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"As far as I'm concerned, "DX NEWS" is the only BCB Radio publication worth my subscription fee." Lance Barber, Winnipeg.

## ON THE INSIDE.....

- Domestic DX Achievements - Charles Wolff

## NEW MEMBERS

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## RENEWALS

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## FLASH TIPS & SUCHLIKE

WJIC-1510 noted wk o/WLAC by Schmidt on 9/29, but he's only 7 miles away. WLAC then was off 10/6. WVCH-740 noted on test 10/6 by local-Schmidt. WMTR-1250 and KQYX-1560 also noted by Schmidt. KBTN-1420 not hrd. Same three hrd by Hansch in WI on 10/6, KBTN also not hrd by him.

We blew it dept: we listed WAMI as 0400-15 for 10/10. Shoulda been 500-15 in EDT. Hrd by Musco who arranged it. Next month's WAMI TEST will be listed properly.

Schmidt notes that EC'ers looking for CJGX-940 (EC) should check after CBM's 0200 s/off SM's. At least I think it's 0200, hi. Boyd says to look for CFUN-1410 and 0200 MM's where it was hrd 10/6.

One of the recent stns. operating above 1600 has been pinned down according to Bill Coleman. It is WGC, nominal 1600, a carrier-current gospel station in Charlottesville, VA which is apparently owned by a church group. They also operate an FM carrier-current on 101.1. Bill is awaiting a verie.

A late TEST will be run either 10/13 or 10/20 (or, more appropriately, was sked to have been run by the time you have gotten this) from KGAR-1550, Vancouver, WA. It is a PoP and will run between 0300 and 0600 ELT. V/s: R. T. Fletcher, GM. Info from Neil Zank.

In our recent ham list of NRC members (copies of which will be sent to all recent joins who are hams) listed Ross Hansch's net on 3895 as daily at 8 pm ELT. It is a MONDAY EVE. ONLY net for M<sup>w</sup> DX'ers, so be warned, hi.

One late-breaking DX TEST coming up which isn't included in the CPC Calendar: MM 11/3, 0115-0215 EST from KNUJ-860, New Ulm, MN. V/s is Gerald Watson, CE and TEST was arranged by Ron Musco for NRC. We have a few additional TEST notifications, but all are for 12/1 or later, so will not retype the list for them now-will hold them until next issue. Due to the exigencies of travel plans and other things, this whole front page is going to "bed" early.

## C. P. C. TEST SCHEDULE

Firstly, a few notes on CPC: CPC info is not available from HQ, but rather from the CPC chairman, Jerry Starr, c/o WHOT, 401 No. Blaine, Youngstown, OH 44505. A CPC TEST DOES NOT, as some members of CPCs of other clubs seem to think, consist of getting an NSP PEST to "dedicate" their RS to a club. It DOES NOT consist of getting an NSP'er to increase to day power in RS. It DOES consist of getting a station on the air which is NOT NORMALLY ON WITH RS AT THE TEST TIME. An NSP graveyarder running a SPECIAL PROGRAM or TEST is OK, however. Further, in order for the majority of members to benefit from a test, NRC HQ must have at least 2 weeks advance notice of the test or it will not appear in DX NEWS until AFTER the test has been aired. PLEASE include stn. POWER when sending tips.

WEDNESDAY	OCT.	22	- 0145-0300	* WSID-1010	- Baltimore, MD.	1000	D	NRC/IRCA
MONDAY		27	- 0000-	* WIOO-1000	- Carlisle, PA	1000	D	NRC/IRCA
			0245-0300	* WMBH-1450	- Joplin, MO	1000/250	U	NRC
FRIDAY		31	- 0000-	* WHLW-1170	- Lakewood, NJ	5000	D	NRC/IRCA
FRIDAY	NOV.	07	- 0000-	* WBTX-1470	- Broadway-Timberville, VA	5000	D	NRC/IRCA
MONDAY		10	- 0100-0130	* WSNW-1150	- Seneca, SC	1000	D	NRC
			- 0130-0200	* WAGL-1560	- Lancaster, SC	10000	D	NRC
			- 0400-0500	* WJDB- 630	- Thomasville, AL	1000	D	NNRC
WEDNESDAY		12	- 0500-	* WAMI- 860	- Opp, AL	1000	D	NRC
THURSDAY		13	- 0400-0700	* KSMM-1530	- Shakopee, MN	500	D	NRC
MONDAY		17	- 0330-0400	* WEXY-1520	- Oakland Park, FL	1000	D	NRC
MONDAY		24	- 0100-0400	* KYSM-1230	- Menkato, MN	1000/250	U	NRC
			- 0300-0330	* WNMT-1520	- Garden City, GA	1000	D	NRC
MONDAY	DEC.	08	- 0115-	* WLLL- 930	- Lynchburg, VA	5000	D	NRC/IRCA
MONDAY		15	- 0300-0315	* WKLF- 980	- Clanton, AL	1000	D	NNRC
MONDAY		22	- 0400-0500	* WENN-1320	- Birmingham, AL	5000	D	NNRC
MONDAY		29	- 0400-0500	* WMAG- 850	- Forest, MS	10000	D	NNRC
			- 0100-0200	* WGIL-1400	- Galesburg, IL	1000/250	U	NNRC
MONDAY	JAN.	19	- 0100-0200	* WBSM-1420	- New Bedford, MA	5000	U	NNRC
EVERY THURSDAY (R/c 4th)-			0000-0100	WSKE-1050	- Everett, PA	250	D	NRC/IRCA
WBTX-1470 above also every 1st FM.								
EVERY MONDAY			0015-0130	* WBMD- 750	- Baltimore, MD	5000	L	NRC/IRCA

## DETAILS:

- WSID - No prgm. details. V/s: W. Simon, CE; 6623 Reisterstown Rd., 21215. Prepaid calls at (301)-358-4200. Arr. Jim Hopkins.
- WSKE - C&W mx, OC. Prepaid calls at (814)-652-2600. Address as in log. Arr. Hopkins.
- WBMD - Tests regularly between these hours, though not for full period. No calls. V/s: Scott Brenner, CE; 5200 Moravia Rd., 21206. Arr. Hopkins.
- WIOO - Will use TT. Believe this is an r/c. V/s: Curt Allan, Box 399, 17013. Arr. Jim Hopkins.
- WMBH - Will use 1 kHz. TT, IDs every minute. V/s: Robert C. Vestal; 64801. Arr. C.R. Weinstein.
- WHLW - Bluegrass & folk mx. V/s: Richard Svetits, Box 1170; 08701. Arr. Hopkins.

## POSTAL RATES &amp; DUES, 2nd installment:

It seems that contrary to earlier reports, the USPS is indeed abolishing domestic airmail. So, all bulletins will go out under our bulk first class permit until forever, hi. The new dues rates, therefore (\$15.00 for all domestic members) will mean that Airmail rate-paying members as of this date will be slightly subsidizing those currently paying 1st class rates to the tune of an issue or two, but as we noted last issue, the reverse has been true for some time now, so it all evens out in the end, hi. Therefore, all members be warned that effective 1/1/76 the change will happen. We just can't see justifying the expense of time and confusion to prorate our current airmail members by anywhere from 1/4 to 1 issue, hi.

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li group,

changes ....from my trusty reporters:::

- 1150 WJRD AL to be sold at auction on 10/13 (per notice in Broadcasting magazine) (Bull)  
KWBZ CO Per verie this is now all talk (MW)  
1240 WTAX IL 24hrs.--SP: MM 0206-0600 (MW)  
1560 WDXR KY 24hrs., dunno if any SP (MW) Seems off NMs, but also noted off at 0216 back on 9/24, a Wed. Morn.---HWB  
Now the stuff from the FCC::  
1100 IL Johnson City requests 250 days here  
1140 MO Southwest City requests 250 day here.  
1450 IL Still another after old WVON facilities,  
GRANTS:  
1340 K UT Manti granted 250 250 unlimited (non-DA)  
CHANGES::  
1310 WTTL Ky granted new xmtr. & xmtr. site  
FINES::

WCCB AR Corning..fined \$250 for operating prior to 6AM without a pre-sunrise power, per FCC. (Now to figure out what that is supposed to mean??-HWB)

r c's .....all from MW

2nd. Sat: KBOM 1270---KBRB 1400---KCHA 1580

3rd. Tue: KBRX 1350 w/ TT & many IDs

3rd. Fri: WWDR 1080

3rd. SAT: KCNI 1280 w/ TT & IDs @ 5 min.

4th. MM:: WLDY 1340

4th. THU: KRG1 1430 w/ TT, IDs @ 2-3 min.

4th. SAT: KFLN 960 (Last SAT. isn't it?--HWB)

Finally a tent. one from BW, on 10/6 w/ TT on 790 at 0245-0300. Hrd. no IDs, but had breaks 0251-0254-0257. Too much WAKY/WTAR to ID--This KGHL's freq. check??? (BW) Sure sounds like it to me----HWB

Other notes of interest:::

RJE tells me a DXer in VA (I forgot who) is hearing a carrier current station from Charlottesville, VA--250 miles away. The station is on 1600 and uses the call of WGC, programming is relig. w/ some church broadcasts. Hours are 4 to mid. weekdays, 8AM to LOPM weekends. I'm sure RJE will have more on this elsewhere.---HWB

Second info is via Hubert Miller in Seattle, that between 1630 & 1640 there are several Canadians broadcasting weather for coastal towns. These seem to be 500 wt. to 1,000 watt, and broadcast weather/sea/traffic hazards, notes, etc. for marine & air traffic use. The broadcasts are AM, and are 3-5 min. long. Stations known at present are "Victoria Radio"--"Vancouver Radio"-- "Bull Harbor Radio"--"Tefino Radio"--and "Kelowna".

## TEST RESULTS:::

740 WVCH PA: Hrd: DWS--PRM--KDF--MD--SF--HWB--Dr. Tom TENT: BW

1250 WMTR NJ: Hrd: PRM--KDF--SF--DWS--BW--Dr. Tom--HWB--JS

1560 KQYX MO: Hrd: Dr. Tom--JWB--KDF--MD--DS--JS--HWB Not HRD: Bull

\*\*\*\*DS: Yes, is 10Kw, but a figure 8, goes mostly N/S, about 2Kw to east-HWB

1420 KBTN MO: NOT HRD BY ANYONE I KNOW OF:: There was 1K TT noted by many, but this might have been a TT or a het of some type. Was noted before 0200 and after 0200 w/ WHK off. Should have been hrd. if on--HWB & the group.

