


# THESE SPECIAL DX'ers and SWL's 

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Hello everyone, and welcome to SPEEDX Spotlights. In past months, I imagine everyone noticed an apparent lack of space for this column. Well, we begin a new format this month, which will hopefully solve our problem. With that in mind, let's give our congratulations to 13 new Full Members!

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This month, there are 54 new and rejoining membersi
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There ya go, 54 fine members! You folks have taken the first step to full membership....and you too can get a look at the view from the top of the page if you start contributing to your favorite columns. You can send your contributions to the individual editor, or all of your material to Peggy Thompson, 2706 Alabama St., La Crescenta, CA 91214 by the 6 th of the month. Hope to see your name in the pages of SPEEDX!


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[^0]Many SPEEDXers are interested in chasing Soviet DX, and Bobert Palmer-WA says URSC publishes an excellent bulletin. Entirely devoted to DXing the Soviet Union, the bulletin contains the latest information from some of the top DXers. Sound like a hard sale ad? Not really, but I can honestly say their bulletin is one of the best I've seen. If you'd like more information, then write to the URSC ats P.O. Box.14, Gifu-kita, 502 Japan. You'll be glad you did! ds.

Station review. . Badio Moundou, Chad: Radio Moundou, located Just a stone's throw away from the Central African Republic, was inagurated in February of 1979, after the larger station in N'Djarena (then Ft. Lamy) was damaged from the civil war. The station's objective is to unite the peoples of Chad in a common solidarity. Interestingly enough, Radio Moundou, legally, does not exist, as RM's engineer, Dorong Guela Ketchoua states, "because the Chadienne Government wants it that way." Makes one want to raise his brow, doesn't it?

The transmitter used has a nominal power of 5 FW , but they are currently using only 2.5 kW . The transmitter is almost worn out, but the people at Radio Moundou work hard to keep their equipment operative. This in itself is a chore, as Chad's war with Libya has drained an otherwise normally fragile economy. As such, Radio Moundou is unable to improve or extend broadcasts more than a few hours a day.

Nonetheless, Radio Moundou is hoping to acquire a 20 kW transmitter, to "ensure coverage on a national and international plan." Everyone there remains optomistic...."we should obtain the transmitter this year if God permits and our hopes come true, if we reach peace, unity, and progress in this Central African country of Chad."

Currently, Radio Moundou broadcasts on variable 5285 kHz , from 0500 to 0800 , and 1400 to 1800 GMT. News in French is at 0545 , and news in Arabic, vernaculars, and Prench is heard at 1630. (This provided from a recent veri received by ye ed.)

Mr. A. Nonymons strikes again! Peggy Thompson and ye ed would like to thank Mr. A. Nonymous for the stamps he sent our way. They were very much appreciated! ds.

UTE DXers take notiee: We are adding to our coverage in the SPEEDX-Gram, so would like "hot" items that are newsworthy. To cover the growing field of UTE DXIng, we would appreciate your late info on what is new on the UTE bands. Send regularly heard stations to Mike Chabak. Send a new station/ new frequency or whatever else you deem to be of major interest to our Gram ed., Bob Bodell, 9118 SE Mason Hill Dr., Portland, OR 97222. Get your info to Bob by the 15 th; the Gram is mailed around the 20 th so the turn around time is very short. It may take awhile. to get the UTE info arranged, so please be patient if you do not subscribe to the Gram, why not get more info from don J. In Elsinore? Really a great way to stay on top of hot DX news! ds.


ACROSS:
6. Sine, short, or heir
9. Costa Rica biggie
10. On your toes
11. Able
12. Train or radio (abbr)
13. American umbrelle org.
14. Help
16. Wait for it:
17. Based in Geneva
18. The State of the.....
21. Latin UN
22. 88 to 108 MHz
23. A long tale
24. Wallpaper
26. Signs on w/dancing knapsack
28. Former Arab state
30. Thate
31. For general consumption
34. Sends high thoughts
35. 90 miles south of Miami
37. From Montreal
39. Hobby or sport?
42. Iittle devil
43. Makes R-2000
44. Monaco station
46. Hum or whistle
47. Radio Free invaded
48. Short form of SINPO
49. O wner of WRNO
51. Sail
52. Reporting code
53. Australian capital.

Pin the Tail on Ye Eds Last month, I wanted to know the more common name for "Kalaallit Nunaat." The answer, of course, is Greenland. Winner of the Vatican First Day Cover is Terry Provance-OH; Peter Card-RI will be getting a Radio Bucharest pocket calendar. Now, this month's competition: on the proceeding page is a crossword puzzle (a composite of work by Ruth Hench and Tom Sable-Ny; thank you both de.). The person who can complete the most of the puzzle will receive a First Day Cover from Mauritius. In order to qualify, I will need a photocopy of the puzzle, and as always, the deadline is the 12 th. All who enter will receive a membership credit.......ds.
Costa Constantinides of South Africa says he would like to tapespond (where did you dig up that word, hit dis.) with DYers in Japan, India, and Indonesia. Easy listening AM or FM stations. He has tapes to trade of the U.S. and Europe. If Interested, then write Costa at: 15 St . John's Rd., Houghton 2196, Johannesburg; South Africa.

Mark W. Johnson is doing research on Radio Swan. If you know anything about this station, Mark would be very eager to hear from you. Contact him at z Box 251, Pairifeld, Idaho 8332. Another SPEEDXer needing help is Richard Blaisdell, who would like to start a local DX association with other DYers in Vermont. Those of you interested should get in touch with Richard at: 6 Diamond St., St. Albans, VT $05478 . . .$.

Ever wonder how the VOA hires their amouncersi Via Ralph Famularo-NJ comes the following want ad, as noted in the New York Times Voice of America seeks candidates with fluency in Arabic and English to work in Washington, D.C. as Arabic language broadcasters. An excellent command of English is required. Broadcasting exp is preferred. Translation (English/Arabic) and voice examination is required. Starting salary ranges from $\$ 20,256$ to $\$ 24,508$ per year........(So that's how H11......DS.)

Amateur Radio Ops go to Sealand. $A R O$ 's, in the never-ending search to put a new country on the air, recently went to Sealand, the smallest country in the world. The amateurs, who had the $S 1$ call, went by ferry to this little-known country off the coast of England.

Sealant is an artificial 1 island built by the British during World War II, but it was never dismantled. In early 1967, a group of people, including Boy Bates and his family went out to the island and took possession of it. On the ind of September, 1967, it was proclaimed the independent "Drincipality of Sealand," and Roy Bates and his wife became the Prince and Primcess of Sealand. Passports, coins, stamps, etc. were later adopted. Following quarrels with authorities, Roy was summoned to appear in several British courts, but in each case it was determined that Sealand was not within Britash jurisdiction.

The only "nationwide" crisis which shook the small state occurred in 1978 when the previously -dismissed fore mn minister successfully launched a coup d'etat. But his interregnum did not last long. After only six days, the principality struck back. A rapid deployment force of four people returned by hellcopter and retook possession of the platform.

A public session of the Sealand Court of Justice senfenced the leader of the coup to seven weeks of detainmont. After that, he was finally allowed to leave the cointry. Since then, the history of Sealant has been much smoother. (Via John Demmitt-FA, Prom a recent 73 Magazine article by Bernhard Larsen, DF2AO)


Well, since there is a bit of room left, I guess it's about time to reintraduce myself: I have been a DYer since the latter part of 1975. I have been a member of SPEEDX for around two years, and have edited this column for aby a year. I have hrd well over 200 countries, and have nearly 130 verified, this after two years of serious QSLing.

I am seventeen years old, and attend a local high school in Tampa. I'm lousy in math, but have a keen interest in history and English. I hope to attend the Univ, of South Florida next year, and hopefully, major in broad-

The end of the page is coming up quickly, so will thank Bob Wilkner-FL, Mike Harris-OH, Woody Seymour e Jr. $-N C$, and Craig Bocha-CA for their most enjoyable phone conversations (Craig, I seem to remember reading somewhere that you have a NYAB QSL. Congrats, OM H ids.). Until next time, all the best. Hope to find your contribution on the lith

# Tips and Topics <br> THE FEATURE SECTION OF SPEEDX 

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## TECHNICAL RDUNDUP

CABLE SHIELDING
by Morris Pfeffer, NY

The type of coaxial line which is most common consists of an inner conductor surrounded by polyethylene insulation. Copper or aluminum braid is woven over the insulation to form the outer conductor and this is covered with a waterproof vinyl covering. The outer conductor braid is generally used as a ground line and also has to function as sheilding against interference. When interference is absorbed by this shielding it does not all dissipate but induces a current in the outer conductor. This current is carried to the ground connection and we have led at least some of the interference into the circuitry. Shielding should be grounded separately.
There are other types of cable which are much more resistant to interference. They have an internal wire pair:consisting of a main conductor and a ground line and are surrounded by further layers which act only as shielding. I will be discussing the properties of these types of cables. However, there is no cable type disucussed here which is effective in shielding against low-frequency magnetic fields.

The most commonly used measure of shielding effectiveness is transfer impedance. Part of the interference energy is reflected from the shielding, part is absorbed by the shielding and part of it penetrates the shield. Whatever does get through generates an interference voltage in the cable circuit and the current flowing through it. Transfer impedance is the ratio of interference voltage to interference current. The lower the transfer impedance the better the circuit. Transfer impedance is usually geven as milliohms/meter. One other important factor is the optical coverage of the shielding. This is the actual percentage of the inner insulator surface which is actually covered by the shield.
The table shows the transfer impedance of some typical cable shieldings. Below 0.1 MHz transfer impedance is equal to DC resistance. As frequency increases current tends to flow along the surface of the shield (this is the skin effect) which is seen as a reduction in transfer impedance. When a high enough frequency is reached, magnetic fields are produced in the shield and transfer impedance rises again.
TRANSFER IMPEDANCE, FOR VARIOUS CABLE SHIELDS, BY FREQUENCY.

| Shield | 0.1 MHz | 0.3 hHz | 1 MHz | 3 MHz | 10 MHz | 30 MHz |
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| Copper tube | 2 | 1 | 0.3 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 |
| Multilayer foil and/or braid | 5 | 2 | 0.8 | 0.2 | 0.3 | 1 |
| Braid | 10 | 10 | 8 | 20 | 70 | 150 |
| Spiral | 80 | 300 | 1000 | 1000 | 1000 | 1000 |
| Foil | 80 | 80 | 80 | 90 | 110 | 200 |
| Stainless-steel tube | 200 | 200 | 200 | 150 | 90 | 10 |

Copper tube is undoubtedly the best shield. It has $100 \%$ optical coverage and is an excellent conductor (the transfer impedance rises at higher frequency still stays below 0.1 milliohms/meter). However, it presents very serious cost and installation problems. Stainless steel tube is, overall, very poor shielding. It is a nonconductor. There is no transfer impedance rise at higher frequencies because of its poor magnetic properties.
Spiral shield consists of copper strands wound around the inner insulator. It can produce up to about $97 \%$ optical coverage. However, it is highly inductive and produces longitudinal magnetic fields which make it useless above 0.1 kHz . However, it is cheap and easy to terminate.
Braided shields can also produce up to $97 \%$ optical coverage. The oppositely wound strands produce compensating magnetic fields so transfer impedance increases do not start until about 1 dHz . It should be realized that this same magnetic field induction
will happen in the common two-layer coaxial cable mentioned in the first paragraph Dense braiding is best but expensive. Its not easy to make braid.
Foil shielding consists of aluminum foil laminated to polyester tape or bonded directly to the inner insulation. Generally, the foil is only 0.3 to 0.4 mil thick which leads to high resistance and all the problems associated with that. Usually a bare drain wire is put next to the foil to draw off current but, even so, simple foil shielding is not that effective. One of the early problems with foil shielding was lack of electric continuity between successive wraps. The adhesive or backing was acting as an insulator and creating a spiral slot that allowed interference penetration this was solved by means of the shorting fold. The metal was bent back so there was metal-tometal contact at the fold.
More recently, cables are being made with multiple shielding layers. Ethernet cable has a polyester-backed foil bonded to the inner insulator, covered by a copper braided shield, covered by a two-foil shield on a common backing with another braided shield on the outside. Its transfer impedance falls steadily up to 30 NHz . CATV cables are better yet, with only three layers (bonded foil/braid/foil with shorting fold). Their transfer impedance continues to fall up to $80-100 \mathrm{NHz}$. Nultiple layer shielding yields performance that begins to resemble that of solid-wall copper tubing. Interestingly, these cables can cost significantly less than the best braided shields because the foil produces $100 \%$ optical coverage and cheaper braid with $40-80 \%$ coverage can be used. They still will be more expensive than the run of retail coax. The largest problem is that these cables are not available in 50 or 100 foot retail packages. They are marketed and distributed to large commercial users. You would have to find someone willing to take the time to sell you a short length (like a single spool).
Tests that have been made seem to indicate that shielding which protects a cable from interference is equally effective in preventing emission of interference from a cable.
The best method of installing common two-layer coax is separating the chassis and circuit/ shield grounds and reducing the number of ground connections to the shield to a minimum. Chassis-mounted cable connectors should be insulated from panels and connected to circuit ground. then shield(s) and circuit ground lines are separated it would be best to use a separate earth ground for the shields.

EXALTED CARRIER FOR BETTER SHORTWAVE AUDIO
by Ronald Fokatiloff, IL

A transmitter mixes a carrier at radio frequency, with a signal at audio frequency. For example, you mix or hetrodyne the radio frequency of 10000 kHz with an audio tone of 1 kHz and you get the difference and sum of these two frequencies. The difference is $10000-1 \mathrm{kHz}$ or 9999 , which is the lower sideband. The sum would be $10000+1 \mathrm{kHz}$, or 10001, which is the upper sideband. Both sidebands have the same 1 kHz audio tone. In Aif mode the carrier and both sidebands are transmitted. Your receiver demodulates, or removes the audio from the carrier.
Say we have a shortwave broadcast station sending 2.5 kHz of audio at the carrier frequency of 15300 kHz . The bandwidth of the signal would be 15297.5 to 15302.5 kHz . For 2.5 kHz of audio we need 5 kHz of bandwidth since the upper and lower sidebands are the same. If our radio has an AM bandwidth filter of 5 kHz centered, then 2.5 kHz would be over the lower sideband, and the other 2.5 kHz would be over the upper sideband. This correlates with the audio being sent. If there is interference and we switch in a sharper, 3 kHz filter, centered in the passband, then only 1.5 kHz would be over each sideband. So only frequencies up to 1.5 kHz would be heard and our double sideband AM signal will sound bassy. If we have the Drake R7A radio, we could move the 3 kHz filter over one of the sidebands and pick up the higher frequencies (with less bass however). It is wise to pick the |sideband with the least interference. On most receivers, we are forced to detune slightly to put most of the filter over one sideband.
Now the problems of sending and receiving good wide frequency audio over shortwave. One difficulty is that broadcast stations are spaced at only 5 kHz away from each other, which limits the audio bandwidth to about 2.5 kHz . (I figure many broadcasters are sending a wider range of requencies.) A bigger problem is fading. If during a fade the carrier level of alstation dips too low, your radio will lose detection of the signal, and distortion will occur. There is a way around this difficulty-you can switch on your BFO to be used with wide AM filters. My McKay Dymek DR33C can be used, with mixed results. Sherwood Engineering has a device called a PLL detector which locks onto, and replaces the transmitted carrier. Eska of Denmark has a crystal controlled portable with a similar set up.
Now we come to selectable single sideband. We can avoid the problem of the carrier and BFO not being exactly in phase by placing the filter over one sideband only. (Our only choice on most radios anyway.) This will give us a clear signal, but with a loss of
bass from the missing sideband. Also, most radios only allow a very narrow filter to be used with single sideband. However, if the filter is too wide, some of the carrier/ BFO mismatch distortion will be picked up. (As a footnote, I may add that picking the sideband with the least interference, and using a narrow filter, has obvious advantages, especially in getting rid or TV "buzz saw" interrerence.)
You may have already come to the conclusion that ve can solve a number of problems by getting rid of the transmitted carrier. This is what happens in sincle sideband transmission where one of the sidebands and the carrier are filtered out at the transmitter and the receiver reinserts the missing carrier by using the BFO-our fake carrier. On a simple radio, like the portable Sony ICF. 2001 , you only have one filter, centered over the spot where both sidebands should be. On the Sony, you pick up transmitted upper sideband, for instance, and half of the filter will be over the upper sideband, which has the signal. The other half of the filter would be over nothing but noise. If a broadcast feeder is sent, with a different signal on each sideband, you would hear both signals at the same time on the 2001. The Dymek DR33C has identical filters-one for each sideband. You simply switch to the proper filter, or you can go to an Air ifilter over both sidebands, which is handy if you don't know which sideband has the signal. Some sets allow you to place the single SSB filter over the correct sideband without detuning (Drake SPR-4). Fost receivers require you to detune.
The international broadcasting community wants to change over to single sideband to increase frequency space. But this would nean hindering the audio quality. The best thing to do, I think, is to send a double sideband signal with reduced carrier--just enough carrier for the BFO-detector to lock onto. Wider audic-maybe stereo (one sideband for each channel)-would result, with no fade distortion. But this will take up scarce frequency space. laybe there is a way to send only one sideband reduced carrier and improve the audio with bass boost or whatever. One of the reasons the ICOH R70 has good exalted carrier audio is because it has very heavy bass and less treble in regular aid mode.
This discussion should lead you to realize that equipment companies have done everything in their power to hinder good audio.

## Some Examples:

1. High distortion audio amps are used.
2. Filters and BFO can't be used independent of mode.
3. The firms never mention exalted carrier in their manuals or other literature (except the old Squires-Sanders).
4. Outfits like Sony and Panasonic add relatively useless computerized aics to their sets, but they can't even install selectable sidebands.
Finally, radio electronics is an area that most people know very little, and the equipment firms do a great job of exploiting this. I hope this article makes you a little smarter when it comes to buying equipment.

COMPARISON OF THE ICF-2001 TO THE 7600A
by Ruth Hesch, NY

I cannot evaluate a receiver technically but can make a comparison as to reception. While visiting California I had the opportunity to use an ICF-2001 and a 7600A. They were placed side-by-side on a desk in front of a window facing east, about 8 feet from the ground, about 15 feet fron the back of another house behind which was a narrow clear space to the street. It was the evening of october 8,1983 , a different electrical outlet was used for each and their om telescopic antenna. I was in Pacific Grove, in Northern California.

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Fio reception at all
very poor recpt.

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Signal Strength did not register, much QRN

There were stations that registered on the Signal Strength Meter of the 2001, like the "powerhouses" directed to NA, but I chose these to report to show the difference. This meter worked fine on AM and FM. I did not like the silver readout on the 2001 and had to use a small flashlight to read it as the back of the radio was toward the light. It was not easy to decipher the frequencies on the 7600A. On one station the 2001 read 11760 and the 7600 A was on the 11750 mark. The audio on the 7600 A was excellent. I was very pleased with the SW performance of the 7600 A as I did not expect it to be a DX "giant". For both, using the electricity was superior to the new batteries, by far. Not having a WRTH with me I felt as if I was "fishing" for stations on all waves. Selectivity could be better on the 7600A, but it was bothersome only once in a while.

There was not a connection for an external antenna on the 7600 A and probably for the reason that such would possibly overmodulate it. The base of the 7600 could be "squared off" to make it steadier. The frequency markings were not accurate on the 7600A for All and Fin either. I heard KIDD which is on 630 kHz at the bottom of the 700 kHz mark and KMBY-FM on 107 MI Iz was on the 108 MHz mark. However, if an improved model has a LED readout and better selectivity, I will be a customer.

##  BES <br> THE UBIX BULLETIN BOARD SERVICE <br> by Fred Osterman, OH

More and more today, shortwave listeners are finding new and creative ways to use personal computers in the DXing hobby. About three years ago, I bought an Apple II computer. Soon after this, I learned the BASIC language, and wrote several programs which help me keep records of what I have heard, and WHAT I WOULD LIKE TO HEAR, on shortwave. Keeping these sorts of records on a computer is $1000 \%$ more efficient and time-saving than my older methods involving $3 \times 5$ cards and hand-written notebooks. I also have programs that perform shortwave oriented calculations for me, such as sunxise/ sunset times, beam headings, and MUF determinations. In addition, I have a program that compiles ry monthly loggings and prints them in the various club reporting formats for submission to club loggings sections.
In early October, I added a goody to my computer system which has opened up a whole new world for me. That item is a modem, a device that allows a computer to commuicate over a telephone line. With a computer and a modem, your computer can "talk" to other computers. At about the same time as I bought my modem, Universal Amateur Radio of Reynoldsburg, Ohio set up what is known as a computer bulletin board system, or BBS. In general, BBSs are on-line information systems which can be contacted using a computer and a modem. Universal's BBS, which is called UBIX (Universal Bulletin Board \& Information Exchange) is dedicated solely to the exchange of radio related information by communications enthusiasts.
The folks at Universal use their computer (a Radio Shack model) during the day for business purposes, but in the evenings (from 8:30 pm till 9:00 am Eastern Time) they turn it over to radio hobbyists! During these hours, anyone with a computer and a modem can call into UBIX. The system has a variety of features for SWLs. Probably the most exciting section of the system for me is "SWL Tips." SWL tips are loggings left on the system by UBIX users. It works just like a shortwave bulletin, except that there is no publication delay! People can leave tips on the system, or just read other people's loggings. The loggings appear sequentially from lowest to highest frequency. Each time you use this section, you have two methods you can use. You can read all of the loggings currently in the file, or read only the "new" loggings. Let's say you read all the tips on Monday and then call back on Friday. On Friday, you can elect to read all the tips again, OR just the "new" tips (tips left SINCE Monday). This can be a real time saver. The big advantage of all this is simple: instead of getting DX tips that are weeks or months old you can read loggings only a few hours or days old!
Another exciting feature is the electronic mail, or E-mail," section. Using E-mail, you can exchange information and messages with others who use the system. I have already made several new friends in the radio hobby using this E-mail facility. You can get a list of people who have become users of UBIX (and who you can send E-mail to) by using the USER LIST facility. In addition, each user can enter a short "biography" for himself or herself which serves as an introduction to other users of the system. Other sections of UBIX include NEUS \& NOTES, SALE ITEMS (at Universal), and MESSAGES TO UNIVERSAL.

I have found the system a lot of fun to use, and a valuable way to exchange current DX information. I hope that more computer-equipped DXers will get on the system, since
the more users there are, the more valuable the systen becomes. There is ifo cinicg for using UBIX, and Universal will send you a free user's manual for a SASE. Their address is: Universal Amateur Radio, 1280 Aida Drive, Reynoldsburg, Ohio 43068.

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1984-- WORLD COMIUNICATIOHS YEAR LIVES ON PART I
by Phillip H . Dampier, IVY

Here we are, three montlis already into a new year of exciting DXing and shortwave listening. Technology is continually improving and although 1983 was designated World Comanications Year, in the quickly expanding field of shortwave listening, every year is forld Communications Year. Just a few months ago Telecom ' 83 ended. This convention has brought several new inventions which will indirectly help to serve our shortwave hobby.

