## WTFDA



DUE TO THE SIZE OF OUR VUD THIS MONTH, (THE BIGGEST EVER, AND DIFFICULT TO GET A STAPLE THROUGH), THIS WILL BE THE FRONT COVER AND THE HQ COLUMN. ANOTHER REASON IS THAT A REGULAR COVER WAS NOT SENT TO US BY OUR GRAPHICS EDITOR. WITH ONLY THE THREE MILWAUKEEANS PUBLISHING THIS MONTH, THERE WAS ALSO A LABOR SHORTAGE.

PROBABLY ONLY THE FIRST CLASS MAILING (NOW 45% OF OUR MEMBERSHIP) WILL CATCH YOU IN TIME, TO TELL ABOUT A TEST ARRANGED BY ONE OF OUR MEMBERS, GLEN NEAL, WHO WORKS AT THE STATION, KFDQ-8 IN SAVRE, OKLAHOMA. 14 AUGUST AT 0045-0115, CDT. THIS COINCIDES WITH THE PERSEIDS METEOR SHOWER

TEST

AS THIS GOES TO PRESS, THE ANARC CONVENTION IS ALREADY FINISHED WITH EIGHT WIFDAERS IN ATTENDENCE, AND THE WIFDA CONVENTION IS ONLY A SHORT TIME IN THE FUTURE. THE ANARC CONVENTION AT INDIANAPOLIS WAS THE LARGEST EVER, (51 SHOWED UP), AND ALSO HAD THE LARGEST WIFDA REPRESENTATION EVER, WITH FERDIE DOMBROWSKI AND BRUCE ELVING OF MILWAUKEE, MORRIE GOLDMAN OF CHICAGO, GLENN HAUSER OF THE USA AND THAILAND, JOE SARFF OF PECATONICA, ILL., BILL MATTHEWS OF COLUMBUS, OH, PERRY FERRELL OF GILFER ASSOCIATES, AND A NEW MEMBER WHO JOINED AT THE CONVENTION, DR. RICHARD WOOD OF LOUISIANA STATE UNIVERSITY IN BATON ROUGE, (A WELL-KNOWN SW DXER). WE HOPE TO HAVE PICTURES OF THE WIFDA GROUP NEXT MONTH.

WE ARE PLEASED TO ANNOUNCE THE APPPOINTMENT OF TWO NEW EDITORS EFFECTIVE WITH THE SEPTEMBER VUD. TERRY COLGAN OF COLLEGE STATION, TX WILL BE THE NEW MAILBOX EDITOR, AND BILL MATTHEWS WAS PERSUADED AT THE ANARC CONVENTION TO START A NEW COLUMN CALLED TV QSL CORNER. THIS TYPE OF COLUMN HAS BEEN SUGGESTED BEFORE BUT THERE WERE NO VOLUNTEERS FOR THE WRITING OF IT. BILL WILL LIST VERIFICATION SIGNERS OF VARIOUS STATIONS, AND WHETHER THEY VERIFY BY QSL CARD OR LETTER, AND WHAT INFORMATION IS INCLUDED IN THE VERIE. BILL DOES NOT WISH THE COLUMN TO BE A COMPLAINT FORUM ABOUT STATIONS THAT DON'T VERIFY, BUT RATHER A POSITIVE LISTING OF STATIONS THAT DO VERIFY. YOU MAY SEND YOUR VERIE INFO TO HIM:

BILL MATTHEWS, BOX 15306, COLUMBUS, OHIO 43215 (THIS IS FOR TV ONLY.)

PLEASE ALSO INDICATE HOW LONG IT TOOK TO GET THE VERIE, IF YOU SENT TAPE AND RETURN POSTAGE.

IF SOMEONE WISHES TO WRITE A SIMILAR COLUMN FOR FM OR VHF RADIO, PLEASE WRITE HQ.

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ALL ISSUES SENT SEA MAIL NORMALLY, SO ALLOW 3-6 WEEKS DELIVERY TIME.

SAMPLES: 50¢ EACH, ANYWHERE.

# EASTEAN TY DIE

This month's Eastern TV-DX column marks the return of the wandering DX column since I don't know where it has been for the last three weeks.

On my way to Milwaukee for an ETV conference, I stopped off in Chicago, checked my suitcase--July stencils enclosed--with North Central Airlines and never saw them again. Not until July 6 when the airlines somehow found it and returned it to Kansas City. So, in August we have a combination of July and August for the Eastern column. I am glad to report a fantastic upturn in reports and hope such favorable conditions persist.

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Mitch Donock, 2921 Brinkley Road, Oxon Hill, Maryland 20031 (EST/EDT)
 2-18 Tr 2300 WCAU-10 Phila., PA 3135R125 5-25 Tr 2100 WHAG-25 Hagerstown 3320R80
         0545 KYW-3 Phila., PA 1030R125 5-26 0600 WTVD-11 Raleigh, NC 0311R250
         1750 WTAR-3 NorfolkVA 4344R150 0700 WTAR-3 Norfolk, VA 3155R150
 3-14
         1750 WTAK-3 NOTICIAVA 4344R125
1755 WHYY-12 Wilm.DE 2011N110 0730 WAVY-10 Norfolk, VA 1010R150
1815 WCAU-10 Phila., PA 3144R125 Es 1630 KDLO-3 Garden City, SD R1150
1830 WSVA-3 Harrisonburg, VA 1700 KTBS-3 Shreveport 3010R1070
         1845 WCPB-28 Salisbury 2555N80 5-27 1600 KATC-3 LafayetteLA3120R1050
 3-29
         2150 WPHL-17 Phila, PA 2555N125 1930 CKCW-2 Moneton, NB 1210N300
         2152 WCPB-28 Salisbury 2555R80
                                               2000 WPBT-2 Miami, FL 5533R975
         2155 WAVY-10 Norfolk, VA3133R150 2010 WEDU-3 Tampa, FL 3222R860
         2155 WGAL-8 Lancaster 3044R90 5-28 Tr 1630 WSVA-3 Harrisonburg R100
 4-13 0525 WCAU-10 Phila, PA 4455R125 Es 1930 UNID-2 PTV (WPBT?)
         1915 WBOC-16 Salisbury 2335R80 5-29 1330 KGLO-3 MasonCityIA5444R920
         1950 WCPB-28 Salisbury 3455R80
                                                      WMT-2 CedarRapids2011N855
                                                       UNID-4 over local WRC-4
         2035 WTAF-29 Phila, PA 1034N125
         2045 WKBS-48 Phila, PA 1120R125 2100 KATC-3 LafayetteLA3020R1050
         2050 WNJT-52 TrentonNJ 1021N160 2110 WBRZ-2 BatonRouge 3343R1010
         2050 WHYY-12 Wilm., DE 4442R110 5-30 2030 WPBT-2 Miami, FL 3422R975
                                            2030 WEDU-3 Tampa,FL 2112R860
2033 CMJA-2 Ciego de Avila,Cuba
 4-17 Es 1200 UNID-2,3 to 1400
 4-21 Tr 0545 WAVY-10 Norfolk, VA R150
          0730 WTAR-3 Norfolk, VA R150
                                                             (0400R1180)
                                               2033 CMKJ-3 Holguin, Cuba2320N
 5-8 Es 1915 KCKT-2 Gt. Bend, KS400R1200
       Tr 1945 WHAG-25 Hagerstown3045R80
                                                            (2320N1180
 5-18 Es 2000 KATC-3 Lafayette 4412R1050
                                                  2035 WESH-2 Daytona Beach R740
          2000 WBRZ-2 BatonRouge0411R10105-31 1310 KCKT-2 Gt.Bend, KS 4310R1200
          1900 KLNE-3 Lex., NE
                                                  1330 KQTV-2 St.Joseph 3101R980
                                                  2000 CMKJ-3 Holguin 4300R1180
          1500 UNID-2,3 to 1700
 5-23
        1755 WBRZ-2 BatonRouge2222R1010
                                                  2100 KTEW-2 Tulsa, OK 3111R1075
                                                  2100 KATC-3 LafayetteLA4443R1050
       Tr 1835 WHAG-25 Hagerstown, MD R80
          1836 WCPB-28 Salisbury, MD R80
Roy D. Horsley, Jr., Box 66, Steele, Alabama 35987
  5-12 Tr 0830 WYEA-38 Columbus 3345N120 5-27 Tr WYEA-38 Columbus, GA 2434R120
          0835 WGIQ-43 Louisv.AL2332N150
                                                  2100 WTCG-17 Atlanta 4445R100
          0900 WABW-14 Pelham, GA3355N225 6-2
                                                  1900 WSM-4 Nashville 2533N155
          0900 WCLP-18 Chatts.GA3555N90 6-3
                                                  2100 WETV-30 Atlanta 4555N100
          0900 WACS-25 Dawson, GA2444N180 6-6
                                                  2000 WHAE-46 Atlanta 3344N100
          0900 WJSP-28 Columbus 3345N120 7-5 Es 1859 WBZ-4 Boston
 5-18 Es 2210 KMID-2 MidlandTX2413R950
                                                 1900 WTIC-3 Hartford 4221R950
          2215 KGNC-4 Amarillo 4425N910 7-9
                                                 2100 CHSJ-4 St. JohnNB 5555R1325
                                                2130 CFCM-4 Quebec, FQ 2522N1175
2200 CBFT-2 Montreal 3544R1030
          2255 KWGN-2 Denver 1324N1130
         1300 WCBS-2 New York 4533R815
 (Nice to get your first reports. Hope to receive many more. Roy notes that
  Alabama ETV network has easy to read ID each a.m. at 0800. "AETC" at top, dp.)
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Jerry Pulice, 143 Gibson Avenue, Staten Island, New York 10308 (EDT)
  4-12 Tr 2000 WAVY-10 NorfolkVA 3132R380 4-13 Tr 0725 WETA-26 WashingtonDC 2235R200
                           WVEC-13 offset over WNET
                                                                                                       WCPB-28 Salisbury,MD 2235R180
                           WHRO-15 HamptonVA 2135R280
                                                                                                        WMPB-67 Baltimore,MD 2235R180
                                                                                        1932 WBOC-16 Salisbury, MD
                           WBOC-16 Salisbury 2134R160
                           WYAH-27 Portsmouth4555R280
                                                                                                     WYAH-27 Portsmouth, VA
                           WCPB-28 Salisbury 3423N160
                                                                                                     WTEV-6 Rhode Island 5555R160
                           WCMC-40 WildwoodNJ3345R110
                                                                                                    ^ WJAR-10 ProvidenceRI 1121R160
                                                                                       WPRI-12 ProvidenceRI 1120R160
                           UNID-45 WBFF? BaltimoreMD
                  2200 WMPB-67 Baltimore 2225R180 (transmitters for WJAR/WPRI in MASS.)
                  0700 WBAL-11 Baltimore 4555R180 4-14 Au 1800 UNID 2-3
  4-13
                           WJZ-13 Baltimore 5554R180 5-5 Ms 0700 UNID-5
                           WVEC-13 HamptonVA 2252R280 5-6 Tr 0700 WNEP-16 Scranton, PA 3455R120
                  WSBA-43 York, PA 3345R150
0710 WWBT-12 Richmond 3245R280
                           WSBA-43 York, PA 3345R150 WDAU-22 Scranton, PA 1125R120 WWBT-12 Richmond 3245R280 WBRE-28 W.Barre, PA 4555R120 WNEP-16 Scranton 3353R120 WVIA-44 Scranton, PA 1255R120
                                                                                                      WDAU-22 Scranton, PA 1125R120
                           WDAU-22 Scranton 1255R120 5-7 0700 WBAL-11 Baltimore, MD 3455R180 WDAU-22 WDAU
  Jerry reports this the worst spring yet. Would like to hear more about other
  reporters equipment and the quality of openings (send VAFI).
 Bob Seybold, Bennett Road, Dunkirk, New York (EDT)
  3-13,14 Tr UHF to 400 miles 4-18 Tr WKBD-50 Detroit, MI
                                                                                              WSBT-22 South Bend, IN
                      WFYI-20 Indianapolis, IN
                      WANE-15 Ft. Wayne, IN
                                                                                               WPHL-17 Philadelphia, PA
                       WSBT-22 South Bend, IN
                                                                                              WICD-15 Champaign, IL
                       WKJG-33 Ft. Wayne, IN
                                                                                            WLKY-32 Louisville, KY (430)
                                                                                        WKEF-22 Dayton, Olh
WKNX-25 Saginaw, MI
                       WLBC-49 Muncie, IN
                       WLFI-18 Lafayette. IN
                       WJJY-14 Jacksonville, IL
                                                                                              WBRE-28 Wilkes Barre, PA
                        WBRE-28 Wilkes Barre, PA
                                                                                              WNEP-16 Scranton, PA
                        WDAU-22 Scranton, PA
                                                                                "Some skip observed lately, but no ID's
                  Tr UHF band full
                                                                                 seen."
   4-18
                        WDRB-41 Louisville, KY(430)
                        WURD-40 Indianapolis (400) Total now 496
                        WBFF-45 Baltimore,MD
                        WKJG-33 Ft. Wayne, IN
                        WTVS-56 Detroit, MI
 Roy Barstow, Box 482, Teaticket, Massachusetts 02536 (EST/EDT) (April 1-May 11)
  4-? Tr 2000 WCPB-28 Salisbury, MD 5-11 Tr 2200 WHRO-15 Hampton, VA
                  2130 WNJT-52 Trenton, NJ
                                                                                                       WBOC-16 Salisbury, MD
                  2147 WLIW-21 Garden City, NY No skip as of May 16
(Big news for Roy is move from Boston--7 miles from 7 transmitters--to Teaticket
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(Big news for Roy is move from Boston--7 miles from 7 transmitters--to Teaticket which is (who doesn't know, dp) about 2 miles from Falmouth and 2 miles from the "big point." This puts him about 30 miles from nearest transmitters. Roy uses a Zenith console (works better than newer 1968 model Zenith). Is now using rabbit ears for VHF and loop for UHF. Hopes to install a 7-foot UHF parabolic dish for UHF and a JFD LPTV-190 for VHF on a 70-foot tower. Says we'll be hearing a lot more from him in the near future.)

