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 FROM THE PUBLISHERS DESK: TRYING TO GET SETUP FOR E-MAIL HERE AND TO
 GET A HP LASERJET TO MAKE THE DX MONITOR LOOK BETTER. THIS PROJECT IS
 GOING TO TAKE A LITTLE TIME. IF ALL GOES WELL MAYBE I CAN BE SETUP FOR
 THE ANNIVERSARY ISSUE ON MARCH 12th. TALKING ABOUT THE ANNIVERSARY ISS
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 BIG ISSUE SO THE EDITORS AND PUBLISHER CAN WORK HARDER. START WRITING.

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DEADLINE: MONDAYS

I would like to thank Leonard Hyde this week for the call giving information on the Cuban on 890. I also got information from Chuck Boehnke in Hawaii also. It is a "Radio Progressso" service. Also according to Dave Williams-Astoria who listened in to Radio Singapore lately, that they are going off Medium Wave!!! Apparently around the first of February 1994. That is too bad, but they are boosting power on their SW service to 100-250 KW and they also run alot of FM Services in the local area. That should be good enough to cover the area well. We have a nice report from John Bryant-Oklahoma who was DXing on the Gulf Coast. So on with reports:

DXPEDITION ON THE GULF COAST

- 558 EURO HET, noted here at 0330 12/29 (JB-TX)
- 585 SPAIN, presume RNE1 Madrid here very reg as a het or very low level SS audio most AMs 0100-0300 12/29-1/2 (JB-TX)
- 595 DOMINICA, DBS hrd nightly 0100-0300 period w/weak to fair sigs from 12/29 to 1/2 (JB-TX)
- 621 CANARY ISLANDS????-RNE1 presume this noted as a het around 0130 to 0300 most AMs 12/29 to 1/3. Low SS audio at 0310 only on 12/29 (JB)
- 666 EURO HET, hrd here most AMs 12/29 to 1/2. Def peak w/scraps of audio at 0320 on 12/29 (JB-TX)
- 684 HET, here every night w/some audio 12/29 only. Presume Yugoslav. (JB)
- 705 ST VINCENT, NBC noted as het only twice and w/low audio on 1/1 at 0145. This rarely makes it to OK as a het. Never hrd audio before Directional or what??? (JB-TX) (the 94 WRTH doesn't list them as directional. PM)
- 765 HET, strong het noted here around 0150 on both 1/1 and 1/2. Seemed to loop South of Europe. Senegal on late? (JB-TX)
- 815 HET, noted here 12/30 only at 0125. Looped SA and have R. Atalaya noted here in 93 WRTH ????(JB-TX) (Also in 94 WRTH. PM)
- 855 SPAIN, RNE1-presume het here or low level SS 0100 to 0300, throughout DXpedition. (JB-TX)
- 885 MONTSERRAT, ZJB hrd nightly w/fair sigs in the 0100 to 0300 period 12/29 to 1/2 (JB-TX)
- 895 NEVIS, Voice of Nevis hrd w/audio nightly until 0200. Normally fair to weak 12/29 thru 1/2 (JB-TX)
- 925 HET, noted here 0340 on 12/29 only. Clearly looped SA. Any ideas?(JB) (HJAE-Colombia is listed as vf.-10KW in 94 WRTH. PM)
- 1017 GERMANY, presume SWF noted here only w/het 12/30 and 12/31 around 0100 to 0200. (JB-TX)
- 1024.4 COSTA RICA, San Jose-Radio Mil Viente here most evenings with moderate audio, somewhat distorted 12/29-1/2 (JB-TX)
- 1035 PORTUGAL, presume Radio Comercial as a het 0324 12/29 (JB-TX)
- 1044 MOROCCO, presume here as strongest Euro-het most AMs 0100-0300 12/29 to 1/2. Never audio (JB-TX)
- 1053 MOROCCO, presume RTM here most AMs during DXpedition. Het only never as strong as 1044. (JB-TX)
- 1107 UNID, weak to fair every evening 0100-0300, Yugo Egypt or what 12/29 to 1/2 (JB-TX)
- 1165 ANTIGUA, Carib. R. Lighthouse here w/good signal 0100 12/31 (JB)
- 1205 CAYMAN ISLANDS, present most evenings, very undermod (JB-TX)
- 1215 ALBANIA, presume here as het only most AMs 12/29-1/2 (JB-TX)
- 1505 ANGUILLA, noted low audio 0210 12/29 (JB-TX)
- 1575 UNID, Het here 12/29 at 0145. Germany?? (JB-TX)

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DX WORLDWIDE EAST

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A couple of reports in for the week thanks to Tom and new reporter Mark McMillan. Welcome Mark, glad to have you in the column. Thanks also to Mike Hardester for the Radio Nacional de Espana frequency list. It'll be of use in identifying Spaniards' transmitter locations. On with this week's column:

TRANS-ATLANTIC DX [McMillan-MA] all

- 612 MOROCCO Sebaa-Aioun 2300 1/14 m in AA into mx.
 693 ENGLAND Droitwich 0630 1/11 m w/EE nx.
 765 SENEGAL Dakar 2313 1/13 m in AA, mx.
- 1098 SLOVAKIA Nitra 0330 1/12 m in Slovak, loud.
 1215 SPAIN 0250 1/11 xlnr SS, mx.
 1296 SPAIN 0251 1/11 m in SS, atop.
 1305 unID 0300 1/12 m in what sd/lk FF.
 1314 NORWAY Kvitsøy 0230-0630 1/11 in all night, as loud as 1300/1310 domestics!
 1575 SPAIN 0250 1/12 m in SS, good.

PAN-AMERICANA DX [Bryant-TN] all

- 530 t COSTA RICA Cartago TICAL 0158 12/28 Radio Rumbo w/30's & 40's Big Band and ballad mx in SS. Faded at ID time. NOT CIAO!.....this was in their null. Seemed to disappear after 0200, presumably s/off time.
- 535 Is Radio Christiana off again or have they finally tightened up their pattern? Not heard in several weeks. (Off. ed)
- 580 JAMAICA Galin RJR 0159-0201 1/10 "RJR" ID & promo, then time beeps & into BBC WS nx. New, Jam. #3.
- 595 DOMINICA Hillsborough 1955-2000 12/30/93 No legal ID. A minute about babana production, Casey Kasem promo, jx repeated several times (muddy - could only decipher "...for you..."). Hvy WVLC splatter.
- 650 unID 0450 1/9 Relej-type "R R" fol/by tone beep every minute...no ticks or voice audible under meter-pegging HJJX. Suspect Cuba.
COLOMBIA Bogota HJJX 0300-0303 1/9 ToH ID and gaggle of promos w/WSM off. New, Col. #10.
- 1030 MEXICO Mexico City XEQR 0327 12/31/93 "Radio Centro" ment's w/SS EZL. Poor u/WBZ & awful het. NEW.
- 1500 MEXICO Mexico City XEAI 0100 12/31/93 ID & mx anthem. Weak u/KSTP & hvy WLAC splatter.

