

AM SWITCH

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CALL LETTER CHANGES

Old call:	New call:	Old call:	New call:
540 WDAK GA Columbus	WEIZ	1280 KYKN OR Eugene	KQAK
670 *New FL Miami	WCBJ	1290 *New UT Kanab	KKZn
680 *New WA Lacey	KLDY	1300 KGHX AK Fairbanks	KRKO
720 *New MS Richland	WRBR	1310 KFVI CA Oakland	KDIA
750 KEPB TX El Paso	KAMA	1320 KNNC CA Oceanside	KEZL
760 *New CO Thornton	KMBD	1360 WABT AL Madison	WDLT
780 *New FL Siesta Key	WJKB	1370 WMYR RI Wickford	WKFD
910 KJJJ AZ Phoenix	KFYI	1380 WNVY CT Naugatuck	WNAQ
1010 KCMP CO Brush	KKGZ	1420 WAMV VA Amherst	WWWL
1020 *New AK Eagle River	KCFA	1440 WKHJ SC Mount Holly	WJBS
1030 *New IL Vernon Hills	WLMV	1450 WTHU MD Thurmont	WFCO
1040 KIFH HI Honolulu	KLHT	1460 KCAN OK El Reno	KZUE
*New TN St. Joseph	WJOR	1490 WSID NY Sidney	WCDO
1060 KAMA TX El Paso	KFNA	1510 WWOV FL Marco Island	WMIB
1100 *New NC Highlands	WZZH	1540 WSWG MS Greenwood	WKXG
1120 WDOZ TN Maryville	WCGM*	KUOQ TX Fort Worth	KMIA*
1130 WACQ AL Carrville	WSFU	1560 WBUK MI Portage	WHEZ
1170 *New TN Collierville	WWEE	1570 KCFY CA Grover City	KTOR*
1220 WVLW MN Stillwater	WTCN	1580 WAJE PA Ebensburg	WEBG
1240 KAKZ KS Wichita	KRZZ		
1270 KGUY CA Palm Desert	KNWZ		

* NOTES ON CALLS: WCGM-1120 was given a call change to WDOZ which lasted about a week before they asked to return to WCGM. All this happened between the last issue of DX News and this one so the change is shown only for informational purposes, the station remains WCGM. Likewise KTOR-1570 changed their call to KCFY for a few days, then returned to KTOR, this is a new station not yet on the air. And finally KUOQ-1540 had asked for KMIA, then had this call set aside and remained KUOQ. Now they have asked for KMIA a second time and this time the change was made, these calls are in use.

APPLICATIONS FOR NEW STATIONS

540 TX Ferris: 250 D1
670 TN Farragut: 500 D1 (reapplication)
700 FL Union Park: 5000 D3
MD College Park: 250 D1
OR Hazlewood: 50000/1000 U4
VA McLean: 250 D1
VA Reston: 500 D3
710 MT Ennis: 10000 D1 (not certain what happened to the KMMD-710 Ennis CP)
720 FL Dover: 10000/1000 U4
FL Holly Hills: 10000/1000 U4
WA Long Beach: 5000/250 U5 (DA day, Non-DA night)
810 GA Hahira: 2500 D1
840 WI Seymour: 2500 D3
870 FL Pismo Beach: 5000/1000 U4
880 CA Montecito: 1000/250 U2
CA Thousand Palms: 1000/250 U1
890 CA Rosamond: 25000/1000 U4
CA San Marcos: 10000/1000 U4
1000 NE Culbertson: 250 D1
1020 SC Homestead Park: 1000 D1
1050 CA Frazier Park: 2500 D3
1070 DE Laurel: 2500 D3
1120 TX Bridge City: 5000 D3 (reapplication)
1230 GA Watkinville: 1000/1000 U1
1410 NM Los Ranchos de Albuquerque: 5000 D3
1500 FL St. Cloud: 1000 D1
1510 FL Melbourne Beach: 2500 D1 (1400 watts CH)

GRANTS FOR NEW STATIONS

680 WA Lacey: 250 D1
770 FL Lynn Haven: 5000/500 U4
1030 KY Pleasure Ridge Park: 1000 D1
1040 TN St. Joseph: 250 D1 (incorrectly listed in Missouri last issue)
WV Green Valley: 10000 D1
1090 FL Port Charlotte: 5000/2500 U4
1120 MA Concord: 1000/1000 U4

180 RI Hope Valley: 5000 D1 (500 CH)
 490 UT Salina: 1000/1000 U1
 580 CA Windsor: 250 D3

APPLICATIONS FROM EXISTING FACILITIES

540 KKAR CA Hesperia: power to 1500 watts
710 WKBK PR Mayaguez: night power to 750 watts
880 KKMC CA Gonzales: antenna to U4
930 WBYG IL Sandwich: power to 710 watts day, 2600 watts night, U4
1020 KCFA AK Eagle River: night power to 10000
1040 WSKE PA Everett: Critical Hours power to 4000
1050 KLPL LA Lake Providence: reduce power to 190 watts
190 WGKA GA Atlanta: power to 10000 (2500 CH)
330 WENA PR Penueles: power to 2500/1000
380 WZEL GA Young Harris: to 770 kHz with 750 watts D1
400 WNBG TN Waynesboro: to 930 kHz with 500 D1 (typo last issue said "1480")
440 KXAM TX Helotes: power to 1000
490 WYKR VT Wells River: to 1100 kHz with 5000 D1 (reapplication)
520 WEXY FL Oakland Park: day power to 5000
WYFC MI Ypsilanti: to 990 kHz with 500/250 U4
550 WRHC FL Coral Gables: to 1560 kHz with 50000/5000 U4
600 KGWB WA West Richland: change hours to daytime only, 5000 D1 and change city-of-license to Preist River, ID, relocate XR

GRANTS TO EXISTING FACILITIES

570 KCNO CA Alturas: changes in antenna system
640 WLWJ FL Royal Palm Beach: relocate XR site (new station, not on yet)
770 KJCB LA Lafayette: day power to 5000, antenna to U4
840 KTRF KS Lyons: relocate XR
850 WIVS IL Crystal Lake: power to 5000, changes in antenna system
870 KPRM MN Park Rapids: relocate XR site for 870 CP, still on 1270 kHz
960 WRFC GA Athens: night power to 2500, changes in antenna system
1030 WMIN MN Maplewood: relocate daytime XR, changes in antenna system
1040 KAIN LA Vidalia: relocate XR (new station, not on yet)
120 WMKS GA Gordon: power to 10000 (2500 CH) D1
130 WDGJ MN Minneapolis: relocate XR
200 WGDJ PR Lares: relocate XR
230 KFLR AZ Phoenix: changes in antenna system
WANO KY Pineville: mode to SH1, operate 0600-1900 every day
240 WMPA MS Aberdeen: changes in antenna system, power to 770 watts
250 KNCK CA Grass Valley: to 830 kHz with 5000 D1
300 WFFG FL Marathon: changes in antenna system
360 WABT AL Madison: to 730 kHz with 1000 D1
380 WAMS DE Wilmington: delete one of their three day patterns, which one was not specified.
410 KCOL CO Fort Collins: day power to 5000, antenna to U4, relocate XR
430 WGFs GA Covington: power to 5000 D1
450 WOCN FL Miami: relocate XR
460 WRBL NJ Mount Holly: change city-of-license to Florence, NJ
470 WSRO MA Marlborough: antenna mode from U4 to U2
480 KIDI ID Gooding: changes in antenna system (new station, not on yet)
510 WWBC FL Cocoa: to 770 kHz 5000/500 U4, city-of-license to Rockledge, FL
WMIB FL Marco Island: to 1480 kHz with 1000/1000 U4
580 WLIM NY Patchogue: changes in antenna system
580 WJIK NC Camp Lejeune: to 830 kHz with 10000/2500 U4
590 WCSL NC Cherryville: relocate XR, power to 1000 D3
600 WCKZ GA Austell: power to 2500 D1
WQZQ TN Lebanon: to 1200 kHz with 5000/500 U2 (an earlier FCC release indicated that a grant for a "new station" in Lebanon on 1200 kHz was made. Subsequent information now indicates that this was actually a grant for WQZQ to move to 1200 kHz. We phoned the station manager and he confirms that indeed the grant was for a move by WQZQ, NOT for a new station. The FCC recently did the same thing by listing the move of KJEL from 1080 to 750 as a "new station" grant. It doesn't make our job any easier!

OTHERNESS

600 KIIX CO Fort Collins: fulltime operation from Wellington is on
680 WOGO WI Hallie: new station is on, REL format
690 WVOK AL Birmingham: application for fulltime DISMISSED
760 WJEA FL Palm City: FCC has issued new CP to replace expired permit
800 KQIN WA Burien: target date for move to 820 kHz is "mid-August"
960 WJCM FL Sebring: 5000/1000 U3 CP is on
980 WBBS FL Pompano Beach: 5000/1000 U1 CP is on

990 KBLA CA Santa Barbara: application for power increase returned
 1030 WMIN MN Maplewood: has moved here from 1010 kHz
 WGFC VA Floyd: new station is on, C&W format
 1040 WHBO FL Pinellas Park: hopes to have night operation on "end of summer"
 1050 *App CA Frazier Park: application for new station returned
 1110 WVNH NH Salem: application to move to 1120 DISMISSED in grant of new
 Concord, MA station on 1120 kHz
 KBND OR Bend: application to delete night power increase DISMISSED,
 station will be 25000/1000 U2
 1130 WBBF FL Bartow: fulltime CP is on
 1210 KRSV WY Afton: requests extension of time for CP
 1250 KLLK CA Willits: new station was testing with target date of 7/15/85
 so should be on at this time
 KGBU OR Florence: station is on, AC format
 1270 KIAM AK Nenana: requests extension of CP time
 1300 KKQA UT Nephi: requests new CP to replace expired permit
 1330 WKEA AL Scottsboro: application for fulltime returned
 WEBT FL Milton: station is silent
 1360 KBUK TX Baytown: station is silent
 1380 WSFL NC New Bern: let fulltime CP expire, FCC DISMISSED their applicatio
 to issue new CP, move to Trent Woods is cancelled, remains New
 Bern with present daytime facilities
 1390 KPPL CO Denver: station is now silent, had been operating sporadically
 since having it's transmitter land lease revoked
 1440 KXAM TX Helotes: application for power increase returned
 1460 *App FL East Naples: application for new station DISMISSED in same
 action granting WMIB's move to 1480 kHz
 1510 WTRJ OH Troy: application to move to 1030 kHz DISMISSED in same action
 granting new station in Pleasure Ridge Park, KY
 1510 WRUA PA Monroeville: formerly silent, now back on with same oldie format
 1520 *App MO Camdenton: application for new station returned
 1530 WPWC VA Quantico: requests extension of CP time for move to 1480 kHz
 1540 WTGG MI Spring Arbor: requests extension of CP for new station
 1550 KISK NV Reno: requests extension of CP for new station
 1600 KGWB WA West Richland: requests CP extension

CANADIAN NOTES:

The CRTC of Canada (their version of the FCC) has recently ordered several of the CBC AM stations off the air in a program of gradually switching the CBC over to FM stations. Several areas which were served by both AM and FM CBC stations are getting the AM axe and more will come. The AM stations officially ordered off the air so far are: CBNM-740, CBH-860, CBA-1070 and CBD-1110. They must leave the air by November 1, 1985! Although it is doubtful that the CBC will scrap all their AM facilities, there will certainly be more casualties in the coming weeks. A few may make it very difficult to log and verify some of the small and distant provinces. Get 'em while you can!

Dazzit for this time. SEE YOU AT THE CONVENTION! 73 and Good DX,

Sony & BKF

Jerry Starr & Buffalo K. Foonman

THE ONLINE COMPUTER CONNECTION
 SUBMITTED BY PETE KEMP

With the rapid growth of the home computer industry and interest in telecommunicating, CompuServe has put together a daily syndicated radio show to cater to this new market. The show features interviews, product discussions, computer industry news and special features. Reader's who are members of CompuServe can just go OCC Forum for additional information. AM Stations carrying this program include: KTUC-1400-Tucson, KGUD-1490-Riverside, KDEN-1340-Denver, WNTR-1050-Washington D.C., WILM-1430-Wilmington, WKIS-740-Orlando, KHVH-990-Honolulu, WKYX-570-Paducah, WLDM-1570-Springfield, WITH-1230-Baltimore, WGSP-1310-Charlotte, WPTF-680-Raleigh, WKNE-1290-Keene, WGBK-1300-Albany, WJL-1440-Buffalo, WNDP-740-Cincinnati, WJW-850-Cleveland, WCGL-1230-Columbus, WIP-610-Philadelphia, WKCN-910-Charleston, WEBT-790-Johnson City, WRVA-1140-Richmond, and WISN-1130-Milwaukee.

STATION ADDRESS CHANGES

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540 KNAK UT DELTA	74 S. CENTER ST.	84624
550 WDUN GA GAINESVILLE	1102 THOMPSON BRIDGE RD., BOX 10	30503
550 WDEV VT WATERBURY	BOX 550	05676
550 KARI WA BLAINE	BOX 'X'	98230
570 KLUJ UT SALT LAKE CITY	1500 W. 2300 NORTH	84116
580 WGAC GA AUGUSTA	BOX 11045	30907
580 WDZO FL ORLANDO	58 S. IVANHOE BLVD.	32804
590 KLBJ TX AUSTIN	910 BRAZOS	78701
590 WPLG GA ATLANTA	120 RALPH MCGILL BLVD., SUITE 1000	30365
590 KLSN WA SPOKANE	4202 REGAL	99203
590 WAFC FL CLEWISTON	BOX 2106	33440
600 KTBB TX TYLER	BOX 7935	75711
610 KVVU UT LOGAN	1350 N. 200 WEST	84321
610 WVAI VA WINCHESTER	BOX 2869	22601
610 WSLC VA ROANOKE	BOX 6002	24017
620 WVMT VT BURLINGTON	BOX 620, COLCHESTER, VT	05446
620 WSUN FL ST. PETERSBURG	201 2nd AVE. NORTH	33601
630 KSLR TX SAN ANTONIO	5430 FREDERICKSBURG, SUITE 504	78229
630 KZJO UT SALT LAKE CITY	3593 S. 1300 WEST	84119
630 KKPL WA OPPORTUNITY	SOUTH 23 PINES RD., SPOKANE, WA	99214
660 KSKY TX BALCH SPRINGS	2727 INWOOD RD., DALLAS, TX	75235
680 WLFF FL ST. PETERSBURG	9549 KROGER BLVD.	33702
730 KKDA TX GRAND PRAIRIE	BOX 530860	75053
730 KULE WA EPHRATA	118 BASIN N.W.	98823
740 KCMC TX TEXARKANA	3227 SUMMERHILL RD.	75501
760 KSLX TX SAN ANTONIO	217 ALAMO PLAZA, SUITE 200	78205
770 KXA WA SEATTLE	4020 MADISON AVE. EAST, SUITE 200	98112
780 WABS VA ARLINGTON	5230 LEE HIGHWAY	22207
790 KKBQ TX HOUSTON	11 GREENWAY PLAZA, SUITE 2022	77046
790 KUTA UT BLANDING	HIGHWAY 191 NORTH	84511
790 WGRA GA CAIRO	U.S. 84 WEST	31728
790 WQXI GA ATLANTA	3340 PEACHTREE RD. N.E., SUITE 204	30076
800 KDDD TX DUMAS	408 N. DUMAS AVE.	79029
800 WSST FL LARGO	800 8th AVE. S.E.	33540
810 KXOI TX CRANE	BOX 1116	79731
810 WPED VA CROZET	BOX 697	22932
810 KBTI VA EPHRATA	55 ALDER ST. N.W., SUITE 3	98823
820 WBAF TX FORT WORTH	ONE BROADCAST HILL	76103
820 KQIN WA BURIEN	401 S.W. 153rd ST., SEATTLE, WA	98166
840 KIKK TX PHARR	BOX 1808, HARLINGER, TX	78551
850 KEYH TX HOUSTON/SPRING	3130 S.W. FREEWAY, SUITE 501, HOUSTON	77098
850 WEAT FL WEST PALM BEACH	2401 S. CONGRESS AVE.	33406
860 KUTR UT SALT LAKE CITY	329 E. 200 SOUTH	84111
860 WDMG GA DOUGLAS	620 E. WARD ST.	31533
860 WAEC GA ATLANTA	1430 W. PEACHTREE ST. N.E.	30309
860 WAMA FL DUNEDIN	5203 N. ARMENIA AVE., TAMPA, FL	33603
870 KFJZ TX FORT WORTH	2214 EAST FOURTH	76111
880 *New TX MADISONVILLE	BOX 176J, RR #3, DENISON, TX	75020
880 KIKR TX CONROE	402 SIMONTON ST., BOX 2368	77305
900 KKAP TX FLOYDADA	208 SOUTH MAIN	79235
900 WJJD GA SAVANNAH	BOX 737	31402
900 WJTH GA CALHOUN	102 MEMORIAL RD.	30701
900 WMOP FL OCALA	4 S.E. FORT KING ST.	32678
900 WSNW FL BELLE GLADE	BOX 593, PAHOKEE, FL	33476
910 KNAF TX FREDERICKSBURG	210 WOODCREST	78624
910 WRNL VA RICHMOND	3245 BASIE ST.	23228
910 KKSX WA VANCOUVER	233 S.W. FRONT AVE., PORTLAND, OR	97204
920 KYST TX TEXAS CITY	BOX 5420-92, HOUSTON, TX	77254
920 KYXX TX ODESSA	BOX 3509	79760
920 KYSR TX EL PASO	5710 TROWBRIDGE	79925
920 KOEU WA OLYMPIA	2914 YELM HIGHWAY	98503
930 KRNN TX TERRELL HILLS	8401 DATAPOINT DR., SUITE 900, SAN ANTONIO	78229
940 KIXZ TX AMARILLO	1703 AVONDALE	79106
950 KPRC TX HOUSTON	8181 SOUTHWEST FREEWAY	77074
950 WXGI VA RICHMOND	BOX 8872	23225
950 WBJW FL ORLANDO	1801 LEE RD., SUITE 270, WINTER PARK, FL	32789
960 WJCM FL SEBRING	1305 CEMETERY RD.	33870
970 KIXL TX DEL-VALLE	1018 WEST 11th ST., AUSTIN, TX	78703
970 KZZU WA SPOKANE	5505 SOUTH REGAL	99203
970 WFLA FL TAMPA	801 JACKSON ST.	33602
980 KSVU UT RICHFIELD	450 E. 400 SOUTH	84701
990 WRIP GA ROSSVILLE	BOX 989, CHATTANOOGA TN	37401

980 WKLY GA HARTWELL	BOX 636	30643
980 WPHG VA BRISTOL	BOX 1380	24201
980 KUTI WA SELAH	BOX 2309, YAKIMA, WA	98907
980 WARC DC WASHINGTON	8121 GEORGIA AVE., SILVER SPRING, MD	20910
980 WBSS FL POMPANO BEACH	1001 N.W. 31st AVE.	33069
990 KTRM TX BEAUMONT	2531 CALDER ST.	77702
1000 KJJT TX ODESSA	BOX 7319	79760
1000 WHWB VT RUTLAND	BOX 30	05701
1000 WKMK FL BLOUNTSTOWN	269 KELLY AVE.	32424
1000 WIXI FL JUPITER	500 N. DELAWARE AVE.	33458
1010 KBBW TX WACO	BOX 2209	76703
1010 KLAT TX HOUSTON	1415 N. LOOP WEST, SUITE 400	77008
1010 KDJW TX AMARILLO	5200 AMARILLO BLVD. EAST	79117
1010 WGUN GA DECATUR/ATLANTA	BOX 67, DECATUR, GA	30031
1010 WMEV VA MARIION	BOX 968	24354
1010 WCNU FL CRESTVIEW	BOX 1010	32534
1020 KYXE WA SELAH	BOX 609	98942
1040 KPBC TX DALLAS	3201 ROYALTY ROW, IRVING, TX	75062
1050 KPXE TX LIBERTY	517 NORTH TRAVIS	75757
1050 KIIZ TX KILLEEN	5902 E. BUSINESS HIGHWAY 190	76544
1050 WCGA GA CONYERS	924 S. MAIN ST.	30207
1050 KSPD WA DISHMAN	BOX B238, SPOKANE, WA	99203
1060 KHJK TX LOCKHART	602 STUEVE LANSE	78644
1060 KHVM TX GILMER	104 CASS ST.	75644
1060 WAMT FL TITUSVILLE	BOX 'J'	32781
1070 KWEL TX MIDLAND	3306 ANDREWS HIGHWAY	79703
1080 WJYA GA MARIETTA	19 ATLANTA ST.	30061
1080 WKBY VA CHATHAM	BOX 105-A	24531
1080 WJBU FL PORT SAINT JOE	BOX 880, PANAMA CITY, FL	32401
1090 WBAF GA BARNESVILLE	BOX 'A'	30204
1090 KING WA SEATTLE	333 DEXTER AVE. NORTH	98109
1090 WMFL FL MONTICELLO	1275 S. JEFFERSON ST.	32344
1100 KDRY TX ALAMO HEIGHTS	8100 ROUGH RIDER, SUITE 202, BOX 3447B	78265
1100 WLBB GA CARROLLTON	BOX 1400	30117
1110 KTEK TX ALVIN	SUITE 1110, ARENA 2, S.W. FREEWAY, HOUSTON	77074
1110 WEBS GA CALHOUN	427 S. WALL ST.	30701
1110 KISD WA OAK HARBOR	BOX 70	98277
1110 WTIS FL TAMPA	311 112th AVE. N.E., ST. PETE'S, FL	33702
1120 KCLE TX CLEBURNE	919 NORTH MAIN	76031
1130 KLSR TX MEMPHIS	BOX 400	79245
1130 KVOG TX EDNA	DRAWER 'HH'	77957
1130 WLBA GA GAINESVILLE	303 W. WASHINGTON ST.	30501
1140 KMUV TX CONROE	BOX 2585, 300 E. BRYANT ST.	77305
1140 WSPC VA ST. PAUL	BOX 250, CASTLEWOOD, VA	24224
1140 WONQ FL PINE HILLS	** See Note Below **	
1150 KFHM TX SAN ANTONIO	501 WEST QUINCY	78212
1150 WKXO GA FORT VALLEY	BOX 1150	31030
1150 WNLK VA CHURCHVILLE	BOX 400	24421
1150 WNDL FL DAYTONA BEACH	LOVE PARK	32015
1170 WHNE GA CUMMING	BOX 609	30130
1190 KLIF TX DALLAS	411 RYAN PLAZA DR., ARLINGTON, TX	76011
1190 WGKA GA ATLANTA	2999 PIEDMONT RD. N.E., BOX 5212B	30353
1190 WBDY VA BLUEFIELD	134 STOCKTON ST.	24605
1190 WREM FL PINE CASTLE	631 E. OAK RIDGE RD., ORLANDO, FL	32809
1210 KCLG UT WASHINGTON	BOX 486, 127 E. TELEGRAPH	84780
1210 KASY WA AUBURN	BOX 459	98002
1220 WFAX VA FALLS CHURCH	161-B HILLWOOD AVE., TOWER SQUARE	22046
1220 WJJK FL KISSIMMEE	1200 CENTRAL AVE.	32741
1230 KDLC TX DEL RIO	402 EAST 4th ST.	78840
1230 KBIX TX CORPUS CHRISTI	WILSON BLDG., 601 LEOPARD	78401
1230 WCKJ GA AUGUSTA	821 BROAD ST.	30903
1230 WFVA VA FREDERICKSBURG	1914 MIMOSA	22401
1230 WJOY VT BURLINGTON	BOX 369	05402
1230 WQNN FL LAKE LAND	404 W. LIME ST.	33806
1240 KSOX TX RAYMONDVILLE	345 SOUTH 7th	78580
1240 KULF TX ALPINE	500 HENDRYX AVE.	79380
1240 WTWA GA THOMSON	BOX 900	30824
1240 WLAG GA LaGRANGE	304 BROOME ST.	30240
1240 WGGG GA GAINESVILLE	BOX 1318	30503
1240 WBBH GA FITZGERALD	601 W. ROANOKE	31750
1240 WROV VA ROANOKE	15th & CLEVELAND AVE.	24015
1240 WSSV VA PETERSBURG	BOX 1510	23805
1240 WFOY FL ST. AUGUSTINE	1 RADIO RD.	32084
1240 WINK FL FORT MYERS	BOX 331	33902

