

Big columns this issue! Nice going people! 1DXD & DDXD-East looked good, DDXD-West could be alot better. Musings not present, probably delayed due to weather, look for them next week.

And due to the size of the columns the article, Solar, Earth & DX'ing, will have to be concluded in next weeks issue.

Attention Computer Users. Starting on page 13 is an ANARC Computer Communications Survey that I'd like for you to fill out, cut out and send to ANARC Computer Information Committee.

AM Log Book Updater #4 is available. Order yours today. See your logbook for the order form. Send your order to the Publication Center and NOT to HQ.

CPC TEST (Times listed are Eastern Local Time)

Even if you don't hear the Test, why not send a postcard thanking the station anyway. Also, if you don't want to write to stations yourself to set up a test, you can still help us out. If you send some 22 cent stamps to Wayne Heinen, 4131 S. Andes Way, Aurora, CO 80013, he'll get a letter out for you, I station per every 2 stamps, you can even specify the station or frequency you would like to hear something on. And when a test is arranged your name will appear below! What a deal!

Jan. 24 WWW-630 St. Marys, WV 0000-0030 Test will consist of music, tones, & 1Ds Sunday A polite reception report to Robert Eddy, CE, Radio Station WWW, Box 374, St. Marys, WV 26170.

Test arranged for the NRC by John R. Malicky (with help from Mr. Eddy-Thanks)

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THE WORLD'S OLDEST AND LARGEST ALL MEDIUM-WAVE DX CLUB

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AM SWITCH

Jerry Starr, c/o WHOT Radio, 4040 Simon Road, Youngstown, OH: 44512

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CALL LETTER CHANGES

OLD CALL:

New CALL:

1290 WHCM AL SHEFFIELD WBTG

1380 WMTA KY CENTRAL CITY WTBL

KMUS OK MUSKOGEE KLUE

1550 WKNF TN OAK RIDGE WORI

1550 WKNF TN OAK RIDGE APPLICATIONS FOR NEW STATIONS

640 IN KENTLAND: 250/250 U5 (REAPPLICATION)
880 CA MONTECITO: 1000/220 U2 (REAPPLICATION)

GRANTS FOR NEW STATIONS

890 MA DEDHAM: 10000/1000 U4

APPLICATIONS FROM EXISTING FACILITIES

1150 WCUE OH CUYAHOGA FALLS: DAY POWER TO 2500 WATTS, RELOCATE DAYTIME XR 1570 KVLG TX LA GRANGE: DAY POWER TO 1000, ADD 500 WATTS NIGHTS, U4

GRANTS TO EXISTING FACILITIES

910 WTXN AL LAFAYETTE: CITY OF LICENSE TO PEPPERELL, AL

1030 WUGM MI STERLING HEIGHTS: RELOCATE XR (NEW STATION NOT ON THE AIR)
1070 WHYZ SC GREENVILLE: ADD 50000 WATTS NIGHTS, ANTENNA TO U4, CHANGE

CITY OF LICENSE TO SANS SOUCE, SC

OTHERNESS

1300 WCER IN HUNTINGTON: STATION IS SILENT 1380 KFLJ CO WALSENBURG: STATION IS SILENT

1390 KMDK CO DENVER: STATION IS SILENT BUT THE RECENT ASSIGNMENT OF A NEW CALL (EX-KPPL) INDICATES THIS FACILITY WILL BE REACTIVATED SOON.

COMMENTS AND THANKS

AN NRCER WROTE IN RESPONSE TO SEEING THE REPRINT IN DXN CONCERNING WJJL-1440 BEGINNING FULLTIME OPERATIONS AND ASKED WHY THIS "CP" WAS NEVER IN AM SWITCH. WELL, ACTUALLY IT WAS IN A WAY. THIS NEW FULLTIME OPERATION REFLECTS THE RECENT FCC ACTION PERMITTING NEARLY ALL DAYTIME STATIONS ON REGIONAL CHANNELS TO OPERATE WITH A LOW NIGHT POWER. ALL THIS HAS BEEN COVERED BEFORE BUT BRIEFLY, THESE STATIONS ARE NOT REQUIRED TO FILE AN APPLICATION OR OBTAIN A CP FOR FULLTIME. CHECK THE BOTTOM OF THE AM SWITCH TWO ISSUES AGO. YOU CAN EXPECT TO FIND A GREAT NUMBER OF THESE "SURPRISES" SHOWING UP ON THE REGIONAL FREQUENCIES. AND THANKS TO NRCER WAYNE HEINEN FOR OTHERNESS CONTRIBUTIONS.

73 AND GOOD DX,

Juny & BKF JERRY STARR & BUFFALO K. FOONMAN

From Page 19 IDXD Contributors:

Steve Bohac - Branchville, NJ Marc DeLorenzo - Warner Robins, GA Big George Hakiel - W. Islip, NY Andrew Rugg - Nuns Island, Quebec Brian Vermin - Elsa, Yukon Terrortory William Wyllie - Franklin, MA R7, NRD515, 3' loop, Racal LF converter R392, LW, SM2
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STATION ADDRESS CHANGES

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DOMESTIC DX DIGEST - EAST

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Medium Rove rAMblings

- A note from Wendel Ford of <u>Westville</u>, IN for DL+MI...in V55-III in Nancy's column your 1560 UNID w/possible Ray Briem might be AKA Richard Wood's WTAI-FL. He has received it before and they do have ABC Taikradio. Then again, KQTX-MO also runs the format. I don't know if they would be on yet, though, these are the only 1560's I show w/ABC Taikradio.
- A couple of local notes from the Binghamton Area Radio Market...WNBF-1290 joined NBC as of 1/1 swapping with WINR-680, now CBS. WEBO-1330 is also NBC, whilst WRSG-1360 remains United Stns Net & WENE is ABC/I. WINR, WNBF, WRSG & WENE are all 24 hr-NSP. WNBF now carries the <u>Steve Allen</u> talk show from 1400-1700 M-F, doing away with their DJ/chat programming during that time. WINR off for an extended period on 12/20, allowing **Steve Goozovet** to beg some otherwise next-to-impossible catches. And I was watching football and Christmas Speciels!
- Notice something missing??? If you sent in DX and think it should be here by now, but it hasn't appeared yet, check one or more of the following:
- Mailed it to the old address in Texas, getting here too late to meet the deadline (Yup, I'm still getting forwarded Texas mail)
- Mailed it to old apartment address, getting here too late to meet deadline (Yup, some is still going there, too)
- O Waited (in some cases 7 months) until the DX looks like aged beef to send in
- □ Make every logging into a Stephen King-sized novel. Cmon folks, just the facts
- D Belongs in another column, such as IDXD (Remember, this column is for Domestic DX)
- [] Report in other-than-Eastern Listening Time (This is LAST time I convert for free) Seriously, this gets to be "no fun" sometimes when I have to wade through some of the stuff. How bout making a New Year's resolution to send in more DX, but make it: <u>Current, Clean, Concise.</u> Thanks

SPECIAL

- 540 WWCS PA CANNONSBURG 12/21 off 8 2100, back 8 0136; ment technical adjustments to increase night pwr to 500 watts; CJSB now weaker underneath (JM-PA)
- 580 WKTY WI LA CROSSE 12/21 0142 noted w/wx, then into NBC Talknet (add this to your log); stn unn but not often hrd in WCHS/WTCM/WIBW fight (WPF-IN)
- 590 CKEY ON TORONTO per annot b'cast here on 12/17, a public hearing will be held in Toronto on 2/1 to discuss CKEY's application to swap frequencies w/CKO-2 99.1
- 670 WYLS AL YORK 12/18 1654-1700 feir w/light AC mx; now here, ex:1350 (MD-GA)
- 680 WINR NY BINGHAMTON 12/20 1415 making nasty static noise in pulses...couldn't check again until 1830 when it was gone! What a Christmas present!! (SG-NY)
- 820 WIGT NY HORSEHEADS began operation on 820 1/6; now 24 hrs-a-day (WRH-NY) 830 WADU LA NORCO - 12/27 1748 f/in > KBOA s/off @ 1745; new atn w/OLD; ID @ 1800 WADU
- 830 WADU LA NORCO 12/27 1748 f/in > KBOA s/off @ 1745; new atn w/OLD; ID @ 1800 WADU Gold Rush R. in Norco; pattern change @ 1800; per tip from Artie Bigiey who confirmed they were on per telecon (JB-TX)
- 980 WJBY AL GADSDEN 11/27 1917-22 fair in WPAT null w/recorded REL, ID @ :20+GOS mx; IDs as Your Stn for Inspiration;s format change (KG-PA)
- 1000 WLUP IL CHICAGO noted w/OC > Sun night GOS show (leftover from WCFL days?); off @ 0122 but nothing audible in noise; studio GTH is John Hancock Tower, XR is near Downers Grove, IL (DP-IL)
 - WYBT FL BLOUNTSTOWN 12/24 1822 w/C&W stars giving Holiday greetings, then C&W mx; format change?; 1st-timer o/WLUP (WPF-IN2)
- 1110 KFAB NE OMAHA 12/21 0312 format change? w/BFL Mx, no C&W mx; soundedautomated, same exact songs as I twirl on 5 decks, 7 days a week; wonder if tapes are from RPM in Southfield, MI? (WPF-IN)
- 1200 WOAI TX SAN ANTONIO stn has alient period between 0200 & 0500 for about an hour each Monday (JB-TX)
- 1320 CJSO PQ SOREL stn has been SILENT since 12/14 or before; freq now dominated by CFGH (RUGG)
- 1340 WSOY IL DECATUR 12/24 1418 w/C&W/MOR mx; poss format change here from EZL; 1st-timer in WIBW null (WPF-IN2)
- 1380 KBOP TX PLEASANTON new fulltime; in SS+2000, then in EE (poss simul w/FMer) to 0100 s/off; PSSA in effect (JB-TX)

DX & EQUIPMENT TESTS

- 560 WIND IL CHICAGO 12/7 0115 noted for 1st time on ET w/continuous tone; still ETing @ 0205 recheck; 2 unIDs under (DP-IL)
- 1160 WJJD IL CHICAGO 12/14 0320 noted w/OC & various pitches of tones, none of the hoped-for PA stns noted; only KSL/WAMB (WPF-IN)
 - WYNS PA LEHIGHTON 12/28 0207 good-strong @ times w/ET; said they were 1000 watts @ nite; played ROK OLD; high & low tones from 0215-0228 which camethru better than the voice did (WW-MA)
- 1580 CBJ PQ RIMOUSKI 12/18 0336 noted w/TT/OC instead of CLA mx/WVKO in their null as usual (WPF-IN)

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- 690 UNID ?? 12/20 before 2000 w/EE REL content, apparently a church service (5)
 bearing south, I believe; no ID caught @ 2000 as WINR was back (SG-NY)
- 750 UNID ?? 12/21 O417 somebody running w/"Best of LK", looped E+W, perhaps a test using an FM sister simul as audio?? ABC-I Nx @ :00; KOAL? (WPF-IN)
- 800 UNID ?? 12/20 1839 somebody w/Cardinals/Bucs NFL FB; fair→poor w/CKLW; KREI? (JFH-OK)
- 810 UNID ?? 12/15 2015 w/C&W mx (speaking FF, mx in EE); good (EH-NY)
- 820 UNID ?? 12/28 1628 fair>poor w/C&W mx, ad for <u>Personal Protection</u> Concepts @ 251-0661, stox mkt rpt; faded out @ 1858 (JFH-OK)
- 970 UNID ?? 12/1 2243 w/Minnesota North Stars vs Toronto HKY, about .887 sec behind flagship KSTP; WDAY or KGHR? v/poor, drifting in/out; co-channel QRM + het (DP-IL)
- 1170 UNID ?? 11/27 0922 Carpet World ad; slgn 11-70 Country, KZOY; C&W tunes incl My Lover Can't Be Found & Lord I Hope This Day Is Good by Don Williams then faded meas; KAPE?; poor, briefly atop co-channel mess (DP-MO)
- 1310 UNID ?? 12/28 1734 in FF, looped basically E/W; CHGB?; would be a 1st-timer; no CIWW or WIBA (WPF-IN1)
- 1320 UNID ?? 12/7 1935 EST TC, lcl wx (hi was 49), outro listen to the Music of Your Life on 1320, W2J?>BBD mx; WKAP-PA? poor>v/poor, o/u CFGM/others (DP-IL) (WJAS-PA's nite pattern favors you better than WKAP-WRH)