Firstly, we should all commend Sony, perhaps the most radical when it comes to taking risks in the shortwave receiver field. The new Sony ICF-2002 will open a new generation of well equipped DX machines that will fit our pocket book. Ve can say goodbye to those huge Grundig receivers and say hello to the efficient and simple to operate portable receivers with table-top receiver specs. Another manufacturer to watch out for this year will be the ICOM Corporation, which has done very well with their relatively inexpensive ICR70 receiver which is probably the most inexpensive quality receiver we shall see in a while. 1983 was the year that the GE World Nonitor II received some publicity from the WRTH as well.

What is planned for the future? The blind will be pleased to learn that new generations of receivers with talking functions are already here. bith a voice synthesizer, no longer do the blind have to guess what frequency they are tuning.

The Telecom convention anmounced a new machine that is something right out of Star Trek. A machine that will translate any spoken language into another language. A demonstration was given where a spokesperson read a statement in English into a microphone followed by a short pause and the statement being translated into Spanish. Just think of the implications of this unit! In a year or two the design will probably be improved to bring instantaneous translations from one language to another! jost likely this unit will be in great demand by those who travel overseas for conversation with someone abroad in two different languages. This unit would be a boon to SWLers as if it could be hooked up to a shortwave set, we could tune into a broadcast not in English and have it instantly translated into English. What a hot item for those Latin American DXers. No more guessing about program details and this would also allow the typical "mono-lingual" person to tune in and enjoy Latin American music with news and commentary. Undoubtedly, this would allow a larger selection of stations to choose from.
In other developments, the use of satellites and relay stations continue to improve the quality of signals that we hear on shortwave. Dore and more sateliites are being used to bring better quality shortwave transmissions to relay stations. We can expect more stations to take part in cooperative relays in the future where more than one station will relay programs from a single transmitter. The biggest plans for these relay stations are to help reach the relatively isolated U.S.A. Stations like Radio Japan are planning to dump millions into their shortwave service in relay stations and the like and set up a shortwave service that will rival the BBC. "This is the Horld Service of Radio Japan" I wonder what time chimes they plan to use!

Of course Radio Deutsche Welle has been planning their new Asian relay station for some time and we may see that pop up any time. And remember, Radio Netherlands is still building their Flevoland transmitter complex which will bring welcome technical improvements and signal improvements to Europeans.
Other stations are helping countries, especially in Africa, get their own broadcasting stations in shape. Radio Japan is assisting Africa 市l and in return they were able to test their Radio Japan programs over this station. Excellent signals were commonplace for US listeners so we may be able to say goodbye to Radio Japan's flutter fading problem for those of us on the East Coast in the future.

Radio Beijing is also involved with some African countries in setinc up those countries' radio services. In return, it is expected that Radio Beijing may get transmitter time and may broadcast to Europe and North Anerica by these transmitters but at this time, it is conjecture on my part, aithough developments continue.
The VOA, who just recently turned on their Dixon transmitter just might reactivate fawii's VOA standby transmitters to serve the Eastern Pacific as older transmitters are taken off line and replaced by new transmitters if the President gets his way. Other relays especially the one planned in Turkey may result in an airtime exchange where Voice of Tumkey transmitters will relay VOA prograns. The VOA also wants to upgrade their service to the USSR and also China. The Latin American Service may be the next service to be increased.

## Tidbits

 NEW BBS: Mike Nowicki is setting up the West Coast DX BBS. You can get on it by sending a SASE with your name; address, phone number, and computer model info to J. Michael Nowicki, Box 32215, San Jose, CA 95152.: The BBS will operate two or three days a week from 10 PM to 6 AM only. (Direct)CRB RESEARCH: It has come to this column's attention that some members have had some difficulty with this firm while others have not. T\&T does not endorse or reject any business firm. It is totally up to you to deal with any firm mentioned in this coluin. Thank you. Ed.
ESKA F4I:| Radio West, 3417 Purer Road, Escondido, CA 92925 is now stocking this fine receiver. The ESKA just picks up 9 BBC frequencies distortion free with less interference than is found on a standard SW receiver. Write to Radio West for price. (Grant Manning, CA) BROADCASILING JOB: Radio Marti is planning to hire 195 employees. Salaries will be from $\$ 20,256$ to $\$ 63,115$. Headquarters in Washington. You must be fluent in Spanish and English. Apply on federal form SF171 to : VOA, Personnel Office, Rm. 1192, 330 Independence, SW, DC 20547, Attn. R.M. (Allen Rising, CA)

JAMMING: "There are at least 2000 jamming devices ir. Russia, and anywhere from 5,000 to 15,000 technicians to service them. The jamming operation costs an estimated $\$ 200$ million a year-more than the budget of the VOA and REE/RL combined! (Science * Digest, January 1984, p. 15 via Mark Johnson IN)
ICOM IC R71A: Yes, they have upgraded their fabulous receiver. Features include keyboard frequency entry and wireless remote control (optional). More info as it comes.
WYFR LOANS: WYFR is asking listener's to loan them $\$ 200, \$ 1000$, or $\$ 10,000$ plus so they can build three 100 kw transmitters to beam iprograms to Russia, East Germany and China. Transmitters will be located in okeechobee, Florida. (John Demmitt, PA)
AUTOHATED PROPAGATION PREDICTIONS: Maximum Usable Frequency (VUF) is determined by solar flux, and also varies with season, time of day, direction and distance. If a SWL/DXer could feed these parameters into a suitably-programed computer, he could know just when to listen for Bhutan or Antarctica. Happily, such capability is not too far away. Within a few years, deluxe receivers will carry special microprocessor and RONi chips which will provide it. In the meantime, according to QST $9 / 83$, p.36, it is currently available to certain personal computer owners. These may order for $\$ 40$ a "DX Predictor" program from Flynn's Busines's Services (P.O. Box 903, Fountain View, CA 94943) which embodies appropriate
algorithmns from the US Navy's MININUF project (see QST 12/82, p.36). Flynn's package includes a $5 \frac{1}{4 \prime}$ diskette (or tape) and documentation. Currently, it is available for several Apple and Commodore minicomputers. (Daṽe Maxfield, MI)
C.I.N.NEWSLETTER: SPEEDX'member Vito Echevarria aaounces that he is marketing a unique service for DXers. He is starting a clandestine newsletter. This will be called the C.I.N. Newsletter, and will feature eight transcripts of intercepted broadcasts of The Voice of Sandino. Completely illustrated and packed with information direct from Nicaraguan rebels based in Costa Rica, this newsletter will cost $\$ 5.00$ for North Americans, $\$ 6.50$ in foreign currency or IRCs for foreign DXers. Write to Vito Echevarria 648 Amsterdan Avenue, New York, NY 10025. (Direct)

MICROLOG AIR-1: This handy device wi 11 interface a Vic-20 computer to any SW receiver. With it you can detect RTTY and CW signals and have them translated onto:your video readout or dumped onto a printer. For more info write Microlog Corporation, 18713 Mooney Drive, Gaithersburg, MD. (Morris Pfeffer, NY)

IVRO ANTENNAS FOR UTE RECEPTION: Do you have a TV-Receive-Only "dialor" antenna? Try hitching it to your communications receiver. It will bring in all sorts of UTE traffic in the $0-8 \mathrm{MHz}$ range! For full information send SASE to SPEEDXer Grant Manning, Pres., Radio West, 3417 Purer Rd., Escondido, CA 92025 or call 619-741-2891. (Dave Haxfield, HI)
AFRTS/QSLS: Jack C. Giles, Chief of the Radio Division at AFRTS Programming Center announced in a form letter that AFRTS will no longer QSL reception reports from Anerica because of budget cuts. The announcement was sent with a QSL! (Demmitt)

COIPPUTER PROGRAMS FOR DYERS: Bi11 Krause, ANARC Computer Information Coordinator has compiled a list of computer programs for DXers. It's free for a SASE. Bill's address: 6700 153rd Lane NW, Amoka, $N \mathbb{N}$ 55301. (Dave Maxfield)

STATISTICS: To knit together its 8,049,500 quare mile expanse, the Soviet Union has had to manufacture more and more shortwave receivers. The Russians in 1975 had an estimated 60 million such receivers, and the goal for 1984 is a 70 to 90 percent increase in production of first-class shortwave radios. Also, Soviet opinion polls say that $80 \%$ of the adult population are interested in foreign news above all. US experts cone up with a figure of 26 million people tuning in every week to the Voice of America and 17 million to Radio Liberty. (Science Digest, January 1984, p. 15 via Mark Johnson, IN)


PANASONIC RF-799 One of a number of the newer digital direct entry receivers made by Panasonic. Let's look at some of its features, then elaborate on its good and bad points.

First, the set has some rather odd attributes. The $I W$ range is continous from $153-281 \mathrm{khz}$ (Tuned in 1 khz steps). MN range is continous from either 522-1611 khz (in 9 khz steps) $O$ from $530-1610 \mathrm{khz}$ (in 10 khz steps) This is selectable with a "limited access" switch in the right side of the receiver. FM coverage from 87.5 to 108 mhz . $\mathrm{SW}^{2}$ is covered in several "bands". 2.3-$2.935,2.94-3.575,3.58-4.215,4.54-5.175,5.82-6.455,7.1-7.735,9.5-10.135$. 11.58-12.215, 15.1-15.735, 17.5-18.135, 21.34-21.975, 25.5-26.135 Mhz. 1111 As you will notice, there are several "holes" in the SW coverage. Why did they do it this way? That is a GOOD questionl Most important SWBC areas are covered with a few exceptions. BBC coverage on 9410 , 15070 etc are not accessable, and radio Spain's below 9.5 mhz . freqs. are in the same shape to name only two. SW band is tuned in a sensible 5 khz peristep unlike the 1 or 3 khz steps of the SONY ICF-2001. (The "in-between" 1 khz steps CANNOT be tuned, however, as the receiver's "least" step is 5 khz .) No "fine tuner" is provided as on the SONY ICF-2002 (IGF-7600D) to dodge interference. This tuning system should be a boon to the neophyte SWLer, or anyone who is a first-timer at the SWI game. A direct key access (like a calculator) keyboard is provided for entry of desired channels. 10 pre-programmable memorys are provided, and these can be split up between any combination of bands or frequencies. An internal clock timer is provided which uses the same ICD readout panel as the frequency display. A BUILT-IN dual voltage ( $115 / 230$ volt transformer is provided, and the power cable plugs into the side disconnecting the internal batteries. Recorder outputs and external earphone jacks are essily accessed on the right side. Sensitivity.... about 5 uv. (yes fivel) on SW decreasing on MW/IW bands. for a 10 db S/N ratio. While this might not sound exotic, it is quite adequate for anything but the "weakie" DX stations. In fact the receiver works quite nicely on the major SWBC stations with only $1-2$ sections of the whip extended. Selectivity $\pm 3$ khze6db, $\pm 4.9 \mathrm{khz} 20 \mathrm{db} .$, $\pm 9.5 \mathrm{khz} @ 40 \mathrm{bd}$., and $\pm 17.5 \mathrm{khz@} 00 \mathrm{db}$. While not to the liking of the DXer, it
 with no batteries.

Listening tests were done at a variety of locations. As stated before, this receiver would make an ideal "first" set for someone totally ignorant of SWL listening. I don't think the veteran DXer will like it. Since NO BFO is provided, it is useless for Utility DXing. WWV can only be received on 2.5, 5 and 10 Mhz which are often no good during the day. Power is provided by the built-in supply or $4{ }^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{C}$ " size batteries, and 2 "AA" pencells for clock/ memory backup. RATING: Good for the beginner, only fair for the experianced SWL, poor for the DXer. Many thanks to Grant Manning of Radio West for the loan of this receiver for testing.
++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++ ICOM has come out with an updated, modified version of the R-70 receiver. baslcally the new IC-R71A is the R70 with the addition of a keypad direct entry system, and 32 memory channels. Scanning capabilities have also been added. The receiver can be controlled by an infra-red remote controller (similar to those used on TV's) and can be modified for VOICE frequency readou(with proper accessories) This ability of the receiver to "talk" and the keypad system would be ideal for the sightless or near blind DXerli Price?? about \$799. More info later on this one. (Thanks to SPEEDXer Jack Somers) ++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++ APOLOGIES for missing columns!! It was MY fault! My regular job, sickness and other factors cause a "time warp" that can get you off schedulell Keep the letters coming! Don't forget to include SASE or TWO stamps for a reply. Until next month........Good DXingll.........?3.


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OPENING ANNOUNCEMENTS...This month saw a decrease in the usual number of contributions to the column. Thus, there is room for some comments and for the list of regular programs from BBC World Service........I would really like to see more SPEEDXers contribute to this column. If you lister to shortwave programs, let us know which ones you like or dislike. If you don't listen to programs, then let us know why you don't. What makes a club work is the active participation of its membership. It sure makes an editor's job easier when there is plenty of material to choose from........Last month's item on POLAND should have also been credited to Thomas F. Sable of NY. ThankS to Thomas and the other members that sent holiday greetings as well!.........If any SPEEDXer is able to locate an English program guide to Ali India Radio, please send it in. The station has not been featured here for some time.
CANADA...Radio Canada International's SWL DIGEST reportedly is planning a couple of special programs on the 20th anniversary of ANARC for broadcast in April. More info next month. (Thanks to John Demmitt, PA and M. I. Flanngaan, Jr. of VA for sending us information on RCI)

CZECHOSLOVAKIA...Radio Prague broadcasts in English to North America daily in 2 one-hour transmissions beginning at 0100 and 0300 UTC. The frequencies were listed in last month's Station Skeds column. NEWS BULLETINS, COMMENTARIES and MUSIC are featured daily. Other programs are as follows (not necessarily listed in order of airing): Mon INTRODUCING, PROGRAM REVIEN, SPORT; TUE SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY, YOUTH MAGAZINE, FOLE MUSIC; WEd MAILBAG, ECONOMICS, HEALTH AND MEDICINE, PRAGUE MOSAIC; THu DX PROGRAM, CONTACT INTERVIEW; FRI MAILBAG, CULIURE, LETTER FROM GZECHOSLOVAKIA; Sat (1st and 3rd) PHILATELY, (2nd and 4th) ROVING REPORTER, JOIN GEORGE; SUN SUNDAY MAGAZINE, MEETING THE PEOPLE, SUNDAY CONCERT. (Days are for local time in target area. For example, JOIN GEORGE is heard on Sat night in North America, Sun morning UTC) (Thanks to Larry J. Chickerell, WV for this information.)

USA...WRNO Worldwide has the following revised schedule: Mon through Fri 1800-1900 UTC-HALL OF FAME; 1900-2200 VARIOUS PROGRAMS; 2200-2400 JAY MALARCHER; 0000-0600 RON ST. JON; other programs include: SPECIAL DELIVERY--mailbag show Mon-Fri 2220, 2320, 0020, 0220, 0320, 0520 UTC; SHORTWAVE WATERWAYS--maritime news and info Mon, Wed, Fri 2240, 0140, 0340 UTC; PAKING A LOOK AT THE WORLD'S FAIR-MOn, Wed, Fri 2340 , 0240 and 0500 URC; JAZZ 30--a different NO jazz album each' week Tue, Thu 1930 and 0330 UTC; WORLDWIDE DEDICATION SHOW-TUE, Thu 0200-0300 UTC; $\frac{\text { Sat }}{07}$ and Sun-religious and public affairs progran, some music, WORLD (Dir Radio and SUNDAY SPECIALS-0000 BBC ROCK HOUR 0100-0400 TOP 30 USA. (Direct)

USSR...Radio Moscow's REQUEST INTERVIEWs for March are a building worker on the 11 th and a radio ham on the 25 th. The program can be heard on alternate Sun nights 2345 UTC, repeated Mon morning UTC at 0145, 0345, 0445 and 0645. (Thanks to Chris Stark, NB and John Demmitt, PA for the Radio Moscow info).......Coming up--BBC programs

## UNITED KINGDOM...BBC World Service regular programs--3/84--all times UTC:

WORLD NEWS - broadcast 17 times a day in the World Service. Daily 0000, 0200, 0300, 0400, 0500, 0600, $0700,0800,0900,1100,1300,1600,1700,2000,2200,2300$; NEWSDESK - a half-hour programme including World News and despatches from overseas and UK correspondents. Daily 0400 , $0600,1800$.

All times GMT
TWENTY-FOUR HOURS - analysis of the main news of the day, plus review of British Press. Mons to Fris 0509, 0709, 1309, 2009

THE: WORLD TODAY - examines thoroughly one topical aspect of the international scene. Mons to Fris 1645 rep 2209. Tues to Fris 0145 (South Asia), Tues to Sats 0315, 0545, 0915

COMMFNTARY - background to the news from a wide range of specialists. Daily 1609, 2309, Sats, Suns 1309, 2009
RADIO NEWSREEL - news of events as they happen and despatches from BBC correspondents all over the world. Daily 0015.0215 (South Asia) 1200 (ex Suns), 1500

NEWS ABOUT BRITAIN - daily 0009, 0309, 1109, also Sats, Suns. 0709

About Britain - looks back on some of the week's events Fris 1945 rep Sats $0030,0515,1115$

Anything Goes - a variety of music and much more. Write to Bob Holness al World Service Sats 1215 rep Mons 0330, 0830

Book Choice - three editions each week. Sats 0540, rep Mons 2225 ; Mons 1709 rep Weds 0440, 2225; Fris 1740 , rep 2225

Business Matlers - a weekly survey of commer cial and financial news. Thurs 2130 rep Fris 0330, 1030

Classical Record Review - Edward Greenfield reviews new releases. SaIs 0145 rep Suns 1015 Tues 0730, Thurs 0430

Country Style - David Allan presents the best in today's country and western music on record, Mons 1330. Thurs 0730, Fri 0430

Discovery - an in-depth look at scientific research Thes 1000 , rep Weds 0330, Thurs 1430

The Farming World - Tues 1840 rep Weds 1225 Thurs 0640

Prom Our Own Correspondent - BBC correspondents comment on the background to the news. Sats 2209, Suns 0315, 0715 , 1615

Prom the Weeklies - a review of the British week. ly press. Fris $23 / 5$ rep Sats 0715

Good Books - recommendation of a book to read. Sats 2015, rep Suns 1315, Mons 0215,0925

Jazz for the Asking - Peter Clayton plays listeners' jazz requests. Suns 0630, rep Weds 2130, Fris 1215

John Peel - selects tracks from a newly released album and singles from the progressive rock scent in London. Tues 0330, rep Thurs 0830, Fris 1430

A Jolly Good Show - Dave Lee Travis presents pop news, interviews and your requests. Thes 1345 rep Weds 0030, Thurs 2030

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Letter from America - Suns 0545, rep //IS, 1645, 2315
Leiter from London - Mons 0445, rep Tues 1115, 2115
Monitor - a weekly survey and analysis of comment from radio stations around the world. Weds 1709, rep Thurs 0030, 1015
Merchant Navy Programme Thurs 2315 rep Fris 0745, 1015

Meridian - each week, three copical programmes about the world of the arls. Sats, Weds, tris. II30: Sals, Tues, Thurs 2330: Suns, Tues, Thurs ${ }^{1709}$

Music Now - presented by John Amis. Fris 21/5, Mons 0230, 0945

Nature Notebook - Thes 1830 rep Weds 1215, Thurs 0630

Network UK - looks behind the issues and erents that affect the lives of people throughout the United Kingdom. Three editions each week Mons, Weds Fris 2100 rep Tues, Thurs, Suls 0215, 0745, 1330 (ex Sats 1315)

New Ideas - a radio shop window for Briush industry, news of the latest products and inventions of particulas interest to the householde: and small businessman. Sats OS30 rep 2230, Weds 1725 . Thurs 1115

Paperback Choice - Tues 0110, rep 2125
People and Politics - background to the British political scene with reports on Parliament. Sots 0230 , rep 0945, 2130

The Pleasure's Yours - write to Gordon Clyde, for your classical requests. Sums 0815 , rep $21 / 5$. Thurs 1345

Recording of the Week - a personal choce from the new releases. Sats 0350, rep Suns 0750, Weds 1050

Reflections - a daily consideration of the meeting point between religron and life. Daty 0455,0805 2240 , Sums 1740

Religious Services - Bath Strea Presbytcrian Church of Wales, Aberystwyth (Rev J.E. Wvone Dasest $4 i h$; Chapel of King's College, London. ed by the chaplait, the Ret Christopher Moody //ih; Inter-faith observance for Commonweait Day from Westmanster Abbey, in the presence of Queen Elizabeith and the Duke of L.dantorgh 18ih; St Mattin-in-the Fields, London (Rev Ausien Williams) 25 th Suns 1030 rep Mons 0030
Report on Religion - a weckly magazine of religious news and views Weds 0145 rep 0745, 1415. Thurs 1945

Sarah and Company - 30 minutes of guess and music. Fris 1709, rep Suts D045, Mons 0730

The Sandi Jones Request Show - Suns 1345
Science in Action Fri 1615, rep Suns 0915, 2209 Scotland This Week - Tues 1125, rep 1740. 2225
Sunday Half-Hour - 30 minates in the company of schools and local church congregations with the history and message of the hymns they sing traced by a guest presenter. Surs 2030
Top Tuenty - records and news of the parade Weds 1830 rep 2330. Thurs 1215 .

Uister Newsletter - Thurs 2115, rep Fras 0145, 1125
The Week in Wales Thurs 1125, rep 1740, 2225
Waveguide - how to hear us better. Mons 0915 , rep Tues 0100. Weds 0430, 1735

> Look Ahead privews programmes for the day; Daily 0940 (ex Suns) Mons-Frs 1943
> In the Meantime - What's new on World Service Thurs 2120, rep Fris 0150, 11/5
$53, w+m$

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Hello fellow SPEEDXers. Welcome to March, the month that comes in like a lion and goes out like a lamb. As I write this column, we've had April type weather in the middle of February! All the snow is gone and the mercury hasn't been below 32 degrees in about a week. I am sure that we will probably have another couple of blizzards before the winter leaves. Say goodbye to the D83 broadcasting period! The first Sunday in March starts the M84 period which will be in effect until the first Sunday in May. This spring period is not recognized by some broadcasters so they may stick with their old skeds until May.
Remember, skeds listed are for English language programs unless otherwise indicated and times are UTC. Skeds provided by the BBC MS are copywrited and noted as such.

