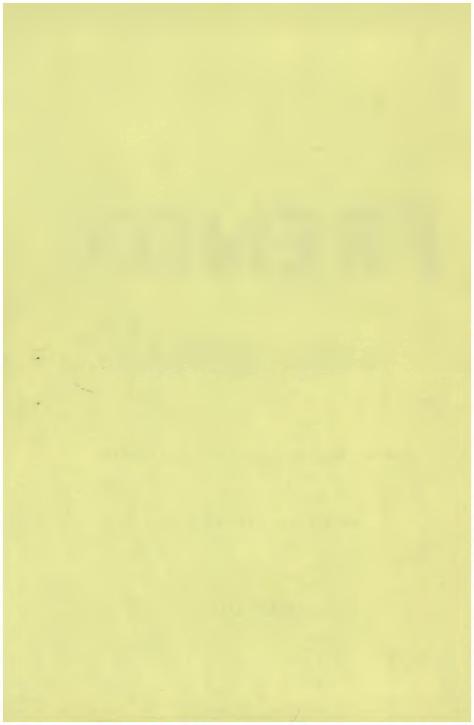
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NASWA Executive Editor Bill Eddings remains ill, and though able to handle the HQ functions involved with processing renewals and new members, is unable to resume the HQ section, which being done here in Charleston. All renewals should be sent direct to NASWA HQ, P.O. Box 989, Altona, PA 16603.

NASWA BoD announces change in dues structure. In view of the change to offset printing, and the virtual elimination of the difference in postage costs for Third Class and First Class mailing of the bulletins printed this way, the BoD has set one membership fee to apply to all members. Effective immediately, NASWA dues are set at \$10.00, and all memberships will be based on receipt of FRENDX via First Class Mail. Of course, all current "Third Class" memberships will continue to be honored until expiration, at which time renewal must be made at the \$10 First Class rate.

NEW MEMBERS, Welcome to all: John Clements, Newhall, California via friend Don Erickson Andrew Chilkewitz, Westland, Michigan via Elementary Electronics James Gates, Columbus, Georgia via Communications World Art Palmer, San Francisco, California via Communications World Del Ford, Scarborough, Ontario via PE Communications Handbook Benjamin Colucci, Rio Piedras, Puerto Rico via member Glenn Hauser Donald Burdett, New Castle, Pennsylvania via PE Communications Handbook Dave Coursey, Dallas, Texas via member Walt Mitchell Ray Rinker, Minneapolis, Minnesota Elementary Electronics Mike Tenegal, Chicago, Illinois via PE Communications Handbook Jerold Bell, Teaneck, New Jarsey via Communications World Herb Baer, Jr., Hyattsville, Maryland via PE Communications Handbook BoB Riter, Huntington, West Virginia via Communications World Fred Stone, Northford, Connecticut via Communications World James Boyd, Brooklyn, New York via Communications World Fred Heutte, Jr., Washington, D.C. via member Ed Shaw Shinichi Shiraishi, Niigata, Japan via Japan SW Club Robert Duddy, Rushville, Indiana via WRTH Bruce Cusanelli, Rocky Hill, Connecticut via WRTH John Benoit, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania via Elementary Electronics Karl Schubert, Timonium, Maryland via Radio RSA Bill Vogt, Nashville, Tennessee via NASWA HDQ J. C. Brownlee, Jr., Laurens, S.C. via Communications World

New Members (continued)
Scott Eisenhuth, Johnstown, Pennsylvania
via Communications World
Jack Finsel, Akron, Ohio
via Communications World
Scott Reeves, Laurel, Maryland
via Communications World
Danny Petr, Toronto, Ontario
via member Dr. Richard E. Wood

RENEWALS

Znd year - Ed Ricchezsa, Fred Klump, Jr., Bill Bryant, Gary Toncre, Stanley Prince, Angelo Gero, Bob Seymour, Leon Segal, David Schmidt, Vic Argabright, Jon Williams, Ken Schmur, Jack Callaway.

3rd year - Marvin Robbins, Joe Torok, Leon Segal, Bill Coleman.
4th year - Terry Adams, Jan Tuner, Dick Heggs.
5th year - Alan Roth, F. Earle Hall, Bob Peritz, Andy Pappas.
7th year - Bert Adams

Those not renewing by the 15th of the month will be listed next month.

HELPING HAND SERVICE For sale; Hallicrafters CR-44A portable, brand new. Also Heathkit GR-64 completely assembled. Write Don Lechthaler, 737 Milford Mill Road, Baltimore, MD. 21208....

For Sale: Mosley SWV-7 SW Vertical Antenna, brand new, unassembled, balun not required. Write Mark A. Duba, 148 Loomis Street, Burlington, Vt. 05401

via phone, Fred Heutte advises of a friend wishing to sell an assembled Heathkit SB-310, with SSB filter(I don't know which one-DF), and 13 & 15 meter conversion, plus an "SWL Library" consisting of several books from Gilfer. The receiver is in excellent condition and little used. Write Steve Martin, 12115 Northwood Dr., Upper Marlboro, MD 20870. Prices \$270.

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THE LOUDENBOOMER REPORT

"When constabulary duty's to be done, to be done, a policeman's lot is not a happy one"

I was singing, half muttering under my breath actually, my favorite Gilbert

and Sullivan line as I sat in my study opening the mail.

As you know, a few months back, during one of the regular editorial crises in the International World Wide Continental DX Association, I'd volunteered to take on the job of loggings editor. And after a couple of months in the saddle, I was beginning to feel my lot was not too different from Gilbert's cop!

"Dear Charlie." the first letter read. "I have some constructive criticism of last month's column. You listed Radio Borborema's frequency as 4,964.3275 kHz Actually, I measured it as 4,964.3278 kHz. As you must know, frequency accuracy is of paramount importance to us all. How can a beginner be expected to find a station if you list incorrect frequencies? With an editor of your experience I'd expect more ... "

I quit reading it and shuffled the letter to a stack on my right. I grabbed

a second envelope and tore it open.

"OM Charlie, not a complaint, mind you, but some helpful, friendly, constructive criticism. I couldn't help noting the glaring errors on page five of the September bulletin. In the third item on the page, I found you spelled "Venezuela" as "Venzeula," I find this mistake inexplicable in an editor of your ability. Can a newcomer to the hobby be expected to be accurate when faced with such confusing bulletin information?"

"Even more distressing is that you neglected to include, in various words on the page, six stress marks, three tildes, an umlaut and an even dozen semi-colons"

Reading no further, I snatched up another letter.

"Hi C.L.", it began. "Trust you'll correct another of your mistakes, appearing on line 26, page seven of the August column. You quoted me as saying Tristan Radio logged with good signals with typical Tristanian music on 7/14 from 2037 to 2038GMT." If you'll only check my original report you'll find that what I really reported was as follows: 'Tristan Radio logged with good signals, with typical Tristanian music, on July 14, from 2037 to 2038GMT." Accuracy is important you know. This is intended, of course, as constructive criticism, not a complaint, but why should my reputation suffer because of your carelessness?"

And the next letter didn't do much to improve my morale either.

"Dear Mr. Loudenboomer: I'm always anxious to offer friendly criticism to an

editor, particularly one who seems to need it as much as you."

"I've just finished a study of your first four columns, June through October. I'm struck by the obvious fact that you are playing favorites. In one glaring example. I find that you used only 67 items which I sent you over the past months, however you ran 71 loggings by that murd Billy Broomeister, who lives in the same town I do. Like how come you didn't use my tip on VOA-Greenville on about 2,659kHz? (signed) Joseph "Big J) Fright, Raleigh, N.C."

I'd almost reached the bottom of the stack. Only one letter left unopened.

I tore open the flap and read the short message.

"Deer Sur, I just want too make some helpfull freindly criticizum of your writting in the buliten. You are dum and stupedand you shud quit befor you reck

the hole buletin. Freindly yours, Arnold."

As I sat, in my deep depression, pondering the stack of constructive criticism I'd received in the day's mail, something suddenly flickered through my brain. It was a snatch of melody, another Gilbert and Sullivan tune from yet another operatta. A wicked little smile crossed my lips as I broke into fullthroated song.

"I've got a little list, I've got a little list. Not one of them'd be missed..Not one of them'd be missed!"

73. Charlie ...

Shortwave - Center!

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SCOOP!!! Exclusive first release to a North American SW hobby club!!!

THE BARLOW-WADLEY XCR-30 RECEIVER

by Edward C. Shaw

A couple of months back, many of us got the first indication that a new receiver was soon to be available --- Leo Van der Walt's column on the back page of RSA's monthly schedule featured preliminary information on the XCR-30, a crystal-controlled, dual conversion, direct frequency readout portable rx manufactured in South Africa. The following information was obtained as a result of a letter of inquiry to the inventer Mr.C.S. Barlow.

This receiver was designed specifically for the LISTENER who requires a shortwave receiver with high calibration and resetting accuracy, with excellent sensitivity, selectivity, and image rejection characteristics, together w/SSB---all in portable form, without the frills and at low cost

To achieve these objectives, many luxurious and superfluous features were omitted without detracting at all from the receiver's specific purpose. The rx is general coverage (500 kHz to 30 mHz) and incorporates a whip antenna. All-metal construction makes a ferrite core antenna impractical. There are no dial lights to drain battery power, yet the dial design permits mazimum visibility even under poor lighting condx. The XCR-30 operates on 6 "D-size" batteries (9V) and has no built-in provision to facilitate use of an 115-V wall socket; an external transformer must be used for that. The rx will actually work from a range of 6V-12V, so it may be used thru an automobile's cigarette lighter. These limitations are just some of the ways the cost has been kept down to a minimum. Pin-jacks allow the use of external antenna and grounds, if so desired---altho these would only be needed in cases of heavy indoor interference.

Despite the involved design and complexity in alignment and adjustment in the manufacturing process, routine repair and maintainance are well within the scope of an efficient repair establishment, and components are easily available. It should be noted that since a 1-mHz xtal oscillator is utilized to control stability of the rx, a low level "break-through" will be noted at the 0 & 100 settings of the kHz dial ----this serves as a deliberate confirmation for dial accuracy and also acts as a claibrator should the rx ever need realignment. The signal is quite suppressed, however, and permits easy reception of WWV and other such time stations on such frequencies.

As of the moment, there is still no distributor for the model in the U.S.A...Unit price, F.O.B. from Durban, South Africa, is \$157.50 at the present international rates of exchange. Air freight will entail another \$31.50. The address is: Barlow Manufacturing Co. Ltd., P.O. Box 23, New Germany, Natel, South Africa...AND if, after persons have written for further info, they wish to pool their resources, ten buyers may form one large order at great savings, reducing unit price to \$120, and sharing freight charges. THIS IS NOT AN OFFER SPONSORED BY NASWALL! We advise all DXers to exercise caution—look before you leap!While the XCR-30 sounds like a "dream rx", only time will tell if Mr.Barlow's claims are to be substantiated.

SHORTWAVE

SHORTS..... News from the World of International Broadcasting.....

Radio Uganda Expansion

Uganda is actively investigating the possibilities of setting up external broadcasting facilities. According to informed sources, Mr. Wm. Naburri, the Minister for Information and broadcasting, was in Paris and London primarily to look into the techniclities and finance involved in this major undertaking.

Marconi said the Minister visited their Chelmsford works this week but declined to say whether this was purely a facilities tour or whetherthere was a business discussion. Marconi knows the Uganda position, having supplied equipment over many years, most recently 4 xmtrs for the internal service in the regions. An external services xmtr would set Uganda back at least 250,000 pounds, when considering the need for aerials and more studios. General Amin has said that he is anxious to give Uganda a stronger voice outside its own borders and has spoken of the need for external broadcasting .--- ICB Bulletin via R. Anderson

Walkout at the CBC Ottawa, Jan. 22d (Reuters): Technicians of the Canadian roadcasting Corp. walked off their jobs in 5 cities today. The action by members of the Nat. Assoc. of Broadcast Employees and Technicians shut down live radio and TV programs by the publicly-owned CBC from Vancouver, Winnipeg, Toronto, Montreal, and Charlotte-town. The 2,170 technicians termed the walkout a "study session", to consider a full strike against the CBC .--- NY Times via George Schnabel.

Papua looks to Independenc A Parliament is scheduled to meet in 6/72 to consider bills aiming at self-gov't and finally independence from Australia. --- Chi Sun-Times. (No doubt another new chapter in SWBCing to watch in the future: drastically revamped pgming, retention of ABC xmtrs, etc.etc.etc. from an independent Papua.) *****

**** ***** VSI8 --- Grand Turk Island (C&WI)

At presstime, your editor has received word from VSI8 manager that an exclusive. in-depth article w/pix will be forthcoming for the SWC. Watch for it! "owever, in the same communique a cryotic reference was made to the fact that: "....We shall shortly be handing over to a local broadcasting authority so the station VSI8 will not continue in its present form for very much longer .---D.R. Mattocks" The specific meaning of this and its impact is yet to be made clear.

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Radio Nederland -- 25th Anniv. Although this item is sure to be redundant for most S'C readers, RN will celebrate its 25th anniversary with a Jubilee Program on April 15, 1972. The fascinating rendition of the RN story contained within their current program sked is recommended reading for all SWL TYers. I take this opnortunity to congratulate one of the all-time greats in SWBCing: and continued success, gentlemen!! ***** ****** WARRING -

BBC Pips Become Peeps

Every hour on the hour since 1946, BRC radio has gone "pip-pip-pip-pip-pip". Starting from New Years Day, the world's most famous time signal became "pip-pippip-pip-peeeep!". Announcing the change, the Royal Greenwich Obsv. at Herstmonceaux, which provides the time sig, saidit was adding the peep -- a lengthened pipin the interests of better timekeeping. Under an int. agreement from Jan. 1, '72, the radio time signal will be based upon the international atomic time scale. ----Ft.Läuderdale News, via Gary Toncre ***** ***** *******

Bangladesn Radio

According to a VOA nxcast on March 2,172 Radio Bangladesh will soon(already has??)receive new equipment from the USSR. infor via Mark Welsh.

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THE SAD SAGA OF RADIO TELEFIS EIREANN'S SHORT-LIVED SHORTWAVE adapted by ye olde editor Ralphus Perry

When questioned as to whether Ireland maintains a shortwave outlet, the average SWL/DXer might make reference to the island's aeradio terminal. To my surprise, I recently learned that Radio Telefis Eireann still has the 100 kw shortwave xmtr in Althone which has been doomed to the realm of spiderwebs since circa 1950a.....Read on:

"Ireland was however thinking of embarking upon a bigger venture: shortwave broadcasting to distant countries. As long ago as 1932, the Advisory Committee had recommended that a shortwave service be established to keep Irishmen in far-off places in touch with affairs at home---and the answer had been that the cost would be too high. By 1938 however the tide of radio propaganda was rising high. The Axis powers had begun it, and Britain was following suit...In 1938 Oscar Tray-nor announced that an experimental shortwave was being installed at Athlone. The Voice of Ireland should be heard, too.

"The transmitter was installed and in March 1939, it began broadcasting the whole of Radio Eireann's daily programme, except for sponsored programs. But no satisfactory wavelength had been secured, the transmitter was of only 1.5 kw's power, and with the increasing use by the larger countries of multiple wavelengths and higher-powered transmitters, it was becoming steadily harder for a single small voice to be heard. Then came the war, and soon the end of Ireland's venture for a while.....

"The attempt to establish direct communication with the USA by shortwave radio from Athlone had been partly intended to remedy (the lack of direct communications links between Ireland and the USA, except via Britain) but the 1.5 kw transmitter that had been installed had been ineffectual. A last attempt was made during the three months from December 1940 to March 1941, when the shortwave transmitter went on the air for an additional half-hour in between 4:00 AM and 4:30 AM in Ireland----a good listening hour in America, allowing for the time difference between the two countries, though a bad time so far as reception was concerned (QRM-wise...rwp). When it too failed, shortwave transmissions from Athlone were reduced to daily relays of the 6:40 and 10:10 news --- hardly the brightest jewels in R. Eireann's crown. Before this reduction had been made, Mr.de Valera had called in the Emergency Research Bureau which he had established, and asked it to investigate ways of increading the power of the transmitter from 1.5 to 20 kw's ... after working from February to September they had to report that they had failed." (The little used shortwave transmitter for the most part lay fallow after that, except for being utilized for a special V-E Day broadcast in 1945. And then, in 1947, the idea of SWBCing once again germinated .--- rwp)

"Introducing his broadcasting estimate in the Dail on April 30, 46, Paddy Little announced that the amount was up by more than 112,000 pounds and that total expenditures for the year would exceed revenue by more than 119,000 pounds. The reason for this outburst of expenditure was the high-power shortwave station which he had hoped might be able to open by the end of 1947. This development had been under consideration for a long time....but it was not until 1946 that a contract had been signed with the Marconi Company and serious preparations began...

It was a tremendous enterprise, compared with the scale on which Irish broadcasting had been run in the past. It involved not only a new station and arrays of aerials but also new hours of broadcasting and a new outlook on programmes; without any guarantee of success.

"From the practical standpoint and also technical, there were(next page please!)

formidable diffic ulties in the way. First of all there was no wavelength available, any more than in the days when the low-power shortwave xmtr had failed ... A series of international conferences had failed to hammer out a scheme for allocating the shortwaves, and since the war began the larger mations had been putting batteries of transmitters to work on all possible frequencies. Ireland's single transmitter would have small chance of being heard. During the war, when I was running the BBC's shortwave service to America, I was consulted informally by a member of the Irish High Commissioner's staff in London as to the prospects of a shortwave service to America. As far as I remember, my advice was that shortwave broadcasts alone had little impact; even when London was the focus of world interest, few Americans took the trouble to tune in to London direct. The few who did might be valuable as opinion leaders, but the only way of reaching a real audience was to get your programmes rebroadcast by American stations and networks. To complicate matters, shortwave listening to distant countries was rare in countries like the USA(!!!!---rwp). All these obstacles were explained to the government, but the political motive prevailed, and plans for the shortwave station went ahead... The sums spent on broadcasting reached altitudes never before even contemplated

"Some of the best Irish experts were in America at the first big wavelength conference since the war, trying to get a suitable shortwave allocation. New difficulties were constantly arising; there were shortages of everything: steel, electricity, cement, even timber were in short supply, both in Ireland and in England, where the transmitter and masts were being made. But all difficulties were overcome. The 100 kw transmitter was installed at Athlone; an aerial array stretching over some 10 acres was erected to carry directional broadcasts to the USA; another set of masts for broadcasts to Europe was obtained but not yet erected. By March 1948, T.J.Monahan was able to report that test transmissions should be able to begin by the end of April.

