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**EIC Notes**

**FOUR** new members this time: Jon Bevilacqua - Queens, NY (HDXM only), Gordon Duff - Chapel Hill, NC (HDXM only), Steve Henderson - Tuscon, AZ (HDXM only), Dennis Vroom - Vancouver, WA (S/HDXM). A ton of stuff was postponed this issue... sorry... pb

**IRCA PRESIDENT'S REPORT**

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**Proposals presented to IRCA board of directors:**

Proposal 21.2.01 is to accept Lynn Hollerman's condensed financial statement for Mar 1-Aug 31, 2004 as follows:

IRCA chequing account:

|  |            |
|--|------------|
| balance on Mar 1/04:   | \$1,069.61 |
| income (from dues)   | \$1,258.57 |
| expenses (DX Monitor, web hosting, PO Box rental,<br>printing new member packet) | \$1,909.66 |
| balance on August 31/04:   | \$418.52   |

**PB JJ TN PM MS PT KZ**  
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Proposal 21.2.02 is to accept Phil Bytheway's condensed financial statement for the IRCA bookstore for Mar 1-Aug 31, 2004 as follows:

IRCA Bookstore: (3/1/04 - 8/31/04)

|              |           |
|--------------|-----------|
| IN -         | \$1248.75 |
| POSTAGE -    | \$170.37  |
| PUBLISHING - | \$3155.45 |
| NET LOSS -   | \$1976.96 |

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Proposal 21.2.03 is to appoint Ray Bauernhuber as "Hearing It Through the Grapevine" editor to replace Eric Bueneman.

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PB – PHIL BYTHEWAY, JJ – JOHN JOHNSON, TN – TIM NOONAN, PM – PATRICK MARTIN, MS – MIKE SANBURN, PT – PETE TAYLOR, KZ – KARL ZUK.  
Y= YES, N= NO, A= ABSTAIN

Congratulations to Ray on his new position, and please support him when he asks for submissions to his column.

Reid Wheeler has resigned his position as Western DX Forum editor after many years of service. If you are interested in filling Reid's shoes, please get in touch with me at one of the addresses at the top of the column.

Finally, it's not too late to put in a bid for IRCA's 2005 convention, but it soon will be. October 15 is the deadline for submissions.

best wishes, Nick

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**CALL CHANGES**

| FREQ | OLD CALL | CITY                 | NEW CALL  |
|------|----------|----------------------|-----------|
| 610  | KSKE     | Vail, CO             | KVLE      |
| 1010 | KXEM     | Tolleson, AZ         | KXXT      |
| 1110 | WCKO     | Norfolk, VA          | WYRM      |
| 1230 | WCOL     | Columbus, GA         | WTPG      |
| 1240 | KNSS     | Wichita, KS          | KFH       |
| 1240 | WTID     | Jasper, AL           | WLYJ      |
| 1250 | KLIH     | Little Rock, AR      | KPZK      |
| 1330 | KFH      | Wichita, KS          | KNSS      |
| 1350 | KNFL     | Fillmore, UT         | KACE (CP) |
| 1370 | KFIF     | Pearl City, HI       | KUPA      |
| 1390 | KJME     | Denver, CO           | KGNU      |
| 1400 | WNGB     | Green Bay, WI        | WDUZ      |
| 1450 | KDMN     | Buena Vista, CO      | KSKE      |
| 1470 | KACE     | Tremont, UT          | KNFL      |
| 1490 | WGMF     | Watkins Glen, NY     | WTYX      |
| 1520 | KDYS     | Lafayette, LA        | KFXZ      |
| 1690 | WSWK     | Avondale Estates, GA | WWAA      |

**FORMAT CHANGES**

| FREQ | CALL | CITY                | OLD INFO             | NEW INFO                  |
|------|------|---------------------|----------------------|---------------------------|
| 760  | KKZN | Thornton, CO        | sports               | talk                      |
| 790  | WAXY | South Miami, FL     | variety, ESPN sports | sports, ESPN              |
| 860  | WAMI | Opp, AL             | country //FM         | classic country //FM      |
| 900  | WATK | Antigo, WI          | ABC Stardust AS      | ESPN sports               |
| 910  | KINA | Salina, KS          | classic country      | regional Mexican          |
| 910  | WTMZ | Dorchester, SC      | adult standards      | ESPN sports               |
| 950  | WQTK | Moncks Corner, SC   | talk                 | Fox sports                |
| 950  | WPEN | Philadelphia, PA    | adult standards      | oldies                    |
| 980  | KUPI | Ammon, ID           | Jones country, AS    | Jones classic country     |
| 990  | WLEE | Richmond, VA        | AS, talk             | Jones AS                  |
| 1130 | KAAB | Batesville, AR      | oldies, Spanish      | regional Mexican          |
| 1130 | KILJ | Mt. Pleasant, IA    | adult standards      | Jones country             |
| 1140 | KLTK | South West City, MO | sports               | news/talk                 |
| 1190 | WAFS | Atlanta, GA         | talk, Salem gospel   | cont. Xtian, Salem gospel |
| 1230 | WCBT | Roanoke Rapids, NC  | classic country      | ESPN sports               |
| 1230 | WOLS | Florence, SC        | adult standards      | sports                    |
| 1240 | WTPG | Columbus, OH        | oldies               | talk                      |
| 1240 | KFH  | Wichita, KS         | KFH, news/talk       | talk                      |
| 1240 | WKIQ | Eustis, FL          | R&B oldies           | silent                    |
| 1260 | WHYM | Lake City, SC       | adt stds, Salem gos. | Salem s. gospel           |
| 1280 | WBZY | New Castle, PA      | adult standards      | adult contemporary        |
| 1280 | WOWZ | Appomattox, VA      | news                 | silent                    |
| 1310 | WDCT | Fairfax, VA         | rel. teaching        | ethnic                    |
| 1330 | KNSS | Wichita, KS         | KFH, talk //FM       | news/talk                 |
| 1340 | KIKO | Miami, AZ           | WW1 soft AC          | WW1 oldies                |
| 1340 | WADE | Wadesboro, NC       | black gospel         | black gospel //WOGF       |
| 1340 | WFMH | Cullman, AL         | sports, gospel       | talk                      |
| 1340 | WHAP | Hopewell, VA        | Jones AS             | Jones AS //990            |
| 1340 | WQSC | Charleston, SC      | sports               | talk                      |
| 1350 | KABC | Albuquerque, NM     | Fox sports           | talk                      |
| 1360 | KLSD | San Diego, CA       | adult stds           | talk                      |
| 1370 | KUPA | Pearl City, HI      | silent               | ethnic                    |
| 1370 | WDEA | Ellsworth, ME       | adult stds.          | Silent                    |
| 1390 | KFFK | Rogers, AR          | silent               | news/talk                 |
| 1390 | KGNU | Denver, CO          | KJME, variety, SS    | variety                   |
| 1420 | WGAS | South Gastonia, SC  | black gospel         | black gospel //WOGF       |
| 1430 | WION | Ionia, MI           | silent               | adult contemporary        |
| 1450 | KMRY | Cedar Rapids, IA    | ABC Stardust AS      | WW1 adult stds.           |
| 1490 | KRIB | Mason City, IA      | adult standards      | classic country           |
| 1490 | WWNB | New Bern, NC        | talk                 | black gospel              |

|      |      |                      |                   |                           |
|------|------|----------------------|-------------------|---------------------------|
| 1520 | KFXZ | Lafayette, LA        | R. Disney         | black gospel, ABC Rejoice |
| 1520 | KOKC | Oklahoma City, OK    | KOMA, news/talk   | talk                      |
| 1540 | KNGL | McPherson, KS        | Jones AC          | Jones oldies              |
| 1540 | WECZ | Punxsutawney, PA     | adult standards   | talk                      |
| 1570 | WLKD | Minocqua, WI         | Jones AS          | ESPN sports               |
| 1590 | KKAY | White Castle, LA     | Jones classic C&W | Jones oldies              |
| 1690 | WWAA | Avondale Estates, GA | classic country   | talk                      |

**CONSTRUCTION AND FACILITY PERMIT ACTIVITY**

|      |      |                      |  |
|------|------|----------------------|--|
| 560  | WGAI | Elizabeth City, NC   | change from 1000/500 DA-2 to 1000-D      |
| 980  | KNTR | Lake Havasu City, AZ | change from 1000/52 to 1000/49           |
| 1210 | WILY | Centralia, IL        | change from 10000 ND-D to DA-2           |
| 1310 | WDOC | Prestonburg, KY      | add 25-N, ND-2                           |
| 1440 | KTNO | Denton, TX           | chg from 5000/500 DA-N to 15000/350 DA-2 |
| 1450 | WCIE | Spring Lake, NC      | change from 1000/1000 to 950/950         |
| 1690 | KDDZ | Arvada, CO           | change from 10000/1000 ND to ND-2        |

