STATIC FROM HQ

As this issue will be hand-delivered to those attending the ST. LOUIS CONVENTION, we'll start off by wishing that everyone has a good time and that our business sessions will be successful. Speaking of conventions, both Ted and Gary are at IRCA's convention this weekend (Aug. 25-26) and so Dick and your typist (Pat) are bringing you this masterpiece!

If you haven't noticed already, we're using computer generated mailing labels for this issue. We ask that you check the label very closely for accuracy and let Gary Atkins know if anything is wrong. Write Gary at HQ address.

For a couple of logistical reasons, we had to limit DX News to 29 pages this time. We're holding Domestic DX Achievements, another installment in Ronald Schatz's Terminator Transit Mechanix series, a sports network listing by Bill Hardy, Afr Graph and a Verie Signers. An important NOTE regarding DDXA, the next deadline will be October 1. Since this column won't appear until next issue, Sept. 24, we urge you to send your updates to Don right away. He'll send a reporting form upon receipt of your SASE. Don Erickson, 6059 Essex Street, Riverside, CA 92504.

A special thanks to our irregular editors, that is irregular columns, for the fine typing jobs they did with their columns.

Inside you'll find a bit of information about an ionospheric experiment to be conducted Sept. 14. We're not sure what effect, if any, this will have on MW signals but suspect signals on the upper end of the band may be distorted. Members in Puerto Rico and the Dominican Republic are urged to report any disturbances to the coordinator whose address is in the article.

Lastly, we'd like to pause in the DX News routine to look back to 1933 — to Labor Day Weekend. On that weekend 96 years ago the National Radio Club was founded. Many "old-timers" are still in NRC and we'd like to salute them and NRC's birthday.

THEY JOINED

We welcome the following new members and urge them to become an active part of NRC!

Craig A. Cook, 2938A North Fratney St., Milwaukee, WI 53212 (rejoins)
Tom Walsh, 18 Kristin Drive, Chelmsford, MA 01824 (rejoins)
John Hunter, 69 Kelsey Drive, Roseville, GA 30741
Tony Short, 1014 Elmendorf Drive, Lexington, KY 40502
Dwight W. Smith, 145 Deryl Street, Eunice, LA 70535
Richard S. Akerman, Sr., WA1YQ0, 127 Franklin St., Rochester, NH 03867.

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While we have a little room to spare, we'll again mention the upcoming DX News schedule: Sept. 24, Oct. 8, 22, Nov. 5, 12, 19, 26, Dec. 3, 10, 17 and 28. Anything sent for publication to Louisville must arrive 10 days before the issue date.

THE WORLD'S OLDEST AND LARGEST ALL MEDIUM-WAVE DX CLUB
An experiment will be conducted Friday Morning, September 14 which may present a unique DX opportunity. An Atlas-Centaur rocket is to be launched from the Kennedy Space Center in Florida to a point 446 km (290 miles) to the East. It's purpose is to create an artificial "hole" in the 300 km high F-layer, thus disturbing ionospheric propagation. Such disturbances could become common if huge solar-power-collecting satellites are someday put into orbit to help solve America's problems. The experiment will create a very large "hole" in the F-layer for a period of four hours or longer at 12:30 a.m. EST. The F-region electrodes, which are responsible for the bending of radio waves, are to be greatly reduced, causing a weakening or even failure of radio circuits for the four hour period. A discussion of the experiment, oriented mostly toward high-frequency amateur transmissions, is contained in the September 1979 QST.

A copy of a letter from Joe Reisert, W1JR, 17 Mansfield Drive, Chelmsford, Mass. 01824 was forwarded to us. In it he outlined preparations presently under way. (Letter forward by Phil Sullivan.)

Beacons are presently planned and under construction. A 14.1 MHz cw 100 watt transmitter in top priority and is to be installed on Puerto Rico near Arecibo hopefully with other units on 7 MHz. The US Navy will have VHF circuits active on HP from KP4, KG4, VP9 and Washington, D.C. areas. Several Channel 2 transmitters are located in the vicinity of Puerto Rico and surrounding islands as well as AM (550-1600) stations. These will all provide excellent monitoring beacons for USA and VP9 stations.