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OF SPECIAL INTEREST

- 700 KSUR CA, Soledad 1/15 1600 good daytime signal with ID "KSUR AM and KSUR FM, Soledad-Greenfield," classical music. Finally changed calls (ex-KQKE) sometime between 1/3 and 1/15. Not enough for report, KGRV buries 'em here at night! (RW-CA)
- 760 KTLK CO, Thornton 1/17 0915 good over KFMB on 50kw day pattern switch with traffic report, ad for "Ski Silver Creek," ID "AM 760 KTLK Roadwatcher Traffic," talk on L.A. earthquake, then started fading under CKQR. Call change, ex-KRZN. (RW)
- 820 KORC OR, Waldport moved here from 850 on 1/19. Fair 1/20 at 1100 with KGNW QRM and splat from KGO-810. Adult standards format, spots (Waldport Elect., Safeway, etc). Stronger than before. Hopes to cover Newport and Lincoln City to the north. Now 1kw/15w ND, was 250/10w ND. (PM-OR)
- 1400 (KITZ) WA, Silverdale noted off 1/7 1500 & subsequent rechecks. Called station 1/10 and was told they'd closed down 12/31 & don't plan to come back on. (bp-WA)
- 1500 WGW901 CA, Anaheim Fr 1/7 new HAR on the air, presumably ex-530 (Cal Trans operates a 530 HAR very nearby). Signal weak, but consistent for miles along State College Blvd., so extremely likely that the antenna is buried cable. Tape loop began with "This is the City of Anaheim Highway Advisory Radio, WGW901, with event traffic information for Friday, January the 7th..." At conclusion there was a "beep" then you could hear the announcer walk away, then in the far background exclaim "I did it, I did it, I'm done." I

did it, I'm done!" Entire tape loop, including those hysterical words, repeated over & over!!! (SMM-CA)

1590 KMBD OR, Tillamook ex-KTIL, 1/13 1900 excellent as usual with all talk format. Slogans "Alternative Radio." & "Alternative Radio in Tillamook." "For the People" network out of Florida, UPI net news. KTIL call still used on FM which is now separate. (PM-OR)

530 CKHL AB, High Level 1/10 2330 good & dominant on NNW wire // CKYL-610, with pop music and CKYL/CKNL ID's. This one is sure more regular than they used to be. (PM-OR)

CIAO ON, Brampton 1/10 2320 fair above jumble off east Beverage, with man in Chinese, Chinese pop music, mention of "Chow." Haven't heard this in a while. (PM-OR)

550 KOY AZ, Phoenix 1/13 2335 fair under KOAC with adult standards format, ID "This is KOY" into song by Four Preps. Haven't heard this in years. (PM-OR)

560 CKNL BC, Ft. St. John 1/14 1330 fair on top with C&W music and "CKNL" ID's, "All hit radio, NL Radio". Note: CKNL-560 & CFNL-590 are now separate, not // as of a year ago.

570 KVI WA, Seattle 1/17 0833 heard well in KLAC silence. Promo for show after Rush Limbaugh, time check "KVI newstime 5:34," reporting on L.A. earthquake. Not heard in ages, made brief report for QSL purpose. QRM from unID Spanish station from the east. (MS-CA)

580 CKXR BC, Salmon Arm 1/11 1215 good with announcement for concert to be given in Salmon Arm, ads for plaza, etc. (PM-OR)

590 KTHO CA, S. Lake Tahoe 1/18 weak under KUGN with ID at 1359:40 "This is KTHO South Lake Tahoe..." (PM-OR)

600 CKBD BC, Vancouver 1/17 0900 good over KNRO with KKLQ nulled, KFRC-610 splash, with ID "It's 6:00, -5, here's news on CKBD, The Bridge." Thanks to PM-OR for tip. Call change, ex-CHRX. Now contemporary Christian, Canada's first station with such a format. (RW-CA)

630 KJNO AK, Juneau 1/19 1031 finally heard after years of trying. Heard with end of Alaska weather, news tagged "It's 6:31 and you're up to date with K-Juneau." Now I have both Juneau stations. Taped report sent. (PM-OR)

670 KBOI ID, Boise 1/17 1250 carrying audio from KABC-TV (channel 7) in Los Angeles, covering the earthquake. (DG-CA)

750 KOAL UT, Price 1/13 2359 Sports Byline USA program, then "The only station big and bad enough to send you to the Super Bowl, KISN-AM Salt Lake City, Sportsradio..." then inserted ID "750 AM, KOAL, Price." (NP-AB)

870 (KIEV) CA, Glendale 1/10 0430 off, leaving WWL/KOWA and tentative KAIM. (MS-CA)

910 KECR CA, El Cajon 1/17 1304 weak with religious program. Not heard before due to local KOXR not having a SP. (DG-CA)

930 KTKN AK, Ketchikan 1/11 1225 fair on top with Rush Limbaugh show. (PM-OR)

940 KBRE UT, Cedar City 1/15 1830 oldies, ID "KBRE, Pure Gold 94." (NP-AB)

CJIB BC, Vernon 1/11 good on top with high school basketball game, promo, ID at 1220. (PM-OR)
+1/12 1441 "It's 6:41 at 94 CJIB," into Linda Ronstadt tune. (NP-AB)

960 KOVO UT, Provo 1/21 heard well with adult standards format at 0055. Program "Starlight & Souvenirs." ID into news at 0100. Haven't heard in many years. Was hoping to catch in Feb., during DX test, but heard earlier. (PM-OR)

970 KBBT OR, Portland 1/12 1901 ID "Non-stop alternative rock, KBBT, Portland, 970, The Beat," then into rock music. (NP-AB)

980 KINS CA, Eureka 1/12 1846 Pat Buchanan talk show, ID on the hour "You're tuned to 980, KINS, Eureka." (NP-AB)

KFWB CA, Los Angeles 1/15 2100 ID "You're listening to southern California's #1 news station, KFWB, Los Angeles." Dominating the frequency tonight. (NP-AB)

1010 KTUR UT, Tooele 1/15 1918 Spanish CNN news, local English/Spanish

- ID at 1923. (NP-CA)
- 1050 KNOB CA, Frazier Park 1/17 on top at 1950 with C&W music, "K-Nob" and "AM 1050" ID's. New, reported. (PM-OR)
- 1060 KUKQ AZ, Tempe 1/16 0023 "A View from the Left" talk program, ID as KUKQ and mentioned they were "The only all talk radio station in Arizona." Fair in CFCN null, mixing with KPAY and a Spanish station. (NP-AB)
- 1140 KZMQ WY, Greybull 1/17 1827 good on top with C&W music, and a bunch of spots. New. (PM-OR)
- 1190 KXBT CA, Vallejo ex-KNBA, 1/15 1945 good on top of KEX with oldies R&B format and ID "KXBT" into music. (PM-OR)
- KVSV KS, Beloit 1/17 0802 a powerhouse atop all with plug for KVSV News Time, followed by Kansas news. Ad for S&S Furniture in nearby Concordia. Amazing signal for 2.5 kw. (LG-MT)
- 1230 KLXR CA, Redding 1/17 0554 good on top with promo for program "on AM 1230, KLXR." (RW-CA)
- KQIK OR, Lakeview 1/17 good with quick ID under KCBN as "Lakeview-Alturas" on hour in C&W. Still hasn't changed calls, suspect they won't (granted KRIT months ago!). (RW)
- 1330 KFH KS, Wichita 1/17 fair with For the People talk show, break at 0330, Wichita weather, KFH ID's. (PM-OR)
- 1350 KGHF CO, Pueblo 1/18 0806 with basketball game between Eagles and Wildcats, and ad with Pueblo phone number. Very good signal for 1 kw. I phoned station to confirm. (LG-MT)
- KRLC ID, Lewiston 1/16 0900 with ad for Bridal Expressions '94 1/29 10am-4pm at the Lewiston Elks Lodge, sponsored by KRLC-AM and KMOK-FM. (LG-MT)
- 1360 KOHU OR, Hermiston on top with call ID by woman 1/13 0806, and same time 1/14. Gave plug for "The Morning Show from 6-10am right here on KOHU." (LG-MT)
- 1380 KLPZ AZ, Parker 1/18 1935 good, several spots made reference to Parker. (DG-CA)
- 1400 KEZC AZ, Yuma 1/17 0716 good over/under KSUN with KBLX nulled with ID "The easy sound of Yuma, EZ 1400, KEZC." (RW-CA)
- KBLX CA, Berkeley 1/10 1015 dominant on car radio with jazz, call ID's, "Quiet Storm" slogan. (bp-WA)
- KRPL ID, Moscow 1/10 2029 blip ID & oldies, then lost in the mess. (bp-WA)
- KLCK WA, Goldendale 1/10 2015 briefly atop with local ad & "1400 KLCK" ID. (bp-WA)
- 1420 CJVR SK, Melfort 1/16 0240 fair above jumble at times with C&W music, "CJVR 1420" ID's. (PM-OR)
- 1490 KWAC CA, Bakersfield 1/5 0230 ID "KWAC AM stereo in Bakersfield," then Spanish speaking woman. (MS-CA)
- 1510 KFNN AZ, Mesa 1/18 1128 promo for Arizona Business Review show. Frequency normally almost unusable due to splatter from local pest KTRO-1520. (DG-CA)
- KIRV CA, Fresno 1/18 1058 good with mention of church activities in Fresno. (DG-CA)
- 1520 KOMA OK, Oklahoma City 1/17 ID at 2204, good with oldies format. Gave phone number (460-KOMA) at 2320. Not heard before due to local KTRO not having a silent period. (DG-CA)
- 1610 TIS CA, San Francisco new Treasure Island TIS heard 1/23 0100 & 1300 in clear from home. 15 second loop tape, saying "A Travelers Advisory Station." (PT-CA)