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Ronald J. Le Blanc, 2524 Arizona Drive, Marrero, Louisiana
                                                                (CDT)
5-16 Tr 2200 KHTV-39 Houston, TX 3335R321 5-23 Tr 0120 KPRC-2 Houston, TX 3335R321
                                           0125 UNID-10 XHTV-4 network
0135 KRGV-5 Weslaco, TX 3335R558
         2230 W70AU-70 Biloxi,MS 3445R77
         2355 KHOU-11 Houston, TX 3444R321
         2400 KZTV-10 Corpus Chr. 3454R485 5-25 Es 2400 KDKA-2 Pittsburgh 4333R930
                                            2440 WTWO-2 TerreHaute 2322N687
         2410 XHX-10 MonterreyNL3445R700
         2415 KHFI-42 Austin,TX 3445R460 5-28 2000 KUSD-2 Vermillion 4444R969 2435 KWTX-10 Waco,TX 1333R441 5-29 0900 WTWO-2 TerreHaute 2232R687
                                              0959 KNOP-2 N. Platte, NE2232R983
         2445 KRRC-2 Houston, TX 3445R321
         2455 KDFW-4 Dallas,TX 3334R485
                                                   1000 KCKT-2 G. Bend, KS 2232R770
                                            1001 KTVS-3 Sterling, CO3232R1025
         2456 KIII-3 Corpus Ch. 3343R485
         2458 KFDM-6 Beaumont, TX3445R244
                                                   1100 KWGN-2 Denver, CO 4433R1000
                                               1130 WWAY-3 Wilmington 3222N780
         0115 XEFB-3 MonterreyNL3445R700
         2100 KHTV-39 Houston, TX 4435R321
 5-17
                                                   1200 KDKA-2 Pittsburgh 3223R930
                                               1230 WUSN-2 Charleston 2322R640
         2130 KNCT-46 Belton, TX 4445N456
         2200 KWEX-41 SanAntonio 4335N510
         2215 KHFI-42 Austin, TX 5555R460 1715 WGR-2 Bullato, N. 2215 KHFI-42 Austin, TX 5555R460 2130 CKPR-2 ThunderBay 3334R1281
                                                   1430 WCBS-2 NewYork, NY 2222R1174
                                             Ms 0220 KWGN-2 Denver, CO 3025R1000
         2250 KMTC-27 Springfield3345R542
                                                                 Detroit,MI 3333R945
         2315 KDNL-30 St.Louis,MO3445N610 5-30 Es 0940 WJBK-2
         2350 KNOE-8 thru WVUE-8 R213
                                                   11000KWGN-2 Denver, CO 2333R1000
         2400 KSLA-12 Shreveport 5554R289
                                                    1030 WBBM-2 Chicago, IL 3232R838
         2405 WBAP-5 Dallas, TX 4444R485
                                                   1059 CKPR-2 ThunderBay 2322R1281
                                                   1100 WBAY-2 Green Bay 4332R1006
         2410 KLTV-7 Tyler, TX 5555N353
         2412 KTBS-3 Shreveport 4444R289
                                                   1130 WMT-2
                                                                 CedarRapids4323R841
                                                   1200 KDLO-3 WatertownSD3232R1112
         2415 KPRC-2 Houston, TX 4544R321
         2417 KHOU-11 Houston, TX 4555R321
                                                   1300 KTVO-3 Ottumwa, IA 3333N777
         2425 KSAT-12 SanAntonio 4443R510 Tr 0150 KARK-4 LittleRock 3345N350
         0100 KSD-5 | St.Louis, MO3245N610 5-31 Es 1030 KOAI-2 FlagstaffAR2233R1310
         0101 KTRK-13 Houston, TX 4455R321
                                                   1400 WBAY-2 GreenBay, WI2233R1006
                                                   1430 WISC-3 Madison, WI 2223N920
         0105 KIII-3 Corpus Ch. 3345R485
         0110 KTVT-11 Ft.Worth, TX4455R485
                                                   1630 KTCA-2 St. Paul, MN 4443R1052
                                                   1930 WMAR-2 Baltimore, 3322R1006
         0120 KMOX-4 St.Louis, MO3455R610
                                                 2000 WGR-2
         0123 WBRC-6 Birm., AL 3345R320
                                                                 Buffalo, NY 3322R1098
         0130 KTVI-2 St.LouismM03345R610
                                                   2100 KYW-3 Phila., PA 2222R1098
 5-18 Es 1715 WMT-2 CedarRapids 2432R841
                                                   2447 UNID-3 CBC
         1730 KTCA-2 St. Paul, MN 3433R1052
                                                   2250 WMT-2
                                                                 CedarRapids3332R841
                                                   2400 WMAR-2 Baltimore 2334R1006
      Tr 2340 KHTV-39 Houston, TX 4435R321
         2342 KHOU-11 Houston, TX 3444R321 6-1 Tr 2205 KRGV-5 Weslaco, TX 4442R558
         2415 KPRC-2 Houston, TX 3445R321
                                                    2240 KHOU-11 Houston, TX 3233R321
                                                    2300 KHTV-39 Houston, TX 3245R321
 5-19 Es 1710 UNID-2,3 Spanish
 5-21
         2030 KTCA-2 St. Paul, MN 3332R1052
                                                    2400 KZTV-10 Corpus Ch. 3242R485
         2200 KDLO-3 WatertownSD3333R1112
                                                    2405 KPRC-2 Houston, TX 4455R321
                                                    2430 KTRK-13 Houston, TX 3455R321
         2205 KORN-5 Mitchell, SD4333N1055
                                                    2450 KIII-3 Corpus Ch. 4455R485
         2207 KQTV-2 St.JosephM02222R741
         2210 KUSD-2 Vermillion 3432R969
                                                    2452 KSAT-12 SanAntonio 4455R510
         0900 KNOP-2 N. Platte, NE3334R983-
                                                   0100 UNID-2-4,7,10-11 XEW network
 5-22
         1200 KTVS-3 Sterling, CO4343R1025
1245 KWGN-2 Denver, CO 4443R10000
                                                 to 0200 UNID-5,10 XHTV network
                      Denver, CO 4443R10006-2
                                                Tr 0730 WYEA-38 Columbus, GA3345R337
         1310 KOAA-5 Pueblo, CO 3343R1000
                                                    2100 KTRK-13 Houston, TX 3343R321
                                                    2105 KRGV-5 Weslaco, TX 3343R558
         1745 KWGN-2 Denver, CO 2333R1000
                                                    2230 XHX-10 MonterreyNL4443R700
 5-23 Tr 2000 KHTV-39 Houston, TX 3335R321
                                                   2330 KLRN-9 SanAntonio 1342R510
      ES 2030 UNID-2 CBS
                                  3332
         2130 KHOU-11 Houston, IA 2333R485
2205 KZTV-10 Corpus Ch. 4333R485
                                               2402 KHFI-42 Austin,TX 3445R460
2405 KTBC-7 Austin,TX 4445R460
      Tr 2130 KHOU-11 Houston, TX 2345R321
                                                  0115 KENS-5 SanAntonio 3345R510
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         0115 WAPI-13 Birm, AL 2235R320
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Ronald J. LeBlanc (cont)
 6-5 Es 1900 WCBS-2 New York 2233R 6-19 2155 WTOG-44 St. Pete,FL 5555R488Tr
        1745 CJIC-2 S.S.Mariel224R1190 - Tr 2225 WTVT-13 Tampa,FL 3042R488
6-11
         2100 KTWO-2 Casper, WY3214N1280 - 0135 KTVE-10 ElDorado 3445R285
 Tr 2100 KHTV-39 HoustonTX3345R321 6-20 Es 1505 WJBK-2 Detroit,MI4333R945
         2130 KHOU-11 HoustonTX4345R321 Tr 2130 KTHV-11 LittleRock3044R350
         2215 KTRK-13 HoustonTX3444R321
                                                   2430 KBMT-12 BeaumontTX2235R244
         2415 KBMT-12 Beaumont 4555R244 6-22 2315 WYEA-38 ColumbusGA3335R337
         0115 XHX-10 Monterrey3335R700 6-23 2300 KHTV-39 KHOU-11 KTRK-13
         0135 KTBS-3 Shrevept.3234R289 to 2412 KPRC-2 Houston, TX R321
      0200 WBRC-6 Birm.AL 3345R320 6-24 Es 1815 YSR-2 SanSalvador4033R1132
         0205 KTVE-10 El Dorado2345R285 Tr 2115 WEIQ-42 Mobile, AL 4555R138
 6-12 Es 1525 WJBK-2 DetroitMI3333R945 Es UNID-2,3,5 Spanish
         1800 WBAY-2 Green Bay4333R1006 Tr 2015 WMAA-29 Jackson, MS 5555R160
                                           2030 KLNI-15 Lafayette 5555R122
2031 WAPT-16 Jackson,MS 4555R160
2200 WTOK-11 Meridian 3354R185
         1925 KWGN-2 Denver, CO2232R1000
      Tr 2400 KHOU-11 HoustonTX3335R321
         2405 KTRK-13 HoustonTX3232R321
  2415 KPRC-2 HoustonTX3455R321 2350 KTHV-11 LittleRock 3444R350
2420 KBMT-12 Beaumont 3332R244 2405 KTRK-13 Houston, TX 3555R321
2450 KTBC-7 Austin, TX4455R460 2407 KHOU-11 Houston, TX 3555R321
0115 KIII-3 CorpusCh.3334R485 2410 WLBT-3 Jackson, MS 3253R160
                                                  2410 WLBT-3 Jackson, MS 3253R160
         0140 KTVE-10 ElDorado 3345R285 2415 KPRC-2 Houston, TX 3334R321
        0145 WOAI-4 SanAntonio3355R510 2420 WJTV-12 Jackson,MS 4555R160
         0150 KTBS-3 Shrevept.3334R289 Es 2425 KWGN-2 Denver, CO 4434R1000
6-13 Es 1800 CJIC-2 S.S.Marie1224R1190 0100 WJBK-2 Detroit,MI 3035R945
      Tr 2200 KPLC-7 Lk CharLA5555R183 6-27 1030 UNID-2
         2205 KHOU-11 KHTV-39 HoustonTX
                                                   1115 KNOP-2 N. PlatteNE 4444R983
                                                  1125 UNID-3
         2215 KLNI-15 Lafayette3455R122
         2330 KENS-5 SanAntonio4444R510
                                                   1215 CBWFT-3 Winnipeg, Manitoba
         2340 KBMT-12 BeaumontTX4334R244
                                                          #190
         2350 KHFI-42 Austin, TX 3435R460 6-28 2200 WMT-2 Cedar Rapids, IA
         2445 KSAT-12 SanAntioni4445R510
                                                                            3024R841
         0105 KFDM-6 BeaumontTX5555R244
                                                   2215 UNID-3
                                                                            3033
         0120 KTBC-7 Austin, TX 5555R460 7-3 Tr 2200 KLNI-15 Lafayette, LA
         2030 KHOU-11 KHTV-39 KUHT-8 2230 KHTV-39 Houston, TX4445R321 2220 KTRK-13 KPRC-2 Houston, TX 2245 WMAA-29 Jackson, MS3445R160
 6-14
      to 2220 KTRK-13 KPRC-2 Houston, TX
                                              2300 WAPT-16 Jackson, MS3345R160
         2330 KHFI-42 Austin, TX 4455R460
  2345 WTOG-44 St. PeteFL 3455R488 2345 KHOU-11 Houston, TX3335R321 2400 KDFM-6 BeaumontTX R244 2445 KTBC-7 Austin, TX 2035R460
                                             2445 KTBC-7 Austin, TX 2035R460
                                                   2455 KBMT-12 BeaumontTX3344R244
         2402 KTBC-7 Austin, TX 5555R460
         2405 KLRN-9 SanAntonio4042R510
                                                 0100 KHFI-42 Austin, TX 4555R460
         2415 KSAT-12 SanAntonio R510
                                                  0115 KPRC-2 Houston, TX3455R321
         2416 KBMT-12 BeaumontTX5555R244 0215 KENS-5 SanAntonio3555R510
                                            0225 KTBS-3 Shrevept. 3555R289
         0115 WBRC-6 Birm.AL 333335R320
 6-16 2000 KHOU-11 KHTV-39 KTRK-13 KPRC-2 7-4 1000 KTVK-3 Phoenix,AR4334R1317 2345 KHFI-42 Austin,TX 3345R460 Es 1001 KPHO-5 Phoenix,AZ4434R1317
         2350 KSAT-12 SanAntonio4544R510
         2400 KENS-5 SanAntonio4443R510 All Es were received with a vertical
         2405 KTBC-7 Austin, TX 4555R460 antenna at 20 feet. I still think this
         2415 KZTV-10 Corpus Ch 3345R485
                                            is the worst year for Es I have ever
                                            seen. If it wasn't for this vertical
       2430 KIII-3 Corpus Ch 2245R485
     .2435 KBMT-12 Beaumont 3345R244 antenaa, I would have only ID'ed 2 Es
 6-17 2205 WSRE-23 Pensacola 3445R183 stations so far. WBRZ-2 too strong
       2410 KLTV-7 Tyler,TX 3345R353 on my large antenna at 70 feet for skip 2415 KPRC-2 HoustonTX 2345R321 to come in. I am beginning to think I
 2425 KBMT-12 Beaumont 3345R244 live in Texas as far as trops goes.
         2100 WMAA-29 WAPT-16 WJTV-12
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Bob Seybold, Bennett Road, Dunkirk, New York (EDT)
  5-20.31 Some Es on all days 6-11 Es WEDU-3 WEAR-3 WPBT-2 KETS-2
  5-25 Es WESH-2 WPBT-2 WTVJ-4 WEDU-3 WDBO-65-2 to 6-11 VHF to 300 miles; UHF to 250
            WEAR-3 WCSC-5 WPTV-5 WCIX-6 WACA-5 WDAU-22 WDHO-24 WTVS-56 WKBD-50 KATC-3 WLBT-3 WXON-62 WENY-36 WSYE-18 WUTR-20
  5-27 Es KPRC-2 WBAP-6 KOCO-5 KBTX-3 KLNE-3 WINR-40 WHIZ-18 WTAP-15
             KYTV-3 KFIM-6 KIII-3 6-9 Tr CFCL-2
  6-1,11 Some signs of E-skip on all days Total lng now 494
Jerry Pulice, 143 Gibson Avenue, Staten Island, New York 10308 (EDT)
  4-12 Tr 2000 WAVY-10 WVEC-13 WHRO-15 6-18 Tr 0600 WNBF-12 Binghamton, NY
                      WYAH-27 Portsmouth, VA (280)

WBOC-16 WCPB-28 SalisburyMD

WCMC-40 Wildwood, NJ (100)

WSBA-43 York, PA

WHDH-5 Boston, MA

O615 WPRI-12 Providence, RI

WMAR-2 Baltimore, MD

O630 WVEC-13 Norfolk, VA
  4-13 0700 WSBA-43 York, PA
                      WVEC-13 Norfolk, VA
       WVEC-13 Norfolk, VA

0655 WHAG-25 Hagerstown, MD

0710 WWBT-12 Richmond, VA

0750 WMPB-67 Baltimore, MD

WCPB-28 Salisbury, MD (170)

0840 WTPA-27 Harrisburg, PA
              1932 WTEV-6 WJAR-10 WPRI-12 RI 6-19 2000 WSMW-27 Worcester, MA
1542 WHNB-30 Hartford, CN 2030 WSBK-38 WKBS-56 Boston, MA
  4-29 1542 WHNB-30 Hartford, CN
  5-15 2100 WTEV-6 WBOC-16 WCPB-28 WHNB-30 6-20 2130 WCMC-49 Wildwood, NJ
                                                                     WEDN-53 Norwich, CN CCL W. Co.
                     WBZ-4 Boston, MA
  5-20 0620 WTEV-6 Rhode Island (180) 6-23 Es 1330 WREC-3 Memphis, TN
                                                                      1500 KARD-3 Wichita, KS
              2300 WYAH-27 WCPB-28 WHRO-15
  5-23 Es 1625 IHTP-2 5-25 UNID-2 1825 Tr 2230 20,30,49,53 Connecticut
  5-26 1025 WCIX-6 Miami, FL 6-24 Es 1200 WLBT-3 Jackson, MS
      1100 WPTV-5 W. Palm Beach, FL 1330 KQTV-2 St. Joseph, MO WTVJ-4 Miami, FL 1400 KARD-3 Wichita, KS
              WTVJ-4 Miami, FL 1400 KARD-3 Wichita, KS 1101 WTHS-2 Miami, FL 6-26 Tr 2306 WENY-36 Elmira, NY 1130 WEDU-3 Tampa, FL 6-27 0630 WJW-8 Cleveland, OH
  1130 WEDU-3 Tampa, FL

1145 WESH-2 Daytona Beach, FL

1300 WTVY-4 Dothan, AL

1312 WKRG-5 Mobile, AL

1330 WWL-4 New Orleans, LA

1430 WLBT-3 Jackson, MS

5-27 2030 WEDU-3 Tampa, FL

WESH-2 Daytona Beach, FL

WTHS/WPBT=2 Miami, FL

WTHS/WPBT=2 Miami, FL

T-5 0058 WTVD-11 Durham, NC(photo)

WTHS/WPBT=2 Miami, FL

T-5 0947 WCVE-23 Richmond, VA

Es 0956 KQTV-2 St. Joseph, MO

1230 KMTV-3 Omaha, NE

1300 WEAR-3 Pensacola FL
  1230 KMTV-3 Omaha, NE
1300 WEAR-3 Pensacola, FL
1330 WSB-2 Atlanta, GA
1440 UNID-2 (KCKT?) KSN ID
6-1 Tr 2010 WHRO-15 WYAH-27 Virginia
WBOC-16 WCPB-28 Maryland
WVIA-44 Scranton, PA

6-2 O715 Baltimore/Washington UHF +

1024 KHTL-4 Superior, NE
1030 KTVO-3 Kirksville, MO
1100 KARD-3 Wichita, KS
1900 WDBO-6 Orlando, FL
Tr 1920 WSMW-27 Worcester, MA
2100 WKBG-56 WBZ-4 Boston, MA
2200 WGBH-2 Boston, MA
  WVIA-44 Scranton, PA