## sunset &amp; evening

560 WFRB MD 9/30 s/off 1930 after CW mx, anncr had sports info between each selection (HJH)

740 CBNM NF 9/27 wx 2003, weak u/CBL (SW)

WBOO WI 9/27 weak w/CBL, ez mx into s/off, QTH in National Bank Building, 2005-2015 (JF) Whoopie (JS)

800 CJAD PQ 9/27 w/nx 1900, very good (SW)  
 810 WYYS WI 9/25 s/off 2012 w/WGY, QTH as Mohawk Street (JF)  
 820 WOSU OH 10/4 w/Deutch Welle programme (Bull) It sure is (JS)  
 850 Unid ?? 10/4 either NBC or NIS, WH?? call mentioned Kennedy Square, 2048, WHDH? (Bull) Maybe yes, maybe no (JS)  
 870 WHCU NY 9/22 w/ s/off 2000 (Bull)  
 900 WFIA KY 9/30 s/off 2000 in mess, FM 103.9, no SSB (JF) No veries (JS)  
 WATK WI 9/22 tentative, sign off 2012, FM 104.9, this only station w/FM 104.9 (JF)  
 KFAL MO 9/30 weak w/CHML/CFBR 2015 w/ s/off and ISSB (JF)  
 1010 WSPT WI 9/24 ID 2000, UPI Nx, faded back 2015 s/off, FM 97.9 no SSB (JF) Sunset pest here (JS)  
 ?XBQ ?? 9/24 w/bubblegum mx and "Super XBQ" IDs, time checks in CDT 2010-2014 (JF) Big mystery, FM call maybe? (JS)  
 KXEN MO 9/24 w/ID, maybe s/off u/CFRB. Somebody here later w/ Cards BB 2015, this them or KLRA? (JF) Gotta be KLRA (JS)  
 1060 KGFY SD 9/21 fair w/C&W u/KYW, couple ads 2045-2053 (JF) Arghhh(JS)  
 1080 KYMN MN 9/21 u/WTIC 2030 w/ s/off, caught mention KYMN Inc. (JF)  
 1110 WKEG PA 10/5 w/ID 1846, possible s/off (Bull)  
 1140 WBZY PA 10/1 excellent 1838, promo for "Computer Kickoff" (HJH)  
 1240 WTON VA 10/3 noted 1838-1845 w/FB promo and three spots (DS) Hoo? (JS)  
 1410 WIKI VA 9/20 s/off 1915 weak u/WPOP (SW) Good catch! (JS)

#### midnight to sunrise

560 KLVI TX 9/22 w/sports 0515 (Bull)  
 WJLS WV 10/1 strong o/WFIL 0013 ending nx (HJH)  
 570 WAAX AL 10/6 w/Johnny Cash mx 0309, 2 jx, more C&W (BW)  
 KVI WA 9/22 u/WMAc w/MoR and ID 0159, WBBN/WNAx on ET (JF)  
 600 \*WSJS NC 10/6 seemed OC 0041, new SP? Noted off last MM too (BW)  
 \*CJOR BC 10/6 fair w/Cuban 0307 w/wx, program address, several IDs, taped, that was KOGO at first, eat your heart out ELK  
 620 WETE NC 10/6 good o/C&W QRM w/RR 0045-0100, then Ai Nx (PrM) (KDF)  
 680 CFTR ON 10/6 w/Toronto mentions 0047, wx, ad, jx 0048 to RR (BW)  
 710 CJRN ON 10/6 atop WOR 0825-0845, best since leaving 1600 (JWB) I was at their XR about 8 hours before typing this, TWELVE towers (JS)  
 KIRO WA 9/15 fair in mess w/Nitecap junk 0350 (JF) Herb is everywhere!  
 730 CKLG BC 9/15 good w/CKAC w/nx, wx, jx ID into RR 0445-0450 (JF)  
 750 WBMD MD 10/6 on ET/Test 0055 w/WSB still on RS (Dr. Tom)  
 760 WJR MI 10/6 noted OFF (DS) 10/6 probably w/strong TT all AM, only Sser under. MM SP or rare SP? (BW) Rare is right(JS)  
 790 Unid ?? 10/6 e-z mx 0127, nx "79" 0130 after unreadable jx, WTAR?(BW)  
 860 KOAM KS 10/6 s/off u/Unid OC 0058, anncd 0600 s/on, ISSB (BW)  
 KONO TX 10/6 think this w/ s/off 0100 just after KOAM, mentions five kw and s/on as 0600 (BW)  
 WGOM IN 9/29 ET w/RR 0230 (KDF) 10/6 ET/RR and jx 0210 (DS)  
 Unid ?? 10/5 noted 0005 w/church program u/highbrow mx, SM-2 favors E/W, need KOAM badly, this it? (Bull) Well, you still need them, this is XEMO, the Great Christian Beacon of the Southwest, etc, etc, etc (JS)  
 940 \*CJGX SA 10/5 w/RR 0213-0236, wx for MB & SA, asked for requests, WINZ nulled, CBM OC, much WBBN 930 splash (DS) Is being heard in east frequently on Sun morns now, dunno why (JS)  
 920 KDHL MN 9/23 seems NSP, C&W mx, many long spots 0127-0136 (MW)  
 970 WEBR NY 10/5 noted w/PSA 0257 then wx weak, WWSW off, WAVE null (DS)  
 980 CKGM PQ 10/5 strong 0244 w/Superstarr, pest! (DS) I am?? (JS) 10/6 o/WRC w/RR, few spots 0107-0123 (PrM)  
 1020 KGBS CA 9/29 w/promo for Bicentennial 0113 (Bull)  
 1040 WHO IA 10/5 had s/off at the odd time of 0221, said RS would resume 0900, regularly this time or change? (JS) Dunno (JS)  
 1060 Unid ?? 10/6 w/DJ hollering about a \$50 bill to woman on fone 0238 then into Top 40 mx, KUPD? (BW) How about NSPer WNOE?(JS)  
 1080 WKLO KY 10/6 dominant in WTIC null 0032 w/RR, SIDs, sked change? My log sez 0000 MM s/off, my log probably lie (BW) Yep (JS)  
 1150 CKOC ON 10/6 dominant as usual 0037 w/RR, contest, SIDs, etc (BW)  
 1190 CJMR PEI 10/6 perfectly clear w/nx & wx 0835, WOWO nulled, first time here since last November (JWB)

1190 UNID ?? 9/29 EZ MX, times all 1 hr. ahead of EST. All I show here are LPRTs, that ain't feasible!! (Bull) RIGHT!!--update your log to add CHTN Charlottetown, P.E.I.--10kw fulltime & NSP--HWB  
 1230 \*WERI RI 10/6 Long s/off 0006 for AM-FM (DS)  
 1240 CFLS PQ 10/3 W/ RR 0228, clear ID, Slight QRM by WJTN/WRTA ETs (HJH)  
 1250 WTAE PA 10/6 S/off o/ WTMA 0159, s/on as 0500, then vocal "America the Beautiful", new SP??--(BW) Nope, been off 0200 MM's over a year now--HWB  
 1300 WMOV OH 10/6 Atop briefly 0600 w/ AM-FM s/on, no SSB (SF)  
 1330 WFTF FL 10/6 W/ "Country Nite Train" 0140 into C&W, no ID hrd.(BW)  
 WFBC SC 9/25 Nx 0232-0235, soon buried by KFH, but nice!! (MW)  
 1370 \*WFEE NH 10/5 O/ WSPD, etc. 0110-0140+, w/ RR & 2 DJs & teletalk, AN?(JS)  
 1390 WEED NC 10/6 ET w/ mucho IDs till WEAM back 0031 (Bull) WEAM is off lots on MMs anymore--HWB  
 WFMJ OH 10/6 ~~ET~~ w/ OC 0152, clear u/ WFBL (MD) Nice catch!!--HWB  
 1410 \*\*CFUN BC 10/6 Per "Louisville gang" tips, checked 0158 & found o/ WING KQV-CKSL-etc. w/ all oldies on "Graffiti Sundays". All jx as "14 See Fun" 'cept ment. in jx of Vancouver at top of hr. Should make the EC (HWB)  
 1420 CKPT ON 10/6 Alone w/ MOR 0227-0240, WHK off at 0200 (DS)  
 WHK OH 10/6 Off 0200, was to return 0500 (JS)  
 1440 WROK IL 10/5 W/ RR at 0133, fair sig, ID after each song (HJH)  
 WNBE FL 10/6 NIS 0150, wx 0151 by YL, CID in wx (BW)--CID is "Call letters only!!--HWB  
 1450 WILM DE 10/6 Another 1Kw ET w/ RR 0028, off 0045 (DS)  
 CFJR ON 10/6 Weak/fair 0224 w/ WWSW/WOL/WMAJ. Mx by B. Vinton-Seekers-Campbell--etc. (HJH)  
 1470 WBTV VA 10/3 Well atop 0000 w/ s/on for ET (MD)  
 1490 WUSS NJ 9/20 Clear ID 0234, local ad, IDs were slow by YL annr. (JWB)  
 1510 WLAC TN 10/6 Noted off this AM (DS)  
 UNID ?? 10/6 W/ WLAC off, weak jazz 0117, this CJRS?(BW) Yep!!--HWB  
 1550 WNTN MA 10/6 ET-MX-OC 0100+ (JS) & (DS)  
 1560 KKAJ SD 10/4 Weak 0200 w/ full ID, CBS nx, C&W mx (HJH)  
 WADD NY 10/2 ET-TT-OC u/ WQXR 0250-0320+, ID 0310 (JS)  
 UNID ?? 10/6 Weak ET here 0355-0430+, played B.T.O. LP over & over(JS)  
 KLTI MO 10/6 ET noted by this right as KQYX ET/TEST ended (Dr. Tom)  
 1580 WVKU OH 10/1 Another ET/TT/OG 0315-0335+ (JS)  
 1590 \*KUUV WA 10/1 Periodically o/ WAKR, still using this call. Noted 0210-0250+ w/ all oldies & "Kay You 16" between records. (JS) This has got to be the easiest WA shot anymore, even w/ good old WAKR--HWB

#### REPORTERS:

BULL	Tom Bull	Wash., DC	HQ180 & SM2
JWB	Joe Brauner	Punnsutawney, PA	SX99 LW/ A2515 & loop
MD	MARC DeLorenzo	Centerville, MA	HQ100 & SMI
JF	Jeff Falconer	Clinton, ON	9R59DS & SMI
KDF	Karl Fourth	Villa Park, IL	HQ160 & SMI
SF	Stephen Francis	Alcoa, TN	Realistic TRF
HJH	Harry Hayes	Gouldsboro, PA	Zenith T-O & SM2
PrM	Paul Mount	Teaneck, NJ	Ameco R55 & other stuff.
DS	Dave Schmidt	New Castle, DE	HQ180 & SM2
SW	Sharon Waterman	Southwick, MA	HA600 & LW
Dr. Tom	Tom Williamson	Guelph, ON	HQ180 SM2/DX150 & LW
			(Doc. phoned his stuff in, so I hope I didn't miss any!!--HWB)
JS	Jerry Starr	Hubbard, OH	HQ180 & loop
HWB	me	Girard, OH	HQ180 & loop

Well group, in the space left I'm gonna hype the EC group on doing some real DXin'. Dave McCourt in town 10/8 for evening visit, seems he's heard much of what we get here. Adding DS & Bull logging KFGO's f/c, and DS & BW w/ KGH 790, not to mention FD's Oregon/Mont./etc. Most of you give up a bit to easy, or figure it ain't possible so why try. Well it's there, dig it out!! Good luck, & let me know how you make out. Can't see why KUUV 1590--CFUN 1410--etc., shouldn't make the ~~EM~~ once in a while.