"But in February the government had changed. In May 1948, the new Minister for Finance announced in his Budget speech that for reasons of economy the government had decided to abandon the shortwave project. The decision was bitterly attacked--- all made the point that when a crisis came along it was important that Ireland be able to to state its case directly to the USA...but the government was obdurate. It was decided that the shortwave equipment should be sold, but enquires disclosed that the amount that could be had for it, when the cost of dismantling it had been met, would not be more than 60,000 pounds. The history of the shortwave station was not yet ended, however....

"There was still the possibility that a suitable frequency allocation could be obtained at the next international conference to be held in Mexico City in 1949. The threat to sell the station had had its effect: it had frightened some of the nations that had previously ignored Irish claims. The very real fear of one's competitors in the "cold war" receiving the Irish equipment was enough of an inducement to get countries to vote for Ireland where they had previously voted against her. But the Mexico City plan was unfortunately only a basic plan, and there were more frustrations in store. Subsequent conferences at Florence and Rapallo failed to agree on details, and no final plan emerged. Without it, a single station would have little chance against the multiple transmissions of the big countries.

"In the meantime, various schemes were being considered in Dublin for a service. One was for a half-hour's nightly broadcast to the USA, repeated so as to reach different time zones there, w/pgms from the newly-formed Irish ews Agency. But once again the project petered out...It was revived once again when a Fianna Fail government took office in 1951 again, but the same difficulties presented themselves and no regular service ever began..... (next page,please!!)

"In the end, the project left the country with an unhappy legacy: a station which had originally cost 142,000 pounds, and an array of aerials strecthing over a lot of other people's land, all fast becoming little more than scrap."

from Forty Years of Irish Broadcasting by Maurice Gorgham published by The Talbot Press Ltd., Dublin, for Radio Telefis Eireann.

POSTSCRIPT: It has now been rumored by several sources that Ireland is once again examining the prospects of SuBCing....rwp)

THE COLLINS 51S-1 RECEIVER by Frank Peters

The direct frequency readout Collins 51S-1 receiver utilizes 17 tubes and 28 semi-conductors, tunig from 200 kHz to 30 mHz in 29 one-mHz ranges. The 51S-1 is offered with a choice of 2.75 or 2.4 kHz bandwidth, mechanical filter for side-band reception and also an AM bandwidth of 5 kHz using a normal IF transformer. The receiver is also optionally equipped with a 6 kHz MF for the AM mode.

A preselector is necessary when tuning from 200 kHz to 2 mHz; and although no antenna tuner is furnished, the receiver compensate very well in all tuning ranges. After some correspondence with Collins, a 3.1 kHz MF was installed for AM mode reception---Collins claims that this is the best they can do.

In evaluating the performance of the 51S-1, I used as a standard the performance of what I consider the best DX-receiver on the market—the HQ 180. In my opinion, the 51S-1 comes fairly close when directly pitted against the performance of the HQ 180. While the 3.1 kHz bandwidth is still a little too wide, by using the sidebands and zero-beating, an improvement in AM reception is noted. The rejection tuning-control performs superbly!! It works well even on weak signals, and can even be used as a noise limiter if one is plagued by power-line noises, as I am.

Except for the one drawback in the 51S-1's performance—the wide bandwidth—I feel that it compares quite favorably w/the HQ 180....and with the added luxury of direct frequency readout. I can't help thinking that if the HQ 180, while retaining the same basic circuitry—altho modernized and miniaturized—incorporated a direct frequency readout, then it too would fall in the high price range of the Collins 51S-1...Such are the economic facts of life in our country, hi.

Correction: ORF - Vienna

Ex-Editor for SWC Matthews requests that I note an error which appeared in his essay on Austrian Radio: "The December '7 edition of FRENDX contained an article dealing with the ORF. Due to a misunderstanding, one of the photos was mis-identified. ORF requests that the following correction be noted: 'The picture on page 4 of the SWC (picture #2) does not show a tropical antenna (TRO) but a verticle omni-directional cage antenna used for our European Service (0-500 km dead zone, 500-1200 km target zone).' Thanks to the Technical Department of the Austrian Radio for the correction."

HNBI-Athens Gets New Xmtr's

"...we inform you that in March of the current year(172) two shortwave senders will be set up for operation, @ w/a strength of 10 kw...". HNBI direct to editor-SWC

==RADIO NIBI-NIBI==

Dear listener friend:

(x) Thanks for your report.
() No thanks for your report.

Quinton S. Leek, C.E.

AN HONEST LOOK AT QSLs by Al Sizer

Let me make it clear at the outset that these are but one man's views. Nor do I insist that they are necessarily torrect (altho I obviously feel they are, or I wouldn't

be writing this article...hi!). But if you don't happen to agree, that is your priviladge and your are invited to register your opposition.....

PROPOSITION ONE: A large percentage of QSLs are phony, involving little or no checking on the part of the stations sending them out.

PROPOSITION TWO: An unscrupulous Dier could easily obtain most QSLs without ever turning on his set, providing he has a little know-how. It is easy to determine the times and frequencies a station maintains from the WRTH and club bulletins, etc., and these will generally indicate also the languages of xmsn and also a general idea of the type of format the station runs.

PROPOSITION THREE: At least 75% of all QSIs received lack some vital bit of information which could render them as truly legitimate---i.e. date, time, frequency, verification statement, etc.

PROPOSITION FOUR: The arguments of same DNers making a verie out of a non-verie would do a Philadelphia lawyer credit! Unfortunately, none of them would stend up in a court of law. Examples: "...While they don't actually use the word confirm, they do "thank" me for my report, and surely they wouldn't be thanking me if they thought that possibly I hadn't heard them..." or else there's "...They say that we are glad you heard us'. They wouldn't be glad if they didn't think I had heard them." And they go on and on, ad nauseum...

PROPOSITION FIVE: In most cases, not all, a DXer is really off his rocker if he is counting on a reply from the station proving to him, the listener, that which he had not been sure of—whether or not he had actually heard the station. I must say that this is the most serious of my propositions and one that never ceases to astound me. I've seen numerous cases where it appears that DXers have heard no IDs, and are not sure of what they've heard, and then—suddenly—they are counting it on the basis of a verification. I believe that this is very risky. I indicated that I feel that there are indeed exceptions. If there is evidence that the station actually checked out the program content you reported, and providing you gave them enough material to check out—or if you sent a tape and are reasonably sure that it was played at the station—then you are justified in claiming such a logging.

PROPOSITION SIX: A QSL should be regarded in most cases as proof of little or notating—conly an interesting souvenir of an unusual listening experience. To have a book of them and go over them some nite when the QRN is too high for good reception, or to show them to friends, is all a fine part of the hobby and excuse enough for getting QSIs....but please, Fellows..let's not take them too seriouslyii

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PHENOMENON OF THE

DARKNESS PATTERN -- EXPLAINEDby DXer Ed Shaw, Superstar

Shortwave radio broadcasts are of course heard most anytime of day. Even the most fledgeling beginner in the hobby has discovered, however, that only the higher fays are audible during the daylight hours when lower fays are silent, except for the "noise"; and conversely, that darkness brings better reception on the lower fays and reduced effectiveness on the higher bands. After a short time the beginner, gaining experience, finds that the DX he is seeking comes most frequently during those darkness hours. Simply stated, the best DX will be found only when there is a continuous darkness pattern between the listener's location and the location of the site of the desired transmitter. In this article, we are presenting the first in a series of charts which will enable the DXer to determine within a very few minutes when the likelihood of catching a desired transmission is possible.

Please keep in mind from the outset that there is one specific phenomenon that controls the greatest portion of optimum DX conditions—the sunspot cycle, rising and falling cyclically in a period of about 11 years. At present the sunspot count for each month is stead by dropping until about Winter-197h, when the low ebb will have occurred and the resumption of the rising count will have begun. It is at this lowest ebb that low-fqy DXing should be at its best---and high frequency DXing at its worst. For now, let us concentrate on the good DX that is available. With proper computations and the knowledge of when and where to listen, your log will surely swell with new catches never before dreamed possible!

The first step is to determine your exact Sidereal Time. All of us probably know how many hours difference we stand from GMT. However, within our samd time zones there are many miles to the east and west of us, and the sun rises either earlier or later at those points than at our own location. It is thus necessary to determine within a minute or so exactly what our difference is from GMT...Hence:

With the aid of a good atlas, determine within one degree what your longitude is at your listening QTH from 0.0° at Greenwich. For example, here in Norfolk, the longitude is most nearly 76° West. When this is determined you may now compute one hour's difference for each 15 degrees, or 4 minutes for each single degree. So, you will see that for my location in Norfolk, Va., at 76° West Longitude, I am really 5 hours and 2½ minutes EARLIER than GMT. I make a permanent note of this, my Sidereal Time. It remains forever constant.

The next step is to determine within a minute or so when my local sunrise and sunset will occur-in Sidereal Time. This may be found by referring to the chart on the next page, and then by adding to this the Sidereal Time difference I have computed for my longitude. Fr'instance, if my local sunrise according to the chart is at 0534, I should add to this the computed 5 hours and 24 minutes for Norfolk. My answer is a simple 10 hours and 54 minutes Sidereal Time for Norfolk sunrise.

Now with the knowledge of our local sunrise/sunset times in Sidereal Time, we can begin to determine if that DX-catch we desire is within the darkness pattern necessary to propagate their signal to us. Turning once again to our atlas, let's determine the longitude for the desired xmtr site to within one degree. For example----in the case of Kampala, Uganda, we find that the transmitter is located at nearly 30° East Longitude, and on the Equator, 0.0° Lattitude. The WRTH will often note the coordinates of various transmitter sites. Now, remembering that there is a one hour difference for each 15 degrees of longitude, or 1 minutes per degree, we can see that Kampala is exactly 2 hours east(or later) than GMT. To compute Kampala's Sidereal Time for sunrise/sunset, we will always work with this: always subtracting exactly 2 hours from the chart to get Sidereal Time. Note----Always subtract hours for east longitudes, and add for west longitudes. (next page,pls!)

The following chart will help you determine the sunrise/sunset times for your CTH and that of the transmitter site. There are a few minutes difference between the latitudes listed, and also between the dates listed. However, an estimate may be closely made for the dates and latitudes in between, by simple interpolation. Just keep in mind that transmissions will propagate between points with darkness between them. This includes periods of twilight before sunrise and after sunset.

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(*)---Must add Sidereal Time difference for your longitude to this figure

To continue, let's determine when we may possibly receive an xmsn from Kampala. We recall that Kampala was located at 30° East Longitude, or exactly 2 hours later than GMT. Referring to the chart above, we can also determine that Kampala, at C° latitude on the Equator, has a sunrise of 0558 on 11 April. But we want to determine the Sidereal Time of sunrise, so we subtract from the figure 0558 the 2 hours difference we computed earlier for Kampala. Thus we now know that Kampala's sunrise occurs at 0358 Sidereal Time. Referring again to the chart, we find that Kampala's sunset occurs at 180h local time, or 160h Sidereal (minus 2 hours for Kampala's longitude! Equaling 160h..). If we hope to catch R. Uganda, we must be sure that there is darkness between them and us. On 11 April we find that my local sunrise at Norfolk(35° North Latitude) is 053h, or 1058 'e. : 1 Time (+5Hr2lMin). We can see that Norfolk will be in broad daylight when Kampala has sunset. Reception is not possible...BUT Norfolk's sunset is at 1829 local, or 2353 Sidereal Time. Here we can see that there is darkness all the way to Uganda, which will not have sunrise ofr a few more hours...

The important points to remember are: reception is possible when darkness is between the listener and the transmitter. Subtracts hours for east longitude and add hours for west longitudes. It's as easy as A, B, C, DX!! Next month's chart will cover another later period. Address all questions and comments to Ed Shaw, 621 Burleigh Ave., Norfolk, Va.23505........Good DXing!

RADIO ULAN BATOR

"There are not very many DXers who have been able to add Radio Ulan Bator's QSL to their QSL-collections in spite of the fact that it broadcasts on shortwave with a power of 50 kilowatts and on medium-waves with a power of 150 kilowatts. It is no wonder, because the stations are situated very unfavourably in relation to the surrounding terrain. The forest of shortwave antennas is situated on the steppe some 20 kilometers south of Ulan Bator in the middle of high mountains! The MW antenna proudly stands in the middle of the town. But the whole of Ulan Bator is surrounded by high mountains!! "----from the DXclusive(FDXCI)by Erkki Raatero ======

YOUR DX-CALENDAR.... April: May: (1)World: Int'l. Labor Day
(3)Lesotho: King's Birthday (10)Costa Rica: Battle of Rivas (13) Thailand: Songkran Day (5) Sthiopia: Victory Day
Mexico: Battle of Puebla Cambodia: Khmer New Yr(to 15th) (17) Syria: Evaluation Day (19) Israel: Indep. Day Thailand: Coronation Day (10)Mali: Baptism of Muhammed Venezuela: Indep. Day (11) Laos: Anniv. of the Constitution Urug.: "Landing of the 33" Catholic countries: many LA's, and Af. (21) Brazil: Indep. Hero Celebration countries celebrating Ascension. Br. Hond.: Queen's Day (15) Liberia: Nat. Unification Day (25) Iran: Death of the Prophet Sabah: Harvest Festival(from 13th) Malawi: Kazumu Day Austr.& NZ: ANZAC Day (26) Tanzania: Union Day Paraguay: Indep. Day Swaziland: Nat. Flag Day (18) Haiti: Nat. Flag Day (27) Egypt: Sham al Nasim Uruguay: Las Piedras Battle Sierra Leone: Indep. Day Togo: Indep. Day

NOW-HELP-ME-GET-MY-JAW-OFF-THE-FLOOR DEPARTMENT

DXer Marlin Field has submitted a list of what has been some traditional NAS-A/ FRENDX hobby trivia --- VAC/QRP totals. "Whoozeywhatsis?" you say. In short, log & QSL each continent, trying for lowest possible power.... Try these: N.America----Emis. Casa de la Cultura, XEJG, in Guatalajara, Mexico--4820 kHz. S.America----OAXIA, Radio Delcar, Chiclayo, Peru--6700 kHz. 200 watts Asia-----R. Thailand, Bangkok--7105 kHz. 2500 watts Africa-----Mt. Kenya Regional Station, Nyeri, 250 watts Kenya--6170 kHz. Europe-----Emisora Regional dos Azores. 1000 watts Ponta Delgada--4865 kHz. Oceania-----VL8BK, R.Kerema, Papua-N.G.--3245 kHz. 250 watts TOTAL: ----- 4400 watts!!!

THAT'S NOT RITY QRM --- THAT'S THE PRESIDENT

The Chicago Sun-Times of 2/21/72 indicated that President Nixon utilized the medium of radioteletype to sent written communications to his White House staff during the China trip. So....if your were wondering just where that unexpected RTTY xmsn came from which was QRMing the heck out of Dili the other day....send reports to 1600 Pennsylvania Avenue, Washington, D.C....No r.-postage necessary.

TRICKS

OF THE TRADE.....Exalted Carrier AM Reception
by Ace DXer Al Niblack

Better shortwave reception is an art. There is more to it than going to your favorite electronics supplier, throwing a bundle of the green stuff on the counter, lugging the receiver of your choice home, splicing it to the handlest skyhook, and at once having DX stations roll in, with the postman simultaneously beating a path to your door with verification cards. Sure, you will hear the USSR, the BBC, the VOA, and Radio Peking, and myriad other loud voices---but if you are looking for real DX it is necessary to gain some know-how. The method outlined in the following paragraphs is but one of the many that will help you along the path to some exciting DX-catches.

In SWBC reception, it often happens that transmission conditions are different for waves of slightly different frequencies. In the case of voice-modulated transmissions which involve sideband fays differing slightly from the carrier fay, the carrier and sideband components may not be being received in the same relative amplitude and phases which were present at the transmitter. This effect, known as "selective fading", can cause severe distortion of the signal and hence ensuing loss of readability -- rough copy!! Selective fading can be reduced somewhat, rendering the signal more readable, through utilization of Exalted Carrier AM Reception.

In actual practice, a receiver with a product detector, designed for SSB exalted carrier reception must be used. Examples of such are the Hallicrafters SX-122A, the SX-100 series, and the SPR4. There are others, of course.

To tune an AM signal via this method, set the receiver to USB or ISB, then follow the normal procedure for tuning single-sideband; tune the receiver to select(accept) only one of the two sidebands being transmitted at the station, letting the rx's BFO re-insert the other sideband, detecting the signal as in the same manner as a conventional SSB signal. In utilizing this selectable sideband fearure, the transmitted carrier is positioned out of the rx's IF bandpass along one sideband, . producing a suppressed carrier single sideband signal. Depending on the make of rx, the listener may or may not have to insert the BFO into the circuit...in some late models the BFO is tied in with the mode switch and is automatically switched into the circuit when the rig is used for SSB reception.

Of course, in receiving SSB, the rx's variabe selectivity is always set to a sharper selectivity reading --- this makes tuning more difficult, critical, and sharper. The BFO makes a first-class tuning control for fine tuning and crowded condx when in - the exalted carrier mode.

Exalted Carrier Amplitude Modulation (AM) Reception can be the difference between copying and not copying a signal. Sometimes it means bringing a distorted signal (ex: an "over-the Pole" Asian xm) to readability--one which would otherwise be **** ****

THE DUBAI BROADCASTING STATION

DXer Ronnie Howard informs us the some changes have been made at Saut al Sahel. The Voice of the Coast. "Since the beginning of this year, they have renamed them-selves as the <u>Dubai</u> <u>Broadcasting</u> <u>Station</u>. Address: P.O.Box 1695, Dubai, Union of Arab Emirates. ---SCDXers via Ronnie Howard *** ***

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT: You, Joe DXer--put your name in lights! Well, put it in print at least. Contribute to Shortwave Center, the DX-conglomeration w/your mind in mind!: 73s-----RALPHUS

QSL REPORT

Gregg A. Calkin Rio Balsas 35-702 Colonia Cuauhtemoc México 5. D.F. MEXICO

Deadline: 12th-USE AIRMAIL

A GREAT LEAP FORWARD!

As readers of our March issue will be aware. NASWA has taken a great leap forward with the commencement of offset printing. We are confident that this move will benefit all concerned, and will provide to you, the reader, faster service, more up to date information, and a wider variety of illustrations, diagrams and more up to date information, and a wider variety of lilustrations, diagrams and photographs. QSL REFORT hopes to also expand its service by including more QSL illustrations, and to this end we solicit your assistance. If you receive a new QSL, of a previously unknown design or from a rarely verified station, why not send it or a clear photocopy along to your editor, and if it is at all possible we shall include it in an upcoming issue. In other words, why not share your good fortune with others?

OSLS RECEIVED!

Again this month we have a wide selection of rare verifications. Those which may be of special interest to the avid collector are asterisked in the margin.

AFARS AND ISSAS: Djibouti, 4780, verified by folder QSL in 18 days airmail. 4 IRCs sent, and QSL carried date and time only. (Young) 3 weeks airmail for taped report.