**FACILITY AND PARAMETER APPLICATIONS**

|      |      |                    |   |
|------|------|--------------------|---|
| 810  | WEUS | Orlovista, FL      | increase from 1000/400 to 5000/400 DA-2     |
| 870  | KRLA | Glendale, CA       | increase from 20000/3000 DA-2 to 50000 DA-D |
| 1170 | KCBQ | San Diego, CA      | incr from 50000/1500 DA-2 to 50000/2900 DA2 |
| 1180 | KJPN | Honolulu, HI       | change from 5000/5000 ND to 6000/4500 ND-2  |
| 1270 | KFLC | Fort Worth, TX     | incr from 5000/5000 DA-2 to 50000/5000 DA-2 |
| 1280 | WDNT | Dayton, TN         | increase from 1000/31 ND to 2200/31 ND-2    |
| 1360 | KHNC | Johnstown, CO      | increase from 10000/450 to 10000/1000 DA-N  |
| 1470 | KACE | Tremonton, UT (CP) | change from 10000/1000 DA2 to 1000/38 ND2   |
| 1500 | KBRN | Boerne, TX         | change from 250 ND-D to 1900/20 DA-D        |
| 1530 | KGBT | Harlingen, TX      | change from DA-N to DA-2                    |
| 1540 | WBTC | Uhrichsville, OH   | add 5-N, ND-2                               |
| 1550 | WAZX | Smyrna, GA         | change from 50000/500 DA-2 to 33000/14 DAD  |

(Sorry folks, the rest of this column will appear next time – pb)

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|     |      |   |
|-----|------|---|
| 630 | KHOW | <u>CO</u> , Denver 9/21 0634 lots of ads & ID, fair signal with KFI QRM. (DN-CA)  |
|     | KFXD | <u>ID</u> , Boise 9/9 0100 news & C&W music. Fair to good signal with minor splatter from local 620. SP600 on N-S wire. (GH-OR)   |
| 650 | KMTI | <u>UT</u> , Manti 9/14 0322 country music & ID, fair signal that was stronger than usual. (DN-CA)   |
| 670 | KBOI | <u>ID</u> , Boise 9/18 2159 heard ID at 2146 "Newstalk 670 KBOI," news at 2159 but lost a few seconds later when they went to their night pattern. (BB-AZ)  |
| 690 | CBU  | <u>BC</u> , Vancouver 9/10 0430 weak with battle going on between it, a station with Jim Bohannon, XEMA, and a host of others. In & out for a short time with CBC Overnight and a news story given by a man with a British accent and a sort of ID at 0430 CBC Overnight, CBC Radio One. New! (KR-AZ) |

|      |      |   |
|------|------|---|
| 710  | KIRO | <u>WA</u> , Seattle 9/18 aired an ad for a car dealership in Kellogg, ID (several hundreds of miles away), then ID'ed at 0800. (LG-MT) (I've heard ads for the same dealership on a station here in Billings!-NH)   |
| 720  | KFIR | <u>OR</u> , Sweet Home 9/7 s/on weak atop KDWN at 0900. There was no SSB or other music. (LG-MT)  |
| 730  | KBSU | <u>ID</u> , Boise 9/21 0625 fair, jazz & ID "Idaho's Jazz Station," followed by the various frequencies of the station. This is a 500w station at night. (DN-CA)  |
| 780  | WBBM | <u>IL</u> , Chicago 9/21 0407 ID "WBBM News Time 3:08" and later ID "Newsradio 780." Poor signal in KKOH null. QRM from KKOH and KABC. (DN-CA)  |
| 820  | WBAP | <u>TX</u> , Dallas 9/14 0328 poor signal with QRM from 830, Midnight Trucking Radio Network and ID. (DN-CA)   |
| 840  | CKBX | <u>BC</u> , 100 Mile House 8/28 0030 C&W with several "Wild Country" ID's, very weak signal on R390A on E-W wire. (GH-OR)   |
| 900  | KTIS | <u>MN</u> , Minneapolis 9/22 0758 mixed with assumed CKBI, I heard call ID after religious show ended. (LG-MT)  |
|      | CKMO | <u>BC</u> , Victoria 9/1 strong with Oriental instrumental music and simple ID at 0800. (LG-MT)   |
| 930  | KAGI | <u>OR</u> , Grants Pass 8/30 0000 dominant in the mix with talk program, very weak at best on R-390A and Sanserino loop. Not often heard. (GH-OR)   |
| 940  | CJGX | <u>SK</u> , Yorktown 8/29 0000 ID and news with weather report. C&W music and "GX 94" ID's. Fair-poor and choppy on Hammarlund on N-S wire. (GH-OR)   |
| 950  | KMER | <u>WY</u> , Kemmerer 9/16 had a fine signal with oldies at 1000. A man said, "This is your good-time oldies station, KMER." (LG-MT)   |
| 970  | KBUL | <u>MT</u> , Billings 9/10 0030 George Norry talk show, up just long enough for positive ID in RARE local KUPL null. New! (GH-OR)  |
| 1000 | KXRB | <u>SD</u> , Sioux Falls 8/21 played C&W atop KOMO at 2300 and gave ID through echo chamber. Nice signal for listed 100 watts night power. (LG-MT)   |
| 1010 | KXXT | <u>AZ</u> , Tolleson 9/23 had a format change today from conservative talk with Michael Savage, Tony Snow, Neal Boortz to Air America Radio. (KR-AZ)  |
|      | CBR  | <u>AB</u> , Calgary 9/21 0400 ID "CBC Radio One" followed by CBC news then CBC Overnight. Signal faded up and was good to very good for about 5 minutes. (DN-CA)  |
| 1040 | WHO  | <u>IA</u> , Des Moines 9/13 0433 ads and ID, fair to no signal, very deep fades. (DN-CA)  |
| 1130 | CKWX | <u>BC</u> , Vancouver 9/13 0437 ID "News 1130" and "Vancouver's Traffic Station." Good signal with QRM from a Spanish speaking station possibly KSDO. (DN-CA)   |
| 1170 | KJJD | <u>CO</u> , Windsor 9/22 s/on in English by man with Spanish accent at 0800, about even with KFAQ. (LG-MT)  |
| 1180 | KLAY | <u>WA</u> , Lakewood 9/12 2330 heard man give legal ID "K-L-A-Y Tacoma-Lakewood," with Art Bell and ad for Avacore, very garbled in local 1190 slop. New. (GH-OR)   |
| 1190 | KXMX | <u>CA</u> , Anaheim 9/16 0100 odd Oriental dialect with man & woman chatting back & forth like sitcom show?? Man gave ID in broken English. KEX off! First time I've ever heard them off. Very weak signal all by itself in the static, no sign of WOWO. New. (GH-OR)                               |
|      | KEX  | <u>OR</u> , Portland 9/19 0005 heard ID "Newsradio KEX" and then weather and soon lost. (BB-AZ)   |
| 1200 | KYAA | <u>CA</u> , Soquel 9/14 0352 ID and music, fair to good signal. (DN-CA)   |
|      | WOAI | <u>TX</u> , San Antonio 9/13 0000 news, weather and ID into Art Bell. Really junked up in KEX-1190 splatter. Not heard for several years. SP-600 with Sanserino loop. (GH-OR)   |
|      |      | +9/14 0332 ID, fair signal with QRM from KYAA. (DN-CA)  |
| 1230 | KZZR | <u>OR</u> , Burns 9/6 barely audible atop the heap with call ID at 0800. (LG-MT)  |
| 1240 | KCVL | <u>WA</u> , Colville 9/13 0105 country oldies and ID way out in the jumble mixing with unID's. Weak, but 50% on top with R-390A on E-W wire. (GH-OR)  |
| 1280 | KRCM | <u>OR</u> , Eugene 9/14 gave dual ID for itself and KTBR-950 Roseburg at 0859, then mentioned Southern Oregon University. I've been trying years for this one. (LG-MT)  |
| 1340 | KLKI | <u>WA</u> , Anacortes 8/24 0545 heard ID with NOS type music. Weak but dominant in the jumble with Hammarlund on N-S wire. New log. (GH-OR)   |
| 1380 | KSRV | <u>OR</u> , Ontario 9/21 0200 now oldies rock (ex-talk), "The Cruise" slogans and ads for the Treasure Valley. I have not seen this format change reported as yet. KSRV may have been this when I was in Boise as I seem to remember oldies on 1380 in July, but I can't remember for sure. (PM-OR) |
| 1450 | KKXO | <u>OR</u> , Eugene 9/5 0000 finally up out of the jumble for an ID with oldies and very poor signal, on R-390A and Sanserino loop. (GH-OR)  |
| 1490 | KTEL | <u>WA</u> , Walla Walla 9/8 0125 man said "Thanks for listening to oldies 1490 K-T-E-L" into Beach Boys song. Barely there in the mess above KLOG, very weak. New log. Hammarlund & Sanserino loop. (GH-OR)   |

1500 KSTP MN, Saint Paul 9/14 0355 Coast to Coast AM and ID, fair to good. (DN-CA)  
 1510 KIRV CA, Fresno 9/19 heard at s/off 2215 very weak signal but on top. (BB-AZ)  
 1610 WPSE479 CA, Needles 9/19 ID 2125, very weak signal with info on I-40. (BB-AZ)  
 1700 (XEPE) BCN, Tecate 8/28 no sign of it at 0750, but was there the next AM at this time. (LG-MT)

#### UNIDS

970 8/30 2300-2330 in & out in partial KUPL null with ABC news and George Norry. Help! (GH-OR)  
 1400 Station ended program on Big Horn Radio Network and announcer gave the temperature in what sounded like "Downtown Lorrison." This was at 1000 on 9/9. Network suggests MT or WY. (LG-MT)

Thanks to our reporters this week. Nancy 9/24 2100

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 100' longwire, Terk AM 1000 Loop, MF J959B, GE Superadio III.

