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DX TEST BULLETIN

* DX TESTS ARRANGED BY IRCA AND NRC *

MONDAY, JANUARY 24, 1994 - WJIB-740, P.O. BOX 848, NEEDHAM HEIGHTS BR., BOSTON, MA 02194 WILL CONDUCT A DX TEST BETWEEN 1:30 & 2:00 AM EST. THE TEST WILL INCLUDE MORSE CODE ID'S. RECEPTION REPORTS MAY BE SENT TO: MR. BOB BITTNER - MANAGER/OWNER. (ARRANGED BY J.D. STEPHENS FOR THE IRCA CPC)

SATURDAY, JANUARY 29, 1994 - WADV-940, P.O. BOX 940, LEBANON, PA 17042 WILL CONDUCT A DX TEST BETWEEN 2:30 & 3:00 AM EST. FROM 2:30 - 2:40, THE TEST WILL BE AT A POWER OF 1,000 WATTS, FROM 2:40 - 2:50 AT A POWER OF 5 WATTS, THEN BACK TO 1,000 WATTS FOR THE LAST 10 MINUTES. THE TEST WILL INCLUDE BLUEGRASS, SOUTHERN GOSPEL MUSIC, AND MORSE CODE ID'S. WE ARE ALSO WORKING ON A TEST FROM WADV'S EXPERIMENTAL STATION, KAZXAU-1620. RECEPTION REPORTS MAY BE SENT TO: MR. CRAIG BAKER, (ARRANGED BY THE NATIONAL RADIO CLUB CPC)

MONDAY, JANUARY 31, 1994 - WTRN-1340, BOX 247, TYRONE, PA 16686 WILL CONDUCT A DX TEST BETWEEN 12:30 & 1:00 AM EST. THIS TEST WILL BE SIMULCAST ON WFRM-600, COUDERSPORT, PA, AS WELL AS WFRM-FM 96.7, AND WGMR-FM 101.1. THE TEST WILL BE AT A POWER OF 1,000 WATTS & WILL INCLUDE MARCH MUSIC AND MORSE CODE ID'S FOR ALL FOUR STATIONS. RECEPTION REPORTS MAY BE SENT TO: MR. ROBERT H. LYNN - CHIEF ENGINEER, (ARRANGED BY THE NATIONAL RADIO CLUB CPC)

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MONDAY, JANUARY 31, 1994 - WFRB-560, ROUTE 2 BOX 373, FROSTBURG, MD 21532 WILL CONDUCT A DX TEST BETWEEN 1:00 & 1:30 AM EST. THE TEST WILL INCLUDE MORSE CODE, TEST TONES, AND VOICE ID'S. RECEPTION REPORTS MAY BE SENT TO: MR. ROBERT MAY - ENGINEER. (ARRANGED BY J.D. STEPHENS FOR THE IRCA CPC)

MONDAY, JANUARY 31, 1994 - KBLG-910, 2075 CENTRAL AVENUE, BILLINGS, MT 59102 WILL CONDUCT A DX TEST BETWEEN 2:00 & 2:30 AM EST. THE TEST WILL INCLUDE MORSE CODE AND VOICE ID'S. RECEPTION REPORTS MAY BE SENT TO: MR. LEWIS MUNN - CHIEF ENGINEER. (ARRANGED BY J.D. STEPHENS FOR THE IRCA CPC)

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 1994 - WRDB-1400, REEDSBURG, WI WILL CONDUCT A DX TEST BETWEEN 3:00 & 3:30 AM EST. THE TEST WILL INCLUDE MORSE CODE AND VOICE ID'S. RECEPTION REPORTS MAY BE SENT TO: MR. CLIFFORD J. GROTH - DIRECTOR OF ENGINEERING, c/o WFAW RADIO, P.O. BOX 94, FORT ATKINSON, WI 53538-0094. (ARRANGED BY J.D. STEPHENS FOR IRCA CPC)

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 1994 - WHVW-950, 507 VIOLET AVENUE, HYDE PARK, NY 12538 WILL CONDUCT A DX TEST BETWEEN 12:00 & 12:30 AM EST. THE TEST WILL INCLUDE COUNTRY MUSIC, TEST TONES, AND MORSE CODE ID'S. DURING THE TEST, WHVW WILL SWITCH BETWEEN POWERS OF 500 WATTS AND 57 WATTS. RECEPTION REPORTS MAY BE SENT TO: MR. AL WEINER - GENERAL MANAGER. (ARRANGED BY J.D. STEPHENS FOR IRCA CPC)

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 1994 - WDMJ-1320, MARQUETTE, MI WILL CONDUCT A DX TEST BETWEEN 1:00 & 2:00 AM EST. THIS TEST WILL BE SIMULCAST ON WIAN-1260, ISPEMING, MI. THE TEST WILL INCLUDE VOICE ID'S AND DUAL MORSE CODE ID'S FOR BOTH STATIONS. RECEPTION REPORTS MAY BE SENT TO: MR. CLIFFORD J. GROTH - DIRECTOR OF ENGINEERING, c/0 WFAW RADIO, P.O. BOX 94, FORT ATKINSON, WI 53538-0094. (ARRANGED BY J.D. STEPHENS FOR IRCA CPC)

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MONDAY, FEBRUARY 14, 1994 - WGTO-540, 821 MARSHALL FARMS ROAD, OCOEE, FL 34761 WILL CONDUCT A DX TEST BETWEEN 2:00 & 3:00 AM EST. THE TEST WILL INCLUDE MORSE CODE ID'S, POWER BILL BE 50 KW, DAY PATTERN. RECEPTION REPORTS MAY BE SENT TO: MR. DAVE EDWARDS (KD40LZ)-TECHNICAL ASSISTANT. (ARRANGED BY J.D. STEPHENS FOR IRCA CPC)

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 14, 1994 - KIEZ-540, 1188 PADRE DRIVE, SUITE 202, SALINAS, CA 93901 WILL CONDUCT A DX TEST BETWEEN 3:30 & 4:00 AM EST. THE TEST WILL INCLUDE MORSE CODE, TELEPHONE TONES, AND LATIN MUSIC. RECEPTION REPORTS MAY BE SENT TO: CHIEF ENGINEER. (ARRANGED BY J.D. STEPHENS FOR IRCA CPC)

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 1994 - KLER-1300, P.O. BOX 32, OROFINO, ID 83544 WILL CONDUCT A DX TEST BETWEEN 2:01 & 2:30 AM EST. THE TEST WILL INCLUDE TV/MOVIE THEMES AND MORSE CODE ID'S. RECEPTION REPORTS MAY BE SENT TO: MR. JEFF JONES - OWNER. (ARRANGED BY J.D. STEPHENS FOR IRCA CPC)

BROADCASTING INFORMATION



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DEADLINES: 2nd & 4th Saturdays. Compiled: 01/08/94 Much of this information was compiled from M Street Journal , DXM, and various other sources.

NEW STATION APPLICATIONS:

WI. Altoona

1560 khz. 2500/1000, 1700-CH, DA-N

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT ACTIVITY:

NC. Franklin

WAJA-1480 now 13 w. night

FACILITY & PARAMETER APPLICATIONS:

NV. Las Vegas

KENO-1460 decrease to 20000-D (night pwr.

remains as before)

OR. Sweet Home KFIR-1370 modify 720 khz. CP for 184 w. nights WV. Fairmont

WMMN-920 200-N

FORMAT CHANGES:

KLAC-570 was country, now Unis. stds. CA. Los Angeles CO. Dillon KHTH-1130 was silent, now nx/talk//KNUS-710 FL. Cocoa WRFB-860 was silent, now nx ID. Jerome KART-1400 was country, talk, now nx/talk/sports KBBK-970 was Jones C&W, now Jones oldies/talk Rupert KY. Louisa WVKY-1270 was country, adds Jones country KBRH-1260 was silent, now talk (WW1, WOR, CNN, LA. Baton Rouge Unistar, ESPN) MD. Baltimore WBAL-1090 was nx/talk, adds EFM talk ND. West Fargo KQWB-1550 was country, now Unis. CNN Headline nx WRIE-1260 was SMN oldies, now SMN stds. PA. Erie TX. Dimmitt KDHN-1470 was country, adds Jones country WZAC-1450 was country//FM, adds JSN country//FM WV. Madison

Dennis Gibson of Goleta, CA. and Steve Mittman of Seal Beach, CA. pas on the following tip:

CA. Los Angeles KMPC-710 has been purchased by Capitol Cities/ ABC, will eventually change to all-talk from current sports format

Dennis passes on 2 additional tips:

CA. San Luis Obispo KIID-1400 was country//FM, now CSN Radio Aahs Soledad KOKE-700 was country, now classical//FM

Floyd Perry of Stockton, CA. passes on the following tip:

KXBT-1190 was KNBA, country, now R&B gold, CA. Vallejo "The Beat Of the Bay" ID's

Ye editor passes on the following tips:

CA San Diego KKLQ-600 will become KOGO, nx/talk, ex-CHR

sometime in February
San Jose KKSI-1370 to sign on Mar. 1 wit

San Jose KKSJ-1370 to sign on Mar. 1 with big band and nostalgia format, ex-KEEN, ex-silent

and nostalgia format, ex-KEEN, ex-silent

Happy new year 1994, hope DX is great for everyone this year, I'm running a 3 MM (soon to be 4 MM) streak of new stations, maybe I'll hear a new station every MM this year (keep dreaming...). Days will begin getting longer, nights shorter soon, so get in the DX while you can! 73's.



