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**MEMBERS:** Rejoin David Gleason. **RENEWALS:** Randy Stewart, Randall Seaver, James Hill, James Hall.....Thank you all very much....Pub.

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WQIN-1290 419 Market Street, Lykens, PA 17048 will conduct a DX test on Tuesday morning October 20, 1992 from 0030 to 0130 EDT. No other details are available at press time. Reception reports may be sent to Marie Rodichok Station Manager. Arranged by the National Radio Club CPC.

## IRCA DX TEST BULLETIN

**MONDAY, OCTOBER 26, 1992 - WLYN-1360, LYNN, MA WILL CONDUCT A DX TEST FROM 3:30 - 4:00 AM EDT. THE TEST WILL INCLUDE MORSE CODE, TONES, AND VOICE ID'S. OUR THANKS TO MR. MICHAEL KLEIN (NVIL) OF DX ENTERPRISES FOR THE TEST. MR. KLEIN REQUESTS THAT ALL RECEPTION REPORTS BE SENT TO: WLYN DX TEST, c/o PERSONAL DATABASE APPLICATIONS, 2626 MEADOW RIDGE DRIVE, DULUTH, GA 30136-6037. (ARRANGED BY J.D. STEPHENS FOR IRCA CPC)**

**WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 28, 1992 - WSMI-1540, P.O. BOX 10, LITCHFIELD, IL 62056 WILL CONDUCT A DX TEST BETWEEN 1:00 & 1:10 AM EDT. THE TEST WILL INCLUDE MORSE CODE, TONES, AND VOICE ID'S AND WILL BE PART OF THE STATION'S MONTHLY FREQUENCY CHECK. RECEPTION REPORTS MAY BE SENT TO: MR. BRIAN TALLEY (N9OWV) - CHIEF ENGINEER. MR. TALLEY REQUESTS AN SASE BE INCLUDED WITH ALL REPORTS. (ARRANGED BY J.D. STEPHENS FOR IRCA CPC)**

**THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 1992 - KBOA-830, P.O. BOX 509, KENNETT, MO 63857 WILL CONDUCT A DX TEST BETWEEN 1:00 & 1:30 AM EST. THE TEST WILL INCLUDE MORSE CODE AND TONES. THIS TEST WILL BE CONDUCTED WITH A POWER OF 10 KW AND AN OMNIDIRECTIONAL ANTENNA PATTERN. RECEPTION REPORTS MAY BE SENT TO: MR. LARRY ANTHONY - CHIEF ENGINEER. (ARRANGED BY J.D. STEPHENS FOR IRCA CPC)**

**SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 1992 - WWLS-640, 4000 WEST INDIAN HILLS ROAD, NORMAN, OK 73072 WILL CONDUCT A DX TEST BETWEEN 1:00 & 1:30 AM EST. THE TEST WILL INCLUDE MORSE CODE, TONES, AND VOICE ID'S AND WILL BE INSERTED IN BREAKS DURING THE STATION'S AUTOMATED NIGHTTIME PROGRAMMING. RECEPTION REPORTS MAY BE SENT TO: MR. TONY SELLARS - OPERATIONS MANAGER (ARRANGED BY J.D. STEPHENS FOR IRCA CPC)**

**MONDAY, NOVEMBER 9, 1992 - KMFI-1470, 2700 FRY BLVD., SUITE B-4, SIERRA VISTA, AZ 85635 WILL CONDUCT A DX TEST BETWEEN 2:00 & 5:00 AM EST. THE TEST WILL INCLUDE MORSE CODE AND TONES. RECEPTION REPORTS MAY BE SENT TO: MR. RICHARD MIZE - CHIEF ENGINEER. (ARRANGED BY J.D. STEPHENS FOR IRCA CPC)**

**MONDAY, NOVEMBER 23, 1992 - KNAK-540, P.O. BOX 636, DELTA, UT 84624 WILL CONDUCT A DX TEST BETWEEN 2:00 & 2:30 AM EST. THE TEST WILL INCLUDE MORSE CODE, TONES, AND VOICE ID'S. RECEPTION REPORTS MAY BE SENT TO: MR. DOUGLAS BARTON - OWNER. (ARRANGED BY J.D. STEPHENS FOR IRCA CPC)**

**WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 25, 1992 - WSMI-1540, P.O. BOX 10, LITCHFIELD, IL 62056 WILL CONDUCT A DX TEST BETWEEN 1:00 & 1:10 AM EST. THE TEST WILL INCLUDE MORSE CODE, TONES, AND VOICE ID'S AND WILL BE PART OF THE STATION'S MONTHLY FREQUENCY CHECK. RECEPTION REPORTS MAY BE SENT TO: MR. BRIAN TALLEY (N9OWV) - CHIEF ENGINEER. MR. TALLEY REQUESTS AN SASE BE INCLUDED WITH ALL REPORTS. (ARRANGED BY J.D. STEPHENS FOR IRCA CPC)**

# BROADCASTING INFORMATION

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DEADLINES: 2nd & 4th Saturdays.

Compiled: 10/06/92

Much of this information was compiled from M Street Journal, DXM, and various other sources.

## NEW STATION APPLICATIONS: NONE

## NEW STATION GRANTS:

FL. Jupiter 1000 khz., 1000-DA-D

## CONSTRUCTION PERMIT ACTIVITY:

IL. Highland WINU-1510 moves to 880, currently 1000 w. due to fire, to be 5000 w. eventually

## FACILITY & PARAMETER APPLICATIONS:

IN. Portland WPGW-1440 45-N  
NV. Reno KCRN-1230 820/820  
NY. Newark WACK-1420 730-N  
TX. El Paso KSVE-1150 5000-D

## FACILITY AND PARAMETER GRANTS:

NY. New York City WNYC-820 1000-N, DA-2

## CALL LETTER CHANGES:

AR. Benton KBBA-690 becomes KEWI  
Little Rock KWNN-1050 becomes KJEN  
CA. Fresno KWDO-1430 becomes KFIG  
Santa Barbara KSSM-990 becomes KKJZ "Jazz"  
FL. Jupiter new-1000 becomes WMLZ  
Pensacola WHYM-610 becomes WVTJ  
IL. Springfield WCVS-1450 becomes WFMB  
NC. Goldsboro WFXN-1300 becomes WSSG  
OR. Eugene KHNN-1320 becomes KZZK  
PA. Pittsburgh WDSY-1080 becomes WEEP  
PR. Quebradillas WRRR-960 becomes WKVN  
TX. San Angelo KAYJ-1260 becomes KXOZ

## CALL LETTERS NOT USED:

MA. Worcester WBHT-1440 remains WVEI (WBHT not used)

## FORMAT CHANGES:

AL. Butler WPRN-1330 was CHO//WQGL, now C&W//WQGL  
Huntsville WBHP-1230 was country, adds JSA-CW, CBS-talk  
Talladega WNUZ-1230 was AC, now oldies  
AZ. Tolleson KRDS-1190 was c. Christian //FM, now religion  
Williams KYET-1180 was silent, now country/stds.  
AR. Benton KEWI-690 was KBBA, silent, now nx/talk (uses IBN/SUN/USA networks)