ALASKA. Here is the tentative sked from KNLS in Anchor Point. The M84 sked.

| $0700-0930$ | 9685 | Asia | English |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $0930-1200$ | 9685 | USSR | Russian |
| $1200-1500$ | 6100 | China | Mandarin |
| $1500-1730$ | 9685 | Europe | Russian |
| $1730-2000$ | 9685 | Europe | English |
| (C. Radtke, J. Talbot) |  |  |  |

AUSTRALIA. Radio Australia, D83 sked for North American reception.
0200-0400 15320, 17795
0200-0800 15160
0500-0730 15320, 17795
1200-1600 9580
2100-0100 15160
2130-0100 15320
(R. Brock, L. Chickerell, J. Talbot) 1215-1530

CHINA. Radio Beijing in the People's 1900-2000
Republic. This sked may still be valid.
0000-0100 9860, 11650, 11860 ECNA
0100-0200 9860, 11650, 11945
0200-0300 9860, 11650 " $\quad$. = Monday thru Friday 0645-0830
0300-0400 9860, 11650, 11860 WCNA (Direct)
0400-0500 9860, 11650
1100-1200 9820
1200-1300 9820, 11650
(G. Bledsoe, M. Flannagan M American service sked.
J. Talbot)

CUBA. Radio Havana's D83 sked valid
until March 5, 1984.

| $0100-0450$ | 6090 | North America |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $0100-0600$ | 15300 | Caribbean |
| $0330-0600$ | 11760 | N. America/Caribb. |
| $0630-0800$ | 9525 | North America |

During the month's of January and February, Radio Cairo tested various frequencies to replace 15370 kHz so keep tuned to 9475 to find out the current frequencies.
(G. Bledsoe)

GREECE. Here is the D83 sked for the NORWAY: CONTINUED

Greek Radio \& Television Station
(ERT) in Athens. Transmissions to North:America in both Greek and English.
0000-0150 9420, 9865, 11645 0200-0350 9420, 9865, 11645 1200-1250 9460, 11645, 15630 1500-1550 9460, 17565, 11645
Note: the 9460 and 17565 transmissions at 1500 are off the air on Tuesday.
(P. Card, J. McDowe11)

ITAIY. RAI in Rome. The D83 sked to North America. 0100-0120 5970, 9575
(M. Flannagan)

NORWAY. Radio Norway International in Oslo. M84 spring schedule. The English program "Norway Today is heard on Sundays ( $*=$ Monday GMT). Programs are in Norse the remainder of the week.

| 0000-0030* | 9525 | ECNA |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 9565 | Central. America |
|  | 9590 | South Asia/Austral |
|  | 11870 | Europe/S. America |
| 0400-0430* | 9565 | WCNA |
|  | 9570 | ME, East Africa |
|  | 9705 | ECNA |
|  | . 11870 | ME, East Africa |
| 0500-0530 | 6015 | North Europe |
|  | 9565 | Western North Ame |
|  | 11865 | ME, East Africa |
|  | 15165 | ME, Africa |
| 1000-1030 | 9590 | Europe |


| $1000-1030$ | 9590 Europe |
| :--- | :--- |
|  | 15205 Far East, NZ |
|  | 17825 Central S. Amer. | 17860 South Asia/NZ/Au

$\begin{array}{ll}\text { 1300-1330 } & 9590 \text { Europe } \\ & 15175 \text { Asia, Australia }\end{array}$ 15225 ECNA, Central Ame 25615 ME, Africa

1400-1430

1600-1630

1700-1730

1900-1930

2000-2030
9590 Europe
15205 ME , India 17840 ECNA
17855 Asia, Australia
6015 North Europe
15205 WCNA
17800 ME, East Africa
25615 ME, Africa
9590 Europe
15175 Mediterranean, Af
15225 ME , East Africa
21730. Central S. America

9590 Europe
15175 Central America
15225 Far East, NZ
9525 Far East, NZ
9590 Europe
11860 Far East, NZ
15175 Central S. America

2200-2230 6015 North Europe
9610 Australia
9670 Australia
15175 Central S. America
ECNA = Eastern North America
ME = Middle East
Au, Aust, Austral = Australia
$\mathrm{NZ}=$ New Zealand
Af = Africa
WCNA = Western North America (direct)

OMAN. Radio Oman, sked dated 11-2983
0900-1100 11890
(L. Klosowski)

PHILIPPINES. Radio Veritas Asia. The
English sked.
0000-0030 15195, 15280
1430-1500 11955, 15215
(E. Soomre)

POLAND. Radio Polonia's North American
Service. Valid until May.
0200-0300 6095, 6135, 7145, 7270, 9525, 11815, 15120 6095, 6135, 7145, 7270, 9525, 11815, 15120
(? Fernando, ? Prath, H. Tate, E. Soomre D. Tilley)

PORTUGAL. Radio Portugal - Lisbon
D83 North American Service.
0300-0330 6060, 11925
0530-0600 6075, 9575
(L. Mendez)

ROMANIA. Radio Bucharest. D83 North
American Service.
0200-0300 5990, 6155, 9510, 9550, 9570, 11810, 11940
0400-0430 sames as above
(J. Prath, E. Soomre)

SAUDI ARABIA. BSKSA in Jeddah. D83
English sked.
1000-1300 11855
1700-2100 11855
(E. Soomre)

SOUTH AFRICA. Radio RSA. D83 North
American Service.
0200-0256 5980, 9615, 11730
(D. Claytor)

SUDAN. According to our man in Saudi
Arabia, Dr. Richard E. Wood. Omdurman
operates on 5039 not 4994 kHz .
Their sked should read:
0400-2200 5039 Local languages.
(R. Wood)

TUNISIA. Radio-Television Tunisienne USA: AFRTS- CONTINUED


| 0300-0400 | 9560 | North America |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | 9730 | Southeast Asia |
| $2000-2100$ | 7155 | Europe |
| $2200-2300$ | 6130 | Middle East |
|  | 9660 | Europe |
|  | 9560 | North America |
|  | 9730 | Southeast Asia |

(S. Abbott, E. Soomre)

USSR. Radio Vilnius-Lithuania. Undated sked.

| $2130-2200$ | 6100 | Europe |
| :--- | :--- | :---: |
| $2300-2330$ | 9685 | North America |
|  | 11790 | $"$ |
|  | 15100 | $"$ |
|  | 15240 | $"$ |
|  | 17870 | $"$ |

(K. Hitsman, E. Soomre) By the way, Radio Vilnius uses the Radio Moscow transmitter system. The transmitters are located throughout the USSR.

| 0200-0230 | 9710 | North America |
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|  | 11790 | " |
|  | 15100 | " |
|  | 15240 | " |
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| 2330-0000 | 9685 | " |
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|  | 15240 | " |
|  | 17870 | " |
| This station uses Radio Moscow transmitters. See above. <br> (J. Prath) |  |  |
| USA. Armed Forces Radio and Television Service. This sked was effective on January 15 th. |  |  |
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| Transmitters are those of the |  |  |
| Voice Of America. |  |  |
| 0000-1500 | 21670 | Southeast Asia D |
| 0100-0700 | 6030 | Europe B |
| 0200-0700 | 6030 | Caribbean B |
|  | 15330 | East Asia C |
| 0330-0700 | 11730 | East Asia C |
| 0900-1100 | 9530 | Africa B |
|  | 9590 | Europe A |
| 0900-1300 | 6030 | Caribbean A |
| 1000-1700 | 11805 | East Asia C |
| 1000-1900 | 9700 | East Asia C |
| 1100-1700 | 15330 | Africa |

A $=$ Greenville, North Carolina
$\mathrm{B}=$ Bethany, Ohio
$C=$ Delano, California
D = Poro Point, Philippines

* = withdrawn as required for

UN Radio use.
(T. McKeon)

USA. WINB in Red Lion has this sked. No date on it.
2347-0330 15145 South America
1600-2000 17730 Europe
2002-2245 15185 Europe
2247-2345 15145 Europe
Most of their programming is in
English but there are some
exceptions
Monday thru Friday
0230-0300 15145 Spanish
Saturday
1845-1930 17730 Russian
2200-2230 15185 Latin Mass
(M. Flannagan) See you on the AMTRAK

Melvin, hi.
Well, that's all the info $I$ have room for this month. I hope those of you who receive the M84 schedules will send them along to me ASAP. Also the J84 skeds when they come out.

Just a reminder on the rules to follow when reporting to the STATION SKEDs column.

1. Write on one side of your paper.
2. Put your first initial and last name on each schedule.
3. When there is more than one sked on a piece of paper, put your name next to each sked and leave room so that I may cut them apart.
4. Be accurate.

## CONTEST

Here is the question for this month. During the 1960 's, many African countries which were former French Colonies QSLed reports with a QSL card which was very similar in style. It featured a map of Africa with dots marking the capital cities of the former colonies. What name were these cards called? prize: 2 IRCs. 3 Chip

SPEEDX Western Hemisphere

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## Deadline: 12th

## All times and datee UTC, All fqy: in tha

1984
Well, hi there! Ready for spring, with all the tormados and thumderstorm static? Me too! I hope you all have your 84 WRTHs now. You notice that Calapagos Is. is finally listed as a seperate country, no SW listed out of Grenada, and no mention made of R. Prance's relay out of Fronch Guiana. Win a few, lose a few.
MOP UP DEPP, Marge Witte says that the UNID listem in the Jamurary WH on 6055 as B. Hainbow is a BBC program which has been on for quite a while. Thanks Marge. Our man in Spokane, Bob Falmer, ex-Terrapin (Oniv. of Md termapin) says that that CW station on 5095 which provides the QRM for R. Sutatenza is CFH near Halifax NS, which is a military station. He says the frequency is 5097.0. Hope Mike Chabak isn't getting mad at me for stealing his thunder, hil Bob adds that the Brazilian station R. Educ Ruxal on 4755 seama to be a 24 -hour operation.

Bob Wilozek aent me a copy of the program sked of KNR in Greenland on 3999 khz . It's a day-by-day sked, giving individual programe for bech day of the week. It's in Daniah, whioh I oan't read, so I can only guess at the programs liated, but there seam to be a sports px , a soap opara, a family px , some sort of a "Ieacion" mix, a rock ux $\overline{p x}$, a classical mcipx, educational px, and of oourse, news. patte nice!
Does anyone have the US adress for IIPC, Costa Rica? I got a request for that, and I can't die it up. If you do, please let me know.
I have the program oked of FIBS, Falkland Is, from the BBCNS

| 3958 khz (1115-2030) 2380 khz (0900-1115 2030-0330) (times GNP) |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 0900 | gign on (mon- sat) |  |
| 0900-0915 | BBCWS nx and review of the British Press (mon-sat) |  |
| 1000 | sign on (sumday) |  |
| 1100-1115 | BBC mx |  |
| 1215-1245 | FIBS me magazine (tu. th. sat) |  |
| 1300-1315 | BBC mx |  |
| 1500-1515 | HBC mx and Radio Nowsreal (mon-sat) |  |
| 1600-16才5 | B8C ix (weekends only) |  |
| 1700-1702 | BBC nx sumary (sat) |  |
| 1800-1830 | EBC newsdesk (smon) |  |
| 2000-2030 | BBC nx and "24 Bours" (mon-fri) |  |
| 2130-2200 | "Colling the Folklands" (tu, fri) |  |
| 2230-2245 | local amounocnenta (mon-sat) |  |
| 2300-2315 | BBC nix |  |

This month, I'm going to try samething a littile different in a space-savins move. For the major broadcasters (HCJB, RCI, VOA...) the reports will be condensed into fom not unlike the format used in Chris Lobdell's Station Skeds column. I feel this wili save space, and even make it a little easiar to read. Cheak it out and let me know what you think of it.
Remembering that if no lanfuace is given, the transmission was in SS, or PP for Hrazilian stations, here is...


I hope it's nice where you are. It got to 65 degrees today!

| BOLIYIA |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $0305$ |  1/24 Koman IX) |
| 4747v | 0119 | UNID, IA dramitic mx, TC "24 mins." only, and sorue Andean mx. Off by |
| 6025 | 2300 | $\mathrm{R}_{\text {. IIlimansi, many amnts and misleading non-IDs, finally hrd the usual }}$ "II. IIImani, IV de Bolivia" ID ( $2321 / 18$ Moman $A B$ ) (Thompson CA) |
| BRA 21 |  |  |
| 2420 | 0145 | Re_Seo Garlos, DT playing mraz ballads, lots of QSB |
| 2490 | 0145 | Re Elduc, Faral de Coart, DJ w/messages, local rx w/Brasopops. Full ID at 0155, strong w/local QRN (gd $1 / 14$ Parks FL) |
| 3375 | 433 | R. Nacional, ID at 1010, slight QBM de co-chan R. Clube and more from R. Iris at 3380 ( $4331 / 12$ Schlesinger TX) |
| 4755 | 57 | Rdjf Marahao. "A Voz do Hrasil", ID, return to non freq from 4750 (fr 1/5 Parks FL (333 1/21 Thunberg PA) 0322 (222 1/22 Mendez NJ) +2 |
| 4843 | 108 | R. Nac do Boa Vista, sxceast, "R. Nacional" IDs, TCs, many ments of Paraguay and Brazil ( $3331 / 20$ Thompson CA) |
| $4845 t$ | 0010 | R. Nac do Maranhap? ballads, sked, possible ID at 0028, R. Manus listed, but pretty sure abt Maranhao ID. Any help? (I think this is |
| 4815 | 0824 | Manaus, as Maranhao is further down the dial jc) ( $3331 / 20$ Thunberg PA) out of order Bdif Londrina, $Z Y$ ballads, fine IDs as "Rdif Londrina |
|  |  | Parana", TC for 5:30 (232 2/4 Wilczek II) |
| 4865 | 0735 | R. Sociedade, Feirs de Santana, contrary to WRCH 84, this one is active. Straining thru static $w / Z Y$ ballads, one ment of Radio Sociedade (pr $2 / 4$ Wilczek II) |
| 4875 | 93 | R. Nac Boa Vista, long tr, ending w/now more ux from RN da Amazo |
|  |  | Itx, then ad, then ID. HBd het after 0950 (333 2/1 Muxff NM) |
| 4880nf | 0100 | Rdif Acreana; FR2, Brasoballads, ID "... 1400 khz onda media... (alogan and fanfare) Radiodifusora Acreana", first noted on new freq on 1/9 (fr/pr 1/13 Parks FL): Nathen Murff, this mey be your unid |
| 5035 | 0018 | ㅗ. Aparecida, prof LA pops and folk ballads, occasional try/echos. Simple "R. Aparecida" IDa. Haven't noticed this one around lately ( $3331 / 16$ cunninghan 0 I) |
| 5965 | 2340 |  |
| 6135 | 0758 | Pe Gquaho, ments of Paraguay and Brazil, 3 pips at 0800 and ID (444 1/24 |
| 9585 | 0108 | F. Fraelsior, ax event $w / I D$ at mid-sentence (gd 2/4 0nner LA) |
| 11780 | 0151 | B. Aacioral, latin mx ( 433 1/28 Pfeffer NY) (444 1/28 Prath FL) +2 |
| 11915 | 0057 | R, Gauche, discussion $p x$, full $I D$, ads, clear freq for a change (gd $1 / 5$ Parks FL) |
| 11925 | 0035 | Bo Bendeirantes, soccer matoh, Guanabara vs ?, co-chan QRM, but RB on top ( 322 1/13 Palmer WA) |
| 15270 | 2123 | Fe Nac de Mragil, SS, fux and tx, ID (323 $2 / 5$ Tilley CO) |
| 15290 | 0159 | Radiobres, EES, IS, pop nax ( 242 1/16 Shimada JP) (444 1/16 Chituck MD) +3 |
| 17720 | 1959* | R. Iac do Arasil. GG, guitar ux, 1959* (454 1/9 Bingham MA) |
| CHILE |  |  |
| 9550 | 0204 | R. Nocional, TDs in passing, very poor reception, DW QRM ( $2 / 7$ Thmer LA) |
| 9750 | 1030 | R. Menerais, band mx, "King Cotton" rx, "Mineria...Chile", mix (444 1/13 Robinson Tiv) |
| 15150 | 2347 | Ra Naciomal, aoccer, Atacama vs Magailanes (give me the Redskins and Corboys anytime jc) (gd $1 / 18$ UImer LA): 15147 ( $3331 / 25$ Mendez NJ) |
| QOLOMBIA |  |  |
| 4875 | 0640 | R. Super, LA nux, ID w/echos, full ID w/freq (444 1/14 Ifilion PA) |
| 4945 | 0608 | CARACOL Nevia, caught ID as "Esta CARACOL Nevia, HJDH, para todo Colambia", then string of ads, then interviews (222 $1 / 31$ Palmer WA) |
| 5095 | 0230 | R. Sutatenza, ux, jop ma, severe CW QRM (see my frontpage for info on that CW Jc) ( $4331 / 13$ Bahn II): 1030 ( $3432 / 5$ Weikel MI): whole string |
|  |  | of call IDa; EJC/HJOT/EJCX/EJHL/WJCR/EJCC/(SW) HJGC/HJIB (network? jc) ( 433 1/20 Mendez NJ) (gd $1 / 11$ Ulmer IA <br> Robertson WA) |
| 9636 | 1117 | Re Kacional, poor audio, drifts, classical piano solos (454 1/15 |
| 15335 | 1530 | R. Nacionel, mx, mx, severe fading ( 322 1/21 Klosowski FL) |
| ECUADOE |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 3290 \\ & 3816 \end{aligned}$ | $0045$ | IV del Napo, several clear IDs, key-olick qEM ( $2321 / 24$ Maman $A B$ ) R. Pastaza, caught tail-end of $\mathrm{NA}, \mathrm{ID}$ " B . dias oyentes, B. Dias desde Ecuador.", into HC ( 453 2/2 Jones MS):0042 ( $2321 / 24$ Moman AB) |
| 3380 | 0356 | R. Iris, ID, martiel mx, anthem? (if it was dull, long and boring, it was the HC NA, hil jc)(444 $1 / 5$ McKeon IN) |
| 3395 | 0415 | R. Zorgeay, bad het, QRMing station only 100 hz away. Caught "... sintoniabo. $\mathrm{H}_{6}$ Zargieay." LA mx, not much tx ( 222 2/1 Felmer WA) +1 |


| ECUA D O F continued |  |  |
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| 4657 | 0335 | Bdif del Bruador, nat'l/reg nx, partial Ing, cminty ( $3531 / 6$ Jones TX |
| 4792 | 0517 | Slatema de Pnis. Ataleya, on late, presidential election rx, as with other HC outlets, good time to IX Ecuador when the other Latins off (that's a good tip jc)(222 1/30 Robertson WA) |
| 4795t | 0222 | LV de Ios Caras, HCAC4, symphonic mx, sigs suddenly died 0229. Much het, some QसM de Atlantida at 4790 ( $3331 / 20$ Schlesinger TX) |
| 4800 | 0352 | F. Popular, in the clear after R. Lara s/off. Latin pops, ID, TC, into nIX by a very somber newscaster (well, with today's news, no wonder! jo) instry ( $3431 / 14$ D'Angelo PA) |
| 4820 | 1008 | E. Pazy Bien, "LV del Papa" px f/R. Vatican to 1027, anuncios, quick mrx bridge, ID "R. Paz y Bien..." at 1033, noticias (fr $1 / 17$ Sheedy CA) |
| 4851.2 | 0559 | R. Luz $y$ Vidg, $t x$, ment of quito, no $I x$, election coverage, ID (232 1/30 Robertson WA) |
| 4890 | 2325 | $\mathrm{Be}_{\text {e }}$ Centinela del Sux, rock |
| 4900 | 2300 | LF de Sasquili/R. Liberatador, HC folk mx, full ID, Juventud absent. First time noted w/evening mission. Gone at 2330 recheck. (gd $1 / 12$ Parcks FL) |
| 4920 | 0535 | Ba quito election nx, provincial and national totals for each of the severel candidates (Salgado Sanohez, Borja, etc), promo for network (344 1/30 Robertson WA) (433 1/10 Mendez NJ) (444 $1 / 14$ Weikel MI) +1 |
| 4977 | 1039 | 伿if Tarqui, ID in the middle of rax (343 1/24 Jones MS) |
| 4980 | 0604 | Ondas Azuayas, election rx, no mxx, no QRM, only QRN (222 1/30 Robertson |
| 4990 | 0608 | R. Bahai, martial mx, ID sounds like B'jai, mellow La pops ( $1 / 30$ Robertson WA) |
| 5015 | 0522 | Recuelas Radiofonicas Populares, election rxx, Andean max and ID |
| 5025 | 0120 | $R_{\text {e }}$ Splendit?, ments of Ecuador, corredy skit, Andean mx, no ID, so tent |
| 5050 | 1134 | R. Jesus del Gran Podex, many ments of Sen Francisco, ads, TCa (444 1/24 Moman AB) |
| HCJB |  |  |
| 3220 | 0100 | Quecha, IDs, TPs, folk max ( $3332 / 3$ Prath FL) |
| 6095 | 0535 | HFE, tx on Middle Past (444 1/8 Lindley AL) ( $555!1 / 31$ Palmer WA) |
|  | 0602 | EES, "Radio Bible Class" (444 1/7 Cox CA) (454 $2 / 3$ Bingham MA) +2 |
| 6130 | 1002 | EFF, "Passport" (454 2/2 Bingham MA) |
| 9655 | 0347 | RR, this freq replaces 9515 (444 1/31 Palmer WA) |
|  | 0703 | EEF, "Happiness Is" ( 454 1/8 Bingham MA) |
| 9745 | *0035 | EE, world Imx ( $4331 / 10$ Dillon PA) |
|  | 0200 |  |
|  | 0641 | EFS, "Report on Science" ( $4441 / 14$ May OH) ( 353 1/8 Bingham MA) |
| 11740 | 1402 | kSt, nx, singing ( $4542 / 2$ Bingham MA) |
| 11835 | 0711 | EE, review of a LA musical ( $3331 / 14 \mathrm{May} \mathrm{OH}$ ) |
| 11910 | 0530 | EIG, "Passport" //6095 (233 2/2 Lieu CA) (444 3/3 May OH) |
|  | 0610 | ES, "Musical Mailbag" (444 2/6 Tilley C0) |
| 15115 | 1245 | EE, "Happiness Is" ( $4441 / 21$ Fisher WI) ( 454 2/2 Bingham MA) |
| 15155 | 0220 | EE, "Songtime "IIKPL" ( $4541 / 22$ Krist VA) (353 1/13 Bingham MA) |
|  | 0339 | ELS, "Masic in the Night" (353 1/16 shimada JP) |
| 15250 | 0045 | EFS , relg px, followed by local nx ( 555 2/6 Tilley C0) |
|  | 0200 | SS, ID, Ex, [IX (455 1/13 Chituck ITALT) |
| 15295 | 2200* | EE, "IXPL" ( $4541 / 9$ Bingham MA) (223 2/5 Tilley C0) ( $5451 / 7 \mathrm{Mendez}$ NW) |
| 17790 | 1934 | EE, book review ( $3331 / 16$ May OH ) ( 454 1/11 Bingham MA) |
| 17890 | 1215 | E53, "Ioday" "Happiness Magazine" ( $4441 / 6 \mathrm{Dillon} \mathrm{PA)}$ |
|  | 1329 | Em, "Moming in the Mountains" ( $4542 / 2$ Bingham MA) |
|  | 1500 | EE, "Beck to God Hour" (454 1/15 Card RI) |
| 21480 | 1936 | [4, "Ioday in Review" ( 343 1/11 Binghem MA) |
| FA I I AND IS. |  |  |
| 2380 | 0224 | FTBS, EW, $t /$ in to hear $0 M \mathrm{w}$ /Hritish accent reading a list of dedications, Yi caller on the phone, pop mx, TC at 0223 for "28 to..." drum roll and jingle ID at 0236, more mox and dedications. lkx at 0248 mention of $18^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, same drum roll/ID at 0259, more tx past 0300,0334 hrd s/off and GSIQ. Carrier left on, indeed was noted periodically till $0900 \mathrm{~s} / \mathrm{on}$, very faint now, but EE mx just discermable. Fade out quickly after 0900. Amazing, path open for at least 7 hours! (pr-fr 1/24 Moman $A B$ ):0055 (pr 1/20 Pariks FL) |
| 3958 | 1115 | FIBS, faint carrier, no audio noted. Sked time is 1115 ( $1 / 24$ Moman $A B$ ) |
| FRENCH GUIANA |  |  |
| 6170 | 1042 | RFo Guyane, FF, sliclr bx OI w/noticas. TC/ID, pop twes. 5055 weaker w/statio. Its after 1100 ( $3431 / 14$ D'Angelo PA) |

After finiahing this column, I'll be headed for Defiance OH for a weekend to visit my sick grandfather in our new car. Of course, my mother will make me drive the entire 500 miles... !