DX Worldwide - West

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DEADLINE: MONDAYS

Another short column this week. Foreign DX is pretty good. Even the strong JJs are weak now. I guess it is just the "Mid-Winter Slowdown". Chuck Boehnke-Hawaii apparently has logged a new Commercial JJ on 1305 KHZ. That isn't listed in the 93 WRTH. The new 94 is due anyday now. Maybe it will be listed in there.

PAN-AMERICAN DX ROUNDUP

540 MEXICO, Monterrey (S.L.P.)-XEWA-good all night 1/10 with "XEWA" IDs in SS a romantic music (PM-OR)

890 <u>CUBA</u>, Radio Rebelde-hrd with romantic ballads and soft SS ancr, several mentions of "CUBA" and "Radio Rebelde" Apparently 890 KHZ is one the frequencies used for several Cuban broadcasters. Must be some

powerhouse, as hrd a couple times lately-noted 1/9 at 0405. (PM-OR)

TRANS-PACIFIC DX ROUNDUP

JAPAN, UNID Commercial station here at 0940 12/31 with Quiz type program, jingles, etc. (CB-HI)

VERIFICATIONS

873 <u>JAPAN</u>, Kumamoto-NHK2-JOGB-nice friendly letter and two photos of station in 48d-No v/s. Address: 2-7 Chibajo-machi, Kumamoto-shi,-Kumamoto-ken 860, Japan. JJ number 99 verified. (PM-OR)

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Welcome to DXWW-E for the week. Hope your Holidays were enjoyable and that 1994 will bring nothing but the best for all. Good to hear from Mike Brooker once again with some Latin American loggings. Hope to hear from you again soon, Mike. Also good to hear from Richard D'Angelo again with a DXpedition to Gifford Pinchot State Park in early December. For those chasing splits (eg. off-freq. Latins), per Brandon Jordan WXTO in Winter Gardens, FL was on 1599.55 and casting a strong het on 1600, and WXSS in Memphis, TN was on 1030.69 hetting 1030. On with the week's reports [TIMES/DATES UTC]:

TRANS-ATLANTIC DX

- 171 SPANISH MOROCCO 2232-2316 12/11/93 Radio Mediterranee Internationale w/soft pop vocals & FF talk by m until 2259 ID as "Medi-Un" & nx in Arabic. Noted running //9575, poor-fair. (D'Angelo-PA)
- * unID 0350 12/4/93 carrier here w/fr peaks & slow, deep fades. DF 330 or 150. Suspect this may be the same possible Petropavlovsk carrier reported by John Bryant on 11/3/93 and DF bears this out. By 0545 much stronger w/shorter and shallower fades. Probable Senegal weak on 765 noted @0555. By 0630 764.93 gone and prob. Senegal much stronger. (Jordan-TN)
- 765 SENEGAL Dakar 2340 12/5/93 AA-sounding group vocal at low modulation level on good strength carrier. Also 2350 12/5/93 signal came up to HUGE level w/AA talk, string mx. CX were mildly auroral. (Connelly-MA) *see also next entry
- 765.04* +(SENEGAL) 0555 12/17/93 fr audio w/fades. IS, anmts, time pips into nx in FF by man, then Koran recitations. (Jordan-TN)
- 891 ALGERIA Algiers 0450 12/3/93 AA talk only pr-fr: cx were below normal. Also 0530 12/9/93 w/chant; mediocre signal, and at 0525
- 12/14 male AA vocal w/guitar-like instrumentation; fr. (Connelly)
 954 SPAIN Madrid 0533 12/9/93 gd w/m in SS. (Connelly-MA)
- 999 SPAIN Madrid 0537 12/14/93 SS talk; gd, cutting through splatter from a C&W show on CKBW. (Connelly-MA)
- 1044 MOROCCO Sebaa-Aioun 0517 12/7/93 m in AA. Also 0506 12/9/93 a cappella female vocal; gd. (Connelly-MA)
- 1206 unID 0605 12/15/93 v strong TA carrier DF 45-50. Weaker at 0641 and 0708 rechecks. (Jordan-TN)
- 1215.35 unID 0603 12/14/93 weak TA carrier noted. Also noted weak TA carriers on 1134, 1116, 945, 855, 891 during 0600 and gone by 0705 on this date. (Jordan-TN)
- 1349 MAURITANIA Nouakchott 2320 12/5/93 poor w/chant; regeneration was needed to dredge up audio. (Connelly-MA)
- 1548 ENGLAND 0647 12/9/93 pr w/w in EE. (Connelly-MA)
- 1557 FRANCE Nice 0646 12/9/93 FF vocal w/relentless WQEW slop. (Connelly-MA)
- 1584 SPAIN 0644 12/9/93 echoey SS talk o/slight het from Cueta-1585.2. (Connelly-MA)
- 1593 GERMANY Langenberg 0511 12/5/93 fr / fadey; light-rock group vocal. Stn. is supposed to be going dark soon. (Connelly-MA) (This was one of the first TA's I heard years ago when DXing at Byron Road QTH I'll miss them. ed)

PAN-AMERICAN DX

- 540.35 NICARAGUA Managua YNARC 0253 12/14/93 talk by m into missed ID @0300 due to XEWA slop, into nx w/many ment's Managua. Also 0236 12/17/93 clear w/"Radio Corporacion" echo ID. easy Latin vocals, more ID's, poor-fair. (Jordan-FN)
- 595 DOMINICA DBS Radio 2338-0008 12/11/93 w/reading entitled "Hail Africa" by m ancr, ID's as "DBS Radio". Nice TC 0006 as "six minutes past eight o'clock on this Saturday night." Fr. (D'Angelo-PA)
- 650 HONDURAS San Pedro Sula HRVW LV de Centroamerica 0338 12/14/93 talk by m into Latin opera vocal, then ID. In WSM null and another Latin underneath was possibly Colombia. (Jordan-TN)

- 730 MEXICO Mexico DF 0440 12/13/93 SS talk about Mexico's foreign relations. (Reiser-IL)
- 740 t MEXICO Torreon Mexico 0408 12/13/93 poor w/Mexican PSA. New. (Reiser-IL)
- 750 <u>VENEZUELA</u> Caracas YVKS 0704 12/5/93 v gd. creaming nulled WSB w/ID as "Radio Caracas Radio, Red Nacional de noticias" into nx and local Caracas wx. (Brooker-ON)
- 760 CUBA CMBD 0500 12/7/93 R. Reloj overrunning WJR. (Connelly-MA)
- 770 <u>COLOMBIA</u> Bogota HJJX 0733 12/12/93 creaming WABC w/RCN ("errrrrrray saaaaaaaay ennnnnnnnay") ID & jx. (Brooker-ON)
 - +HJJX RCN 0118 12/14/93 dominant w/ads/anmts, "R-C-N" ID. (Jordan-TN)
- 770.59 HONDURAS San Pedro Sula HRNN21 R. Norte 0420 12/14/93 xInt this evening w/talk by m. Also hrd @0430 12/17/93 on 770.6 w/discussions by 2 men, commercials and anmts @0445 back into discussions. Ment's of R. Norte and Honduras, then gone 0459 w/o NA, fair. (Jordan-TN)
- 780 <u>VENEZUELA</u> Coro YVMN 0507 12/7/93 "R. Coro" ID, traditional SS vocal; huge signal. (Connelly-MA)
- 830 ST. KITTS & NEVIS Basseterre 0453 12/3/93 EE preaching good, alone on channel. Also 2243 12/5/93 gd w/religious drama. (Connelly-MA)
- t DOMINICAN REPUBLIC Santo Domingo HJB 0145 12/14 slow-speaking female playing EZL Latin vocals, weak w/deep fades. Possible time pips at ToH into talk by m, possible nx, back into vocals 0205. Still there at 0430 recheck & gone at 0520 chaeck. Almost positive this is HJJB but have yet to extract definate ID after many tries o/past mo. (Jordan-TN)
- 850 <u>COLOMBIA</u> Bogota HJKC R. Recuerdos 0508 12/17/93 Caracol pgmming w/ID's and promos & lively Latin mx, gd. (Jordan-TN)
- 885 MONTSERRAT 2317-36 12/11/93 Radio Montserrat w/m "This is ZJB Radio, the Voice of Montserrat", Community Digest pgm, TC "It is now 26-minutes past the hour of seven o'clock". Pr-fr w/deep fades. (D'Angelo-PA)
 - +Plymouth ZJB 2242 12/5/93 m in EE; pr. (Connelly-MA)
- 890 <u>CUBA</u> R. Progreso 0540 12/17/93 xint signal w/mx & amnts. Progreso not listed on this freq. in '93 WRTH. (Jordan-TN)
 - t <u>VENEZUELA</u> Valencia YVLW 2346 12/5/93 SS nx w/ment's of Maracaibo & other Ven. cities; o/bad growl & fat 891 het. (Connelly-MA)
- 895 ST. KITTS & NEVIS Charlestown 2240 12/5/93 EE talk, then Christmas dance mx instrumentals. (Connelly-MA)
 - +Voice of Nevis 2344-0007 12/11/93 m w/mx-by-request pgm, ID's ("This is 895, Radio Nevis Island"). Fr-gd. (D'Angelo-PA)
- 900 MEXICO Mexico City XEW 0613 12/4/93 "X-E-W" SS ID o/other SS & domestics. (Connelly-MA)
- 940 <u>VENEZUELA</u> Punto Fijo YVNN 0454 12/6/93 ID "R. Punto Fijo la emisora del primer lugar de sintonia"; LOUD, destroying CBM. (Connelly-MA)