CA. San Francisco	KSFO-560	was oldies//KYA, now oldies/sports (sports talk 7PM-5AM)
CO. Littleton	KDKO-1510	was urban, rptd. silent
CT. Hartford	WTIC-1080	was nx/talk/AC, adds EFM talk
DE. Wilmington	WDEL-1150	was AC, talk, now nx/talk
FL. Cantonment	WJTB-1090	was religion, now stds//FM, talk
Chattahoochee	WTCL-1580	was religion, now urban
Key West	WKWF-1600	was talk, now silent
Lake City	WDSR-1340	was nx/talk, now SMN Kool Oldies
Pensacola	WVTJ-610	was WHYM, religion, now South. gospel
Tallahassee	WNLS-1270	was country, now talk
Titusville	WAMT-1060	was silent, now oldies
GA. Alpharetta	WAZX-1400	was religion, now SS
Atlanta	WKGA-590	was C&W//FM, now SMN Real country
Gainesville	WGGA-1240	was stds/talk, adds South. gospel nites
Marietta	WFOM-1230	was silent, ow rel. //WRAF gospel
Mountain City	WALH-1340	was country, talk, adds south. gospel
IL. Rockford	WROK-1440	was AC, talk, sports, now talk, sports
Springfield	WFMB-1450	was WCVS, oldies, now SMN Real country
Taylorville	WTIM-1410	was oldies, to be nx/talk
KS. Liberal	KYUU-1470	was country//FM, now SMN Pure oldies
KY. London	WFTG-1400	was country//FM, now oldies, country//FM (oldies 6AM-11AM, FM sim. rest of day)
LA. Slidell	WSLA-1560	was nx/talk, now Unis. CNN Headline nx (remains local nx 6AM-9AM)
MD. Baltimore	WJFK-1300	was talk, rock//FM, now talk, new age//FM
MA. Boston	WBZ-1030	was nx/talk, now nx days, talk nights
MS. Bay Springs	WIZK-1570	was oldies//FM, now SGC-Southern gospel
Laurel	WAML-1340	was AS, now rel. //FM
Waynesboro	WABO-990	was variety, now country/urban
MO. Festus	KJCF-1400	was oldies, now AC
Lebanon	KJEL-750	was AC//KIRK, now country //KIRK
NH. Lancaster	WLGW-1490	was AC, country, now silent f/repairs
Plymouth	WPNH-1300	was AC//FM, now classic rock//FM
NY. Binghamton	WNBF-1290	was AC, talk, now all talk
Remsen	WADR-1480	was country, now SMN stds//WRNY
NC. Black Mountain	WFGW-1010	was silent f/repairs, now rel/gpsoel (50% teaching pgms, 50% south/trad. Gospel)
Gastonia	WLTC-1370	was country, now Southern gospel
Goldsboro	WSSG-1300	as WFNX, religion, now South. gospel
Hamlet	WKDX-1250	was South, gospel, now silent
Oxford	WCBO-1340	was country, now S. gospel/C. Xtian
Rockingham	WLWL-770	was black gispel, now CW/gospel/beach mx (whatever beach mx is!)
Tabor City	WTAB-1370	was South. gospel, now country/black gospel
OK. Tulsa	KAKC-1300	was nx/oldies, now SMN Pure Oldies
PA. Scranton	WTSS-1320	was silent, now SEN-all sports
Wilkes-Barre	WTSW-1340	was silent, to be EZL WYCK/WICK
SC. Batesburg	WBLR-1430	was country, rptd. silent
Camden	WCAM-1590	was country, now AS
Darlington	WDAR-1350	was oldies, now silent f/repairs
Florence	WJMX-970	was AC, talk, now all-talk
Georgetown	WGTM-1400	was oldies, now JSA soft AC//FM
Marion	WKXS-1430	was oldies, rptd. silent
Spartanburg	WYYR-1400	was oldies, now S. gospel/C. Xtian
TX Dallas	KGBS-1190	was nx/talk, drops EFM talk
Fort Worth	WRAP-820	was country, sports, adds EFM talk
UT. Salt Lake City	KISN-570	was CHR//FM, sports, now SMN AC, sports
VT. Montpelier	WSKI-1240	was AC, now oldies
VA. Blacksburg	WFNR-710	was bluegrass //FM, now bluegrass
Richmond	WKEX-1430	was country/rel., now stds/religion
ON. Ottawa	WANT-990	was urban, now silent
	CIWW-1310	was gold-based AC, now oldies "Sunny 1310"

Ye editor passes on the following info:

CA. Arroyo Grande KKAL-1280 was silent, back on w/SEN sports

A long column this time, lots of format changes, guess stations are getting ready for the DX season, hi. Happy October! 73's.



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# DX Worldwide - West

Time: UTC phone (503) 861-3185

DEADLINE: MONDAYS

Another good turnout this week, with reports from Gary Jackson and Bruce Portzer. Bruce went out to the coast again and really pulled in the DX from Asia. Yes, Asian conditions have improved a great deal. Conditions this season are more like the early 80s. It is about time. So on with the reports.

## PAN AMERICAN DX ROUNDUP

- 1620 UNID, SS mixing w/Pebble Beach TIS 0243-0507+ 9/27, mostly SS rr, audible about 20 percent of the time, but I have 3 segments of partially readable audio. 0246 ad or promo w/possible ment of "Radio Ranchorandino" or something similar, 0407 canned ID sounding like "Radio Womm" then woman 0455 ID as Radio (something) w/fancy electronic effects, then very tentative of Tam-aulipas. All three are on tape and I'd welcome anyone else's attempts to make sense of them. It appears from this and Larry Godwin's 1620 Unid that Mexico (or some other LA country) is now licensing stations in the 1600-1700 Khz range. (BP-WA)  
(Or these a harmonics from 810 or 840 stations(?) Anyone help on this? PM)

## TRANS-PACIFIC DX ROUNDUP

- 153 RUSSIA, Khabarovsk-good w/man in RR 1010 9/27 (RP-WA)  
180 RUSSIA, Petropavlovsk-good with RR Pops //4485 1012 9/27 (BP-WA)  
189 RUSSIA, Blagoveshchensk-weak but clear //180 1012 9/27 (BP-WA)  
234 RUSSIA, Magadan-good w/"New Kid in Town" by the Eagles, //180, 189, 243, 279, 4485 at 1220 9/27 (BP-WA)  
243 RUSSIA, Vladivostok-weak u/beacons w/mx //4485 1014 9/27 (BP-WA)  
279 RUSSIA, Yuzhno-Sakhalinsk-good //485 1015 9/27 (BP-WA)  
529 ALASKA, "SQM" good w/transcribed anmts, code ID in background at 0937 9/27 (BP-WA)  
550 HAWAII, Wailuku-KMVI good with ad and ID on W wire 0944 9/27 (BP)  
558 t PHILIPPINES, unid Tagalog talk u/o JJ at 1414 on 10/2, soon lost in the jumble. (PM-OR)  
567 UNID, station with DU or EE accent, with spot for new TV show at 1428 10/3. Sounded like a commercial station, rather than the National program of the NZBC or the ABC, drum rolls and the like, back into a talk show, lost by 1432, no ID hrd. (PM-OR)  
576 PHILIPPINES, Cebu City-fair with full ID at 1359 with man in EE mentioning DYIM, 50,000 watts, Philippine Broadcasting Service, freq given. This has been a regular the last couple of weeks. Unneeded, but nice to hear on 10/3. (PM-OR)  
594 JAPAN, Tokyo-JOAK JJ talk 1048 9/27 (BP-WA)  
603 REPUBLIC OF KOREA, fair with man in KK 1423 10/1 (PM-OR)  
666 PHILIPPINES, Davao City-DXRP, with man in Tagalog, then a puse and more Tagalog chatter, and a "DXRP" at 1429 10/3, lost under JJ. (PM-OR)  
RUSSIA, Komsomolsk-na-Amur good with man and woman in RR at 1218 9/27 (BP-WA)  
702 t PHILIPPINES, Valenzuela (MM)-DZAS, poss. the one with the EE preacher at 1404 10/2, soon lost in jumble. (PM-OR)  
HET, 9/28 1200 (GJ-CA)