#### DOWN THE DIAL

540 KNMX NM, Las Vegas. 9-19. 06:00 coming out of SS music with EE "You're listening to 5-40 KNMX Las Vegas, New Mexico" into CNN News (in EE). New for me. [PAL-MN]  
 WLIE NY, Islip. 9-13 under CBK. 07:00 with three mentions of WILE calls, one pronounced very slowly and plainly "W L I E" and "5-40 WLIE." [PAL-MN]  
 720 WGCR NC, Pisgah Forest. 9-16 poor in WGN null. 23:07 with NOAA weather, road closures, information, etc. for tropical storm Ivan. This was equal to even with WGN. Thanks to Bill Dvorak for the tip! New for me. [JJR-WI]  
 940 CJGX SK, Yorkton. 9-8 fair, no CINW. 21:43 with "GX-94" slogan. [JJR-WI]  
 KVSH NE, Valentine. 9-7 poor. 20:32 with very detailed weather, calls, '70s oldies music (not off satellite). 19W. [JJR-WI]  
 1020 KJJK MN, Fergus Falls. 9-12 poor, no KDKA. 07:23 with "Groovy 10-20" slogan and oldies. [JJR-WI]  
 1090 KXMA CO, Aurora. 9-7 poor in KAAV null, WTAM slop. 20:40 with "Radio Tricolor" slogans and SS format. [JJR-WI]  
 1250 WEAE PA, Pittsburgh. 9/6 poor with local WEMP running OC or off the air from :24 to :59. 1938 with weather, sports talk. [JJR-WI]  
 WGL IN, Fort Wayne. 9-6 poor with others and having local WEMP running OC or off the air from :24 to :59. 1951 with calls, Jim Rome Show. [JJR-WI]  
 1590 WAIK IL, Galesburg. 9-5 poor. No usual WAKR. 04:08 with calls, NOS format. Not common here. [JJR-WI]

#### 25 YEARS AGO

September 29, 1979 issue of IRCA's "DX Monitor" ... Neil Wolfish of Toronto, ON told about his visit to CHOO ... Douglas Miske of Toronto, ON mentioned attending GWDXA in Vancouver ... Bruce Portzer of Seattle, WA had a busy summer attending IRCA and NRC conventions, plus a business tip to Houston ... The 1979 Peoria Convention Report mentioned 30 people attended and that Frank Merrill bought every t-shirt at the auction.

#### OPEN MIKE

Thanks to Herb Childs we have the "DX Monitor" issues that are missing from my collection! Herb was kind enough to send my way the issues I have misplaced. THANKS! By the way, Volume 17 started the booklet bulletins. We're weekly again. Deadlines are every Friday. This column was typed 9-25-04. 73, John

### EASTERN DX ROUNDUP

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#### LOGGINGS

540 GA WDAK Columbus Dr. Laura; Good w/ splatter from WDUN. "Newsradio 540, WDAK". (IEN-GA)  
 570 AL WAAX Gadsden 9/19 1750 Rush Limbaugh; Decent signal. "The Big Talker AM 570 WAAX". (IEN-GA)  
 580 GA WGAC Augusta 9/19 1800 CBS News, Weak but steady. Legal ID. (IEN-GA)  
 WV WCHS Charleston 9/16 2150 Cubs/Reds BB. Weak w/fading. "Your Sports Leader". (IEN-GA)  
 590 KY WVLK Lexington 9/23 2318 Dr. Joy Brown. Slightly dominant with a few others. "News Talk 590, WVLK". (IEN-GA)  
 610 FL WIOD Miami 9/23 0015 Phil Hendrie Show. Decent signal on top of others. "News Radio 610 WIOD". (IEN-GA)  
 630 GA WNEG Toccoa 9/19 1805 Music from 60's/70's Good signal; ID. (IEN-GA)  
 640 NC WFNC Fayetteville 9/02 2000 "News-Talk 640"; ID. (WM-MD)  
 760 MI WJR Detroit 9/12 2105 Local News into Dr Laura. Strong. (IEN-GA)  
 780 NC WWOL Forest City 9/22 1927 Gspl mx at sign off. Decent signal. "This is WWOL Radio in Forest City, NC". (IEN-GA)  
 NC WCKB 2192 1929 Sign off message after WWOL left the air. Weak, but steady Legal ID. (IEN-GA)  
 790 NC WIST Thomasville 9/10 2135 PSA; local ads & promos "Timeless Classics 98.3"; ID. (WM-MD)  
 840 GA WHGH Thomasville 9/25 0729 Fair w/ blk gspl. (LF-FL)  
 SC WCEO Columbia 9/23 1922 Possible sign off.. Lots of local ments, and cal letters. I had this as a "silent" stn. (LF-FL)  
 890 VA WKNV Fairlawn 9/20 1930 "Joy AM"; ID; s/off. (WM-MD)  
 900 VA WKDW Staunton 9/13 2207 "Classic Hit Country"; ID. (WM-MD)  
 910 MI WGTO Cassopolis 9/13 2200 ID; ABC News; New. (WM-MD)  
 940 VA WKGM Smithfield 9/12 1915 "The Ministry Station". (WM-MD)  
 950 NS CHER Sidney 9/13 2243 "Oldies 950"; ID. (WM-MD)  
 1040 NJ WCHR Flemington 9/20 1855 Local ad; ID; rel. pgm. (WM-MD)  
 1080 KY WKJK Louisville 9/16 2130 Health Talk show; Good sig, but some fading. "Talk Radio 1080 WKJK". (IEN-GA)  
 1150 ON CKOC Hamilton 9/12 2123 "Oldies 1150"; ID. (WM-MD)  
 TN WGOW Chattanooga 9/15 2054 Local ad; SID; New. (WM-MD)  
 1160 VA WODY Fieldale 9/07 2151 Ment. of Gspl event in Martinville. (WM-MD)  
 1180 NY WHAM Rochester 9/16 2120 Savage Nation Show. Good sig. (IEN-GA)  
 1280 FL WGTX Defuniak Springs 9/19 0200 Up with TOH ID. Fair signal. Heard while local 1290 off air. NEW. (LF-FL)  
 LA WODT Baton Rouge 9/19 0400 Logged with TOH legal ID Poor signal mixing with WGTX and others. (LF-FL)  
 SC WANS Anderson 9/22 0500 Fair to Good with S. Gospel type music and legal id. All alone on channel. (LF-FL)  
 1290 GA WCHK Canton 9/17 0800 up with local news but no legal ID. "Bob ?? reporting local news at 8 for WCHK" Fair NEW. (LF-FL)  
 NY WBNF Binghamton 9/17 2159 "News radio 1290"; ID. (WM-MD)



