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**Coming soon —**

**How to use a Tape Recorder**

# NEWS and VIEWS

**SPEEDX MANAGING EDITOR** - Bill Flynn, P.O. BOX 473, Mt. View, CA 94040 has accepted the post of managing editor of SPEEDX. He will be serving as "pro-tem" until a Board of Directors is elected, and the appointment will be made official. Watch for an announcement next month.

**TRANS WORLD RADIO** - Thank you to Allan Stewart of TWR Monaco, for his fine announcements over the "DX SPECIAL" program. Also the announcement in the "DXtra SPECIAL" bulletin. Listen to the "DX SPECIAL" on Thursday evenings (US) at 0045 GMT on 11815 kHz. TWR also is asking for reports from DXers in the U.S.A. for transmissions from their Monaco Transmitters, as well as the transmitter on Bonaire, Netherlands Antilles. They are offering three (3) different new QSL cards as a reward for a good report. Different cards will be issued every two months. August & September Reports will earn a card with an aerial view of the Principality of Monaco, Oct. & Nov. reports will net a card depicting the transmitter building, and Dec. & Jan. reports will bring a QSL showing the antenna towers of TWR in Monaco. Write today, and when you do, ask for your copy of the "DX-tra SPECIAL". Their address is: Trans World Radio, Box 141, Monte-Carlo, MONACO. Enclosed (2) IRC's for an airmail reply. (Air postage to them is now .21¢)

**RADIO RSA** - Thanks to Leo Van Der Walt for his "plug" for SPEEDX over the DX Corner on R. RSA. Listen to him each Wed. evening (US) on 6080/9560/9695/11970 kHz. Approx. time is 0100 GMT, repeated at 0200 & 0300 GMT.

**RADIO NEDERLAND "HAPPY STATION"** - Tom Meyer also recently gave SPEEDX a very nice "call" over his Sunday evening VARIETY SHOW - "HAPPY STATION". Thanks Tom for your support. If you like variety the HAPPY STATION is the program for you. This program is no doubt one of the most listened to programs on SHORTWAVE that is heard in the U.S. Reason being is a top-notch program, and what is the best signal heard in N.A. on a "regular" basis. Tune in on Sunday evenings at 0200 or 0500 GMT on 11.730 & (9.715 added on the 0500 release)

**SWAPS NEWSLETTER** - If cardswapping is your bag, or tapesponding, then you should write to SWAPS NEWSLETTER for information about their bulletin. A fast growing "association" with the motto - "So that we may know one another". Address: Swaps Newsletter, 801 S. Fairview, U-1, Santa Ana, CALIF. 92704 U.S.A.

**SPONSORSHIP PROGRAM** - It has been brought to our attention that one individual who has limited income would like to join SPEEDX but simply cannot afford it. He is able and willing to pay  $\frac{1}{2}$  (which is \$5.00). If you would like to SPONSOR this SWL who is (we believe) deserving, contact Dave Thorne, SPEEDX Secretary. If you do so, we will advise the recipient who has "helped" him on the road to DXing, so that he will be able to write his "sponsor" and thank him.

**BOARD OF DIRECTORS** - A vote has been taken of the 16 "founding members" of SPEEDX to elect a Board of Directors. The results are not in yet, but look for the results in the Oct. SPEEDX. The 16 "founding members" are those dedicated DXers who put up the original \$300.00 to publish the July SPEEDX. Soon after they are in announcements will be made as to who you can write to, to voice your opinions about the SPEEDX organization.

**GILFER ASSOCIATES, Inc.** - The following letter has been received by SPEEDX. We will print it exactly as received. The first paragraph reads:

"I would personally appreciate your publishing the fact that Todd S. Graves is NOT an agent of this corporation. GILFER has never authorized representation of any of its products or services through either SWL GUIDE or one Todd S. Graves."

GILFER ASSOCIATES, INC.

(signed)

Oliver P. Ferrell  
President

**MEMBERSHIP DRIVE IN OCTOBER!!!** - SPEEDX may be sponsoring a membership drive in the month of October or November. Rumor has it that gift certificates will be the reward to anyone who send a new member our way. Yep, you heard right! GIFT CERTIFICATES good for SWL SUPPLIES. Is it true??? Watch News & Views for further announcements.

**YES VIRGINIA, THERE IS A CHARLIE LOUDENBOCHER!** - He is that happy fellow who typifies the real "pros" of the hobby of DXing. Courteous, kind, helpful, never takes his hobby too serious, and never lets DXing detract from his family or work. Now Charlie, will you please bring back those copies of SPEEDX you walked off with from the ANARC convention!

73's Dave Thorne - SPEEDX



# Montage

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With news and discussions of interest to DX'ers

SPEEDX

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Submit DX material to the editor so that it is received not later than the 20th of each month. Share your hot DX info with others!

✓ Perhaps there is some confusion as to just what this column is all about. DX Montage will hopefully serve as a "catch-all" or as a clearinghouse for information pertinent to rarer stations, new schedules from rarer stations, and general information which may promote the hobby. Because this column is a DX Montage, we invite you to submit material that would fall into this category — or which would not normally fit into other SPEEDX columns. Just what this column contains, is entirely up to what material is sent in!

✓ At recent Indianapolis convention, ANARC set up a program of regional representatives, designed to help newcomers get going in the hobby. Gilfer Asso, Park Ridge, NJ offered to forward the names of customers who are interested in receiving help, and has already begun to send them to Al Sizer, who was named to head up the new ANARC program.

At the convention, 18 people volunteered to be ANARC representatives in their respective areas, but Al needs more, especially in the south and west of the Mississippi. If you want to help in this worthwhile project, write to:

✓ A definite identification has been heard from station EAJ-203 SPANISH SARARA (Africa) by DXer Ed Shaw. The tentative identification was

Mr. Alvin V. Sizer  
22 Country Way  
North Haven, OO 06473

confirmed by Dr. Richard Wood at the recent ANARC convention. The station identification in Arabic was "Buna Aaiun." (c.f. SPEEDX August column - DX Montage.) This would seem to be the first real identification of the station by a North American DXer. For what it's worth, EAJ-203 has recently been noted on 7232 kHz. S/on time remains unchanged.

✓ Although you may have read elsewhere that the GUYANA BROADCASTING COMPANY (S.A.) operating on 3265 and 5985 kHz is no longer active we wish to correct that error. Stations of the GBS and GBC, are both on the air! (c.f. August DX Montage.)

✓ NMBJ is apparently on the air with their new 100 kiloWatt SW transmitter, atleast on 15347 kHz (listed 15345). The station is being heard with greatly improved signals in North America. (Item from Michael Macken, Winthrop, MA.)

✓ "SAUT AS SAHIL", Sharjah, TRUCIAL COAST (As.) presently operates on both SW and MW. 1250 kHz MW and 6040 kHz SW. According to Mr. P. Moore of Television International Enterprises Ltd., London, all of the programs are in the Arabic language. Although currently using a 70 kW transmitter on shortwave, the station has plans to upgrade the transmitter power to 50 kW on shortwave, by means of a new transmitter. The new transmitter should be in operation by year's end. At that time, also some English programs are anticipated. It is worth noting, that Mr. Moore advises DXers to send reports via his office. He says: "I think you will have more chance of receiving replies to your reports this way since the station are somewhat under-staffed and are more likely to take action on correspondence from ourselves, since I am in virtually daily contact with the station commercial manager."

Write to:

Mr. P.C. Moore  
Sales Manager  
Television Int. Ent. Ltd.  
22 South Audley Street  
London W1Y 6ES (England)

Current "Saut As Sahil" schedule:  
Daily on 6040 kHz...

0235 - 0700 GMT  
1700 - 1900 GMT

(Item from Phil Schnabel,  
Fort Wayne, IN)

EXCLUSIVE!

✓ **CORRECTION:** In "Short Notes" (August issue) we stated that the Hammarlund company would no longer manufacture either the HQ - 200 or the HQ - 180A receiver. Correct info on this is that the company will make 'small production runs' on these two receivers only!

✓ The following may be considered as a 'tentative item.' Bob Bundy of Truk, Caroline Islands, notes this report aired on Radio Sweden: (from DX program, 17 August) An English listener reported having heard a station calling itself 'Radio Lasa' (Lhasa, Tibet) on 12869 kHz (correctly 4869 kHz, Bob?). On the air 0300 - 0400 GMT with nx in English at 0315, Chinese at 0330 and French at 0345 GMT. The GB listener says the station requested reports. (There are two main points which I question: 1) the near total--lightness path of the signal/reception, and 2) that if this really were **Radio LHASA** and if the station was on the air one hour, I doubt that they would devote 45 minutes total on English, French and Chinese (out of 60 minutes) of a broadcast. I think Radio Sweden goofed in letting this report of questionable nature to be aired.-Ed.) (Item from Bob Bundy, Truk.)

✓ **PAPUA & NEW GUINEA** are among those countries adding to their SWBC facilities. Most recently, R. Madang on 3260 kHz has been heard de approx. 1015 until 1100 GMT s/off w/ God Save the Queen. Another new station has been heard testing on 3290 kHz, and until 16 August was identifying its location as 'Central District of Papua,' but now is giving its location as Port Moresby. No other information available at this time. (Bob Bundy.)

✓ Soviet time signal station RID Irkutsk, 15006 kHz, noted 25 July "best ever" at 0415 GMT, with Morse ID every 5 minutes, SSB. (Item from Jon Williams, Indianapolis, Indiana.)

✓ According to the Milwaukee Sentinel + Journal, General Fr. Franco officially inaugurated Spain's new SWBC station. Involved are two-10C kW transmitters, which will beam six-hours of programming to LA and 'some southern U-S states,' daily. (Mark Konen, Milwaukee, Wis.)

✓ Tentatively IDed as "Alari Broadcasting Center" (Renau, Sabah), Bob Bundy thinks this is the station operating on 1980 kHz from 1000 to 1400 GMT. Has hrd comml for "Brand 45, Malaysia's largest selling coffee," (15 August) but notes that the word 'inilah' common to both Indonesian and Malaysian was not present. (Bob Bundy, Truk.)

✓ In case you haven't already heard, CBC is relaying certain programs from Deutsche Welle. 11865 and 15165 kHz are the frequencies which are involved in late evening -east coast- broadcasts. As yet, nothing has been said about DW relaying CBC broadcasts....(Neumann)

✓ **SHORT NOTES:** All East German DX clubs have been shut down by the East German Security Service, for conducting 'illegal activities.' Included is the R.Moscow DX Club International. In the meantime, a few former RMDXCI members have applied to the East German gov't for a license to publish their bulletin. (Item from ADDX)...."It is apparent that the items they claim to have are not all in stock!" (Mike Macken writing about 'O'Connell Associates' of Binghamton, NY) ....Had a healthy and positive reply to comments made about the SWL Guide + Todd Graves. Thanks to all of you who wrote-in agreeing that what was said was way overdue! (Neumann)....During the splashdown sequence of Apollo 15, the Voice of America's latin service provided on the air voice feeds (actualities) in Spanish to R. Belgrano in Argentina; R. Guayaquil, Ecuador; R. Cadena Nacional, Colombia; and R. Universitaria, Costa Rica. Prior to each actuality, the VOA would mention to which station that particular feed was intended. Does anyone know if this has been done on previous Apollo flights? (Neumann) ....'futebol' is Spanish for soccer....Radio Luxembourg has planned to go on the air August first with a new 50 kilowatt transmitter on 15350 kHz frequency. Whenever they do get on the air with it, look for programs beamed to Canada. (Neumann, ADDX)

Thanks to these contributors:

Mike Macken, Winthrop, MA.  
Phil Schnabel, Ft. Wayne, IN  
Al Sizer, North Haven, CO.  
Bob Bundy, Truk, Caroline Isl.

*Seq. P. Neumann*

Next month will have/bring a transcript of the talk by Oliver P. Ferrell - given at the recent ANARC convention.

Let's hear from YOU!

Next deadline: 20 September

# SPEEDX SPECIAL

September, '71

These photographs are only a few of the many taken at recent ANARC convention in Indianapolis, Indiana. (we hope to see YOU next year!)

See below  
for  
legend!



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(all descriptions  
are left to rt.)

1. Glenn Hauser, Dr. Richard Wood, William Matthews.
2. Jeannie Ferrell, Gerry Dexter and John Callarman.
3. "I have all the evidence right in my pocket..." - Edward C. Shaw.
4. Dr. Richard E. Wood gives an excellent talk on language types and characteristics.
5. Panel of ANARC self-critique (l to r) Dexter, Jensen, Shaw, Wood, Field, Craighead.
6. Al Reynolds, Wendel Craighead (Exec. Secy.), Jon Williams.
7. Gerry Dexter (back to camera), Don Jensen, Anthony Toscani.
8. Craighead (back to camera), Marlin Field, Jack Widner, and Joseph Sarff.

**SPECIAL**

# ANARC NEWS

BILL SPARKS

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## ANARC CONVENTION.

The story of the 1971 ANARC Convention at Indianapolis has been told by its host, Serge Neumann, in the August Speedx. Already ANARC is considering plans for the 1972 Convention. The Club des DXers du Quebec has invited ANARC to hold the next convention in Quebec City next summer. ANARC would like to determine the next convention site and date as early as possible so that plans can be completed early in the year. Any club, individual, or group of individuals interested in hosting the 1972 Convention should send your bid, including the proposed dates, to ANARC headquarters as soon as possible.

## FM STATION ATLAS of U. S. A. and CANADA.

A new aid to FM listening and DXing has been published. It is the FM STATION ATLAS of the United States and Canada. The author is Bruce F. Elving, an assistant professor of mass communications at Univ. of Wisconsin. It consists of handy size maps that show at a glance the locations and frequencies of nearly 3000 commercial and educational FM stations in the U. S. A. and Canada.

The atlas utilizes the latest FCC and Canadian station information and is correct as of the April publication deadline. Commercial and educational stations and FM translators, both licensed and those holding construction permits, are all included making this listing unique and more timely than yearbooks and radio logs commonly available. The cost is \$2.00 per copy, postpaid, from: Worldwide TV-FM DX Association, P. O. Box 5001-AN, Harbor Sta., Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53204.

## WORLDWIDE TV-FM DX ASSOCIATION.

WTFDA has made available to the public a new ten page booklet as an introduction to DXing above 30 Mhz. on TV, FM and VHF public service band radio. This booklet describes how to get started as well as how to advance in the hobby. Such areas as equipment, propagation, and techniques are covered. Future supplements will also be provided to further expand and broaden the scope of this introduction. The first five page supplement to the introductory package is now ready and will be included at no extra charge with the basic ten page package. Predictions for the last half of the year constitute the addenda.

The cost of the introductory course is 25% or 3 IRC's. A sample copy of the monthly UHF-VHF DIGEST may be ordered at the same time for 50% extra if desired. A special edition of UHF-VHF DIGEST for overseas DXers will also be provided for 50% or 4 IRC's. WTFDA is the only ANARC club which exclusively serves DX enthusiasts who concentrate on the bands above 30 Mhz.

## NEWARK NEWS RADIO CLUB.

Any DXers desiring to communicate with this club should take note of the fact that mail addressed to the usual club address in care of the Newark Daily News might not be delivered. The club has used the newspaper address for years. However, editorial employees of the newspaper went out on strike late in May closing the paper completely. Thus, letters sent to NNRC's official address cannot be delivered until the strike is settled.

Until further notice, all mail for NNRC should be sent to the home address of their corresponding secretary - Harold S. Williams, 32 Smith Street, Apt. 3-W, Seymour, Conn. 06483.

## CANADIAN INTERNATIONAL DX CLUB.

CIDX is soliciting contributions to pay for a receiver and club memberships for disabled war veteran Albert Madder. Donations should be sent to CIDX at 169 Grandview Ave., Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada.

# Konen's DX Korner

## BROADCASTING OUTSIDE OF THE INTERNATIONAL SW BANDS

by Mark S. Konen

Tuning stations that are found outside the allocated SW frequency ranges are a fascinating and interesting way to log new DX, as you can find a host of stations not always found inside the SW bands. Now when I say 'inside the shortwave bands' and 'allocated frequency ranges', I mean the frequency ranges established by the International Frequency Registration Board (IFRB) in Geneva, Switzerland. For example, the 25 meter band has a frequency range of 11,700-11,975 kilohertz as set down by the IFRB. Other frequency ranges are set aside for amateur radio operators throughout the world, as well as other functions.

One reason why some stations operate outside these bands is the fact that they are free from interference from other broadcasters, therefore have a clear signal unless it has a high static level. Stations that do this are notably the BBC and Radio Moscow along with its R. Kiev, R. Vilnius, R. Peace & Progress stations. To use one example, R. Vilnius currently uses two parallel frequencies of 12,030 and 12,050 kHz.

Another reason why some stations go outside the international SW bands is that certain broadcasters feel they do not have to comply with the IFRB. They feel no obligation to other broadcasting organizations so therefore they take any frequency they want any time they want. Simply, they feel that the rules just don't apply to them. The most notables of these broadcasters are Radio Peking, Radio Pyongyang, and the Voice of Vietnam. As a matter fact, I recently logged R. Pyongyang broadcasting on a frequency of 16,320 kHz--well outside the set frequency ranges! Other stations to be found in the QRM-free bands include Pakistan, India, Egypt, Indonesia and a host of other smaller broadcasters.

Perhaps the most interesting of these "renegade" stations are the clandestine or "underground stations". These are usually revolutionary stations directed against their country's government. Often times these stations are pro-communist and are run by Communist guerilla factions. These stations are usually in a nearby country that is also against the government of the country to whom the clandestine station directs its broadcasts. Usually the government tries to eliminate the clandestine with jamming techniques that aren't always successful. Usually you find these clandestine stations where armed conflict is found, especially if it is a "struggle of liberation" and Communist influence is prevalent. A great deal of the clandestines are therefore located in Southeast Asia and the Middle East. Some of the recently reported clandestine operations include Radio Espana Independente, which is the oldest operating clandestine incidentally. Another older station is Radio Euzkadi, a Basque Nationalist station located in Venezuela. Its purpose is the liberation of the Basque homeland in Spain. Other clandestines around are Liberation Radio in Vietnam, Radiofonikos Statmos I Foni Tis Alithias, a Greek station in Bulgaria; Voice of the Cambodian National Front and Radio Portugal Livre.

The main reason why all these stations continue to operate outside the international shortwave bands is the fact that there is no organization or agency that can enforce the set rules. The IFRB can't do anything about it, that is why it hoped that a close cooperation can be maintained between the broadcasters to keep violations down to a minimum.

In closing, I think if you try it, you will be rewarded with some interesting catches and it will be well worth it! So good luck!

DX/73's,  
*Mark*

# SPEEDXTRAS

WHAT IS A "SPEEDXTRA"? ... Primarily it is a bonus for those bulletin subscribers who actively support the organization with logging reports or other contributions. There is no intention to exclude anyone from SPEEDX activities; the opportunity to participate is available equally to all.

As our group evolves unto the scene, one aim is to develop a first-rate monthly publication for all SWLs...from the most recent novice to the crustiest of veterans. To accomplish this goal requires more than the support of a relative handful of faithful reporters and the talents of a qualified staff. The key to success lies in promoting interest and desire for active participation from a broad range of individuals. Hence the emergence of "SPEEDXTRAS". These bonuses will be offered to our contributors on a no-charge basis (like the Reference Leaflet below), or at substantial discounts from regular prices (in the case of SPEEDX-produced major text publications).

How are we able to do this?? ... Well, one revenue source is the saving which accrues from volume printing runs of the bulletin. As the total subscription list increases, the cost of production per copy decreases. These reductions in unit cost are then sufficient in total to finance a "SPEEDXTRA". Thus those who have materially contributed to the bulletin, and its success, receive "dividends" for their part in its production.

## DX HOT-SHEET: Progress Report

The committee of Bill Flynn and Serge Neumann have submitted their findings. In general, a supplementary semi-monthly DX hot-sheet appears practical. Qualified personnel have offered their services to staff such a publication. There is just one major drawback ... financing.

Since the hot-sheet would be yet another bonus for active participants, the required publishing funds must be derived from existing sources such as the aforementioned volume printing discounts. After careful study, it has been determined that in order to sustain a presentation of this type SPEEDX associate memberships must be increased by roughly 70 subscriptions over the present level. Gentlemen, the plan is practical, and a staff is available.....all that remains is for you to assist by recruiting a few of your fellow SWLs for SPEEDX. How about it??

## REFERENCE LEAFLET (RL-1)

The first in the SPEEDX series of Reference Leaflets is now ready. RL-1, entitled "SINPO Language Aid", offers a means of accurately supplementing SINPO numerical gradients with concise terms in several languages. The DXer could find this leaflet a valuable aid when reporting to smaller local or regional stations whose engineers might not be too familiar with the SINPO code or readily conversant with English.

RL-1 is available at no charge to only those who have supported SPEEDX by:

- 1) Reporting to, or corresponding with, at least one section of one bulletin issue to date (July, August, or September). OR
- 2) Participating in the RSA reception survey of 16-17 August. OR
- 3) Assisting the group in organizational or administrative areas.

If you qualify by fulfillment of only one of the above requirements, you are entitled to receive RL-1. Simply sent your request and a self-addressed, stamped envelope (SASE) to: "SPEEDXTRAS", 780 NW Wallula, Gresham Oregon 97030.

This leaflet is available only on this basis. For those who were unable to qualify this time, it will be again available in the near future as will the second publication of this series. Anyone wishing to collect the complete set is advised to maintain minimum activity such as outlined above.

## DX CONTEST

During the coming winter DX "season" SPEEDX will sponsor a rather unique contest for its members and associates. There will be two major divisions of competition ... "Shortwave Broadcast" and "Utilities" - with each being further classified into three groups ... "Novice", "Intermediate", and "Expert". In this way SPEEDXers will be competing only with others of comparable interest or skills in one of six categories. Full details and contest rules will appear in the October issue. Watch for them.