- 711 UNID, KK or some other asian here at 1350 10/2 (PM-OR)  
720 UNID, Asian talk u/KDWN 1046 9/27 (BP-WA)  
729 UNID, Asian talk 1355 10/2 (PM-OR)  
738 UNID, KK talk in CKLG splat w/KCBS off 1040 9/27, WRTH lists both N & S Korea here (BP-WA)  
747 JAPAN, Sapporo-JOIB good //828 0935 9/27 (BP-WA)  
+Also noted 9/28 1215-1416, poor, but maybe cx will improve (GJ-CA)  
765 UNID, U.S. pop mx at 1407 10/2. Poss. another from the Philippines? will keep trying here. (PM-OR)  
774 JAPAN, Akita-JOUB 9/28 1300 very poor, as I have a local at 770 KHZ at 50 KW. (GJ-CA) (Yes, they even interfere up here when they go to 50 KW.PM)  
+Also noted good //828 0934 9/27 (BP-WA)  
783 UNID, Easy listening MOR mx at 1445 on 10/3. (PM-OR)  
792 t PHILIPPINES, a weak man in Tagalog with U.S. pops (BeeGees, etc), at 1416 10/3. (PM-OR)  
800 ALASKA, Juneau-KINY 1128 9/27, w/local ads, "3:28 at KINY" TC by woman, into pops (BP-WA)  
801 UNID, pop station here in KGO/KPDQ QRM at 1432 10/3 (PM-OR)  
UNID, noted het on W Wire 0933 9/27 (BP-WA)  
820 ALASKA, Fairbanks-KCBF-weak u/KGNW w/ID and oldies 1123 9/27 (BP)  
828 JAPAN, Osaka-JOBB-in as early as 0948 9/27 and at various rechecks w/JJ talk and mx (BP-WA)  
t PHILIPPINES, Cagayan de Oro-DXCC, poss. the one here with Willie Nelson song u/JOBB, too much JJ QRM to tell at 1423 10/3 (PM-OR)  
UNID, het from 1200-1400 9/28 (GJ-CA)  
830 HAWAII, Honolulu-KIKI good w/oldies 0644 9/27 (BP-WA)  
846 KIRIBATI, Tarawa-strong w/a capella mx 0931 9/27 (BP-WA)  
850 HAWAII, Hilo-KHLO 0613 9/27 good o W Wire w/HS football and local ads (BP-WA)  
855 UNID, talk by woman 1428-1435 9/27 in Austronesian type lang., good at times but modulation was rather low. Distinctive march mx at 1441 recheck. Indonesia or Philippines most likely. Tape available anyone who wants to listen. (BP-WA)  
864 UNID, weak pop mx in jumble at 1345 10/1 (PM-OR)  
873 JAPAN, Kumamoto-JOGB fair w/JJ talk 1040 9/27 (BP-WA)  
891 UNID, bits of Jazz only on NW wire 0643 9/27 (BP-WA)  
918 t JAPAN, weak commercial JJ station here 1415 10/1 (PM-OR)  
927 UNID, carrier, bits of audio 1038 9/27 (BP-WA)  
945 JAPAN, NHK1 synchros fair w/JJ talk 1424 9/27 (BP-WA)  
954 JAPAN, Tokyo-JOKR good w/sportscast 1037 9/27 (BP-WA)  
972 REPUBLIC OF KOREA, Kimje-good w/man and woman in KK 1036 9/27 (BP)  
981 UNID, 1422 9/27 1960s pop mx in EE, briefly good during mx thru 980 splat, either had long "dead air" between songs or low mod. on studio mike. Poss. a filippino. (BP-WA)  
999 UNID, bits of mx 1035 9/27 thru KOMO splat, quickly gone (BP-WA)  
1008 JAPAN, Osaka-JONR good w/JJ talk 0959 9/27 (BP-WA)  
1017 JAPAN, Fukuoka-JOLB good w/YL talk 1211 9/27 (BP-WA)  
1026 AUSTRALIA, MacKay-4MK-good w/pop mx and "4MK" ID at 1125 9/30. best heard in a while. (PM-OR)  
1035 UNID, weird echoy talk by man in unid language 1350 9/27. Each statement was repeated 5 times over a period of a second. Fair signal, maybe Korea? (BP-WA)  
1044 P.R. CHINA, JJ FS good 1350 9/27 w/woman talk-faint unid underneath (BP-WA)  
UNID, het 1300-1345 9/28 (GJ-CA)  
1053 REPUBLIC OF KOREA, jammer in well 1120 9/27 (BP-WA)  
1062 REPUBLIC OF KOREA, KK talk o/China, then KBS pips 1400 9/27 (BP)  
CHINA, weastern Inst. mx, then CPBS time pips u/KK 1400 9/27 (BP)  
1071 UNID, male talk in odd lang. 1347 9/27 hetting dying remnants of CFAX/KNX, then lost to KWJJ-1080 splat, poss. include India or minority lang. pgm from China. (BP-WA)  
1089 JAPAN, Sendai JOHB poor in splat w/JJ talk //1386 at 1344 on 9/27 (BP-WA)  
1098 JAPAN, JJ talk 1119 9/27-several commercial stns listed. (BP-WA)  
1107 JAPAN, JJ talk weak-fair 1031 9/27, 2 stations listed (BP-WA)  
CHINA, CC singing fair 1401 9/27 (BP-WA)



- 1116 JAPAN, one of the more consistently hrd TPs of the night, first hrd 0840 w/JJ talk, still in after 1400 9/27, 2 commercial stns listen. (BP-WA) (Both have been hrd here.PM)
- 1134 JAPAN, Tokyo-JOQR-fair w/man in JJ 1117 9/27 (BP-WA)
- 1143 UNID, either China or VOA good w/woman in CC 1402 9/27(BP-WA)
- 1147 CHINA, fair-good w/EE lessons,woman in CC, man in EE 1113 9/27. Still there w/piano mx at 1445. WRTH lists location as Xingtai Digu. (BP-WA)
- 1152 JAPAN, NHK2 outlets good w/JJ talk 1028 9/27 (BP-WA)
- 1161 REPUBLIC OF KOREA, Pusan-HLCU prob. the one w/KK talk in KSL splat 1414 9/27 (BP-WA)
- 1179 JAPAN, Osaka-JOOR-ggod w/JJ talk 1026 9/27 (BP-WA)
- 1188 REPUBLIC OF KOREA, Inchon-HLKK rel mx and KK talk in KEX splat at 1412 9/27 (BP-WA) (This hasn't been reported in a while, good going.PM)
- 1206 P.R. CHINA, Yambian-good w/ort. mx 1025 9/27, enormous with stringed inst. mx 1110 9/27 (BP-WA)
- 1215 P.R. CHINA, good w/man and woman in CC 1230 9/27. Good w/opera o/unid talk 1338 (BP-WA)
- 1224 UNID, CC talk,sounded like ads,then man in CC, Taiwan suspected at 1411 9/27 (BP-WA)
- 1242 JAPAN, Tokyo-JOLF-strong w/woman in JJ 1409 9/27 (BP-WA)
- 1251 RUSSIA, Vladivostok-good most of the night,stronger than 1250 domestics w/RR talk 1034 9/27 (BP-WA)
- 1269 UNID, loud het 1326 9/27 (BP-WA)
- 1278 UNID, carrier and bits of audio 1337 9/27. Japan? (BP-WA)
- 1287 JAPAN, Sapporo-JOHR-0957 9/27 fair w/sportscast (BP-WA)
- 1296 JAPAN, Matsue-JOTK JJ talk //594 1107 9/27.fair/poor (BP-WA)
- 1377 RUSSIA, RR talk fair 1105 9/27 (BP-WA)
- 1386 JAPAN, NHK2 synchros one of the better TP signals of the night good with JJ talk 1228 9/27 (BP-WA)
- UNID, male talk u/JJ 1335 9/27 (BP-WA)
- 1404 UNID, Taiwan or PRC fair w/CC talk thru splat 1407 9/27 (BP-WA)
- 1413 JAPAN, Fukuoka-JOIF JJ talk o/unid 1406 9/27 (BP-WA)
- 1422 JAPAN, Yokohama-JORF good w/JJ talk 1334 9/27 (BP-WA)
- 1440 JAPAN, Sapporo-JOWF fair w/man in JJ,atop KMED and others 1103 9/27,then faded back into jumble. Not heard since the late 1970s (BP-WA) (Also hasn't been hrd here for a long time.PM)
- 1449 UNID, het here 1336 9/27 (BP-WA)
- 1458 UNID, bits of audio here and on 1467 thru heavy domestic splat 1333 9/27 (BP-WA)
- 1476 RUSSIA/CHINA, noted many times in passing w/CC/RR talk 1055 on 9/27 (BP-WA)
- 1485 JAPAN, Excited JJ talk by man,sounded like sportscast,fair 1-2 tones at top of hr, 1100 9/27-4 1KW stations and several 100 w. stations listed (BP-WA)
- 1503 JAPAN, Akita-JOUK good w/JJ talk 1332 9/27 (BP-WA)
- 1548 AUSTRALIA, Emerald-4QD-prob. the one w/EE talk on West wire 1141 9/27 (BP-WA)
- 1566 REPUBLIC OF KOREA, Cheju-HLAZ good w/CC rel. 1001 9/27.Loud in KK 1301 (BP-WA)
- UNID, het guess the KK,1505 9/28. (GJ-CA)
- 1575 THAILAND, Ban Pachi-VOA-fair w/"...English USA on the Voice of America" ment. then EE lessons 1202 9/27. Good e/SE asian male 1248. Also 1330 w/anmt "This program has come to you from the United States of America" then weak strains of Yankee Doodle(BP)
- UNID, Het 1315 9/28 (GJ-CA)
- 1584 REPUBLIC OF KOREA, man in KK dominating 1404 9/27,3 1KW stns listed (BP-WA)
- 1593 UNID, poss PNG w/talk in what sounded like pidgin 0902 9/27. Too much 1590 splat to check //on 3205 (BP-WA)
- 1602 UNID, hymns in non-EE atop of freq. 1146 9/27 mixing with unid JJ talk. Who is this? (BP-WA)(2XA-NZ maybe?PM)
- UNID, woman in unid language 1159 9/27 poss. Krimlin chimes and ... pips 1200,then what sounded like YL in KK (BP-WA)
- 1630 NEW ZEALAND, "TM" beacon good- w/code IDs 0830 9/27 (BP-WA)