1290 NC WHKY Hickory 9/16 0300 Poor with legal ID. Mixing with WTKS Savannah. Local WCFI off air. NEW. (LF-FL)  
 NC WHKY Hickory 9/10 1946 H.S. football; local ad; ID. (WM-MD)  
 1300 LA WIBR Baton Rouge 9/13 2259 ID as "Capitol Cities Talker WIBR" fair signal. NEW. (LF-FL)  
 TN WMTN Morristown 9/17 2055 "Cruisin 1300" Oldies; ID. (WM-MD)  
 1310 WV WSLW White Sulphur Springs 9/10 1950 NOS mx hrd; Listed as Daytime only. New. (WM-MD)  
 1320 CT WATR Waterbury 9/3 2000 NOS MX hrd; ID; ABC News. (WM-MD)  
 TN WKIN Kingsport 9/05 2147 PSA; ESPN Radio; ID. (WM-MD)  
 1330 SC WYRD Greenville 9/03 2121 Weather; ID. (WM-MD)  
 SC WYRD Greenville 9/13 2205 News and Wx, into Mike Savage show. Good w/ slight QRM. "News Radio 1330, 950 WORD". (IEN-GA)  
 1350 CT WNLK Norwalk 9/07 2300 Jim Bohannon; ID; ABC News. (WM-MD)  
 NJ WHWH Princeton 9/17 2000 "Money Talk 1350"; ID. (WM-MD)  
 1370 MD WWLG Pikesville 9/18 2100 Army/Houston College football. Good with slight fading. ID "... Black Knight football on 50,000 watt WWLG Pikesville". (IEN-GA)  
 (He may have said "Baltimore", city of license is Pikesville-ed)  
 NC WKJY Asheville 9/17 1900 ID. (WM-MD)  
 1360 MA WLYN Lynn 9/15 2200 ID into ABC News. (WM-MD)  
 OH WCKY Cincinnati 9/10 2045 "Homer, the Sports Animal; then into H.S. Football. (WM-MD)  
 1420 GA WRCG Columbus 9/12 2245 Sports Talk. Weak but legible with major fading. "Fox Sports Radio on AM 1420 WRCG". (IEN-GA)  
 1460 VA WRAD Radford 9/10 2005 H.S. Football; local mentions. (WM-MD)  
 1550 VA WKBA Vinton 9/20 1912 Country Gospel; ID. (WM-MD)  
 1620 TX WTAW College Station 9/19 2100 Fair with Legal ID. (LF-FL)  
 1690 IL WRLL Berwyn 9/03 2105 Oldies, mention of Chicago. (WM-MD)  
**UNIDEN**  
 1470 ?? ???? 9/03 2043 H.S. Football; mentions of Chesapeake, Ohio and Warren County. (WM-MD)  
 1670 ?? ???? 9/20 1850-1920 Station noted testing with Beatles music and other rock music, some inst, semi classical. percussion inst, 3 ID's but always fading. Thought I caught "This is ??SF testing", but of course nothing resembling that in FCC databse. Brief series of ascending tones; series of what I can only describe as 1 KHZ(?) "Morse Code" for the letter "e" and so on..a 1 to 2 second pause, and a final "E" Trading fades with WMWR about every 5 minutes At times seemed semi local. Heard between Kenansville and Richlands, NC. Ideas welcome!!! (MH-NC)  
 1710 ?? ??? 9/16 2000 Hispanic males discussing Pres. Bush Very Clean Good signal. (IEN-GA)

Nice turnout for the first weekly DXM. Been using the auto logger to monitor 1280, 1290 & 1300 with Local WCFI off the air... They were back on for about a day at mid-week, but off ever since...Perhaps I will get some more locals off air as ANOTHER Hurricane is headed right for us. This one may be a direct hit. Time to send off this one to Phil and bring in the Patio Furniture... Again... 73's and all the best... Thanks to all!!!!... FRESH 09/25 0900

**DX WORLDWIDE – WEST / TROPICAL BAND DX**

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Greetings everyone. Another good week on TA and TP/DU DX. Hopefully conditions will continue to be good.

**TRANS-ATLANTIC DX ROUNDUP**

**Mike Stonebridge** writes from Alberta: "There was a pretty fair opening to Europe last evening (9/26) with many split frequencies producing carriers. They ranged from 153 on the longwave band to 1584 at the top end of the medium wave band. Many were producing hets on domestic stations. Some 17 frequencies produced audio with 1314-Norway being the best at S-8, A couple were tentatively new for me. Noise levels here are still high which makes any identification difficult. All times are UTC".

162 **FRANCE**, 9/26 man and woman speaking FF at 0400. (MS-AB)

189 **ICELAND**, 9/26 probably the one here with faint music at 0356. (MS-AB)  
 675 **UNID** 9/26. Faint mx heard here at 0328 (MS-AB)  
 747 **UNID**, 9/26, man talking 0315. Too much noise to get any language, but probably Holland. (MS-AB)  
 756 **GERMANY**, 9/26 0330 Various vocal records with men singing, some in EE and a man talking in GG between them. Two stations listed in Germany here. New for me. (MS-AB)  
 1008 **UNID** 9/26 0305, modern dance mx, prob Holland. (MS-AB)  
 1035 **UNID** 9/26 0339 piano mx followed by choral mx. No speaking. (MS-AB)  
 1044 **UNID** 9/26 0405 with 2 men talking. Too faint to get language used. (MS-AB)  
 1053 **ENGLAND**, 9/26 0342 with two men talking about sport. (MS-AB)  
 1062 **UNID** 9/26 0343 with ballad by Elvis. Later on I heard a woman talking about what could have been Danish, so prob Denmark. (MS-AB)  
 1089 **ENGLAND** 9/26 0342 2 men talking about sport //1053 (MS-AB)  
 1107 **UNID** 9/26 0254 Faint pop mx heard here. Also a man talking but unable to get language. (MS-AB)  
 1125 **UNID**, faint mx here at 0252 9/26 (MS-AB)  
 1134 **UNID** 9/26 0250 main talking in what sounded like RR, fair. One of the first to disappear, so probably Croatia. (MS-AB)  
 1215 **ENGLAND**, Virgin Radio 9/26 0247, probably the one here with faint mx (MS-AB)  
 1305 **UNID** 9/26 0245, faint mx (MS-AB)  
 1314 **NORWAY**, 9/26 0243 with man speaking NN and playing pops. Great signal at times. Best hrd in a long time. (MS-AB)

**TRANS-PACIFIC DX ROUNDUP**

531 **AUSTRALIA**, Kempsey, good with EZL pops at 1345 9/22. (PM-OR)  
 531 **JAPAN**, Morioka JOQG good with man in JJ at 1315 UTC 9/20 with a filipino underneath. (PM-OR)  
 + good on top with JJ talk at 1405 9/21. (PM-OR)  
 531 **NEW ZEALAND**, Auckland 1XPI 9/15 1249. Maori-like vocal and talk by woman, so presume this was 1XPI. (NP-AB)  
 + at 1416 9/21. JOQG was pretty much buried by 1XPI with Samoan programming. (PM-OR)  
 531 **PHILIPPINES**, Tagalog talk at 1410 UTC 9/18 o/u 1XP1 in Samoan. I think a bit of JJ in there too. (PM-OR)  
 + UNID filipino here trying to peak through JOQG. Tried to get an idea of which obne this was, but no luck. Man and woman in Tagalog 1314 9/20. (PM-OR)  
 540 **JAPAN**, NHK 1 synchros in passing at 1405 9/18. (PM-OR)  
 + here in passing // 531 at 1405 9/21. (PM-OR)  
 540t **PHILIPPINES**, Cebu City, DYRB, presume the man in Tagalog with SS and EE words occasionally too. At one point he said "...DYRB" I believe. Unneeded, but I haven't heard in a while at 1321 9/20. (PM-OR)  
 549 **JAPAN**, Okinawa JOAP, NHk 1 synchros here in passing at 1319 9/20. (PM-OR)  
 + //540, 531 with JJ talk at 1406 9/21. (PM-OR)  
 549 **JAPAN/PHILIPPINES** a mix here, but too much 550 splash and JJ QRM to ID the filipino at 1455 9/18. (PM-OR)  
 558 **JAPAN**, Kobe JOCR, very good with JJ pops and man and woman in JJ at 1316 9/20. (PM-OR)  
 + fair in jumble at 1408 9/21, JJ pops and female ancr. (PM-OR)  
 558 **JAPAN/PHILIPPINES**, Kobe/Metro Manila JOCR/DZXL, a mix here with JOCR with US and JJ pops and DZXL with promo in EE mentioning "Quezon City" at 1412 9/18. DZXL used to be fairly common in the Fall. (PM-OR)  
 558 **PHILIPPINES**, Pasig (Metro Manila), DZXL, good on top on JOCR with man in Taglog "D-Z-X-L" ID at 1325 9/20. Unneeded, but nice to hear. (PM-OR)  
 567 **JAPAN**, Sapporo JOIK, good with JJ talk at 1420 9/18. (PM-OR)  
 + fair with man in JJ //549, NHK 1 at 1322 9/20. (PM-OR)  
 + //531 with JJ talk at 1407 9/21. (PM-OR)  
 567 **PHILIPPINES**, unid Tagalog talk way un/JOIK at 1322 9/20. (PM-OR)  
 576 **AUSTRALIA**, Sydney 2RN, good with talks in passing at 1340 9/18. The strongest Aussie of the morning. Not many others in. Mostly a TP morning. (PM-OR)  
 + 9/19 at 1254. Orch piece, then jazzy "Will the Circle Be Unbroken" Promo for another program just before the hour mentioning "here on ABC Radio National" then into ABC news read by woman. (NP-AB)  
 + Good with ABC News at 1400 9/21. (PM-OR)  
 + One of the very few DUs in with classical music and woman ancr. at 1321. Later at 1401 was into ABC news 9/20. (PM-OR)  
 585 **AUSTRALIA**, NSW, Bourke 2WEB, good with US pop music and ID at 1415 "Outback Radio", 2WEB" into more pops. Quite strong. 9/21. This one get out better now than they used to. (PM-OR)