6-2 0715 Baltimore/Washington UHF + 2210 WHCT-18 Hartford, CN
WJAR-10 WPRI-12 WLYH-15 WBOC-16 WBRE-28 2230 WEDH-24 Hargford, CN
0828 WHP-21 Harrisburg, PA 2240 WWLP-22 Springfield,MA
              0834 WTPA-27
                                                                7-6 Es 1900 KTCA-2 St. Paul, MN
6-5 Es 1920 UNID-2,3 Foreign (B&W)
6-7 Tr 0815 WCPB-28 WWBT-12 WBOC-16
6-11 Tr WTEV-6 WJAR-10 WPRI-12 RI
6-17 2235 WYAH-27 Rortsmouth, VA (Jerry is working this summer at WOR-9
                      WBFF-45 Baltimore, MD transmitter. I would not count trans-
WHRO-15 Norfolk, VA lators unless received at home. dp)
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David Long, 66 Beattie Avenue, Lockport, New York 14094 (EDT)
                                          7-3 Tr 0900 WFMJ-21 Youngstown, OH
 5-10 Tr 0717 WUTR-20 Utica, NY
 5-29 Es 1128 WOI-5 Ames, IA
                                                  0905 WKBN-27 Youngstown, OH
         1205 KGLO-3 Mason City, IA
                                           7-4
                                                  0538 WXYZ-7 Detroit, MI
0825 CKLW-9 Windsor, Ontario
         1226 KYTV-3 Springfield, MO
         1245 KCKT-2 Great Bend, KS
                                                  0840 WJRT-12 Flint, MI
                                           7-5 Es 1059 KYTV-3 Springfield, MO
         1258 KARD-3 Wichita, KS
         1429 WLBT-3 Jackson, MS
                                                  1100 WBAP-5 Ft. Worth, TX
                                                  1124 KOCO-5 Oklahoma City, OK
1144 KAUZ-6 Wichita Falls, TX
1230 KCMO-5 Kansas City, MO
         1459 KTBS-3 Shreveport, LA
         1503-1527 UNID-5,2,2
 6-27 Tr 0700 WRGB-6 Schnectady, NY
                                                  1244 KARD-3 Wichita, KS
         0730 WPTZ-5 Plattsburgh, NY
                                              1300 KMTV-3 Omaha, NE
 7-1 Ms 0540 UNID-2 IHTP (due west)
 7-3 Tr 0356 WAKR-23 Akron, OH
                                        7-8 Es 1159 KFDX-3 Wichita Falls, TX
  (Total now 119 in 21 states)
Fred Nordquist, 302 Sandra Lane, N. Syracuse, New York 13212
 11-8 Es 1357 WESH-2 Daytona Beach, FL 5-23 Es 1800 WDAY-6 Fargo, ND
               WCTV-6 Thomasville, GA
                                         7-5 1930 WTVY-4 Dothan, AL
Michael J. Sweeney, 58-03 Calloway Street, 6B, Corona, New York 11368 (EDT)
 6-2 Tr 0630 WCAU-10 Phila, PA 0245N100 6-20 Tr 0030 WHCT-18 Hartford, CN 2233N90
              WHNB-30 N.Britian, CN2244N90
                                                         WATR-20 Waterbury, CN4445N70
                                                    0045 WTEV-6 Rhode Island0344N155
 6-3
         2300 WEDW-49 Bridgeport 2244N70
              WHNB-30 N. Britian 2243R90 6-21 1030 WATR-20 Waterbury, CN
 6-7
                                            6-23 2300 WWLP-22 WHYN-40 MA
         0620 WTEN-19 Albany, MY
         0630 WBRE-28 Wilkes-Barre3345N110 6-25
                                                    2000 WHYN-40 WWLP-22 WATR-20
                                                 0620 WCDC-19 N.Adams, MA 1044N140
 6-17 GW 1930 WNJT-52 Trenton, NJ 1244N60 7-7
6-18 Tr 0630 WCAU-10 Phila., PA 1235R100
                                                    0630 WHNB-30 N.Britian, CN
         2307 WWLP-22 Springfield 4445N105 7-8 2230 WATR-20 WHNB-30 WNJT-52
 6-19
         2310 WHYN-40 Springfield 4445N120 WEDW-49 WWLP-22 WBRE-28 WHYN-40
         2330 WHNB-30 N.Britian 4455R90
                                                    2300 WPHL-17 Phila., PA 2242N100
         2340 WTIC-3 Hartford, CN 3345N90 7-9
                                                    00300WKBG-56 Boston,MA 2233N180
         2340 WNHC-8 New Haven, CN4455N70
                                                         WSBK-33 Boston, MA 2233R180
         2355 WPRI-12 Prov., RI 3345N160
WJAR-10 Prov,, RI 2345N155
                                                        WTAF-29 Phila., PA 1233N100
                                                    0100 WKBS-48 Phila., PA 2233N100
         2400 WSBK-38 Boston, MA 3344N180
                                                    0720 WBOC-16 Salisbury, MD2344N190
   (Mike's log is now at 21 -- excluding locals which can be included in totals.
  WCDC-19 is a satellite of WTEN-10 which you received on 6-7. dp)
Paul S. Luchter, 568 Rockville Court, Oceanside, New York (EDT)
 5-15 Tr PM WCPB-26 Salisbury, MD (120) 5-31 Es 1310 WISC-3 Madison, WI 2012N762
                                                  1315 WMT-2 Cedar Rapids
              3,8,18,20,30 Connecticut
                                                   1330 WBBM-2 Chicago, IL 3143N762
              3,6,10,12,17,29,48 Phila.
                                          6-1 Tr 2105 UNID-15 PBS
              38,56 Boston
                                                        Boston UHF's
              WCMC-40 Wildwood, NJ
              WBOC-16 Salisbury, MD
                                                        WLVT-39 Allentown, PA
                                                      WBOC-16 WCPB-28 Salisbury,MD
              WSMW-27 Worcester, MA
        2045 W64AA-64 New York, NY1025N 6-2
                                                   AM WHP-21 Harrisburg, PA R175
 5-29 Es 1100 WREC-3 Memphis, TN 3433R950
                                                        WGAL-8 Lancaster, PA 3243R145
         1155 WDCN-2 Nashville, TN3112R762 6-5 Es 2055 UNID-2,3,4
         1200 WLBT-3 Jackson, MS 2312R11756-9 1545 UNID-2,3,4
WSB-2 Atlanta, GA 3122R700 3-31 GW WNJT-52 Trenton, NJ
 (Paul would like to know call letters of New York City translators. Total stations
  now 124 in 26 states, 3 provinces, and D.C. 62 werifications. Set is Zenith.dp)
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5-31 Es 1200 WBAY-2 Green Bay, WI 5433-860 5-31 Es 1300 WCIA-3 Champaign, IL 0333-875
               1230 WBBM-2 Chicago, IL 0312-835 1330 KTVO-3 Kirksville,MO
              1300 KQTV-2 St. Joseph, MO 5444-1250 (KTVO is licensed to Ottumwa-Wirksville)
R.B. Pigg, 1673 Darwood Drive, Mobile, Alabama 36605
          Es 2000 UNID-2 Mexico 6-2 Tr 2200-WESU-11:Tallahassed33333R230 Tr 2145 WCIQ-7 Mumford, AL 6-3 2401-WCOV-20 Montgomery:3444N170
 5-20 Es 2000 UNID-2 Mexico
                                                                                    2420 WTVM-9 Columbus, GA3344R230
2450 KIII-3 Corpus Ch. 2344R540
 5-21 Es 2245 KPLO-3 Reliance, SD3344N1054
 5-24 Tr 0625 WDEF-12 Chat, TN 3444N371
              0635 KNOE-8 Monroe, LA 3444R270 0100 KSAT-12 San Antonio3344N573 0640 KLFY-10 Lafayette 3433R240 6-4 0730 WBRZ-2 Baton Rouge4544R175
             0100 WFTV-9 Orlando, FL 2323R430 0735 WAFB-9 Baton Rouge 3424R175
0145 UNID-4 Miami? 6-14 1200 WBRZ-2 Baton Rouge 4544R175
WBRZ-2 Baton Rouge, LA R175 6-15 0020 KTRK-13 Houston, TX3433R440
WAFB-9 Baton Rouge, LA R175 0050 KPRC-2 Houston, TX2433R440
KIII-3 Corpus Ch., TX R540 0110 WPLG-10 Miami, FL 2333N
0110 KHOU-11 Houston, TX 3444R440 6-23 0030 WCOV-20 Montgomery 3445R170
0120 UNID-3,7,10 Mexico 6-27 0045 WDHN-13 Dothan, AL 2234N
0230 WWOM-26 New Orleans 3333N125 0115 KTVE-10 ElDorado 3444N
 5-27 0100 WFTV-9 Orlando, FL 2323R430
5-23 0145 UNID-4 Miami?
 6-1
 (Total stations now 71. Thanks for your report. dp)
 David Cox, Box 16, Carrollton, Alabama 35447 (CDT)
   5-27 Es KMID-2 Midland, TX 6-11 Es WLBZ-2 Bangor, ME
                                                                                      KWGN-2 Denver, CO
   5-28
              KMID-2 Midland, TX
  6-11 WGR-2 Buffalo, NY KTWO-2 Casper, WY
WCBS-2 New York, NY 6-16 GW WMAB-2 State College, MS (40)
(WMAB-2 means an end to good skip conditions on channel 2 for Dave, but a new one to look out for for the rest of you. It operates at 100kw from a trans-
              WGR-2 Buffalo, NY
                                                                                       KTWO-2 Casper, WY
   mitter located near Ackerman in Choctaw county, Mississippi. dp)
  David Swanson, Box 331, MMargarita, Canal Zone
                                                                                   (EST)
  6-4 Es 1630 Radio Caracas-3 Venezuela 6-24 Es 1700 WKRG-5 Mobile, AL (1520)
1700 Television National-5(950)
1707 WEAR-3 Pensacola (1500)
Caracas, Venezuela 1900 XHY-3 Merida, Yucatan(1025)
6-5 Ms 0020 ICR-2 Havana, Cuba 6-25 1800 WPTV-5 Palm Beach, FL
6-19 E 0850 WPTV-5 Palm Beach, FL(1185) 1830 WEDU-3 Tampa, FL (1270)
  (Total is now 9. Dave would like to know if all Cuban stations use their own
   test patterns or are all the same? Also, does Venezuela use 525 or 625 line
   system? I thought it was 525. dp)
 Joe Kureth, P.O. Box 572, Southern Pines, North Carolina 28387 (EDT)
   5-20 Tr 0200 WTVT-13 Tampa, FL 5-20 Tr 0130 WRC-4 Washington, DC 5-23 Es 1700 KPRC-2 Houston, TX 0132 WVEC-13 Hampton, VA
                                                                        0132 WVEC-13 Hampton, VA
                                                                               0135 WMAR-2 Baltimore, MD
0140 WSB-2 Atlanta, GA
1530 KACB-3 San Angelo, TX
    5-31 Es 1500 KNOP-2 N.Platte, NE
                 2230 KTBS-3 Shreveport, LA
                  2300 KARD-3 Wichita, KS
                 2310 KFDX-3 Wichita Falls, TX GW 2200 WUNJ-39 Wilmington, NC 2315 KACB-3 San Angelo, TX Tr 2340 WOAY-4 Oak Hill, WV
                 2315 KACB-3 San Angelo, TX Tr 2340 WOAY-4 Oak Hill, WV 2316 KBTX-3 Bryan, TX 6-21 Es 1100 KTEW-2 Tulsa, OK 2320 KIII-3 Corpus Christi, TX 6-22 Tr 0135 WXEX-8 Petersburg, VA 2325 KFDW-4 Dallas, TX 0140 WTVR-6 Richmond, VA
                                                                                        0140 WTVR-6 Richmond, VA
   2330 KPRC-2 Houston, TX
6-1 Tr 0900 WBOC-16 Salisbury, MD
6-11 Es 1315 KGLO-3 Mason City, IA
6-14 Tr 0200 WSB-2 WAGA-5 WQXI-11 GA
6-18 ** 0105 WTAR-3 Norfolk, WA

6-23 0111 WJCL-22 Savannah, GA
0130 WAGA-5 Atlanta, GA
1100 CJBR-3 Rimouski, Quebec
Es 1250 CBFT-2 Montreal, Quebec
1252 WKTV-2 Utica, NY
                                                                                      1252 WKTV-2 Utica, NY
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Michael J. Sweeney, 422 Red Chimney Drive, Warwick, R.I. (visiting)

#### TV-DX AS NOTED BY ENTHUSIASTS IN WI, IL, IN, MI, OH, PA AND EASTERN CANADA

As this summer season progresses, reporters are in agreement about one item: Es has been WAY, WAY down. Comments from several DXers indicate this year's skip rivals 1960 in quality, if not quantity. Late reports (by phone to Chicago, by letter from Western New York) indicate Es quantity increasing during early July. My personal experience is miserable... my VHF antennas are frozen in a Westerly direction and I haven't taken many looks at the lower channels.

Tropo has been on the upswing during the first weeks of July. If you looked at the right times, you caught some dandies. Bill Draeb was up early as usual on the 4th of July, and found WAVY-10, Norfolk at 814 miles! Also, there has been quite a bit of frontal-associated tropo since the first of July keeping things interesting all across the reporting region... Especially on 7-9 and 12.

Enough chatter. This will be a long one...

#### David J. Egan, 12a Andrew, Valleyfield, Que. EDT

6-23 Es 1258 WCIV-4 Charleston, S.C. (890) 1300 WJXT-4 Jacksonville, Fl. (1110) 1306 WEAR-3 Pensacola, Fl. (1215) 1319 WTVY-4 Dothan, Al. (1145) 1459 KARK-4 Little Rock, Ark. (1205) 1527 KYTV-3 Springfield, Mo. (1140)

6-24 Es 1229 KYTV-3 1319 WSAV-3 Savannah (895) 6-25 Es 0610 WBBM-2 Chicago (looked like MS... then held steady) (690)

1258 WJXT-4; 1254 WSAV-3; 1345 WTVJ-4 Miami (1395)

Tr 0650 WAST-13 Albany, NY (185)
7-4 Tr 0900 CHCH-11 Hamilton, On. (340)
0909 tent. WTOL-11 Toledo!

7-5 Es 1255 tent. KMTV-3 (IDed as...State ntwk...probably Nebraska)
1307 KHTL-4 Superior, Neb. (1265)
(had short hop to Neb., Mo. at same time in Michigan!! RB)

7-8 Es 1159 WESH-2 Daytona Beach, F1. (1140)
7-9 Tr 1030 WSYR-3 Syracuse, NY (185)
1030 WBEN-4 Buffalo, NY (265)
1030 WROC-8 Rochester, NY (190)
1030 WOKR-13 Rochester, NY (190)
Es 1922 Es in, several unids on ch 3
2000 WSB-2 Atlanta, Ga. (970)
2013 WTVY-4 Dothan, Al. (1145)
2016 unid Atlanta BB on 4. Ideas?
2058 WRBL-3 Columbus, Ga. (1130)
2134 WSAV-3 Savannah, Ga. (895)

2140 WJXT-4 Jacksonville, Fl. (1110) plus unids to 2200

7-10 Es 1100 WFBC-4 Greenville, SC (830)

Skip on 6-23 began 1230, ended 1630. To chap 6 briefly at 1500. Began SC, moved to Ark, Mo. First big Es of dull season. Present log: 122 rcvd, 31 states plus DC, 4 prov, a countries. Only one UHF so far, with no set-up here.

#### Mark L. Lewis, 224 Honiton St., Downsview, Ont. EDT

7-5 Es 1030 KCKT-2 Great Bend, Kan.

1045 WMAB-2 State College, Miss.

(running MRTP w/WMAB keyed in)

(been on since 6-30 RB)

1200 KFDX-3 Wichita Falls, Tx; KARD-3 Wichita, Kan.

1226 KGNC-4 Amarillo, Tx.; WKY-4 Okla City; KOCO-5 Okla City 7-5 (cont.) Es 1300 KCMO-5, WDAF-4 Kansas City 7-6 Tr 0645 WKNX-25 Saginaw, Mi. WIMA-35 Lima, Oh plus unid 18 w/RTP (possible WVTV Mark RB)

0830 KETS-2 Little Rock, Ark.

#### Lewis (cont.)

My reporting has been lax due to month-long trip to Yucatan Peninsula...have been working all night show at CKFM (99.9). Es opening on 7-5 best in a long time, some times 5-6 deep in channel 2's. Local 2's by the way include CKCO-1, Wiarton, On. (100 KW, 900 ft. AAT) Station notes: WUTV-29 Buffalo now running 1000-0300 summer sked M-F, w/weekend s/off times variable, usually noon. CICA-19 on about 1600 weekdays, noon or 1300 weekends. They've had many technical problems including exceeding bandwidth.

#### Joel Rosenberg, 47 Pannahill Rd., Downsview, Ont. EDT

5-16 Es 1230 CBWFT-3 Winnipeg, Man. 5-19 Tr 0115 WTOL-11 Toledo, Oh 0130 CKLW-9 Windsor, On.; 4455N WJBK-2 Detroit 4454R; WKBD-50 Detroit 3145R. 5-23 Es unid at 1815 5-24 Es 1605 WUND-2 Columbia, NC 5-25 Es 0905 unid 3, tent. KMTV 5-26 unid Es 5-27 Es 1900 WESH-2 Daytona Beach, F1. 1930 WPBT-2 Miami, Fl. 5-30 Tr CKCO-TV-1 Wiarton, On. (ch 2) 6-4 Tr Us in NE Ohio in AM 6-7 Tr Early AM to Mich and Youngstown, Oh. 6-11 Tr 2000 WUTR-20 Utica, NY 6-14 Es 1830 unid ch 2 6-22 Es 1345 WBRZ-2 Baton Rouge, La. 1400 WLBT-3 Jackson, Miss. 6-23 Es 1245 WESH-2 Daytona Beach, Fl.

6-26 Tr in AM WKBF-61 Cleveland; WUAB-43 Lorain; WFMJ-21, WKBN-27, WYTV-33 Youngstown; WKBD-50 Detroit; WSEE-35, WJET-24 Erie; WBJA-34, WNBF-12 Binghamton; WDAU-22, WNEP-16, WBRE-28 Scranton; WENY-36 Elmira. 2300 WICZ-40 Binghamton; WENY-36, WSYE-18 Elmira; WDAU-22 Scranton. 6-27 Tr 0300 WNYS-9 Syracuse, NY. 7-5 Es 1100 KCKT-2 Great Bend, Kn. . 1130 KFDX-3 Wichita Falls, Tx. 1155 WKY-4 Okla City, Ok. 1200 KOCO-5 Okla City, Ok. 1255 WDAF-4 Kansas City, Mo. 1300 KCMO-5 Kansas City, Mo. 1315 KQTV-2 St. Joseph, Mo. 1400 KNOP-2 North Platte, Neb. 7-6 Tr 0900 WSJV-28, WNDU-16, WSBT-22 So. Bend, In. 7-8 Es 1230 WKY-4 Okla City, Ok. 7-9 Es WESH-2, WTHS-2 at 1230 & 1300 7-10 Es 1140 KCKT-2; 1230 KOTA-3 Rapid City

#### Raymond Bell, 413 Burton Ave., Washington, Pa. 15301

6-23 Es 0830 WBAP-5 Ft. Worth, Tx. (only Es seen thus far this season) 7-7 Tr 0830 WSAZ-3 Huntington, WVa; WDTV-5 Weston, WVa; WCHJ-8 Charleston, WVa; WBOY-12 Clarksburg, WVa., WHTN-13 Huntington, WVa.