## musings of the members

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Howdy folks - I hope the Summer has been good, & I hope even more that the upcoming Winter will bear sweet fruits to all. DX of late has been mostly MEs till2am, plus a few SSS sessions. 8/17-KEOS-690 mixing w/WIIX. 8/31-TIW-775, possibly, just het & little audio @ 12:46. 9/1-KGHL-790 f.c. new state, report sent, no reply yet; f/up out today. At 2:45, KABC, just after KGHL. Some others, but not interesting. 9/6-KEZR-850 @ 9:25; Mexiglen says it's on 800 nights. I left frequency a few seconds later. 9/8-1, KTBZ-550 went off; KOY & UNID w/talk there; KEACD-550, R. Mundo, 1:06; 1:52 KOY w/Tele-TT (?-TEC) 2, GRK-540, much-wanted w/"CBC, Sask.", new province, #6. 1:37, XPGC-790 w/f/c the time as 1:37 CDT. 9/20-12:40, UNID-875A, I think is off frequency, loud het on 870 w/lots of blow mx, then nothing - strange. 12:59, R. Mundial-875A, is UNID. 9/21 PM-6:59, KACC-1090, much-wanted. 9/22-1:10, UNID, 910 w/f/c, probably KCJB, no IDs. WGCW-1150 @ 1:38, first TT, then mx. KMOX-1120 off! R. Capital-1125 is on 1120, good till 2 a/off. 9/27 PM-10:15, UNID-595, Dominica presumed, het. 10:17, YVKE-770, w/National, mixing w/KOB & something else: "Something else"-770 gas "Da-de...de...de" IS after every song. 9/28-TIRT-873A, is normally on 870, R. Fabulose ID mixing w/crud from KKYX-680. 9/28 PM-KAMA-1080, a/off @ 9:16 in SS, no wonder I couldn't get 'em before. MX 9/29-1:45 "R. Capital de Costa Rica"-1120, KMOX/off again. 1120 proved fruitful today, Costa Rica also w/TX in SS; 1:47, CJVI I thought, but a better ID showed KEBI-900, #2 Sask., I started report but it was gone almost immediately after ID & some ad. 1:50, WXY-930, my 930 WSPer, KITE, is off, WXY unkn but report taken. 12:55-KBU-930 w/WXY & UNID TT & mx station. 2:04, KDX-950, mention of FM-Stereo; 2:35, WBT w/KFAB, unkn. 2:58, UNID-1120 assumed KPNW, w/TT, 3 ID as KPNW, mentioned Eugene 37th state. KSEL-950 w/927 telephone number. 9/29-8:37, R. Dominica sounded almost SS, fair, het against 590. Till next time.

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EA Shaw brought along some tapes & a 150-question DX quiz, plus lots of NABWA samples & info. After a quick lunch of cookies Eastside Beer & A one Beer, the BCB DXers had their turn at things. Rick played the Alaskan DX tapes a couple more times, & gave a very brief talk on BCB DXing, told by a quiz, which was won by S. Cal's Brian Jouly, & a very good job by Brian, considering Rick's habit of including questions on local QY's a/off. A little later on, the SW people set out for their own DXpedition to Bob Hill's house in Berkeley; the rest of us sat around waiting for sunset & a little BCB DX. Late in the afternoon, the famous FJP (Father Jack) showed up & was immediately coaxed into giving a talk on foreign BCB DX from Modesto. The auction gave us a good look at what's left when Eric Rittenhouse finishes using equipment; the "surprise" package, which I bought, has since been turned into clock radio parts. After the auction, we cleaned up the room, replaced the door (???) & set out for the DXpedition. The site was Rick Heald's church, somewhere in Hayward. I talked Eric R. into stopping by my house to get my RK, & then almost sent him to Livermore with my great directions for finding the DX site. We did get as far as Paradise Gulch but didn't stop to DX, as Eric was in no condition to get out of the car. Once we got to the church, things picked up & we could tell immediately we were in for some great DX. CBU was coming in equal to KETRA, lots of EC stuff. We worked our way through the f/c list (results sent to Mess & Hairy), plus watching for other good stuffs - highlight was an ET of WPGW-1010 in Black Mountain, N.C.! Eric & Rick added it to their logs. I'm one who logs stuff only from his own home. I tell you though, I was

(Wolff)

really tempted to make an exception. Many thanks to all who came & didn't get their names in here - we'll be doing it again soon, probably by January or February. BARP??

WAYNE HEINEN - 4924 Ellicott Road - Crohards Park, New York - 14127

Well, here I am again. With this new DX season, I may do some DX. I am now married & unemployed & a college grad, all within three months! Anyone got an extra job laying around? My wife is formerly Leslie Brower who came to Conston Convention two years ago for those who remember. I'll still be DXing out of my parents' house (about three miles away) until I can find a place with a room for my RK & loop. That's no easy feat 'cause the KRB-4 ways 140 lbs. with its power supply. Locally things haven't changed much. We have the following in AM radio - rrr: WGR-550, WBBZ-930, WNTA-1290, WYSL-1400 & WBBW-1520, c/w: WWOL-1120 & WMLR-1300. WBBR-970 plays a mixture of old & new jazz & MoR. There is a bid up before the FCC for WHEZ, Ch. 17, local educational TV to buy WBBR-970 & their FM, WHEZ. So maybe Public Radio will come to Buffalo. If I remain on unemployment I may get a lot of DX done although I won't get rich. Anyone in the area please feel free to call or stop in - 716-662-1869 - beer's in the ice box & Jack Daniels' on the shelf, etc. If I don't see you for a while, have a good season!

DAVE BURNS - 1902 Stevens Road #1411 - Woodbridge, Virginia - 22191

For the third time in the past year I've moved & am now located about 25 miles S of Washington, D.C. Because of this move, as well as attending various USAF schools (which blow away hopes of making Hartford), other pastimes this Summer, & overall bad CX, my DX activities came to a halt in March & just recently did I start up again. Like last year, I'm primarily interested in foreign DX, but hope to expend more time hunting domestics this year. The evening of 9/1 turned out to be a fair one for TAs but unfortunately nothing new was heard. One station of note, however, is Turkey-1016. For those needing it, I've heard them quite frequently around 11pm, usually quite readable & easily reportable. On 9/20 WBIE-1090 was noted w/ET w/WIIC while listening to the Red Sox game @ 12:17am & @ 1:45 WYCH-1450 was on top w/SID & pop mx. Later that evening @ 11, CKRW-1000 was clear w/TX w/WCFL milled. I tried for the TEST 9/21 on 810 w/negative results. Possible TT noted behind WIP but the latter was too much to hear through. 9/22-WLBI-900 seems to dominate 900 around 7:30pm. Barely heard down in Tidewater. Later, WBCU-870 was on top of WFL until 7:45 a/off. UNID noted on 1380 w/Red Sox BS @ 8:20-8:30pm, then gone. Supposedly, stations in Vt., N. H. & Me. carry the Sox on this frequency but I couldn't dig out an ID. Later from 11pm to 2am many TAs but only two new ones - France-863 and Austria-1475. One last note: Are there any former or current members of the USAF Security Service in the NRC? I was once a "202" & would be interested in hearing from any of you.

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MICHAEL GOOD - 413A Burton House - 410 Memorial Drive - Cambridge, Mass.

It's been a while since my last Muse, so here's a re-intro: I'm 19, starting my fourth year with the NRC, & a Freshman here at M.I.T. I came up here about a month ago after living in the Detroit area, & started DXing here two weeks ago. What a change from Detroit! My first few nights of listening brought two TAs - Andorra-818 & BSC-11088. I never heard a T. in Detroit. Also there seem to be a lot more daytimers here. I still have to get used to CX around here. I haven't been able to try much SSS yet, but have done a couple of MX sessions. Next Muse I will have detailed DX. Phone here is 617-494-8974 for those in the Boston area who are interested. 73. (Welcome to the Commonwealth, Michael! -ERC)

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PAUL A. SOJKA Jr. - 38 Grove Street - Elizabeth, New Jersey - 07208

Hi everybody! I guess it's about time for me to muse a little. I've just rejoined the NRC after almost a year absence. I just can't do without the Club, I guess. I'm 29 years old, married with four children, & I'm a Police Officer in Newark, N.J. That gives me a chance to talk on the radio & play DJ. I use a Drake SW-4A for DX with their own loop, the AL-4. Elizabeth is a tough location to DX from with the New York stations' antenna farm not far away. I also have WJMK's antenna about 1/2 mile from here. The biggest pest is WJMR's 5,000 watts directional through my living room. As far as dial-twirling goes, my shift work makes it rough at times. The latest DX brought me five new stations. On 9/27, WJPL-1100 logged @ 7:15pm a/off. 9/29- WJPA-1110 also @ 7:15 a/off. 9/30 saw CKKM-980 @ 12:46am, in w/r/r & announcements of an upcoming "Super Star Weekend." At 1:45, WJAL-1130 in w/WJEW off, signal poor. After a few hours' sleep I decided to twist the dials for some daytime DX. At 10:57 in comes WJMK-690. I pull out the trusty ERC Log & guess what? No mention of WJMK. They IDed as Madison, N.J. so I start to think it's a pirate. Then it dawned on me - Madison is the home of Fairleigh Dickinson University. They have a carrier current station. A phone call confirms it. I'm hearing a carrier current station from 20 miles away! I sent a report out, but don't know if they will verify. Do you count AM carrier current stations as a legitimate catch? Well, 'nuff for now. 73. (I did, Paul, when I mailed WJBU-680, Rutgers' carrier current station, in Brooklyn! And, welcome to NRC!-ERC)

