

# DX News

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### Station Test Calendar

WFLI	PA	560	Dec. 11	0000-0100
WNTP	PA	990	Dec. 11	0000-0100
WNAR	PA	1620	daily	0300-0304

*From the Publisher ...* I know, I know ... 12 pages of DXN this time of year? Where are all the reporters? Where are all the volunteers?

*e-DXN Subscriptions ...* I'm guilty of passing along bad information concerning e-DXN subs, for which I apologize. Here's the short of it: ALL e-DXN subs will expire in 2007, not 2006 (except for one person who converted from DXN to e-DXN @ \$15.00 as of 12-01-05, whose sub will expire on 12-01-06). If you have registered on e-DXN by December 31 and are a DXN and/or DXAS subscriber in good standing (paid-up), you have until your 2007 DXN/DXAS renewal date to cough up an extra \$5 to remain an e-DXN subscriber. New subscribers at the \$15 rate through December 31 will renew on 01-01-17. (But unpaid, non-member registrants will be deleted on January 1 from the database.) Remember, as an e-DXN member you can read DXN online via the forums about a week before it is mailed out, download 100% of DXN via .pdf download a week early, read and post in the forums, join user groups, get e-mail notification of new posts (including DX test alerts), send private messages to other members, post both DX-related and non-

DX-related information, and download DXAS as MP3's. And you become a 100% bonafide NRC member and enjoy all membership privileges, too!

### DXN Publishing Schedule, Volume 73

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21.	Feb. 17	Feb. 27			

### DX Time Machine

#### From the pages of DX News:

50 years ago ... from the December 10, 1955 DXN: Ernie Cooper, Brooklyn, NY reported receiving a beautiful photocard of Turin as a verie from Rome I-845, as well as a form letter verie from KVFC-740 for the DX broadcast on 11/15.

25 years ago ... from the December 15, 1980 DXN: The death of member Joe Brauner, 74, who had begun his DX'ing career in 1924 and logged over 5,640 stations, was announced.

10 years ago ... from the December 11, 1995 DXN: HCJB-690 Quito, Ecuador was airing monthly DX tests for the entire year.

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compiled from both listeners' reports and official sources, making it the most accurate listing of U. S. and Canadian AM stations available. Unbound, three-hole punched for standard binders. \$19.95 to U. S. members; \$25.95 to U. S. non-NRC members; to Canadian members, \$23.00 (\$29.00 to non-NRC members). Airmail to members in western Europe (except Italy) and Australia, New Zealand, and Japan: \$29.00. All others contact us for exact prices. Order from: NRC Publications - Box 164 - Mannsville, NY 13661 (NY residents, please add sales tax).



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*Status changes in AM stations, supplied by the FCC, CRTC, and listeners*

### CALL LETTER CHANGES

	<u>Old Call</u>		<u>New Call</u>
575	NEW	GU	Tamuning
1280	KUYL	CA	Stockton
1540	WSKT	IN	Martinsville
			KTKB
			KWSX
			WMYJ



### CPs ON THE AIR

1260	WWVT	VA	Christiansburg - CP for U1 5000/25 is on the air.
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### GRANTS TO EXISTING FACILITIES

1080	WHOO	FL	<b>Kissimmee</b> - Licensed for D3 10000/0, WHOO had a CP granted to increase daytime power and to add CH authorization as D4 19000/0 CH 10000. They then applied for U7 27000/2000 CH 4000 with a City-of-License (CoL) change to Winter Park, Florida. That was followed by an application for an amendment to the CP adding night service, which has been granted. When operational, WHOO will be U7 19000/190 CH 10000 at Kissimmee.
1150	WAVO	SC	<b>Rock Hill</b> - CP granted to increase daytime power to become U1 5000/59.
1190	WIXE	NC	<b>Monroe</b> - CP granted to add night service and increase CH power. When operational, WIXE will become U1 5000/70 CH 5000.
1320	WJAS	PA	<b>Pittsburgh</b> - CP granted to increase their day power and relocate the day site to become U4 7000/5000. WJAS is losing the current day/night site, which has always been rented from the city of Pittsburgh, as the lease will not be renewed. A separate application moving the night facility is being prepared.

### AMENDMENTS TO APPLICATIONS SUBMITTED

570	NEW	GA	<b>Garden City</b> - Initial Auction 84 application was for U4 500/500. This amendment requests U4 290/500.
940	NEW	MT	<b>Dillon</b> - Initial Auction 84 application was for U1 250/250 which was later amended to U4 50000/760. This amendment requests U4 10000/350.
970	KHVN	TX	<b>Fort Worth</b> - Licensed for U1 1000/270, they initially applied for U1 600/245 along with a change in CoL to Bedford, Texas. This was followed by an amendment for U1 500/239. This latest amendment requests U1 400/215 from Bedford.
1050	NEW	AK	<b>Chugiak</b> - Initial Auction 84 application was for U1 1000/400. This amendment requests U1 1000/1000. [Chugiak is about 10 miles northeast of Anchorage]
1160	NEW	AK	<b>Chugiak</b> - Initial Auction 84 application was for U1 50000/580. This amendment requests U1 30000/400.
1230	NEW	TX	<b>Presidio</b> - Initial Auction 84 application was for U1 250/250 which was later amended to U1 1000/1000. This amendment requests U1 620/585.
1370	WGHC	GA	<b>Clayton</b> - Licensed for D1 2500/0, their initial Auction 84 application was for D1 5000/0 CH 3800 on 870 kHz. This amendment requests D1 3000/0 on 870.
1450	NEW	CO	<b>Eads</b> - Initial Auction 84 application was for U1 250/250. This amendment requests U1 1000/1000.
1450	NEW	TX	<b>Comstock</b> - Initial Auction 84 application was for U1 250/250. This amendment requests U1 1000/1000.
1450	NEW	TX	<b>Iola</b> - Initial Auction 84 application was for U1 250/250. This amendment requests U1 175/1000.