OVER THE TOP AND UNDERNEATH_CLUB

- 1610 KID702 VA APPOMATTOX COURT HOUSE 12/10 0530-50 fairly strong w/tape loop description of the park located on VA Hwy 24, approx 2 mi. NE of the Town of Appomattox;

 QRM from Jamestown & Harpers Ferry TISes; pwr 10 watts, per verie (KG-PA)
 - UNID TX HOUSTON or AUSTIN 12/23 0000-0400 w/SA Int AP TIS off; bits & pieces of audio (about 5% readable) w/long-range wx forecasts for various cities & flight info for Southwest & other Airlines; looping East; probably Houston's Hobby or Intercontinental (AB-TX)

HARMONIC HAVEN

1680 WFIL PA PHILADELPHIA - 12/28 2017-2100 hrd 3rd harmonic, quite strong w/static crashes & RTTY or beacon QRM; OLD ROK & quite listenable; nothing on 1120 & 560 is hard to hear here due to WHYN 15 air miles away; **DS** sez new directional system recently installed & he was going to contact <u>Bob Janney</u>, Eng about my reception; address in log is wrong; watch AMS for correct one (RM-CT)

MIDWIGHT TO MIDDAY

- 530 CJFT ON FT ERIE 12/18 0009-0013 fair w/sps & ROK tune; again on 12/19 0158-0204 fair w/ballad & nx; IDs for CJRN & CJFT (MD-GA)
 - CJFT ON FT ERIE 12/25 0107 w/Holiday carols; 1st time <a href=here; good for distance fighting T'Storm static, but no beacon (WPF-IN2)
- 580 KWTO MO SPRINGFIELD 12/10 0109 good w/C&W mx; 0121 KWTO, it's 41 degrees in Springfield; Freq, IDs 'til 0145 (JB-TX)
- 570 WWNC NC ASHVILLE 12/27 0204 wx+annet Your Country 5th WWNC (CC2-PA)
 - WSYR NY SYRACUSE 12/27 0206 ads+Talknet (CC2-PA)
 - WSYR NY SYRACUSE 12/7 0029 w/wx rpt for Central NY (WPT-DC)
 - WKYX KY PADUCAH 12/9 CG20 Talkradio's Ray Briem w/guest Jack Jones|NUSB (the best), WISN, KSTP; waited until CG37 to get clear(?) ID Your Direct Connection, WKYX, 'Ducah; KY #4; poor+v/poor, hvy co-channel QRM, WIND slop (DP-IL)
 - WAAX AL GADSDEN 12/7 0212 C&W mx; female saying this was the MCRN w/TC 13 past the hour folod by more C&W mx; soft-talking man w/sps; lcl ad for treasure hunt, promo for Big Wax R.; PSA, slgn Big wax R. in \$ back to MCRNIWSM; AL#3 (DP-IL)
- 610 CHNCt PQ NEW CARLISLE 12/7 0013tent w/talk in FF; fair o/u/WIP (WPT-DC)
- 630 WLAP KY LEXINGTON 12/27 0159 wx promo→You're listening to Talknet on AM-63 WLAP, Lexington→CBS Nx (CC-PA)
 - KXOK MO ST LOUIS 12/21 0314 KSLR nulled; good; AC; KXOK IDs @ 0319 & 0340 (JB-TX) CFCO ON CHATHAM 11/29 0058 ROK mx folod Newsradio Nx, lcl wx+Chicago mx on AM
- 63, CFCO; new; fair; KXOK/WLAP underneath (DP-IL) 640 KTIB LA THIBODAUX - 12/6 0758 good w/promos for LA tourism & Country Countdown synd-
- icated pgm; AP Nx (KVJ-GA)

 AL BIRMINGHAM 11/30 0719 quick WVOK, TC 6:19, brief wx; Rowbuck Chrysler-Plymouth & American Mobile Phone ads; pgm preview, slgm All You Need To
 Know, 4 AM, Monday Morning on AM 690 WVOK Dan Seals tune, CBS' Firstline Rpt;
- AL #1 on SRS; v/poor w/co-channel/lcl QRM w/vestiges of CBF (DP-IL)

 810 WDDDt IL JOHNSON CITY-MARION 11/27 1007 tent w/AT&T, Groves Carpets, Jim Pearle

 Autos ads; female w/wx; ad for Ike Nissan on Rte 13 east of Carondale; slgn

 The Mountain; lotse OLD w/slgn The Million-Dollar Sound of AM-81 & tlk; more

 OLD, another slgn The Good Times & The Good Songs Are Here on \$ 81; never hrd

 ID: poor in KCMO null w/lcl QRM (DP-MO)
 - KCMO? MO KANSAS CITY 11/27 1030 stn noted in passing while chasing WDDD; w/ad for Westport Shopping Ctr in KC, Pontiac & Sears ads; poor in null of AM 811
- 850 KOA OO DENVER 12/28 0150 strong @ times behind lcl WHDH w/tlk show (maybe (Restaurant Show; noted IDs whenever they answered telephone calls (WW-MA)
- 910 KGLC OK MIAMI 12/25 0144 w/C&W Holiday mx & New Years resolution #910 is to always keep your radio dial tuned to AM 910 KGLC Miami (pro:My-am'-uh)(WPF-IN2)

970 WDAY ND FARGO - 12/15 0050 fair w/Talknet; annor winner for 2 dinners by Folgers
Coffee; ad for Charles Schwab brokerage; 1g1 ID @ 0100 (JB-TX)

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- 1000 KHAM AR HORSESHOE BEND 12/18 0700 w/s/on; XR located 2 mi east of Horseshoe Bend studios @ ? St; 0 & 0 by WWM Broadcast Co, a wholly-owned subsidiary of ?? (JB-TX)
- 1010 CFRB ON TORONTO 12/7 0119 somewhat in the clear w/ WLUP off; taping this for rpt; usual AC mx & nx sponsored by Nob Hill Farms; fair*v/poor; o/u/WINS & maybe
- 1050 WFAN NY NYC 12/17 0555 tire store ad, promo for Sports Radio 1050; several IDs hrd (CS-NY)
- 1080 WMCL IL MC LEANSBORO 11/28 1045 promo for contest from your friends @ the entertainer, 1060, WMCL folo by Anne Murray tune, DJ w/nx teaser & ID; C&W song; WMCL NxWatch @ 1050 spon by WG Motors in Mt Vernon; new, poor w/mod QRM (DP-MO)
- 1070 KNX CA LOS ANGELES 12/28 0112 W/nx (of course) about LA Holiday trfx accidents (or 10-50s as police call them) thru WIBC/WTSO & KHMO?; 1st time in o/5yrs!; CHOK seemed to be off the air (WPF-IN2)
- 1080 WRYT IL EDWARDSVILLE-COLLINSVILLE 11/28 1140 noted running lcl sps-tlk show, ID @ 1150 WRYT Edwardsville-Collinsville>SNN; lcl nx/sps @ 1202; Reagen Radio (?-WRH); >SNN Stardust BBD format; requesting applications for its Stn Advisory Board (DP-MO)
- 1120 WKGW PA OIL CITY 12/10 0700 good @ s/on in clear; out @ 0715 WUST s/on; nx, wx, mx, ads, IDs 11KGW (HH-MD)
 - WDUF VA DUFFIELD 12/20 0735 hrd an ID during pause in KMOX's pgm, no other info; lucky catch (KVJ-GA)
- 1140 KSOO SD SIOUX FALLS 12/25 0207 w/lcl nx, wx, Holiday greetings from KSOO, when you need to know, closing w/ABC Nx theme; o/WRVA; rare here @ home; lst-timer (WPF-IN2)
- 1150 CJRC ON OTTAWA 12/25 0243 FF, ||CJMS-1280; 1st-timer here & alone (WPF-IN2) 1180 KSL UT SALT LAKE CITY - 12/28 0230 while listening to WYNS, noted another, fair &
- strong @ times; 0230 This is 1160, KSL folo by 1cl nx (also @ 0255), net nx @ :00; NOT HRD IN YRS!!! took me by surprise (WW-MA)
- 1190 KLIF TX DALLAS 12/21 0405 female w/Now KLIF Teleweather; during WOAI SP (JB-TX)
 WOWO IN FT WAYNE 11/27 0915 ads for <u>Highland Superstore</u> Ecotrin; DJ It's
 9:16 here @ wo-wo; brief wx, entertainment rpt; surprise logging as KHAD is
 usually here; new from MO; fair-poor w/KHAD under, sometimes mixing (DP-MO)
- 1200 WKIT ME BREWER 12/28 0803-13 w/POP mx, wx & lcl ad cluster, IDs; ex:WGUY (RUGG)
- 1290 KLKE TX DEL RIO 12/14 0615 KLKE, Del Rio's Oldest R. Stn; Bing Crosby/Andrews Sisters tune; annor It's now 16 mins past 6 O'Clock+Rio Grande Wx (JB-TX)
- 1280 WSQV PA BERWICK 12/2 0710-0815 good w/Solid Gold prgmmg of ROK OLD, clustered ads, & CNN Nx @ :00; IDs as Susquehanna Valley's Golden Authority; ex:WBRX (KG-PA)
 - CJMS PQ MONTREAL 12/25 0122 w/FF comedy pgm; lst-timer here, alone, no WGBF (WPF-IN2)
- 1340 WMID NJ ATLANTIC CITY 12/28 0006 NBC Nx+Alcoholics Anonymous PSA, then This is AM 1340, WMID, Atlantic City+Talknet (CC2-PA)
- 1400 WEST PA EASTON 12/17 0730 w/nx, wx 4cast, 2 IDs @ 0735→mx (CS-NY)
 - WBAT IN MARION 11/26 0839 live ad for holiday event north of I-465 from all your friends @ WBAT; ad for Hometown Furn on S. Washington in Marion; PSA, ad; back into slop, replaced by LK stn; poor w/co-channel ripply QRM; new, not yet had in Evanston (DP-MO)
- 1490 WXVQ FL DELAND 12/19 surprise @ 0651 while listening to WSFB; w/OLD & wx (KVJ-GA) WTRL FL BRADENTON 12/19 0713 w/OLD & Radio 1490 slogan (KVJ-GA)
- 1540 CHIN ON ·TORONTO 12/27 0146 SID→UC mx; o/u/KXEL (CC2-PA)
- 1550 WCTW? IN NEW CASTLE 11/26 C638 tent w/ROK, promo for WCCW Wx, TC & sign & Humane Society PSA; DJ Classic Hits WCCW, 42 degrees, OLD, SID, OLD; poor w/C&W/unIDs underneath (DP-MO)
- 1570 WFRL IL FREEPORT 11/26 0328 LK ment of Chicago's mayor death; slgn You're listening to Freeport's new 24-hour-a-day stn, Light 1570 WFRL Freeport; PSAs, slgn repeated & back to LK; | w/2 stns on 1590 except for PSAs; poor, o/u/XERF/unID GOS stn; new (DP-MO)
- 1600 WWRL NY NYC 12/27 0100 end of mass+ID & GOS mx; o/KATZ (CC2-PA)

