	5000/5000	AK Nenana granted 630 kHz
WNOG 1270	500/2500	FL Naples granted 5000/2500
KINN 1270	1000/	NM Alamogordo granted KXXZ
KDYL 1280	5000/500	UT Salt Lake City granted 5000/750
KMBS 1310	1000/	LA West Monroe wants 5000/
WHAZ 1330	1000/	NY Troy wants East Greenbush NY and 640 kHz and 5000/1000 (this clarifies previous listing of WHAZ's old appl for 640 being dismissed; it <u>was</u> dismissed, and was reapplied for under a different corporate name)
KQBR 1340	1000/1000	MN Brainerd granted KVBR
KPGP 1360	5000/1000	CA San Diego granted KPQP
WNAN 1400	1000/1000	AL Demopolis granted WZNJ
KCHS 1400	250/250	NM Truth or Consequences granted 1000/1000
WYSL 1400	1000/250	NY Buffalo granted WPHD
WVNF 1400	1000/250	GA Alpharetta granted WQRZ
appl 1400	250/250	VT Morrisville application returned
WKQE 1410	5000/	FL Tallahassee granted WBGH
WRSS 1410	1000/1000	PR San Sebastian wants 2500/2500
WJED 1410	500/500	TN Somerville granted WSTN
WACK 1420	500/	NY Newark wants 840 kHz and 5000/ (this may supersede ungranted appl's for 500/620 and 5000/500, both on 1420 kHz)
KITA 1440	5000/	AR Little Rock application for 5000/250 returned
NFLT 1450	1000/1000	AZ Tucson granted KFXK
KGRE 1450	1000/1000	CO Greeley granted KATR
WFCO 1450	500/400	MD Thurmont granted WTHU
WMMJ 1450	1000/1000	VT Brattleboro granted WTSA
KWUN 1480	500/500	CA Concord will not use KPQP, remains KWUN
KLAY 1480	1000/	WA Lakewood granted 1180 kHz and 2400/1000 (which clarifies the spate of applications for changes which preceded this)
appl 1480	1000/	WA Steilacoom (proposed replacement for KLAY)
WRDS 1500	500/	MS Sardis granted WKXT
KCIF 1500	500/	WA Tumwater granted KVSN
WOIX 1510	1000/	NC Blowing Rock wants WKIX
KMPG 1520	500/	CA Hollister granted 5000/
WTRI 1520	500/	MD Brunswick wants 9300/
WCSP 1520	1000/	MS Crystal Springs granted 590 kHz and 500/
WYOU 1550	10000/	FL Tampa granted WAMA
new 1550	1000/1000	NJ Seaside Park granted WNJO
KXOJ 1550	500/	OK Sapulpa wants 2500/
WVVW 1570	1000/	WV Saint Marys granted 630 kHz and 500/
KNIX 1580	50000/10000	AZ Phoenix granted 50000/50000

WVKO 1580	1000/	OH Columbus granted 1000/250
WPLW 1590	1000/	PA Carnegie conflicting reports: one says granted 5000/; other says application for 5000/ returned
WAWA 1590	5000/	WI West Allis granted 1200 kHz and 5000/2500 rever- sing initial decision denying this (see also 1200 Chicago IL)
KZON 1600	500/	CA Santa Maria granted KTAP
WNGA 1600	1000/	GA Nashville granted WLYZ
KZUN 1600	5000/2500	WA West Richland granted Priest River ID and 5000/
WQZQ 1600	500/	TN Lebanon wants 1200 kHz and 10000/500 (this may resurrect the long-near-death CP's both for 1600 and for an earlier try at moving it to 1200)

AM STEREO UPDATE: Leonard Kahn, inventor and proponent of the Kahn-Hazeltine AM stereo transmission system, has lost the case he was trying to make with the FCC staff over the occupied bandwidth of the competing Motorola C-QUAM system. Kahn had asked that Motorola stations be tested by the FCC when transmitting normal programming with the audio processing they usually used to see if, as he suspected, the stations violated the FCC's out-of-band emission rules. FCC staffers did do a test, but they announced in advance which markets they'd test in. Kahn perceived this as government regulator capitulation to his competition, giving them a chance to clean up their act before measurement. If the Motorola system were found to cause excessive transmitted bandwidth, it might lose its FCC type-acceptance leaving Kahn with the only legal AM stereo transmission system. The FCC staff's measurements showed no violations by the C-QUAM stations and Kahn is taking his case to the full Commission. There, he has pleaded that any over-the-air tests were "irrelevant" and that strict laboratory tests need to be done. He charged the Commission's staff with selective enforcement of the rules. The Federal Trade Commission has also rejected a Kahn complaint that Motorola was competing with it unfairly. (BC and MSJ)

In the meantime, Pioneer has dropped from its line the only AM stereo car receiver it makes, a C-QUAM-only unit. No replacement has been announced, but rumor has it a multisystem radio, capable of receiving both C-QUAM and Kahn's independent sideband system will be the replacement. This could be a turn of events in Kahn's favor since most receiver manufacturers have been in the C-QUAM-only camp for a long time. (BC)

CUBAN INTERFERENCE UPDATE: A Cuban official said last month that his country has the right to direct radio broadcasts into the US since the US put Radio Marti on the air last year. "We will not accept any right for the US that the US does not accept for us," said Vice Foreign Affairs Minister Ricardo Alarcon. The statement was made after talks between Cuba and the US over AM station allocations broke down. US officials said the talks failed because Cuba wanted several new clear channels for itself which would have required about 1000 US AM stations to leave the air. No new broadcasts from Cuba into the US were noted as of early August. (BC)

Except as noted from the 28 July and 4, 11, 18 August issues of Broadcasting and from the 21, 28 July and 4, 11, 18 August issues of The M Street Journal.

RADIO PROGRAMMING NOTES:

	call	kHz at city
KTSA	550 TX	San Antonio now a mix of adult standards and soft adult con- temporary, was straight adult contemporary
KZMX	580 SD	Hot Springs now easy listening, simulcasting FM, was adult contemporary as KOBH
WAFB	590 FL	Clewiston new station will be country
KLZZ	600 CA	San Diego now soft adult contemp, was straight adult contemp
KMMS	610 CA	San Francisco now adult standards "Magic 61", was contemporary hits for about 20 years as KFRC (BC)
WAES	610 NC	Charlotte now rock oldies, was contemporary hits, simulcasting FM, as WROQ
WLVJ	640 FL	Royal Palm Beach new station will be religious
KLDY	680 WA	Lacey new station is adult contemporary
WJKB	780 FL	Siesta Key new station will be adult standards
WPGS	840 FL	Mims new station is religious
WGUL	860 FL	Dunedin now adult standards, simulcasting FM, was Spanish WAMA
WQRX	870 AL	Valley Head new station will be adult contemporary
KIYU	910 AK	Galena new station will have variety format, simulcasting KSKA 91.1 Anchorage AK
WKLU	920 KY	Midway new station will be news-talk
KTLD	930 CO	Granby new station is easy listening

WGRR 960 AL Prichard new station will be religious
 KTLE 990 UT Tooele now silent, was adult contemporary
 KKRE 1040 CO Monument new station is religious
 WKIJ 1130 AL Parrish new station will be religious
 WCUE 1150 OH Cuyahoga Falls will be religious upon sale, was rock oldies
 WKWA 1160 AL Mobile new station will be black
 WHZI 1170 AL Hanceville new station will be religious
 WGSF 1210 TN Arlington new station will be black
 KAMJ 1230 AZ Phoenix now soft adult contemporary, simulcasting FM, was religious as KFLR
 WXOZ 1280 FL Jacksonville now silent, was children's programming
 WSNE 1280 MN Minneapolis now SMN Stardust adult standards, was "weather radio" as WWTC (BC)
 KXQL 1320 OK Clinton now adult contemporary-rock oldies, was country KKCC
 KEEI 1340 AK Valdez now silent, was adult contemp, simulcasting KBYR 700
 WLAV 1340 MI Grand Rapids now Transtar rock oldies, was local rock oldies
 KRLC 1350 ID Lewiston now country, was adult contemporary
 KWAS 1360 TX Amarillo will be religious upon sale, currently silent
 KGEN 1370 CA Tulare will be Spanish upon sale, currently adult standards
 KOKE 1370 TX Rollingwood now easy listening, was adult contemporary
 KRPL 1400 ID Moscow now country, was contemporary hits
 KSKS 1430 OK Tulsa now "Format 41" soft adult contemporary, was ad con
 WBMK 1430 TN Knoxville silent again, was black
 KVON 1440 CA Napa now news-talk, was MOR/variety
 WBIS 1440 CT Bristol now silent, was adult contemporary
 WWAM 1450 GA Savannah will be black upon sale, currently silent, was country
 WTHU 1450 MD Thurmont now silent pending sale, was country as WFCO
 WEMR 1450 PA Tunkhannock new station is country
 KARR 1460 WA Kirkland will be religious upon sale, silent 'til then
 KMIA 1540 TX Fort Worth now religious, was Spanish
 WVAB 1550 VA Virginia Beach now silent, was contemporary hits
 WWWW 1560 IN Paoli now easy listening, was country
 KKSL 1560 TX Abilene now black, was contemporary hits, simulcasting FM
 WTYD 1580 NJ Hamonton now Spanish, was adult contemporary
 WJRO 1590 MD Glen Burnie now black gospel, was adult standards

Networks Paul Harvey, the most popular radio newscaster in America, is reported to have signed a seven-year renewal of his contract through 1995 with the ABC networks. (BC) Bruce "Cousin Brucie" Morrow will host "Cruisin' America" a new 3-hour weekly series of rock oldies on CBS RadioRadio. (BC) The Satellite Music Network will market inside the US a full-format satellite-delivered Spanish network originating at Radio Centro in Mexico City. (MSJ and Montl)

Otherness: An AM station is again atop the Los Angeles Arbitron radio ratings. With its news-talk format, KABC 790 has ended the three-year reign of contemporary hit rocker KIIS 102.7 to become LA's #1 station. (BC)

(Programming items are from The M Street Journal except BC = Broadcasting)

RECENTLY ANNOUNCED (and not yet approved) STATION SALES:

WGTO 540 FL, KNAK 540 UT, KLZ 560 CO, WMT 600 IA, WSOB 600 NH, KNBS 620 CA, KVMA 630 AR, WLW 700 OH, WGR 720 NC, KOB 770 NM, WTHR 800 IN, KPQD 800 OR, WTEL 860 PA, WEEG 880 GA, WSEV 930 TN, WLLI 930 VA, WATS 960 PA, WRIP 980 GA, WAPF 980 MS, WONE 980 OH, KXEG 1010 AZ, KXEN 1010 MO, WRFS 1050 AL, WJBU 1080 FL, WYCM 1080 NC, WZZH 1100 NC, KLSR 1130 TX, WMTG 1150 MD, WCUE 1150 OH, KGYN 1210 OK, WQSA 1220 FL, WAZF 1230 MS, WCMC 1230 NJ, WFAS 1230 NY, WDJJ 1230 OH, WEBJ 1240 AL, WGBB 1240 NY, WILS 1320 MI, KXAK 1310 NM, KNPA 1340 ID, WMON 1340 WV, WLAW 1360 GA, KOKE 1370 TX, KSHY 1370 WY, WADA 1390 NC, WMSL 1400 AL, KLTW 1400 CA, WKNR 1400 MI, WOAD 1400 MS, WINF 1410 FL, WQBC 1420 MS, WLAW 1430 MS, WWAM 1450 GA, WCJU 1450 MS, KMOB 1450 UT, KDON 1460 CA, KRNY 1460 NE, KARR 1460 WA, WBUC 1460 WV, WKMF 1470 MI, WYDK 1480 NC, KMEZ 1480 TX, KDJC 1500 AR, WTNE 1500 TN, WMBT 1530 PA, KMFO 1540 CA, WKXG 1540 MS, KOX1 1550 CO, WALY 1590 KY, WAKR 1590 OH, WSTL 1600 KY, KBBX 1600 UT.