ALBANIA: Radio Tirana, 9780, folder card with all data except frequency. Received In 45 months. No IRCs (Kaufman) folder card with schedule seamail (Draut) ARGENTINA: R.A.E./IRA32, Buenos Aires, green map card in 15 days after f/up letter W/3 IRCs inclosed. Total time was 3½ months. Original report sent in Spanish for 9690 kHz (L. Marshall) 10 weeks seamail for 2 IRCs (Linsenmeyer) 3½ months (M. Marshall)

Radio Nacional Mendoza, 6180, letter, pennant and program schedule in 13 days from V/S: Carlos O, Pignolo, Dir. (Dexter)

LBQ9 Time Signal, 8167.5 kHz, letter and details on time service in 8 days

after follow-up (Dexter)

after follow-up (Dexter)
ASCENSION ISLAND: BBC, 9510, Thames card for Atlantic relay in 4 weeks w/sked for 2
TRCs. (Idinsenmeyer) 3 weeks airmail; no data except site (Duba)
AUSTRALIA: VNG Time Signal, 12000 kHz, 2 weeks airmail; no data except site (Duba)
3 weeks air, color card of antennas w/information on station on the reverse (Jeffrey)
2 weeks air; no IRCs sent (L. Marshall) 21 days air returning 2 IRCs (Henderson)
Radio Australia, Melbourne, 21740, card in 66 days, and 17795, card in
68 days seamail (Dickey) 11710, card of Darwin aerial system in 2 months (Sturm) 5995,

monolith card in 46 days; no postage sent (L. Marshall)

A.B.C./Perth, 9610, card w/sked in 18 days airmail (Dickey) 6140, blue-white card air in 15 days, w/full data. 2 IRCs sent (Schultz) 15425, blue card with map of Western Australia in 10 weeks; no postage sent (L. Marshall)

A.B.C./Sydney, 6090, card in 33 days for aerogramme report w/out IRCs.
Complete info and lists power as 2 kW (Henderson) 17 days for 2 IRCs (Kaufman)
A.B.C./Melbourne, 9680 kHz, blue ABC card in 121 days air for 2 IRCs

A.B.C./Brisbane, 9660 kHz, blue ABC map card in 83 days seamail. No IRCs or postage sent (L. Marshall)

AUSTRIA: O.R.F., 6155 kHz, long mountain road scene QSL card with full data. Also report form, programme booklet and long letter from Dr. Alfred Macher thanking me for my report and interest. Airmail reply in 9 weeks (Banta) 9770, 2 months, card with attractive mountain/lake photo (Stuart) 2 months air; no IRCs (Lobdell) BELGIUM: O.R.U., card and transcript of DX programme in 20 days, for 9620 kHz.

(Stuart) 9550, card, transcript, sked and tourist info in 1 month for 2 IRCs and post card (Lay)

BOLIVIA: Radio La Cruz del Sur, La Paz, 4875 kHz, color card and pennant received for English report and 3 IRCs. 2 months (Howard) mountains/llama card and pennant in 4 weeks for mint stamps (Hoogerheide) 13 days airmail for 2 IRCs; stated freq. only (Young)

BRUZALTI: Radio Brasil Central, 4995, bilingual QSL

letter w/full data, color card of radio bldg., in Goiania and sked; air in 61 weeks for English rpt

and 2 IRCs (Howard)

Radio Nacional Brasilia, 15445 kHz, letter in 1 month from V/S: Luthero Toledo for 2 IRCs. No data (Rosen) English letter w/veri statement in 3 weeks for mint stamps and an English report from same V/S (Howard)

BRITISH HONDURAS: Radio Belize, 3300, map card w/ full veri stating previous 5 reports never rcvd.
(Kusalik) verified 2 year old report when f/up sent saying original not received and that station hopes to return to the air in mid-1972 on SWBC.

(Calkin) BULGARIA: Radio Sofia, 9700 kHz, card w/University scene in 9 weeks seamail (L. Marshall) 50 days w/sked. No IRCs (Sturm) 82 days seamail for 9700 (Dickey) # 4 and # 5 in the series in 3 months seamail (Lobdell)

FROM A WELL-HEARD BRAZILIAN

Confirmamos

o recebimento

de seu OSL.

Atestamos

que o amigo

THAT YOU. OUR FRIEND ouviu a

RADIO BANGEIRANTES

SÃO PAULO - BRASIL

BURMA: B.B.S., Rangoon, 5040 kHz, QSL card w/out verification details; air for English report and 3 IRCs. (Lym) Did you report dire :?

CANADA: Radio Canada, 9625, card in 10 days which shows 6 seasonal photos of Canada. No IRC (Pacheco) RCI/5990, card w/full data in 30 days. No IRCs (Richardson) 11720, new card showing scenes of Canada; 3½ weeks air for mint stamps (Calkin) 11720/9625, cards in 13 and 7 days surface mail (Dickey) Anik 1 card on blue; 2 weeks air (Sturm) 12 days air (Lobdell)

Deutsche Welle relay, 11865 kHz, card w/sked in 140 days airmail (Gavaras) CKZN, St. John's, 6160, card from v/S: F. H. Holm; 10 days (Gavaras) CKZN, St. John's, 6160, card from v/S: F. H. Holm; 10 days (Gavaras)
CKZN, Vancouver, 6160, card in 7 days from V/S: E. F. McGlath (Gavaras)
CFRX, Toronto, 6070, City Halls card in 12 days. No postage sent (Stuart)
CHU Time Signal, Ottawa, 3330, blue/white card in 5 days w/full verification
(Hancheruk). 10 days showing call-sign in blue. No IRCs (Sturm) 7335, time signal
card in 5 days, returning 1 IRC (Linsenmeyer)
CHNX, Halifax, 6130 kHz, card in 2 weeks (Linsenmeyer)
CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC: Radio Bangui, 5038, letter airmail in 30 days containing
date and time, no frequency. 3 IRCs sent (Young)
CEXION: Radio Ceylon, 15120, old yellow card via the Bombay ad agency, and showing a
Dhoto of their antenna and buildings. 1 month for 2 IRCs (Kaufman)

photo of their antenna and buildings. 1 month for 2 IRCs (Kaufman)
CHAD: Ft.-Lamy, 4904 kHz, post card QSL in 5 weeks for 3 IRCs and a taped report

(Shaw)

CHILE: Radio Presidente Balmaceda, 9590 kHz, plain card with frequencies and date. 4 months for IRC (Fisher)

CHINA (PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF): Radio Peking, 7120, QSL and sked received in 33 days airmail (Reichman) 15060, card of Tiem An Men square plus sked; 1 month airmail. No postage sent (L. Marshall) 50 days airmail; no IRCs (Sturm) 67 days by postcard with large packet of propaganda (Fain)

CLANDESTINE: Radio Euzkadi, replied 32 months after a f/up with a note of appreciation inside a Basque Christmas card. Note implies that I heard them without

giving details. Is it a QSL? (Berg) Sure, why not? (Ed.)

COLOMBIA: Radio Guatapuri, 4915 kHz, Spanish letter from G. Peraza Moron, for a Spanish report and 2 IRCs; 2 months tim (Howard)

Radio Sutatenza, programme schedule card with photos of the transmitters, showing date only. 66 days for 2 IRCs (Johnson) 5095, folder card in 7 weeks for mint stamps; seamail. (Rosen) 6075, card w/all data except the time in reply to my Spanish report and 2 IRCs. 13 weeks (Howard)

Transmisora Caldas, 5020, two Spanish letters, Colombian stamps and a nice pennant from Ignacio Escobar Uribe, Gerente; air in 1½ months for Spanish report,

mint stamps and U.S. stamps (Howard)

mint stamps and U.S. stamps (noward) COMORO ISLANDS: O.R.T.F., Moroni, personal letter in French w/verie statement only; 16 days air for IRCs. Reported by registered mail also (Lobdell) 16 days from V/S: M. Rene Poncelet; air for 4 IRCs (Young) COSTA RICA: TIFC, San Jose, 9645, card, letter and stamps in 2 weeks for English report and mint stamps. V/S: Sharon Taylor (Lym) Card showing frequencies and Bible

verses; 25 days; no IRCs sent (Johnson) CUBA: Radio Havana, 9550 kHz, card in 20 weeks; no return postage (Linsenmeyer) 11840, full data globe card and letter in 3 months airmail. 1 IRC (Sturm) Tull data globe card and letter in 3 months alimals. I have been said, w/full data; No return postage sent (Sellers) 7345, b/w postcard w/full data typed in, plus a beautiful two foot square scarf with scenes of Prague and Bratislava and with Radio Prague's name is four languages on the scarf border. Seamail reply in 4 months (Banta) Cards in 90, 81 and 63 days seamail (Dickey) 9505, 1 month for 2 IRCs (Pacheco)

DENMARK; Radio Denmark, 15165, full data card showing radiohouse; 3 weeks air for an English report without IRCs (Sturm) tower card for 1 IRC; air reply for 15165 (Draut) DOMINICAN REPUBLIC: Radio Libertad, HIDB, 3215, color card of Hotel Caracol, with date and a printed frequency of 3225 kHz on reverse. Signed by Lucia Vanderhorst S., and via airmail for Spanish report and mint stamps. 1% months total. (Howard) DUBAI: (U.A.E.) Voice of the Coast, 6040 kHz, card from Abdul Hekim Totah, via air in 5 weeks for English report and 3 IRCs, sent by registered mail to: P. O. Box 1695,

Dubai, U.A.E. (Howard)

ECUADOR: HCJB, 9710, card of World Radio Chapel; 3 weeks for 3 IRCs w/full data (Sturm) 11745, sea wolf card in 26 days (M. Marshall) 9615, card in 22 days w/sked and news folder from V/S: Roger Stubbe. (Dickey) 25 days air for return postage (Lobdell)

Folder From V/S: Roger Stuppes (Dickey) 25 days air for return postage (Lobdell) 15155 console card with all data in 3 months seamail. No IRCs (Kaufman) 11745, two cards for two reports and 2 IRCs (Hancheruk) 18 days airmail (Pacheco) Radiodifusora Cenit, Portoviejo, 4770. Form letter, printed, verification text but containing date only. Air in 7 months for mint stamps, although additional ones were additionally added to the letter on mailing. V/S: Wilfrido Macias Parrales, Gerente (Wood)

EGYPTIAN ARAB REPUBLIC: Radio Cairo, 9475, mimeo letter in 1½ months w/incorrect time and date (Kelleher) letter and schedule in 2 months for 2 IRCs (Richardson) 9475, mimeo letter in 100 days (Dickey) two letters and sked in 2 months seamail. 3 weeks (Richardson) 98 days for letter and sked airmail. No IRCs (Fain) 101 days

weeks (Richardson) 95 days for letter and sked airmail. No IRCs (Fain) 101 days containing full data (L. Marshall)
ENGLAND: BBC, 11750, Thames card in 15 weeks; no IRCs sent. (Sturm) 8 days (Dickey)
EL SALVADOR: Radio Nacional, YSS, 9555 kHz, blue/white card w/pennant and tourist folder by air in 6 weeks. No data (Rosen)
EQUATORIAL GUINEA: Rio Muni, 4926 kHz, detailed letter and pennant in 5 months seamail from: H. M. Chele, Technician. 3 IRCs sent (Shaw)

FIJI: Radio Fiji, 3284 kHz, sailboat/beach card in 6 weeks for IRCs (Hoogerheide) FINIAND: Radio Finland, map card in 32 days airmail with sked, No IRCs; full verie text (Fain) 9585, 7 days air for 2 IRCs (Pacheco) card w/schedule in 18 days air. 2 IRCs sent for 15185 kHz (Draut) 35 days airmail (M. Marshall) PRANCE: O.R.T.F./Paris, 15120, brown card w/b/w photos in 2½ months seamail. No return postage sent (L. Marshall)

FRENCH GUIANA: O.R.T.F./Cayenne, 3385, lovely old map QSL-card w/sked included in 3 weeks for English report and 2 IRCs - may be a new QSL replacing former letters. (Hoogerheide) Correction to frequency reported in February FRENDX - should have been 3385 kHz (Patterson)

GABON: R.T.G., 4777, map card (with the wrong time and the wrong year!) received in 6% weeks for English report and 1-IRC (Howard) Well, you can't have everything! (Ed.) GAMBIA: Radio Gambia, Bathurst, 4820 kHz, typed verification letter with sked typed on letter and signed by the Director of Information and Broadcasting. For English report w/2 IRCs and 2 months waiting (Kusalik) letter in 23 days stating it uses the Cable and Wireless 3.1 kW xmtr (Stuart)

G.D.R. RBI/9730, card w/full data but less sked in 4 weeks (Sturm) 6165 kHz, color

G.D.R. MBI/9730, Card W/rHII data but less seed in 4 weeks (Stilm 7668 MR., Color card with date and frequency, sked and two foot long 1972 sports calendar. Seamail reply for no IRCs, in 3 months (Banta) 37 days w/a flag card and large wall calendar. G.F.R. Detusche Welle, 11785, bilingual card in 2 months w/full data. No IRCs. Station also included their station paper in German (Richards) 6075, map card in 15 weeks (Fisher) 15165, map card in 4 months airmail stating also that one IRC is sufficient and available for reimbursement to regular monitors (M. Marshall) I assume that offer is made on an individual basis to specific listeners only (Ed.)

German Hydrographic Institute Time Signal, DAO-Kiel, 2775 kHz, replied with

German Hydrographic Institute Time Signal, DAO-Klei, 2/75 kHz, replied with a folder card containing an English note inside. 9 days airmail from Dr. H. Enslin. Also returned my IRC the following day (Dexter) DAM-Hamburg, letter and complete info in 10 days for 1-IRC. One of the most complete QSLs ever received (Henderson) VOA Munich, 6095, 30 year anniversary card from Washington in 8 days w/all data except the time. V/S: Rosemary Bailey (Duba) GHANA: Radio Ghana, 11850 kHz, card in 52 days airmail; no IRCs (L. Marshall) 11850, card in 53 days air for 2 IRCs. All details, w/sked (Sellers) 6 weeks for 1 IRC

GUAM: NPN Aguna, replied with a nice blue/gold card by sea; ail in 17 days for one 8-cent stamp. All details and lists a 40 kW Xmtr (Henderson) 21760, card in 11 days airmail for mint stamps (Young)

GUATEMALA: Radio Cultural. TGNA. Quetzal Bird on a white card in 16 days; no IRCs sent (L. Marshall)

GUYANA: Action Radio, 3290, full data letter in 10 days airmail for 2 IRCs. V/S: Maurice O. Denny, C.E. Envelope had 14 stamps on it for cancelled ones I enclosed (Sellers)

HAITI: 4VEH, 15280, folder card w/map of Caribbean. Full data; reply in 1 month air. (Tobdell) 12 weeks seamail for 1 IRC. V/S: Mrs. Kent Ragsdale (Linsenmeyer). 16 weeks w/religious enclosures (L. Marshall) 11835, blue map folder in 3 months (Sturm) HAWAII: WWWH, 10,000 kHz, card in brown w/full data. 1½ weeks airmail. No IRCs (Sturm) HONDURAS: La Voz Evangelica, HRVC, card and tracts by air in 3 weeks for 3 IRCs (Draut) 4820, card in 3 weeks for 2 IRCs (Richards)

La Voz de Honduras, 5875, letter in 3 weeks from Carlos E. Riedel for 2 IRCs and a Spanish-language report (Kelleher)
HUNGARY: Radio Budapest, 9833, cards in 107, 86, 65 and 44 days (Dickey) 61 days airmail for 9833 kHz (Fain)

airmail for 9833 kHz (Fain)

INDIA: AIR Delhi, 11710, card with picture of the Pearl Mosque in 2 months (Pisher) 124 days air for 2 IRCs (Schultz) INDONESIA: Jogjakarta sent usual RRI card, but with full data including call and site, and noted that "Your report is correct". Reported and reply from city direct. V/S: Tjiptosunardi, "On behalf of the Public Relations Officer". 2 months air for registered report and mint stamps (Berg) INTERNATIONAL WATERS: Radio Nordsee International sent card with color photo of the Mebo II and no other details. Five months for three IRCs and came airmail (Elliott) Two cards in 1 and 2 months for 2 reports, one coming with a personal letter from DJ Paul May. 2 IRCs (Lay) Mebo II card in 5½ months air for English report to Switzerland with mint stamps which were not used (Sellers).

IRAQ: Baghdad, 9735 map card in 13 months for 2 IRCs (Hoogerheide)
ISRAEL: I.B.A., Jerusalem, 7225, "Old Jerusalem" card in 42 months seamail for a
report in English. No return postage sent (Lobdell) 6 weeks for no IRCs (Sturm)
6170, Jerusalem experimental test frequency in 30 days airmail. 4 IRCs (Hancheruk)
9725, Israel Museum card in 5 months (Kelleher) 32 days registered mail w/sked by air. 3 IRCs (Fain)

ITALY: RAI, 9575, multi-color card of map and antenna, by air for post card and 2 IRCs in 46 days (McCaul) 11810, map card in 18 weeks for 1 IRC; seamail (Linsenmeyer) IRF/Turin Time Signal, 5000, black/white card of clock showing sked of transmissions and letter from Prof. Perro Milone welcoming all reception reports. 15

days air for 2 TRCs. Full verification (Hancheruk)
IVORY COAST: Abidjan, 11920, card, letter and programme schedule in 280 days for 2 IRCs (Draut)

JAPAN: JJY, 15000, card in 32 days seamail (Gavaras) 17825, snow festival card w/sked report form, newspaper, calendar in 4 weeks air. No return postage (Linsenmeyer) 9505, 20 days airmail; no IRCs (Sturm) Special card commemorating 35th anniversary; 16 days air (Richardson) 15445, "Sacred Cranes" card in 20 days air (Lobdell) 17880, Sapporo 72 card in 13 days airmail (M. Marshall) Apart from initial JJY listing, all the above are, of course, NHK, Radio Japan. Apologies for any confusion. (Ed.)