VERIFICATIONS

1008 AUSTRALIA, Brisbane-4TAB-nice friendly letter with station profile, and info. letter rec. in 2 wks for taped report. Signed Van Richards-Smith-CE-Adrs as 4TAB Post Off Box 275-Albion 4010, Queensland or 4th Fl-240 Sandgate Road-Albion 4010 Queensland. Now I have them QSL'd as 4IP,4IO, and 4TAB radio. (PM-OR)

THANKS TO THESE REPORTERS

GJ-CA GARY JACKSON-7733 CENTER PARKWAY-SACRAMENTO,CA 95823  
FRG-8800, Dymak DA5

BP-WA BRUCE PORTZER-6546 19TH AVENUE,NE-SEATTLE,WA 98115  
DXing at Midway Beach (near Grayland,Wa)-FRG7 w/mech. filter  
Sony 7600D, 1500' NW,2900'N, 700' W beverages,NW beverage used  
except as otherwise noted in tips

PM-OR YOUR EDITOR  
Drake R8,Hammarlund SP-600-JX17,Term 1600 NNW Bev, term. 200'  
SW/NE antenna, Ground system

# DX WORLDWIDE EAST

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

531 ALGERIA Ain Beida 0210 9/9 AA mx, pr, CIAO QRM, also 'FG' QRM. (Connelly)

540 HUNGARY Solt 2057 8/24 m w/pol. tlk, IS 2058 & pips 30-sec. early, "R. Budapest". S10 444. (Burnell-GERMANY)

RELGIUM Wavre 2059 8/24 Anita Baker song, no ToH ID but w in Flemish introed next tune. (Burnell)

549 ALGERIA Les Trembles 0212 9/9 AA mx/tlk, pr in slop. (Connelly-MA)

621 CANARY ISLANDS Santa Cruz, Tenerife 0353 9/12 slow SS m vocal, some Antigua-620 QRM. (Connelly)

792 GREECE VOA Kavalla 2119 8/24 w in lang tlk re. Bosnia, 2121 jazz pgm. S10 343. Also 2140 w/AA tlk re. Iraq, NY Times rpt, S10 332. (Burnell)

GERMANY NDR Lingen 2137 8/24 GG tlk //828, S10 332. (Burnell)

837 t SPAIN &/or CANARY ISLANDS 0310 9/10 SS tlk. (Connelly)

891 ALGERIA Algiers 0156 9/9 AA mx/tlk, gd. (Connelly)

981 GREECE ERT Athens 2150 8/26 Greek tlk, pop mx, 2156 ID & pgm personnel named, S10 333. (Burnell)

999 ENGLAND Red Rose R. in Preston 2246 8/25 tlk pgm, wx 2252, ID & tel. #. S10 232. (Burnell)

int:GERMANY 2250 8/25 1st noted in GG QRMing Red Rose R., faded up w/US pops, lost 2305 as if xmtr switched osff. WRTH has no German here. S10 up to 433. (Burnell) (Jean later noted that this is definately German: RIAS from Schwerin, a new station. ed)

1008 SERBIA Beograd & Aleksinac 2158 8/26 w w/ID sd/tlk "R. Belgrada" o/mx similar to a Gregorian chant, then off I think. S10 433. (Burnell)

BELORUS synchron. 2159 8/26 R. Moscow IS, pips ToH then tlk in Slav lang. S10 222-1. (Burnell)

SPAIN RNE5, prob Malaga 2202 8/26 SS RNE nx, S10 242. (Burnell)

1035 SCOTLAND North Sound R., Aberdeen 2219 8/25 Scottish acc'td dj w/quiz quest., "Talk R. at midnight" promo, jx: "North Sound R., best mx, best stn", old pops. S10 344. (Burnell)

1044 MOROCCO Sebaa Aïoun 0137 9/8 Fr/gd w/AA tlk. (Connelly)

1062 PORTUGAL Norte 0225 9/9 PP folk-rock voc. then PP tlk by m, Tom Petty "Refugee". Gd on peaks. (Connelly)

- 1098 t SPAIN and/or CANARY ISLANDS 0518 9/12 operatic SS voc. (Connelly)  
 1125 CROATIA unk. 1917 8/25 Croatian tlk, pops //1134. S10 333. Both these channels are supposed to be daytime only I understood from an item in DX News Vol. 59 #28 p. 18. 1900 UTC was well past sunset in Croatia & Germ. (Burnell)  
 1134 CROATIA Zadar listed 1915 8/25 Croatian interview. S10 544. (Burnell)  
 1197 unID 0415 9/12 m & w sd/tlk SS or FF, faded rapidly. (Connelly)  
 GERMANY VOA Munich 2127 8/24 GG tlk re World Cup of Soccer in US w/addr. & tel. # for tickets. S10 444. (Burnell)  
 1206 FRANCE Bordeaux 0515 9/12 OC initially str (prior to reg. pgmng at 0530); soon faded. (Connelly-MA)  
 1215 ENGLAND Moorside Edge? 2225 8/26 test by Independant Music R., a new group who will use this as the nat'l commercial oldies/pop stn. Back-to-back rock (Cream & Led Zep for i.e.) then canned anmt w/addr. Unfortunately I didn't have a pen handy! S10 444. (Burnell)  
 1242 t FRANCE 0420 9/12 apparent OC. (Connelly)  
 1260 DODECANESE ISLANDS VOA Rhodes 2110 8/24 m & w in lang w/tlk re US pres. campaign & other nx items. S10 433. (Burnell)  
 SPAIN SER net 2114 8/24 detailed nx b-cast w/item re Spanish economy. S10333. (Burnell)  
 1278 t FRANCE 0430 9/12 OC, strong. (Connelly)  
 1341 HUNGARY Lakihegy 2210 8/25 pips at a strange time! then w in Hungarian w/wx ment Budapest; o/BBC Ulster. S10 422. (Burnell)  
 1349 MAURITANIA Nouakchott 0045 9/9 African group vocal & heavy drumming; S9 + 30 on R8 meter! Connelly)  
 1368 ENGLAND 3 stn's 2214 8/25 3 tlk shows at once but I very dominant w/call from Rita "in N. Wales". (Burnell)  
 1377 FRANCE Lille 0432 9/12 Pr/fr w/w in FF. (Connelly)  
 1395 ALBANIA Tirana 2146 8/24 In FF w/tlk about the church in Albania. Nothing on 1458 at this time. S10 544. (Burn ell)  
 1413 SERBIA/KOSOVO prob Pristina 1924 8/25 Mellow pops, w/out anmts, off at 2100 recheck. S10 544. (Burnell)  
 GERMANY SDR 2103 8/25 GG nx //6030. 2 200-watt xmtr's leisted here; was better than 500 kW 576 which was QRMed by NDR Schwerin. S10 232 w/Spanish QRM. (Burnell)  
 1422 GERMANY Heusweiler 0440 9/12 XLNT w/C&W style slow group voc. then 1963 oldie "If I Had a Hammer" by Trini Lopez. (Connelly)  
 1458 t ENGLAND London 0505 9/12 w in EE, pr in 1460 sloop. (Connelly)  
 +Greater London R. at 2144 8/24 w/comedy piece, mx, "94.9" ID (their FM). S10 533 o/another Brit. stn. (Burnell)  
 1485 GERMANY AFN 2112 8/25 rpts on Hurricane Andrew //873. 1485 about a second behind 873. Many sml xmtrs listed on 1485. S10 333. (Burnell)  
 1503 ENGLAND R. Stoke-on-Trent 2240 8/25 "British Jazz" pgm, interview of w/American accent. S10 222. (Burnell)  
 1530 ENGLAND unID stn 2154 8/24 EE stn way u/Vatican w/oldies but could not ID. S10 222-1. (Burnell)  
 1548 SCOTLAND Max AM, Edinburgh 2201 8/25 Scot-acc'td dj ment "Daily Double": 2 Beach Boys tunes & Elvis then faded out. Back at 2237 w/ID, ment's of Edinburgh. S10222-1. (Burnell)  
 ENGLAND 0455 9/12 Brit-EE talk, briefly loud but faded into co-channel QRM and 1550 sloop before local city ID was given. Also had "Dancing Queen" by Abba. (Connelly-MA)  
 +Capital Gold, London 2202 8/25 w w/nx/wx for London, jx ID, "Mike Ahearn on Capital Gold" hrd too. S10 up to 433. (Burnell)  
 1566 SWITZERLAND DRS Sarnen 2200 8/25 pips, "Schweizer Radio" ID o/R. Moscow IS w/S10 433. (Burnell)  
 1575 SPAIN 0434 9/6 Man in SS //1584. (Connelly)  
 SPAIN / GERMANY / ? 0453 9/12 Spain w/vocal //1584 mixed w/GG pgm & others in a real mess. (Connelly)  
 1584 SPAIN //stn's on 1575 at above times, also 9/15 0400 good w/man in SS. (Con)  
 1593 GERMANY Langenberg 0433 9/6 XLNT w/GG talk, then "This Used To Be My Playground" by Madonna. + LIKE A LOCAL - demolishing adjacent domestics - Eurodisco, GG electronic dance mx. (Connelly)

P A N - A M E R I C A N D X (Connelly) all

- 555 ST. KITTS Basseterre ZIZ 0352 9/12 reggae-rap (Shabba Ranks style) & Carib. soca mx, fr. (Connelly)  
 620 t ANTIGUA 0342 9/12 Back to back Carib. mx more likely Antigua than Jamaica as cx were "piped" to the eastern Carib. at the time. Canaries-621 het.