6205.10450 LV del Sandino, ID, rev songs w/childish lyrics, then political exhortations. Mentioned "el temorismo Cubano" Whose side are they on, anyway? (last time I checked, I think they were on ours jc) weak sig. Sounded like an AM sig, but only USB was audible, no LSB at all! (222 1/12 Palmer WA):2330 (544 2/5 Rahm II) (vg 1/19 Uimer L4)
69890118 Ho Farabundo Marti, 6989-6984-6994-6985, usual px, chased by strone
70000133 mac jammer. ID, 0138* (fr 2/4 Ulmer LA )

| 7000 | 0133 | ) |
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| $7018 t$ | 0016 | R. Rarabundo Marti, OM praising Marti, history tx, CW QRM (fr $2 / 2 \mathrm{Mu}$ : |
| 7020 | 0020 | R. Venceremos, rocals, tx of history and workers, ID (pr/fr $1 / 14$ Uner) |
| 7464.5 | 0348 | LV del CID, To as "LV de Cuba independiente democratica:" (fr $1 / 8$ Bermi CA)(333 1/25 Moore IX) |


| COSTA RICA |  |  |
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| 4825 | 0545 | R. Columbia, nice IA pops, ads, better sic than Impacto (444 1/8 Hull |
| 4832 | 1200 | R, Reloj, ID "R. Reloj, Costa Rica", mx (232 1/15 Weikel MII) +2 |
| 5055 | 0310 | Faro del Caribe, WE, "Words of Hope", periodic UPE danM ( $3331 / 26$ MacGibbor OR) (422 $2 / 1$ Palner WA) (444 $1 / 24$ Moman ALB) $\text { PA) }+1$ |
| 6006 | 0605 | Re Relof, Ix, ID "R. Reloj, mumero uno en Costa Rica" ( 322 1/10 Dillon |
| 6150 | 0520 | R. Impaoto, variety of nox, ID "Capital de la Democratica latino americana, Impacto Noticioso" (444 1/8 Romero ID) +5 |
| 6175 | 1210 | Faro del Caribe, rel tx, mx, //5055 9645 (444 1/21 Prath FL) |
| 9645 | 1235 | Faro del Caribe, "Faro del Caribe emissora Christianos", relg mx, 7/5055 (433 1/15 Prath FL) |


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| RADIO HAVANDA CUBA |  |
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| 6090 | 0220 |
| 0320 | EFS, cmnty on a historical subject ( $3332 / 6$ Tilley CO) +1 |

            \(\xrightarrow{\mathrm{KHE}}\) "Cuba Today" (544 1/26 Claytor OH) (544 1/9 Schlesincer TXX)
            0430 EE , sx rpt, question what significance does the Cuban revolution
                have for the liberation strucgles in Africa and Latin America? (gee,
                        that ranks right up there with 'Which deoderant lasts longer?' hi! jc)
                        (555 1/21 Klosowski FI) (444 1/22 Lindley AL)
    9525 *0630 EFE , canty on the 25 th annv. of the revolution ( $4441 / 15 \mathrm{Cox} \mathrm{CA}$ ) +1
117252120 FW , tw on job program ( $4232 / 5$ Tilley CO ) ( 433 1/8 schlesinger $\mathbb{T X}$ )
117600557 EFE, freqs, s/off, NA (444 $1 / 8$ Lindley AL)
1715 SS, speech and my ( 433 2/5 Valentine CA)
118401915 ( $\mathrm{R}_{-}$Moscow, FE , "Round About the Soviet Union"(444 $1 / 5$ Dillon PA))
119302200 SS, ID, nx (444 1/10 Langlois GA) Langlois GA)
152302000 EKE, ID, US students in Cuba (luckly, I'm not one of them jc) (444 $1 / 11$
154701955 SS, pop ITx, ID, rix ( $3332 / 5$ Tilley CO)
* 2050 EE, Cuban Profile ( 353 1/29 Krist $\mathrm{VA}_{\mathrm{A}}$ )
155251730 FF, plenty of $\mathrm{IDs}(4441 / 26 \mathrm{Valentine} \mathrm{CA})$
DOMINICAN REPA
11700 0255 R, Garin, mx px, ID (353 1/28 Fermando NX): 1700 ( 433 1/21 Klosowski FL) GUATAMALA
33600149 IV de Nahuala, SS/dialect, maramba mix, ID (242 $2 / 3$ Thunberg PA) +1
33800220 R Chortis, maramba ma, ID ( 454 1/9 McKeon IJ)
48250245 K. Mam, ( $t$ ) max (444 1/9 MoKeon INJ)
60901115 Union $\mathrm{K}_{2}$ SS ID, instr ITx, EE ID, gospel mex (444 1/9 Socanre MA) +1
missort GREENIAND
3999. 140955 Gronlands Re, Greenlandic? t/in to oc. then noted slow chime type IS. TX noted at 1000. Monitored till PASI 1200! when it was still at a good level, but the ARO QRM was stronger! Hrd a variety of ax, flutes, brasses, pianos, whistling, C\&s, waltz, dmms, big bend, and honky tonk plano. No chanoe to get bored herel Possible ID just before single tone at exactly -:15:00. Fair to good if no ARO present (var $1 / 24$ Maman $A B$ )

HAITIT
49300000 4VFYH, FF , tx, some mx , EE lang excersises (444 1/28 Card RI) 6
MEXICO
23900034 R. Muavacocotla, Mexican mx, ID, tx, theme from "Star Wars" (242 $2 / 3$ Thunberg PA)(232 1/24 Moman AB)
31600103 UNID, first noted $\mathrm{w} / \mathrm{faint}$ singing and tx here, not $/ / 1580$. Sig getting better till 0230 when blanked by a strong ETPY sig. Ment 'musica ranchera, musical tropical". Also hrd $1 / 24 \mathrm{w} / \mathrm{strong}$ oarrier, but undernod and distorted audio from 0133 to pest 0200 (1/10 333 moman AB): 1310 ( $2221 / 31$ Palmer WA)
R. Nexico, lots of tw, some mx. //9705, QSB (433 1/27 Card RI)
61051259 Sud Pantera, nice LA pops, full ID on the hour w/ment of Yucatan (444
1259 Su Pantera, nice LA pops, full ID on the hour w/ment of Yucatan (444
1/29 Prath FL)
61152230 R. Univ de Sonora, classical mx (444 1/19 Thompson CA) (444 $1 / 23$ Berri
95551423 La Hora Bxacta, Observatorio Nacional de Mexico time each minute (GMP
minus 6)anned trice fol. by long tone on the minute. Comls and amints
(time of futbol gane, etc) between. Still there at 1630 and 2045.
Thanks Lazarus (sorta a cross between WV and your local AM sta, huh?
jc)(333 1/13 Jones MS) (pr 1/11 Parks FL) (252 1/7 Jones TX)
$9600 a 1329$ Ro Uniye de Mexico, here at s/off of Tashkent, ID, intro to class.
Nacional Autonoma de Mexico", then into nx (222 2/1 Nurff N $N$ )

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| 6020 | 2345 |
| 6040 | 0010 |
| 6165 | *0230 |
|  | 0527 |
| 9590 | 0230 |
| 9770 | 0750 |
| 11815 | 1112 |
| 11825 | *2215 |
| 21685 | 2020 |
| Im on a | a roll |
| 3250 | 0123 |
| 4820 | 0143 |
| 4910t | 0201 |
| 4965 | 1212 |
| NICARAG |  |
| 5950 | 0143 |
| 6120.5 | 52201 |
| PIRATES |  |
| 6225 | 2111 |

0852 KQRP , EE , rock $\mathrm{mx}, \mathrm{DJ}$ as Dr . X. ID "From a lonley mountain top in
$0852 \frac{\mathrm{KQRP}, ~ R F, ~ r o c k ~}{\mathrm{NAK}}, \mathrm{DJ}$ as Dr . X. ID Mrom a lonley mountain top in CTH must be a mail-drop or something jc)(554 1/22 Moore TK)

0115 VORC Relay, CC, annty (333 2/6 Tilley CO)
0700 VOFC Relay, $E E, C C$ singing, NA, into $C C$ (444 $1 / 11$ Dillon PA) (Iord CA)
0200 VOA, EE, State of the Union Address ( 454 1/26 McCants AL)
0600 VOA, RE, ID, IS, nx (444 1/10 Dillon PA) (555 2/6 Tilley CO)
5995
$0533 \mathrm{WYFR}, \mathrm{GG}$, relg FK . Sked $0400-0500 \mathrm{RR}$; 0500-0600 GG; EW 0600-0800 ( $322,1 / 31$ Palmer wi)
6015
Sormurai Re, Vo Oriental America, 驰, nock mx, TO, 212-966-9979, calls from DC, Maryland (not me jc), Ohio, and Pennslyvania. Reports to Box 982, Battle Creek. on after a $2-3$ year of inactivity according to "Mr. Samurai" (252 1/29 D'Angelo PA)

6020
0310 WRNO, EEs, rock max ( 555 1/10 Mendez NW)
0550 VOA, FF, tx px (444 2/2 Lieu GA)
60402005 VOA , HE, world nx ( 555 1/9 Henault MA)
60450313 WRNO, EE, to on world fair ( 454 1/18 Bingham MA)
60650030 WIFR, EE, "Insight" (444 1/26 McCants AL)
0310 WYFR, EE, relg DX ( $1 / 23$ Fisher WI)
0702 WYFR, EE, $\operatorname{Hx}$ px ( 555 t/14 May OH)
6125
0603 VOA, ED, Bethany, tx on arms reduction ( $4331 / 31$ Palmer WA)
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6185
0030 VOA, EE, "Now Music USA" ( $3331 / 19 \mathrm{Krist} \mathrm{VA)}+2$
0430 R. Farth via WRNO, NB, Colombian mx, to on geography ( $5451 / 7$ Mendez NJ)
0536 WRNO, EE, rock mx (555 2/6 Tilley C0) (433 $1 / 14$ Krist VA)
0030 WRNO, EE, rock mX ( $4541 / 18$ Bingham MA)
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951500300 WRNO, BEE, rock max Me Whe World Today" (232 $1 / 11$ Dillon PA)
95351315 WYFR, FES , "Mailbeg" (454 1/14 Bingham MA)
9600
2030 WYFR, EE, rele tx, Buro svc ( $4441 / 5$ Dillon PA)
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plus 25
1400 WFNO, RE, "World of Redio" ( $5451 / 15$ Abbott III)
$1453 \mathrm{WFNO} / \mathrm{HWV}$, EE, hro WRNO w/relg stuff over WWV (12/18 Chickerell WV)


Here in the Midwest we in the middle of a 'tropical' heatwave with highs in the 30's. I'm sure 01' Man Winter will throw something our way before the seasons over.

Do you remember Radio Rainbow being reported in the Dec. ' 83 \& Feb. ' 84 columns? We may have found out where it's from thanks to David Moose-VA. David heard a station with the same name a few years ago and reported it to the Newark News Radio Club. Glenn Hauser wrote to the column later explaining that it was the BBC with English by Radio lessons. The log reported last month was on 11820 a BBC frequency and the programming was English lessons, BINGO! We have one problem, the time this was heard is not a scheduled time. This can not explain the Dec. log one bit!
albania '

50200610 R. Tirana via Gjirokaster; Albanian comtry by OM, YL @ 0616, children's mx @ 0617, // 505? (much more QRM on 5057), 444 ( $1 / 25$ McKeon-IN)
50570646 RT via Gjirokaster; Albanian mx pgn, //5020 (a littie more QRM), suprisingly good signals on both freqs, 444 ( $1 / 14$ McKeon-IN)
61700,45 R. Tirana; "Radio Albania", chilcren singing Xmas songs, 333 ( $1 / 4$ Trent-AK)
70650000 RT; EE Review of Albanian Press, comtry on the crisis in the European Community, 444 (1/26 Mathew-MA), (Tilley-CO) (Ulmer-IA)(Henault-MA) +2
70720000 RT; EE wid nx, comtry, Albanian folk song, culture type pgm in Albania, ID frequently used, YL ancr, 545 (Cleveley-NY)
7080 *0630 RT; EE nx, wld nx, "What We Saw in Albania," //9500 fairly wk, 444 (I/9 McKeon-IN)
70902300 RT; EE nx, As We See It, Pres. Reagan's speech, comtry, missles in Europe, etc., 333 ( $1 / 16$ Weikel-MI)
$7120 \quad 0230$ RT; EE YL "This is R. Tirana," nx , tlk about peasants being freed from - burden of debt, all villages were put together w/definite plan, 454 (1/28 Bingham-MA), (Gray III-MI) (Krist-VA) (Tilley-CO) (McKeon-IN)
73000550 RT; EE YL offering disertation on African \& South Americans not wanting foreign intervention, mx @ 0554, "Goodbye from Tirana,", 444 (1/4 Biron-NH) (McKeon-IN) (Ulmer-IA) (Tilley-CO)
9480
2205 RT; EE nx, comtry, tik about the 'good nature' of Albanians, 544 (1/29 Prath-FL), (Bingham-MA)
9485 A 1647 RT ; EF comtry about US Military actions, 222 ( $1 / 17$ Fisher-WI)
$9500 \mathrm{v} * 1800 \frac{\mathrm{RT}}{\mathrm{R}}$; FF YL \& OM, nx, political slogans Socialist Revolution, Patriotic mx, $\overline{1827}$ ID "Ici R. Tirana Trans Termine," 1828*, hvy QRN \& QSB, 332 (1/8 Mendez-NJ)
97500000 RT; EE $n x$, comtry, terrible QRM, 422 ( $1 / 13$ McKeon-IN)
119851603 RT; SS non-stop talk by YL in Castillian Spanish, ID 1615 , same YL, then finally some $m x$, a SS song w/YL vocal, s/off 1630 , 444 ( $1 / 24$ Palmer-WA) +1

AUSTRIA
59400310 ÖRF; GG OM, German songs, ID in several langs, 433 (1/19 Hotaling-NV)
59450130 ORF; EF Austria Calling, nx including air pollution, acid rain, foreign exchange market, weekly comtry on disarmament, Struss mx, 444 (1/21 Klosowski-FL) , (Bingham-MA) (Blanchette-FL) (Krist-VA) (Fraser-MA) (Gray III) +1
61550830 ORF; EE pork-a symbol of good luck, mx, musical ensemble described, 544 (1/2 Timofeev-FPG)
97700130 ORF; EE Dailareport from Austria, magazine section, Murray Hau read $n x$, lead story concerned Winter Games at Innsbauck, 555 (1/14 Biron-NH)
116652130 ORF; EE nx, classical mx, 222 (1/9 Abbott-IL)
$11760 * 1830$ 历PF; EF Report from Austria, Letter from Austria-public opinion polls, Profile on Austria-traditional dances, mx, Post Box 700, 1858*, 333 (1/22 Krist-VA)
17770 *1230 ORF; EF Report from Austria-Sunday Special, Letter From Austria, Austrian SW Panorama, mx, 1256*, 433 ( $1 / 15 \mathrm{Krist-VA)}$

|  | 0030 | BRT; EE $n x, ~ m x, D X$ Club activity, they spoke of Greenland activity a radio transcript for what it sounded like, 444 ( $1 / 27$ Card-RI) +3 |
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| 80 | 002 | RTBF; FF $n x$ \& comtry w/OM ancr, heavy QRN, 211 ( $2 / 6$ Tilley-C0) |
| 15590 | *1910 | BRT; EE Special Sunday b/c, DX Panorama pgm w/Fudy Van Dallen-look at the Bearcat DX-1000 radio, Radio World-BBC Radio in Belgium, 1930*, 353 (1/29 Krist-VA) |
| 17610 | *1400 | BRT; EE YL w/Brussels Calling, OM gave target areas times \& freqs, high unemployment among miners, rock mx by group, P.O. Box 26, YL answering letters, YL gave info on SWL Club, 454 ( $1 / 25$ Bingham-MA), (Weikel-MI) +2 |
|  | 152 | RTBF; FF played pop mx from Belgium, 333 (1/28 Stiner-NY) |
| 21815 | *1400 | BRT; EE Pgm preview, nx, Feachers pgm, //17610, 343 (1/31 Draye-S.Arabia) |

## BUIGARIA

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60850500 KS; Greek IS, ID, Greek nx, Greek is sked 0500 Sunday only per ' 84 WRTH
61351800 RS; Albanian nx, IS, 544 (1/1 Wood-Saudi Arabia)
7150430 포; EE YL W/Answering Your Letters, Problems \& Ideas \& DX Listeners Info
71150023 R. Moscow relay; EE tlk on missiles in Europe, revolutions, Americans in
71350610 R. Sofia; Bulgarian, YL playing $m x$ then ID as R. Sofia, more $m x$ then ID \&
$9560 \quad 1635$ RS; Turk/AA Turkish nx, comtry, mx, YI to 1659 , IS, then ID in AA, OM $\mathrm{w} / \mathrm{nx}$,




2142
R. Sofia; EE YL said R. Sofia Bulgaria pgm Youth Corner, YL tlk about Center for tourist, YL singing, club for young artists, YL talk to OM who makes cartoons, YL end of youth magazine, $2159^{*}, 333$ ( $1 / 25$ Bingham-MA) but so noted on a Friday, 433 ( $1 / 6$ Wood-S. Arabia) pgms, 444 ( $1 / 16$ Henault-MA), (Klosowsiki-FL)(Dillon-PA) (Bingham-MA) Philippeans, USSR successes, 333 ( $1 / 3$ Chickerell-WV), (Biron-NH)(Fraser-MA +1 peaked around 1645,333 ( $1 / 3$ Palmer-WA) by Bultaria in US last Oct, iazz. © 2159,2200 R.Moscow World nx, 545 (1/9 Mendez-NJ), (Bingham-MA) (Dillon-PA) (Fraser-MA)

## CZECHOSLOVAKIA

| 59 | 0315 | R. Prague; EE $\mathrm{nx}, \mathrm{mx}$, pgm sked given at 0320, 444 ( $1 / 15$ Grussling-KS) +11 ! |
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| 5931. | 1632 | $\underline{\mathrm{RP}} ; \mathrm{EE} \mathrm{nx}, 342$ (1/30 Draye-Saudi Arabia) |
| 6055 | * 2130 | $\overline{\mathrm{RP}}$; EE OM "This is R. Prague, Czech., OM w/nx bulletin, OM w/tik on missiles in Burope, YL tlk about Czech violin player \& awards he has won, violin mx, YL w/ Goodbye from R. Prague, 454 ( $1 / 15$ Bingham-MA), (Thunberg-PA) +3 |
| 7345 | 0130 | RP ; EE sports roundup, nx of Winter Olympics, Pgm sked for following wk, then mx, 0157 * 444 ( $2 / 7$ Schmautz-NY), (Bingham-MA) (Krist-VA) |
| 11990 | 0748 | RP; EE ID @ 0750 followed by Western pops, 232 (1/14 Miyauchi-Japan) |
| 15110 | 1546 | RP; EE YL w/ID, OM w/contest details, 1550 Gzech. at Work \& leisure pgm, 444 (2/1 Talbot-Alberta), (Prath-FL) |
| 21505 | 1532 | RP; EE $n x, O M$ tlk about Czech Youth Organization getting ready for peace rally, OM quoting Washington Post about CIA, OM tlk about US Arms buildup, instrumental mx, signal $f / o u t$ completely 1551, 352 (1/27 Bingham-MA) |

DENMARK
$15165 * 1358$ R. Denmark; Danish \& EE, EE b/c from Copenhagen, Denmark b/c in Danish, $\overline{\mathrm{OM}} \mathrm{w} / \mathrm{Danish}$ pgm into EE @ 1415 "This is R. Denmark, Copenhagen, Denmark, into Danish OM \& YL tIk \& mx, 454 ( $1 / 17$ Bingham-MA), (Wood-S. Arabia)
258501200 RD; Danish IS, EE/Danish ID, nx, 434 ( $1 / 13$ Wood-Saudi Arabia)
FINLAND
154001328 R. Finland; EE IS, "This is R. Finland, Helsinki" @ 1330, into Finnish pgm, 333 (2/1 Scheel-IA), (Fisher-WI)(Fraser-MA)(Klosowski-FL) (Cox-CA) +4