MIDDAY TO MIDNIGHT

- 530 CJFT ON FT ERIE 12/20 2225 old ROK mx; good (EH-NY)
- 540 CJSB ON OTTAWA 12/16 2300 ID 54-Light, mx; L&C (EH-NY)
- 550 WAYR FL ORANGE PARK 12/14 1710 Your Channel of Blessing Christmas mx+taped REL pgm (KVJ-GA)
 - CFNB NB FREDERICTON 12/21 2115 only noted ID & C&W mx o/lcl WICE; strong for awhile (WW-MA)
- 570 KLDD TX DALLAS 12/18 2326-28 v/good o/u/WWNC w/OLD & K-Oldie slogans (MD-GA)
- 80 WHP PA HARRISBURG 12/16 1830 w/nx & wx (EH-NY)
- 810 CHNC PQ NEW CARLISLE 12/19 2250 in FF w/ID; good o/WIP (WW-MA)
- 620 WMT VT BURLINGTON 12/21 2120 good for a few minutes; faded in w/...legrees & 62 WMT (WW-MA)
- 630 WMAL DC WASHINGTON 12/25 2234 ad for jewelry store in Chevy Chara. MD (CC2-PA)

- 640 WHOF FL HOFFMAN 12/14 1700 weak & brief w/Cuban QRM; AM \$ 64 & in the heart of FL ments; sounded like BFL mx-type format (KVJ-GA)
 - WJTZ TN BLOUNTSVILLE 12/18 1701-15 good, w/Magic Memories, prgmmg ROK OLD; ads, & 64-JTZ & The Tri-Cities' preferred spot on the dial slogans; lost @ pwr/pattern change (KG-PA)
 - WFNC NC FAYETTEVILLE 12/27 1812 Dodge dlr ad You're listening to AM 64 WFNC OLD (CC2-PA)
- 680 WMIC MI SANDUSKY 12/17 1500-1700 (off and on) came in like a local; 1700 s/off; report sent; per tip from NRCer Harley Stewart (FW-PA)
- KTNN AZ WINDOW ROCK 12/28 1857 good w/C&W, IDs, EE annor; barely audible > pattern change @ 1900 (JFH-OK)
- 680 WRKO MA BOSTON 12/20 1830 w/some kind of 1cl call-in show, since man aenswered phone w/WRKO... (SG-NY)
 - WPTF NC RALEIGH 12/20 1847 Christmas message from stn & a sps talk show; good (SG-NY)
 - CFTR ON TORONTO 12/20 1915 jx id, ROK mx; fair, but generally u/WPTF (SG-NY)
- 690 WVOK AL BIRMINGHAM 12/3 1730 v/strong w/end of nx; ID Serving the heart of Dixie for 50 years, this is WVOK, Birmingham-wx 4cast (CS-NY)
- 700 KFAM UT NORTH SLC 12/25 2212 tlk show, fair @ times u/WLW; phone # to call had an 801 (Utah) area code; log sez EZL though (CC2-PA)
- 720 WWII PA SHIREMANSTOWN 11/28 1319 fairly good w/popular mx, ads, nx/wx,etc (HH-MD1)
- CHIN PI CHARLOTTESTOWN 12/15 1659-1711 fair w/wx, sps. lcl ads, AST TCs, ment of CHIN Island Newsbeat & CHIN-In touch w/Islanders; Olympic athlete profile, RCMP anti-drunk driving PSA+song Lady in Red (MS-ON)
- 740 CBC ON TORONTO 12/16 2000 female annor, then nx; faded @ 2002 to SS stn (EH-NY)
- 750 WSB GA ATLANTA 12/16 1800 trfx rpt on I-85, wx rpt, Christmas mx (EH-NY)
 - WNDZ IN PORTAGE 12/24 1235 good w/REL pgm; a local @ home, but real DX here; WRIK noted underneath (WPF-IN2)
- 760 KMTL AR SHERWOOD 12/3 1739-59 good o/WJR w/GOS bluegrass+s/off (MD-GA)
- 780 WLRM MS RIDGELAND 12/10 1752-59 fair, alone w/AC, jx, lcl nx; only IDs were for WEQZ FM, then abrupt s/off @ 1759 w/no annomit (MD-GA)
 - WHCH NC FOREST CITY 12/23 1715-16 w/2 lcl ads, ID for 93.3 WBBO-FM+CHR mx; disappeared @ PSSA pwr drop; good in WBBM null, >WCKB's s/off (KG-PA)
- 790 WTSK AL TUSCALOOSA 12/18 1738-48 v/good w/lcl ads & promo for WTSK Money Box (guess how many coins in box)+Christmas REL mx, fade to WNWS; new (JM-PA)
 - CKSO ON SUDBURY 12/15 1948 w/wx, & party canx; good (EH-NY)
- 800 CJAD PQ MONTREAL 12/15 1955 w/call-in show (re:finance & taxes) (EH-NY) CKLW ON WINDSOR 12/17 2145 w/Christian mx (Netherlands low under) (EH-NY)
- 810 WDDD IL JOHNSTON CITY 12/16 1840 fair w/ads for businesses in Carterville & on I-57: W-3D IDs. OLD mx (JFH-OK)
- 820 WBAP TX FT WORTH 12/18 2250 w/BKB game, ad for <u>Sears</u> heaters; good @ times; fading & mixing (EH-NY)
 - WRFA FL LARGO 12/16 1704-33+ good⇒strong w/C&W mx & Orlaando/Tampa ments (forgot to reduce pwr?); in WCZE null o/CHAM; nice to see snow outside & pick up FL on the radio...who needs a vacation?; lst timer (WPF-IN)
- 830 WCCO MN MINNEAPOLIS 12/15 2020 w/BKB scores; host talking to man named John about sports; good (EH-NY)
- 840 WHAS KY LOUISVILLE 12/15 2055 sps rpt, then nx; good (EH-NY)
 - KWDF LA BALL 12/28 1749 GOS mx, ad for A-Plus Insurance of LA; KWDF, your quality gospel mx stn; s/off @ 1815, mentg serving Alexandria, Pineville, & Ball: new: LA #41 (JFH-OK)
 - WDHY AL MOBILE 12/28 1800 fair w/KWDF, WHAS nulled;s/off o/o by 1701 Media, Inc, 501 C St...non-profit organization; ex:WWAX (JFH-OK)
- 850 WAET FL W PALM BEACH 12/15 2245 Peaceful sounds of WEAT; ad for Flowerest in Palm Beach (EH-NY)
 - WHIDH MA BOSTON 12/15 2305 w/nx & sps rpt; good (EH-NY)
- 870 WQRX AL VALLEY HEAD-FT PAYNE 12/6 1721 w/Supremes tune, ID sounding like WGRX Far_Ex-87; satellite DJ & ads, more OLD; then Alabama's My Home's In AL as s/off theme mx; ann as WQRX Valley ?-Ft Payne, AL, left OC on; v/poor; WWL rippling in back w/buzzy QRM; v/ripply signal; AL #2 on SSS (DP-IL)

 WWL LA NEW ORLEANS 12/15 2255 w/REL pgm & CLs (EH-NY)
- 880 KRVN NE LEXINGTON 12/2 1751-1800 good, atop frequency w/C&W (MD-GA)
 - KIKR TX CONROE 12/16 1829 w/Dolly Parton mx & CLs; more C&W mx; 1st timer and bit of a shock! in severe WLS splash, but no WCBS/KRVN (WPF-IN)
- 910 CKLYt ON LINDSAY 12/3 2336 Maple Leafs at Calgary HKY, finally an ad @ 2339 (for ID purposes), team contest (Leafs score, you win gift certificate), back to pbp; fair, then v/poor o/u/co-channel QRM (DP-IL)
 - CKLY ON LINDSAY 12/18 2245 w/Maple Leafs/Capitals HKY game; L&C (EH-NY)
 - CKLY ON LINDSAY 12/17 2100 w/ID; poor, battling WRCQ/CHRL (WW-MA)
 - CHRL PQ ROBERVAL 12/17 2110 noted ID only in mess of stations; poor (WW-MA)
- 920 CKCYt ON SOO STE MARIE 12/3 2232 apparent Jr HKY league wrap-up w/many references to opponents, the Ottawa 67s>ad for store; the 67s are in the ON HKY League, only stn on 920 in an OHL city is CKCY (SSM Greyhounds); any ideas?; poor, o/u/RM (DP-IL)
 - CKNX ON WINGHAM 12/23 1629 C&W tune folo by AM 9-20 CKNX→nx @ :30; xlnt, no sign of WMMN (CC1-PA)