1240 WDFL FL CROSS CITY	BOX 5-H	32628
1250 KIKZ TX SEMINOLE	120 S.E. AVENUE B	79360
1250 KXET TX SAN ANTONIO	1130 DURANGO	78210
1250 KPRE TX PARIS	BOX 1116	75460
1250 WQDE GA ALBANY	2804 JEFFERSON	31702
1250 WPRV VA WARRENTON	BOX 3220	22186
1250 WYSR VA FRANKLIN	BOX 735	23851
1250 KKFX WA SEATTLE	907 PINE ST.	98101
1260 WTJH GA EAST POINT	2145 DODSON DR.	30364
1260 WFTW FL FORT WALTON BEACH	225 W. HOLLYWOOD BLVD.	32548
1270 KSSA TX FORT WORTH	BOX 1270	76101
1270 WHYD GA COLUMBUS	1825 BUENA VISTA RD.	31906
1270 WWES VA HOT SPRINGS	BOX 894	24445
1270 WORL FL EATONVILLE	2001 N. MERCY DR., ORLANDO, FL	32808
1280 KDYL UT SALT LAKE CITY	57 W. TEMPLE, NUMBER 800	84101
1280 WIBB GA MACON	DRAWER 6317	31208
1280 WYVE VA WYTHEVILLE	BOX 534, 195 S. FIRST ST.	24382
1280 KIT WA YAKIMA	114 SOUTH 4th ST.	98909
1280 KTOL WA LACEY	4414 PACIFIC, BOX 5277, OLYMPIA, WA	98503
1280 WWZZ FL SARASOTA	2101 HAMMOCK PLACE	33580
1290 KLLF TX WICHITA FALLS	BOX 4647	76308
1290 KRGV TX WESLACO	901 EAST PIKE	78596
1290 KWGH TX BIG LAKE	FIRST & FLORIDA	76932
1290 WDEC GA AMERICUS	605 McGARRAH ST., BOX 1307	31709
1290 WPPA VA PETERSBURG	1024 E. WASHINGTON ST.	23803
1290 WPCK FL WEST PALM BEACH	BOX 1576B	33416
1290 WTHC FL OCALA	321 S. MAGNOLIA AVE.	32670
1300 KKUB TX BROWNFIELD	1722 TAHOKA RD.	79316
1300 KKQA UT NEPHI	35 S. MAIN ST.	84648
1300 WIMO GA WINDER	BOX 1300	30680
1310 KBUC TX SAN ANTONIO	3642 EAST HOUSTON ST.	78220
1310 KZIP TX AMARILLO	814 WEST 9th ST.	79101
1310 WXLL GA DECATUR	2218-B CANDLER RD.	30032
1310 WGKR FL PERRY	1 BROADCAST PLACE	32347
1320 WCVR VT RANDOLPH	BOX 445	05060
1320 WANR FL VENICE	282 N. AUBURN RD.	33595
1320 WQJK FL JACKSONVILLE	1435 S. ELLIS RD.	32205
1320 WLQY FL HOLLYWOOD	9881 SHERIDAN ST.	33024
1330 WESR VA OLNEY	BOX 458	23418
1330 WRAA VA LURAY	BOX 387	22835
1330 WBTH VA DANVILLE	BOX 1629	24543
1330 KENU WA ENUMCLAW	1540 COLE ST.	98002
1330 WEYB FL MILTON	BOX 888	32570
1330 WJAB FL LAKE LAND	1203 CHASE ST., BOX 65	33802
1330 WBAS FL CRESCENT CITY	523 N. SUMMIT ST.	32012
1340 KTEO TX SAN ANGELO	21 SOUTH CHADBOURNE	76903
1340 KSNZ TX PANAMA	119 NORTH FROST, PALESTINE, TX	79065
1340 KFMX TX LUBBOCK	5613 VILLA DRIVE	79452
1340 KAND TX CORSICANA	609 WEST 7th ST.	75110
1340 KORQ TX ABILENE	2449 SOUTH TREADWAY	79604
1340 KLVK UT HEBER CITY	540 S. MAIN ST., SUITE 2	84032
1340 WBLB VA PULASKI	BOX 150	24301
1340 WVNR VT POULTNEY	BOX 210	05764
1340 WPBR FL PALM BEACH	3000 S. OCEAN BLVD.	33480
1340 WDSR FL LAKE CITY	BOX 2109	32056
1340 WYCB DC WASHINGTON	1340 'G' ST. N.W., 2nd FLOOR	20005
1350 WCOF GA WARNER ROBINS	1350 RADIO LOOP	31093
1350 WNIS VA PORTSMOUTH	1302 INGLESDALE RD., NORFOLK, VA	23502
1350 WCAI FL FORT MYERS	BOX 06199	33906
1350 WEZY FL COCOA	2405 BROADCAST COURT	32922
1360 KXOL TX FORT WORTH	1705 WEST 7th ST.	76102
1360 WYXY FL CYPRESS GARDENS	1505 DUNDEE RD., WINTER HAVEN, FL	33880
1360 WGLF FL JACKSONVILLE	4035 ATLANTIC BLVD.	32207
1370 WHEE VA MARTINSVILLE	40 FRANKLIN ST.	24115
1380 WTVR VA RICHMOND	3314 CUTSHAW AVE.	23230
1380 KCKO WA SPOKANE	2804 ARGONNE	99206
1380 WDAT FL ORMOND BEACH	432 S. NOVA RD.	32074
1390 WTNL GA REIDSVILLE	114 CHURCH ST.	30453
1390 KBBW WA YAKIMA	BOX 9188	98909
1390 WNGI FL GAINESVILLE	4908 N.W. 34th ST., SUITE 11	32605
1390 WAPR FL AVON PARK	801 U.S. HWY. 27 SOUTH	33825
1400 KXYC UT PROVO	1396 W. 400 NORTH, OREM, UT	84057
1400 WNEX GA MACON	2254 ROGERS PLACE	31284
1400 WHHV VA HILLSVILLE	343 VIRGINIA ST., BOX 648	24343
1400 WKAV VA CHARLOTTESVILLE	114 FOURTH ST. S.E.	22902

1400 KITZ WA TACOMA	2104 NORTH 30th ST.	98403
1400 KRSC WA OHELLO	BOX 566	99344
1400 KLCK WA GOLDENDALE	BOX 305	98420
1400 WZAZ FL JACKSONVILLE	BOX 5635	32207
1400 WFTL FL FORT LAUDERDALE	BOX 70310	33307
1420 KBIL TX SAN ANGELO	2702 LOOP 306,SUITE 412	76904
1420 KPAR TX GRANBURY	ROUTE 3,BOX 208	76048
1420 WRCG GA COLUMBUS	BOX 1537	31994
1420 WDDY VA GLOUCESTER	BOX 634	23061
1420 WWSR VT ST.ALBANS	ROUTE 7	05478
1420 KRIZ WA RENTON	249 S.W. 41st St.	98055
1420 KITI WA CENTRALIA	1133 KRESKY	98531
1430 KCOH TX HOUSTON	5011 ALMEDA	77004
1430 KSTB TX BRECKENRIDGE	DRAWER 1200,ANDREWS,TX	79714
1430 WWSG GA TIFTON	1434 TIFT AVE.	31794
1430 KCLK WA ASOTIN	BOX 669,CLARKSTON,WA	99403
1430 WLKF FL LAKELAND	1412 E. LIME ST.	33801
1440 KETX TX LIVINGSTON	DRAWER 1236	77351
1440 KELG TX ELGIN	BOX 1440	78621
1440 KEYS TX CORPUS CHRISTI	BOX 9917	78469
1440 KPUR TX AMARILLO	BOX 30000	79102
1440 WAJL FL WINTER PARK	BOX 7070,222 HAZARD ST.,ORLANDO,FL	32854
1450 KCYL TX LAMPASAS	901 NORTH KEY AVE.	76550
1450 KCTI TX GONZALES	425 SAINT GEORGE ST.	78629
1450 KBEH TX CARRIZO SPRINGS	203 SOUTH 4th ST.	78834
1450 KEYY UT PROVO	307 S. 1600 WEST	84601
1450 KMOB UT MOAB	840 MILLCREEK DR.	84532
1450 WNVG GA MILLEDGEVILLE	1250 CHARLTON ST.	31061
1450 WLPV VA SUFFOLK	BOX 1837	23434
1450 KONP WA PORT ANGELES	BOX 1450	98362
1450 WMFJ FL DAYTONA BEACH	340 S. BEACH ST.	32014
1460 WACO TX WACO	314 WEST LOOP 340	76714
1460 KTLK TX LUBBOCK/CARLISLE	32108 34th ST.,LUBBOCK,TX	79410
1460 WDYX GA BUFORD	6449 RADIO PARK DRIVE	30518
1460 KARR WA KIRKLAND	135 LAKE ST.	98033
1460 WPDQ FL JACKSONVILLE	9090 HOGAN RD.	32204
1460 WZEP FL DeFUNIAK SPRINGS	700 N. 12th ST.	32433
1470 KECM UT TREMONTON	7985 W. 1200 NORTH	84337
1470 WXAG GA ATHENS	1127 W. HANCOCK	30603
1470 KESN WA MOSES LAKE	2241 W. MAIN ST.	98837
1470 WVTY FL DUNEDIN	BOX 1961	33528
1480 KLVV TX PASADENA	111 N.ENNIS,HOUSTON,TX	77003
1480 WSAY VA SALEM	709 BOWMAN AVE.	24153
1480 KAAR WA VANCOUVER	BOX 5857	98668
1480 KLAY WA LAKEWOOD	10025 LAKEWOOD DR.S.W.,SUITE B,TACOMA,WA	
1480 WKGK FL PANAMA CITY BEACH	5230 WEST HIGHWAY 98,PANAMA CITY,FL	32401
1490 KSAM TX HUNTSVILLE	BOX 330	77340
1490 KWMC TX DEL RIO	903 EAST CORTINAS ST.	78840
1490 KNEL TX BRADY	BOX 568	76825
1490 WAYB VA WAYNESBORO	1304 IVY ST.	22980
1490 WPAK VA FARMVILLE	800 OLD PLANK RD.	23901
1490 WFAD VT MIDDLEBURY	ROUTE 7 SOUTH	05753
1490 KGHO WA HOQUAIM	3102 BAY AVE.	98550
1490 WSIR FL WINTER HAVEN	BOX 7017	33882
1490 WTTB FL VERO BEACH	BOX 3467	32960
1490 WXVQ FL DeLAND	220 E. HUBBARD AVE.	32720
1500 KANI TX WHARTON	215 EAST MILAM	77488
1500 KBRN TX BOERNE	BOX 289	78006
1500 WPTC GA MACON	173 FIRST ST.	31202
1500 WKRP GA DALLAS	BOX 166, 362 W.MEMORIAL DR.	30132
1510 KDVE TX NEDERLAND	117 NEDERLAND AVE.	77627
1510 KMND TX MIDLAND	2001 WEST WALL	79701
1510 KGA WA SPOKANE	6220 SOUTH REGAL	99203
1510 KKZU WA MOUNTLAKE TERRACE	22002 64th AVE.WEST	98043
1510 WWSB FL ROCKLEDGE	1150 W. KING ST.,COCOA,FL	32922
1520 WTNL FL APOPKA	BOX 17000, ORLANDO,FL	32860
1530 KCLR TX RALLS	BOX 669	79357
1550 KHEJ TX CANYON	412 15th ST.	79015
1550 KNTR WA FERNDALE	BOX 308	98248
1560 KTXZ TX WEST LAKE HILLS	3532 BEE CAVE RD.,AUSTIN,TX	78746
1560 KFMM TX ABILENE	BOX 473	79604
1560 WLEJ GA ELLIJAY	BOX 635	30540
1560 KPTJ WA SUMNER	2016-M S.320th FEDERAL WAY	98003
1570 KTER TX TERRELL	BOX 190	75160
1570 WSSA GA MORROW	2424 OLD REX MORROW RD.	30260

1570 WGHC GA CLAYTON	BOX 1149	30525
1570 WMES GA ASHBURN	BOX 848	31714
1570 WSNV VA PENNINGTON GAP	311 WOODWAY RD.	24277
1580 KIRT TX MISSION	608 S.10th St.,McALLEN,TX	78501
1580 WKIG GA GLENNVILLE	226 E. BOLTON ST.	30427
1580 WCCF FL PUNTA GORDA	4810 DELTONA DR.	33950
1580 WEGE FL MOUNT DORA	401 OLD EUSTIS RD.	32757
1590 KEND TX LUBBOCK	1314 50th	79412
1590 KERP TX EL PASO	5300 EL PASO DR.	79905
1590 KDAE TX CORPUS CHRISTI/SINTON	BOX 31274	78404
1590 WTGA GA THOMASTON	208 S. CENTER ST.	30286
1600 KTNS TX PLANO	1310 AVENUE K	75074
1600 KOGT TX ORANGE	5304 MEEKS DRIVE	77630
1600 KBOR TX BROWNSVILLE	BOX 3407	78520
1600 KBBX UT CENTERVILLE	481 S.400 EAST,BOUNTIFUL,UT	84010
1600 WVIJ GA WARNER ROBINS	BOX 5051	31099
1600 WKGK VA SALTVILLE	BOX 910	24370
1600 WPOM FL RIVIERA BEACH	4286 UPTHEGROVE LANE,W.PALM BEACH,FL	33407
1600 WKWF FL KEY WEST	7 MacDONALD AVE.	33040

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550 KMVI HI WAILUKU	BOX 1609-KAHULUI HI	96732
570 KIPO HI LIHUE	2956 AUKOLE ST.	96766
580 KFXD ID NAMPA	BOX 107-BOISE ID	83701
600 KIIL CO PORT COLLINS	1608 RIVERSIDE DR.-BOX 2204	80524
610 WSWG CT TORRINGTON	45 DAYCOETON PLACE	06790
620 WSKQ NJ NEWARK	621 N.MT.PLEASANT AVE.-LIVINGSTON NJ	07039
630 KIDO ID BOISE	BOX 63	83707
630 KHOW CO DENVER	8975 KENYON AVE.	80237
650 KORL HI HONOLULU	ONE TOWN SQUARE-1200 COLLEGE WALK	96817
690 KBLI ID BLACKFOOT	BOX 699	83221
690 WADS CT ANSONIA	ANSONIA MALL	06401
730 KTOX ID BOISE	JOHNSON HOUSE-1002 W.FRANKLIN ST.	83702
740 KBAD NM CARLSBAD	714 NORTH CANYON	88220
740 KSSS CO COLORADO SPRINGS	2860 SOUTH CIRCLE DR.-SUITE 1200	80906
760 KGU HI HONOLULU	WAIKIKI TRADE CTR.-2255 KUHIO AVE.	96815
800 KLTT CO BRIGHTON	2150 W.29th AVE.-DENVER CO	80211
850 KOA CO DENVER	1380 LAWRENCE ST.-SUITE 1300	80204
850 KMDY CA THOUSAND OAKS	2701 THOUSAND OAKS BLVD.	91362 DS
870 KAIM HI HONOLULU	3555 HARDING AVE.	96816
910 KBIM NM ROSWELL	BOX 2308	88201
910 WRNL VA RICHMOND	3245 BASIE RD.-BOX 9608	23228 DS
940 KDEO HI WAIPAHU	1088 FARRINGTON HIGHWAY	96797
950 KIMM CO DENVER	8350 WEST 20th AVE.	80214
970 WWDJ NJ HACKENSACK	167 MAIN ST.	07602
980 WSUB CT GROTON	1064 POQUONNOCK RD.	06340
990 KHVH HI HONOLULU	PAUAAHI TOWER-SUITE 660-1001 BISHOP ST.	96813
990 WNTY CT SOUTHLINGTON	440 OLD TURNPIKE RD.	06489
1000 KKMV CO HAYDEN	BOX 466 - WRAY CO	80758
1010 KCMF CO BRUSH	1516 MILL ST.	80723
1080 KWAI HI HONOLULU	2301 KUHIO AVE.-SUITE 301	96815
1100 KIIO CO GRAND JUNCTION	345 HILLCREST MANOR	81501
1110 KHAI HI KIHEI	296 ALAMAHA ST.-KAHULUI HI	96732
1110 KYKK NM HUMBLE CITY	ONE RADIO SQUARE-619 TURNER-HOBBS NM	88240
1130 KLEI HI KAILUA	32 KAINHEHE ST.-SUITE 202	96734
1140 KGEI ID BOISE	BOX 5278	83705
1140 KCSY AK SOLDATNA	BOX 1869	99669
1150 WCNX CT MIDDLETOWN	RIVER ROAD-BOX 359	06457
1150 KRZN CO ENGLEWOOD	3 WEST PRINCETON	80110
1170 WOBM NJ LAKEWOOD	BOX 927-TOMS RIVER NJ	08753
1190 KXKS NM ALBUQUERQUE	1923 SAN MATEO N.E.	87110
1190 KBCC CO BOULDER	4801 RIVERBEND	80301
1220 KBNO CO DENVER	4785 TEJON AVE.-SUITE 301	80211

1230 KBAR ID BURLEY	1841 WEST MAIN	83318
1230 KBCR CO STEAMBOAT SPRINGS	BOX 881720	80447
1230 KEXO CO GRAND JUNCTION	225 NORTH 5th ST.	81501
1240 KCLV NM CLOVIS	2112 THORTON	88101
1240 KRDO CO COLORADO SPRINGS	3 SOUTH 7th ST.	80901
1260 KVSF NM SANTA FE	1718 WEST ALAMEDA	87501
1260 KSNM CO ASPEN	620 EAST HOPKINS AVE.	81611
1290 KSRC NM SOCORRO	109 MANZANARES	87801
1300 WIMG NJ EWING	240 W.STATE ST.-TRENTON NJ	08608
1310 KKAI HI HONOLULU	4066 BLACK POINT RD.	96816
1310 WICH CT NORWICH	CUPRAK RD.	06360
1330 KGAK NM GALLUP	401 EAST COAL AVE.	87301
1340 KNPA ID NAMPA	BOX 129	83653
1340 WMID NJ ATLANTIC CITY	1825 MURRAY AVE.	08401
1350 KRLC ID LEWISTON	805 STEWART	83501
1350 WINY CT PUTNAM	45 POMPRET ST.	06260
1360 KRVV CO VAIL	1000 S.FRONTAGE RD.-SUITE 100	81657
1380 KLNH HI PEARL CITY	BOX 94-539 PUACHI-WAIPAHU HI	96797
1400 KART ID JEROME	ROUTE 1	83338
1400 KTNM NM TUCUMCARI	902 SOUTH DATE ST.	88401
1400 KRLN CO CANON CITY	1615 CENTRAL	81212
1430 KCRX NM ROSWELL	BOX 2052	88201
1430 KEZW CO AURORA	1565 ELMIRA	80010
1450 KRZY NM ALBUQUERQUE	BOX 3280	97190
1480 KUUX NM HOBBS	1515 NORTH DAL PASO	88240
1480 KAYK CO PUEBLO	4211 NORTH ELIZABETH	81008
1490 KKLK ID CHUBBUCK	140 BURNSIDE	83202
1490 KRSN NM LOS ALAMOS	BOX 1176	87544
1500 KABR NM ALAMO COMMUNITY	BOX 907-MAGDALENA NM	87825
1510 WRAN NJ DOVER	251 MILL ROCK AVE.-RANDOLPH NJ	07869
1510 KDKO CO LITTLETON	7880 E.BERRY PL.-ENGLEWOOD CO	80111
1530 WJDM NJ ELIZABETH	9 CALDWELL PLACE	07201
1540 KISA HI HONOLULU	904 KOHOU ST.-SUITE 204	96817
1550 KQXI CO ARVADA	2700 S.PLATTE RIVER DR.-ENGLEWOOD CO	80110
1580 KPIK CO COLORADO SPRINGS	123 EAST PLATTE AVE.	80903

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++++ CORRECTIONS FROM ISSUE # 26 DUE TO COMPUTER ERROR & SPOTTED BY MIKE KNITTER'S SHARP EYE (hi mike-gy) +++++

- 740 WRPX .. listed as WPRX
- 1100 KELM .. listed as KLEM
- 1400 WLJN .. listed as WLNJ
- 1450 WHRY .. Should be MI, not WI

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR ADDRESS CHANGES PROJECT:

We are all aware of the need to update the addresses in the NRC Log, the data base for addresses in many cases goes back to the very first Logs. Over the past few months I have been cross-checking addresses on a state-by-state basis using the new 1985 Broadcasting Yearbook as a source for the latest addresses. The results of this project you see in the Address Changes column. Although a few random changes come in from a few contributors each month, we need to have a structured program to get the work done. So far I have done this work myself, with the help of NRCer Gayle Yeager and his computer to sort by frequency. So far we have checked and corrected every station in: OH, PA, DC, FL, WA, CO, CT, NJ, NM, HI, ID, TX, VT, VA, GA & UT. I am presently working on several of the high-count states such as CA and NC. This is time consuming and tedious work and some help would be appreciated. If you would like to volunteer to cross-check the address in the newest NRC Log with the addresses in the Yearbook, please write to me and let me know which states you would be willing to do. I will send you a Xerox of that state's section from the Yearbook. With several willing helpers we can get every Log address corrected in a short time and have a Log with a totally updated address database for the next edition. As a way of illustrating the need for a total revamping, the state of GA had 51 address changes from those in the Log, OH and PA had over 100 changes between them, VA had 38. As you can see, we need to get this project going. Please help. Thanks. -Jerry Starr c/o WHOT Radio 401 North Blaine Youngstown, OH 44505 PS: Canadian addresses are available also.

DOMESTIC DX DIGEST

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Here is the official NRC column which takes over where this years baseball strike leaves off! When sending your items in, please type or neatly write, one side of the paper, EDT, skip a line or two between items, et al. With all these strikes in mind, now it's time for some real foul balls:



SPECIAL

- 900 WDTV PA PHILADELPHIA - Took the place of WFLN-AM as of 0600 on 8/5, featuring a TLK format, Mutual news on hour, 'Delaware Valley Talk'. WFLN is now only available on FM. (DS-DE)
- WOTW NH NASHUA - As of 7/1, station silent. (PO-NH)
- 1010 KKGZ CO BRUSH - Noted w/new calls, ex-KCMP, still CW. (WH-CO)
- 1170 KPSC CO WINDSOR - Noted w/new calls, ex-KSGR, Spanish/Mexican format. (WH-CO)
- 1210 WBIU LA DENHAM SPRINGS - 6/29 2100-2150 noted w/CW music, Bayou 1210 ID, ex-WLBI, ex-1220. (RW-IL)
- 1240 CJNH ON BANCROFT - info from friends confirm this station as being on the air as of 6/11. (RUGG-PQ)
- 1390 WRIG WI SCHOFIELD-WAUSAU - 7/18 0306 poor but clear w/weather into Talknet, 'Big Rig Stereo 1390' ID, ex-1400. (JJR-WI)
- KJZJ CO DENVER - Station now silent. (WH-CO)
- 1510 WRUA PA MONROEVILLE - Per 8/5 phone conversation, station is now back on. (JM)
- 1570 CKLM PQ MONTREAL - As of 7/9, station bankrupt, staff is working for 1 month at zero wages to keep station on air and find a buyer. (RUGG-PQ) 2 cents on a dollar should do-hi! (DS)
- 1580 WNZT PA COLUMBIS - 7/5 2029 caught end of s/off thru CBJ/noise, ex-WHEX. (BC)
- 1590 WQIQ PA CHESTER-ASTON - Sked.: 0500-0000 Mon., Tues., Wed., Fri., 0500-0100 Thurs., AN SM, til 0400 MM, running 'Nightsounds' on SM, MM, a pay show for a broadcasting school. (DS-DE)

MIDDAY - MIDNITE

- 600 WICC CT BRIDGEPORT - 7/1 1900 good w/talk, ABC news. (BC-NH)
- 620 WNNR WV BECKLEY - 7/8 1540 weak w/ID, '62 NR'. (ED-NC)
- 660 WCRR VA RURAL RETREAT - 6/29 1445 w/CW music, ID, o/WESC. (ED-NC)
- 680 WCAW WV CHARLESTON - 7/8 1545 w/ID o/u WPTF. (ED-NC)
- 730 WDOS NY ONDONTA --7/13 2042 good w/s/off w/sponsored SSB, WSRK-FM mention.(BC) Better not tell anyone around here of a sponsored SSB, everyone would buy that! Same category as a sponsored EBS test! (DS)
- 800 WLAD CT DANBURY - 7/13 2020 good w/Sat. Nite Memories oldies show, promo for Radio New England magazine program. (BC-NH)
- 830 KBOA MO BENNETT - 6/28 1500 ID into APR news, must be up to 10kw now. (RW-IL)
- WLND OH CORTLAND - 7/28 2033 w/ID after CW selection, no WCCO. (JUR-WI)
- 840 WRYM CT NEW BRITAIN - 7/13 2006 good w/Polish show, polka music, ads. (BC-NH)
- 850 WRMR OH CLEVELAND - 6/14 2150 w/MYL type music, 'Great Songs, Great Stars' ID, ex-WJW. (JM-PA)
- 860 WAMO PA PITTSBURGH - 7/13 2120 noted w/FM program, forgot to s/off AM. (JM-PA)
- 900 WKXA ME BRUNSWICK - 7/1 2037 good w/quick s/off. (BC-NH)
- WKAJ NY SARATOGA SPRINGS - 7/11 1428 ID, news, weather, music, slight fading w/UNID. (PO-NH)
- 920 WGHQ NY PORT EWEN - 7/5 1951 fair u/WHJJ w/weather for the Hudson Valley, mention of Kingston. (BC-NH)
- WIRD NY LAKE PLACID - 7/11 1444 w/ID noted thru WHJJ/UNID. (PO-NH)
- 940 WINE CT BROOKFIELD - 7/13 2009 xlt w/Lunch Bunch oldies request promo.(BC-NH)
- 1000 CPLP PQ RIMOUSKI - 7/17 2040-2054 good w/French talk and music. (BC-NH)
- WIQT NY HORSEHEADS - 7/25 2041 very good during E opening w/full data s/off giving owners, address, etc. (JM-PA)
- WRAR VA TAPPAHANNOCK - 7/4 2030 good w/full data s/off, 105-FM mention.(JM-PA)
- WCNX MA LEOMINSTER - 7/1 2030 x lnt w/full data s/off. (BC-NH)