NSB, JOZ2, Tokyo, 6055 kHz, mike card received in 25 days. No return postage.
(L. Marshall)

JORDAN: Radio Amman, 7155, color p/card of Mosque in 1 month seamail. 1 IRC sent. Full data verie (Rosen)

KENYA: Voice of Kenya, 4915, aerogramme QSL in 25 days by airmail. 3 IRCs, and gives full data (Young) Aerogramme with two pictures of broadcasting house and the transmitting station. 6 weeks air for 2 IRCs. Letter in English for 4915 (Clawson) KCNERA (P.D.R. of): Radio Pyongyang, 16320 kHz, color post card in 6 months with a personal message, 4 more p/cards and copy of "Korea Today" review. Seamail, with full data (Rosen)

KOREA_(REP. of): Voice of Free Korea, 9640, Pagoda card received in 32 days. No postage sent (L. Marshall)

KUWAIT: Radio Kuwait, 11925, folder card and programme schedule in 10 months air for 2 IRCs (Draut) 15345, folder card w/station and coun try info on 2nd try; 25 days. (Schultz) 25 days for 11925; airmail reply (Lobdell)

LESOTHO: Radio Lesotho, 4800 kHz, flag card w/full data in 2½ weeks airmail. 3 IRCs sent (Howard) 10 days for mint stamps (Hoogerheide) LIBERIA: ELWA, 11940, Monrovia, black, red and white card of African drummer; 35 days by air for 1 IRC. Full verification and power marked (Hancheruk) 4770, drummer card seamail in 5 months (Milly) 15170, card in 83 days with religious tracts for 1 IRC (Reichmann)

VOA Monrovia, 7280, card in 2 weeks from V/S: R. Bailey (Linsenmeyer) LIBYA: Libya B/C Service, El Beidam sent letter for 10 kW Tripoli xmtr on 8630 kHz in 35 days from the Chief Engineer (Henderson) LITHUANIAN S.S.R. Radio Vilnius, 9610, card for their 'programme' in 3 months sea. (Draut)

LUXEMBOURG: Radio Luxembourg, card of antennae in 2 months for 6090. 1 IRC (Stuart) 14 weeks for 6900. All data for 2 IRCs (Lay) 8 months for 1 IRC (Conner)

MALAGASY REPUBLIC: Radio Nederland relay, card via Holland in 10 days and a letter from the C.E. at the xmtr site for a report on their Xmas test xmsn which apparently 18 days air for 2 IRCs (Schultz) 15260, 10 days for 1 IRC (Howard)
MALAYSIA: BBC Relay, 9725, Thames card w/site typed in; seamail (Schultz) 17860,
Thames card for Far East Relay in 1 month, via London. No IRC (Stuart)

MALI: Radio Mali, Bamako, 5995, English report and 2 IRCs netted an OCORA card with full verification data and written-in French statement about North American Service (Kaufman)

MARTINIQUE: O.R.T.F./Fort-de-France, 3315, letter from L.-M. Cohic for French report and 2 IRCs. (Hoogerheide)

MAURITANIA: Nouakchott, card and personal note in French from the C.E. in 17 days MANRITANIA: Notakchott, card and personal note in French from the C.E. in 17 days airmail for 3 IRCs. Date, time, but not frequency given (Young)
MEXICO: Radio Mexico, 9705 kHz, registered letter and pennant received in 11 weeks for 1 IRC sent (L. Marshall) RM is several months behind in their replies, but during a recent visit they assured me that QSL cards were being printed and that all reports, which were neatly bundled according to month received, would be QSLed if correct (Ed.)

La Voz de la America Latina, 9515, verified by letter from V/S: Bernardo Sancristobal, Gerente General, when report sent to locally listed address: Ayuntamiento 52, Mexico 1, D.F. instead of that in the WRTVH which had



CADENA RADIODIFUSORA MEXICANA, S. A. AYUNTAMIENTO 52 . MEXICO 1, D. F. Tel.518 12 20

repeatedly netted no responses. 3 weeks total for mint stamps (Calkin) MCNACO: TWR 7290, card for English report and 2 IRCs, also religious broadsides in 64 days airmail (Heutte) 7290, 32 days w/ b/w card of antenna; by air for 3 IRCs. Full data (Rosen) 34 months seamail; no postage sent (L. Marshall) 7295, 3 months for 1 IRC (Kaufman) 1 month (Stuart) Taped report of English programme brought photo card of antenna system. Complete info (Marks)
Radio Monte-Carlo, 7135 kHz, antenna card with no data except date. 2

months for no IRCs. (Kaufman)

MOROCCO: VOA Tangier, 9625, star card in 12 days from Washington; no return postage (L. Marshall) 9770, card in 14 days air from Washington (Matsuura)

NEPAL: Radio Nepal, Kathmandu, card in 50 days after f/up of January 1970!! Sent

NEFAL: RAGIO Nepal, Kathmandu, card in 50 days after f/up of January 197011 Sent Dookpost airmail and just arrived (Henderson)
NETHERLANDS: Radio Nederland, 9715, recording team card w/sked in 6 weeks air for 2 IRCs (Linsenmeyer) 8 days airmail (L. Marshall)
NETHERLANDS ANTILLES: Radio Nederland, card for Benelux DX-Club programme, blue and white in 30 days for full verification. No IRCs (Hancheruk) Commemorative Malagasy card for Bonaire reception in 20 days air. No IRCs (Hancheruk) 11730 in 8 days (Dickey) 11730, new card for Malagasy relay (Sturm) 9 days airmail (Marshall) 9 days for 2 IRCs air (Pacheco) days for 2 IRCs air (Pacheco)

Trans-World Radio, card of flamingoes plus sked in 2-3 weeks air for 3 IRCs. Letter/note enclosed said that no IRCs would bring a sea reply, 3 IRCs brings an air reply (Sturm) OK, what does 2 or 1 IRC bring? (Ed.)
NEW BRITAIN: Radio Rabaul, 3385, folder QSL in 22 days air for 3 IRCs and cancelled Canadian stamps. V/S: Station Mgr (Sellers) 11 days airmail stating date and time (Young)

NEW CALEDONIA: Radio Noumea, 7170, full data card w/map of New Caledonia and antenna tower on island. 2 months and 2 IRCs for English report (Kaufman)
NEW ZEALAND: Wellington, 11780, card w/full data and travel info in 3½ months seamail. No IRCs sent (L. Marshall)

NICARAGUA: Radio Nacional, Managua, 11875 kHz, post card and pennant in two weeks from Douglas Amaya, Director Artistico. (Goldstein)

NIGER: Radio Niamey, 9705, card, sked in 13 days air w/all data except frequency. 3 IRCs sent (Young)

NIGERIA: Voice of Nigeria, 15200, green/white flag card in 43 days w/all data. IRC returned (Lay)

NIGERIA (Cont'd): N.B.C./Benin City, 4932, card via Lagos in 47 days for English report and 2 IRCs (Heutte)

report and Z IRCS (Heutte)

N.B.C./Calabar, 6145, letter direct from Calabar w/verie stmmt

and frequency only and signed by the C.E. Also stated they are only operating w/

6 kW at present because of lack of parts. 22 days; no IRCS (Fisher)

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8 kW at present of lack 9610, 1 month (Kelleher)

PAKISTAN: Karachi, 11672, green/white card from Rawalpindi, via V/S: Nihal Ahmad, Director, Listener Research. 2 IRCs semt; reply by air w/full data (Schultz) Director, Listener Research. 2 IRCs semt; reply by air w/full data (Schultz) 4890, 4 weeks air for 2 IRCs; all details (Sellers) 4 months for 2 IRCs (Draut) 9520, 19 days airmail. No return postage sent (L. Marshall) PHILIPPINES: F.E.B.C./Manila, 11920, globe card in 3 months airmail with usual PHILIPPINES: F.E.B.C. (Marshall) yellow globe card with lightning bolts. All religious enclosures (M. Marshall) yellow globe card with lightning bolts. All data for 2 IRCs in 1½ months (Kaufman) 11890, card and religious material in 10 weeks for 1 IRC (L. Marshall) 7225, card in 40 days air for 3 IRCs (Schultz) VOA/Poro, card for 15185 in 5 days from Washington (Stuart) 6 weeks (Fisher)

POLAND: Warsaw, 6135, map card w/sked and letter in 8 weeks air. No IRCs sent w/ PORTUGAL: Radio Portugal, 6025, map of the world/exploration card and pamphlet on Portugal. 9 days airmail for 2 IRCs (Pacheco) 1 week airmail (L. Marshall) 6025, 47 days w/sked. No IRCs sent (Sturm) PORTUGUESE GUINEA: Em. da Guine Portuguesa sent QSL-folder with full details in 30 days for report in Portuguese and 2 IRCs for 5041 kHz. Also sent postcard with African dancer depicted and personal note. (Heutte)

REUNION: O.R.T.F./St.-Denis, 4807, letter and folder card received in 3 weeks for REUNIUM: U.R.T.F./St.-Denis, 48U/, letter and rolder card received in 3 weeks for French report and 3 IRCs (Hoogerheide) letter and schedule in 31 days airmail, for 3 IRCs. Letter is not confirmation, however. Why? (Young) OK, I'll bite. Why? (Ed.) ROMANIA: Radio Bucharest, 17710, Romanian folk instruments card in 59 days air (Matsuura) 9690, card, sked and station stickers in 65 days seamail (Dickey) (RUSSIAN S.F.S.R. Radio Moscow, Armavir, 7205, card in 43 days specifying site (Milly) RUSSIAN S.F.S.R. Radio Moscow, Blagoveschensk. 9580. card in 35 days with sked & Radio Moscow. Blagoveschensk. 9580. card in 35 days with sked & Radio Moscow, Blagoveschensk, 9580, card in 35 days with sked &

report form; air w/site (Schultz)

Radio Mcscow, Khabarovsk, 7175, card w/full data and site in 6 weeks; no postage sent (L. Marshall) 35 days w/sked and report form air (Schultz) Radio McCow, Serpukhov, 5940, card air in 32 days. (Gavaras)
Radic V. W, Sverdlovsk, card air in 32 days for 7150 (Gavaras)

orange/blue USSR emblem caru, plus 1972 pocket calendar in 42 days air for 7150 (L. Marshall) 5 weeks air (Duba) 43 days (Milly)
Radio Moscow, Tula, 2 cards for 7250 in 5 weeks airmail (Duba)

"Radio Moscow programme", 9755, star card on blue w/sked. Air in 1 month. No IRCs (Sturm) 7150, air in 31 days (McCaul) RWANDA: Radio Rwanda, 6055 kHz, white card w/no data but thank you in English and Rwanda for French for French report and 3 IRCs. 2 weeks only (Hoogerheide) plain card, as

above, in 2 weeks for English report and mint stamps (Berg) Deutsche Welle/Kigali, 11905, all data QSL on blue and yellow map card, via West Germany in 2 months. No IRCs (Kaufman)

SAO TOME: R. Clube de Sao Tome, 4807, post card QSL in 3 months for taped report.
Reply direct from Sao Tome with beautiful stamps. (Shaw)
SAUDI ARABIA: SABS, 11855, crossed swords card in 6 months sea registered (Rosen)

SEYCHELLES: F.E.B.A., Victoria, 11950 kHz, card in 1½ months for 3 IRCs. Rpted in English. V/S: Mary Berry (Lobdell) 11935, card in 4 months seamail for cancelled Canadian stamps. Also sent sked and religious information (Sellers) 11950, card in 1 month airmail for 3 IRCs (Lym) 23 days w/sked and stamps; air (Rosen) 45 d (Draut) SIERRA LEONE: Freetown, 5980 kHz, postcard showing ferry service in 71 days from R.H.A. Gilpin, C.E. 2 IRCs sent and reply by airmail (Schultz) SINGAPORE: Radio Singapore, 11940, card w/no data (Richards) SOMALI REPUBLIC: Mogadiscio, card in 25 days airmail for 4 IRCs. Complete verie, for 5092 kHz (Vorma) for 6093 kHz (Young) SOUTH AFRICA: SABC, Johannesburg, 3250, all data on very colorful card; 23 days for 2 IRCs (Kaufman) 6195, Springbok Radio, multicolor card of South African technology; 30 days air for 3 IRCs (Hancheruk) 4945, 1 month air w/sked (Plum) 3250, 16 days 2nd class airmail for 1 IRC (Henderson) 4905, multi-pix color card air in 1 month for 1 IRC, w/all details and w/Radio RSA pennant (Sellers) 9695, 26 days air but no postage sent (L. Marshall) 3250 kHz in 18 days for 1 IRC (Henderson) 3250, card in 3 weeks for 1 IRC (Kusalik)

card in 3 weeks for 1 IRC (Kusalik)
Radio RSA, 11970, blue earth card in 5 weeks air (Banta) 3 weeks
air w/sked and information about the station (Jeffrey) via air with magazines for 2
IRCs (Pacheco) 21545, card in 18 days air (Matsuura) card in 2 weeks air (Sturm)
15175, 11900, 11970, 6140, cards in 23, 61 and 59 days (Dickey)
SPAIN: Radio Nacional de Espana, 6140, card and sked in 50 days seamail (Dickey)
SUDAN: Omdurman answered my report with their usual form letter/sked from A. Rahman
A. Basit in 27 days airmail for 4 IRCs (Michalenka)
SWEDEN: Stockholm, 9725, card in 9 days airmail; no IRCs sent (L. Marshall) 14
days for 21625 kHz (Goldstein) 9670 kHz, card of Northern Lights in 10 days air
(Matsuura) 21505, card in 1½ months air. (Lobdell) 6175, 22 days for 2 IRCs (Pacheco)
6 weeks for 2 IRCs (Insermever) 9630, card in 35 days w/full data (Hancheruk) 6 weeks for 2 IRCs (Linsenmeyer) 9630, card in 35 days w/full data (Hancheruk) SWITZERIAND: SBC/Berne, cards for 11715 and 9535 in 83 and 25 days (Dickey) 11715, harbour card w/full data; 20 days air. No IRCs (Sturm) 6120, card in 32 days w/sked and report forms (Reichman) 6120, b/w photo of bobsledders; by air for 2 IRCs (McCaul) 9535, card from J. A. Chisholm (Linsenmeyer) 15305, Kloten Airport card in 51 days air (Matsuura)

I.C.R.C., Geneva, 15305 (Jan 25 trial freq.), Red Cross/microphones card in 16 days air for no IRCs (Matsuura) 7210, card in 12 days airmail for 3 IRCs w/

all data except the time (Duba)

TADZHIK S.S.R. Radio Moscow, Dushanbe, 7220, card and report form by air in 34 days for no IRCs. Full data including site (Schultz) TAIWAN: V.O.F.C., 17720, two cards for one report; one w/data, the other showing tourism attractions; air for 1 IRC (Richards) 27 days air w/sked, newspaper and postcard (Dickey)

Voice of Righteousness, Taipei, sent attractive yellow and white card with

Voice of Righteousness, Taipel, sent attractive yellow and white Card With "thanks" and "QSL" on front, veri statement and date only on the reverse. Also sent personal letter from V/S: Chou Chi-wei, Chief for Program Division. They note that correct address is: 210 Section 1, Chin-Cheng Road, Taipei. Also sent sked in Chinese. 5 weeks, air, for 3 IRCs (Berg)
THATLAND: Thai TV Co., 6012, letter, registered airmail in 3 weeks from V/S: Visit Amphaivorn, Deputy Directo. (Dexter)
TOGO: Radio Togo, 5047, map-globe card in 23 days air for mint stamps, w/date and

time only (Sellers) usual red-green globe card with map in 23 days air for mint stamps, W/date ar time only (Sellers) usual red-green globe card with map in 23 days air for mint stamps. (Richards)

TUNISIA: Radio Tunis, 6195, color p/card w/all data from External Relations Dept., In 35 days. English report for 2 IRCs (Lay) 6195, QSL seamail in 20 days (Milly) TURKEY: Turkish Meterological Station, 6890, letter from Prof. Dr. Umran E. Colasan, Dir. General, 2 months (Dexter)

Voice of Turkey sent card and sked in six months. Card showed a picture of peasant dancers and indicated time and date only. No IRCs. (Elliott) 15160, 8 months, after sending 5 reports and receiving 4 skeds. Finally!! (Rosen) 15190, all data card w/picture of women in traditional costume. 3 months (Kaufman) 64 months for no IRCs (Johnson)

UGANDA: Radio Uganda, Kampala, 4976/5026, letter airmail in 17 d. from H. Humphreys C.E. 3 IRCs brought registered reply (Young) 4 wks for mint stamps. C.E. said he is fairly certain I heard them, but that lack of staff makes rpt checking difficult (Hoogerheide) Traditional excuse (Ed.)

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UKRAINIAN S.S.R. "Radio Kiev" programme, 7105, card in 1 month (Kelleher)

Radio Moscow, Vinnitsa, 5980, card air in 38 days (Schultz)

U.S.A. WWV Time Signal, 10000, card in 20 days (Kelleher) 31 days (Watman) 2 weeks

air w/all details and signed by John T. Stanley (Sellers) 3 weeks (Linsenmeyer)

WINB, 17720, card and sked in 10 days (Kelleher) 17720, 8 days (Dickey)

NPG Time Signal, Dixon, Calif., complete verie card in 9 days giving E.R.P.

as 800 watts!! (Henderson) Freq: 12966 kHz (Ed.) 6428.4, self-prepared card returned

along with station OSL in 6 days (Schultz)

NSS Time Signal, self-prepared card returned from Washington in 5 days (Schultz)
URUGUAY: Radio El Espectador, 11835, card fm Hector Amengual in 5 months for Spanish
rpt w/2 IRCs (Howard) 141 days sea w/personally-typed calling card featuring 4 gold towers and black DDU letters - Difusoras del Uruquay (Michalenka)

VATICAN CITY: Vatican Radio, 15260, card air in 8 weeks (Padula) 5995, card in 14 days air (Dickey) 11725, 13 days air (L. Marshall) 9615, 20 days (Dickey) two weeks air for 5995; 2 IRCs sent (Goldstein) 5995, card in 15 days (Fisher) 10 days (McCaul) VENEZUELA: Ecos del Torbes, personal letter w/pennant in 19 days (Lesordo)

La Voz de Anaco, 6020, letter airmail from Edmundo Jose Sotillo, Director,

in 2 weeks (Dexter) Radio Bocono, 5010, Xmas card in 9 months after rpt, showing color photo of station but no verie. Returned w/request for verification and received full data

OSL plus personal letter from Ernesto Leon, Director (Sizer)
Radio Barquisimeto, card in 22 days for 2 IRCs and EE rpt (Kelleher)
Radio Continente, 5030, antenna card in 3 weeks for English rpt, mint
stamps and small local post card (Howard)

Radio Nacional, 1073, registered form letter w/pennant in 6 weeks for I IRC (Danzher) ditto in 2 months for taped report (Marks)

Radio Puerto La Cruz, 9680, personal letter in Spanish giving date, time and verie statement; 14 days air for 2 IRCs. V/S: Rodolfo Enrique Fuentes (Lobdell) Radio Rumbos, 4970, color p/card w/full data in 10 weeks for 1 IRC (Howard) 9660, 1 month air for 1 IRC (Plum)

Radio Tropical, 487o, color pennant, letter and p/card in 2 months after 10 reports in 11 years:11 V/S: Angelo Grasso (Field)
Radio Universo, 4880, network card w/date and frequency in 19 days for 1 IRC. 21 days for IRC and Spanish report (Plum)

AND SO ENDS ANOTHER MONTH! SPECIAL THANKS TO THE FOLLOWING MEMBERS FOR THEIR SUPPORT:

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And so, until we meet in the May QSL REPORT, please keep those reports coming in to your editor's desk, and please remember to be sure and doublespace all items using only one side of the page. Many thanks and BEST 73s, Tregg

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RADIO ESPAÑA INDEPENDIENTE

30 de alril 1971.