Observations of signal strength on beacons and other stations are most desirable. Signal strength should be monitored every 2 to 5 minutes before launch and after launch for 30 minutes. After 30 minutes from launch observations can be stretched to every 5-10 minutes. The use of a strip recorder on the AGC or signal strength monitor of the receiver in use is highly desired. Precise attenuators in the IF or ahead of the receiver can be used to calibrate the "S Meter" for accuracy. Fading, QRM, unusual effects, modulation, etc. are all things to monitor and report....

According to Mr. Reisert there should be a reduction of the maximum usable frequency along the rocket's path. This should drop from approximately 300 MHz to below 19 MHz. No specific effect on MW was predicted but based on our knowledge of propagation (albeit limited) some unusual effects may result, particularly on the higher MW frequencies. On the HP's, ideal locations for monitoring the effects of the experiment fall on a line from St. Louis to just below Washington, D.C., through Louisville and Ashland, Kentucky. For more info please write Mr. Reisert and refer to the QST article.

Wow! Did I get mail this month! I've lost track of how many complained about my listing of WGSM - 740 going full time. I'll repeat this below but, fellows, that was my goof, not the FCC's. I should have noted that they will sign off at sunset and the power I listed for night operation was only for "Critical Hour" operations. I owe a particular apology to BRYAN LEE who first reported the error to me...after he had taken the trouble to check with WGSM. Thanks, Bryan.

MORT MEEHAN has written a couple of times and, at his suggestion, I'm reprinting some of the code letters used throughout AM SWITCH:

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<td>Directional Antenna at night only.</td>
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<td>DA-2</td>
<td>DA with the same pattern day and night.</td>
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<td>DA-3</td>
<td>DA with two different pattern day and night (or day an CH).</td>
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<td>CH</td>
<td>Critical Hours meaning 2 hours before sunset and 2 hours after sunrise.</td>
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STATION ADDITIONS OR CHANGES NOW IN EFFECT:

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STATIONS AUTHORIZED TO CHANGE FACILITIES (May take awhile to install new equipment):

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*Yes, you correctly spotted that KPAR only became KKJY a month or so ago...looks like they're going to keep changing call letters until they get it right!*
APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE FCC BUT NOT YET EXAMINED NOR ACCEPTED:

APPLICATION FOR NEW STATION REJECTED BY FCC:

APPLICATION FOR NEW STATION ACCEPTED BY FCC (Will take months to review and approve):

CALL LETTERS ASSIGNED TO NEW STATIONS (Not on the air yet):

CONSTRUCTION PERMITS GRANTED FOR NEW STATIONS (Takes months to get on the air):
Gnm'sby gets approval
for
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broadcasting
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in
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THE BIG 6

WW-NY Bill Wurtzel, New York, NY
GE TRF, mucho portable

SM-MA Steven Miller, Boston, MA
TRF -5900

RA-MA Racket Roy, Cush Net, MA
radios & antennas

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INTERNATIONAL
DX DIGEST

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QUERIES & ANSWERS

John Clements
9010 Tobias Street, #299
Panorama City, CA 91402

Two questions this time - one from Hawaii, and the other from New Jersey:

I use a DX-160 and a McKay-Dynek DA-7 antenna to DX medium and long wave. When I am tuning up the dial, my S-meter frequently pegs on 10 where no signal should be. All I hear is a loud low rumbling drone. As I move on, it subsides until I get 10 or 20 kHz more down the dial, then it happens again. This condition exists every 10 or 20 kHz between 150 kHz and 6 MHz. Sometimes, if a station is adjacent to it, the station will be completely obliterated by it, even if it is a local. What is this awful interference and how do I get rid of it?