- 1050 WRPT NH PETERBOROUGH - 7/17 1909 pop music, ID as '92 MDK' (FM simulcast), o7NHN. (PO-NH)
- 1070 WKOK PA SUNBURY - 7/1 2025 fair w/Phillies baseball, ID as 'Your Hourly News Station', u/CBA. (BC-NH)
- WJJK WV BECKLEY - 7/8 1605 end of NBC news, ID. (ED-NC)
- 1110 WHIM RI E PROVIDENCE - 6/30 2030 xint w/quick s/off, no SSB, ID's as New Englands #1 Country Music station. (BC-NH)
- 1120 WNYN NY BUFFALO - 7/5 2052-2058 tough thru WNEW-1130 splash, contemporary music, sounded like simulcast w/WNYN-FM 104. (BC-NH)
- 1150 WQMR ME SHOWEGAN - 7/11 1936 CW music, ID as Country QMR, severe fading. (PO)
- WMEX MA BOSTON - 7/17 1912 oldies, many ID's, w/WCMX/WQMR. (PO-NH)
- WHUN PA HUNTINGTON - 7/1 2045 heard w/s/off u/WMEX. (BC-NH)
- WNLN VA CHURCHVILLE - 7/6 2045 good w/full s/off w/religious music, noted right after WKPA/WHUN. (JM-PA)
- 1170 WKPE MA ORLEANS - 7/8 1912-1923 fair, simulcasting w/K104 ID, Top 40 music, o/u WJCC. (BC-NH)
- 1180 WSAF GA SUMMERVILLE-TRION - 7/9 2030 w/ads, ID. (ED-NC)
- 1220 CKOW NB MONCTON - 7/13 2053 good w/Live Aid concert promo, Top 40 music. (BC)
- WSCR CT HAMDEN - 7/1 1844 fair u/WSME w/CW music. (BC-NH)
- WSME ME SANFORD - 7/1 1840-1845 good w/MOR music, 'More of the music you remember on AM 12-20'. (BC-NH)
- 1240 WHAI MA GREENFIELD - 7/8 1830 good w/community notes followed by Lost & Found pet anc'ts. (BC-NH) Oh where, oh where has my Hamerlundo gone....(DS)
- 1270 WTSN NH DOVER - 7/11 1920 poor w/ads, ID, music o/u WSPR. (PO-NH)
- 1290 WKNE NH KEENE - 7/13 2033 noted simulcasting Magic 104 FM w/oldies. (BC-NH)
- 1300 WQBK NY RENSSELAER - 7/1 1933-1950 good w/sports talk show, weather. (BC-NH)
- WQPK PA HAZELTON - 7/1 1933-1950 fair w/oldies/Top 40 music, u/WQBK. (BC-NH)
- 1320 WATR CT WATERBURY - 6/30 2035-2047 good w/news, brief weather, blocked pop music sets, no sign of WDER. (BC-NH)
- 1340 WNBH MA NEW BEDFORD - 7/15 1942 briefly atop w/bumper stick contest promo, drunk boating PSA. (BC-NH)
- 1350 WWHH NJ PRINCETON - 7/25 2100+ strong at times o/WSLR w/local ad breaks during Phillies game, jingle/ID, MoR music during rain delay, then noted w/Talknet later. (JM-PA)
- UNID 7/25 2058 fair w/s/off mentioning 1000 watts and 'your hometown station', missed calls. (JM-PA)
- 1360 WWCW OH CONNEAUT - 6/26 2100 fair/good w/local news, weather, full data s/off w/SSB. (JM-PA)
- 1370 WXXI NY ROCHESTER - 6/19 2200 very good in WSPD null w/AP news, local news, weather, jazz. (JM-PA) Sounds a little jazzy for me! (DS)
- KIKS KS IOLA - 6/26 2145 atop KCNO w/s/off, FM plug then gone, this may also be the one causing the low growl here days, went away 15 seconds after their s/off, measured at 1369.8. (BW-OK)
- 1380 WNRI RI WOODSOCKET - 7/17 2008 caught w/weather after news u/WAVI/noise. (BC)
- 1390 WEOK NY POUGHKEEPSIE - 7/5 2019 good w/Super Summer bumper sticker promo, o/u WPLM/WPBL. (BC-NH)
- WWOD VA LYNCHBURG - 7/4 2118+ xint w/local baseball, jingle/ID, CW music w/Country 1390 IDs, CBS news on hour. (JM-PA)
- 1400 WLLH MA LAWRENCE-LOWELL - 7/8 1827 good w/14 Weeks of Summer promo, CHR. (BC)
- 1410 WGOO NC CONCORD - 6/29 1305 noted w/ID. (ED-NC)
- 1420 WLIS CT OLD SAYBROOK - 7/10 1932-1945 noted thru mess w/list of sponsors and home run contest rules followed by Mets baseball. (BC-NH)
- WLAN NY PEEKSKILL - 7/10 1942 briefly atop w/Bulletin Board promo, w/address and other info. (BC-NH)
- 1430 WNAV MD ANNAPOLIS - 7/25 2146 strong but losing to CJCL w/breaks in Orioles baseball game. (JM-PA)
- WITT MA AMHERST - 7/17 1859 o/u WXXS w/full data s/off after 'Golden Age of Radio' program. (BC-NH)
- 1440 WCDL PA CARBONDALE - 7/25 2032 just caught late s/off w/address, 0600 s/on, 'Remember our slogan, a memory in every song.' (JM-PA)
- 1450 WNSC NY GLEN FALLS - 7/15 2023 o/u mess w/oldies. (BC-NH)
- 1460 WWCN NY ALBANY - 7/5 1925 good w/Mets baseball pre game show, ID as 'Your News and sports authority'. (BC-NH)
- 1470 WSRO MA MARLBORO - 7/8 1820 xint w/ 'Great Radio' ID, STD/BBB music. (BC-NH)



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COUNTRY

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- 1470 WTKR NY ITHACA - 6/30 2122 good w/break/ID in Yankeebaseball, mentions serving Thompkins County. (JM-PA)
- 1480 WCFR VT SPRINGFIELD - 7/13 1811 caught u/WSR w/weather and mention of Claremont, NH. (BC-NH)
- 1490 WHAV MA HAVERHILL - 7/8 1811-1817 good w/news, Essex County weather, promo for Market Report program. (BC-NH)
- 1540 WJJT TN JELLIHO - 7/9 2055 w/Eagles music, ID, on 500 watt CH power. (ED-NC)
- WBIN TN BENTON - 7/9 2100 w/s/off on 250 watt CH power. (ED-NC)
- 1550 WBSC SC BENNETTSVILLE - 6/30 2107 heard u/CBE w/lengthy promo for Sunday night programs. (BC-NH) I liked it better when they signed off at sunset on Sunday, remember that? (DS)
- 1570 WLDM MA WESTFIELD - 7/13 1800 good w/'Your World of Music' ID, BFL music. (BC)
- 1580 WTYO NJ HAMMONTON - 6/28 2030 fair w/ID, quick s/off leaving CBJ. (BC-NH)
- WSRR NJ WASHINGTON - 7/1 2022 xint w/Presidential Trivia promo, Star 15-80 ID, MoR music. (BC-NH)
- WLIM NY PATCHOGUE - 7/5 1815 xint w/local news, weather, Long Islands Music ID, STD/BBB music. (BC-NH)
- 1590 WETT MD OCEAN CITY - 6/25 2104 good w/ID during break in Orioles game. (JM-PA)
- 1600 WIXY MA E LONGMEADOW - 7/13 1924 good o/WUNR w/Wixy 16 ID, CW music. (BC-NH)
- CHNR ON SIMCOE - 6/28 2139 xint w/Canadian pop music, mellow DJ. (BC-NH)
- WRRL NY NEW YORK - 6/28 2200 fair u/CHNR w/ID, Rev. Ike promo. (BC-NH)

****MIDNITE - MIDDAY****

- 710 *WOR NY NEW YORK - 7/1 0138 noted off, some TT leaving CJRN. (JM-PA)
- 760 *WJR MI DETROIT - 6/29 0142 noted off, TT. (JM-PA)
- 900 WJUD GA SAVANNAH - 7/28 0600 well detailed s/on into Rosary, Religion.(JJR-WI)
- 970 WEBR NY BUFFALO - 6/30 0206 good w/jingle/ID, jazz o/WYNZ. (BC-NH)
- 1000 *WTAK AL HUNTSVILLE - 7/2 0155-0244 strong w/oldies, repeated ID for ET.(JM-PA)
- 1010 CFRB ON TORONTO - 6/30 0135 fair w/MoR/EZL music, AM stereo ID, o/u WINS. (BC)
- 1250 WIAE PA PITTSBURGH - 6/30 0104 good w/Sat. Nite Oldies show, o/u UNID w/MYL. (BC-NH) Your MYL may be CHMO. (DS)
- 1340 WMID NJ ATLANTIC CITY - 7/26 0059 briefly atop w/ad, ID, 'The entertainment, information you want 24 hours a day' into NBC news. (JM-PA)
- 1360 KSCJ IA SOUX CITY - 6/26 0053 briefly atop w/horse race results, promo for new 24 hour sked. (BW-OK)
- 1370 KGNO KS DODGE CITY - 6/26 0109 s/off w/request for comments on programs, to return 0600 (not 0700 as in log) then Happy Trails. (BW-OK)
- 1470 WXXW PA ALLENTOWN - 7/26 0536 good w/jingle/ID, weather, CW music. (JM-PA)
- 1550 WCVL IN CRAWFORDSVILLE - 7/3 0132 good w/weather, WLFG-FM mention, then 'back to your radio favorites', dropped Talknet? (JM-PA) But Talknet is one of my favorites! (Joe Dull-NY)
- *WJLY PA BRADDOCK - 6/10 0200-0300 ET w/rock music, AM 1550 ID's. (JM-PA)
- 1560 *UNID 6/26 0130 good w/TT looping S/SE w/WQXR. (JM-PA)
- 1570 WGSR GA MILLEN - 7/31 0600 s/on w/Dixie like a local o/WCLE, amazing for 138 watt PSA. (JJR-WI) Hate to rain on your parade, PSA's start up again in August, what you heard was full power! (DS)
- *UNID 7/27 0157 strong pulse type tone then just TT til 0200, looping E, no ID's heard. (JM-PA)

****T I S****

- 530 CO DENVER - New TIS station noted here w/ET's, no info on it yet. (WH-CO)

****STATIC BUSTERS****

JM-PA/John Malicky, Pittsburgh, PA, Aiwa AR 158
RUGG-PQ, Andy Rugg, Nuns Island, PQ, TRP
ED-NC, Ed Mitkus, Zionville, NC, RF2600, LW
BC-NH, Bruce Conti, New Ipswich, NH, R70, DX400, SM2, LW
RW-IL, Roger Winsor, Champaign, IL, Superadio, Loop
BW-OK, Bruce Winkelman, Tulsa, OK, R390A, LW
JJR-WI, John Reiger, W Allis, WI, R70, R1000 w/Kolwalski Loops, RF2900 w/Shotgun Loop
WH-CO, Wane Heinen, Aurora, CO, R390A, Loop
PO-NH, Patrick O'connor, Hinsdale, NH, FRG7, LW w/tuner
DS-DE/Thats me!/Superadio, HQ180A, SM2, short LW

RANDUMBS

Yes, there truly is a middle of nowhere! I had a most enjoyable visit with Ed & Kerry Mitkus in Zionville, NC on 7/4. They're located about 25 minutes from my hide out near Lansing, NC. You can never tell where you'll find an NRC'er!

For those who are looking for veries from WETB for their final DX TEST this past season and haven't received an answer, C W WILLIAMS has taken over the duties as CE at WJUS-1420. He will welcome follow ups to P O Box 14061, Evansville, IN 47714-6061. He is also interested in reports on WJUS also.



TOP END

Craig Healy, 66 Cove Street, Pawtucket, RI 02861

1600-1800 KHz Range Times are GMT Deadline: Last Sat. of Month

August 1985...Loggings:

From Eric Thew, Ballajura, Western Australia.
FRG-7700, FRT-7700 and random wire.

1629 ??? 1214 6/28 G369 and Dash.
1635 ??? 1140 6/25 R446.
1638 ??? 2246-6 6/11 N349 and U160 (both with dash) on CW (A1). These have an identical note and keying, making it appear that alternate calls come from the one xmt.
1641 ??? 1143 6/25 D472.

Eric's loggings are interesting in that they are similar to what we hear on those frequencies around here. I wonder if the letter/number combination is only a serial number for the particular transmitter, and not a call sign. If so, maybe we could research the type acceptance for the manufacturer and ID these things that way...

From Bruce Conti, New Ipswich, NH
R-70, APT-3, LW

1783 ??? 1520-1533 6/28 30 pip per minute stn, w/ both long and short pips. Long pip w/ 1kHz tone, short pip at higher frequency. Good signal.

Noted here as well. It wasn't on the past two summers.(ed)

From Jim Ericson, Sunnyvale, CA
Yaesu 757, 80m dipole at 30 ft.

Jim's letter says it very well so here it is:

Thought you might want more info about the California Los Altos Hills station at 1610. It is a parking information station for the Foothill College campus there. It now has a male announcer on the repeating taped message. I live about 8 miles away and copy it almost as well as local broadcast stations.

Being curious, I telephoned the Foothill campus safety department this week. They said the power was 10 watts, working into some sort of antenna. They weren't technical types, so they couldn't tell me much more. It's been on the air about four months. They have apparently received a lot of inquiries from amateurs and SWL's. For the price of a SASE, they will be happy to respond to QSL requests. The address is:

Foothill Campus Safety
12345 El Monte Road
Los Altos Hills, CA
94022

A nice summer column. Some of the best DX has been very early in the season these past few years. Don't miss it! 'Til later.....

Number one. Country music is the most widely programmed format on commercial radio stations followed by adult contemporary. That's according to the New York-based Radio Information Center (RIC), which tracks format additions and changes on a regular basis from over 8,000 stations in its files. Highlighted below are the top radio formats as of July. (The list includes 140 stations in the U.S. Virgin Islands, Puerto Rico and Guam.)

Format	Number of stations
Country	2,346
Adult Contemporary/Soft	1,940
MOR/Nostalgia	964
Rock/CHR	855
Religious	499
Easy Listening	437
Variety	252
AOR	237
Black Oldies	174
Spanish	168
News/Talk	154
Urban Contemporary	148
All News	91
Classical	47
Ethnic	46
Jazz	30
Total	15
	8,403

Radio for Yankers. Representative Mario Biaggi (D-NY) introduced bill that would permit Weiner Broadcasting and Yankers resident Joseph-Paul Ferraro to own and operate noncommercial KPF-94.1. "This bill became necessary," Biaggi said, "when the FCC rejected my request earlier this year to grant Yankers a radio license through normal administrative procedures."



CONTESTS

Robert Kramer, 6416 N. Richmond, Chicago, IL 60645

1984-85 CONTEST STANDINGS (FINAL)

DXER	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K
George Sherman	<u>1235</u>	48	43	36	34	31	10	1	5	3	--
William Moser	627	<u>43</u>	38	0	0	0	12	6	6	4	--
Nancy Hardy	470	32	0	0	0	0	11	5	7	2	08
Jim Renfrew	453	44	36	24	0	0	1	4	6	2	26
Bill Hardy	331	33	0	0	0	0	8	3	4	1	08
Pete Nolan	316	36	19	0	0	0	4	4	4	1	18
Don Kaskey	302	38	0	0	0	0	7	3	3	1	09
Nolan Stephany	208	26	0	0	0	0	4	3	2	3	02
Harry Hayes	121	33	0	0	0	0	1	1	3	3	03
Niel Wolfish	52	34	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	03
Mike Hogan	32	17	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	--

SYMBOLS: A= total points, B= total states & provinces, C= 2nd station from S&P, D= 3rd stn from S&P, E= 4th stn from S&P, F= 5th stn from S&P, G= loggings from the 25 point Most Wanted List, H= loggings from the 15 point honorable mention Most Wanted List, I= 10 point target stations, J= 5 point target stations, K= handicap points.

Underlined are the prize winners for each category.

PRIZE WINNERS:

MOST POINTS: (1235) George Sherman... NRC 100 or Pattern Book
MOST STATES & PROVINCES: (48, tie): George Sherman & Jim Renfrew (44 S&P plus 4 handicap points)... \$6 in NRC Reprints
MOST LOGGINGS OFF THE MOST WANTED LIST: (12) William Moser... \$4 in NRC Reprints
MOST HONORABLE MENTION MOST WANTED LOGGINGS: (6) William Moser... Sunrise/Sunset Maps
Most Target Stations: (7) Nancy Hardy... \$3.00 in NRC Reprints
MOST AUXILIARY TARGET LOGGINGS: (4) William Moser... \$1.00 in NRC Reprints

Prize winners will be notified by mail also, as will the NRC Publications Center.

1985-86 CONTEST RULES

I. General Rules

- Dates: 0000 9/1/85 to 2359 5/31/86
- Entry Fee: \$1
- The Contest Manager will have final say in resolution of any disputes
- All loggings must be updated every 30 days. Any logging over 45 days old will not be allowed for contest scoring.
- Loggings may be changed to increase point value at anytime during the contest provided that the contest manager is notified of the change.
- Loggings may be back dated to the beginning of the contest period for late joiners (except Most Wanted List loggings)
- The deadline for entry is 1/1/86

II. SCORING

- Log up to 10 stations from each state & province (for contest purposes D.C. counts as a state). Point values as follows: 1st stn 1 point, 2nd station 3 points, 3rd stn 5 points, 4th stn 7 points, 5th stn 9 points, 6th stn 11 points, 7th stn 13 points, 8th stn 15 points, 9th stn 17 points & 10th stn 20 points.
 - Restrictions
 - Stations 6-10 from each state & province must be either a graveyard, daytime only station or be operating on day facilities at the time of reception (meaning a fulltime station heard at SSS, SRB, on f/c ET or DX Test). This rule does not apply to states where the nearest border to your DX location is more than 750 miles away (the distance of the station logged is not a factor, just the state border). There is no restriction on states & provinces 1-5.
 - No station within 50 miles of your location may be logged unless one of the following conditions exists
 - You have logged all of the stations in that state over 50 miles away or there no stations in that state more than 50 miles away.
 - You had never heard the station before
 - It was logged on a DX Test
 - There are no other stations that you could log for stations 6-10 because of the restrictions on those stations.
 - Additional Points. Bonus points as follows may be added to each S&P logging:
 - 5 points for a graveyard. Graveyard channel stations are any station (regardless of power) operating on 1230, 1240, 1340, 1400, 1450 or 1490 kHz.
 - 3 points for a station operating on a regional channel
 - 1 point for a daytime only station
 - Handicap points will be awarded to certain areas of the country in order to make everyone's chance of winning equal. The handicaps are in the form of multipliers. Simply multiply your loggings from States & Provinces only by the multiplier for your area & round down to the nearest whole number (even if it comes out to .99 you still would round down)

1. West Coast: 1.4
2. South: 1.25
3. East Coast: 1.094

3. When reporting your states & province loggings please use a separate sheet of paper for each logging level. When replacing one logging with another please inform me of the station being replaced or you might not get credit for the change.

B. Most Wanted Lists

1. Each DXer is to draw up a list of 25 stations that have never been heard before under any set of call letters (stations that change frequency may be reheard). Each logging off this list is worth 25 points.
2. Each DXer is to draw up a list of 15 honorable mention most wanted stations never previously heard. Each of these is worth 15 points.
3. Restrictions
 - a. stations heard using another set of call letters are considered to have heard for the purposes of this contest.
 - b. at least 50% of the stations used for both lists must currently be on the air & must have been operating on regular schedule for at least 3 months.
 - c. All stations for both lists must be operating (or running initial tests) by 12/31/85. Any station not operating by 12/31/85 will be removed from the loggable list and cannot be replaced unless the contest manager was notified of the change by 12/31/85.
 - d. Most Wanted & Honorable Mention Most Wanted lists can be amended provided the contest manager is notified in writing of the change. The changed station may not be counted for contest purposes until you receive written confirmation of the change or 1 week after the change was sent (whichever is shorter). If the station you change to is heard during the waiting period it must be replaced. The waiting period for the replacement of a replaced station is retroactive back to the date of the initial change. However the station may not be logged until 24 hours after the postmark date of the notification you send to the contest manager.
 - e. For late contest joiners, Most Wanted List Loggings may not be counted until 24 hours after the postmark date of your initial entry.
 - f. A copy of your Most Wanted Lists should be sent to the contest manager at the time of entry.

C. Target Stations

1. The Contest manager will draw up a list of 25 target stations. Each station you hear of these will be worth 10 points.
2. The Contest Manager will draw up a list of 15 auxiliary target stations, each of these heard will be worth 5 points.
3. Target stations may have been previously logged.
4. For late joiners, target stations are retroactive back to the date the contest began.

III. Prizes

- A. Most Points: 1 NRC Log or Night Pattern Book.
- B. Most State & Province points (including handicap points): \$6 in NRC Reprints.
- C. Most Loggings off the Most Wanted List: \$5 in NRC Reprints
- D. Most Honorable Mention Most Wanted List Loggings: 1987 NRC Calendar or \$4 in reprints.
- E. Most Target Loggings: 1 set of sunrise/sunset maps or \$2 in NRC reprints
- F. Most Auxiliary Target Loggings: \$1 in NRC Reprints

Sorry about the delay in getting out the 1984-85 results. It was a combination of laziness, forgetfulness & lack of DX interest that caused the delay. This contest should be very interesting. For the first time, all areas of the country will have a totally equal chance of winning. It took quite awhile to calculate the handicaps. The handicaps were based upon logging 10 stations from 35 states (the most likely maximum for an unhandicapped state in a real good season) & then calculating similar point counts for each area & creating a multiplier that would equal the best possible in the unhandicapped areas. This is why the East Coast multiplier is such a strange number. Some areas may have special handicaps developed special (such as the extreme western portion of the Central Time Zone midwest). You will be notified of your handicap when you receive your target stations. Please note, this year's state & province loggings are not progressive. You can log all the stations from a state in one night under the right conditions. This eliminated a problem that the coasts had the last few years, reaching higher levels.

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SCIN PRAIRIE,
WISCONSIN 53590

SPORTS NETWORKS

Barry S. Finkel, 10314 S. Oakley Ave., Chicago, IL 60643

Here are some more baseball networks. Thanks to Leonard Jozwiak for the Tigers' list.

Chicago White Sox 1985 Lorne Brown, Del Crandall

670 WMAQ-IL	1230 WSAL-IN	1560 WRIN-IN ^a	KTSS-IA ^b	95.3 WRKK-IL	99.3 WKVI-IN
860 WGOM-IN	1510 WATY-IN	1570 WFRL-IL	WTWN-IL ^c	97.7 WFRX-IL	100.9 WHPO-IL ^d
1220 WQSA-FL	1540 WADM-IN			WZOW-IN	WXET-IL ^d

Detroit Tigers 1985 Ernie Harwell, Paul Carey

580 WTCM-MI	930 WBCK-MI	1260 WELL-MI	1450 WATZ-MI	92.9 WKJF-MI	99.3 WSTR-MI
590 WKZO-MI	940 WCSY-MI	1280 WFYC-MI	WHTC-MI	93.5 WATZ-MI	100.9 WBRN-MI
680 WDBC-MI	1150 WCEN-MI	1290 WJGS-MI ^e	WNBV-MI	94.5 WCAN-MI	101.3 WSUE-MI
760 WJR -MI	1230 WCUZ-MI	1340 WWPZ-MI	1460 WBRN-MI	95.3 WZXH-MI	104.7 WYXX-MI
790 WSGW-MI	WSOO-MI	1370 WKJF-MI	1480 WIOS-MI	95.9 WKZC-MI	WKJC-MI
850 WKBZ-MI	WSTR-MI	1400 WCCY-MI	1490 WMPX-MI	96.3 WMBN-MI	104.9 WELL-MI
900 WZXM-MI	1240 WCBY-MI	WQXO-MI	92.7 WMMQ-MI	99.3 WBNZ-MI	WFYC-MI

^aThe White Sox list has WLQI/WRIN Rensselaer, IN. The broadcasts may be on FM also.

^bThe White Sox list has KTSS-AM Davenport, IA. I can't find these call letters in the Log.

^cThe White Sox list has WTWH-AM Normal, IL. I can't find these calls in the Log.

^dThe White Sox list has WXET-FM Crystal Lake, IL. These call letters are not in Jones NARTSG.

^eThe Tigers' list has the old call letters WHGR.

There's more talk, less music at KGIL

By Gary Lyon
The Register

RADIO WAVES

KGIL/1260 AM cut back the music this week and replaced it with talk.