 <u>CUBA</u> 0514 12/9/93 R. Reloj outlet in tangle w/Mexico & Venezuela. (Connelly-MA)

 <u>MEXICO</u> Mexico DF XEQ 0442 (date Thomas? ed) pr, WJPC splash, SS talk. (Reiser-IL)
- 959 unID 0509 12/9/93 1kHz het on low side of HJHN-960. (Connelly)
- 960 <u>COLOMBIA</u> Magangue HJHN 0510 12/9/93 "CARACOL" ID & Santa Marta mention; atop chan.; CHNS/WELI/Reloj way in the background. (Connelly-MA)
- 1000 BRAZIL Sao Paulo ZYK522 0622 12/4/93 man in PP atop chan; this is easy enough on Cape Cod, but it's uncommon at home 15-miles NW of Boston. (Connelly-MA)
- COLOMBIA Cartagena HJAQ 0502 12/6/93 "RCN" jx & talk about Navidad (Christmas). (Connelly)
 TURKS & CAICOS 0508 12/9/93 EXCELLENT, way o/KDKA w/spiritual "Go Tell It On the
- Mountain (Connelly AN)
- 1100 ANTIGUA St. John's ZDK 2220 12/4/93 loud w/Carib. party mx, energetic DJ, slgn "The Big Zed". Also 0505 12/6/93 w/BBC nx relay gd w/WWWE phased. (Connelly-MA)
- 1110 MEXICO Mexico DF 0437 12/13/93 fr-pr, SS talk, rare. (Reiser-IL)

1206 TA. (Jordan-TN)

- 1160 BERMUDA Hamilton VSB3 2310 12/5/93 BBC literary pgm o/u WSKW. Also 2150 12/6/93 w/BBC pgm; gd, alone on chan. (Connelly-MA)
- 1165 ANTIGUA St. John's 2311 12/5/93 C. R. L. good w/preaching in EE. (Connelly-MA)
- 1170 COLOMBIA Cartagena HJNW 0510 12/6/93 "CARACOL" ID o/u WWVA. (Connelly-MA)
- +0533 12/5/93 HJNW fr in nulled WWVA, noted while trying for WDFB
 test (which wasn't heard) w/"CARACOL" ID & promo for "Radio Noticias Caracol". (Brooker-ON)

 CAYMAN ISLANDS Radio Cayman 0607 12/14/93 on late w/BBC nx relay //5975, strong het from
- 1650v **The unID reported here in the 11/27 column has been ID'ed by Jim

 Renfrew as R. Rebelde. It is most likely a spur. Has not been heard here since. (Hardester-NC) (I've heard several different Cuban spurs in the range, Mike, so this may return again some time. ed)

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(NRD-535D w/10" ferrite loop)
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(solution to unID Pan-Am 1650v)



Western DX Forum * * * * *

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I was able to get some information on 1000 KIDH, Eagle ID, 10kw day. Phone call to 208-368-9717 was automatically transferred to Mr. Peterson (W6RYX) in S. Cal. He said station will be on in June or July 1994 with religious format. Transmitter will be located NW of Star. They operate KGOP 660 in Orcutt, CA. He said he has nice QSLs for KGOP and gets many reporter from New Zealand. 1240 KZID, McCall ID, reported back on the air in NRC DX News. Bill Hale (NRC) called KMCL FM and they report KZID has been dismantled but they may try in future to get station back on the air. I have been working on updating my Boise Bandscan and hope to have it done before the end of the season. I have been watching for all of the DX Tests. 73 (sorry this is running a week late, Frank .. the holidays, ya know...rcw)

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[12/31] Greetings! A hearty welcome to the IRCA to MEDFER operator Herb Vandebeek, and to Brandon Jordan! Many thanks to Art Peterson and Wayne Heinen for helping me ID KNDN-960. I've solved a major QRM problem caused by a neighbor about two miles away. A technician from our local utility, Montana Power, located the offender who operated an electronic fence designed to keep his dog in the yard. The tech had no obligation to help me, since his company was not at fault, but did so anyway. I'm happy to say this scenario is typical of Montana. I just discovered a minor source of QRM here at home: my laptop computer, even when it's neither operating nor charging! November and December were good months for Mexican DX. I can't figure out how 10 and 50 kw stations in Mexico City can dominate their frequencies and boom into Missoula when NYC stations, which are closer, are very rare. I'm still searching for a digital electric clock that shows seconds, or even an electric analog clock that has 4 dots between numerals rather than 3. I anyone knows a source, please let me know. Thanks to Mike Hardester, I've found the perfect cassette for reception reports: Radio Shack's LN-30 (15 minutes on a side). Good DX in '94! [...about the dog fence - I'm dying of curiosity: how about some particulars of how the problem was solved! Also, I've spent years trying to find an (AC-powered) electric clock with seconds, but no luck. A couple of years ago I did find an excellent substitute - battery power - in the form of the Sharp EL-470 'Travel Clock Calculator' with both 'local' and world time, 24-hr format, etc. The whole thing is about 3" x 4" and I've had to change the battery once. Quite accurate, too! Picked it up off a rack in a chain discount store. It's probably no longer available, but I'd bet it has a successor...rcwl



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OF SPECIAL INTEREST

600 CKBD BC, Vancouver CHRX killed 1/7 2100. Last classic rock song played was "Stairway to Heaven." Had announcements of upcoming change to contemporary Christian format. On 1/9 1500 began 24 hour Christian music. They are Canada's first

religious music station. (TW-BC)
+Heard 1/8 running sound of surf and seagulls and slogans
"The Bridge" and "Vancouver's Bridge." Mentions that on Sun. 1/9 at noon local time would begin "playing great Christian music" and will be Canada's first contemporary Christian station. (PM-OR)

+1/8 2108 thanks to Pat's phone tip, heard surf and seagulls, promos for contemporary Christian format starting noon Sunday featuring artists such as Amy Grant. Ex-CHRX/CJOR. Canada has not allowed religious stations in the past, so we wonder if this is a policy change. (BH&NH-WA)

CA, Cal Trans Highway Advisory 12/32 0815 giving warning TIS

weather & road conditions. Very weak. (GJ-CA) KVIP CA, Redding a nice compensation for missed WSTH test. 540 USA Radio Network news at 0400 MM 1/3, then mentioned neighboring Red Bluff and ID'd as "KVIP and KVIP-FM Redding." I phoned station to confirm power as 17 watts at this time. Station is NSP religious. (LG-MT)

SK, Regina 1/3 0208 s/off with GSQ. Gave call ID & slogan CBK

CBC Radio Saskatchewan." (LG-MT) BC, Prince George 1/6 1558 totally dominant off north wire, 550 CKPG

with pop music, "Mix 550" ID's. (PM-OR) BC, Prince Rupert 1/6 1556 fair in jumble with "T-K" ID. CHTK (PM-OR)

570 ?CFWH? YT, Whitehorse 1/1 presume the CBC programming // 690 at 0900. Tried for ID at 0100, but had faded under CKWL. Lately the QRM on 570 hasn't been KVI, but CKWL! (PM-OR)