(Ray notes he had best U opening ever after a storm on 6-6, lists a long string of channels but no calls. Help! Sounds like Cleveland area Us. RB)

#### Jim Hayes, 9 Henry St., Wilkes-Barre, Pa.

6-11 Es 1230 WBRZ-2 Baton Rouge, La. 3325R (1116)

6-5 Es 2100 unid 2-3 to La.

1300 KTEW-2 Tulsa, Ok. 5545R (1054) 1600 KATC-3 Lafayette, La. 4322R (1170) 1643 KTBS-3 Shreveport, La. 3322R (1140) 6-15 Es 1200 KQTV-2 St. Joseph, Mo. 3033R (990) 1553 WTHS-2 Miami, Fl. 5555R (1090) w/ID and time clock. 6-20 Es 1400 WESH-2 Daytona Beach, F1. 4423R (860) 6-24 Es 1400 WBRZ-2 Baton Rouge 2544R 6-25 Es 1100 KJAC-4 Port Arthur, Tx. 2422R (1235) 6-30 Es 1600 KMTV-3 Omaha, Neb 5534N 1325 KTEW-2 Tulsa 4543R 1405 WESH-2 Daytona Beach 4534R

6-25 (cont.) 1430 KARD-3 Wichita, Kn. 1222N (1150) 1800 WDIQ-2 Dozier, Al 4433R (950) 6-29 Tr 0615 WCBS-2 New York 3355R (120) 0813 WJAR-10 Providence, RI 4533N230 0900 WTNH-8 New Haven, Cn 2544N170 1000 WPRI-12 Providence, RI 2444N230 (1030)

Haves (cont.)

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6-30 (cont.) 1630 KGLO-3 Mason City, Ia 2535N (895) KTIV-4 Sioux City, Ia 5535N 1045	Tr 1900 WKTV-2 Utica, NY 2552N (140)
unids to ch 6	
7-5 Es 1007 KQTV-2 St. Joseph 3322R	1930 WTTG-5 Washington, DC 23
1030 KARD-3 Wichita, Kn 5533R	2323N (175)
1130 KCMO-5 Kansas City, Mo. 4435N (990)	2000 WPSX-3 Clearfield, Pa.
1200 KHAS-5 Hastings, Neb 3315N (1160)	2422R (140)
1255 KMTV-3 Omaha, Neb. 0432R	Es 2240 WKY-4 Okla City, Ok.
1300 KGLO-3 Mason City, Ia. 2223R	3324R (1200)
1318 KDLO-3 Watertown, SD 4534R (1091)	Tr 2300 WFBG-10 Altoona, Pa 4545
1930 WEAR-3 Pensacola, Fl. 4532R (970)	(140)
2000 KARK-4 Little Rock, Ar. 2525N (990)	7-10 Tr 0045 WTAE-4 Pittsburg 2343R
7-6 Es 1100 WMT-2 Cedar Rapids, Ia. 3025R (710)	(216)
7-8 Es 2316 WLBT-3 Jackson, Ms. 4522R (1000)	0100 WJAC-6 Johnstown, Pa.
7-9 Es 1130 WPTV-5 W. Palm Beach, F1. 4535N (1012)	3555R (167)
1140 WCI:-6 Miami, Fl. 5535R (1090)	WIIC-11 Pittsburg 3444R
1230 WTVJ-4 Miami, Fl. 5555N (1090)	0105 WTRF-7 Wheeling, WVa.
10he Medi O Denter D 1 cores	1322N (255)
1300 WJXT-4 Jacksonville, Fl. 4443R (815)	WGAL-8 Lancaster, Pa.
1330 WTVY-4 Dothan, Al. 4433N (870)	2444N (82)
1400 WRBL-3 Columbus, Ga. 5544N (775)	First and there To so a
WWL-4 New Orleans, La. 2432R (1035)	First good tropo came 7-9, 10. In-
1800 CJCB-4 Sydney, N.S. 4445N	stalled Lafayette antenna 7-8w/
2000 1 Cydley, 11.5. 444511	rotor. Really improves reception
	capabilities. Log total 72 and
	climbing!

## Frank Wheeler, 6589 Wattsburg Rd., Erie, Pa. 16509 EDT

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6-11 Es 1458 WDIQ-2 Dozier, Al. (815)
6-14 Es 1700 KWGN-2 Denver, Co. (1292)
1730 KTVS-3 Sterling, Co. (1188)
1830 KDUH-4 Superior, Neb. (1138)
6-20 Es 1400 WPBT-2 Miami, Fl. (1090)
6-23 Es 1500 KQTV-2 St. Joseph, Mo. (779)
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That's all for June, which wasn't very good. This was one of the worst Junes for me since 1960 and 1967...my worst DXing years (since I began in 1959). I use a Wineguard CL4X antenna, a 4x Cats Whisker for UHF, both turned by hand (no rotor). Sure hope July is better. (looks like it was Frank. Hope next month's report shows more promise. RB)

## John Parillo, 400 S. Market St., Girard, Oh. 44420 EDT

6-8 Es 1427 KW	3N-2 Denver, Co. (1263)	6-14	Es 1	1846	KTVS-3	Sterling, Co. (1160)
1430 KT	WO-2 Casper, Wy. (1340)		1	900	KWGN-2	Denver, Co. (1263)
6-11 Es 1700 K	MID-2 Midland, Tx. (1335)		1	1930	KTWO-2	Casper, Wy. (1340)
1710 WI	BAP-5 (tent.) Ft. Worth, Tx.	6-23	Es 1	1307	WLBZ-2	Bangor, Me. (668)
	1100)					Tulsa, Okla. (885)
1800 KI	DFW-4 Dallas, Tx. (1050)		1	459	WKY-4	)kla City, Ok (980)
6-13 Es KTEW-2	Tulsa, Ok. (885)		1	600	KNOP-2	No Platte, Neb.(1070)

(Since John and Frank Wheeler live in rather close proximity, it's kind of interesting to compare their reports. Also...note other reports from 6-23. RB)

## Roger Windsor, 718 N. Fremont Rd., Valparaiso, In. CDT

7-9 Tr 1	900 WTVP-47	Peoria, Il. 4535N (155)	7-9 (cont.) Tr 2030 All Peoria Us, 5555
1	925 WFYI-20	Indianapolis, In. 3454N (155)	2035 WKBD-50, WXON-62 Detroit 4555R
1	930 WURD-40	Indianapolis 4554N (155)	(210)
		St. Louis, Mo. 3445R (255)	2040 KDUB-40 Dubuque, Ia. 3344R 215
			2045 WWJ-4 Detroit 5543R (210)

Windsor (cont.)

Log now at 248! Verification received from KTTS and KTHV DX of 6-19. (Looks like WTVP-47 showed up for several reporters on the same night! They've been on for just a couple of weeks. RB)

### Morrie S. Goldman, 5815 Christiana Ave., Chicago, Il. 60645 CDT

6-19 MS 0524 WTTG-5 Washington, DC w/ TP, also at 0529, 0532, 0547, 0547:30 and many unid bursts on 5.

6-20 MS 0657 WFRV-5 Green Bay, Wi.
short distance but not first time by
MS. Also, unids on 5.

6-22 Es 1330 KIII-3 Corpus Christi, Tx 3223R

6-27 MS 0549 Washington, DC plus numerous other bursts of CB, Patterns, Pgm, etc.

7-4 Tr 0626 WNEM-5 Bay City, Mi. 3345R
7-6 Tr 1900 WJBK-2 Detroit, Mi. 5041R vy
readable over local WBBM-2!
WWJ-4 Detroit tent. 2022T

Missed strong Es in morning on 7-8, to Texas. Every morning that I've checked for MS, except 7-4, has produced 30-35 bursts per hour. However, 95 percent of all seen on ch. 5 has been unid CB patterns, and programming. Test on times and TP types...and pgm details from Eastern members would be appreciated. I can reply in kind w/ local details. This year continues to be one of the worst seen here for Es. Have just purchased 2 Wineguard K-10-713 HB yagis. Plan to stack them horizontally, below dish, eventually...when dish goes back on the tower. Overall results from Finco L-26 LB yagi have been much to my liking. Two stage FET LB preamp is also performing well. (Details sometime Morrie? RB)

#### Gary Olson, 1203 Kenton, Deerfield, Il. CDT

5-31 Es 1530 KACB-3 San Angelo, Tx 6-5 Es 2000 WEDU-3 Pensacola, Fl. 6-15 Es 2105 Unids, 2-3 gone by 2130 6-16 Tr Us SE to Ft. Wayne, Lafayette, In. 6-17 Tr Us E including WKNX-25 Saginaw, Mi. in morning.

6-26 Tr 0750 WTCN-ll Minneapolis plus two other unid ch ll's NW.
0900 WEAU-13 Eau Claire, Wi.

6-27 Es 1215 ch 2-5 1230 WOAI-4 San Antonio, Tx. 7-6 and 7-10 Tr good to 250-300 miles

DX has again been spotty. This year's skip seems similar to 1960 when virtually nothing was seen. Not one substantial opening of any duration this year. With Dave Janowiak's plans and Morrie Goldman's much appreciated assistance my tower is taking shape. All is ready and waiting on 7 foot dish from Lafayette (have waited 10 weeks.) By the way, saw Don Ruland and family...now living in Kenosha. (note next report. RB) DXing interrupted 7-11 by arrival of second child...first girl. (many congratulations Gary RB)

## Don Ruland, 4448 68th Place, Kenosha, Wi. 53140 CDT

NOTE: since Don just began in his new QTH, most of the reception below is new. Therefore nothing is underlined.

6-22 Tr 0530 WBNS-10 Columbus, Oh (320)
WTOL-11 Toledo, Oh (230)
0540 WFBM-6 Indianapolis (220)
0620 WTTV-4 Indianapolis (230)
0630 WWJ-4 Detroit, Mi. (250)
0640 WHBF-4 Rock Island (170)
0647 WILX-10 Onondaga, Mi. (180)
0655 WICD-15 Danville, II. (170)
0700 WLKY-32 Louisville, Ky. (330)
6-23 Tr 0550 WFBM-6 Indy

0550 WFBM-6 Indy 0610 WJIM-6 Lansing, Mi. (170) 6-23 (cont.) Tr 0630 WKBT-8 LaCrosse, Wi (190)
0635 WJMN-3 Escanaba, Mi. (240)
0642 WTOM-4 Cheboygan, Mi. (280)
6-24 Tr 0550 WMBD-31 Peoria, Il. (160)

0557 WISH-8 Indianapolis (220) 0630 KMOX-4 St. Louis, Mo. (300) 0657 WICS-20 Springfield, II. (220) 0658 WEEK-25 Peoria, II. (160) 0655 WQAD-8 Moline, II. (170)

6-25 0630 WWJ-4 and WTTV-4

Rular	nd (cont.)		
6-26	Tr 0930 WWTV-9 Cadillac, Mi. (170)	7-7	Tr 0600 KMOX-4 St. Louis, Mo. (300)
	over semi local WGN	7-9	Tr 0600 WTOL-11, WSPD-13 Toledo (230)
	1000 WPBN-7 Traverse City, Mi. (190)	4///04	0700 KROC-10 Rochester, Mn. (260)
	over WLS-7		1700 WJJY-14 Jacksonville, Il. (230)
	1030 WEAU-13 Eau Claire, Wi (240)		1730 WTVP-47, WRAU-19 Peoria (160)
	1100 WSAU-7 Wausau, Wi. (170)		1750 KDNL-30 St. Louis, Mo. (300)
	1310 KROC-10 Rochester, Mn. (260)		1800 WICS-20 Springfield, Il. (220)
6-28	0620 WLWI-13 Indianapolis, w/ other Indy	V's	KCRG-9 Cedar Rapids, Ia. (260)
	0645 WTHI-10 Terre Haute, In. (220)		2000 WLFI-18 Lafayette, In. (160)
6-29	Tr 0700 WKJG-33 Ft. Wayne, In. (180)		2100 KWWL-7 Waterloo, Ia. (230)
7-2	Tr 0530 WTOL-11 0540 WSPD-13 Toledo	7-10	0 Es 0605 KPRC-2 Houston, Tx. (980)
C.	0557 WNEM-5 Bay City, Mi. over WMAQ		0700 KIII-3 Corpus Christi, Tx.
7-3	Tr 0600 WSIX-8 Nashville, Tn. (450)		(1160)
	0800 KDUB-40 Dubuque, Ia. (150)		Tr 0550 WTOL-11, WSPD-13 Toledo
	0930 WOC-6 Davenport, Ia. (160)		0755 WPTA-21 Ft. Wayne, In. (180)
7-6	r 0555 WANE-15 Ft. Wayne, In. (180)		0758 WAKR-23 Akron, Oh. (330)
	0600 WJW-8 Cleveland, Oh. (330)		0830 WKBD-50 Detroit, Mi. (250)
	0625 WJRT-12 Flint, Mi. (220)		0900 WIMA-35 Lima, Oh. (240)
page 1	0655 WDHO-24 Toledo, Oh. (230)		
	0700 WKNX-25 Saginaw, Mi. (230)		

Moved to Kenosha June 7, began TV DXing here on June 22. Equipment includes 1968 Zenith Color, Gavin #1023 VHF 23 Element and Jerrold 15 Element UHF ant., plus Alliance U-100 Rotor on 35 foot tower. First Es seen (KPRC-2) was former local. (big midwest WELCOME Don. Guess I'll have to add an extra page to the column. RB)

#### William J. Draeb, Ellis Street R.R.#2, Kewaunee, Wi. 54216 CDT

NOTE: Bill's report arrived too late for the column last month, so here's a big two months worth...and as usual a good look at available DX in the Midwest for the season through mid-July. Milages not added unless included in original report.

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5-30 MS 0548 WSB-2 Atlanta, Ga.
5-15 MS 0545 WKTV-2 Utica, NY
                                                      0552 WJXT-4 Jacksonville, Fl.
       -552 WGR-2 Buffalo, NY
                                              5-31 Es 1458 KMID-2 Midland, Tx.; WBTX-3
5-16 Tr 0645 WAND-17 Decatur, Il.
                                                      Bryan KDFW-4 Dallas, Tx.
       0800 WMBD-31 Peoria, Il.
                                                      1530 WOAI-4, KENS-5 San Antonio, Tx.
5-18 Es unid on 2-4 at 1645
                                              6-5 Tr 0600 WHIO-7 Dayton, WBNS-10, WJW-8,
5-21 Es 1745 WOAI-4 San Antonio, Tx.
                                                          WISH-8.
        1754 WLBT-3 Jackson, Ms.
                                              6-6 Tr 0800 WKNX-25 Saginaw, WDHO-24 Toledo
       2212 KGNC-4 Amarillo, Tx. plus many
                                                  Es 1200 KTWO-2 Casper, Wy.; KDUH-4 Hay
             unids
                                                     Springs KOTA-3 Rapid City, KOA-4
5-22 Tr 0530 WISH-8 Indianapolis, In., WJW-8
                                                     Tent.
             Cleveland
                                                  Tr 1930 WCMU-14, WUCM-19 Michigan
        0558 WIIC-11 Pittsburg, Pa.
                                              6-8 MS 0545 WCIV-4 Charleston, S.C.
        0615 WBNS-10 Columbus, Oh.
                                                  Tr 2015 WCAE-50 St. John, In., WKBD-50
5-23 Es 1612 WOAI-4; 1710 WBAP-5 Ft. Worth
                                                     Detroit, WTVS-56; WXON-62 Detroit;
             KDFW-4 Dallas.
                                                     WUAB-43 Lorain;
        1800 KGNC-4 Amarillo, Tx.
                                                     2025 WVIZ-25, WKBF-61 Cleveland
        1847 KWGN-2 Denver, Co., KOA-4 Tent.
                                                      2032 WEEK-25, WMBD-31, Peoria
        also, tent. Salt Lake City on 2,465
                                                     2048 WOSU-34 Columbus, Oh.
        at 2035, others possible.
                                                      2053 WAKR-23 Akron, Oh.
5-24 Es 1940 WEAR-3 Pensacola, F1.
                                                      2115 WICD-15 Danville, Il.
        1957 WDIQ-2 Dozier, Al plus unids
                                              6-9 Tr 0530-0610 WTRF-7 Wheeling, WISH-8,
5-29 Es 1715 WEDU-3 Tampa, Tx.; WJXT-4
                                                    WJW-8, WCPO-9 Cinci, WSTV-9 Stueben-
        Jacksonville; WESH-2 Daytona Beach
                                                     ville, WBNS-10, WHAS-11 Louisville,
        2158 WLBT-3 Jackson, Ms.
                                                     WICU-12 Erie
        2233 KBTX-3 Bryan, Tx.
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#### Draeb cont.