The reason? "Unprecedented response" to its evening satellite-fed "Talknet" programming, said station manager Richard F. McGeary.

Live broadcasts by nighttime personalities Bruce Williams (6-8 p.m.) and Sally Jessy Raphael (8-11 p.m.) are being repeated in late night and daytime. Williams, who tackles financial issues, is in repeats 11 p.m.-2 a.m. and 5-6 a.m., and Raphael, a mother of three, dispenses personal advice 10 a.m.-1 p.m.

Surviving the change were "Sweet" Dick Whittington at 6 a.m. weekdays and Kate McEldowney (1-6 p.m. daily and 6-11 a.m. Saturday). Bill Barry, Johnny Darin and Chuck Cecil continue on the weekend, too. Mike Lundy gave up his airshift but continues as program and operations director. Tom Brown has left the station.

KKAR/540 AM, the station touted as the next all-news outlet in Southern California, missed its target on-air date in May and won't debut until sometime next fall.

Problems with zoning ordinances were cited in an announcement by Saul Levine, owner of KKAR and the successful jazz outlet, KKGO/105.5 FM. Construction delays prompted others, however, to suspect lack of money.

The all-news concept has also been discarded in favor of big bands, Levine said. An Oakland

station recently abandoned music after five months. Levine was away at a convention and couldn't be reached for elaboration.

The dumping of news, however, meant there was no longer a job for Ed Pyle, veteran LA newsmen who had been working for months to put together a news-talk format.

"I hadn't been involved with construction. I had been working independently on the staff and programming," he said.

"I was stunned when he (Levine) called me in and said he was placing me on indefinite, unpaid leave immediately. I resigned and cleaned out my desk the next day," Pyle told the Register.

Pyle said he sensed a change in direction when Levine learned Cable News Network was moving away from a headline-service radio feed to a full-service network. "We were to be the LA affiliate for CNN, and I thought the full service would be great for us, but he (Levine) felt otherwise," Pyle said.

"He kept saying all-news, but what I was putting together was a news-talk lineup, with morning and afternoon news blocks. I thought KABC and KIEV were vulnerable," Pyle said. Levine considered comedy and jazz before apparently settling on big bands, he added.

Pyle is looking around for work — when asked if he got a large severance from Levine, he said "strike the word large" — and said he wants to stay in Los Angeles. "But there aren't that many jobs for former news directors," he

said, a reference to his longtime service at KFVB/980 AM. He was let go during a recent management overhaul.

If reader mail is any barometer, Bruce Williams is one of radio's hottest properties.

Williams hosts a nightly program on financial advice and it's syndicated nationally by "Talknet," one of the NBC Radio Networks. Until now, listeners could only occasionally tune it in at night on KQOA in Albuquerque, N.M. Several readers asked: Is he carried in Southern California?

Well, fans, here's the good word: Williams is on LA radio — 7 to 8 weeknights on KGIL/1260 AM. Reception is marginal in Orange County after sunset, but if one patiently tweaks the dial, the signal can be picked up.

KGIL is airing three other "Talknet" programs — Sally Jessy Raphael, personal advice, 8-11 p.m. Monday-Friday; Bernard Meltzer, personal and financial advice, 7-9 p.m. and midnight-2 a.m. Saturday; Dr. Harvey Ruben, personal advice, 9-midnight Saturday. Listeners can call into any of the programs by calling (800) 233-4141.

PASSING PARADE: Jean Hughes Williams, whose call of "Hey, Culligan Man!" dominated radio ads for nearly 30 years, has died of cancer at 70. She and her former husband, Dallas Williams, created the Culligan commercials, which began in 1958 on KMPC/710 AM. He wrote the copy and served as the original straight man. The commercials always ended with the impatient wife misinterpreting the husband's instructions to phone the company for water services and instead yelling "Hey, Culligan Man!"

Russ Edmunds, 753 Valley Road, Blue Bell, PA 19422
Items for sale, trade, wanted, etc.

FOR SALE - RECEIVERS

DRAKE SPR-4; covg. incl. LW, MW, SWBC, tropical bands. Fine performer on MW. In vgd cx w/ orig. owners manual, alignment instrs., and 12VDC power cord for mobile use. Asking \$300 CANADIAN; shipping negotiable. (Niel Wolfish, Apt. 706, 3900 Yonge St., Toronto, Ontario M4N 3N6; (416) 489-7307 to 2200ELT)

HAMMARLUND HQ-180AX, in mint cx w/ matching spkr. \$300 plus shipping. (Ed Best, 2826 Stuart Dr., Durham, NC 27707; (919) 489-2164)

YAESU FRG-7700. Set in gd cx, no manual. Must sell. \$200 or will nego. Will consider swap for a good R-388 or Hammarlund. (Steve Kennedy, P.O. Box 402, Waverly, TN 37185)

RADIO SHACK DX-400; exc. cx, w/manual, \$150 plus UPS (Jerry Strawman, 519 30th St., NE, Cedar Rapids, IA 52402; (319) 362-7124 after 2300Z)

R-390A Comm. Rx, vgy gd cx, \$275 or offer. Can ship UPS, (Strawman)

REALISTIC TRF 12-655 with transfilters and loop input, excellent, \$25 incl UPS (Strawman)

RADIO SHACK DX-300 digital rx, perfect for ECB & SW to 5MHz. (MHz indicator not accurate above 6MHz. kHz display ok.) \$130. (Matt Statterheim, 510 Main st., Roosevelt Isld, NY 10044; (212) 888-7416 or (516) 668-5757.

Realistic DX-160 Communications Receiver. Covers 150 khz to 30 mhz. Good condition with record jack for taping DX. Comes with original speaker and all documentation. \$85.00 + shipping. (Fred Vobbe, 706 McKenzie, Lima OH 45805-1835)

Ford AM/FM Stereo Car Radio. In dash of 81 Ford Fairmont until it was swapped for supertuner. AM & FM sections both peaked up. Tape recorder cables attached for taping stations. Front and rear control. Very good radio for DX'ing both AM or FM. \$125.00 + Shipping. (Fred Vobbe)

FOR SALE - PUBLICATIONS

IRCA DX MONITOR, Vol 20, #1 thru Vol. 22 #30. Free if you pay shipping. (Kennedy)

NRC DX NEWS, 1977 to date, free. All clean, like new. (John Shields, 3212 Chestnut St., Murrysville, PA; (412) 327 3356 anytime)

KLINGENFUSE "GUIDE TO WORLDWIDE RTTY STATIONS", 10th ed., as new, \$10 plus UPS (Strawman)

FOR SALE - ACCESSORIES

KANTRONICS FIELD DAY II RTTY & CW READER, mint, w/manual, \$100 plus UPS (Strawman)

BEARCAT 20/20 VHF, AIR, UHF SCANNER, w/manual, exc cx, \$100 plus UPS (Strawman)

KENWOOD KR2120 STEREO RX; non-working, might be fixed or parted out. Best offer over \$50. (Strawman)

HEATH SB-620 SPECTRUM DISPLAY UNIT (Panadapter) w/manual. Can be used on any IF freq., but currently set up for 3395 kHz. \$ 95 (Stutterheim)

WILTEK 108 ANTENNA DISTRIBUTION AMP. Feed antennas to input, get 8 rx outputs. 2-30 mhz, but by bypassing highpass filter at input, works down to 300 khz. Solid state. \$75 as is; \$90 with mod done by me. (Stutterheim)

WANTED

IF TRANSFORMER T-4 for Hammarlund SP-600. (Ed Lawlor, 5 Pauline St., Carteret, NJ 07008)

BACK ISSUES OF FRENCH, DX NEWS, RECEIVER MANUALS. Trades considered. (Strawman)

73's de RJB

GRAVEYARD DX ACHIEVEMENTS

William R. Hale, 9823 N. Meadow, Converse, TX 78109
Totals on 1230, 1240, 1340, 1400, 1450, and 1490 KHz Frequencies

1340 KHZ GRAVEYARD ACHIEVEMENTS

PRIOR TO JAN 1, 1960
DATE OF LAST UPDATE: JUL 15, 1985

WKUL	CULLMAN (AL)	DON KASKEY	OMAHA (NE)	700
WJ01	FLORENCE	FRANK WHEELER	ERIE (PA)	646
WGWC	SELMA	GENE ALLEN	VALLEJO (CA)	2040
WFEB	SYLACAUGA	GENE ALLEN	VALLEJO	2050
KIBH	SEWARD (AK)	GENE ALLEN	VALLEJO	1005
KCLS	FLAGSTAFF (AZ)	DON KASKEY	GALVA (IA)	1005
KRLX	GLENDALE	PETE TAYLOR	CDC INNEBAGO (HI)	2875
KR03	JEROME	CHARLES MARTIN	SPRINGFIELD GDNS (NY)	2075
KN0G	NOVALES	DON KASKEY	GALVA	1155
KENT	PRESCOTT	GENE ALLEN	VALLEJO	605
KCNA	TUCSON	DON KASKEY	GALVA	1115
KBTA	BATESVILLE (AR)	DON KASKEY	GALVA	1115
KBR5	SPRINGDALE	DON KASKEY	GALVA	455
KENL	ARCATA (CA)	GENE ALLEN	VALLEJO	215
KAVL	LANCASTER	DON KASKEY	GALVA	1340
KWSD	MT. SHASTA	GENE ALLEN	VALLEJO	230
KSFE	NEEDLES	DON KASKEY	OMAHA	1105
KMOR	OROVILLE	HANK HOLBROOK	CHEVY CHASE (MD)	2370
KCMJ	PALM SPRINGS	DON KASKEY	GALVA	1290
KFBK	SACRAMENTO	CHARLES MARTIN	SPRINGFIELD GDNS	2520
KMNS	SAN LUIS OBISPO	DON KASKEY	GALVA	1435
KIST	SANTA BARBARA	DON KASKEY	OMAHA	1370
KHUB	WATSONVILLE	ERIC MCINTOSH	INVERCARGILL (NZ)	7197
KFUP	DENVER (CO)	CHARLES MARTIN	SPRINGFIELD GDNS	1605
KFJX	EDGEWATER	CHARLES MARTIN	SPRINGFIELD GDNS	1725
KGLN	GREENWOOD SPGS	GENE ALLEN	VALLEJO	815
KLMR	LAMAR	GENE ALLEN	VALLEJO	1080
KVRH	SALIDA	GENE ALLEN	VALLEJO	890
WNCH	NEW HAVEN (CT)	CHARLES MARTIN	SPRINGFIELD GDNS	100
WICH	NORWICH	CHARLES MARTIN	SPRINGFIELD GDNS	125
WDDK	WASHINGTON (DC)	DON KASKEY	GALVA	775
WR0D	DAYTONA BEACH (FL)	FRANK WHEELER	ERIE	892
WDSR	LAKE CITY	GENE ALLEN	VALLEJO	2340
WITS	SEBRING	FRANK WHEELER	ERIE	797
WGAU	ATHENS (GA)	DON KASKEY	GALVA	890
WBBG	AUGUSTA	DON KASKEY	OMAHA	940
WGRA	CEDARTOWN	FRANK WHEELER	ERIE	813
WMLT	DUBLIN	DON KASKEY	OMAHA	740
WWG5	TIFTON	GENE ALLEN	VALLEJO	2250
KGEM	BOISE (ID)	GENE ALLEN	VALLEJO	505
KPST	PRESTON	GENE ALLEN	VALLEJO	625
KLIX	TWIN FALLS	DON KASKEY	GALVA	960
WSOY	DECATUR (IL)	GENE ALLEN	VALLEJO	1800
WKBS	GALESBURG	CHARLES MARTIN	SPRINGFIELD GDNS	865
WJPF	HERRIN	GENE ALLEN	VALLEJO	1810
WJOL	JOLIET	GENE ALLEN	VALLEJO	1840
WB1W	BEDFORD (IN)	DON KASKEY	GALVA	540
WTRC	ELKHART	GENE ALLEN	VALLEJO	1940
WJAK	MARION	CHARLES MARTIN	SPRINGFIELD GDNS	710
WIBC	MUNCIE	CHARLES MARTIN	SPRINGFIELD GDNS	535
WB0W	TERRE HAUTE	CHARLES MARTIN	SPRINGFIELD GDNS	680
KFGR	BOONE (IA)	CHARLES MARTIN	SPRINGFIELD GDNS	1000
KWCR	CEDAR RAPIDS	CHARLES MARTIN	SPRINGFIELD GDNS	925
KROS	CLINTON	GENE ALLEN	VALLEJO	1715
KFJY	FORT DODGE	CHARLES MARTIN	SPRINGFIELD GDNS	1035
KCKN	KANSAS CITY (KS)	GENE ALLEN	VALLEJO	1500
WCM1	ASHLAND (KY)	GENE ALLEN	VALLEJO	2150
WK1C	HAZARD	PETE TAYLOR	DURHAM (NC)	250
WLEX	LEXINGTON	DON KASKEY	GALVA	655
WNBS	MURRAY	DON KASKEY	GALVA	505
WEKY	RICHMOND	DON KASKEY	BRYAN (TX)	845
KRND	SHREVEPORT (LA)	GENE ALLEN	VALLEJO	1660
WFAJ	AUGUSTA (ME)	FRANK WHEELER	ERIE	533
WGAN	GARDNER (MA)	FRANK WHEELER	ERIE	410
WNBH	NEW BEDFORD	FRANK WHEELER	ERIE	441
WBRK	PITTSFIELD	FRANK WHEELER	ERIE	369
WLAV	GRAND RAPIDS (MI)	FRANK WHEELER	ERIE	297
WCSR	HILLSDALE	FRANK WHEELER	ERIE	231
WEXL	ROYAL OAK	GENE ALLEN	VALLEJO	2090
KDLM	DETROIT LAKES (MN)	FRANK WHEELER	ERIE	830
WEVE	EVELETH	DON KASKEY	OMAHA	460
KVOX	MOORHEAD	GENE ALLEN	VALLEJO	1440
KROC	ROCHESTER	GENE ALLEN	VALLEJO	1610
WCBI	COLUMBUS (MS)	GENE ALLEN	VALLEJO	1930
WK0Z	KOSCIUSCO	DON KASKEY	GALVA	740
WAML	LAUREL	GENE ALLEN	VALLEJO	1935
KXEO	MEXICO (MO)	FRANK WHEELER	ERIE	641
KBXB	ST. JOSEPH	CHARLES MARTIN	SPRINGFIELD GDNS	1075
KICK	SPRINGFIELD	GENE ALLEN	VALLEJO	1575
KCAP	HELENA (MT)	DON KASKEY	OMAHA	880
KGEZ	KALISPELL	CHARLES MARTIN	SPRINGFIELD GDNS	2050
KPRK	LIVINGSTON	GENE ALLEN	VALLEJO	810
KBTK	MISSOULA	GENE ALLEN	VALLEJO	745
KGCX	WOLF POINT	CHARLES MARTIN	SPRINGFIELD GDNS	1705
KGFW	KEARNY (NE)	CHARLES MARTIN	SPRINGFIELD GDNS	1320
KELK	ELKO (NV)	GENE ALLEN	VALLEJO	395
KORK	LAS VEGAS	DON KASKEY	OMAHA	1055
KATO	RENO	DON KASKEY	OMAHA	1250

WKAV	LACONIA (NH)	CHARLES MARTIN	SPRINGFIELD GDNS	250
WMID	ATLANTIC CITY (NJ)	FRANK WHEELER	ERIE	338
KVER	ALBUQUERQUE (NM)	DON KASKEY	GALVA	800
KSIL	SILVER CITY	DON KASKEY	GALVA	980
WMBO	AUBURN (NY)	FRANK WHEELER	ERIE	185
WENT	GLOVERSVILLE	CHARLES MARTIN	SPRINGFIELD GDNS	175
WKSJ	JAMESTOWN	FRANK WHEELER	ERIE	35
WMSA	MASSENA	CHARLES MARTIN	SPRINGFIELD GDNS	315
WALL	MIDDLETOWN	FRANK WHEELER	ERIE	297
WIRY	PLATTSBURG	FRANK WHEELER	ERIE	369
WJRI	LENOIR (NC)	DON KASKEY	OMAHA	455
WOXF	OXFORD	FRANK WHEELER	ERIE	415
WHED	WASHINGTON	GENE ALLEN	VALLEJO	2530
WAIR	WINSTON-SALEM	DON KASKEY	OMAHA	925
KGPC	GRAFTON (ND)	DAN PHILLIPS	COOKEVILLE (TN)	1070
WIZE	SPRINGFIELD (OH)	GENE ALLEN	VALLEJO	2065
KOCY	OKLAHOMA CITY (OK)	GENE ALLEN	VALLEJO	1390
KBND	BEND (OR)	GENE ALLEN	VALLEJO	420
KRUL	CORVALLIS	DON KASKEY	OMAHA	1390
KTHR	HOOD RIVER	STAN MORSS	BRADFORD	2400
KMED	MEDFORD	CHARLES MARTIN	SPRINGFIELD GDNS	2470
KFIR	NORTH BEND	DON KASKEY	OMAHA	1445
WCVI	CONNELLSVILLE (PA)	DON KASKEY	OMAHA	860
WMSJ	GROVE CITY	FRANK WHEELER	ERIE	72
WGLA	LANCASTER	CHARLES MARTIN	SPRINGFIELD GDNS	135
WKRZ	OIL CITY	DON KASKEY	OMAHA	840
WHAT	PHILADELPHIA	FRANK WHEELER	ERIE	298
WRAW	READING	FRANK WHEELER	ERIE	246
WTRN	TYRONE	FRANK WHEELER	ERIE	144
WBRE	WILKES-BARRE	FRANK WHEELER	ERIE	226
WMPA	WILLIAMSPORT	FRANK WHEELER	ERIE	164
WHAN	CHARLESTON (SC)	GENE ALLEN	VALLEJO	2400
WRHI	ROCK HILL	DON KASKEY	OMAHA	680
WFIG	SUMTER	GENE ALLEN	VALLEJO	2360
KRSD	RAPID CITY (SD)	RALPH SPERRY	FAIRFIELD (CT)	1400
WKRM	COLUMBIA (TN)	FRANK WHEELER	ERIE	564
WGRV	GREENEVILLE	FRANK WHEELER	ERIE	431
WKGJ	KNOXVILLE	GENE ALLEN	VALLEJO	2360
WHHM	MEMPHIS	GENE ALLEN	VALLEJO	1810
WOBT	UNION CITY	CHARLES MARTIN	SPRINGFIELD GDNS	795
WCDT	WINCHESTER	FRANK WHEELER	ERIE	575
KWKC	ABILENE (TX)	CHARLES MARTIN	SPRINGFIELD GDNS	1535
KAND	CORSICANA	GENE ALLEN	VALLEJO	1525
KDAH	EL PASO	CHARLES MARTIN	SPRINGFIELD GDNS	1895
KNAF	FREDERICKSBURG	DON KASKEY	OMAHA	740
KFPJ	GREENVILLE	CHARLES MARTIN	SPRINGFIELD GDNS	1320
KRBA	LUFKIN	FRANK WHEELER	ERIE	1087
KOLE	PORT ARTHUR	GENE ALLEN	VALLEJO	1730
KTXL	SAN ANGELO	GENE ALLEN	VALLEJO	1330
KVIC	VICTORIA	GENE ALLEN	VALLEJO	1600
KJAM	VERNAL (UT)	DON KASKEY	ERIE	740
WTWN	ST. JOHNSBURY (VT)	FRANK WHEELER	ERIE	430
WKCY	COVINGTON (VA)	FRANK WHEELER	ERIE	267
WHPF	ORFOWELL	FRANK WHEELER	ERIE	366
WJMA	HOPE	FRANK WHEELER	ERIE	292
KXRO	ABERDEEN (WA)	CHARLES MARTIN	SPRINGFIELD GDNS	2490
KPRW	PASCO	RON SCHILLER	AVENEL (NJ)	2700
KAPA	RAYMOND	HANK HOLBROOK	CHEVY CHASE	2370
KREM	SPOKANE	GENE ALLEN	VALLEJO	715
KIT	YAKIMA	CHARLES MARTIN	SPRINGFIELD GDNS	2275
WHAR	CLARKSBURG (WV)	FRANK WHEELER	ERIE	205
WEPJ	MARTINSBURG	FRANK WHEELER	ERIE	223
WMON	MONTGOMERY	GENE ALLEN	VALLEJO	2230
WEMP	MILWAUKEE (WI)	GENE ALLEN	VALLEJO	1840
WFHR	WISCONSIN RAPIDS	GENE ALLEN	VALLEJO	1455
KOMB	LARAMIE (WY)	GENE ALLEN	VALLEJO	925
KWOR	WORLD	CHARLES MARTIN	SPRINGFIELD GDNS	1725
WUNA	AGUADILLA (PR)	FRANK WHEELER	ERIE	1807
CKCR	REVELSTOKE (BC)	FRANK WHEELER	ERIE	1911
CKDA	VICTORIA	DON KASKEY	OMAHA	1430
CJLS	YARMOUTH (NS)	FRANK WHEELER	ERIE	697
CHAD	AMOS (PQ)	FRANK WHEELER	ERIE	458
CKDM	SASKATOON (SK)	GENE ALLEN	VALLEJO	1250
XEAR	MEXICALI (BCN)	GENE ALLEN	VALLEJO	545

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WKUL	CULLMAN (AL)	STEVE FRANCIS	ALCOA (TN)	220
WXOR	FLORENCE	ROBERT KRAMER	CHICAGO (IL)	490
WMRK	SELMA	JOE KURETH	UNIONTOWN (MD)	740
WFEB	SYLACAUGA	ROBERT KRAMER	CHICAGO	615
KIKO	MIAMI (AZ)	GENE ALLEN	VALLEJO (CA)	720
KPGE	PAGE	RICK CARR	BLOOMINGTON (IL)	1250
KENT	PRESCOTT	DON KASKEY	SACRAMENTO (CA)	575
KBTA	BATESVILLE (AR)	WAYNE HEINEN	COLORADO SPGS (CO)	760
KZNG	HOT SPRINGS	CARL DABELSTEIN	LINCOLN (NE)	470
KBRE	SPRINGDALE	DON DAVIS	WARREN RUBINS (GA)	640
KATA	ARATA (CA)	RICHARD E. WOOD	HILLO (HI)	261
KMWY	CATHEDRAL CITY	GENE ALLEN	VALLEJO	455
KMAK	FRESNO	RICHARD E. WOOD	HILLO	2452
KDOL	MOJAVE	GENE ALLEN	VALLEJO	310
KSFE	NEEDLES	JIM HILLIKER	ANAHEIM (CA)	199
KORV	OROVILLE	JIM HILLIKER	ANAHEIM	452