- + 9/25. Helen Reddy's "Delta Dawn" at 1253, then ID "Outback Radio 2WEB" at 1255. Time check at 10:55 by computerized voice. New one for me. (NP-AB) (Nigel, they have been a regular visitor alot here of late. They get out really well since the boost to 5 KW. Good going. PM)
- 585 **JAPAN**, Kushiro (presumed) with NHK1 sychros JJ talk at 1351 9/18. (PM-OR)
- 585 **JAPAN/UNIDS** a mixd mess under JOPG. Maybe a Filipino in there too 1328 9/20. (PM-OR)
- 594 **AUSTRALIA**, Vic. Horsham 3WV 9/25 1303 ABC News. Also noted 9/14 1302 ABC News then weather for Melbourne and ID as "774 ABC Melbourne." (NP-AB)
- 594 **JAPAN**, Tokyo JOAK, very good with usual syncros //585, 549 at 1327 9/20. (PM-OR)
- + strong as usual with NHK 1 programming, JJ talk noted in passing many times 9/21. (PM-OR)
- 594 **JAPAN/ PHILIPPINES** JOAK/DZBB? very strong with NHK 1 JJ talk with Tagalog talk way behind at 1412 9/18. DZBB has been logged in the past. (PM-OR)
- 594 **PHILIPPINES**, UNID, but probably DZBB Quezon City as I have heard it before at 1317 9/20. (PM-OR)
- 603 **REP. OF KOREA**, poor KK talk in passing at 1331 9/20. (PM-OR)
- + KBS 2, woman with KK talk at 1416 9/21. (PM-OR)
- 612 **AUSTRALIA**, Brisbane 4QR, good with ABC News at 1401 9/21. (PM-OR)
- 612 **PHILIPPINES**, Cebu City DYHP, very good with bi-lingual commercials, mentioning several Malls, computer companies, very good. Mention of "RMN" (Radio Mindanao Network) and a full ID at 1400 "Radio Mindanao Network.....D-Y-H-P.....Six twelve kilohertz.....Cebu City" Into Tagalog talk, soon lost under 4QR with news. This from 1358-1401 9/18. I'll try for a QSL as RMN stations are generally good QSLers. New. (PM-OR)
- + UNID talk buried at 1341 9/20. Probably DYHP I heard the other morning. (PM-OR)
- 621t **AUSTRALIA**, Melbourne 3RN, may have been the source of the Classical music at 1420 9/21. All alone, and 4QR 612 was quite strong. (PM-OR)
- 621 **PHILIPPINES**, unid Tagalog talk weak at 1403 9/18. (PM-OR)
- + UNID weak filipino in noise, barely surfacing at 1343 9/20 with talk in Tagalog. (PM-OR)
- 630 **AUSTRALIA**, Townsville 4QN, totally topping the domestics with ABC News at 1402 in passing 9/21. (PM-OR)
- 630t **PHILIPPINES**, Quezon City DZMM, woman in Tagalog here in jumble. This one used to be heard every Fall. Runs 50 KW. (PM-OR)
- 639 **AUSTRALIA**, UNID 9/14 1311 ABC station with interview about investing during "Nightlife" program. (NP-AB)
- + UNID 9/25 1317. Discussion ad for product available from ABC shop. //2310, so apparently in UTC +9.5 hr time zone. (NP-AB) (Nigel, it looks like you nabbed the 2KWer 8KN Katherine NT. A fantastic catch for you. That is a great haul. Congrats. PM)
- 639 **PHILIPPINES**, Tagalog talk buried in mess at 1406 9/18. (PM-OR)
- 639 **PHILIPPINES/JAPAN**, a mix here at 1323 9/20. (PM-OR)
- 639 **UNIDs**, a garbled mess of a lot of stations at 1405 9/21. (PM-OR)
- 648 **UNID**, weak signal here in passing at 1411 9/21. (PM-OR)
- + several garbled signals. Someone off frequency, probably a filipino at 1325 9/20. (PM-OR)
- 657 **DEM REP OF KOREA**, usual Northern KK sound in passing several times morning on 9/21. (PM-OR)
- 657 **UNID**, weak talk, maybe JJ, but lost in noise at 1340 9/20. (PM-OR)
- 666 **JAPAN**, Osaka JOBK, good with JJ talk //594 at 1322 9/20. (PM-OR)
- + good in JJ at 1412 9/21. (PM-OR)
- 675 **UNIDs** several signals here, but too weak to tell for sure at 1344 9/20. (PM-OR)
- 684 **UNIDs**, several signals here too, but weak at 1344 9/20. (PM-OR)
- 693 **JAPAN**, Tokyo JOAB, good with news in EE at 1402 9/21. (PM-OR)
- + good with news in EE at 1402 9/20. (PM-OR)
- 702 **AUSTRALIA**, Sydney 2BL 9/25 1304. Sports at the end of ABC news with football and cricket items. (NP-AB)
- 702 **JAPAN**, NHK 2 syncros with news in EE //693 1401 9/20. (PM-OR)
- 711 **UNID** here at 1339 9/20. (PM-OR)
- 720 **HAWAII**, Elele, KUA I, more back to back hot hits." (NP-AB)
- 720 **RUSSIA**, prob the one with JJ talk at 1310 9/20. (PM-OR)
- 729 **JAPAN**, Nagoya JOCK, good with JJ talk at 1308 9/20. (PM-OR)
- 729 **PHILIPPINES**, garbled filipino talk mixing with JOCK at 1333 9/20. (PM-OR)
- 729 **UNID**, odd sounding language in jumble here at 1422 9/21, but too weak to ID. (PM-OR)
- 738 **AUSTRALIA**, Grafton , NSW 9/25 1333 Interview //702. (NP-AB)
- 738 **CHINA**, Hunan PBS 9/25 1355. Female ancr in CC with generic "Zhongyang Renmin Guangbo Diantai" ID noted at 1400 and found // 4990 shortly thereafter. Fair to good. (GA-WA) (Good catch Guy. PM)
- 738 **TAIWAN**, Baisha, BEL2, Taiwan Fishery Station very good with woman in Cantonese or Taiwanese //1143 with talk at 1353 9/18. (PM-OR)
- + good with woman in Cantonese/Taiwanese //1143 at 1340 9/20. (PM-OR)
- + good //1143 with gal in Cantonese type language at 1421 9/21. (PM-OR)
- 747 **AUSTRALIA**, QLD, Toowoomba 4QS 9/25 1307. Country music program //702 and others. (NP-AB)
- 747 **JAPAN**, Sapporo JOIB, good with man and woman in JJ at 1346 9/20. (PM-OR)
- + very strong as usual with NHK News in EE at 1404 9/21. (PM-OR)
- + NHK2 9/25 1345, Male and female ancrs with ausing EE lessons. Good signal level during peaks. JOIB also heard yesterday 9/24 at a good level. (GA-WA)
- 756 **PHILIPPINES**, UNID weak filipino here at 1351 9/20. (PM-OR)
- 765 **UNID** here, sounded JJ at 1352 9/20. (PM-OR)
- 774 **JAPAN**, Akita JOUB very strong as usual with JJ talk at 1406 9/19 with Filipino underneath. (PM-OR)
- + 1404 9/21 //747. (PM-OR)
- 774 **PHILIPPINES**, possibly the Metro Manila one, DWWW, with preacher in EE/Filipino, but JOUB way to strong to ID. Maybe a bit later in the season 1406 9/19. (PM-OR)
- 792 **AUSTRALIA**, Brisbane 4RN, good with ABC news at 1404 9/20. (PM-OR)
- 801 **GUAM**, Agana KTWG, very good and alone on the channel, ending lost Christian inst mx, at 1400 9/20 "For the best in Christian Programming, stay tuned to KTWG Agana Guam and KCOMM Saipan" This is the most common Guam station, followed by KGUM-567. For some reason KUAM-612 is more rare. (PM-OR)
- 819 **AUSTRALIA**, Glen Innes 2GL 9/19 1304. Weather at the end of ABC news. (NP-AB)
- 846 **AUSTRALIA**, Canberra 2RN 9/25 1341. Interview about music composition. (NP-AB)
- 882 **UNID**, loud carrier off freq here causing quite a noise. I know DWIZ was off freq for years, noted 10+ years ago, but this seemed to strong, especially with no filipinos coming in. Noted all morning 9/21. (PM-OR)
- 891 **AUSTRALIA**, QLD.Townsville 4TAB 9/24 1322. Tent the one with race results mixing with 5AN. Would be a new one for me if I can catch an ID. (NP-AB) (most likely the TAB in Townsville. They have been common here of late. PM)
- 891 **THAILAND**, Bangkok, fair to good with Thai Trid. mx at 1415 9/26 o/u JJ. (PM-OR)
- 891 **THAILAND**, Sarabuni, Radio Thailand here in Thai and woman talking. This stands out and is easily IDed. Their 1000 KW gets out well in the Fall here. This is a lot different than the pop music I hear off satellite from FM 94 Bangkok! That sounds more like US programming, the Backstreet Boys in Thai. hi. 891 is old sounding Thai stuff much like they sounded like on 830 khz in the 60s. (PM-OR)
- 918 **PHILIPPINES?**, Hard sounding rock mx at 1420 9/26, then man weakly in what sounded like filipino. (PM-OR)
- 927t **PHILIPPINES**, Gen. Santos City DXMD, possibly the one at 1350 with man in Tagalog/SS, a bit different than the metro Manila sounding stations. Or for that matter Cebu either. It sounded like he said "Radio Mindanao ....." This is the only RMN station listed on 927 khz on 9/20. Weak at best. (PM-OR)
- 936 **UNID**, 9/25 1335. Occ bits of audio (4PB?) (NP-AB) (Very likely. PM)
- 954 **JAPAN**, Tokyo JOKR, good with JJ talk and JJ pops at 1413 9/21. (PM-OR)
- 954 **PHILIPPINES/JAPAN**, mix here in KJR splash at 1415 9/18. Philippine pop music in slop and strong JOKR JJ pop music, so hard to make out. Maybe Metro Manila's DZEM at DZEC was quite good on 1062. (PM-OR)
- 963 **RUSSIA**, woman in RR here at 1355 9/21, presume Ulan Ude which is listed. (PM-OR)
- 1008 **JAPAN**, Osaka, JONR, very good with JJ music and female ancr mentioning "ABC" (Asahi BC) at 1421 9/18. (PM-OR)
- 1053 **JAPAN**, Nagoya JOAR good with JJ talk above KK Jammer at 1414 9/18. (PM-OR)
- + good with JJ talk at 1413 9/21. (PM-OR)
- 1062 **PHILIPPINES**, Pasig, Metro Manila DZEC, very good and totally dominant with man in usual Tagalog, mentions of "Metro Manila" and "DZEC". At 1345 9/18. This station is easy to ID as they mention the calls often in talk. This is the Eagle BC station in MM. For 40 KW, they do get out well. I would think this might be possible inland. (PM-OR)
- 1062 **PHILIPPINES**, Quezon City, DZEC, still the best by far of all Filipinos, good with usual man with talk at 1331 9/20, with "D-Z-E-C" mention. This station is easy to ID as they give the calls a lot. (PM-OR)
- 1071 **PHILIPPINES**, two weak filipinos here, but too weak to make out much except for the Tagalog language, soon lost at 1412 9/18. (PM-OR)
- 1107 **JAPAN**, one or more of the commercial JJs, but did not stick around for an ID. Woman and man in JJ and some pop music at 1419 9/18. (PM-OR)
- 1116 **AUSTRALIA**, QLD Brisbane 4BC, 9/24 1301. News by woman. (NP-AB)
- 1134 **JAPAN**, Tokyo JOQR very good in passing several times noted between 1335-1420 UTC 9/18. (PM-OR)
- 1179 **JAPAN**, Osaka JOOR good with man in JJ at 1406 9/18. (PM-OR)