Dismissed Station Transfers: WGRC 1300 NY, WJET 1400 PA, WJRL 1530 MS, WGIV 1600 NC.

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WORLD RADIO TV HANDBOOK OFFER: Gilfer Associates has a special prepublication offer on the 1987 WRTH and two other books, effective until the end of the year. By itself, the WRTH is \$15.95, plus \$2 S/H. You can also order it with the Radio Hacker's Code Book for \$27.90 plus \$3 S/H, or Radio Receiver, Chance or Choice for \$30.45, plus \$3 S/H. Their address is P.O. Box 239, Park Ridge NJ 07656. You can also order by Visa/Mastercard by calling 201-391-7887.

EASTERN DX ROUNDUP



NEW EDITOR!! Starting immediately the new editor of Eastern DX Roundup will be edited by the irrepressible guru of our capital city...the man The Meese Commission is still searching out...the man who brought you zipless DX..... GARDNER SMITH!!! Gardner has been producing the graphics and some great tips for this column for some

time, and since I have decided to resign as editor, I am pleased to say that my first choice has taken over the reigns of EDXR. Gardner has done beautiful and professional work for The Longwave Club of America's Lowdown, and edits their tips column, and will be bringing you all the Eastern DX tips in the future. I am very pleased that someone as qualified and capable as Gardner will be continuing the strange and bizarre style of editing that you are used to. The column should be more enjoyable than ever...so welcome Gardner to his new post and send him all your goodies: 1000 Perry St, NE, Washington DC20017 My sincere thanks to Bruce Portzter in Seattle for all his support, and all the great Eastern DXers who have written to me in the past two years! I've enjoyed it so much!! On to the tips!!!

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GE Superadio and two warm cats

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540 WARO PA, Cannonsburg. 9-9 2045 On PSSA? with religious music, singing ID, IDs as "AM 540 WARO, more religious music, ID with full data sign off announcements at 2100 with 55B. Good over CJSB, Ottawa, ON. (DLR-KY)

540 WDAK GA, Columbus. 9-10 2100 Oldies music, ID "WDAK Stereo, the oldies channel," Ex-WEIZ.(DLR)

590 WARM PA, Scranton. 8-30 1220 Sports program. Good. (WPT-DE)

710 WUFF GA, Eastman. 9-12 2120 with high school football, local spots, IDs with sign off announcements at 2130 by Colonel Bob Scott, "WUFF 71" IDs, mention of 92.1 FM IDs, final ID as "WUFF 71 Eastman-Cochran-McCrae GA," and off. PSSA? (DLR-KY)

770 WZEL GA, Young Harris. 9-14 0653 ID "Where your friends tune for the best country music," local spots, C&W music, ID at 0700 "For the best in country sounds, tune to 77 WZEL Young Harri Hayesville." New station, now on the air. (DLR-KY)

770 WLWL NC, Rockingham. 9-14 0636 Religious talk, gospel music, ID, talk of "Gospel Reflections" concert. (DLR-KY)

980 WILK PA, Wilkes Barre 8-31 2005 ID by man during news, fair under WWRC, Washington, DC. (WPT-I
1200 KYOO MO, Bolivar. 9-9 2020 C&W music, sports report, ID "AM 1200 KYOO with your favorite music in stereo. Good. (DLR-KY)

1220 WFKN KY, Franklin. 9-17 1937 ID with mention of being on PSSA until 2300, local spots. (DLR-KY)

1350 WNIS VA, Portsmouth. 8-30 1128 Mention of I-64 and Mercury Boulevard. Good. (WPT-DE)

1360 WWBZ NJ, Vineland. Mike Harla notes that they switch from English to Spanish programming at 1900. (MH-NJ)

1430 WMNC NC, Morganton. 8-25 2015 ID mentioning sports by man. Fair. (WPT-DC)

1470 WTKO NY, Ithaca. 9-10 1945 Weather report, ID by man, mention of Yankee baseball, Good, #20 or channel.(WPT-DC)(Known as "Turkey Radio" by the locals, this station was recently sold ir a distress sale. I'm surprised it's on the air with the good old "Turkey" calls-kz)

1490 WBCB PA, Levittown-Fairless Hills. 9-28 1215 In the middle of their daily Sinatra hour from 1210 to 1300 with young lady DJ giving ID and info. Good. (KJZ-NY)

1550 WGAB CT, Hartford. 9-28 1115 Good with ID "The Talk Of Hartford WGAB," promo for New England Patriots coverage, gardening show from ABC's Talkradio with Jerry Carroll. New. (KJZ-NY)

1550 WARD PA, Pittston. 9-28 1050 AP Net fix-it show "American Know-how" into AP news at 1100. Good ex 1540 kHz, called station to confirm. (KJZ-NY)

1550 WYOU FL, Tampa. 8-25 2014 Sign off by man in English with mention of Spanish language program Fair to good. (WPT-DC)

1580 WTYO NJ, Hammonton. To clarify a tip in an earlier column, WTYO is in English until 1700, and then they switch to Spanish. Weekends may differ due to additional ethnic programming: (i.e. Italian.) (MH-NJ)



WESTERN DX ROUNDUP

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 OF SPECIAL INTEREST:

- 1060 KBGN ID, Caldwell beginning 9/29 now has post-sunset service authority (PSSA) for two hours after Boise sunset, power 92 watts. (BF-ID)
- 1230 KMGR UT, Salt Lake City 9/29 0400 finally bagged this call change, ex-KLAF, after months of trying. ID on half hour as "...on Magic 1-oh-7 point 5," clear ID on hour fading up over mess as "KMGR, 1230 AM Salt Lake City, and KMGR-FM, Magic 107.5," then buried. (RW-CA)
- 1320 KGMG CA, Oceanside ex-KNCC 10/1 2045 fair on car radio while driving in San Diego. Simulcasting KGMG-FM, format is classic hits from the 60's, 70's & 80's. Slogans used are "San Diego's first all-classic hits station" and "San Diego's new FM 102." (TRH-CA)
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- 515 "SAK" Beacon 9/28 0806 with Morse IDer under "CL." Gone after 0900. Most likely choice (per Beacon Log) is one near Kalispell, MT, currently listed on 287 kHz. (bp-WA1)
- 530 TIS BC, Vancouver 10/2 2229 fair & alone with Expo song "Something's Happening here," 2229 1/2 full-data s/off (caught nicely on tape), then an instrumental version of "God Save the Queen" (seldom heard on Canadian stations any more). Note the 2230 s/off continuing into October even though Vancouver sunset is now 2130. (BH-WA)
- 540 *KSHO* CA, Hesperia (ex-KKAR, but never heard by me with those calls). Fair midday signal with line noise QRN. Continuous tape loop "Radio station KSHO, Hesperia, Calif. is conducting equipment tests by authorization of the Federal Communications Commission in Washington DC. KSHO is owned & operated by Mt. Wilson FM Broadcasters, Inc. and operates on an assigned frequency of five hundred and forty khz, with a power of 1,500 watts." (SMM)
- 610 KAVL CA, Lancaster 9/29 on trip in Antelope Valley, stopped to see if station was opened, and talked with DJ/engineer about radio. Told him I once heard if power goes to 5kw, 1 of four towers will be taken down, but he said no, that all four current ones will stay up. He also said KOTE-1380 has low modulation today for some reason. (GL-CA)

630 KIDO ID, Boise 9/29 0837 good under KIDD-KOH with ID "The Idaho report, on KIDO..." Rare here, even on SRS (they null this way to protect KOH). (RW-CA)

650 KORL HI, Honolulu 10/2 0457 OM with lite music, TC/ID. Not heard in months, XETNT apparently off tonight. (TRH-CA)

660 (KTNN) AZ, Window Rock 10/2 0444 noted totally off. Tried for WNBC, but only noted CPFR with poor sigs. (TRH-CA)

680 CJOB ME, Winnipeg 9/28 0735 light rock, ID, weather, weak u/KNBR. (bp-WA1)

690 (XETRA) BGN, Tijuana 9/29 0745 totally off. (RW-CA)

710 (KMPC) CA, Los Angeles 9/29 0435 off air. (GL-CA)

730 KIZN ID, Boise 9/29 0835 call change, ex-KTOX (this confirmed via phone call) good with CKLG nulled but KCBS-740 & KDWN-720 slop w/ID "This is KIZN, 93 FM, and KIZN, Boise." ID later as "This has been a KIZN news update." Night power is 85 watts, on 24 hours. (RW-CA)

KURL MT, Billings 9/28 0900 dominant with relig. programs, ID "This is Gospel Radio, KURL, an Enterprise Network station," good over CKLG-KULE. (bp-WA1)

750 *KGAL* UT, Price per call to station, target date is 10/6. Antenna currently U2 with night pattern protecting WSB--but they may apply for U3 to direct their day signal to the more populated areas of Salt Lake, Provo, etc. (TRH-CA)

760 KFMB CA, San Diego is the new CBS affiliate for this market, ex-KSDO-1130 (which dropped CBS for Ai). (SMM-CA)

790 (KABC) CA, Los Angeles 9/29 0441 off on SP. (GL-CA)

800 KNKK UT, Brigham City 9/28 2337-2345 fair w/CHAB in PJB null with XEROK off. C&W music, jingle IDs. New night authorization. Their PSA was 91 watts, but this sounded like it might be somewhat higher power. (TRH-CA)

870 KIEV CA, Glendale noted // KPZE-1190 Wed. 9/24 2311 carrying "The Reynolds Rap Report," which is a stock-talk program by the Reynolds Aluminum Company. Program is satellite-fed (Reynolds Financial Network), but KPZE was relaying KIEV, complete with ads & KIEV phone numbers! (The 714 area code would be for KPZE's listeners!) (SMM-CA)

KROL NV, Laughlin-Las Vegas 9/28 0047 strong/dominant with long promo, UNLV football. ID "The southern Nevada sports authority, KRGL." (bp-WA1)

890 (KDXU) UT, St. George-NV, Las Vegas 9/29 0445 noted off air. (GL-CA)

900 ?KBIF? CA, Fresno 9/28 2333 presumed them mixing with XEW nightly. EE relig. programs, hymns, but still haven't caught the ID. Probably them on night authorization. (TRH-CA)

CJVI BC, Victoria 10/2 0733 poor under XEW. Contrary to Murphy's Law of DX'ing, faded up beautifully for two "CJVI 900" IDs. OM DJ mentioned live racing from Newport Downs tomorrow, gave temp as 50C/410F in Victoria. New. Great conditions to Canada lately--I've been trying to get an ID out of this one for almost ten years. (TRH-CA)

990 KBLS CA, Santa Barbara Su 9/14 1310 under KFMB-980 slop with MYL. 1400 ABC Direction news. 1405 ABC sports. Finally pulled out ID at 1410 "That's news from AM 990, KBLS, Santa Barbara. Good afternoon, it's a beautiful day in Santa Barbara. Currently it's 72°." Ex-relig. "K-Bliss." (SMM-CA)