You are picking up radiation from your TV set. To produce a picture on a TV set, it is necessary to scan the screen at about a 15,750 Hz rate. Due to the high power of the circuitry required to do this and the inexpensive construction of many TV sets, there is significant leakage of this signal. You have, in effect, a 25-watt transmitter radiating harmonics of 15.75 kHz into the air and power lines. The only sure cure is to turn the TV set off. However, if others want to watch while you DX, then you have a problem. You might also try some RF filters which plug into a wall socket and the TV or radio plugs into the filter. Try one between the TV and the wall and one between the DX-160 and the wall. This will reduce any signal going into the powerlines and reduce any signal from the power lines coming into the receiver via the power cord.

I have a question that has been bugging me: the Realistic TRF. Everyone seems to have this receiver but I have never seen one and when I inquired at several local Radio Shacks, no one ever heard of it. Where can I see one? Who sells them since Radio Shack apparently doesn't?

Radio Shack really does sell them although a given Radio Shack store may not have them in stock when you ask. It's known as the "Long-Range AM Portable" with stock number 12-655. When you give them the stock number, they should know what you are talking about. It has come to be called "TRF" by DXers since it is advertised as a "tuned RF stage unlike most portables."

For the many who are interested in the beacon log, it is in the final stages of preparation. All the U.S. and foreign beacons have been finalized. When the Canadians stop playing games with their call signs and decide which set of calls they are going to use, they will be finalized. As it stands now, there are over 4000 beacons and I hope to have it to press by September. Cost is going to be between $6 and $7.50.

More when I get more. -30-

John Clements

Addendum from NJ - After John's column was received here we learned from an NPC member, now working for Radio Shack, that the TRF's future is highly questionable. It appears in the newest catalog but it no longer is listed on stock. NPC members got in touch with Radio Shack warehouses. They are going to use, they will be finalized. As it stands now, there are over 4000 beacons and I hope to have it to press by September. Cost is going to be between $6 and $7.50.

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Get things rolling!
Greetings, and welcome to another DXchange:

FOR SALE:

receivers--

R-390A, clean, re-tubed as necessary and completely aligned. Everything works as it is suppose to. Prefer local buyer, but will ship if I must. $390.

(Dick Nelson, 3470 Travis Ave., Simi Valley, CA 93050; 805-526-7066)

R-390 in working order. Not the greatest, so only $275. Pickup only.

(Robert Fabris, 3625 Morrie Lane, San Jose, CA 95127)

HAMMARLUND SP-600X. Make offer. Pickup only. (Fabris)

NATIONAL HR-500 all-wave, solid-state rx, 5 kHz to 30 kHz. Price negotiable but in the vicinities of $250. (Charles M. Brelaford, K2WM, 255 Danbury Dr., South, Rochester, NY 14618; 716-244-9519)

HARICHTERS SX-28. Set lights up but doesn't talk. Make offer. Pickup only. (Robert Fabris, 3625 Morrie Lane, San Jose, CA 95127)

That's all we have this time around, but didn't want to hold them any longer.

antennas--

SAN JOSE, CA 95118; phone (408) 10-15

HEATHKIT GR-94. Yrs. old. AM ant. bar missing, needs -54, $100.

REALISTIC DX-4. Yrs. old. SW & AM bands are good. Bought 3 years ago for $50, selling for $15 / make offer. (Robert Wien, 1309 Dentwood Dr., San Jose, CA 95118; phone (408) 265-5686).

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HAMLST LIST UPDATER - 8/9/79

W1 KZ CT...Jim Kearman ex-WN2VNQ

W4 ABR/8 N OH Paul Mount

W4 A2 UH A NJ Bob Kulow 2m / HP

K43 JBP N MD Bill Hutchinson 15m, CW

K43 DE VA Herb Heller 10m

K43 LKH G MD Steve Johnson inactive

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This month the Grand Totals appear. Some updates to reports, as well as a couple of new reporters. No news to report other than a reminder to all to get their reports in for the new format of Graveyard DX Achievements. When submitting please list the stations by State and city alphabetically. This will help us a lot of time organizing the reports. Also please complete your mileage. Much thanks for setting your names onto the initial listing of 1230 records is September 24. List what you

That's it, gang.
The youngest ever editor of one of the N.R.C.'s irregular columns is back again for a second year at another fun-packed (we hope) season of intense DX competition and it is my idea to have you all do a little bit to serve the membership a great meal of contests for the NW DX'er, all designed to act as supplements to your regular routine of DX'ing. Contests will break the monotony of your own set way of DX'ing and allow you to put all of your DXing skills to work against others. With that in mind I hope many will participate. Your efforts will reap you a great reward in the end.