1242 **JAPAN**, Tokyo JOLF very good with man in JJ at 1422 9/18. (PM-OR)

### TROPICAL BAND ROUNDUP

Some nice logs this time around from Guy Atkins.

- 2960p **INDONESIA**, RPDT2, Manggarai, 9/23, Probable. 1354-1405 UTC Two women in discussion or interview at 1354, hrd one of the women exclaim "That's the way it is! Talk to me, baby!" in EE and then return to Indonesia talk. Light folk music from 1358 to 1404, then talk by woman announcer, too weak of a signal for ID. Poor level, with occasional peaks to fair. Best on NW Beverage. (GA-WA) (Great catch Guy. PM)
- 3255 **SOUTH AFRICA**, Meyerton, SABC 0416-0420, 9/2, BBC WS news or commentary by man, with discussion about US Bush administration's dealings with Mexico and into business news 0420. Fair signal at Meyerton sunrise and // to 5975. (GA-WA)
- 3320t **SOUTH AFRICA**, Radio Sonder Grense 0432-0438, 9/2, tentative, Weak signal of what seemed to be Afrikaans language by male. Ute QRM on frequency also. disturbing the copy of Sonder Grense. Fading signal just past Meyerton sunrise. (GA-WA)
- 3900t **CHINA**, Hulun Buir PBS, Hailar, NM, 1331-1400, 9/3. Tentative. Weak reception of man and woman ancrs in CC with Chinese flute and vocals at 1335. Back to male in CC 1336 and buried by noise shortly thereafter. (GA-WA)
- 3935 **NEW ZEALAND**, Levin, ZLXA 1314-1319 9/6. This station continues at better than usual levels, as noted a week ago and also reported by Walt Salmaniw. Two mn in a panel discussion in EE at 1314, fair signal. (GA-WA)
- 3970 **JAPAN**, NHK, UNID USB 1413-1421 UTC, 9/23 Two men in discussion in JJ to inst. mx 1418, mentions of "NHK" 1421. Fair to good signal with some Ham QRM. Most likely the 600 watt Sapporo station rather than the further south and weaker Nabeta transmitter. (GA-WA)
- 4604.9 **INDONESIA**, Serui at 1326-1458\* 9/4. RRI Serui, Caught tail end of RRI network, broadcast, with RRI promo and anmts leading up to "RRI Serui" ID by male, "Waktu Timur" time check, and other anmts and into very nice lagu hiburan music. ID again at 1336. Excellent, pounding signal at tune-in, best ever heard. Signal only weakening slightly past local sunrise. Low studio modulation ID by male and voice-over steel guitar type instrument at 1454, Love Ambon tune at 1455 (slightly upbeat, peppy version I've never heard before), and ancr with ID, tc, freq, and anmts 1456. At 1458\* Love Ambon ended with Serui s/off (1-1/2 hours after LSR). Also heard a great levels on 8/5. Can Serui really be only 500 watts? Sounds more like 10 KW. (GA-WA)

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Welcome to new reporter Chris Knight who sent in his loggings from a visit to Orlando. Thanks to Mark for another great batch of loggings! Looks like the new DX season is going to be a good one.

### \*\*\* TRANS-ATLANTIC DX \*\*\*

- 585 **SPAIN** RNE R.1, Madrid, SEP 22 0018 - man & woman with Spanish teletalk; fair. [Connelly\*rw-MA]
- 612 **MOROCCO** RTM A, Sebaa-Aioun, SEP 22 0016 - Arabic talk by woman; good. [Connelly\*rw-MA]
- 621 **CANARY ISLANDS // SPAIN** RNE R.1 synchros, Santa Cruz de Tenerife et al., SEP 21 2255 - // 855 with man & woman with Spanish talk, teletalk; excellent. [Connelly\*rw-MA]
- 639 **SPAIN** RNE R.1, La Coruna, SEP 21 2307 - // 621 with interlude of '60s spy-movie style instrumentation, then man & woman in Spanish; through CBN slop. [Connelly\*rw-MA]
- 684 **SPAIN** RNE R.1, Sevilla, SEP 21 2305 - Spanish news; good with WRKO phased. [Connelly\*rw-MA]