- 930 WYNI AL MONROEVILLE 12/11 1800 w/ads for People's Exchange Bank & Tasco Auto Parts→lcl nx; fair; lst time since switch from 1510 (KVJ-GA)
 - WAMX WV HUNTINGTON 11/27 1800-1958 good in WPAT null w/mix of CHR & ROK OLD, clustered ads & Accu-Wx; IDs as W-Mix, the new 93.2; w/AM ID @ :00 (KG-PA)
 - KWOC MO FOPLAR BLUFF 12/27 2119 C&W+annot for KWOC WxCenter for latest info on school closings, listen to KWOC; poor u/Cuban/WBEN? (CC?-PA)
- 940 KVSHt NE VALENTINE 11/28 1810 tent w/PSA & CL K8?SC & wx for north central NE/ central SD; disappeared u/KIOA; v/poor on SSS (DP-MO)
 - PQ MONTREAL 12/19 2000 w/Christmas mx (Bobby Helms' Jingle Bell Rock (If we abbreviate, does that become Jx Bell ROK?-WRH) (EH-NY)
- 950 WROL MA BOSTON 12/19 1600 fair w/nx from SNN, ID⇒pgm Irish Hit Parade; CKBB nulled (MS-ON)
 - MI DETROIT 12/23 2119 sps scores+1cl nx; o/WQBE (CC1-PA)
 - WGTA GA SUMMERVILLE 12/23 1719 w/anno & wx mentg S-ville & Rome (GA); 1s-timer here (WPF-IN1)
- 980 CHINS NS HALIFAX 12/19 1700 fair w/CHNS Nx @ 6, nx about police strike in St John, NB; new province for me @ this QTH: CFTJ nulled (MS-ON)
 - CFFX ON KINGSTON 12/15 1819-1903 way o/all on overrun w/day pattern; prgmmg POP mx of the 60's, clustered ads, wx; IDs as The new 960- C-Fox; ex:CKWS (KG-PA)
- 970 WAVG KY LOUISVILLE -11/27 2329 W/ID, Talknet's Neil Myers W/WAVG is the talk of the town because WAVG is the home of Talknet; back to NM on Talknet; fair, on top of mess (DP-MO)
 - WJMX SC FLORENCE 12/3 1710 nx by female w/ment of Sen Thurmond; good u/w/WWRC splash (WPT-DC)
 - WAVG KY LOUISVILLE 12/23 1820 w/ROK, IDs The Home Team; fair, briefly, o/XEJ/ KCFO (JFH-OK)
- 980 KXLA LA RAYVILLE 12/15 1836 weak w/USW mx, annor ? is joining us here & KXLA (JB-TX)
- 1000 KKIM NM ALBUQUERQUE 12/23 1843 w/Dallas REL Pgm; then promo for listeners to ment KKIM @ Howard Johnson's and get Christmas Special... 2 persons \$49.50 w/breakfast...296-3352 for reservations (JB-TX)
- 1020 WRIX SC ANDERSON 12/6 1654 good atop frequency w/HS FB score, ads, GOS mx; lost & may have signed off @ 1715 (HH-MD1)
- 1030 KKJC MD BLUE SPRINGS 12/15 1815 w/KKJC wx rpt, severe winter wx conditions (JB-TX)
- 1040 WHO IA DES MOINES 12/19 2350 w/BKBgame, ad for Valley West Mall & Eveready Batteries; fair (EH-NY)
- 1060 CJRP PQ QUEBEC 12/24 1440 @ window-rattling strength w/Ameteur Nite-type of pgm w/singers in FF and, of course, La Pére Noel (SG-NY)
- 1070 CHOK ON SARNIA 12/18 2320 w/ad for coats, fade out, back w/Christmas mx (EH-NY) WAPI AL BIRMINGHAM - 12/8 1744 drugstore & optician ads; good (WPT-DC1)
- WTIC CT HARTFORD 12/8 1705-10 fair o/WCII w/lcl nx; only #2 from New England here 1080 (MD-GA)
- 1120 WYNO OH NELSONVILLE 11/29 1707 good atop frequency w/PSA, C&W mx, s/off (HH-MD) KMOX MO ST LOUIS - 12/18 2255 ad by Ozzie Smith for Chevy dlr→CBS Nx; L&C (EH-NY)
- WCXI MI DETROIT 11/30 1832 w/C&W mx& DJ sign AM 1130 WCXI & wx teaser; more C&W; new; poor w/WNEW underneath, het noise (DP-IL)
- 1140 WSPC VA ST PAUL 12/24 1714 strong in WRVA null w/Christmas wishes & full-date s/off: main studio & XR QTH is Castlewood, VA; IDs as St Paul-Castlewood; power is 2500 watts (KG-PA)
- 1160 KSL UT SLC 11/27 2325 postgame show for BYU BKB vs Montana SU; BYU ad, Charlie van Dyke w/slgn 11-60 KSL back to wrap-up; poor u/o/ripply WJJD w/unID in back (Cuba?); new from MO (DP-MO)
- 1200 KY00 MO BOLIVAR 12/18 1800 fair, atop w/C&W (MD-GA)
- WWDY ME CALAIS 12/27 2105-59 ending ABC-I Nx. folo by REL pgm to 2158; s/off annot 1230 @ 2159 mentg Voice of the St Croix Valley; strongest signal on freq, in/out
- KWHK KS HUTCHINSON 12/21 (no time) up briefly u/KTTS w/ed,ID (JFH-OK) 1260
- 1270 WWCA IN GARY - 12/23 1738 blk female w/speech about hypocrits+annot You've been listening to ??? on WWCA; fair-poor w/rippling fades; faded to WCBC (CC1-PA)
- 1280 CJMS PQ MONTREAL 12/8 1720 FF tlk by male & female; xlnt (WPT-DC1) CJMS PQ MONTREAL - 12/6 1728 good @ times, believed to be stn here in FF w/many
- Montreal ments, POP mx w/FF & EE vocals (HH-MD) 1290 WFIG SC SUMTER - 12/14 1733 good, briefly atop frequency o/jumble w/sps, wx, C&W mx (HH-MD)
 - CJBK ON LONDON ~ 12/23 2157 poor w/lcl nx+ads & annet London's ??? 1290 CJBK (CC1-PA)
- 1310 CIWW ON OTTAWA 12/7 1757 w/Harry Chapin OLD, DJ w/W-1310 ID & it's 6 O'Clock then Erin McElvie w/W-1310 Nx using Newsradio actualities; TC, diamond ad, W-1310 Sps, ad for lingerie store, wx, more; fair→poor in WIBA null (DP-IL)
 - CIWW ON OTTAWA 12/6 1730 w/lcl HKY score, W-1310 wx, album mx; good briefly o/ semi-lcl WDCT (HH-MD)
 - WOYK PA YORK 12/18 1644 fair o/CKAR w/wx & ID→unfamiliar MOR~type song (MS-ON) WNVA VA NORTON ~ 12/2 1853-1700 p/all w/ID as Wise Cuty's Most Powerful Radio Stn & anncg QTH as Norton-Wise-Coburn+MYL-type mx (KG-PA)

- 1360 KRYS TX CORPUS CHRISTI 12/25 1756 good w/C&W mx (not CHR as in log); slgns: Mx from your best country stn KRYS @ 1803, K-99 @ 1816 & Corpus Christi you're best country K-99 @ 1829; format change (JB-TX)
- 1370 KDTHt IA DUBUQUE 12/6 2334 Chicago Bears FB @ Minnesota via Tribune NetHWHO, but behind in sync of WGN; only stn on 1370 in IRCA's SportCentre listing; v/poor u/semi-lcl WLTH/unID UC stn (DP-IL)
- 1380 WVSA AL VERNON 12/10 1734-37 strong o/mess w/ad for auto parts store w/locations in Vernon, Sullehn (?-WRH), & Detroit (not MI, hi), no ID southern accented DJ w/Elvis tune: new: strong opening to AL today (JM-PA)
 - WRBQ FL ST PETERSBURG 12/18 1755 strong w/Q-105 slogans, CHR mx, Children's Hospital donations & live Ray Perkins (Bucs coach) Show (JM-PA)
 - WYNK LA BATON ROUGE 12/17 1750-52 way atop w/C&W, trfx rpt, Wink 101.5 slogans
- 1390 WINL GA REIDSVILLE 12/12 1415 fair u/WISK w/OLD; hrd in car in Dublin, GA; had been unreported in DXN since pre-'74, attn: DKK (MD-GA)
 - WLAN PA LANCASTER 12/18 1633 fair w/lcl nx by female, pgm annots, lcl sps (MS-ON)
 - WMER MS MERIDIAN 12/21 1847 fair w/Focus on thefamily, ad for The Bible Book Store @ 23rd & 9th Sts; QRM from KCRC & the Mexican; new, MS #28 (JFH-OK)
- 1400 WSFB GA QUITMAN 12/19 1849-1917 good @ times w/lcl ads for Bank of Quitman & Hal's Farm Supply, promo for syndicated Country Calendar pgm (KVJ-GA)
 - WRAK PA WILLIAMSPORT 12/21 1700 ID @ :00, lcl nx; fair; ne where (SG-NY) WEST PA EASTON - 12/21 1710 w/WRAK & semi-regular WJTC; WEST Nxtime coming up on
 - 5:10 (SG-NY)
- 1420 CJMT PQ CHICOUTIMI 12/7 1717 FF tlk; fair→good (WPT-DC)
- 1430 WFHK AL PELL CITY 12/10 1742 good w/lcl ad w/Childersburg location, then gone (JM-PA)
 - TN KNOXVILLE 12/18 1807-48 mostly in the clear w/GOS singing & frequent IDs as Christian R. in Knoxville w/5000 w of pwr; also hrd 12/18 @ 0559 w/fulldata s/on (KG-PA)
- 1440 WHHY AL MONTGOMERY 12/10 1757-59 fair->good w/ad, full wording of lcl nx, radar wx & Afternoon Trfx w/Eric Wade; v/rare (JM-PA)
 - WRRO OH WARREN 12/19 1205 nx about fire next door to stn (6 children die); mx; good (EH-NY)
- 1460 WWWG NY ROCHESTER 12/20 2158 fair w/lcl CJOY nulled; promo for Christian Skate Night spon by 3-W-G; ID as WMWG Rochester w/Wonderful Words of Prayer; I now need only WBBF-950 to complete Rochester on AM (MS-ON)
 - CKRB PQ ST GEORGES DE BEAUCE 12/23 1649 assumed to be the one here w/FF tele-talk in/out mush (WPF-IN1)
- 1480 CKAN ON NEWMARKET 11/30 1720 wx, temp in T, ment of Newmarket; fair (WPT-DC1)
- WCNN GA ATLANTA 11/25 1748 sps, ment of New Alexandria, eatery ad (WPT-DC1)
- 1490 WHOC MS PHILADELPHIA 12/18 2304 dual AM-FM s/off, ments of WWSL-FM & SSB @ end; fair (KVJ-GA)
- 1520 WSVL IN SHELBYVILLE 12/16 1805 w/lcl nx in KOMA null; semi-lcl WKVI already off (WPF-TN)
- 1540 WADK RI NEWPORT 12/16 1715 good w/taped wx & DJ mentg temp, 2 lcl ads in Newport, sps, then gone to CHIN; ('85 NRC Convention Site) (JM-PA)
 - KXEL IA WATERLOO 12/20 2136 w/REL pgm mixing w/others (these are correct CLs, Edwin, maybe they have an FMer as KXDO; any help from out there?-WRH) (EH-NY)
- 1550 WARD PA PITTSTON 12/20 2210 W/Christmas ad & ID (EH-NY)
 - WYNX GA SMYRNA 12/23 1706 wx+Tax Tip & 5:06 @ Light AM 1550 WYNX+REL mx; v/good > WJLY signs off (CC1-PA)
 - WARD PA PITISTON 12/24 1624-41 good w/lcl ad cluster, tlk show, biz nx & wx; also noted briefly 12/13w/promo & ID WARD Pittston-Wilkes Barre-Scranton (RUGG)
- 1580 WCNW OH FAIRFIELD 12/2 1628 GOS pgm, ad for Heaven's Cupboard; xlnt; #20 on 1560 (WPT-DC2)
 - WSHY IL SHELBYVILLE 12/24 1407 w/time & temp check & Holiday greetings; 1st time from here (WPF-IN2)
- 1580 WOXR AL OXFORD 12/17 1729-50 v/good w/many lcl ads, Merry Christmas From WOXR, etc & EZL Christmas; gone @ apparent pwr cut; new (JM-PA)
 - WOXR AL OXFORD 12/9 1731-45 good w/lel ad, wx, ID as Calhoun Cnty's Good Mx Stn, and pgm of Christmas mx; lost @ PSSA pwr drop (KG-PA)
 - WPMO MS PASCAGOULA 12/10 1751+ v/good w/many lcl ads, 2 DJs, Eddy & Rick @ Toyota dlr & find the diamond ring contest, back to studio w/C&W mx & 99 FM slogans (JM-PA)
 - WAMJ IN SOUTH BEND 12/16 1659 fair w/pgm annots; ID asAM-1580 WAMJ (MS-ON)
 - WANB PA WAYNESBURG 12/12 1658 fair w/mx Winter Wonderland; ID & s/off @ 1700 w/ 103 FM invite (MS-ON)
 - WMRE TN SOUTH KNOXVILLE 12/2 1713-30 s/off; strong w/wx & Heart & Soul blues singing; full-date s/off; ex: WSKT (KG-PA)
 - WWKO OH COLUMBUS 12/25 2250 McDonalds ad+Listen to the countdown of the heart and soul of the city, AM 16 WVKO (CC2-PA)
- 1590 WVNA AL TUSCUMBIA 12/10 1745-49 good w/2 1cl ads fade to Christmas mx, then abruptly cut pwr! (JM-PA)
 - WUSJ TN JONESBORO 12/8 1735 w/nx, plug for HS BKB game by female; T40 mx; good (ex:WJSO,WQLS) (WPT-DC1)

REPORTERS: (responsible for this record-setting column)

Dale Park//Evanston, IL//RS Minisette 16, Sangean ATS-803 DP--IL

Dale Park//South Bend, IN//Ford CarRx DP-IN

DP-MO Dale Park//University City, MO//ATS-803 John Malicky//Pittsburgh, PA//

Marc DeLorenzo//Warner Robins, GA//GE World Monitor, LW. SM1 MD-GA

KVJ-GA Karl Jeter//Stone Mountain, GA//HQ-150 + assorted beverages

WPT-DC William Townshend/(at home) Washington, DC//RS Portavision-40, TRF [12-650]