To date, well over a dozen sketches suggesting an official SPEEDX emblem or insignia have been received. Several admirably meet the requirements of originality, motif, and adaptability to reproduction ... the final selection appears difficult. In order to be as fair as possible, and to accurately represent the sentiments of the organization, a judging committee will present their selection of the "finalists" and the group as a whole will be asked to vote for the design of their choice from among these. The deadline for entries is 15 September, so there is still time to prepare a possible winner.




# PROPAGATION

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43 individual reports covering 156 separate loggings were received for the 16-17 August RSA reception survey, and all who participated should have received their special acknowledgements by now. Sincere thanks are again in order to all those who forwarded data.

SPEEDX' good fortune seemed to continue as several reporters observed and duly noted the exact, and sometimes rather elusive, phenomenon under study. Those who were monitoring the 31 meter channels (9560 or 9695) between 2300 and 0200 GMT were treated to the desired effect quite well. What now remains is to determine the exact extent of the factors involved in producing the fade-out/fade-in situation and then develop some useful application from this information. Since RSA signals to North America, by reason of the path traversed, provide an excellent vehicle for this particular study, similar additional surveys will undoubtedly be forthcoming from time to time.




**RSA**  
**SPEEDX**

**ACKNOWLEDGEMENT**

that JOE DXER has

made a significant contribution toward  
geomagnetic studies by observation of  
RSA signals on 16-17 July 1971

*Jack White*



The special limited edition acknowledgement card received by RSA signal survey reporters.

Only 43 will ever be in existence.

A distinctive addition to any QSL collection to say the least

Although somewhat unrelated to the topic of propagation, readers are reminded that now is the time to perform some routine maintenance. Summer weather acts adversely upon exterior installations and most find it easier to scramble about the rooftop now in search of potential problems rather than waiting until the snow flies.

1) Insulation on lead-in wires should be inspected for cracking or weathering which might collect moisture resulting in a signal loss situation. Special note should be taken in the vicinity of stand-offs, wall entries, and near structures. If weathering is observed, all suspect spots should be tightly sealed with plastic tape; or better yet, replace the lead.

2) Terminal insulators on wire antennas should be wiped clean. An accumulation of dust and other air contaminants combined with moisture can produce an undesired current path to drain off part of a signal.

3) With antennas employing "traps" (Mosley SWL-7, etc) the trap enclosures should also be wiped clean and carefully inspected for structural cracks. If cracks are found, a thorough cleaning, wrapping with plastic tape, and a very generous application of a waterproof sealer will often restore original performance. Do not repair with wire or other metallic items. Also check and tighten all terminal nuts and apply a coat of sealer to these connections.

4) Check to be sure all masts, guying, braces, and supports are secure and ready for the ravages of winter winds.

5) Dust is an enemy of all electronic equipment...in some cases it may even be attracted to the gear. A thorough cleaning of all exposed switch contacts, capacitor plates, etc within the receiver often results in a reduction of "static". If the reader does not feel qualified to poke about the innards of his rig, annual service by a qualified technician is advised. In this case, shops specializing in ham or marine radios are usually preferable to the neighborhood TV or CB outfits. It is surprising how much better most sets perform following a "peaking up".

# WORLDWIDE FORECAST

## September - October 1971

| GMT          | RCVR ZONE | SOUTH & CENTRAL AMERICA | EUROPE MID EAST N AFRICA | CENTRAL ASIA FAR EAST | SOUTH & CENTRAL AFRICA | AUSTRALIA SOUTH PACIFIC |
|--------------|-----------|-------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|
| 0000 to 0300 | E         | 19F 25F<br>31F 49F      | 25G 31F<br>19M           | 16G 19F               | 16F 19F<br>49F 60F     | 16F                     |
|              | W         | 19G 25G<br>31F 49F      | 31G 25F                  | 16F 19F               | 19G 25F<br>49F 60F     | 16F 19F                 |
| 0300 to 0600 | E         | 25G 31G<br>49G 60F      | 31G 41G<br>49F 25M       | 25F 31F               | 25F 31F<br>49F 60F     | 19F                     |
|              | W         | 25G 31G<br>49G 60F      | 31G 41F<br>49F 25M       | 25F 31F               | 25G 31F<br>49F 60F     | 19F 16M                 |
| 0600 to 0900 | E         | 31G 49G<br>60F 25F      | 31G 41G<br>49F           | 31G 25F<br>49F 60M    | 31F                    | 25F 31F<br>49F          |
|              | W         | 31G 49G<br>60F          | 31G 41G<br>49F           | 25F 31F<br>49F 60F    | 31F 49F                | 25F 31F<br>49F 60M      |
| 0900 to 1200 | E         | 49F 25F<br>31F 60F      | 19G 16F<br>25F 31M       | 19F 25F<br>31M        | 16F 19M                | 25G 31G<br>49F 60M      |
|              | W         | 25G 31F<br>49F 60F      | 31G 41F<br>49F           | 25F 31F<br>49F 60F    | 31M                    | 25F 31F<br>49F 60F      |
| 1200 to 1500 | E         | 19F 25F<br>31M          | 19G 16F                  | 16F 19M               | 16F                    | 25F 31F<br>49M          |
|              | W         | 19F 25F                 | 19G 25M                  | 25F 31F<br>49M        | 19F 25M                | 25G 31F<br>49F 60M      |
| 1500 to 1800 | E         | 19F                     | 19G 16F                  | 19F 16F               | 16F                    | 25F 31F                 |
|              | W         | 19F                     | 19G 16M                  | 19G                   | 19F 16M                | 25G 31F<br>49M          |
| 1800 to 2100 | E         | 19F                     | 19G                      | 19G 25F               | 16F                    | 16F                     |
|              | W         | 19F                     | 19F                      | 19F 25M               | 19F                    | 16M                     |
| 2100 to 2400 | E         | 19F 25F<br>31F 49M      | 19F 25M                  | 19F                   | 16F 19F                | 16F                     |
|              | W         | 19F 25F                 | 19G                      | 19G 16M               | 19F                    | NIL                     |

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According to the Aug issue of SPEE DX, we then had over 100 subscribers/  
members! Such response to our first issue (Jul/71) must be some kind of  
record!! On behalf of the SWBC DX staff, may I say THANKS VERY MUCH?

As we now have an Asst Editor for Stn Data, please send your skeds and  
other stn data to Bob Butterfield at the above address.

Mil gracias to the 29 subscribers/members who submitted reports to the  
Western Hemisphere for this issue. PLEASE keep up your strong support.

As an experiment for this issue only, I accepted reports one week be-  
yond my deadline as I wanted to give everyone who wanted to send a re-  
port plenty of time to get it in. My experiment was a complete flop as  
only three (3) reports were received after 15 Aug. No more of that!  
My deadline will remain fixed at the 15th of the month from now on.

'Pat' Patterson,  
SWBC Editor.

## SWBC DX - Western Hemisphere

Date & Time: GMT Deadline: 15th of mo.

### ARGENTINA

76060 0935 LRA31-R Nacional, Buenos Aires: Sp w/nx & LA mx; ID 1002  
(fair 22 Jul; Palmer-MI)  
8167.5 2345 LBQ9(new time signal stn), Planta Gral. Pacheco: With  
second pulses, prolonged at minute mark (fair 6 Aug;  
Sizer-CT)  
9690 0458 LRA32-R Nacional, Buenos Aires: Sp w/sign-off (fair 8 Aug;  
Jones-CA). Also reported by Zilmer-WI; Palmer-MI; Stephen-  
son-CA.

### BOLIVIA

5045 0415 CP38-LV Altiplano, La Paz: Sp w/talks & occasional mx;  
"R Altiplano" mentioned 0432 (good 2 Aug; Schnabel-IN)  
5960 0924 CP60-Emis Pio XII, Llallagua: Sp w/LA mx & IDs  
(good 21 Jul; Sizer-CT). (CRP: Listed on 5955 kHz)

### BRAZIL

4755 0035 ZYF23-Rdifa do Maranhao, Sao Luis, Ma: Port w/mx & nx;  
ID hrd: "Radiodifusora do Maranhao-arombo musical"  
'I believe - but my Portuguese is none too potent!';  
clarinet mx after each selection (poor 6 Aug; White-  
head-MA)  
4865 0845 PRC5-R Clube do Para, Belem, Pa: Port w/mx  
(fair 20 Jul; Zilmer-WI)  
4995 0334 ZYX2-R Brasil Central, Goiania, Go: Port w/mx  
(poor 10 Aug; Jones-CA). Also reported by Schnabel-IN.  
5965 0245 ZYU60-R Guaiba, Porto Alegre, RGS: Port w/talk  
(fair 21 Jul; Zilmer-WI)  
6000 2325 PRK5-R Inconfidencia, Belo Horizonte, MG: Port w/end of  
mx, ID, & into some kind of sports (fair 28 Jul; Getzel-  
NY). Also reported by Murley-CA; Zilmer-WI.  
6035 0005 ZYZ6-R Globo, Rio de Janeiro, Gb: Port w/lots of ads &  
ID (fair 22 Jul; Miller-OH). Also reported by Zilmer-WI.  
6085 0030 ZYK2-R Jornal do Comercio, Recife, Pe: Port w/ID & talk  
(poor 28 Jul; Zilmer-WI)  
6175 0845 ZYV74-R Guarani, Belo Horizonte, MG: Port w/old MA pop mx  
& Brz mx; ID 0900 (fair 25 Jul; Palmer-MI)

BRAZIL (cont'd)

- 9695 0100 ZYB22-R Rio Mar, Manaus, Am: Port w/ID & talk; QRM-RSA; "later than usual prgr -first time heard ID" (poor 28 Jul; Zilmer-WI)
- 11765 0050 ZYB8-R Tupi, Sao Paulo, Sr: Port w/sports (soccer?) (poor 4 Aug; Zilmer-WI)
- 11785 0045 ZYU61-R Guaiba, Porto Alegre, RGS: Port w/sports (poor 4 Aug; Zilmer-WI)
- 11795 0030 ZY239-R Nacional, Rio de Janeiro, Gb: Port w/talk & ID (fair 21 Jul; Zilmer-WI)
- 11805 0100 ZYZ36-R Globo, Rio de Janeiro, Gb: Port w/talk & ID (poor 28 Jul; Zilmer-WI)
- 15145 2258 ZYK33-R Jornal do Comercio, Recife, Pe: Port w/musical prgr & ID as "Radio Jornal do Comercio" (poor 3 Aug; Bruns-MO)
- 15155 0000 ZYB9-R Tupi, Sao Paulo, SP: Port w/"futbol" - a score-less tie till goal @ 0058 - fans cheered & ancr booded; seemingly broadcast live from Pan-American games in Colombia; ancr got quite excited (good 13 Aug; Bruns-MO). Also reported by Zilmer-WI.
- 15185 0200 PRK9-R Inconfidencia, Belo Horizonte, MG: Port w/sporting event (soccer?) (poor 21 Jul; Zilmer-WI)
- 15265 0030 ZYR235-R Excelsior, Sao Paulo, SP: Port w/sporting event; "First time I heard this one" (poor 21 Jul; Zilmer-WI)
- 15295 2300 ZYD-R Nacional, Rio de Janeiro, Gb: Port w/light mx; ID 2315; woman ancr; ID "Radio Nacional-Brasil"; inx & into "ompa" band type mx & marches; then talk prgr (sports?) at 2330 (good/very good 7 Aug; Schwartzmyer-NY)
- 15415 0200 ZYE50-R Clube Ribeirao Preto, Riberao Preto, SP: Port w/sporting event; "this was // with 15265"; ID & mx 0220 (fair 21 Jul; Zilmer-WI)
- 15450 0100 ZYN32(?)-R Nacional, Brasilia, DF: Port w/Brz mx - some NA records in Eng; "ID given as above but was on 15450 & not (listed) 15445 (poor 22 Jul; Zilmer-WI)

(CRP: Bob Zilmer has really been "touring" Brazil! Some good ones, Bob)

CANADA

- 6005 1310 CFCX, Montreal, PQ: Eng w/local nx, wx & mx (fair 19 Jul; Shaw-PA). Also reported by Getzel-NY.
- 6010 2235 CJCX, Sydney, NS: Eng w/ads and music (poor 20 Jul; Getzel-NY)
- 6070 0820 CFRX, Toronto, Ont: Eng w/all-night mx show; frequent EST time checks & Ak (CFRB) IDs (fair 11 Aug; Murley-CA). Also reported by Redman-IL; Jones-CA; Kelly-WI; Lay-VA; Getzel-NY; Powell-NC; Dildine-VA; Shaw-PA)
- 6130 0145 CHNX, Halifax, NS: Eng w/ads & mx; QRM fr R Nacional de Espana, Madrid (poor 19 Jul; Getzel-NY)
- 11755 2330 R Canada International, Sackville, NB: Eng & Fr w/test xmsn to Europe & WCNA; music (exc 11 Jul; Dildine-VA)

CHILE

- 9570 0750 CE957-R Portales, Santiago: Sp w/anmts & LA mx; on wall after listed WRTVH sked; now assumed running all night (very good 12 Aug; Murley-CA). Also reported by Benton-NB.
- 9590 2340 CE959-R Presidente Balmaceda, Santiago: Sp w/talk, NA pop mx, IDs (good 21 Jul; Zabransky-IL). Also reported by Norcross-CA; Patterson-GA.

COLOMBIA

- 4845 0315 HJGF-R Bucaramanga, Bucaramanga: Sp w/LA mx, many IDs; s/off with anthem 0404 (poor 11 Jul; Zabransky-IL)
- 4905 0230 HJAH-Emis Atlantico, Barranquilla: Sp w/"futbol" and an excited ancr; "Emisora Atlantico Musical"; severe het at times (poor 7 Aug; Whitehead-MA). Also reported by Zabransky-IL.
- 4945 0450 HJDH-R Colosal, Neiva: Sp w/IDs, anmts & LA mx (poor 14 Jul; Norcross-CA). Also reported by Miller-OH; Zilmer-WI; Redman-IL; Boomer-WV; Getzel-NY.
- 4955 0435 HJQC-R Nacional, Bogota: Sp w/news (good 13 Jul; Redman-IL) Also reported by Norcross-CA.

## COLOMBIA (cont'd)

- 4965 0422 HJAF-R Santa Fe, Bogota: Sp w/Colombian mx & anmts (good 28 Jul; Collier-NY). Also reported by Jones-GA; Lay-VA; Whitehead-MA; Zilmer-WI; Getzel-NY; Redman-IL.
- 5020 0830 HJFW-Trans Caldas, Manizales: Sp w/NA pop & Colombian mx (fair 3 Aug; Redman-IL)
- 5075 1045 HJGC-R Sutatenza, Bogota: Sp w/Colombian mx & talks (fair 31 Jul; Redman-IL). Also reported by Zilmer-WI.
- 5095 0145 HJGG-R Sutatenza, Bogota: Sp w/soccer game & ID during break in game; "sometimes heard // with 5075, other times different programming heard on 5075" (quality ? 10 Aug; Benton-NB). Also reported by Zilmer-WI.
- 6040 0315 HJLB-LV Tolima, Ibaguè: Sp w/talk, ID & sporting event (poor 6 Aug; Zilmer-WI)
- 6075 0102 HJID-R Sutatenza, Bogota: Sp w/ads(?) & LA mx (good/fair 28 Jul; Miller-OH) (CRP: Doubt if ads, amigo, as not a commercial stn). Also reported by Getzel-NY; Zilmer-WI.
- 6095 1000 HJLV-LV Centro, Espinal: Sp w/repeated IDs; talk by man & woman (good 22 Jul; Zabransky-IL). Also reported by Patterson-GA.
- 6105 1046 HJDV-R Vision, Medellin: Sp w/ID & LA mx (fair 17 Jul; Miller-OH)
- 6140 0850 HJNE-R El Sol, Cali: Sp w/mx & TODELAR IDs; "desde Cali, Radio El Sol" on the hour (good 12 Aug; Lanoue-MA)
- 6160 0755 HJKJ-Emis Nueva Granada, Bogota: Sp w/local mx & IDs as "Radio Cadena Nacional" (poor 27 Jul; Redman-IL). Also reported by Zilmer-WI.
- 6115 0905 HJIQ-LV Llano, Villavicencio: Sp w/nx, some LA mx, many IDs (fair 28 Jul; Palmer-MI). (CRP: Out of order, sorry. This one reported here before; listed on 6065 kHz. Would appreciate a measurement of this one's exact frequency)

## COSTA RICA

- 5954 0550 TIQ-R Casino, Limon: Eng w/wild Afro-like mx; ID at 0603 s/off "This is Radio TIQ in Limon" (poor 18 Jul; Patterson-GA)
- 6006 1020 TIHE-R Reloj, San Jose: Sp w/LA mx, many TCs & IDs (good 28 Jul; Palmer-MI). Also reported by Redman-IL (on 6005); Getzel-NY; Miller-OH (on 6005); Patterson-GA.

## CUBA

- 9843 0707 R Habana, Habana: Eng service; frequency not noted in WRTVH (Poor/Fair 11 Aug; Kurlley-CA)

## DOMINICAN REPUBLIC

- 3365 0420 HIRL-R Exitos, Santiago: Sp w/easy listening light mx; ID "Esta es Radio Exitos... Republica Dominicana"; slight QRM (good 31 Jul; Lovell-KY)
- 4825 0100 HIFA-LV Fuerzas Armadas, Santo Domingo: Sp w/Latin music; Full ID on the hour as "Emisora cultural..." with fqs (poor 4 Aug; Whitehead-MA). Also reported by Getzel-NY.
- 4880 0420 HIEP-R Comercial, Santo Domingo: Sp w/US pops, coke coms; s/off 0459; "New country for me." (very good 12 Aug; Lay-VA)
- 4930 0027 HIBE-R Mil, Santo Domingo: Sp w/male ancr, TC, ID & Latin mx (good 21 Jul; Dildine-VA). Also reported by Norcross-CA; Getzel-NY; Whitehead-MA.
- 5010 0406 HIMI-R Cristal, Santo Domingo: Sp w/NA pop mx (good 7 Aug; d'Adolf-MA). Also reported by Schnabel-IN; Collier-NY; Getzel-NY.

## ECUADOR

- 4794 0400 HCASA-LV Caras, Bahia de Caraquez: Sp w/complete ID at 0403 s/off (fair 6 Aug; Sparks-CA) (CRP: Listed on 4795)
- 5035 0205 (T)HCVC3-R Centinela del Sur, Loja: Sp w/LA semi-pops; "could not make out ID @ 0252 (only ID hrd); s/off 0303 w/short anmt-but no ID, anthem(?) ("Clipped carrier accidentally after two notes @ 0304"); very heavy het-possibly fr Colombian on this fqy (fair 4 Aug; Schnabel-IN)
- 6310 0110 (T)HCFA-LV Nacionalidad Ecuatoriana, Quito: QRM spoiled ID but believe this the new stn reported in SWCDXERS; Hrd briefly other times but CW usually spoils. (Fair 26 Jul; Sizer-CT).