DX TESTS

- 540 (WSTH) GA, Columbus 1/3 0200-0230 nothing heard. (FA-ID)
- 730 KURL MT, Billings 1/10 0230 DX test very well done and very well heard! Code ID's, Christian music and voice ID announcing equipment test and adjustment. Heard during reduced power portions as well. Tones heard being alternately switched on & off. (MS-CA)
- +1/10 0230-0325 DX test good signal under KBSU. Heard several voice & code ID's. Lasted to at least 0325. (FA-ID)
- 740 (WJIB) MA, Cambridge 1/17 0130-0200 nothing heard. (FA-ID)

- 750 (WSB) GA, Atlanta 1/9 DX test not heard. (MS-CA)
+1/9 0000-0500 nothing heard, KOAL & KXL fighting it out.
(FA-ID)
- 930 WZNN NH, Rochester 1/8 heard very weak Morse code and also noted
three test tones around 0210-0215. Taped the frequency
during their test. Went over the tape several times, I
believe that I heard them. I think this is probably the
best catch ever for me. New. (CM-CA)
(WZNN)+1/8 0200-0230 nothing heard. (FA-ID)
- 1010 KDLA LA, De Ridder 1/15 0504 & 0515 weak u/u XEHL with Morse
code, only thing that made it through was the code. Taped
report sent. (PM-OR)
(KDLA)+1/15 0500-0530 nothing heard but strong Spanish stations on
the frequency. Nulled out one & the other one would come in
stronger! (GJ-CA)
+1/15 0500-0530 nothing heard. (FA-ID)
- 1270 (WMIZ) NJ, Vineland 1/2 0100-0300 nothing heard, KTFI dominant.
(FA-ID)
- 1420 ?WOC? IA, Davenport 1/17 0130-0230 nothing heard which I could
identify as a test. I think I did hear some weak tones in
the "mess." (FA-ID)
(WOC) +1/17 0130 DX test not heard. (MS-CA)
+1/17 0140-0200 not heard on DX test, too much XEXX/KSTN,
plus too much KNTA-1430 splash looping east. (RW-CA)
- 1540 KXED CA, Los Angeles 1/10 0330 DX test heard like a local, hi.
Heard 4 sets of Morse code ID's inserted in regular
programming. Announcer mentioned test in Spanish. (MS-CA)
+1/10 strong signal with 3 sets of code heard during 1/2
hour, some announcements in Spanish. (FA-ID)
- 1560 KWCO OK, Chickasha 1/16 poor, no march music, but Morse code ID's
made it through at 0120. QRM from WQEQ, WPAD and KNZR.
Unneeded, but haven't heard in years. QSL'd in 1970. (PM)
(KWCO)+1/16 0405 DX test tried, not heard. I did log them on their
first test in 1991 and recently received a verie for that.
(MS-CA)
+1/16 0105-0200 nothing heard. (FA-ID)

EARTHQUAKE NEWS

- 570 KLAC CA, Los Angeles 1/17 1245 carrying earthquake coverage of
KFWB-980, but with very low modulation. (DG-CA)
(KLAC) 1/17 0800± off due to quake. (MS-CA)
- 640 (KFI) CA, Los Angeles 1/17 0732 knocked off for about a minute due
to earthquake in S. Calif., back on at 0733. Seemed to be
on low auxiliary power, signal not as good as usual, KEYQ
audible in background. (RW-CA)
- 670 (KWNK) CA, Simi Valley 1/17 1250 off due to the earthquake. Their
transmitter is probably the closest one to the earthquake's
epicenter in Northridge. Still off 1/18; back on 1/19.
(DG-CA) (Wasn't much of this area without electricity?--NH)
- 790 (KABC) CA, Los Angeles 1/17 0731± off due to quake, returned to air
in a short time. (MS-CA)
- 850 (KCTQ) CA, Thousand Oaks 1/17 1253 off because of earthquake, back
on 1/18. (DG-CA)
- 870 (KIEV) CA, Glendale 1/17 0800± off due to quake. (MS-CA)
- 910 (KOXR) CA, Oxnard 1/17 1304 off due to earthquake. Back on 1/18.
(DG-CA)
- 990 KQSB CA, Santa Barbara 1/17 1306 carrying earthquake coverage of
KFWB-980, usually blocked here by KQSB. Much appreciated,
as KFWB is all news. (DG-CA)
- 1070 KNX CA, Los Angeles 1/17 0732 (1 minute after 6.6 earthquake)
announcer was forced to flee his position - mike was left on
and frantic staffers could be heard fleeing, frantically
answering phones, and picking up equipment that had been
thrown on the floor. This continued for about 5 minutes, at
which time the announcer returned, obviously very shaken, to
begin news coverage of the earthquake. (DG-CA)
+1/17 0733 running tone briefly after getting knocked off air

by quake, also running weak signal after quake, possibly on auxiliary power? (RW-CA)

- 1150 (KIIS) CA, Los Angeles 1/17 0800± off due to quake. (MS-CA)
1230 (KGFJ) CA, Los Angeles 1/17 0800± off due to quake. (MS-CA)
1460 (KTYM) CA, Inglewood 1/17 0800± off due to quake. (MS-CA)
1520 (KTRO) CA, Port Hueneme 1/17 1313 off due to earthquake; back on late 1/18. (DG-CA)
1580 (KBLA) CA, Santa Monica 1/17 0800± off due to quake. (MS-CA)
+1/17 0735-0800+ knocked totally off air due to quake, still off at 5am recheck, KCWW/XEDM mix. Hoped to hear KRLL-NM, but no such luck! (RW-CA)


HELP WITH UNID

- 1610 KOE699 OR, McKenzie Bridge (Willamette Nat. Forest) this station is the probable source of the TIS mentioning the "spotted owl" and "Willamette Valley" as reported by Gary Jackson (9/18 WDXR) and Nigel Pimblett (10/16 WDXR). The call is assigned as noted. McKenzie Bridge is about 45 miles east of Eugene on State Highway 126. (MH-NC)
1610 TIS RE: Gary Jackson's unID TIS on 1610 (DXM 1/15) with mention of "Tahoe Park." I have nothing here on such a station. However, there is a Lake Tahoe State Park located along the northeast (NV side) part of Lake Tahoe. Perhaps this park now has a TIS? (MH-NC)

UNIDS

- 1010 1/15 1925 faded up over KTUR with ranchera music, ID in Spanish sounded like "Radio Peso." S/off announcement in English at 1931 sounded like "KQRB now concludes another broadcast day...", but can't find any similar call. Fair in CBR null. (NP-AB)
1360 1/13 0800 man seemed to say "This is Kicks, KICK..." C&W format. (LG-MT)
1370 1/17 0503-0800+ unID tone running weakly all night o/u KXTL, KSOP. Looped N-S, not KKSJ, hi. Maybe KPCC-CA? KWRM nulled. (RW)
1380 1/14 0900 woman said something like "AM 1380, KRVL, Lubbock." (LG-MT)

Hope all the southern California members fared OK during the L.A. earthquake. We can read about some of their observations in the "Earthquake" section this issue. It appears many of you have tried for the DX tests.