580 CKXR BC, Salmon Arm 1/6 1550 good with pop music, spots, PSA's. (PM-OR) 670 KWNK CA, Simi Valley 12/31 0900 relaying XETRA-690. (GJ-CA) OH, Cincinnati 12/27 0215 good with weather for entire 700 WLW country, o/u CKRD. ID as "Interstate 700, WLW." Hard to hear these days. (bp-WA) 740 KBRT CA, Avalon 12/31 1100 in KCBS null with religious program. (GJ-CA) 750 ?KKNK? NV, Carson City 12/31 0900 suspect KKNK as weak, with many mentions of Nevada (Carson City), in briefly. (GJ-CA) (Anyone know if KKNK is on regular schedule yet? We have it listed as a new station not yet on the air. -- NH) AK, Juneau 1/1 fair above jumble with "AM 800 KINY" ID by 800 KINY woman into Pointer Sisters song at 0945. Oldies pop music. Haven't heard this in a long time. QRM from CKOR. Tried for KJNO-630 but too much KWRO, even off north wire! (PM) 900 MN, Minneapolis 1/5 0859 ended Morning Chapel Hour, then KTIS woman said "Good morning from the KTIS newsroom. I'm Naomi Purcell." QRM from CKBI. (LG-MT) CA, Fresno 12/20 totally off leaving a tentative XEQ. 940 (KFRE) (MS-CA) (Time? -- NH) WY, Kemmerer 1/2 0245 fair over/under KJR with C&W music, ID "Now more country on KMER." Haven't heard this in ages. 950 KMER (PM-OR) 1000 KXRB SD, Sioux Falls 1/1 1955 mixing with KOMO off east Beverage, with weather for Sioux Falls and ID "Country 1000, KXRB." Listed as daytime only, on night now. Haven't heard in years. (PM-OR) 1010 KXEG AZ, Tolleson MM 1/3 0330 ended relig, program and woman ID'd "For your enjoyment, and ministries, 1010 on your AM dial, we're KXEG, Tolleson." (LG-MT) 1020 KDKA PA, Pittsburgh 12/27 0505 first reception in ages, with news, "KDKA newstime 5:05" ID, strong over two unIDs.

AB, High Prairie 1/6 1510 good during great mid-day conditions to the north, with C&W, ID's, and weather. (bp) CKVH MA, Boston MM 1/3 0230 strong, broke into talk show for ID as "WBZ, Newsradio 1030." Man also said "This is it! WBZ, crankin' out 50,000 watts of power, 24 hours a day." State 1030 WBZ #32! (LG-MT) 1050 OR, Springfield 1/3 0600 religious programming. M Street KORE Journal lists them only as 161 watts at night! OH, Cleveland MM 1/3 0308 barely audible under KFAX with ID 1100 WWWE "1100, 3WE." (LG-MT) ND, Bismarck 1/2 0959:55 fair u/CKWX with C&W music, "KBMR" 1130 KBMR ID. I presume they gave full ID, but I could only make out call. (PM-OR) CA, Twentynine Palms 12/20 0400 heard triple city ID "The 1250 KDHI home of rock n' roll oldies, KDHI Twentynine Palms-Joshua Tree-Yucca Valley." (MS-CA)

<u>CA</u>, San Francisco 1/2 ended CNN Radio Headline News at 0800 1260 KOIT and woman said "You're listening to KOIT 96.5 FM and 1260 AM, San Francisco, Oakland, San Jose." (LG-MT) ID, Idaho Falls 1/2 was even with KOIT at 0800. Man said "This is 1260, KICN, Idaho Falls-Rexburg, and 690 KECN Blackfoot-Pocatello." (LG-MT) KICN BC, Vanderhoof 1/6 1540 good, dominant on frequency with 1340 CIVH country music, "CI" ID's, weather, Prince George spots, they are // CJCI-620 a lot of the time. (PM-OR) IA, Sioux City 1/4 0415 fair with CNN news, promo for Rush 1360 KSCJ Limbaugh "weekdays from 11 to 2 on 13-60 KSCJ." New. (PM) KKMO WA, Tacoma 12/20 0300 good signal with s/off announcement. (MS-CA)

+1/4 0402 interesting s/off. Apparently they run Hawaiian programming, Hawaiian announcer & music at 0345. (PM-OR) WY, Rock Springs 12/18 2315 ID "Merry Christmas from the

home of good time rock n' roll oldies," singing ID "KRKK,"

CA, Coalinga 1/3 1020 good on top with "KFO Country" ID.

into song "Everlasting Love." (MS-CA)

Rare here. (RW-CA)

KRKK

WA, Bremerton lately has been running Chinese programming 1490 KBRO during afternoon drive time. Still mostly brokered Spanish // KKMO-1360 the rest of the time. (bp-WA)

TN, Nashville 1/4 0345 fair above jumble with record offer, 1510 WLAC Gospel music. KGA off and with OC. Haven't heard this in a while. (PM-OR)

CA, Anaheim 12/26 1500 excellent with mentions of Mighty 1550 WGW901

Ducks vs L.A. Kings hockey. (MS-CA) KY, Paducah 1/4 0400 fair taing over frequency for a while 1560 WPAD with adult standards // KKSN-910, WPAD ID. Some WQEW/KNZR QRM. (PM-OR)

NY, New York 1/4 0355 fair over/under KNZR with woman WOEW announcer "W-Q-E-W," ID's, time check, adult standards. (PM-OR)

CA, ??? Cal Trans 12/31 0800 weather and advisory weak under 1610 TIS Hornbrook agriculture station and Tejon Pass (Cal Trans).

Location unknown. (GJ-CA) CA, Pebble Beach 12/31 0830 Community Services District 1620 TIS

strong with information on local events. (GJ-CA) CA, San Diego 12/31 0730 talk about parking and San Diego 1700 TIS Police, San Diego Chargers. Very weak. (GJ-CA)

LOCAL NEWS

CA, Los Angeles has been purchased by Capital Cities/ABC 710 KMPC from Gene Autry's Golden West Broadcasters. KMPC has had dismal ratings since switching to its all-sports format. Therefore, it is highly likely that a format change is

forthcoming. ABC already owns Talkradio KABC-790. (SMM-CA) CA, San Jose 1/3 0900-0910 having problems with transmitter, KLIV totally off for several seconds at a spurt in middle of CNN news. Seemed to also run at very low power, easily nullable. Fixed problem about 0910, usual strong signal after that. Newie XEHC-1590 logged! (RW-CA)

DX TESTS

GA, Columbus 1/3 possible DX test heard at 0220-0225 (at 540 ?WSTH? least), after CBK s/off at 0210, XEWA mix. At 0200 announcer said "Solid Gospel," mixing with unID CNN station. Only audible off east Beverage. No Morse code heard, if run. Tentative report sent. (PM-OR)
540 (WSTH) GA, Columbus 1/3 0200-0210 tried, but way too much

electrical noise. (bp-WA) +1/3 0200-0230 DX test tried, not heard. (MS-CA) +1/3 0200-0230 not heard. Only weak Spanish-speaker (probably XEWA) and weak KVIP. (LG-MT)

700 (KQKE) CA, Soledad got a last minute phone call from Phil B. that the test had been moved up to 0200-0300 12/27. Tried but only heard CKRD/WLW with KIRO-710 splat nulled. (bp-WA) +12/27 0330-0400 DX test not heard. No show? (MS-CA)

730 KURL MT, Billings 1/10 0235-0240 very good atop nulled CKLG with contemporary Christian music ending, voice ID and test announcement, Morse code, then weak tones. Heard once before. (BH-WA)

NC, Belmont 12/20 0000-0030 DX test not heard. (MS-CA) WA, Quincy 12/20 0300-0330 several Morse code ID's, bits of classical music and a couple weak partial voice ID's. Through heavy CFOK/KXTL QRM. Difficult at best despite distance. (bp-WA) +12/20 0307 caught solid copy of the test with clear Morse

code ID's near the beginning and end of the program. Quite a bit of QRM from powerhouse KXTL. Report sent. (MS-CA) 1440 KVON CA, Napa 12/27 0315-0325 one weak partial ID & tones under

KMED/KODL. (bp-WA) +12/27 0312 their 2nd DX test this season noted briefly with Everly Brothers song then ID "This is 1440 KVON Napa testing." Seemed to change signal at 0315. (MS-CA)

Welcome to WDXR, Ted! Hope you report often! It appears that the new year is off to a good start for some of you. New stations for some and new states for others. Keep up the good work everyone!



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[TMJ-IL] Tom Jasinski, 419 North Raven, Shorewood, Illinois 60435-9640 FRG-7 with Quantum loop, R390A with 2½ foot loop, Sharp QT50.

[WMc-MB] Wayne McRae, 103 Donegal Bay, Winnipeg, Manitoba R2K 2B5 lcom IC-R70 with PLAM board and 4kHz filter, Quantum loop, 3 foot loop.