## 178001440

 RF; EE OM tlking about eating habits in Finland-hamburger chains (McDonalds Burger King) have taken over in Helsinki, fast food is in, PITY!, 333 ( $1 / 15$ Brewer-AR), (Dillon-PA) (Bingham-MA)FRANGE
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2155 RFI; SS s/on w/TS, wiped out Bayerischer Rundfunk, ID @ 2200, 544 (1/29 Moose-VA)
0020 RFI; FF Review of the French Fress, nx, 544 ( $1 / 21$ Klosowski-FL)
$0415 \overline{\mathrm{RFI}}$; EE nx by YL, problems on Challenger Flight, nx in FF @ 0430, then EE @ 0445,232 (Gray III-MI)
0516 RFI; FF comtry by YL \& OM ancrs, 322 (2/6 Tilley-CO)
0400 RFI; EE Afro-European nx, unusual signal for the target area, 433 (1/29 (Stephenson-CA), (Hotaling-NV)(McKeon-IN)

| FRANCE |  |  |
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| 90 |  | RFI; EE OM w/nx-Saudi Arabia signs defense agreement w/France, 0424 feature on cycling, 0428 ID by $0 M \& n x$ maybe hrd @ $0415 \& 0445,0430 \mathrm{nx}$ in FF, 322 ( $1 / 26$ MacGibbon-OR), (Tilley-CO) (Langlois-GA) |
| 11705 | *16c0 | RFI; EE YL w/Paris Calling Africa, nx, views, events, African instrumental, $\overline{\mathrm{FF}}$ nx YL w/Developments of the Third World, health car 1655*, 333 (1/10 Cox-CA) |
| 11770 | 1521 | RFI; FF two $O M \mathrm{w} /$ sportscast, toward half hour mark crowd is going crazy!, $33 \overline{3}$ ( $1 / 15$ Thompson-CA) |
| 15300 | 1600 | RFI; EE analysis of the new outbreak of fighting between French \& Libyans in Chad, 333 (1/28 Stiner-NY), (Chickerell-WV)(Bingham-MA) (Miyauchi-Japan) |
| 17620 | 1630 | RFI; EE Paris Calling Africa, OM w/Special this wk Rubby Tournament, OM gave address for PCA, song by Johnny Cash, OM Your Listening to RFI in Paris, Arts in France, 343 ( $1 / 11$ Bingham-MA) (Dillon-PA) (Grussling-KS) |
| 17720 | 1615 | RFI; EE Paris Calling Africa, French nx, African $n x$, interview w/man from Sierra Leone, 434 ( $1 / 10$ Weikel-MI) |
| 17775 | 1545 | RFI; FF "Service Mundial," information pgm-stockmarket repcrt @ 1552, anmt of PP \& EE freqs @1600, 433 (1/4 Klosowski-FL) |
| 17795 | 1604 | RFI; EE Paris Calling Africa, African World, French national nx followed by a FF rock song, letters from listeners were read, 222 ( $1 / 22$ Caceres-NY) (Thompson-CA) (Bingham-MA) |
| 21580 | 1659 | RFI; EE bells ringing, YL "This is RFI"nx pgm, Paris Calling Africa, views \& events from the French capitol, nx from around the world, tlk about stockholm tiks, $m x$ by Bee Gees, YL w/nx of Africa, 454 (1/1? Bingham-MA) |
| 21620 | 21 | RFI; EE OM singing, YL tlk about France exports, YL w/tlk about unemployment in France, YL $w / I D$, non- $E E$ people singing, main points of $n x$, tlk about world bank, PCA, 252 ( $1 / 1$ ? Bingham-MA) |
| 21730 | *0915 | RFI; FF time signal then $n x$, then news report?, 343 (1/2? Draye-S. Arabia) |
| FEDERA | REPU3 | Of GEPMANY |
| 3995 | 0308 | DW; GG sounded Iike nx-mentioned Saudi Arabia, the US \& Lebanon, 222 (1/17 Stiner-NY) |
| 5085 | 0500 | Bayerischer Rundfunk; GG ID, nx, QRM from Sofia \& Oman, 422 (1/6 Wood-S.Ar.) |
| 6085 | 2058 | BR; GG OM w/In, into nx @ top of the hour, 2205 into piano $\mathrm{mx}, 232$ (1/29 D'Angelo-PA) |
| 6120 | 0540 | DW; EE tlk about a playright, 333 (2/2 Liev-CA) |
| 6145 | 0127 | DW; EE OM pgm Germany Today, Thank Good It's Friday, Spotlite on Modern Life, tlk about drug abuse in W. Germany, instrumental mx, Goodbye for now, OM w/times \& Freqs, 454 ( $1 / 21$ Bingham-MA) |
| 7285 | 0200 | DW; EE Asia Svce via Wertachtal, nx, comtry, 322 (1/14 Dillon-PA) |
| 9565 | 1930 | DW; GG OM, ID, mx, 433 (1/14 Langlois-GA) |
| 9615 | 0012 | DW; GG nx pgm w/OM ancr, 333 (2/6 Tilley-c0) |
| 9765 | *2100 | DW; EE E. Asia \& Pacific Svce, nx, comtry on East-West relations, Dateline Cologne pgm-item on Alps \& Skiing, GG mx, mailbag pgm, 343 ( $1 / 28$ Krist-VA) |
| 15150 | 1930 | DW; E巴 ceremony for the Blues musician Alexis Korner, 222 ( $1 / 8$ Stiner-NY)+1 |
| 17705 | 1930 | DW; EP YL gave bands, OM First the nx, tlk about Romania, Window on the World from the Voice of Germany, lost signal entirely in QRN @ 1940,352 (1/25 Bingham-MA) |
| GERMAN | DEmocra | PIC REPUBLIC |
|  | 0350 | RBI; EE ID @ 0359, DX Club ends into sports @ 0403 (I moved but checked @ 0428 lang was GG, 555 (1/24 Falbo-OR), (Robinson-TN) (Stephenson-CA) |
| 9620 15170 | *2315 | RBI; EE News From Home \& Abroad, comtry on GDR commitment for peace, item on skills training, rock for peace festival, 2356*, 433 ( $1 / 24$ Krist-VA) |
| 15240 |  | RBI; FF instrumental mx, OM w/comtry, lots of IDs, 544 ( $1 / 15$ Thompson-CA) |
| 15450 | *1515 | RBI; $\mathbb{E E} \mathrm{nx}$, comtry on GDR ship building, Peace Report-anti-US nuke itens, item on Hindi books from India, 155 ${ }^{*}, 433$ (1/14 Krist-VA), (Talbot-Alberta) |
| 17880 | 1345 | RBI; EE Southeast Asia Svce, w/tlk about US aggressive policies, 444 (1/7 Prath-FL), (Eingham-MA) |
| 21465 | *1515 | RBI; EE This is RBI, the Voice of the GDR b/cing to S.E. Asia, $n x$, comtry on Stockholm conference, Rock for Peace festival, Thank you for writingmailbag pgm, 444 ( $1 / 22$ Krist-VA) |
| 21540 | *1330 | RBI; EE This is RBI, the Voice of the GDR, $n x$, comtry on demonstration in support of Socialism, Round About the GDR, Thank You for Writing, 1412*, 433 ( $1 / 15$ Krist-VA) |

## GREECE

73702000 V. of Greece; Greek IS, NA, s/on Greek to Balkans, 555 (1/10 Wood-S.Arabia)
9460 2045 VOG; GG hi-spirited folk mx, ID, 2050*, 444 (1/14 Thunberg-PA), (Wood-SAr.)
$97001505 \overline{V O A}$ relay; EE YL VOA world nx, 333 (2/4 Thompson-CA) (Draye-Saudi Arabia) (2/2 Mahoney-Fi)
98650133 VOG; $\mathrm{HE} / \mathrm{Greek}$ YL tlk on six American Senators to visit Greece, YL "This is the Voice of Greece," YL "That's all for the VOG thanks for listening," 0141 into Greek, 0149*, 353 (1/9 Bingham-MA)
116451544 VOG; Greek YL AA-sounding chants, OM w/lively traditional Greek inst'l mx, ID 1550, brief carrier tone, $1550^{*}, 433$ ( $1 / 15$ Thompson-CA) (Draye-S.Arabia)
153051900 VOA relay; AA $n x$, pgm about Martin Luther King @ 1911,232 ( $1 / 15$ Dillaman)
1.56300855 VOG; Greek IS, anthem, 0900 Greek s/on, ID, nx, 555 (1/4 Wood-S. Arabia)

## hUNGARY

60251800 R. Budapest; II IS, nx, ID, QPM via Portugal, 533 (1/12 Wood-S. Arabia)
$98350218 \mathrm{~PB} ; \mathrm{EE}$ OM w/sked \& freqs, ID @ 0220, OM w/more sked info, mx, invitation $\overline{\text { to }}$ join their radio club, 343 ( $1 / 25$ Brewer-AR) (Mahoney-FL)
11910 *1700 RB; EE "This is R. Budapest, Hungary," OM gave bands, nx , tlk about Margaret Thatcher, tlk about recovery of stolen printing, skiing, ice skating, hockey, 443 (1/23 Bingham-MA) (Krist-VA)
152201000 RB; Hungarian IS, Pgm to Aust/NZ, QRM Moscow in RR, 523 (12/29 Wood-S.Ar.)
ICETAND 1827 Iceland State Broadcasting Svee RÍkisûtvarpid; Icelandic wld nx , ID,
13797 , comtry, $\overline{O M}$ ancr \& YI, QRM, $\overline{Q S B}$, signal ok (1/3 Gleveley-NY)

ITALY
0104 RAI; EE $n x$ read by YL, including economic rankings of Italy, Italian film, USA withdrawal from UNESCO, review of $n x$ highlights, light rock mx until 0129*, 543 (1/5 Claytor-OH) (Fraser-MA) (Prath-FL)
95750100 RAI ; EE nx, YL ancr w/usual paper turning sounds, $444(1 / 23 \mathrm{Abbott}-\mathrm{IL})+4$
118002036 RAI; II OM w/ID, instrumental mx, tlk about Mexico, classical violin mx, 444 ( $1 / 17$ Bingham $-M A$ )

LJXEMBOURG
60900009 R. Luxembourg; EE OM w/ID, top 30 songs, tlk about contest must have three right answers, $T C, I D, m x$ by Vanilla Fudge, group singing pop mx, lost signal in QRM\&QRN, 322 (1/9 Bingham-MA) (Gray III-MI) (Tilley-CO) (Fraser-MA)
153501615 RL; FF pop mx: Billy Joes Uptown Girl after game pgm "les Grosses Tetes"game involving celebrities who must figure out words, 333 ( $1 / 28$ Stiner-NY)

## MALTA

6110
2250 R. Mediterrean; EP nx , wx for Mediterreanean \& Europe, pop mx, blasted by BBC Brazil Svce, 322 ( $2 / 6$ Mahoney-FL) (Moose-VA)
61102033 IBRA Radio; EE Good mx radio $b / c$, $m x$ by Eddie Rabbitt, request listeners write to IBRA Radio, Station F, Toronto, Canada, 242 (1/29 D'Angelo-PA)

## MONACO

94931053 TWR-Monte Garlo; EE Hour of Decision w/Billy Graham, OM w/ID @ 1059, sked, then s/off, 343 ( $1 / 22$ Brewer-AR)
97751300 TWR-M C; SS LS, ID in EE, into $S S$ to Spain, rel. pgm, QRM Moscow in RR, 523 (1/5 Wood-Saudi Arabia)

## NETHERIANDS

## 98951335

$17605 * 1530$
R. Nederland; EE $n x$ read by $O M$ (according to WRTH ' 84 this is non-direction) signal isn't too bad, 332 ( $2 / 1$ Scheel-IA) (Mahoney-FL) (Mendez-NJ) (Soomre-MA)

NORWAY
$9525 * 200$

11735180
$15160 \quad 1600$
177101400 RNI; EE News \& Views, Trends \& Traditions, winter life, youth clubs, 453 (1/8 Fraser-MA)
217301200 RNI; Norwegian IS, EE/Norw. ID into Norw. nx, 544 (1/12 Wood-Saudi Arabia)

## POLAND

$725 \quad 2230$
$9540 * 1600$
R. Polonia; FE IS, nx , comtry, $/ / 7270,6135,333$ (1/28 Prath-FL)

票; EP n, look at Stockholm Conf., Gultural Scene in Poland, songs \& mx, 1628*, 353 ( $1 / 21$ Krist-VA)
151201424 RP; AA sports pgm, 242 (1/31 Draye-Saudi Arabia)

60252052 R. Portugal; EE om talking about postcard \& stamps, 332 ( $1 / 27$ Draye-S.Arab.)
67500558 RP; EE end of talk on nuclear weapons, s/off \& ID@ 0559, 333 (1/12 Nowicki-CA)
96801815 R. Renascenca; PP economic $n x$, ID, 444 ( $1 / 8$ Wood-Saudii Arabia)
97402045 RP; EE using 9740 instead of 9605 to Africa, YL, nx of the week in Portugal
117302330 to 2051, PP mx to 2059, s/off mx into FF 2100, 333 ( $1 / 7$ Palmer-WA)
11775 *2030 Problems-off \& on \& off @ 2344 , 444 ( $2 / 6$ Nahoney-FL)
RP; EE nx, You are tuned to the Internat'l Service of RP by OM, item on
the Portuguese Institute of Science, $\mathrm{mx} \mathrm{s} /$ off by YL @ 2056 , 343 ( $1 / 29 \mathrm{Krist}$ )
11925 *0300 RP; EE accordian $\mathrm{mx}, \mathrm{OM} \mathrm{w} /$ "This is FP b/cing from Lisbon," nx, tik about preschool education, $O M$ gave times \& freqs, $Y L$ singing, march $m x, 0331^{*}$, 454 (1/25 Bingham-MA)

| 152501806 | $\mathrm{RP} ; \mathrm{EF} Y \mathrm{YL}, \mathrm{nx}, \mathrm{Communist} \mathrm{Party} \mathrm{leader} \mathrm{in} \mathrm{Portugal} \mathrm{has} \mathrm{been} \mathrm{awarded} \mathrm{the}$ |
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|  | $433(2 / 2$ Palmer-WA) |

ROMANIA
96902007 R. Bucharest; EE OM tlk on Romanian folk songs, YL singing, tlk about different size ships, YL w/"You are tuned to RB , Romania," talk about rec. rep., times \& freqs given, loud hum during b/c, 242 ( $1 / 25$ Bingham-MA)
$\begin{array}{llll}11940 & 1650 & \mathrm{RB} ; \text { Romanian? ID, address, comtry, mx, } 165^{*}, 333(1 / 16 \text { Weikel-MI) } \\ 15335 & 0655 & \mathrm{RB} ; \text { EF comtry, ID @ } 0657 \text {, } / 15250,233(1 / 10 \text { Mckeon-TN) }\end{array}$
153350655 RB ; EA comtry, ID @ $0657, / / 15250,233$ ( $1 / 10$ McKeon-IN)
$153801800 \overline{\mathrm{RB}}$; GG IS, ID, nx, poetry, announced only 9690 , $7195 \& 6190$, PP to Africa is sked here but unheard, 555 ( $1 / 15$ wood-Saudi Arabia)

| SPAIN |  |  |
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| 9360 | 0021 | REEE; SS mx, ID, tlk by two YLs, mx-Mrs. Robinson, 555 (1/27 Chituck-MD) |
| 9570 | 1900 | $\overline{R H E} ;$ SS interview, $/ / 7105$, to Europe, 544 (1/10 Wood-Saudi Arabia) |
| 11600 | 1900 | EEE; SS film discussion, ancd as 2nd Overseas svce, $/ / 17650$, to Middle East, 1902*, 15395 then continues to Africa, 555 (1/10 Wood-Saudi Arabia) |
| 11715 | 1655 | REE; AA IS, 1700 SS ID, into AA $n \mathrm{X}$, QRM from Moscow, 522 (1/9 Wood-S.Arabia) |
| 11840 | 0010 | KEE; EE $n x$, guitar $m x, O M \& Y L$ anchors, YL w/Spain in the $80^{\circ} \mathrm{s}$, tlk of Spanish Dance Company, SS course by radio, drum mx, 454 ( $1 / 24$ Bingham-MA) |
| 15125 | 2000 | REE; SS interview, $/ / 15535,555$ (1/8 Wood-Saudi Arabia) |
| 21595 | 0854 | REE; SS songs \& mx w/YI tlking, 453 (1/27 Draye-Saudi Arabia) |

 for the letter. Ron has some further information in regards to Radio Rainbow! Radio Rainbow is a program produced by the BBC and aired at 0230 UTC on Wednesday \& Friday (maybe others too). There is a BBC-Lond on ID at 0200, 0230 \& 0300 in Spanish. The pgrm is beamed to Latin America \& apparently centains English lessons. Frequencies used via the WRTH ' 34 are: 6055 (Delano-USA), 6110, 6155 (Antigua), 9765 (Delano), 9825,11820 (Ascension Isl.). The Radio Rainbow listed on 6835 in the Dec. column is certain to be a Pirate using the Radio Rainbow name.

## SWEDEN

96950230 RSI; FE wld nx, comtry, OM ancr, ID, QSB, public affairs, US missiles, mx $11940 \quad 1420$ (1/4 Cleveley-NY)

|  |  | $(1 / 14$ Brewer-AR) |
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| 17820 | $10 C 0$ | RSI; Swedish IS, ID into Swedish, QRM from Mayak, $522(1 / 13$ Wood-S. Arabia) |
| 21610 | 1130 | RSI; Swedish IS into home svce 'Program 1 , nx, $544(1 / 3$ Wood-S. Arabia) |
| 21690 | 1243 | RSI; ESSweden Calling DXers, $1258 *, 353(1 / 31$ Draye-Saudi Arabia) |

SWITZERTAND
$\begin{array}{lll}3985 & 2 \approx 15 & \text { SRI; ED finishing EE Pgm \& starting GG, } 312 \text { ( } 1 / 29 \text { Moose-VA) } \\ 7210 & 1130 & \text { International Committee of the }\end{array}$
72101130 International Committee of the Red Cross; EF ID "This is the Internat'I Com. of the Red Cross in Geneva," sked, into Red Crossroads, pgm w/story on Red Cross workers in Uganda being abducted by Ugandan guerillas ( $1 / 23$ Smallwood-West Berlin)

15415 *1815 SRI; EE TC, nx, summary on today's skiing championship, Great Saturday
$15440 \mathrm{~A} \quad 1530$ SRI; EE Saturday Profile Pgm, nx, $222(1 / 21 \mathrm{Fi}$ sher-WI)
$17850 \quad 1820$ SRI; EE OM w/wld nx, Swiss SW Merry-Go-Round, notice that no more QSIs to
$21570 * 1345$ SRI; SEAN Listeners for 1984 , budget crunch, 433 ( $1 / 28$ Henault-MA)
21570 *13 S SRI; EE YL w/nx, Great Sat. Grapevine w/ results of ski contests $\&$ reading of letters, 554 ( $1 / 7$ Hesch-NY)

USSR (European)

Ufa; RR clarinet $m x$, tlk by $O M$, reception very strong \& clear, 433 (1/22 Nowicki-CA)
4780 *0259 Radio Moscow; RR R. Moscow IS, ID, anthem, gongs (bells?), probable nx, 0315 instrumental mx, Ute \& Djibouti QRM, 222 (1/25 D'Angelo-PA) (Card-RI) The site is Petrozavodsk.
73600045 RM (Krasnodar); SS pgm of ballads \& rock mx, IS \& ID @ 0100, $443 \mathrm{w} / \mathrm{slopover}$ from WRNO ( $1 / 8$ Fraser-MA) (Palmer-WA)
Ukrainian $\frac{\text { SSR }}{0140}$
RM (Nikolayev); EE Posner tlk on American \& Soviet perceptions of war, very good ( $1 / 21$ Ulmer-LA)
71650530 RM (Lvov); EE Soviet Way of Life, nx brief, Life in Communist Community, 433 (2/1 Henault-MA)
118601812 RM (Lvov); EE YL w/ID, News \& Views, Politburo Central Comm. meeting \& $\overline{\mathrm{US}}$ gunship Vilation of Nicaraguan Airspace, 544 ( $1 / 28$ Henault-MA)
12015 v 1742 RM (Nikolayev); EE mx pgm, contest, mx from TV pgm, pop mx by Olga Pokachova, $/ / 11855,11845,11832,544$ (1/8 Mendez-NJ)
154551338 RM (Nikolayev); EE editorial, $1442 \mathrm{mx}, 353$ ( $2 / 4$ Scheel-IA) (Wimmers-VA)
178101340 RM (Simferopol); EE Lebanese songs, ID, 444 (1/6 Dillon-PA)
Unknown Sites
Radio Moscow: 4855, 5920, 6100, 6110, 6115, 7405, 9490, 15100\&15550
Radio Kiev: 7185, 7205, 9686, 9685 \& 9750
Radio Vilnius: $9685 \& 9750$
Radio Station Peace \& Progress: 11745 \& 11845

|  | INGDOM |  |
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| 3955 | 0300 | BBC; EE Pres. Reagans speech is denounced in Moscow as propaganda, 222 (1/17 Stiner-NY) |
| 5975 | 0000 | BBC; EE wld $n x$, nx about Britain, East Germans seek asylum in US Embassy in East Berlin, 544 ( $1 / 21$ Klosowski-FL) (Dillon-PA) |
| 235 | 0440 | BBC; RR OM read nx, gives ID "Youorit London," 222 ( $2 / 6 \mathrm{Sable-NY}$ ) |
| 7320 | 0224 | BBC; EE OM w/ID \& $n x$, 0215 Network UK, spotliteing Sept. 83 mass escape at Maze Prison in Belfast, Northern Ireland, 444 ( $2 / 2$ Henault-MA) |
| 7325 | 0300 | BBC; EE World News \& News of England, pgm on English Poets \& Poetry, 434 (1/15 Henault-MA) |
| 9410 | 1715 | BBC; EE Beach Boy mx-Good Vibrations, interview w/Beach Boy, t1k about Dennis Wilsons death, tlk on Loverpool, TC, Book Choice, 454 ( $1 / 13$ Bingham) |
| 9760 | 1930 | VOA relay; $\mathbb{E E}$ interview w/journalist about nuclear arms talks, 444 ( $1 / 22$ Rahn-IN)(Chickerell-wV) |
| 9825 | 1921 | BBC; AA two OMs w/tlk, sounded like nx background, ID @ 1923 by OM, 222 (2/1 Palmer-WA) |
| 915 | 2300 | BBC; EE OM, ID , wld svce nx , 4444 ( $1 / 21$ Langlois-CA) |
| 1680 | 1725 | BBC; RR b/c badly jammed by xmtr IDing in morse as 'KB', jammer site probably near Kuybyshev, on Volga River, the Russians claim a xmtr site near Kuybyshev, but examination of satellite photos show no site there, but at Ul'yanovsk, nearby, 222 ( $1 / 12$ Palmer-WA) |
| 15070 | 1750 | BBC; EE/RR another switching mixup, last year BBCWS in EE \& BBC Finnish were noted at equal strength, This time it's BBCWS \& BBC RR: noted with RR church nx \& RR Orthodox $\operatorname{six}, 1800$ time signal, ID \& RR nx , FR off © 1815, 555 ( $1 / 15$ Wood-Saudi Arabia) |
| 17705 | 1535 | BBC; EE new railroads, chemical weapons, black widow spider epidemic in Chile!, 433 ( $1 / 11$ Dillon-PA) |
| 17715 |  | BBC; AA wld $n \mathrm{x}$, "Min Lundun," het, 322 ( $1 / 10$ Dillon-PA) |
| 18080 | 150 ? | BBC; EE tlk about Nigeria civilizations \& military being corrupt, two fathers jailed for female circumcism, Big Ben, 453 ( $1 / 21$ Bingham-MA) |




## WEST BERLIN

61900800 Sender Freies Berlin; GG ID, time pips, nx, US/German pops @ 0810 to 0825 f/out, $242(2 / 3$ Mahoney-FL)

## UNIDENTIFIED LOCATION

96350651 R. Monte Carlo; AA rebroadcast RMC (Comm Station of M. East on 1233) pgm transmitted on $1 / 18$, FF/EE songs \& mx , no ID, sig put give address at RMC, Commercials \& $n x$ are edited (back on air 0625 on $2 / 1 \mathrm{reb} / \mathrm{cing} 1 / 19 \mathrm{pgms}$, no signal on $1 / 31$ ), 443 ( $1 / 30$ Draye-Saudi Arabia) could be via TWR-M.Carlo? Pautd


Hello from Illinois! Well, I didn't quite make it to Wisconsin after all, but this QTH is only 20 minutes from my atateline job, so $I$ can't complain. I must apologize for two things; one, this dark type-I had to break in a new ribbon and this machine handles cloth ones only. Two, the fact that we are two pages short of loggings this month. This latter event has been forced on me due to my recent move and the time crunch from going from part-time to full-time employment. As a matter of fact, I may have to give up the column if this keeps up. At any rate, if that becomes necessary I will give enough notice so that a replacement may be found and no missing SPEEDX Africa column occurs as a result. I love doing this column, but the membership deserves a full 6 pages of info every month instead of this month's condensed version and pictures of a couple of QSLs. Well, I'd better get started if I'm going to get March in before the 22 nd. Some excellent loggings here from you, as usual.