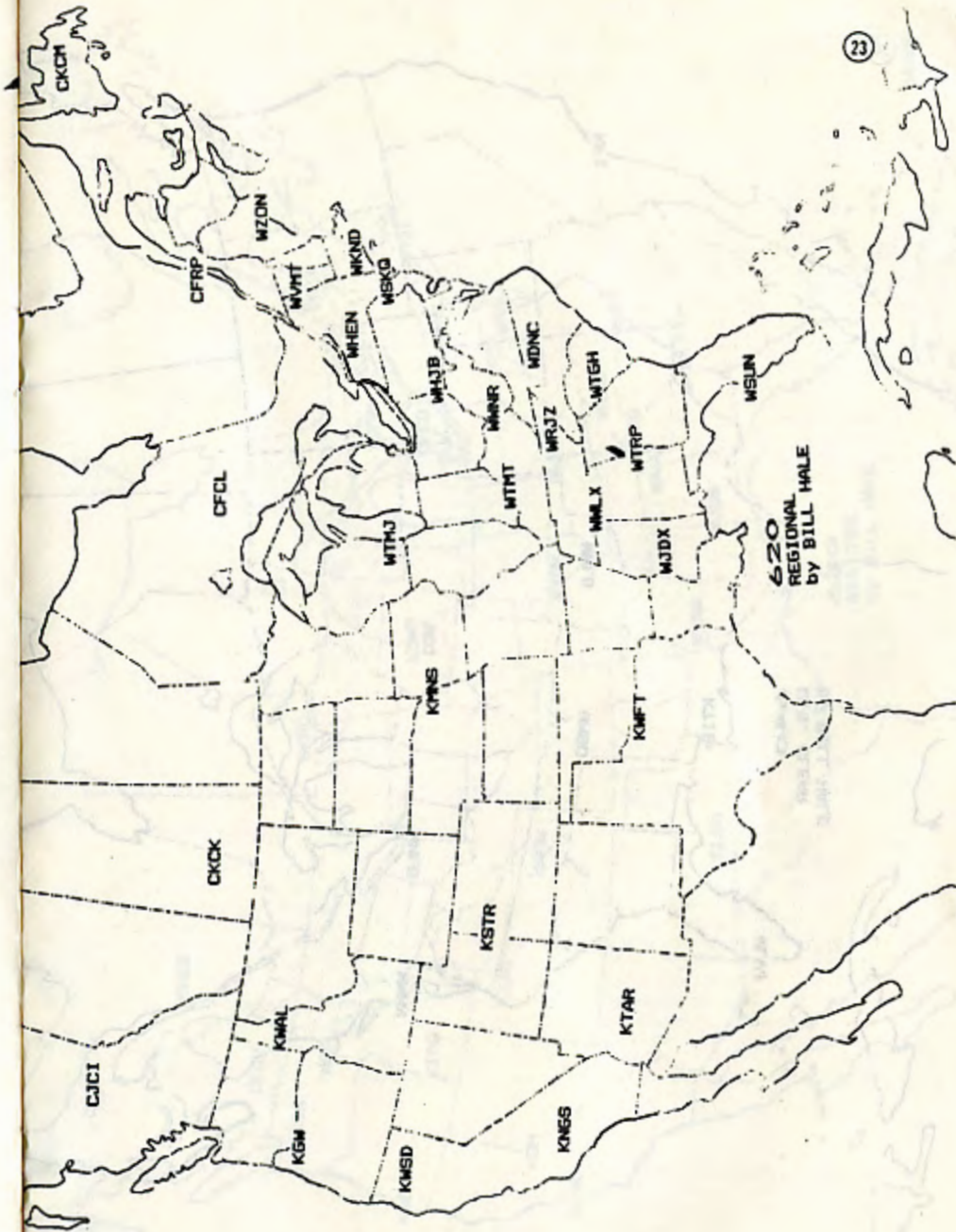
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KIST	SANTA BARBARA	RICHARD E. WOOD	HILLO	2393
KOMY	WATSONVILLE	JIM HILLIKER	ANAHEIM	305
KDEN	DENVER (CO)	CARL DABELSTEIN	OMAHA (NE)	480
KQIL	GRAND JUNCTION	BILL HARDY	ABERDEEN (WA)	845
WNHC	NEW HAVEN (CT)	ANDY RUGG	MONTREAL (PQ)	290
WUOK	WASHINGTON (DC)	ANDY RUGG	MONTREAL	480
WTAN	CLEARWATER (FL)	ALAN IMPRESCIA	NEW YORK (NY)	1000
WRDD	DAYTONA BEACH	ANDY RUGG	MONTREAL	1210
WTYS	MARIANNA	ERNEST WESOLOWSKI	OMAHA (NE)	925
WPBR	PALM BEACH	ERNEST COOPER	PROVINCETOWN (MA)	1195
WGAU	ATHENS (GA)	GEORGE SANTULLI	CRANFORD (NJ)	675
WGAU	ATHENS	RUSS EDMUNDS	PARSIPPANY (NJ) (TIE)	675
WIGO	ATLANTA	RUSS EDMUNDS	PARSIPPANY	743
WBBQ	AUGUSTA	RUSS EDMUNDS	PARSIPPANY	745
WGAA	CEDARTOWN	STEVE FRANCIS	ALCOA	160
WOKS	COLUMBUS	ROBERT KRAMER	CHICAGO	635
KSKI	HAILEY (ID)	GENE ALLEN	VALLEJO	575
KAIN	NAMPA	GENE ALLEN	VALLEJO	490
WSOY	DECATUR (IL)	CARL DABELSTEIN	LINCOLN	400
WJPF	HERRIN	GEORGE SANTULLI	CRANFORD	800
WJPF	HERRIN	RUSS EDMUNDS	PARSIPPANY (TIE)	800
WJOL	JOLIET	CARL DABELSTEIN	LINCOLN	440
WBIW	BEDFORD (IN)	JOHN BEUHLER	TOLEDO (OH)	270
WTRC	ELKHART	GEORGE SANTULLI	CRANFORD	605
WLBC	MUNCIE	CARL DABELSTEIN	LINCOLN	580
KROS	CLINTON (IA)	CARL DABELSTEIN	LINCOLN	330
KCKN	KANSAS CITY (KS)	CARL DABELSTEIN	OMAHA	153
KCKN	KANSAS CITY	DAVE MARGRITZ	OMAHA (TIE)	153
KSEK	PITTSBURGH	JEFF FALCONER	CLINTON (ON)	810
WCHI	ASHLAND (KY)	HARRY HAYES	GOULDSBORO (PA)	410
WBGN	BOWLING GREEN	CARL DABELSTEIN	OMAHA	585
WRBY	MURRAY	GEORGE SANTULLI	CRANFORD	820
WEXY	RICHMOND	CHRIS LUCAS	FAIRFIELD (CT)	635
KVOB	BASTROP (LA)	RICK CARR	AUSTIN (TX)	390
KRND	SHREVEPORT	FRANK WHEELER	ERIE (PA)	1005
WFAU	AUGUSTA (ME)	CHRIS LUCAS	FAIRFIELD	280
WHOU	HOUSTON	RODNEY VALDRON	PETTIT ROCHER (NB)	155
WNBH	NEW BEDFORD (MA)	JOE KURETH	UNIONTOWN	350
WBRK	PITTSFIELD	TIM KERFOOT	WESTON (ON)	320
WLEW	BAD AXE (MI)	MORRIS SORESENSEN	EMSDALE (ON)	215
WLAV	GRAND RAPIDS	BRUCE CONTI	WEST WARWICK (RI)	780
WCSR	HILLSDALE	GEORGE SANTULLI	CRANFORD	575
WMTE	MANISTEE	DAVE YOCIS	EAST LANSING (MI)	135
WAGN	MEMPHIS	RUSS EDMUNDS	PARSIPPANY	820
WEXL	ROYAL OAK	CHRIS LUCAS	FAIRFIELD	525
KQBR	BRAINERD (MN)	JERRY STARR	HUBBARD (OH)	760
KDLM	DETROIT LAKES	ANDY RUGG	WATEKLUO (ON)	775
WEVE	EVELETH	MORRIS SORESENSEN	LEAF RAPIDS (MB)	710
KROC	ROCHESTER	CARL DABELSTEIN	LINCOLN	300
KXED	MEXICO (MO)	ANDY RUGG	MONTREAL	1010
KLID	POPLAR BLUFF	JEFF KOSNET	CHICAGO (IL)	385
KSMO	SALEM	RICH EDDIE	ST. LOUIS (MO)	110
KICK	SPRINGFIELD	DAVE MAGRITZ	OMAHA	298
KICK	SPRINGFIELD	CARL DABELSTEIN	OMAHA (TIE)	298
KCAP	HELENA (MT)	DON KASKEY	SACRAMENTO	740
KPRK	LIVINGSTON	FOREST OSBORN	HODDER (OK)	775
KYLT	MISSOULA	GENE ALLEN	VALLEJO	745
KHUB	FREMONT (NE)	DON KASKEY	GALVA (IA)	100
KGFW	KEARNEY	CARL DABELSTEIN	OMAHA	165
KSID	SIDNEY	CARL DABELSTEIN	OMAHA	360
KRAM	LAS VEGAS (NV)	BILL HARDY	ABERDEEN	795
KBET	RENO	JIM HILLIKER	ANAHEIM	47
WDR	ATLANTIC CITY (NJ)	RICH EDDIE	ST. LOUIS	1015
WMD	ATLANTIC CITY (NJ)	DEBRA HIDDEN	ORLANDO (FL)	860
KHAP	AZTEC (NM)	GENE ALLEN	VALLEJO	790
KSIL	SILVER CITY	ROBERT WIEN	SAN JOSE (CA)	830
KKIT	TAOS	ROBERT WIEN	SAN JOSE	900
WMBO	AUBURN (NY)	GEORGE WALTON	EASTON (PA)	200
WENT	GLOVERSVILLE	JOE KURETH	UNIONTOWN	280
WKSJ	JAMESTOWN	ANDY RUGG	MONTREAL	355
WUSJ	LOCKPORT	CARL DABELSTEIN	LINCOLN	915
WMSA	MASSENA	RUSS EDMUNDS	PARSIPPANY	290
WALL	MIDDLETOWN	TIM KERFOOT	WESTON	320
WIRY	PLATTSBURG	JOE KURETH	UNIONTOWN	395
WUOD	GREENVILLE (NC)	GEORGE SANTULLI	CRANFORD	430
WJRI	LENOIR	RON MUSCO	WINDSOR (CT)	630
WTSB	LUMBERTON	RUSS EDMUNDS	SYRACUSE (NY)	605
WONI	WILMINGTON	ANDY RUGG	MONTREAL	810
WAIR	WINSTON-SALEM	ANDY RUGG	MONTREAL	745
KXPO	GRAFTON (ND)	RICK CARR	AUSTIN	1250
WNCO	ASHLAND (OH)	JEFF KOSNETT	CHICAGO	315
WUOB	ATHENS	RICK MOUNT	NELSONVILLE (OH)	10
WIZE	SPRINGFIELD	RICHARD WATERMAN	SOUTHWICK (MA)	590
WSTV	STUEBENVILLE	GEORGE WALTON	EASTON (PA)	330
KIHN	HUGO (OK)	CARL DABELSTEIN	OMAHA	500
KOCY	OKLAHOMA CITY	RICH EDDIE	ST. LOUIS	440
KTDW	SAND SPRINGS	KARL JETER	ATLANTA (GA)	675
KBRR	NORTH BEND	RICHARD E. WOOD	HILLO	2445
WVLI	CONNELLSVILLE (PA)	JOHN BEUHLER	UNIONTOWN (OH)	260
WMSJ	GROVE CITY	JERRY STARR	UNIONTOWN	300
WQYL	OIL CITY	JOE KURETH	UNIONTOWN	185
WHAT	PHILADELPHIA	JOHN BEUHLER	TOLEDO	470
WRAW	READING	JOHN BEUHLER	TOLEDO	415
WTRN	TYRONE	GEORGE WALTON	EASTON	180
WKRZ	WILKES-BARRE	TIM KERFOOT	WESTON	260
WMPA	WILLIAMSPORT	NEIL KAZORUSS	PAWTUCKET (RI)	300
WUKE	CHARLESTON (SC)	TIM KERFOOT	WESTON	780

WRHI	ROCK HILL	JOE KURETH	UNIONTOWN	385
WSSC	SUMTER	STEVE FRANCIS	ALCOA	240
KIJV	HURON (SD)	CARL LABELSTEIN	OMAHA	256
KRSD	HURON	DAVE MARGRITZ	OMAHA (TIE)	256
WBAC	RAPID CITY	CARL LABELSTEIN	OMAHA	405
WKRM	CLEVELAND (TN)	STEVE FRANCIS	ALCOA	67
WLDK	COLUMBIA	DAVE YOCIS	FAIRFIELD (CT)	840
KWKC	KNOXVILLE	ANDY RUGG	MONTREAL	830
KHLB	MERPHIS	GEORGE SANTULLI	CRANFORD	750
KAND	ABILENE (TX)	BRETT HANAVAN	CHULA VISTA (CA)	1085
KDUB	BURNET	CARL LABELSTEIN	LINCOLN	685
KRBA	CORSICANA	FRANK WHEELER	ERIE	1120
KPDN	LUBBOCK	GENE ALLEN	VALLEJO	1195
KOLE	LUFKIN	CARL LABELSTEIN	LINCOLN	660
KTEO	PAMPA	ROBERT KRAMER	CHICAGO	840
KVIC	PORT ARTHUR	ALAN IMPRESCIA	NEW YORK	1400
KMTI	SAN ANGELO	WAYNE HEINEN	COLORADO SPGS	590
MTWN	VICTORIA	CARL LABELSTEIN	LINCOLN	590
WKEY	MANTI (UT)	GENE NIX	BILLINGS (MT)	465
WHAP	ST. JOHNBURY (VT)	TIM KERFOOT	WESTON	360
WJMA	COVINGTON (VA)	TIM KERFOOT	WESTON	430
KSMK	HOPEWELL	SHARON WATERMAN	SOUTHWICK (MA)	405
WOKI	ORANGE	TIM KERFOOT	WESTON	400
WHAR	KENNEWICK (WA)	DON KASKEY	SACRAMENTO	545
WEPM	CHARLESTON (WV)	TIM KERFOOT	WESTON	780
WMON	CLARKSBURG	BRUCE CONTI	WEST WARWICK	490
WXEE	MARTINSBURG	NEIL KAZARUSS	PAWUCKETT	385
WLDY	MONTGOMERY	RODNEY VALDRON	PETIT ROCHEK	1030
WRIT	WELCH	JEFF KOSNETT	CHARLESTON (WV)	60
KSGT	LADYSMITH (WI)	JOE KURETH	UNIONTOWN	810
KYCN	MILWAUKEE	ANDY RUGG	MONTREAL	715
KWOR	JACKSON HOLE (WY)	ROBERT KRAMER	CHICAGO	1175
CIVH	WHEATLAND	GENE ALLEN	VALLEJO	965
CF6B	WORLAND	WAYNE HEINEN	COLORADO SP6S	400
CFYK	VANDEHOOF	RICHARD E. WOOD	HIL0	3025
CJLS	HAPPY VALLEY (NF)	RODNEY VALDRON	PETIT ROCHEK	350
CKNR	YELLOWKNIFE (NWT)	MORRIS SORENSEN	GODS NARROWS (MB)	700
CFCH	YARMOUTH (NS)	RODNEY VALDRON	PETIT ROCHEK	290
CKAR-1	ELLIOT LAKE (ON)	GEORGE WALTON	EASTON	610
CKDK	HEARST	MORRIS SORENSEN	LEAF RAPIDS	840
CHAD	PARRY SOUND	TIM KERFOOT	WESTON	110
CJAN	WOODSTOCK	RODNEY VALDRON	PETIT ROCHEK	795
CHRD	AMOS (PQ)	TIM KERFOOT	WESTON	320
CKMG	ASBESTOS	TIM KERFOOT	WESTON	380
CJQC	CABANO	ANDY RUGG	MONTREAL	280
CBGN	DRUMMONDVILLE	ANDY RUGG	MONTREAL	70
CKVT	MANIWAKI	TIM KERFOOT	WESTON	240
CFSL	QUEBEC	ANDY RUGG	MONTREAL	155
ZBM-2	STE-ANNE-DES-MONTS	RODNEY VALDRON	MONTREAL	100
XEAA	TEMISCAMINGUE	TIM KERFOOT	PETIT ROCHEK	200
XECW	WEYBURN (SA)	CARL LABELSTEIN	WESTON	670
	HAMILTON (BERMUDA)	RODNEY VALDRON	OMAHA	920
	MEXICALI (BCN)	DON KASKEY	SACRAMENTO	540
	LOS MOCHIS (SN)	RICHARD E. WOOD	HILU	2422

Herein lies the 1340 KhZ GYDXA for all to see. If you can equal, exceed or add to these listings, get them in to GY headquarters pronto. 1400 is next. Deadline will be two weeks after the date on this 'DX NEWS'. Please submit your data in the format I use to make things easier editing. Thanks and 73 *Bill*

NATIONAL RADIO CLUB DX AUDIO SERVICE

On the August edition of the DX Audio Service you will find interesting articles about the independent local radio stations in England, Laser 558, a new call signal with a "U" and more. The DX Audio Service would like to hear from more visually impaired DX'ers who are interested in broadcast band dx. Have them contact HQ or Fred Vobbe, 706 McKenzie, Lima, OH 45805-1835. The cost to subscribe is \$25.00 per year, and \$3.00 for a sample tape.



Unlike the spartan facilities of many religion-formatted stations, WBMI's sophisticatedly equipped studio and office complex rivals that of any commercial station. The offices are on the eleventh floor of Crowell Hall, main building of the Moody campus. Studio space is on the tenth floor and eighth floor of Crowell Hall. In fact, the station operates from four control rooms and three studios - for AM, PM, and the Moody Broadcasting Network. The Network broadcasts via satellite to over 200 radio stations in the US, Canada, and Mexico. All satellite programs are produced in this complex. MBN programs are broadcast 24 hours a day to stations from Florida to KJNP, North Pole, Alaska. Most of the daily programs are bible studies, and other evangelic broadcasts, and, in the evening, the network airs the Open Line, a telephone talk show hosted by Tedd Seelye.

On the eighth floor is the original studio. With a thirty foot high ceiling, and both an organ and grand piano, a large choir can comfortably sing here. According to Tom Sommerville, this studio consumes more electricity than does the AM transmitter! The studio - a relic from another era, yet still used - is in front of three new control rooms and studios - built for the expanding satellite broadcasting. They are equipped with the latest state of the air facilities.

WBMI - AM employs 10 full time employees, and five part timers, all of whom are dedicated Christians.

WBMI Addison Facilities

Since the late 1920's, the WBMI transmitter has been located at Addison. 20 miles west of the Institute. The 5000 watt non-directional daytime station uses a single tower, 400 feet in height. WBMI-FM, 90.1Mhz, transmits from the top of the John Hancock Tower, the nation's third tallest. The AM transmitter is on a 40 acre site. A family lives in a house at this site. The husband works at the MBI AV center, and his wife, who has a FCC first class license, is qualified to trouble shoot and fix malfunctions in the transmitter system. Additionally, the family mows the 40 acres, and keeps up the property in exchange for free housing.

WBMI has always been a daytime station, protecting both WBT and KPAB. It signs on the air as early as 5:30AM in the summer, and at 7:15 in December. Sign off is at local sunset.

WBMI AM and FM are but two of eleven AM and FM stations owned by Moody. The other AM's are KMBI-1330 Spokane, WGNB, St. Petersburg, FL., and WDLN-960 in Moline, Illinois. Moody FM stations broadcast in Chattanooga, Spokane, Cleveland, St. Petersburg, Boynton Beach, and Moline. On an average broadcast day, the network airs a total of 216 hours of programming on its own stations, in addition to the taped ministries aired on more than 300 stations internationally.

WBMI-To Present Quality Christian Radio

WBMI AM and FM programming is planned so that when talk is programmed for one station, the other is broadcasting music, serving as an alternative.

WBMI's most popular show is Morning Clock, simulcast on both stations. Morning Clock regales Chicago with inspirational music, traffic reports, weather, and a feature "Your Garden", all hosted by Bob Murfin. Also during AM drive are Chuck Swindall's "Insight for Living", "Grace to You" with Dr. John MacArthur, and Dr. James Dobson's very popular "Focus on the Family". Other ministers are heard during the day, and from 3:00 to sign off, "Music in the Afternoon" drives Chicago home. As many as 78,000 people are estimated to listen to WBMI-AM during a drive time quarter hour.

News from both UPI audio and the wire service feed WBMI, as is news with a Christian perspective from the International Media Service, from Washington.

On Saturday, WBMI-AM becomes Radio Esperanza (Radio Hope), with all Spanish programming, and Sunday offers gospel music, preaching, and several children's programs, including Ranger Bill and The Children's Bible Hour.

All programming is to spread the teachings of Jesus and to glorify God. The station has never sold commercial time. It relies upon God, through the listenership for financial support. A survey has indicated that 42.5% of the station's listeners discovered WBMI through word of mouth. In a recent edition of the twice yearly listeners' guide, Tom Sommerville urges WBMI's listeners to invite their friends to tune in. And, to all of the readers of Station Profiles in the Chicago area, Tom's wish is echoed - WBMI AM and FM are two totally professional stations dedicated to serving the Lord.

STATION PROFILES...a Look at Radio in Amsterdam, New York.....

WCSS-1490 on your radio dial

In Amsterdam, New York, formerly famous for its carpet industry, the local

economy presently exports Cabbage Patch dolls. Coleco Industries is the city's main employer, as the carpet industry has migrated to the Sunbelt. The city's population has dwindled from a 1950's high of 38,000 to the present level of 21,000 people. And a good portion of the residents are informed and entertained by WCSS, 1490, the Community Service Station.

WCSS originally signed on the air in April, 1948, from its present Mainline Road location, on the northern edge of the Amsterdam population center, high on a plateau overlooking the Mohawk Valley. The white painted building, designed for a radio station, contains executive offices, a production studio, well-equipped record library, a spacious control room, and space for the preparation of local news for the station's extensive regional newscasts. The WCSS chief engineer has a large office, housing the Collins transmitter, in the rear of the building, and room is available for the sales staff.

The station's 173 foot high guyed tower is directly behind the studio-office building. The station's signal has been received, and verified in Fairfield, CT., and often receives reports from North and South Carolina.

WCSS programs heavily for the Amsterdam community, with in depth local and state newscasts during drive time, and during the noon hour. The station uses no network, but is fed news by the Associated Press. The news and information is supplemented by music ranging from oldies to country to Top 40. WCSS DJ's are not beyond playing polka and big band selections among the rock. On Sundays, WCSS features polkas from 11:30AM to 1:30PM, followed by a fine country music show for the afternoon. All music is taped, and a Carousel provides automated capabilities, used on weekdays from 12:30PM to 3:00PM, and from 6:00PM to the station's 10:00PM sign off.

WCSS provides local sports coverage, broadcasting live all Amsterdam High and Bishop Sully High football and basketball contests.

WCSS's programming is indeed an example of a Community Service Station, with its 1000 watt coverage of portions of Montgomery, Fulton, Saratoga, and Schoharie Counties.

We thank Station Manager Don Weaver for a tour of the station, and the information for this profile on his station.

-----WKOL - 1570 - Voice of the Mohawk Valley-----

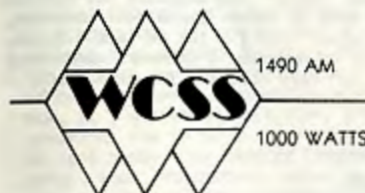
Amsterdam straddles two high hills on each side of the Mohawk River. As one drives up Market Street, one sees many 150 year old mansions in various stages of decay. At the crest of the bluff, at 126 Market towers the old MacGregor mansion, for years the residence of the sporting goods magnate. Today, it is conspicuous by the fresh yellow and red paint - and the sign "WKOL Broadcast Center".

Within the building, 1985 is left behind. Marble fireplaces (imported from Italy) adorn each room. Mahogany trim, printed wallpaper, faded with age, and towering ceilings greet the visitor, as does the sound of rock from the upstairs control room. WKOL formats contemporary hits - a contrast to the decor of the Victorian building, in which are at least two Philco floor model AM and FM radios.

WKOL - 1570 has served Amsterdam for many years, signing on at 6:00AM with the Julian Starr show, and features rock all day, although new GM Jeff Weber plans to tone the music down to appeal to an older audience. Both the American Entertainment and Information networks supply news to WKOL, whose dish is right outside the mansion.

WKOL's transmitter is on the side of a hill across the valley, two miles north of town, on Route 30. The station has been heard all over the northeast, and uses its 250 watts' PSA. It has broadcast country music for a time before going to its present CHR format. Better Broadcasting, Inc. purchased the station almost two years ago. More recently, Better Broadcasting has purchased Amsterdam's only FM station, 3KW WMVQ, 97.7 MHz. The FM will be moved to the MacGregor house, and a new FM studio will be built between the AM control room (in a former bedroom) and the production studio. The small newsroom and the General Manager's office, each with marble fireplace will be refurbished, making the Broadcast Center an attractive addition to downtown Amsterdam. The FM station's 145 foot tower will be replaced, and power increased so that the entire area will be covered by the station.

WKOL offers the seasonal high school football game of the week, and Sundays offer a Polish Program, a contemporary gospel show, two hours of Frank Sinatra, and, with the FM will come an Italian show and Spanish. GM Weber will add other programs after analyzing the tastes of the listening audience.



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MUSINGS

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Welcome to the double-trouble August edition of Musings! And nerds to the USPS for slowing up my July column, plus a few others to be printed in DXN. This issue, #29, is dedicated to the first-timers, and this time we have two DX'ers who have broken ranks of the unheard-from majority and Mused! Thanks, guys. #28 was intended to cover comments about the proposed 1605-1705 kHz expansion, and we did have a few comments that arrived in time, but a few more showed up in my mailbox later on, so you'll find references to that topic all through Musings this time. Perhaps that's the way it should be, anyway, as it's too important a topic to be shoehorned into one issue anyway, so let's hear from some of the rest of you, especially those who are now employed in broadcasting. A very heartfelt THANKS! to the entire committee for a terrific ANARCON '85, too; you done good. The deadline for #30 and its theme of Ah! Memories! will be Sept. 7 ... let's hear some of those tales of great DX, expeditions, conventions, and etc., whether true or otherwise. For #1, the re-intro issue, Mike 'n' Sue will let us know soon. #2's theme will be devoted to comments about your favorite AM stations, formats, and personalities (thanks to Mark Connelly for that one). I think that about covers it, so on with it!