- 702 **MOROCCO** RTM, Sebaa-Aioun, SEP 21 2304 - female Arabic vocal; fair, over unID talker. [Connelly\*rw-MA]
- 711.04 **WESTERN SAHARA** RTM, Laayoune, SEP 21 2302 - Arabic vocal at low audio level; over low growl from France-711.0. [Connelly\*rw-MA]
- 738 **SPAIN** RNE R.1, Barcelona, SEP 22 0018 - Spanish // 585; poor, in CHCM slop. [Connelly\*rw-MA]
- 747 **NETHERLANDS** Flevoland, SEP 22 0015 - folk vocal, then man in Dutch; fair. [Connelly\*rw-MA]
- 774 **SPAIN** RNE R.1 synchros, SEP 21 2258 - talk // 621; fair. [Connelly\*rw-MA]
- 765 **SWITZERLAND** RSR, Sottens, SEP 21 2300 - music, then Radio Suisse Romande ID and news in French; good. [Connelly\*rw-MA]
- 783 **MAURITANIA** R. Mauritanie, Nouakchott, SEP 21 2257 - // 4845 with reverberated a cappella Arabic male vocal; very good. [Connelly\*rw-MA]
- 837 **CANARY ISLANDS // SPAIN** COPE synchros, SEP 21 2256 - // 1296 with Spanish talk; good. [Connelly\*rw-MA]
- 855 **SPAIN** RNE R.1 synchros, SEP 21 2255 - // 621 with Spanish talk, teletalk; good. [Connelly\*rw-MA]
- 864 **EGYPT** Holy Koran R., Santah, SEP 21 2254 - man in Arabic; over pop music station (presumably France). [Connelly\*rw-MA]
- 882 **UNITED KINGDOM** BBC R. Wales, Washford, SEP 21 2253 - US-accented & UK-accented talk, then mellow vocal; good. [Connelly\*rw-MA]
- 890.98 **ALGERIA** Chaîne 1, Algiers, SEP 21 2252 - speech, then discussion by commentators; good, about 10 dB stronger than adjacent WAMG. [Connelly\*rw-MA]
- 909 **UNITED KINGDOM** BBC R.5 synchros, SEP 21 2250 - man & woman with political argument mentioning protesters; strong, taking out WABI-910. [Connelly\*rw-MA]
- 918 **SPAIN** R. Intercontinental, Madrid, SEP 22 0013 - bits of Spanish music; through CJCH slop. [Connelly\*rw-MA]
- 945 **FRANCE** Toulouse, SEP 21 2243 - man & woman in French, telephone interview mentioning Avignon; excellent. [Connelly\*rw-MA]
- 954 **SPAIN** Onda Cero, Madrid, SEP 21 2241 - Spanish teletalk; in WROL-950 & CHNS- 960 slop. [Connelly\*rw-MA]
- 963 **PORTUGAL** R. Renascenca, Seixal, SEP 21 2240 - Portuguese talk; in CHNS slop. [Connelly\*rw-MA]
- 963 **TUNISIA (t)** RTV Tunisienne, Tunis, SEP 21 2240 - maybe this with Arabic music behind Portugal & lots of CHNS splatter. [Connelly\*rw-MA]
- 972 **LIBYA** Libyan Jamahiriya BC, Sirte, SEP 21 2239 - a cappella male Arabic vocal; good despite WZAN slop. [Connelly\*rw-MA]
- 981 **ALGERIA** RTVA Chaîne 2, Algiers, SEP 21 2238 - Arabic talk, telephone interview; huge S9+20 signal destroying WCAP. [Connelly\*rw-MA]
- 999 **SPAIN** COPE, Madrid, SEP 21 2235 - huge with mentions of Barcelona and Valencia; way over others. Almost no 1000 kHz signals noted. [Connelly\*rw-MA]
- 1017 **GERMANY** SWR-1, Wolfsheim, SEP 21 2234 - man in German; under RNE Spain. [Connelly\*rw-MA]
- 1017 **SPAIN** RNE R.5 synchros, SEP 21 2234 - // 1098 with woman doing teletalk show; over Germany. [Connelly\*rw-MA]
- 1044 **SPAIN** SER synchros, SEP 21 2313 - SER-net newstalk; mixed with Morocco, others. [Connelly\*rw-MA]
- 1053 **UNITED KINGDOM** TalkSport synchros, SEP 21 2315 - interview about Thatcher and Bush; over others. [Connelly\*rw-MA]
- 1062 **ITALY** RAI R. Uno synchros, SEP 22 0011 - US soul music, then woman in Italian; in tough CBA-1070 slop. [Connelly\*rw-MA]
- 1089 **UNITED KINGDOM** TalkSport synchros, SEP 21 2319 - political interview with American editor, then adverts for text-message chat/dating, legal services, insurance and TalkSport presenter Alan Brazil. Strong signal, little or no 1090 interference. [Connelly\*rw-MA]
- 1098 **SPAIN** RNE R.5 synchros, SEP 21 2234 - // 1017 with echoey Spanish talk. No sign of Slovakia. [Connelly\*rw-MA]
- 1116 **SPAIN** SER synchros, SEP 21 2330 - // 1287 with fast Spanish talk, slight echo; excellent. [Connelly\*rw-MA]
- 1134 **CROATIA** Hrvatski R., Zadar, SEP 21 2331 - Slavic talk by man & woman; good, over Spain. [Connelly\*rw-MA]
- 1143 **SPAIN** COPE synchros, SEP 21 2358 - echoey version of the teletalk on // 999. [Connelly\*rw-MA]
- 1152 **SPAIN** RNE R.5 synchros, SEP 21 2332 - // 1098 with Spanish talk by woman, the '40s-era Cuban big-band music; strong signal with punchy audio, overwhelming CHGM/WTTT-1150. [Connelly\*rw-MA]
- 1170 **UNITED ARAB EMIRATES** R. Farda, Dabiya, SEP 21 2340 - Farsi talk, R. Farda ID; loud, over second station that had music (likely also a TA) and WWVA.



- + SEP 22 0005 - end of US boy-band pop hit, then Farsi talk, phone pushbutton beeps, Radio Farda ID, teletalk with beeps; to good peak with WWVA phased. [Connelly\*rw-MA]
- 1179 **CANARY ISLANDS // SPAIN** SER synchros, SEP 21 2342 - // 1116 with fast Spanish talk, phone numbers given; loud. [Connelly\*rw-MA]
- 1197 **SPAIN** Euskadi Irratia, Vitoria, SEP 21 2344 - woman in Spanish; over mideast music station. [Connelly\*rw-MA]
- 1197 **unID** SEP 21 2344 - probably Morocco here with Arabic-sounding music; under Spain. [Connelly\*rw-MA]
- 1206 **FRANCE** Bordeaux, SEP 21 2218 - // 1557 with discussion program, joking with 2 men in French; good. [Connelly\*rw-MA]
- 1215 **UNITED KINGDOM** Virgin R. synchros, SEP 21 2327 - "Lola" by the Kinks from '70; loud, over Spain. [Connelly\*rw-MA]
- 1251 **LIBYA** Libyan Jamahiriya, Tripoli, SEP 21 2345 - Arabic talk; to fair peak through CBGA slop. [Connelly\*rw-MA]
- 1287 **SPAIN** SER synchros, SEP 21 2330 - // 1116 with fast talk; fair. [Connelly\*rw-MA]
- 1296 **SPAIN** COPE, Valencia, SEP 21 2256 - Spanish talk // 837; fair. [Connelly\*rw-MA]
- 1359 **SPAIN** Arganda, SEP 21 2230 - man & woman in Spanish talking about entertainment & sports; good. [Connelly\*rw-MA]
- 1368 **UNITED KINGDOM** SEP 21 2347 - briefly to fair level with country oldie "Distant Drums" by Jim Reeves, then bits of talk by Brit-accented man; in WDEA/WFEA-1370 slop. Ben Dangerfield suggests Manx Radio. [Connelly\*rw-MA]
- 1377 **FRANCE** Lille, SEP 21 2326 - // 1206 with David Bowie song. [Connelly\*rw-MA]
- 1422 **ALGERIA** Algiers, SEP 21 2227 - man & woman in French; to good peak. [Connelly\*rw-MA]
- 1431 **DJIBOUTI** R. Sawa, Arta, SEP 21 2226 - Arabic vocal & orchestra; good. [Connelly\*rw-MA]
- 1467 **FRANCE** TWR, Roumoules, SEP 21 2212 - Arabic talk by man, mailing address in Spain given; loud. [Connelly\*rw-MA]
- 1503 **SPAIN** RNE R.5 synchros, SEP 21 2223 - Spanish talk; good, over mideast music station (likely Iran). [Connelly\*rw-MA]
- 1521 **SAUDI ARABIA** BSKSA, Duba, SEP 21 2215 - // 9555, 9870 with man in Arabic; excellent, way over Spain. [Connelly\*rw-MA]
- 1548 **KUWAIT** R. Sawa, Kabd - Kuwait City, SEP 21 2221 - pop-style Arabic music; fair. [Connelly\*rw-MA]
- 1550 **ALGERIA** RASD Clandestine, Tindouf, SEP 21 2216 - // 7460 with emotional Arabic talk by man; good, way over WNTN & WDZK. [Connelly\*rw-MA]
- 1557 **FRANCE** Nice, SEP 21 2218 - // 1206 with discussion program on light & humorous topics; good. [Connelly\*rw-MA]
- 1584 **CEUTA** RadiOle, SEP 21 2324 - Latino jazz; good, over SER. [Connelly\*rw-MA]
- 1593 **unID** SEP 21 2353 - mix of stations, sounded like Arabic talk on one of them (Egypt?). [Connelly\*rw-MA]
- 1602 **SPAIN** R. Vitoria, Vitoria, SEP 21 2220 - Spanish rock; fair over others. [Connelly\*rw-MA]

\*\*\* PAN-AMERICAN DX \*\*\*

- 540.18 **NICARAGUA** R. Corporación Managua, SEP 17 0332 Dominant briefly with canned ID by man "En Nicaragua... Radio Corporación... el mundo" then into pop LA vocals and fading back down. [Jordan-TN]
- 570 **CUBA** R. Reloj, SEP 22 0515, Spanish with Cuba noticias (news), time ticks, beep on minute, "RR" in code. Strong signal. [Knight-FL]
- 830 **CUBA** R. Reloj, SEP 22 0529, fair signal with Radio Reloj format (ticks, beep, RR in code). [Knight-FL]
- 860 **CUBA** R. Reloj, SEP 22 0532, fair signal with Radio Reloj format. [Knight-FL]
- 930 **CUBA** R. Reloj, SEP 22 0534, poor signal with Radio Reloj format. [Knight-FL]
- 1540 **BAHAMAS** ZNS1(p), SEP 22 0550, accented English talk between 2 men about a purposed lottery in the Bahamas mentioning economies of other Carribean countries. Loud signal. [Knight-FL]
- 1570 **MEXICO** XERF Ciudad Acuna, COAH, SEP 22 0540-0545, Spanish, very good signal with musica romantica, "La Poderosa 15-70" slogans, call ID and mention of "Ciudad Acuna". [Knight-FL]

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That's all for this issue. Good DX to everyone! 73, Brandon.