640 GUADELOUPE Pointe a Pitre 0338 9/12 fr w/m & w in FF. Low end of dial was semi-auroral while TA's were on the high end.

830 unID (ST. KITTS?) 0400 9/12 The suspicion that R. Paradise may have moved to 830 grows. Back to back US rlg's shows incl Cal.-based "Praise the Lord" pgm wree hrd w/only ID as "Trinity BC Net.-TBN". Carib. cx wree gd at the time; a domestic is not suspected. (Connelly)

1100 ANTIGUA St. John's ZDK 0132 9/9 recent hit "Time, Love and Tenderness", then dj read local dedications. Soft soul mx followed. Fr/gd w/WWE phased.

1160 BERMUDA Hamilton VS83 0931 9/17 BBC nx fr in mess.

1165 ANTIGUA St. John's 0928 9/17 C.R. L. gd w/EE talk & hymn.

1610 ANGUILLA The Valley 0100 9/9 instru. "One Day at a Time" then ID by Carib. m "This is Ca ribbean Beacon Radio broadcasting from Anguilla", then CNN nx. 0444 9/12 preaching strong o/Vat-1611 het, 2349 9/14 EE preaching at low audio level on big carrier. Early eve cx semi-AU, 0935 9/17 SS pgm.

BANDSCAN: From Jean Burnell in Germany (see credits)

520	unID GG poss //801, v. weak	720	WDR Langenberg, weak
531	MDR Leipzig xInt	747	NOS Flevo, fr
549	Thurnau fr (DLF)	756	DLF Braunschweig, xInt
567	SFBI Bern, weak	783	MDR Burg, strong
576	NDR Schwerin, stong	828	NDR Hannover, xInt
594	HR Frankfurt, xInt	855	RIAS Berlin, weak
612	NDR Kiel, weak	882	MDR Wachenbrunn, strong
630	GG Dannenberg list, noyt //828, fr	936	R. Bremen, fr
639	Ceskoslovensky Roz., Prague, weak	972	NDR Hmaburg, weak
648	BBC Orfordness, fr	990	RIAS Berlin, weak
666	SWF Rohrdorf, weak	1008	NOS Flevo, fr
675	NOS Lopik, weak	1017	SWF Rheinsender, weak
684	RIAS Hof, strong	1044	MDR Dresden, weak
693	prob Ostdeutscher R'funk, weak	1062	Danmarks R., Kalundborg, v. weak

1143	unID, unID lang, v weak	1440	R. Luxembourg, weak
1269	DLF Neumunster, weak	1539	DLF Mainflingen, weak
1323	R. Moscow, Wachenbrunn, strong	1575	DLF Burg, fr
1422	unID, v. weak	1593	WDR Langenberg, weak

QSLs: Verifications from Jean Burnell

**BELGIUM** BRTN Kuuren 1188 kHz; p/d letter v/s D. Audenaert, Ingenieur-directeur, along w/list of stn's and 2 stickers in 17 days for EE rpt w/no rp.

**BRAZIL** Radio Paulista (ZY1778) Recife PE 1120 kHz; f/d ppc, nice letter in EE & a cassette of local mx came registered in 31-d for PP rpt w/cassette and \$1. The v/s is Marcos Antonio de Souza, Coord. Programa/Jornalismo. Addr differs from both WRTH'92 & Motta/Moraes list: Rua Floriano Peixoto 780 - 1º andar, Recife, Pernambuco CEP 50020-060.

**BRAZIL** R. Tropical (ZYJ594) Natal RN 1190 kHz; f/d ppc only in 17-d after f/up in PP w/\$1. v/s Janio Maria Carlos Vidal, Diretor Superintendente Rede Tropical. WRTH addr correct byut the CEP is 59056-100.

**NIGERIA** Ogun State BC Corp. Abeokuta 1170 kHz; n/d personal letter and f/d ppc from 'Tunde Elegbede, GM, in 8-mos. for \$1.

**PUERTO RICO** WLUZ Bayamon 1600 kHz; long, v. friendly letter (p/d) v/s Midalia Medina, Depto Trafico, in 64-d for SS rpt w/\$1 (which was returned).

**SPAIN** R. Popular de Caste l1on 1215 kHz; f/d form letter & personal letter from Fdo. Javier Casabo Mezquita, Dept. Publicidad, along w/7 stckrs in 99-d for SS rpt w/cassette and \$1.

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(Burnell-GERMANY) D. JEAN BURNELL, Dept. of Chemistry, Memorial Univ., St. John's, Nfld. CANADA A1B 3X7 (DXing in Bilshausen, Germany w/DX-440. Bandscan made betw. 1530 and 1650 Middle European Time (UTC+2), loggings in UTC.)



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- 530 WNSA852 CA, Oakland 9/27 0145 dominant with continuous messages about Oakland Colosseum, info on parking and Neil Diamond/Def Leppard concerts. IDs as "WNSA852 Colosseum Radio." (bp-WA1)  
+9/28 0630 good o/u my local S.J. Airport TIS, with info on parking places at Coliseum & ticket prices. (RW-CA)  
TIS OR, Astoria 9/26 2230 good with continuous tourist messages. Good on NW wire, nil on W wire. (bp-WA1)
- 550 KCWR CA, Rakersfield 9/27 0545 fair under talk station, with C&W music and "KCW" slogan. (bp-WA1)
- 600 KSJB ND, Jamestown 9/28 0814 good o/KHTE-CHRX with weather for area, high of 75 for Jamestown, currently 25. (RW-CA)
- 620 KIGS CA, Hanford 9/28 0700 s/on in English giving Hanford, California ID, address, and then into Spanish programming! Very strong signal. (GJ-CA)
- 630 (KIDD) CA, Monterey 9/29 local noted off at 1930. Carrier came on a few times from 1930-2200 and distorted audio. Off rest of the night. Back on 9/30 with stronger modulation than past few months. (JH-CA)
- 670 KWNK CA, Simi Valley 9/26 2339 dominant o/KBOI on NW wire with L.A. Kings hockey, 2342 allowed an ID for "The Mighty 690" to slip thru (XETRA is apparently the flagship station), 2400 legal ID during station break. (bp-WA1)  
+9/28 2329 fair-poor in KBOI null, sports talk show // XETRA-690. Barely heard ID/promo that sounded like "...now on 670 AM, you can hear the Mighty 690..." No other ID, but checked 690 and was same show. Format change or just part-time ??? (JH-CA)
- 800 KSOS UT, Brigham City 9/26 0308 fair with KGO-810 splat. Rock oldies & quick ID. Last heard as KNKK. (JH-CA)  
+10/5 2210 good during bandscan in Astro van, doo-wop oldies, "800 KSOS" insert, Don Crawford on "your 50's rock and roll station," ads and PSA's, "Oldies Ogden, KSOS," more oldies. "Kool Gold" slogan not used on KSOS but this is the SMN Kool Gold satellite feed. Previously logged as KNKK. (BH-WA)
- 840 KDBS OR, Eugene 9/27 0810-0830 fair to poor in KVEG null. Adcon, with IDs every two songs. "KDRS, Eugene, AM 8-40." Another was "B-S-84." New, and #400 from Monterey area. (JH-CA)
- 880 KTMT OR, Phoenix 9/27 0840 fair in KKMC null with "Power 93 KTMT" ID. Last heard as KMFR. (JH-CA)
- 950 KTBR OR, Roseburg 10/4 1050 realized rock oldies with good signal was not KJR! Oldies, Roseburg ad, then ad for