We acknowledge with thanks receipt of your OSL of 13. MATE: 1971.

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We hope that you will continue to receive

and enjoy our programs.

RADIO ESPAÑA INDEPENDIENTE

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Radio Espana Independiente, the Communist Clandestine station which transmits daily from Eastern Europe, is heard well in North America despite jammers in the Iberian peninsula.

16m. 19m. 25m. 31m.

South East Asia Radio Voice

"Seary"-ing Asia with the Gospel of Christ Project of the National Council of Churches in the Philippines and the World Association for Christian Broadcasting Box 4148, Manila. Philippines

S.E.A.R.V. is one of Southeast Asia's lesser known voices, but one which is both willing and anxious to establish links with DX-ers abroad. The reverse of the QSL contains a detailed verification.

LISTENER'S NOTEBOOK

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BBC MONITORING SERVICE Listener's Notebook often carries notes and schedules credited to BBC MS. BBC MS information is generally received once a week, and the amount of material depends on the amount of monitoring & compiling done by BBC MS during the previous week. Those who are interested in receiving the information direct from BBC MS should write Mr. G. A. Weston, Chief Monitor; Special Listening Section; BBC Monitoring Service; Caversham Park; Reading RG4 8TZ, ENGLAND. Price is currently US\$57.20 per year. As far as I know, BBC MS is the only source of current, accurate schedules on many broadcasting organizations; e.g., Radio Peking. (DF)

 BANGLADESH
 Radio Bangladesh sends a sked, said to be effective beginning 5 Marchs

 0030-0220
 Home Service
 15520, 11672
 The skeds courtesy of Dan Henderson and

 0630-0800
 Bome Service
 15520, 11672
 Steve d'Adolf. Notes from Larry Magne put

 0630-0800
 Home
 15520, 11805
 the listed 15520 on 15517v. The sked also

 1100-1220
 Home
 15520, 11805
 notes pur of first tx(the one with fqy listed

 1230-1350
 Nepalese
 15520, 11805
 first-except second on 0630 tx) at 100 kw.

 1405-1545
 Home
 15520, 11672
 to mention the old 7095 fqy. Is that still in

 1600-1630
 Tindian Svc
 9850, 5885
 use?

CHINA I still have ample supply of the Peking HS sked, as well as the sked of Chinese regionals, compiled by BBC, Larry Magne, and two Japanese Diers. These are FREE for an SASE, from this editor. Two pages of solid info on the Chinese internal services, and only about 6 NASWAers have asked for copy so far: (DF).....Richard Wood notes the China sked given in March omitted the Russian svc. Yes, sked taken from BBC, and did not include RR svcs. Richard further points out that the fqys listed for Serbo-Croat at 1230 could not reach Ingoslavia. Nor could the 9440 fqy listed for Italian at 1100 reach Italy or Somali Republic. He also notes Spanish is listed on 5545 at 1230-1230....Yes, these do seem odd; but all are as appeared on BBC MS skeds, so I cannot at this time offer explanation. Sorry I did not note the oddities in the March section. (DF)

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N.KOREA Pyongyang external service schedule: KK=Korean, MM=Mandarin 0001-0100 KK to LA 16320, 15150, 3560 1700-1800 AA to ME/Afr 951 0100-0200 SS to LA 16320, 15150, 3560 1900-2000 EE to ME/Afr 951
                                                                        1700-1800 AA to ME/Afr 9515, 6540, 3560
                                                                        1900-2000 EE to ME/Afr 9515, 6540, 3560
0200-0300 EE to MMAr 9515, 5640, 3560 0300-0400 Japanese 11750, 6540, 3560 0800-0900 EE to SEA 15150, 6540, 3560 0900-1500 Japanese 1000-1100 MM 1100-1200 EE to SEA 15150, 6540, 3560 1100-1200 MM 1100-1200 EE to SEA 15150, 6540, 3560 1100-1200 EE to SEA 15150, 6540, 3560 1100-1200 EE to SEA 15150, 6540, 3560 1100-1200 EE to SEA 15150, 9515, 7580, 3560
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2100-2200 FF to ME/Afr 9515, 6540, 3560
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                                                                        Pyongyang sked to S.Korea/Japan: (Korean)
                                                                        1955-2100 6400, 6250, 5870, 4770, 3320
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                                      15150, 9515, 3560
9515, 7580, 3560
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 1100-1200 EE to SEA
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 1300-1400 EE to SEA
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 1400-1500 EE to SEA
                                                                          1200-1500 & 2100-2200, which are to Japan)
1500-1600 FF to SEA
1600-1700 Russian
                                                                          (BBC Monitoring Service)
                                       6540, 6260, 3560
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MIGERIA ex-V/s F.A.C. Diejomash no longer at Maiduguri, now at Lagos stn according to recent letter. States definitely that 4900 is Maiduguri, but it relays Emugu, etc at times. New maintenance engineer at Maiduguri is O. Adeniyi(F. Earle Hall) That should clear up a large dose of confusion over this station. (DF)

ANARC CONVENTION TO BE HELD IN BOSTON THIS SUMMER - - - SEE CENTER PAGE THIS MONTH !:

ITALY RAI sked:
National Program
0500-2230 on 6060, 25 kw, Caltanissetta
Second Pro gram
0500-1110 on 7175, 5 kw, Caltanissetta
1130-1330 7175,
1400-2305 7175
Third Program
OFFICE



OFFICE DE RADIODIFFUSION-TELEVISION FRANÇAISE

1600-2215 on 3995, 50 km, Rome

Night Program 2306-0459 on 6060, 25 kw. Caltanissetta

(BBC Monitoring Service)

LIBERIA is now permanently on GMT, according to the BBC. (Richard E. Wood)

DENMARK Corky Webb sends sked of R. Denmark, noting that is exactly as in WRTH.

EGYPT Home Service sked from Cairo, per BBC - - -General Program "Voice of Fatah" 0400-0630 9455, 7075 1730-1930 Arabic on 9755 0700-1100 17670, 15175, 11630, (9495(not Fr1)) 1100-1500 17670, 15175, 11630 "Holy Qur'an Station" 1500-1700 17670, 11630 0400-0900 9755 1700-0000 12005, 11630, 9475, 7075 9755 1200-1730 1930-2100 9755 (BBC MS skeds, dated January 1972)

CAMEROON John Soneff sends note with fqys for Cameroon stations, from QSL card, but they gave no times. Address for Yaounde is same as in WRTH.

MONGOLIA Radio Ulan Bator external services ... 10650, 7235 7260, 5053, 4080 7260, 5053, 4080 0820-0850 Mongolian(not Mon) 1030-1100 Mandarin(M/Th) 1030-1100 Russian(Tu) 7260, 5053, 4080 1040-1100 Russian(Fri) 1220-1250 Eng(not Sun) to SEA/FE 17825, 17785, 8892 1300-1330 Mandarin(not Mon) 5958, 4948 5958, 4948 5958, 4948 1330-1400 Mandarin(not Mon) 1400-1430 Mongolian(not Mon) 2200-2230 Eng(not Sun) SEA/FE 11860, 11810 (BBC Monitoring Service)



NEW ZEALAND RNZ, from 5 March, to the Pacific area at 1700-1945 on 9755/11780; at 0500-0845 on 9540/11780; at 2000-0545 on 15110. To Australia at 2000-0545 on 17770, and at 0900-1145 on 9520/11705. (David Coursey relaying notes from Arthur Cushen hrd on HCJB.)

SCUTH AFRICA The SABC internal sw service schedule follows, direct from SABC, via Dan Henderson and BBC MS.

Afrikaans Svo English Svc Springbok Radio Meters 60/49 0358(Su0500)-0521 0358(Su 0500)-0520 0300(su 0400)-0522 31/49 0521-0731 0520-0730 0522-0722 31/25/49 0731-1521 0730-1520 0722-1522 31/49 1521-1621 1520-1620 1522-1622 60/49 1622-2200(daily) 1621-2115(Sa 2200) 1620-2115(Sa 2205) 4875, 6075, 9650, 4965, 5955, 9680, 4945, 6195, 9720, 11790 11935 11885

(Frequencies for each svc listed under the schedule for that service.)

The All Night Service, "Radio South Africa" (not R.RSA) operates 2200-0300 on 3250 and 4945 kHz. (BBC MS and Dan Henderson)

LOG REPORT

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2310
                 INDONESIA Djakarta, chorus 2145, good, but 2230 f/o (BL).
2315t S KOREA KBS, good 1437 W/Korean radio drama (PP).
2340
                                  Foochow fair w/opera 1445, not // other 120 m fqvs (PP).
                 CHINA
2450
                                  4VSO, FF hymns 0045-0100, fair w/het (BL), EE 0200 (BB).
                 HAITI
                 MEXICO R. Huayacocotla, mx, educ prgms to 0200*, Mon-Fri (GC).
2390
                 REUNION ORTF, hrd *0230, vy weak. LM, then FF nx (DH). Earlier
2446
                 rpt should have been credited to BBy instead of BB (BBy).
2470
                 CHINA Hangchow listed, opera, CC anmts 1430. Exc sig (PP). CHINA Fukien, revol mx 1411, //2797, not //3200 or 3400 (PP). CHINA Fukien fair in HS at 1201 (SK).
2600
2800
3015a Unid. stn here in Jap at 1450, male ancr, similar to Jap MW
                 stns but did not check them out. Any ideas? Japan? (PP). CHINA Fukien Front Stn, Amoy tlk at 1115, poor. //3400 (IM). INDONESIA Bandung, RRI time chimes 1400, then nx (BC). DOM.REP R.Libertad, LA ballads 0400 (RWP), to 0455* (EU).
3200
3205
3215
                SWAZILAND Swazi Radio, hrd 1955 w/western pops, a few EE anmts. Severe Peking QRM which s/on 2000 on 3220 (BP). FIJI Suva, quite weak in EE 0700-0900, ID and lite mx 0759 (SK).
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3230
                FIJI Suva, quite weak in EE 0/00-0900, 1D and lite mx 0/79 (SK) Play 0940, hrd to 1030* w/GSTQ. Low modul, high QRN (RWP). PERU R.El Sol hrd in SS tlk 0300, quiet format (BB). PERU R.America hrd 0300 w/SS tlk, LA vocals. Best yet (BB). Unid. SS tlking, instr mx at 1130. Super poor, much fading (MH). Mostly SS tlk 0405, some LA mx. Hvy QRM, to 0515 t/o (JDT). VENEZ R.Libertador, good lvl, ads, anmts, mx to 0100 (EU, ML). S.AFR Springbok Radio, N:E 0230 (ER), pops, comls (RD), to 0200* (SWE) also N:E brd 0330 non my. Rad static (TS).
3230
3240
3240
3245
3250
                 O300* (RWP). Also N:E hrd O330, pop mx. Bad static (TS).
VENEZ LV Tigre, SS requests O338, O358* (CP). 1035-1125 (EU).
CHINA Kweiyang hrd well in HS at 1103 w/a play (SK).
VENEZ R.Mara, *0957 (EU), LA mx arnd 1100 (SK), fair O305 (RWP).
3255
 3260
5275 VENEZ R.Mara, *0957 (EU), LA mx arnd 1100 (SK), fair 0305 (RWP).
5275 Unid, maybe Laos or Cambodia, drama past 1455, Lao or Cambodian lang, but not //6090 (BC). 3277t, definitely an Indo here (BBy).
5284 FIJI Suva, weak 0955, island mx, vernac tlks (RWP).
5285 S.AFR SABC good w/pops 0412, EE/vernac anmts. Poor modul (RWP).
5290 ECUADOR LV Agoyan, weak at best 0200-0303*, clear ID (GC).
5290 GUYANA GBS, nx 0100 (RD), pops arnd 0300 (BL, ER). IS before 0845 opening, Ind mx to 0930, better than at nite (BC,EU,RWP).
5295t GHANA believed the one at 2300* w/anthem. Maybe alt test fqy(BB).
5295t VENEZ R.Trujillo. *0958, ads, mx, TCs, etc to 1030 (EU).
5300 GRENADA WIBS, nx 2245, 2343, BBC nx 2300 (EU). 0210* (TS).
5310 CHINA Peking, revol songs 1200, pips on the hr. CW QRM (TS).
5315t ECUADOR R.Pastaza, Ec mx 0614, off abruptly 0620.Vy poor (CP).
3275
3315t ECUADOR R.Pastaza, Ec mx 0614, off abruptly 0620.vy poor (CP).
3320 N.KOREA Pyongyang good 1500 w/3 pips, tlk by woman (PP).
3323 ECUADOR Ondas Quevedenas, mx 0515, ID, fairly good (CP).
3325 VENEZ R.Monagas, mx, anmts to 0406*, CHU QRM (EU).
3326 GHANA Hrd w/EE 2245, also seems a test fqy (BB). Hrd to 2301*,
and was dual to 4980 (EU).
                 N.GUINEA R.Wewak, Pidgin tlks 1202, stocks. Fair (CP). GHANA Ejura, EE ID 0606, nx. Fair (RPH). Gospel mx 2230 (ML).
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                  DOM.REP LV Romana, mx 0315 (ML), LA mx to 0359* w/anthem(JDT).
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NASWA-FRENDX ____ <u>LR-2</u> ___ <u>APRIL 197</u>2 BOTSWANA Gaberones, EE mx 2050, to 2100*. Extended sked. hrd on a Thursday. //4845 also hrd (BP). GUAT IV Nahuala, IDs, tlks, prgm summary 0330 (RWP), marimba mx 0400 (TA), 0435* (EU). Also Mex-type mx hrd at 1147 (BC). DOM.REP R.Exitos, LA ballads Ollo (RWP), clas.mx to 0501* (EU). VENEZ R.Puerto la Cruz hrd w/TC, ads, anmts, mx 1030-1130 (EU). GHANA Accra, N:E 2100, then native lang to 2301*, //4915 (EU). ECUADOR R.Iris, mx, anmts, etc to 0505* w/anthem (EU, JDT). GUAT R.Chortis, ID 0218, marimba mx (BC), vy good arnd 1200(EU). N.BRITAIN R.Rabaul, US and local mx 0738-0753 (JDT). VENEZ R.Barcelona, baseball, ads, anmts, good 0100-0300 (EU). ECUADOR R.Zaracay, my prgm 0400, few IDs (ML). VENEZ R.Universidad, mx and ads 0230 (EU), 0401* w/anthem(JDT). RHODESIA Salisbury, EE ID 2050, then N:E (BP). N:E 0404 (JDT). CHINA PLA, CC tlks 1145, little mx. Poor (CP). DOM.REP R.Santiago, always good, sports, mx 2300-0300 (EU). N.KOREA Pyongyang definitely here, believed 1300-2000 (except 1800-1900), //6580 (BBy).

IRAN Tehran, Persian tlks 0340, poor and ARO QRM (LM). CAPE VERDE R.C.L.C.Verde, 2220 w/mx, ID, PP nx 2230. Unstable (BL). Guitar mx 2228, to 2301* (JDT). CHINA PLA-Fukien, tlks 1140, poor, ARO QRM (LM). DOM.REP R. Exitos, LA ballads Ollo (RWP), clas.mx to 0501* (EU). 3380 (BL). Gultar mx 2220, to 2301 (JH).

CHINA FLA-Fukien, tlks 1140, poor, ARO QRM (LM).

JAPAN FEN, rock mx, EE anmts 0840 (MH).

JAPAN NSB, Jap tlks by man, good at 0842 (MH).Jazz, ID 1530(PP).

CHINA Wuhan, good at 1207 in CC HS (SK).

ENGLAND BBC WS, tlks on N.Ireland at 0617 (CDM). ENGLAND BBC WS, tlks on N.Ireland at 0617 (CDM).

SOLOMON IS. SIBS, ID, Pidgin nx 0800, lite mx, ad (SK). Pops,
ID 0915, TC (RB0). ID 1015, fairly good and in the clear (RWP).
Unid. regularly w/FF to 0815, then EE. Hvy RTTY. SABC? (MH).
Unid. Korean lang Asian, singing at 1015. Poor (LM).

KAZAKH Alma Ata weak 0208, RR tlks. Chopin mx 0213, tlks (PP).
Looks like prevuously rptd Indo wasn't here after all--image(BEy).
CLAND BBy's Lactian (2/72 LR) hrd 1200. GH rptd long ago as
Pak Sane //7392. Who? (BB).
COLOMBIA R.Santa Fe, LA mx hrd 0300 (GD). 4000m 4545t

TADZHIK Dushanbe, fair 0130 w/RR folk mx (BL). CLAND Pethet Lao now here, ex-4650 (BBy). Tent 1210, mx (TS). CLAND Pethet Lao now here, ex-4650 (BBy). Tent 1210, mx (TS). ECUADOR R.Nac.Espejo, plays, ads, mx 0030-0700 (EU), cmtry 0300 (EL). Mx, many IDs at 0515 (ML, MD).

ECUADOR R.Progress, Ec mx 0315, folk songs, ID. Fair (BL). DOM.REP LV S.Domingo, //4775 Musical, *1055. Ads, dance mx, etc, either spur or HIFE relaying Musical. Fair (LM). 4747, Unid. LX. not HIFE, TC 0300, one mention of R.Nacl (ELD).

ZAIRE Lubumbashi, fair w/native mx 0405 (GLD), weak 0445 (ML). BRAZIL Rdif.Maranhao, IDs, ads, mx, anmts from *0854 (EU).

COLOMBIA Em.N.Mundo, SS nx 0315, Caracol ID (RWP), 0500 (EU). KAZAKH Dzambul, fair in RR HS, 0839 (SK).

VENEZ R.Frontera, mx and anmts 1005-1130, low audio. 0100 (EU). CONGO RTVC, IS, anthem, Afr mx at *0423 (EU), FF tlk 0430 (GD), FF or vernac tlks 0515 (SK).

ECUADOR CRE, LA format 1030-1130, 0100-0300 (EU), jingle 0315(RW).

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ECUADOR CRE, LA format 1030-1130, 0100-0300 (EU), jingle 0315(RWP). LIBERIA ELWA, BBC nx 0600, then local nx (JA, RWP). Ditto at

0700 (EU). Fine w/EE anmt at 2330* (GLD). VENEZ R.Bolivar, good, many IDs arnd 0130 (BK), nx 2300 (EU).

4771t INDONESIA Djakarta, chorus mx 1237, tlk, mx 1254 (JDT). 4770, unid. weak Asian at 1320 (RWP).

4775 DOM.REP Onda Musical, ex-4782, IDs 2250 (LM), exc 0043 (RPH), LA mx 0225 (GD), comls 0230 (RWP), to 0430 (TS, MD). And at

*1050 (EU).