The Grand Prize again this year will be a one-year subscription to DX News. I tried to up the cash value of the Grand Prize this year but NRC is run on a tight budget, so I had to respect that. This being the first Contests column of the coming 79-80 season its purpose will act as an introduction to what will be the story of the season. What I have done this time around that I didn't do last time is to present you with all of the Contest ideas of my own plus those I have selected from members' contributions. Point values, lengths of Contests, etc., and other details have been omitted for now:

1. Only stations that count will be the stations that have the same national network. Ex: all of the network you want to.
2. Only stations that count will be the stations in the 50 state capitals.
3. Stations on even frequencies, stations on odd frequencies, your choice.
4. Pick a state, any state, and stations you send in from your selected state will count.
5. Only stations that will count will be those stations that spell out words, either forwards, backwards or jumbled.
6. Stations only in cities obviously bordering on bodies of water.
7. Stations only in cities obviously bordering on bodies of water.
8. Stations heard signing off at least one-half hour after your local SS time.
9. Stations heard signing on between 5:45 and 6:15 a.m. will count only.
10. Only stations that will count are those on the published NRC Baseball Lists.
11. Canadian stations that relay other Canadian stations.
12. Stations only with a pre-sunrise power other than 500 watts.
13. Stations only from cities with a population of over 100,000.
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18. Stations with call-letters that are in some obvious way correlated with the state name. Ex: KEXL-Ely, Minn., WREA-Franklin, Pa., WCGC-Cadiz, Ky., WMA-Lima, Ohio, WRAAB-Atlanta, Ala., etc.
19. Verification Contest. One of the two Contests I have devised to catch the cheater. Any stations you choose to verify is O.K. This Contest will last one week to hear the stations and will allow one month for verie returns. Person who sends me the most veries of receptions during the Contest will be the winner.
20. Only stations that will count are those on the published NRC Larry King Network List.
21. Only stations that will count are those on the published NRC Baseball Lists.
22. Only stations that will count will be those with 3 call-letters.
23. A 24 hour Contest—just logging: 6 a.m. Sun. — 6 a.m. Mon.
24. A 6 hour Contest—12:00 a.m. any day you wish, only stations testing will count.
25. Stations heard signing on before 5:45 and after 6:15 a.m. will count only.
26. Taping Contest. The other one to prevent cheating. Tape all the stations you send in from your selected state and you can but for one to count it must contain the following: a clear I.D. of the song, each represented by at least one song.
27. Only stations that will count will be those with 3 call-letters.
28. A Contest to see how many states you can log, each represented by at least one station.
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It's winning that counts
It's not how you DX the Contest.

I'm not saying I'm not trying. I'm just trying to do better.

John
Hello everyone! I recently joined NBC, to let everyone know. I'm...
Eraser, Bob "Dr. Duck" Goodman, and yours truly, polished off two six-packs of Coor's, and disappointed at the low turnout. Re eix, NOHM GEUDER, DONALD VOJTA, RICHARD PISTEE, Hob great time, 4 if you're not I guess you're getting a

Law" : Turning a receiver's power switch to the OFF position coincides with a sudden loss of months ago, changing from rock to an MOR/variety format to appeal to an older (35-49) and by. DX tot been 'orrible, at least on CT', this Summer, so the RF-2300 have been set on tivites included discussions on spinal illnesses and their treatment, the role of atheism atts to sample the dial, but from casual listening in the hours before I get to ETIL at 5am (ugh!) the dial seems quite alive. Only a few roticable changes from Eugene, except that apparently) quiet location, right ty the ocean, and after ETIL eigne off at midnight Dryden gets four 50* mini-twins (LPRVs) which will carry separata ads. Differentl A new-

THE NEXT DEADLINE IN PHOVINCETWli KB MUSINGS IS MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 10- SEND IT TODAY!