6-10 Tr 0530-0600 Same as 6-9 plus WHEC-10 tent. 6-27 Tr 0530 WJW-8 Cleveland (Rochester, NY), WNBE-12 Tent. Binghamton 6-11 Tr 2015 WCMU-14 Mt. Pleasant, WKNX-25 Saginaw, WKBD-50, WTVS-56, WXON-62 2045 WUCM-19,

2100 WDHO-24 Toledo 6-12 Es 1718 WEDU-3 Tampa plus WITI-6, WTMJ-4 by what definately appeared to be Es

at 100 miles! Lots of unids.

6-13 Es 1645 WEDU-3, Tampa, WDIQ-2 Dozier, WKRG-5 Mobile, WEAR-3 Pensacola and tent. WRBL-3, WJXT-4

6-14 MS 0550 WCIV-4 Charleston, SC 0615 WLBT-3 Jackson, Ms.

> Tr 0615 WCIA-3 Champaign, Il. 1900 WCAE-50 St. John, In. 1940 WICD-15 Danville, Il.

Es 1700 unids on 2,384

6-15 Tr 1930 WCAE-50, W72AN 1948 WKBD-50 Detroit, WCMU-14; WLFI-18 Lafayette, In. 2030 WICD-15 2100 WUCM-19

6-18 Tr 0550 CHCH-11 Hamilton, Ont. plus WJW-8, WICU-12, WSTV-9

6-19 Tr 0545 WHIO-7, CHCH-11, WCPO-9, WISH-8, WJW-8, 0615 KWWL-7

0620 KRNT-8 DesMoines

0632 KHQA-7 Hanible, Mo.

0638 WGEM-10 Quincy, Il.

1930 WKBD-50, WTVS-56, WXON-62 Detroit, WVIZ-25 Cleveland,

WDHO-24 Toledo, WGTE-30 Toledo,

WAKR-23 Akron, WIMA-35 Lima, Oh.

1945 WJAN-17 Canton, Oh.

2000 WJET-24 Erie, WUAB-43 Lorain

2010 WKBN-27, WFMJ-21 Youngstown

2024 WUTV-29 Buffalo (445 mi.)

2030 WSEE-25 Erie 2047 WQLN-54 Erie

2100 WPTA-21, WANE-15 Ft. Wayne, WLEX-18, WKYT-27 Lexington, Ky.

2107 WLBC-49 Muncie, In.; WURD-40 Indianapolis (336 mi.)

2127 WKEF-22 Dayton

6-26 Tr 0530 WKBW-7 Buffalo (snowfree) WNBF-12 Binghamton (almost snowfree) at 600 miles) WJW-8, WCPO-9 0550 CFTO-19 Toronto 0610 WHIO-7, WBNS-10 0620 KRNT-8 0635 WICU-12 vy strong WHEC-10 Rochester, NY weak 0645 WSEE-35 0815 WJET-24, WTVS-56 0833 WDHO-24 1645 KDUB-40 Dubuque

1735 WVIZ-25, WUAB-43, WKBF-61

1740 WPGH-53 Pittsburg, WFMJ-21 WKBN-27, WYTV-33 1800 WJAN-17

2045 WUTV-29, WQLN-54

2145 WXXI-21 Rochester (525 mi)

0630-0650 WAKR-23 Akron, WUAB-43 WKRC-12 Cincy, WICU-12 Erie, WIIC-11, WSTV-9, WTRF-7, WHIO-7 0655 WANE-15 Ft. Wayne

0705 KRNT-8 Des Moines

0735 WXIX-19 Cincinnati, WKEF-22, WPTA-21

0850 WKJG-33 Ft. Wayne

Es 1135 KPRC-2 Houston, WBAP-5 Ft. Worth, KDFW-4 Dallas

1255 KARK-4 Little Rock, KMID-2 Midland

1325 KGNC-4 Amarillo

7-2 Tr WICD-15 Danville, WLFI-18 at 1900 2145 WEEK-25, WMBD-31 WTVP-47 Peoria, WRAU-19 Peoria 2220 WICS-20 Springfield 2253 WEEQ-35 LaSalle, Il. 2303 KDUB-40

7-3 0530 WHIO-7, WJW-8, WCPO-9, WBNS-10 0615 WHAS-11, WISH-8, KWWL-7

7-4 Tr 0530-0600 WJW-8, WXEX-8 tent. underneath WJW WCPO-9, WSTV-9, WSLS-10 Roanoke, Va (663 mi) WBNS-10, WIIC-11, WKRC-12, WHIO-7, WAVY-10 Norfolk, Va. at a whopping 814 miles! Wedge tp overode others at 0630, made positive ID. 0640 WDBJ-7 Roanoke (663 mi.) 0645 WMBD-31, WRAU-19

0700 WAKR-23 Akron 0727 WTRF-7 Wheeling

7-5 Tr 0645 KWWL-7 0820 KDUB-40; KVFD-21 Ft. Dodge WMBD-31 0838 WEEK-25 0849 WICD-

Es 1045 tent. Salt Lake City on 2,465 1125 WLBT-3 Jackson, Ms.

Tr 1900 WCAE-50, WKBD-50, WXON-62 2000 WKEF-22, 2030 WKJG-33, WANE-15, WPTA-21, WDHO-24, WCMU-14, WUCM-19, WKNX-25, WKBF-61 2107 WLBC-49

7-6 Tr 0530 WJW-8, WISH-8, WBNS-10 1700 WCAE-50 1900 WKBD-50, WXON-62

7-7 Tr 0540 WJW-8, WISH-8

#### Draeb cont.

Trops were pretty good, Es were down. The WAVY-10 catch has me excited after several days! Took a photo but don't know results w/ QRM. They were in from set turn on at 0530, and I thought I'd never get an ID...but they got stronger and overode WBNS. Didn't notice anything on UHF...must have been a VHF only opening. (possible but...maybe not RB) Log now 453.

#### Ray Stillwell, 1113 Cleveland, Lansing, Mi. EST

NOTE: Ray is a new TV-DXer...powerfully prodded by your editor...and all or most of the below are new...and not underlined.

6-15 Es 2230 KMID-2 Midland, Tx. 6-8 Tr 2200 WBAY-2 Green Bay, Wi 5544N Tr 2300 WFYI-20 Indianapolis, In. 2225N 2205 WTMJ-4 Milwaukee, Wi 4342N w/ 2400 WSJV-28 So. Bend, In. 5555N hy QRM fm WWJ-4 6-19 Tr 2200 WICD-15 Champaign, Il. 2215 WFRV-5 Green Bay, Wi 3332N WLFI-18 Lafayette, In. 2400 WCEE-23 Rockford, Il. 6-23 Tr 1845 KFIZ-34 Fond du Lac, Wi 2225N 6-9 Tr 0010 WMTV-15 Madison, Wi 3345N (250) 6-24 Tr 0730 WSEE-35 Erie, Pa. 5445N 2226 WTVK-26 Knoxville, Tn 3325N (470) 6-26 Tr 1300 WMTV-15 Madison, Wi. 4455N 2230-2300 WKMR-38 Morehead, WKPI-22 WKOW-27 Madison 4455N Pikeville, WLEX-18 Lexington, 7-5 Tr 2240 KDUB-40 Dubuque, Ia. 4555N Lexington all 3-400 miles. WKYT-27 2300 WJJY-14 Jacksonville, Il. 2123T - 2320 WTTV-4 Bloomington, In. 3223N 6-10 installed CMA-U preamp below 7' Ch Master 7-6 Tr 2230 WEEQ-35 LaSalle, Il. 2125N 7-7 Tr 2330 WFMJ-21 Youngstown, Oh. 3345N dish, w/ RGllu foam coax WPGH-53 Pittsburg, Pa. 1025N Tr 2300 WIMA-35, Lima, Oh. 4455N 7-8 Tr 2140 WXOW-19 LaCrosse, Wi. 2223N WKJG-33 Ft. Wayne, In. 5555N

Total since beginning this crazy hobby on 5-15-71, 72 stations. (and a lot of phone calls to R. Brown, comparing conditions. What have I created? RB)

### Charles A. Dobbins, 12851 Longacre, Detroit, Mi. EST

2310 WKEF-22 Dayton, Oh. 4335N

6-14 Tr 1230 WTVO-17 Rockford, Il. 3355N

5-13 MS 0555 WKY-4 Okla City, Ok. 4044N (925) 5-14 MS 0508 WSB-2 Atlanta, Ga. 4434R (650) Tr 0540 WBBM-2 Chicago, Il. 2433R (240) MS 0545 WKY-4 OKCity 4454R (925) 6-1 Tr 0615 WIMA-35 Lima, Oh. 4244N (125) 6-2 MS 0455-0522 Many relogs on 2 Tr 0542 WFBM-6 Indianapolis, In. 3033R (245) 0548 WISH-8 Indianapolis 4323R 6-3 Tr 0515 WMAR-2 Baltimore 2312R (410) 6-7 Tr 0452 CHCH-11 Hamilton, On. 2342R (180) MS 0554 WCIV-4 Charleston, SC 4033N (645) 6-10 Tr 0445-0505 KDKA-2, WKYC-2, WLWC-4, WJW-8, WBNS-10 all 5555R MS 0556 WKY-4 OklaCity 3343R 6-15 MS 0509 WSB-2 Atlanta 5545R (650) 6-19 Tr 0541 WHIO-7 Dayton, Oh. 3434N (190)

6-21 MS 0509 Unid-2 w/ ad for "Ambassador College." Any ideas????

Tr 0520 WLWT-5 Cincinnati 2422N (235)
6-22 Tr 0454 WCPO-9 Cincinnati 4544N (235)
6-23 Tr 0548 WTAE-4 Pittsburg 2042R (215)
6-24 Tr 0531 WTRF-7 Wheeling 1033R (210)
2103 WBGU-70 Bowling Green, Oh.
4554N75
6-26 Tr 0522 WKBW-7 Buffalo, NY 4554R (230)
7-8 Tr?0500 WCBS-2 NYC 1012R (500)
Tr 0503 WKBW-7 Buffalo 3443R

7-15 Tr 2300 WXIX-19 Cincinnati 3455N

7-9 MS 0509 WSB-2 Atlanta, Ga. 3443R (650) plus many unids (20-25 burst in half hour) on 2.

## Roger H. Brown, 1617 Linden St, E. Lansing, Mi. 48823 EST

6-16 Tr 0720 WEEK-25, WMBD-31 Peoria 5555R (300) 6-17 (cont.) WLFI-18 5554R 250 and 190.
0800 KDUB-40 Dubuque 2445R (310) 2245 WBRE-28 Scranton, Pa. 2223R (470)
6-17 Tr 0700 Same as above plus WICD-15,

#### Brown (cont.)

- 6-18 Tr 0615 WBRE-28 4435R (470) 0620 WICZ-40 Tr 2245 WXOW-19 LaCrosse 2422R (335) Binghamton 3325R (410) 0630 WSYE-18 2233R (380) 0825 WBJA-34 Binghamton
- 6-21 Tr 2230-2300 WICS-20 Springfield, I1. 3345R (330), WAND-17 Decatur, Il. 4444R (300) WUSI-16 Olney, Il. 3332R (320), KDNL-30 St. Louis, Mo. 3423R (410)
- 6-22 Tr south, SE incl WTAP-15 Parkersburg, WVa 2322N (280)
- 6-27 Tr 0820 WLEX-18, WKYT-27 Lexington 3343R (310)
- Es 1145 unid SW. 1200 KPRC-2 Houston 7-3 Tr 2305 WYAH-27 Portsmouth, Va. 1322N (594) w/ gospel telethon, confirmed by phone. Found them between WKBN-27 & WKYT-27.
- 7-5 Es 1200 KMID-2 Midland, KWGN-2 Denver 1215 KNOP-2 No Platte, Ne., 1220 KQTV-2 St. Joseph Mo. (590 mi.) 1230 KDUH-4 Hay Springs, Ne. 1400 KTBS-3 Shreveport. Tr 2200 WHA-21 Madison, KDUB-40 Dubuque

- KDUB-40 3445R (310) 7-9 Tr 1720 WTVP-47 Peoria 4445N (300) plus others to 300 miles. 2235R (410)
  - 7-12 Tr 2120 KDNL-30 St. Louis 3443R (410) 2135 WLKY-32 Louisville 5555R (320) 2145 WKSO-29 Somerset 3345R (400) 2150 WKLE-46 Lexington 4445R (310) 2200 WKZT-23 Elizabethtown 1222N

7-7 Es 1200 Unid west (Lucille Rivers) on 2

- (360)2201 WKGB-53 Bowling Green 4455N
- (410)2300-2400 WKYT-27, WBLG-62, WLEX-18, WDRB-41
- 7-13 Tr 0002 WDXR-29 Paducah 0420N (460) 7-15 Tr 2145 WTIU-30 Bloomington 3433N (260)

That's it for a long column. Had a nice letter (very welcome) from Dave Janowiak ... notes a "sour" DX season because of (1) poor tower manufacture...had to lower it twice (2) rotor problems (3) a ch 2-6 yagi hasn't arrived yet and other antenna plans have been held off. He has up a very sad 8 el JFD-LP for LB, 4 HB yagis in an array and a seven foot dish. He sees tropo scater to at least 250 miles per day. Wow! He logged WKAQ-2 on 2 hop Es in early June plus three new 4's (WTVY, CBOT, WCIV) via MS...and WTVP-47 for a current total of 348. Your editor is out of time! See you at Convention '71! 73s, BEST DX...Rog

FERDIMAND S. DOMBROWSKI, 1311 W. MADISON ST., APT. 11, MILW., WIS. 53204 (CDT)

A LITTLE SKIP TO REPORT, AND EVEN ONE DAY OF TROPS! ON 25 JUNE SOME UNIDED ES WAS SEEN ON CH. 2 AT 1640. TWO DAYS LATER THERE WAS A REPEAT PERFORMANCE AT 2225 ALSO ON CHAN. 2. ON ? JULY I GOT MY FIRST NEW STATION OF THE YEAR--W70AO IN FOND DU LAC, WIS.

ON 5 JULY THE BEST SKIP IN WEEKS WAS SEEN: WUSN-2, 0955, AND CCI ON 5 AS WELL. KTWO-2, 1000, AND CCI ON 3 AND 5. UNIDEDS ON 2, 3, AND 5 UNTIL ABOUT 1115, AND ON 2 BRIEFLY ALSO AT 1430 AGAIN.

6 JULY: UNIDED ES ON 2 AND 3 1830-1900, CDT. 7 JULY: EXTENDED GROUND WAVE (NOT GOOD ENUFF FOR TROPS BY MY RULES): WESTERN IOWA STNS PRETTY GOOD -- ESPECIALLY KWWL-7 IN COLOR; WKBT-8 AND WQAD-8 ALSO GOOD AT SIGN-OFF; GREEN BAY ALSO BETTER THAN USUAL ALTHO NOT AS GOOD AS THE OTHERS.

8 JULY: A BANG-UP DAY FOR SKIP; LUCKY I TOOK THE DAY OFF FROM WORK, ALTHO NO NEW STNS WERE SEEN. AT 0950 DISCOVER WESH-2 AND TENT-WTHS-2. KATC-3 AND AN UNIDED ON 3 AS WELL AT THE SAME TIME. MORE UNIDEDS ON 2, 3 AND 5 UNTIL GIVE A GENERAL IDEA OF WHAT WAS SEEN: IDS FOR KPRC-2 AT 1130, AND KMID-2 AT 1200.

NO MORE IDS UNTIL 1600 WHEN I GET WPBT-2. AND KOCK-2. AT 1627 THERE IS AN AD FOR DAY-TONA BEACH AREA (WESH-2 ASSUMED), AND SKIP ENDS FINALLY AFTER 1630.

ON 10 JULY THE FIRST CLEVELAND AREA DX OF THE YEAR IS SEEN WITH THE USUAL WDHO-24. WAKR-23, AND DETROIT'S WKBD-50. DIDDN'T LOOK UNITL MIDNIGHT SO I UNDOUBTEDLY MISSED A FEW THAT HAD ALREADY SIGNED OFF THE AIR. BRIEF UNIDED SKIP SEEN AT 1320, AND 2045.

12 JULY WAS THE BEST DAY YET FOR SKIP, IN 1625-2000+. ALTHO STRICTLY ON 2 AND 3 AND MOSTLY UNIDED, THERE WERE ENUFF IDS TO 1700: WCBS-2. 1730: WDIQ-2-TENT. 1800: WGBH -2. 1900: WGBH-2. 2000: KMID-2.

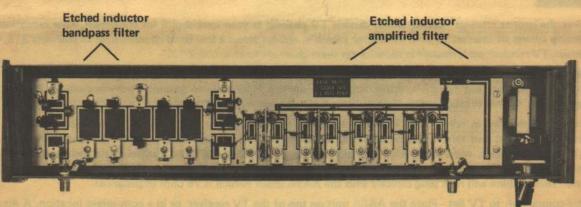
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Each AASA unit is designed specifically for one VHF channel (any single channel, 2 to 13). Signals entering the device from the antenna are first electronically filtered to ensure that ONLY the desired single channel of interest passes through the unit; all others are rejected electronically by the filtering system. Once filtered and separated from all of the signals and channels delivered by the antenna system, the single channel of interest is amplified and filtered again. All of this is done utilizing a revolutionary new space-age system of etched inductances (see photo above) where the usual wire wound coils found in all TV reception devices are eliminated entirely by printed circuit coils, directly on the unit's "chassis" board.