KRKT OR, Albany 9/29 0847 good o/u KKIS with Oregon state news! ID "You're listening to the KRKT Agricultural report for the Williamson Valley..." Only 2nd time heard here, first time w/ KKIS on! (RW-CA)

1040 CIOF BC, Vancouver 10/7 0045 dominant o/WHO (carrying NBC football), mixing with unID SS, on car radio. Ments. of BC. Called the station & found they had powered down to "40kw." (PT-CA)

1050 KTBA AZ, Tuba City MM 9/29 0908 fair o/u XED with relig. msg, OM with weather for Tuba City. In a verie dated 9/19/86, the station mentioned they hoped the Mexican treaty would be signed so they could go 24 hours. Guess I'd better tell them, hi. XED was doing some sort of testing--they kept dropping to lower power. (TRH-CA)

KOFY CA, San Mateo MM 9/29 0855-0935 poor-fair w/XED-KTBA-CKAL s/on at 0855 with very casual anct. by James Gabbert "Good morning, everybody out there in radio land! This is Coffee 10-50 now starting a broadcast day. It's 5:55, this is James Gabbert..." into oldies, ads for TV-20, jingles, etc. Anct. at 0934 "Breaking ground tomorrow, concrete gets poured Monday, tower

- 1050 KOFY goes up a week after that. After some technical adjustments, we're there! 50,000 watts shouldn't be far behind, and 24 hours is coming along real well." New. (TRH-CA)
- CKAL BC, Vernon MM 9/29 0845-0859 fair with XED-XEG. OM DJ Chuck Silvery with C&W music, lots of "10-50 C-Kal" IDs. Promo for the "C-Kal check your luck line," which lists winning lotto numbers. Blocked out by XED return to full power 0859. New. (TRH-CA)
- 1060 *KPAY* CA, Chico 9/29 0341 noted with TT. (RW-CA)
- 1110 KRLA CA, Pasadena Th 9/25 per call to station, they no longer use the slogan "The heard & soul of rock n' roll." They haven't used it for two years! (See KGFJ-1230 below) Their new slogan is "All oldies, all the time." (SMM-CA)
- +9/29--a note of interest--station is owned with KBZT-97.1 L.A. The FM changed to KLSX on 9/26 at 1800 "Classic Rock." Both still simulcast on Sundays during certain hours so this is to let all know in case they hear calls KRLA & KLSX. (GL-CA)
- 1130 KLKY AZ, Prescott 9/29 0915-0928 weak under KRDU with ID "KLKY, Prescott Valley." CKWX nulled, came back up with ID 0924 as "Our music makes a difference...???...you, and KLKY," into MYL-type format. On since June per call. Thanks to BN-CO for this tip. S/on is 0915 in Sept., 0930 in Oct. New. (RW-CA)
- 1190 KRDS AZ, Tolleson Th 9/25 0251 poor with Mexican QRM with music and ID "Arizona's best music--AM 1190 KRDS." Apparently ex-relig. Haven't heard this one in years! (SMM-CA)
- (KPZE) CA, Anaheim Th 9/25 0249 noted off the air before local midnight, following "The Reynolds Rap Report." Returned at 0305 with music. No s/on! (SMM-CA)
- 1220 KDFC CA, Palo Alto 9/28 2323 OM ID, into classical music. Also nightly with XEW. Think power is 170 watts--still no sign of KTSJ, which I believe would be allowed 250 watts at night. (TRH-CA)
- +Is fulltime now, per treaty with Mexico. XEB still dominant here, but sometimes KDFC comes in o/XEB. Heard Wed. 9/24 2307 with "You've heard us identify ourselves as San Francisco's Concert Hall. But do you know our name? Our name is K-D-F-C, Palo Alto at 1220 AM and K-D-F-C FM San Francisco at FM 102." Call change for me, ex-KIEE. (SMM-CA)
- ?KDFC?+9/29 0448 faint classical orchestra music. Was told Mexico signed a treaty for certain freqs., so this is probably them. (GL-CA)
- KCCS OR, Salem address per verie is 4303 Market St. N.E., Salem, OR 97301; phone (503)364-1000. (RHM-WA)
- 1230 KAMJ AZ, Phoenix 9/29 0253 way on top with ad for Univ. of Phoenix, ID "...tell us what you think about Magic 101," into song "Afternoon Delight." An awful lot of "Magic's" on this freq., hi. (RW-CA)
- KGFJ CA, Los Angeles Wed. 9/24 noted at 2100 with new slogan "L.A.'s new heart & soul, KGFJ, Los Angeles." Into "I'm a Soul Man." hi. For years (perhaps a decade or so), KRLA-1110's slogan was "The heart & soul of rock n' roll." Considering that I hadn't noticed they were no longer using it, talk about product slogan identification! (See also KRLA-1110 above) KGFJ is also using "L.A.'s Big Chill Station--KGFJ 1230 AM." (SMM-CA)
- 1240 KELK NY, Elko 9/29 0300 well on top with ID "We're 1240 radio, KELK, Elko" then lost. (RW-CA)
- 1360 KLFF AZ, Glendale noted using "K-Life" slogans, as well as call IDs. Format is MYL/Big Bands (identical to KPOP's on same freq.). Legal ID "Glendale-Phoenix." Carries UPI news at :00. Su 9/14 0603 heard end of UPI News, weather, then "...at Sky Harbor Int'l Airport it's 65°. We're K-Life--KLFF" into Glen Miller song. Fair signal with KPOP. (SMM-CA)
- KPOP CA, San Diego call change, ex-KPQP. Still IDs as "K-Pop AM 1360." Carries NBC News on an up to one minute tape-delay, to allow end of song being played across the top of the hour. (SMM)
- KAMT WA, Tacoma kept hearing a mystery station in the KPOP-KLFF mess at the top of the hour with the NBC jingle, seconds before KPOP would carry it. Finally ID'd it on Wed. 9/7 0400 on car radio! Through the KPOP-KLFF mess ID pushed through "KAMT, Tacoma," and into NBC News. Call change for me, ex-KMO. (SMM-CA)
- 1400 (KAAP) CA, Santa Paula 9/28 approx. 1300 on recent drive in Valencia area, unable to hear anything on 1400. I was able to hear them in this area before. (GL-CA)
- KNND OR, Cottage Grove 9/29 0700-0711 surprise o/u KBLX with Oregon news read by YL, ID "That's what's happening, I'm Linda ??? on KNND. We have some great country music to get this week started, here's T.G. Shephard." According to my Bdcst. Yearbook, their format is "adult contemporary." Change of format? New! (RW-CA)

- 1410 KLLB CA, Lompoc 9/29 2232-2252 fair with KERN in KTMS null. Clear ID by OM at 2252 "KLLB, Country Club 14." PSSA or night authorization? (TRH-CA) (Probably PSSA.--NH)
- 1450 KRXX OR, Eugene address per verie is 1245 Charnelton, Eugene, OR 97401; phone (503)344-1450. (RHM-WA) (You got your verie just in time--they are silent now!--NH)
- 1470 KKVU UT, Tremontion-Garland-Brigham City 9/28 0801 s/on very nicely atop; peaked again nicely around 0846 with ID. PSA power at this time, I assume. 90% sure of call but haven't seen this change listed. (ex-KBXN, KBCM) (RHM-WA)
- KBSN WA, Moses Lake 9/28 0900 s/on then into Spanish. Haven't verified mid-July report. (RHM-WA)
- 1600 TIS BC, Vancouver 9/30 2225 over & under w/Expo information. 2229 began full-data s/off with definite mentions of "Expo 86" and "Expo Information Radio," but faded under KEED/KGST before ending. Matches s/off heard on 530 kHz two days later. (BH-WA)
- 1610 TIS WA, Stevens Pass Highway (what is location?) 10/2 2149 atop at times with male voice, construction info for "Highway 2, Stevens Pass." Mentioned work at Index, also Wash. State Dept. of Transportation. No call letters announced. Also heard at times were KNHD262 (Hood Canal Bridge) with female voice, and tentative WNDP946 (Bellingham, Expo border crossing info) with a different female voice. (BH-WA)

UNIDS:

- 720 9/29 0736 unID u/WGN-Russian with oldies format. Looped SE. Doesn't fit either KUAI or WMXY's format. Ideas? Moderate T-storm QRN. (RW-CA)
- 790 9/29 0443 fading SS. (GL-CA)
- 1450 9/29 0452 out of rock song, ID'ing as "the new power station 1450," into another song. Some talk program o/u, probably KVEN. Also some SS. (GL-CA) (Perhaps KPYX Tucson, AZ, reported in 9/27 WDXR with soul format, "Power 1450" slogan.--NH)

While I was typing this WDXR I received a phone call from Pete Taylor (San Francisco, CA) with a phone tip, so if you are wondering who the (PT-CA) refers to, it's Petel Don't forget that we're weekly now, so you can send me a report each week, hi. ♡

UNREPORTED STATIONS UPDATE

Through Volume 23 #34 dated August 9, 1986

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The following chart lists the total number of stations in the USA and Canada and the volume they were last reported as being heard in DX MONITOR.

COUNTRY	V23	V22	V21	V20	V19	V18	V17	V16	V15	V14	V13	V12	Prior	Total
CANADA	201	60	33	15	17	15	11	12	4	5	0	2	46	-- 421
U.S.A.	2094	667	444	370	246	246	122	153	68	46	27	39	287	-- 4809
TOTAL	2295	727	477	385	263	261	133	165	72	51	27	41	333	-- 5230

New Stations reported as having taken the air during the period covering V23 #34:


530-CFJT-ON	880-CHQT-AB (x-1110)	1040-CIOF-BC
770-KCHU-AK	910-KIYU-AK	1200-KY00-WO (x-1130)
830-KFLT-AZ	1020-WRIX-SC	1210-WGSF-TN
870-KROL-NV	1040-KKRE-CO	1480-WMIB-FL (x-1510)

Note: Corrections on several past items appearing here: WRFA-Largo FL is still on 800 not 820. KTIB-Thibodeaux LA is still on 630 not 640. Both stations have CP's for frequency changes. Apologies also inre KFLT-830 in Tucson AZ. They came on in April or May but obviously don't power much in a westerly direction as few (if any) on the WC have heard them.

Previously unreported stations noted by IRCA reporters in DX MONITOR since the last update (V23 #34)...Covers V23 #34.