**What? You missed another short-notice DX test because you forgot to register for e-DXN? Proceed directly to [www.e-dxn.com](http://www.e-dxn.com) and follow the indicated links to join up. It's free until January 1!**



1590 NEW AL Opp - Initial Auction 84 application was for U4 500/240. This amendment requests U4 500/190.

APPLICATIONS FROM EXISTING FACILITIES DISMISSED

1560 KILE TX Bellaire - Licensed for D1 800/0, KILE holds a CP for U4 50000/100 from two sites. On October 24 they filed a request for Program Test Authority but it was turned down by the FCC. I saw reports of KILE being logged in the Midwest, so they must have been testing. Their daytime 50 kW is directed at 009 degrees from Bellaire (Houston), making that logging during either SRS or SSS very probable. I can't dig up any details on the denial, but will keep trying.

APPLICATIONS REINSTATED

1020 KAXX AK Eagle River - Application for U1 50000/50000. [FCC lists station as silent]

APPLICATIONS FOR NEW STATIONS

1220 NEW MI Escanaba - Applies for U4 2500/700.



LICENSE RENEWALS GRANTED

540	KRXA	CA Carmel Valley	1050	KJPG	CA Frazier Park	1280	KUYL	CA Stockton
540	KVIP	CA Redding	1050	KCAA	CA Loma Linda	1290	KPAY	CA Chico
550	KUZZ	CA Bakersfield	1050	KTCT	CA San Mateo	1300	KROP	CA Brawley
560	KSFO	CA San Francisco	1060	KTNS	CA Oakhurst	1300	KYNO	CA Fresno
570	KFCJ	CA Alturas	1070	KNX	CA Los Angeles	1300	KPMO	CA Mendocino
570	KLAC	CA Los Angeles	1080	KSCO	CA Santa Cruz	1310	KIQQ	CA Barstow
570	KNRS	UT Salt Lake City	1100	KAFY	CA Bakersfield	1310	KMKY	CA Oakland
580	KMJ	CA Fresno	1100	KFAX	CA San Francisco	1320	KSDT	CA Hemet
590	KTIE	CA San Bernardino	1110	KDIS	CA Pasadena	1320	KKSM	CA Oceanside
600	KOGO	CA San Diego	1110	KLIB	CA Roseville	1330	KLBS	CA Los Banos
610	KAVL	CA Lancaster	1130	KRDU	CA Dinuba	1340	KATA	CA Arcata
610	KEAR	CA San Francisco	1130	KSDO	CA San Diego	1340	KWXY	CA Cathedral City
620	KIGS	CA Hanford	1140	KNWQ	CA Palm Springs	1340	KCBL	CA Fresno
620	KMJC	CA Mount Shasta	1140	KHTK	CA Sacramento	1340	KOMY	CA La Selva Beach
630	KIDD	CA Monterey	1150	KTLK	CA Los Angeles	1340	KTPI	CA Mojave
700	KMBX	CA Soledad	1170	KLOK	CA San Jose	1340	KTOX	CA Needles
710	KFIA	CA Carmichael	1180	KERI	CA Wasco-Greenacres	1340	KEWE	CA Oroville
710	KSPN	CA Los Angeles	1200	KYAA	CA Soquel	1340	KYNS	CA San Luis Obispo
730	KKDA	TX Grand Prairie	1210	KQEQ	CA Fowler	1340	KIST	CA Santa Barbara
740	KBRT	CA Avalon	1210	KEBR	CA Rocklin	1350	KBID	CA Bakersfield
740	KCBS	CA San Francisco	1220	KHTS	CA Canyon Country	1350	KTDD	CA San Bernardino
770	KCBC	CA Riverbank	1220	KNTS	CA Palo Alto	1350	KSRO	CA Santa Rosa
790	KWSW	CA Eureka	1220	KWKU	CA Pomona	1360	KFIV	CA Modesto
800	KDFO	CA Bakersfield	1230	KSZL	CA Barstow	1360	KLSD	CA San Diego
810	KGO	CA San Francisco	1230	KBOV	CA Bishop	1370	KWRM	CA Corona
830	KNCO	CA Grass Valley	1230	KXO	CA El Centro	1370	KPCO	CA Quincy
830	KMXE	CA Orange	1230	KYPA	CA Los Angeles	1370	KGEN	CA Tulare
880	KKMC	CA Gonzales	1230	KPRL	CA Paso Robles	1370	KZSF	CA San Jose
890	KKLF	CA Arroyo Grande	1230	KLXR	CA Redding	1380	KWJL	CA Lancaster
900	KALI	CA West Covina	1230	KWG	CA Stockton	1380	KTKZ	CA Sacramento
910	KECR	CA El Cajon	1240	WEBJ	AL Brewton	1390	KLOC	CA Turlock
910	KOXR	CA Oxnard	1240	KPOD	CA Crescent City	1390	KRFO	MN Owatonna
920	KVIN	CA Ceres	1240	KMRY	CA Monterey	1400	KESQ	CA Indio
920	KPSI	CA Palm Springs	1240	KLOA	CA Ridgecrest	1400	KQMS	CA Redding
920	KVEC	CA San Luis Obispo	1240	KSAC	CA Sacramento	1400	KKJL	CA San Luis Obispo
920	KDHL	MN Faribault	1240	KEZY	CA San Bernardino	1400	KUNX	CA Santa Paula
940	KWRU	CA Fresno	1240	KSON	CA San Diego	1400	KVBL	CA Visalia
970	KGET	CA Bakersfield	1240	KSUE	CA Susanville	1410	KERN	CA Bakersfield
970	KNWZ	CA Coachella	1240	KMCL	ID Donnelly	1410	KRML	CA Carmel
970	KESP	CA Modesto	1240	KJOP	CA Lemoore	1410	KTME	CA Lompoc
980	KINS	CA Eureka	1250	KHOT	CA Madera	1410	KMYC	CA Marysville
980	KEYQ	CA Fresno	1250	KZER	CA Santa Barbara	1420	KSTN	CA Fresno
980	KFWB	CA Los Angeles	1250	KNWH	CA Twenty Nine Palms	1430	KWST	CA El Centro
980	KDBV	CA Salinas	1260	KKGO	CA Beverly Hills	1430	KFIG	CA Fresno
990	KATD	CA Pittsburg	1260	KOIT	CA San Francisco	1430	KJAY	CA Sacramento
990	KTMS	CA Santa Barbara	1270	KXBX	CA Lakeport	1440	KDIF	CA Riverside
1000	KCEO	CA Vista	1270	KNWT	CA Thousand Palms	1440	KUHL	CA Santa Maria
1010	KCHJ	CA Delano	1270	KJUG	CA Tulare	1450	KFSD	CA Escondido
1010	KIQI	CA San Francisco	1270	KLXX	ND Bismarck-Mandan	1450	KGAM	CA Palm Springs
1010	KXPS	CA Thousand Oaks	1270	KFLC	TX Fort Worth	1450	KEST	CA San Francisco
1020	KTNQ	CA Los Angeles	1280	KXTK	CA Arroyo Grande	1450	KVML	CA Sonora
1030	KJDJ	CA San Luis Obispo	1280	KFRN	CA Long Beach	1450	KVEN	CA Ventura