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Drake SW-4A, Sangean ATS-803A, "Radio West" loop.

[TJR-IL] Thomas J. Reiser, 9506 South Winchester, Apt. 205, Chicago, IL 60643-1109 Sony ICF-2003 with built-in antenna.

[RS-MO] Randy Stewart, 4225 West La Casa, Springfield, Missouri 65802-5615

Yaesu FRG-100 modified by EEB with 6-kc Collins filter, 4-kc filter, and preamp enabled on BCB, 4' spiral loop.

[JcJ-MT] Your editor using an Icom IC-R71A with a Radio West loop.

SPECIAL INTEREST

760 KTLK

CO, Thornton. EX-KRZN. Note: KTLK calls are assigned to Lubbock, TX unless they recently changed. 1/3 very good. 1805 with "Now you really do have a choice. AM 7-60 KTLK" also "Talk radio the way it was ment to be done." Airing sports call-in program (825-8255). Lots of Bronco and Nuggets talk. Promo for Colorado Buffalos basketball game on KTLK. Lots of "KTLK" IDs. Promo for a non-sports call-in show. I was too late for the 1800 ID and signal gone by 1900. [WMc-MB] +1/9 weak in CKQR null. 0150 with "Comedy Hour" from MJI Broadcasting. PSAs before ID at 0200. Dual "KOA 850 Denver, KTLK 760 Thornton, Denver" ID into local news. Noted local news || with 850. [JcJ-MT]

+1/9 strong. 0950 with female oriented talk show "51 Percent." PSA block before 1000 ID. "Let's talk about it. AM 7-70 KTLK Thornton, Denver." Ai News. 0805 with local real estate talk program "Let's Talk About Real Estate" with a Ken Slater. Phone number 856-TALK or 825-8255 given. Noted NOT || KOA-850 at this time. Very clear mention of "KTLK" call letters. Have I missed a call change for Lubbock, TX 1460? Perhaps our Denver area members have information on calls and KOA's purchase of 760 Thornton? [JcJ-MT]

DOWN THE DIAL

580 WCHS WV, Charleston. 12/26 fair with buzz. 1801 legal ID in sports PBP. [TN-WI]

630 CFCO ON, Chatham. 1/3 fair to good. 1538 with oldies and clear ID. [TN-WI]

640 WCRV TN, Collierville. 1/1 good. 1800 with "WCRV Collierville, Memphis." ID [TJR-IL]
770 WVNN AL, Athens. 1/1 strong in WABC null w/WBBM-780 slop. 0201-0245. Possibly
testing with full power. Signal dropped away for about 30 seconds then came become

testing with full power. Signal dropped away for about 30 seconds then came back up at 0202. Several detailed promos and PSAs each mentioning WVNN 7-70. Then into TalkNet with Bruce Williams. This is the first time I've heard them. [TMJ-IL]

790 WEAQ WI, Eau Claire. 12/28 fair u/KFGO. 1635 with NOS music, weather, "WEAQ" IDs. New for me. [SA-MB]

- CDXR Continued....
- 870 KAAN MO, Bethany. 1/1 fair. 1825 with C&W music and sign off. [TJR-IL]
- 880 KRVN NE, Lexington. 1/1 poor. 1805 with "KRVN Weather Watch." New. [TJR-IL]
- 900 KSGL KS, Wichita. 12/26 good. 1703 on top briefly with USA Radio Network News. New for me. [SA-MB]
- 970 KJLT NE, North Platte. 1/1 poor. 1808 w/regional weather. Christian music. New. [TJR-IL]
- 1050 WEVD NY, New York. 12/30 poor. 2347 with talk about a NYC cafe. [TJR-IL]
- 1080 WTIC CT, Hartford. 12/30 fair. 2110 with talk about seat belt law. [TJR-IL]
- 1090 KAAY AR, Little Rock. 12/21. This is not really DX, but mentioned here only due to terrible sounding signal. 0100 with signal full of static causing sidebands and slop on 1080 and 1100. Previously this one has also been heard with loud 60Hz hum in audio. Also has been heard cutting out (transmitter tripping frequently during broadcast, being reset only to trip off again a minute later.) [TMJ-IL]
 - WFCV IN, Fort Wayne. 12/27 poor. 1710 brief fade up with religious program. New one for me. [SA-MB]
 - WISS WI, Berlin. 1/2 fair. 1620 with "You're listening to Wisconsin Badger Basketball on WISS." Into PBP. [WMc-MB]
- 1110 WGNZ OH, Fairborn. 12/26 fair. 1544 with religious programs by churches in the Fairborn area. New one for me. [SA-MB]
- 1160 WBND KY, Florence. 12/20 fair u/KSL. 0035 with NOS music, "WBND" ID. No longer a daytime only operation? New. [SA-MB]
- 1180 KOIL NE, Bellevue. 12/28 poor. 0828 w/EZL/Oldies music. "1180 Koil" IDs. New. [SA-MB]
- 1190 KDAO <u>IA</u>, Marshalltown. 12/14 poor along with KFEZ. 1719 with "KDAO Marshalltown" ID and local news and weather read by a woman. Note, IDs for KDAO and KFEZ logged at the same time, first time heard for both. [WMc-MB]
 - KFEZ MO, Kansas City. 12/14 poor along with KDAO. WOWO not around. 1719 with "KFEZ Kansas City" ID. Possibly into Christian music. See above. [WMc-MB]
- 1230 WCLO WI, Janesville. 12/26 fair in mess u/KTRF. 0820 with TC and local spots. "WCLO" ID. New for me. [SA-MB]
- 1270 WJJY MN, Brainerd. 12/26 good daylight reception w/weak WKBF and WWCA. 0945-1010 with frequent "Classic 12-70" slogans. CL's and mention of Brainerd. No mention of Baxter as listed in 13th edition of the NRC log.
- 1280 KYRO MO, Potosi. 1/3 signal in briefly mixed w/FF Canadian, WBIG null, and WWOK and WONW. 0655-0702 with call letters mentioned. [TMJ-IL]
 - WADO NY, New York. TENTATIVE. 12/21 fair in WBIG null. 0855-0905 with male and female talk. Mentioned weather report for Central Park, frequent news items for NYC. Calls mentioned, but they did not sound like "WADO" or "WPXY" (Rochester). WPXY has been heard here before, but never WADO. Suspect this was NYC. Tentative reception report sent. [TMJ-IL]
- 1320 KELO <u>SD</u>, Sioux Falls. 12/20 poor. 1750 with spot for Dakota Printing. Mention of Sioux Falls. Mostly buried, but "KELO Sioux Falls" ID surfaced at 1759. New. [RS-MO]
 - KNCB LA, Vivian. 12/20 poor. 1800 surfaced just in time for ID and "AP Network News is being brought to you by Clay (???) Corportation, 209 East Pritchard (???) in Vivian." AP Network News followed. Needed frequency change on this one – logged on 1600 many years ago. [RS-MO]
- KWHN AR, Fort Smith. 12/19 brief. 1705 with "News-Talk AM 13-20 KWHN." [WMc-MB] 1360 WSAI OH, Cincinatti. 12/30 fair. 2130 with spots for a car leasing firm and a sports bar.
- New one for me. [TJR-IL]
 1390 WEED NC, Rock Mount. TENTATIVE. 12/30 in WGCI null. 2335 with "AM 13-90 WEED" calls and "...set your car radio to WEED." I hope I am not confusing this one with WZZB. [TMJ-IL]
 - WFIW IL, Fairfield. 12/15 poor. No WGCI. 1550 with "WFIW Fairfield" ID into local call-in program. [WMc-MB]
- 1420 KTOE MN, Mankato. 1/3 fair. 2031 with weather and ID into sports PBP. [TN-WI]
- 1440 WRBE MS, Lucedale. 12/27 poor in a big mess. 1700 fade up with ID. New. [SA-MB]

CDXR Continued....