LARRY BERINA - R.D. #1 - Box 60 - Seecola, Pennsylvania - 16942

Greetings, DXers. Well, it looks like the Summer DX is beginning to lessen - looks like a good season. The clear channels are starting to live up to their names & even the locals are noticeably better. Here in Northern Pa. I got pretty good results with a Zenith M730 table model, with its self-contained loop. The nearest BCE station is 16 miles - WMBI-1490. As I don't have all the updates for the Log, forgive me if these are repetitions: WGBA-1350 noted as UPI net; WATS-960 runs Ae; WILK-980 may be running Ae - I will check into all these & some of my other locals. Now for what DX I've heard here: On 9/7- WCLD-1230, just above news @ 12:13am EDT. At 12:26, WJTO a/off, mx into "WJTO, Cypress Gardens" then carrier off @ 12:27, no SSB. On 9/15, WQWW ET very good on 1380 "This is radio station WQWW testing on 1380kHz with 5,000w daytime power", then variable TT on/off, this @ 12:49; At 1:05, KFI very strong on 640, cleared by WJLO a/off @ 10; KFI running Billy Graham "Hour of Decision" after WX. On 9/17, talie on 1450 @ 10:20, o/u FF BB; who are these? At 10:25, WJEX great on 1510, about time! 9/19-6:30pm, unkn WCBG-1590 IDed as "Super-6". 6:39, WJSA-1310 ID - I just caught "--BA" on tune-pest. I tuned back & heard DJ talking about Ephraim events - guess that's enough to log it. At 6:42, WJKB very good w/short ID. That's most of the good stuff (good!); now for UNIDS: TT on 829 on 9/15 @ 12:23am, WJBU? TT on 1570 @ 12:50 u/CXLM. On 9/21 I caught unkn WJAN-1470 pattern change, or reduce power @ 7:43pm, or both. I think it was they. That's all the blab - probably too much. 73. (First Muse, no, Mark? Welcome to the NRC & Muse often! -ERC)

DAVE SCHMIDT - 42 Chelwynne Road - Castle Hills - New Castle, Del. 19720

One of the awards that was no doubt forgotten about at the NRC Convention is the annual NRC Mascot Award. This goes to the person who has done the dog's work for the Club. This year, the award goes to none other than JERRY STARR. It will be in the mail shortly, a box of Milk Bones. To DX: 9/17- WJSS-1490 2:58-3:11pm w/soul, National Black net WX. Signal is topping WJAL lately, last year WJAL was alone. 9/22- WJTM-1300 7:36-7:45pm a/off w/c/w & a/off, no SSB, topping WJBR nicely. 9/29- CKKM-980 1:35-1:58am w/r/r, topping WRC. Also a report going to CFCM-1310 noted on ET w/CW 2:19-2:33am. 7-ups to WJAW-1340, WJAZ-1490, WJBF-1290 & KRGS-1560. Veries: CIRA-580 v/c, & v/1a, WJEW-900 WJSS-1490 & after 1 1/2 years, one floated in from KCAD-1560 for a PoP heard 4/18/74! One of the TESTs that amazed me is one upcoming from WJED-1010. They've been hard to verie & I've heard others mention the same about their FM, WLPL. Another try is in line. It was good seeing the Convention site but SSB Veries didn't have any Dr. Pepper in front of him!

## FOOTBALL MEMORIES

CHAPTER II - A Peak at the New York Scene, or "When Fun City was Really Fun", or "Before Fun City Became Gun City."

In the early 30's, there were a great many more local and semi-local stations in the Greater New York Metropolitan area. The best way to paint the picture would be to list them by frequency, and in a later chapter, to elaborate on some of them and how they became today's radio stations in the New York picture. Here we go:

570 - WJCA and WNYC	1250 - WAAM & WJCF, Newark; and WJDA, Paterson, N.J.
660 - WJAP, NBC Red Network	1300 - WEVD & WJAP, N.Y., WJBR Brooklyn; WJAL, Troy, N.Y.
710 - WOR, Newark.	1350 - WJNY; WJDA; WJBJ; WJSG.
760 - WJL, NBC Blue Network	1400 - WJBC; WJBU; WLTH; WJGR, all in Brooklyn.
810 - WJCH	1450 - WJMS Fort Lee; WJBS Elizabeth; WJBO Jersey City; & WJL, Newark, all N.J.
860 - WJBB, CBS Network (& WJOC)	
1010 - WJIN, WJAP, WJAO, WJNY.	
1070 - WJAT, Jersey City	
1100 - WLTL, N.Y. & WJO, Atlantic City	
1130 - WJCV	
1180 - WJBS (used 600 for a while)	
1210 - WJCH Yonkers; WJBB Freeport; WJNR Bay Shore; WJBI Red Bank N.J.	
1500 - WJLB Long Beach; WJLX Long Island City; WJBJ Brooklyn; and WJWL, Woodside. This was the top frequency on the ECB then!	

Bear in mind that this was before the frequency re-allocation of March, 1941. At this old date, the graveyard frequencies were 1200, 1210, 1310, 1370, 1420, and 1500 kilocycles. In general, stations from 550 to 730 did not move; those on 740-780 moved up one channel; 790-870 went up two channels; and everybody above 880 moved three frequencies up - with several exceptions, of course. But - more on this at a later date.

NEXT TIME: The Low Down on the L W End.

RON MUSCO - 16 Chestnut Drive - Windsor, Connecticut - 06095

Well today, 10/4, I just finished sending out four v/q's and letters to those FOUR DXers (Ray Arruda, Ernie Cooper, Harry Hayes, and Dr. Tom Williamson) who correctly heard the WJMG-610 TEST that I ran back on 9/21 between 12:01 & 1:04am. I received four reports from Stu Leland & they were all correct with Harry Hayes sending a one hour report which was most accurate. CONGRATULATIONS to those four men! On the home front: a non-verie letter from GHR-540 who said they c/off at 3:05am weekdays & that I must have had a 40w LPRT in Ontario. Fortunately, I heard them again two nights later from 12:55-2:03am & a new report was sent. This is my ninth province heard & leaves H.O. to go. 9/29- The WJIC-1510 TEST was heard here 2:36-3am & they started using Morse Code IDs after I called them about 2:40am. Their signal was better after 2:45, often topping WJEX, WJAC, CJRS. Tuning away from the WJIC thing I heard a c/w tester on 1530 3:01-3:05am a/off. ID @ 3:01 was WJII, Dalton, Ga. 9/30- WJBO-1340 Auburn, N.Y. heard 9-9:30pm w/spots & IDs topping WENT & WJAH Augusta Me. who most likely had the CBS Mystery Theater @ 10. WJRM, Tyrone, Pa. also surfaced many times. WJAU gave AM & FM IDs. 10/4- WJBY-1420 Va. heard w/r/c 5:30-5:40am w/IDs every three minutes topping WJBR. One nice v/c in, WJNJ. 73.

RAY ARMIDA - 48 Woodlawn Street - New Bedford, Massachusetts - 02744

I have recently given up my bachelorhood at age 26, so my wife & I will be making our home in the city for the time being. The new address is shown above & takes effect immediately. This new location for DX is about six miles SE of the old North Dartmouth location & I don't foresee any big change in CX. My two locals, WJNH-1340 & WJSM-1420 will be loser to me & o will the ocean. Several reports are out which include reports to WJMG & WJIC for their DX TESTs. New stations: WJTH-1230, WJNS-1360, & WJDI-1440. Veries are back from CKKM-1220 and WJAN-1390. 73. (CONGRATULATIONS, RAY! -ERC)

IT'S AN N.R.C. MUST - ALWAYS ENCLOSE RETURN POSTAGE WHEN REQUESTING A VERIE!

NIKE COLLINS - Apt. 506 - 600 Asylum Street - Hartford, Conn. - 06105  
 Sorry I couldn't make the Convention because of a National Guard weekend (someone had to be on duty just in case - with all those NRCers in the state at one time). From what I heard everyone had a really good time. I note NNIS has signed seven new stations in recent weeks & seems to be really taking off: WCHS-990 & WLBE-620 Me., YEAM-790 R.I., WTXL-1490 Mass., WREL-910 Va., KQV-1410 Pa. & WRIT-1340 Wis. Now that WRFL is off NMA, NNIS' WPCN-1600 Fla. beams in early NMA. Recent daytime listening at Westhampton Beach, L.I. reveals many South Jersey stations are extremely strong there. I would say WUSS-1490 is 1 sv/m at least, right at the beach; WRAP-850 Norfolk which has a horrendous signal, was right in there along w/WSLT-1520 Ocean City N.J. which has an NBC affiliation now & is oldies. I see Murray-the-K of WINS, CHUM-FM & WOR-FM has returned to NY radio as morning man on WHOM-FM. Also, Ray Heatherton, NY Ch.9's old Merry Mailman & father of DJ Dick & Joey Heatherton, now has a weekly program before a live studio audience on WBBB-1240 L.I. Saturdays, 9-10am. I'm always interested to see which stations really have night & day signals in other markets & I recently made a careful check of the AM dial in downtown New Haven, about 10pm on what you would call a "high interference" or good DX night. WTIC, #7 7-12pm averaging 1/2 hours in the New Haven ARE, was surprisingly fady & unstable, considering it's only 33 miles away & aiming at least 50kw to that city, due S. But apparently people put up with it. WPOP-1410 was receiving severe interference from WING, & WQQW-1590 which also claims a New Haven signal was in there but fady & suffering ETT Md. interference. WICC was extremely strong, right up there w/WBEC & WCBS on a little pocket transients I brought along. On the car radio Cuba was audible w/WICC downtown (at the Chapel Square Mall). WJCA was suffering pretty heavy interference. WABC was good but most of the other 50kws from NYC were weaker than I expected. ...