ECUADOR R.Progreso, *1056, mx, prayers (EU), ID 1200 (TS).

GABON Libreville, FF/Afr mx 0512 (SK), strong at 2050 (BP).

HONDURAS R.Juticalpa, good about 1200 w/mx, clear IDs (GC).

VENEZ LV Carabobo, choral pops 0200 (RWP), ID 0440 (MD). Mx and
IDs to 0602* on a Sun (RBO). Hrd 0200-0530, 1030-1130 (EU).

MALI Bamako, clear sig in FF, Afr chorals at 0615 (RWP).

- AZERBAJJAN Baku (listed), chants 0220, Sitar-type mx, complicated rhythm structure in mx (PP).
- BRAZIL Tabajara or Congonhas here 0920, weak, PP anmts (RWP).

ECUADOR LV Caras, fair w/ads and jingles at 0320 (RWP). LESOTHO Maseru, vocals, man ancr 0409 (GLD), vernac nx 0415-0420, N:E 0430, mx, ID, pips, BBC nx 0500 (SK, LM, BC). VENEZ R.Lara, LA mx and SS IDs hrd 0300 (RPH).

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- VENEZ R.Lara, LA mx and SS 138 frd 0500 (RFH).
 ECUADOR R.Popular, strong 0320, LA fare. Ever off? (RWP).
 SAO TOME Hrd at *0530 in PP, singing, PP anmts, to 0544 (JY).
 VENEZ R.Popular, LA mx, ads, vy good at 0200 (MD).
 CHINA Peking w/singing, fair at 1325 (RWP).
 ECUADOR Canal Manabita, on late, ID hrd 0900 (SK).
 UPPER VOLTA Ouagadougou, Afr mx 0630 (GD, CP), tlking in FF 0645 (RWP).

- OG45 (RWF).

 GAMBIA Bathurst, fair w/Koran chant OG35 (RWF), BBC nx O700(JA).

 HONDURAS HRVC, rel mx O255 (GD), EE ID O300, rel prgm (JWF,JF).

 DOM.REP LV Fuerzas Armadas, tlk O322, ID, mx (DL).

 C.RICA R.Capital, SS tlk (GD). Time-? (Ed).

 PERU R.Atlantida, in the clear O415, IDs, O500* (DH).

 VENEZ R.Valera, hrd w/SS ID at O539* on a Sun (RFH).

 BOTSWANA Gaberones, hrd to 2100* on a Thurs (BP), EE to O430,

 then into Afr dialect. Pips on the hour (MH).

 BRAZIL Rdif.Teresina, FP tlks O259, Jingles, nx (RWF).

 MALHAYSIA K.Lumpur, Asian mx hrd 1215 (TS).

 MAURITANIA Nouekchotte, AA cmtry 2045, f/i 2020 (BP).

 MOZAMBIQUE IM, instr mx, some anmts. Best in a while (GLD)Time?

 INDIA AIR, prgm summary for overseas svc, 1945 (BP).

 VENEZ R.Maracaibo, pops O010 (JF), many IDs O200 (BK), LA mx

 O210 (HS, MD), ID O615 (RBO). VOA coverage of Nixon in CC,0340(SK)

 BRUNEI Berakas, fair w/tlk 1205 (RWF), tent, pops 1410 (TS).

 BRAZIL R.Cl.Para, PF ballads, ID O235 (BL), weak mx O250 (MD).

 CHINA Peking hrd in CC 1130-1145 (PF).

 ECUADOR R.Rio Amazonas, SS 1100 shortly after s/on (BB).

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- NIGERIA Maidugari, N:E 2300, off 2305 after ID and anthem. Only assume it's Maidugari -- anyone clear it up? (RWP). All I know is

assume it's Maidugari--anyone clear it up? (RWP). All I know is it still sounds like Enugu to me, but . . . (Ed).
VENEZ R. Juventud, IDs, tlk 0135 (DL), ID and pops 0200 (BK,JF).
COLOMBIA Em.Atlantico, many ads, ID 0300. Hets (MD).
GUINEA Conakry, rel chorus 2140, ID, strong (BL). IS 2258 (RWP).
ZAMBIA Lusaka, vernac cutry at 2050 (BP).
COLOMBIA R.Guatapuri, ID and nx 0300 (MD).
GHANA Accra, EE to 0615, then dislect. Poor (MH). N:E 0600 (PP),
N:E 2100 (GD, BP), cmtry 2120 (MD), N:E 2245 (JA, JFR).
KENYA Nairobi, EE cmtry 2120, native mx. Strong (BL).
HONDURAS R.Progreso, good to 0400* most nights (GC). Ranchera
mx 1145, sketch. Good sig (CP).

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AUSTRALIA Brisbane strong w/N:E 0910 (RWP). ECUADOR R.Quito, ID 0312 (MD), nx, mx 0200 (BL), clas.mx 0255 4920 4923 (RPH), SS mx at 0330 (GD). (Mri), SS mx at 0,20 (GD).

4925 MOZAMBIQUE IM, comls, TCs, mx. EE anmts, 0410. 0430 f/o (JA).

4926 RIO MUNI Bata, poor at 2215 w/Afr chanting (BL), *0430 (JY).

4930 DOM.REP R.Mil, ID 0012 (DL), ads, mx, pops arnd 0100-0200 (BK, JF, TBA), ID 0320, big hum (MD). Good 0530 (MH), nx 2300 (EU).

4930 ECUADOR Casa/Cultura, hrd 0340 (GD).

4932 NIGERIA Benin, good w/EE tlk 2200. Best time of yr for them(FH). 4940 IVORY COAST Abidjan, ID, mx at 0600 (JWP). Poor 2130 w/jazz (MD), EE lesson 2145 (BL), Afr mx 2320, //11920 (JF). RSFSR(As) HS frm unknown FE site, strong 0827 (SK). 4940 4940 UKRAINE Kiev fair 0625 w/RR HS, Abidjan strangely absent (SK). VENEZ R.Yaracuy, LA ads, mx, good lvl (MD). WHAT TIME-? (Ed).
COLOMBIA R.Colosal, good at 06 0 w/litt e tlk, mostly mx (BK).
S.AFR SABC, hrd in EE at 2200* (PF). TC 2253 (RWP), mx, spots,
IDs 0010-0030 (MH). Vy good, EE/Afrikaans 0302-0320 (CP).
SARAWAK Kuching, low lvl at 1313, vernac tlks (RWP). 4940 4945 4945 4950 4955 4956 INDONESIA Banda Atjeh, island mx 1210, lost 1223 to RTTY (JDT). BRAZIL R.Cult.Campos, PP weak 0245, frantic sports ancr (RWP). CHINA R.Peking hrd 1130-1200 w/CC tlking, mx (PF). COLOMBIA R.Santa Fe, LA mx, tlks 0100 (BK), ID 0128 (MD). 4960 4965 4970 4970 4972 4972 CLAND Guinea Natl Lib Front, FF at *2101-2207*. Poor-fair (LM). VENEZ R.Rumbos, mx and tlk 0200, ID 0206 (BK). CAMEROUN Yaounde, hrd 2208 w/FF tlk, Afr mx to 2245 (ER). Unid. FF stn hrd 0930 and 1030 w/prerecorded Paris time sigs. Probably Fr. Guiana or Haiti (BB). Also hrd after 2300 or so (Ed). CHINA Foochow hrd in CC HS at 0934 (SK). 4975 4975 PAKISTAN Karach w/EE tirade against Bangladesh, 2035 (BP). 4980 GHANA Ejura, jazz 2220, ID and hymns 2230. Fair (BL). 4980 VENEZ Ecos/Torbes, mx, tlk, ID 0050 (DL), 0200 (BK),1100(JF). 4990 NIGERIA Lagos, weak but clear 2150 w/clas.vocals (BL). 4990 VENEZ R. Barquisimeto, vy good 0200 w/tlks, LA mx (BK). frequent IDs 0348 (RWP). (DL), 4996 BRAZIL R.Br.Central, pops, singing ads, IDs O200 (RWP).
PERU R.Andina, SS mx O510, ID hrd at O645 (RBO). ID 1025 (IM).
Also hrd unid. rel svc at O137, but too poor a sig (TS). 4996 5000 NEPAL Kathmandu, lang 0130, Asian mx. Slow drift frm WWV (BB). DOM.REP R.Cristal, ads, mx 0035 (JF), strong 0200 (RWP). Pops, then nx 0355 (MD). Still hrd 0600-0700 (MM). 5010 GRENADA WIBS, BBC sports to 2300, ID, BBC nx and cmtry (JPR). RSFSR(As) Vladivostok, R/S Rodina ID 0800 (SK). Poor w/pips at 5015 5015 1200, "Govorit Vlad" ID, tlks (CP, RWP).

RSFSR(Eu) Archangelsk (presumed), RR mx, tlks, 0650, no //s(IM).

VENEZ R.Continente, nx bulletin 0330 (SK), many IDs 0408 (MD).

C.AFR.REP Bangui, N:E 2040 (BP), mx 2215 (BL), FF nx 0535 (BC). 5015 5030 5038 BURMA BBS, mx and songs 1145-1215 (PF), western pops, N:E at 1446, also ID (RBO). 504C 5047 INDONESIA Jogjakarta, puppet plays 2050 (BP), EE arnd 1130-1200, nx and a feature. Sometimes s/off 1200. Good sig (BC). Lome, FF tlk 2100 (GD), FF nx 2215 (MD), ID 2300 (JA).Also 5047 *0530 in FF, fair-good (RWP). 5050 SINGAPORE RS, EE tlk in progress 1100 (FA).
VENEZ R.Mundial, IDs, mx 2345 (ER), 0230 (GD), ID, nx 0320(RWP). 5050

R.Litoral, mellow mx, IDs 0300 (RWP), nx 0104 (MD). PLA, tlking 1425, //5170 (TS). 5240 CHINA 5273 PARAGUAY R.Nac, here now w/nx in SS, ID 0005. Vy weak by 0045-seems to leave air 0033-0040 (DH, BB).

_APRIL_1972 ___LR_5___ NASWA-FRENDX_ INDONESIA Maybe Djakarta (chimes indicate W.Indonesia), ID 1500, nx, IS of chimes 1528, off 1538 after guitar mx. IDs as "programa 5845 nx, 15 or chimes 1528, off 1558 after guitar mx. 1D8 as "programational" with no studio mentioned (BC).

CHINA Peking, *2300 in lang, IDs, nx, "East is Red" (IM).

HONDURAS HRN, SS, man tlking on telephone, 0155 (MW).

USSR RM (presumed) in RR 2315, //5915, 5940 (IM).

USSR RM (presumed) in RR play 2305, fair (IM).

EYELORUSSIA RM-Minsk (listed), nx hrd 2106 (TBA).

BRAZIL R.Guaiba, good at 2340 w/PP anmts and clear ID (RWP).

MALAYSIA K Lampur. hrd 1350 w/nx. good (RR). 5850 5875 5900 5905 5920 MALAYSIA K. Lumpur, hrd 1350 w/nx, good (RR). 5965 PERU R.El Sol, ID 0615, then sank (RBO), LA mx 0705 after CBC closes down (JDT). 5965 5970 CANADA CBC, IS to 0715, then prgm to Afr. DX Sat 0730 (JA). EL SALVADOR R. Nacl, on at 1135 w/mx (JF). 5975 S.LEONE Freetown, exc w/EE documentary at 0820 (TBA). Is 10 kw according to veri (RWP). 5980 5980 RSFSR(AB) Nikolaevsk (listed), strong w/HS nx 0903 (SK). REFSK(AB) Nikolaevsk (listed), strong W/HS IX 0909 (SK).
CANADA CBC, mx 0610 while CBC personnel on strike (RBO).
MALI Bamako, Afr mx 0732 after VOA off (JA), native chants, weak
st 2230 (BL), FF tlks 2340 (TBA). Mixing W/VR IS 2355 (RWF).
VATICAN VR, EE rel prgm 0055-0104, off, into FF 0108 (NAP).
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BRAZIL R,Inconfidencia, PP ads and pops at 0845 (TBA).
ASCENSION BBC, WS prgms to Afr hrd 0430 (TBA).
BOLINIA D Programs SS my ads at 0850 (TBA). 5990 5990 5995 5995 6000 R. Progreso, SS mx, ads at 0850 (TBA).

CFCX, DJ show 1145 (RPH), mx and wx at 2150 (GD).

Limassol, EE by R in Eur Svc, 2130-2145* (TBA). 6005 6005 BOLIVIA TTALY RAI, strong 0050 w/tlk on Australia, birds, bells (HSt).

MEXICO R.Mil xmtng open carrier daily, no modul (GC).

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DODECANESE IS VOA-Rhodes, poor at 2145 w/EE tlks (TBA).

Unid. pirate, 1840 w/badly recorded mx, some obscene,1970* (MW).

NETH.ANT RN, 2300-0030 to Caribbean, nx (HSt). HSt listed as

NETH.ANT RN, 2300-0030 to Caribbean, nx (HSt). CANADA 6005 6010 6010 6010v 6015 6015 Malagasy, but doubt that they're using that xmtr for NA (Ed). 6020 Malagasy, but doubt that they re using that Amer for the (Ed.).

PORTUGAL Lisbon, EE/PP at *0200 (ESt), exc 0405 (BG).

W.GERMANY Suddeutscher R, ID, pops 2200-2215, GG nx 2300 (TBA).

POLAND Warsaw hrd 0200 W/EE to NA (GD). 6025 W.GERMANY 6030 ENGLAND VOA-Woofferton, EE to Eur 2115-2130 (TBA). W.GERMANY DW, EE to NA 0230 (GD), mx 0235 (JAR). 6035 6040 VOA, good at 2006 w/N:E (FH). 6040 Voice of the Coast-Dubai, still good w/AA mx LIBERIA 6040 TRUCIAL STATES 6040 CYPRUS BBC-Limessol, ID 2100 and into Rumanian (TBA). ECUADOR HCJE, SS ID 0300 (GD), clas.mx 0322-0350 (JAR). COLOMBIA R.Pacifico, exc at 0312 w/a sports event (JDT). 6050 6050 ESTONIA RM-Tallinn, HS IS 0429, then HS prgm. Listed (BC). 6055 6055t RWANDA Kigali vy low 0532, FF tlks, squeezed both sides (RWP). 6056 HONDURAS R.Suyapa, wandering, SS/EE nx 0500, bad modul (GC). R. America hrd here irregularly, best at 2145 just before Cuba clobbers them (GC)
RSFSR(As) Chita, RR play 1007, //6090, 6195 (SK). 6060 CANADA CFRX, ads and pops 1900 (RPH).
COLOMBIA R.Super, SS mx, IDs, TCs, ads, 0500-0530 (TBA).
W.GERMANY DW, fair at 0515 in EE (BG). 6060 6070 6065 ALGERIA Algiers, good w/AA chants 0015-0045 (BL), 0740, assume also them at 2245 (RWP). 6075 6080 E.GERMANY RBI, N:E 2245-2300 (JA). Unid. seems to s/on 0200 after pips, hrd under RSA. Chorals (RWP 6080 PERU R.Nacl-Lima, fair O215 w/SS soccer, SABC splash (RWP). BRAZIL R.J.Comercio, PP nx, cmtry O210, abrupt close O225 (RWP) 6080

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and at 0900 w/ID, ads and mx (TBA).

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NETH.ANT TWR, EE ID 0335, into Rumanian (JDF).

6085t W.GERMANY BR, lite mx 0723, maybe GG lang (SK).

6090

ARGENTINA R.Belgrano, down low, LA mx 0235, echo anmt (RWP).

LUXEMBOURG R.Lux, EE pops arnd 0000-0200 (RWP, TBA, BM, MW),

and exc in GG prgm at 0700 (JA).

RSFSR(As) Irkutsk (listed), hrd w/radio play in RR, 1003 (SK).

BRAZIL Rdif.S. Paulo, PP anmts, orch.mx, a mess at 0035 (RWP). SOMALIA Mogadishu, fair w/chant at 0305 (RWF). 6095t, tlk in 6095

6100

6115 6120

Somatia mogadishi, iair w/chant at 0505 (RWP). 6095t, tlk in lang by man at 2012, hvy QRM (FH). How about Baghdad? (Ed).
W.GERMANY DW, IS hrd 0130 (FA).
MEXICO R.Univ.Sonora, hrd 0130 fighting w/R.Union (GC).
NICARAGUA R.Atlantica, ID, mx, anmts 1253, weak but clear (JDT).
SWITZ SBC, N:E 0130, good mx (HSt), and at 0400 in EE (GD). 6120

6120 6125

VENEZ R.Angostura, strong 1045, IDs, R.Rumbos nx (JDT).
COLOMBIA R.Continental, DJ show, nx 0000 (RWP). IDs, ads, mx
etc at 0246-0300, Todelar ID 0300 (SK). 6125

RSFSR(As) ID 0858 hrd for R/S Yunost, Tashkent listed (SK). CANADA CHNX, rock mx to 0000, nx, RNE QRM at 0100 (AEL). 6130 6130

NORWAY Oslo, mx and Norw tlk 0620, occasional EE ID (RBO). GHANA Tema, EE to W.Afr 2055, mx, ID, nx 2100. Fair (HS). RNE, EE to NA 0200, fair (JWP). 6130

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6135 CHILE R.Univ.Concepcion, M&W ancrs frm 1101, some brief mx(GLD), *1030 w/anthem, full ID. Much better than in the evening (BB). 6135

6140

POLAND Warsaw, EE to NA 0200 (TBA, JDT), and 0300 (BM, NAP).

AUSTRALIA ABC-Perth hrd w/nx at 1000. Poor (BG).

COLOMBIA LV Cali, live sports at 0240 under big DW QRM (RWP). 6140 MEXICO R.Univ.Chihuahua, weak 1610-1643, lite mx, IDs. TCs (GC). 6140 6140

NIGERIA Calabar, good at 0700 w/nx (GC).
SPAIN RNE, EE to NA, mx 0118 (HS), tlk 0215 (DL). EE 0300 (FA), 6140 ending EE at 0340 (GD).

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ALGERIA Algiers, recent NF, hrd w/AA chants at 2205 (BP).
AUSTRALIA Melbourne, nx and comedies 0850, nx (BG), ID 0912(TEA).
AUSTRIA Vienna, EE 0035, SS 0045 (BM). GG nx 0200 (JWP). Olympic rpt 0030 (HSt). 6150 6155

6155 IRAQ Baghdad, AA nx 0405, poor, Austria QRM (LM). 6155t SWAZILAND Swazi Radio probably hrd under Austria at *0400 w/ C&W mx. No chance for ID. SCDX says watch 4890 and 7100 as possible test fqys (DH). Also hearing some C&W mx (RWP). CANADA CHU, usual coml prgming at 0400 (TJ).