1440 WZYX TN, Cowan. 12/20 fair. 1742 with stock quotes, "Happy Anniversary" feature. [RS-MO]

1470 KWSL A. Sioux City. 12/20 fair. 1738 atop channel with Christmas music. "1470 KWSL" mentions. [RS-MO]

WRGA GA, Rome. 12/20 at 1655 and 12/21 at 1729 with good signal. Surfaced briefly o/WMBD, WHRD, WHUT, and a weak WCFJ. Mentioned CL's and Rome and NW Georgia weather. I didn't have a tape rolling on either day, and didn't copy enough details for a verie. Listened for this one on the next 10 days at the same time and they never returned. I must keep trying! [TMJ-IL]

1480 CKER AB, Edmonton. 12/23 good. 0635 airing Moody Broadcast Network "Radio for the Bible" and "Christian Financial Concepts" programs. [SA-MB]

1490 WZOE IL, Princeton. 1/3 fair. 1959 with nice leagle ID jingle. [TN-WI]

1500 WLQV MI, Detroit. 12/25 fair u/KSTP. 0840 with Christmas music. "WLQV" ID. [SA-MB]

1580 WPGC MD, Morningside. 12/30 fair to good o/u/nearby WTTN. 1605 with traffic report and IDs. [TN-WI]

DX TESTS

540(WSTH) GA, Columbus. 1/3 DX Test not heard. CBK in until sign off, XEWA in also. UnID with "Solid Gospel" did not ID at 0230 and I did not stay up to try at 0300. [TN-WI] +1/3 DX Test. 0200-0245 listened during this time for the DX Test. Heard CBK with a strong signal. They signed off at 0210. This was followed by a Gospel station with a strong signal. Heard several "We are solid gospel" and "Southern Gospel" slogans mentioned. Many southern gospel songs were played. Not a hint of who they were. Sounded like they were on with regular sked programs. Had several spots for gospel stuff. Male announcer mentioned "...ending the first weekend of the year..." indicating this was a regular program. Then at 0245 their signal abruptly dropped away leaving XEWA all alone! Was this the DX Test? No code, no TT, and no ID of any kind heard. [TMJ-IL] +1/3 DX Test tried for but not heard here. [WMc-MB]

700(KQKE) <u>CA</u>, Soledad. 12/27 DX Test not heard. Only WLW and CKRD. [SA-MB] +12/27 DX Test not heard. 0330-0400 listened during this time for test. WLW in with a strong signal. Someone in very weak u/WLW with music at 0339, but to weak to copy. During WLW brief fade at 0345 there was nothing under WLW. [TMJ-IL]

1270 WCGC NC, Belmont. 12/20 very poor. 0023 with bits of code. [WMc-MB]

(WMIZ) NJ, Vineland. 1/2 DX Test not heard. WKBF dominated. [TN-WI]

+1/2 DX Test tried everything possible, but nothing heard. [WMc-MB]

+1/2 DX Test. 0100-0300 spot checked this frequency several times looking for DX

Test. Heard WKBF, WXYT, and SS (Texan?). No sign of DX Test. Admittedly I was half asleep and just may not have heard the test if it was on. Taped only the last 10 minutes and there was nothing recognizable on the tape. [TMJ-IL]

1370(KWNC) WA, Quincy. 12/20 DX Test tried for but not heard. [WMc-MB]

1440(KVON) <u>CA</u>, Napa. 12/27 DX Test not heard. 0300-0330 listened during this time for test. WROK and WMKM dominant with others under. This channel is getting to sound like a GYer. [TMJ-IL]

1480 WDAS PA, Philadelphia. 12/20 very poor way u/WTDY. 0101 and 0106 with very brief bits of code. [WMc-MB]

unIDs

1280 unID 1/3 in WBIG null w/WONW. 0630-0700 with children's program called "Radio OZ."

Any ideas on this one? [TMJ-IL]

1480 unID 12/26 with good signal. 0910 with C&W music and several "TNT Dynamite Country" IDs. Any ideas? [SA-MB]

unID HELP

910 unID

12/13 unID reported by [RS-MO]. 0100-0115 with public radio programming during WNEZ DX Test, WSUI lowa City, IA was on with this programming. Heard the same thing at the same time up here. [TMJ-IL]

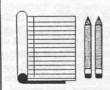
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25 YEARS AGO

January 25, 1969 issue of IRCA's "DX Monitor"....C.M. "Stan" Standbury II of Crystal Beach, ON wondered if someday back issues of Radio-TV Experimenter would become collector's items....Bill Nittler of Englewood, CO received veries from XEE-590 and YVNA-660....Dave Rogers of Alva, OK accepted a job with KGYN Guymon, OK....Pat Martin of Seaside, OR mentioned his DX had slowed down due to attending college full time.

OPEN MIKE

In a crisis, you will choose the worst possible course of action. Tim Noonan has joined the ranks of those reporting by E-mail. Keep 'em coming, Tim! Nice turn-out this week. Lots of tips here, hope many of you log a new one this week. Just noticed KGHL-790 is back to playing C&W. More later. 73, John-John.



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First of all, thanks to those who sent letters saying that they enjoyed the article on the high-end receivers; it was fun to do. I want to point out that some of the performance shortcomings of some of the receivers can be offset with a good antenna like a loop or with a phasing unit. As an example, Charlie Barfield, my local DXing buddy, can log 17 stations on a simple xtal set and 50' LW during the day but can increase the number to 57 by using the Quantum Loop! So, as we all know, the antenna is just as important as the rx. Speaking of the Quantum Loop, I've got about six Quantum Loop bases with faulty cosmetics (e.g., imperfect silkscreening, dappled clear coat, etc.). Because I can't sell these as perfect for \$145, I'll let these blemished ones go for \$99 (+\$5 shipping; \$10 Canada) if you can live with the blemishes; everything else is perfect on them. I'm still trying to get over the DX heard on the St. John's DXpedition...incredible. Finally, I hope everyone had a good holiday season; the flu bug accompanied Santa to this QTH which wasn't all that bad because I spent most of the time in bed with a Sony 2010 on my chest, hi. 73's ...GT.



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* CHECKING IN THIS WEEK *

- (TB) Tom Bryant-849 Todd Preis Dr-Nashville TN 37221-2607: Yamaha TX-930, Kiwa loop
- (MH) Mike Hardester-3118 Gaitway Ct-Jacksonville NC 28546: unID help, followups
- (GYH) Gregory V. Henson-12024 Waterside View Dr #23-Reston VA 22094: GE Superadio
- (JD) J. D. Stephens-3715 Conger Rd SW-Huntsville AL 35805: Panasonic RF-2600, Sony ICF-2001, wires
- (ES) Elliot Straus-980 Cooper Dr-Toms River NJ 08753: R-390A, Quantum & Kiwa loops, MFJ-959B
- (KJZ) Karl J. Zuk-154 Old Post Rd North-Croton-On-Hudson NY 10520-1932: Teletone 100. built in loop
- (LLH) the editor at home: DX-440, 14" balanced ribbon cable loop

* HOT TIPZ *

850 MPFD TN Fairview carrier is approx 200 hz off freq, and has been left on overnight for the past few weeks. Creates a terrible het on 850. Makes KOA sound like it's xmtng single sideband. (TB-TN)

990 WNRY

VA Narrows this stn has been legally, but erroneously running 5 kw nites. Authorization was to have been for less than 100 wts, but the attorneys told them to go ahead with high power until otherwise instructed. Get this while you can. (TB-TN)

(if you can. Tom sez they blast in 11ke a local in Nashville, but J.D., not far S, hasn't heard a peep! Strange. -ed)

MI Mt. Pleasant Sa 1/8 1820-2000+ this 1150 station was blasting in

2300 MCEN MI Mt. Pleasant Sa 1/8 1820-2000+ this 1150 station was blasting in here at armchair levels on 2nd harmonic w/NOS mx, "AM 1150 MCEN IDs." I called around the EDXR net, but nobody was home except Bill Estes, who had them at 20/9. Tip passed to JCJ-MT: it will be interesting to see if they were heard out West. Faded out after 2000. How did I stumble on this? Went to 10 MHz to check MMV propogation forecast, punched at "MM" button on DX-440 and hit the "SW" one instead, which landed me on 2300! Almost enough to make me believe in Kaz's DX gods! (LLH-VA)

* AROUND THE DIAL *

540 WGTO FL Cypress Gardens (date, time?) fair w/clear ancmt: "We're changing our name so you can remember us better. AM 540 WGT." Into "Sports Central" talk show. Is this a call change, or just a slogan? (JD-AL) (I think I can safely say "no way is this a call change." FCC stopped giving out new three letter calls decades ago. The only way they could use this call is if they have ownership of it, assigned to a FM or something. I don't think that's the case. By the way, I never had trouble remembering who they were when they were "Crusin' 540, WGTO." What better car to cruise in than a GTO??? -ed)

570 WNAX SD Yankton Tu 12/21 0241 New for SD #2 - V wk u/WWNC/WAAX. "5 state forecast;" CLs; C&W mx "Rocky Top" (did they know a Vol fan was tuned

in?) This was a most wanted. (TB-TN)

590 WROW NY Albany Tu 12/28 1530 "News Radio 1540 WPTR" - must be a new LMA

(?) buy. CNN nx - as a long form format - has dual ID on the hour.