Hello from St. Charles, ko., Land cf whatever happens to be in this town.

MARK STRICKERT - 3090 North Kedzie - Chicago, Illinois - 60639

8/9/79

Hello from St. Charles, ko., Land of whatever happens to be in this town. Actually, I'm writing this on a train into Chicago, both myself & our U.S. Postal Service cooperate to get this Einie in time for the convention. ANYWAYS, if you're here you'll probably have a great time, a if you're not i gue you're getting by. DX has been terrible, at least on FX, this summer, so the Fu-2600 has been set on the FX from midnight to 6pm, hi, this has had the effect of basing most of my waking hours. DX is always faster, and there's been quite a bit of activity from Germany in the past few weeks. Germany, Austria, and Switzerland. I didn't DX any but I did listen quite a bit to German Radio. I was gone 12 daye 4 we stayed with three families that are friends of mine/my parents. I finally DXed my 800th station (now officially 801 as of 7/28) 4 101 Illiricans. I've heard. April-May Atlantic ratings for Albers abriefly: 1-LON. 2-WLS. 3-FRMH. 4-WMBC 5-10. 6-DON. 7-WJZ. 8-WJZ. WMBC & WJZ. 10-WJZ. 11-BOO. 12-WJZ. WJZ is the missing one, of course. Also, WPCF's format is to change soon, for to & maybe call change to a more general format. The weather was great, the DX was good, the DX stations were quite strong, and the DX was good. I hope to get a list of German AM frequencies soon. See YOU in PRUE for the TSC Convention Aug. 24-28. Good DJ & 73.
HERE'S OUR WISH FOR A GREAT AND SUCCESSFUL N.C. CONVENTION IN ST. LOUIS.

I wrote to the CE at WGN about the dose not

8/11/79

BREWTON - 4500 Connecticut Avenue N.W. #901 - Washington, D.C. 20008 202-966-8046

Greetings again from the Land of Pleasant Living (Potomac River and Chesapeake Bay). The biggest DX QSO ever of any kind. Among the attendees were WBCS, WISER, KOMO, KTLA, and KING.

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RICHARD PETEK, MARK STRICKERT, BILL WURTZEL, JOHN TONDLO, ANDY KWIAT, DON ERICKSON, GRANT MANNINI, RICHARD PETEK, MARK STRICKERT, BILL WURTZEL, JOHN TONDLO, ANDY KWIAT, DON ERICKSON, GRANT MANNINI, RICHARD PETEK, MARK STRICKERT, BILL WURTZEL, JOHN TONDLO, ANDY KWIAT

Don't forget to send us to ito in the U.S. electronics industry who's losing to the Japanese take over everything? Actually, I think he missed the best reason for having a high sensitivity receiver, which is that it allows the use of a small antenna.

8/13/79

WGN IS GETTING CUBAN INTERFERENCE IN ILLINOIS

The next Prov. Deadline for Musings is Monday, September 9. There is time for you to get your entry into that issue.

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FIREträX - 5 Greenwood Avenue - Leith, Connecticut - 06335

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8/15/79

Welcome to the next ***

Send your suggestions to the Editor.
VACATIONS IN CANADA

RONALD E. PILOT - 8661 E.T. 2nd Court (106) - Margate, Florida - 33063 - 1-305-341-3250

For those who may be planning to vacation in the USA, I'm alive, well, and ready to help. I'm also looking for DXing opportunities for the next few months. I hope to be able to provide you with some assistance.

BILLY BARK - 1-301-952-9220

I am currently on vacation in Canada. I will be visiting various cities, including Toronto and Vancouver. I am also planning to attend some local events and festivals. If you have any questions or need assistance during my stay, please feel free to contact me.

PATRICK M. McCREADY - 1-301-645-3420

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