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IRCA CONTESTS

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Contest standings as of Jan. 15, 1994:

DX Partners		States/Provinces		Top 100	
Team	Points	DX'er	Points	DX'er	Points
1) Johnson/Straus	243	1) Carl DeWhitt	810	1) John C. Johnson	18
2) DeWhitt/Hardy*	156	2) Nigel Pimblett	543	2) Mike Sanburn	5
3) Pimblett/Sanburn	153	3) John C. Johnson	243		
		4) Mike Sanburn	6		

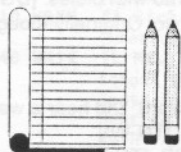
* Bill Hardy is ineligible for prizes, but his points will count towards his DX Partner.

Foreign		Capitals	
DX'er	Points	DX'er	Points
1) Elliot Straus	163	1) Paul Swearingen	33
2) Larry Godwin	39	2) Nigel Pimblett	14
3) Mike Sanburn	5	3) John C. Johnson	10
		4) Mike Sanburn	5

DX Partners has gotten even closer!!

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Let's see **your** name in these standings next month! -- 73. Nancy.



Eastern DX Forum

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DEADLINES: SATURDAYS

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No reports for the past two weeks, so I'll try to type up something for myself. I've done very little DX this season. I work five evenings a week and it always seems like there's something I have to do on the other nights so, if I'm home one or two evenings a month right now, I'm lucky. I finished out 1993 with totals of 282 heard/24 verified. States 35+DX/8, Provinces 5/0. I came back from Canada in Sept. with a bundle of Canadian stamps to use as return postage in reception reports/but the only two reports out since then have both been to US stations. For 1993, I heard 22 new stations, sent out 14 reports and verified 14. It seemed as though I spent half of 1993 working 11 hour days and the balance wondering what a new software program will do to my job. I have the forms for DX Totals, just a matter now of making sure my overall records are up to date then filling out the forms. It's hard to make the decision as to which station is the best heard or verified. Even looking back over 1993, it's hard to say which of the 22 heard is best--probably KTWO-1030, but what about KHVN-790 TX or WIP-610 PA (right next to local WTMJ-620)? Did anyone try DXing during this bad cold snap in January? I'm interested in your reactions to it. I tried it once six years ago in Wisconsin Rapids and felt the conditions were terrible. 73.



Central DX Roundup

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FOR THE RECORD

REPORT ALL TIMES AS EASTERN.

DEADLINE: SATURDAYS.

RIDING GAIN

- [DG-IL] **David Gordon**, 2230 Homestead Court #306, Los Altos, CA 94024
DXing in East Alton, IL while on vacation. Sangean ATS-606, built in loop.
[TN-WI] **Tim Noonan**, 4609 Crescent Road, Apt. 5, Madison, WI 53711-4672
Drake SW-4A, Sangean ATS-803A, "Radio West" loop

DOWN THE DIAL

- 570 **WWNC** NC, Asheville. 11/26 fair. 0140 heard call letters. [DG-IL]
740 **KRMG** OK, Tulsa. 12/26 poor u/dominant CBL. 0135-0140. [DG-IL]
800 **CKLW** ON, Windsor. 12/27 poor u/SS (?XROK). (No time listed) Heard promo for
CKLW-FM. [DG-IL]
980 **WYNF** TN, Nashville. 12/25 fair. 0115-0130. Calls heard. [DG-IL]
1050 **KLOH** MN, Pipestone. 11/28 poor. 0142-0145 with C&W music. [DG-IL]
1070 **CHOK** ON, Sarnia. 12/27 poor to fair. 0210-0215 with 60's oldies music. [DG-IL]
KNX CA, Los Angeles. 12/27 poor in jumble. 0146 with news. "KNX" ID. [DG-IL]
1520 **KOMA** OK, Oklahoma City. 12/26 poor u/unID w/talk (?WWKB). 0120 with oldies. [DG-IL]
1560 **WPAD** KY, Paducah. 12/26 good. 0135-0145 with promo. NOS music. Originally thought it
was WQEW until ID heard. [DG-IL]

DX TESTS

- 740 (WJIB) MA, Cambridge. 1/17 DX Test. 0130 listened, but test not heard. Did hear a weak
(Tulsa or Houston?) station in the null of semi-local WRPQ. [TN-WI]
1010 **KDLA** LA, De Ridder. 1/15 DX Test. 0529 heard weak code u/CFRB. [TN-WI]
1560 **KWCO** OK, Chickasha. 1/16 DX Test. 0105 channel dominated by the usual WQEW and
WPAD. 0158 noted weak code. [TN-WI]

25 YEARS AGO

February 8, 1969 issue of IRCA's "DX Monitor"...Bill Nittler of Englewood, CO received a verie from KONI-1480 for #2372....Jim Nail of Louisville, KY considered his best verie of all time was from RNE-773....Lynn D. Brooks of Ponca City, OK said no DX this week due to the birth of his first daughter, Michelle Lynn....Bruce Bacon of San Jose, CA added state #26 with a verie from KFRB....Discussion of counting taped IDs as veries continued.

OPEN MIKE

Supercompetence is more objectionable than incompetence. David mentioned he had started DXing again and while on vacation logged a few items. Some of David's loggings were edited due to being outdated. Remember to report often, keep your tips fresh. Avoid easily heard clear channel stations. 73, John.

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Eastern DX Roundup

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* CHECKING IN THIS WEEK *

- (MH) Mike Hardester-3118 Gaitway Ct-Jacksonville NC 28546: ICOM R-70, Radio West loop
(GVH) Gregory V. Henson-12024 Waterside View Dr #23-Reston VA 22094: GE Superadio III
(LH) Lynn Hollerman-514 Carrsbrook Rd-Huntsville AL 35803: DX-440, 70' longwire, MFJ-956
(MMc) Mark McMillan-181 Sumner #2-Stoughton MA 02072: Kenwood TS440S, 160m dipole, 650' 1w
(LLH) the editor at home with DX-440, 1' balanced loop, Autek QF-1

* AROUND THE DIAL *

- 560 WYPR FL Orange Park Tu 1/18 0625-0635 certainly the one w/REL mx, wx w/temp given as "45, only getting up to about 60 today." (sub freezing temps extended all the way to the Gulf Coast this morning!) (LLH-VA)
720 WWII PA Shiremantown Tu 1/11 1633 atop w/spot for "Love 720 AM." (MMc-MA)
740 KRMG OK Tulsa Su 1/16 0026, 0132-0144 ID, Talknet, wx rpt. Strong. (LH-AL)
910 WRVH VA Richmond Tu 1/11 1700 "910 WRVA - WRVH" into nx. (MMc-MA) [when did this happen??? -ed]
940 WMIX IL Mt. Vernon Sa 1/15 2220 fair to good w/occ problems w/CBM. High school basketball Nashville Hornets defeating Murphysboro Red Devils. Spots for Dietrich farm implements, Lee Sports, Miller Plumbing and Heating, all in Nashville. Many other locals spots, mostly in Nashville. (GVH-VA)
990 WCMF NY Rochester Th 1/14 2245 ID in mix, ad for a ski lodge. (MMc-MA)
1010 CFRB ON Toronto Sa 1/15 0502-0531 ID, Beatles mx, wx rpts "here, in Toronto." Fair. (LH-AL)
KBIS AR Little Rock Sa 1/15 0458-0531 ID 0500, into NBC nx. PSAs, business talk show "Liveline America." Strong signal. (LH-AL)
1070 WAPI AL Birmingham Tu 1/18 0809 up nicely w/WFLI w/ID; "1070 - WAPI." Into "Paper Roses." New, much wanted. (LLH-VA)
1100 WSGI TN Springfield Tu 1/18 0730-0745 poor, in/out in tenuous WWWE null w/C&W mx. Wx related closing info w/ments of Springfield, Nashville, Volunteer State, etc. New. (LLH-VA)
KKLL MO Webb City Tu 1/18 0745 fair w/full info sign on. (LLH-VA)
1120 WBNM GA Gordon Tu 1/18 2057-2105 noted on day power w/OC. Strong w/ID at TOH: "AM radio for Central Georgia - WBNM 1120 - Gordon, Milledgeville." Cont OC but no programming. Gone at 2130 recheck. (LLH-VA)
1210 WDAO OH Dayton Tu 1/18 0720 good w/spiritual; ID "AM 1210 WDAO." New. (LLH-VA)
1240 WRTA PA Altoona We 1/12 1805 CLs, ad for Time-Warner Cable of Blair County, CL and city again, into network talk show w/F/host. (GVH-VA)
1350 WRNY NY Rome Sa 1/15 1705 ID as "WRNY/WADR" in slop. (MMc-MA)
1360 WNJC NJ Washington Township Th 1/13 1659 fair to poor w/C&W. "New Jersey Country, 1360, WNJC." Legal ID at TOH then ABC nx, traffic rpt, then fade out. (GVH-VA)
1420 WVJS KY Owensboro Sa 1/16 0026, 0131-0147 "Dream" at 0026, "Oldies 1420, WVJS" ID. QRM from stn w/Talknet. 0131 wx forecast, ments of Ohio River, into CHR mx. ID, AC mx. Fair signal. (LH-AL)
1530 WJDM NJ Elizabeth Tu 1/18 0645 fair in WCKY null w/OLD mx; closing info;