(KJZ-NY)

WKZO MI Kalamazoo Mo 1/3 0305-0315 strong w/sports, wx. ID as: "News 59

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WKZO." Into Gil Gross talk show. Rarely heard at night. (JD-AL)
600 WKLW KY Paintsville Sa 12/18 0624 promo and local ads. New. (TB-TN)

610 WPLO GA Grayson Sa 12/18 0629 CLs only. New. (TB-TN)

620 WVMT VT Burlington Mo 12/27 nx, features. "Radio 620, your official weather station, weather 100 times a day." "Radio 620 WVMT." (ES-NJ)

640 KTIB LA Thibodaux We 12/22 1745-1800 good o/Cuban w/NOS (Sinatra, etc.)
ID at TOH as "You're listening to the news station, KTIB Thibodaux Houma." Gone after ID. (JD-AL)

WNNZ MA Westfield Tu 12/28 1500 "The talk station - 640 WNNZ." Good. (KJZ-NY)

- 670 WWFE FL Miami We 12/22 1705 nx in SS, "Radio Fe" IDs, ads. Good w/WMAQ. (ES-NJ) (really? I've never tried them together. Hee-yuk! -ed)
- 680 WCAW MV Charleston Sa 12/25 1630 poor in WPTF & WCNN hash. Heard "CHS 580." (// WCHS.) New. (TB-TN) (I didn't realize they were // WCHS, Tom. Could that have been during a sportscast? Makes absolutely no sense to run two AMs // in the same city fulltime. Or does it??? -ed)

690 CBF PQ Montreal Mo 1/3 0220-0230 strong w/FF prgming, freq ments of "CBF." Cajun sounding mx. (JD-AL) (must be dem roux, eh? -ed)

- 700 CHSJ NB St. John Fr 12/24 0905 loud and clear at 0900. "CHSJ Country 700." C&W mx. (ES-NJ)
- 710 WFNR VA Blacksburg Sa 12/25 1630 ID and spot for Christiansburg. New. (TB-TN)
- 820 CHAM ON Hamilton Mo 1/3 0230-0250 booming in rock solid w/C&W mx. Slogan as "Today's hot country music on 820 CHAM." Completely swamping WBAP.

 Great cx to the north this morning. (JD-AL)
- 880 KJOJ TX Conroe We 12/28 1827-1830 fair u/WCBS w/GOS mx. Spots promos, "KJOJ weather forecast." (JD-AL)
 - WRFD OH Columbus Tu 12/21 1645 REL tx, ads. "Make it your life, and a lot more AM 880, WRFD Columbus." Fair in WCBS null. (ES-NJ)
 - CKLQ MB Brandon Tu 12/21 0230 fair in WCBS null w/many ments of Brandon; wx... "snow ending by noon.. in Brandon at this hour, it's partly cloudy, wind NW 19, temperature ?." MB #2. (TB-TN)
 - ++ Fr 12/31 0257-0300 thanks to tip from Tom Bryant. In over WCBS at times w/C&W mx, "Q Country weather" for Brandon. "Q-Country" slogans. New, MB #2. (JD-AL)
- 940 WINE CT Brookfield We 12/29 1130 "News channel 940 WINE Brookfield Danbury. Your CNN station." Good. (KJZ-NY)
- 950 WSPA SC Spartanburg We 12/22 0050-0100 fair, mixing w/KPRC w/sports proming. ID at TOH simply as "WSPA Spartanburg." Apparently not off the air as has been suggested to me by some other DXers. First time heard in years. (JD-AL)
 - KPRC TX Houston We 12/22 0045-0100 good w/talk programming, ID at TOH as: "AM 700 KSEV - Tomball, Houston; AM 950 KPRC Houston." KPRC has bought KSEV or vice versa? (JD-AL)
 - WXGI VA Richmond Tu 12/28 1545 Lately a regular during SSS. Corny country mx. Good. (KJZ-NY)
 - WWJ MI Detroit Tu 12/28 1700 ID by F jingle singers: "All news, all the time, news radio 95 WWJ." M voice: "WWJ Detroit." Into CBS nx. Heard often on SSS. (KJZ-NY)
 - KYGO CO Denver Fr 12/31 0429-0453 fair, poking through KPRC w/IRN programming. C&W mx, AM 950 KYGO" slogan. Promo about coupons in Denver & Colorado, truck stop spot. New, CO #7. Thanks to Tom Bryant for tip. (JD-AL)
 - KLIK MO Jefferson City Fr 12/31 0430-0450 fair, mixing w/KPRC & KYGO w/C&W mx. Slogan as "95 Country KLIK." Thanks to Tom Bryant for tip. (JD-AL)
- 980 WAZS SC Summerville Tu 12/28 1813 poor to fair w/promo for pro hockey, spot for Lee Optical on Charlie Rd. in Summerville. C&W mx. (GVH-VA)
- 990 WNRY VA Narrows-Pearisburg Su 12/12 0305-0400 No IDs during almost continuous CNM mx. Strict "Kool 100" and "Kool Country 100.7. slogans. Spots for Radford & Christiansburg. O/u WIVK & WYAT. New. (TB-TN)
 - CKIS PQ Montreal Tu 12/28 1540 very strong with "Oldies 990" ID. In null of WNTY. (KJZ-NY)
- 1010 WFGW NC Black Mt. We 12/22 1700-1710 fair in heavy WTAK-1000 slop w/AP
 Network nx, ID, list of church closings due to winter storm. (JD-AL)
- 1030 WYSL. NY Avon Tu 12/28 1552 SID "WYSL." Talk show. No sign of WBZ. Good. (KJZ-NY)

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- PA Everett Tu 12/28 1558 C&W mx w/F/DJ. New to me. Good sigs. 1040 WSKE (KJZ-NY)
- 1050 CHUM ON Toronto Mo 1/3 0250-0300 strong w/oldies, frgt "1050 CHUM" slogans. (JD-AL)
- 1060 WKNG GA Tallapoosa Sa 12/18 0700 ID "Tallapoosa-Carollton." New. (TB-TN) 1070 CBA NB Moncton Th 12/23 1633 w/MB nx, wx, TC EST -1. Xmas concert. (ES-NJ)
- Tu 12/28 1600 very strong w/CBC nx. Unusual for this hour. (KJZ-NY) 1130 WISN WI Milwaukee Mo 12/20 1701-1708 fair, mixing w/KWKH w/local & national nx. Traffic rpt, wx. ID as "Milwaukee's news talk station.
- WISN." Into sports talk program. Another one not heard in years. (JD-AL) MS Senatobia Fr 12/24 1759 ID only in heavy WRVA QRM. In car on my 1140 WSA0 way home from work. New. (TB-TN) (Tom mentions that Senatobia is Charley Pride's hometown. Roll on, Mississippi, roll on. -ed)
- 1160 WWNJ NJ Oakland Tu 12/28 1605 now on full time. Testing is done. GOS and soul mx, audio is always slightly distorted. Louder is better, right? (KJZ-NY)
- 1180 WHJM TN Knoxville Mo 12/20 0355-0400 blowing WHAM away w/GOS mx, mail order gospel album slot. Phone # given during community event promo. "WHJM Knoxville Tennessee" given at TOH. (JD-AL)
- IN Fort Wayne Tu 12/28 1616 heard in null of local WLIB. WOWO very 1190 WOWO strong. (KJZ-NY) (yes, it is, isn't it? -ed)
- 1230 WJBC IL Bloomington Mo 12/13 0207 up out of the grave for good copy at the end of nx, wx, and ID. (TB-TN)
- MO Springfield Mo 12/20 0243-0250 strong w/C&W mx, "KTIS Country 1260 KTIS Calendar" & "KTIS Sports Roundup." Spot for local Ford dealer. Mentioned "the radio ranch." (JD-AL)
- 1270 CFGT PQ, Alma Th 12/30 1640 dominating freq w/FF tx. PQ ments, ads. (ES-NJ)
- 1280 KPRV OK Poteau Th 12/30 2232-0030 thanks to a tip from Tom Bryant, caught this one peaking at times over WWOK w/OK vs Tulsa basketball, local spots for Poteau merchants. (JD-AL)
- SD Sioux Falls Su 12/26 0255 tent ID w/M ancr. 0322 positive ID w/F 1320 KELO ancr. Slow, precise call: "K E L O." No pgrm content readable. New for SD #3. (TB-TN)
- 1330 KFH KS Wichita Th 12/30 1752-1806 strong, w/no sign of WFBC. Local spots, talk prgm, CBS nx at TOH, followed by "KFH Accuweather." Back to talk. Not heard in years. (JD-AL)
- LA New Orleans We 12/29 1852-1855 strong w/wx & traffic rpts. TCs, lotto promo, Saints Hall Of Fame promo. ID as "WSMB talk radio 1350 AM." 1350 WSMB (JD-AL)
- KS Dodge City Mo 12/20 0311-0320 good w/deep fades. C&W mx. "Real Country AM 1370" & "KGNO AM 1370" slogans. Not heard in years. (JD-AL) 1370 KGNO
- IL Murphysboro Th 12/23 1817 barely audible in pileup with 1420 WINI Carbondale spot and promo w/call. (TB-TN)
- TX Harlingen Sa 12/18 0729 SS mx, spots ment Harlingen & 1530 KGBT Brownsville. New. (TB-TN)
- 1540 WMD0 MD Wheaton We 12/29 1705 many "R. Mundo" IDs, nx, world nx. SS, TCs. (ES-NJ)
- OH Coshocton Th 12/30 1652 poor w/sports rpt, CLs and phone # for 1560 WTNS sports updates. (GVH-VA)
- 1620 RFE/RFM? Tu 12/26 2130-2230+ PIRATE Muddy audio w/male ancr. Long sound effects, new age mx. Gave address as POB 452, Wellsville NY 14895. Strength varied greatly. Fair to xlnt. (KJZ-NY)