1450	KOBO	CA	Yuba City	1490	KSYC	CA	Yreka	1570	KCVR	CA	Lodi
1460	KTYM	CA	Inglewood	1500	KSJX	CA	San Jose	1570	KPRO	CA	Riverside
1460	KABL	CA	Salinas	1500	KBRN	TX	Boerne	1570	KTGE	CA	Salinas
1470	KUTY	CA	Palmdale	1510	KSPA	CA	Ontario	1580	KBLA	CA	Santa Monica
1470	KIID	CA	Sacramento	1510	KPIG	CA	Piedmont	1580	WDAB	SC	Travelers Rest
1480	KGOE	CA	Eureka	1510	KROB	TX	Robstown	1590	KKZZ	CA	Ventura
1480	KSBQ	CA	Santa Maria	1520	KVTA	CA	Port Hueneme	1590	KLIV	CA	San Jose
1490	KWAC	CA	Bakersfield	1550	KWRN	CA	Apple Valley	1590	KRSX	CA	Victorville
1490	KMET	CA	Banning	1550	KXEX	CA	Fresno	1600	KGRO	CA	Fresno
1490	KICO	CA	Calexico	1550	KYCY	CA	San Francisco	1600	KTAP	CA	Santa Maria
1490	KRKC	CA	King City	1560	KNZR	CA	Bakersfield	1600	KUBA	CA	Yuba City
1490	KBLF	CA	Red Bluff	1560	KIQS	CA	Willows	1650	KFOX	CA	Torrance
1490	KBKO	CA	Santa Barbara								

### HEAR AND THAR

- Former silent stations reported to be back ON the air: WJDB-630 Thomasville, Alabama; WWON-930 Waynesboro, Tennessee; KDLA-1010 DeRidder, Louisiana; and WHHQ-1520 Elizabethton, Tennessee. Reported OFF the air: WSRF-1580 Fort Lauderdale, Florida.
- Fines: WYRV-770 Cedar Bluff, Virginia has been fined \$500 for their failure to maintain their public inspection file.
- Stan Morss checks in with word that WSMN-1590 Nashua, New Hampshire began simulcasting WSNH-900 with ESPN Sports on November 27.
- Word in from Ernie Wesolowski, via Bill Dvorak, is that KYDZ-1180 Bellevue, Nebraska (Omaha) will go silent effective January 1, 2006. A rare occasion, where an X-band station's predecessor actually has left the air clearing the airwaves just a bit. Beginning in 1984, the station has been KNPE, KKAR, KOIL, and KYDZ.
- Thanks to Shawn Axelrod and Wayne Heinen.

### GRAVEYARD DX UPDATE

#### 1230 kHz:

KWSN SD Sioux Falls	Bruce Winkelman	Tulsa, OK	<u>Miles</u> 512
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#### Totals:

Bruce Winkelman Tulsa, OK	18	15	4	17	12	11	77
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## *Domestic DX Digest*

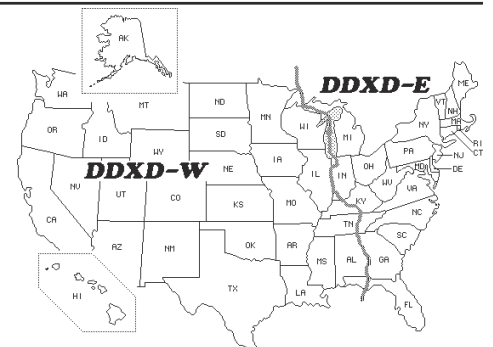
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between East and  
Central time zones)



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## DDXD-West

### FROM THE VAST WESTLAND

- The recent 80<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Grand Ole Opry served as a reminder that you can still find bits of radio as it once was on today's dial. Stan Freberg's "When Radio Was," Buffalo's "KB Radio," CHWO's Bob Sprott playing Big Band requests and running old Glen Miller shows on Thursday nights are three examples of radio's Good Old Days revisited. Now from John Wilkins comes a logging of the Good Old DX days revisited. See the "DX and Other Tests" section below. Now if we could just bring back Border Radio!
- We appreciate your loggings. Like they used to say in radio's earlier days, keep those cards and letters (and e-mails) rolling in! 73 Bill

#### Reporters

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|--------|---|
| CB-CO  | Craig Barnes, Wondervu. Drake R8A with E/W 140-foot Kaz or N/S 90-foot EWE, both with Quantum phaser, or Lowe HF-150E with 70-foot N EWE. |
| EW-NE  | Ernie Wesolowski, Omaha. Drake SW8, Quantum QX Pro loop.  |
| GH-IL  | Greg Harris, Park Forest. FRG100B/Quantum Loop.   |
| JEL-MO | J. E. Lewis, DXing south of Kansas City. Taurus car radio.  |