RICHARD DALE - RR #2 - Box 218 - Buffalo, Missouri - 65622

Hi hi hi. This is my first Muse, so I guess that according to proper consuetude, an introduction is forthcoming. I am 18 and have been DXing the MW BCB since 12/74, but recently moved from Kansas City here. On 8/27, I restarted my log, & 13 hours of DX totals are 205 heard, 33 states, & Canadian provinces & Mexican state totals unknown until I rewrap my log into an organized format. I noticed in the 9/29 DX NEWS that Ron Musco's name had been changed to Ron Buseo. Was this a typo or a joke from the Convention? (Believe me, it was no joke! Hi! - ERO) I have recently installed a 300' LW, & it seems to work OK, although it's not grounded & this area seems to be extremely susceptible to lightning strikes. Currently I am also a member of the IRCA, & am on the CPC in that club. In the 9/29 DX NEWS, it has the TT for KQXX, the XR being 70 miles airline & using 10kw day, they aren't even heard here. Veries since new log was started: WHB-710, WSB-750, WENW-1920, WRAP-610. Reports out to KRYB, KAAA, KEAN. I am not a reporter to many stations, just a little lazy. Couldn't the Post Office stop changing stamp designs every six seconds and lower the first class postage rate? It gets rough trying to build up my verie collection w/return postage etc. for five or six reports a week. I plan to send about 200 reports shortly. Well, that's about all from Convention Center '80, hi. (Am I to receive the New Member booklet?) 73 & mucho buena DX, y'all. (Yes, you are, Richard, and welcome to the NEC & Musings! -ERO)

DAVE BURNS - 1902 Stevens Road #1411 - Woodbridge, Virginia - 22191

From all indications it appears that this should be a good season. TA reception has been much more consistent than last season & since the first of September I have yet to encounter any real Auroral CX, which seemed to be ever present last Fall. Still, new loggings, at least TA-wise, have been hard to come by. I've found to my surprise that this area (just S of D.C.) is not too bad for DXing & I'm far enough out of the city so the locals there don't really bother me. TVI, especially during S&S, is bad however, & for the past few days I've been really frustrated w/an yet unlocated source of a loud buzzing sound which seems to appear all too frequently. Recent stuff: 10/4 - Bulgaria-

(Burns)

827 w/18 & female announcer at midnight - new here. 10/5- UnID-927 very weak w/female announcer @ 12:30am, possibly Yugoslavia, but not nearly enough for an ID. 10/6- A promising NH w/many stations Out West appearing, but the "buzzer" turned me & the radio off. I did hear the KQX-1560 TEST I&O @ 1:30am w/TT & ID every minute or so & also KLTJ-1560 W. ET @ 2:09 for two new ones. I didn't try for the other TESTs though I did note two TAs on 1420 around 1:45. A few tips for novice TA hunters: Monte Carlo-1466, Italy-845, France-1376/1554, DDR-1043, BBC-647/1088, Austria-1475, Albania-1394/1457, Turkey-1016 & most of the high powered stations in Spain & Portugal are almost nightly visitors of late. Try around 11pm to 1am, or at 3SS. All of these, & many more, should be easily heard along the EC even w/sp-called budget RXes. One last word: I'm glad to see ERO supports the "Free Beach". I know a couple of people who used to hang their hats (have to watch my words - this is a family publication) down there. Bye. (I have to support the "Free Beach," David - I don't have a bathing suit! -ERO)

STEVEN C. WISERLOOD - 707 Loma Way - Santa Maria, California - 93454

I've been a member of the ERO for about a month now & thought it might be appropriate to send in a Musing. I'm 19 years old & am majoring in Electronics at Allan Hancock Jr. College in Santa Maria. Santa Maria is about 135 air miles NW of Los Angeles. Lately I've done a lot of early morning DX & have been fairly consistent in DXing TF stations. DX in August: 8/13- 9:11am EDT, ZNR-700. Then that same evening at 10:30pm EDT, KYOS-1200 San Luis Obispo w/rr. This was a pirate station but they were using the same calls as KYOS-1480 in Merced. On 8/14 many Australians heard between 8:30-9:30am. Stations heard included ZNR-700 w/MoR mx, & MX @ 9 read by Clyde Roberts, tomorrow's WX given @ 9:10am. I also logged 6WP-720, 3LD-770 & AQM-630 w/comedy play. 8/19- 8:56am, HLDA-1570 w/typical Korean programming. 8/25- 6:24am, KTRH-740 w/call-in program. 7/17, KIBE-1220 w/ET/rr, they normally play classical during daytime. 8/27- 8:30am, KKAK-1350 Pueblo, Col. w/BSA, & rr. 9/5- KPAR-660 w/rr @ 8:55am (my first Alaskan). 9/12- 7:30am, EMOJ-750 w/fare stuff. 7:40, KOAM-860 w/ad. 7:55, KYAC-1250 Seattle noted w/new Soul mx format w/female DJ. 10:30pm, VOA-1180 w/SS. The following stations heard every morning before ERS between 9/20-10/5: R. Pyongyang-655, NHK2-700 (Japan), JOIB-750, KXA-770, JCUB-770, KPDQ-800, KIKI-830, JOBB-830, China-835, Wonsan, N. Korea-877, China-1040, China-1210. Also heard on 10/5 @ 9:30am, R. Moscow IS on 840, perhaps a relay of Moscow-II? I do all international DXing on my Zenith M660A (1963 model) & most domestic DXing on a Pioneer SK-Q300B (pre-1962). A 50' LW is used for all frequencies below 900k. Total heard, about 340. That's about all I have time for right now. 73s. (Nice DXing indeed, Steven, and welcome to the Musings & to ERO in general! -ERO)

PAUL MOUNT - 471 Emerson Avenue - Teaneck, New Jersey - 07666

It was good to see all the pictures accompanying the Convention write-up & the LADS pix, they seem to be one thing everyone enjoys in DX NEWS. Too bad the one on the lower right part of the page next to the end of the write-up was included though, someone appears to have a weird hair style, hi. George Greene was here again on 9/4, arriving late at night. I was to meet him in NYC after school 9/5, & Jim Hagen arrived when I was about to go. I showed him my RKes & pix of RKers, & he showed me the gadget for the portable RX, & a fantastic setup in his car. Unfortunately he was parked right under the power line, so that didn't help reception much. Too bad he couldn't accompany me to Rich Shafan's, where George & I spent the evening. Our host demonstrated his newly acquired Senserine Loop, 9/21- WAVE as usual came in well when I was trying to listen to Dr. Demingo on WFER, but this time WAVE stayed long enough to report. 9/29- The WJIC-1510-TEST heard, but only three sets of code IDs made it, 2:51-2:57. 9/30- RFRH-827 4:40-6. (RFRH a.m. or p.m.? -ERO) 10/4- I was turning my clock radio every way I could like an W-2 & heard EY-840 w/MYC mull'd @ 6pm for a while. I wasn't trying for it. 10/5- I had on WJIC-1080 w/Boston-Oakland game (go Sox)

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Condx continued good thru the first part of October, but have tapered off the past couple of days. A good bit of material again, so lets get with it!

- 529 -ALGERIA Beida moved from 533. Strong w/AA mx. 2253, 10/1. (Connelly)
- 539 -KUWAIT Source of potent het on CBT per GPN tip. Best 1 hour after local sunset. Occasional AA mx noted, audio difficult to extract. 2330 10/1.
- 566 -IRELAND (Tentative) "Beautiful" mx noted here, poor to fair, faded before ID. 0350, 10/2. (Connelly, last 2)
- 575 -COSTA RICA San Jose, "Radio Cucu" (Cuckoo), ex-Cadena Musical. (Schatz)
- EAST GERMANY Leipzig w/man speaking in rapid GG w/restricted audio range (as if on cheap mike) under, occasionally even w/Stuttgart at 0430 10/2.
- WEST GERMANY Stuttgart w/Muzak, good level, 0420, 10/2. (Connelly, last 2)
- 584 -SPAIN RNE Madrid w/vocal SS mx, strong, 0458, 10/3. This one is becoming more consistent than Barcelona-737. (Connelly) \* 10/1, talk and into cl mx 0225+ w/sig holding vy steady and quite clear at times. (Sundstrom)
- 593 -WEST GERMANY Frankfurt w/man in GG, bassy audio, fair. 2nd stn hrd under w/vocal mx, likely Morocco. Bad WEEL splash. At 0430 on 10/2. (Connelly)
- 595 -DOMINICA R. Dominica, Roseau from 0125-0150, c/w mx, TCs, mentions of agricultural exposition. Hard to understand ancr. Good sig. (Roslawski)
- 602 -FRANCE Lyon assumed the one w/m&w in FF, dialogue, 0533 10/6. First time anything ever hrd on this freq hee, fair w/QSB. (Foxworth)
- 638 -SPA IN RNE La Coruna, xlnt 10/4 around 0520 w/pop SS tunes and male ancr. Same type format as 683, 737, etc. (Burns) \* W/muzak noted hetting CMQ, fair level, 0458 10/3. (Connelly)
- 647 -ENGLAND BBC Daventry. Really surprising - after years of lousy reception, now this is really easy e.g. 0400 10/5 and even better 0529 MM 10/6 ending RH and into "English By Radio", was detectable on hand-held 6 transistor pocket portable. Fantastically good audio for a TA (indicating most TAs have poor audio, hi). Suggest WCNA watch for this one. (Foxworth) \* Consistently 2nd strongest low-band TA in early morning hours (Lopik-746 strongest). Hrd w/nx and program explaining financial terminology for the layman. At 0540 on 10/2. (Connelly) \* 10/1, some talk audible but couldn't (0230+) really tell language, mostly mx only thing above WSM sideband slop, poor...but not often hrd here. (Sundstrom) If time was 0230Z, seems like a strange time for BBC to be on - sure it wasn't something else? (ED) Scratch that comment of mine, should have read the next item first, hi. (ED) \*Noted w/IS at 0237 9/27. S/on in RR at 0245; good level. Was in EE w/World Service mx at 0301. (Eckman)
- RSFSR Vladivostock listed, gal in what sounded like JJ bombing in amid slop from KFI; brief mx themes at 1242 & 1247 9/30, w/talk in between. (Pejza)
- 650 -HAWAII KORL Honolulu. After trying since 1968 to log KORL, it was audible here on both 9/29 and 10/6, best at 0738-0840 10/6 w/automated sounding rock format, brief anmts w/2 or 3 records often played without interruption. Slow, deep fades w/S6 peaks. Heard on longwire as well. Verily, long haul DX condx are here! (Helms)
- 660 -ALASKA KPAR Fairbanks, rock, ads, fair 1027 9/21. (Wisblood)
- 655 -NORTH KOREA Pyongyang very faint 9/14 MM 1147 w/slop from KBOI; better 9/30 1258 w/m&w; chorus at 1259, following w/soap opera sounding thing. Mixing w/a 2nd stn, very weak. (Pejza) \* Choir mx 1328 9/20. (Wisblood)
- 665 -PORTUGAL Lisbon noted w/mostly mx 10/1, 0245+, poor w/WNBC slop, but not often hrd here. (Sundstrom) \* Fair w/PP anmts on 10/5 at 0610. Hrd what is believed to be NSP on 10/6. Is that so? (Yes, ED) (Giannini)
- PORTUGAL/WEST GERMANY Lisbon good at 0102 9/27 w/talk by OM. At 0300, the German was on top w/nx by OM mixing later w/Portugal agn. Pronounced SAH noted on S-meter as per Nelson DXWW report last week. Both stns were in w/vy good signals. (Eckman)
- 683 -SPAIN Seville, 10/1, 0245+ w/cl mx, weaker than 584. Programming did not seem to be in parallel, but difficult to tell w/this poor signal. (Sundstrom)