ments of Elizabeth, Union County, and Rutgers Military Institute. Still 1500 watts? Probably the SSS unID w/oldies I have been after. New, NJ #4. (LLH-VA)

WCTR MD Chestertown Tu 1/18 0655 this 250 watt "giant" popped up w/wx related closing info; "for latest, stay tuned to WCTR." New. (LLH-VA)

WCRJ FL Jacksonville Tu 1/18 0700 fair w/SSB, sign on info. Into wx. (LLH-VA)

1560 WPAD KY Paducah Sa 1/16 0109-0132 "Special Angel"; "Blowin' In The Wind"; "Blue Velvet." ID: "The memories station, WPAD." ID again 0130. Very strong signal. (LH-AL)

* TIS/HAR *

650 WPCY564 VA Fairfax Co Mo 1/17 1045. continuous loop ancing test of Highway Advisory Station operated by Fairfax Co. Police Dept. Traffic Division. (GVH-VA)

1620 WNCU748 (location unknown) Sa 1/15 0558-0630 unID/new TIS w/repeating loop (approx 15 secs in duration) by M/ancr: "This is Traveler's Information Radio Service Station... WNCU748... (conducting?) test transmissions(s?)... 16 hundred and 20 kilohertz... (from?)..." Very poor w/only the initial part of the announcement clear, and then it's as though the volume decreases - same effect noted each time ancmt heard. Loop SEEMS to be N/S - E/W w/horrendous hum. Also noted 1/16 0150 but only bits of ancmt heard. On 1/17, only unID stn w/references to Asheville noted. On N/S loop, not even a carrier. (MH-NC)

++ Su 1/23 0130-0155 "This is Traveler's Information Radio Service Station... WNCU748 (pause) making test transmissions on 16 hundred and 20 kilohertz from ?????? (and? on?) Roosevelt Highway." Loop repeated endlessly, and as per Mike's notation, tailed off in volume at the end of the message. Audio garbled at best. QRM from occ unID pirate (assumed) w/bits and pieces of music, unID beacon, and occ RTTY type tones. The most activity I have ever noted on 1620. Oh, I forgot 8 S units of electrical QRM! (LLH-VA)

???? Su 1/16 0155 w/very brief fade up o/WNCU748 w/M/ancr and only "...Highway Advisory..." clearly noted. Loop was N/S. (MH-NC)

???? Su 1/23 0105-0125 weak w/repeating loop - many phone # given, all "350-44xx." Ments of "Public Works Director - 350-4455." Could not copy other offices and #s given. Also caught "... 24 hours a day... call letters are WN????? ..." and the number "766-8200." No doubt the same station Tom Bryant rptd in DXM # 16. (LLH-VA)

* DX SPECIALS *

HEARD:

740 WJIB MA Boston Mo 1/17 0150-0201 w/sporadic bits of code making it here. Definite ID, other ltrs, and brief segments of tone (did they have tone?) Initially checked 0130-0140, but only unID SS with RR code IDs - likely Radio Reloj. Stn w/Bruce Williams talk prgm, and stn w/nostalgia format. Recheck WAS successful - did they begin late? (MH-NC)

1010 KDLA LA DeRidder Sa 1/15 0505-0507, 0530-0532 w/code. Only bits of code noted 0505, and definite code ID finally noted 0530. CFRB, SS stn, and unID GOS format stn combined to jam the frequency. Taped rpt sent. (MH-NC)

1420 WOC IA Davenport Mo 1/17 burst of code heard 0159. WVJS overpowering, mixing w/stn w/Talknet. (LH-AL)

TENTATIVE:

740 WJIB MA Boston Mo 1/17 possible code heard several times. Local WBB1 730 very strong. (LH-AL)

1010 KDLA LA DeRidder Sa 1/15 possible code heard many times from 0504-0531. Strongest heard 0529, 0531. Lots of QRM from KBIS, CFRB. (LH-AL)

1420 WOC IA Davenport Mo 1/17 not definitely IDed on DX test. Amid a stn w/Bruce Williams (//740) stn w/oldies, and (seemingly) another talk prgm, noted what sounded like code... BUT I was unable to make out a single letter. Loop was NW/SE. A 3-ltr call I would have loved to have heard. Maybe "next" time. Thank you ltr sent. (MH-NC)

1560 KWOC OK Chickasha Su 1/16 weak, possible code heard 0126, 0127, 0129, 0130.

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WPAD very strong. (LH-AL)

NOT HEARD:

- 740 WJIB MA Boston Mo 1/17 0130-0200 no sign of it, only monster KRMG w/Bruce Williams. Needed. (LLH-VA)
1420 WOC IA Davenport Mo 1/18 0130-0230 no sign. Much wanted. Freq controlled by WHK w/Bruce Williams. (LLH-VA)
1560 KWCO OK Chickasha Su 1/16 not heard on scheduled DX test. WQEW dominating the freq, along w/another stn w/NOS format. (WPAD heard in past.) (MH-NC) [too bad this one diin't run during WQEW's MM silent period. -ed]

*** WHO DAT? ***

- 1310 CIWW? ON Ottawa Sa 1/15 1627 "Oldies 1310," travel ad. (MMc-MA)
[not much to go on - does anybody know if CIWW uses this slogan? -ed]
1560 ???? Mo 1/17 0230-0300 someone running "Talk Of The Town" using fife & drum "Yankee Doodle" as segue or filler. Talk had conservative, patriotic bent to it. WINV? (GVH-VA)
1570 ???? Sa 1/16 0100-0108 "The station Garth Brooks calls home"; "Country 1570 - we play country all the time." Lots of C&W mx. Any ideas? (LH-AL)
1620 ???? Su 1/16 0155-0207 w/M/ancr w/possible talk prgm. Spot w/ment of area code 704, into network nx. (couldn't ID) Spot/promo w/ment of NC State University, and the "clincher:" "...on highway 321 in Asheville." A/C matches Asheville, and the loop was E/W, BUT can't locate a highway 321 in the Asheville area. (MH-NC)
[US 321 passes through Hickory, 75 miles E of Asheville. Too far. Could be NC State 321, but my (not very detailed) map doesn't show one. This has gotta be a spur of some sort - can't be a second harmonic: there is no stn on 810 in NC. 3rd harmonic of WWNG-570 (in Asheville) would be on 1710. This is intriguing - any ideas? -ed]

AMPLIFICATION:

- 1580 WWOV NC Camp Lejeune re Elliot's log, I believe Chapel Hill should be Camp Lejeune. (DXM #18.) (MH-NC)

*** HEADLINES FROM HQ ***

Thanks to Mike, Gregory, Lynn & Mark for supporting EDXR this week.