- AK---2 KIYU--910 (O'Connor-AK)
- AZ---1 KFLT--830 (Hall-vac NV)
- CO---0 KTLD--930 (Wilkins-CO); KKRE-1040 (Hall-vac NV)
- FL--19 WDCQ-1200 (Jeter-vac FL)
- KY---9 WMTL--870 (Rietz-KY)
- AB---0 CHQT--880 (Wilkins-CO)
- ON---5 CFJT--530 (Demmitt-PA)

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DX  **WORLDWIDE EAST**
 JIM HALL
 240 BYRON RD.
 PITTSBURGH, PENN.
 15237, U.S.A. TIME:GMT/UTC

Some more good reports this week, including a list of veries from Bill Harms in Bavaria. Matt Stutterhelm has reported some of the unID (likely of LA origin) hets/ carriers/drifters that I've been hearing - It's good to know these are making it to other areas. The number of drifty LA's seems to be increasing anymore; many offer unique opportunities to log some rare and interesting stations/countries, so why not turn on the receiver now and then? So far the season has been almost predictably very good in terms of propagation from other continents. Please report when possible:

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T R A N S - A T L A N T I C D X

- 585 unID, 0535 10/1 : Seemed like some audio was present through slop on strong carrier. (Hall-PA)
- 684 t SPAIN, 2338 9/6 : Ancr w/deep voice in unID lang; too much splatter. (Stutterhelm)
- 747 HOLLAND, 2350 9/6 : Finally, a really good signal from the Dutch, variety pgm, woman in DD, organ mx and time pips @ 0400. (Stutterhelm-NY) (Nice logging, Matt)
unID, 2338 9/12 : Middle-eastern chanting, deep fade. Man in unID lang. at 0000. (Stutterhelm-NY)
- 765 SENEGAL, 2301 9/1 : Actually nearly a regular; in better than usual tonite with lively music. (Stutterhelm-NY)
- 957 unID, 0015 9/1 : Het here, strong but poor audio. (Stutterhelm-NY) (Did you try to obtain a bearing, Matt? Maybe it was a Cuban? ed)
- 962 &
 963 unID's, hets each @ 0436 9/5. (Stutterhelm-NY)
- 1107 t SPAIN, rumbling of mixed carriers here 0325 10/6 - likely SS gy's. (Hall-PA)
- 1314 unID, 0145 9/12 : Singing by a capella male group, pop mx at 0154; then "Eleanor Rigby" on flute. Classical mx at 0212; nice mix of music. (Stutterhelm-NY) (My guess is obvious - Spain or Kvitsoy, Norway? ed)
NORWAY, Kvitsøy 0443 9/22 : Great signal w/accordion waltzes ala Prairie Home Companion. (Smith-MD)
- 1331.8 unID, 0231 9/12 : Het; not from TV. (Stutterhelm-NY) (A TA down from 1332? ed)
- 1413 t OHAN, 0350 9/5 : Mideast chanting; super signal. Time gong @ 0400; talk unIntelligible. (Stutterhelm-NY)
- 1422 &
 1423 unID's, 0408 9/5 : Two hets here. Mentioned because of superb conditions tonite. 1423 stronger. (Stutterhelm-NY)
- 1458 t ALBANIA, 0409 9/5 : Man in lang then music. (Stutterhelm-NY)
- 1467 MONACO, Monte Carlo 0410 9/5 : Man in GG; flute ensemble mx (renaissance mx) then woman in lang. ID: "Hier isht Monte Carlo", then hcimes and off 0415. (MS-NY)
- 1484 &
 1485 unID, 0420 9/5 : Hets; only Angola listed. (Stutterhelm-NY)
- 1530 t VATICAN, 0316 9/5 : Church service, because of coincidence with 1611 logging, believe it to be Vatican. 9/5 was best DX night in many months. Was predicted by Longwave Club bulletin by Mike Mideke as best date based on a 28 day cycle for LW to NZ/Aus from CA. Based on tonite's loggings I'll be at the dials 4 weeks from now. (If this works out to be true, then the digital clock/timer on the NRD-525 should be replaced by a calendar!) (Stutterhelm-NY)
- 1566 t SWITZERLAND, 0018 9/2 : Man in lang. (Stutterhelm-NY)
- 1575 SPAIN, 0530 10/1 : w/possible Portugal pips under @ 0530. SS talk by man & woman, SS pop mx. Occ very loud w/slop/storm-QRN. //one weaker on 1584 (2 definately on 1584 at the time). (Hall-PA)
- 1593 WEST GERMANY, Langenberg 0508 9/22 : Very strong. Heard the time pip and full ID ("Hier ist der Westdeucher Randfunk") at 0500; into news. (Smith-DC)
- 1611 VATICAN, Vatican City 0310 9/5 : Man & woman in lang (nx?). Organ church music then off at 0315. Stronger than Anguilla on 1610. (Stutterhelm-NY)

P A N - A M E R I C A N D X

- 535 GREHADA, 2332 9/6 : Strong w/Carib dance mx. (Stutterhelm-NY)
- 570 CUBA, 0120 9/2 : CMED Radio Reloj, usual. (Stutterhelm-NY)
- 595 DOMINICA, Roseau 0127 10/2 : Unaccented man w/rigs program, f/by short hymns and into s/off annts by man, anthem. Carrier shut 0134. (Hall-PA)
- 640.0 unID, Seemed like an off-freq. LA (one of the Cubans a pos) 0318 10/6. (Hall-PA)
- 650 DOMINICAN REPUBLIC, Santo Domingo HIAT 0022 9/24 : Very strong, all alone. Sports talk show. (Smith-MD)

- 655 t EL SALVADOR, San Salvador YSS 0515 9/2 : Opera. (Stutterheim-NY)
+YSS at 0245 10/2 LOUD w/lively CA pops. Little slop tonite. (Hall-PA)
- 670 VENEZUELA, Caracas YVLL 0040 9/24 : Many "Radio Rumbos" ID's, great music - hot
brassy vocals. Completely dominating the channel. (Smith-MD) (Often here too. ed)
+0002 9/1 : Rumbos de Ven. dominant with talk, freq. chimes, (nx?)ed semi-class mx.
(Stutterheim-NY)
- 670.4 unID, still high. Noted often in good cx. Not the YV who is usually just about
right on. 0319 10/6+. (Hall-PA)
- 679.1a PANAMA, (or unID) eve 10/6 : Still hoping for this CA here. Seems "settled" on
this split for now (Sept/Oct). Almost definitely non-Cuban, and the 680 Cuban seems
to hold 680 pretty well. Occ audio peaks up in slop when cx permit. (Hall-PA)
- 680 CUBA, 0235 10/2 : R. Rebelde way on top; never before in at such a level. Doubt a
power increase, though. //the many Reb. low-banders as usually hrd here. (Hall-PA)
- 690 CUBA, un1 0250 10/2 : Really lofting in a strong signal; way over usual PQ stn here
and //740/820/880/900/640/660 (all in at various levels). Usual pop SS fmt. (Hall)
- 703 CUBA, 0020 9/1 : Rebelde wanderer here w/"Rebelde" ID; recently was on 698 for
one night. (Stutterheim-NY) (Yes, I have recently noted them dropping down too, ed)
- 705 ST. VINCENT, 0022 9/1 : Hardly any audio; better a few minutes later, then clear
w/YL in EE, then man with echo. (Stutterheim-NY)
- 717 unID, Def tuned into a strong carrier here while passing by the 710 Cubans 0320
10/6. By the time I ste up recording equip. (hoping for audio) it was gone - didn't
seem to fade as it was quite strong; maybe it was shut down. (Hall-PA)
- 765 unID, 0008 9/7 : Classical or church organ mx. Who? (Stutterheim-NY) (Matt,
there may be a Haitian here - see last column. ed)
- 770 COLOMBIA, HJKH 0410 9/8 : WABC off! 2 men with freq. ref's to colombiano
things, another LA stn under. (Stutterheim-NY) (The YV has been showing here. ed)
- 780.6 unID, still up a bit and hetting, 0323 10/6+ other dates/times. (Hall-PA)
- 785.3 unID, 0308 9/2 : Het here. On recheck at 0502 heard LAmx - could HCAA-1 in
Ecuador be on again? (Stutterheim-NY) (I hope so as I've been hearing this also.ed)
- 870 t ARGENTINA, LRA-1 0000 9/2 : Time pips but no ID; very early tonite. (MS-NY)
- 880 CUBA, 0921 9/5 : Soft jazz; "R. Progreso" ID @ 0930. (Stutterheim-NY)
- 882.7 unID, 0240 9/1 : Het here; off-freq. 882 stn? 882 also present. (Stutterheim-NY)
(I've heard this recently, also. at an unstable quality. I cannot pinpoint it as
TA or LA. ed)
- 885 MONTSERRAT, 0018 9/1 : Church svce. (Stutterheim-NY)
- 900 CUBA, 0045 9/26 : Radio Progreso alternating control w/CHML. (Stutterheim-NY)
- 910 CUBA, Camaguey CHML 0326 9/15 : R. Reloj ticker parallel 920/930/940/950/960.
(Smith-MD) (Gardner, does 1270 make it to your QTH's? ed)
- 914 SURINAM, RANI 0012 9/2 : Man in unID lang (not Dutch). Music. (Stutterheim-NY)
- 930 CUBA, 0403 9/8 : Radio Reloj dominating with another LA under. (Stutterheim-NY)
- 942 CUBA, 0012 9/1 : Radio Reloj off-freq / ID, time pips, usual. (Stutterheim-NY)
(Matt, he is gone now, though, as I reported in a recent DXKW-E. ed)
- 985 ** PERU, OBX45 0246 9/1 : LAmx, slow ballad. Gone at 0305 recheck. (Stutterheim-NY)
(Nice catch, Matt)
- 1039.8 DOMINICAN REPUBLIC, Santo Domingo HION 0231 9/30 : Listened for an hour + pulled
through many Sto Domingo ments. Hot mx: New catch on a channel where 4 different
Colombians dominate. #1410 - 20th Dominican. ID as "Radio Central". (Smith-MD)
(Nice job, Gardner.... And nice stats, too)
- 1055 unID, presume Colombian 10/6 0121, but just a weak carrier showing. (Hall-PA)
- 1100 unID Cuban, 0130 9/15 : Radio Cadena Habana Network. (Smith-MD) (Hrd here too, ed)
- 1162.9 unID, seems like another stn here; noted 10/6 0119 w/unstable carrier quality. (Hall)
- 1165 ANTIGUA, St. John's CRL 0120 10/6 : Weak but there just o/slop w/preacher. (Hall)
- 1170 HAITI, Port au Prince 4VRS 0030 9/15 : Sds/1k a drama in Creole or French Patois.
(Smith-MD)
- 1196.8 unID, 0245 9/12 : Cuba assumed, w/strong het/poor audio with time pip once per
minute. (Stutterheim-NY) (Hmmm. A time pip every minute, like a Reloj??? In all
my receptions here I have hrd nothing that would suggest a Cuban. Maybe this is a
Cuban that alternates its (sate[ite?]) feeds? I did, however, hear a "LA Grande"
mention, hopefully an ID for Ecuador. Some probable Andes mx was hrd on 2 occasions
as well. Still no word on a tape report sent to Manta. Anyone have anything more
concrete here???? ed)
- 1197.6 unID LA, 0400 9/24 : S/off w/NA (but I didn't recognize it). Was playing light,
romantic ballads (Similar to my "Latin relaxer mx" description on 1196.8 in 9/27, ed)
Not a Cuban. Hrd ID but can't make it out. (Smith-MD) (The 1196.8 may have been
drifting back up? ed) (Was the ID "R. ? ? " or "La ? ? " ?? ed)
- 1200.7-8 unID, LA here 10/2 eve w/Latin vocals - seems to have recovered to even freq. by
10/6, but not sure. This may have even been the two above loggings as well. (Hall)
- 1281 unID, 0240 9/12 : Strong het. (Stutterheim-NY) (I think it's a Cuban, but haven't
gotten a good ID in the clear. They seem to be strictly Latin EZ instru/vocal fmt.ed)
- 1374.2 unID, 0022 9/8 : Het noted here frequently; is St. Pierre drifting or is it a
Latin? (Stutterheim-NY) (Dunno, but hrd here too. Personally I doubt St. Pierre. ed)