- 692 -ENGLAND Has been readable several times this season, e.g. 0555 10/3 w/voice.
- 700 -JAPAN NHK2 Programming, 2 possibilities here 1346 9/15. (Wise-/Foxworth blood) \* W/m&w talking in JJ MM 9/14 1147. (Pejza)
- 701 -MONACO Religious program, 9/7 2330 hours //1466 khz; mixing o/u Andorra, Morocco, etc. Readability 3 to zilch. (Bailey) I still haven't figured this one out - seems a very poor choice of freq, unless maybe 701 is assigned to Monte Carlo and one of the other stns here is using it illegally. (ED)
- 719 -PORTUGAL Norte at unbelievable level, like a local. Man w/political speech in PP at 2230, 10/1. (Connelly) \* Assumed the one here many evenings at SSS, noteably 9/29 w/strong het and talk or European type mx. Usually stronger than 720 domestics around 2300. (Eckman) \* Often the first European w/audio here, usually much better than 665, 755, etc. (ED)
- 737 -SPAIN RNE Barcelona mx //584 at 0110, fair on 9/22. (Waterman)
- 740 -MONTSERRAT Radio Antilles, ancd FF sked 0930-0100. (Schatz)
- 746 -NETHERLANDS Lopik, talking by YL 0446, poor-fair on 10/3. (Waterman) \* Clear and strong w/IS 0556 10/3 and up quite high 0603 w/man in DD, vy clear and no selectivity needed, also good 10/6. (Foxworth) \* Noted w/potent OC, followed by the sound of clapping wooden shoes, then musical IS w/woman saying "Hilversum Ist", then s/on at 0600. On 10/2, strongest low-band early morning TA. (Connelly)
- \*746 -UPPER VOLTA Ouagadougou, inst and choral African rythms and dialects, 10/2 at 2300 to s/off at 2400. S/off w/short song then IS played on a balafon (like a xylophone but deeper in tone); then NA; //4815 khz; possibly an intentional move from 737 khz. Very good readability at times every night thru this date (10/5). (Bailey) \* Noted strong (at times) carrier here between 2300-2400 on 10/9, after getting Bill's report. Unfortunately, it had been raining that day and powerlines were acting up, very noisy. Seemed to be some audio at times, but may have been my imagination. Looped right for this. Unable to check SW // as freq covered by UTE and IA. Definitely worth looking for. (ED)
- 750 -JAPAN JOIB Sapporo good 9/15 w/YL. (Wisblood) \* Man in JJ good, mixing w/KMMJ 1203 MM 9/14. (Pejza)
- 760 -CHINA Heard u/KFMB w/chinese type oriental mx 1339 9/28. (Wisblood)
- 764 -SENEGAL Dakar, man speaking, still in at 0640 most nites early Oct. At this hour, only they and Morocco-935 are still in w/any sig at all. (Foxworth)
- 770 -JAPAN JOUB Akita S9 1359 9/27 w/flute and harp song, pips, YL w/piano background mx, then EE lesson. (Wisblood)
- 782 -PORTUGAL CSE9 Miramar xlnt 10/5 0620-0635 w/mixture of pop US and SS mx, and female ancr. Presumably nx at 0630 w/female and male ancrs. Oddly enough, this was next to impossible in Tidewater w/WTAR dominating 780-800 most of the time. (Burns) / (Wisblood)
- RSFSR Far Eastern transmitter, no audio - just 2 khz het to KGRL 1352 9/27.
- 809 -ENGLAND BBC Crowborough listed, sig significantly better than 810 at 0544 MM 10/6 w/WGY silent; man thanking reverand for sermon, nice and clear but hvy QSB. After WGY back on for ET (relays mx from WCFM on ET) het still there. (Foxworth) / (Pejza)
- 817 -UNID Carrier, MM 10/6 1340; thought I hrd faint mx, and YL talking, but could be my imagination. Much slop form KGO-810. Probably closer to 816.8.
- 818 -ANDORRA Sud Radio vy good here 2307 9/24 w/FF pop mx and FF ancr. No sign of Morocco at this time. (Eckman) \* Hrd after 4 years trying again for it w/audio produced at 0532 when het appeared at 0520. S. R. lost 0535 enough audio for possible report. (Giannini) I don't know what it means either. (ED)
- UNID Talk noted u/Rabat, zero-beat. Andorra, when on, is usually atop, Egypt is 600 Hz low; this leaves Poland and Italy as possibilities. Perhaps a European NR0er could help. This one hrd at 0458 on 10/3. (Connelly)
- MOROCCO Rabat in AA w/nx, //935 2300. Good on 9/29. (Waterman)
- 827 -BULGARIA Sofia surprised to hear this one 10/4 0358-0409 thru some terrible noise. IS noted til 0400, then female ancr in unid language. Male ancr also possibly there as well but couldn't tell for sure. Overall very poor but quite audible at times. Verified IS by check of 6070 at 0500. Could not dig it out on either 10/5 or 6. (Burns)
- SPAIN EAJ1 Barcelona, fair, but w/deep fades, 10/5 0605-0620 w/mixture of US and SS pop tunes. Never did hear an ID, but this is the only stn which seems to fit the format. (Burns) \* Very strong. Woman in SS interspersed w/inst mx. An interesting jazz arrangement incorporating a cl guitar was played. 0403, 10/2. (Connelly)

- 830 -DOMINICAN REPUBLIC HIJB Santo Domingo fair 0359 w/WCCO then atop 0400 w/ chimes, "Esta es HIJB" ID, Periodico Caribe, then faded down a bit, kept a het on WCCO 0402. Same ID as 3/3 reception. (Mount)
- HAWAII KIKI Honolulu rock 1324 9/20. (Wiseblood)
- JAPAN JOEB Osaka continues to be one of the regular Japanese stns; e.g., MM 9/14 1205 w/man in JJ, good; MM 10/6 1336 good w/man in JJ, although only fair when first tuned in. (Pejza) \* Very good w/EE lesson 1335 9/16. (Wiseblood)
- 834 -BELIZE Radio Belize at fair level. Sports report ending in march mx, followed by ID and ads for record store and Scotch whiskey. At 0137 on 10/2.
- 835 -CHINA Nanchang, man in CC fair 1335 MM 10/6. Once I log / (Connelly) these common TPs, I don't ordinarily stick around very long. (Pejza) \* Very good w/man talking 1223 9/28. (Wiseblood) / (Connelly)
- 836 -FRANCE Nancy at good level w/AA programs // to 863, 1376. At 0459 on 10/3.
- 845 -ITALY Rome good w/bouncy lite mx, woman in II briefly at 0500, then more mx. On 10/3. (Connelly) \* Best TA of current opening. Hrd nightly since 10/2. Wonder if it may have carried the Ali/Frazier fight. T.S. 10/1 made checking impossible. (Giannini) What the hell is T.S.? (ED)
- 854 -SPAIN RNE Mrcia fair 10/5 at 0500 w/nx. (Giannini) \* Mx //584, fair at 0210 on 9/22. (Waterman)
- 863 -FRANCE Paris, very strong. Sounded like AA to FF language lessons. At 0525, on 10/2. (Connelly) \* Talking in FF, mx //1205 at 2255 on 10/2. (Waterman) \* 9/28, noted at poor level w/talk in FF and mx 0500+, long fades, at times equaling 860, not often heard. (Sundstrom) / (Connelly)
- 872 -SPAIN Zaragoza at fair level w/slop from WCRS. Male group vocal, 0045, 10/2.
- 870 -JAPAN JOGB Kummamoto YL 1248 9/23. (Wiseblood)
- 877 -NORTH KOREA Wonsan good w/choir mx 1236 9/28. (Wiseblood)
- 880 -CHINA Fair w/YL, 1315 9/28. //835. (Wiseblood)
- 890 -UNID MM 10/6 1329 very faint, CC sounding mx; quickly faded. (Pejza)
- CHINA Fair w/YL, 1315 9/28. //835. (Wiseblood)
- COLOMBIA HJCE Bogota strong and alone 9/29 0542 IDing as "La Voz de Bogota". Taped. (Nall)
- JAPAN JOHK Sendai man talking w/many mentions of NHK 1316 9/27. (Wiseblood)
- SOUTH KOREA HLKB Pusan w/US rock mx 1340 9/27. (Wiseblood)
- SOUTH KOREA/JAPAN Mixing; MM 9/14; HLKB assumed the one predominating with oriental mx 1248; mixture of pips at 1300. (Pejza) / (Connelly)
- 899 -ITALY Milan w/man in II at 0203 on 10/2. This one is often strong, but brutal 900 slop form high-powered Canadians makes audio tough to extract.
- 907 -UNID Bad het against BBC-908, no audio extractable. At 0506 on 10/3. (Connelly)
- 908 -ENGLAND Apparently a relay of BBC GS was for ET purposes only? Not heard such since. Was very loud w/OC at 0135 10/6, assumed ET. And, was best yet at s/on 0518 10/3 when plays mx, program begins 0520, ID as Radio 4, and into financial summary. Was not even detectable 10/7 due to Geo-disturbance, however. (Foxworth)
- 935 -MOROCCO Agadir w/usual chanting for Ramadan 10/6 fair at 0225. (Giannini)
- UNID This week's mystery on 10/7 0039-0115. Very poor sig w/just a bit of audio w/male ancr surfacing at 0038 and 0046 and some sort of weird mx at 0103. Weak carrier still there when I gave up at 0115. Neither LA nor TAs particularly noticeable at this time, and Morocco should be off. (Burns) Morocco sked to be on til 0300 now, was probably them. (ED)
- 971 -WEST GERMANY (Tentative) NDR probable source of wicked het on 970 domestics, 0507 on 10/3. (Connelly)
- 973 -RSFSR Yuzhno-Sakhalinsk listed, only a carrier 1216 MM 9/14. (Pejza)
- 989 -UNID A fairly loud het on 990 all evening (morning of 10/6 UTC) thought to be from RIAS but not quite enough to break off audio. (on 990 itself, CBY was mixing w/CBW at 0100 for an eerie experience, hi) CBW s/off 0603 10/6 and het still there but assume Spain causing by now. (Foxworth)
- 1015 -EL SALVADOR YSC San Salvador vy strong here 9/29 0442 IDing as "Radio Internacional" and "YSC". Taped. (Nall)
- 1016 -TURKEY Istanbul logged w/OC o/Mainz 0245 SM 10/5, causing 1.2 Hz SAH. As xmtr warms up, SAH drops down to 0.7 Hz as s/on. Goes into IS (plucked string Instrument notes) at 0254 and is into anthem at 0256. Woman ancr, speaks occasionally, lots of moderate to slow tempo mx for the next hour. By 0402 they had faded enough so that Mainz audio was consistantly atop the Turk. Both had moderate fades, not at same times, and sometimes (e.g. 0327) Istanbul was way atop and alone, at equal level w/KDKA and perfectly clear (Cont)