6160 6160

COLOMBIA Em. Grenada, mx, ads, IDs 0417 (TS), vy good w/peppy LA tunes 0840 (RWP), and SS nx at 1115 (RWP).

HUNGARY Budapest, IS 0100, weak (JWP), N:E, cmtry 0110 (HS, JAR).

S.VIETNAM VTVN, fair and in the clear 1155 w/tlks (RWP), ID 6165

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1215, old US songs. Fair (RWP).

6175 MALAYSIA K.Lumpur w/Mandarin svc, poor 1213, instrs (RWP). 6175 SWEDEN Stockholm, ID, accordian mx, Swedish at 0100 (JWP).

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ARGENTINA R.Nac.Mendoza, poor at 0250 w/ID under TGWB (CDM).
GUATEMALA, LV Guat hrd 0100 w/nx, ID, tlks 0105 (HS).
VENEZ R.Turismo, fair w/VOA QRM 1107-1138 tune (GLD).
MEXICO LV Maestro, now again active Mon-Fri *1400-1820v*, much 6185 educ and transcribed prgms from intl bcers (GC, GH).

MOROCCO RIVM weak at 2240 w/AA chants (RWP). 6190 6190 USSR Petropavlovsk, nx in RR and tlks at 1205 (TS).

6195 COLOMBIA R.El Sol hrd here w/ID 1130, ex-6140, maybe has swapped fqys w/LV Cali (BB).

AZERBAIJAN Bakt, RR play at 1004 (SK). ENGLAND BBC, WS, EE nx hrd at 1200 (TS). 6195 6195

NIGERIA Von, drum IS *0530, vernacs (FH), EE 0600-0630 (AEL). FRANCE Paris, N:E 0515-0530 (AEL).

7255 7260

COMORES IS. Moroni, in clear one day w/LM at *0330 (GC), also hrd under BBC for a couple of minutes at 0334 (RPH).

RAI, N:E 0432, 0440*. Good (NAP). 7275 ITALY VOA-Monrovia, EE Bkfst Show 0445-0505, good (AEL). 7280 LIBERIA

JAPAN NHK, Jap/EE lesson in HS hrd O810 (BC). 7285 POLAND Warsaw, hrd w/EE tlk at 0325 (CDM). 7285

ALBANIA Tirana, IS 0128, N:E 0130. Fair (LKM). 7300 7310

USSR RM, nx and cmtries at 0430-0500 (MM). ALBANIA Tirana, SS but AA mx hrd 0124 (WT). 7315

CZECH Prague, jukebox show 0130 (WT), IS, ID, N:E 0300 (JWP). 7345 7478

CLAND LV Pathet Lao, tlks in Lao 1245, revol songs (TS).
CLAND Soldier's Radio (USSR), CC at *1045, ID, tlk, 1053* (LM).
TURKEY Diyabakir, nx in lang 2000-2030, strong but poor 7520 7652

quality (BL). Have never seen this rptd before (Ed).

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CLAND R.of the S.Yemen Revol, clear ID 2101 when jammer off.
8404
        anthem to 2104*. Useless to 2102, then fair (IM).
LIBYA Tripoli, AA tlk 2335, RTTY QRM (JF).
8630
                   Tel Aviv, nx, mx, nx headlines 2118. EE (JDT).
9009
        ISRAEL
                   N Karachi, oriental mx 1930, fair (BL).
Cairo, N:E 0200. Exc (HSt). Mailbag 0300, nx, 0328* (GB).
9462
         PAKISTAN
9475
        EGYPT
                   Tirana, N:E 1930, fair (FH).
Prague, Czech cmtry 0950 (BP).
9500
         ALBANIA
9505
         CZECH
                 TGNB, recorded mx 0021, ID 0030 (MW), EE rel prgm 0330(BM). Omdurman, AA mx 1920, bad noise lvl (MD).
9505
         GUAT
9505
         SUDAN
                  R.Barquisimeto, SS ads, ID 2330 (TBA).
Ankara, *2200 in EE, nx and cmtry (FH).
Paris, FF nx at 0000 (JWP).
9510
         VENEZ
9515
        TURKEY
9520<u>a</u>
9520
        FRANCE
                 Pt.Moresby, ID 0745, good sig (RR).
R.La Cronica, ID and ads 1149, SS, poor-fair (AAM).
Voice of Vietnam hrd 0740 in EE (TJ).
         PAPUA
9520
         PERU
9525
9525
         CUBA
                   Delhi (listed), EE pol tlk, mx at 1830. Noise (MD). NHK, IS and IDs 0856, lang nx 0900 (NAP).
        INDIA
9530
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9535
         JAPAN
                   Delhi, N:E 0200, ID by gal. Fair (BL).
SBC, vy weak w/mx box IS 2300, N:E 0130 (JWP). N:E 0155,
        INDIA
        SWITZ
        off 0158 (GB). N:E 0400, then Swiss Merry-go-Round (TJ).
CZECH Prague, IS, ID 0100, N:E (JWP, WT, HSt).
N.ZEALAND RNZ, no strain in EE 0800, ID and pops (TBA).
RSFSR(As) Re 2/72 LR, time of logging should have been 2100(SK).
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        W. GERMANY DW, EE to NA hrd at 0333 (TJ).
9545
        LEBANON Beirut, ID 0230, cmtry (CDM, MM, NAP).
        BELGIUM RTB, "Belgium Spkng" 2305 (MM), N:E 2305 (RBO), FF to
9550
         0050, EE to 0100, then back into FF (BM).
9550
        NORWAY Oslo, EE nx and cmtries at 0200-0230 (MM).
        EL SALVADOR R.Nacl, hrd 0935 w/election results 2/21 (BP).
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         Also hrd at *1210 w/pop mx (TS).
9560
                   NHK, Genl Overseas Svc weak w/EE ID at 1315 (MW).
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                   R. Portales, LA mx and tlk at 0500-0530 (MM).
         CHILE
        AUSTRALIA RA, stocks to S.Pac 0805 (TBA), nx, cmtry 1200 (Hst). NIGERIA RTV-Kaduna, mx, TCs, N:E 2200, mx 2210, 2215* (JF). POLAND Warsaw, dance mx 0625 in Hs, V,7180 also hrd (BP).
                  RAI, nx 2025-2045 in EE (MM), N:E 0105, good sig (GB).
TWR, *1630 in Lithuanian, mixing w/BBC (BP).
         ITALY
         MONACO
        NORWAY Oslo, IS 0055, ID 0105, then N.E. Fair (HSt). FINLAND Helsinki, EE to NA 0215-0228*, Mon-Fri, good (NAF).
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9595
                       RFE to 0034* w/anthem, probably Hungarian (CC).
9600
         CLAND R.Sparks hrd frm 0945 f/in w/Mandarin tlking, ceases
        abruptly 0951. Much jamming (SK). MEXICO R.Univ.Nacl hrd kmtng full day on 2/24, relaying MW/FM,
9600
         xmtr in bad shape so will be on sporadically (GC, GH).
9600
                  R.Tashkent, IS, ID, nx 1300, in Hindi. Fair-good (AAM).
9610
         AUSTRALIA Perth, EE pops, ID, TC hrd 1357-1410 (RD).
         CANADA CBC-Sackville, tests to Japan 1030-1045, EE/FF/Jap anmts,
9615
         //5980. Tests now over. Will a regular svc ever begin? (BP).
9615
         ECUADOR HCJB hrd in EE at 0200 (GB).
9615
         VATICAN
                     VR, EE at *0500, mx, off 0102 (GB).
        YUGOSLAVIA R. Belgrade, EE 2200, //6100. Into FF 2215 (BM). CANADA CBC, hrd 0200 (GB).
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9625
                  IBA, good at 2129 w/IS, FF ID, nx (CDM).
RAI, N:E 0350, ancng // 9710, 11905 (ER).
         ISRAEL
9630
         ITALY
9653
9655
        THATLAND Bangkok, *0930 w/chimes, anthem, nx, //11905 (BP).

JAPAN NHK, 0550 w/Jap tlks in HS, lite clas.mx, ID 0600 (RBO).
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Damascus, N:E 2030 (AAM, RWP), IS 2108, FF 2110 (FH).

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SYRIA

9915 ENGLAND BEG, ID, IS, Persian 1615 (RBO).
9989v CLAND VOFUNK, now 1100-1159, 1300-1358, and at 0000, //10080(LM).
10000 HAWAII WWVH, hrd at 1403 mixing w/WWV (DL).
10010 CLAND R.Liberation, Ff 1415, EE 1430, Lao 1500. Fair many

10010 CLAND R.Liberation, FF 1415, EE 1430, Lao 1500. Fair, many IDs (MH). Fair in lang 1923 (SK), FF 2300, EE 2330 (LM). Also hrd in FF at 2020, and w/N:E at 2330 (ER).

10040 N.VIETNAM Hanoi, FF nx 1335, exc sig (ER).

10080 CLAND Vofunk w/gal in lang 0010, ID and mx 0030. Good (BL). 10217 CLAND R.Liberation, in Viet HS 1415-1659* w/IDs, nx, mx (LM).

Peking, vy weak, unid. lang at 1915, fast f/o (MD). Delhi, indigenous mx 2017, then EE nx in GOS (FH). Cairo, AA chants, M&W ancrs, weak at 1910 (MD). 11605a CHINA 11620 INDIA 11630 EGYPT

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PAKISTAN Karachi good at 1945 w/N:E or a tlk (FH). CHINA Peking, EE cmtry 0040 (MW). 11675

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CLAND R. Peyk-e-Iran, lang anmts, tlk 1625, exc sig (ER).
USSR RM in CC, ID 0028, then R. P&P 0030, IS, ID. Asian site(LM).
CHINA Peking, EE to ECNA 0000-0050, pol tlk. Clear, good sig(HSt). 11701 11705 11705 VATICAN VR, EE rel nx 2210-2222, //7250, 9610. Good (JA).

11710 ARGENTINA RAE, FF ID hrd in passing at 2014 (FH). Hrd 2300 in

EE, but poor (JA).

11705 SWEDEN Stockholm hrd in EE 0330 to WCNA, NF ex-9725 (RBO). 11710

INDIA Delhi 2305, poor e/N:E, ID 2310, cmtry (CLM).
ALGERIA Algiers, *0900 in AA, additional fqy this time (BP).
POLAND Warsaw HS hrd 0850, clear till Algiers comes on (BP). 11715 11715

BRAZIL R.Nacl, fair 0330 w/pop mx (TS). 11720 VATICAN VR, fair 0050 w/EE rel nx (WT) 11720

ZAIRE Kinshasa, Afr/FF anmts 0120, //15245 (BP). 11720 11725

VATICAN VR, *2330 in SS to SA, recent NF (BP).
VENEZ R.Nacl hrd w/symphony at 1229, SS anmts (AAM). 11725

11730 HOLLAND RN, EE feature prgm hrd at 2214 (WT).

MOROCCO RTVM, EE 1700-1800 (ML), EE ID 1700, clas.mx (BM). CEYLON Colombo, N:E, cmtry 0113, weak under HCJB (HS). USA VOA-Bethany, ID at *2214, in o SS (CDM). 11735 11740

11740

ECUADOR HCJB, exc w/EE tlks, mx 0140 (HS), strong 0215 (DL). 11745 11765

AUSTRALIA RA, 0755 to Aus & Pac (TJ).
SPAIN RNE at *1100 in SS, new SA svc for morning rcptn (BP).
N.ZEALAND RNZ, EE 0725 (BG), N:E 0800 (TJ). 11775 11780

MADAGASCAR RN-Talata now here 1400-1520, ex-15260 (EU). 11785

CLAND Voice of Lib Army (USSR), CC ID, andhen, tlk, ID, anthem. Strong, over jammers 1400-1408, less good 1245-1253 (IM). BRAZIL R.Nacl, PP ID and mx hrd at 0042 (MW). Pops 2356 (ML). 11793

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CEYLON Colombo, Hindi coml svc vy weak at 1435 (MD). 11800

11800 CELLON COLOMBO, Hindi comi svc vy weak at 1455 (MD).
11805 BRAZIL R.Globo, PP mx, TC, ID 0044 (MW), PP pops 0141 (CC).
11810 INDIA Delhi, EE nx and mx frm 1330 (JPR), EE clas.mx and nx cmtry 1350-1430 (BM), tlk and mx 1400 (BK), to 1500* (JDT).
11810 CLAND PP Voz de Liberdad via Algiers, 0020 s/on, sig varies but okay till TWR s/on. //6080, 9510, 9685 (LM).
11815 JAPAN Tokyo, nx and cmtry 1330, clear and readable (HSt).
11815 POLAND Warsaw, pops 0224, EE ID 0226, Polish 0230. Poor (LKM).

11820 ASCENSION BBC WS hrd 2042-2100 (TBA). MEXICO Heraldo de Sonora, lite mx, ads, IDs 1500-1700 (GC), poor 11820

w/LA mx 1611 (AAM), nice sig 1930, many comls, mx (GH).
LIBERIA VOA-Monrovia, EE ID and into SS (JWP). Time-? (Ed).
TAHITI Papeete, US/FF pop mx 0630, FF tlk (LKM), nx at 0755, 11825

11825 to 0800* (BG).

CLAND Voice of Malayan Revol, *1030 now, ID, anthem (LM). 11829 11835

CEYLON Colombo, N:E 1725, jazz 1730 (LKM). 11835

HAITI 4VEH, on late, poor-good 2300-0300, fading. EE (NAP). EE rel prgm fair-poor at 0050 (HS).

ALGERIA Algiers, FF tlks and old pops at fair lvl, 2030 (TBA).
AUSTRALIA RA, mailbah 1830 (TJ), ID 2020, but poor (TBA).
MOROCCO VOA-Tangier, RR tlks at 2025, ID 2030 (TBA). 11835 11840

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MOROCCO VOA-TANGIET, RK LIES AL 2020, ID 2070 (IDA).

PORTUGAL Lisbon, exc in PP nx 2200 (FH), FF tlk 0215 (BK).

GHANA Ejura, EE nx cmtry 2007 (BM), off 2100* after anthem(NAP).

MALAYSIA BBC-Tebrau, EE by R 0045 (HS), full ID at 0045* (MW).

SAUDI ARABIA Djeddah in FF, jammed to 2100, then clear (FH).

USA WNYW, SS/EE svc hrd nitely w/mx, tlks (JWP). Time-? (Ed). 11850 11855

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12110 CHINA Peking, poor 2345-2356, utes, no sign of R.Liberation(LM). 12145 MALI Bamako, hrd here in HS, FF, 2100-0002*, vy good, probably 11960 wmtr w/difficulties (LM).

12450 CHINA Peking, CC, mx 0150-0405. Fair (LM).

14493 CLAND R.Liberation, 1955 in Eur prgm. Songs, under jamming(RWP). 14938v CLAND R. Free Portugal (Rumania), PP 1215, NF (LM).

15004

USSR RID, good at 1308 w/pips, stacatto frm 1310 (RWP). N.VIETNAM Hanoi, vy good 1300 in EE (RWP), poor 2358 (RWP). 15018

____APRIL_1972 NASWA-FRENDX LR-12 CLAND Voice of Lib Army (USSR), CC ID, anthem, etc at *1315-1323* (LM). CHINA Peking, nx 0011 (WT), closing 0054 (GB). EF cmtry 0120 (RPH, JDT). Tlk, cmtry 0200-0230 (CDM, MM, BL), N:E 0408 (TJ). (RPH, 3DF). TIK, CHUTY 0200-0230 (CDM, MM, BL), N:E 0408 (TJ).

INDIA Delhi, chants 1745, N:E 1800, cmtry 1810 (RBO).

IRAN Tehran, Persian HS 1426 (MW), pop mx, nx 1530 (JDT).

-LIBERIA ELWA, IS 1607, opening 1615 (CDM).

BRAZIL R.Rural hrd w/mardi gras 0035 (AAM), ID 2020, vocals (BP), IDs 2130 (BL). JAPAN NHK, good 0300 w/nx on Nixon's visit, EE (BL).

NEW ZEALAND RNZ, rel prgm 0520, ID 0530, then jazz (CDM).

FRANCE Paris, exc in FF 1835 (BG), radio play 1920, very strong. To USA (RWP).

TAIWAN VOFC, hrd w/WCNA EE prgm *0200 (TBA), N:E 0300 (TBA). 15110 USSR R/S Atlantika, RR ID 1600, then M&W ancrs. Clear (HSt). CANARY IS. RNE, SS ID 2200, apparently to SA (TBA). E.GERMANY RBI, EE press rvw 1844-1900, to Afr (RD). 15145 15150 E.GERMANY RBI, EE press rvw 1844-1900, to Afr (RD).
CHILE R.Corporacion, pops 1235, TCs, songs, ads 1258 (GH).
Also SS ballads 2025, and *1000 (BP), many ads 0000-0200 (TBA),
rock mx 0120, tlk in SS, but poor sig (LKM).
BRAZIL Rdif.S.P, fair w/PP footbal broadcast (BL). Time-?(Ed).
FRANCE Paris, *1600 in FF, to 1615 (BG).
MEXICO XEWS, ID at 1830 during futebol game (CC).
DENMARK Copenhagen, Danish tlk to 1515* w/EE ID (BK). IS 1550,
EE ID, Danish 1600 (BG). Danish nx 1732 (MW), EE ID 1831 (NAP)LIBERIA ELWA, rel prgm 2140, mx 2145 (TS), AA tlk, chimes 1 165 to 2300* (BK). TAHITI Papeete hrd at *0230 on a Sat nite, then EE lessons(CC). Native lang 0310, easy listening mx, ads. Good sig (BL). S.AFR RSA, EE to Ghana 1910, cmtry, vy good sig (HS). FINLAND Helsinki, EE prgm 1801, nx, cmtry, mx, vy good to 1830*. Inaudible on 11755, 9555 (NAF).
NIGERIA Von, local N:E 0715, to 0730 close. Fair (JA). CONGO ORTF-Brazzaville, FF cmtry 1910, weak. Don't mistake Havana in FF here, same time (RWP).

JAPAN NHK, EE Genl Svc hrd at 2315 (TBA). 151 0 MALAGASY RN-Talata, Happy Stn prgm 1310 on Sun, QRM frm RM Asian svc on 15200 (BP).

VATICAN VR, *1620 w/rel nx to Afr in EE (JDT), close 1720 efter EE, w/drums, ID. Poor then (BK).

HOLLAND RN, FF to Afr, good sig at 1905 (RWP).

BELGIUM RTB, *2215, into pop mx, NF ex-15255, will change to 11875 on March 5 (BP). JAPAN NHK, EE to NA, hrd w/nx 0220 (TBA).

AUSTRALIA RA, end of nx 0512, then "World of Mx" (CDM)
SENEGAL Dakar hrd w/FF ID, address at 1815 (TBA).