- wedding anniversary contest "on Classic Top 40, KTBR," gave station address and phone number twice. KTBR weather, ended "Classic Top 40, AM 95, KTBR, Roseburg," more oldies. Last heard as KYES, not heard as KRSR. (BH-WA)
- 1030 KJDJ CA, San Luis Obispo 9/27 0735 poor with sports talk under KTWO in partial null. Show was // KNBR-680, ESPN? Then, signal was booming in over KTWO with ID "Your only source for news and information, KJDJ, San Luis Obispo." Strong for a few minutes, then weak again. Possibly testing with day and night power. (JH-CA)
- 1040 CKST BC, Vancouver 10/5 2227 strong with album rock, "AM 1040 and cable 88.5," long spot set with plenty of "Coast 1040" and "Modern Rock Radio" slogans. "Who What Where When" live music guide, then a nice surprise 2231½ with "Coast 1040, our call letters are CKST" so that I can count the call change! Ex-CKXY/CIMA. (BH-WA)
- 1050 ?KTBA? AZ, Tuba City 9/26 0805-0835 tent. with good signal into relig. music with no ID, then faded in & out. Good again 0829, out of USA Sports at 0830, into relig. music with no ID again! Needed here. (JH-CA)
- 1150 KBAI CA, Morro Bay 9/28 0640 noted apparently NSP now with nostalgia music, ID. (RW-CA)
- 1220 KBET CA, Santa Clarita 9/26 2323 dominant with local ads, promo for morning DJ team, "Good Times and Great Oldies, 1220 KBET" ID. (bp-WA1)
- 1260 KPOW WY, Powell 9/29 2154-2203 fair-poor in KOIT null. Had to wait through 3 C&W tunes for legal ID at 2200, into ARC news, then gradually faded out. Logged only once before. First time at SSS. (JH-CA)
- 1280 KKAL CA, Arroyo Grande 9/28 0530 back on air after extended SP of a few months with SEN sports format, ex-C&W, still KKAL per call to station (never ID's normally!) o/u KFRN. (RW-CA)
- 1300 KPTL NV, Carson City 9/29 2158 quick ID noted on top, good, while waiting for 1260 to ID, tuned to 1300 fast, then back. (JH-CA)
- 1310 KMYX CA, Taft 9/28 0636 good in KDIA null with ID "We're 103.9 FM, KMYX." What's their night power? (RW-CA)
- 1330 KUPL OR, Portland 10/1 0010 good o/KWKW with "Couple" ID and country music. Conditions to north seem good tonight. KUPL is rarely stronger than KWKW here. (JH-CA)
- 1340 ?KGLW? CA, San Luis Obispo 9/30 tent. good on top with mumbled slogan, no legal ID, into ABC news. At 2105, woman said programming would later include Pismo Beach City Council meeting. Into promo for local public affairs show on KCOY-TV 12. Faded as it went into what sounded like Bruce Williams. (JH-CA)
- KXEQ NV, Reno 9/30 2200 good on top with legal ID in English & Spanish. (JH-CA)
- 1350 CKEG BC, Nanaimo 10/1 0000-0006 fair over and then mixing with KSRO, very fadey. News, sports, weather, C-Keg ID, then jingle ID into country music. Only heard once before, a year ago. (JH-CA)
- 1460 KENO NV, Las Vegas 9/27 0927 good, with live church service, ID. (JH-CA)
- KMWX WA, Yakima 9/30 2206 fair, on top with ID "Now, more oldies on 14-60, KMWX." (JH-CA)
- 1470 KKFO CA, Coalinga 9/29 2045-2100 good, then mixing with one or two others with "Great KFO Country" ID be female DJ. On top again 2100 with "Great KFO Country is KKFO, Coalinga-Lemoore-Hanford." (JH-CA)
- KXOA CA, Sacramento 9/29 1940 fair to good with oldies, ID "Cruisin' 1470," into local ads ment. Sacramento. Better at SSS than when heard at night. (JH-CA)
- 1490 KBAS AZ, Bullhead City 9/26 0500 fair with ID into SMN news, after adult standards music. (JH-CA)
- KRRC CA, King City has block of farm news 0800 s/on to 0900 Mon.-Fri. (JH-CA)

- KGHO WA, Hoquiam 9/27 0110 not exactly hot DX, but this relig. station surprised me with unexpected program of Christian heavy metal music, like Z-rock only louder and more screechy! You never know what to expect on some stations, hi. (bp-WA1)
- 1540 KXED CA, Los Angeles 9/27 0743 Spanish talk/music under KBLV, "La Grand D 15-40" slogan. (bp-WA1)
- 1560 WPAD KY, Paducah 10/4 0605 fair-poor in KNZR null with nostalgia music (Unistar "AM Only" feed), no readable ID until 0635 when "Your memory station, WPAD" nearly blew me off the chair! Conditions must be good to get this with KNZR on. Call change for me, last logged in 1970's as WDXR! (BH-WA)
- 1620 CA, Pebble Beach 9/26 2257 good-nil until sunrise 9/27, with same continuous loop message reported in recent WDXR. (bp-WA1)

LOCAL NEWS

- 710 KIRO WA, Seattle effective 9/21 is mostly // KIRO-FM 100.7. Still newstalk...this is a rare case where a faltering FM becomes a relay of its highly successful AM sister station (instead of the other way around). Not 100% //, they separate for some midday features & FM runs news when AM carries sportscasts. (bp-WA)
- 1240 KNRY CA, Monterey local again carries Monday Night Football from CRS this season. (JH-CA)

UNID

- 527 UnID beacon "RWE" again noted 9/27 0139, local-like on N wire, good on NW wire, nil on W wire, suggesting it's somewhere on WA, OR, or N. CA coast. Anyone else hearing it? (bp-WA1)

Sounds like the DX season is underway. Send in a report and let us know what you are hearing!

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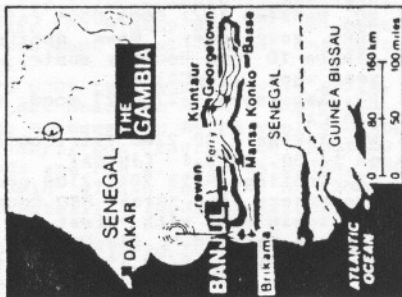
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## DOWN THE DIAL

1260 **WNXT** OH, Portsmouth. 9/28 in WIBV null. 0630-0645 with C&W banjo music. Spot for a bank in Portsmouth. Mentioned covering SE Ohio and NE Kentucky. [TMJ-IL]

1440 **KKXL** ND, Grand Forks. 8/31. 0500 with "Double-K Country" and weather for Grand Forks. C&W music. [TMJ-IL]

**WMAX** MI, Bay City. 8/30, 9/2, 9/5. Heard each night 0000-0300 with simple "WMAX" ID. All news CNN programming. Finally on 9/23 at 0028 they mentioned covering the Saginaw Bay area. Never heard them mention Bay City. Note, always heard with WMKM. [TMJ-IL]

1450 **KMMS** MT, Bozeman. 9/27 briefly week in mess. 0225 with rock oldies. IDing as "Montana's Moose. AM 14-50 KMMS." Need this call change, but not enough for a report this time. [JcJ-MT]

1550 **KQWB** ND, Fargo. 9/28 good. 0150 with C&W music. IDing as "K-Q Country for Fargo, Morhead, and Red River Valley." Not needed, last heard with rock oldies format. [JcJ-MT]

**KRGQ** UT, West Valley City. 9/30 weak to good w/KKHI nulled. 0930 with C&W. Slogans "Cargo," "Rocky Mountain Legend," and "1-double 5-0 Country Cargo." Legal ID mentioned "Rocky Mountain Network" and included IDs for KCQQ, KRGQ, and KRGO. Needed for call change. [JcJ-MT]

**KUAT** AZ, Tucson. 9/28 weak in noise. 0950 with pledge drive. Numerous mentions of KUAT. Not needed, was looking for KRGQ. [JcJ-MT]

## unIDs

1200 unID 9/27 in WOPA, WOAI null. 0653 with TT. Loop SE/NW. TT ended 0700 when station signed on, but too weak to copy. [TMJ-IL]

1260 unID 9/22 off frequency strong enough to mess up WIBV. First heard 9/22 at 0700, noted to disappear at 2300 everynight and return at 0657 everyday. Looping to SE. [TMJ-IL]

## 25 YEARS AGO

Sorry gang, but back in 1967 DX Monitor was published just twice in October. Join us next week when we take a look at the October 21st issue.

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\* OF SPECIAL INTEREST \*

- 790 WMRZ FL, S. Miami 9/27 2250 playing country & rock oldies rather than usual nostalgia music. A Sunday night show, or a format change? Still "790-MEMORIES - WMRZ."
960 WFIR VA, Roanoke 9/24 2130 this news/talk station now carries "Lux Radio Theatre" on weeknights w/old time radio programs, dramas & comedies.
1130 WJTP NC, Newland 10/1 2050 fair relaying WBT-TV news.