A Catch/Change Situation

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Hello again; first, some area changes in radio. KDKA hired councilwoman Michelle Madoff to host a talk show 6-8 pm and bumps Doug (Nerd) Hoerth to KQV, who likes trivia. KDKA wanted to get back to issue-type shows. WTAE extends Myron Cape, currently 7-8 pm to 6-8 pm, and WLXZ-1360 now has a 6-hr, 6pm-midnight oldies and csw show with Terry Lee on Sunday, although this was a purely csw station. Also, WWO-860 cuts Porky "Daddio of the Raddio" Chedwick to one day a week, Saturdays, and now offers "Soundstream", "mellow sounds of today's artists and a cool breeze of jazz favorites" M-F, while on Sunday inspirational programming is heard. Well, incredible as it may seem, in my Muse of Issue 23 page 15, KOB was my top unheard, but if you noticed in DDXD, I actually heard them! Back to page 4, KOB blew in during a real good opening to the southwest just in between WABC at 4:28 pm and was coming in for at least a week way under, but noticeable; then they were gone and I suspect the same reasoning as Roger Winsor in his Muse in Issue 20, page 21, that they were ND. I don't think the CE believed me either; he hasn't answered! Also on that same morning of Feb. 13, WNC-790 Memphis was in real well after 3 am (and subsequent verie) as they are not heard at night here. Even at 4:25 am, a "Nxtalk-950 KPRC Houston" clear ID popped up thru WQBE/WJWJ Feb. 18 and 26 brought the xint tests of Dave Schmidt/WQIQ-1590 and James DeVan/WZAL-1540 as I even hears parts of WZAL on the 4 watt PSA. His "diploma-like" QSL really looked nice. On 2-26, with WCFL off, WIFX-1000 Jenkins, KY tested at 1:23 am + with csw mx, tone, and ID's with subsequent verie. Surprising thing about WIFX was that they were "clobbered" with a \$6200 fine including not performing weekly EES tests, see Issue 22 page 2. The Ides of March brought KHOG-1030 Farmington, AR heard one time only at 7:19-7:29 pm with csw mx and ads, but good enough for report and verie; KXLL-1100 Webb City, MO with a weak s/off u/WWE at 7:25 pm both on the first. (The Ides is the 15th, John -pls)

On March 7, infrequent WCTP-680 Corbin, KY was in at 7:05-7:30 pm with a local h. s. basketball playoff game. 2 days later, WNEF-1290 Binghamton, NY skated in during a northeast opening with an xlint signal at 7:10-8 pm and AHL Whalers hockey game. Sunday AM, 3-10 WJPC-950 Chicago danced in thru WQBE/WJWJ at 2:23 am with a promo and black mx, tentative report sent. Then, crazy as I am (No comments, Paul!) (Harh? -pls), slept, then up to hear WNN-1550 Vienna GA at 5:58 am and partial word-for-word s/on into RKO mx; 3:15 at 6:45 am caught the s/on of "Power Radio" WPRQ-870 Colonial Hts, TN and REL mx; on the 18th, I just heard part of a message from WPTH EC after his t/c at 1:06 am mentioning my name, along with Tom Connatser, Tony Fitzherbert, and Morris Sorenson about having our reports and others on hand, then gave the address; did anyone else hear this? What exactly did he say? Totals now at 1,209. Congratulations to Tony and Al Resnick for the outstanding WLS profile; enjoyed it thoroughly. 73's and Go Buccos!

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Where was I? Oh, yes! The Winter Arbitrons (Free Press, April 17) are out and I would like to share some thoughts with you. First, some statistics. WJR-AM and WJOL (WJW-FM) tied at 7.2. CKLW is back into the top ten for the first time since summer '81 at 4.0 and 9th place (in the fall it was .8). Someone obviously likes the Music of Your Life. WJW-AM is tied for 4th with WJLB-FM at 5.6 while WHYT (WJR-FM) is 7th at 5.0. Now, then, if you total all the shares of the top 10, you get 55.0 compared to 58.8 for the fall. Where did all the listeners go? To the less-than-top-10? To TV? To the library? All the winter's top ten lost ground except WRIF-FM +1, WQYT-AM +5, and WCYZ-FM +5. I suspect JR will pick up with the Tiger (Michigan Avenue Meeses) broadcasts, and maybe if the Wings start to catch fire. So far only the fans are visibly smoldering. I'll send the clipping to HQ and maybe there will be space for it. The really curious little number is WNIC, the area's only call on both AM and FM. FM gets 10th place at 3.9 and no AM rating. Out of

curiosity as much as anything else, I tuned both stations on two radios. They played the same songs by the same artists and some of the same ads at the same times, just a few seconds apart with different announcers. When the test of the Emergency Broadcast Net ended on AM, it started on FM. The same commercial preceded/followed the test. I suspect the whole thing is automated, although I'm not intrigued enough to pursue it. Let's look at some other figures. FM listeners outnumber AM 3-2. Last fall WJR and WHYT had 14.5 and WJW-WJOL had 15.6 for a total of 30.1. Now it's 12.2 and 12.8 respectively with a total of 2.5, a difference of 5.1. Just about what the gainers of the top ten picked up. Hmm. // The Capitol Cities and ABC merger really is shaking up the Detroit Media scene. Follow this if you can. Sell WXYZ-TV and WMT-FM. Keep JR, RIF, the cable companies and newspapers. Potential WIXIE buyers include Doubleday which in turn would sell WLZ-FM or Gannett Broadcasting which would sell WCYZ-FM. That would mean there still would be two properties (one a top 10) for sale. Who would sell what for what else? The Free Press article of April 14 doesn't say. Also interesting is the rumor that the radio voices in New York (WABC), Houston, Philadelphia, Chicago, and San Francisco would be sold to keep the TV stations and avoid trouble with FCC regs. In a bad pun and referring to last week's Musing, "What a diversification reception of stations this merger has." (I can hear Dinah washing her hands of this one, hi -pls) // Some other articles from the ham world should be of special interest to BCB listeners. One came in two parts, Ham Radio for March and April, in a discussion of optimizing a rhombic antenna (diamond-shaped) for all the ham bands. If someone ever decides to build one of these behemoths, it should have about 5 dB gain over a longwire of several wavelengths, i. e. an unterminated beverage. This of course means a lot of real estate; 8 wavelengths would be 4800 meters (15,744 ft.) or about 3 miles at 500 kc. Now, if I mentioned a 15,000+, you'd all drool, and this baby has more gain. Remember, a beverage has to be at least one wavelength to be effective and that's about 2,000 ft. at 500 kc (and these are medium frequency waves?) I suppose one could phase the two wires against other, too. Kamchatka, here we come. (My understanding is that a longer beverage than, say, 2,500 feet has a tighter directional pattern but not necessarily more gain than a shorter one. Am I right? -pls) 73 Magazine for October '83 has an article by Hopengarten and Clarke where they modify 3 beverage antennae with switching and impedance matching to achieve 6 unidirectional patterns. Child's play, or so it seems. Their wires are 220-325 feet long for shortwave use, but I don't see why it won't work with longer wires. For the really "strung out" antenna junkie, QST magazine ran an article called "The Effect of Real Ground on Antennas" in which James Rautio uses a computer to show what happens to the patterns of various types of antenna over good, bad, and indifferent ground. The 5th part in November, 1984 examines longwire and traveling wave patterns with wires from 1/8 wave to 2 waves long. Very interesting and I highly recommend this series. We can dream, can't we? // This looks like a good spot to stop for now. Time for dinner and other things.

Radio Roundup

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Greetings, all ... Former television Kiddie Show Host/Comedian Soupy Sales has traded in his pie-in-the-face antics for a mid-day microphone slot on WNBC-660. He will be sandwiched in between Imus and Howard Stern ... Red Barber (the Old Redhead) has received the Long Island University's George Polk Award in journalism for his contribution to the industry. He had been the voice of the Brooklyn Dodgers (1939-54), moving on to the New York Yankee organization (1954-1966). In his retirement, these past 17 years, he has written numerous articles for magazines and newspapers and has authored five books. He currently resides in Tallahassee, FL and does a weekly Friday morning spot on National Public Radio ... WJR has joined the ABC Information Network ... Bill Kamal has been appointed meteorologist for the Mutual Broadcasting System ... Herb Adderly, Bill Campbell, and Steve Fredericks will be in the booth covering Temple University Football on WCAU ... WCOL has dropped its oldies format for the lure of talk-news programming. The station will use the services of ABC Talk Radio ... WNNI has signed on with the Music Country Network to fill in the nighttime spot, 10:00 pm to 5:40 am, daily ... CBS Radio Sports is adding a new program to their line-up, Sunday nights 9-11 pm (ELT) when Jack Buck and Hank Stram host "The NFL Tonight", recapping Sunday's grid happenings ... CKGM's Aaron Rand has moved his act to CRCP and will be holding down the afternoon drive position ... KMOX's John Rooney will move to the network level, on CBS, doing weekend sports chores ... In Pittsburgh, WEEP-AM and WDSY-FM will be simulcasting in the morning. Their new morning team is comprised of Keith James and Gary Love with the music and John O'Malley on sports ... Doug Hoerth, formerly of KDKA, has landed on his feet at KQV, doing the 8-midnight talkshow shift ... Saturday night baseball has taken to the airwaves on the CBS Radio Network, with Lindsey Nelson, Brent Musburger, Curt Gowdy, Bill White, John Rooney, Johnny Bench, Dick Stockton, Jerry Coleman, and Ted Robinson all getting a chance in the rotation. In Canada, CHUM is asking the CTCR to approve their request for the purchase of CKGM ... WBOO has been added to the Mutual Radio Network's affiliates list ... Hollywood gossip columnist Rona Barrett has joined the staff of KFNB in Los Angeles ... In Schenectady, Bill Miller returns to the airwaves on WWVI. He had been with the powerful WGY five years ago ... Talkshow host Charles Travis is now doing a weekend afternoon spot on WSNB, after stints on WGSO and WJBO ... Rex Traile, the long-time radio/TV cowboy on WBE, has received the 1985 Award of Distinction, from Emerson College ... Yaesu has just announced the arrival of the FRG-8800 HF communications receiver. It is a smart-looking unit capable of reception from 150 kHz to 30 MHz (118 to 174 MHz is an option), all modes, twelve-channel memory, scan, two clocks, and

green LED display. One interesting frill is the SINPO graph display. This will find some acceptance among SWL'ers, no use for BCB DX'ers. Personally, I find both the SINPO and RST systems of reporting to be lacking and prefer a detailed evaluation in simple terms to be the best way to send a report to station engineers. This rig is set up to compete with the Kenwood R-2000 and ICOM's R-71 receivers. VHF/UHF radio listeners will be interested in Yaesu's new FRG-9600 receiver; it gets its kicks from tuning in the 60-905 MHz range ... Want to buy a radio station? WXYZ is on the block. Industry watchers indicate that upwards of a quarter of a million dollars will have to be put up for the acquisition of the station that the Lone Ranger galloped around on for so many years ... WJR has popped back into first place in the Detroit ratings. Other AM'ers in order: WWJ, CKLW, WXYZ ... The clearance level of network news in the local markets is dropping, according to a RADAR 30 report. While the major networks aren't in any real trouble, local stations prefer to run local news, with drop-ins from the network for national events ... KMBZ, Kansas City, has taken away the broadcast rights to University of Kansas men's varsity basketball and football teams ... WBNS, Milwaukee, has switched to an all-talk format from its c&w fare. In the process it picked up sportscaster Pat Sheridan from crosstown WISN ... Peter Marier is the new morning man on Montreal's CKGM ... United Stations, the new owners of the RKO Radio Networks, has canned 40 of its 130 employees in a cost-cutting move. The network is said to be losing \$35,000 a day ... International listeners will be happy to learn that Radio Five, the SWBC's top AM'er in Johannesburg, is now broadcasting in stereo ... Hope that everyone attending the various radio conventions has a nice time ... So much for now.

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A few comments from this end. I have started using the GE Superadio outside and notice quite a strange phenomenon. There is a noticeable difference in signal strength outside versus inside. 690 for instance is only KSTL in my apt., while outside WCKK can plainly be heard. I have also snatched WLIP u/WXZ in the daylight. (In our store, we can hear only KMPC-710 and KGIL-1260, both valley locals. TVI, fluorescent lights, and steel girders take care of the rest. Your building's electrical wiring can skew signals, also; try walking under electrical wires at crossroads in the country for a unique effect -pls) Now for WNOV, which never seems to skip out. SSS here after 8 pm is interesting with WMP-810 hrd easily to 8:15 s/off, same for KKIC-800, KTSS-1580. Cx seem to favor north here during the spring months, as WI hrd often at night. WTOQ-1590 Platteville was fun to listen to for the first time on night power with EB. That is my home town before living in Berwyn. Actually, I started my first log in P'ville. I have a question: on 890 in my Domestic Log I list WYAI Ridgeland MS 1000 DI and I have also written in a WQIS Laurel MS 10,000 DI. This cannot be; which is wrong? Which reminds me; is another updater coming out soon? Time lately has been diverted towards FM, and I am in the midst of compiling an up-to-date listing of UHF stations as this medium is rapidly expanding; many with 5 kw. Broadcasting Yearbook 1985 is out with many mistakes, as usual. No more freq. listing with powers, but was so off it doesn't matter. Our library also has the 1985 SRDS which is quite interesting to look through as the coverages of all commercial TV is shown along with info. The WFDPA is going to have an updated TV station guide upcoming. Is the SS on 1180 nitely VOA? What freq. is R. Marti on? (1180 -pls) I read where they finally went on the air.

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I have an embarrassing tale to tell. At the newspaper, I've been two and three people short for the past several months, and when a handful of responses came in to my note in DXChange, I laid them aside and failed to follow up. Even worse is what happened to "Mike of Kenosha". We closed a deal for some magazines via the telephone and when his letter and check arrived, I put it in my "as soon as possible" pile. The letter and check have disappeared. The letter and check contain the only reference that's been in my possession to Mike's last name and address. So if Mike will drop a line, we'll either send him the magazines or call off the debt, whichever he prefers. My sincere apologies. Meanwhile, there has been no BCB DX here, sad to say. Though I am still an NRC loyalist (it's my only remaining radio club at present after joining in March 1956), I may never get AM again. The old thrill of the chase doesn't entice me any more. I can't even get inspired when I look at my old veries from the '50's and '60's when I QSL'ed 50 countries and all continents from Texas. Russ Edmunds keeps telling me that a club history (or at least some reminiscences) from my perspective might be interesting, and I have threatened to write it ... but genealogy and the novice ham bands have taken what little hobby time I have. I do have a very good HQ-180C for which I will entertain offers. 73.

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Greetings all. I haven't reported in for some time. But as summer approaches, things are beginning to slow down at work, leaving more time for DX. I just got back from vacation (in Corbin and Lexington, KY) and managed to log 124 stations while I was away, mostly in GA, KY, and S. C. (the states I went through). I'm beginning to enjoy the challenge of "DX'ing" on the road. Good planning can pay off in a maximum of stations heard. I began by twisting the dials during the long drive through Georgia. This year I made out a hit list as the number of stations unheard in Georgia dwindled. And while in KY, I took some time to drive around and pick up the few KY stations that eluded me in the 18

years I lived here. On the home front, I managed to log WBHY-Mobile, AL on 840 while WAVE was on the fritz. I also heard WKAO-Boynton Beach, FL, still on 1510. Of the 13 new stations recently granted in Florida, 3 have listed phone numbers. One of them, WAPC-590, Clewiston is no longer in service. I had talked to them previously and they said they hoped to have their AM on soon. But they hadn't set a target date, so I'm not certain whether or not this station is on yet. WONO-1140 in Pine Hills said they hoped to be on in late July, and would be testing around that time. Power is 10 5000. Present address is Box 150707, Orlando, FL 32808 and format will be Spanish. WPSL-1590 in Port St. Lucie hopes to be on in Sept. I talked with owner Ray Sherwood. He said their format would be rock, with news and talk as well. Power is 10 500 and present address is Rt. 5, Box 166, Ft. Pierce, FL 33450. WVVX-1330 in Milton is still silent as is WZOR-1490 in Immokalee. I believe the sale of WZOR was recently denied. '73's.

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It's been a little since last Muse. Little DX done since I'm involved in other projects. I have done some AM bandscanning while taking my family on Sunday fishing outings in sw Cook County lakes. Fishing has been pretty good for us cane-pole users, as well as DX cx - just 5 miles west of home. That was satisfying. I was able to listen to WROK-1440 Rockford again, impossible to hear back at the apt. I tried unsuccessfully to log R. Marti last wk. It appears the schedule of 5:30 to 8 pm (that's 14 1/2 hours) is unfavorable to hear here. Gonna have to wait till fall. Unfortunately, I'm also gonna have to move soon due to being in a too-small apt. for growing children. I need 3 bdrms bad, as bad as a job I'd like working for the post office. I took the test 5-14 at the Villa Park COELM with some 700 others in the morning session. The much-awaited-for Chicago Radio Guide hit the newstands 5-9. Incredibly detailed. I hope HQ likes the premier copy I sent them. Continuing, I just listen to major league baseball daily. I did make a change in stns as I now listen to Cub day games on WIFB-1060 in sw MI instead of WGN. Network stns also hear a different opening tune, as WGN as their own promo and the network stns hear "Let's go, batter up ... it's a beautiful day for a ball game ..." If you haven't heard by now, announcer DeWayne Staats sounds so much like the Cardinals Jack Buck on KMOX. Continuing, local WLNK-106.3's talk show host Warren Freiberg was fired 5-22 after an incident on WLS-TV's "AM Chicago", on which Oprah Winfrey hosted a program of the nation's most obnoxious radio men, incl. WROK's Jerry Williams and others from Philly and Cleveland. Freiberg is a 25-yr. veteran of talk show "wars", and now the "talk of the town". His former employer, Johnson Publishing, o/o WJPC-950 Chicago is adding WJPC to soon be WJPC-FM. It is not needed in this market, believe me. That's it for a while. See you at ANARC-Milwaukee, hopefully. (You bet! -pls)

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In mid-March I visited my old home QTH of Leaf Rapids, Manitoba (600 mile NW of Winnipeg) where I lived and DX'ed from 1974-1980. Not much time for radio on this visit but when I did listen, conditions were highly auroral. What little I did hear has been reported to Dave Schmidt. Here in Milton conditions held up well until late April but have been terrible since. Most recent loggings were 4-26: WGEZ-1360 WI at 10:13 pm, WING-1410 OH at 10:21 pm, WIRE-1430 IN with ID u/local CJCL at 10:36 pm; 4-27: WTRN-970 PA u/semi-local WEER at 11:28 pm; WOKY-920 WI with ID u/WMMN at 11:41 pm. Halton Region Museum where I work has recently put together an exhibit on the history of man-made sound (musical instruments, record players, radio and television) from 1850 up to the present. Today I hosted a special reception and tour for DX'ers and other radio enthusiasts. About 12 people attended including NRC'er Dave Whatmough of Hamilton whom I last met at the CIDA convention in Kingston, ON circa 1973. Dave and I had a good discussion on all aspects of radio. Bill Frankling of Toronto brought along a RACAL RA-17 military surplus communications receiver from circa 1960 (somewhat similar in appearance to the Collins R-390A) and we all took turns tuning it. While the turnout was not large, everyone seemed to have a good time. For anyone interested, the exhibit will remain at Halton Region Museum (near Milton) until late autumn. 73.

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Howdy from New Antenna Land. Hope this finds all well and happy. Winds took down the back legs of the 825' lw. It had tons of gain but was very non-directional, so nature helped me revamp. Now I end up with a 640-ft. lw, 2/3 of which is 2 ft. above salt water. It's super-directional to the north. Here's some new stuff caught on the new wire ... going back to 4-1, at 0240, local KLVJ-1480 SP, hrd KULX (ID is "K-double U-X") Hobbs, NM asking for collect calls, so I obliged. Seems they had xtr problems and had FCC OK to use their 5 kw day power at nite. They asked for a tape; still waiting for a verie. Hobbs is NW of here ... Thanks to Pete Nolan 6-3 finally bagged KHOG out of the 1030 pileup. I think I've got 'em all (for now, hi). 6-5: KXVI-1600 Plano, TX at 9:30 pm, very strong new one, directly north near Dallas ... 6-6 at 0030 I proved that the wire was doing something. With the R-2000 attenuator at max (30dB), local KRBE-1070 was S5 and KRLD-1080 Dallas (200 mi) was S8 and splashing on the local! At 0040, another Hobbs, NM station, this time KHOB-1390 dominating channel with oldies from '60's and '70's. Is this a new pipeline?

They were 500 w! To R-2000 owners, re: tuning speed buttons. Aside from slow-mid-fast, you can get intermediate speeds by pressing two adjacent buttons at once, an extra-slow by pressing all three, and an extra-fast by depressing all three (why do I sense the Japanese gearing up for the "tuning speed wars"?). This shows up most in scan mode. I'm pretty satisfied with the new rcvr. The only things I miss are an RIT control and maybe a few more memories. Have been mulling over a possible trade-up to an R71A - can't rationalize the price difference yet. Recently acquired a "DX Antenna Tuner" from Morning Dist., Hialeah, FL. Useless on BCB but works good with LW on lower SW and great with 65' window on upper SW. Has a neat ant. grounding position. That's about it from 95-degree land. Here's to an aurora-filled, static-free summer, and 73's.

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Hello to one and all. This is my first Musing, typed with a new ribbon, even! (You receive my Undying Gratitude Award for the new ribbon, hi! -pls) I have been a very casual radio listener for the last 12 years, up until last August, when I decided to jump in with both feet, to the point of becoming a ham operator. In the early '70's I was a member of the old NNRC for a number of years. I have been a member of the NRC since last December. I am 27, married, have a ten-month-old son and make my living selling scales. My wife after all these years can't understand this hobby, but she has been really good about my spending late nights in front of the radio. (My ex understood the hobby, Michael; it was me that she never understood, hi -pls) Medium wave is my first love, and I enjoy it much more than shortwave. I have learned a lot since joining the NRC. I have had the privilege of meeting with Don Kaskey, who is a thoroughly enjoyable man, as well as being a truly great DX'er. I think all in all the NRC is very well-run and supported. I look forward to each and every issue, finding them all informative. My MW equipment right now consists of a Sony ICF-6500W portable. I hope to obtain a Radio West Loop and a Superadio before the winter, however. My QTH is about 6 miles from the xr of KNSR-680 and 4 miles from KGO-810, wiping out those frequencies and about 10 kHz on each side. But generally DX is pretty good from here, with the Northwest and Montana coming in strong. I have yet, though, to log Arizona, though I have the other western states. I am determined to get it before year's end, however. Well, it's time to go. I want to thank everybody who contributes material to **DX News** for all that they have shared, for it makes for an enjoyable listening experience. 73 for now. (And thank YOU for sharing, Michael; we hope to see your name in this publication often -pls)

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A few summer notes ... Radio made the front page of the Johnson City **Press-Chronicle** 6-14, as a heavily-armed man took over WEMP-1420 radio for about 5 hours. Turns out to be a Vietnam vet who wanted to go on the air and to "tell the truth". The whole thing ended when Lyle Shelton walked out of the station with his wife. She carried the weapons out. A SWAT team had stood by and was just minutes away from going in. The paper did a super job of coverage, including a front page color picture of the station. Sad story, but something I'll keep in the files. Comments - since this is the "expansion muse" (1600-1800), I'll say this - who needs it? Even in the remote areas here, FM covers well; AM does fine too. But so many stations seem to be hurting-wise; why put more stations on the air on a band that promises poor to worse coverage? There's already enough stations between AM and FM; more are not needed. The recent rash of stations that went dark in the Pacific Northwest attest to this. Plus anyone who thinks that daytimers can switch to the new band can't claim that as an excuse either. Hopefully daytimers on the Canadian and Mexico clears will operate within a year's time or so at night. So ... the FCC ought to wise up and leave this whole mess alone. Regarding positive aspects of DX'ing and the NRC, to me it's the members who have become friends who mean the most to me. Tips and articles are fine, and used here, but the personal side of the hobby is fun also! To all who work hard, and do it year-round, thank you! Both my Kerry and I find **DX News** to be extremely professional, both in content and style. DX: 5-18: WYRV-770 Cedar Bluff VA in at 7:35 pm with ID and pop mx. New station, only on for a few months. A couple of GY'ers noted, MM 6-3, WFXV-1490 Middlesboro KY at 1:50 am, with clear ID and weather. Just 5 minutes earlier, caught WSDG-1490 Hartsville SC at 1:45 am with ads, and music. Another new clear-channel station, WGPC-1030 Floyd, VA, logged 6-8 at 4 pm. Very weak, even on 250' wire and loop with CHR mx with very country-sounding announcer! Couple of nice ones on 6-14, heard VOA-1540 Antigua relay at 10 pm with ID and VOA mx. (Is this a directional station?) Had the tape deck running, needed it for WSLC Roanoke, VA 6-10 at 11 pm with NRC NX and ID. Had to play the tape for Kerry to ID it! I'd like to hear from other DX'ers in NC, VA, TN, and WV to share tips with as well as general propagation conditions and radio news. Till later ... 73's.

Jerry Starr - c/o WHOT Radio - 401 N. Blaine - Youngstown, OH 44505

Greetings. Although I use the radio station for my mailing address, we actually live in the city of Hubbard, OH. If you read the papers or watch the TV you are probably familiar with Hubbard since the tornadoes in May wiped out a portion of the city. Over 100 homes were destroyed and several hundred houses damaged here in Hubbard, but fortunately our

neighborhood was spared. Within a mile of our home the town of Coalburg was literally wiped off the face of the earth, and in Wheatland an entire steel plant was leveled along with half of the town's houses and 90 percent of its businesses. It was an experience I hope to never have again. We know people who lost everything. Thanks to the NRC'ers who wrote or phoned to see if we were OK. During the emergency that followed WNO-1540 Niles, OH (which was also hit hard) was NSP for several days. WPIC-790 and WMGZ-1470 were off due to power loss but returned the next day. One tornado missed WMGZ's XR in Wheatland by less than a thousand feet. It remained unscathed somehow, all three towers standing a stone's throw from total devastation. FM'er WWTZ-102.9, licensed to Mercer, PA but actually in suburban Sharon, was not so lucky. They took a direct hit and the station was demolished. The self-supporting tower was not knocked over but actually crushed into a pile of twisted steel. The studio/XR building is gone; only the cement floor remains. They have no idea where the XR equipment ever came down. Three people were in the building at the time but they saw it coming and evacuated so they weren't seriously injured. No Youngstown stations were affected; the storms all passed north of the city. Although Warren and Cortland were also hit I did not notice extended hours for either WLAND-830 or WORG-1570 although both could have operated after sunset during the emergency if they wanted to. Since the entire city of Hubbard was without power for an extended period, I had only a small el-cheap-o portable to listen to so I couldn't determine if any unusual conditions existed from the extreme weather systems. 73 and good DX; see y'all in RI.