- 1016 -TURKEY (Cont) audio (even w/local WINS-1010 beaming at me). For unknown reason, careful checks the same hours MM 10/6 yielded only a clear SAH-free Mainz (very high and steady 0330-0400 w/ID, nx from Hamburg) so obviously Turkey's sked is not consistent. Whenever hrd, never fades completely out on fades. Other hand, Mainz will fade completely out u/Istanbul. On 10/5 this was the best TA signal on the entire band, when fades favored signal. (Foxworth) Suspect this sked is variable at moment, my best reception of this one so far this season was on 9/24, 0155-0210+ and at this time they had a male ancr giving nx on the hour. (ED) \* Strong, even w/SWF, woman chanting, 0400, 10/2. (Connelly)
- WEST GERMANY Sudwestfunk alone, ultraloud, woman in GG, 0200, 10/2. (Connelly)
- UNID 10/6 at 0456 w/GG strong sigs. I would tend to say Germany since other TAs on band that AM. Loop in position for Europe. Wasn't a German reported here recently?. Taped. (Nall) Tis SWF Mainz, being well hrd everywhere. (ED)
- 1025 -SPAIN San Sebastian hrd here 10/5 at 0613 w/man and woman IDing as "Radio San Sebastian". Good sigs. Taped. (Nall) \* 2 loud OC's here until 0553 10/6 when begins lively "castanet" mx. IDs in FF and SS 0554, gives freq in khz, uses about as much FF as SS in this time of day, at least. "Radio Popular"; plays "Monte Carlo type" mx a lot. (Foxworth)
- UNID A puzzler: woman in SS, followed by man in FF, then a honky-tonk piano inst. At one time Portugal was mentioned. Sig was very strong, noted at 0453 on 10/2. (Connelly) Tis likely San Sebastian, but does seem a bit early for them. (ED)
- 1034 -PORTUGAL CSE2 Porto Good w/PP amnts into mx 10/6 at 0355. (Giannini) \* Very strong 10/6 0420-0435 w/jazz and male ancr until 0428, march mx and another ancr and later EL mx. When hrd in the past was usually playing rock mx at this time. (Burns) \* Here 10/6 at 0420 w/good sig (strong carrier, very lousy audio) in PP. Taped. (Nall) \* In fair despite bad WBZ splash, 0415, 10/3. Pronounced SAH on sig, no other audio detected. (Connelly) 2nd stn would likely be Italy. (ED)
- 1043 -EAST GERMANY Dresden has been very good here in 0300-0500 period w/uptempo mx show, occasionally louder than WHO 10/5 and 6, but moderate QSB. Trace of someone else on the freq around 0300 period needs checking, whenever am home to do so. (Foxworth) This one used to have a 15 minute silent period around 0245 or 0345 every morning, but no longer listed. Tibilisi has been reported here in the past. (ED) At fair level, equal to WHO carrier but modulation weaker, 0416, 10/3. (Connelly) \* Mx, time pips 0400, nx. Fair on 9/21. (Waterman)
- 1061 -PORTUGAL (Tentative) Probable source of bad high-side het against KYW, 0417, 10/3. (Connelly)
- 1079 -UNID A s/on here 0458 10/3 would be easy except for WTIC splash. Must be Poland or Germany but needs more work. Hrd definite GG here earlier night. Has horn IS, brassy anthem. (Foxworth)
- 1085 -HONDURAS Radio - \_ \_ \_ o", w/3 syllables, penultimate accent 0446 10/6. Too weak and fadey. Off 0600. (Schatz)
- 1088 -ENGLAND BBC Growborough, BBC w/foreign service 10/5 0617-0648. Possible GG until 0630, FF till 0645, then EE. Fairly clear sig. (Burns) \* Potent, jamming WAL. Cl mx was followed by Big Ben chimes, then a speech by a Labour Party member, 0115, 10/2. (Connelly)
- 1106 -UNIDS 2 stns: woman possibly in GG even w/religious sounding vocal (male). The first likely Munich, the second possibly Vilnius. Observed 2 Hz SAH agrees w/EBU data. Hrd at 0420, On 10/3. Poor to fair level, no QRM. (Connelly) The German here is an AFRS stn and is all EE, unless a recent change. Have never seen them reported in GG. (ED)
- 1120 -RSFSR Announced Radio Novosibirsk clearly, 1100-1200 (took out unid SS speaker). (Maguire)
- UNID Spanish speaker on 2 occasions; 1027-1100 and 1050-1100. (Maguire)
- 1165 -ANTIGUA Caribbean Radio Lighthouse hrd detectable w/hymns, man speaking, vy poor 2355 10/5. Bad freq choice w/ITV buzz on 1164.336 causing a nasty het. (Foxworth)
- 1107 -INTERNATIONAL WATERS "Mi Amigo" high and clear 0550 and ID, promo and 6 pips at 0600. Nice sig and program, pop mx in the English flavor. Hrd consistently w/at least readable sigs here. (Foxworth)
- 1196 -WEST GERMANY VOA Munich fair 103 w/moderate WQAI slop EE? at 0410 rec. P. Ford speech. (Giannini) \* Potent in Slavic language, 0425, 10/3. (Connelly)



- FRANCE Bordeaux, talking in PF 2245, fair w/GHM from WCAU, 10/2. (Waterman)  
 \*Reports of AA mx and program on 1205 in the 0500-0600 period are undoubtedly France. Same pgs hrd //836, 944 & 1376, etc. (Foxworth)
- POLAND Krakow: Man and woman in Slavic language, followed by melancholy female vocal folksong, 0501, 10/2. (Connolly)
- CHINA 9/14 man in CG, w/YL briefly; martial mx 1228; gal again at 1230, mixing w/KYTN. When China would fade, Japan was rising, and vice-versa. (Fejza)
- ALBANIA Durres fair w/AA talk 0350 on 10/6, much WGH slop. (Giannini) \* Noted at s/on, trumpet IS w/BHC, 0500, 10/2. (Connolly) \* IS at 0329 and s/on 0330 and very good shortly afterwards, several nites early Oct and late Sept, when checked. (Foxworth)
- GREAT BRITAIN Radio 1 fair 10/5 at 0550 w/church bells, moderate WGH slop. (Giannini) \* BBC atop Tirana, 39+, 0500, 10/2. This stn is a regular which I listen to for entertainment when up in the early morning. Wide-passband reception is frequently possible. Noted on 10/3 at 0530 w/cockney accented renderings of old standards. (Connolly)
- 1223 -UNID Trying for listed BSP Bulgarian reported by Nelson, nil hrd before 0100, loud CG here after 0100 10/6 but couldn't pull audio, if any (an ST from Spain?) Anyway, this one eludes me. (Foxworth)
- 1230 -VENEZUELA Valera caught 0937 9/30 w/local ad for shoestore. Good sig on Sony TFH-1600 (without LSCA). (Schatz)
- 1241 -UNID Potent het on graveyards, 0425, 10/3. France most likely. (Connolly)
- 1265 -ST KITT'S R. Paradise, and sked 0900-0500. (Schatz)
- 1268 -WEST GERMANY DLF Neuzamester fair w/light mx and talk. Hrd 1270 slop. At 0445 on 10/2. (Connolly)
- 1295 -ENGLAND BBC Crowborough BBC noted w/IS consisting of three low notes and one higher one. At good level, 0443, 10/2. (Connolly)
- 1304 -UNIDS Potent CG atop much weaker cl mx, 0430, 10/3. (Connolly)
- 1303 -ALGERIA not France on report in last issue. (Schatz) // (Waterman)
- 1313 -MORNAV Stavanger IS at 0458 tune in, ID by YL, mx 0500. Vy good on 10/3. -MORNAV/UNID PF (last issue) time was 0523 on 9/24. (Schatz)
- 1325 -UNID Presumably IA, GFN says Aruba. Man in SS w/reverb Santana-type rock in background. Fair to good level, 0225, 10/2. (Connolly)
- 1358 -EAST GERMANY Berlin vy strong. Woman in CG w/news. Indly trashing up WDRG at times. Best at 0432 on 10/3. (Connolly) // (Foxworth)
- UNID Mx detectable here, fair 0122 10/6, assume Germany. Brief sig. Hrd something on 1268 at same time. Both faded a lot, and were hard to read.
- 1376 -FRANCE Lille vy strong w/AA mx, 0530, 10/3. (Connolly) \* 0535 talking in PF, ID 0538, mx. Fair on 10/3. (Waterman)
- UKRAINE Vinnitsa strong at times, considerable fading. Waltz tempo song w/ operatic male voice, then woman speaking in Slavic language, 0510, 10/2. (Connolly) Sure this wasn't Lille? They seem to be carrying program in several languages early in the morning now. (SD)
- UNID Very loud stn here w/talk and inst mx. Great audio to boot. Didn't sound like PF, more like BR. Have a tape. This on 10/6 at 0512. (Wall)
- 1385 -SPAIN Madrid noted w/female SS operatic vocal w/violin accompaniment, 0440, 10/3. SAM noted but audio of 2nd stn not detected. (Connolly)
- 1394 -ALBANIA Talking in SS, ID 2308. Fair on 10/1. (Waterman)
- 1421 -WEST GERMANY Saarbrücken potent, equal to 1420 domestics. Woman in CG at 0440 on 10/3. (Connolly)
- 1439 -LUXEMBOURG H. Luxembourg strong, easily separable from WAAR/CFUG w/2 kHz filter. Muzzy MoR mx noted at 0441 on 10/3. I thought this stn had progressive rock format. (Connolly) Rock is in evenings when they are in EE. (ID)
- 1450 -EASTERN CAROLINE ISLANDS WSEZ Fonape 1213-1300 w/off. (Maguire)/(Connolly)
- 1457 -ENGLAND BBC assumed source of jazz program hrd at fair level, 0443, 10/3.
- 1466 -MONACO TWR Monte Carlo on 10/3 at 0435. Noticed a strong carrier about 0435 and IS shortly after. Actual s/on in CG at 0445. Vy good audio. Taped. (Wall) \* Armchair 10/5 at 0500 in CG w/religious mx. Has to be 1200 kw now. (Giannini) \* TWR w/lyrics, bombing in at 0444 on 10/3. (Connolly)
- 1475 -AUSTRIA Vienna, IS 0556, ID "Osterreich Regional" after every 2 IS's, s/on 0400. Poor-fair on 10/3. (Waterman) \* Poor to fair, bad slop from FFC on 1480, 0445, 10/3. (Connolly)
- MALAYSIA SABAH Finally hrd, 1158-1300. (Maguire)
- 1502 -POLAND It must have been vy good to East Europe 10/3 as Poland was topping the jumble here at 0509 w/distinctive woman's voice, quite clear and (Cont)