- EL SALVADOR  
9555 1210 YSS-R Nac de El Salvador, San Salvador: Sp w/Latin mx & many IDs(good 18 Jul;d'Adolf-LA)
- GUATEMALA  
2360 0240 TGBA-R Laya, Barillas: Sp w/talks & orchestral mx, ID as "Radio Maya" w/QTH;s/off amnts;singing of "Lord's Prayer"(good 30 Jul;Schnabel-IN). (CRF: waTVH-71 & its SS plus many reporters show location as "Huehuetenango". Per QSL letter of 5 Jul, stn located in town(village) of Barillas which is located in "Huehuetenango Dept.")  
3325 1130 TGBA-R Maya: Sp & Indian lang w/ID in Sp & man talking in Indian language;concert mx(good 3 & 4 Aug;Sparks-CA). Also reported by Williams-OR.  
3360 1136 TGVN-LV Nahuala, Nahuala: Sp w/ID, ranchera mx,amnts, TC & marimba mx(fair 3 Aug;Williams-OR). Also reported by Schnabel-IN.  
5955 0320 TGNA-R Cultural, Guatemala City: Eng w/religious prgr & ID @ 0330;het & static(poor/fair 22 Jul;Benedetti-CA)  
9505 0300 TGMB-R Cultural: Eng w/rel prgr 'Back to the Bible'(good 6 Aug;Zilmer-WI). Also reported by Kelly-WI; Whitehead-LA.
- GUYANA  
3265 0200 R Demerara, Georgetown: Eng w/British pops, ID,rel prgr, mx, sked, anthem & 0247 s/off;Occasional "blasts" from USS Eatonton which completely covered R Demerara;"had been looking for 'Action Radio' but found something better"(good 10 Aug;Lanoue-MA)  
3290 0845 Guyana Broadcasting Service, Georgetown: Eng & East Indian w/rel prgr, E Indian mx & ads(one for Coke);"only stn on 90 that morning";also known as Action Radio (fair 2 Aug;Boomer-WV).Also reported by Williams-OR; Zabransky-IL;Benedetti-CA.
- HAITI  
9770 1201 4VEH-R Stn 4VEH, Cap-Haitien: Eng w/news(poor/fair 25 Jul;Miller-OH)  
11835 1155 4VEJ-R Stn 4VEH: Eng w/'Haven of Rest' prgr(fair 10 Aug; Redman-IL). Also reported by Shaw-PA.  
15280 1225 4VWI-R Stn 4VEH: Eng w/'Bulletin Board' prgr(fair 10 Aug; Redman-IL)
- HONDURAS  
4820 0400 HRVC-LV Evangelica, Tegucigalpa: Eng w/religious program (fair 9 Aug;Powell-NC).Also reported by Getzel-NY;Jones-CA;Redman-IL;Collier-NY.
- MEXICO  
6115 1852 XEUDS-R Universidad de Sonora, Hermosillo: Sp w/cl mx (poor 9 Aug;Jones-CA)  
6165 0451 XEWW-LV America Latina, Mexico, DF: Sp w/talk (good 8 Aug;Jones-CA)  
9515 0425 XEWW-LV America Latina: Sp w/mx - comments during mx; carrier QRM(fair 26 Jul;Norcross-CA)
- PERU  
3290 0040 (T)OBZ4E-R Cultura, Callao: Sp w/talks,mx, & ads;mentioned "Callao" & "Peru";very heavy het fr unid stn(poor 30 Jul; Schnabel-IN)  
4994 0445 OAZ4C-R Andina, Huancayo: Sp w/"fascinating prgr of uniquely Peruvian Indian mx consisting of rather monotonous & repetitive tunes played w/a flute,marimba & drum"; ID @ 0502 w/QTH;WVW QRM (fair 1 Aug;Schnabel-IN)  
5054A 0410 (T)OBX70-R Onda Imperial, Cuzco: A tentative logging - "I believe I heard 'Onda Imperial' mentioned"; Sp w/cl mx;slight het(poor 1 Aug;Schnabel-IN).(CRF:List 5055)  
5970 1033 OBX4Q-R El Sol, Lima: Sp w/"musica de la patria";ID @ 1047 "Estamos presentamos el sol de los Andes desde Radio El Sol"(good 22 Jul;Palmer-KI).Also reported by Patterson-GA.  
6082 0345 OAX4Z-R Nacional, Lima: Sp w/mx & ads;at 0400,QRM fr VOA (fair 2 Aug;Getzel-NY)  
6105 1230 OAX6F-R Nacional, Tacna: Sp w/LA mx,many jingles;ID @ 1234 as "Radio Nacional...en Tacna,Peru";song 'If Not for You'; in the clear(very good 10 Aug;Schnabel-IN)  
6202 0445 OAX5U-LV Huamanga, Huamanga: Sp w/Peruvian & Indian mx,tones & ID @ 0500 w/sign-off amnts & anthem;heavy het(poor 6 Aug;Schnabel-IN).(CRF: Listed on 6205 kHz)

PERU (cont'd)

- 6250 0350 OAX7A-R Cuzco, Cuzco: Sp w/mx, ads, ID @ 0359 (Cuzco mentioned) & s/off anmts, anthem by band; "clear frequency makes reception possible nightly" (good 31 Jul; Schnabel-IN)
- 9520 1120 OAX4J-R La Cronica, Lima: Sp w/mx & many IDs (fair 14 Jul; Zabransky-IL)
- 9535 0100 OAX6G-R Nacional, Tacna: Sp w/mx & ID; "suddenly off 0120 (?)" (fair 6 Aug; Zabransky-IL). (CRP: Listed on 9530 kHz & at 300 watts)
- 9562 1035 OAX4R-R Nacional, Lima: Sp w/Andean mx; ID as "...en Radio Nacional del Peru"; MUCH QRN to 1104 t/out (fair 6 Aug; Patterson-GA). Also reported by Palmer-MI
- 9685 0530 OAX6D-R Continental, Arequipa: Sp w/pop mx; complete ID @ 0600 s/off w/piano music theme fr "Born Free"; strong signal; on new frequency (good 22 Jul; Sparks-CA) (CRP: Was on 9455 kHz)

URUGUAY

- 9515 0005 CXA71-R Sarandi, Montevideo: Sp w/nx to 0015 w/mx to 0023 when ID as "Radio Centro de Montevideo" was given followed by s/off (poor 5 Aug; Bruns-MO). (CRP: Listed by WRTVH-71 as "Radio Sarandi" rather than "Radio Centro de Montevideo"; as a 24-hour sta. Something changed there?)

VENEZUELA

- 3225 0200 YVTC-R Occidente, Tovar: Sp w/LA mx & s/off at 0200; QRN (good 3 Aug; Sizer-CT). (CRP: Al, WRTVH-71 lists on 3325 kHz. Is this a recent move?)
- 3255 1004 YVQL-LV Tigre, El Tigre: Sp w/"about s/on time"; complete ID; anmts; many mentions of Venezuela; noisy (poor 31 Jul; Williams-OR). (CRP: WRTVH lists s/on at 1100 GMT)
- 3265 0220 YVOC-R Nirgua, Nirgua: Sp w/mx & talks; ID @ 0233 as "Radio Nirgua-Onda Corta" (good 1 Aug; Schnabel-IL). (CRP: WRTVH-71 says name/slogan is "Radio Horizonte")
- 3385 0235 YVQI-R Barcelona, Barcelona: Sp w/LA mx; ID @ 0235; "not usually audible in summer" (fair 3 Aug; Sizer-CT)
- 4772 0550 YVNW-R Bolivar, Ciudad Bolivar: Sp w/"special late fiesta program"; s/off @ 0605 w/complete ID; strong (good 1 Aug; Sparks-CA). (CRP: Listed on 4770 kHz)
- 4800 0350 YVMO-R Lara, Barquisimeto: Sp w/pop mx in Eng; s/off 0400 (poor 21 Jul; Getzel-NY)
- 4810 0200 YVMG-R Popular, Maracaibo: Sp w/LA mx & many IDs (fair 5 Aug; Zabransky-IL)
- 4840 0430 YVOI-R Valera, Valera: Sp w/LA & NA pops; ID as "En Radio Valera"; request prgr w/IDs after every song (good 31 Jul; Schnabel-IN)
- 4860 0200 YVQE-R Maracaibo, Maracaibo: Sp w/LA mx, nx & comls; ID as "en Radio Maracaibo Musical" (good 24 Jul; Whitehead-MA)
- 4890 0355 YVKB-Rdifa Venezuela, Caracas: Sp w/anmts (fair 8 Aug; Jones-CA)
- 4900 0313 YVNK-R Juventud, Barquisimeto: Sp w/pop music program (good 28 Jul; Collier-NY). Also reported by Jones-CA; Powell-NC; Getzel-NY.
- 4940 0145 YVNC-R Yaracuy, San Felipe: Sp w/pop mx and many IDs (fair 30 Jul; Boomer-WV)
- 4950 0353 YVNM-R Coro, Coro: Sp w/anmts by yl (fair 8 Aug; Jones-CA)
- 4970 0400 YVLR-R Rumbos, Caracas: Sp w/LA mx & frequent IDs; some QRN (fair 14 Jul; Norcross-CA). Also reported by Schwartzmyer-NY; Miller-OH.
- 4980 0100 YVOC-Ecos del Torbes, San Cristobal: Sp w/"ronda musical"; comls, TCs & ID as "Ecos del Torbes, su emisora predilecta"; much Ute QRM (fair 9 Aug; Whitehead-Mass). Also reported by Benton-NB; Boomer-WV).
- 4990 1000 YVMQ-R Barquisimeto, Barquisimeto: Sp w/sign-on w/anthem, ID, into talks & LA mx (good 21 Jul; Benton-NB). Also reported by Norcross-CA; Zilmer-WI; Powell-NC.
- 5050 0110 YVKD-R Mundial, Caracas: Sp w/Latin mx & frequent IDs (good 7 Aug; d'Adolf-MA)
- 6070 1000 YVSR-R San Sebastian, San Cristobal: Sp w/sign-on, mx & IDs (good 22 Jul; Palmer-MI)

VENEZUELA (cont'd)

- 6120 0913 YVSK-R Angostura, Ciudad Bolivar: Sp w/LA pop mx, ads, & "very many IDs" (good 2 Aug; Boomer-WV). Also reported by Palmer-MI.
- 9510 1100 YVXJ-R Barquisimeto, Barquisimeto: Sp w/news & ID (good 10 Aug; Zilmer-WI)
- 9660 1030 YVLM-R Rumbos, Caracas: Sp w/ID, ads, & talk (good 9 Aug; Zilmer-WI)

WINDWARD ISLANDS

- 5015 2300 WIBS, St. George's, Grenada: Eng w/BBC nx followed by pop mx; abrupt s/off this outlet 2345 after ID (fair 18 Jul; Whitehead-MA)
- 15100 2336 WIBS: Eng w/NA pop mx (not rock); s/off 2356; "seems to be off frequency" (fair 28 Jul; Miller-OH). (CRP: You're right; WRTVH-71 lists on 15110 & 15115 kHz)

UNIDENTIFIED

6045/

- 6050 0937 Sp; current American rock tunes, LA pop mx & ads. No IDs or locations heard; faded out at 0957 (poor 2 Aug; Boomer-WV)

UTILITIES

- (These should have been reported to Paul Mayo - but no time from here)
- 12135 0432 Radio Control Terminal, Cayenne, French Guiana: French w/TT (good 10 Aug; Jones-CA)
- 17730 2029 Radio Control Terminal, Fort-de-France, Martinique: French w/Tr (good 10 Aug; Jones-CA)

PIRATES - Maybe??

(These two items are published as submitted to me)  
 "Unidentified 7/29/71 GMT. I listened from 1750 to 2137 GMT and didn't hear one word! Big band music, light opera, popular music, rock 'n' roll. Long periods with nothing! I thought that I heard a very quick Spanish something at 2130 GMT, but....15200 kHz Good-Excellent (Benedetti-Calif) (Guess: Northern Calif.?" (end of Item 1-CRP)

- "USA A1618 0430 Unidentified pirate, up tempo mx, no IDs noted, to 0440 s/off and 0455 carrier disappearance. Believed to be located near Fullerton, Calif. area. Good to very good. 8/9 - Murley, Calif" (end of Item 2-CRP)

(CRP: If anyone can help Messrs. Benedetti and/or Murley, please write to them not to me. Their names and addresses are:

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## ALBANIA

6200 1855 R. Tirana: s/off in Indonesian to Indonesia; I wonder how many Indonesians get up at 3 AM to listen? (About as many as those who listen to KBNY-TV (HI) -crl- (fair 8/9; Bundy-TRK)  
9780 0010 R. Tirana: news in English (good 6/18; Catey-IL) Please keep your reports up-to-date, OK? -crl-

## AUSTRIA

15210 2130 ORF, Vienna: German songs, mx (good 7/24; Zilmer-WI)  
15335 1830 ORF: (tentative) English talks, mx (v poor 7/24; Benedetti)

## BULGARIA

17825 1905 R. Sofia: news in English; to Europe (poor 8/7; Zilmer-WI)

## BYELORUSSIA

9755 0147 R. Moscow, Orsha: English to NA (exc 8/8; Patterson-GA)

## CZECHOSLOVAKIA

11990 1530 R. Prague: news in English (fair 8/14; Eisenberg-NJ)  
17840 2130 R. Prague: s/on in Portuguese to LA, after IS (poor 8/27; Lay-VA)

## DENMARK

9520 0000 R. Denmark: s/on, ID in English, talk by gal in Danish (good 8/3; Getzel-NY)  
11895 0200 R. Denmark: English ID; Danish to WCNA (good 7/27; Zilmer-WI)

## FRANCE

7160 0515 ORTF, Paris: nx in English, French @0530 (fair 7/19; Getzel)  
7160 0515 ORTF: nx of world in English (good 8/3; Brooks-NH)  
15120 1800 ORTF: IS, s/on w/nx in French (exc 8/8; Schwartzmyer-NY)

## GERMANY (West)

7235 0345 D/W, Koln: nx in English to Africa (fair 7/19; Getzel-NY)  
15275 2100 D/W: English to Asia (fair 7/24; Zilmer/fair 8/16; Donegan-GA)

## GREAT BRITIAN

11945 2100 BBC: nx, commtry in English to Africa (fair 8/3; Shaw-PA)

## GREECE

15347 2212 NHBI, Athens: ID, nx in English (poor 8/7; Zilmer-WI)

## HOLLAND

15320 0000 R. Nederland: in Spanish w/"Sabre Dance", "Singing in the Rain"; s/off 0020 w/anthem (good 8/8; Moser-MI)

## HUNGARY

9833 2008 R. Budapest: German till 2015, then nx, commtry in Italian w/ID @2029 (fair; Bundy-TRK)

## INTERNATIONAL WATERS

6205 0130 R. Nordsee International: ID in English, pops (good 7/19; Getzel-NY)  
9935 0132 RNI: TC, English rock and pop mx (poor 7/25; Miller-OH)  
9935 0200 RNI: nx in English w/s/off @0202 (fair 7/26; Lovell-KY)  
9935 2100 RNI: English nx and rockin' mx (poor 8/10; Butterfield-MA)

## ITALY

11810 0100 RAI, Rome: English to NA (v good 7/25; Zilmer-WI)  
17795 0410 RAI: nx in English; mx to s/off (poor 7/21; Getzel-NY)

## LITHUANIA

11870 0028 R. Moscow, Kaunas: s/off of English (good 8/12; Deeke-IL)

LUXEMBOURG

6090 0130 R. Luxembourg: pop mx in English (good 7/25; Zilmer-WI)  
 6090 0200 R. Lux: nx in English; s/off w/anthem (fair-good 7/29; Miller)

MONACO

7290 0625 Trans World R., Monte Carlo: s/on in English w/religious program (fair 7/19; Getzel-NY)

NORWAY

11735 0330 NRK, Oslo: ID in English, nx in Norse (good 8/3; Shaw-PA)  
 11850 0225 NRK: IDs in Norse/English (fair 8/14; Stephenson-CA)  
 11850 0530 NRK: local nx in Eng.; listed on 11860 (exc 8/9; Murley-CA)

POLAND

9525 1840 Polish R., Warsaw: commtry in English w/s/off 1850 (fair 8/1; Brooks-NH)  
 9540 0300 Polish R: prog in Eng. on National Day (fair 7/22; Zilmer-WI)  
 11815 0205 Polish R: talk in Eng. on National Day (fair 7/23; Miller-OH)  
 11815 0305 Polish R: English talks, jazz mx (fair 7/26; Benedetti-CA)

ROMANIA

5985 0130 R. Bucharest: nx in English; to NA (fair 8/14; Eisenberg-NJ)  
 14482 2029 R. Espana Independiente: (clandestine) Spanish w/mention of "Partido Comunista de Espana", Internationale, IS played, anmt in Spanish followed by mx; signal drop after 2030, but beam change seems unlikely. (poor 8/7; Hauser-TX)  
 15250 1315 R. Bucharest: press review in English (fair 8/10; Deeke-IL)

RSFSR (European)

12030 0200 R. Moscow: nx in Spanish to Latin America (good 7/20; Shaw-PA)  
 15230 2015 R. Moscow, Voronej: sports, talks in English; to Africa (fair 8/14; Eisenberg-NJ)  
 15350 1425 R. Peace/Progress, Vologda: English "roundup" (good 8/17; Deeke-IL)  
 15490 0230 R. Moscow, Orenburg: HS w/Russian anmts by male, classical mx, ID, vocals by gal to 0245 (good 7/18; Dildine-VA)  
 17710 1845 R. Moscow: program in English w/mx (fair 7/20; Getzel-NY)  
 17795 1040 R. Peace/Progress: nx, commtry in English //17835 (Getzel-NY)

SPAIN

9360 0418 RNE, Madrid: Spanish songs till 0432, then ID in Spanish (v good 8/1; Patterson-GA)  
 \*9520 2350 RNE: s/on w/ID in Spanish 0000 after IS; Spanish to Latin America; this is one of the new transmitters (good 8/7; Lobdell)  
 9520 0200 RNE: news in Spanish (good 8/4; Zilmer-WI)

UKRAINE

4940 1945 R. Kiev: HS w/classical mx, anmts in Russian to 2200 s/off (good; Rogers-Great Britian)  
 12070 0315 R. Moscow, Kiev: mailbag program in English (good 7/31; Zilmer)

VATICAN STATE

11700 1627 Vatican R: world religious nx in English; to Africa (fair 7/28; Miller-OH)

## AFRICA

ANGOLA

5015 2230 R. Clube Mocamades: talk by man (possibly nx) in Portuguese till covered by WIBS-Grenada at 2338 fade-in (v poor 7/30; Lobdell-MA)  
 5060 2253 R. Clube do Huambo: talk by man in Portuguese; s/off 2300 w/A Portuguesa, then few seconds of bird chirps (fair 7/30; Lobdell)

CAMEROON

5010 0515 R. Garoua: chanting, talks in French, drum mx, ID @0529 w/fade out around 0530; best ever for Cameroon (good 8/2; Schnabel-IN)  
 5010 2159 R. Garoua: (tentative) s/off w/anthem, then few bars of Afro mx 2301, carrier off shortly after (poor 8/1; Lobdell-MA)

CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC

5038 0430 RNC, Bangui: s/on, talks in Vernaculars, French, regional mx, ID 0440 (v poor Benedetti-CA)

CONGO (People's Republic)

- 4765 0510 R-Tv Congolaise, Brazzaville: native mx, talks in French, ID and drums 0525 (v good 7/31; Schnabel-IN)  
 4765 0530 RTC: afro mx, ID in French 0545, native tunes to 0619 f/out (fair-poor 8/10; d'Adolf-MA)  
 6115 0538 RTC: afro mx, ID in French as "Ici Brazzaville" (poor 7/22; Patterson-GA)  
 15190 2040 ORTF/R. Brazzaville: feature prog in English (v good 8/8; Powell-NC)

DAHOMY

- 4870 0600 R. Dahomey, Cotonou: French language lessons? They were spelling out words in French (poor 8/6; Messic-CA)

ETHIOPIA

- 15240 0430 ETLF, Addis Ababa: (tentative) ID in English as "Addis Ababa, Ethiopia", drum beats. (poor 8/15; Stephenson-CA) Sure sounds like em. -crl-

GABON

- 4777 2225 R-Tv Gabonaise, Libreville: in French w/mx by "Sly and the Family Stone" (fair 8/14; Boomer-WV)

GAMBIA

- 4820 0630 R. Gambia, Bathurst: ID in English, chanting till BBC nx @0700 (fair 7/29; Collier-NY/fair-poor 8/10; d'Adolf-MA) (fair 8/13; Boomer-WV)

GHANA

- 6140 2200 R. Ghana, Accra: nx in English, mx; s/off w/anthem 2215 (good 7/27; Schnabel-IN) Are you sure of this frequency; my checks find them on 6130 kHz -crl-  
 11850 2000 R. Ghana: nx in English, editorials (good 8/3; Donegan-GA)  
 11852 2015 R. Ghana: mailbag program in English, mx (fair 8/1; Benedetti)

GUINEA (Equatorial)

- 6250 0535 R. Santa Isabel: regional type mx, in Spanish? (v poor 7/26; Benedetti-CA)  
 6250 2228 R. Santa Isabel: (tentative) afro mx w/no anmts till 2257, then nx, commtry in Spanish (poor 7/17; Dildine-VA)  
 6250 2230 R. Santa Isabel: afro mx, ID Spanish 2300; s/off w/anthem at 2305 (fair 7/26; Rogers-GB)  
 6250 2250 R. Santa Isabel: "Spanish-African" mx, ID @2256 as "Radio Santa Isabel en Guinea Equatorial"; s/off w/anthem 2301 (v good 7/27; Schnabel-IN)

GUINEA (Portuguese)

- 5041 2329 Emissora Oficial, Bissau: anmt in Portuguese, vocal by gal, guitar mx w/abrupt s/off 2338 (fair 8/7; Lobdell-MA)

GUINEA (Republic)

- 9650 0616 R. Nationale, Conakry: news in French (good 8/9; Murley-CA)

IVORY COAST

- 4940 2205 R-Tv Ivorienne, Abidjan: talks in French after Kiev s/off (fair 7/22; Rogers-GB)  
 4940 2310 RTI: US pop mx, ID in French @2332 (good 7/23; Schnabel-IN)

LIBERIA

- 6035 0300 VOA, Monrovia: "African Panorama" in English (good 8/6; Zilmer)  
 6180 1805 VOA: nx in special English; BBC QRM (v poor 7/22; Rogers-GB)  
 15445 2000 VOA: nx in English (good 8/8; Powell-NC)

LIBYA

- 8630 2126 Libyan Broadcasting Service, El Beida: Arabic mx, anmt and ID in Arabic at 2130, soap opera, vocals, chanting; s/off 2259 w/anthem (fair 8/9; Lobdell-MA)

MALAWI

- \*3380 0401 R. Malawi: (tentative) nx in English, drums @0401; some QRM from R, Chortis (fair-poor 7/29; Widner-IN)

MALI

- 5995 0730 R. Mali, Bamako: after VOA s/off w/Afro mx, ID in vernaculars @0731, fade out 0756 (fair 8/13; Boomer-WV)

MALI (continued)

- 5995 2211 R. Mali: French, Afro, native tunes to 2320, then tribute to Louis "Satchmo" Armstrong; s/off w/anthem 2354 (fair 7/31; d'Adolf-MA)  
 5995 2343 R. Mali: native mx, nx in French by gal, ID @2353 (good 7/16; Dildine-VA)

MOROCCO

- 6170 0000 R-Tv' Marocaine, Tangier: Arabic talks till s/off (good 7/20; Getzel-NY)  
 9615 0555 RTM: Arabic chanting, talks, no ID @0600 (fair 8/9; Murley-CA)

MOZAMBIQUE

- \*3737 1955 R. Clube do Mocambique: religious service in English, ID @ 2000 //4762 (v poor 7/25; Bundy-TRK)  
 4855 1920 RCM: in Portuguese w/pops, ID @1930 (poor 7/18; Rogers-GB)  
 11780 0600 RCM: country type mx w/anmts in English and native language (probably Afrikaans -crl-) heavy QRM (good; Doherty-CA)