JJR-WI	<b>John Rieger, South Milwaukee.</b> Icom IC-R75, Kiwa loop, MFJ-959B tuner-preamp, GE Superadio III, Terk AM 1000 loop.
JRT-MO	<b>John Tudenham, Joplin.</b> Sangean ATS 505, Radio shack loop.
JW-CO	<b>John Wilkins, Wheat Ridge.</b> Drake R-8, 4-foot box loop.
MS-MB	<b>Morris Sorensen, Winnipeg.</b> Drake R-8 with Quantum QX Pro loop or DX-392 "bare-foot."
RT-MN	<b>Rick Turner, Bemidji.</b> YB400PE, Select-A-Tenna 541.
Ed.-WI	<b>Your editor, Madison.</b>

## Station News

1020	KOIL	NE	<b>Plattsmouth.</b> Will change to the Radio Disney format currently on KYDZ 1180, effective 1/1/06 (see below). No word yet what will happen to KOIL's present Classic Country format. <b>(EW-NE)</b>
1180	KYDZ	NE	<b>Bellevue.</b> <i>Will go silent</i> , effective 1/1/06. Here is a rare case where the in-band counterpart to an X-band station, in this case KOZN 1620, will actually go silent. <b>(EW-NE)</b>
1570	CKMW	MB	<b>Winkler.</b> Patrick Martin posted the following item 11/25 on the NRC-AM list: "I spoke to the CE of CKMW 1570 Winkler MB and they had a fire, so CKMW is currently operating only with 1 kw. I noticed I have not heard them of late here.... He said it would be down at 1 kw for a week or so. The new 10 kw transmitter is on order." <b>(Ed.-WI)</b>

## DX and Other Tests

1490	KRTN	NM	<b>Raton. 11/29 0600.</b> Frequency check with 1000-hertz tones and voice IDs. Lasted until at least 0603, when the tape ran out. Reminded me of the Good Old Days when these could be heard all over the dial in the wee hours of the morning. <b>(JW-CO)</b>
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## Presumed, Tentative, UnID

1070	KFTIt	KS	<b>Wichita. 11/27 1039.</b> "AM 1070 the Ranch," into Wichita State football score, other college football scores, C&W music. <b>(CB-CO)</b>
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## Regular DX Loggings (times in ELT)

550	KBOW	MT	<b>Butte. 11/26 2130.</b> "Country 550 KBOW, Southwestern Montana's News Authority." News item on Canadian mining north of Glacier National Park, Anne Murray Christmas song. <b>(CB-CO)</b>
590	KGLE	MT	<b>Glendive. 11/23 2327.</b> "KGLE Glendive, Montana" on a peak. <b>(CB-CO)</b>
620	WTMJ	WI	<b>Milwaukee. 11/23 1700.</b> Station ID. WTMJ is rare here, was on day pattern and in the clear; never heard at night. <b>(JRT-MO)</b>
650	CKOM	SK	<b>Saskatoon. 11/26 0600.</b> "Your Information Station, AM 650 CKOM," news item on Kelowna BC. <b>(CB-CO)</b>
730	KWOA	MN	<b>Worthington. 11/21 0058.</b> "News Radio 730, KWOA Worthington"; promo for ESPN. Decent signal <b>(CB-CO)</b>
730	KURL	MT	<b>Billings. 11/23 2300.</b> "Music to Lift Your Spirit, KURL Billings." USA news, Thanksgiving travel news. <b>(CB-CO)</b>
750	CKJH	SK	<b>Melfort. 11/23 2305.</b> "CKJH, CK750," followed by Melfort weather. <b>(CB-CO)</b>
750	KAMA	TX	<b>El Paso. 11/23 2309.</b> "Siete Cincuenta, Radio KAMA," SS ballads. <b>(CB-CO)</b>
750	KMMJ	NE	<b>Grand Island. 11/24 1815.</b> Poor with ID as "News Radio 750 KMMJ." Relog. <b>(MS-MB)</b>
750	KERR	MT	<b>Polson. 11/24 1818.</b> Fair. Country music, ID. Relog. <b>(MS-MB)</b>
760	KKZN	CO	<b>Thornton. 11/25 0906.</b> Good, with mention of University of Colorado basketball and ID "This is the morning show on AM 760, Boulder's Progressive Talk." Relog. <b>(MS-MB)</b>
780	KSPI	OK	<b>Stillwater. 11/28 1802.</b> Weather forecast followed by sign-off message. Fair signal and in the clear. At the time, WBBM was off the air due to transmitter problems (they came back on at 1805) and WJAG was off due to a storm. As a result, I was able to hear this difficult station. <b>(EW-NE)</b>
790	WAYY	WI	<b>Eau Claire. 11/24 0039.</b> "News/Talk 790 WAYY." <b>(CB-CO)</b>
870	KPRM	MN	<b>Park Rapids. 11/25 1655.</b> Poor in WWL null. Talk of tree lighting, area sponsors, banks. No calls heard. <b>(JJR-WI)</b>
920	KYFR	IA	<b>Shenandoah. 11/26 0259.</b> Out of religious program and into legal ID "...of the



Word of God, this is the ministry of Family Radio, KYFR Shenandoah Iowa, 920 on your dial," then into another religious program or message. Rough in QRM. (JW-CO)