- 1530 unID, (still) : I doubt if it's a Texan - I just don't hear Texans at this QTH and besides, it's DFing way too far east to be Texas; and tonite (9/25 0001) it's off-frequency 20 or 30 Hz. (Smith-MD) (I did hear a Cuban here 9/12, and it had a 'different' sound to it - different from the possible Texan I had earlier. I am still hoping I had Texas as well, but I haven't seen it reported in this area in years. ed)
- 1542 unID, (LA) : Carrier again (last hrd 9/12 in AU up 1541.7). Drifter? (Hall-PA)
- 1580 COLOMBIA, Barranquilla HQZ 0448 9/24 : "En Barranquilla, La Voz de La Estrellas". Only runs 1kW but xint over CBJ. (Smith-MD)

VERIFICATIONS

- 567 IRELAND, Tullamore : Radio Telefins Eireann R.I. - Full data Mellifront Abbey card in 19 days. (Harms-FRG)
- 594 GERMANY, FED. REP. of, Frankfurt/Hoher Meissner : Hessischer Rundfunk - Full data Hoher Meissner transmitter picture card in 20 days. (Harms-FRG)
- 666 GERMANY, FED. REP. of, Rohdorf : Sudwestfunk - Full data Globe card in 23 days. (Harms-FRG)
- 747 HOLLAND, Flevoland : Nederlandse Omroep Stichting Radio 1 - Full data map card in 19 days. V/s Carol Hagen. (Harms-FRG)
- 756 GERMANY, FED. REP. of, Konigsutter/Ravensburg : Deutschlandfunk - Full data logo card in 20 days. (Harms-FRG)
- 810 SCOTLAND, synthros. : BBC Radio Scotland - Full data logo card in 14 daus. (Harms)
- 1053 ENGLAND, synthros. : BBC Radio 1 - Usual no-data BBC External Service in 25 days. (Harms-FRG)
- 1107 GERMANY, FED. REP. of, Munich : American Forces Network - No-data logo card in 17 days. Sent to Munich. (Harms-FRG)
- 1152 ENGLAND, London : LBC - Full data card in 12 days. (Harms-FRG)
- 1197 SWEDEN, Solvesborg : Radio Sweden International - Full data; Boats in Stockholm Archipelago card in 17 days. V/s Claude Stephenson. For EE pgm. (Harms-FRG)
- 1215 ENGLAND, synthros. : BBC Radio 3 - No-data Broadcast House card, via BBC External Services. In 16 days. (Harms-FRG)
- 1458 ENGLAND, : BBC Radio London - Full data logo card in 29 days. (Harms-FRG)
- (net) CUBA, Emlora Radio Rebelde La Habana : (see last weeks verie section as well) - R. Rebelde has now answered both of my duplicate (EE/SS) requests, both sent seperately. Similar returns of general data QSL, v/l, and a few decals. But wait - not more than a week after receiving the second QSL, another reply came in frmo Havana, this one re my old request of several months ago in which I mentioned their pesky jammers and off-freq. xmtrs. It was also standard fare, with no mention of the jammers/drifters. This changes my mention of receiving no reply for this in the recent Cuban Broadcasting article which will hopefully appear in DXM soon. I had included no r/p in any of the three requests (not a good practice), but rec'd 100% return, possibly for reasons mentioned in the article. (Hall-PA)

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Gardner asks if Longwave broadcast stations are game for DXWW-E. I will quote from the IRCA EDITORIAL POLICY (dated 9/14/79) : "Reports of broadcasting stations heard on the long wave band, 140 to 400 kHz, will be included in DXWW as space and time permit, on an irregular basis, at the direction of the DXWW editor...." I would say, Gardner, that loggings from long wave would be included per this order, and only certain stations; like Trans-Atlantic long wave broadcast outlets, or only interesting (like propagation indicators or similar) Pan-American outlets. I would not accept, personally, domestic beacon (air-nav, NAVAID's et al) loggings, as this is obviously a worldwide column. I guess DXers can just send LW loggings in and I'll try to include the important/interesting ones (like now, info on the LW frequency allocation changes in Europe is of interest). 73's

DX Worldwide - West



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First off, how do you like the new masterhead? I think it is great!!! It was designed by Rich Toebe. Thank you very much.

DX of late seems to have picked up for a lot of people. Unfortunately I missed out on most of it. That's the way things go at times. Hopefully the good cx will continue. There is a good column this week, so on with the show!!!

TRANS-ATLANTIC DX ROUNDUP (We finally have one!)

- 1035 UNID, 0502 9/10 carrier here loping about 80 degrees. South Africa, hi! But other TA carriers on 1044 and 1485. (HHP-BC) (Nick, I hrd Portugal here a couple years back.PH)
- 1314 t NORWAY, Kvitsoy-0347 9/11 man and woman in Germanic language (Norwegian?) poor to fair. At times audible on TRF with Shotgun loop! Also noted as carrier 0404 9/22 (HHP-BC)
- t +Also noted-0330 9/11 het fading in and out looping NE. Faded up w/bits of man and woman in unid lang. 0340 for a minute or two. Also bits of rr mx 0352. Nothing IDable at top of hour and gone after that. (BP-Wa)
- 1467 t MONACO, Monte Carlo-0350 9/11 woman talking in Unid lang. poor to fair strength and soon gone. WRTH says TWR is in Albanian at this time. Carriers on 531, 756, 855, 1485, 1503, and 1584 also noted 1485 and 1584 seem vly unlikely. (HHP-BC) (I presume if cx were good enough, the LP jobs would make it in, don't you think? Anything is possible.PH)

PAN-AMERICAN DX ROUNDUP

- 702.5 UNID, man talking too poor and murky to tell what but seemed Caribbean EE, could have been SS I guess,too. Bearing about 110 degrees Ideas? on 9/12 0309 (HHP-BC) (Honduras has been reported around here, also St. Vincent is listed w/ 10KW. Also any other Latin that drifted, I presume. Also in DXWW-E Cuba has been reported around 702. PH)
- 500 MEXICO, Tijuana-Noted throughout Sept. on long after SS, often leaving OC on AH. Possibly night authorization, although Mexican gov. in so disorganized in this regard that anything is possible (TRH)
- 510 COLOMBIA, Radio Sutatenza-SM 9/21 0557-1000 booming in during KGO SP Full ID by man listing all stations in net, pgm "La Reflecion Dominical" and usual literacy pgms. Not previously logged from Chula Vista (TRH-Ca)
- 550 CUBA, Radio Progreso SM 9/21 0955 w/man and woman "Noticiero RP" news. IDs w/KMER during KRVI SP. New Cuba #15. (TRH-Ca)
- 1040 COSTA RICA, Radio Fides MH 9/22 1106-1117 w/WHO, WHB0, CIOF. Faded up for ID "Lista es Ud. Fun sintonia de radio Fides, La emisora musical Catolica" Soon lost to CIOF. New country #25. (TRH-Ca)

TRANS-PACIFIC DX ROUNDUP

- 236 U.S.S.R., Maqadan-1309 9/10 Stirring vocal mx //4485, poor to fair 153, 150, 189 also showing audio. (HHP-BC)
- 531 AUSTRALIA, Kempsey-PMC 1322 9/17 rr mx "2HC remembering the 70's" tc, "keeping in touch with the community 2HC" all by man. Good signal, but soon faded. (HHP-BC)
- 540 AUSTRALIA, Longreach-40L 1337 9/14 Aussie man talking, poor to fair //7549. (HHP-BC*)
- 542 AUSTRALIA, Orange-2CR 1035 9/14 man talking then woman singing opera. vly good //4920 (HHP-BC*)

- 558 AUSTRALIA, Waqin-6WA 1331 9/14, Symphonic mx, vy good //6140. This one was really booming in until after 1400 this morning. 6DL-531 was also noted at times. (NHP-BC*)
- 567 AUSTRALIA, Julia Creek-4JK 1324-9/7 poor in 570 splatter, but //4920 w/Jazz. New Here. (NHP-BC)
- 576 AUSTRALIA, Sydney-2FC 1322 9/7 Laid back Jazz //4920 which was delayed by split second. Fair to fairly good. (NHP-BC) (It sounds like the Concert stations are now running more than the Classical mx.PH)
- 585 JAPAN, Kushiro-JOPG 1309 9/8 Man and woman in JJ poor to fair, //594. Another station (USSR?) apparently in CC, but not //4525 or other USSR Foreign service stations. (NHP-BC)
- 594 JAPAN, Tokyo-JOAK 10/1 1200 1300 and 1400 Quite good for 1st TP of season at longable level. (RHH-Wa)
- 603 t AUSTRALIA, Horsham-3WV 1316 9/4 Jazz Inst. //6150 poor (NHP-BC)
AUSTRALIA, Hobart-7ZL-1331 9/14 Jazz Inst. Fair to good //594 which was good. Any other ABC on this channel yet? (W Aust. not likely, hi. (NHP-BC*) (Why not, you hrd 6WA well. I heard and QSLd 6XM-1155 a few years ago w/2KW. 7ZL is the only Eastern Aussie on 603, NZ has been operating there at times, though. PH)
- 639 t AUSTRALIA, Coffs Harbour-2CS-1409 9/14 Pretty good w/extended ad and many ments. of Coffs Harbour. Who else? At least one other hrd on this channel. (NHP-BC*)
- 657 NORTH KOREA, Kangnam-1316 9/7 Classical singing then man in KK //3320 poor to fair. (NHP-BC)
- 666 JAPAN, Osaka-JOBK 9/25 1305 fair w/male talk (BP-Wa)
U.S.S.R., Komsomolsk-1329 9/11 Faint chimes o/u JOBK, but not much else hrd. (NHP-BC)
- 702 AUSTRALIA, Sydney-2BL-1025 9/14. Apparent tele-talk show // not w/SW outlets. Woman mentioned 7 oh-2BL and phone numbers. Talking about Finland. More A BC outlets seem to be running separate prog. from nets. Monster signal on this one until 1402 s/off. S/off on many ABC stations has also changed since I last hrd them. Now use aboriginal growling sounds with bird noises, though some use anthem. Tuning past a number of strong signals all grumbling at you sounds a bit intimidating. (NHP-BC*) (Thx for the tip on this, it may be a bit easier to get def IDs from the ABCers, now.PH)
- 711 AUSTRALIA, ?? 1343 9/14. Jazz inst. //735 poor to fair, but whether it was 7NT or 4QW, who knows. The latter more likely, I suppose. (NHP-BC*) (7NT is more likely as 4QW nulls us, 7NT has been hrd here quite a few times. Try to catch at their last Nxcast before s/off as they used to break away from the net at a minute or two in the news for local news.PH)
- 720 t AUSTRALIA, Atherton-4AT 1326 9/14. This seems the more likely w/ Jazz inst. //729 (NHP-BC*)
- 729 AUSTRALIA, Adelaide-5CL 1325 9/14 Jazz //735 and 747. Surprisingly fair to good w/not much problem from 730. (NHP-BC*)
- 738 t TAHITI, 9/23 0706-poor noted w/huge het on 740 after local CBC went off (CBX), traces of audio making it through, only SW // was audible 6135. (DM-Alberta)
- UNID, 1320 9/10 One of a couple of times CC talk has appeared here. poor amid the hum. Taiwan has been logged here before. (NHP-BC)
- 828 JAPAN, Osaka-JOBB-9/25 1209 fair (BP-Wa)
- 937 JAPAN, Niigata-JOQK fair w/tele-talk 1337 9/25 (BP-Wa)
CHINA, location unknown-1313 9/11 woman and man in CC //7516 (NHP-BC)
- 973 JAPAN, Kumamoto-JOGB-1312 9/1 Man in JJ //774, poor in splatter (NHP)
- 927 AUSTRALIA, Gladstone-4CC 1347 9/14. Glad chatter by man included: "Hit trivia here on 4 double C" Fair to good (NHP-BC*)
- 963 UNID, 1333 9/10 Laid back orch. mx poor but with monster carrier Not // USSR, KBS, or NHK..... (NHP-BC)
- 972 AUSTRALIA, Adelaide-5DN 1422 9/14 Good to vy good, "or here at 5DN" by man, ment. of North Adelaide, then talking to woman on phone. (NHP-BC*) (Good catch, Nick.PH)
- 1017 t REPUBLIC OF KOREA, 1308 9/5 Woman singing pop mx //6015. Poor (NHP)
TONGA, Nukualofa-9/23 0724 poor, presumed the one, with just bits of audio at best. (DM-Alberta)
- 1044 CHINA, 1328 9/8. Orch. mx fair to good //7480 (NHP-BC)
- 1062 UNID, 1307 9/14 Old time jazz vocal, poorish audio, 4TI and 2AP listed...either would be welcome. (NHP-BC*) (Nick, did you check for //? ABC has been hrd here a few times, 2AP only once.PH)
- 1134 JAPAN, Tokyo-JOOR 1306 9/1. Fast paced JJ talk by man and woman poor, audio audible for a couple of minutes. (NHP-BC)
- 1332 UNID, het here 1250 9/28 (BP-Wa)