NIGERIA

- 3986 0555 NBC, Lagos: English w/Nigerian choral mx, ID @0600, then nx in English; ARO QRM (poor 8/5; Schnabel-IN)  
 4932 0615 NBC, Benin: Nigerian/US pop mx, English ID @0630; some LA QRM (poor 8/5; Schnabel-IN)  
 6145 0545 NBC, Calabar: talks in English, mx and singing (fair 7/24; Doherty-CA)  
 7275 0600 Voice of Nigeria, Lagos: s/on in English, nx (fair 7/19; Getzel-NY/poor-fair 8/13; Butterfield-MA)  
 7305 0530 NBC, Enugu: local nx in English, editorial @0541, into mx @0545 (good 8/5; Schnabel-IN)  
 15200 0625 VON: English music (8/8; Donegan-GA)  
 15200 0630 VON: nx roundup in English; pop mx (v good 7/25; Shaw-PA)  
 15200 1630 VON: news in English (fair 7/24; Zilmer/fair-good 8/13; Deeke)  
 15200 1840 VON: talk on Nigerian airways, in English (fair 7/14; Eisenberg)

RWANDA

- 11965 2207 D/W, Kigali: nx in German w/s/off @2240 (good 8/15; Brooks-NH)  
 17875 1100 D/W: in English w/African mx (good 7/21; Getzel-NY)

SAO TOME

- \*4807 2239 Emissora Nacional: opera mx, anmts in Portuguese; s/off @2300 w/"AP"; heavy QRM from R. Amazonas-Brazil (v poor 8/2; Lobdell)

SEYCHELLES

- 15415 1705 FEBA, Victoria: English ID, anmts, light mx; frequent requests for reception reports (fair 7/31; Lobdell/poor-fair 8/9; Boomer WV)

SIERRA LEONE

- 3316 0630 R. Sierra Leone, Freetown: TC, ID in English @0630, national nx in English 0635, BBC nx 0700; fade out by 0715 (fair-poor 8/1; d'Adolf-MA/poor 7/25; Schnabel-IN)

SOMALI REPUBLIC

- \*6093 0300 R. Mogadishu: s/on w/anthem, ID in Arabic (or something very similar), into chanting (poor 8/3; d'Adolf-MA/poor 8/3; Lobdell-MA) Also heard by Mike Macken who claims hearing an ID just before the hour. -crl-

SOUTH AFRICA

- \*2326 0445 SABC: English ID, into nx, sports, wx, then orchestra mx (fair 7/31; Schnabel-IN)  
 \*2346 0430 SABC: ID, talk in Afrikaans, classical mx; UTE QRM (poor 7/31; Schnabel-IN)  
 \*2376 0440 SABC: "Springbok Radio" w/classical orchestra mx (amazingly strong 7/31; Schnabel-IN) "I really do not see why Springbok Radio on 2376 kHz is not reported more frequently. I've heard the outlet 8 times already this summer, when QRN was low".  
 3285 0420 SABC: English talks, TC, ID, freqs given; not heard very often (v good 7/26; Schnabel-IN)  
 3320 0445 SABC: talks in Afrikaans, orchestra mx, ID @0500 (good 7/26; Schnabel-IN)

SOUTH AFRICA (continued)

- 3320 0502 SABC: (tentative) pop mx w/some Herb Alpert stuff; SABC's Afrikaans service listed here (fair 7/25; Widner-IN)
- 3250 0230 SABC: com. service w/nx in English, ADs for "Lexington Cigs" (good 7/28; Neumann-IN)
- 3250 0310 SABC: Springbok R., talks in English/Afrikaans, Ads, pop mx (fair-good 7/17; Schnabel-IN)
- 3250 0340 SABC: Springbok R. w/pop mx, English anmts (fair 7/25; Widner-IN)
- 3285 0445 RSA: English ID: "This is R. South Africa", bells, into world nx in English (v good 7/30; Neumann-IN)
- 3285 0450 SABC: morning exercises in English w/piano, ID, TC @0455 (good 7/25; Widner-IN) Which is it, RSA or SABC?? -crl-
- 3980 0340 RSA: IS, s/on w/ID, nx in English; ARO QRM (fair 7/17; Schnabel-IN)
- 4923½ 2012 SABC: Springbok R. w/English pop mx, ADs, till 2100 s/off (fair 7/25; Bundy-TRK)

SPANISH SAHARA

- \*7232v 0757 R. Sahara-EAJ203, Aaiun: IS on harp, (same as RNE-Madrid -crl-) s/on in Arabic/Spanish, Arab mx till 0818 fade out (fair 8/11; Neumann-IN)

SUDAN?

- 15170 2000 SBS, Omdurman: nx, commtry in Arabic (fair 7/30; Messick-NY) Are you sure this isn't ELWA-Liberia in Arabic? -crl-

TANZANIA

- 15345 1835 R. Tanzania: talks in French and an African language, mx (fair 7/25; Schnabel-IN) Don't you mean 15435, Phil? -crl-

UNITED ARAB REPUBLIC

- 9812 2255 R. Cairo: nx in English w/s/off at 2300; anncd s/on is at 2145 (exc 8/7; Butterfield-MA)
- 17725 2140 R. Cairo: listener's request program in English (fair 8/13; Zilmer-WI)
- 17920 1355 R. Cairo: Arabic by radio given in English by a man and woman (good 7/26; Shaw-PA)

UPPER VOLTA

- 4815 2235 R. Ouagadougou: in French w/pop and afro mx; s/off after nx w/anthem @2301 (fair 7/28; Rogers-GB)

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Last month, I doubted a logging submitted by Mr. Phil Schnabel. The item was Radio-Television Malagache-Madagascar on 3232 KHZ at 0300 GMT. I listed my reasons as being propagation conditions and QRN (static or noise level). In his last report, Mr. Schnabel contested my opinions and gave more details of this Madagascar logging. He said it should have been listed as tentative, as no definite identification was noted. At 0300 GMT, he heard "Radio ??? Television ???" and something else in French. As to propagation, he suggests I'm wrong here and mentions the reception of the many South African stations he has been hearing on 120 and 90 meters.

Ok Phil, perhaps I was a little bit too hard on you, but this does bring up an important point. This point is: report exactly what you hear, not what you would like to, or what you are supposed to hear. If a definite identification is not heard, it makes good sense to list it as tentative. This is the rule of many an experienced DXer.

Bob Butterfield of Belmont just gave me a call on the telephone. He says that he would like to receive recent up-to-date schedules that are complete to use in his STATION SKEDS column.

Here is a listing of those who contributed to the September Europe-Africa section of the shortwave review:

|                     |                       |                                  |
|---------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------------|
| STEVE P. d'ADOLF    | WOBURN, MA            | GALAXY R-530                     |
| WENDELL BENEDETTI   | LOS ANGELES, CA       | COLLINS 51J3                     |
| ROGER BERNSTEIN     | CHAMBLEE, GA          | ADMIRAL "All World" portable     |
| BRUCE BOOMER        | NUTTER FORT, WV       | HAMMARLUND HQ-200                |
| ALAN W. BROOKS      | PORTSMOUTH, NH        | REALISTIC DX-150A                |
| ROBERT BUNDY        | TRUK, CAROLINE IS     | DRAKE SPR-4                      |
| BOBBY BUTTERFIELD   | BELMONT, MA           | REALISTIC DX-120                 |
| ROBERT M. CATEY     | SYCOMORE, IL          | HALLICRAFTERS S-120              |
| MICHAEL COLLIER     | WILLIAMSVILLE, KY     | HAMMARLUND HQ-129X               |
| V. CHARLES DEEKE    | MASCOUTAH, IL         | DX-150                           |
| R. STEPHEN DILDINE  | ARLINGTON, VA         |                                  |
| JACK DOHERTY        | SANTA BARBARA, CA     | SPR-4                            |
| CHARLES A. DONEGAN  | WARNER ROBBINS, GA    | KNIGHT R-100A                    |
| STEVE EISENBERG     | CHERRY HILL, NJ       | DRAKE SW-4A                      |
| ARTHUR GETZEL       | FLUSHING, NY          | LAFAYETTE HA-600A                |
| W. GLENN HAUSER     | SAN ANTONIO, TX       | HAMMARLUND HQ-160                |
| RUSSEL LAY          | VIRGINIA BEACH, VA    | HALLICRAFTERS S-38C              |
| JIM LOVELL          | LOUISVILLE, KY        |                                  |
| MIKE MACKEN         | WINTHROP, MA          | HAMMARLUND HQ-200 II             |
| TIM MESSICK         | SANTA BARBARA, CA     | SW-4A                            |
| ALBERT A. MILLER    | YOUNGSTOWN, OH        | NATIONAL HRO-500                 |
| GENE MOSER          | COLOMA, MI            | LAFAYETTE "Explor-Air VI"        |
| JAY MURLEY          | NEWPORT BEACH, CA     | HEATH SB-310                     |
| SERGE NEUMANN       | ANDERSON, IN          | HAMMARLUND HQ-100A               |
| PAT PATTERSON       | DECATUR, GA           | HALLICRAFTERS SX-99              |
| TOM POWELL          | GOLDSBORO, NC         | HAMMARLUND HQ-180/NATION. NC-190 |
| JOHN P. RICE        | SAN ANTONIO, TX       |                                  |
| JOHN ROGERS         | LONDON, GREAT BRITIAN |                                  |
| PAUL R. SCHARTZMYER | NORTH TONAWANDA, NY   |                                  |
| PHIL SCHNABEL       | FORT WAYNE, IN        | HQ-200                           |
| WILLIAM W. SHAW     | DREXEL HILL, PA       | SPR-4                            |
| NORMAN STEPHENSON   | LONG BEACH, CA        | HQ-180A                          |
| JACK WIDNER         | INDIANAPOLIS, IN      | KNIGHT "Star Roamer"             |
| ROBERT R. ZILMER    | MILWAUKEE, WI         | SPR-4/DRAKE 2-C                  |

Thanks alot for your reports.

I would like to thank those who responded to my request in last month's bulletin and sent in the make/model number of their receiver and its degree of accuracy ( $\pm$  kHz). You only have to do this once as I am filing this information down on index cards. I would appreciate those reporters who have not sent the make and model of their receiver(s) into me yet, to do it as soon as possible. It is not required, but appreciated.

73 and Good DXing,

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## Asia

### AFGHANISTAN

- 15265 1731 R. Afghanistan: s/on w/nx in German (fair 29 July; Collier-NY)  
15265 1735 R. Afghanistan: mx, talk in German to s/off @ 1757, //17775 covered by VOA (fair 30 July; Shaw-PA)  
15265 1751 R. Afghanistan: German to 1800 then Eng nx, mx to s/off @ 1829 (good 18 July; Tordoff-CA)  
15265 1757 R. Afghanistan: German prog w/Asian mx to 1800 Eng service with pop mx (poor-fair 19 July; Boomer-WV)  
15265 1800 R. Afghanistan: Eng nx, mx, QRM de VOA on this date (fair 22 July; Powell-NC)  
15265 1800 R. Afghanistan: Eng nx, mx, feature, //17775 not audible (poor 1 Aug; Brooks-NH)  
15265 1808 R. Afghanistan: Eng service w/pop mx (not rock) (good 25 July; Miller-OH)

### BRUNEI

- 7215 1305 R. Brunei: Eng w/"Week at the UN" in progress (Thurs GMT), ID, Time check, nx @ 1315 (good 12 Aug; Bundy-CI)

### BURMA

- 5040 1502 BBS: classical and lt. mx uninterrupted to 1529 w/ Eng anmts, ID by man (poor 8 Aug; Williams-OR)

### CAMBODIA

- 4907t 1405 Rdif Nat Khmere: talks by m&w in Cambodian, some revolutionary type singing, tent ID @ 1425 by man, pop type mx @ 1430, UTE QRM LSB, some CW on upper side at times (poor-fair 8 Aug; Williams-OR)  
4907 1531 Rdif Nat Khmere: talks by man in Cambodian, oriental mx @ 1535 to s/off anmt @ 1557, anthem, carrier off @ 1600 (s/off per WRTH is 1700) (Heard // 918 -poor but my 44th BCB country logged here) (good, some UTE QRM, 12 Aug; Bundy-CI) (Bob, you had freq of 4207 on your rpt, assumed it was a type)  
SPD

### CEYLON

- 11800 1430 R. Ceylon: native mx, anmts, w/Eng ID and Eng ads for Sobar Hair Oil, lt. QRN (good 24 July; Doherty-CA)  
15120 1615 R. Ceylon: mx w/Eng anmts to fade/out @ 1620 (fair 8 Aug; Stephenson-CA)

### CHINA, P.R.

- 15060 0209 R. Peking: usual propaganda in Eng. (one man's poison is another man's DX) (poor 29 July; Miller-OH)  
15385 0300 R. Peking: Eng Mao propaganda (poor 31 July; Zilmer-WI)  
17715 0100 R. Peking: usual garbage, //17855 but 17715 better (fair 24 July; Shaw-PA)  
17855 0200 R. Peking: nx in Eng (fair 3 Aug; Zilmer-WI)

### CHINA, REP.

- 9685 0947 BCC: Japanese to ID @ 0950 then Korean (fair 25 July; Benton-NB)  
11825 1555 VOFC: Chi, talks, pop mx, ID @ 1600, bad QRM from VOA (not heard here frequently)(v. poor 6 Aug; Schnabel-IN)  
17720 0200 VOFC: nx in Eng (poor 3 Aug; Zilmer-WI)  
17720t 0225 VOFC: Eng mx, tent, (poor 14 Aug; Deeke-IL)  
17720 0230 VOFC: nx, mx (poor 24 July; Shaw-PA)

### CYPRUS

- 7250 0300 BBC: s/on in Eng, nx (fair 19 July; Getzel-NY)  
15420 0145 BBC: E. Africa service w/stock mkt rpt (poor 12 Aug; Zilmer-WI)

INDIA

11810 1415 AIR Delhi: native mx (signal got better with time)(poor to fair 25 July; Shaw-PA)

INDONESIA, CELEBES & MOLUCCAS

4717 1235 RRI Makassar: talk by man in Indo, inst mx, ID @ 1242, talks by m&w, ID @ 1259, Makassar mentioned sev, times (fair 8 Aug; Williams-OR)  
 7140t 1030 RRI Ambon: Indo w/Eng pop mx, chimes @ 1100, tent, (poor 5 Aug; Zabransky-IL)

INDONESIA, JAVA

2431t 1212 RRI Melang: possibly the station here w/RRI nx and // to several other stations, listed as 2430 w/60 watts! (barely audible 20 July; Bundy-CI)  
 4719t 1200 RRI Djogjakarta: local ID, tent, RRI nx //4770 and others, local program at 1220, Indo mx (fair 20 July; Bundy-CI)  
 4719t 1159 RRI Djogjakarta: abrupt s/on w/mx, ID?, RRI nx at 1200 until 1218, then local prog., extreme UTE QRM (poor 12 Aug; Bundy-CI)

Bob reports that the above two reports are tentative and that s/on at 1200 or 7 pm local time would be unusual. SPD

4770 1200 RRI Djakarta(listed): this is a good time to look for Indonesians as RRI nx is carried by many stations until about 1218 (ssem to vary slightly day to day); then the stations carry local programming, RRI nx is also carried by some stations for 5 minutes at 1300. Heard //2307, 2431, 3231.5, and 4719. (fair to good 20 July; Bundy-CI)  
 Bob reports that the above may be irregular as it was not heard on 12, 13 Aug. SPD  
 4805 1120 RRI Djakarta: indo talks, ID @ 1130, slight het (very good 24 July; Schnabel-IN) (very good??, SPD)  
 4932 1435 RRI Surakarta: Indo anmts, several lt opera type selections by the same female vocalist (fair 8 Aug; Williams-OR)

INDONESIA, SUMATRA

3231 $\frac{1}{2}$  1217 RRI Bukittinggi (listed): nx //2307, 2431, 4719, 4770. (poor 20 July; Bundy-CI)  
 3905 1206 RRI Tdj Pinang (listed): RRI nx //4872 and others until 1219 then separate prog, seems too strong for listed 1 kw. (fair to good 12 Aug; Bundy-CI)

INDONESIA, WEST IRIAN

3985 1224 RRI Biak: Indo vocals and anmts, ID's by man @ 1235 and 1259 (fair 16 July; Williams-OR)  
 4871 1245 RRI Sorong: class mx to 1300, nx, pop mx to s/off @ 1404 (good date?; Tordoff-CA)  
 4872 1200 RRI Sorong: perhaps strongest Indo here (we're practically neighbors), a good place to start if you are looking for other Indonesians as RRI nx from 1200 to 1219 and //4719, 3905 and undoubtedly many others, Sorong continued with local nx at 1220 (good 12 Aug; Bundy-CI)

INDONESIA, WHERE?

4765 1300 Unidentified: gongs at 1300, possible ID by man, Eng prog, appeared to be RRI programming, talk about National Indep. etc., Indo prog at 1345. Thought I heard Ambon mentioned. (poor 8 Aug; Williams-OR) Maybe Bob Bundy can help, SPD.

IRAN

15084 1910 R. Iran: Inst mx, talks in Persian?, Fr, chanting to 2036. English is listed at 2000 but have listened on several dates with nary an Eng word. Any comments? (good 10 Aug; Editor-MA)

IRAQ

15400 0440 R. Bagdad: Arabic chanting, mx (good 25 July; Shaw-PA)

Look for possible extended broadcasting hours from Malaysia on 16 Sept. as they celebrate the formation of Malaysia from Sabah, Sarawak, Malaya, and Singapore on September 16, 1961. SPD



ISRAEL

6015 2129 IBA: ID in Eng, IS w/trumpet, nx in Fr (very poor 27 July; Lobbell-MA)  
 6170 2145 IBA: nx and cmtry in Eng, first exp. freq. I've been able to hear (barely audible 10 Aug; Butterfield-MA)  
 9625 2100 IBA: panel disc (v. good 15 Aug; Eisenberg-NJ)  
 9625 2114 IBA: Eng nx, mx, ID //9009 (good 24 July; Miller-OH)  
 9625 2114 IBA: Eng intview, s/off 2115 (exc 11 Aug + others; Lay-VA)  
 9625 2145 IBA: Eng intview, amnt //6015 (good 3 Aug; Getzel-NY)

JAPAN

3945 1253 NSB Sapporo: Jap w/talk, SSB QRM (good 10 Aug; Jones-CA)  
 6155 0915 FEN Tokyo: AFRTS prog in Eng (poor 17 July; Benton-NB)  
 9505 1000 NHK: Eng nx to NA (good 29 July; Zilmer-WI)  
 9595 1045 NSB Tokyo: talks in Jap, ID @ 1045 (good 20 July; Benton-NB)  
 9595 1045 NSB Tokyo: "Lets Learn Japanese" in Eng/Jap, not good enough to understand (poor 3 Aug; Zabransky-IL)  
 11815 1300 NHK: Eng nx to Asia (fair 25 July; Zilmer-WI)  
 15300 1300 NHK: Eng nx to Europe (fair 24 July; Zilmer-WI)  
 17785 0200 NHK: Eng nx (Fair 23 July; Shaw-PA, poor 16 Aug; Donegan-GA)  
 17785 2113 NHK: Eng cmtry (fair 7 Aug; Deeke-IL)  
 17785 2315 NHK: "War-End Day" feature in Eng (poor 15 Aug; Brooks-NH)  
 17825 0230 NHK: Eng nx (poor 16 Aug; Donegan-GA)  
 17855 0800 NHK: Eng nx to Europe (fair 20 July; Zilmer-WI)

JORDAN

7155 2307 R. Amman: nx in Arabic, jammer (Syria?) at 2310 covered Amman (good 14 Aug; Boomer-WV)

KOREA, NORTH

15150 1420 R. Pyongyang: Eng East Asian nx, freq ID's as Radio Korea, mx (good 28 July; Schnabel-IN)

KOREA, SOUTH

2510 1430 KBS: home service in Korean //710 which has stronger signal (poor 8 Aug; Bundy-CI)  
 9640 0855 VOPK: Korean talk to Eng NA service s/on at 0900, nx, cmtry, //15430 (good to v. good 9 Aug; Murley-CA)  
 9640 1026 VOPK: s/on, nx @ 1030 in Korean (poor 17 July; Benton-NB)

KUWAIT

15345 0430 R. Kuwait: nx, mx in Eng (good 25 July; Shaw-PA, fair w/heavy QRM 24 July; Doherty-CA)  
 15345 1615 R. Kuwait: Eng nx and mx (fair 24 July; Zilmer-WI, exc 26 July; Rogers-England, good 14 Aug; Brooks-NH, good 15 Aug; Tordoff-CA, good 31 July; Miller-OH, poor 3 Aug; Donegan-GA, fair 11 Aug; Deeke-IL)

LEBANON

17828a 1845 R. Lebanon: Eng pop mx to Africa (fair 7 Aug; Zilmer-WI)

MALAYSIA

6175 1103 R. Malaysia Kuala Lumpur: IS (chimes), talks in Mandarin, mx, //11900 which was weaker here (poor 22 July; Zabransky-IL)  
 17880 0927 BBC: Cricket comtry in Eng, surprisingly v. good for 16meters to Far East at this time (good 9 Aug; Murley-CA)

MALDIVE ISLANDS

4740t 1636 R. Maldives (tent): checking here since 1515, but heavy QRM and something that sounds like Aunt Sally scraping the screen with a wire brush, finally cut the hash using LSB and notch filter, talk by man, talk by YL at 1639, mx at 1644. Lang unid but not Eng as given in WRTH (weak w/extreme QRM, date?; Bundy-CI)

PAKISTAN, WEST

11672 0053 R. Pakistan: Eng to SEA, native mx, Eng amnts, ID and s/off at 0100 (v. good 7 Aug; Editor-MA)  
 11672 1943 R. Pakistan: Eng to UK, nx, cmtry, mx (poor 18 July; Zabransky-IL, fair to good 31 July; Brooks-NH, poor to fair 5 Aug; Lay-VA)