## **Specifications:**

Single Channel Gain - 22 db gain standard

Adajacent Channel Rejection - Nearest adjacent channel carriers (sound on lower channel, picture on higher channel) are

rejected 16-22 db typically. Lower adjacent channel picture, upper adjacent channel sound

rejected by 40-50 db typically.

Noise Figure - Low band (channels 2-6), 3.0 db

High Band (channels 7-13), 5.0 db

Dynamic Range - 100 db dynamic range before 1.0% sync compression

Input/Output Impedances - 75 ohms, standard "f" series MATV fittings (auxilliary 75 to 300 ohm matching transformer

required at input and output for 300 ohm systems)

**Operating Power -**

Housing -

Connections -

Note -

AC Models - 117 VAC, under 25 mA current load

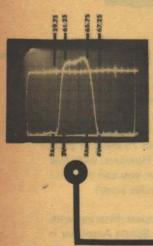
Aluminum housing, anodized, with wooden end caps

Input TV, Output TV, power on/off (all on rear panel)

Specifications may change at any time, and the manufacturer is not responsible for production changes in specifications

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## PERFORMANCE



This swept-spectrum display, photographed from the display screen of a Texscan Model 9300 sweep/display system, shows the extreme selectivity of a typical AASA unit. Note that the channel 3 visual (picture) carrier at 61.25 MHz and the channel 3 aural (sound) carrier at 65.75 MHz are within the flat top portion of the display curve. However, channel 2 sound (59.75 MHz) and channel 4 picture (67.25 MHz) carriers are completely "out of the passband" of the unit.

This off-the-TV-screen photo of channel 3, KARD-TV, Wichita, Kansas (a distance of 153 miles from the TV receiving location in Oklahoma City) is typical of the performance the AASA can deliver. Please note that this reception was provided even though a local channel 4 TV station in Oklahoma City (only 2.1 miles from the TV receiving location) was on the air telecasting at the time the photo was taken!



#### Installation:

- Select the proper channel decide which distant TV channel is your best choice for consistent, clear reception, for the sporting events of interest to you. Whenever possible, always select a low band channel such as channels 2, 3, 4, 5 or 6 because TV receiver performance is superior on these channels to channels 7-13.
- 2) Erect the proper antenna the best antenna for single channel reception from a distant station is a 5 or 10 element single channel yagi; cut for the specific channel of interest. Height above ground is very important, 20 feet is better than 10 feet, 40 feet is much better than 20 feet. Antennas are very directional aim carefully at the distant TV station.
- Choose proper lead in wire most antennas are designed for 300 ohm "flat/tubular" line. This type of line is easily damaged by wind and rain, must be carefully installed, and has no shielding against interference from automobile ignition, power lines, neon signs, etc. The best choice is RG-59/U (75 ohm) coaxial cable and nearly all TV supply houses carry outdoor antenna mounting 75 to 300 ohm matching transformers to convert the 300 ohm antenna to 75 ohms. This feedline will now plug directly into the AASA input (which is 75 ohm impedance).
- 4) Inter-connection to TV Set Place the AASA unit on top of the TV receiver, or in a convenient location. A short length of RG-59/U 75 ohm cable (not provided) inter-connects through a 75/300 ohm matching transformer (not provided) to the TV set VHF antenna terminals, in place of your regular antenna. NOTE: do not leave the regular antenna connected when the AASA unit is attached to the TV set.
- 5) Operation Simply dial your TV set to the distant channel, plug the AASA into your AC wall outlet, and turn the AASA power switch to on. There are no user adjustments on the AASA (wired and tested models) other than the on/off switch. Carefully adjust your TV set fine tuning for best picture and sound from the distant TV station, sit back and enjoy the blacked out TV sporting event!
- 6) Options Wired and tested models are factory pre-tuned for the specific channel ordered by the user. Full instructions are packed with each unit.

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Well, my unsettled situation caught up with me last month, and I didn't get the July column in on time. This time, I will be away from home after the 10th so must get the column in a little early so undoubtedly have missed some reports. Apologies to all for delaying these many worthwhile loggings. I have finally finished my master's degree work at Santa Barbara, but am not really sure of my whereabouts in September. I hope I do not cause less of your interest because of my inconsistencies.

A DX test will be held at KFDO-8 by Glen Neal. In his words:
"A TV-DX SPECIAL will be conducted by me at KFDO-8, Sayre OK, on the night of Aug 13 (early AM of Aug 14) at 2445-Oll5 CDT. Not before that time, and not after. This will coincide nicely with the great Perseids storm. Thus here at last is your chance to participate in a TV-first (first in a long time, anyway. dps), and log some high-band VHF MS besides. The video will be a ID slide, white background with black letters. Look for a slim 8 on the right side, with the call and location on the left side. The audic will be a 1-kHz tone. We are +10 kHz offset, with visual ERP of 26.3 kW and aural ERP of 5.25 kW. Call me that Friday night at Ch 8 (405 928-3233) and we'll talk about it." All right, friends. Go after it

So far, the season has been very much below par. Tropo has been only fair, and Es has been quite poor in number and length of openings and in MUF attained. The good Es sessions quit at the end of May; there was some try at good openings in late June but they gave up trying late in the month, too. Altogether, there was at least some trace of Es on these June dates: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 15, 18, 19, 20, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 30; July: 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 10, 11.

Stu Grade, 2828 S. Cornelia, Sioux City, Iowa 57106 (21May- 30Jun) (Times	as noted)
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J19 Tr 0009 KCRG- 9 CedarRapidsIA 2445 215 ld XEWT-12 Tijuana	5555 20
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From Canon City, Colorado (MDT)  J2 kl 1931 KØ2## 2 CanonC (KKTV11) 4555 0 GW 1840 KIXA 40 Fontana-L.A.  1930 KØL## 4 CanonC (KRDO-3) 4555 0 KMEX 34 L.A	3444 115
1930 KØ4## 4 Canonc.(KRDO-13) 4555 0 KMEX 34 L.A.	3445 115
GW 1925 KOAA- 5 Pueblo CO 5555 35 KBSC 52 Corona-L.A.	3445 115
1932 KTSC 8 Pueblo 4555 35 1900 KCET 28 L.A.	3445 115
1931 KKTV 11 Colo.Springs 3455 35 12 GW 1800 KWHY 22 L.A.	3335 115
1930 KRDO-13 Colo. Springs 3455 35 Not noted at San Diego: KKOG 16	
From Gallup NM (MDT) KGCM 13 XHS-23 Ensenada, KBSA 46 Guasti	-L.A.
J4 GW 2200 KOB-4 KNME-5 KOAT-7 via cable. (16 & 46 are not on air; 23 is a	mystery;
lcl 2205 K76##76 Gallup(KOAT7)3355(NoUart) did you overlook KHOF-30, Stu?	dps)
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GW KABC- 7 L.A. 5555 115 From Rawlins, Wyoming (MDT) KT 1cl 1833 KFMB- 8 San Diego 5555 15 15 2015 KWGN2 KRMA6 KIZ7 KBTV9	by CATV
Enjoyed DXing out Westnoted many translators in Utah and Colorado, bu	t had no
TV in the car to receive them with!	

San Diego has excellent TV selection—Los Angeles VHF's are essentially locals due to their Mt. Wilson transmitters. No VHF channels open for DX—even KEY-T 3 Santa Barbara is strong. Some skip bars were noted behind KNXT 2 but not nearly strong enough to override.

Good tropo opening 25th of June in Sioux City brought new WDAZ-8 and KXJB-4 ND. There was horizontal rolling behind KELO-11, maybe KTHI, but KELO was too strong.

Sioux City totals: TV 141, FM 249. I am moving to Council Bluffs, Iowa soon-I will begin my logs over from that location.

Fred McCormack, Des Lacs, North Dakota 58733	(June) (CDT)
20 MS 0755 WKY - 4 Oklahoma City R 900 (27) (Es) 1500 XHI	BC- 3 Mexicali BCN 3333R1295
	RK- 3 Las Vegas NV 4444R1075
	DA- 4 Tucson AZ 1334R1200
	ID- 2 Midland TX 3333R1115
	AI 2 Flagstaff AZ 0322R1030
26 Tr 2158 KPLO- 6 Reliance SD 3334R 320 1628 KFT	DX-3 WichitaFallsTX 0432R1000
	RL- 4 Reno NV 2334R1085
	CB- 3 San Angelo TX 2333R1155
	VN 2 Reno 4443R1085
	FI 2 KlamathFallsCR3333R1065
1458 KTVK 3 Phoenix AZ 3333R1150 DWing in	
ends from Des Lacs, and conditions were generally quite p	poor. Only one new station
was logged during a good tropo opening on the 25th. As a	of June 28, I am living in
Bismarck, and I expect to confine my DX'ing for the preser	nt to weekends at Des Lacs
which is about two hours drive from Bismarck. 73 and	good DX.

Glen R. Neal, 1005 N. 5th, Sayre, Oklahoma 73662 (8-30 June) (CDT) Not much monitoring done this month, but enough to tell that the E-skip hasn't done too well here. The trope was only fair this month.

June 8 Es t/in 1235-1250 to SE, WESH-2 &: WSAV-3.

June 9 Tr 1141-1300 KSWS-8 KBIM-10 Roswell NM (4543,4503R280), KFDW-12 Clovis NM good, + "regular" xltrs: K77AQ K8ØAU K82AZ Memphis, K71BG K73AU K75AV Wellington, K76AU K78CM K8ØAT Wheeler, K79## K81## Reydon all good-exc. Es t/in 1452-1455 OF ch 3 w/ CBs & MB (multi-burst) to east; unid Tr 1900+ same xltrs as AM + K70CF K72CB K74BF Higgins (80 mi).

June 10 Tr 0900-1400 Due to thunderstorms in area & to west, ducts (short-range) were forming here and there to provide glimpses at various translators. All 14 reg. xltrs in & out plus Matador (100 mi) good, K78AZ K8ØBD K83AQ. Wheeler snow-free,

and lots of unid CCI on chs 71, 73, 76, 78, 81.

June 11 Storm dismounted dish, but no damage. Extremely strong wind tonight. Lately there have been tornados, double-funnels and the like almost every day around here. A night in May I was on the air all night at KFDO-8, due to severe weather. June 16 Tr in PM, 17 xltrs good.

The dish has made it so far, though.

June 20 Tr in AM good. Several xltrs good.

June 23 Es t/in 1855-1940 WSJK-2 WUND-2 WUNC-4 WFBC-4, and unid 5 & 6 good at/

June 24 Es t/in 1317-2000 left. KB0I-2, also translator CCI against KB0I, KUTV 2 KCPX-4 KSI-5 Utah. At 1334 noted a ch-3 xltr all alone--it must be for KBOI since neither had a VIT (vertical-interval test signal); I guess KBOI blanks out the net. VIT-even if I could prove it was a KBOI xltr, they have two on ch 3 so how would I know which one? 1710, Es Mexico, apparently XEW-2 has bought a lot of new equipment. I was impressed with their programming. They were using special effects (wipes) that I have never seen in the US. Their ID is now all-electronic, an animated one, printing a "W2" together, then the words "Cadena WTV Proyeccion Nacional" underneath, While using electronic tones (instead of the old chimes). Programming ran smoothly and was very neat and interesting. Their horz line freq was also exactly in step with US stations (i.e., no "leaning lines"). Their VI sync was good also, except the width of the sync was a little shorter than US stations. No VIT of any kind noted. Unid ch 3, w/ a spiral of "3s" leading to a big 3 in center & circle w/ "TM" on it. Any ideas? Also, KTVU 2 KRON-4 KPIX 5 KCRA-3 KNXT 2 KNBC 4 KTLA 5 CA w/ MB VIT.

June 25 Es 1145-1200 left, exc. chs 2-6. Wild CCI.

June 28 Es all day really, but btw 2220-2330, KTVI 2 KMOX-4 KSD-5 St. Louis MO (all new, 560 mi), KTVO 3 Kirksville MO (new), KMOS-6 Sedalia MO (new), exc. "Unusual time = unusually good opening."

June 30 Es t/in 1205-1330 left. Good session. WUND-2 WLW-D plus unid Canadians on chs 2 & 4. Up to ch 6 at times, unid. WJBK-2 w/ no VIT.

I have really been keeping very poor track of condx lately as I'm sure you can see. However, night school is out now, and I have just prepared July's log, and gone over old VUD's (of this time last year) plus re-read some of Bob Cooper's articles of MS DX, Tr ducting, etc. I should be able to do very well in July. I am expecting a better July for Es this year than last. The weather looks like it may be a little cooler this year also, and I am almost through with my list of distances. Once it is done, I will make several logs (cross-referenced) of UHF's within 1000 mi. and HB VHF within 800 mi. and all LB VHF, then a special log for xltrs. That should be enough for July. Comments and plans for other "DX Specials" are welcome. 73.