WPT-DC1 William Townshend//on GWU Campus//

WPT-DC2 William Townshend//at Mazza Galerie Mall//

CS-NY Chet Smith//Verona, NY//DX-180 (modified) + 80' LW

FW-PA Frank Wheeler//Erie, PA//Halicrafters S40B

Edwin Headley//St Albans, NY//R-1000 + 90' LW, 350' Attic Loop, DA-9, MFJ-732 Filter EH-NY

Hank Holbrook//Chevy Chase, MD//TRF

Hank Holbrook//Fair Haven Cliffs, MD//Sp-600 w/Colegrove Loop HH-MD1

Jim Boehm//Sen Antonio, TX//IC-R71-A w/18" Coax Loop .TB-TX

Artie Bigley//Sen Antonio, TX//FRG-7700 w/LW AB-TX

Ron Musco//Poquonock, CT//

WPF-IN1 Wendell Ford//Westville, IN//ICF-2010

WPF-IN2 Wendell Ford//Linton, IN//ICF-2010

SG-NY Steve Goozovat//Binghamton, NY//RF-2600 + 60' (more or less) LW

MS-ON Morris Sorensen//Milton, ON//HQ-150 w/SM-2 or ICF-2010 barefoot

KG-PA Kermit Geary//Walnutport, PA//HQ180, R389, HRO; LWs, SM2

CC1-PA Chris Cuomo//Verona, PA//Sears Home Stereo

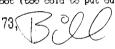
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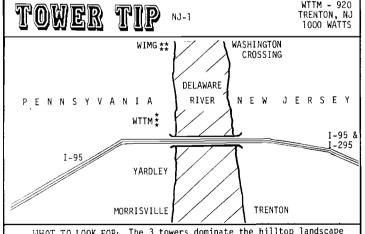
JFH-OK John Herman//Vinita, OK//R-388 +RW Loop

Andrew Rugg//Nuns Island, PQ//R-380A & LW; Superadio II

WW-MA William Wyllie//Franklin, MA//RS Modulaire 2200 w/built-in Ant

WRH-NY Bill Hale//Johnson City, NY//Superadio I barefoot (too cold to put out a LW)





WHAT TO LOOK FOR: The 3 towers dominate the hilltop landscape rising up from the Delaware river about 200 yards north of I-95. CONTRIBUTED BY: J.D. Bowker

Send information about a.m. broadcast towers in your area to John D. Bowker, 14 Canoe Brook Drive, Princeton Jct., NJ 08550. Include a simple map (Bowker may re-draw it) showing major highways and any other terrain features near the tower(s). Tell how many towers, how they are laid out, and any other features that will help in spotting them.

DOMESTIC DX DIGEST - WEST ⁽¹⁾

Nancy Hardy, 2301 Pacific Avenue, Aberdeen, WA 98520

I've read that daytimers on regional frequencies have been granted fulltime authorization. Two such stations were reported this week so I've included them in "Special." The other station in that section clears up a question I had last week, whether Atchison, KS on 1470 is KERE or KARE. Well, on to DX...

SPECIAL

1290 KESP CA SANTA BARBARA - Now operating fulltime 0500-0000, 7 days, with 121 watts non-directional at night. Per call to GM, are going to try for 500 watts non-directional at night. He told me he can't add another tower for directional operation due to high cost & stiff opposition from Santa Barbara city/ county government. (MR-CA)

1470 KDEW AR DEWITT - 12/19 0000 a real surprise, fading up with "KDEW Music Connection" promo, jingle, then gone. A 20-second log, good for a new one, AR #13. Listed as 500w daytimer, what gives? (ØW-CO) (See my comment above, John .-- NH)

ATCHISON - 12/18 2255 high school BKB, sounded like "Rall Valley" vs "Mars Hill." Fair-poor with long fades & KWSL QRM. "Kere" pronounced as a word, so not sure of call. Supposed to be KERE, ex-KARE. (ØW-CO)

MIDDAY TO MIDNIGHT

SEATTLE-TACOMA - Sea-Tac Int'l Airport TIS 12/19 1940 heard with parking info. "Please buckle up in Washington state -it's the law." Good signal if down in the airport lowlands.

KBLS CA SANTA BARBARA - 12/21 1358 fair-good with BBD music, legal ID by male annor. No call change yet. (TRH-CA1)

SAN ANTONIO - 12/22 1905 news, then program "La Hora de los Novios" in SS with phone requests at 470-KXET. Fair-poor. (#W)

WICKENBURG - 12/20 2215 fair-good under KTMS in KSON null KCIW AZ with C&W music, ads, IDs. Ex-KUUK. This station is impossible at home unless KSON-1240 is off. (TRH-CA1) 12/22 2040 ad for U.S. Septic, Community Calendar, assorted music & features. Lost around 2100, possible s/off. QRM from several.

(ØW-CO) 1310 KIVA NM CORRALES - 12/22 1837 Christmas greetings from each DJ, ads, then 10 in a row (rock music) on a "Power Play." "Power 105" slogans. Fair-good in KFKA null. (ØW-CO)

1430 KAMP CA EL CENTRO - 12/21 1400 very good with oldies, ads, slogan "Your classic oldies connection." Regular midday catch here, impossible at home unless XEXX-1420 off. (TRH-CAL)

OLYMPIC NAT'L PARK - 12/13 1900 TIS with weather conditions. 1610 KOP773 WA Not heard before or since. Strong. (JSM-BC) (We live on the on the Olympic peninsula and haven theard this yet: -- NH)

MIDNIGHT TO MIDDAY

570 KLAC CA LOS ANGELES - MM 12/21 0409 LOUD TTs. (TRH-CAL)

REGINA - 12/9 0000 good with TC, news & weather. New. (JSM) 620 CKCK SK 670 KPUA HI HILO - 12/21 1015 good in KBOI null with female in JJ followed by man in Hawaiian at 1030; no ID until after local

sunrise; finally gone at 1102 with distinct 10 minute peaks. New state. (JSM-BC)

UNID ??

??? - Tu 12/15 0515-0530 TTer looping NE. Alternated between 690 two tones at first, then tone sweeps. Local XETRA off on one of many recent weeknight SPs. (TRH-CA)

BOISE - 12/18 0536 fair, but holding up against CKLG with 730 KIZN ID C&W music, "Kizzin Country 93 FM" slogans, male DJ with several weather forecasts. (TRH-CA)

790 KABC CA LOS ANGELES - MM 12/14 0340 OC leaving usual pest XESU. (TRH-CA)

810 KGO SAN FRANCISCO - 12/20 0310 totally off, leaving HJCY, CKJS & ZNS3 Bahamas: Still off at 0630. (TRH-CA)

CKJS MB WINNIPEG - 12/20 0427-0445 poor under HJCY with AdCon, NHL scores, lots of "Radio 8-10, CKJS:" jingles. New. (TRH-CA)

WEST POINT - 12/23 0807 area news, weather, ads. Fair at 840 KWPN NE best, with most of KOA-850 splatter nulled. New, NE #33. (ØW)

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950	KNFT	MM	BAYARD - 12/16 0922 on top of channel (local XEGM has been off all week) with ads for car dealers & western wear stores in Silver City. (TRH-CA)
960	KLKL	OR	KLAMATH FALLS - 12/18 0500 just as I turned the radio on, caught their legal ID: Soon faded, but seemed to be C&W format under KABL/KOOL/KFMY. New. OR #17. (TRH-CA)
970	KBIT	MT	BILLINGS - 12/9 0033 poor in KYTE null with weather update. New. (JSM-BC)
980	UNID	77	777 - MM 12/14 0348 unID TTer, looping ENE under KFWB, CKRM. (TRH-CA)
1310	KZIP	ТX	AMARILLO - 12/18 0800 legal ID in English, then man in SS playing rancheros. Very poor in KFKA null. New. (ØW-CO)
1340	KSGR	ID	NAMPA - MM 12/14 0405 faded up for ID under KIST/KMAK et al. Rare, report still needed. (TRH-CA)
	UNID	7?	7?? - MM 12/14 0400 unID with New Age-type format. No ID noted, and couldn't get a definite loop direction. Ideas? (TRH-CA)
1390	KBLQ	UT	LOGAN - 12/22 1108 Christmas music, program notes, PSA's, ads. Fair over KCRC in KENN null. Still heard past 10am local. (ØW-CO)
1420	CJVR	SK	MELFORT - 12/9 0004 sports news & weather with several local spots into C&W. New. (JSM-BC)
L440	KRDZ	CO	WRAY - 12/19 0930 Paul Harvey, local news, weather, etc. Fair o/u KEWI for a while, then eventually lost completely to KEWI surprisingly. Ex-KRQZ. (ØW-CO)
1450	KJMB	CA	BLYHE - 12/23 0906 poor-fair s/on with SSB, nice clear ID "You're tuned to KJMB, Blythe, California," ad, into South- west Ag Radio Network farm report. Soon clobbered by KOWA/ KPSI/XECB. New, CA #197. (TRH-CA1)
	KOWA	CA	ESCONDIDO - 12/20 0319 noted with C&W music, ID, new "K-0-W AM" slogan. Ex-KOWN. (TRH-CA)
	KBZY	OR	SALEM - 12/13 0400 fair with sull data s/off & SSB. New.(JSM)
1610	WXK790	SA	PHOENIX - 12/23 0109 fair with tape loop by female anner. Rarely this strong. Power is 8 watts. (TRH-CAL)
REPOR	RTERS		

(TRH-CA) /Tim Hall, Chula Vista, CA/ICF-2010, Radio West loop (TRH-CAI)/Tim Hall, DX'ing in Bonita, CA/ICF-2010, Radio West loop (JSM-BC) /Steve McDonald, Port Coquitlam, BC/Sony ICF-2010, Radio West loop (MR-CA) /Mike Riordan, Goleta, CA/GE Superadio II (ØW-CO) /John Wilkins, Wheat Ridge, CO/R1000, R-390A, 4° box loop

CONTESTS

Robert Kramer, P.O. Box 12633, Chicago, IL 60612

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N. Wolfish, MB	3496	3063	4	4	3	2	1	ō	ō	153
G. Sherman, MN	2341	2256	2	0	3	1	0	0	0	
J. Tudenham, MO	2311	2101	1	2	0	0	1	0	0	105
J. Boehm, TX	1932	1068	6	4	6	2	1	0	0	534
G. Coniglio, NY	1885	1379	6	2	1	2	2	0	0	206
P. Routenburg, ON	18 54	1404	3	1	4	3	0	1	0	280
R. Vance, VA	1738	1377	5	2	0	0	0	0	0	206
L. Van Horn, FL	880	629	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	25 1
N. Hardy, WA	624	328	1	0	Đ	0	1	0	0	196
B. Hardy, WA	407	208	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	124
D. Hascall, IN	25 1	226	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	
M. Hogan, IL	late	entry, no	report	yet						
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me	3554	3269	6	1	3	3	1	1	0	

SYMBOIS: A= total points, B= state & province points, C= Most wanted loggings, D=Honorable Mention Most Wanted points, E= Target Stations, F= Auxilary targets, G=Singletons, H= Duplicators, I= Eliminators, J= Handicap points.

SINGLETON LOGGING

WRYT IL EDWARDS VILLE 12/5 1710 J. Tudenham

DUPLICATOR LOGGING

CHTN PEI CHARLOTTETOWN 11/7 1936 P. Routenburg

ANAAC Computer Information Committee



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ANARC Computer Communications Survey

The Association of North American Radio Clubs wants your feedback on how to best use telecommunications in serving you and your club. Please answer this survey and return it to us by March 31, 1988.

- 1. What type of computer do you use?
- Do you call non-commercial radio related BBSs? How often? Which BBSs do you call?