PAKISTAN, WEST (Con't)

17935 1330 R. Pakistan: nx, cmtry, mx (fair 25 July; Shaw-PA, poor 18 July; Zabransky-IL)

PHILIPPINES

7225 1150 FEBC: Manila Calling (exc 12 July; Mr. and Mrs. Leistner-CA)  
 11950t 1345 PBS(tent): Tagalog?, talks, Asjan and Western mx, no ID heard, v. heavy fading (fair 7 Aug; Schnabel-IN)  
 11965 0830 VOA Tinang: s/on with ID into Rus. (poor 21 July; Benton-NB)  
 15110 1430 VOA: s/off at end of Cambodian transmission Radio Peace and Progress immediately signed on in Eng w/talk on India, both clear. Nice to see International cooperation between the two stations, hi!(good, date?; Bundy-CI)  
 15185 2200 VOA Tinang: Eng nx (fair 8 Aug; Powell-NC, poor 9 Aug; Zilmer-WI)  
 15205 1815 VOA: Eng nx (poor 8 Aug; Powell-NC)

QATAR

9570 0227 Qatar Broadcasting Service: IS at s/on at 0227, 4 pips at 0230, Arabic anmts, chanting, under Romania (poor 7 Aug; Berg-MA)

R.S.F.S.R. ASIATIC

4485 1245 R. Vladivostok: Rus w/ classical mx (good 10 Aug; Jones-CA)  
 4610 1234 R. Khabarovsk: Rus w/talk, mx (good 11 Aug; Jones-CA)  
 Mike, did you hear ID's or are the locations from WRTH? SPD  
 9645 0700 Khabarovsk(WRTH): Rus //12040, frequent ID's, Rus mx, talk. ID as "Govorit Radiostansii ???". I've listened to the tape of those ID's about 50 times and can't make it out. It's 2 or 3 syllables with the accent on the first syllable, it's very soft sounding and certainly not the way I would pronounce Khabarovsk. (fair 11, 12 Aug; Bundy-CI)(Could this be Ed Shaw's tentative Cambodia of last month? Bundy)

SABAH

1980 1111 Alari Broadcasting Center (tent): ads for "Brand 45 Malaysia's largest selling Coffee" in Eng but most anmts in Malayan, sounded like comedy program from 1115 to 1130, ID at 1130 as "ABC, ?Ranau?", Eng pop mx at 1131, ID at 1200 as "Alari Broadcasting Center", s/off around 1400 but I missed it (poor 14 Aug; Bundy-CI)  
 4970 1338 R. Malaysia Sabah: Eng anmts, pop mx, nx at 1400, more mx (fair 14 Aug; Tordoff-CA)

SAUDI ARABIA

15150 0330 BSKSA: violin solos and chanting (good 27 July; Shaw-PA)

SINGAPORE

5052 1531 R. Singapore: Eng prog., nx, sports nx, time chk, ID at 1545 (fair to poor 8 Aug; Williams-OR)  
 11940 1400 R. Singapore: Eng nx, mx (fair 4 Aug; Stephenson-CA)

SYRIA

15165 1930 R. Damascus: Eng nx, pop mx (fair to good 31 July; Miller-OH)  
 15290 2300 R. Damascus: Arabic mx (fair 5 Aug; Zilmer-WI)

THAILAND

4830 1250 R. Thailand: man: singing Nat. type mx, ID, 10 gongs, nx (poor 29 July; Williams-OR)  
 6070 1257 R. Thailand: talks, mx in Thai (good 10 Aug; Tordoff-CA)

TIMOR

3268t 0945 Emis de Rdif de Timor Port(tent): probably the station heard w/traces of music, gong at 1000, again at 1100 and at 1133. prog mostly pop mx, occasional talk but too weak to ID positively, QRM de V markers on 3268.5 and fading deep (unusable to v. poor 12 Aug; Bundy-CI)

TIBET

9490 1240 Lhasa (listed): Chi //5935, Peking anthem & ID @ 1245 & at 1301. Not // to any other Chi stations.(both fair to good 10 Aug; Bundy-CI) Re Kamp's logging last month, Bundy

TURKEY

- 15190 2200 K. Ankara: Eng nx, cmtry, native mx to NA (good 9 Aug; Zilmer-WI, v. good 16 Aug; Donegan-GA, good 1 Aug; Doherty-CA, fair 10 Aug; Stephenson-CA)
- 15195 2130 R. Ankara: IS and Fr program, heavy QRM (poor 15 July; Marks-OR)
- 15195 2205 R. Ankara: Eng nx (fair-poor 11 Aug; Deeke-IL)

Charles and Anthony, are you sure about the 15195 frequency above? I logged them myself on 11 Aug on 15190 and they announced 15190 and 15165 as their current schedule, SPD

VIETNAM, NORTH

- 12040t 1430 VOV (tent): Eng talk by m&w (poor 14 Aug; Eisenberg-NJ)
- 15005 1300 VOV: Eng to Amer. Servicemen (fair 7 Aug; Zilmer-WI)

VIETNAM, SOUTH

- 7245t 1110 VTVN (tent): oriental mx, unk lang tak to past 1115, ARO QRM (very poor 28 July; Zabransky-IL)
- 9620 0840 VTVN: talk in Vn w/Fr and Vn mx (poor-fair 9 Aug; Murley-CA)

YEMEN

- 5805t 0300 R. Sana(tent): s/on w/ anthem, Arabic anmt (possible ID), into chanting to fade out at 0330 (poor 8 Aug; Editor-MA)

## Oceania

AUSTRALIA

- 5995 1010 ABC Lyndhurst: Eng to mid-Pacific (good 26 July; Getzel-NY, good 28 July; Zilmer-WI)
- 6090 1105 ABC Sydney: Eng mx, tc, old NA pops (poor 27 July; Patterson-GA, fair 28 July; Zilmer-WI)
- 9610 1145 ABC Perth: Eng nx, features (fair 10 Aug; Gant-SC)
- 11765 0750 R. Australia, Melbourne: Eng to British Isles and Europe (exc 8 Aug; Mr. and Mrs. Leistner-CA)
- 17795 0105 R. Australia, Shepparton: folk mx, DXers calling at 0215, The week in Business, //21740 (fair to good 8, 13 Aug; Koutnik-KS, poor 16 Aug; Donegan-GA)

NEW CALEDONIA

- 7170 0930 R. Noumea: Fr talks by m&w, heavy ARO QRM (poor 23 July; Benton-NB)
- 11710 0600 R. Noumea: s/on in Fr, mx, talk, ID's (v. good date?; Doherty-CA, good 11 Aug; Jones-CA, v. good 9 Aug; Murley-CA)

NEW GUINEA

- 3220t 0945 R. Morobe: Island mx, anmts in pidgin, tent ID @ 1000, UTE QRM (poor 31 July; Williams-OR)
- 3260 0925 R. Madang: Pidgin anmts, mx, 4-5 note gong @ 1045, ID @ 1053, ID and closing anmts @ 1100 s/off (poor 10 Aug; Williams-OR, poor 11, 12 Aug; Bundy-CI, poor 10 Aug; Schnabel-IN)
- 3290 0815 New station running tests here playing Island mx w/Eng anmts mentioning freq of 3290 and 2kw power (poor 11, 12 Aug; Bundy-CI) (Possibly R. Morobe before settling on 3220?)  
SPD
- 5985 1145 R. Rabaul: ABC Cantonese program (poor 28 July; Zilmer-WI)

SOLOMON ISLANDS

- 3995 0910 SIBS: this freq apparently not being used every night, was not on the air 10 Aug. I remember checking previously also and not hearing it. (good 12 Aug; Bundy-CI)
- 7230 1000 SIBS: ID in Eng, BBC WS mx & contry 1015-1030 pop mx prog. (poor-fair 29 July; Boomer-WV)
- 7235 0800 SIBS: Eng and Pidgin nx, mx, ad for Mobil Oil (v. poor to fair 4 Aug; Doherty-CA)
- 7235 0900 SIBS: Eng w/talks, ID, native mx (poor 6 Aug; Zabransky-IL)
- 7235 0910 SIBS: Eng and Pidgin, mx, ID, ARO QRM (poor 23 July; Benton-NB)
- 7235 2040 SIBS: Eng w/show mx, ABC nx at 2045, 3995 not heard but may be due to propagation effects as it is 1½ hrs past their sunrise, off abruptly at 2132 (good 12 Aug; Bundy-CI)

TAHITI

6135 0715 R. Tahiti: Fr and Tahitian //11825, 15170 (very good 9 Aug and most nights; Murley-CA)  
 11825 0315 R. Tahiti: Tahitian mx (good 5 Aug; Zilmer-WI)  
 11825 0335 R. Tahiti: Tahitian w/talk (good 10 Aug; Jones-CA)  
 11825 0745 R. Tahiti: Continuous mx, s/off in Fr ID and La Marsielliasi at 0800, signal is as good as 15170 here (v. good 17 July; Benton-NB)  
 15170 0245 R. Tahiti: Eng-Fr Lang Lesson (good 6 Aug; Zilmer-WI)  
 15170 0300 R. Tahiti: Fr. and Tahitian (exc 9 Aug; Murley-CA) Jay, I've seen reports of 15170 drifting as high as 15171.4; SPD.  
 15170 0301 R. Tahiti: s.on with ukeleli followed by ads? in Tahitian (good 28 July; Miller-OH)  
 15170 0330 R. Tahiti: Tahitian and Fr w/mx (good 9 Aug; Powell-NC)  
 15170 0500 R. Tahiti: Tahitian and Fr w/mx (v.good 24 July; Shaw-PA)

Most reporters commented on the good reception quality of this station on 11825 and 15170. SPD

## Unidentified

3259 1000 Unid under New Guinea 3260, detected by using LSB. In Jap w/talk only, still here at 1115. Looked for // freq but found none, not // Pyongyang Jap ser. (poor 12 Aug; Bundy-CI)  
 9980a 1520 Arab chanting, Yemini Royalist Radio is listed on 9976 but I don't know if this is still active (poor 27 July; Rogers-England)  
 11625a 2330 Arab-like chanting, hrd no anmts (fair 29 July; Schnabel-IN)  
 14993a 1315 Oriental Tonal lang., Possibly Vietnamese, locally produced prog. of spirited talks and oriental songs sang by the announcers; ID @ 1332 mentioned "...Vietmihni", then into recorded prog of marches and talks (fair 15 Aug; Schnabel-IN) How do you know it was a locally produced program? SPD

Welcome to the new reporters and the old alike, this month they totaled 30.

|                        |                    |                |
|------------------------|--------------------|----------------|
| Carl Benton            | Alliance, NB       | DX-150         |
| Jerry Berg             | Woburn, MA         | SB-310         |
| Alan W. Brooks         | Portsmouth, NH     | DX-150A        |
| Bob Butterfield        | Belmont, MA        | DX-120         |
| Bob Bundy              | Truk, Caroline Is. | SPR-4          |
| Michael Collier        | Williamsville, NY  | HQ-129-X       |
| V. Charles Deeke       | Mascoutak, IL      | DX-150         |
| Jack Doherty           | Santa Barbara, CA  | SPR-4          |
| Charles A. Donegan     | Warner Robins, GA  | Knight R-100A  |
| Steve Eisenberg        | Cherry Hill, NJ    | SW4A           |
| Bob Gant               | Carlisle, SC       | Zenith 3000    |
| Arthur Getzel          | Flushing, NY       | ?              |
| Mike Jones             | Hollywood, CA      | Sony CRP-230   |
| Dr. Paul G. Koutnik    | Shawnee, KS        | Knight R-195   |
| Russell Lay            | VA Beach, VA       | S120A          |
| Lou & Elinor Leistner  | San Bernardino, CA | ?              |
| Christopher B. Lobdell | Reading, MA        | SW4A           |
| Anthony Marks          | La Grande, OR      | ?              |
| Albert A. Miller       | Youngstown, OH     | HRO-500        |
| Jay Murley             | Newport Beach, CA  | SB-310         |
| Carroll E. Patterson   | Decatur, GA        | SX-99          |
| Tom Powell             | Goldsboro, NC      | HQ-180         |
| Phil Schnabel          | Ft. Wayne, IN      | HQ-200         |
| William W. Shaw        | Drexel Hill, PA    | SPR-4          |
| Norman L. Stephenson   | Long Beach, CA     | HQ-180A        |
| Jack Tordoff           | Redwood City, CA   | ?              |
| Dave Williams          | Astoria, OR        | 75S-3C & SPR-4 |
| Jim Zabransky Jr.      | Elmhurst, IL       | SB-310         |
| Robert Zilmer          | Milwaukee, WI      | SPR4 + 2-C     |
| Steven P. d'Adolf (Ed) | Woburn, MA         | R-530          |

I used a "t" next to a logging to indicate a tentative report, and an "a" for an approximate frequency. Mr. Bill Shaw received a QSL from Radio Peking with date and frequency. I had to edit over 50 Radio Australia loggings received due to lack of room and most were common reports received here every month. Good DX and 73's, *Steve*

# SWBC DX - Station Skeds

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SPEE DX

All times GMT

Deadline: 20th of the month

All dates GMT

I want to thank all the members who sent in schedules for this months column. I want to invite the rest of you to do so likewise. The deadline for this column will be the 20th of the month. Thanks again and good DX'ing to all.

Bob

## GERMANY, WEST

Deutsche Welle: For the new transmission period beginning September 5th this schedule is in effect to the Western Hemisphere.

### Eastern North America;

00.00-02.00 9.565 6.145 6.100

01.30-02.50 9.735 6.075 6.040

### Western North America;

04.00-06.10 9.735 6.185 6.100

04.35-05.55 9,545 6.145 6.075

### Central America;

02.00-04.15 15.165 11.865 9.605 6.145 6.100

02.30-03.50 11.945 9.640 6.130

### South America;

21.40-23.00 11.945 9.690 9.545

23.00-00.30 11.945 9.690 9.545

23.00-01.10 11.925 9.735 9.610

(and via Kigali, Rwanda on 17.800 15.410)

German  
English

German  
English

German  
Spanish

Portuguese  
Spanish

German  
(Deutsche Welle)

## CANADA

Radio Canada: Broadcasts include the following which are in effect from September 5th to November 6th.

### Europe, Caribbean Area, U.S.A.;

12.17-13.13 15.325 15.315 11.720 9.625

### Caribbean Area, U.S.A., Latin America;

23.00-23.30 15.190 11.945 9.625

### Europe, Antilles, U.S.A.;

13.15-13.43 17.820 15.325 15.315 11.720

English

English

French  
(Mike Macken)

## MEXICO

XERMX, Radio Mexico: This sked was recently received, it is assumed that these times are GMT.

### Mexico;

08.00-24.00 9.705

### Central America and Southern U.S.A.;

08.00-24.00 11.770

### Caribbean and Eastern U.S.A.;

08.00-13.00 17.835

### Canada and Central U.S.A.;

13.00-17.00 17.835

### Canada and Western U.S.A.;

17.00-20.00 17.835

### Europe;

08.00-11.00 21.705

### South America;

11.00-17.00 21.705

### Asia;

17.00-21.00 21.705

There was no mention of any specific languages other than Spanish but other languages are being heard. (i.e. English and German)

(Jim Willhight)

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SPEE DX SPEE DX

All times GMT Deadline 20th of the month All dates GMT

CHINA, PEOPLE'S REP. Radio Peking: Broadcasts to North America.

|                        |        |        |        |        |        |       |       |  |         |
|------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|-------|-------|--|---------|
| Eastern North America; |        |        |        |        |        |       |       |  |         |
| 23.00-24.00            | 15.060 | 17.673 |        |        |        |       |       |  | English |
| 00.00-01.00            | 17.855 | 17.715 | 15.060 | 9.780  | 7.120  |       |       |  | "       |
| 01.00-02.00            | 17.855 | 17.715 | 15.060 |        |        |       |       |  | "       |
| 02.00-03.00            |        | 9.780  | 7.120  |        |        |       |       |  | "       |
| 03.00-04.00            | 15.095 | 11.685 | 9.480  |        |        |       |       |  | "       |
| Western North America; |        |        |        |        |        |       |       |  |         |
| 23.00-24.00            | 17.735 | 15.385 | 15.095 | 15.060 | 11.685 | 9.780 | 7.120 |  | English |
| 00.00-01.00            | 17.735 | 15.385 | 15.095 | 15.060 | 11.685 |       |       |  | "       |

Some or all of the above frequencies will be used. Specific frequencies will be announced in the broadcasts. (Koestenbaum)

TRUCIAL COAST The Voice of the Coast: That mysterious DX rarity, "Saut as Sahil" is broadcasting at the following times to Dubai, Sharjah, Qatar, Muscat & Oman, Saudi Arabia, Bahrain, Kuwait, Basra and South Iran.

|             |       |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |                   |
|-------------|-------|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|-------------------|
| Arabia;     |       |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |                   |
| 17.00-19.00 | 6.040 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Arabic (Schnabel) |

NEW ZEALAND Radio New Zealand: This schedule is in effect, changes may occur.

|                  |  |       |       |  |  |  |  |  |                    |
|------------------|--|-------|-------|--|--|--|--|--|--------------------|
| Pacific Islands; |  |       |       |  |  |  |  |  |                    |
| 17.00-19.45      | 15.110   | 9.755 | 6.080 |  |  |  |  |  | English            |
| 20.00-05.45      | 15.110   | 9.755 | 6.080 |  |  |  |  |  | "                  |
| 06.00-08.45      | 9.540  | 6.080 |       |  |  |  |  |  | "                  |
| (08.00 on Sun.)  |  |       |       |  |  |  |  |  |                    |
| Australia;       |  |       |       |  |  |  |  |  |                    |
| 20.00-05.45      | 17.770   |       |       |  |  |  |  |  | English            |
| 09.00-11.45      | 11.705   | 9.520 |       |  |  |  |  |  | "                  |
| Antartic;        |  |       |       |  |  |  |  |  |                    |
| 08.15-08.45      | 9.520  |       |       |  |  |  |  |  | English            |
| (Sunday only)    |  |       |       |  |  |  |  |  |                    |
| Samoa;           |  |       |       |  |  |  |  |  |                    |
| 07.30-08.00      | Every Tuesday on frequencies as the Pacific Island transmission.           |       |       |  |  |  |  |  | Samoa              |
| Cook Islands;    |  |       |       |  |  |  |  |  |                    |
| 08.20            | Every Wednesday on frequencies as the Pacific Island transmission.         |       |       |  |  |  |  |  | Rarotongan         |
| Niue Islands;    |  |       |       |  |  |  |  |  |                    |
| 0730             | On alternate Wednesdays on frequencies as the Pacific Island transmission. |       |       |  |  |  |  |  | Niuean (Willhight) |

GREAT BRITAIN Radio Canada: CBC relay frequencies for the CBC include these.

|                    |        |        |        |  |  |  |  |  |                 |
|--------------------|--------|--------|--------|--|--|--|--|--|-----------------|
| Europe and Africa; |        |        |        |  |  |  |  |  |                 |
| 07.15-07.45        | 21.610 | 17.820 | 15.390 |  |  |  |  |  | English         |
| Africa;            |        |        |        |  |  |  |  |  |                 |
| 07.45- 08.00       | 21.610 | 17.820 | 15.390 |  |  |  |  |  | French (Macken) |

# Utility Chaser's Corner

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Deadline:

September 1971

Sept 19th

## From The Log

| North & Central America           |      |  |                |                    |
|-----------------------------------|------|--|----------------|--------------------|
| <u>BARBADOS:</u>                  |      |  |                |                    |
| 9970                              | 0351 | C&W Ltd, Charlaton                       | SSB Eng TT     | (Lay)              |
| 11475                             | 1352 | " "                                      | " "            | (Handler)          |
| <u>BERMUDA:</u>                   |      |  |                |                    |
| 6862.5                            | 0640 | C&W Ltd, St Georges                      | SSB Eng TT     | (Lazear)           |
| 11472                             | 1315 | C&W Ltd, St Georges                      | SSB Eng TT     | (Brooks)           |
| 11472                             | 1923 | C&W Ltd, St Georges                      | SSB Eng TT     | (Buckley)          |
| <u>CANAL ZONE:</u>                |      |  |                |                    |
| 17690                             | 1935 | NBA, Balboa                              | CW "V" mkr     | (Handler)          |
| <u>CANADA:</u>                    |      |  |                |                    |
| 3001                              | 0320 | Gander Aeradio                           | AM Wx Bc       | (Brooks)           |
| 19715                             | 1130 | COTC, Drummondville                      | SSB Eng TT     | (Handler)          |
| <u>CUBA:</u>                      |      |  |                |                    |
| 7938                              | 0356 | Radio Tel Service, Havana                | SSB Eng/Sp TT  | (d'Adolf)          |
| 18777                             | 2006 | Radio Tel Service, Havana                | SSB Eng/Sp TT  | (Lazear)           |
| 18777                             | 2317 | PTT, Havana w/usual bagpipe mkr          |                | (Handler)          |
| 18841                             | 1353 | Radio Tel Service, Havana                | SSB Eng/Sp TT  | (d'Adolf)          |
| <u>HONDURAS:</u>                  |      |  |                |                    |
| 11200a                            | 1325 | TRT, Tegucigalpa                         | SSB Eng/Sp TT  | (Handler)          |
| <u>MARTINIQUE:</u>                |      |  |                |                    |
| 20050                             | 1454 | PTS, Ft de France                        | SSB Fr TT      | (Handler)          |
| <u>MEXICO:</u>                    |      |  |                |                    |
| 10017                             | 1350 | Mexico City Aeradio                      | AM w/aircraft  | (Handler)          |
| 10520                             | 0305 | Mexico PTT                               | SSB w/usual TT | (Handler)          |
| <u>NICARAGUA:</u>                 |      |  |                |                    |
| 14965                             | 1524 | TRT, Managua                             | SSB Eng/Sp TT  | (Handler)          |
| <u>PANAMA:</u>                    |      |  |                |                    |
| 9132                              | 1315 | TRT, Panama City                         | SSB Eng/Sp TT  | (Handler)          |
| 8963                              | 2218 | Panama IFSS                              | AM Eng w/Miami | (d'Adolf)          |
| <u>PUERTO RICO:</u>               |      |  |                |                    |
| 10101.6                           | 1140 | AACR, San Juan                           | SSB Eng TT     | (Lay)              |
| 10103                             | 0345 | AACR, San Juan                           | SSB Eng TT     | (Handler)          |
| <u>ST. PIERRE &amp; MIQUELON:</u> |      |  |                |                    |
| 16356                             | 1601 | PTS, St Pierre                           | SSB Fr TT      | (d'Adolf)          |
| <u>UNITED STATES:</u>             |      |  |                |                    |
| 2538                              | 0120 | WGB, Norfolk Mrn Op, VA                  | AM w/tfc       | (Buckley)          |
| 2550                              | 0740 | WMI, Lorain, OH                          | AM Wx Bc       | (Buckley)          |
| 2558                              | 0148 | WEH, Wilmington, DEL                     | AM w/tfc       | (Buckley)          |
| 2582                              | 0140 | WAY, Chicago, ILL                        | AM w/tfc       | (Buckley)          |
| 2590                              | 0118 | WOX, NY Mrne Op, NYC                     | AM w/tfc       | (Brooks) (Buckley) |
| 3001                              | 0310 | NY Aeradio                               | AM Wx Bc       | (Brooks)           |
| 8764                              | 1943 | NMF, Boston, MA (USCG)                   | SSB w/skcd     | (Brooks) (Buckley) |
| 8792.8                            | 1400 | WOM, Ft Lauderdale, FLA                  | AM Wx Bc       | (Brooks)           |
| 8792.5m                           | 0255 | WWD, La Jolla, CA                        | SSB w/Wx Bc    | (Hardester)        |
| 8905                              | 0335 | Oakland Aeradio                          | AM Wx Bc       | (Lazear)           |
| 8981m                             | 2220 | NPL, San Diego, CA (USCG)                | SSB Eng test   | (Hardester)        |
| 9958                              | 1404 | NSS, Annapolis, MD                       | CW "V" mkr     | (Handler)          |
| 10017                             | 0300 | New Orleans Aeradio                      | AM w/Miami 912 | (Handler)          |
| 10620a                            | 1450 | APA, Davidville, MD (USAF)               | SSB count mkr  | (Handler)          |
| 13100                             | 0623 | ATT, Oakland, CA                         | SSB Eng TT     | (Buckley)          |
| 16015                             | 2330 | RCA, Rocky Pt, NY                        | AM Eng TT      | (Handler)          |
| 16120                             | 1545 | NSS, Annapolis, MD                       | SSB Eng TT     | (d'Adolf)          |
| 14686                             | 1947 | ATT, N.J.                                | SSB Eng TT     | (Benedetti)        |
| 17342.5                           | 2300 | WOM, Ft Lauderdale, FLA                  | AM Wx Bc       | (Brooks)           |
| 19261                             | 2225 | VOA w/Eng RCSSB feed QTH? (Dixon?....ed) |                | (Benedetti)        |
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| <u>South America</u>              |      |  |                |                    |
| <u>ARGENTINA:</u>                 |      |  |                |                    |
| 8646                              | 0617 | LPD86, Gral Pachelo                      | CW "V" mkr     | (Kolb)             |
| 15000                             | 2303 | LOL, Buenos Aires                        | CW time stn    | (Kolb)             |

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| 17530                 | 2040 | Central Int, Buenos Aires                     | SSB Sp TT & tfc      | (Benedetti)       |
| <u>BRAZIL:</u>        |      |   |                      |                   |
| 11985                 | 0220 | EMBRATEL, Rio de Janeiro                      | SSB Pt/Eng TT        | (Benedetti)       |
| 19728.5               | 2205 | EMBRATEL, Rio de Janeiro                      | SSB Pt/Eng TT        | (Handler)         |
| <u>CHILE:</u>         |      |   |                      |                   |
| 18300                 | 1455 | CCS, Santiago, Chilean Navy??                 | CW "V" mkr           | (Handler)         |
| <u>COLUMBIA:</u>      |      |   |                      |                   |
| 10017                 | 1530 | Bogota Aeradio                                | AM Sp w/aircraft     | (Handler)         |
| 10595                 | 1121 | ENTEL, Bogota                                 | SSB Sp TT            | (Handler)         |
| 13612                 | 1240 | ENTEL, Bogota                                 | SSB Eng/Sp TT        | (Macken)          |
| <u>ECUADOR:</u>       |      |   |                      |                   |
| 10050a                | 1540 | ENTEL, Quito                                  | SSB Sp TT            | (Handler)         |
| 15609                 | 1548 | ENTEL, Quito                                  | SSB Sp TT            | (d'Adolf)         |
| <u>FRENCH GUIANA:</u> |      |   |                      |                   |
| 12128                 | 0415 | FTS, Cayenne                                  | SSB Fr TT            | (Widner)          |
| 18235                 | 1850 | FTS, Cayenne                                  | SSB Fr TT            | (Handler)(Widner) |
| 19512.5               | 1445 | FTS, Cayenne (QSLed 24d)                      | SSB Fr TT            | (Macken)          |
| <u>GUYANA:</u>        |      |   |                      |                   |
| 6850                  | 1435 | C&W Ltd, Georgetown                           | SSB Eng TT           | (Lay)             |
| <u>PERU:</u>          |      |   |                      |                   |
| 12175                 | 1340 | AACR, Lima                                    | SSB Eng TT           | (Handler)         |
| <u>SURINAM:</u>       |      |   |                      |                   |
| 8666                  | 0610 | PZN3/4, Paramaribo                            | CW CQ mkr & tfc list | (Kolb)            |
| -----                 |      |   |                      |                   |
| <u>Europe</u>         |      |   |                      |                   |
| <u>AUSTRIA:</u>       |      |   |                      |                   |
| 17500a                | 1234 | PTA, Linz                                     | SSB Eng TT           | (Lazear)          |
| 17620                 | 1904 | PTA, Linz (QSLed 2w)                          | SSB Eng TT           | (d'Adolf)         |
| <u>BELGIUM:</u>       |      |   |                      |                   |
| 8796.6                | 0057 | Ostende Radio                                 | AM Eng TT            | (Widner)          |
| 13067                 | 1953 | Ostende Radio, OST4/5                         | CW "V" mkr           | (Kolb)            |
| 17315.9               | 1818 | Ostende Radio                                 | SSB Eng TT           | (d'Adolf)         |
| 17350.9               | 1800 | Ostende Radio                                 | AM Eng TT            | (Macken)          |
| <u>DENMARK:</u>       |      |   |                      |                   |
| 12916.5               | 2347 | OXZ, Lyngby                                   | CW CQ mkr            | (Kolb)            |
| <u>ENGLAND:</u>       |      |   |                      |                   |
| 8789                  | 0059 | Br PO, Portished                              | AM Eng TT            | (Widner)          |
| 6435                  | 0430 | GBY20/7, Rugby                                | CW "V" mkr           | (Kolb)            |
| 8986                  | 0650 | Br PO, London                                 | SSB Eng TT           | (Lazear)          |
| 12920                 | 0435 | GYA, London (BRN)                             | CW CQ mkr            | (Kolb)            |
| <u>FINLAND:</u>       |      |   |                      |                   |
| 13087.5               | 2245 | OPJ, Helsinki                                 | CW id mkr            | (Kolb)            |
| <u>FRANCE:</u>        |      |   |                      |                   |
| 13133                 | 2255 | St Lys Radio                                  | SSB Fr TT            | (d'Adolf)         |
| 16450a                | 1600 | FTS, Paris                                    | AM Eng/Fr TT         | (Brooks)          |
| 17210a                | 1720 | St Lys Radio                                  | AM Fr TT             | (Handler)         |
| 18770                 | 1225 | FTS, Paris                                    | SSB Eng/Fr TT        | (Macken)          |
| <u>GERMANY, WEST:</u> |      |   |                      |                   |
| 17306                 | 1906 | Norddeich Radio                               | SSB Eng/Ger TT       | (d'Adolf)         |
| 19480                 | 1426 | VOA, Munich w/RCSB Eng feed to Greenville, NC |                      | (Lay)             |
| <u>GREECE:</u>        |      |   |                      |                   |
| 8811.9                | 0108 | Athinal Radio, Athens                         | SSB Eng/Greek TT     | (Widner)          |
| 13029                 | 0525 | SVA, Athens                                   | CW CQ mkr            | (Kolb)            |
| 17250a                | 1740 | Athinal Radio, Athens                         | AM Eng/Greek TT      | (Handler)         |
| <u>ICELAND:</u>       |      |   |                      |                   |
| 12177                 | 1755 | TFA, Reykjavik                                | AM Eng TT            | (Macken)          |
| 12177                 | 1930 | TFA, Retkjavik                                | AM Eng/Icelandic TT  | (Handler)         |
| <u>IRELAND:</u>       |      |   |                      |                   |
| 8833                  | 0332 | Shannon Aeradio                               | AM Wx Bc             | (Lazear)          |
| 13272                 | 0715 | Shannon Aeradio                               | AM Wx Bc             | (Buckley)         |
| <u>ITALY:</u>         |      |   |                      |                   |
| 12975                 | 0458 | IQX, Trieste                                  | CW "V" mkr           | (Kolb)            |
| 12978                 | 0502 | ICB, Genova                                   | CW CQ mkr            | (Kolb)            |
| 12996                 | 0512 | IQH, Napoli                                   | CW "V" mkr           | (Kolb)            |
| 13015.5               | 0517 | IAR, Rome                                     | CW "V" mkr           | (Kolb)            |
| 13147.5               | 0156 | IAR43, Roma Radio                             | SSB Eng/It TT        | (Lazear)          |
| 17307.5               | 1530 | IAR57, Roma Radio                             | AM Eng/It TT         | (Brooks)          |
| 19684                 | 2215 | ITALIACABLE, Rome                             | SSB E/Sp/Fr TT       | (Handler)         |



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| <u>NETHERLANDS:</u>                      |                                   |                               |
| 13732                                    | 0225 Netherland PTT               | SSB Eng TT (Handler)          |
| <u>POLAND:</u>                           |                                   |                               |
| 12939                                    | 2353 SPE, Szczecin                | CW "V" mkr (Kolb)             |
| <u>PORTUGAL:</u>                         |                                   |                               |
| 12943.5                                  | 2356 CUL20, Lisbon                | CW CQ mkr (Kolb)              |
| <u>RSPSR, EUROPEAN:</u>                  |                                   |                               |
| 13050                                    | 0528 UDK2, Murmansk               | CW CQ mkr (Kolb)              |
| 13105                                    | 0522 URD, Leningrad               | CW CQ mkr (Kolb)              |
| 13710                                    | 2047 Moscow R&T                   | AM Eng TT (Lay)               |
| 18125                                    | 1148 Moscow R&T                   | SSB Eng TT (Handler)          |
| <u>SPAIN:</u>                            |                                   |                               |
| 20623                                    | 1350 Pawnee Radio, Rota           | SSB Eng TT (d'Adolf)          |
| <u>SWEDEN:</u>                           |                                   |                               |
| 18172                                    | 1140 Swedish Telecom, Stockholm   | SSB Eng TT (Handler)          |
| <u>SWITZERLAND:</u>                      |                                   |                               |
| 19564                                    | 1845 Swiss T&T Adm, Berne         | SSB Eng/Fr/Sp TT (Handler)    |
| <u>YUGOSLAVIA:</u>                       |                                   |                               |
| 18545                                    | 1619 PTT, Belgrade                | SSB Eng TT (d'Adolf)          |
| 20480                                    | 2025 YTR7, PTT, Belgrade          | SSB Eng TT (Handler)          |
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| <u>Africa</u>                            |                                   |                               |
| <u>ASCENSION ISLAND:</u>                 |                                   |                               |
| 19468                                    | 1500 C&W Limited                  | SSB Eng TT (Handler)          |
| <u>CAMEROUN:</u>                         |                                   |                               |
| 19890                                    | 2232 FCR, Douala                  | SSB Eng/Fr TT (Handler)       |
| 19894m                                   | 2235 FCR, Douala                  | SSB Eng/Fr TT (Kolb)          |
| 20082                                    | 1533 FCR, Douala                  | SSB Eng/Fr TT (d'Adolf)       |
| <u>ETHIOPIA:</u>                         |                                   |                               |
| 18410                                    | 1937 AEZ, Asmara (USA)            | SSB Counting mkr (Handler)    |
| <u>MAURITIUS:</u>                        |                                   |                               |
| 8662                                     | 1305 GZX4/5, Vacoas (BRN)         | CW "V" mkr (Kolb)             |
| <u>SENEGAL:</u>                          |                                   |                               |
| 11272                                    | 2330 Dakar VOLMET                 | AM Wx Bc (Handler)            |
| 18365                                    | 1620 FCR, Dakar                   | SSB Eng/Fr tt (Macken)        |
| 20328                                    | 1356 FCR, Dakar                   | SSB Eng/Fr TT (d'Adolf)       |
| <u>SOUTH AFRICA:</u>                     |                                   |                               |
| 10390a                                   | 2040 ZUD, Olifantsfontein         | SSB Eng/Afr TT (Macken)       |
| -----                                    |                                   |                               |
| <u>Asia</u>                              |                                   |                               |
| <u>CAMBODIA: (new name is Khmer Rep)</u> |                                   |                               |
| 17993.5                                  | 0030 Khmer Int Telecom, Pnom Penh | SSB Eng/Cam TT (Bundy)        |
| <u>CHINA:</u>                            |                                   |                               |
| 8513                                     | 1432 XSQ, Canton                  | CW CQ mkr (Kolb)              |
| 15700a                                   | 1145 Peking Int Radio Comm Stn    | SSB Chin/E/Fr TT playing (MM) |
|  | "The east is Red"                 | (Handler)                     |
| 18675                                    | 1445 & 1457 same as above         | (Macken)(d'Adolf)             |
| <u>HONG KONG:</u>                        |                                   |                               |
| 8534                                     | 1438 GZO (BRN?)                   | CW id mkr (Kolb)              |
| <u>ISRAEL:</u>                           |                                   |                               |
| 17786.5                                  | 1340 PTT Adm, Tel Aviv            | SSB Eng TT (Handler)          |
| <u>JAPAN:</u>                            |                                   |                               |
| 17539.5                                  | 2050 KDD, Tokyo                   | SSB Eng/Jap TT (Benedetti)    |
| 18687.5                                  | 2052 KDD, Tokyo                   | SSB Eng/Jap TT (Handler)      |
| <u>KUWAIT:</u>                           |                                   |                               |
| 19871                                    | 1401 Kuwait PTT                   | SSB Arab/Eng TT (d'Adolf)     |
| 19871                                    | 1515 Kuwait PTT                   | SSB Arab/Eng TT (Macken)      |
| <u>SAUDI ARABIA:</u>                     |                                   |                               |
| 18365                                    | 1355 PTT, Jeddah                  | SSB Eng/Arab TT (Handler)     |
| <u>SINGAPORE:</u>                        |                                   |                               |
| 8508m                                    | 1430 GXM, Singapore               | CW id mkr (Kolb)              |
| <u>TAIWAN:</u>                           |                                   |                               |
| 8714                                     | 1245 XSX, Keelung                 | CW CQ mkr (Kolb)              |
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| <u>Oceania</u>                           |                                   |                               |
| <u>AUSTRALIA:</u>                        |                                   |                               |
| 8758                                     | 1120 AORTS, Sydney                | SSB Eng TT (Benedetti)        |
| 19015                                    | 0357 AORTS, Sydney                | SSB Eng TT (Lay)              |

GUAM:  
 10800a 1355 NPN (USN) CW "V" mkr (Handler)

HAWAII:  
 4706 0815 NPM, Honolulu (USN) SSB Eng TT (Lazear)  
 9050 1345 NPM, Honolulu (USN) CW "V" mkr (Handler)

NEW CALEDONIA:  
 17655 2348 FUJ, Noumea CW "V" mkr (Kolb)

TAHITI:  
 9927.5 0650 PTS, Papeete SSB Fr TT (Benedetti)

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MILITARY:  
 6500a 0516 SAC w/usual code names: Sky King, Sky bird, etc SSB(Buckley)  
 11200a 2330 Ivanhoe, Hampshire, Pt Call on SSB (Handler)  
 13212 0353 Ivanhoe testing on SSB (Lazear)  
 18000a 1529 Geraldene calling I12N (Lazear)

UN-ID:  
 8300a 1227 WJ22 calling car 98 (Lazear)  
 9928.1m 0740 "Deez ez Sudat SSB(YL) anyone ever hear it?? (Hardester)  
 10102m 0915 PTT Luluth Inc, near Saigon SSB Eng TT has anyone ever heard this one ?? (Hardester)

APOLLO 15:  
 17900a 1430 Atlantic Chief calling rescue 1 & 2 (Lazear)  
 18150 1950 RCA San Francisco clg USS Okinawa (recovery ship), Houston calling Okinawa, Okinawa answering (Handler)  
 2012 Okinawa testing (Handler)  
 2018 One minute spot for Horowitz (NBC announcer) (Handler)  
 2022 USS Okinawa telling Houston, Russian trawler out of range. (Handler)

MARITIME:  
 12375a 0310 SS Australis (ship) calling Sydney on AM (Handler)

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Odds-n-Ends

A resident of "Paradise", Bob Bundy, reports a Trust Territory net on 10105 kHz on SSB. Local station, IDs as Truk, has open carrier from 2200 to about 0600 GMT. There is occasional traffic with Saipan, Mariana Islands (IDs as Saipan). Other stations appear to be on this net, but are too weak to get positive ID. Look for Koror (Palau) and Yap from Western Carolines; Truk and Ponape from Eastern Carolines; Majuro from Marshall Islands; and Saipan from the Mariana Islands. (OK, west coast Utility DXers, go get-em!!)

"La Senal Indacara" (at the tone the time is..), our Un-Id time station last month, is a Uruguainfixed station using a time signal as a marker. Station is located in Cerrito and Montevideo depending on the frequency (Thx d'Adolf)

Name Change- As you can see our new name is the "Utility Chaser's Corner" Also new: Utility Spotlight is the new name for our monthly Utility feature. The "US" will be jointly edited by Mark Koukol & Steve Handler. It will now appear monthly instead of bi-monthly.

Next Month- More logings, QSLs (if I have the room) and possibly a Special Announcement! Till next month 73's  
 Paul

# UTILITY SPOTLIGHT

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Deadline: September 15, 1971

Well there ain't gonna be no Emergency Distress + Survival article this month, and I extend my apologies. Aside from the fact that there was only 1 contributor besides new Spotlight editor Steven Handler (Mr. Ken Lazear, to which I extend my thanks), we also picked a lemon, because there is not that much information around. So, this month we must tip the hat to S.J. Handler for the inclusion of his Interpol article, which I am sure is at least as good as anything I could have done, with or without information. ATTENTION: From now on, barring unforeseeable circumstances, Spotlight will appear monthly. I will still be handling it bimonthly, and the in-between months are under the editorship of Mr. Steven Joel Handler or Evanston. See you next month, 73's

*Mark*  
Mark

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## INTERPOL-Pass the Cloak & Dagger

Have you heard the Man from UNCLE talking on his two way communicator? Have you heard Batman using the Batphone? Maybe you have heard Maxwell Smart of CONTROL talking on his shoe phone? Well then how about Dick Tracy chatting on his two way wrist radio? Don't feel too bad if you haven't heard any of the above, most of us haven't. However if you would like to try to tune in the cloak and dagger set, then why not have a go at INTERPOL?

Yes, INTERPOL the International Police Criminal Organization. INTERPOL has never made a "pinch". Its so called hush hush agents are only a myth. INTERPOL's sole purpose is to serve as an information broker for the world's police. In short, INTERPOL helps the world's police help one another.

INTERPOL was started in 1923 when the European Police opened an information swapping center in Vienna. In 1938 Austria was captured by the German Army and INTERPOL's records were sent to Berlin. During the heavy Bombings of World War II, the INTERPOL records were destroyed. In 1946, INTERPOL was reestablished in Paris, with a membership of only 19 countries. Since then, the membership has risen to over 100 countries. In 1967 INTERPOL's headquarters were moved to a new building in Saint-Cloud, a suburb of Paris. On the roof of this new building is a 50 foot vertical antenna. Inside the building is the communications center which links the world's police departments. Via the INTERPOL network, about 120,000 messages are handled a year, by radio, Telex, and RTTY.

INTERPOL's staff is quite small. They have about 90 full-time employees of which one third are on loan from the French Surete National. For a law enforcement agency their budget is quite small, about 500,000 dollars a year. They are funded by the member countries, each one pays a share of the cost, in exchange for the use of the facilities. INTERPOL branch offices in other countries are called National Center Bureaus, and are manned by the local police. The centers sole purpose is to trade information with other National Bureaus and with Saint-Cloud. The object of this trading is to apprehend criminals which have crossed international borders. INTERPOL does not aid countries police departments when the case involves spying, political crimes, or race problems.

Most police departments operate their radio transmitters on VHF or UHF frequencies, not so with INTERPOL. INTERPOL has nets which National Bureaus use to communicate with Saint-Cloud and other National Bureaus. Most transmissions are made in CW. The major net frequencies are as follows: 2593, 2840, 3593, 4632.5, 6792, 7532, 9200, 10390, 14817.5, 19130, 19360, 21807.5, and 24110 khz.