- 930 WTAD IL Quincy. 11/26 0606. "WTAD" out of the mud. (CB-CO)
- 960 KMA IA Shenandoah. 11/26 0611. "Weather from the KMA studios," followed by "KMA News." (CB-CO)
- 980 WTEM DC Washington. 11/27 0730. Poor; local sports chatter, phone number given. (JJR-WI)
- 990 WLGZ NY Rochester. 11/25 1730. Poor but alone with "Legends 990" jingle, Christmas song. No CBW. (JJR-WI)
- 1050 CJNB SK North Battleford. 11/27 0236. "This is CJNB North Battleford." C&W music. (CB-CO)
- 1090 KTGO ND Tioga. 11/26 0928. Fair, with older country music, sports and "KT-1090" slogan. (MS-MB)
- 1130 KWKH LA Shreveport. 11/24 1817. Very poor though clear with ads, calls in local WISN null. (JJR-WI)
- 1130 KFAN MN Minneapolis. 11/27 0202. "Right Here on AM 1130 KFAN, The Fan," into ESPN sports news. (CB-CO)
- 1150 KSEN MT Shelby. 11/27 0132. "AM 1150 KSEN, Good as Gold," regional sports news. Over/under KSAL. (CB-CO)
- 1150 KSAL KS Salina. 11/25 0756. Good, with news and mention of Kansas State Network. Relog. (MS-MB)
- 1150 KSAL KS Salina. 11/27 0133. "News Radio 1150 KSAL", back to "Coast to Coast." Mixing with KSEN. (CB-CO)
- 1170 WWVA WV Wheeling. 11/23 0947. Excellent, in the clear with Newsradio 1170 slogan and forecast for snow. Rare. (JEL-MO)
- 1210 KGYN OK Guymon. 11/25 0758. Fair, with "Here Comes Santa Claus" (first Christmas tune I've heard this year, but I'm sure it won't be the last!), ID, then back to regular country music. Relog. (MS-MB)
- 1210 KUNF UT Washington. 11/27 0950. "KUNF," Christmas greeting, Religious programming. (CB-CO)
- 1220 WMGT MN Stillwater. 11/24 0955. Fair with ID "here on the mighty 1220 WMGT." NEW! (MS-MB)
- 1230 WCWA OH Toledo. 11/26 2325. Poor in fade up. "...home of Jim Rome and Fox Sports, WCWA," then Toledo and Maumee ads. (JJR-WI)
- 1370 WSPD OH Toledo. 11/24 1905. Surfaced briefly with "...on News Talk 13-70 WSPD..." when splatter from local KKBj 1360 subsided for a moment. (RT-MN)
- 1370 WLJW MI Cadillac. 11/25 0750. Poor with station editorial and then promo for a basketball game in Traverse City. (MS-MB)
- 1380 KLIZ MN Brainerd. 11/25 1158. "Here on The Fan, 13-80 KLIZ" into "the KLIZ news" and "the KLIZ forecast". Hmm...wonder if I heard KLIZ.... (RT-MN)
- 1380 KAGE MN Winona. 11/25 1736. Poor in null of others. "K-G Country" ID and Cash Call amount. (JJR-WI)
- 1390 KLGW UT Logan. 11/25 1849. "It's Beginning to Look a Lot Like Christmas" and other Christmas tunes. At 1850 man says "You're listening to AM 1390 KLGW. Stay tuned for more Holiday favorites on Cache Valley's Christmas station." An ad followed. Good on peaks, mixing with KENN in null of local KGNU. (JW-CO)
- 1390 WGRB IL Chicago. 11/26 0058. "You're abundantly blessed on the all new 13-90 WGRB Chicago," into urban gospel. Faded in and out occasionally. (RT-MN)
- 1390 WNIO OH Youngstown. 11/26 0103. "...13-90 WNIO" into local news. In briefly during fade out of WGRB. Heard again at 2305: "Fifty five minutes of America's best music here on 13-90, WNIO" into nostalgia. (RT-MN)
- 1410 KRWB MN Roseau. 11/28 1300. Classic Rock format ("American Woman"), ID "...AM 14-10 KRWB Roseau." (RT-MN)
- 1430 WBEV WI Beaver Dam. 11/30 2005. ABC news and local ads. "Your Hometown Station, AM 14-30 WBEV Beaver Dam." (RT-MN)
- 1440 WPRS IL Paris. 11/24 0744. Poor before WROK power up. Calls, oldies. (JJR-WI)
- 1440 WROK IL Rockford. Heard under UNID station: "News Talk 14-40, WROK" into station contest promo. Lost to an UNID station running "Coast to Coast." (RT-MN)

1450	KYNT	SD	Yankton. 11/25 0900. Poor. Surfaced briefly with ID. Relog. (MS-MB)
1490	KRIB	IA	Mason City. 11/27 0738. Very poor with calls in fade up. Oldies. (JJR-WI)
1500	WPJX	IL	Zion. 11/27 1010. Poor but steady with oldies and two very local PSAs. Back to music with no calls said. Despite closeness, rare! (JJR-WI)
1500	WAKE	IN	Valparaiso. 11/25 1830. Poor in KSTP null. Calls, 24 hour mention, Christmas songs. More common at SRS. 25 watts? (JJR-WI)
1520	KOLM	MN	Rochester. 11/24 1000. Fair. "Rochester's home of ESPN." Relog. (MS-MB)
1550	WEVR	WI	River Falls. 11/24 0958. Poor-to-fair with weather mentioning several locations and ID mentioning River Falls and a couple of other towns. Relog. (MS-MB)
1550	KAPE	MO	Cape Girardeau. 11/27 0759. Legal ID by man at 0759:50, "AM 15-50 KAPE Cape Girardeau— news, talk and more... Cape Country." Poor in QRM. (JW-CO)
1560	KABI	KS	Abilene. 11/26 0300. Nostalgia music, call letter ID out of the mud, mostly dominant over Radio Disney. Per NRC Log, 58 watts night power. ID again at 0406 - "Oldies only on KABI." (CB-CO)
1560	WQEW	NY	New York. 11/26 0359. Weak, but with clear call letter ID at fade up, under KABI. Long, deep fades and Radio Disney programming. (CB-CO)
1560	WQEW	NY	New York. 11/26 1920. "Radio 1560 New York" in kid's voice and "Radio Disney New York" slogan ID. Good signal for 5 minutes, then wiped out by WBGX 1570 semi-local slop. (GH-IL)
1570	KSXT	CO	Loveland. 11/23 0923. Good, over unID SS with mention of increased coverage area and website. First time here. (JEL-MO)
1580	WLIJ	TN	Shelbyville. 11/24 0730. Poor over others, with C&W, Trading Post show. (JJR-WI)
1590	WHLX	MI	Marine City. 11/27 0651. Poor with weather, ID "AM 1450 and 1590..." Nostalgia // WHLS. Not common. (JJR-WI)

## DDXD-East

The Thanksgiving holiday gave some folks a little time to DX, including Bert New, who spent the day in Valdosta, GA and sent in a bandscan. Enjoy!