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For the 1984-85 season, by last serious fling at BCB DX was on Monday, May 20. The results were worthwhile. From 12:47-1:08 am, I took another report on the r/c of WPTH-1590. Perhaps this time they will return my PP card. The 940 Cuban was logged and reported from 2:10 to 2:27. In the evening, I took a quick look for the new Radio Marti, with no luck. However, I did notice unusually strong signals from the CBC Maritimers on 990, 1110, and 1140. So I made my umpteenth try for the long-elusive CJVA-810. And there it was! From 10:50 to 11:08 pm, neither CJAD nor WGY could dislodge it. Simultaneously, I took a report on Radio Paradise-824, at intervals between 10:33 and 11:17 pm. Veries are WPRO-1440 pp and WQIQ-1590 TEST. After 25 years of on-and-off BCB DX'ing, mainly from the Montreal area, my totals are 1,612 logged, and 1,531 veries, for a 95% reply rate. So far, this season has been discouraging for veries, with only 3 replies to 13 reports. All f/ups have been sent out, and I hope a few more come back. 73.

Carl W. Dabelstein - 8209 W. 78th St. - Overland Park, KS 66204

Greetings. It has been a while since my last Muse so I thought I'd drop off this brief one. This last season was probably my most unproductive in my 25 years as an NRC member. Only added the following veries: KVMA-630, KN2S-1340, KLSZ-1090, KLIT, 800, WIZO-1380 and KWPN-840. Total veries now at 2,220. Most recent new logging was KWPN-840, Nebraska's newest a few weeks back when they first signed on the air. Main reason for lack of DX activity this past season is my job. As some of you may know, I am a CPA specializing in Public Utility Rates and Regulation. The past few months have seen me spending time in Phoenix, San Diego, Denver, Portland, and Anchorage. I was able to talk to Wayne H. via landline a couple of times while in Denver, but sorry I was so busy we never got a chance to get together. Last week a tour of the Alascom satellite facilities took me to such exotic places in the 49th state as Bethel, Emonak, St. Mary's and Mountain Village, all on the western coast. You can't really imagine just what isolation is until you have been to some of these places! While in Bethel, I did have an opportunity to briefly stop by KYUK-580. Looks like I'm going to have to miss my fifth convention in a row as my schedule for the next several months will find me working on a Mountain Bell Telephone rate case during the month of July and then back to Portland-Vancouver for several weeks. On another subject, I have noticed the trend during the last few years of an ever-increasing interest in BCB DX. There have been different comments on preserving the verie collections of our departed members, the 50th anniversary book, the memory articles, etc. Although I don't know how practical, one thing I have often thought about is all the valuable BCB history that must exist on the recording tape of many of our members, particularly the longer-standing ones. There must literally be hundreds of very interesting tapes which, if they could be duplicated, would be a most interesting item to have in the way of history of our hobby. As examples would be any recordings of Radio Americas, the temporary BCB stations set up in Nevada especially for the A-bomb tests, Radio Caroline, some of the old Wolfman Jack programs, etc. Obviously, making tapes such as this would be no easy chore, but I would think there would be a sufficient market for these, similar to the Radio Canada cassettes, that it could justify the cost of production. Not being an audio engineer, I can only speculate as to the amount of work this would require, but it seems to me this would be at least as interesting as looking at old veries. I wonder what other members think of something like this? (I agree, but it would be quite a task -pls) I looked for Dick Truax at Indy but could not find his van at the place indicated. Sorry. 73's for now.

Steve Whitt - 103 Foxhall Road - Ipswich IP3 8JZ - England

Hello to everyone in the NRC. I've decided to produce a short "MUSE" just to

introduce myself as the new editor of the Medium Wave Circle here in England. The MWC has been producing Medium Wave News for 30 years under the direction of Ken Brownless until his death at the end of 1984. Further misfortune afflicted the club when Ken's replacement as editor, Charles Molloy, died shortly after taking over. Well, now I've been invited to edit the newsletter, and the first issue of MWN in its new-look format should be hitting the mailboxes within a couple of days. By the way, I'm 26 and single and my major source of income is as a professional electronics engineer, although I've been doing some freelance writing on radio subjects. I've been MW DX'ing for about ten years, and I've recently acquired my best receiver - a Motorola R390A (previous owner: U. S. forces in Germany!) As for the NRC, I'm impressed by the quantity of info in each issue; so much so that I was just about to join the NRC before I took over at the MWC where I got the "exchange" copy of DX News. I did buy a couple of your reprinted handbooks and was very pleased. I do have one gripe, however, regarding the lack of explanation for some of the abbreviations used - especially in the veri-signers section. (These are listed in the new member handbook, Steve -pls) Finally, before I go I thought I'd mention that despite a QTH with lots of electrical noise I've managed to QSL nearly 40 MW stations from your side of the pond. (Best verified is probably WPOP-1410). 73's. (Thanks for your contribution, Steve, and best of luck in your new editing duties. We're always glad to hear from European MW DX'ers ... and that's a cue to them to send Muses in, too; the Southern Pacific members are getting ahead of you! -pls)

Daydreaming

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I would like to offer a suggestion for a new type of contest for MW DX'ers. Recently, the Nashua Area Radio Club participated in a nation-wide field day contest for ham radio operators. The club set up about 15 different transmitters in one location, using various antennas and transmission modes. Other teams formed and did the same in different locations across the country. Basically, the object of the contest was to make as many contacts as possible from as many places as possible in one 24-hour time period from the same location. Preparation for the contest began on Friday, 6-21, with the set-up of the transmitters and the development of a game plan with practice sessions. The contest began nationally at 2 pm Saturday, 6-22. There was plenty of food and beer to keep the operators going with all transmitters running until the contest ended on Sunday, 6-23 at 2 pm; a lot of fun and excitement! Why couldn't MW DX'ers do the same? Yes! Different groups, like the New Englanders, Chicago Area DX'ers, or other contest teams, would assemble as many receivers and antenna configurations as possible at a prime location in their area, like Twentynine Palms in CA, KAZ's twentynine pines (hi!), or ERC's Cape Tip location. Verification could be by tape, or for more points by QSL. After the 24-hour contest period, each group would have to gather up all its receipts, prepare all the tapes and info, and submit its entry to the contest judges within a time limit, with extra time allowed for QSL's. It's a great way for area DX'ers to meet, and learn about different equipment and techniques. Perhaps it could be an all-club contest, getting IRCA and others involved. Anyone interested in participating in such an event? (It's a great idea, Bruce, and I see possibilities of MW clubs all over the world getting involved. Perhaps a 24-hour period during a selected week could be chosen. Paper veries are a little iffy, due to the time delay, but some members don't like tape veries, so perhaps two or three members could certify that they did indeed hear two of three call letters, frequency, or city of license instead. I nominate you to head up the committee to draw up the rules, and I'd be happy to help in publicity through my **Monitoring Times** column and through direct correspondence to other clubs. Sounds like a great ANARC and NRC conventions conversation topic -pls) /// If anyone in southern NH, the Boston area, or central MA needs a ride to the NRC Convention, drop me a line. **CUNRU!** 73's.

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Back home for the summer, breaking the consecutive-semester streak at five. The main project so far is redoing my permanent log. A batch of custom-drawn photocopied pages (sorted by frequency) will replace the RS ham logs with heards listed chronologically. Totals are being redone as well; call changes and the like will no longer be counted as heard, but frequency changes will. I never really went after call changes anyway, so I don't expect things to be affected too much. Besides, I'm not out to "wow" anyone with my totals - how can I when Ernie has 4000+ veries??? (He had to start somewhere, too! -pls) I have done some DX'ing lately; noteworthy notes from May include KQAA-1560 (SD #2), CHAM-1280 (heard as CJJD), and a pair on 1460 in WERN-MI and WERN-TN. Caracol-1040 was blasting WHO on 5-31. A tone possibly belonging to Cuba's 1180 jammer was noted there. 6-3: Brewers net BB on 1440, probably WNEL but no ID. 6-4: CRAC-730 mixing with XEX, first new Canadian in a long time here. On 910, several "T-91" ID's heard, likely WALT (oft-heard as WOKK). 6-12 was a good session, netting several needed KY daytimers. Otherwise, WOLW-950 signed off at 8 pm, a full 1:15 early. A trio of clear-busters to the southeast were heard between 8:30 and 8:45 in WBSW-1040, WTYN-1160, and WSAF-1180. 6-14: WOKK-1550, a pest in Tallahassee but new here. WCLE-1570 was on at 10:30 pm; "WCLE Channel 13" was heard. Do these guys have

pesa? New to my log either way. WIDS-570 is regularly heard since the frequency change, and carries CNN news. Times are ELT, receiver a stock ICF-6500W. I replaced the bad tubes in the SP-600 and it still didn't work, so I guess it's time to get it fixed. I dug the old AM radio out of Mom's 1971 Capri before it was hauled off; something new to play with. It's a Motorola TM570A. (The Motorolas from mid-'60's Mopars, the ones with thumbwheel tuning, are great, too, for DX and for sound quality -pls). And I'll be going to Roanoke VA twice in the next month, so anything unusual will be reported. Good DX until next time, whenever that is.

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Little MW DX has been done here, as I've been concentrating on rearranging, cleaning up, yardwork, and gardening to erase the mess left by the former roommate. TV DX has taken the forefront after the addition of a Winegard antenna and amp plus a Sanyo 4670 VCR to my DX toys. I also managed to acquire a pair of Kenwood KR-720's, and even after repairs to each the total cost was about 10% of their value. I'll most likely use at least one for FM DX'ing, as their sound quality is rather flat ... which is characteristic of Kenwood receivers of a few years ago. Speaking of VCR's, I note in several sources that at least two firms, Sony and Kodak, will be marketing 8 mm VCR's (and camcorders) which will have 24-hour hi-fi recording capabilities. The possibilities for both audio and video recording of DX with these machines are mind-boggling; although retail price will initially be over a thousand dollars for the VCR, its price is in line with others on the market. We should see the prices drop within a year, but considering the versatility of the machines they may be a bargain at any price. Remember, drop me a line if you are interested in trading airchecks of either AM or FM locals. 73.

Two gentlemen grace our pages for the first time; thanks, Charles and Chris, and don't be strangers to Musing!

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Howdy, all. After 5 or 6 years removal from the hobby, a reintroduction seems in order: I'm now 24, and have spent the past 3 1/2 years married to my wonderful wife, Melanie. A little over 10 months ago, we were blessed by the arrival of our first child, Andrew Christopher David, a robust lad of tempered disposition, sparkling eye, and charming smile. Okay, so my office is now a nursery, but we've decided to keep him anyway. My brother, Peter (the former WIFDA member), and I are again working together running Country/KQZ-WKQZ Collins/Hattiesburg, a Class A FM at 101.7 mHz. I've enjoyed settling down here after spending so much time "on the road", so to speak, floating from Gulf Coast market to market in the neurotic pursuit of ratings and glory like a radio gypsy. Anyway, some quick observations upon returning to the Broadcast Band: 1) Where did all these damn Cubans come from? 2) Wow, everyone's got digital tuners now. And they're cheap. I picked up a floor-sample DX-400 at the corner Radio Shack for \$50, and you can get in for less than \$200 now. 3) AM audio is better than I remember it. But don't bet the farm on AM Stereo saving the spectrum as a mass-appeal medium. Powering up the daytimers and opening the clears was a step forward, however. Watch for consideration to be granted daytimers in any future band-expansion scheme. I think the Commission has something kinky in mind here. 4) Some really inside dope on Radio Martí, direct from a shadowy but high-placed official in Washington: don't look for Fidel to retaliate unless the USIA goes full gonzo and buys time for VoA stations on Caribbean stations. My source also hinted at some rather interesting stuff concerning the technical end of Martí's broadcasts, but forbade any discussion of particulars. If anyone figures it out (i. e., it turns out to be true), I'll step forward and confirm. (Subliminal? -pls) Cloak-and-dagger junk. This Musing now far too long. Will pick up later. Good to be back with NRC. Best.

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The invitation for first-time Musers to participate in the August column gives me an opportunity to introduce myself as a new NRC member. I'm 63. I retired a year and a half ago with the thought in mind that now I would have plenty of time to DX, but somehow it hasn't yet worked out that way. Despite no more nine- and ten-hour days at the office and two to three hours a day spent on the commute, I'm more pressed for time now than when I was supposed to be working. (Or maybe I just don't want to admit that old age is slowing me down!) First became interested in radio as a teenager in Pennsylvania in the mid-1930's. A local furniture store sold outdated battery-operated radios, taken in trade, for a dollar each, and I picked up two Atwater-Kents and a set with an impressive drum dial which may have been a FADA. The latter, with its single-knob tuning, was, to me, a state-of-the-art receiver. With a little judicious switching of tubes, I was able to come up with a usable receiver. Of course, in those days, the money for batteries was sometimes hard to come by so we school boys often carried batteries and spare tubes (most on their last legs) from house to house so we could try out each others' receivers. In our town, I was the guy responsible for all those old radios being brought down from the attic, no doubt to the dismay of more than one parent. Still, it was a low-cost and fascinating hobby and the thrill of first hearing stations from far-away places like Birmingham, New Orleans, and Chicago was one that I remember fondly to this day. A shot while later I built my first shortwave receiver. (Old timers may recall the Doerle circuit, a regenerative detector and

two stages of audio, using a Type 19 and a Type 30 tube.) This led to QSL card collecting. One of my first was from Moscow and it was soon followed by a large packet of newspapers, magazines, and booklets lauding the achievements of Communism. Ever afterwards, until I left town, the postman looked at me with deep and snide suspicion. Dad wouldn't even look at the material. Mom cautioned me not to let anyone know I had it. Since those days, the responsibilities of raising a family, holding down a demanding job, moving about a little too frequently, etc., have pretty well kept me from systematicall DX'ing, but I hope to rectify that this winter. I recently was able to pick up an HQ-180A in pristine condition at a very reasonable price and this will become my main (perhaps only) receiver. So far, I have resisted the urge to make any "improvements" in it - a process which, in the past, has often resulted in great disappointment - but I did add a digital readout so now the HQ-180A really has all the features I look for in a receiver. It's true the counter still has some bugs in it - it won't work on the high band - but it's great on the first five bands. As I do most of my listening on the ECB, I'll wait and get the bugs out in the not-too-distant future, as they say, when that leisure time I expected to have finally materializes. Meanwhile, I expect some good DX with the HQ-180A this coming winter even though my present location is not optimum. Our house is on the side of a hill, surrounded by many trees, and with high, steep hills in all directions so I don't have a clear, low-angle shot in any direction. Still, I think perseverance will pay off, so you may be hearing from me in the "Domestic DX Digest" column this winter. Meanwhile, 73's to all.

Much Ado About Something

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Hello again; still very slow in verie returns, but many other things happening. First, I hope all of you enjoyed my article from the Pgh. Press in Issue #26. So far, one firm response from this area. The reader was so fascinated by our hobby, he has chosen to join our club, and hopefully will receive this, his first issue by the time this is written. So welcome Richard A. Guy, P-6877, to the NRC!! (Great, John! Keep up the good work -pls) Then on May 24, on WTRB-1250 cash giveaway contest, at 8:10 pm, Stan Savran (Sportstalk) mentioned to listen from 9-10 pm for "Shakin' All Over" by the Guess Who on the Jay Mitchell Oldies show and be the 9th caller. So, at 9:45 pm, I heard the song, called in, told Jay the song, and won \$100! Now I can stay with the NRC for at least 5 years and have change left over! ... Monday, June 10 was a sad day for Pirate fans including myself, and as most of you know by now, the former voice of the Pirates on KDKA, Bob Prince, died of cancer. I wrote a tribute and sent it to Mike; hopefully it will appear in an issue. However, I regret having written about his return on May 3 to the booth in another Muse, because that is now outdated. On that same day earlier, at 2 am, WJLY-1550 Braddock (a 12-13 mile drive from my home) was testing with many ID's and Crosby, Stills, Nash - Doobie Bros. mx. A phone call and letter to CE Tom Pesyna netted a friendly visit to the station (also WMYW Y-97 FM), but you wouldn't recognize the front, because it is a plain-looking building with no sign to mark it. However, they may have started renovating the front to look like a station and should be completed by the end of summer. The sale of WJAS-1320 to Tony Renda is off and he will keep WIXZ-1360; also WROA-1510 is still off the air. With the critical situation of my Pirates, KDKA has put talk announcer Chris Cross in the booth with Lanny Pratter and Jim Rooker to act as a cheerleader during and after games, but a sportswriter and Stan Savran have criticized the move as overdoing it too much. Also, with the Peterson firing, new GM Joe L. Brown returns to do a 1/2 question and answer show at 12:15 pm Sundays, previously done in the '60's and '70's up to 1976. Of veries for a May 23 reception, my sincerest thanks to NRC'er Jim Wallace, now news reporter at WVA-1170 for a very nice v/l, 2 c/m, and his card; thanx, Jim! Earlier, a 4-3 reception at 12 am netted a WLES-640 v/f whose signer, Jay Sanders, PD, is actually Gary Zamanski, once a next-door neighbor boyhood friend whom I grew up with back in the '60's; what a small world!! Other veries in include WLAND-830 v/l; WCEM-680 c/m; WVAN-1430 ppc; WMSO-640 c/m (nothing signed); WOAY-860 v/l; WRIN-1560 v/l; and WEAW-1330 f/up v/l and c/m, all v/s sent to Wayne. Finally, 3 new stations on June 14: WIOO-1000 good at 8:15 pm with MOR-oldies and ads; WJQT-1000 good at 8:42 pm s/off, but fading with the Lord's Prayer, and at 9:34 pm WEEV-850 with local ID during Phillies-Pirates game as they were in good for at least 25 minutes. That's it; take care; hope to see you in Plymouth. 73's!

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Greetings once again from the Bluegrass State. Absolutely nothing to relate concerning DX, as noise levels seem to be at an all-time high level here virtually all the times that I turn on the DX machines. But I have bits and pieces of at least two Pirates operating around 1613-1630, most often 1622. One was Radio North Coast Int'l and a second was WKUE. FNCI has been noted several times, though noise makes copy rough. This fall he should be more easily copied if still around. The ad in DXchange which ran in May for a couple SP-600's had errors in the prices. Also I still have the HQ-180A. Will pobably bring them along to the NRC Convention in RI on Labor Day if anyone wants one between now and then. And last, but not least, hope to see many of you at the annual Labor Day thing. More as it happens.

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Hi, everyone. I've meant to Muse a lot sooner, but a few things have got in the way. I'll get to those in a bit. The topic this time (last issue's topic; Jim's Muse rec'd after deadline -pls) is expansion of the band from 1605 to 1805. I'm not that

familiar with it, so maybe I'll get more in depth with my comments at a later date. I do know that daytimers will get first crack at the band and that the lowest power will be 5 kw. The groundwave won't be so great but the skywave should be okay for the BX'ers. As for the future, I suppose financially it should be okay for the daytimers to go full-time in that part of the band, but if they allow any more new stations, I can't see how many of those would be able to survive. Then, the next problem will be getting new receivers out that cover the expanded portion of the band. That will take time, plus getting the public used to the idea tht the AM band will be going "higher" than it does now. Sure, as a DX'er, I know I'll be able to hear those stations on my receiver, but right now, I still can't believe that regular broadcast sttions will take up that part of the band some day. Part of me likes the idea and part of me doesn't. It should be interesting to read the other comments in this issue. I haven't done too much DX'ing since 5-27. Since my last Masing in March, I've logged 14 new stns. Those are KEND-1110 in OR, hrd during a KRJA SP 3-3; XEP-Mexico on 1420; KBLF-1490 in Red Bluff, CA at 0306 s/off or 3-12; KLEO-1480 in KS during a rare KWIZ SP on 3-15; KUUY-870 in WY on 3-17 in partial KIEV null; also on 3-17 nabbed a weak WQXR-1560 from NY about 0600; CISL on 650 was in on 3-21 while KFI was testing and had OC at times; KHWY on 1030 with ID into MCN on 3-25 during KWVO SP; China on 1044 at 0626 ELT on 3-25; KIKS in CO on 990 at 0800 on 4-1; next was a most-wanted on 1240, KJOP-CA at 0500 on 4-5; then my best 1 kw catch on 4-5 at 0645 s/on was KQLX-ND on 890; on 4-8 I heard CKAY-BC on 1500; and my last new catch was on 5/27; hrd KNST-940 in AZ at 0400 while adj. channel KIU was running a talk show. Total hrd. is now 537. Veries are in from KEND-1110, KRDS-1190 on a f/up, KQLX-890, KBKN-1060, KUUY-870, WQXR-1560, KSWB-840 on a f/up, and KLLV-1560 in CO with a note saying I hrd them at 500 watts critical hours power. They plan to move to 1490 soon to go full-time. Total veries, 176. Not much time to DX or write for veries lately. When this is printed, I'll have been married on 7-14. On top of that, I lost my job at KYMS on 5-13. The new GM cut out the afternoon news and laid me off, saying there was nowhere else to fit me in. (I can relate to that treatment of newspersons, having gotten the same song-and-dance a couple of times -pls) So far, I've tried to get into IA with no luck. I'm working part-time at KSNM-1370, and I hope I won't have to stay there too long. They carry the SMN Stardust format and in sports they have the Dodgers. They also break the format with Spanish in the early morning hours from about 0800-1000 ELT and also have Gary Owens' Super Soundtracks program Saturdays from 1200-1500 and Sundays from 2200 to 0100. I hope to find a full-time job somewhere else soon. hope you all have a good summer; 'til next time, good DX and 73.

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This DX'er hasn't Mused in quite a while; I hope you have had a super DX season. Many things have happened here recently, with the shack being remodeled, graduating from high school, taking a girlfriend, and plans for college in the fall (aside from playing the Illinois State Lottery), DX'ing has taken a sort of back seat. Recently DX'ing has perked up again, with KFDI-1070 Wichita, KS being heard at 2212 CDT on 6-10-85 with wx warnings. 6-12 brought WOSH-1490 Oshkosh, WI in over WESL at 0107 CDT with a Miss Wisconsin Pageant promo, wx, and Ad Con. Fathers' Day (6-16) brought WSDR-1240 Sterling, IL at 0104 CDT with local mx/wx and csw mx, "Playing America's Music" promos, similar to WBGZ-1570. 6-21 netted me KSAI-1150 Salina, KS at 2306 CDT with local mx/wx and Talknet. KWIX-1230 Moberly, MO is now carrying Talknet at night. About that Muse about not getting your winnings from a radio station; I had recently won \$5,000 on KSD-FM here in St. Louis. What you have to do is go down to the studio location and fill out some forms, and, in my case, having my winning number verified. KSD-FM is owned by KUSA-550. Speaking of KUSA, there is a KUSA-TV in Denver, CO. On the subject of call letters, there is a KCBS-AM in San Francisco and a KCBS-TV in Los Angeles. Astonishing to see WNSY-1310 return to WGH; you could say "pretty please" if you wanted, say KPQP to return to KGB or KGLD to return to FWK.