If you feel like dxing the cloak and dagger set then just tune in

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any of the above mentioned frequencies. Below is a brief list of INTERPOL stations for your use. INTERPOL is on the air 24 hours a day, 365 days a year. All that is required is patience and a knowledge of CW (code). Good Hunting-

Steve

\*\*\*\*\*INTERPOL\*\*\*\*\*FREQUENCIES\*\*\*\*\*

4632,5khz  
Luxembourg-LXF50  
Madrid,Spain-EEQ  
Helsinki,Finland-OEX  
Rome,Italy-IUV81  
St.Cloud-FSB53  
Stockholm,Sweden-SHX  
Lisbon,Portugal-CS161  
Oslo,Norway-LJF24

7532khz  
Tel Aviv,Israel-4XP66  
Rabat,Morocco-CNT  
Copenhagen,Denmark-OWS  
St.Cloud-FSB55  
Wein,Austria-OEQ25  
Waltikon,Switzerland-HEP75  
Brusselles,Belgiu,-ONA20  
Wiesbaden,Germany-DHA33

10390 khz

Kinshasa,Congo-9TK21  
Tel Aviv,Israel-4XP41  
Buenos Aires,Argentina-AYA47  
Tunis,Tunisia-3VA  
Beyrouth,Lebanon-ODW22  
Ankra,Turkey-TCC2  
St.Cloud-FSB57  
Rio de Janeiro,Brazil-FYZ2

14817,5 khz

Madrid,Spain-EEQ  
Caracas,Venezuela-YV23  
Buenos Aires,Argentina-AYA48  
Kinshasa,Congo-9TK22  
Ottawa,Canada-XJD48  
Alger,Algeria-7RA20  
St. Cloud-FSB58  
Oslo,Norway-LJF34

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For those who would like to try to verify any of the above, unless you have a specific address for the National Bureau send it c/o INTERPOL Headquarters, Chief Communications Officer, Communications (Wireless) Center, Saint-Cloud, France.

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FOR SALE: Hallicraftors SX-130 receiver, excellent condition, works like a charm. If it's hearable on shortwave you can hear it on this!! \$150 contact Mark Koukol. Hate to Sell, but must fund Ham transceiver.

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**SPECIAL NOTICE:** This section as had very few contributors. To help remedy this we are offering a special deal. For anyone who sends any reports, information or even a note about what you would like to see in this column we will send to you, free a listing of standard frequency time stations and a list of KMI/WOO/WOM frequencies. All people interested in this list must send information to Steven Handler in Evanston. Return postage is NOT necessary.

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**COMING SOON:** Watch for announcements of the Utility Handbook.

This is a book that has articles and information/addresses on over 400 of the most frequently heard utility stations.

For more information write to Steven Handler in Evanston.

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IN the Next few months this section will offer special bonuses to all those who sent information, comments, and corrections to this section. The bonus will consist of free Charts and other publications for the Utility Dxer. Report now. Let us know what you would like to see covered in this section: For all offers reports must be sent to Steven Handler.

WANTED: 1968 WRTVH Summer Supp. let me know if you have a copy and are willing to sell it. Do not sent copy just how much you want. Send to WRTVH c/o Steven Handler

WANTED: Gilfer Confidential Frequency List-send letter stating price wanted for list to Steven Handler.

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THats all Folks;

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Steve + Mark

# QSL SECTION

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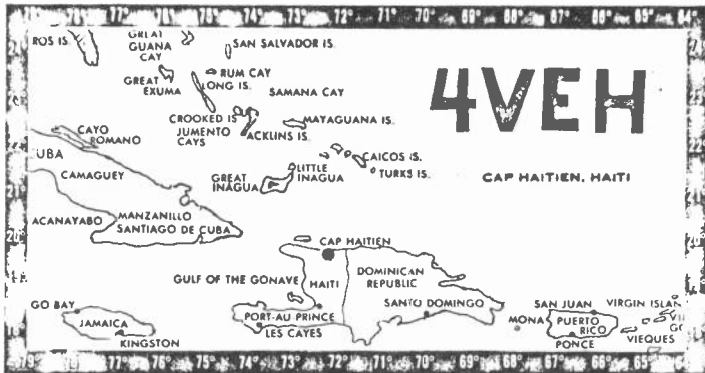
DEADLINE for October SPEEDX: September 17th.

## NORTH & CENTRAL AMERICA

CANADA: RCI, 15190: "Special Transmission" endorsed on back of Anik I Satellite card; tape & letter report sent. (Marks) CFRX, 6070: "Toronto City Halls" card - 8 days. (Willhight) CFCX, 6005: Card giving date & freq only. 150 days surface. Mint stamps sent. (Leonhardt)

GUATEMALA: TGVN, La Voz de Nahuala, 3360: card with flame & mountain giving date only. 14 weeks air; Span. report & 3 IRC's sent. (Zabransky)

### HAITI:



Above for monitor's reports of various dates: folder & personal letter, schedule. 22 days air. Mint stamps sent & used. (Brooks)

MEXICO: XERMX, Radio Mexico: Translation of their form-letter reads (in part) We acknowledge receipt of your report on the signal...happily thank you for the useful information it presents to us...You will find a pennant as QSL of our broadcasting station. Second try. Mint stamps sent, not used. (Brooks) Tourist info & the nice "banderino" - 1½ mo's air regist. ASWLC Spanish rpt, mint stamps. (Lanoue) Likewise: could be for 21705 rpt or 17835 follow-up. (Lay) All of it (L, P, tourist info) in 1 mo. registered mail. (Willhight)

NETHERLAND ANTILLES: Radio Nederland Bonaire Relay, 11730: black & white "St. Jan's Cathedral" card & "His & Hers" folder in 10 days. No reply postage. (Brooks)

U. S. A.: KGEI, La Voz de la Amistad, 15280: Far East EC Co. card & cardboard pennant in 15 days. No reply postage. (Gaynor) Our own SPEEDX/RSA card with blue map & bird acknowledges a significant contribution for the SPEEDX Geo-magnetic Study 16-17 July 1971. 18 days for SASE. (Thorne)

## SOUTH AMERICA

ARGENTINA: Radio Nacional, Mendoza, 6180: Sends own verification, perhaps the best possibility for a meaningful QSL from Argentina at present. Dr. Wood's letter veri is shown on next page.

BRAZIL: ZYZ24, Radio Mauá, 9705: Card in English gives freq & good statement. Signer: Marcos Kilzer Amorim, Sec., Dept. of Broadcasting. Came in 16 days air regist., using my SASE & adding more stamps. Port. rpt sent. (Gaynor) ZYV9, Radio Timbira, 4975: Letter in excellent English, signed Dr. João Ferreira, International Corresp., also an Attorney-at-Law. Correct address (not per WRTH'71): RUA TARQUINO LOPES, EDIFICIO BEM,



Expte. \_\_\_\_\_

Al contestar cite: T. I. \_\_\_\_\_

Nota \_\_\_\_\_

Mendoza, 26 de Junio de 1971.-

Estimado Sr. Wood:

Mucho me alegra el que nuestra transmisión fuera captada por usted, por cuanto nuestro interés es que lo que en Argentina se realiza llegue a los más alejados rincones del globo.- Efectivamente, lo escuchado por usted el día 14 del corriente mes a partir de las 8.00 de la mañana hora Argentina, es un programa donde intercalamos notas de interés general con todo tipo de música a cargo del Locutor Rodolfo J. Ricolfe y que se difunde de Lunes a Sábado de 8 a 9 de la mañana.-

En cuanto a los conocimientos generales de la Emisora le dire que integramos la Cadena Oficial de Radiodifusión, dependiente de la Secretaría de Comunicaciones y el fin de esa Cadena es difundir a todo el país música en razón fundamental de entretenimiento, y conocimientos generales de todas las artes, ciencias, comentarios de todo tipo y estar al servicio de la comunidad.-

Por otra parte tenemos también junto a la onda corta de su recepción, un equipo de onda media de 25 kilowatt en 970 kilociclos con equipo de enlace de frecuencia modulada (esta última puede también ser recepcionada con cualquier aparato común que tenga por lógica sintonía de FM).-

En la espera de que esta nota cumpla su deseo de una certificación para vuestra sintonía de nuestra emisora, lo saluda muy atte. quedando a vuestras gratas órdenes:

S.S.S.



952/66 - T. Gráf. C. y T. - 690 B.

  
CARLOS PIGNOLO  
DIRECTOR LRA6 y LRA34  
RADIO NACIONAL MENDOZA

**BRAZIL**, cont: **SÃO LEUIS, MARANHÃO**. Came in 2 years for mint stamps - reply by air registered. (Sparks) ZYU61, Radio Guaiaba, 11785; Folder showing views of Porto Alegre gives confirmation in English, date, time, freq. V/S Eric Berwanger. Came in 15 weeks sea; English report, 4 IRC's sent. (Zabransky)

**CHILE**: CE969, La Voz de Chile. 9690: Large "Gracias" card gives date only, signer not readable. Also large white pennant with map & mike (very nice) - both in 36 days air. English rpt & mint stamps sent. (Zabransky)



ESQUINA MONTERO ROSAS  
Y MARIANO CARRANZA  
Teléfonos: 323860 - 322188  
Telex: 3540217 - Cable: CANAL 4 - Casilla: 1192  
LIMA - PERU

Angélica Montoya Cortegana  
Dpto. de Relaciones Públicas  
Radio América  
Lima - Perú

Compañía  
Peruana de  
Radiodifusión S. A.

COLOMBIA: HJAF, Radio Santa Fé, 4965: card & pennant from Sr. de Bernal, who said (asked about schedule) "We work around the clock". 3 months sea. (d'Adolf) Card has map & picture of coffee plantation; English veri statement typed on. Also small pennant 2½ mo's for Span. rpt, mint stamps. (Lanoue) HJKJ, Emisora Nueva Granada, 6160: letter signed by Lucy Rodriguez C, Sec. Ger., gives date only; also pennant - 12 days air for Span. rpt & mint stamps, not used. (Gaynor) HJCT, Radio Nacional, 6030: QSL card with date only. 43 days air; Span. rpt & mint stamps. (Leonhardt) HJGF, Radio Bucaramanga, 4845: Detailed letter signed by Jaime Sorzano B., Sub-Gerente; typed on electric typewriter, very professional. Also new small blue & white pennant. Certainly Radio Bucaramanga is one of DXers' best & oldest friends in Latin America. Came in 16 days, air. (Wood) Requests more reports. All as above in 14 days air for Span. rpt, mint stamps & postcards sent registered. (Zabransky)

ECUADOR: HCRT6, Radiodif. Paz y Bien, 4820: Letter states freq only, from P. Luis Florencio León E, Gerente. Says SW was off the air for some time recently...Air 55 days. (Wood)

GALAPAGOS ISLANDS: HCVG8, La Voz de Galápagos, 6265: pleasant letter from P. Jorge H Narváez, standing in for Padre Uría, Director. Padre Narváez formerly was with Rifa. Paz y Bien, Ambato (above), delete him as signer there. Veri statement only. 30 days air. (Wood)

PERU: OAX9G, Radio Nor Peruana, 9655: Letter with all details except time, gave specific confirmation statement. Enclosed magnificent pennant showing girl carrying basket of fruit on her head, plus map of Peru. Used my SASE, added many other stamps front & back. Registered air in 30 days. Signer: Manuel Muñoz Chacón, Gerente. (Wood) Also the letterhead of Radio America is shown on previous page. See August SPEEDY.

#### EUROPE

ALBANIA: Radio Tirana, 6200: sent black & white card & 2 picture postcards in 2 mo's. No reply postage. (d'Adolf)

AUSTRIA: ORF, 15145: View card of Austria - full veri in 1 month. (Fay)

BULGARIA: The Bachkovo Monastery RADIO SOFIA, BULGARIA

The present QSL card is the third in a series of 6. Five more reports on reception for a period of two weeks will entitle you to the next number in the series.

First card in the series is Sofia University. Received in 3 weeks. No reply postage. (Catey) Will now send wall certificate to anyone who completes the 6 card series. (Lanoue) (Macken) The number of reports required per card seems to increase logarithmically! Illustrations thanks to Brooks.



EYELORUSSIAN SSR: Radio Moscow via Minsk, 15150: card with site indicated, also sent small pennant, report forms - 1 mo. No reply postage. (d'Adolf & Palmer)

CZECHOSLOVAKIA: Radio Prague is issuing 3 new cards, 1 a month until Oct., commemorating 50th Anniv. of something. These in addition to that other 24 card series! (Lanoue)

DENMARK: Radio Denmark: English rpt with full page of details on N American EC (in Danish) resulted in rejection letter - 21 days later via air. Guess will try tape recording & Danish form letter next time. (Brooks) But: aerial card with full veri in 23 days air. Eng. rpt, 2 IRC's sent. (Lay) Full data cards in 2 & 3 mo's air signed by Lulu Bevenssee. No reply postage. (Lobdell) 14 days air for 2 IRC's, Eng. rpt. (Lovell)

EUROPEAN RUSSIAN SFR: Radio Moscow via Moscow, "7.29" & via Tula, "7.12": cards for N. American Service reports specifying sites. (Brooks)

FINLAND: FEC, 9530: full data card: 1½ mo. air. 1 IRC. (Lobdell)

GERMAN DEMOCRATIC REP. (EAST GERMANY): Radio Berlin International: "Goethe-Stadt Weimar" card (#3 in series) in olive; "Buchenwald-Denkmal" card in orange & blue (#4) 46 days air. (Brooks)

FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY (WEST GERMANY): Radio Bremen, 6190: orange & blue antenna card signed A H Ruhland. Full veri. Also square blue & white pennant separately, 2

(GERMANY, F.R.,cont.) weeks before QSL arrived. 1½ mo. sea. Eng. rpt, no reply postage. Bayerischer Rundfunk, 6085: black & white post card of antenna. No time. 3 weeks sea. Eng rpt, no reply postage. (Schnabel)

HUNGARY: Radio Budapest, 11910: 2 different cards for 2 reports: 1 red & white "Palace" motif; 2nd blue & black functional QSL type. 7 weeks, 2 IRC's. (Koutrik)

ITALY: RAI, 9575: antenna/map QSL card - all data. 10 days sea. 3 IRC's. (Leonhardt)

LITHUANIAN SSR: Radio Moscow via Kaunas, 11870 (N Amer. Svc.): card with site in 24 days. No RP. (Gaynor)

LUXEMBOURG: Radio Luxembourg, 6090: Antenna card with full data: 2½ mo's. 1 IRC. (d'Adolf) 2 mo's. 1 IRC. (Fay) 2 mo's via sea. 3 IRC's. (Lovell)

MOROCCO: TWR, 7290: QSL card & program sked - 58 days air; 2 IRC's. (Leonhardt)

NORWAY: LLN, Radio Norway, 17825: color postcard, full QSL on back. 18 days air for English rpt, no RP. (Brooks) LLJ, 11850: "Rustic Norwegian Scene" color FC - full veri. Also booklets - 13 days. 1 IRC. (Doherty)

POLAND: Radio Warsaw, 11815: 5th in series of 6 map cards 22 days after follow-up; 229 days from original. (Brooks)

ROMANIA: Radio Bucharest, 15250: "Romanian Folk Architecture" card, letter on listeners' Club in 11 weeks. No reply postage. (Catey) 6150: black & white QSL card shows 5 scenes of Bucharest, same along with 2 picture FC's in 2 mo's. Say they have run out of permants. No RP. (d'Adolf)

SPAIN: Radio Nacional de España, 6140: light blue folder card with picture of studio & full veri in Spanish. Also permant & schedule - 44 days. Eng. rpt., no RP. (Brooks) 11925: folder, schedules & note in English promising material on Madrid & Spain later. 11 days air. 1 IRC. (Doherty)

SWEDEN: Radio Sweden, 11705: "Northern Lights" card in 12 days air. 1 IRC. (Doherty) 15295: usual full data card as above in 1 mo. for 1st day reception of new North American Svc. freq. No RP. (Lobdell)

SWITZERLAND: Swiss BC Corp.: black & white "Curling at Mirren" card & another station report sheet in reply to period report form submitted - 44 days. No reply postage. (Brooks)

U S S R (Not otherwise classified, no site - editor) Radio Kiev. 9660: red, blue & yellow card outlining Soviet Union, schedule & report forms in 50 days. No RP. (Kelly) Reported 11960, including tape, but QSL as above specifies 11850. 6 different stamps for collectors on envelope, corner cancellations only. 11 weeks, no RP. (Marks)

UKRAINIAN SSR: Radio Moscow via Lvov, 11900 & 9700, Vinnitsa, 11735 & 11850: Simferopol, 15130: Different cards for different reports in approximately 30 days, along with report forms. No RP. All details including sites. (Leonhardt, d'Adolf, Palmer & Gaynor)

VATICAN CITY: Vatican Radio: full veri on back of picture postcard rcvd. in 14 days. 1 IRC. (Doherty) 3 cards signed by Michele Lemme, in average 20 days. No IRC's. (Lobdell)

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#### AFRICA

EGYPT (UNITED ARAB REPUBLIC): Radio Cairo, 9475: mimeographed note as QSL plus letter saying "New series of cards being printed." Between the mimeo sheet & letter, complete veri, arrived in approx. 4 months. (Koutrik)

FERNANDO POO (EQUATORIAL GUINEA): Radio Santa Isabel, 6250: black & white postcard with personal veri on back, no details. 11 mo's seammil, logged while on Kwajalein. Card dated Nov. '70, postmark = June '71: must be a long walk to the postoffice! (d'Adolf)

GHANA: For English multiple report, 1st came letter in 20 days promising QSL; card arrived in 30 days. Shown on next page. (Brooks)





GHANA BROADCASTING CORPORATION  
P.O. BOX 1633  
ACCRA, GHANA

Dear Sir/Madam,

Thank you for your reception report of our transmission(s)  
on 11850 kc/s heard at 2025 -  
2100 G.M.T. on 17 : 10 : 70

We have pleasure in verifying your report which is much appreciated.

Date 17th July, 1971  
Ref. PE/W/1/1301



*Qmm - Insdh*  
for Director-General

LESOTHO: Radio Lesotho, 4800: Flag card, full veri, in exactly 1 month. Eng rpt & 3 IRC's sent but reply came by sea anyway. SWBC country verified # 100. (Schnabel)

LIBERIA: ELWA, 11950: Native drummer card & sched. in 3 mo's. Full veri. IRC sent. (Fay) ELEC, 3255: blue & white card says "QSL Greetings from the Liberian Broadcasting Corp., the Sound of Progress". Full details, signed by A.F.C. Finnegan, . . . 1 mo. seamaill. Sent Eng. rpt & 25¢ U.S. coin, used. One of my favorites ! (Schmabel)

LIBYA: Libyan BC Service, 8627: Letter with date & freq typed in along with veri statement: in 1 mo. sea. Signed Near El Sharif, C. E. Note at bottom says this freq 10 kw xmtr in Tripoli for local service, so "...Fantastic phenomena...received in U. S. A...." Mint stamps sent. (d'Adolf)

MAURETANIA: Radio Nat. Mauretanie, 4850: green, yellow & black map & symbol card containing full veri came via sea in 1½ mo. Sent French rpt, no RP. (Schnabel)

MOROCCO: VOA, Tangiers, 21650: "Star" card in 15 days; no RP. (Lay) Usual VOA card in 13 days. (Willhight)

NIGER: ORTN, Niamey, 9705: "Ici Niamey" map card with full data came air in 22 days for French rpt & mint stamps sent registered. (Zabransky)

NIGERIA: NEC, Calabar, 6143: Full veri on standard white & green "Radio Nigeria" card + current Radio Nigeria sched. in 14 days to & from Lagos. 1 IRC sent & returned. (Doherty) Radio Nigeria, Ikordu, 15185: above card from Lagos in 23 days; taped rpt + letter sent. (Marks) Also same card for 15200 & 7275: al data in 15 days. IRC was returned. (Mayo)

PORTUGUESE GUINEA: Emissora da Guiné Port., 5041: green folder with veri in Port, English & French. Signer looks like Maria da Conceicao. No time. 3 weeks sea. Port. rpt & 1 IRC sent. (Schnabel) As above, except time given. 14 days air. 3 IRC's sent. Now have 3 veri's for 2 reports sent. (Zabransky)

RWANDA: Deutsche Welle Relay, Kigali, 15380: blue & yellow map of Africa card plus long personal letter explaining all reports should go to K&N & stating they are going to keep tape recording in their archives since it was an unusual logging. Came in about 6 months. No RP. (Marks)

SEYCHELLES: FEBA, 15260: blue & white card containing full data in 5 weeks air. (Lobdell) 24 days air 3 IRC's sent. (Lovell) (Zabransky)

SOUTH AFRICA: Radio RSA, 6080: Painting/map of South Africa card saying "Thanks" for report, all data. 10 days air; no IRC's. For Jack White's RSA test. (Thorne) Card & "RSA Calling" bulletin in 1 month. No RP. (Catey)

TUNISIA: RT Tunisienne, 6195: Port of France card, full data in Eng. from External Relations Dept. in 21 days air. Eng rpt & 3 IRC's sent. (Gaynor)

ZAMBIA: Zambia BC Service, 3346: Plain card with full veri signed by J. Allerton, Jr., C.E. in 3 weeks. Eng. rpt & IRC sent. (Schnabel)

#### ASIA

BRUNEI: Radio Brunei, 4865: Map & Mosque card (full veri) signed A. Frigout, E.E., received with transmission sched. in 3 mo's air. Eng. report sent, no RP. (Schnabel) 7215: card gives date & freq; came in 20 days air. 4 IRC's sent. (Zabransky)