ZAIRE Kinshasa, jazz 1850, ID 1900, IS (RWP). ID, mx, ads

1930-2045 (TBA), poor 0005 (CC), local mx, FF anmts to 0200(JDT)
RUMANIA Bucharest, EE to Eur 1300-1330, fair w/TWR QRM frm

15255. Good and clear on //17710 (JPR).

SWEDEN Stockholm, changing frm EE to Swedish 1900 (RD). SWEDEN STOCKHOLM, changing irm EE to Swedish 1900 (AD).

MALAGASY RN-Talata, s/on just before 1400 w/IS and ID (AAM, HS),

JDT, GC, RPH, CC), hrd testing to 1445, fair at best (LM, TBA).

QRM frm BBC at 1445 (BM). Happy Stn hrd 1455-1518* (MH), full

Tananarive ID at 1518 close, carrier goes right off (JY).

CZECH Prague, EE fair at 1750 to Afr/Asia (CDM).

HAITI 4VEH, EE ID and mx 0000. QSL says is 300 watts (TBA).

USA KGEI, rel prgm 2300, EE ID, then into SS (GB).

AUSTRALIA RA, tone, on to Afr 0345, hrd to 0415 (PF).

JAPAN NHK, fair at *2345 w/N:E, cmtry (RPH).

INDIA AIR, IS 0355, on to M-E, to 0430 (PF). 17825 17845

17845 USA WNYW hrd at 1930 (GB).
17860 MALAYSIA BBC-Tebrau, N:E 0005, exc sig (LKM).
17880 USSR R/S Atlantika, IS and anmt 1600, good sig (HSt).
17895t MALI Bamako, 170301722* in EE w/native mx, EE tlks abt Afr, anthem, ID at s/off, but missed its content. On a Mon (SD). EGYPT Cairo, EE to SEA, nx 1330 (JPR), then AA mx 1336 (AAM). 17920

17935 PAKISTAN Karachi, GOS to M-E, N:E slowly at 1335-1350 (JPR). 21460 BELGIUM RTB, to Afr 1100-1230* (PF).

21475 E.GERMANY RBI, 1300-1700 f/o to W & C Afr (PF). 21480 S.AFR RSA, N:E hrd at 1800 (WT).

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21485 VATICAN VR, to N.Afr at 1130-1200 (PF).
21495 PORTUGAL Lisbon, Voice of West 1250, also 1700 (PF). ID at 1730, PP nx, N:E later (HSt).
21500 CONGO ORTF-Brazzaville, 1030 f/in under Bethany to 1715 f/o(PF).
21505 ARMENIA Erevan (listed), 1100 f/in to 1330 f/o to SEA (PF).
21520 SWTTZ SBC, f/i 1115, to 1500 (PF). EE 1315-1345, poor-fair(JPR).
21545 GHANA Accra, Afr mx 1230, ID and abruptly off at 1240 (BL).
21560 ITALY RAI, to Afr on weekends at 1500-1630 (PF).
21580 FRANCED Paris, 1100-1830 (PF), EE to Afr 2030-2100 (JPR).
21585 NORWAY Oslo, EE ID 1300, into Norw, gone by 1325 (JPR). Lang 1615, EE on Sun, good on 21730, fair on 17825 (NAF).
21685 KUWAIT Kuwait, 1400-1530 f/o to N.Afr (PF).
21705 MEXICO XERNX, lovely Mex mx 1732 (AAM), EE ID 2328, mx, mostly in SS (GB), also hrd 0000 (TJ).

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And with that yours truly bids you a regretful farewell as LR editor. Pressing business and personal commitments have left me little choice but to pass on the baton, in this case to Larry Magne. Larry's address is P.O. Box 2133, Mid-City Station, Philadelphia, PA 19103. He will take over with the May bulletin, and you can be sure of a first rate job. Please support him as you have me, with regular reports. My thanks to all those names we see every month -- in the final analysis they and no one else are the ones who keep LR on top. Hope you'll see my name among them regularly. Good DX and 73 -- and see you in Boston for the ANARC convention this summer! Adios for now . . . JB

FLASHSHEET

Al Niblack, Edotor; 420 Shelby Street; Vincennes, Indiana 47591...DEADLINE 23-rd AIGERIA This one heard on 7250 and 7145, AA and mx. 2316. (Bill Whitecre, Mich.) ARAB AMIRATES 6040 (TENT) Dabai heard with Koran singing through and after DW IS at 0250 to 0259, when VOA cuts in FLASHES Ed Shaw, Va. .. Now Dubai Boasting Station, this one in the clear 0248-0300, Arabic Prayer, chanting, probably Koran reading, 6040, confirms Dan Henderson, Md. AUSTRALIA 6160 Darwin Relay here, replacing 6055, S/on 1500 with ABC News(August Bal-

AZAD KASHMIR 4730 Heard 1125-1131, IB by YL in language, weak(Bil aiteore) BANGLADESH 15520 RB, Dacca, now returned to this for, though fc . y on 15560; H.S. 1100-1220; EE Overseas Svc 1230-1300. Good reception in Japan. Also annes //11805. but not detected. Also, 9880 has moved to new 9855A, S/on 1315. (Hiroatsu Matsuura, ...R. Bengladesh heard with native mx 0135; 0145 EE ID, followed with / Japan) news in EE. An exciting catch for me! (Ed Insinger, N. J). This one QSIed with perfect letter with all details, for 15520(armed). They reply rapidly, mine came back in 15 days! (Dan Henderson)...EB, Dacca, complete QSL in 17 days, signed by Installation Engineer. Quite cordial. (Al Niblack)

BRAZIL 15415 R. Cl. Ribeirao Preto, La rythms, USA pops, in the clear 2335 (Ralph Pers-BURMA BBS replaced my letter ith a card QSL. Evidently Mr. Pekyaing at Embassy/ry,Ill. has been pulling strings. Card looks a little shop-worn but happy to have (Ralph Perry) CHILE 15150 R. Corporacion, OM SS nx 0015, great lwl by 0100 daily. (Ralph Perry) OHINA(PR) 9860 Peking with extended sked, EE 1400-1800, for years on this for Angust COLOMBIA 4845 R. Bucaremanga in SS at 0040, new for me. (Dan Jamison, Ky.) / Balbi) COMORO IS 7260 ORTF, Moroni, logged under EBC and Minsk; mainly continuous chants from 0335-0400, then time pips, fair strength but heavy QRM. (Fred Heutte, Washington, B.C.) CONGO(R) 21580 R. Brazzaville relays ORTF EE 2030-2100, new schedule//15190. (August BOMINICAN REP Radio Television Dominicana, HISD, reactivated its 9505 fqy / Balbi) transmitter since about the last week of February. This is 50kW but maybe not running full power. This has been done to help Dominicans abroad to hear home news. (Cesar Objic, Dominican Rep.)(Welcome back, Cesar, Editor) ...Onda Musical on 4775, many SS The 2330, gud sigs. (Ed Insinger)...4962 Radio Antillas closes 0500A, all SS. (John

Tuchscherer, Wisc.)

ETYPT, ARAB REP Cairo vy strong in AA on 15055, at 1545. (K.A. Elliott, Mo.) EMHIOFIA 11910 RVOG in HE news, country, mx, 1930, poor to fair lvl. (Ed Insinger)
GWINEA(EC) R. Bata heard best ever,4926,2200 S/off, no QRM, ID as WRFVH. (Ralph Perry) HAITI In a QSL for 1/2/72, 4VEJ, states their power is 2500 watts yet. (Ed Insinger) HONDURAS(BR) (FLASH) R. Belize noted 3300, returned to the air, 0245 in EE. (Jim HOLLAND This from R. Nederland: "On the great day of the celebration / Young, Calif.) proper of our 25th Anniversary, April 15, we shall follow up the news and spotlight with an elobrate feature show on 25 years of R. Nederland activities". (Ed Insinger) INDIA AIR week at 1551 on 15080 in language. (K.A. Elliott). AIR, GOS, in EE to SEA on 15335, nice lvl, easily readable, EE S/on at 1330, into news. (Ed Insinger)
INTERNATIONAL WATERS ENI GSIed my report for 6205, for March 24, 1971, via letter just received. Signed by Miss E. Pfister. (Fred Heutte, Jr.)

IRAN 15084 R. Iran S/on at 1541 in Farsi a recent check shows. (K.A. Elliott). Teheren, 15084, good in Farsi 0630-0830; FF at 1830 on 12017. (August Balbi)...R. Iran gud 1vl 1520 with exotic mx, 15084. (Ralph Perry)

IRAQ 7240 Reghdad observed with IS, S/om 0500 in AA, with, "Voice of the Public" (Ral-KOREA(N) R. Pyongyang being heard on 6580 replacing 6540(6540 still / ph Perry) airs Japanese Svo), with EE at 0800-0850; 1900-2000. 3560/6580 at times. (Bob Bundy,

KORRA(S) VOFK on new 15335, a move from 15430, EE news at 0300-0330 / Caroline Is.) S/off, says August Balbi. EWMAIT R. Kuwait's new fqy for Europe is 11845, noted around 1900-2100, with excell-

ent reception, pops, IDs on the half hour. (Fred Heutte, Jr.)

LIBYA The CE of the Libyan Boasting Syc reports that he is eager for good reports on the 8630 outlet-This is your chance. (Ben Henderson)

MAIAGASY "M" Relay good 15260, from 1515 e/down of EBC until the S/off at 1520, local ID heard. (Ralph Perry)...M Relay, 15260 heard at 1518 S/off with full ID, informs Jim Young. .. Received QSL from Madagascar Relay. (Ed Insinger). .. RN M Relay strong 1430-

1520. 3/16. (August Balbi)

MALAYSIA 15435 EBCFFS, Tebrau, good 2340 with news, comments in HE. (Ralph Perry) NEW ZEALAND 9520 RNZ, 0850, IS of the Bellbird, 0900 S/on, in EE, nice. (Ed Insinger) NIGER 9702 Niamey noted 0800 with FF ID, This Sunday morning only. (Ralph Perry) NIGERIA Lagos, 15185, EE news 0700; at 1630 EE news on 15120 currently. (August Balbi) PARAGUAY 5273 R. Nacional definitely here with SS ID at 0005. (Dan Henderson)

PERU 4840 R. Atlantida heard in the clear 0415, Romatic mx, plenty SS IDs(Dan Hender-PORTUGAL (Via DW DX Prgm) "Beginning March 26, Adventist World Radio Europe / son) will start SW tests on 9670 to selected areas of Europe and North Africa over facilities of R. Trans-Europe, Sines, Portugal. GSLs will be sent to anyone reporting reception, though reports from countries involved will be especially solicited. Reports showld be sent to The Voice of Hope, P. O. Box 5409, Paris 9, France (M.R. Leonhardt, Ind.) REUNION 2446 ORIF, St. Denis, definitely heard with S/on at 0230. Vecery week sigs,

but their format, FF armots, IM, into news in FF. (Den Henderson)

SABAH 7180 Heard at 0930 with ID, "Inilah R. Malaysia, Kota Kinabalu", then into a local dialect. This was //4970, not 4895 as indicated in March FS. (Bob Bundy) SAUDI ARABIA Djeddah noted 1945, 11855, with an EE ID, after mx prgming. (Fred Heutte, SARAWAK R. Malaysia, 4950, noted in RE at 1205, YL anneing. (Bill Whitacre) SEMCHELLES 15230 A new foy, replacing 15270, for FERA, HE to 1645 S/off. (August Bal-SIERRA LEONE 3316 RSL at 0700 with BBC news rly, then local EE ID(Ralph Perry) / bi) SWAZILAND (TENT) 6155 Swazi Radio probably the one under Austria at 0400 S/on with C&W music, but little chance of ID, as Austria peaking 40 over S9. (Dan Henderson)
SO AFFICA 4965 SABC Internal Svc at 2100, good lvl, detailed WR, S/off 2115(Ed InsingSWITZERLAND 21585 SOTTENS 500kW sked 1515-1730, fair lvl.(August Balbi) / er) QATAR 9570 A definite IS at 0227 on a Saturday night, exactally as WRTH format for Doha. Pleased! (Ed Shaw) ... Doha heard here at 0238 with Arabic prayer. Good lyl when Bucharest not here. Otherwise, severe hetrodyne between the two. (Dan Henderson) TAIWAN 7200 Voice of Righteousness, 1059 with choral anthem, YL Chinese ID, 1100A. Only poor to fair lvl, QRM de AROs. (Ralph Perry)

UHUGUAY 15273 SODRE heard 2350-0040 with classical mx, SS annets. Fair signal but

squeezed, also soft modulation, some fading. (Ralph Perry)

USA WINB now on 15295, from 2100 to 2245, replacing 15340. QRMed by TWR. Benaire, and HCJB, they were better off on previous foy. (Ralph Perry)

USSR R. Moscow via Minsk(BYELORUSSIA SSR) on 9650, fair lvl 0000 S/on. (Ralph Perry) VATICAN 15330 VR testing, EE 0730-0800; 0830 in language to Africa, 3/16. Each well heard. (August Balbi)

VENEZUEIA 5030 R. Continente has exceptional strength around 0300, when noted with a long ID, armets, then news in SS. (Fred Heutte, Jr.) 3325 Radio Monagas closes at 0700 in SS. (John Tuchscherer)...R. Libertador, 3245, noted well 0630, 0845, with soft music, SS IDs. Maybe all nighter on week-ends. (Ralph Perry)...Today I received a registered letter from R. Nacional de Venezuela; contained full data verification and a 16" red and green permant, a real nice one? (John Banta, N.Y.). . . . Den Jamison reports the same quite happily, says the pennant that R. Nacional sends is a beaut.

VIETNAM(N) QSL in for 27 Nov reception on 6376. All details, plus handwritten notation... "It was the Tay Bac station which you have heard", FLASHES Don Jensen, Wisc. Is

this the first verie of one of the N. Viet regionals, asks Jensen?

VIETNAM(S) 6165 VIVN, Saigon, heard at 1212 with mx and YL annor in native. (Bill Whitacre) ... This outlet has been good lwl most mornings here in So. Indiana, with checks around 1145-1200, when are peaking, 6165. (Al Niblack)

FERRUARY; SUNSPOT COUNT AS FURNISHED BY THE ZUMICH OBSERVATORY, 3-4-72. 1-53, 2-52, 3-39, 4-46, 5-49, 6-40, 7-49, 8-59, 9-58, 10-57, 11-57, 12-62, 13-73, 14-89, 15-108, 16-137, 17-137, 18-146, 19-162, 20-159, 21-156, 22-167, 23-141, 24-120, 25-93, 26-88, 27, 20-20, 20 27-79, 28-88, 29-91. MEAN-91.6

PREDICTED: MAR-53 APR-52 MAY-50 JUN-48 JUL-46 AUG-44 (Grady Ferguson, No. Car.) ACKNOWLEDGEMENT: Gracias to all, please keep the reports coming. Due to an emergency it was necessary that we go to press this issue on March 21, rather than listed March 23. Effective immediately the coming deadlines will be the 20th of each month, please note. Call last minute flashes to 882-3976 after 2200 GMT.....To all Vy 73,

A.N.A.R.C. REPORT

Rocky Mountain DXers Association and Batesville Shortwave Association Merger. After discussing merger for quite some time, the fact is certain. The combined club membership is over 60 at present, so will undoubtedly apply for full ANARC membership soon.

<u>Frequency Recommendation Committee</u>. The geographic base of the committee has improved with the addition of four new members in diverse quadrants of the country: Bill Berghammer and Arthur Getzel of New York; Werner J. Selby in Southern California and Tony Marks of Oregon.

Committee chairman Glenn Hauser has urged the ORTF to begin an English service to North America and has offered the services of the FRC in finding a clear set of fgys. He has also offered Venezuela's new international service, now testing, the FRC's assistance, and a preliminary inquiry has been sent to R. Thailand concerning the possibility of a retimed North American Service.

QSL Committee. Committee chairman Edward J. Pyatt reports that letters requesting more timely and better defined verifications have recently been sent to Radio Mogadishu in the Somali Republic; Radio Fiji; R. Encarnacion in Paraguay; Radio Splendid in Argentina; Radio SODRE in Uruguay; and Radio Maldives.

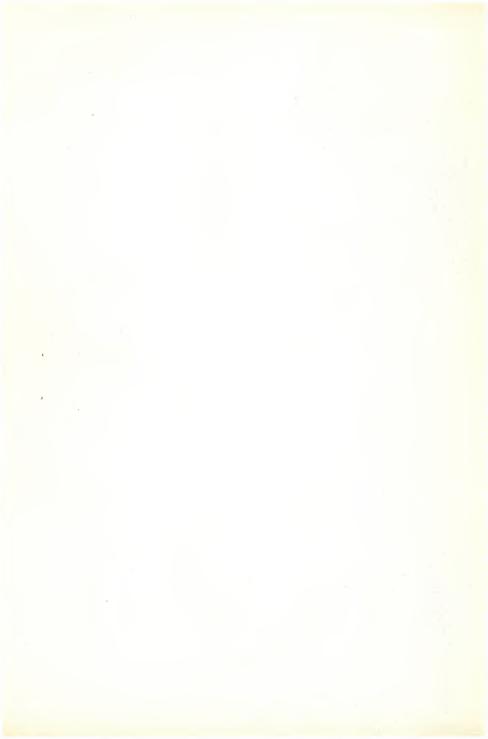
1972 ANARC Convention. No more word has been received to date other than the site chosen was Boston, and that the time period will most likely be the second half of July 1972. Please begin making early arrangements NOW:! I know most of you think there is a need for lots of money to go to a convention, but it isn't so. Besides, the amount of fun more than makes up for it - I guarantee it. Get up a car pool, grab your suit, and roll on into Boston for a couple days of foolin' around. Get to meet some of the dudes you only read about. Join in:

A.N.A.R.C. AWARDS

ANARC Awards Chairman Dan Ferguson has asked that nominations be submitted for your choices of ANARC Man of the Year, and others whom you feel should receive ANARC's Merit Award. Nominations are due very shortly, and therefore I ask you to act now to signify your intentions. Fill in the below portion, detack and mail to your ANARC reporter (address below) as soon as possible. Surely there is some deserving member you feel has contributed to our hobby both greatly and unselfishly. Reward him or her with your nominations. Only one Man of the Year nomination from each member; but you may nominate more than one person for the Merit Awards. Man of the Year Awards are for sustained service, and Merit Awards are for some singular service deserving recognition. Use a facsimile of the form below if you need more. Get 'em in soon.

To: ANARC AWARDS Chairman	
I nominate	for receipt of the following award:
Man of the Years Merit Awards	The reason I believe he should get this award: (full detail plese-use another sheet if necessary)
Send this form to:	
Edward Shaw 415 No. Shore Road Norfolk, Va. 23505	
	Signed: Member, NASWA







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