### REPORTERS

JLB-NY	Jerry Bond, Rochester – Hammarlund HQ-140 – XA, 3-Foot Loop.
MKB-ON	Mike Brooker, Toronto – Grundig YB-400PE; Panasonic RF-2200.
MKB-MI	Mike Brooker, Dearborn – Grundig YB400PE.
MB-IN	Mark Burns, Terre Haute – Drake R-8 and Kiwa Loop.
RJ-NC	Russ Johnson, Lexington – Palstar R30C, Icom R75, Sony 2010, Longwires.
IEN-GA	Ira Elbert New, III, Watkinsville – Sangean ATS 909 and Select-A-Tenna.
IEN*GA	Ira Elbert New, III, Valdosta – Sony ICF-2010.

### STATION LOGGINGS

550	CHLN	PQ	Trois-Rivières – 11/25 1656 – punched through nulled WGR with FF sports talk, mostly about tonight's Montreal Canadiens v. Buffalo Sabres hockey game (which they were also talking about on WGR!), promo for college sports at UQTR (Université du Québec à Trois-Rivières). (MKB-ON)
580	WELO	MS	Tupelo - 11/26 0018 - Christmas music with a little Nostalgia thrown in. Good signal with a slight chop to it. "Music Through the Night" and "The Music of Your Life on AM 580, WELO". (IEN-GA)
590	CKRS	PQ	Jonquière – 11/26 1741 – over CKWW-580 slop with Quebec Major Junior Hockey League game, slogan during break in action: "vous écoutez la radio de Jonquière-Chicoutimi". (MKB-MI)
	WKZO	MI	Kalamazoo- 11/28 1627 - On top of the frequency with "WKZO Accu-Weather" followed by a spot for an arts and crafts show. (JLB-NY)
610	WIP	PA	Philadelphia – 11/27 1738 – over nulled WTVN with NFL scores, "sports radio 610 WIP" ID, PSA for Child Help USA. (MKB-MI)
620	WZON	ME	Bangor - 11/13 1750 - Heard with a spot for a program on Bangor's Fox 22, ID and then a discussion about Monday Night Football. (JLB-NY)
790	WSGW	MI	Saginaw - 11/22 1707 - Heard saying "WSGW news time is 5:07" during local newscast. (JLB-NY)
920	CJCH	NS	Halifax - 11/13 1723 - Good signal saying "This is AM-920, CJCH-Halifax, a

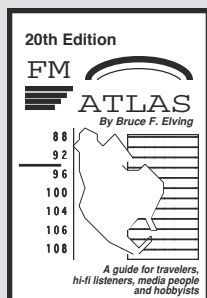
- CHUM Group radio station", proclaiming to play "yesterday's favorites." (JLB-NY)
- 970 WGTK KY Louisville - 11/17 1703 - Fair signal with "WGTK News Talk 970" ID after news followed by a spot for a car dealer. (JLB-NY)
- WFUN OH Ashtabula - 11/26 1700 - Good signal announcing "more news first on AM-970 WFUN Ashtabula" followed by newscast. (JLB-NY)
- 1170 KFAQ OK Tulsa - 11/27 0803 - fighting off nulled WWVA with slogan "talk radio 1170 KFAQ", local weather: "KFAQ is your official weather channel station". (MKB-MI)
- 1190 WSDQ TN Dunlap - 11/20 1822 - ID "WSDQ" followed by country music song. Battling Colts-Bengals NFL game on frequency. (RJ-NC)
- 1300 WWCH PA Clarion - 11/13 1917 - Good with ID, Radio 13 slogan and local news and weather. (JLB-NY)
- 1340 WNCO OH Ashland - 11/14 0830 - Very loud and clear over the mess with ID, spot for Onstar and then said "Your unforgettable favorites are on WNCO 1340 AM." (JLB-NY)
- WFMH AL Cullman - 11/22 1759 - TOH ID, "1340, WFMH-Cullman." Then into network news. (RJ-NC)
- WSTJ VT St. Johnsbury - 11/29 1507 - On top of the mess with end of news and local weather and then they said "you're listening to WSTJ" followed by big band music. (JLB-NY)
- 1360 WWOW OH Conneaut - 11/28 1654 - Good signal with ID and oldies and saying "This is America's rock and roll radio station." (JLB-NY)
- 1380 WNRI RI Woonsocket - 11/25 1631 - fighting pest CKPC with promo for Christmas with the Mantovani Orchestra at the Stadium Theater, ad for Nathan's Jewelers in Woonsocket, ad/PSA for Woonsocket Public Library. (MKB-ON)
- 1400 WMAN OH Mansfield - 11/14 0916 - Faded up over the mess for a few minutes with an ID, a local "tradio" buy and sell type show and weather. (JLB-NY)
- WTSL NH Hanover - 11/25 1603 - over WWWS Buffalo and other graveyarders with local sports (i.e. Red Sox, Bruins), ID as "let's take a look at the forecast on your weather channel WTSL" into local weather. (MKB-ON)
- 1420 WLNA NY Peekskill - 11/26 1642 - Nice signal saying they were "Putnam County's home for classics - WLNA-1420" followed by a Patsy Cline tune. (JLB-NY)
- 1490 WMRN OH Marion - 11/13 2139 - Faded up nicely saying "you're listening to Sunday Night football on Marion County's WMRN." (JLB-NY)
- 1540 WRTK OH Niles - 11/17 1559 - In briefly with ID followed by urban contemporary music. (JLB-NY)
- 1580 WVOK AL Oxford - 11/21 2157 - "The Greatest Hits of All Time, 1580, WVOK." Then a Fleetwood Mac song. (RJ-NC)
- 1590 WARV RI Warwick - 11/22 1637 - In nicely over semi local WASB with "This is 1590-WARV." (JLB-NY)
- 1700 WEUV AL Huntsville - 11/28 0708 - over UNID TIS/HAR with local obituaries and funeral announcements, "a public service of WEUV". (MKB-MI)
- TIS/HAR
- 1610 WPFY269 MI Detroit - 11/26 1753 - over CHHA with traffic delays and other usual TIS information, ID as "WPFY269 Ambassador Bridge AM 1610 information station", promos for [www.ambassadorbridge.com](http://www.ambassadorbridge.com) web site. (MKB-MI)
- PRESUMED/UNID
- 810 WPINp VA Dublin - 11/23 1631 - Strong for several minutes with Virginia traffic safety messages, then local news, followed by Fox News. They said "your news and information station is I-81." (JLB-NY)
- 870 WPWTp TN Colonial Heights - 11/17 1700 - Strong with "power talk 870" slogan preceding a newscast. (JLB-NY)
- 1510 KMSDp SD Milbank - 11/19 2100 - Good with oldies (Crazy Elephant, Supremes), mixing it up with WLAC. New. (MB-IN)
- BERT NEW'S BANDSCAN FROM VALDOSTA, GA
- 550 WAYRp FL Orange Park - 11/24 1315 - Presumed with religious programming. Signal was weak, but steady. "Way Radio. (IEN\*GA)