ANNIVERSARY ISSUE - March 12! Deadline here is Feb. 26. Keep that in mind, and make a special effort to DX during the middle of Feb. so we can have a "kickin'" column that week! Be sure to mail early enough for me to get your report before the deadline. Don't forget to support the Forums, foreign sections, etc, as well.
LAST YEAR IN DXM (#21): "Are there any DXers out there?" Michael Bader, principal owner of WCBG-1590-PA wants to know - Pat Martin heard the WARY-RI DX test - Robert Wien finally heard his #1 most wanted, after 16 years of trying, KAST-OR.
Till next time, 73/gud DX de LLH. (28)

*** DX RECORDS ***

A NEW DX RECORDS FEATURE: Low Power Distance records. Any station 500 watts or less is eligible. Categories will be:

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REPORTS SHOULD be in this format:

freq; call; location; date; power; distance in whole miles; comments.



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[continued from #20] Then I got to thinking, "How does society at large remember certain people who have passed on?" And the answer was: by naming (and re-naming) things after them; such as streets, schools, libraries, and so on. I also recalled that when KFI's traffic reporter, Bruce Wayne, was killed, the station renamed its "KFI Traffic Center" the "Bruce Wayne-KFI Traffic Center." So I thought, "Why not apply that concept to Ric's case and our club?" So, my suggestion to honor Ric's outstanding service of editing WDXF for so many years is for us to rename the column "The Ric T. Heald - WESTERN DX FORUM." I envision that in the masthead "Ric T. Heald" would be across the top in somewhat small print, and "WESTERN DX FORUM" would be below Ric's name in large print. The current editor, or course, would also continue to list his or her name and address. (So, in otherwords, the masthead would essentially look as it does now, except that "Ric T. Heald" would be added in small print across the top. Possibly, also, Reid might add the word "Editor:" directly before his name so that new members wouldn't be confused.) In practice, the column would still be referred to as "Western DX Forum" and "WDXF"; but by seeing Ric's name in the masthead, we would be quietly reminded of him every week. (And I think Ric would be very honored.) Anyway, this is just a suggestion. What do you all think? Please provide some feedback, pro or con. (If con, I won't be hurt, hi! This is only a suggestion!) Or please respond with other suggestions! I think Bill Hardy has come up with a great idea of having a special tribute to Ric in the Almanac -- but I would also like to see something which would keep Ric's name before the club on some sort of continuous basis. 73 de SMM.

Robert Wein, 1309 Dentwood Dr, San Jose CA 95118

[1/17] Figured it was time for a Forum, haven't sent one in for a long time. I'm currently running a 5-MM streak of new stations, logging KXBT-1190 Vallejo, CA (ex-KNBA) last MM, have 5 more varies to go to reach 1100, no. 1094 and 1095 were KCIN-1590 Victorville, CA and CKTA-1570 Taber, AB (ex-CFEZ). Some tips of late: KKSJ-1370 San Jose is coming on Mar. 1, nostalgia format, KKLQ-600 San Diego will become KOGO on about Feb. 15, nx/talk format ex-CHR, KORC-850 Waldport OR is moving to 820 khz. with 1000/15 on Wed. 1/19 (this per Pat Martin), KOKE-700 Soledad, CA is now KSUR, changed calls sometime between 1/3 and 1/15 (M Street reported call change took place 1/1, which is in error), CHRX-600 Vancouver, BC. is now CKBD "Vancouver's Bridge", Xtian format, Canada's first all-Xtian station (per Pat Martin), KTLI-1590 Tillamook, OR. is now KMBD, and finally, KRZN-760 Thornton, CO. is now KTLK, don't know if still simulcasting KOA-850. KOA was ID'ing on hour using KRZN's ID's earlier in month, but haven't checked recently. Last DX test logged here for a new catch was KWNC-1370 WA. in December, didn't hear WOC-1420 test tonight, too much KNTA-1430 splash plus strong XEXX and KSTN didn't help, plus poor east coast cx! Does anyone know KKDZ-1250 Seattle's exact hours of operation? Are they 24 hr., sign off at midnight, or are they a daytimer only, signing off at sunset? Haven't seen anyone report this station, used to be common here as KKF!X! My DX is proportionally good to how well my local S.F. 49'ers do in football, they've played good this weekend, so dX should be great! I see Pat's logging those NWT stations again, those pests, hi. Reid, you seem to be running only 1 or 2 forums per issue, seems no one has time to write in a Forum, c'mon people out there, send in a forum and keep Reid busy! Otherwise, we don't know what's going on DX-wise with you! 73's.

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FREQUENCY OF THE MONTH 940 KHZ

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WINE Brookfield CT	Daytime regular	CBM Montreal QU	Nite regular
WGFP Webster MA	Once 1984 SRS	R. Relej Habana Cuba	Often nites
WVLV Lebanon PA	In null of WINE		

MIKE SANBURN

KFRE Fresno CA	Dominant nites	KNST Tucson AZ	Once 1990
KDEO Waipahu HI	SRS 1991	KBRE Cedar City UT	Often at SRS

THOMAS REISER

CBM Montreal PQ	Most nites	WFAW Ft. Atkinson WI	Some nites
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PATRICK MARTIN

KFRE Fresno CA	Regular nites	WINZ Miami FL	Once 1965 from AK
KAHU Waipahu HI	Reg in 1960-70's	KDEO Waipahu HI	Heard often
KIOA Des Moines IA	Often in 1960's	KGRL Bend OR	Occ. daytime
KWBV Woodburn OR	Reg. days	KIXZ Amarillo TX	Often in 1960's
XEQ Mexico City	Often in 1960's	CJIB Vernon BC	Most nites
CBM Montreal PQ	Occ in 1960's	CJGX Yorkton SK	Often in 1960's

JOHN JOHNSON SHERIDAN WY

CBM Montreal PQ	Logged in 1964	WFNC Fayetteville NC	Logged in 1964
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CJGX Yorkton SK	Common most nites	CJIB Vernon BC	Occasionally
KBRE Cedar City UT	Occ. at SSS	KFRE Fresno CA	Once
KIOA Des Moines IA	Pest at nite	KIXZ Amarillo TX	Most nites
KVSH Valentine NE	Rare at SSS		

MIKE HARDESTER IN CA

KHOS Tucson AZ	Rare due to KFRE	KFRE Fresno CA	Regular
KIXZ Amarillo TX	Once in 1969		

MIKE HARDESTER IN NC

WINZ Miami FL	Occ at SSS	WMIX MT Vernon IL	Occ at nite
WCPC Houston MS	Once at SSS in 1993	CBM Montreal PQ	SSS and nites

YE OLDE EDITOR

CJGX Yorkton SK	Pest day & nite	CBM Montreal PQ	Most nites
XEQ Mexico City	Good nites	WIDG ST Ignace MI	Rare at SSS
KIOA Des Moines IA	Rare SRS	KVSH Valentine NE	SRS
KIXZ Amarillo TX	Rare SRS	R Relej Holguin Cuba	Auroral nites
WINZ Miami FL	Once SRS	WFAW FT Atkinson WI	Rare SRS
WCSW Snell River WI	Very rare	WMIX MT Vernon IL	Very rare
WECO Wartburg TN	Once		

Great to see so many loggings. Really gives you an idea what is heard on this frequency and when. HEY that's the idea RIGHT!!!!