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[9/16] A post card came in today from someone in MO who says 1520 KOMA is now KOKC (same format). Unsure when the change occurred. Called Radiovisa Corp. (KMXE 830), spoke w/Kent Kramer CE who told me more about XR location. He says 830 is presently only station company has so far. NRC Log has correct address (Batavia, Orange is no longer used). The phone 282-8300 was used when KPLS existed but then was disconnected for a while – now it forwards to new one in Sherman Oaks (818-528-2050). Over at KBLA 1580, its address and phone are wrong – the one that is valid is 747 E Green 4<sup>th</sup> Floor, Pasadena CA 91101, 626-844-8882. Spoke to RW recently and he mentioned KFI uses IBOC but I heard none at night so far. I sure wish no one would use it. Am glad Jim not in FL but I am sorry to see all the mess the storms are causing in FL and AL as well as other areas. I'm sure its greatly affecting radio in the states. 73

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Got my IRCA T-shirt and it is a nice one. Thanks Doug! Had an e-mail from Lynn that she is no longer CPC Chairman. I had written to Adam Lock suggesting a DX Test of WNQM-1600. It has been ten years since they tested WNQN-1300. Hopefully, a new CPC is in the works and will be keeping an eye on the DX Test page at the web site. If a chairman steps forward, I'll try to contact some stations, but I didn't have any luck last year. Been trying to get good copy from KOKC-1520 since the call change. KRHW in Sikeston, MO has been way over it most of the time. Not heard anything from Florida yet. Will try again tonight. 73, Col. DX on Labor Day weekend.

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I agree with the Col. about KRHW. I hear it here running over WKWH which is only 20 miles from me. I also hear WAIK-1590 over my local WNTS, which has its towers just five miles north of me. At least with WAIK, I can tell that my loop is working fine. KRHW is just too dominant. With the cooler weather at night, conditions are much better than they were most of the summer and the DX is picking up again. Seems like most of it has been towards the southeast from here, with my second and third SC stations and others from NC and TN. I had a good phone call from Frank Merrill a couple of Sundays ago. Nice to talk with him again. I have found a good website for straight line distances using longitude and latitude so I have been busy with that. (It's also an easy one to use.) I also found out that I hadn't put all my Gary logs into the computer yet, so that is caught up now. I have stayed busy digging out the tower locations for my various catches thru the eight different locations I have AM records for. I also have a log showing all different stations by date heard across the different locations so I am listing the tower sites there. At least, I don't have to find some of them eight different times, hi. I have been doing it location by location, working up to the big Gary log with the thought that by the time I get to that one, I won't have so many left to do. Indy is now my second biggest log with 328 stations. Another 1010 stations and it will be tied with Gary! The smallest log is West Columbia, SC at 201. I made the effort to put it over 200 just before I left there in 1999. The only active logs at the moment are Indy (of course), Echo (Ozark area), AL--when I get down to my mother-in-law's place--and Gary. I don't add too much to that one but when I go thru that area, I sometimes stop and use the car radio to add a new one. That one has stations heard in the 1960s, 1970s, 1980s and 1990s so I do want to keep the string of decades go with the 2000s at some point. 73.

**WPNI AM1430**

## 2004-2005 DX CONTEST

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### 2004-2005 IRCA LETTERAMA DX CONTEST RULES

The object of this year's IRCA contest will be to use letters of the station's callsign to form the alphabet. Any position may be used in any tier. Example: kAbc, kcBs, Cbu, krID, kEdo, etc. When one tier is completed (entire alphabet) you start on the next tier. There is one point per call letter, if you complete tier one you have 26 points. You do not need to complete the final tier, if you finish with 4 tiers and 21 calls on the 5<sup>th</sup> tier, you would have 125 points. A station can be used only once, so be sure to make your choice of placement of each station carefully. For example, if you hear KWIQ you might not want to use it as an "I" but use it in the "Q" position instead.

Entry reports need to be in alphabetical order. Your first entry may be a partial tier. If you complete only 10 of the first alphabet tier, you would have 10 points to report. You cannot report the stations for the second tier until you finish the first, you cannot report stations for the third until you finish the second, etc. The contestant with the most total points at the end of the contest will be determined the winner.

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All loggings must be made within 25 miles of your main DX location. Normally this is your home, for students this might be your college dorm. If a person moves during the contest they may start over at the new location.

Stations must be in the normal 530-1710 kHz band, licensed by the U.S. or Canada. TIS and utility stations are not eligible for contest purposes. To count a U.S. station, you must hear the actual call letters. To count a Canadian station, you must hear the actual call letters or hear a recognized slogan plus location. Loggings may be first time heard, or relogs of stations heard before. If a station changes call letters it may be relogged and be counted.

Your contest report of stations heard in any particular month must be postmarked by the 5th day of the following month. For example, a station heard on October 12th must be submitted by November 5th to be eligible. Failure to do this will disqualify the item in question for points. Contest entries must not be sent along with WDXR DX tips as they easily become lost when filed away in the WDXR file. Contest entries may be sent e-mail or postal mail to the address above. E-mail entries must not be "attached files."

The contest manager will have the final word on all station and interpretation of all rules, including disqualification of a station for scoring or a member from the contest.

Standings will be updated on the 15th of each month and results published in the next available bulletin subject to normal deadline delays. The final standings will be tabulated on June 15, 2005 and will appear in the July bulletin, subject to space in that bulletin.

The contest manager may join the contest, but will be ineligible for the prize. There is no entry fee for the contest.

Entry in the contest implies consent to all rules, including those which may appear later as necessity dictates. If you have any questions please write.

Prize: One only \$5.00 IRCA Bookstore Credit for the contest entrant with the most final points. The contestant with the most total points at the end of the contest will be determined the winner. Have fun! 73--Nancy

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| 540 | XESURF | [None]; <i>report mailed to Tom White, KSUR CE; 1500 Cotner Ave, Los Angeles CA 90025; P; 3; MF</i>                     |
| 550 | KUZZ   | Evan Bridwell, PD; 3223 Sillect Ave, Bakersfield CA 93308; P; 9; MF   |
| 710 | KSPN   | Mike Worrall, AsstCE; 3321 South La Cienega Blvd, Los Angeles CA 90016; LM++; 37; MF                                    |
| 750 | WSB*   | William Wegmann, Radio Engineering; Cox Radio Group Atlanta, 1601 W Peachtree St NE, Atlanta GA 30309-2663; LCB; 11; HN |
| 910 | KRAK   | [None]; <i>report mailed to PD; 11920 Hesperia Rd, Hesperia CA 92345; P; 9f; MF</i>                                     |

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| 970  | KGET | Tony Manes, PD; 1100 Mohawk St, Suite 280, Bakersfield CA 93309; E in 3f and RB in 6f; MF  |
| 1030 | KTWO | Dave Nutter, DirEng**; 150 Nichols Ave, Casper WY 82601; E; 4f; MF   |
| 1260 | KSUR | [None]; <i>report mailed to Tom White, KSUR CE; 1500 Cotner Ave, Los Angeles CA 90025; P; 3; MF</i>                                      |
| 1350 | KTDD | Bill Georgi, Air Personality; 2030 Iowa Ave, Suite A, Riverside CA 92507; "head shot" with "Thanks for Dxing" written on it and B; 6; MF |
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**NOTES:** \* [For this column] = See comment below; \*\* [For this column] = See comment below

A big welcome to the column to Martin! Good to have Herb back with us this month, too! Herb notes that his WSB-750 verie was for both the usual 50 kW signal and an early morning broadcast during which power was reduced to 5 kW as men were painting their tower. The signer for KTWO-1030 has promised Martin a certificate in the future. He is also the CE for 6 stations, so Martin advises that reporters be patient. This column was prepared initially on 8/30/04 but contained only one tip and was then postponed due to a lack of room in the DX Monitor. Additional tips were added to this revised version, prepared on 9/27/04. 73, SSH.

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