- WDUN GA Gainesville – 11/24 1645 - Sean Hannity Show. Weak with fades. “WDUN, Newstalk 550”. (IEN\*GA)
- 560 WOOF AL Dothan – 11/24 1320 - Sports News. Signal was weak, but steady. “The Ball, WOOF”. (IEN\*GA)
- 590 WDWDp GA Atlanta – 11/24 1650 - Radio Disney. Decent with fades. (IEN\*GA)
- 600 WBWLp FL Jacksonville – 11/24 1655 - Radio Disney. Decent with fades. (IEN\*GA)
- 620 WDAE FL St. Petersburg – 11/24 1330 - Sports News. Decent, steady signal. “620, WDAE, The Sports Animal”. (IEN\*GA)
- 640 WGSTp GA Atlanta – 11/24 1333 - News. Weak and mixed with another station. Slogan “Braves Radio, 640”. (IEN\*GA)
- 690 WOKV FL Jacksonville – 11/24 1335 - News. Decent, steady signal. “690, WOKV, Depend on It”. (IEN\*GA)
- 750 WSBp GA Atlanta – 11/24 1340 - Clark Howard Show. Weak, but steady. “Newstalk 750”. (IEN\*GA)
- 810 WTHVp GA Hahira – 11/24 1345 – Presumed with health talk show. Strong signal. (IEN\*GA)
- 840 WHGHp GA Thomasville – 11/24 1350 – Presumed with UC Gospel music. Good signal. (IEN\*GA)
- 860 WDMGp GA Douglas – 11/24 1355 – Presumed with ESPN Radio. Good signal. (IEN\*GA)
- 920 WVOH GA Hazlehurst – 11/24 1405 – Presumed with gospel music. Weak, but steady. (IEN\*GA)
- 950 WGOVp GA Valdosta – 11/24 1410 – Presumed with UC Music. Strong signal. (IEN\*GA)
- 1020 WJEPp GA Ochlocknee – 11/24 1415 – Presumed with religious programming. Good signal. (IEN\*GA)
- 1070 WFRFp FL Tallahassee – 11/24 1420 – Presumed with gospel music. Decent, steady signal. (IEN\*GA)
- 1100 WGGA GA Woodbine – 11/24 1422 – Presumed with a talk show. Weak, but steady signal. (IEN\*GA)
- 1150 WJEMp GA Valdosta – 11/24 1425 - UC Gospel. Strong signal. (IEN\*GA)
- 1230 WMAFp FL Madison – 11/24 1427- Country music. Decent, steady signal. (IEN\*GA)
- 1250 WQHLp FL Live Oak – 11/24 1430 – Presumed with ABC News. Decent, steady signal. (IEN\*GA)
- 1450 WVLDp GA Valdosta – 11/24 1605 – Talk show. Strong signal. (IEN\*GA)
- 1490 WSFBp GA Quitman – 11/24 1610 - Nostalgia. Decent, steady signal. (IEN\*GA)
- 1550 WAMAp FL Tampa – 11/24 1620 – Presumed with Spanish music and talk. Good signal mixed with others. “La Invasora”. (IEN\*GA)
- 1570 WTWB FL Auburndale – 11/24 1625 – Presumed with talk show. Decent signal with fades. “Florida’s Talk 1570”. (IEN\*GA)
- 1620 WNRPp FL Pensacola – 11/24 1630 – Presumed with classic country music. Good signal with fades. (IEN\*GA)
- 1640 WTNI MS Biloxi – 11/24 1633 – Presumed with football. Good signal with fades. (IEN\*GA)
- 1650 WHKTp VA Portsmouth – 11/24 1638 - Radio Disney. Weak with fades. (IEN\*GA)
- 1670 WMWRp GA Dry Branch – 11/24 1640 – Presumed with G. Gordon Liddy Show. Decent signal with fades. (IEN\*GA)
- 1690 WWAAp GA Avondale Estates – 11/24 1642 – Presumed with Air America. Decent signal mixed with another station. (IEN\*GA)