ONE OF THE STATES OF THE MONTH ALASKA

MIKE HARDESTER IN CA

650 KYAK Anchorage 1969 rare log 560 KFR Fairbanks Rare 1969 log
 750 KFQD Anchorage 1972 rare log 900 KFRB Fairbanks 1969 rare log
 890 UNID Alaska In the late 1960's early 1970's during a WLS Silent
 Period Mike heard an UNID man giving a WX report for cities in AK. Could this have been
 ADAK????? Can anyone help Mike out with this oldie but goodie UNID. He would be very
 happy to hear from a DX'er with an ADAK AK logging. **MIKE SEE PATRICK BELOW!!!**

PATRICK MARTIN

529 SQM Level IS Common 550 KENI Anchorage Occ in winter
 560 KVOK Kodiak Occ winter AMs570 AFRN Galena In AK in 60's
 580 KRSA Petersburg Often in winter 590 KHAR Anchorage Occ in winter
 620 KGTL Homer Rare winter 630 KJNO Juneau In AK in 60's
 640 KYUK Bethel Occ winter 650 KYAK Anchorage Occ winter
 660 KFRB Fairbanks Reg in 60's 670 KDLG Dillingham Occ winter
 700 KBYR Anchorage Occ winter 720 KOTZ Kotzebue Rare heard 2x
 730 KFQD Anchorage Reg in AK '60's 750 KFQD Anchorage Occ winter
 770 KCHU Valdez Occ winter 780 KNOM Nome Rare now
 790 KCAM Glennallen Occ in 60's 800 KINY Juneau Rare now
 820 KCBF Fairbanks Rare in winter830 KABN Long Island Occ 70-80's
 840 KSDP Sand Point Heard twice 850 KICY Nome Occ in 06's
 860 AFRN Elmendorf Re in AK 60's 890 KBBI Homer Occ winters
 890 AFRTS Adak Occ in winters in 1960-70's rare now **HEY MIKE!!**
 900 KFRB fairbanks Occ in 60's 920 KSRM Soldotna Rare now
 930 KTKN Ketchikan Semi reg 950 KIBH Seward Once in 60's
 960 AFRN Kodiak Reg in AK 980 KENY Kenai Hrd once
 1080 KANC Anchorage Occ in 80's 1080 KKSD Anchorage Hrd once
 1170 KJNP North Pole Occ in 60's 1230 KIFW Sitka reg in AK 60's
 1250 KBBI Homer Occ in 80's 1270 KBYR Anchorage Occ in 60's
 1360 AFRN McGrath Occ in AK 60's1400 KSEW Sitka In AK 60's
 1450 KLAM Cordova Reg in AK 60's 1490 AFRN FT Wainwright Reg in AK 60's

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720 KOTZ Kotzebue Once over WLS at SSS

THE OTHER STATE OF THE MONTH HAWAII

MIKE HARDESTER MODESTO CA

550 KMVI Wailuku Rare nites 650 KORL Honolulu Occ nites
 690 KKUA Honolulu Hrd once '71 830 KIKI Honolulu Once in '69
 870 KAIM Honolulu Hrd once '71 970 KPUA Hilo Once '71
 1130 KLEI Kailua Once in '71

JOHN JOHNSON SHERIDAN WY

650 KORL Honolulu Once in '63 850 KIMO Hilo Once in '63
 870 KAIM honolulu Once in '63 1040 KHVH Honolulu In 63 & 65

MIKE SANBURN

550 KMVI Wailuku SRS 1975 650 KORL Honolulu MM 1976
 720 KUAI Honolulu UX TEST 1991 760 KGU Honolulu 1990 KFMB SP
 850 KHLO Hilo Ofetn SRS 940 KDEO Waipahu SRS 1991

PATRICK MARTIN

550 KMVI Wailuku PEST at nite 570 KIPD Lihue Reg nites 80's
 570 KQNG Lihue Reg at nite 590 KGMB Honolulu Reg 60-70's
 590 KSSK Honolulu Semi reg nites620 KIPA Hilo Pest nites
 650 KORL Honolulu Reg nites 60's 650 KHNR Honolulu Occ nites
 670 KPUA Hilo Pest nites 690 KULA Honolulu Reg in 60's
 690 KKUA Honolulu Reg in 70's 690 KQMQ Honolulu Occ nites
 720 KUAI Eleele Often 760 KGU Honolulu Often
 790 KKON Kealakekua Rare 830 KIKI Honolulu Pest nites
 850 KHLO Hilo Reg pest nite 870 KAIM Honolulu Pest nites
 900 KNUI Kahului Semi reg nite 940 KAHU Waipahu Reg 60-70's
 940 KDEO Waipahu Hrd often 970 KPUA Hilo Often 60-70's
 990 KHVH Honolulu Hrd often 1040 KPOI Honolulu Reg in 80's

PATRICK MARTIN'S HAWAII CON'T

1040 KHVH Honolulu	Reg in 60's	1040 KIFH Honolulu	Reg in 80's
1040 KLHT Honolulu	Often	1060 KAHU Hilo	Rare
1080 KIOE Honolulu	Often in 80's	1080 KZHI Honolulu	Often 80's
1080 KWAH Honolulu	Often	1110 KHEI Kihei	Reg in 80's
1110 KAOI Kihei	Semi reg	1130 KLEI Kailua	Semi reg 80's
1170 KOHO Honolulu	Often	1210 KZOO Honolulu	Often
1270 KNDI Honolulu	Rare	1310 KNUI Kahului	Once in 60's
1350 KTKO Lihue	Often in 60's	1350 KIVM Lihue	Often in 80's
1350 KIPO Lihue	Often in 80's	1380 KLNI Pearl City	Rare in 80's
1380 KIPO Pearl City	Rare in 90's	1420 KCCN Honolulu	Rare
1460 KULA Honolulu	Rare	1500 KUMU Honolulu	Occ
1540 KISA Honolulu	Rare		

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760 KGU Honolulu	Once 1993	830 KIKI Honolulu	Once 1993
850 KHLO Honolulu	Once 1993 and twice in Winnipeg 1993		
1500 KUMU Honolulu	Once in 1993		

BANDSCANS BANDSCANS BANDSCANS BANDSCANS

BANDSCAN - LEONARD HYDE AT BLACKSBURG VA - WED 11/10, WED 11/24 1:30-3:00 PM
(CAPS denote local) - format is what I heard at the time, not always what's listed)

540 WRIC VA, Richlands - AC	1060 WCOK NC, Sparta - C&W
550 WSYA VA, Harrisonburg - NX/TX	1070 WIWS WV, Beckley - TIS
WAME NC, Statesville - C&W	1110 WBT NC, Charlotte - NX/TX
560 WJLS WV, Beckley - GOS	1140 WXLZ VA, St. Paul - C&W
580 WKSK NC, W. Jefferson - C&W	1150 WELC WV, Welch - AC
WCBS WV, Charleston - NX/TX	1160 WODY VA, Bassett - REL
590 WLVA VA, Lynchburg - NX/TX	1170 WWVA WV, Wheeling - C&W
600 WSJS NC, Winston-Salem - NX/TX	WCXN NC, Claremont - REL
WYAR WV, Richwood - C&W	1190 WBDY VA, Bluefield - NX/TX
610 WSLC VA, ROANOKE - C&W	1200 WSML NC, Graham - REL
620 WNNR WV, Beckley - NX/TX	1220 WKMT NC, Kings Mt. - Tx
630 WIRC NC, Hickory - C&W	1240 WROV VA, Roanoke - OLD
640 WGOC TN, Blountville - C&W	WHIS WV, Bluefield - BUS
660 WCRR VA, Rural Retreat - GOS	1260 WJJJ VA, CHRISTIANSBURG - OLD
680 WPTF NC, Raleigh - NX/TX	1280 WYVE VA, Wytheville - Tx
WCAW WV, Charleston - OLD	1290 WNLB VA, Rocky Mt. - C&W
690 WZAP VA, Bristol - GOS	1300 WSYB NC, Mt. Airy - C&W
710 WFNR VA, BLACKSBURG - NX/TX	1310 WSLW WV, White Sulphur Spgs - NOS
740 WPAQ NC, Mt. Airy - BLG	1330 WOLD VA, Marion - AC
770 WYRV VA, Cedar Bluff - GOS	1340 WBLB VA, Pulaski - GOS
800 WKBC NC, N. Wilkesboro - C&W	1360 WBOB VA, Galax - CHR
830 WMMO NC, Eden - GOS	1370 WHEE VA, Martinsville - Tx
860 WOAY WV, Oak Hill - NX	WVMR WV, Frost - BLG
870 WFLO VA, Farmville - NX	1380 WTOB NC, Winston-Salem - NX
880 WBLU VA, Moneta - OLD	1390 WMPD OH, Middleport - GOS
900 WKDW VA, Staunton - C&W	1400 WHHV VA, Hillsville - C&W
910 WHWR VA, ROANOKE - GOS	1410 WRIS VA, ROANOKE - REL
920 WBBB NC, Burlington - NX/TX	1430 WKEX VA, BLACKSBURG - NOS
930 WLLL VA, Lynchburg - BUS	1460 WRAD VA, RADFORD - C&W
960 WFIR VA, ROANOKE - NX/TX	1480 WTOY VA, ROANOKE - UC
970 WANV VA, Waynesboro - C&W	1500 WSMX NC, Winston-Salem - REL
990 WNRV VA, Narrows - BLG	1520 WDSL NC, Mocksville - C&W
1000 WKDE VA, Attavista - GOS	1530 WVIC VA, Collinsville - BLG
1010 WMEV VA, Marion - C&W	1550 WKBA VA, VINTON - GOS
1030 WGFC VA, Floyd - GOS	1570 HYTI VA, Rocky Mt. - C&W
1040 WSGH NC, Lewisville - REL	1580 WPUV VA, PULASKI - REL
1050 WAMN WV, Green Valley - REL	1600 WXYM VA, Saltville - C&W

HEARING IT THROUGH THE GRAPEVINE CONTINUES WITH
BANDSCAN MANIA:

First of all here are the left over bandscans that were sent in by Jason Doan that didn't make it last go around.