\* \* \* THE REPORT \* \* \*

- 900 WLSI KY, Pikeville 10/1 2115-2130 fair w/rock oldies. No talk between records. At 2127: "You are listening to the Solid Gold Radio Network - WLSI, Pikeville, ????, ???????, WBPA, Elkhorn City, and ????, Prestonsburg." 4 stations in all, all in KY, over before I could get all of them down.
940 WKYK NC, Burnsville 10/1 2140 poor w/high school football. Yancey County mentions, ID "K-94".
970 WJMX SC, Florence 10/1 2030 in/out w/spot for Palmetto Chiropractic Clinic. "NASCAR Today," into "Sports Talk" on "South Carolina Network." Numbers: 1-800-922-2700 and 790-4310 (now all you Gamecock fans can call, hi)
1040 WQBB TN, Powell 9/27 1940 Excellent w/nostalgia music. ID "WQBB-POWELL/WEMQ-KNOXVILLE." At 1945, abruptly gone.
1060 ?CJRP? PQ, Quebec 9/27 2238 poor in KYW null w/female opera singer in French. Good conditions to north, many Canadian stations noted tonight. Tentative.
1080 WDSY PA, Pittsburgh 9/27 1850 Excellent w/satellite country music. ID's as "weep." Legal ID at top of hour: "YOUR HOME FOR REAL GOODTIME COUNTRY-WDSY AM 1080-PITTSBURGH'S "weep."" Seemingly reluctant to part with their old AM call, still using it as a slogan. No news, back to music after top of hour.
WDJX KY, Louisville 9/27 1930 good w/modern rock. ID as "99.7-DJX." Ex WXLN.
1110 CKTY ON, Sarnia 9/27 2000-2040 poor, fading in/out in WBT null. Country music, clear "CKTY" ID in WBT fade. As WBT is my strongest night signal, this one was a surprise.

EDXR continues ...

- 1160 WTYN NC, Tryon 10/1 2105 fair w/news and weather for Tryon and Hendersonville. This station relays WHKP-1450, Hendersonville nights. WHKP erroneously reported here last year by your's truly.
- 1520 KOMA OK, Oklahoma City 9/27 2050 BLASTING IN w/oldies. ID w/girl singers "ALL OLDIES ON K-O-M-A, KOMA!" DJ taking calls and requests from listeners. My understanding is that KOMA now gets it's music off the satellite. Another great station joins the faceless "generic generation."
- 1560 WQXY KY, Hazard 9/24 1815 poor to fair w/"Time Warp," featuring hits of Sly & the Family Stone. Mention that he was a DJ at "KDIA in San Francisco." (KDIA is in Oakland.) ID as "QUIXIE 1560."
- 1600 WNST WV, Milton 9/24 1800 In and out w/satellite oldies. ID as "YOUR HOME FOR GOODTIME OLDIES - 106.3-WAEZ." ID at top of hour: "WNST-WAEZ, MILTON, HUNTINGTON, ASHLAND." No news, back to music.

\* \* \* OTHER STUFF \* \* \*

CORRECTION!: Last week, WWJZ-640 was listed as being in Mt. Holly, NC. The station is in Mt. Holly, New Jersey. My apologies.

Here's the final breakdown by states and provinces for Volume 29. Beacons, pirates, and tentatives (if location was unsure) not counted.

NC-75	PA-60	TN-54	VA-54	ON-51	FL-46	NY-39
TX-29	OH-28	SC-26	AL-24	MD-24	LA-22	GA-21
NJ-21	MA-20	KY-19	OK-18	PQ-18	WI-18	MS-17
AR-16	MO-13	IL-12	MI-12	CT-11	WV-9	DC-8
IN-8	KS-6	DE-5	IA-5	MN-5	RI-5	PE-4
NH-3	VT-3	CO-2	NE-2	NM-2	SD-2	NB-2

AZ, CA, HI, ME, ND, MB, NS all reported once.

Total - 48 states and Canadian provinces heard by IRCAers east of the Mississippi River. So much for the myth that IRCA is a "West Coast" club. WA was reported tentatively. All this in a "bad sunspot year."

\* \* \* EDITOR'S DESK \* \* \*

A big EDXR welcome to new members Robert Taylor, Tom Bryant, & Albert Earnhardt. We certainly hope that all of you enjoy your IRCA membership, and look forward to hearing from you as future EDXR reporters.

An effort is being made to make EDXR more "user friendly" by eliminating most abbreviations. It is hoped that doing so will increase the readability of the column. As always, comments are welcome.

It is definitely starting to look and feel like fall here. The leaves are turning, the weather is cooler, and conditions are improving. IRCA DX tests begin next week. Let's get those reports in, people.

References used for EDXR are the 1992 NRC Log and DX Monitor. Deadline here is FRIDAY 2 weeks before the DXM publication date. 73 de LLH. (typed October 2.)

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YES, I'm still around! Just because I haven't contributed much to this column lately does not mean I'm not around. I've been busy as h\*\*\* with other things. Business has not been that good but I've been busy with things other than business or DX. There may be a "BIG" move in the works next year. More as that develops. Now to DX related matters: In case any of you forgot I am one of your board members. I want to do the best job possible but unless I get some advice from you the membership I can't do what you elected me to do. What do you the membership want me to do? Let me know now! And, remember you can make your vote count too. Send your suggestions in to not only me but to all the board members; let us know what you want and what you don't want. IRCA is a democratic club not a dictatorship club!! If you'd prefer to call me on the phone to discuss IRCA matters you can do on either (619)566-0092 or (619) 484-0604 most evenings between 1930 & 2100. These are business lines that ring in my home and after hours personal calls are intercepted if I'm unable to answer the phone. In case I don't intercept your call you may leave a short, that's short, not long message. Do not expect me to return your call if it is a toll-call for me. I may return it and then again I may not return it. All letters will be answered. A s.a.s.e is preferred unless I personally know you! 73 and good DX de ASL!

**John Ryer, 275 Ester Dr, Fairbanks, AK 99708**

**Moose Camp DX - 1992**

The first week of September found me 200 miles southwest of Anchorage, pursuing the wily Alaskan moose. Transport to the area was by commercial airline to Iliamna, a fishing village of 200 people, and then by float plane to Cheekok Lake. Cheekok Lake is nestled in a southwesterly-oriented valley in the mountains of the Aleutian Range. The valley floor (elevation 1000 ft.) is covered with glacial till, tundra vegetation and black spruce. Being a medium-wave enthusiast, I packed along a Sangean ATS-803A receiver, a quarter-mile roll of 17 gauge electric fence wire (a la Leonard Hyde) and two short lengths of copper pipe. After we were dropped off, we set up our tents, rescued the old canoe from its hiding spot, patched it (the bears tend to chew on everything) and paddled out to catch a few Trout & Char for dinner. Next my partner and I rolled out the electric fence wire on a bearing of S30W. This bearing was directly down valley, directly away from the Anchorage and Fairbanks transmitters, directly toward the Pacific Ocean, and, incidentally, due magnetic south at this location. The southwest end was terminated directly into the ground with the assistance of one of the copper pipes. No terminal resistor was used due to the poor conductivity of the tundra soil. The termination was shifted 75 feet laterally to the south the next day to a wetter location. This shift substantially reduced the strength of the Anchorage signals. The wire was strung from tree to tree, varying from 5 to 10 feet off the ground. Another copper pipe was used at the receiver end as a ground. After installation, I got a few hours of DX time, all done by flashlight in a sleeping bag, in a cramped mountain tent, with rifles close at hand. The DX was simply amazing. California and Alberta were nearly absent. Hawaii was omnipotent. Australia was noisy but strong. New Zealand was as clear as a mountain stream. The next day we were off with backpacks to a nearby mountain lake where we got involved with a bull moose and subsequently a grizzly bear. As a result of this, I didn't get back to DXing for a few days. Our base camp looked real good upon our return as we were cold & wet and out of food. Our first chore was to make our standard base camp meal - potatoes fried with a half pound of bacon, smothered in cheese and laced with Tabasco sauce. Cholesterol first, DX second. That night I woke up at 2 am and DXed for four hours. The log listed below is essentially one complete bandscan on September 4th with a few hours of identifications on other days. North American stations and the multitude of Hawaiian stations have been omitted for brevity. One of the most interesting catches was an

Australian advertisement for "Club Coolum Beach." I tried for a 95% confidence level on the identifications; as it was I ran out of time and flashlight batteries before I ran out of DX. With hunting all day in the rain and snow and DXing at night, I was pretty well worn out, but happy, by the time the plane came in to pick us up.