ALGERIA
$17745 * 2000$
R. Algiers; EE, ID "You are tuned to the Int. Sve of R. Algiers besty in EE" by OM, $n x$, "R. Algiers Mx Pgm" w/disco, 2030*, 333(1/28 Krist-VA)
ANGOLA
3355- 0500
R. Nacional; PP, vibraphone IS, complete ID w/freqs \& ment. of Luanda, then into pres. $n x$, followed by hi-life mx, 333 (1/17 Sharp-FL)
$3970 \quad 0507$ Km. Prov. da Huila; PP, nx by OM, prob. Luanda relay, then clear ID, flute mx \& hi-life, 333(1/16 Sharp-FL)
4895t *0510 Fm. Reg. do Bie; PP, opens @0510 w/flute-like IS, NA \& unintelligible ID ©0514 \& into hi-life mx, het de UT OC, pr ( $1 / 13$ Parks-FL) @0515 w/NA by military band, apparent ID ment. Angola and Bie, not hrd since, 343 (1/17 Sharp-FL) Em. Reg. de Cabinda; PF, pol. type harangue on RSA by OM, ID as R. Nac. de Cabinda ©0445, fr/pr(1/13 Parks-FL) 0430 w/pgm of cont. hi-life \& chanting vocals to 0447 ID "... Em. Reg. de Cabinda", into OM tx, gd when Rumbos is off, 233 (1/17 Sharp-FL)
5015 a 0521 Em. Prov. de Namibe; PP or vern., tx by OM prob. in vern. but hrd some PP, clear ment. of "Namibe" ©0530 into pgm of lel mx, this prob. Barto's unid. from Feb., 322(1/18 Sharp) Em. Reg. do Benguela; PP, cont. hi-life w/distinct Angolan mx but no ID, pr(1/16 Sharp-FL)
5040t 0518 R. Nacional; $P P$, YL $t x$, Afro $m x, 343(1 / 19$ Thompson-CA)

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BOTSWANA
4848 *0351
R. Botswana; Barnyard IS to $0358 \mathrm{NA}, \mathrm{s} / \mathrm{on}$ ann. in lang \& EE by OM, relig. sermon then mx, $/ / 7295$ noted after $0400 \mathrm{w} /$ better sig (444), $343\left(1 / 15 D^{\prime}\right.$ Angelo-PA $)+7$ !
$7295 * 0350$ R. Botswana; unmistakeable barnyard IS, good lvl \& much better than $/ / 4848$, choral NA, mumbled opening anns w/def. reference to "41 meter band", 333(1/22 Cunningham-OH) Power house sig at 0400, still in at 0520, $555!!(1 / 28$ Sharp) +3 The new year did indeed bring in a few surprises! Note QSL info in 1984 WRTH entry--gulp! Maybe policy will change w/new xmtng facility in use. -MK


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RWANDA
$3330-1825$
97351537
119651506
SENEGAL
48902212

SEYCHELLES
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178751100
SOMALI REP.
$7200 \quad 1400$

SOUTH AFRICA
$3320 \quad 0350$

39300330
48350412
48802138
SUDAN
$5040 \quad 0438$

SWAZILAND
59551559
TANZANIA
$5050 t 0408$
9748.5 1900
$\frac{\text { TOGO }}{3222}$
0530

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TUNISIA
$T^{7225 t} 0408$
11745 . 1948
$\frac{\text { UGANDA }}{5027} 0318$

ORTN; FF, military band NA, then brief flute IS, quick OM ID \& immed. into Koran, severe co-channel QRM, $422(2 / 4$ Sharp-FL) @0534 tent. w/YL in FF w/ann \& poss. ID, Afro drum mx, 433(1/30 Van Horn-TX)

Rdf. Rwandaise; FF w/political tlk, 433(1/8 Wood-Saudi Ar.) DW Relay; EE W/ID, interview, Africa nx, 333 (1/26 Van Horn) DW Relay; EE, OM w/"Window on the World" nx \& cmtry, Ethiopian rpt, $333(1 / 24$ Cox-CA)

ORTS; FF, "Ici Dakar" by OM, into variety of mx--blues, pop, ICl, quite enjoyable, $333(2 / 3$ Sharp-FL) @0715 OM in vern. w/Afro mx \& much tx, 323 (2/5 Schmautz-NY)(2/6 Tilley-CO)

FEBA; "What a Friend" IS, AA ID's ending w/"Seycheiles", into 0400 opening AA ann \& relig. pgm(1/24 Smailwood-FRG) FEBA; AA, IS, ID \& into AA pgm, "On Top of Qld Smokey" song, QRM de VOA 15410, 433(1/14 Soomre-MA) FEBA; s/on, sermon in Lebanese AA, //15405, 544(1/12 Wood) *
R. Mogadishu; march s/on, Somali $n x$, here daily \& still producing parasites on 7173 \& 7227, both loud, 544(1/1 WoodSaudi Ar.) $* 0300$ in Somali, Koran @0303, poss. nx w/om 0307, into Somali mx 0320, OM ID @0328, 322(1/26 Mahoney-FL) 0440 in Somali $\mathrm{w} / \mathrm{lcl} \mathrm{mx}$ to 0447 , then tik by $0 \mathrm{M} \mathrm{w} / \mathrm{ments}$. of US \& other countries, ARO QRM, $333(2 / 3$ Sharp-FL)

SABC; Ak, s/on w/IS \& cock crow, //better 4880, never hrd here before-found on any lists? (this freq sked here in ' 84 WRTH-MK) $333(1 / 21$ Sharp-FL)
Capitol Radio(Transkei); EE, rock mx, ID, short wx rpt, sports nx, TCs, nx @O400, 222(1/12 Soomre-MA)
SABC; EE, interviews, lci nx , ID, agriculture nx, 444(1/30 Van Horn-TX)
SABC; Ak, EZL mx, occ. tlk, address @2152, more mx to 2158 ann, anthem, time pips \& s/off @2200, $343(1 / 2$ D'Angelo-PA)
R. Omdurman; $A A O M \mathrm{w} / \mathrm{nx}$, pause @0444 followed by ID \& into soft instrumentals ©0445, long pauses btwn anns \& mx, 353 ( $1 / 15$ D'Angelo-PA) 5039 t @0422 w/Koran recit. to past 0430, no ID noted, usually audible if LA stn allows, $222(2 / 3$ Sharp)

TWR; s/on w/chimes \& OM ID, into GG pgm, $\operatorname{fr}(1 / 18$ Witte-CA)
R. Tanzania; EE/Swahili, pres. nx by OM, missed prob. 0410 ID, then apparent brief EE tlk, into Swahili vocals \& mx, 333(2/3 Sharp-FL)
R. Tanzania; EE, nx by OM w/Afro accent, 544(1/10 Wood-SAr)

RT Lama Kara; PF, NA \& ON ID "Ici Lama-Kara, LV de la Nouvelle Marche", into lel mx, f/out 0547, hrd irregularly, 333( $2 / 3$ Sharp-FL)
RT; distinctive IS, marching $m x$, full $I D$ by $O M \&$ s/on in $F F$, $333(1 / 8$ Johnson-IL) chime IS to $* 0530$, NA, ID \& into mx , (1/26 Smallwood-West Berlin)

RTVT; AA, lengthy Koran recit. noted amongst perpetual siop of 41 m , tx by OM 0420, no ID hrd, ( $2 / 8$ Sharp-FL)
RTVT; AA $m x$ w/OM \&YI anncrs, $322(1 / 24$ Dillaman-OH)
R. Uganda; EE, pop mx pgm(have pity on us!), w/iots of lacl stuff, OM DJ w/IDs \& ads, murderous RTTY QRM on high side, $\operatorname{pr}(1 / 17$ Cereghin-MD) @0410 EE YL w/African nx, followed by lel anns, then list of lel deaths read by OM, into vern. at 0425, 232(2/3 no name) +6

10052 h 2000 R. Uganda; EE DJ show w/Afr \& Western tx, and harmonic of 5026, loud enough perhaps to make ECNA, $444(1 / 14$ Wood-SAr)
$\frac{\text { UPPER VOLTA }}{4815} \frac{2130}{}$

ZAIRE
50660410 R. Candip; FF/vern., tx by OM \& DEm of light max, no ID but presumed as $/ / 3390$ also in (333), $323(2 / 5$ Sharp-FL)
$\begin{array}{ll}7295 t & 0400 \\ \text { 15245 } & 1500 \\ \frac{\text { ZAMBIA }}{4910} & 0350\end{array}$
RTVV; FF/vern., drama in progress, flute my 2154 , OM tx
2157, mex 2200 , OM FF ID @2207, 333 (Brenesal-FL) FF ID 2259
"Sci Ouagadougou. 60 mir band" into OM w/discussion mgm, flout under UT @2320, fr/pr(1/24 Parks-FL)


CLANDESTINE
$7386 \quad 1800$
90270445
$9960 \quad 1400$
113351855

VBME (Voice of the Broad Masses of Eritrea); detailed world ix in Tigrinya, $544(1 / 12$ Wood-SAr)
R. Vatan(Egypt); Farsi anti-Khomeini tx, romantic max which is forbidden in $\operatorname{Iran}($ a fun place-MK), $333(1 / 6$ Wood-SAr) VBME; pol. tx in Oromo, chased by jammer to $9982(1 / 8$ Wood) V. Of the Libyan People(Egypt); AA, ID "Hun Saw ul-Shaab al Libya", AA IX, severely jammed, this is str mis-ID'd as SPLAJBC by Frodge in Jan SWL, freq varies as noted at times on 11355 , 11380, 11395, etc., $422(1 / 10$ Wood-SAr) R. Vatan(Egypt); Farsi pol. tx, //9027, 444(1/6 Wood-SAr)


## RADIO BOTSWANA

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To the left is an old QSL from $R$. Botswana; they were a lot harder to get back then but were OK verifiers; Teri stent is a hand-stamp on reverse of picture postcard.

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## Monsieur,

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 d'écoute dans une émission de la Voix de la Révolution (Radiodiffusion Nationale de la République de Guinée), 10 ...

Après vérification des indications que vous avez̄ bien voulu nous fournir, c!est bion notre Station que vous avez capté.

En vous remorciant de votre sincère collaboration nous ospérons que vous continuerez a nous envoyer vos rapports.

Veuillez agréer, Monsieur, l'expression de nos salutitions très distinguacs.

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Ao Exmo. Sr.
To Mr.

MABK KOUKOL

AMTRTCA
Agradecemos e confirmamos as vossas informações
Nous remercions et confirmons vos informations
We grateffuly acknowledge as correct your report
De escata da nossa emissão do dia
Au sujet de notre emission de Concerning our broadcasting of
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Dans la frequence de
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Radio Gambia,
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Republis of The Gambia.
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Dear Sir,
Thank you very much for your communcation of. . 2 . $\int$. T. .enquiring about Radio Gambia. I have pleasure in confirming/am to tonfixw-that the station beard was Radio Gambia.

Radio Garbia is a Governnent-owned broadcesting service, and is on the air from:-


Most of the progrannes are produced and recorded locally by Rodio Gambis staff, although sone use is made of recorded naterial supplied by the BBC and other organisations. Most of our programnes are in English, Wollof or Mandinka, the languages most widely spoken in The Ganbia; we do hovever, broadcast in the other African languages spoken here, nonely Fula, Sarahule and Jola.

The transmission of our progrannes is carried out by Cable \& Wireless Itd., who bse a Marconi HS-31 transmitter with a power of 3.1 KW and a vertical incident radiator orientated so that the maxirum lobe is in a Gast-West direction The frequency is $4820 \mathrm{Kc} / \mathrm{s}$ in the 60 potre band.

Radio Gombia started regulax broadeesting on'lst May 1962 and the ain has been to provide a service of broadcast information, education and entertainnent; there are also religious boradeasts by the Islanic religion and by three Christian denominations.

The Gambia, which at Eained Independence on 18th February, 1965, and became a republic on 24th April, 1970, is the closest English-speaking tropical country to Europe. There is a population of sone 494, 279people (1973 census) about 39,476 live in and around the capital city, Banjul The rest of the people live in rural districts. The people of The Gambia are oredominantly Muslin.

A copy of our current progranme schedule is attached.
Thanking you for your interest in Radio Gambia.
$\therefore$ I remain,

The above is one of my best QSLb, from now inactive(on SW ) Radio Gambia. For years they were one of the hardest Africans to hear due to an early s/off time, but during the last part of their presence on 4820 they had an extended s/off(as you can see from the form letter's sked) which helped us Mid-Westerner's to bag 'em. Have seen very tentative rpts of them about a year ago during the "Senegambia", plans (which apparently has yet to be pulled off) but these were never verified by others \& I doubt they are on even irregularly now.

## ASEA- HEREARA

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DZADLINE: 12 th of each month FREqUENCIES in Khz
TIMES are in GIMT
$* 0000=$ sign on $0000^{*}=$ sign off


Welcome to the windy month of March; I'll try not to be too long-winded myself. It seems that antenna mounting season is almost upon us; it was 60 degrees here two days ago. Maybe the Punxsutawney groundhog(whose $4 T H$ is 20 mi . south of DuBois) was wrong this year. I would probably be hung in Punxsy for even suggesting that-hi! I recently received my 1984 edition of the World radio and TV Handbook which includes an informative article on Indonesian shortwave stations. This article should prove helpful to $A / 0$ listeners inclined toward DX'ing this interesting part of the world. To those of you new to the SW hobby, the WRTH (along with the SPEEDX bulletin) is a must for serious listening and DX'ing. As Ed McMahon would put it: ANYTHING you ever wanted to know about the SwBC stations of the world is included in this publication.

Some interesting logs were received this month, including various Chinese, Indian, and N. Korean regionals; and also a more extensive list of transmissions from hadio Pakistan. Nuf said; let's get to the loogings:


BANGLADESH
154301445 RB: Urdu: Banla $\frac{a^{\frac{~}{f}} \mathrm{f}}{\mathrm{f}} \frac{\operatorname{Bangladesh}}{\max (544} 12 / 30$ wood SAr) old log but I included it because few RB rpts are revd. $K B T$

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CHINA
24902005
$3510 \quad 1540$
$3400 \quad 1512$
55351405
$2640 \quad 1328$
$4250 \quad 1350$
$4850 \quad 0858$
$4990 \quad 1309$
53200935

| 5770 | 0950 |
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| 5860 | 1340 |
| 5990 | 1300 |
| 6260 | 1300 |
| 6665 | 0855 |
| 6930 | 1835 |

$\begin{array}{ll}7225 & 1527 \\ 7575 & 2000\end{array}$
$7620 \quad 2218$
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## Burma Best Svc

BBS: Burmese?: vocal mx, YL anncr (232 1/21 Thompson-CA)

## i. Beijing and various regionals

 Fujian(PLA): CC: ID, soft CC mx ( $3441 / 10$ wood-o.Ar) PPBS-Jilin, Changchun:CC: YL w/CCtlk, mx-pr mod. (5>4 2/s Berri-CA) Fujian (PLA) : CC: opera $m x$, tlk by YL, ID at $1358(4>42 / 2$ Berri-CA) FFS \# 11: CC: string instl mx, OM w/tlk, poss. freqs(sjs 2/1 Berri-CA) 773535 (444 2/3 Berri-CA) CPBS2-Beijing: CC: OM w/tlk, orch. mx, ment. of Harbin(545 $2 / 3$ Berri-CA) Liaoning PBS: CC: pips at 0900, folk song, ID by OM, tlk \& JJ lang. course ( 343 1/3 Yoneda-JP) Hunan PBS : CC: folk mx , ID by YL, JJ lang. course ( 54 y , $1 / 51$ Yoneda-JP) CPBS-1 Beijing: CC: trad. CC mx w/gongs, cymbals, flute; $n x$ at 1000. ( $3451 / 14$ Nowicki-CA) I hope you don't refer to them as "red Chine" when you write them Mike-they are very sensitive about that. RBT FFS-?: CC: tlk, nx at 1000 into $m x$ (252 1/20 Nowicki-C $\mathrm{Cl}_{\mathrm{n}}$ ) CPBS-1 Bei jing: CC/EE: OM \& YL w/EE lesson(444 1/23 Berri-CA) CPBS-2 Bei iing: CC: time sig, 6 pips, ID, $n x(4441 / 11$ wood-S. Ar) Qinghai PBS: CO: ID, light drama ( $3331 / 4$ Wood-s. Ar) CPBS-1 Beijing: ©C: YL narrator, CC opera //9064 ( 922 1/12 notaling-NV) RB: RR: exc. RR folk mx, nx at 1845. Said "goozbye" in Rn \& 1855*; //s hrd(most w/jamming) : $7345,7405,7050,7600,7610,7700,7780$. On agn on 6990 w/IS \& "Govorit Peking". (232 1/12 Palmer-wA) Sichuan PBS: CC: $m x$, drama, ID by $\operatorname{OM}(4351 / 24$ Yoneda-JF) RB: Polish: s/on, boring $n x$ of steel production. ( $5441 / 10$ wood-o.Ar) RB: PP: CC mx, sked, $\operatorname{ID}(25512 / 29$ Hobichaud-W.B.) (2 1400 in CC: mx, id ( $4542 / 3$ Berri-CA)
CB: EF:
Cox -CA )



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## R. Kuwait

FK: EE: YL $w / n x \& w x, I D, m x$, tlk on Islamic Conference and Kuwait University (333 1/21 McKeon-IN) (444 1/17 Bingham-MA) (433 1/28 Abbott-1L) FKK: AA: Qu'ran recitation, AA mx, ID by OM(454 $1 / 16$ Shimada-JP) RK: AA: Qu'ran chants, call to prayer "Bismallah Ar-rahman ar-rahim.." "as-salam alaykum" by YL; AA mx (232 1/15 Dillon-FA)

## R. Lebanon; V. of Hope

VoH: EE: feature by Genl. Mgr. Charles Pollack on death of Maj. naddad, $n x$ \& wx, soft $m x$, ID \& TC; Bible quote(242 $1 / 15 D^{\prime}$ Angelo-FA) at 1940 in RR: Christian relg. pgm (444 $1 / 14$ wood-S.Arabia) FL: AA: ID, $m x$ (444 1/11 Wood-B.Arabia)

MALAYSIA (Peninsular) V. of Malaysia
152951845 VoM: AA: DJ show, "Rainy Days and Mondays Always Get Me Down"; we don't get many rainy days here ( $5441 / 8$ Wood-S.Arabia)

I think I finally have the Malaysian country situation straightened out. HBT


Thx for exc. rpts Richard, Ed, and Senshu. I just tuned to 17660 for 1600 best but it is covered by REE Spain-just my luck! RBT

| PHILI P P I ( E S FEBC; AFRTS |  |  |
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| 9715 | 1516 | FEBC: CC: instl of "There's a Sweet, Sweet Spirit in This Place"; tlks by OM \& YL ( $5331 / 19$ Thompson-CA) |
| 21670 | 1600 | AFRTS-Poro Pt.: EE: ID, sports (444 1/11 Wood-s.A.) |
| Q ATAR |  | Qatar Best Sv |
| 9905 | 1900 | QBS: AA: AA mx, lots of tlk (454 1/15 Card-RI) © 2125 in AA: Holy Koran recitations; closing ann. w/ment. of Qatar and Doha and off at 2132. (1/25 Smallwood-W. Berlin) |


| S A U | A | A BSKSA |
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| 2227 | 2000 | BSKSA: AA: ID, nx in SSB ( $5441 / 8$ Wood-S.A.) |
| 2350 | 1700 | BSKSA: AA: ID, 2nd pgm on USB, qu'ran svc on LSB till 2100*(1/12-Wood) |
| 9870 | 1904 | BSKSA: AA: Quranic chants, relg tlk; ID "Itha'at ul-Mamlakat IsSa'udiyyat Il-'Arabiyyah"'(333 1/14 Dillon-PA) |
| 11850 | 1655 | BSKSA: EE: TP's and s/on ann. by OM; Koran readings; vocals; "Saudi Arabia-A Daily Chronicle"; Mailbag pgm; YL DJ w/rock mx. QRM de R. Moscow (252 1/s D'Angelo-PA) (35s 1/21 Krist-VA) (333 1/15 McKeon-IN)(212 1/29 Berri-CA)(322 1/14 Soomre-MA) |
| 21670 | 1648 | BSKSA: AA; vocals, OM ann., TP's, YL w/tlk (252 1/18 Thompson-CA) |
| S I N | P 0 R | BBC Relay |
| 6010 | 1605 | $B B C:$ Urdu: $O M$ w/soccer scores; $Y L$ w/nx headlines \& final anncts. Off at 1614 but at 1615 Cyprus Relay on in Persian(444 $1 / 27$ Palmer-WA) |
| 6195 | 1407 | BBC: EE: OM hosting record show "The Pleasure's Yours"; other requests and greetings. QRN was awful. (222 $2 / 2$ Palmer-WA) |
| 9740 | 1756 | BBC: EE: OM w/spts, ID \& Newsdesk at 1800 (433 1/17 Berri-CA) |

Thanks again to Rick Drollinger for giving me six pages this month-I'm gonna need them.