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3. How important is each of the following BBS features to you? (Rate from 1 to 11; 11 is highest - PLEASE PUT RATING ON LEFT) Uploading & Downloading of programsUploading & Downloading of text filesSending & receiving E-mailPosting notes, dx tips, etc. for others to readReading notes, dx tips, etc. from other usersMessage forwardingReading magazine/library featuresReading bulletins/schedules from broadcastersConferencingPropagation indicesOther (specify).
4. For the ABOVE eleven features, put a plus (+) to the RIGHT of those you use frequently, put a minus (-) to the RIGHT of those you use occasionally and a zero (Ø) to the RIGHT of those you den't use.
5. Are most of your calls to radio related BBSs long-distance?6. Which of the radio related BBSs best meet your needs?
Why?
7. Do you use BBSs primarily for time critical information (DX tips) or non-time critical information (Tutorials, Station Schedules, etc.)?
8. Of the various BBS programs you have seen in use, which do you prefer?

9. What features would you like to have that are not currently implemented on any of the BBSs you have called?

- 11. Should ANARC be thinking PRIMARILY in terms of (select one):
 - A. Operating its own BBS.
 - B. A BBS with sub-boards for each member club.
 - C. Forming a network of club sponsored BBSs.
 - D. Supplying files and programs to all radio BRSs.
- 12. Do you call information services such as Genie or CompuServe? How often? Which ones?
- 13. When you call an information service, do you pay long-distance telephone charges in addition to those charges you pay to the service?
- 14. Which of the commercial services best meets your needs?

Why?

15. Comments:

Your Name: Address:

To which ANARC affiliated club(s) do you belong:

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A note from Bohac: according to the October 1987 issue of IEE NEWS (IEE is Institute of Electrical Engineers - Chuck) published in London, the BBC will be changing the frequencies of Radio 4's LW transmitters at Droitwich, Westerglen and Burghead from 200 KHz to 198 KHz commencing 2/1/1988. The World Administrative Radio Conference of 1979 stipulates all LW transmitters should operate on a 9 KHz frequency separation. What this 2 KHz shift downward in frequency by the BBC means for the reception of co-channel stns on 200 KHz, i.e. Poland, Turkey and the Russian outlet is unknown. Likewise, will the co-channel stns follow suit, and will the East German transmitter on 177 KHz at Oranienburg, plus Saarlouis-183 move their frequencies in concert with WARC? Stay tuned....

Bohac note #2: Finland seekers should be aware that Sweden Calling DXers carried a report advising that commencing July 1988 a Joint Radio Telefis Eireann - Radio Luxembourg station with the name of "Radio Tara" will be/should be operational on 254 KHz. Such would then probably block reception in Eastern North America of high latitude stations Lahti, Finland and/or the Russian transmitters on this channel.

- WEST GERMANY/ALGERIA 12/9 0200 Donebach some 35 dB above normal noise level in 4 KHz bandwidth with Algeria at least 20 dB below the German. A welcome change of roles, since Algeria had been the dominant station on this channel due to previous poor high latitude conditions. Donebach crushing Algeria all evening while MW signal paths from unope were outstanding on 12/8 and 12/9. At around 0430 Algeria begins to punch through Donebach's German newscast. Both stns about equal in strength by 0450. Algeria totally dominant by 0513. (Bohac)
- 153 WEST GERMANY DLF Donebach 12/8 0151 classical mx // 1269. (Vernon)
- 53 WEST GERMANY DLF Donebach 12/15 0544 Carpenter's mx /// 765, poor sig. (Vernon)
- USSR Khabarovsk 12/9 0955 maybe a local pgm, talk between various people, no pips on the hour, good signal. 12/13 0958 mostly rr mx w/woman annor, no pips at 1000, maybe local on Sunday also. (Vernon)
- 153 USSR Khabarovsk 12/20 1745 two male anners seemed to be a game, probably soccer, good sig // 189, 236. (Vernon)
- 162 FRANCE Allouis 12/7 0655 male and female annors, good sig. (Vernon)
- 162 FRANCE Allouis fair/average sig 20 db over noise in 2.3 KHz bandwidth on 12/9 at 0428. (Bohac)
- 164 FRANCE Allouis 12/14 0634 male talk, xint sig, usually only fair-good at best. (Vernon) Is the frequency a mistake or the real thing? Chuck
- 171 USSR Yakutsk 12/10 0938 male annors, some sort of IS, 0938 woman mentioned programma, silence, 0940 male annor then woman w/mx pgm, maybe a local num before 0940, no //. (Vernon)
- 171 USSR Yakutsk 12/20 0832-0859 various singers, light mx, 0900 Kremlin Bells for 12 noon, is 6 PM in Yakutsk. (Vernon)
- 17) USSR Syktyvkar etc. 12/17 1326 band mx // 263. (Vernon)
- 171 USSR heard as stong as or stronger than Allouis-162 KHz on the night of the INF treaty signing: 12/9. The Russian had a fluttery signal varying 15-18 dB above normal noise level in a 2.3 KHz bandwidth from 0200 onward into the late evening, peaking around 0450 at 25 dB over noise. As was noted earlier this year (1/15/87 0500-0515) there is a second Russian stn beneath with entirely different audio and a distinct low pitched growl/audio rumble on the channel. Readers should note that the two Russian stns heard here both in January 1987 and presently are not synchronized operations, contrary to what is sometimes stated in DX loggings. (Bohac)
- 177 EAST GERMANY DG1 Oranienburg 12/10 0559 time signal to 0600, during regular sked, will try for a verie. (Vernon)
- 177 EAST GERMANY Oranienburg 12/9 0424 in German w/American rock music, sig 25 dB over noise. (Bohac)
- 180 USSR Petro 12/9 0943 male annor, good sig // 236. (Vernon)
- 183 WEST GERMANY Felsberg (Saarlouis) 12/9 0420 and earlier 40 dB over noise. (Bohac)
- SWEDEN Motala 12/9 noted 0441 weakly suring period of apparent;y leaser than ideal longwave high latitude path conditions. I ammend my comments (1/17, 1/25, 2/3, 3/14) relative to Motala running the 7 note IS: notes from "Storm och boljor tystna refn". This "IS" has been presently noted as early as 0441. The exact time when the IS commences is unknown,

- however. Reception on 12/9 was only detectable in the NSHD mode (non-synchronous heterodyne detection) of the Drake R7 receiver. The normal AM mode(s) of both the R7 and the NRD515 produced no audio, as the sig level from Motala was a mere 8-10 dB in a noisy background, 2.3 KHz IF bandwidth was employed. Had anticipated/expected a much better signal from Motala inasmuch as the Norwegian 1314 KHz MN outlet was unbelievably strong; some 65-70 dB over normal noise level in a 6 KHz bandwidth during most of the evening of 12/9. (Bohac)

 USSR Blagoveshchensk 12/13 1829 Mayak IS, best TP stn here on LW. (Vernon)
- 200 ENGLAND Radio 4, Droitwich 12/7 0706 male witalk about patient care, 12/9 0626 woman with item about a war 45 years ago. Poor signals. (Vernor)
- 200 ENGLAND Droitwich 12/18 0610-0613 two male anners, seemed like a pgm for farmers, poor signal. (Vernon)
- 200 ENGLAND 12/9 audible all evening. (Bohac)
- 209 WEST GERMANY/MOROCCO 12/9 0200-0500 mixed. At times Morocco dominant for 5-8 minute periods, or vice versa. During transition period of stn dominance, strong beat note present. (Bohac)
- 209 UNID 12/10 0959 weatern type type instrumental mx, woman annor, 1000 door bell type chimes, male annor w/talk. Good signal, but QRM from beacons, time would indicate Mongolia. (Vernon)
- 209 UNID 12/11 0654 male annor, almost religious sounding mx, 0655 male again w/plano mx. 0700 male annor, no pips, then two annors talking. Would assume Iceland, not // 1269, but must be on before 0700 as indicated in MRTH. (Vernon)
- 209 UNID 12/18 0947 male and female, some kind of play, beacons kill language pattern, no '/', seems too early for this kind of pgm in Iceland. (Vernon)
- 227 POLAND Konstantynow 12/12 0326-0400 mostly pop mx w/male annon, 0400 6 BBC style pips, male w/talk (probably news) and continued w/various speakers or reports through 0430. (Vernon)
- POLAND Konstantynow 12/21 0232 folk type mx, good signal. (Vernon)
- 227 POLAND Konstantynow 12/9 0450 Polish female annor chewed up badly by fast and fadey SAH. (Bohac)
- 236 USSR Arkhangelsk 12/8 0203 USSR anthem, good signal // 171, 263. (Vernon)
- 236 USSR Magadan 12/5 1320 piano mx w/male annor. (Vernon)
- DENMARK Kalundborg 12/9 noted with programming prior to 0500: at 0458 piano/jazz music. Male annor at 0500 w/apparent news in Danish. Sig level 15-20 dB over noise in 2.3 KHz bandwidth, upper sideband to escape beacon QRM. Notch filter also employed. The 245 KHz channel was parallel to 1062 KHz MW which was being heard well at the same time. Of the two, the LW freq was better once USB tuned and notch function on receiver used. (Bohac)
- 245 USSR Vladivostok 12/9 before 1030-153, 171, 189, 245, 272 all1 had different programs except 180, 236. At 1030-all joined for nx w/woman annor, item about Reagan and Gorbachev, all except 171. (Vernon)
- UNID have been noting a FF speaking sto here numerous occasions during November and December playing pops. Sto programs across the hour without any ID's. During periods of observation, sig strengths appeared to consistently underdo Morocco-171 and Algeria-153 by 10-15 dB. Refer to earlier comments made under 153 Algeria logging dated 1 May 1987 in regard to unclarified situation on 254/153 KHz. Is this slow(er) powered Algerian outlet? Comments anyone? (Bohac)
- 263 USSR Moscow 12/7 0336 male annor w/talk, good signal. (Vernon)
- 263 USSR not sure of location, 12/18 1621 woman with talk, poor signal, could be Chita or Moscow. (Vernon)
- 263 USSR/UNID 12/9 0505 Russuina audio running parallel to 171 KHz dominant Russian stn. Sig 20 dB over noise. During fades, 263 KHz Russian audio chewed up by 2.4 Hz SAH. (Bohac)
- 272t USSR Khabarovsk 12/9 1016 woman anner, very weak signal. (Vernon)
- 272 CZECHOSLOVAKIA Ropolna 12/7 0335 band mx, 12/9 0622 orchestral mx, fair signal at times. (Vernon)
- 272 CZECHOSLOVAKIA 11/26 2125 onward with very strong sigs and easy listening level when either other high latitude stns produced no audio , or carriers were marginally detectable. Lower latitude stns such as France 162 and Saarlouis 183 were severely attenuated in the same time frame. Topolna 272 also heard well all evening 0155 past 0415 on 12/9 during the excellent MW opening to Europe, except for infrequent 2-3 minute periods of fade into noise. After 0415, sig level only fair to weak: 20-25 dB over noise in 2.3 KHz filter. Therefore, after 0415, reception of Topolna made in NSHD mode (exalted carrier) of the R7 receiver. Programming procedures/patters remain the same as noted in previous receptions of 1/15, 1/18, 1/26, 3/6, 3/12, 3/13, 3/22 and 5/1. (Bohac)
- 281 USSR Byelorussian SSR Minsk 12/8 0357 woman, piano mx exercise pgm, good signal. (Vernon)

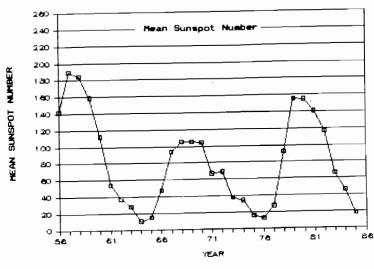
- 281****USSR Spendlovsk 12/8 0155 male and female annors (URTH has this listed as a local pgm) to 0159, silence, could hear weal FS IS as Minsk sion, 0200 pips, male and female annors offlinsk and Moscow bells, anthem, etc., this must warrant stars, yes? (Vernon) The Star Award Committee agrees since its only 50 kw. Please forward your check for service charge and handling of 4 stars totalling \$4932.71 to me ASAP Chuck
- SWITZERLAND Beromunster 12/8 0501 woman anner w/GG, 0507 (instrumental mx noted // 1566, so is not just daytime as mentioned in WRTH. Very good sig here. (Vernon)
- 531 SWITZERLAND Beromunster 12/15 0527 various pieces of instrumental mx, xint sig, poor at 0547, male GG talk. (Vernon)
- 531 ALGERIA Ain Seida 12/8 0333 male AA type singing, fair signal. (Vernon)
- 40 BELGIUM Wavre-Overijse 12/15 0528 male FF singer, 0530 Belgium news sounder, male w/DD talkkk, xint sig, e-;- ''' this to be Hungary.