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Glenn Hauser, South San Antonio, Texas (PSC Box 42309, Kelly AFB, TX 78241) (CST (8 June - 6 July) DX has been rather mediocre, althouthere has been a lot of it,
judging from the number of logsheets accumulated. Seldom any openings up to ch. 6,
altho my locals on 4 & 5 rule out a lot of IDs. Still waiting for some of that trans-
Gulf tropo. I now have a FINCO P 7 antenna, but don't have it installed yet ... if it's
got to be up 50', I must be sure of having a "permanent" residence, hi hi. To those
who wonder, yes, my log is kept on CST the year round, as I do not recognize so-called
daylight savings time (shifting would be a better word than savings). (Your editor and
Pat Dyer also keep to standard time, as it keeps DX openings to a uniform standard
throughout the year. Others apparently prefer whatever local time is in effect. dps)
8 Es 1005 WESH- 2 DaytonaBeach FL 1045 (13) (Tr) 0628 KPLC- 7 Lake Charles LA N 325
     1012 WSB - 2 Atlanta GA
                                      885
                                                0643 KLNI-15 Lafayette LA
      1057 KYTV 3 SpringfieldMO 5444N 620
                                                0735 KBMT 12 Beaumont TX
   1100 WTWO 2 Terre Haute IN
                                   925
                                              0859 KFDM- 6 Beaumont
                                                                                N 285
      1106 KQTV 2 St Joseph MO
                                              2239 KIRN 9 Austin TX
                                    N. 745
      1113 WMT - 2 CedarRapids IA
                                               2249 KPLC- 7 Lake Charles LA
                                      965
                                                                                  325
                                              2306 KFDM- 6 Beaumont TX
     1119 KGLO- 3 Mason City IA
                                      1005
     1122 KCKT 2 Great Bend KS 5544N 625
                                                2357 WWL - 4 New Orleans LA
                                                                              N 515
     1129 KNOP 2 North Platte NE
                                  825 14 Tr 0002 KFDM- 6 Beaumont TX
                                                                               285
     1131 KMTV 3 Omaha NE
                                    N 835
                                              0415 KLFY-20 Lafayette LA
                                                                                  380
     1140 KHPL 6 Hayes Center NE N 790 15 Es 1020 WBAY- 2 Green Bay WI
                                                                              1190
     1145 KPLO- 6 Reliance SD
                                    N1010
                                                 1100 WMT - 2 Cedar Rapids IA 965
     1154 KOTA- 3 Rapid City SD
                                    N1045
                                                 1159 KDIX- 2 Dickinson ND
     1155 KWGN 2 Denver CO
                                     805
                                             MS 1459 KWGN 2 Denver CO ?
     1201 KTVS 3 Sterling CO
                                    N 810 16 Tr 0510 WAFB- 9 Baton Rouge LA
                                    1245
                                            0510 KLFY-10 Lafayette LA
      1329 KID - 3 Idaho Falls ID
   Tr 2236 WVUE 8 New Orleans LA
                                                0525 KALB- 5 Alexandria IA
                                     515
                                                                                 390
      2317 KBMT 12 Meaumont TX
                                     N 290
                                               0539 KRGV- 5 Weslaco TX
11 Es 1559 KWGN 2 Denver CO
                                4444 805
                                                0540 KTRE 9 Lufkin TX
                                                                                N 270
     1628 KTWO- 2 Casper WY
                                     1010
                                               2306 WAFB- 9 Baton Rouge LA
                                                                                450
     1708 KTCA 2 St Paul MN
                                     1120
                                                2342 KFDM- 6 Beaumont TX
                                                                                  285
1758 KDAL- 3 Duluth MN N1250 2355 XEFE- 2 Nuevo Laredo Ta
12 Es 1437 KGLO- 3 Mason City IA 5455 1005 17 Tr 0003 WWL - 4 New Orleans LA
                                                2355 XEFE- 2 Nuevo Laredo Tams
                                                                                  515
      1458 KQTV 2 St Joseph MO
                                      745
                                                0045 KRIS- 6 CorpusChristi TX
                                                                                  130
      1703 KTCA 2 St Paul MN
                                      1120 18 Es 1755 KOAI 2 Flagstaff AZ
                                                                                  845
      1715 KUSD- 2 Vermillion SD
                                                1800 KTVK 3 Phoenix AZ
                                    N 960
                                                                                N 835
      1959 WBBM- 2 Chicago IL
                                                           3 Mexicali BCN 4534N1020
                                                 1801 XHBC
                                     1055
                                    180 19 Es 1945 unid 2 CBS
450 20 Es 1329 WFMY- 2 Greensboro NC
   Tr 2105 KPRC- 2 Houston TX
      2130 WAFB- 9 Baton Rouge LA
                                                                                 1175
                                    N 105 22 Es 1115 WTWO 2 Terre Haute IN
      2330 KXIX 19 Victoria TX
                                                                                 925
      2159 KLNI 15 New Iberia LA
                                    400
                                                 1123 WLW-D 2 Dayton OH
                                                                            5544 1075
      2353 KTBC- 7 Austin TX
                                       80
                                                 1229 WISC- 3 Madison WI
                                                                                N1070
13 Tr 0455 KNOE- 8 Monroe LA
                                      430 23 Tr 0555 KHFI-42 Austin TX
      0525 WLOX-13 Biloxi MS
                                            0702 KXIX 19 Victoria TX
                                    N 570
                                                                                  105
                                             0705 KPIC- 7 Lake Charles IA
      0544 WDSU- 6 New Orleans LA
                                       515
                                                                                  325
                                             0705 WAFB- 9 Baton Rouge LA
      0545 KALB- 5 Alexandria LA
                                       390
                                                                                  450
      0550 KTVE 10 El Dorado AR
                                     N 450
                                               -0706 KTRE 9 Lufkin TX
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      0553 KLTV 7 Tyler TX
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                                             Es 1959 WSJK 2 Sneedville TN
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      0600 KZTV 10 CorpusChristi TX
                                      145
                                             Tr 2129 KPRC- 2 Houston TX
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      0604 KATC 3 Lafayette LA
                                    N 375
                                                 2338 XHX -10 Monterrey NL
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      0609 KHTV 39 Houston TX
                                     180 24 Tr 0021 KCEN- 6 Temple TX
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(24) Tr 1745 KPBS-15 San Diego CA
                                   3335R 245 (4)(Es)2100 KOMO- 4 Seattle WA
                                                                                  3324R 874
                                   3332R 920
   Es 1800 KFBC- 5 Cheyenne WY
                                                          CBUT 2 Vancouver-BC
                                                                                  3311R 991
            KCCO- 5 Oklahoma City 0232N1280
WKY - 4 Oklahoma City 4232R1280
                                                          KATU 2 Portland OR
                                                                                  3311R 756
                                               5 Es 1851 KTEW 2 Tulsa OK
                                                                                  4434R1356
                                                     2000 KFDX- 3 Wichita Falls 4433R1242
      1900 KMID- 2 Midland TX
                                   3032R1080
   Tr 2020 KCST 39 San Diego CA 2333R 245
                                                     2025 KDFW= 4 Dallas TX
                                                                                  2322R1380
25 Es 1550 XHFA 2 Nogales (40min) 4143N 612
Tr 1700 KPBS-15 San Diego 3344R 245
                                                     2030 WBAP- 5 Dallas
                                                                                  3334R1380
                                                     2034 KWAB- 4 Big Spring TX 4433R1100
            KFMB- 8 San Diego
                                   2332R 245
                                                     2058 KMID- 2 Midland TX
                                                                                  3212R1080
            KOGO-10 San Diego
                                   3554R 245
                                                     2115 KDIX- 2 Dickinson ND 3012R1224
            KCST 39 San Diego 1223R 245
                                               2159 CKCK- 2 Regina Sask 2532R1296
     DX has been pretty good lately on TV & FM, with some good tropo & Es. Total TV 101.
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Dennis Smith, 450 Poplar Ave, Wasco, California 93280 (28 June - 11 July 1954 Zenith 19128 21" B&W TV, 1954 Walsco 2-bay VHF-UHF Stacked V at 46' AG. (28 June - 11 July) 10 Es (morning, thru 1130, ch 2-4 unids +:) (10)(Es) (unids ch 2-6, also FM thru 108 MHz) 0930 KCKT 2 Great Bend KS 3222R1170 11 Es (in&out ch2 0940-1200, ch2-6 briefly 1100+) KGNC- 4 Amarillo TX 2333R1010 1030 KOOK- 2 Billings MT 4544R 930 (in&out 1530-1615 ch 2, no ids)
Of all these days, Es was observed (evening, 1730-2200) 1800 KMID- 2 Midland TX 4455R1050 1925 KCKT 2 Great Bend KS 3332R1170 only on the last two days. Not a good 2030 KOAA- 5 Pueblo CO 2345R 860 season at all. Total remains 139 logged.

Occasionally, CATV radiation interfering with television reception over the air is noted in DX reports. Probably the best authority for this problem is Bob Cooper, with his experience in both DXing and CATV engineering. Here are his comments as originally published in this column in June 1968.

"I noticed comments in an earlier VUD concerning radiation problems from CATV systems getting into your TV-DXing antennas. The law is very clear on this—there shall not be more than 50 microvolts radiation at 15 feet distance from the lines to a tuned dipole. However, I admit this is enough to cause co-channel problems. As a free-lance consulting engineer in CATV who gets \$100.00 a day up for my time, it has been my experience that a well-designed and operated system should have NO detectable radiation at 15 feet from the lines. I own several systems myself, and know from first-hand experience that if a system radiates from its lines, it is usually due to bad fittings or badly-shielded amplifier boxes. In either case, any radiation present is usually a sign that the 50 microvolts at 15 feet is being exceeded. Your recourse is to draft a letter of complaint to the nearest FCC field office, with a copy to the attention of the chief engineer at the CATV system. The FCC is very concerned about off-the-air reception being marred by line radiation problems, and will act on your behalf in due course."

Those were Bob's comments about the situation. I wonder if there are other radiation sources that might be considered, too. Some of the very old CATV systems still in operation use open-line (unshielded) distribution and can radiate quite freely. Another case: the new system here in Wasco is about three years old. I was in Santa Barbara most of the time so could not observe regularly, however. I did notice shortly after it first went into operation that there seemed to be no detoctable interference at all on my receiver. A few months later, I noted slight interference. Several months after that, radiation was up to the level where it has remained, to a level that does not give much problem to most Es, but can give some trouble to weak tropo or MS. It could be slight deterioration of the system, but it may possibly be due to some customers' unauthorized use of a length of 300-ohm leadin wire (unshielded) from the TV receiver to a second set. It is much like attaching a second telephone without informing the phone company, though it is not often thought of that way. In any case, Bob's notes can be helpful in bringing about a solution to CATV radiation on VHF TV channels.

As it turned out, I didn't get away by the 10th of July after all, but was delayed a few days. So some reports that would have been missed are included. It must be nice to be organized....

Pat Dyer, Office of Telecommunications, Institute for Telecommunication Sciences, (7 June - 10 July) Boulder, Colorado 80302 This is going to be a bit different type report than I normally send in.

Total is presently 66.

June 7 (still in San Antonio), Es, before noon, WFMY-2 Greensboro NC (1175 mi).

June 27 (in bottom story of 3-story apt. bldg. with no TV set), Es, on FM set with 2-ft whip antenna, 1410 MDT, Ch 6 audio (87.75 MHz), WFBM-6 Indianapolis IN (1015 mi).

July 10 (in hotel room on 4th floor using room set), Es, 0235, CKSA-2 Lloydminster,

Alta., (950 mi). That has to be one of the latest Es openings on TV I've seen anywhere. On the hotel room TV there has been a good deal of CCI on Ch 2 and 4 but never

strong enough to wipe it out. Some trop CCI has been noted on Ch 4 and 7.

Local Ch 6 (educational) doesn't come on Saturdays at all and is on only in evenings the rest of the week. Hopefully by next time, I will be settled in a permanent-type location at one of the nearby field sites. 73, WA5IYX/Ø.

Dave Pomeroy, 8720 W. 80th Street, Overland Park, Kansas 66204 (6-7 July) (CDT) 6 Tr 2200 KXNE-19 Norfolk NE 2445R (6)(Tr) 2300 KMEG 14 Sioux City IA 1235R 225 7 Tr 2130 KHNE-29 Hastings 4445R 2200 KHNE-29 Hastings NE 5555R

2300 KELO-11 SiouxFalls SD 3433R 2200 KI&MA 18 Salina KS 3435N 153
Others seen during last month on occasion: Note: KCIT-50 Kansas City MO is going off
KARD-3 KYTV 3 MOVI 6 KOTTV 7 KDTC 0 KNOWN 20 KNOW KARD-3 KYTV 3 WOW-6 KETV 7 KPTS-8 KOLN-10 the air as soon as FCC permission is KGIN-11 WJJY-14 KUHI 16 KDNL 30. received.

(8 May - 8 July) (CDT) Mary Garber, 2539 Kessler Blvd, Lincoln, Nebraska 68502 May 8 First Es of the season for me. WGBH-2 (3554N1325) @ 1630, WMAR-2 & KDKA-2 @ 1800. Skip out around 1820.

May 11 Weak in/out Es ch 2 only. WKTV 2 @ 2013 (4433N1180) only one ided. May 18 More of ch 2 in/out Es. CFCL2-2 @ 1745 (5434N); can't seem to find Kearns, Ontario to measure distance. Tent. WDIQ-2 @ 1810, skip f/out 1820.

May 19 Es, KDKA-2 @ 2200 only stn ided. Weak opening.

May 21 Es t/in 1735 to S/SE/NW. Mexican cartoons to SSW on 2, no id. KBOI-2 @ 1800, WFMY-2 1815, WUND-2 @ 1900, WBRZ-2 2100, KATC-3 2129, WVI-4 2154, KALB-5 2200 (4435N705), WEAR-3 @ 2201 (5532R900) & KPRC-2 @ 2217. Skip remained on ch 3 until 2255 w/out being on ch 2 at all. This opening probably reached FM between 2145-2200.

May 22 Es t/in 0930. WBRZ-2 0930, KATC-3 0931, KPRC-2 1000 (in till 1500), CFRN-3 1130 (4443N1220), CFAC-2 (ex-CHCT) @ 1130, CFCN-4 1158 s/on after color-bar TP, unid Mexican to SSW w/ Festival from 1200-1500 w/no ids!! Gradually faded after 1500.

May 23 Es beginning @ t/in around 1620 to E, then to SE & S. KDKA-2 @ 1630, CBFT 2 1647, WTVY 4 1700, WRBL 3 1725 (5433N870), WDCN-2 1720 (5543N625), WRCB-3 1730 (5343N730). Three new ones during this opening.

May 24 Es to west. KTVN 2 @ 2000. Moved to SE w/ CBS, NBC stns to SE,

missed ids @ 2030 to skip f/out @ 2050.

DX has been blah around here.

May 25 One of my most consistent long-distance stns, KATU 2 OR, ided @ 1117 & Was waiting for the new Ch 3 in Salem to break in but no such luck. Out@1145. May 29 Fairly good tropo to SE. KOAM-7 KODE-12 KNOE-8 (3334N625) @ 0930. Open-

ing broke up after 1000. Es in/out all afternoon, WGR-2 WMAR-2 ided.

Tropo again after 2000, NMT-2 KTUI-8 (3445N330). Nothing else worth reporting. May 31 Best opening of season so far for me. Es t/in apx 1115 to SW. KTVK 3 @ 1130, Mex. on ch 2 & 5 to SW, no ids; KORK-3 @ 1200, tent. XETV 6 @ 1230 with many mentions of National City and an ad for Webster's Pontiac, missed id. (Probably XETV, as National City CA is between San Diego & Tijuana. dps) Skip into FM from 1215 to at

least 1300. KNXT 2 ided @ 1330, WFMY-2 @ 1430, WDCN-2 @ 1530.

June 5 Weak Es to SW. KNXT 2 @ 1400.

June 5-22: Missed some openings here due to moving, vacation, overtime work, etc. June 23 Es to east & SW 1400-1600. WRC-4 WMAR-2 @ 1400, WTTG 5 @ 1430. KOAI 2 & KTVK 3 in from 1500 to 1600.

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June 24 Es @ t/in 1330, KOAI 2, KNXT 2 @ 1400. Unid ch 3 to SW with 'Technical Difficulties' on video 1400-1430, missed id, KEYT?? KTVU 2 @ 1430 (4233N1380) & have I been waiting a long time for that one! KTVN 2 @ 1500 & KTVU 2 again @ 1530.

June 25 Es/Tr to E/SE w/ Des Moines, Cedar Rapids, etc. V's all 5555 though

nothing exciting. Brief Es WUND-2 @ 1300.

July 5 Es to east 1200-1300, no ids. KBOI-2 KREM-2 KLEW-3 in/out 1400-1530.

Es reached FM at various times throughout opening.

July 7 First decent trop opening to E/NE. 0040-0105, logged were: WGN-9 (2335 N475), KMSP-9 (3445N355), WCCO-4 (3445N355), KSTP-5 (2032N360).

July 8 Es @ 1200 t/in to east: WMAR-2 @ 1300 only stn ided. Reached ch 5 but

signals weak and in/out in a hurry; f/out 1315.

New ant. system consists of a Swan LB and stacked Channel-Master HB yagis up 45 & 53! respectively. This season has been worse than last year's in both Es & tropo. Skip has been very spotty and openings only reach ch 4 or 5 on almost all occasions. Anyone have an AJ-15 or an AR-15 for sale? 73.

Bob Cooper, Jr., 2609 Chaucer Drive, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73120 (9Jun-5Jul) (CDT) Greetings from the land of 14-hour work days, which leave little time (crinclination) to DX. Either my 14-hr days (7 days per week) have "clashed" with what DX there has been, or this has been one of the poorest Es seasons on record, or perhaps both. At any rate, I've managed better reports for Januarys in the past.

June 9 Tr 0645-0830, 27 UHF translators from west, NW, north logged. None new. June 10 Es 1530-1600 NE ch 2, no id. 1740 tune-in to apx1805, NE, ch2-3, no ids. June 11 Es 1722 t/in, XEW-2 XEZ-3. 1900 t/in, WWAY 3 WEDU 3 WPBT 2. 1956-2003 YVKS-3 Barquisimete or Barcelona, Venezuela on double- or triple-hop Es; nice copy at

1957 with "Vino Hildago" ad and Caracas distributer supered.

June 13. Es 1710 t/in, XEW-2, followed by WMAR-2 WPSX-3 & others to 1750 fade-out. June 17 Tropo up slightly north, NE & east, 2130-2230. Nothing over 350 miles.

June 19 High-pressure ridge NE out of here (fall-type duct weather). 0845 t/in
noted new on air WDXR-29 Paducah KY (508mi) WKSO-29 Somerset KY (715) WKGB-53 Bowling Green KY (618), also noted new on air KFPW-40 Ft Smith AR (180). Signals faded by 0905. UHF total 122 stations at this point with 4 new in one brief session! Es to NE, 1940, again 2032, etc., ch 2-3, no ids.

June 20 Tr 0655-0800, up slightly N. E. KARK-4 & others noted in 350-mi range.

Es 2028 t/in, WPBT 2.

June 23 Es 2200 t/in, KTVU 2 CKCK-2 KTVN 2 and others until 2330. June 24 Es 1815 t/in, XEW-2 WUSN-2 until 1900.

Tr approx 2300, up north, NE, KCSD-19 (297mi) only non-regular noted.

June 25 Tr 0816 t/in, KDNL-30 (458mi) WICS 20 (523) on weak ducting.

Es 1800 t/in, Spanish-speaking (not Mexico), on & off until 1850 or so.

June 27 Es 1728 t/in, KTVN 2 KOOK-2 KBOI-2 & others until 1915 or so.

2050-2115 start of Es to NE, 2120 WKZO-3, 2132 WPSX-3, 2140 CKVR-3, 2142 WJBK-2, 2200 WMAR-2, 2204 WSYR-3, 2225 KYW-3. Fade-out 2300.

June 28 Es apx 1800 wk NW ch 2-3; 2040 t/in KUTV 2, 2047 KBOI-2, 2109 KID-3,

2117 KHQ-6, 2200 KREM-2, 2330 apx fade-out.

June 30 Es 0820 t/in, east, 0830 WUND-2 on w/ TP, WFMY-2, left 0835 w/band open.

2047 t/in, WESH-2, 2053 WPBT 2, 2053 WEDU 3, 2111 KRTV 3 KOOK-2, 2139 KHQ-6, Es to July 1 Gone all day, no observations.

July 3 Es 1605 t/in, NW ch 2 to 1620 t/out. No id.

July 4 Because I could be home all day for first time in 2 months, there was very little to show for it. Es 1020 WUSN-2, 1057 XEZ-3 (with no sign of XEW--very rare), 1310 WFMY-2, 1336 WUND-2 sign-on w/ TP, Es out by 1400 or so. Es 1850 t/in WUSN-2, 1904 SS Timex special peaking on Venezuela again, ch 3, gone by 1911. More Es 1945 w/ KDIX-2 KTVU 2 KOOK-2 KRTV 3 & others in & out until 2300 or so. Probably much better opening than loggings indicate -- busy setting off sky-rockets most of evening.