- 1467 t FIJI, Rakiraki-1052 9/14. Apparently the one w/Indian sounding
ancr and mx,good. Missed the hour, but hrd G5Q at 1101. (NHP-BC*)
- 1476 NEW ZEALAND, Auckland-1XA - 1053 9/14 fair in merk w/man mentioning
"Radio Hauraki" then rr mx. First ID in ages. (NHP-BC*)
- 1548 AUSTRALIA, Emerald-40D-9/10 1305 fair ABC News, then into local
pgm w/phone numbers given. (DM-Alberta)
- 1557 AUSTRALIA, Taree-2RE 1208 9/14 woman ment. 2RE poor to fair in
splat. (NHP-BC*)
- 1566 AUSTRALIA, Gympie-4GM 1353 9/14. Piano mx //4920 and 1548, fair to
good at 200 watts! (NHP-BC*) (Glad to see someone else hrd this
flea powered job. Only hrd once here several years back.PM)
- t AUSTRALIA, Wangaratta-3NE 1259 9/14. Man running through s/off
anmt, then anthem, but no ID. Presumed, though it is listed for
1500 s/off. (NHP-BC*)
- REPUBLIC OF KOREA, Cheji-HLAZ, thundering in at 1247 9/28 w/talk
in JJ (BP-Wa)
- 1575 AUSTRALIA, Wollongong-200 9/10 at 1309, fair pop mx at a nice level
ad for local sale on Saturday. Clear ID for 200 Wollongong at 1310
along w/tc for 10 past 11. Good high band ex with carriers and or
audio on 1494, 1503, 1512,1521, 1548, 1557,1566, 1575, 1584, 1593,
and 1602. Virtually nothing below these, faded quickly at 1320 (DM)

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Trans-Pacific DX Guide

The following is a compilation of TP countries and the frequencies they were reported on in the DXWW-W section of "DX Monitor" during the last year. Since TP conditions often favor areas of reception, it is often useful to know all the frequencies that a specific area or country has been reported. Since October is often an excellent month for TP DX, I thought this guide would be useful to those who are anxious to hear more TP stations. In addition the February/March time frame is also good for TP DX. For some reason, I left out Alaska and Hawaii. Maybe I will get them in next year's edition. I am also working on a Pan American Guide. phil

Country	Frequencies
American Samoa	585,648
Australia	531,540,549,558,576,594,603,612,621,702,711,738,747,756,765,774,792,810,819,828,837,846,855,864,873, 882,891,1008,1026,1107,1206,1314,1386,1413,1548,1557,1566,1575,1620,1629,1692,1720
China	837,927,936,945,1017,1035,1044,1062,1206,1476,1521,1548
Fiji	558,774,810,891,927,1206,1467
Guam	612,801
Japan	531,540,549,558,567,585,594,603,612,639,648,657,666,675,684,693,702,729,738,747,756,765,774,810,819, 828,837,846,864,873,882,891,909,918,927,936,945,954,990,999,1008,1017,1035,1053,1098,1107,1116,1125, 1134,1143,1152,1179,1188,1197,1242,1278,1287,1314,1332,1386,1404,1422,1485,1503,1512,1584,1593,1602
Kiribati	846
Korea, North	531,603,657,702,765,783,819,855,875,1053
Korea, South	558,567,711,819,882,891,972,1026,1035,1053(jammer),1188,1215,1305,1467,1566
New Caledonia	666
New Zealand	531,567,657,675,756,765,801,819,828,837,864,882,891,954,963,981,1008,1026,1035,1044,1053,1080,1098, 1116,1143,1152,1206,1215,1296,1476,1593,1615
Papua New Guinea	1494,1685,1692
Philippines	828,1071
Solomon Islands	945,1035
Tahiti	738
Taiwan	738,864,1143,1161
Thailand	891,1575
Tonga	1017
Tuvalu	621
USSR	153,180,189,576,585,720,783,837,963,1008,1476,1521
Wallis Island	1188
Western Samoa	1251

EASTERN DX FORUM

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Just checking in again. I have tabulated the exact number of stns that I have heard, but I have virtually every European country. In the daytime (besides West Germany), I can hear East Germany, Italy, Austria, Czechoslovakia, and France. I have found several different EE language programs, usually in the form of External Services. For our every day listening, we listen to APN-Munich-1107 (daytime), Bayern 3-98.5 mHz (transmitter at nearby Wendelstein), VOA-Europe-1197 kHz and R. Luxembourg-1440. APN Munich does all right in the daytime, but is troubled with QRM at night. Bayern-3 has quite a lot of U.S. pop music and has the best all-around signal. VOA-Europe is good for keeping up on things in the States but its EE sked is limited. Of course, Luxembourg is very good with their EE language program late at night. The other day I heard my first TA in the form of widely reported Caribbean-1610. It was fair at 0445-0500 UTC with the tail end of a program in Spanish and a music program. There was no trace at 0500 so I assumed they signed off. Hets have appeared in the higher-MW frequencies, but very little audio yet. It is weird DXing TA's in reverse. Gotta go now. Ahnnyoung, Auf Wiedersehen, and see you again. 73's de wjh in Bavaria.

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Ask Rona Barrett will be a program featured on Mutual three times this year... Aug. 17th, Oct. 12th & Nov. 23rd from 2300 till Midnight (Eastern Local). One of the first stations to sign the contract for this programming is WWWE-1100. The program will be live and listeners will be invited to call Rona at 1-800-345-7755. Rona will interview stars from the fields of entertainment, sports and even the political scene. WRSC-1390 in State College, Pa. has once again corrected their defective transmitter that has been spilling slop across the upper end of the AM band for a very long period of time. People as far away as Altoona, Pa were picking up the interference from WRSC for over a month so the station must have decided it was time to make the repairs. From time to time I am picking up QRM across the band that is making my RX sound like a radiation detector. Have not been able to trace it but suspect it may be coming from something that is intermitting...maybe a mercury vapor light. If anyone else has heard this type of QRM, I'd appreciate some clues as to where to start looking. With all the changes going on with call letters and power, it sure would help if there was a decent data bank that could store and update all the info. Sure would be convenient. DJ Jim Patterson died at 2030 on July 28, 1986. Jim started out on WBT's very first transmission and has worked for both the radio and TV stations. Hello Henry took phone calls from listeners who told many wonderful stories about Jim. Jim was an excellent communicator who will be missed by many. (second report) If Congress goes along with a bill before it, we just may have a new station to DX. This will be a MW station which will transmit programming to Nicaragua. The \$19.8 million station may be located in Hon0 duras if an agreement can be reached with that government. A second site is Punta Gorda, Belize. From the evidence I have investigated, this station will have a lot of problems, especially in the antenna construction. The poor soil in the area plus the mountains and rocky hills will make for poor propagation both day and night. The station must also consider the already over-crowded MW band while making sure they do not cause harmful radio interference to stations in Central America, Mexico and in the United States. Since the stations must operate under the current VOA charter, it will not truly be an anti-Nicaragua station so chances are, it will not be jammed. 73. (Both reports are old ones held on hand here. Three more reports are on hand--rce)

Cont'd from pg 10...

OFF THE AIR STATIONS: 730-KTOX-ID, 790-KBRV-ID, 990-KTLE-UT, 1000-WYBT-FL, 1080-WNCR-NC, 1170-WAVS-FL, 1220-KLCO-MO, 1280-WXOZ-FL, 1300-KHUG-OR, 1320-KQIQ-CA, 1360-KWAS-TX, 1360-KRGL-OR, 1400-KITZ-WA, 1430-WBWK-TN, 1450-WWAM-GA, 1450-WTHU-MD, 1530-WTKG-MI, 1550-WVAV-VA, 1550-KXXR-WA, 1600-WQBR-FL.....

BACK ON THE AIR: 1220-WNNR-CT, 1310-WGTE-MS, 1440-KDIF-CA, 1470-WLVU-FL, 1590-WJBQ-ME.....



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Not much to report here as I've had to move some of my DX gear around to provide some growing room for the baby. I still have a seven-foot rack full of stuff that needs to go somewhere and it just doesn't look right in the living room. Maybe I'll move it into the bathroom. hi. (Naw, don't do that - I'll be more than happy to "store it" for you, hi-RtH.)

I did get the SP-600 and FAX-1 hooked up and heard KPRZ 1210 the other night. (Oh, that pest, hi-RtH.)

To those of you asking, "Radio Caliente" on 1250 is indeed KHOT in Madera (Thank-you, sir-RtH) and while coming back from a jaunt over to Santa Nella I noticed KLBS 1330 had their three-tower array up, 100 meters or so from the old tower. I haven't heard them on at night yet, but the former owner says they've been testing. (Still no sign of them as of 06 October, nighttime, that is-RtH.)

A note on using a computer for keeping DX records: I put my 60-meter loggings into a data base and now I can list them by frequency, country, time heard, etc., or list everything heard in a particular language in a specific time period above or below a certain frequency. However, because the handiest tool a DX'er has is a listing of loggings by frequency, it's probably more convenient to create this with a word processor. All those sorts may be impressive, but have relatively little use.

Well, 73 and I hope we'll all hear a lot of good DX this year.