- 1502 -POLAND (Cont) steady, w/other audios in background. Wish I got home from work earlier: By 0600 (check at this hour every night) however, this freq was all Spain. (Foxworth) \* Noted w/OC, later, man in Polish, fair level. WTOP seemingly off at times, 0525, 10/3. (Connolly)
- 1505 -ANGUILLA H. Anguilla, The Valley poor but cir 10/6 at 0150 w/sermon. (Giannini) \* Noted playing "Reach Out - I'll Be There" by the Four Tops, followed by (muffled) EE ID by woman, 0130, 10/2. (Connolly)
- 1540 -AUSTRALIA 2JJ Sydney, NEM 1049-1209. (Maguire)
- 1554 -FRANCE Nice 10/5 fair w/FF talk 0415, unid Latin het 1555, moderate WDRJ slop. (Giannini) \* Strong w/FF talk 0452 10/3. (Connolly)
- 1560 -MEXICO XEVIQ battered by KZYX test and another TT but otherwise good 10/6 0530-0607 s/off. Mostly pop mx til CBS news at 0600. Imagine well hrd by just about everyone trying for test. (Burns)
- 1562 -SWITZERLAND Mx in CG 0501, mx. Fair on 10/4. (Waterman)
- 1586 -WEST GERMANY WDR Langenberg especially good on 10/3 between 0130 and 0400, moderate WGLS/WAKR slop. (Giannini) \* Ultra loud, stronger than adjacent domestics. Muzak type format. This must have reached the West Coast. Hrd at 0455 on 10/3. (Connolly)
- 1594 -PORTUGAL Lisbon weak, audio hard to extract, 0630 10/3. (Connolly)
- 1602 -WEST GERMANY Munich w/CG talk, not // w/575, 1586 tonight. Has been hrd with // programming on other occasions. Sig good at 0457, on 10/3. (Connolly)

A couple of veries . . . .

- 770 -JAPAN JOUB Akita, QSL, signer H. Ohta. 500 kw. (Maguire)
- 1550 -AUSTRALIA 4GD Herald, Gold., QSL, no signer, 50 kw. (Maguire)

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Some comments from our reporters . . . . .

Bob Foxworth \*Contd 10/1 and 10/2 were quite good for TAs. Among the best TA CX I have ever experienced in my entire DX career, in terms of the broad range of loud signals to choose from, and the steadiness and stability of the signals. 10/3 cx were excellent in mid band. Better high latitude stuff like Holland, England and Poland were heard well, and lower latitude such as Portugal were not that good. 10/4 was below expectations w/weak and fady sigs. On 105 and 6 the good cx returned w/best Turkey reception yet on 10/5. On the morning of 10/6 sigs on 1214, 1223, 1358 and at the low end, 593, 782 and 989 for example, of undetermined origin, were hrd in the 0100-0130 period. Hopefully some of these are Eastern European."

"On 10/6, while TAs were still good, at 0545-0600, they immediately started fading out and by 0630 everything had dropped to a poor level, and the background noise level seemed to come up slightly. By 0625, not even 1097 was readable any longer and only the regulars 764 and 5 (very southerly latitude pa hs) were still in, and poorly at that. On Tue. 17 Wav said that the A-index was 20 and that a minor geomagnetic storm began at 0530 10/6, agreeing well w/observations here and indicating there is a 2 to 1 hour lag between the onset of a MGS as NOAA defines it)

and the time it becomes apparent on the North American MW paths. The AM of 10/7, the only things hrd from Europe were a very weak Spain 989 and 1025, weak Portugal 719 and 782, Morocco-818 and 935, all at the 0600 period. Nothing from England except a very faint carrier on 1088 indicating near-total path wipeout. HF SWBC cx were disturbed day 10/6 in addition".

Ron Schatz "TA reception has dropped since latter Sept., but continue to be the best since the fantastic 63/64 season. Cx should peak again in mid-Oct."

Mark Connelly "I would like to see more DX Reports from European DXers, particularly w/regard to their receptions of North American stns."

Thats it. Cx are definitely off as ye ED has tried several evenings the past week with no luck. Hope to be up tomorrow morning, my first MM in quite a while, and hopefully something worth hearing will be making it. Real good turnout this time. Lets see your name in the credits next time. 73 - DX - REPORT ! ! ! ! ! ! ! ! ! !

#### MUSINGS --- Continued

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and at times a voice sounding like Ralph Kiner's would come in w/the Pirates-Reds game. This was 6:30am. What on earth was the other game? Maybe someone on 1070 or 1090 carrying it. The HL game was ICE WNEW or WEN. EKJ called, had Rome-845 coming in, said it was Auroral. At midnight 10/6, HISS-830 D.R. came o/1000 w/chimes & ID, just like 3/3. CMCB stop 990. KGN-550 blasting in @ 12:30. WJLB w/r/c/c/w 12:45-1 for report. CKGM-980 on top of WRC w/IX, rr 1:07-1:23 for report; WJCH fair in LBS null on TEST w/Beauty mx, ID, 1:30-1:40. 1:43 there seemed to be mx & TT at same time. No sign except weak TT of 1420 TESTer. WTR-1250 is a local but their signal wasn't quite loc l-like, close, though, on TEST w/upbeat MoR, TT, ID, mentioned calls from various places, the furthest Don W. in Ill. I was dumb enough to listen to almost the whole TEST. Someone called from New Providence. Well, if WPAT TESTs, I'll call, hi. So far I'm 3-for-4 in heard/tried-for. 73.

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Two more veries in, making the count now 3,945. V/1s from WHEE-1330 and WJUS-1090, latter a f/up. Also a repeat v/1 from WEZY-1350 - my old one was from 1480 kc/s. in 1957. DX Down the Week: 10/4- "Oh Canada" on 1340 @ 1:06, musta been CEM's Quebec satellite. ROM- Colombian on 1032a @ 1:16, but too much WBZ - we'll try MM (if we remember, hi). KEIO-860 good w/EE hymns @ 1:30, unkn. Paris-863 good, & reported, 1:32-1:43, along w/a report from a few days ago. UnID TT-1560 @ 2:10-2:16 & on, E/W. Unkn WTRV-1550 ET/TT @ 2:30, & so to bed. SM 10/5- WJVA-1170 heard s/off @ 4:01 to 6, regular first SM SP, then weak SS in. On 1070, 'twas WJCT atop today. Globo-1180 good as usual @ 3am. MX 10/6- 12:46am, something on 1457, could have been Albania, unID. On 1325, an SS 12:53-1:20 s/off, unID, likely Costa Rica. The 1330 mystery again heard, only again too late - today he s/off @ 12:59 w/unkn anthem; good signal strength, too. CKLM was off till about 2. Unkn TESTs from WJCH-740 & WTR-1250 heard - I called the latter, a former local in Brooklyn. Unkn WJIN-1550 ETing w/mx @ 2:05. WJR-760 was off today; WEN too but ETing. I wasted 59/60ths of an hour, 3:01-4am, sitting on 1500 listening to a c/w Eter only to be irritated by a WDEE ID @ 4, drat. I agree w/ David Burns that it has not been even slightly Auroral for the last month at least - a few LAs come through, but not spectacularly like when those Northern Lights are twinkling! The President may not want to go to Louisville, but I'm planning on being there - next Labor Day Weekend! CUN7.

# Automatic Status

...can be yours! Send your DX totals to Domestic DX Achievements, and become really popular! This time around, the magic status symbol is Veries, which means that Stan Morss has more status than anybody else. The next couple deadlines: November 15 (column will be by tapes) and January 1, 1976 (states + provinces heard). Also, I'll try to re-run the column giving the instructions for sending in your totals, for those who aren't sure how it's done....

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#### DOMESTIC DX ACHIEVEMENTS for October 2, 1975 (#25)

YR NAME & AREA	HEARD			TAPED			VERIFIED		
	TDR	SH	PH	TDT	ST	PT	TDV	SV	PV
40 MORSS, near Boston	3517	50	10	240	34	6	3517	50	10
23 ALLEN, near San Francisco	2871	49	8	0	0	0	2271	49	8
30 WHEELER, NW Penna.	2642	50	9	177	31	3	1608	50	9
65 STARR, near Cleveland	1774	50	10	445	48	10	1135	50	10
60 RUGG, Montreal	1106	47	10	38	17	3	1090	47	10
64 WHATMOUGH, near Toronto	1637	49	10	0	0	0	917	49	10
63 BOYD, near Cleveland	1317	49	9	928	48	9	897	49	9
64 DUNNING, NYC (NJ)	1433	44	10	745	44	8	884	43	8
70 FORTH, Chicago	1479	48	9	766	48	8	861	48	9
62 MUSCO, near NYC (Conn.)	894	44	9	4	2	1	747	43	8
69 FALCONER, near Toronto	1022	42	8	0	0	0	493	40	8
63 ARRUDA, near Boston	955	45	9	0	0	0	473	45	7
61 ERICKSON, Los Angeles	900	42	6	0	0	0	442	38	6
68 PIMPER, Salt Lake City	1284	45	7	573	40	5	391	45	6
62 KERFOOT, Toronto	694	42	10	0	0	0	332	42	10
64 KENNEDY, central Fla.	405	41	3	171	30	1	280	40	3
58 COLEMAN, NE No. Carolina	1126	47	6	0	0	0	271	47	5
62 ATKINS, Louisville	1296	47	7	42	21	0	251	40	4
74 HATHAWAY, Central Ill.	573	35	5	0	0	0	200	35	5
69 KARCHEVSKI, near San Fran.	249	36	5	197	35	5	198	36	5
73 MOUNT, NYC (NJ)	341	33	4	150	31	3	165	33	2
74 VERNON, British Columbia	442	35	5	-	-	-	156	22	4
71 SORENSEN, N. Manitoba	372	33	6	0	0	0	122	21	6
71 KASS, near NYC (Conn.)	146	35	6	0	0	0	114	35	6
73 HANAVAN, San Diego	438	36	5	102	25	2	87	29	2
71 GOOD, Detroit	427	35	6	25	7	5	81	30	4
60 FAIT, Cleveland	218	32	4	30	19	1	71	29	3
73 DICKERSON, near Wash. DC	575	36	3	34	10	0	51	23	3
74 MOLANDER, near San Francisco	475	35	6	264	30	5	47	22	1
21 HANSCH, So. Wisconsin	1144	50	10	75	50	10	40	29	1
74 KITT, near Kansas City	256	31	3	0	0	0	33	13	0
70 HAYES, N.E. Penna.	638	36	6	104	22	3	20	12	1
73 ANDERSON, Louisville	469	35	3	77	28	2	13	11	0
73 MURPHY, Louisville	1013	41	5	266	40	5	5	5	0
73 WINKLEMAN, So. WV	529	32	3	0	0	0	3	2	0
74 PASCHKE, near Chicago	338	37	7	0	0	0	2	1	1