 (Vernon)
- 540 UNIDS 12/8 0513 clearly male w/AA type singing and male w/East Europe type talk, real mix here, likely Morocco and Hungary topping the mess. (Vernon)
- 594 WEST GERMANY HR Frankfurt 12/15 0502-0510 male GG talk, probably nx, 0510-0524 instrumental and ballad type mx w/male annor, xlnt sig, KHAR 590 QRM. (Vernon)
- 657 EAST GERMANY Burg BR 12/11 0548-0556 mx w/male annor then male talking via phone, 0600 6 pips, good signal, must be on high power before 0600 at a quess. (Vernon)
- 639 CZECHOSLOVAKIA Praha 12/15 0555-0557 male talk, instrumental mx, 0600 6 pips, flute, male with news, good sig, rare here, usually get Spain. (Vernon)
- 666 GERMANY/PORTUGAL/LITHUANIA 12/15 0500 xint tape of SWF, slow Portugal pips and Moscow Program One pips and news sounders, all at approximately the same level. (Vernon)
- 693 ENGLAND Droitwich 0124 12/5 US pop oldies, EE talk fair-good. (Hakiel)
- 700 JAMAICA JBC R. One, Montego Bay good u/WLW w/gospel mx and ID 12/3 2342 to 2345; heard on car radio. (DeLorenzo)
- 700 JAMAICA JBC R. One Montego Bay 12/19 2303-2304 loud o/WLW w/sports report. (DeLorenzo)
- 711 WEST GERMANY Heidelberg 12/19 0142 male GG singer, all alone, // 801, 936. ARD program. (Vernon)
- 711 LIBYA Ghadames etc. 12/18 0155 male AA type wailing // 1251. (Vernon)
- 756 UNID 12/13 1815 male AA type wailing, weak but clear audio. (Vernon) Egypt or Yemen? Chuck
- 760 CÜBA Guanabacoa, Reloj 12/19 0412 weak but good signal behind WJR. "RR" code ID's, clock ticks and news. (Wyllie)
- 765 SENEGAL Dakar 12/19 0606-0618 good w/slow AA vocal mx and man in AA, obviously religious; still in as late as 0709. (DeLorenzo)
- 765 SENEGAL Dakar 12/20 poor and brief 2325 to 2327 with vernacular talk and local mx. (Rugg)
- 765 SWITZERLAND 1277 0353 classical mx o/male RR talk, this FF service still on 24 hours. (Vernon)
- 765 SWITZERLAND Sottens 0600 12/7 FF talk, "Prog 1 RSR La Premiere" ID, good. (Hakiel)
- 765 USSR Medvezhyegorsk 12/12 0324 male and piano exercise pgm, good signal // 263. (Vernon)
- 765 USSR Medvezhyegorsk 12/15 0202 noted w/USSR anthem // 171, 236, 263,
- 801, fair, noted o/Swiss FF 24 hour service. (Vernon) 810 GREENLAND Upernavik 12/22 0042 always has a big carrier and weak audio
- // 900 which is x1nt. (Vernon)
 828 BULGARIA Sumen 0513 12/10 pleasant instrumental mx, Slavic talk.
 (Hakiel):
- 864 EGYPT Santah 0205 11/11 AA chants, poor. (Hakiel)
- 864 EGYPT Santah 12/18 1614 male wailing, never any background mx, 1615 male anner briefly, 12/21 0238 male still wailing. (Vernon)
- 880 CUBA Pinar del Rio CMAB 12/18 0558 R. Progresso programming came in strong over WCBS. (Wyllie)
- 890 HONDURAS HRH R. Nacional 12/11 0410-0420 good and mostly o/WLS w/enthusiastic man in SS; full ID including call letters and mention of Tegucigalpa. (DeLorenzo)
- 891 ALGERIA Algiers 12/19 0512 fair squeezing past WLS w/slow vocal by man in AA, religious. (DeLorenzo)
- 900t SAUDI ARABIA Qurayyat 12/19 0129 AA type singing, probably this though not listed as being on. (Vernon)
- O CUBA R. Reloj, Matanzas 12/9 1114 1&c o/2 domestics w/all nx in SS // 790, 930, 960 etc. (DeLorenzo)
- t SYRIA Al-Hassake 12/18 1847 two male annors, very clear audio, AA type talk 1851-1856, woman annor, talk, few seconds of western instrumental mx between 3 news items. 1856 male AA type monotone talk, noted Jammer at 1850 weak u/ this, so maybe from Iran/Iraq area, gone before 1900,

- never noted before or since, strong signal for quite a while, nice clear audio. (Vernon)
- 918 USSR Mezen 12/21 0259 Mayak IS, 0300 6 pips, short or instrumental mx, male w/RR talk, xint sig for 10 minutes, then gone before local pgms, darn!! (Vernon)
- 927 BELGIUM Wolverton 2220 12/9 Dutch talk by man, US pop oldies, pops, good. (Hakiel)
- 927 TURKEY Izmin 12/8 0256 IS dreived from the anthem, 0257 Turkish anthem, 0300 pips, woman annon, quite weak. (Vernon)
- 936 USSR Ukraintan SSR Lvov 12/21 2307 woman w/Radio Moscow EE service, xint sig. (Vernon)
- 936 WEST GERMANY Bremen 2225 12/9 vocal by Dean Martin, GG talk, fair. (Hakiel)
- 940 MEXICO XEQ 12/18 weak but good signal behind CBC stn. No ID noted but I'm sure it was them. Have heard it amny times, 0604 GMT. (Wyllie)
- 963 FINLAND Turku 12/15 0732-0752 EE service, hour earlier than listed in WRTH. Local-like signal, pgm recorded from 19:30 12/14, 0742 2 women w/listener correspondence pgm, apparently Ann and Helen had been blowing kisses over the air, 0752 IS and ID repeated, repeated ID in different lang by alternating man and woman. (Vernon)
- 963* FINLAND Turku not quite a listing but signal is very much improved here over previous report, is on 24 hours now. (Vernon) Sorry Brian, only one star for this Chuck
- 999 USSR Moldavian SSR R. Kiev, Kishinev 12/13 2200 18 repeated 2201-2209, male and female annor, Ukrainian lingo, all about Reagan and Gorbachev, 2209 clear ID by woman (Radio Kiev), x1nt at 2200, gone by 2210. Report sent. (Vernon)
- 1000 CUBA San Cristobal CMAQ 0100 11/29 S talk, R. Guama ID, dair. (Hakiel)
- 1017 TURKEY Istanbul 2044 12/9 Turk mx, Turkish talk by man, poor. (Hakiel) (Yeh, they sure don't have the signal they used to. Ten years ago they were a reliable signal for me ~ Chuck)
- 1017 TURKEY Istanbul 12/7 0350 AA (sounds to me) type mx, xint sig for a few minutes. (Vernon)
- 1035t IRAO Babylon 12/13 1756 male AA type wailing. At 1823 male w/singular tone voice w/talk, similar talk noted at 1836, was not // 1197, 1224. Is likely AA service as listed in WRTH. (Vernon)
- 1044 MOROCCO Sebaa-Aioun 12/21 0230 woman, AA type talk, not noted in a while. (Vernon)
- 1053 ENGLAND Droitwich 0605 12/7 pop mx, EE talk // 1089, good. (Hakiel)
- 1062 DENMARK Kalundborg 2325 12/7 pop mx, Danish talk, xlnt. (Hakiel)
- 1089 ENGLAND Brookmans Park 0534 12/7 wx forecast, time check, good. (Hakiel)
- 1107 EGYPT Batra 0306 11/11 AA chants and talk, poor. (Hakiel)
 1125t LIBYA El Beida 12/13 1818 male AA singing, noted at 1824 w/talk, no //
- found, only Hungary on 1251. New here, but is on 1125 KHz, so could be someone else? (Vernon)
- 1125 YUGOSLAVIA Tovarnik 2356 12/8 US pop mx, Slav talk // 1134, good. (Hakiel)
- 1134t KUWAIT Sulaibiyah 12/13 1832 male AA-sounding talk, was in monotones, have not noted AIR now in 2 years. Verie from Kuwait has 1143 KHz written on it. (Vernon)
- 1152 ROMANIA Cluj 12/20 0155 classical mx, 0159 silence, IS, woman mentioned program (all Romanian), 0200 6 equal short pips, woman annor, xint sig, 0200 male ω/nx // 1179. (Vernon)
- 1152 SCOTLAND R. Clyde, Glasgow 12/7 0228 commercial for Clyde Savers, only 239 pounds to New York. (Vernon)
- 1161 SCOTLAND Tay/Forth, Dundee 12/7 0212 Tom Wilson on Night Club till 5 on Radio Tay and Forth together, rr mx, 0222 horoscope, actually this is from // 1548, but was // when checked a couple of times on 1161. (Vernon)
- 1165 ANTIGUA Caribbean Radio Lighthouse, St. Johns 12/24 2255-2259 good w/Christmas mx followed by BBC WS nx at 2300. (DeLorenzo)
- 1170 YUGOSLAVIA Koper 12/13 1751-1820 all EE rr mxxx w/male annor in II lingo, Mayak IS noted at 1759 u/this from unid location. (Vernon)
- 1179 ROMANIA Bacav 12/9 0357 Romanian anthem, fair sig // 1053, 1152.
- 1179 SWEDEN Solvesborg 2234 12/8 Swede talk by man, good, (Hakiel)
- 1188t YEMEN PDR Al-Hiswah 12/13 1851 weak, male AA singing, lost before 1900, two regular cassette reports went unanswered last season. (Vernon)
- 1189t YEMEN PR Al Hiswah 12/20 0204 AA wailing and drums, signal appears off freq, big het on Hungary 1188, perhaps this will be more widely heard now. (Vernon)
- 1197 IRAQ Nineva 12/7 0229 AA type singing, 0230 woman annor briefly, had slight BBC Radio 2 QRM, 0258 lost to VOA s/on, VOA apparently is not regularly 24 hours now, though has been since Reagan-Gorbachev meeting. 12/12 AA type music though is apparently Persian, 1759 Grandfather clock type chimes, male annors, 1800 instrumental mx then male annors, seemed as he spoke the jammer started. (Vernon)