DXING FROM SANDY, UTAH 9/15/93

540 KNAK	DELTA	570 KISN	SALT LAKE
610 KXNU	LOGAN	630 KTKK	SANDY
550 KMTI	MANTI	670 KBOI	BOISE
700 KFAM	NORTH SALT LAKE	730 KSVN	OGDEN
750 KOAL	PRICE	800 KSOS	BRIGHAM CITY
860 KLXZ	SALT LAKE	910 KALL	SALT LAKE
960 KFMY	PROVO	1010 KTUR	TOOELE
1060 KKDS	SALT LAKE	1120 KANN	ROY
1160 KSL	SALT LAKE	1230 KMGR	MURRAY
1280 KDYL	SALT LAKE	1320 KCMR	SALT LAKE
1370 KSOP	SOUTH SALT LAKE	1400 KSRP	PROVO
1430 KLO	OGDEN	1450 KEYY	PROVO
1480 KHQN	SPANISH FORK	1490 KGOE	OGDEN
1510 KLLB	WEST JORDAN	1550 KRGO	WEST VALLEY
1600 KCPX	CENTERVILLE		

DXING FROM BOISE, ID 9/24/93

580 KFSD	NAMPA	610 KONA	KENNEWICK
630 KIDO	BOISE	670 KBOI	BOISE
700 KFAM	NORTH SALT LAKE	730 KBSU	BOISE
790 KSPD	BOISE	860 KLXZ	SALT LAKE
870 KORD	PASCO	950 KKIC	MERIDIAN
970 KBKB	RUPERT	1010 KTUR	TOOELE
1060 KBGN	CALDWELL	1140 KGEM	BOISE
1160 KSL	SALT LAKE	1240 KLVJ	MOUNTAIN HOME
1260 KICN	IDAHO FALLS	1270 KTFI	TWIN FALLS
1310 KLIX	TWIN FALLS	1340 KANR	NAMPA
1380 KSRV	ONTARIO	1400 KART	JEROME
1430 KJUV	Payette	1490 KCR	Gooding
1490 KJUV	Caldwell		

DXING FROM PARK CITY, UTAH 9/22/93

540 KNAK	DELTA	550 KRAI	CRAIG
570 KISN	SALT LAKE	580 UNIV	
590 KID	IDAHO FALLS	610 KXNU	LOGAN
620 KSTR	GRAND JCT.	630 KTKK	SANDY
650 KMTI	MANTI	670 KBOI	BOISE
700 KFAM	NORTH SALT LAKE	730 KSVN	OGDEN
750 KOAL	PRICE	800 KSOS	BRIGHAM CITY
860 KLXZ	SALT LAKE	910 KALL	SALT LAKE
960 KMER	KEMMERER	960 KFMY	PROVO
1010 KTUR	TOOELE	1060 KKDS	SALT LAKE
1080 KRXP	PRICE	1120 KANN	ROY
1160 KSL	SALT LAKE	1230 KMGR	MURRAY
1240 KEVA	EVANSTON	1250 KNEU	ROOSEVELT
1280 KDYL	SALT LAKE	1320 KCMR	SALT LAKE
1340 TMP	HEBER CITY	1360 KRKK	ROCK SPRINGS
1370 KSOP	SOUTH SALT LAKE	1390 KLGJ	LOGAN
1400 KSRP	PROVO	1430 KLO	OGDEN
1450 KEYY	PROVO	1480 KHQN	SPANISH FORK
1490 KGOE	OGDEN	1510 KLLB	WEST JORDAN
1550 KRGO	WEST VALLEY	1600 KCPX	CENTERVILLE

DXING FROM BARSTOW, CA 7/26/93

540 KJQI	COSTA MESA	550 KCWR	BAKERSFIELD
570 KLAC	LOS ANGELES	580 KMJ	FRESNO
590 KRSO	SAN BERNARDINO	610 KAVL	LANCASTER
620 KIGS	HANFORD	620 KTAR	PHOENIX
640 KFI	LOS ANGELES	680 KNBR	SAN FRANCISCO
690 XTRA	TUJANA	710 KMPC	LOS ANGELES
720 KDWN	LAS VEGAS	740 KBRT	AYALON
760 KFMB	SAN DIEGO	790 KABC	LOS ANGELES
790 KOQO	CLOVIS	800 KHIS	BAKERSFIELD
810 KGO	SAN FRANCISCO	820 UNID	
830 KPLS	ORANGE	840 KVEG	LAS VEGAS
860 KTRB	MODESTO	870 KOWA	LAUGHLIN
900 KGRB	WEST COVINA	910 KVVO	HESPERIA
930 KHJ	LOS ANGELES	940 KFRE	FRESNO
960 KZXY	APPLE VALLEY	980 KFWB	LOS ANGELES
1020 KTNQ	LOS ANGELES	1050 KBBV	BIG BEAR LAKE
1070 KNX	LOS ANGELES	1090 XPRS	TUJANA
1100 KRLA	LOS ANGELES	1140 KXNO	LAS VEGAS
1150 KHS	LOS ANGELES	1170 KCBQ	SANDIEGO
1180 KERI	WASCO	1230 KSZL	BARSTOW
1310 KIQO	BARSTOW	1350 KCKC	SAN BERNARDINO
1360 KZIQ	RIDGECREST	1370 KWRM	CORONA
1380 KHJJ	LANCASTER	1410 KCAL	REDLANDS
1470 KUTY	PALMDALE	1510 KNSE	ONTARIO
1530 KHYP	MORENO VALLEY	1540 KSKQ	LOS ANGELES
1550 KAPL	APPLE VALLEY	1560 KNZR	BAKERSFIELD
1570 KPPO	RIVERSIDE	1590 KCIN	VICTORYVILLE
1600 KMNY	POMONA		

DXING FROM MC CALL ID 9/24/93

580 KFSD	NAMPA	610 KONA	KENNEWICK
630 KIDO	BOISE	670 KBOI	BOISE
730 KBSU	BOISE	790 KSPD	BOISE
950 KKIC	MERIDIAN	1060 KBGN	CALDWELL
1140 KGEM	BOISE	1230 KBAR	BURLEY
1240 KLVJ	MOUNTAIN HOME	1250 KWSU	PULLMAN
1280 KWEI	WEISER	1300 KLER	OROFINO
1340 KANR	NAMPA	1350 KRLC	LEWISTON
1380 KSRV	ONTARIO	1400 KART	JEROME
1400 KRPL	MOSCOW	1420 KUJ	WALLA WALLA
1450 KIOV	PAYETTE	1480 KXRJ	GOODING
1490 KCID	CALDWELL	1510 KGA	SPOKANE

Thanks alot Jason. Nice to see scans from places that usually don't show up in the loggings column.

NEXT TIME AROUND

FREQUENCY 1420 KHZ

STATE MASSACHUSETTS

Hope that 1994 has been good to you so far. If you have a frequency or state/province you wish to see here ask and it is yours.
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