* DX SPECIALS *

HEARD:

- CT Farmington Mo 12/13 0100-0124 shocked to hear several lengthy 910 WNEZ code IDs during fades of WALT-MS which is usually rock solid here. New, CT #4. (JD-AL)
- PA Martinsburg Sa 12/11 0000-0030 NRC DX TEST got thru WBT & XERED 1110 WJSM quite well. New for 1110 #14. Code IDs, poss. voice at 0023. Bluegrass and GOS mx between ID segments. No tones. Heavy KMOX slop. (TB-TN) 0002-0029 heard several code IDs w/CLs several times & city. C&W - BLG

gospel mx also heard. (JD-AL)

1270 WCGC NC Belmont Mo 12/20 0002-0028 strong o/WKBF w/code IDs ment city

about once per minute. Frot promos including "Evewitness News" & "Pat Buchanan Show." CLs given fretly during promos. (JD-AL)

NJ Vineland Su 1/2 0100-0150 NRC DX TEST caught two weak code IDs

WMIZ

at 0126 & 0146. New, NJ #2. (JD-AL)

WA Quincy Mo 12/20 0304-0322 I was just blown away to hear 2 code
IDs w/CLs several times, and some TTs in KGNO fades! Actually a pretty 1370 KWNC

fair signal. New, WA #4, all on DX tests. (JD-AL)
MD Easton Su 12/12 0100-0200 NRC DX TEST new. Only thing heard for 1460 WCE I sure was code CLs 3 times in brief break between songs on WXOK (which managed to render 1460 almost useless.) (TB-TN)

0100-0124 heard several call letter code IDs, plus the "European siren"

tones Dave Schmidt is famous for running. (JD-AL)

1480 WDAS PA, Philadelphia Mo 12/20 0100-0129 poor in multi stn stew. Code IDs numerous times. Rest of test was tones (no sweeps but some step tones.) Not needed. (TB-TN)

Mo 12/20 0102-0128 good w/1 kHz and step tones, frqt code IDs ment city & state. Not heard after 0130 when they switched to night power & pattern for remainder of test. (JD-AL)

NOT HEARD:

GA, Columbus Mo 1/3 0200-0230 NRC DX TEST popped up on freq about 0255 w/very strong signal, GOS mx, "Solid Gospel" satellite svc. No ID at TOH, into USA radio nx. After nx, back to "Solid Gospel." NO IDs, NOTHING of any kind relating to a DX Test. At 0233, signal dropped, and station 540 WSTH was still there, but in the mud. Obviously, the people at the station had no idea what they were supposed to do to run a DX test! (LLH-VA)

this test did not run. Station in clear w/satellite GOS, USA radio nx, frqt slogans as "The best & the most in Sounthern & Country gospel music. We are 'Solid Gospel.'" No code, no special ancmts or anything out of the ordinary. This seems to be happening a lot. (JD-AL)

700 KQKE CA Soledad Mo 12/27 SCHEDULED 0330-0400: CHANGED TO 0200-0300 not heard. At the last minute, the responsible station person said he couldn't run this at the pre-publicized time. I tried to get the word out to as many people as possible, but my hands were tied on this one. Sorry. (JD-AL)

0200-0300 (revised times) not heard - completely overpowered by WLW.

JBC-1 barely audible in Cincy null. (TB-TN)

910 WNEZ CT Farmington No 12/13 0100-0130 no joy. Freq totally dominated by WALT. (TB-TN)

1370 KWNC WA Quincy Mo 12/20 0300-0330 not heard: only lots of unID long tone sweeps in heavy QRM. Nothing dominant. (TB-TN)

CA Napa Mo 12/27 0300-0330 no sign of these guys, just a big **1440 KYON** mishmash w/nothing IDable. (TB-TN)

* WHO DAT? *

FOLLOWUPS:

1610 WPAC848/MTAT? FL Anastasia State Rec. Area I thought I heard "WPAT" when I logged the stn. Todd Roberts advised WPAT might be WTAT, and the tape he sent is clearly WTAT. QSL in, lists ID as WPAC848. Also, they're presently on/off air w/xmtr problems. (MH-NC)
KIE651 The stn name/loc is Cape Charles, VA, and the area is "Eastern Shore

N'tl Wildlife Refuge. (MH-NC)

KIE634 Stn location is Assateague Island, VA, and the area is "Chincoteague N't1 Wildlife Refuge. (MH-NC)

* HEADLINES FROM HQ *

Thanks to Tom, Mike, Gregory, J.D., Elliot & Karl for supporting EDXR this week. Till next time, 73/gud DX de LLH. (28)

* DX RECORDS *

REPORTER/DATE OF REPORT: Tom Bryant - 1/2/94 LOCATIONS: Memphis TN STARTED DXing: 1951 YRS SERIOUSLY? 1 HEARD: TOTAL BCB: 775

US STATIONS: 677 # OF STATES: 39 DC? Yes

CANADIAN: 46 # CANADIAN PROVINCES: 4 MEXICAN: 15 FOREIGN: 37 TOTAL # COUNTRIES: 15

MOST HEARD: AL-55

BEST CATCHES:

DOMESTIC: HEARD: KBMR-1130 ND Bismarck
CANADIAN: HEARD: CKLQ-880 MB Brandon
MEXICAN: HEARD: XEDM-1580 Hermosillo FOREIGN: HEARD: R. Cayman-1205 Georgetown

TOTAL GY HEARD: 33

1230: 8 1240: 3 1340 - 5 1400: 8 1450: 3 1490: 6

REPORTER/DATE OF REPORT: Karl V. Jeter-1/3/94

LOCATIONS: Lawrenceville, Carrollton, Atalanta, Stone Mt. GA STARTED DXing: 1969 YRS SERIOUSLY? 24 COUNT CALL CHANGES? No

HEARD/YERIFIED: TOTAL BCB: 1886/1508

US STATIONS: 1724/1439 MOST HEARD: GA-222/177 # OF STATES: 45/45 DC7 Yes/Yes CANADIAN: 45/35 # CANADIAN PROVINCES: 6/6 MEXICAN: 24/9 # MEXICAN STATES: 8/6 FOREIGN: 93/25 TOTAL # COUNTRIES: 36/22

BEST CATCHES: (the 4 heard stations also listed as "best verified)

DOMESTIC: HEARD: KCNO-570 CA Alturas

CANADIAN: HEARD: CHTN-1190 ??

MEXICAN: HEARD: XEPRS-1090 Rosarito Beach, BCN

FOREIGN: HEARD: Australia-774

TOTAL GY HEARD/VERIFIED: 170/111

1230: 20/11 1240: 31/24 1340: 20/13 1400: 29/25 1450: 29/18 1490: 41/33

REPORTER/DATE OF REPORT: Gary Siegel-1/2/94

LOCATIONS: Toledo OH

STARTED DXing: 1964 YRS SERIOUSLY? 28 COUNT CALL CHANGES? No

HEARD/VERIFIED: TOTAL BCB: 3104/6

US STATIONS: 2622/3 # OF STATES: 49/3 MOST HEARD: PA-166 DC? Yes/No CANADIAN: 202/2 # CANADIAN PROVINCES: 10/2 # MEXICAN STATES: 10/0 MEXICAN: 40/0 FOREIGN: 240/1 TOTAL # COUNTRIES: 54/3

BEST CATCHES:

DOMESTIC: HEARD: KORL-650 HI Honolulu
VERIFIED: KLUC-1140 NV Las Vegas
CANADIAN: HEARD: CFRN-1260 AB Edmonton
VERIFIED: CHTN-720 PE Charlottetown

MEXICAN: HEARD: XEHL-1010 Guadalajara, Jalisco

FOREIGN: HEARD: Turku, Finland-963

VERIFIED: PJB-800 Bonaire, N.A.

TOTAL GY HEARD/VERIFIED: 346/0

1230: 42/0 1240: 55/0 1340: 76/0 1400: 59/0 1450: 67/0 1490: 47/0



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