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Time for the annual rundown of southern Manitoba radio formats. Hopefully, the following will help a DX'er out there log a new station with more information than "CKY's format is pop," or "CJOB's is variety." From the low end of the dial . . . CKY 580 "light rock and less talk," a hybrid of Adult Contemporary and Top 40/Current hits. "58 CKY" carries Winnipeg Jets hockey in the winter and also has Dr. Ruth. 630 CKRC Country music with a fair amount of the softer cross-over music played. The worst "slop" of all the Winnipeg stations. 680 CJOB Full service/Adult Contemporary, similar to WHAS 840 or CFRB 1010. Heavy emphasis on news, weather and time checks. A wide variety of phone-in shows and sports programming goes along with softer contemporary music. Currently carries assorted major league baseball games and has pre and post-game shows for NHL hockey and CFL football although CJOB no longer has rights to either Jets (NHL) or Blue Bomber (CFL) play-by-play broadcasts. 730 CKDM (Dauphin) Country/Top 40. Generally country daytime and rock hits in the evenings. Slogans that are used include "Your Country Connection" and "The Rock of the Prairies," depending on the time of day. 810 CKJS Generally ethnic, with programs in Ukrainian, Portuguese, Chinese and other languages. Other times of the day can be heard with pop oldies, often long-forgotten, such as Mashmakan's "As The Years Go By." 880 CKLO (Brandon) "G-Country." Basic Country format with the old religious program thrown in. 920 CFRY (Portage La Prairie) Traditional Country. Still has a Sunday morning SP with an OC!! 950 CFAM (Altona) "Radio Southern Manitoba," generally parallel to 1250 CHSM with easy-listening music, religion, gospel and some ethnic programming during the day. At night plays classical and has play-by-play for South Eastern Manitoba Junior Hockey League games. 990 CBW Standard CBC English fare. 1050 CKSE CBC French stays on all night with classical music as all the CBC French stations do. 1150 CKX (Brandon) Quite similar to sister Moffat station 580 CKY, including Winnipeg Jets broadcasts. Music hardens and becomes more current during the evening. 1220 CJRE (Boissevain) Part of "Radio Southern Manitoba" and parallel to 950 CFAM and 1250 CHSM. 1250 CHSM (Steinbach) The strongest Winnipeg signal of the three "Radio Southern Manitoba" outlets. Local commercials often differ from those of 1220 CJRE. 1290 CFRW "13-CFRW" is Winnipeg's CHUM group outlet. Format is Top 40/Contemporary Hits, with the mellow hits played more often during the daytime. Other features include American Top 40, Joel Denver's Future Hits '86, commercial-free Sundays and Blue Bomber football. 1530 C1SV (Winkler/Morden) "V-Country" plays country music, including country oldies Saturday evenings. Occasionally joins the Telemedia Sports Network to carry Toronto Blue Jays (baseball), usually when 680 CJOB does not. 73.

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In 27 September WDXR I note a number of "called station" references; PLEASE try and get a mailing address when you call and include in your report to Nancy! Returned reports still occur all too often and at 39 cents per throw, expenses mount.

A few veries have found their way into my mailbox including 2MC 531, KRXX 1450, KCCS 1220 and CK00-1 1490 (thanks WGE). Latter is verie #2,000 according to my long un-audited totals. Thought when I retired that I'd get to do a thorough auditing shortly; well, three years have gone by and still haven't found time to re-do my logs.

Didn't get really fully on-line with monitors until mid-September as had some real problems; motor on my five-inch mono reel-to-reel (Allied - mail order of a few years ago, hi) became balky so retired same to sole use as amplifier for replay cassette deck (stereo/auto-reverse).

Canadians are really lousing up the band here with a number of good channels pretty well blocked NSP by newcomers; guess I'll have to move further south! (Ain't no better here, Roy, hi-RtH.) 1040 and 1200 have recently bit the dust; hardly have a good frequency to check as a guideline to easterly conditions anymore. 840 perhaps the best indicator here as WHAS can overwhelm CKBX/KSWB on occasion.

Nice job, Nancy, on WDXR; what volume for "off season." Do appreciate all the labors of you editors; know how time-consuming preparation can be. 73.

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Just wanted all of you to know I'm still around. I haven't sent anything in to WDXF in quite a while and there's been no ANARC column. There just hasn't been much to say. I'm your ANARC Representative and will publish another ANARC column as soon as there's something worth reporting. If you have anything to say regarding ANARC and/or how it can effect IRCA be sure to write and let me know. My ears and eyes are open to suggestions for the ANARC column.

There's been some talk lately that the various monitoring bills that are now before Congress may have the same fate as the Tax Bill. In other words, they may pass. Most of you who know me also know that I'm first a ECB DX'er then a SW listener then an FM/TV DX'er. I also monitor FM/SCA frequencies and have a decoder for same. If the various monitoring bills pass SCA listening will also be illegal. I will continue to listen to SCA and will not try to hide it. I will not give up SCA listening or any other for that matter. We all may have one last chance to defeat Congress and our fabulous president but we must act now. 73 for now.

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DX is picking up with the new season, see CDXR for all the latest. Recent veries from CKSW 570 for a report last February. CHOR 770 and KBSR 1230 for call change. The "BSR" stands for "Big Sky Radio." Country music. KBSR sent a hat along with the verie. Did you ever notice the sky is just as big in other states as Montana? (Yes, but the air is cleaner, hi-RtH.) 73.

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Well, it's back to Fred again (the computer, of course, hi). New ribbon should make for better copy.

RW, you're so right about nulling KIEV, but I too finally nabbed KR0L Laughlin-Las Vegas on 03 October. They carry AP News. And speaking of Laughlin, they're just that, a laugh. For crying out loud Laughlin is virtually a ghost town, hi. And carrying that a step further, noted a few issues ago that Virginia City, Nevada, a certified ghost town, has applied for a CP. Obviously with the intent of serving metro Reno/Sparks (150,000 "live" folks) down the road. (Brother, shades of Silt, Colorado, hi).

Quite probably the most important part of DXM to me is the "Of Special Interest" section of WDXR. Thanks to the last one, bagged C1DF 1040 (pouring it on, but a good KWHO in their null) and KTSJ 1220 Pomona, California nearly dominating 1220. RW mentioned KDFC now fulltime, but if he can null them at 15 miles, you can imagine what kind of signal I get from them (nighttime) at 80 miles: None. And JH mentioning KSCD 1080 now fulltime. I guess that was them deep u/KWJU's null on 03 October. "JJ" is nearly like a local here at night. I guess I'm primarily a domestic DX'er, although if I hear something distant in SS or a het, you better believe I'll pursue it, such as JOBB 828 wiping out (almost) B30 (again, same morning), with all sorts of other hets. But nearly all my totals lately have come from "Of Special Interest."

On the local prep and college football scene: Cal State Sacramento KGNR 1320, U.C. Davis KSMJ 1380, U. of the Pacific KJOY 1280, Nevada Union High and Sierra J.C. KNCD 830, U.C. Berkeley K60 810, Stanford and San Jose State (don't ask me how they arrange that, hi) KCBS 740, and believe it or not, U. of Nebraska on KHMY 1030.

That's all this time around. Join us next week at this same time on this

Let's see, I got the microwave popcorn, the honey-roasted cashews, the Maui potato chips, the six-pack of Classic New cola, the Refrigerator-sized stuffed pizza—it's time for the football season! That means I want a few veterans and draft picks to pass along their favorite team's lineup of radio stations carrying its broadcasts, NFL or CFL or collegian. This means YOU. Otherwise I'll have to fork over three dollars in writing costs, hi. For the opening kickoff, I present the roster of NFL flagship stations, with network sizes in brackets, owners of broadcast rights underlined, and play-by-play announcers when known. Reprinted from Broadcasting, 4 August 1986:

NATIONAL FOOTBALL CONFERENCE

Atlanta FALCONS (apx. 45)	750 WSB--GA	
Chicago BEARS (35+)	<u>720 WGN--IL</u> ¹	Wayne Larrabee, Dick Butkus, Jim Hart
Dallas COWBOYS (175 EE; 20 SS)	1080 KRFD-TX ²	Brad Schamm, Dale Hansen
	SS TBA	
Detroit LIONS (38)	<u>760 WJR--MI</u>	Frank Beckmann, Dale Conquest, Charlie Sanders
Green Bay (WI) PACKERS (55)	620 WTMJ-WI	
Los Angeles RAMS (29 EE; 1 SS)	<u>710 KMPC--CA</u>	
	930 KRTH--CA ³	
	1090 XEPRS-MX ⁴	
Minnesota VIKINGS (62)	94.5 KSTP-MN	
New Orleans SAINTS (40+)	<u>870 WWL--LA</u>	
New York GIANTS (25)	<u>1130 WNEW-NY</u> ⁵	
Philadelphia EAGLES (28)	<u>610 WIP--PA</u>	
St. Louis CARDINALS (50)	<u>1120 KMOX--MO</u>	
	630 KXOK--MO ³	
San Francisco FORTY-NINERS (20)	740 KCBS--CA	Don Klein, Don Heinrich
Tampa Bay BUCCANERS (15)	<u>620 WSUN--FL</u>	
Washington REDSKINS (65)	<u>630 WMAL--DC</u>	Frank Herzog, Sonny Jurgenson, Sam Huff

AMERICAN FOOTBALL CONFERENCE

Buffalo BILLS (10)	930 WBEN-NY	
Cincinnati BENGALS (apx. 40)	<u>550 WKRC--OH</u>	
Cleveland BROWNS (apx. 25)	<u>1100 WWWE--OH+</u>	
	102.1 WDOK--OH+	
Denver BRONCOS (apx. 60)	850 KOA--CO	Bob Martin, Larry Zimmer
Houston OILERS (35)	<u>99.1 KODA--TX</u> ⁶	
Indianapolis COLTS (16)	<u>1070 WIBC--IN</u>	
Kansas City CHIEFS (50-54)	<u>810 KCMO--MO</u>	
Los Angeles RAIDERS (36 EE; ? SS)	1110 KRLA--CA ⁷	Bill King, Rich Marotta
	107.5 KLVE--CA	
Miami DOLPHINS (apx. 30 EE; 1 SS)	610 WTOD--FL	
	<u>1140 WQBA--FL</u> ⁸	
New England PATRIOTS (35)	590 WEEI--MA	
New York JETS (1)	770 WABC--NY	Randy Rasmussen, Sam DeLuca
	570 WMCA--NY ³	
Pittsburgh STEELERS (40)	1250 WTAE--PA+	
	96.1 WHTX--PA+	
San Diego CHARGERS (1)	600 KLZZ--CA	
Seattle SEAHAWKS (65)	<u>710 KIRO--WA</u>	Steve Raible, Pete Gross

Notes: 1. Syndicated by co-owned Tribune Radio Network. 2. English/Spanish syndicated by co-owned Texas State Network. 3. Carries games if conflict on flagship occurs. 4. Time purchased by KMPC for Spanish broadcasts. 5. Syndicated by Connecticut Radio Network. 6. Rights owned by parent Westinghouse Broadcasting and Cable. 7. English/Spanish rights owned by Bob Speck Productions. 8. WQBA owns Spanish rights.

NATIONAL COVERAGE: NBC is in final year of two-year contract for radio rights to all non-Sunday afternoon games plus playoffs, Super Bowl, and Pro Bowl. At least 250 stations will air the games, including probably the Texas State Network. Main announcing team is Don Criqui and Bob Trumphy, with Trumphy hosting the post-game teletalk show "NFL Live." Dave Rowe and a replacement for Mel Proctor (who jumped to WTBS-TV) are the second team. Bob Costas handles pre-game and halftime shows...Mutual will carry 16 Sunday doubleheaders with the first game at 1300 ELT and the second at 1600 ELT, each preceded by a pregame show with Bill Rosinski at 1245 and 1545, respectively. Announcers are Tony Roberts and Jack Ham for the first contest, Joel Meyers and Jack Snow for the second...CBS broadcasts "The NFL Tonight" Sundays at 2000-2100 ELT with Jack Buck and Hank Stram, and feeds the 15-minute "NFL Preview" with Brent Musberger and Jimmy Snyder Friday nights.

MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL

HOUSTON ASTROS Gene Elston, Milo Hamilton, Larry Dierker, Jerry Trupiano (NL)

560 KLVI-TX	910 WXAM-LA	1340 KHLB-TX	1400 KEBB-TX	1470 KLCL-LA
710 KURV-TX	980 KVRN-TX*	1350 KTXJ-TX*	1410 KLEV-TX	1490 KHOW-TX
740 KTRH-TX	1230 KSIX-TX	1400 KGVLT-TX	KNAL-TX	KIBL-TX
770 KJCB-LA	KDEE-TX	KKHX-TX	1450 KCTI-TX	KWHC-TX
	1330 KTOD-AR*		1460 WACO-TX	
-FM-				
92.7 KIVY-TX	92.7 KODK-TX	96.9 KXGC-TX	102.5 KOSY-TX	106.3 KWHI-TX

KANSAS CITY ROYALS Denny Mathews, Fred White (AL)

580 WIBW-KS ^a	1130 KYOO-MO**	1300 KMMO-MO**	1400 KBZZ-CO	1460 KKOY-KS**
680 KFEQ-MO	(CP to 1200)	1310 KGMT-NE**	KCOG-IA+	1470 KARE-KS
690 KGGF-KS	1150 KSAL-KS	1320 KWHN-AR	KVOE-KS	1480 KLEO-KS
750 KJEL-MO**	1200 KYOO-MO**	1330 KTOD-AR*	KAYS-KS	1490 KKAN-KS
880 KRVH-NE ^g	(CP ex-1130)	1340 KNZS-KS	KTMC-OK ^k	KDHO-MO+
940 KSWH-MO*	1220 KFRG-KS ^h	KHUB-NE ^e	1420 KJCK-KS	KDRO-MO
960 KMA--IA	1230 KTHC-NE ^h	KGFW-NE ^g	KULY-KS	1510 KANS-KS**
	KNER-NE ^h	KTOW-OK	KZMO-MO**	1540 KNGL-KS**+q
980 KMBZ-MO	1240 KIUL-KS	1350 KRNT-IA	KBTH-MO	KLKC-KS**
990 WCAZ-IL**+c	KMEM-MO	1360 KSCJ-IA	1440 KCHE-IA**	1580 KEEM-MO*
	KRSL-KS ^d	KFOR-NE	1450 KOYY-KS**	KNIM-MO**+c
1010 KCHI-MO**	1270 KSCB-KS	1370 KGNO-KS	WMBH-MO	1590 KVGB-KS ^f
1060 KLMO-CO**+m	1280 KSKO-KS	1390 KNCK-KS**	KOKO-MO	1600 KTTN-MO ^f
	KLKM-MO**c	KDKD-MO**	KWBE-NE ^d	KRFS-NE**+p
	1290 KOIL-NE ^d		KLMX-NM	
-FM-				
92.1 WCAZ-IL+c	94.3 KZMO-MO+	98.7 KMG0-IA+	102.9 KBRX-NE ^d	104.9 KAWL-NE ⁱ
	KMOE-MO ^c	99.3 KSPG-KS+	103.1 KNDY-KS	105.5 KLER-IA
92.7 KIDA-IA	95.3 KCKS-KS+	KJAM-SD+		KQSM-KS+
	KMAL-MO	KKDK-MO+	103.7 KIRK-MO+	KAUB-NE ^j
93.1 KWLS-KS	95.9 KAAN-MO	100.3 KQLS-KS	103.9 KWBW-KS	106.1 KLFQ-KS ^m
93.5 KBBE-KS+q	96.7 KANS-KS+	100.9 KCLY-KS ^a	KNZA-KS	106.3 KYOO-MO+
	KLKC-KS+	101.7 KIND-MO	KCHI-MO+	106.5 KMCX-NE ⁱ
	KZEP-KS	102.3 KCHE-IA+	KRFE-NE+p	106.7 KHUQ-KS
	KTRX-MO	97.7 KLAL-IA	102.9 KMMO-MO+	107.3 KCAC-MO
	KAYQ-MO ^b		104.3 KLMO-CO+m	
			104.9 KRKG-MO+	

Syndicator: Learfield Communications. All stations air 155 games except those noted—a, 162 games (full schedule); b, 152; c, 150; d, 140; e, 136; f, 130; g, 125; h, 120; i, 110; j, 100; k, 85; l, 80; m, 75; n, 50; p, 40; q, 35.

NEW YORK METS Bob Murphy, Gary Thorne (NL)

560 WIS--SC	990 WNTY-CT*	1230 WKHT-CT	1260 WNDR-NY	1420 WBEC-MA
610 WIOD-FL	1050 WHN--NY	WENY-NY	1310 WTLB-NY	1540 WPTR-NY
920 WTTM-NJ	1180 WHAM-NY	WLFH-NY	1340 WALL-NY	1550 WARD-NY
940 KDEO-RI ¹	1190 WSCH-NY*	1240 WWD-NY	1420 WLIS-CT	1570 WKOL-NY*
-FM-				
92.1 WKCR-NY		101.7 WBAZ-NY		104.9 WSRD-NY

NOTE: 1. Listed by team but did not air any games (on L.A. Dodgers network).

JOCKEY SHORTS: Some updates and corrections—Detroit TIGERS are aired on co-owned 900/93.5 WZXX-MI...Toronto BLUE JAYS are heard also on 730 CKGB-OH and 1070 CKOK-OH, and CJFW-FM is in British Columbia, not Ontario...Out west (or east depending on your view, hi) the Seibu LIONS of Tokyo in the Japan Pacific League use 954 JOKR and a team talk show airs on 1134 JOQR; both are 100 kilowatts.

PLAYERS OF THE WEEK: Richard E. Berg-Andersson, NY; David Lewis, MO; Broadcasting magazine; Seibu Lions Fan Book.

This is being typed 15-16 September and sent by Special Delivery. I invite any comments, suggestions, criticisms (but no knives, hi), but I especially need NFL, CFL and college football nets to keep this feature going, at the rate of at least one a month. In this election year, please vote your team into SportsCentre. See you in DXH.



CAMPAIGN STATEMENTS

The following are statements submitted by those who accepted the nomination for the vacant Board of Directors position. Read the statements carefully, mark your ballot for your choice (write-ins are acceptable), and mail it to Elections Chairman, Rich Segalas, P.O. Box 26254, San Francisco, CA 94126. Your ballot must be received by November 15, 1986. We have an excellent set of candidates, so be sure to vote.

RICH TOEBE

IRCA is a great DX club; the fact that it is democratically run is one of its great strengths. Two things concern me. One is how we are going to deal with the decline of the hobby thanks to the breakdown of the clears, increased QRM, and less "new blood" because of competition from other avocations like computers, etc. The other is the lack of involvement from the majority of club members whose only contact with the club is sending in yearly dues. How can we motivate them to get involved? Background data: I'm 28, an MBA student, in IRCA since '79. I write the Slogan's List for the Almanac and its updaters in DX MONITOR. Whatever you do, please VOTE - it's your club, not some mythical clique's.

STEVE MITTMAN

I am honored to run for the office of Board of Directors. I have been a member of the I.R.C.A. for eight years now, and this is the first time I have run for an office. I've contributed regularly since I joined, and needless to say, I have a strong interest in the hobby and enjoy the club very much!

Having such a strong interest, I would like to be more directly involved with the operation of the club. I think it's important for a club (any club) to not only permit its members the ability to express themselves; but for the club's government to be responsive to its members. As a Board member, I would always carefully consider all sides to all issues, and welcome member input via the Forums and, of course, my mailbox. I have been on the boards of various of (non-DX related) social clubs to which I belong (president; vice president; chairs of committees), and people have told me that they think I'm a very fair person and dedicated to the position I held. If I were elected to the I.R.C.A.'s Board, I would likewise strive to be thought of by the I.R.C.A.'s members in the same way. Thank you.

RICHARD C. EVANS

I am a candidate to be a Director of IRCA since my background as a former BoD member, two term club president, and about ten years of editing weekly columns gives me the insight needed to help determine the direction the club should move on the issues which have unfolded over the past year or so. I agree with those who feel that the club needs to change over the years to meet new needs and to attract new members to the club. I also feel some of these battles have been fought before and that what I have seen and heard as a member of this club since 1965 will help guide me in decisions. Your comments on club issues are always welcomed.

JEF JAISUN

I'll try not to get too wordy here as I don't know how many of these you'll have to wade through. My history with IRCA goes back to the Seattle convention of 1973, where I first came to the realization that there was actually an organization for BCB DXers. For years I'd thought I was the only one. Or maybe there were a couple others. In any case, I've been a card-carrying IRCA member ever since, and a strong supporter of the club and its activities. I served on the BoD in the early '80's, and did a stint in 1980 as Membership Chairman. I've also stepped in on occasion as editor of DX MONITOR when Bruce and/or Phil were unavailable. IRCA has always exhibited to me more enthusiasm per capita than any other DX Club I know of; that's not to take anything away from the others, because every club has its strengths. I just happen to prefer ours. If elected to this position, I intend to serve IRCA with that same kind of enthusiasm. As in the past, my mailbox will always be open to your letters, comments and suggestions for improving our club. Thanks for your consideration.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS BALLOT

Vote for one and only one person. Ballots must be received by Nov 15, 1986

Rich Toebe _____

Robert Wien _____

Steve Mittman _____

Dale Park _____

Richard C. Evans _____

Jim Hilliker _____

Jef Jaisun _____

Phil Bytheway _____

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ROBERT WIEN

I accept the nomination to run for the IRCA Board of Directors. I've been an IRCA member for 10 years now, and am currently the Frequency Check List Editor. I feel IRCA is the best BCB club around, and that it can only continue to get better. If I'm elected, I'll try and continue to serve the club in any way that you, the member, feel will add to the excellent reputation IRCA has built up over the years. Although I don't have any prior Board experience, DXing is a part of me, and I feel that I can make IRCA the best club that it can be! Don't forget to vote; after all, only you can make the decisions that will affect our club's future. 73's.

DALE PARK

I am surprised and honored to be nominated to the Board of Directors of the I.R.C.A. and I accept the nomination. I am 24 years old and currently enrolled at the University of Hawaii. I have been DXing the mediumwave band on a casual basis since 1979 but did not become a serious DXer until I joined I.R.C.A. in December 1982. Although I do send loggings regularly, my area of specialty has been programming information, especially in sports broadcasts. If I am chosen, I will strive to have more programming information in the club bulletin while improving the content and quality of DX loggings. Also, I would like to make the Almanac a better repository for programming data, to the benefit of DXers and radio show fans alike. Finally, I will try to make the club more visible in the broadcasting industry and the general public. Aloha and thank you very much.

JIM HILLIKER

Once again, I am extremely happy to accept the nomination for a position on the IRCA Board of Directors. I have a great deal of respect and admiration for our six other Board members, and it will be a pleasure to work with them if elected. I'm starting my fifth year as an IRCA member, and my enthusiasm and interest in our club and hobby continues to be very high. I've been an active contributor to IRCA and have followed club affairs very closely over the years. I'm ready to serve you and if elected will always be ready to listen to your comments on important club matters. Let's work together to keep IRCA the excellent BCB DX club that it is and continue to improve it.

PHIL BYTHEWAY

My thanks to the one who nominated me for the Board position vacated by Bruce Portzer. I have been involved with the IRCA since I joined in the early 70s. I have served on the Board for several terms, and was President for one term as well. If elected, I will do my best to endorse those proposals that will strengthen the club and be in harmony with the wishes of the membership. I hope to be able to serve you for the next year. Regardless of who you approve in this election, it is important that you do express your opinion. Thank you.

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