### Moose Camp DX 1992

153/180/189/234	Russian Network	1071 UNID	Australian - advertised
270	UNID Russian/Classical		"Club Coolum Beach"
540	2AP West Samoa 558	1107 2UW	Sydney
	VRH Fiji (Same as 639)	1116 2YZ	Nelson New Zealand
567	4JK Julia Creek Australia	1134 UNID	Australian
576	UNID Australian	1143 UNID	Australian
603	BED76 Luchang, Taiwan	1152 3ZC	Tmaru New Zealand
	UNID Australian	1161 UNID	UNID Language - Some
612	4QR Brisbane, Australia		US music/some native
630	2YZ Napier New Zealand	1170 2CH	Sydney
	4QN Townsville, Australia	1188 UNID	Australian
639	VRH Fiji (Same as 558)	1197 2ZW	Wanganui NZ
	UNID Brazil	1206 UNID	Australian
640	Vientaine, Laos	1215 1ZE	Kaikohe NZ
666	Tahiti (same as 738)	1225 UNID	Australian
	UNID Australian	1233 2NC	New Castle Australia
684	UNID French/Pidgin-Fiji?	1251 2DU	Dubbo Australia
702	2BL Sydney	12M	Auckland NZ
711	UNID Two Australians	1278 2ZC	Napier New Zealand
738	Tahiti(same as 666)	1287 3ZW	Westport NZ
	2NR Grafton Australia	1297 1ZH	Hamilton NZ
747	4QS Toowoomba Aust	1305 4XD	Radio Dunedin NZ
765	UNID Australian	1314 UNID	New Zealand
774	3LO Melbourne	1323 UNID	Australian
783	UNID Chinese	1332 UNID	Australian
	UNID P o l y n e s i a n	1342 2ZN	Nelson New Zealand
	UNID French/Pidgin mix	1368 2GN	Goulburn Australia
801	UNID Australian	1377 2XX	Parparamumu NZ
810	UNID Chinese	1386 BBC	Auckland NZ
	UNID Mid-eastern music	1395 4ZW	Oamaru NZ
	4YA Dunedin NZ	1413 2KO	New Castle Australia
864	UNID Australian	1449 2YM	Palmerston NZ
873	UNID Australian	1467 UNID	Bangkok??
927	UNID French - Fiji?	1476 BEG27	T a i p e i , T a i w a n
	2ZA Palmerston NZ	1513 1ZU	Taumarunui NZ
954	2UE Sydney	2NA	Newcastle Australia
	UNID Australian	1548 4QD	Emerald Australia
963	UNID Australian	1557 2ZH	Hawera New Zealand
1008	UNID Two Australians	1566 UNID	Female Russian
1017	2KY Sydney	1610 UNID	English/Christian
1044	UNID Australian	1620 UNID	Australian -

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Greetings. Several months back I requested information on Radio Station WWAE. This station was thought to have operated from both Joliet and Plainfield, Ill. I received excellent information from Tom White, Bob Harrison, Leonard Hyde and Jim Hilliker. I now have a complete history of this station. Thank you all for the help. The station did operate in this area from 1923 to 1926. WWAE eventually ended up in Gary, Indiana as WJOB on 1230! They are a daytimer from here. (Tom, apparently from Gary, they wound up in Hammond, where they are now. At one of my locations (the one where you visited me when my last tooth had been pulled) they were my nearest local--rce) The TIS on 530 in Joliet is back on the air. This TIS is for the I&M Canal and other Historical Sites in and around Joliet. It had been off the air for about a year and a half. Was hoping it would never return. I had thought I may have been partly responsible for this station leaving the air. Shortly after the four 530 kHz TIS's came on the air I sent detailed reception reports to the Heritage Corridor Hgtrs. I mentioned that even with a car radio all four stations could be heard at the same time from Joliet. It was shortly after this that the Joliet TIS went silent. It sounds like the other 3 stations are also operating with reduced power. Caught KROF-960 on the air on 8/25 with Hurricane Andrew emergency broadcasts. Verification back in 20 days. Veri signer is Anthony Keith?, Op Director. Also on 8/25 had an unID on 1040 with taped weather information. Suspect this may be KAIN Vidalia, Lou. A tentative report was sent. Just finished reading Guy Kudlemyer's Forum in Vol. 30, #1. He mentions low pressure weather fronts as a possible cause for enhanced ground wave reception. I have noted long range reception during times when the Jet Stream loops down into the Midwest. Though this may be only a coincidence but it may be something to keep track of this winter. I look for CFAC 960. My suspicion is the Jet Stream acts as a duct to enhance or carry the signal a long distance. In the Midwest the presence of the Jet Stream usually coincides with low pressure storm fronts. The 2200 weather report on TV occasionally shows the Jet Stream path when it influences national weather systems. Food for thought! Looking forward to the IRCA CPC tests beginning in October. Also planning on ordering a Quantum Loop from Gerry Thomas. 73's..

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A few observations before going to Atlanta for the MT Convention next week. Found WXVW-1450 in a booth at the Steamboat Days in Jeffersonville, IN. Lots of stix and promos. Tried a Buffalo Burger a few booths down the street. Believe me, it'll never replace hawg or kow. New in Louisville is "CNN Radio AM 680". This is WXKN, x-WLSY. Just happened to note ad for it on side of city bus. Probably would not have known otherwise. Letter from Radio Televisione Sammarinese of which had never heard. Inside was rather surprised and pleased to find QSL and sticker from Radio Titano-97.0/97.3 in San Marino. First heard last year while waiting for a bus in Rimini, Italy. A couple hours later was in the Hotel Titano listening to it again. Lots of pizza spots. A wonderful station in a wonderful country. Only took 16 months for the QSL! A.J. and I went to visit "Inspiration 1570". She stayed in car, apparently having seen all the radio stations she can stand. Is WZCC, x-WORS. Caught young Olympus Zarris during his 9/23 on-air debut as a gospel mx D.J. If station pix turn out will send to PopComm with hope they print. Understand fellow radio nuts like to see radio station pix. WZCC owners have lease/purchase agreement on WXLN-105.7 and will move that studio to current leased address: 220 Potters Lane, Jeffersonville, IN 47129. Announces New Albany-Louisville. Looking to buy a building so all this may soon change. Gave me a coverage map and a couple rate sheets, but I have nothing of the old WIBS, darn it. Nice



people and it'll be a nice AM/FM when they get it fixed up. Wonder if A.J. can take seeing CNN and Radio Beijing? Oh yes, HAWG-1620 was busted. Not by the FCC, but the guys at Fischer Packing (the bacon makin' people). I expect it will be back soon with new ops. Pirate radio can be tuff. Or tender, depending on the hawg. 73 from me.

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I recently obtained a Hammarlund HQ-180 that had probably been turned on in fifteen years and although all tubes are OK, I can't get any audio except a steady hum. I need to appeal to the members, as Ralph Sanserino suggested, for someone to repair it. I will accept collect calls at 414-233-6757 after 1800 CLT. Meanwhile I have been using a Sony 2010 with a Radio West Great Little Loop since 1986 and am nearing 500 BCB stations heard and ID'ed. I started in the hobby with a FADA in the forties, graduated to a Hallicrafters S3BC in the fifties, and stopped DXing to go to college, work, and raise a family. I will be retiring as a high school principal in June of 1994 and plan to increase my DXing efforts then. Any help with the 180 will be appreciated. (John, welcome to EDXF. You're not very far up the road from me but it's got to be a better DX location, hi--rce)

Rick Evans, 4841 South 26th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53221

For the five years I've lived in Wisconsin, I've been thru Wautoma, Wisc. many times and have always wondered about a place called "The Radio Station Restaurant". There is no radio station in the town, but I had assumed there must have been one at one time because of the name of the place. A week or so ago, I was talking with a guy at work who had lived in Fond du Lac and in Wausau, and he said it was a good place to eat. I asked him about the name, and he said there had been a radio station at one time in Wautoma, but agreed it was now gone. There studios apparently were in the place the restaurant is now. Looking in the 1974 Broadcasting Yearbook, it isn't listed there as of then, and it doesn't appear that the station moved to a nearby town. John Sheehy, do you know anything about this station which I suspect was in the late 40's or early 50's? Two veries this week but nothing earthshattering. WJR-760 and WHO-1040 both heard at work on a small palm-sized radio DX there but not at home, hi. Now up to 5 veries here in Milwaukee. 73.

This letter confirms reception of KAMA Radio, El Paso, Texas U.S.A. on 4/3/89 at 02:10. KAMA operates on 750 KHz with 10 Kilowatts daytime directional array. At sunset we switch to a four tower directional array with a power of 1 Kilowatt. During the daytime hours KAMA operates with a two toner array.

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Let me say THANKS for the reception report and good luck. Enclosed please find a copy of our coverage map as well as the latest bumper sticker.

Best Wishes,

*Cliff Gibson*

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