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# International

## DX Digest

*Foreign DX Catches. Times are UTC; for ELT, subtract 5 hrs.*

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### Transatlantic DX

- 594 **PORTUGAL** *R.Renasença*, Muge (39°05'N 08°41'W) NOV 29 2238 - Very good with two men talking to each other in Portuguese. Not sure of the topic, sounded like an interview. [Dangerfield-PA]
- 657 **SPAIN** *RNE5* Madrid (40°28'N 03°52'W) DEC 2 0255 - Excellent; telephone talk parallel 585 kHz also good. [Conti-NH]
- 675 **NETHERLANDS** *Arrow Classic Rock*, Lopik (52°01'N 05°03'E) DEC 2 0220 - Good; '60s and '70s rock music. [Conti-NH]
- 747 **NETHERLANDS** *747AM Flevoland* (52°23'N 05°25'E) DEC 2 0140 - Good over Canaries/Spain; operatic vocal. [Conti-NH]
- 819 **EGYPT** *ERTU* Batra (31°09'N 31°27'E) NOV 30 0129 - Good; typical Egyptian pop music, male and female vocals. Just like I have heard while listening to this station over there. [Dangerfield-PA]
- 945 **FRANCE** *France Info*, Toulouse (43°21'N 01°20'E) DEC 2 0229 - Good; orchestral French vocal, woman in French with news. [Conti-NH]
- 999 **SPAIN** *COPE* Madrid (40°28'N 03°52'W) NOV 29 2210 - Good and almost clear of 1000 kHz with a man reading the news in Spanish. For 50 kW this is one of the best of Spain. [Dangerfield-PA]
- 1089 **ALBANIA** *RTV Shqiptar 1*, Shijak (41°18'N 19°28'E) NOV 29 2203 - Mixed with UK talk equal to Albanian talk and some music. Other Albanian signals also at the time. The 1089 Albanian was very loud when I was in Croatia. Tonight it seemed to go off around 2230 (not sure) and was back on around 0400. I noted two hets. [Dangerfield-PA]
- 1206 **FRANCE** *France Info*, Bordeaux (44°57'N 00°11'W) DEC 2 0235 - Fair; woman with news, then classical or pop orchestra music, parallel a stronger 945 kHz signal. [Conti-NH]
- 1394.81 **ALBANIA** *TWR* Fillakë (40°57'N 19°40'E) NOV 29 2130 - Good with woman in a Slavic language. [Dangerfield-PA]
- 1503 **SPAIN** *RNE5* Piñeira and La Línea de la Concepción DEC 1 0235 - Good with two men in Spanish. [Dangerfield-PA]
- 1575 **UNITED ARAB EMIRATES** *R.Farda*, Al Dhabiya (24°11'N 54°14'E) NOV 29 2216 - Fair with typical orchestra music, meant, I suppose, for its Iranian listeners. I finally succeeded in getting a QSL card from Washington DC, confirming my reception of their Farsi broadcast on 1575 kHz in May. I think my e-mail got through to someone and perhaps they were waiting to have QSL cards made up. The card I got has a picture of the *RFE / Radio Liberty* headquarters. [Dangerfield-PA]

*Ben comments on mid-winter anomaly:* As Bruce remarked, the more interesting TAs so frequently reported in the early fall season have been largely replaced by stations in Spain and North Africa. And I haven't heard any Italian *Rai* stations for a while, most likely because many of them have been shut down and many of the remaining ones have reduced power. And the pre-sunset IBOC of some stations here is making early reception of TAs on surrounding frequencies quite difficult (as in WBZ for example). Another strange thing: On the afternoon of Nov. 29, I was pulling in more than a dozen TAs long before sunset and with good signals. But on the next night, Nov. 30, I had just a few weak hets during the same period, like some sort of one night anomaly. But then again, all this is what makes our hobby so interesting!

### Pan-American DX

- 590 **CUBA** *CMHI R.Rebelde*, Santa Clara NOV 26 0540 - Fair under WEZE with CKRS nulled out; nostalgia parallel 600 and 5025 kHz. [Conti-NH]
- 730 **MEXICO** *EXE* Col. El Vergel, México DF (19°19'N 99°05'W) DEC 2 0200 - Fair in CKAC null with 729 het; telephone talk in Spanish with many México mentions, ID, sounded like mention of "Cadena W" followed by "XEX 730 AM..." in a long announcement, then rock music and more talk. [Conti-NH]

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International News

**ARGENTINA:** A new station has begun transmissions on **530 kHz** mediumwave. The station is run by La Asociación Madres de Plaza de Mayo, and began broadcasting on November 22. Information about *Radio Madres de Plaza de Mayo* was published by Agencia Walsh, and posted on Condig mailing list by Claudio Morales, DXing.info. [Steve Whitt MWC, via Jim Renfrew]

**GERMANY:** Another Berlin mediumwave signal to go dark by yearend! **567 kHz** will be shut down on December 31. Herewith the mediumwave operations from the Stallupöner Allee site are to cease after 59 years. **1449 kHz** was the second mediumwave outlet of *Sender Freies Berlin* and shut down in 1994. **810 kHz** was the Berlin frequency of the *BBC* who abandoned it by the end of 1988; afterwards a relay of *Deutschlandfunk* on this frequency started in spring 1989 and was kept until *Deutschlandfunk* came on FM in Berlin in the early nineties. Last 810 activity from Stallupöner Allee were DRM demonstrations during the IFA 2001. [Kai Ludwig, *DX Listening Digest*, via Jim Renfrew]

73 and Good DX!

## **NRC Financial Report, Fiscal Year 2004-'05**

**By Dick Truax, NRC Treasurer**

**Income Statement**

Member Dues .....	16484.00
AM Log .....	7993.87
Pattern Book .....	885.55
Antenna Books .....	801.40
Reprints .....	1005.66
Receiver Book .....	29.85
Beverage Book .....	344.25
Loop Book .....	242.60
Audio Service .....	2661.00
New Member Book .....	87.00
FM Atlas .....	406.00
Map Book .....	273.75
Convention .....	1571.00
Miscellaneous .....	306.80
.....	\$33092.73

Info Purchase .....	353.45
Supplies .....	496.35
Miscellaneous .....	1534.69
Convention .....	1255.15
Total .....	\$3799.60

**Total Expenses .....** \$31228.61

**Statement of Income**

Income, all sources .....	33092.73
Bulletin/Publication Costs	
Beginning Inventory .....	5116.03
Printing .....	17351.86
Postage .....	10077.15
Les Ending Inventory .....	-3952.02
<b>Net Costs .....</b>	<b>\$28593.02</b>

<b>Profit or Loss .....</b>	<b>4499.71</b>
Administrative Expense .....	-3799.60
<b>Net Profit .....</b>	<b>\$700.11</b>

**Expense Statement**

<b>Printing</b>	
<i>DX News</i> .....	10646.56
AM Log .....	4799.05
Antenna Books .....	567.70
Reprints .....	338.55
.....	\$17351.86
<b>Postage</b>	
<i>DX News</i> .....	7471.34
Sales .....	1951.96
Administrative .....	653.85
.....	\$10077.15
<b>Administrative</b>	
Telephone .....	159.96

**Balance Sheet**

<b>Assets</b>	
Inventory .....	3952.02
Cash .....	14081.09
Total .....	\$18033.11
<b>Liabilities</b>	
Deferred dues .....	-9053.45
<b>Net Worth .....</b>	<b>8979.66</b>

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