| S R I | L A N K | BC |
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| 9720 | 1239 | SLBC: EE: end of nx ; TC; ID into relg pgm( $353 \mathrm{~T} / 12 \mathrm{D}^{\mathbf{A}} \mathrm{Angelo-pA}$ ) |
| 11800 | 1840 | SLBC: Sinhala: lcl Sinhalese $m x w / Y L$ ann. Off $w /$ out warning at 1845. Carrier off-and-on tests until $1849 .(3331 / 31$ Palmer-wA) |
| 15120 | 1026 | SLBC: EE: IS, NA w/mixed chorus, ID, mx ( $3531 / 16$ Shimada-JP) |
| T A I | A N | VOFC; V. of Asia; Best Corp. of China |
| 5980 | 1525 | V. of Asia: EE: YI w/ ID \& addr; concert mx into Thai @ 1530 (322 1/19 Hotaling-NV) |
| 6180 | 1950 | BCC: CC: drama, ID at 2000 (433 1/14 Wood-S.A.) |
| 9630 | 1015 | BCC: CC: time sig on hr, IDs, marches, "Sounds-af Silence"; WRTH 83 lists 1045* but still hrd \& 1600 (WRTH 84 lists 2200*-RBT) (444 1/11 Wood-S.Arabia) |
| 11825 | 1350 | VOFC: Cantonese: CC marches, choruses; ID \& 1400*// 15270(444 1/1 wood) |
| 1 reva | many log | VOFC via WYFR Relay. These should be sent to J. Cereghin, WH editor. |
| T UR | K E Y | V. of Turkey |
| 7215 | 0230 | VOT: Tri: Turk mx, nx at 0245, NA. QRM de R. Moscow 7210(222 1/14 Dillon- |
| 9515 | *2200 | VOT: EE: nx, Turkish press review; rpt that in Turkey, peasants all wear the same type clothing(how do they tell each other apart?-hi); mx ( $4541 / 11$ Bingham-MA) |
| 9560 | 2200 | VOT: EE: nx, Press Review; tlk of Turkish Rep. of N. Cyprus; DX Corner, s/off at $2252(3221 / 21$ Klosowski-FL) ( $1 / 7$ Dillon-PA) ( $1 / 17$ Moore-TX) at * 0300 EE: sked, DX Corner, pop $m x(4441 / 29$ Krist-VA) at 1427 in Rh: Is ID, $n x$ of Islamic Summit Conf.(444 1/17 Shimada-JP) |


| USSR | (Asian) | ( $\mathrm{CA}^{\text {) }}$ |
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| 4610 | 0710 | Khabarovsk: RR: OM w/tik; folk mx(422 1/29 Berri-CA)(233 1/22 Nowicki- |
| 4785 | 0158 | R. Baku-Azerbaidjan: RR/Azerbaidjani: ID "Govorit Baku", chimes, RR and Azer. NA, opening anncts. (1/26 Smallwood-W.Berlin)(Robichaud-NB)FL) |
| 4958 | 0427 | R. Baku: Azer: YL w/Mid East vocals, ID at 0432 RTTY QRM (fr $1 / 13$ Parks- |
| 5004 | 0937 | RID Irkutsk: RR: mx: Stravinsky's "Rite of Spring"; ID at 0945 (232 $\frac{1 / 22}{}$ Nowicki-CA) |
| 5015 | 0300 | Vladivostok: RR: coming in early tonight; Moscow IS \& TP's into $n x$. wobbly signal (pr $1 / 16$ Cereghin-MD) |
| 5035 t | 0205 | Alma Alta: Kazakh lang(listed): OM \& YL w/disc.; ME sounding vocal; // 5260. Window is narrow-gone by 0215 ( $1 / 22 \mathrm{pr} / \mathrm{fr}$ Sheedy-CA) |
| 5940 | 0655 | Magadan: RR: martial mx, brief ann, TP's, YL w/network ID(433 2/1 Berri |
| 5970 | 0750 | Alma Ata: RR : waltz mx, anncts, nx , USSR IS (444 1/29 BerrimCA) |
| 5985 | *1200 | R. Tashkent: EE: nx, cmty, interview w/Danchev family (333 1/2 PrathFL) (353 1/11 Blanchette-FL) |
| 7200 | 0735 | Yakutsk: Rh: radio drama.//7210 in Khabarovsk (433 1/29 Berri-CA) |
| 9600 | 1222 | R. Toshkent: EE: "This is the EE lang svc of RT bestfrom the capital of Soviet Uzbekistan". (34; $1 / 10$ McKeon-IN) |
| 17720 | 0033 | R. Moscow-Petropavlovsk: EE: story abt Moscow circus(444 1/1 Smith-CA) |
| U N I | D A | B EMIRATES R Dubai |
| 9595 | *0330 | RD: EE: nx, wx (75 deg. F), press review(335 1/16 McKeon-IN)(555 1/22 Klosowski-FL) |
| 11730 | *0330 | RD: EE: $n x$ (good source for M.E. nx); Mailbag: read letters inc. mine regarding which freqs came in best (11730 in US);"Telstar" is theme song for Mailbag( $3332 / 10$ McKeon-IN) @0 345 EE : cmty, YL w/ID \& addr; hvy fading and some static. ( $3321 / 22$ Henault-MA) |




YEMEN (People's Dem. Rep.) DYBS
60050315 DYBS: AA: AA mx hrd under BBC; BBC off at 0330 but then QRM de R. Reloj on $6006(2111 / 17 \mathrm{Dillon-PA})$ (9) $0343 \mathrm{AA}: \mathrm{tlk}, \mathrm{mx}$, ID © 0354 into vocal mx. (444 $1 / 22$ Soomre-MA)
11180. 1500 DYBS: AA: AA vocals, drum IS; clear ID. Hrd here daily; apparently "Bridge Over River Kwai" whistling song is some sort of theme as it is played daily. S/off from 1701-1704.(252 1/24 Thompson-CA) Nice report Peggy-must be new freq as it is not listed in 84 WRTH . RBT
My complaint of the month: out-dated logs. Many rpts revd this month were of Dec. 85 receptions (in fact I rovd one from 11/82-reporter shall remain anonymous!). Against my better thinking, I included some that I thought were of good quality. Please-let's keep them up-to-date. Thanks, RBT.

ANTARCTICA
Argentine Sector
154742315 LRA 36 R. Nac. Arcangel San Gabriel: SS: Latin pop mx w/YL ann; def. ID rptd 3 times at 2346; s/off at $0030 \mathrm{w} /$ Ave Maria. ( 333 1/24 DillamanOH )(433 1/15 Card-RI)

AUSTRALIA
R. Australia

This month's reports will be restricted to those frequencies not listed in the Feb. 84 issue of SPBEDX.

| 6025 | 2029 | RA:EE: sked, cricket rpt, rock mx ( 433 1/14 Eingham-MA) |
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| 6030 | 1635 | RA: EE: Australian nx, spts, rock mx ( $3331 / 17$ Fisher-WI) |
| 6045 | 1250 | RA: EE: nx, pops, "Australia Tonight" ( $3331 / 10$ Dillon-PA) |
| 6060 | 1400 | RA: EE: wld nx, class. mx, "Australian Insight"(534 1/12 Lord-CA)(433 1/20 Thompson-CA) (444 1/3 Cox-CA) |
| 9505 | 1830 | RA: EE: ID, nx ; //s 11725, 11790 ( $4331 / 5 \mathrm{Talbot-ALB}$ ) |
| 9770 | 1515 | RA: EE: tlk abt recent "ACE" mess when Aust. Secret Sve busted up a hotel in a training exercise. ( 343 Chickerell-WV)(555 2/1 Scheel-IA) +2 |
| 11790 | 1800 | RA: EE: wld \& Pacific nx; "Four Comers"(444 1/22 Manderscheid-CA) +2 |
| 11800 | *1000 | RA: JJ: IS, ID, sked, rock mx(gd 1/22 Famularo-NJ) EE 1538(May-0H) |
| 11920 | 0835 | RA: EE: world nx ( $5541 / 22$ Moore-TX) |
| 15320 | 2300 | RA: EE: wld $n \mathrm{x}$ by OM ( $2221 / 29$ Abbott-IL) |
| 21740 | 0130 | RA: EE: wld $n x$ readable w/effort (222 1/19 Stephenson-CA) It seems we have a calligraphist in SPEEDX-nice looking rpt Norman. RBT |







VANUATU
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R. Vanuatu

CA)
RV: EE: OM w/EE nx; lcl mx; hvy QRN-Pacific pr this winter(1/19 witte-

I haven't received my WBI as yet so I have no definite news to pass along. However, there are two new stations that may be on the air soon. KFBS on Saipan in the Mariana Is. may have their problems ironed out soon. They are tent. scheduled on the following freqs: 15115 , 15150 , 9575 , \& 15110 from 0900-1600 GMT. Also Syria may be planning to get back on Sw. Give a listen for them and send any loggings to SPBEDX $\mathrm{c} / \mathrm{o}$ ye editor. I tried to order an Icom R-70 yesterday, but it has been discontinued and is being replaced by the R-71, an updated model. Apparently the R-71 includes the capability of switching between the 6 knz AM filter and the 2.3 khz SSB filter while in the AM mode. There may be other improvements as well. The R-71 should be available by the time you read this. The. XY says I may have to settle for a lower priced model anyway-she's the boss! Anyway, tnx to all contributors and remember let's keep those reports up to date. Until April:

Hello. Welcome to the March 1984 edition of the SPEEDX QSL report column. We have some very nice veries this month so lets get right'to'them.

ANGOLA-R. Nacional-9535, f/d EE letter in 58d for $\$ 1$ US which was returned. V/S-Miguel Bras. (Gilley-VA). Same in 47 d for 2 irc and a PP rpt (McLain) BENIN-ORTB-4870, f/d logo card on 40 d for $1 \mathrm{irc}, \$ 1$, and a FF rpt(Van Horn) CAMEROUN-R. Douala-4795, f/d map card in 92 d for FF rpt and 2 irc (Robichaud-NB).
CAPE VERDE ISLANDS-La Voz de Sao Vicente-3930, p/d card in 46 d for PP rpt (Barto-CT).

CHAD-R. Moundou-5286, freq only letter in 51d for FF rpt and an irc. Veri was in EE/FF (Sharp-FL). Date/freq letter in 74d for 2 irc and FF rpt (Hosmer-MI). V/S-Dorong Guela Ketchoua
COMORO ISLANDS-R. Comoro-3331, f/d logo card in 52d for $\$ 1$ US and FF rpt (Sharp-FL).
EGYPT-R. Cairo-9475, Mosque card in 139d (Dillon-PA). Same in 70d (NJMendez). Same in 57d dor an iro and First Day Cover (Falbo-OR). Card in 92d for an irc (Robinson-TN). Cairo pictures card in 60d for 2 irc (MAAdams).
GABON-Swiss Radio Intl via Af. A1-11715, f/d card in 25 d with site (Mann10). Af. A1-11755, freq only card in 41 d for FF rpt. (Barto-CT). Time/ freq card in $45 d$ for a $F F$ rft (Pagano-DC). Freq only card in 275d for 2 irc and EE rpt(Schlesinger-TX). Same in 111 d for 2 irc and EE rpt (Greenbauer-??).
GHANA-GBC-4915, f/u caru in 23 wks after folup with MS (Wilkins-C0). National symbol card in 375d for an irc and EE rpt (Tate-WV).
EQUATORIAL GUINEA-missort!-E. Nac de Bata-4925, f/d map card in 60d for SS rpt and $\$ 1$ US (Parks-FL).
GUINEA-LV de la Rev-15310, $\mathrm{f} / \mathrm{d}$ card in 8 d . This card was received with the help of UNR, and was on a UNR card, for a report sent to UNR (Sharp-FL). IVORY COAST-R. Abidjan-4940, f/d card in $34 d$ for EE rpt and ms (Mann-iO). LESOTHO-BBC-9515, no data tower bridge card in 48a (DAngelo-PA). Same in 51 d for an irc (Greenbauer). Same in 25d (Tilley-C0). L. National Bcst Service-4800, Flag card in 108 d (Ducos-FR). F/d card in 550d for 2 irc and an EE rpt (Stephany-NY).
LIBERTA-Liberian Brouacisting System-6090, f/d sound of progress card in 71d for ms (Stephany-NY). ELBC-3255, f/d call letters card in 31d for \$1 (Sharp-FL).
LIBYA-R. Jam-11815, Card in 52d (Ducos-FR). Same irr 48 for 2 irc (OHSchulsinger). Same in 41 d (Renn-WA). In 330 d forms (Card-RI). In 40 d for 2 irc (Card-RI). Same in 56d for 2 irc (Greenbauer). Same in 31 d for an irc (Brewer-ARK).
KENYA-V of Kenya-4915, f/d hand written letter in 20 d for 2 irc (Greenbauer). V/S-H.J. Lomosi.
MADAGASCAR-R. Nederland-11740, f/d Karel Appel card in 25d (Dillon-PA). Same card in 20d (M. Pf'effer-NY).
NAMIBIA-R.SWA-3295, f/d Aloe Dichotoma Card and stickers and book in 26d (Barto-c穴).
NIGERIA-R. Jos-5965, f/d letter in 〔2de.js (Laite-Me). FRCN-Enugu-6025, freq only personal letter in $106 \bar{a}$, , ire ( Pimblett-aLTA). f/d card and letter in 240d for an irc and olympic card and stamp (Witte-CA). F/D letter in 91d with a New Years Card (Leite-MA). Kaduna starts on next page.

NIGERIA-Continued- FRCN-Kaduna-4770, f/d letter in 50d for an irc (NJMurphy). Same for ms in 70d (Wilkins-C0). Same in 58d for 2 irc (Keenan). Same in 163 d (May-OHIO). Same again in 74d for ms (Pimblett-Alberta). again for an irc in 100d (Tilley-C0). In 58d for an irc (Welch-MA). V/S-Yusuf Garba. The V/S for Enugu was P.A.O. Orogbu.
RWANDA-DW-11965, 17800, 21600, f/d cards in 66d(Jones-VA). In 81 d for SASE (Not Used) (Sharp-FL). Same in 21d with sticker (DAngelo-PA). Same in 33d with sticker (Leite-MA).
SAO TOME E PRINCIPE-4807, f/d letter in 68d for $\$ 1$ (Sharp-FL).
SOUTH AFRICA-R. RSA-Various frequency cards in 20 to 30 days from the following: Barto-Ct; Caceres-NY; Bingham-MA; Thompson-NM for an irc; MABingham with a pennant; Dillon-PA; Ducos-FRANCE; Adams-MA for 2 irc; Falbo-OR for an irc-recd a sticker; Claytor-OH for an irc.
SWAZILAND-R. Truro-6155, f/d cards in 210 d for an irc and olympic stamp and card (Witte-CA). V/S-Derek Shew-Tech Dir.
TANZANIA-RT-5050, date/freq map card in 81 d for an irc and ms (Schlesinger). **********TRISTAN da CUNHA-ZOE-3290, date only mini card in 3 months for \$1 (David Sharp-FL). David, you really cleaned up on the African Stations this month, and this one is absolutely incredable. Congrats on this one!

UPPER VOLTA-Ry TV Voltaique-4814, date/time letter in 31 d for $\$ 1$ and f/up and FF rpt (Sharp-FL).

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****** EUROPE ******
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BELGIUM-BRT-9880, 17610, 5995, f/d form latter in 28d (Chickerell-WV). Same in $26 d$ (Dillon-PA). 2 QSLb in $30 d$ (Ducos-FR).
bulgaria-r. Sofia-9700, 15110, QSL in 76d (Ducos-FR). Mausoleum card in 41d (Speer-CA). Intercoastal waterway card in 110d after f/up (Bledsoe-FL). CZECHOSLOVAKIA-R. Prague-5930, 6055, 7345, QSL in 110d (Ducos-FR). Country inns card in 57d (Bingham-MA). Open air museum card in 52d (ChickerellWV). Same in 40 d with slides (Abbott-ILL).
FINLAND-R.F.-Continues to send out useless $n /$ d letters. Recd onr in 28d (Chickerell-WV).
FRANCE-RFI-15300, 17620, 9790, QSL in 20d and one in 32d (Ducos-FR). Cincuanteans card in 23d along with a pernant and sked (Dillon-PA). Card in 32d and NEW pennant (Leite-MA). No QSL, but a pennant and sked in 67 d for an irc (Abbott-ILL). Maybe they forgot to put the QSL in the envelope, but at least it was not a total loss with the pennant.
GERMAN DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC-RBI-17880, $15450,21465,21540$ cards in 33 d with a pennant (Barto-CT). Hotel GERA card in 34d (Barto-CT).
GERMAN FEDERAL REPUBLIC-Sender Freies Berlin-6190, f/d building card in 16d for 2 irc. Also recd a large sticker (Stephany-NY). Suddeutscher Rundfunk 6030 , f/d studio card in 61d for an irc (Mahoney-FL). DW-5960, ann card in 38 d for 1 irc (Falbo-OR). R. Free Europe-25665, datelfreq card in 17d, Via Biblis freq only card in 17d, (Freq was 11815). 9725, 11895 via Biblis in 21d. R. Liberty-15445, 21455, 17760, date/freq cards in 21d, and 15340, 15290 in 13 d via Lampertheim; 15355,15370 via Holzkirchen in 17 d . All of the RFE/RL cards were from Barto-CT.
GREAT BRITAIN-BBC-21710, Tower Bridge card in 51d (Bingham-MA).
GREECE-VOA-Kavala-9700, card in 16d (Mann-IO). VOA-Rhodes-15305, f/d card in 18d (Dillaman-0H). V. of Greece-9865, f/d coastal view card in 91d for an irc (Mahoney-FL). Santorini Island card in 47d (Bingham-MA). Ydra Island card in 96d (Bingham-MA). Card in $325!!!d$ for an irc (Brenesal-FL). Same Ydra Island card in 97d (Abbott-ILL). Same in 34 d for 11645 Khz (Barto-CT).
HUNGARY-R. Budapest-11910, f/d card and pennant in 27d (Renn-WA).
TCFIAND-ISBS-13797, f/d thingvellir card in 65d for 2 irc and tape rpt (Dillaman).
IRELAND-WMR-6910, f/d card in 125 d for 3 irc . Rpt was sent to Amsterdam, but reply came from Box 39; St. Leonards-on-Sea TN38 OEL UK (Stephany-NY). R. Dublin-6910, $\mathrm{f} / \mathrm{d}$ map card in 39d for 2 irc (Talbot-ALTA). Same in 88d for an irc (Murphy-NJ).

ITALY-RAI-9575, 11800, f/d painting card in 122d (Chickerell-WV). Same in 141 d for 2 irc (Robichaud, NB). Statues card in 1.17 d (Bingham-MA). Church card in 120d (Adams-MA). I.B.C. via_R. Time-6275, R. - Time card in 385 d for 2 irc with relay indicated also recd a sticker (Streeter). R.Time Green logo card in 328d for 2irc (Streeter-NY). Blue logo card in 1 yr for 2 irc (Fisher-MA). V/S-Mannelli Stefano.
MALTA-R. Mediterranean-6110, card in 120 d for an irc (Yingling).
NETHERLANDS-RN-17605, $\mathrm{f} / \mathrm{d}$ card in 19d for 2 irc (Keenan). 9895, card in 19 ${ }^{\text { }}$ (Ducos-FAANCE).
NORWAY-RN-17840, $21700,15165,15180,9590, \mathrm{f} / \mathrm{d}$ costume card in 38d along with a sticker (Dillon-PA). Rostad card in 40d (Barto-CT). Date/ freq card in 29d (Welch-MASS).
POLAND-R. Polania-7270, f/d warsaw park card in 183d for DX club rpt (Card) PORTUGAL-IBRA Radio Via R. Trans Europe-9670, reaching Asia card and pennant in 29d for 2 irc (Soomre-MA). AWR-Sines-9670, f/d Lisbon St scene and personal letter in 36 d for 2 irc (Hosmer-MI). Also recd a pennant. Same in 39d (Ducos-FR). R. Free Europe-17835, 9595, 21615, 15255, 15215, 21720, freq only card in 17 d (Barto-CT) (Via Gloria). Date/freq card in 21d for 17805 , $15355,15145,11725$, via Gloria. Also 15170 map card in 19 d (All by Barto-CT). R. Liberty-15130, via Gloria card in 13 d (Barto-CT). R. Portugal -607511925 , Lisbon zoo card in 35 d (Bingham-MA). F/d card in 27d (Speer-CA). Orix Gazela card in 32d (Barto-CT).
ROMANIA-R. Bucharest-11940, 5990, card in 136d (Ducos-FR). Fainting card in 60d with goodies (Soomre-MA).
SPAIN-REE-11880, 9630, Card in ??(Mathew-MA). Card in 26d (Speer-CA). Painting card in 40d (Bingham-MA). Same in 60d (Renn-WA). Bullfight card in 50d for $S S$ rpt (Mendez-NJ). Card in 30d for 2 irc (Adams-MA). SWEDEN- R. Sweden Intl-9695, 11710,17860 , $\mathrm{f} / \mathrm{d} 35 \mathrm{th}$ ann card in 41 d (VA_ Jones). Logo card in 24 d (Dillon-PA). Globe card in 60d (Adams-MA). Logo card in 24d for an irc (Falbo-OR). Ann card in 31d with sticker ( $D^{\prime}$ Angelo-PA).
SWITZERLAND-SRI-6135, f/d studio card in 25d for 2 irc (Thompson-NM).
Logo card in 27d (Dillon-PA). Photo card in 24d (Soomre-MA). SRI via Lenk-f/d card with site in 31d (Barto-CT). U.N.R.-14500, logo card with $\mathrm{f} / \mathrm{d}$ for an irc in 48 d (Stephany-NY).
VATICAN-RV-11740, L'Antenna Rotante card with site of Santa Maria de Galeria in 37 d (Barto-CT).
WEST BERLIN-RIAS-6005, f/d Antenna card along with note that Berlin power is now 100 KW . in 13d for an ire (Stephany-NY).

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R. MOSCOW: 11770 via Kiev, 15485 via Simferpol, 12060 via Kenga, 11760 via Khabarovsk, 17700 via Petropavlovsk (Stephany-NY). 7160 via Kiev (FLMahoney). 9450 via Moscow, 9575 via Serpukhov, $17880 @$ Kiev, 17810 via Simferopol (Welch-MA). 15150 via Minsk, 15435 via Erevan, 15455 via Petropavlovsk-Kamchatsky, 11920 via Moscow, 9785 via Armavir, 9610 via Tula, 21530 via IvanoFrankovsk, 21590 via Serpukhov, 15135 via Vinnitsa (Hosmer-MI, who also recd a pennant). 7210 via Vinnitsa, 7110 via IvanoFrankovsk, 7180 via Sverdlousk, 7150 via Lvov, 12050 via Khabarousk, 17720, 15450, 15140 via Petropavlousk-Kamehatsky (Speer-cA). 7100 no site (Adams-MA). Date/time card in 50d (Falbo-OR). 15150 via Minsk (TXSchlesinger). 7260 via Yuzhno-Sakhalinsk (Greenbauer). 21590,17730 via Serpukhov, 21530 via Ivano Frankovsk, 15430 via Erevan, 12010, 9760 via Lvov, 17810 via Simferopol, 11820 via Frunze, $21560,17720,15450$, 15140 via Petropavlovsk-Kamchatsky, 12050 via Khabarovsk, 7210 via Vinnitsa, 7180 via Sverdlovsk (Soomre-MA).
Nice set of USSR sites this time. All cards were recd in about 50 d for no return postage.
R. Vilnius-17900, $\mathrm{f} / \mathrm{d}$ card in 88d (Hitsman-IA). Folder card in 38d (MASoomre). Radio Tower Folder card in 62d (Falbo-0R).
R. Kiev-9580, 7185, QSL in 34d (Ducos-FR). Cathedral card in 63d (FLMahoney).
Not enough room here to start on Asia. I just want to thank everyone for the support that they are giving to this column. Please keep up the good work. Remember that SPEEDX is your club, and it is what $\underline{U}$ want it to be.