- 205 CAYMAN ISLANDS R. Cayman 12/18 0415 good w/light mx // 1555. Again 12/19 0323 1&c w/Christmas mx. (DeLorenzo)
- 1205 CAYMAN ISLANDS R. Cayman 12/24 2245-2252 xint w/George Harrison tune followed by local ads; much better than // 1555, (DeLorenzo)
- 1215 ENGLAND synchros 2213 12/8 man in EE talk, fair. (Hakiel)
- 1215 ENGLAND BBC conside Edge etc. 12/17 0439 has been on AN most of the week w/England vs. Pakistan test match cricket, apparently the umpires are not up to scratch there. Am sure this will shock NRC membership. (Vernon) Never would have dreamed it Chuck
- 1224 IRAQ Nasiriya 12/13 1836 female AA takk, good signal // 1197 only fair, 1850 male AA (Persian) type singing, jammer noted here also. (Vernon)
- 1242 USSR Ukrainian SSR Kiev 12/13 2200-2214 w/R. Kiev Ukraine Service, weaker than // 999 but in longer, lost by 2215. Report sent. (Vernon)
- 1287 CZECHOSLOVAKIA Liblice etc. 12/19 2200 woman w/E service, nx, 2204 nx in detail, only fair at this time. (Vernon)
- 296 AUSTRALIA 4BK Brisbane 12/21 1705 spot for 4BK New Years eve, something or other, poor sig, 9:05 AM local time over there. (Vernon)
- UNITED ARAB EMIRATES Dabiya 12/13 1857 AA type mx about equal with plano mx from Norway. Still not heard Radio and TV Dubai 1481 KHz at all this season, is it shut down? (Vernon) I haven't seen it mentioned Chuck
- 1332 ITALY Rome 2221 12/9 II talk by man, fair. (Hakiel)
- 1335 HONDURAS San Pedro Sula HRHH 0121 11/25 R. El Mundo ID, fair. (Hakiel)
- 1355 UNID 0615 12/14 AA chants, AA talk, fair, all ever heard previously was a het, finally had audio, now I have to ID it. Any ideas? (Hakiel)
- 1360 IRAQ Kirkuk 12/13 male and female w/friendly type talk, probably a play, language does not sound as "splattering" as AA-Persian (if you know what I mean), 1840-1850 AA type mx, no jammer noted here, though terrible 1359 het. (Vernon)
- 1386 USSR Kaliningrad 2116 12/8 EE talk about armaments in Europe. (Hakiel)
- 1395 ALBANIA R. Tîrana, Lushnje 12/6 2245 woman, EE service, socialism, society and social assistance mentioned, fair sig though faded a lot. (Vernon)
- 1395 ALBANIA Lushnje 12/20 2229 IS, 2230 woman with Radio Tirana EE service, xlnt sig though woman had soft voice, readable throughout, 2256 Internationale mx. (Vernon)
- 1413 OMAN BBC Masirah Isles 12/13 1752 some Aussie state cricket scoress, also boxing, all EE, good signal for a short time. (Vernon)
- 1413 WEST GERMANY unid 12/18 0159 noted // 1422 ARD pgm, also 12/21 0222 same pgm. (Vernon)
- 1440 SAUDI ARABIA Ras-as-Zawr 12/13 1753 AA mx, o/Luxembourg, either mixes with or tops Lux in morning and early evening here. (Vernon)
- 1440 SAUDI ARABIA Ras-as-Zawr 12/21 0427 AA mx, xint sig. (Vernon)
- 1449 UNID 12/20 appears to be 2 Russian lang stns here, one mostly mx, probably Kalinin w/Moscow Program 3, other 1716-1722 male and female annors w/alternating items, similar to Program 1 format. Iran has RR service here though at this time !! (Vernon)
- 1467 MONACO TWR Monte Carlo 12/19 2312-2320 weak male EE talk, 2320 woman and man w/talk, poor sig. 12/20 2255 woman asking questions, male with all the answers, all EE, then 2259 address of Evidence, Hour of the Bible, Eastbourne, England and 2300 another EE pgm. (Vernon)
- 1512 BELGIUM Wolvertem 2052 12/8 FF talk by woman, fair, (Hakjel)
- 1521 SAUDI ARABIA Duba noted daily 12/25 to 12/29 between 2240-2300 w/man in AA and slow AA chanting; usually peaked for 30-90 seconds then faded for 3-4 min...s. Some WWKB/KOMA slop but, in peaks, the Saudi would push them aside. On 12/26 noted // 9720 SW but on other days 9720 was covered by someone else. (DeLorenzo)
- 1548 AUSTRALIA 4QD merald 12/20 1634-1655 male annor, BBC rock pgm seemed to be about Motown, 1655 lost, 1701 woman ω/TC for Queensland, intro to mx, slow rr, 1732 old BBC comedy pgm, amazing sig, now on 24 hours. (Vernon)
- 1557 MALTA R. Mediterranean, Cyclops 12/6 2241 male annor, EE serivce, picked out only "negotiations at this stage", signal a bit noisy. (Vernon)
- 1566t TUNISIA Sfax 12/13 1712 AA type singing noted w/male AA type talk, 1724 audio good at this time. Had strange cuckoo sounds at 1721, not sure if this was from this stn, weird. (Vernon)
- 1566 TUNISIA Sfax 11/16 exotic AA mx w/vocals, AA talk good, this stn comes in some afternoons as early as 3 PM loc1 time with good audio. (Hakiel)
- 1570 TURKS AND CAICOS ISLANDS Atlantic Beacon 12/21 2255 1&c at s/on; I guess they wait for darkness on the east coast before signing on. 12/23 2304-2307 1&c way atop w/UPI nx, local ads, Paul Harvey nx. (DeLorenzo)
- 1610t ANGUILLA The Valley 12/20 0427 woman very tearful SS talk, have only seen EE pgms reported? (Vernon) They have a late night SS thing, I think its every night, if not it is frequent Chuck



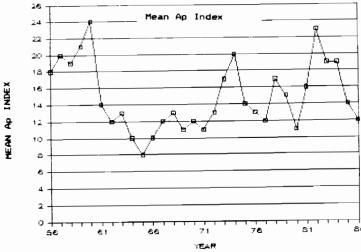


FIGURE 6. Correlation of Sunspot Number with Planetary A Index.

5. GEOMAGNETIC FIELD DATA

I recently obtained the \underline{Ap} index data for the years 1956 through 1986. I tabulated the following information for each year in an attempt to correlate the \underline{Ap} index with sunspot number:

Sunspot number	- monthly mean Wolf sunspot number
Mean Ap	- the average Ap for the year
Ap < 8	- the number of days with a quiet geomagnetic field
7 <ap<16< td=""><td> the number of days with a disturbed geomagnetic field </td></ap<16<>	 the number of days with a disturbed geomagnetic field
Ap>15	 the number of days with an active geomagnetic field
Ap>80	 the number of days with a major geomagnetic storm

Con A<8	 the maximum number of consecutive days with a quiet geomagnetic field
Con A<16	 the maximum number of consecutive days with a quiet or disturbed geomagnetic field
Con A>15	 the maximum number of consecutive days with an active geomagnetic field.

Table 1 shows these values for the years 1956 through 1986, which covers almost three sunspot cycles. Figure 6 shows a graph of the relationship between sunspot number and the mean Ap index; I expected to see an inverse relationship, with the lowest mean Ap index; I expected to see an inverse relationship, with the lowest mean Ap index during the lowest sunspot years. The maximum mean Ap values occur 2-3 years after the sunspot maximum. The minimum mean Ap value occurred one year after the sunspot minimum in 1964, but there wasn't a real clear minimum mean Ap value in the mid-1970's. It is too early to tell the correlation in the mid-1980's since the sunspot minimum has just occurred in late 1986 or early 1987, just before this article was written.

Figure 7 shows a graph of the number of quiet days (Ap < 8) and sunspot number over the years since 1956. The trend is for the number of quiet days to be high when the sunspot number is low, and vice versa. But, the correlation is not perfect — the mid-1970's really don't correlate well, while the period 1956-1968 and 1982 to the present correlate fairly well. The minimum number of quiet days occurs 2-3 years after the sunspot maximum, while the maximum number of quiet days occurs 1-2 years after the sunspot minimum.

The correlation between the number of active days (Ap > 15) and the sunspot number is shown in Figure 8. With the exception of the mid-1970's, the maximum number of active days occurs 2-3 years after the sunspot maximum year.



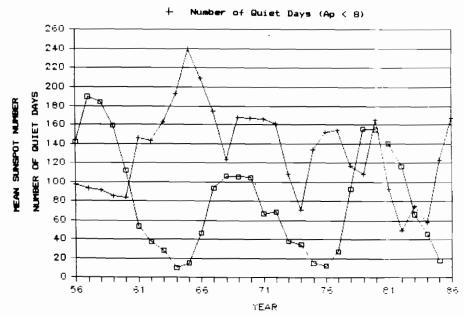


FIGURE 7. Number of Quiet Days vs. Sunspot Number.

Mean Sunspot Number



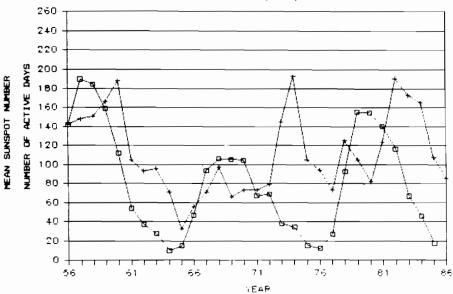


FIGURE 8. Number of Active Days vs. Sunspot Number.

It is evident that "something happened" in the mid-1970's. The sunspot number plot in Figure 8 indicates that the maximum number of sunspots occurred in 1968-69, with a monthly mean of 106 in those years. The minimum sunspot year was 1976, with a value of 13. 1973 and 1974 appear to be anomalous, with a higher than expected number of active days and a high mean Ap index in a time of declining sunspot number. There is no obvious explanation for this anomaly.

The year 1980 is interesting — it was just after the sunspot maximum, yet it had a high number of quiet days and an unexpectedly low number of active days. The years 1969 through 1971 show a similar occurrence.

The average Ap value for the years 1956 through 1986 was 15, which is the "break point" between "disturbed" and "active" geomagnetic field. The months with the highest average Ap during this period were April and September, while the months with the lowest average were December and January.

Over the period 1956-1986, Table 1 indicates that the highest number of consecutive days with a quiet geomagnetic field (Ap of 7 or less) was 19 in 1965. The longest period without an active geomagnetic field (Ap index of 15) or less was 59 days in 1964, with 54 in 1966 and 49 in 1987. Clearly, it is too much to expect periods of more than two weeks with a quiet geomagnetic field, or periods of more than one month without an active field. On the other hand, 1958 saw a 25 day period when the Ap index was over 15 and the geomagnetic field was active. It is common to have some periods of 3-6 days with an active field even in low sunspot number years.

I also got on the mailing list for the "Geomagnetic Indices Bulletin" published by the National Geophysical Data Center in Boulder, Colorado. This bulletin provides the daily $\underline{\text{Kp}}$ $\underline{\text{Ap}}$ (planetary $\underline{\text{A}}$), $\underline{\text{AFr}}$ (Fredericksburg, VA $\underline{\text{A}}$ index) and other indices for each month.

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The Ag index values for 1986 are shown in Table 2 as a function of month and day. The mean Ag, median Ag, the number of quiet days (Ag between 0 and 75), disturbed days (Ag between 8 and 15), and active days (Ag greater than 15), and the maximum number of consecutive days with quiet, disturbed or liet, and active days are tabulated for each month. Table 3 shows the same tabulated for 1987 up through July, which is the last month I have available. I tabulated data for 1972 through 1986 in this same format, available as a still the same format, available as a still the same format.

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Table 4 presents the 1986 and 1987 Ap index data in 27 day cycles rather than by months. There are some recurrent periods of high geomagnetic assistivity, but most last only 2 or 3 cycles at most. Some do not recur at alliend some skip one or more months (perhaps because the flare activity was reduced during that cycle). It should be noted that these years are at the sunspot minimum, so the recurrent effects may not be as apparent. Review of the data for 1982 (a high geomagnetic activity year) shows some recurrent patterns of more than 6 27-day cycles.