CEYLON: Radio Ceylon, 15120: Birds of Ceylon card in 3 weeks. IRC sent. (Fay) 11800: Flowers of Ceylon card with all details received after 1½ years, "regret delay". IRC sent. (Palmer) Signed by Listener Research Officer, arrived in 3 weeks. 2 IRC's sent. (Schnabel)

CHINA, REPUBLIC OF (TAIWAN): VOFC, 17720: new map card, postcard, newspaper, etc. in 2 mo's. IRC sent. (Fay) All details on QSL in 35 days air for 3 IRC's. (Leonhardt)

INDIA: All India Radio, Delhi, 11960: Gate of Victory postcard has full veri details, came air in 3½ mo's. 2 IRC's sent. (Lobdell)

IRAQ: Radio Baghdad, 9745: sent many anti-Israeli pamphlets in 5 mo's but no card or even mention of report! 2 IRC's sent. (Palmer)

JAPAN: Radio Japan: Modern Hanga (Woodcut Print) card & many enclosures in 20 days. (Brooks) 19 days, no IRC's. (Lobdell) Nihon SW BC, 3925: Hand & mike card has full details. 3 weeks for 1 IRC. (Schnabel) 9595: above card, is magenta on buff & came air in 2 weeks. No RP. (Fisher)

MALAYASIA: BEC Far East Relay, 11750, 9740: Regular BEC (Thames) postcard with site typed on it in 2 mo's for tape report. (Marks)

PHILIPPINES: DZF2, FEBC, 11920: sent greenish QSL showing native hnt in trees, and form letter signed Mrs. Eva Fitzpatrick, QSL Sec., thanking me for tape recording. (Marks)

SINGAPORE: British Forces BC Service, 5010: sent red & white aerial card, most complete QSL ever seen! Signed W C Robertson, Sr. Eng. 1½ mo's sea. Eng rpt & IRC sent. (Schnabel)

THAILAND: HSK9, 11910: yellow & white map card has full veri. 2 mo's sea for Eng. report. (Schnabel)

UZBEK SSR: Radio Tashkent, 9600: sent map card, 4 cancelled stamps for collectors & 2 postcards in 2½ mo's. IRC sent. (Fay)

P.D.R. OF VIETNAM (NORTH):  
For Eng. rpt on 15010 Asian  
transmission, mailed via  
Czechoslovakia. Address as  
shown below:

THE VOICE OF VIETNAM

NHA THÔNG TIN VĂN HOÀ QUỐC VIỆT NAM DÂN CHỦ CÔNG HÒA  
KULTURNÍ A INFORMAČNÍ STŘEDIŠKO VIETNAMSKE DEMOKRATICKÉ REPUBLIKY  
HOUSE OF CULTURE AND INFORMATION OF THE DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF VIETNAM  
CENTRE DE CULTURE ET D'INFORMATION DE LA RÉPUBLIQUE DÉMOCRATIQUE DU VIETNAM

39. HAVELSKÁ ULICE  
PRAHA 1, CSSR  
TEL. 5259 04

Light blue "Thanks" card, QSL card according to letter containing schedule of programs via Havana. Signed by Pham Durg, Director in Prague. (Brooks) A form-letter via seairmail direct from Hanoi along with schedule. Veri statement, no date. Signed ???, Foreign Language Dept. 2½ mo's; Eng. rpt, No RP. (Schnabel)

#### OCEANIA

AUSTRALIA: Radio Australia: Darwin Antenna card in 2 mo's. No RP. (Lobdell) VLN9, Perth, A.B.C., 9610: Western Australia map & transmissions card came speedily for

(AUSTRALIA, cont.) Taped report. No reply postage. (Marks)

BOUGANVILLE (AUSTRALIAN SOLOMON ISLANDS): Radio Bouganville, 3322½: Data folder with station name, callsign, time, date & freq, Keith Jackson, Station Manager - all typed in. Came in 14 days for Gilfer form report, letter on back, postcard, 3 IRC's. (Williams)

FIJI: Radio Fiji, 3284: beautiful beach scene card with all details, signed P. Littin, Eng., came air in 33 days. 4 IRC's sent. (Zabransky)

HAWAII: WVVH: First Day folder card in 1 month. (d'Adolf) Is "Green Lagoon" scene, all data. 20 days. (Leonhardt) Came from Colorado in 16 days. (Lobdell) New address is now WVVH, P. O. Box 417, Kekaha, Hawaii 96752. New map/folder card in 13 days. (Palmer)

NEW BRITAIN & NEW IRELAND: Radio Rabaul, VL9BR, 3385: QSL data sheet giving veri statement only, signer John J Waters, Station Manager. 1½ mo's sea for Eng. rpt, no RP. (Schnabel) Date & time typed in, but no freq. Signed Paul Cox, Sta Mgr. 3 IRC's sent. (Williams)

NEW GUINEA: Radio Wewak, L9CD, 3335: QSL data sheet as used by all stations with full details typed in and very nice personal note typed on reverse. Signed ???, Assistant Manager. Says reports welcome. 1½ mo's. No RP. (Schnabel) Radio Madang, 3260 (new station): Folder with no details, signed Joseph Goben, Station Manager. 10 days air, 2 IRC's sent. (Sparks) Radio Goroka, VL9CG, 2410 (increased power to 2 kw recently): Same folder with note "Great to get your report from so far afield..." signed Philip N Charley, Station Mgr. Address not as listed in WRTH'71: came from P.O. Box 311, Goroka, Papua & N.G. Also enclosed carbon of news item concerning my report broadcast by the station. No details quoted on veri. 20 days air. 3 IRC's sent. (Williams)

NEW ZEALAND: Radio New Zealand: sent QSL card, program sked & travel pictures in 2 mo's. 3 IRC's with report. (Catey) Same in 110 days via sea. (Leonhardt) In 35 days. (Willhight)

PAPUA TERRITORY: Radio Western District, VL8BD, 3305: Sent new folder with new schedules, signed John Sweeton. Took 12 mo's sea mail, apologized for delay. Logging while on Kwajalein. 3 IRC's sent. (d'Adolf) A.B.C., Port Moresby, VLT9, 9520: ABC Map of Australia card in 5 weeks. (Willhight)

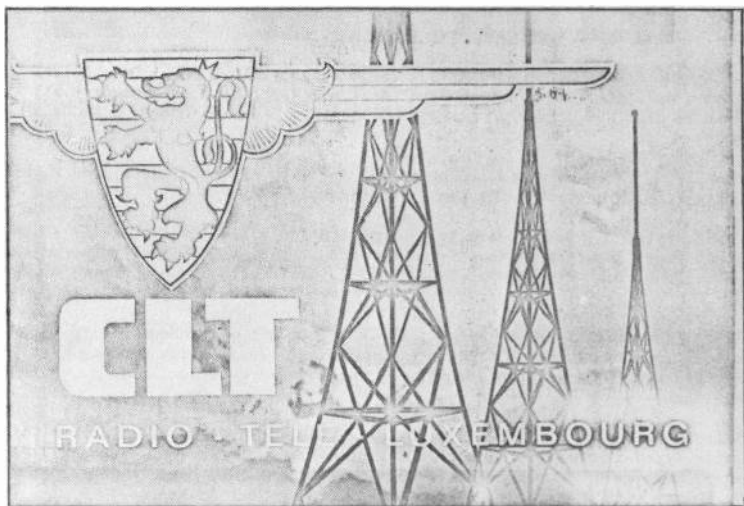
TAHITI: Radio Tahiti, 15170: black & white "Mermaid" card, schedule in French: came in 21 days. 1 IRC sent with report. (Doherty)

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THANKS TO 26 CONTRIBUTORS THIS TIME !

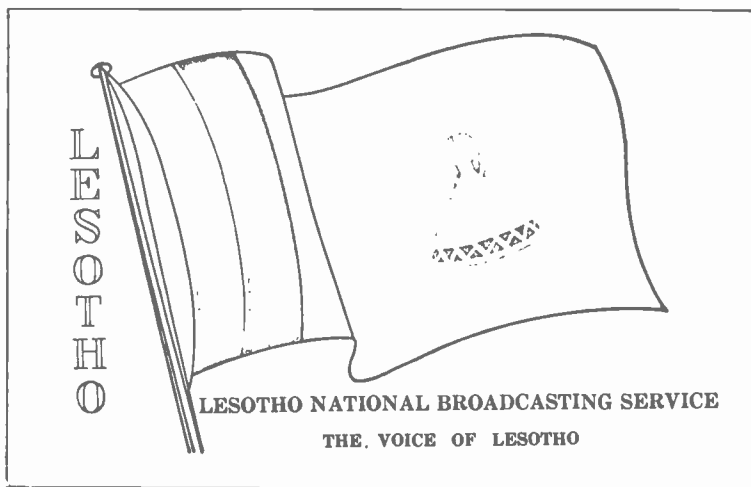
ALAN W BROOKS, Portsmouth, NH; ROBERT M CATEY, Sycamore, IL; STEVE d'ADOLF, Woburn, MA; R STEPHEN DILDINE, JR, Arlington, VA; JACK DOHERTY, Santa Barbara, CA; JON H FAY, Topsfield, MA (rcvr: DX-120; ant. all-band dipole; VIC-25); R W FISHER, Los Angeles, CA; LES GAYNOR, Oak Park, MI (rcvr: SX-100; ant: 55' LW; VIC/VIS 87/119 SWBC only; 70% returns, almost all unanswered are Latin Americans. Prized QSL: Radio Eritos, 3365, Dominican Republic); T CHRIS KELLY, WDX9KDR, River Falls, WI (rcvr: Realtone # 23M portable; ant. built-in whip; VIC/VIS 12/15; 2 reject cards); DR. PAUL G KOUTNIK, WDX@FXR, Shawnee, KS (rcvr Knight R-195, ant 90' LW. DXing since 3/71 when built the R-195); RON LANOUÉ, North Adams, MA (20 mo's DXing; VIC/VIS 76/118 SWBC); RUSSELL LAX, Virginia Beach, VA (rcvr: S-120A, S-38C; ant 50' LW; DXing 1½ yrs; VIC's 42 total, 37 SWBC, 8 UTE; VIS's 98 total, 47 SWBC); M R LEONHARDT, Liberty, IN; CHRIS LOBDELL, Reading, MA; JIM LOVELL, Louisville, KY; MIKE MACKEN, Winthrop, MA; ANTHONY MARKS, La Grande, OR; PAUL MAYO, Brooklyn, NY; TOM PALMER, Detroit MI (rcvr: S-200; new total VIC-80 overall); PHIL SCHNAEEL, Bronxville, NY (rcvr: HQ-200; ant: 80' LW; 2 yrs DXing; Ft. Wayne, IN totals: VIC's 102 total, 100 SWBC 11 MW/ECB; VIS's 135 SWBC, 20 MW/ECB); BILL SPARKS, San Francisco, CA; DAVE THORNE, Santa Ana, CA; (rcvr SW-4A, ant: 75' LW); JIM WILLHIGHT, Snoqualmie, WA (rcvr: GR-78, VIC-41; 64% returns); DAVE WILLIAMS, Astoria, OR (rcvr: 75S-3C, SPR-4; ant: SWL-7 + 3 LW's); DR. RICHARD E WOOD, Baton Rouge, LA; JIM ZABRANSKY, Elmhurst, IL (rcvr: SB-310; ant March SWL; 27 mo's DXing. VIC/VIS 108/124 (SWBC)

# QSL FEATURE



RADIO LUXEMBOURG's QSL card is mostly black and white, but the shield/emblem portion is in red, blue & gold. (courtesy Alan W. Brooks)

Below is the card many of us would like to add to our collection !  
RADIO LESOTHO is sending this in response to correct reports, as promised  
in their letter earlier. Thanks to Bill Sparks.



# MY FIRST AFRICAN QSL

by Dave Thorne - WDX6QZ

"Ici Brazzaville! Poste National Francais"; "This is Radio Brazzaville, the French National Broadcasting Station in Central Africa". This sign-on announcement brings back fond memories to me. As a beginning SWL in the winter of 1957-58 this was one of the first real DX "catches" made in those years. I was only 16 years old at the time, and I can well remember yelling from the bedroom as mom was preparing supper, "Mom!, I got Africa!" Mom went on about her business in the kitchen and I yelled again "Mom, Mom, come here a minute, I got Africa! Mom dropped what she was doing, and strolled into the room. The announcer said, "and now the news". Mom's comment was - "Well, we can hear the news on T.V." However, I chose to keep my ears glued to the old S-38D ( 5 tubes, AC-DC Hallicrafters) and listen to "Radio Brazzaville".

Radio Brazzaville was my first African station verified. They were heard well daily in North America during the late afternoon hours. Sign on in English was at 0115 on 11970 kHz until 0230. Below is a copy of the QSL I received back in 1958 and some information on Brazzaville.

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## RADIO - BRAZZAVILLE ( 1958 )

This broadcasting station was set up in 1940 as the voice of Free France. F.E.A. having rallied to General De Gaulle in August 1940. It was brought up to its present size in 1943, when it brought hope and consolation to millions of Frenchman in the occupied motherland.

Today 65 Europeans and about 100 Africans work in the various services. Special notice must be made of the Morse operators, who, day and night, pick up press telegrams coming in from all parts of the world. The station has indeed always attached great importance to detailed and reliable information dispensed in numerous news-bulletins in French, English, Portugese and Spanish. There are also Swedish transmissions. On the other hand, without neglecting works of a lighter vein, good classical music has always been one of the main features of RADIO-BRAZZAVILLE. There is a record library of 25,000 items to satisfy all tastes.

(from the 1958 QSL card)

French Equatorial Africa gained independence on August 15, 1960, and is now called, "Brazzaville - Republic of the Congo."

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| vous remercie pour votre rapport d'écoute et en confirme l'exactitude. |       |    |       |
| thanks for your reception report which was found to be correct.        |       |    |       |
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| 15.440 Kc  | 19 m  | 43 | 50 Kw |
| 17.885 Kc  | 16 m  | 78 | 50 Kw |
| 9.625 Kc   | 31 m  | 16 | 50 Kw |
| 9.730 Kc   | 30 m  | 83 | 7 Kw  |
| 5.970 Kc   | 50 m  | 25 | 3 Kw  |
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| 9.625 Kc   | 31 m  | 16 |       |
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# NEED ALASKA? try the BCB!

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Times are GMT

If utility DXing isn't your style, the AM broadcast band offers some excellent possibilities for many. It will help if you have a medium wave loop antenna available; it might even prove necessary if you live in the East (unless you're quite lucky). But the stations are there, and they're being logged by DXers at a significant rate.

Two or three stations are most often heard, with half-a-dozen more in the likely-to-remotely possible category, depending upon your location.

In order, by frequency:

630 kHz - KJNO, Juneau. Among the also rans it's most commonly heard along the Pacific Coast about 0800 on a Monday morning, signing off with the Star-Spangled Banner. Regularly sharing the frequency at the time are KHOW in Denver, CHED in Edmonton, and CKRC in Winnipeg. You have to catch a firm ID on this, as Reno's KOH, KXOK in St. Louis, and CKOV in Kelowna, B.C. all sign off at this time. Address is: Box 209, Juneau 99801, for this CBS affiliate.

650 - KYAK, Anchorage. One of the three most commonly heard, this country and western outlet has been the most reported in recent years due to a power increase. An independent, it shares the frequency with Nashville's powerful WSM, Honolulu's KORL, and such Latins as Venezuela's Radio Giradot. KORL is a background music station and the Latin plays tropical, though WSM, of Grand Ole Opry fame, plays the same approximate diet of country-western at night as KYAK. Nashville (WSM) signs off for engineering maintenance once a week, so your best bet has to be on a Monday morning from 0500 to 1000 or so (depending on KYAK's engineering schedule this season) Their QTH is Box 2480, Anchorage 99501.

660 - KFAR, Fairbanks. Again, one of the most commonly heard. This NBC affiliate shares a frequency with New York's WNBC. A music and personality station featuring very uptempo middle-of-the-road (MOR) or subdued rock (depending on your point of view), it's best heard from 0630 to its 1000 sign off on Monday mornings. Western listeners will note Mexico City's XERPM mixed in to varying degrees, while southeastern residents may catch Venezuela's "Ondas de los Medaros". (There are other possibilities, too, especially from 1000 to whenever NBC New York turns on its carrier just before 1030, but this isn't the time or place for a discussion of that!). On any Fairbanks station, weather or temperature reports tend to prove very useful for IDing (while Anchorage and Juneau are comparatively temperate). Station address: Lathrop Building, Fairbanks 99701.

750 - KFQD, Anchorage. Probably the third most heard Alaskan, this CBS affiliated middle-of-the-road outlet is the only CBS affiliate on the channel (but with KCBS, San Francisco and WJR, Detroit and/or KFMB, San Diego all 10 kHz away). On any given Monday morning, thru its 1000 sign off, you're liable to hear WSB, Atlanta, KMMJ, Grand Island, Nebraska, or KXL in Portland sharing the frequency. Always a strong possibility in the West, however. QTH: Box 1040, Anchorage 99501.

800 - KINY, Juneau. This is best heard signing off at 0800 on Monday mornings, usually signing off just after Langley, B.C. CKOK and just before Bonaire's RJB signs on. This assumes the XELO in Cuidad Jaurez, another powerhouse, chooses to be silent at 0800 on a Monday morning, a situation that's always subject to sudden change. If you log KINY, the QTH is 231 South Franklin. Juneau, 99801.

850 - KICY, Nome. An excellent verifier, it's best heard on Monday mornings from 0800 to 1000 with religious music or commercial (?) religion with such stations as Denver's KOA off for maintenance. KTAC in Tacoma, CKVL in Verdun (Montreal), and WHDH in Boston do share this frequency at the time, however. Stations in Cuba, Hawaii, Venezuela, and Mexico may also be contribute to the noise level. In any case, the address is: Box 820, Nome 99762.

900 - KFRB, Fairbanks. This CBS middle-of-the-road station is possible in the West from 0900 to 1000 on Mondays, after CJVI in Victoria, B.C. signs off. There's an all night Colombian (La Voz de Cali) and a Cuban to keep it company, along with CHML, Hamilton, Ontario. The dominant station on this frequency, XEW, Mexico City, is long off the air. If you're fortunate, write to the station at this QTH: Box 950, Fairbanks 99701.

Five other Alaskan stations have been logged, from occasionally to quite extensively. Since they're missing on my log, I'll only touch on them briefly.

They are:

550 - KENI, Box 1160, Anchorage: A 24 hour station with NBC.

590 - KHAR, 3900 Seward, Anchorage: A 24 hour Rocker.

790 - KCAM, Glenallen: local station with sign off 0900.

920 - KSRM, Soldotna: Another small local with sign off at 0930.

1170 - KJNP, North Pole: A religious outlet, if it stays on the air.

The key listening period for Alaska is 0750 to 1010 on Monday mornings, especially in the Fall.

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| 0100 | 5:00 pm        | 6:00 pm        | 7:00 pm        | 8:00 pm        | 9:00 pm        | 0100 |
| 0200 | 6:00 pm        | 7:00 pm        | 8:00 pm        | 9:00 pm        | 10:00 pm       | 0200 |
| 0300 | 7:00 pm        | 8:00 pm        | 9:00 pm        | 10:00 pm       | 11:00 pm       | 0300 |
| 0400 | 8:00 pm        | 9:00 pm        | 10:00 pm       | 11:00 pm       | 12:00 midnight | 0400 |
| 0500 | 9:00 pm        | 10:00 pm       | 11:00 pm       | 12:00 midnight | 1:00 am        | 0500 |
| 0600 | 10:00 pm       | 11:00 pm       | 12:00 midnight | 1:00 am        | 2:00 am        | 0600 |
| 0700 | 11:00 pm       | 12:00 midnight | 1:00 am        | 2:00 am        | 3:00 am        | 0700 |
| 0800 | 12:00 midnight | 1:00 am        | 2:00 am        | 3:00 am        | 4:00 am        | 0800 |
| 0900 | 1:00 am        | 2:00 am        | 3:00 am        | 4:00 am        | 5:00 am        | 0900 |
| 1000 | 2:00 am        | 3:00 am        | 4:00 am        | 5:00 am        | 6:00 am        | 1000 |
| 1100 | 3:00 am        | 4:00 am        | 5:00 am        | 6:00 am        | 7:00 am        | 1100 |
| 1200 | 4:00 am        | 5:00 am        | 6:00 am        | 7:00 am        | 8:00 am        | 1200 |
| 1300 | 5:00 am        | 6:00 am        | 7:00 am        | 8:00 am        | 9:00 am        | 1300 |
| 1400 | 6:00 am        | 7:00 am        | 8:00 am        | 9:00 am        | 10:00 am       | 1400 |
| 1500 | 7:00 am        | 8:00 am        | 9:00 am        | 10:00 am       | 11:00 am       | 1500 |
| 1600 | 8:00 am        | 9:00 am        | 10:00 am       | 11:00 am       | 12:00 noon     | 1600 |
| 1700 | 9:00 am        | 10:00 am       | 11:00 am       | 12:00 noon     | 1:00 pm        | 1700 |
| 1800 | 10:00 am       | 11:00 am       | 12:00 noon     | 1:00 pm        | 2:00 pm        | 1800 |
| 1900 | 11:00 am       | 12:00 noon     | 1:00 pm        | 2:00 pm        | 3:00 pm        | 1900 |
| 2000 | 12:00 noon     | 1:00 pm        | 2:00 pm        | 3:00 pm        | 4:00 pm        | 2000 |
| 2100 | 1:00 pm        | 2:00 pm        | 3:00 pm        | 4:00 pm        | 5:00 pm        | 2100 |
| 2200 | 2:00 pm        | 3:00 pm        | 4:00 pm        | 5:00 pm        | 6:00 pm        | 2200 |
| 2300 | 3:00 pm        | 4:00 pm        | 5:00 pm        | 6:00 pm        | 7:00 pm        | 2300 |

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