(Say that to the FCC.) My three favorite stations: WRTH-590 because I like MYL, KXCK-630 because I like to hear Michael Jackson, Ray Briem, and Sally Jesse Raphael, and WIS-890 because I like to hear Top Forty rock on AM (WLAC-1510 should sound like WIS). About AM expansion: two local channels (1650, 1670), three clears (1630, 1640, and 1680) and five regionals (1610, 1620, 1660, 1690, and 1700) should be established. By the time you read this, I will probably be ASWLC's new FM-TV DX editor and will eliminate Bandscan. 73 and good DX for now. (I should be so lucky in winning from a station like you and John Malicky; the best I could do was a pizza from WDAF-610 and a Budweiser can holder and Frisbee from KIKS-1370, plus a \$25 savings bond from KALN-1370 in 1962 for writing a jingle. Who else in the NRC has won anything from a radio station? -pls)

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After a lengthy absence from these pages here I am again alive and well (thank goodness). Women and work in Florida and North Carolina have taken most of my time. 50 new entries have been made in my notebook. April 26 I was in LaBelle, FL, where I was able to listen a while longer. New ones noted on this trip were WNGI-1390 (ex WQGR), WKZY-770, WJCM-960, WBSB-980, WKXI-1000, WRCS-1050, WUIS-1110, WWO-1510 (ex WLIB), WRUM-1190, WIPC-1280. These were the Florida entries. WXY-1000, Robertsdale (Mobile) AL was also heard. Had a few surprises, too. WBZ-1030 almost blew me away one night. Cubans even took a night or two off (maybe) because one Sunday night Louisiana ruled as WTIX-690, WQUE-1280, WJBO-1150, and KWKH-1130 were received well from the other end of the Gulf. /// April 27 I came home for a week, and then went to North Carolina. I was 10 miles east of Sylva, NC (home of WRGC-680), 40 miles west of Asheville, and approximately 25 miles

northwest of Pisgah range, the transmitter home of Asheville's forever popular WKSJ-99.99 "KISS-FM", sister station to WISE-1310. At times they could be a first-class pest as they spread themselves all over FM creation. There were no real AM pests. I had fair success DX'ing around WRGC, as WPTP and WCNW were heard at times. Heard in the area from the Carolinas and Georgia were WEEG-880 (GA), WRKX-1320 (NC), WBBO-780 (NC), WFTZ-1070 (SC), WFGN-1180 (SC, ex 1570), WSAF-1180 (GA), WRKP-1450 (NC), WTOE-1470 (NC), WISB-1540 (SC), WLET-1420 (GA), WNNC-1230 (NC hrd o/local WSKY). Conditions varied as I was at times 3500-5500 feet up the mountain. I was hoping to log my 1200th station on this trip, but instead I'm 20 short. /// Some changes noted by sight and ear - WMOO is 660, now ex 1550, but not as receptive from this locale. KAAV-1090 is religiously oriented all the way now. (Does anyone else remember them from their KTHS days when they were MOR/TALK, in the '50's-'60's? -pls) WBSY-1230 is latest addition to Dick Bartley's "Solid Gold Saturday Night" in this area. Wish I knew a good area FM station that could carry him. Baton Rouge's "Q-100" doesn't come through regularly enough. WIBR-1300 is Adult Contemporary now, dropping the c&w. It is similar to the also-new WRVR-680, ex WRDZ. WYAM is on at 1240 with Adult Contemporary format. WYAT-990 is back in New Orleans with the same stuff they left with - all oldies, dropping the "light rock" format used by sister station WJLS. /// Question: Is WLWI-740 full-time now? Some country station disrupts my ball game from KIRH-740. KVMG is another guess, but since I'm listening on another radio, the Magnavox D8443 (the "vox box" I call it). It has AM, FM, and two SW bands. I may, before too long, be infested with interest in SW. I heard the program with ABC's Ray Briem on WERC-960 back before Christmas. At first I thought it would be a boring program, but it was very interesting. Wish a similarly-oriented thing could be presented on Talknet or Larry King - these two areas I'm more exposed to, or even again on ABC Talkradio, which is where it originated. Whew! Long absences bring more wind than expected; better close here, and save some for next time. 73. (I'm glad you mentioned the Ray Briem DX Special ... may I now inform you that the Second Ray Briem DX Special is tentatively scheduled to take place early in December, probably on the first Saturday morning, according to show producer Greg Hardison. Listen for some familiar DX'ers' voices on the show -pls)

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Just a quick Muse - heard WBIU-1210 (LA) on 6-29 with Bayou-1210 non-ID - logged 9-9:30 pm with modern c&w. Still in at 1:45 am with WCAU an easy null. Also WBCE-1200 is on - hrd 6-27 at 3:00 pm, weak, with REL ment. Serving 3-state area. KBOA-830 MO must have gone 10 kw as audible now, mixing with WOOD days. Biggest news here is that my 2' diagonal loop is back in action. It is amazing how it makes audible signals out of nothing. KJEL-750 is a weak regular now, as is KBOA and WBCE. It will definitely help my totals. 2 friends of mine are interested in making one after hearing and seeing it work. Total at 2922 - only new verie rod from WMSO sent CM of day/night pattern on 5-13. I'm going to do a show about DX'ing on WPTP, our local community FM station. I have been "Rocking Roger" for 1 year. We have a pgm called "Something Different from Last Week" and I will have a tape and dialogue for 1/2 hr. After we got a report from Rich Eddie People became aware of long-distance reception. 73.

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Now that the 1984-85 DX season is officially over, I decided to take a quick check of how things stand here. The past season saw 103 loggings for QSL requests; 86 were new catches, the rest re-reports. Out of the 103, 57 verified. Totals as of now for all time are 152/215, a little less than 75% QSL return rate. I wonder how that compares with other members? /// As of July 1, WOTW-900 (NH) has gone silent; trouble was a combination of loss of building to future condos, and the inability of the station to acquire a permanent license from the FCC. /// Because of the loss of WOTW, I took a listen to 900 kHz today, and bagged KWAJ-NY. /// Best catches of the past season include WQY-FL; WGSU-OH; KQEL-IA; WPTP-NC (the latter two dug out from under rather powerful dominant stations). Other listening activity these past few months have included chasing SW Utes, occasional ham-band DX, and even a little TV DX as conditions permit. The only two catches made so far on TV are KIVO-MO-3 and WQWV-NE-6, both confirmed. Despite the pathetic sunspot count, there is still some TV DX to be found! /// In preparation for the next DX season, I have a list of 31 "target" stations, that is, the ones I should be able to log with a little effort. The list varies from stations like WCAU and WBBM (easily heard, but unlogged for some reason) to real toughies like WSUB-980 CT and WNFV-910 VT. Anything caught that isn't on the list is, of course, appreciated. Hope all had a good season, and let's hope the 1985-86 season is the best yet!

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A fellow named Bob Birkby has written the history of KMA, Shenandoah, IA. The book, which will sell for \$9.95, will be available from KMA, Earl May Garden Centers, and selected book stores in the KMA service area. There is one item Bob Birkby tells me that I wonder is true. KMA was granted permission to move to 710 kc. in April, 1931. Bob says they actually operated on 710 for 30 days. I know that a hearing was held in October 1931 on KMA's application to move to 710 but WLW and WGN fought the move and won. Can anyone tell me if KMA actually operated on 710 on a regular basis or did they just test? The time would be April, May, and June 1931 ... or parts of any one of those months. Those who have Radex for that period might find something about it. Speaking of KMA, I would like to know if anyone has KMA program schedules for the period of 1933 to 1937. I have not been

able to find anything, including nothing at KMA. I just visited the station and they have nothing for that period. Any leads would be greatly appreciated. Also, I am interested in old program schedules of other stations, such as RMAJ, WIBW, KPFP, and WNAX. Did anyone collect them as a hobby? I have found only one other person who did. Still on KMA, I would like to know dates and times people verified KMA, who signed the verification, and if possible, what program, announcement, etc., they reported. In addition, I am interested what members might have on KMA. The station was founded by Earl May and when he died in 1946 his son took over. Soon his son, Edward, will retire, and the third May, young Eddie, will take over. Locally, nothing to report on WBYG-930, Sandwich. No building has been started and hoped-for fall start looks very doubtful. More like next spring is my guess.

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WOTW-900 Nashua, NH has been silent since approx. 1 Jul 1985. During late June, one of their preachers mentioned "Soon the bulldozers will be here to knock down the studio and the towers." I guess the wrecking crew arrived as planned. In WOTW's absence, WFOA (ME) dominates the channel here at Billerica. At a "phased mini-beverage" test site in Concord, MA (near GenRad), WJWL (DE), CKDH (NS), CKTS (QU), and an unidentified jumble of other signals were noted at midday with dominant WFOA phased. A high-gain, high-Q tuned amplifier was used between the phaser's output and the receiver's input. Tests will soon be run at West Yarmouth. I expect to hear the same stations there - WJWL should be stronger; CKTS weaker. I hope all are enjoying the summer. At GenRad a 50-hour work schedule is in effect, so I haven't had much time for DX or much else. Still, I'm thankful to be employed at a time when the electronics industry is in rather shaky condition. TA DX has been noted here around 11 pm to midnight EDT throughout the supposedly poor months of June and July. Most of the activity has been above 1300 kHz; southwest European biggies like 1467 and 1557 lead the way. The low-powered Spanish graveyards on 1584 arrive here most nights with uncanny consistency. Nothing particularly rare or exciting, however. I haven't seen much DX reported by East Coast DX'ers in the foreign columns lately. Hopefully, the traditional late-August improvement in TA cx will materialize and thereby reactivate the eastern US DX contingent. (We of the western contingent could use some wake-up, too, hi! -pls)

Radio Roundup

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Greetings, all ... On June 15, WPOP celebrated its 50th anniversary. The station began its operation as WFE, FOR ONE DAY ONLY; the following day it assumed the identity of WRBC, later changing to WPOP. The station is currently owned by Merv Griffen and is an all-news operation ... Jack Spector, one of the original Good Guys on WJN, and lately the host of the Saturday Night Sock Hop on WCBS-FM, is moving back to the AM radio dial in the Big Apple. As of August 5, he will be handling an evening sports talk show on WRBC ... WCAU will carry Villanova Basketball games this season ... ABC is consolidating all of its San Francisco operations into one facility on Front Street ... In Kansas City, newsman Bill Cannady has moved from KBEA to KMOX (St. Louis -pls) ... Japan's largest commercial AM network, JRN, with 33 affiliates, has recently sent a contingent to visit many U. S. stations to view their operations ... In Cleveland, a game of musical chairs is developing. WWWE-AM, WDOR-FM, and WJW have all been sold. Formats, DJ's, and call letters are moving all around. WJW becomes WRMR. The former WJW news-talk staff moves over to WWWE, along with the rights to the Cleveland Browns and Indians games. WWWE also has the rights to the Cavaliers. WRMR has an entirely new air staff. Boy, you can't tell your players without a score card in Cleveland ... WCEY-FM is also taking on AM chores in Detroit, assuming control of the 1500 radio spot, as WCEY-AM. The former occupant of that frequency was WLQV, a religious broadcaster ... KJJJ, in Phoenix, is switching to a talk-news format ... KZZP-AM is going with a contemporary format, courtesy of the Satellite Music Network, in August ... In September, WYAT-FM, in New Orleans, will be going full time with its oldies format, having received FCC approval ... Miami's oldest radio station, WQAM, is being sold to Sunshine Wireless ... WJRY's Bob McDougall has moved over to the morning slot on WJWB, in Albany ... WNAB, in Bridgeport, which has been silent for many months, has been sold, and hopes to be back on the air by the end of July ... Hope that everyone will have fun at the upcoming conventions. I recently changed my amateur radio call letters. K212 is now on the air, the last 2x1 K call to be issued in the first call area. It is a bit distinctive and has garnered a lot of interest on the air. This summer the students and I have been involved with vhf activities, trying to receive direct transmissions from the Space Shuttle. In addition, I serve on the cable television advisory council and the E-911 (telephone emergency services) committees for the local town government. Thus have been kept busy doing a variety of communications tasks. So much for now.

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Here's an update from the Rockies. In a word, NOISE. T-storms have been a daily occurrence since mid-May with no sign of letting up. Great for the new sod, bad for any DX. RI in '85 is definitely out for me; my fellow NRC members will have to do it without me. I've mentioned my sod already, but not the killer: if you want a good yard in Colorado without such hours with hoses and sprinklers, an underground sprinkler system with a timer is the answer. Now everyone in the NRC knows why I can't go to RI or ANARC! Veries still trickle in; most recent v/f CFFR-660 about 15 months with no f/up. V/1 KTXZ-1560 (4 months, no f/up) and a nice v/f from former (or is he still?) NRC'er Bob Greenlee at

KHCO-1190 (ex-WADE). Totals now 1195 heard/1033 verified; that's about 86.5% lifetime. This is prior to '84-'85 season f/ups. I think it's still in the DX'er's favor from a verification standpoint. After reading Tom Farmerie's Dusty Dials on Hank Tyndall, my only comment is GIGO: you get out of a verification what you put in. Me? I like 'em and collect them. If for nothing else I can look through them, remembering the fun I've had getting them. Sure, I can fake 'em if I want, but I HAVE TO LIVE WITH ME! Hopefully Tom's advice to those out to impress others will be heeded. This a hobby for fun and pleasure; if you want competition go out and compete in the corporate world or the sports arena. Keep your hobby what it is, an enjoyable sociable pastime. Enough on that subject from these parts. Fact is, that's it for this MUSE. Get ready '85-'86, here we come!!! (I'm with you on your comments about the hobby, Wayne. And my hat is off to Tom for such a sensitive treatment of a touchy subject -pls)

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Greetings from the cornfields of Southern Minnesota. I haven't Mused for about a year and thought I would let fellow DX'ers know "How Is DX from Minnesota". The 1984-85 KDX season was very good to me. I logged a few new countries that really caught me by surprise ... Fiji-774 was quite common here from November '84-March '85. Fiji at times put in such a strong signal that at times it caused splatter to the powerhouse stations on 770 and 780! Fiji has a format of Hindi-type mx and the strangest local-sounding mx that defies description. (That describes what I hear up and down my alley, hi!) It is my hope this coming fall and winter season that all eastern DX'ers can add this station to their logs. On 756 KHz New Zealand was quite common. I can't tell all of you the thrill of hearing the announcer say, "And now for the New Zealand news" at 6 am local time ... it sure makes getting to sleep difficult. New Zealand could be logged better, it seems, an hour or so before local sunrise, 6 am (1100 GMT) till shortly after sunrise. Fiji-774 on the other hand would start showing carrier as early as 1 am local (0700 GMT) and peak about 3 am-4 am local time. New Zealand-754 often faded out rapidly, whereas Fiji had slow, deep fades. I noticed that when New Zealand was putting very good signals Fiji was down in strength and vice-versa. Another good logging is Australia on 765 KHz. It is less dependable but at times can put in listenable signals. Tahiti-738 can really put a het on 740. I use this het to take notice of band openings to the Pacific area. Tahiti, like Fiji, starts showing activity about 1 am local and later. An interesting note to the east coasters is that NO Pacific DX was heard above 1100 kHz. It seems higher band openings are much less common? Any ideas on that? I can't explain it! Other frequencies of interest are 1044, 1035, 1026, 1017, 1008 to the Pacific, and since you're up that early, give a listen for Lima, Peru on 854 KHz. Lima on 854 back in the early 70's was often heard during the evening hours quite well. Now it seems to be a regular in the early morning hours and rarely heard in the evening here in the midwest. Many may wonder why I am up so late in the morning. I work for a communications manufacturer that requires my body to be present from 4 pm to 2:30 am ... and yes, I find quite useful to bring my brain ... Ha, Ha. (Mine might go along for the ride, but I'd need a kick-starter to get it going at that time of the night -pls) My normal listening is from 3 am to 5 am weekdays and regular evening hours during the weekends. My DX'ing gear is a Drake R-7, HQ-150, and my trusty Kowalski Loop plus a few odds and ends. Something that may be a surprise to many is that all the loggings mentioned earlier were made with the HQ-150 and the loop! The R-7 it seems even with narrower filters just doesn't make a worthwhile BCB DX machine. Works excellent above 1.7 MHz but below that domestics are the rule. The ol' 150 works rings around the R-7, at least mine, for listening to splits. I wouldn't part with my 150; it's a real classic. If anyone knows of any modifications for the R-7 please let me know and also I would be interested if this is just common to my R-7? (No! -pls) When I wrote my last Muse over a year ago when I lived 250 miles further north. I now live in southern Minnesota on a large farmstead outside of Waseca. My home is surrounded by acres of flat farm land (nearest neighbor is 1/3 mile), and makes an ideal place for erecting a few beverages. I am gathering material to put up beverages to the west 1500+ ft., to the SE about 1500+ ft and possibly one to the NE about 1000+ ft. It will depend on how much material I can find. I have no real night-time locals here, and only one daytimer. When the fall season is upon us I'll gladly assist DX'ers to log Pacific stations. I realize how difficult it is with megawatts of RF floating around your radios from the high density of broadcast stations in your areas ... don't give up! This DX season is going to be the best ever! Well, I guess enough said. Many thanks to those members that contribute often to the newsletter, and a special thank-you to the members that give their time and efforts unselfishly. Good DX to all! (Thanks for your excellent tips, Bill; we'll be looking for Pacific openings this fall! And now, a question for the NRC propagation experts; is Bill the lucky recipient of double or triple hop reception to his specific area, or can anyone in the western U. S. expect the same Pacific reception? -pls)

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Thanks to George Malfinger of Greenville, SC for his response to my request for information in the issue 27 Musings. That was for info on the National LF receiver-type HAL. George promptly sent me the schematic. On a similar subject, a year or so ago, in DKN, a member was looking for a Hallicrafters SX-122. I have leads on two of them; both for sale and both owned by hams. Write to me for details. DX'ing so far this summer has been from my location on the OR coast using the XCR-30/Martens loop combination. Conditions have been fair with enough new ones to keep it interesting. Good signals from HI are common. Nothing such else TP. More if it happens.

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Greetings all ... Panasonic radio has announced a new model to their Command series line-up, dubbed the RP-B600. This unit covers nine bands, offers listeners manual or electronic tuning, nine memories, S-meter (instead of those dreadful, in my opinion, LED's) (Amen! -pls), and bass and treble controls to tailor the audio to your personal delight ... Kay Kyser, the professor-host of the Kollege of Musical Knowledge, has died at age 79 of a heart attack ... WMCA-570 has become an affiliate of the CNN Radio Network ... WPTX has gone Stereo ... While July 13 was Live Aid day, and my birthday, it was also the day that WKTU-FM changed its calls to WXRK and its format to hard rock ... WINS is still leading in the Big Apple All-News rating race in the latest Arbitrons ... WEEI, Boston's all-news, is fine-tuning its format just a bit, adding more sports programming, a cooking show, helicopter and phone-in show on old-time radio ... WHAT, in Philadelphia, is changing its music programming to appeal to a "more mature Black audience." ... WCAU's reporter Gesa Sklaroff did live reports for Radio Munich, in her native German, during the Live Aid concert ... KGIL, in San Fernando, CA has switched from its top-40 format to all-talk. Former KNX personality Stan Bohmer will hold down the early-morning weekday spot ... My favorite sports announcer, Jack Buck, has taken over the host of KMGX's Saturday Morning Comedy Show, taking over following the death of a radio giant, Jack Carney. This show is syndicated in other markets ... CJAD's top-rated radio phone-in show host Neil McKenty is packing it in after 14 years, to devote more time to his writing ... WINE-940's new morning man is Al Matthews. He is one of the best announcers to hit this lazy-tired market ever. He had been on WVIP, and recently has been freelancing at WCBS-FM and other stations in the area. He is also an amateur radio operator. If anyone has trouble getting a QSL from WINE, just let me know and I'll try to help out ... A new book entitled Computer Programs for Amateur Radio by Wayne Overback and James Steffen has just hit the bookstores. It is full of many radio-oriented programs that BCB DX'ers will find applicable. The programs are written in BASIC and can be used for the Apple, IBM PC, TRS-80, and Commodore 64. A disk, with the programs already type in, is available, to accompany this text, at additional cost ... So much for now.

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A little DX ... I've been hearing an SS on 750 with a steady, clear signal which loops to just south of due east of here. Haven't caught a legal ID, but I've heard numerous "R. 7, setenta cincuenta" non-ID's. I thought the ? was "Can(DS)"o(DS)"n", but it's more like "cana", which makes no sense. They play MOR-type pop mx, no rancherita. Whozit? /// During and since the ANARC convention, I've been thinking about the 1605-1705 band expansion, and I wrote up a more detailed proposal for another organization's bulletin. In brief, I'd allow "pirates" to broadcast throughout the new spectrum after the utes and TIS's were removed. The problem is that groundwave coverage is limited, and skywave propagation is considerable, leaving local coverage something less than desirable. The FCC could study the propagation before allocation of regular stations. The "pirates" would be licensed, encouraged to share time, and allowed to pick their own channels (and after 1990 or when the band was established, they'd have their power limited and relegated to one or two freq's, say 1690 and 1700). They would have to apply for licenses and maintain standards, and they could sell advertising time, but paperwork would be kept at a minimum. Some of the problems would be solved in local courts, but serious infractions would be grounds for immediate FCC action. Finally, they would not be allowed to rebroadcast programs available locally or from any network or to broadcast pre-recorded commercial music (on records, CD's, cassettes, etc.), thus preventing wall-to-wall mediocrity in that band (also). Would it be advantageous to the community? I think so; it's happening today in France and Belgium, for example. If nothing else, it would liven up the AM band! What do you think? Let's keep this dialogue going; perhaps the FCC will pay attention. 73.

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* Dario Meets Ron Schatz in Spain *

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After some years I am pleased to write a Musing, thanks to the kindness of Mr. Ron Schatz, whom I met during the 19th EDXC Conference in Madrid, Spain. I am 34 years old and my preferred DX area is medium wave (except European stations). I am also interested in Spanish low-powered stations. I use a modified Drake SPR4 and a new cardioid loop made from an NRC project thanks to an Italian friend, Mr. Flavio Golzio. I don't send in to many Musings, and this is only due to my many different activities all related to the DX'ing field. I am still the DX editor of the weekly bulletin PLAY-DX compiled thanks to the support of the more active people in Italy and different DX areas. It is indeed very interesting to see how MW DX'ing is done in the U.S. and the high level of the technical articles edited. This is not possible in Italy because only a few people exist in Italy who do such good and helpful work on the technical side of MW DX'ing. My stay in Spain - two weeks - has permitted me to visit about 30 local stations operating on the MW and FM bands. Some of them, such as Radio Granada (1080) and Radio Tortosa (1395), are well known non-verifiers, but my visit permitted me to clear up the only problem, which is that the staff personnel don't understand what a reception report is, and so only by visiting a station may you have a QSL card or a verification card: in Granada I got a reply for a report from 1971!!! Another strange happening was in Málaga, visiting Radio Popular Málaga, another black station for me for years: I requested the lady at the microphone. "Please, what is your frequency?". She replied, "I think 1224 kHz." Outside the station

house we tuned in our Grundig 3000 Satellite and big surprise - it was 1134 kHz, hi! Well, in Spain you must get into the Latin philosophy, and this is the only way you may get the best satisfaction during your visit to Spain. Finally, I want to let you all know you are welcome to visit me in Milano if you are visiting Italy. I will be very pleased to show you Radio Milano International's studios and, naturally, my collection of 30000 different stickers from broadcasting radio & TV (please - one week's warning at least) and my pennant collection. My regards to you, and especially to my good friend Ernie Cooper; I will write to you soon, Ernie! 73.

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KMGK DJ Charged With Arson

KMGK/Des Moines overnight personality Renee Marie Brown was arrested early Saturday (6-22) on a charge of first-degree arson in connection with three fires on consecutive nights in the three-story building housing studios of KMGK and sister A/C station K10A.

A staffer at the Country outlet for three months, Brown was taken into custody after a third early-morning fire was reported at the station; she was released after posting a \$17,250 bond. The arrest resulted from special police surveillance established June 22 following two earlier fires on June 20-21 between 1:15-2am in a hallway near the studios.

According to a local arson detective, in each instance a flammable liquid was poured on the carpeting and ignited. Damages from the three fires were estimated at \$3500. One injury occurred when Asst. News Director Jackie King suffered smoke inhalation from the third fire; he was treated at a local hospital and released.

According to a report in the Des Moines Register & Tribune, a detective said a police officer observed Brown carrying something in the hallway just before the last fire broke out. When the alarm was sounded, authorities sealed off the exits and searched the building. No one was there other than King (who arrived after the alarm went off), Brown, and a K10A personality.

Brown "denied all knowledge" of how the fires occurred. No motive has been determined, and a hearing date has not been set yet.

GM Miles Knutson declined to say whether or not Brown has been officially discharged as a company employee, although she is not currently working at KMGK. Regarding company morale, Knutson said, "I'm incredibly proud of our staff. They understand the situation and have all banded together."

50 KW SIGNAL IMMINENT

Jensen GM, McClure Named PD At KQIN

At All-Pro Broadcasters' suburban Seattle outlet KQIN/Burien, Bill Jensen has been named GM, while Greg McClure has come aboard as PD. Former programmer Brad Woods is staying on in an as-yet-undetermined capacity.

The appointments come on the eve of the AM station's scheduled power increase from 500 watts to 50 kw at 820 kHz. The signal improvement, slated to be completed by mid-August, is expected to give the facility full coverage throughout the Seattle metro.

KQIN presently carries A/C programming via the Satellite Music Network, but Jensen hinted that some changes would come when he told R&R, "It is a pleasure to work for a company that has looked at the Seattle marketplace and made the decision that it will need to be innovative in its programming approach to maximize its success po-

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Associated Press Network	1,005
CBS Radio Network	394
RadioRadio	141
CNN Radio Network	177
Mutual Broadcasting	850
National Public Radio	310
NBC Radio Network	368
The Source	123
Talknet	230
Satellite Music Network	486
Sheridan Broadcasting	110
Transar	260
United Radio Networks (I and II)	650
UPI Radio Network	1,000
Wall Street Journal Report	80

tenal." He added, "I believe the marketplace will take notice of our new signal almost immediately."

Most recently, Jensen spent ten months as GM at KHIT/Seattle. He previously was Local Sales Manager at crosstown KIRO for three years, which followed a seven-year term as an AE and LSM at nearby KVI.

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