CHINA-R. Beijing-11650, 7055, Tai Ho Hall card in 21d with magazines (Chickerell-WV). Peking park card in 30d along with a pennant and calendar (Adams-MA). Card in 30d along with pennant and bookmarks (Bledsoe-FL). Card and pennant in 19d (Ducos-FRANCE). Heilongjiang PBS4925, f/d native costumes card recd via Beijing with pennant, bookmarks, and Calender (Streeter=NY).
INDIA-AIR-11620, white tiger in 200 card in 44 d for 2 irc (Van Horn-TX). INDONESIA-RRI Manokwari-6188, date only letter in 46 d for IN rpt (Barto). v/s-Abdul Rachim Ba, Kepala. RRI Mataram-3223, p/d letter in 46 d for IN Rpt (Barto-CT). RRI Kandari-4000, date/time letter in 72d for II rpt-(Pimblett-ATA). v/s-Ors. Eddy Sihombing. RRI Banjarmasin-3250, f/d card in 17d for II rpt and tape sent registered air and recd reg. air. (ATAKusalik). V/S-Muhammad Fachriansjh. RRI Fak Fak-4789, date/freq letter in 52d for II rpt (Barto-CT). R.F. Simangunsong, Kepala.
IRAQ-R.B. -9610 , $\mathrm{f} / \mathrm{d}$ large card in 47d (Dillon-PA). Same in 122d after f/up. Also recd a pennant and stamps from Iraq. (Soomre-MA).
ISRAEL-Kol Israel-9815, 11655, 15585, logo card in 54d for 2 irc (Keenan). Same in 41d for an irc (Thompson-NJ). Same in 45d (Dillon-PA). Map card in 88d (Chickerell-WV).
JAPAN-R. Japan- $9505,15300,17825,17810$, 17755 , date/freq card in 25d (Speer-CA). Card in 25d for report (Nowicki-CA). Card in 20d (ThompsonNM). In 23d (Leite-MA). Water lillies card in 24 d for 2 irc (Card-RI). Shrine card in 33d (Chickerell-WV). In 21d (Ducos-FR). In 33d with calendar (Soomre-MA). JOZ-R. Tampa-3925, f/d card in 27d (Barto-CT).
KUWAIT-R, Kuwait-11675, f/d folder card in 28d (Robinson-TN). Same with a sticker in 43d (Barto-CT).
LEBANON-R. Lebanon-11955, f/d R. Lebanon Building card in 203d for 2 irc. Report was sent and received via the Department of External Affairs Canada. V/S-Miss Emily Zalami. (Talbot-ATA). Very very nice card, one to be proud of!. King of Hope-6215, card in 10d with bumper sticker (Yingling-MD). Same in 27 d for 2 irc via Israel address (Stephany-NY). Same in 18d (Pimblett-ATA). Same via CA address for $\$ 1$ in 6d (Hosmer-MI).
MALAYSIA-SARAWAK-RTVM-Sarawak-4950, $\mathrm{f} / \mathrm{d}$ best house card in 43 d for an irc (Fisher-NM).
MALAYSIA-V. Of Malaysia-11900, f/d card in 45 d for 2 irc (Adams-MA). NORTH KOREA-R. Pyongyang-9977, picture card in 91d (Sharp-FL).
PAKISTAN-PBC-5095, time/freq card and letter in 93d for ms (Pimblett-ATA). Station was Islamabad. PBC-Rawalpindi-17660, f/d card in 180d for ms after f/up (Card-RI). R. Pakistan-17840, p/d form letter in 113d for 2 irc (Talbot-ATA).
PHILIPPINES-FEBC-11890, f/d Manila Bay card in 43 d for 3 irc (Hosmer-MI). QATAR-QBC-17910, f/d logo card in 106 d for 2 irc (Dillaman). Same in 160d after $\vec{f} / \mathrm{up}$ for 2 irc (Card-RI). Also recd a sticker and booklet.
SAUDI ARABIA-BSKSA-11855, f/d logo card in 75d via registered mail (MASoomre). V/S-Ali M Al-Babtain.
SINGAPORE-SBC-11940, f/d skyline card in 23 d for $\$ 1$, which was returned. V/S-M.W.D'Cruz. Letter said orly IRC were accepted for return postage. (Gilley-VA). BBC-11750, Usual cards in $24,31,70,91$ days for the same rpt! (Pimblett-ATA).
SOUTH KOREA-R. Korea-9570, 7550, 11810 , 9750 , f/d card in 69d (Stephany-NY). Nolan, wait till you read the next one----QSL and Pennant in 48 d (DucosFrance). Seems to me that you have to get them on the right day to get a pennant. Card in 106 d (May-OH). Card in 29d (Harris-FL). Card in 42d (Robinson-TN).
SRI LANKA-AVR via SLBC-11835, Radio Monitors Intl card 13532 in ?? for 3 irc (Card-RI).
TAIWAN-VOFC-15270, 11825, card and calender in 58d for $2 i r c$ (Keenan). Card and goodie pack-including pennant, in 66d (Renn-WA)
TURKEY-V of Turkey $-\mathrm{F} / \mathrm{d}$ card in 35 d (Barto-CT). 11755 , same and pennant in 73d for 2 irc (Hitsman-IA). Same in 26d (Bingham-MA). Same in 36d for an irc (Soomre-MA). In 44d for an irc (Falbo-OR). Also some recd stickers.

UNITED ARAB EMIRATES－UAE Radio－11730，$f / d$ map card in 44 d along with a pennant（Dillon－PA）．
VIETNAM－V of V－15010，Magazine but no QSL in 8 months（McKeon－IN）．
f／d folder card in 94d（Leite－MA）．Hanoi Radio－card with site in 58d for 6453 khz （Barto－CT）：BAC Thai Radio－6610，same in 58d（Barto－CT）． Lang Son Radio－6510，same in 58d（Barto－CT）．

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AUSTRALIA－VLM4 ABC－Brisbane－4920，map card in 48 d for an irc（Soomre－MA）． Same for same in 33d（Welch－MA）．VLW6 ABC－Perth－Western services card in 18d（DAngello－PA）．Was 6140 Khz ．R．Australia－17795 via Shep．，King－ fisher card in 20d for an irc（Falbo－0R）．11720，Fairy Penguins card in 35 d （Mathew－MA）．Card in 26d（Binghara－MA）． $9770 \cdot v i a$ Shep and 6035 via Carnarvon in 28d（Chickerell－WV）．Card in 23d（Brock）．Preq was 11800 via Shep．

MARIANA ISLANDS＿SAIPAN－KYOI－9670，bird card in 6wiks for $40 \notin$ stamp （Kusalik－ATA）．

NEW ZEALAND－RNZ－17705，fishing card in 28 d along with paper pennant for $4 \operatorname{irc}$（Falbo－OR）．

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ALASKA－KNLS－6170，f／d form letter in 19d for ms（Radtke－CA）．Same in 12d （Wilkins－CO）．Same in 6d for 2 ire（Keenan）．Same in 30 d for $40 \phi$ stamp （Kusalik－ATA）．Same in 16d for ms（Sehlesinger－TX）．V／s－Francis M． Perry．
ANTIGUA－BBC－6175，usual card in 30d（Card－RI）．DW－9545，6040，f／d card in 69d for an irc（Wilkins－CO）．Same in 64Q（Stephany－NY）．Same in 75d （Speer－CA）．In 33d（Leite－MA）．
BELIZE－R．Belize－ 3285 ，date．freq card in 14 d for an irc（Smith－TN）． Same in 30d for 2 irc（Tilley－C0）．F／d card in 39d for 2 irc（Thompson－ NM）．Same in 40 d for same（Muzyka－NY）．
CANADA－CKZN－6160，f／d map card in 31 days with a sticker and information sheet（DAngelo－PA）．Same in 65d（Hosmer－MI）．Same in 76d for ms（Talbot＝ ATA）．CFCX－f／d logo card in 12d（Dillon－PA）．DW via Sackville－9605， $\mathrm{f} / \mathrm{d}$ map card in 41 d （Stephany－NY）．They would not verify this site for me，so don＇t feel bad Nolan，got to try again．CFVP，6030，Calgary skyline card in 19d（Hosmer－MI）．He also sent rp．CKZU－6160，f／d CBC card in 39 for 2 irc（Mann－IO）．RCI－5960，f／d．DIY card in 21 d （oH－ Claytor）．
COSTA RICA－Faro Del Caribe／TIFC－5055，f／d card in 48 d for an irc and SS rpt．Also recd a pennant（Miyauchi－JPN）．
CUBA－R．MOSCOw－9600，6110，6115，f／d eard in $71 \mathrm{~d},(\mathrm{Stephany-NY)}$ ．Same in 60d（Speer－CA）．In 36d（Harris－FL）．
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC－R．Earth via R．CIarin－11700，freq only card of Curacao in 207d for 2 irc（Pimblett－ATA）．Same fir same in 196d（NB－ Robichaud）．Card in 88d（Muprhy－NJ）．In 160d（DAngelo－PA）．
GREENLAND－Grønlands Radio－3999，date／freq station house card in 20d for \＄1（Sharp－FL），Same in 42 d for 3 ire and $\mathrm{EE} / \mathrm{Danish}$ rpt（Harris－FL）． V／S－Tom Mikkelsen－Tech Dir．
GUATEMALA－TGVN－La Voz de Nahuala， 3360 ，f／d card and letter in 25 d for ms and SS rpt（Stephany－NY）．Same．in 39d for same．（Thompson－NM）．
HAITI－LVEH－4930，f／d card in 43d for an ire（Welch－MASS）．
HONDURAS－HRPC－R．Luz Y Vida－3250，f／d letter in 27 d for EE rpt and 2 irc． Letter noted that it was the first report on their EE bests．（Greenbauer）． Same in 36 d for SS rpt and ms （Schlesinger－TX）．V／s Don Moore，Director． Note said that they run EE © 0300－0400 Sun and 0330－0400 Mon．
MEXICO－Tus Panteros－6105，form letter in 434 d for SS rpt and ms（TX－ Schlesinger）．V／S－Roberto Dominguez Avik，Relaciones Publicas．
MONTSERRAT－DW－9545，11705，f／d card in L2d for 2 US ms（Talbot－WI）． Same in 33d（Leite－MA）．
NETHERLANDS ANTILEES－R．Nederland－9590，6165，17605， $9535, \mathrm{f} / \mathrm{d}$ cards in 40 days with a pennant for an irc（Mendez－NJ）．Gard in 21 d for an irc（OR－ Falbo）．Card and sticker in 90d（Mendez－NJ）．Card in 20d（Welkel－MI）．
R., Nederland relay continued- Three Personages card in 42 d with a colander (Brewer-ARK). This was mailed from London. TWR-9535, 11815, fld antennas card in 40 d for an irc (Brewer-ARK). Same in 28d for 2 irc (Welkel MI). Same in 25d (Caceres-NY).

NICARAGUA-L Doz De Nic-5950, fld letter with pennant, stickers and post cards in 265 d for an irc (Mahoney-FL). Same in 187 d for an irc (TalbotATA). Personal letter in 110 d for 2 irc (Card-RI). same in $80 d$ for $S S$ rpt (McLain-CA).
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA-VOA-Dixon-9505, fld card in 63d for ms and SS rpt (Wilkins-C0). 6020 via Greenville, fld card in 7 days (Falbo-OR). 6040 via Dixon-card in 11d (Diłlaman). 2600.0. via Bethany-card in 12d (Chickerell-WV). WINB-15145, fld card in gd forms (Harris-FI). KGEI-9615, fid logo card in 20d for ms (Harris-FL). WRNO-cards from Chickerell, Wilkins, Riley, Sarto, Keenan. All in apt $25-35$ days. WYFR-Cards from Soomre, Hosmer, Fernando, Card, McCants, Bingham. All in bt 60d for ms.

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ARGENTINA-RAE-11710, 15345 , $\mathrm{f} / \mathrm{d}$ card and pennant in 29d for an irc. (VAJones). Same in 296d for 2 irc (Welkel-MI). Same for an irc in id (NYMuzyka). Same in 42d (Dillon-PA). Same in 43d (Talbot-ATA).
BOLIVIA-R. Nacional-Cochabamba-5975, color photo card in 5 months after 2 f/ups for SS rpt and ms (Lobdell-MA). Rogildo Fontanelle Aragao-V/S.
BRAZIL-R. Timbira do Maranhao-4975, fld letter in EE in 35d for PP rpt and MS (Streeter-NY). V/S-Joao Ferreira, International Correspondent. R. Rio Mar -9695, date only card in 45d for PP rpt and ms (Mahoney-FL). VOA-17710, $f / d$ card in $16 d$ (Soomre-MA). R. Inconfidencia-6000, $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{d}$ card in 69d for PP rpt and MS (Parks-FL). R. Cultura do Para-5045, freq only card in 385 d for ms and PP rpt (Schlesinger-TX). V/S for Inconfidencia was Marcia Gerkin.
COLOMBIA-Radio Macarena -5975, fld logo card in 45 d with stickers for SS rpt and 2 irc (Mann-IO). Ondas del Darien -6085, date only letter in 20d for $S S$ rpt and $m s$ (Schlesinger-TX). V/S-Manuel Cardona Agudelo, Gerent. ECUADOR-Emisoras Gran Colombia -4911, carbon copy letter in 126d for ms and SS rpt. The QSL was dated Jan 24, 1984, does anyone else have the other copy? (Stephany-NY). R. Jesus del Gran Coder -5050 , date/freq card in $1 \frac{1}{2}$ yrs with a pennant for 2 irc and SS rpt (Hitsman-IA). n/d folder card in $4 m o$ after 6 th followup rpt for $S S$ rpt with ms (Lobdell-MA). V/S-P. Jorge Enriquez. V/s for Gran Colombia was Nancy Cevallos Castro de Espinoza. R. Rio Amazonas -4870, freq only letter in 543d for SS rpt and ms -V/sProf. Mar Diam D. (Schlesinger-TX). R. Culture Antena Libre-3240, $\mathrm{p} / \mathrm{d}$ letter in 47 d for $\mathrm{SP} \operatorname{rpt}$ (Barto-CT). V/S-Luis E. Velasco Leon, Gerente. Ondas Quevedenas-3325, $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{d}$ card in 2 months That was a plain white "Feliz Anon Nuevo" card, not a QSL (Lobdell-MA). HCJB cards from Mandes, Adams, Leite, Dillon, Welch, Soomre. In aby $4 \overline{0 d}$ for varying RP. Soomre-MA, his card was the Australian DX club card for 3 irc via ARDXC.
FALKLAND ISLANDS-FIBS-3958, fld card in 30 d for ms (Kusalik-ALTA). V/s -A.R. Davis

PARAGUAY-R. Nacional-9735, freq only form letter in 25 d for SS rpt and 2 irc (Tilley-CO).

PERU-R. Madre de Dios-4950, fld letter in 192d for SS rpt and ms Also recd were some stamps (Streeter-NY). V/S-Frco. Javier Aniz op. R. Cusco-6195, fid plain white card in 28 d with a pennant for an SS rpt and MS (Stephany-NY). V/S-Elena Lizarraga Pacheco Coneba. R. Atlantida4790, freq only letter in 179 d for ss rpt and ms also recd key chains, stickers, and calendars (Streeter, NY). V/S-Socorro Saundra Angulo, Secretariat de Gerencia.

Well, I will hold the rest of Peru, Venezuela, and Antarctica for next month. We had aloft of good QSLs this month, I am proud of the work done by SPEEDXers. I hope to get the 7 th page back next month, so that I can finish this column, and give you some information that $I$ have on Pennants. I have heard from several SPEEDXer Ham radio ops who would like to get together on the radio. If anyone is interested, drop me a card and let me know. I will be on 20 m at 1800 UTC on Sundays between 14275-14280 or thereabouts (Avoiding QRM), and my call is N2EKL-if anyone is interested. I may be calling CQ to shortwave listeners of CQ SPEEDX. Hope to hear from you. Well, out of room. Best of luck, and hope to see you all next month.

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| PPO- Olinda MARCO - NTM b/c (PAG-NC) |  |
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| PZN- Paramaribo MARCO wkg Cuba (JCH-MD) |  |
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| CWA-Cerrito MARCO - V mkr (AJA-VA) |  |
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| 4 | BINGHAM, FRANK | MA | R790. | 4 | MAY, RONALD | OH | IC |
| 4 | BIRON, BERNARD | NH | 1CF2601 | 4 | MENDEZ, LUIS | NJ | 1596 |
| 1 | BLAISDELL, RICHARD | VT |  | 5 | MIYAUCHI, SATOSHI | P | TS-438V |
| 4 | BLANCHETTE, MARION | FL | D×109 | 1 | MOMAN, DON | AL |  |
| 5 | BLEDSOE, GARY | FL | D×392 | 1 | MODRE, ALEX | UK |  |
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| 4 | BREWER, DONALD | AR | R1ø96 | 1 | MOUSE, DAVID | VA |  |
| 1 | BROCK, ROBERT | WI |  | 3 | MORGAN, STEWART | NC | IC-R7¢ |
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| 1 | CAMPBELL, CORNELIA | DE | NRD515 | 2 | MUZYKA, WILLIAM | NY | RF4900 |
| 9 | CARD, PETER | RI | NRD505 | 1 | McCANTS, DONALD | AL | RF2206 |
| 1 | CARLSON, VIRGIL | WA |  | 4 | McDOWELL, JOHN | IL | ICF2001 |
| 1 | CEREGHIN, JOHN | MD |  | 5 | McKEON, THOMAS | IN | R1006 |
| 1 | CHABAK, MIKE | AZ |  | 2 | Mclain, LOIS | CA |  |
| 11 | CHICKERELL, LARRY | WV | D×49ø | 1 | NEAL, SAM | TX | RBC5 |
| 1 | CHINSKY, MARK | NY | RF2600 | 1 | NEWLON, EVAN | NM |  |
| 4 | CHITUCK, BRUCE | MD |  | 5 | NOWICKI, MICHAEL | CA | R392 |
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| 1 | CLEVELEY, RUSSELL | NY |  | 6 | PALMER, BOB | WA | IC-R |
| 1 | CONSTANINIDES, COSTA | SA |  | 4 | PARKS, WILLIAM | FL | HRO69 |
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| 1 | COSTIN, StEve | AU |  | 1 | PETERSON, ERIC | OR |  |
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| 3 | CUCURA, VLADIMIR | PA |  | 6 | PFEFFER, MORRIS | NY | RF2200 |
| 2 | CUNNINGHAM, LARRY | OH |  | 4 | PRATH, JOHN | FL | FRG7990 |
| 5 | D'ANGELO, RICHARD | PA | NC190 | 1 | PROVANCE, TERRY | OH |  |
| 1 | DANKO, LARRY | NJ | IC-R78 | 1 | RADTKE, CARL | CA | SPR4 |
| 1 | DEINET, A.J. | NJ | NRD515 | 2 | RAHN, STEVE | IL |  |
| 1 | DEMMITT, JOHN | PA | HOMEBREW | 1 | RANKIN, ROBERT | KS | R7/DR7 |
| 3 | DILLAMAN, JOHN | OH |  | 1 | RICKETTS, RONALD | TX |  |
| 4 | DILLON, PETER | PA | ZENITH T | 1 | ROBERTSON, DAVID | WA |  |
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| 3 | DUNCAN, GREGORY | NC |  | 4 | ROBINSON, BETSY | TN | ICF2061 |
| 1 | DURAN, RICHARD | NJ |  | 1 | ROCHA, CRAIG | CA |  |
| 2 | FALBE, ANTHONY | OR |  | 1 | ROMERO, ROBERTO | ID |  |
| 3 | FAMULARO, RALPH | NJ | RF2806 | 3 | SABLE, THOMAS | NY | TS-436S |
| 5 | FISHER, ALLEN | NM |  | 2 | SAMS, MITCH | KS |  |
| 4 | FISHER, MIKE | WI |  | 3 | SCHEEL, MICHAEL | IA | 1 CF2661 |
| 1 | FLANNAGAN, MELVIN | VA |  | 2 | SCHLESINGER, MARK | TX |  |
| 3 | FLEISCHAKER, TED | KY | ICF2001 | 2 | SCHMAUTZ, SCOTT | NY |  |
| 4 | FRASER, BOB | MA | XCR-30 | 1 | SEYMOUR, WOODY | NC |  |
| 1 | GAMMON, ROGER | AU |  | 1 | SHARP, DAVID | FL |  |
| 1 | GIBSON, MARJORIE | CA | R606 | 1 | SHARPE, RRYAN | CA | D×362 |
| 1 | GILSTER, PAUL | NC | ICF2001 | 5 | SHEEDY, DANIEL | CA |  |
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| 1 | HEIN, DONALD | PA |  | 4 | STEFHENSON, NORMAN | CA | - IC-R70 |
| 9 | HENAULT, JOHN | MA | RF3106\% | 1 | STINER, RULAND | NY | FRG760\% |
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| 3 | HOTALING，STAN | NV | RF2809 |
| 2 | HUFFAKER，CARL | N0 |  |
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| 3 | JOHNSON，MARK | ID | DX3ø2 |
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| 2 | JONES，JACK | MS |  |
| 1 | KERR，IAN | UK |  |
| 1 | KLINGENFUSS，JOERG | FG | NRD515 |
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| 5 | KRIST，KRAIG | VA |  |
| 3 | KUSALIK，EDWARD | AB | FRG7906 |
| 3 | LANGLOIS，HAROLD | GA |  |
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| TILLEY，DOUGLAS | CO | FRG7790 |
| TIMOFEEV，ALEXANDER | FG | ICF2091 |
| UERLINGS，JIM | OR |  |
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Well，things are beginning to look up a bit．I＇d like to thank those of you who took the time to respond to our plea for volunteers in last months issue．We received numerous requests from people wanting to be editors，and might I add，a couple of people wanting to take over H 2 from Don Johnson，and publishing from me！We are talking to these people right now and hopefully will be able to get the details worked out．Naturally，as these changes take place we will let you know．
I＇m also happy to report that I＇m making progress on the address label situation．About $80 \%$ of you should have updated labels now with your contributor information on them．The rest of you should be back to normal next month．

FOR SALE：FRG－7 Mod．w／4 kHz ceramict 2.9 collins mechanical filters，AGC fast／slow，and full VLF coverage．Also comes with KRS 4 digit digital dis－ pley unit．Excellent condition，includes original manual．Ready for pick－up or will ship via UPS．350．00．Contact first for information．．．Craig Rocha， 2542 Mobley St．San Diego，CA 92123，or call（no collects）619－292－7217， from 2300 to 0400 GMT ．

FOR SALE：MFJ－308 World Explorer II Car－Shortwave converter，w／manual 60.00. Also MFJ－1020 Indoor Active SW Anterna w／a／c adapter，50．00．Contact Steven Handler， 666 Dundee Rd，Suite 502，Northbrook IL 60062，or call： 1 （312）272－5115 days．

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FOR SALE：Kenwood R－600， 250.00 ．MFJ 950 antema tuner，30．00．MFJ 1045 preselector， 35.00 ．Bearcat $210 \times \mathrm{L}$ Scanner， 150.00 ．Avanti 801 antenna， 30.00. Bob Hayward，CA．Phone 415－581－8226．

WANTED：Copy of，or original manual for Hallicrafters SX－99．George Slov－ Inski，P．O．Box 3430，Manhattan Beach，CA 90266．213－545－544？eves．

WANTED： 24 hour clock at reasonable price．Send specs／price to：Ted Flei－ schaker， 3023 Tremont Dr．，Louisville，KY 40フ05．No calls！

WANTED：Manual and／or schematics for Harvey Wells MTR－2632 Marine Hadio． Jim Countermarsh， 16 Mary St．，Springfield，VT 05156.

FOR SALE：Drake SSR－1 rovr，vy good condx；direct freq readout，mod．for better selectivity．130．00 includes UPS．Bob Thunberg，814－371－7665．

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[^0]:    Hello, and welcome to another month of DXM. As I type this column, it's Gasparilla Day in nearby Tampa. There is a big parade (it almost got rained outi) and a moch pirate invasion of the city. So things here in Hillsborough County are quite festive at present. Lots of great contributions this month; your support of the column is greatly welcomed and appreciated here. Continue the good work, SPEEDXers!

[^1]:    Sole Antelope on the Mobabe Depression, Botswana