July 5 Es 0930 t/in, CBWFT 3 on TP plus others on 2 & 6 but no time to DX. Es 1545 ME ch 2 MBC no id; 2020 weak to west, KEY-T 3 KNXT 2 XHBC-3 & others until Tropo 2230 excellent to west, NW out to 400 miles plus. apx 2200.

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Construction Permits Granted
\*90.1 10w. Cal State Students. Long Beach CA Colorado Springs CC\*90.5 -760' 610 w. Schools. Savannah GA 102.1 (power, height unknown) Oregon IL \*91.1 500' 50,000. No. Ill. U.(INIU

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Savanna IL 100.1 (power, height unknown) Elkhart IN \*88.1 280' 10,000 h & v 104.9 100' 3000 h & v Charles City IA 92.7 3001 3000 Catlettsburg KY Oakdale LA 104.9 230' 1500 h & v

Springfield MA \*90.9 10 w. Schools. Ann Arbor MI \*89.5 10w. U.of Hich. (also has WOOL and WOR, the latter in Grand Rapids)

Sault Ste. Marie MI 92.7 285' 3000 95.3 235' 3000 h & v Maryville MO 105.5 51' 3000 h & v Fremont NE \*91.9 86' 320 w. Wayne College. Wayne NE 99.3 290' 3000 h & v 102.3 285' 3000 h & v Pleasantville NJ Concord NH \*90.3 155' 390 h & v Garden City NY

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102.3 215' 3000 h & v Goldsboro NC 92.7 560' 720 h & v Starview PA 97.7 175' 1850 h & v Georgetorm SC 92.1 180' 3000 h & v Huron SD 93.7 550'100,000 h & v Winner SD \*91.7 10 w. Schools. Sheboygan WI

On the Air Pensacola FL \*89.3 520' 100,000 h & v TIPCS WGM/ Riviera Beach FL 94.3 300' 3000 h & v MOKA-FM Douglas GA 106.7 175' 34200 h & v Hinsdale IL \*88.5 10 w MIK-FM Hiddlesboro KY 92.7 -190' 3000 w KSWT Topeka KS 107.7 460' 52131w(from KEWI-FM) 95.3 175' 3000 h & v WJTO-FM Bath ME WKOV-FM Wellston OH 96.7 100' 3000 (Calls, too)92.3 (from KSJO-FM). KRUZ Santa Barbara CA TTGP Greenville PA \*88.1 10 w KCFS Sioux Falls SD\*90.1 10 W

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The FM STATION ATLAS sold out its first printing, presenting the opportunity to republish and incorporate over 80 changes and additions to the 32 detailed maps it contains. The new maps are ready to mail out (updated to July, 1971). Price remains at \$2.00, except for those who ordered an ATLAS before. Old customers who want this revised second printing of the ATLAS can have a copy for \$1.00. Add 25¢ for first class mailing. This is a limited time offer at the \$1 rate for previous customers. Write Bruce Elving, 3000 N. Oakland Ave., Milwaukee WI 53211.

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Changes in Facilities / h & KLOS (x-KABC-FII) Los Angeles 95.5 2915' 68kw v/ KAPX San Clemente CA 107.9 to 486' 48,500 h&v WHFL (x-WXKL) Winter Haven FL 277' 11,800 w WOI-FM Ames IA \*90.1 to 1490' 100,000 w KTCF Cedar Falls IA \*88.1 to 210' 5500 w. KFH-FM Wichita KS 97.9 to 370' 85,000 w WAMH (x-WAMF) Amherst MA from\*89.5 to\*89.3, 150 W, 7201.

WGGL \*91.1 Houghton MI to 480' 100,000 h & v WSGR Port Huron MI from \*88.3 to \*91.3. 10 W. KCGM Scobey MT 95.7 to 660' 52,000 h & v KVNO Omaha NE \*90.7 680' 2900w. New calls, too. WIGH Atlantic City NJ 103.7 145' 20,000 h & v WRVR New York 106.7 1220' 5400 h, 3850 v --

changes from educational to commercial. WONE-FM Dayton OH 104.7 370' to 50,000 h & v WBYO 107.5 Boyertown PA to 330' 20,000 h & v WLKW-FM Providence RI 101.5 500'50,000 h & v McMinnville TN 103.9 to 130' 3000 h&v WHNR KLYX Clear Lake City TX 102.1 790' 97,000 h&v KPFT \*90.1 Houston TX 440' 49,000w. "Secret" transmitter location: 2901 Frick Road!

Eagle River VI 94.3 202' 3000 h & v WEZVI Wauwatosa VI 103.7 820' 14,500 h & v -transmitter moved to Shorewood WI.

Call Letters Assigned KPSA Los Angeles CA 107.5 (from KBBA). KXOA Sacramento CA 107.9 (from KXOA-FM). KPSE San Diego CA 102.9 (from KBBW). KSJO San Jose CA 103.3 (from KMUZ). WKSS Meriden CT 95.7 (WHMI). WDLF DeLand FL 105.9 (WOOO-FM). WBOP-FM Pensacola FL 101.5 (WONF). MVVS \*89.9 and WAFT
101.1, both Valdosta GA. KLCL-FM Lake Charles LA
99.5 (KPLC-FM). WFSB \*91.3 & WVBF (from WKOX-FM) 105.7, both Framingham MA. USDP Plymouth MI\*89.3. KRGK Carthage MO 104.9. WZID Manchester NH 95.7 (from WKBR-FM). WEZO Rochester NY 101.3 (WNYR-FM). KLOO\_FM Corvallis OR 106.1. WKDU Philadelphia PA \*91.7. Drexel Institute; shares time with WPMT. KDTX Dallas TX 102.9 (from KEIR or KCCD). WXBB Warrenton VA 94.3. WFWO Milwaukee VI 102.9 (from

Stations Deleted - Off the Air Floral Park NY \*90.3 WSHS Greenville OH 106.5 WDRK WARD-FM Johnstown PA

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Dondline 10th of month

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Skip has been very absent here in Minnesota this year. Had a weak opening 5/23, another short skip opening on 6/13, 6/27 and 7/5. Nothing which has provided solid signals for any length of time. Statio as received via skip during the period include the following (new underlined): 5/23 KVCL 92.1 Winnfield, LA @1630 CST; 6/13 KITY 92.9 San Antonio, TX 1800, KNBT 92.1 New Braunfels, TX 1800. 6/27 KRST 92.3 Albequerque @1330; KOB 93.3 same at 1350 and KVWM 93.5 Show Low, AZ @1400. Skip received but not counted as I was 150 miles from my regular place on 7/5 WMTM 93.9 Moultrie, GA . @1800, WFDR 93.3 Manchester, GA 1800, WBIR 92.1 Batesburg, SC 1805, WOFM 94.9 Greenville, TN 1815, WCSC 96.9 Charleston, SC @1815 and WESC 92.5 Greenville, SC @1830. All rocv'd w/rabbit cars and my old Sherwood S 2200 tuner 30 miles NW of Duluth, MN. Tropo has been good at times and especially the evening of 6/26. Other tropo, all new loggings as follows: 5/31 WDTH 103.3 Duluth, MN 1245, 6/2 WLSU 88.9 LaCrosso, WI 1930, 6/10 WMDR 96.9 in Molino, IL @2330, 6/18 KXCV 90.5 Maryvillo, MO 2230, 6/23 KTOF 104.5 Codar Rapids, IA 0530; KWVY 99.3 Waverly, IA 0557, 6/25 KIOS 91.5 Omaha, NE 1117, 6/26 KNEI 103.9 Waukon, IA 2100 and 7/6 KDIR 104.9 Porry, IA @2230. That's it, a grand total of 12 stations since May 23, not a very productive summer so far. For the record, I am using a AJ 15 tuner, 10 element Channel Master FM & 75 ohm line. Antenna is 25' AG. Better get this in the mail. Before I do, however, let me list some things I have not done, since those reports are always things I have done. I have not in the past 22 years: 1) Rocrived FM Es from California or Cuba, 2) Received a 10 watt educ. stn, 3) Received KDPS 88.1 Des Moines, IA (anyone know their sked?), 4) DXed from an airplane, 5) Received any station on 88.5 mHz, 6) 89.5 mHz, 7) 102.3 mHz. That's it until next time. Hope others had better luck then me.

Dick Clark 4110 Bayview Drive Ft. Lauderdale, Fla. 33308

Hi gang. This past month I have been working on my DX equipment in my den. I now have the frequency scaler with my frequency counter, so I can tell what frequency I am on the FM band. It also works for low and high band police. N ow I den't have to guess when am on Es. Also new have a Altazimuth FM antenna just like BDB loop. I found out that heriz or vert is not always the best for null out locals. You have to aim the FM antenna in all kinds of angles to do it. I have a local WOCN at 94.9 with 80kw and now cal null them out and get WICY Tampa 250 miles away. Some Es on 6/7 w/WYSU 88.5, WBBW 93.3, WRED 101.1 Youngstown, OH, KDKA 92.9 Pgh, WLOA 96.9 Braddock, PA, WJPA 95.3 Washington, PA and the rest are trope. WGVL 105.5 Gainesville, FL, WPEX 94.1 Pensacole, WPRK 91.5 Winter Park, WQXM 97.9 Clearwater now NSP. Changes are WRBD 102.7 is now WCKO, WSRF 103.5 now WSHE, WJHR 96.3 now WMYQ. I would be very interested if anyone else pick up any station from Cuba beside CMBD 90.5. I hope I can make Tolodo and East Lansing for both conventions. Oh yes, 6/20 WGMW 94.3 in Riviera Boach is on the air testing, and will be 24 hours a day.

Bob Soybold

Bennett Road

Dunkirk, NY

Here is one of my few FM DX reports. 6/10 Es WUSF 89.7, WRBN 101.7, WPGA 100.9, WRTM 102.3, WPEX 94.1 and many Florida, GA, AL and Carolina stations. 6/23 heavy Es to Texas, OK, FL, etc, w/such as: WQXM 97.9, WINK 96.9, WSB 98.5, KPIA 97.3, KWGO 99.5, KSKU 102.1 and others. 6/26 trops at least 50 stations out of Michigan, WI and MN area w/KAUS 99.9 Austin, MN about the farthest. Opening in AM of 26th heavily concentrated in that direction.

Andy Bolin 709 Lincoln, Avenue Charleston, Illinois DST

Hi, from someone fairly new to the dials. It was about a year ago when WOXR had a collect call weekend. With me being 200 miles from OXR and Bill Bens working there, he got me hooked on FM DX fast. Antenna here is a JFD LPL FMIOA at 25' and a vertical 7 clement at 35'. RX was a Claricon 36 350mg but am now using a AJ 15. I also got a Fince 65 7 booster. Minor 0100 to 0800 trops on 6/10/11 brought WLKY 107.1 OH, WOGM 98.3 OH, WWMS 100.7 OH, WMT 96.5 IA, WWSW 99.3 WI, WHRN 94.9 WI, WILS 101.7 MI, WSTM 103.1 KY, 5/21 ES KITY 92.9 TX, KOB 93.3 NM, KEEZ 97.3 TX, KJAE 107.5 CO (vls). 5/23 Es noted from 1715 to 1745 reaching into the 97.3 and 5 range. The only ID I got was from KGNC 93.1 Amarillo, TX. 6/23 Es noted for about 20 m ins at 1415, only reaching to 88.7 from the est, but no IDS. Late 7/3 brought fair tropo that started in the Detroit area, but later moved to as far north as Invonto, Detroit completed faded out. 2230 WCHD, WGPR, WDRQ, WJR, WLDM, WWWW all Detroit. Both WKH M and WBBC in Jackson, MI also hrd along w/WCNW 94.9 OH, WISR 104.9 OH, WRBR 103.9 IN, CFCA 105.3 Ont (450), CHFI Toronto (510), CFPL and others that I have already logged. So far all but eight commercial stations from IN have been heard from here, and I have 5 more to go from IL. One year total is 440, but half the reason is that I had a time zone change 40 miles from here. 73 and welcome to the club Don Erickson (publisher for the IRCA).

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20 new stations logged since last report. Totals now up to 235 logged, 23 states and DC. No Es hrd on FM the. Some trops noted. 6/9 WMNB 100.1 MA w/BB 2125. 6/10 WEST 96.1 PA BB 2036, WVNJ 100.3 NJ MoR mx 2030. 6/11 WOR 98.7 N Y NX 2040, WCRX 102.1 MA "W 102" 2049, WJLK 94.3 N J NX 2355, WDAC 94.5 PA sacred concert 2358. 6/16 WGMR 101.1 PA ID @1730, WGCR 97.7' PA MOR mx 2000. 6/19 WBAB 102.3 NY ID and local ads 2124. 6/26 WJTN 93.3 NY donut ad 0208, WFMM 93.1 MD (state #23) "The ForeMost Music station". 0358, sudden trope opening to Detroit area at 0400, WDRQ 93.1 MI w/SID 0430, WHFI 94.7 RR 0433, WBFG 98.7 relig. mx 0442, WABX 99.5 RR 0515, WRIE 101.1 RR 0450, WMUZ 103.5 teletalk 0450. 6/28 WONO and WSYR both noted off this PM after 1800. WCBS 101.1 NY "CBS FM", rr 1830. 6/30 WLNA 100.7 NY #81 local ads 2046. That's all 73.

Roger W. Winsor 718 N. Fremont Road Valparaiso, Indiana 46383

A few new ones for once, only thanks to intense tropo opening, tho. 6/21 WMZK 97.9 MI 0030 ID into nx, thru WGRD \$. 6/26 WKAU 104.9 WI @1515 ID, jingle and RR mx // AM. 7/4 KTOF 104.5 IA @2230 ID into canned religious pgm and WAIM 104.9 Alms, MI @2300 ID into nx. Totals now 349 and creeping.

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Haven't got my bulletin yet, but time to report anyway. Loggings have been down this month, with only 25 new ones, but a few are real good ones. 6/9 WHOP 98.7 KY @2206 EST, WSEI 92.9 IL @2253, WBCM 96.1 MI @2329, WKKD 95.9 IL @2332. 6/12 WLEN 103.9 MI @1030, WAAW 103.7 KY @1045. 6/14 WVSH 91.9 IN @1019. 6/15 and 16 caught WQMS off the air, so 6/15 WOUE 96.5 OH @0707. 6/16 WDOD 96.5 TN @2235. 6/17 WVWC 88.9 WVa @0946, WTAE 96.1 PA @2245, WPAG 107.1 MI @2332. 6/25 WFEM 92.1 PA @0716. 6/26 WRWR 94.5 OH @0917, WFMG 104.5 TN @0944. 6/27 WITL 100.7 MI @2307. 6/28 WMMS 100.7 OH @0002. 6/28 WILY 95.3 IL @0750, WNOI 103.9 IL (3kw) @0808, WSIE 88.7 IL @0828. 7/5 WSDM 97.9 IL @2231. 7/6 was a goody, WHLA 90.3 WI@0800, WNIU 89.5 @0833 and last but not least WCAL 89.3 MN @0835 at 572 miles. Equipment stil LT 425 and AJ 14, LPL FM LQA. Tota 1s at 421 and onward no to the uphil swing.

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FM DX logged here during June was confined to a tropo opening on the 25 and 26th and an Es opening on the 27th. Tropo loggings (new underlined) on the 25th as follows: @1740 KICD 107.7 Spencer, IA, 1838 KYSM 103.5 MN, 1913 KWWL 107.9, 1914 KLSS 106.1 Mason City, IA, 2109 KRFO 104.9 Owatonna, MN (490) w/a report on local dairy princess pagent, 2119 KAUS 99.9 Austin, MN (525) w/CKAUS FM 100" ID, 2137 WDBQ 105.3 Dubuque, IA (655) w/rock mx, 2219 KROC 106.9 Rochester, MN, 2258 KNWS 101.9 Waterloo, IA (595) w/roligious programming, 2328 KFMD 92.9 Dubuque, IA and 2352 KXEL 105.7 Waterloo, IA. The opening on 6/26 was shorter, ranging and confined to MN w/stations being hrd from as far as Rochester and Twin Cities, but no new stations were hrd. 6/27 the fellowing were heard via Es: 1419 KEXL 104.5 San Antonio, TX, 1426 KEBC 94.7 OK City, 1437 KTFM 102.7 Sn Antonio, 1440 KASE 100.7 Austin, 1443 KTTY 92.9 SA, 1447 KNAF 101.1 Fredericksburg, TX and @1537 KVEG 92.3 Las Vegas. 73.

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The month of May has been writtened for trop DXing. Finally, in the last third, things began to happen. 5/20 brought in WTVY 95.5 Dothan, AL @0545 w/ow mx and then WABF 92.1 Fairhope, AL w/agricultural pgm @0608. 5/23 brought WALT 97.1 Meridian, MS ex WOKK w/RR mx @1015 w/unusually strong signal. Local WJMR 97.1 not on air until 11AM Sunday and 3PM weekdays. 5/24 WHBQ 105.9 Memphis @0717 w/a steady signal that deflected m y S meter halfway using an indoor folded dipole: 5/31 brought in WQMV 98.7 Vicksburg @0652 w/MoR mx. 6/1 was fantastic, the first good day this s earon. WUSR 89.7 Tampa @2130 w/acid rock; KPFT 90.1 Houston same @2020, KYND 92.5 Pasadena, TX @2050 w/automated bkground mx. Station never gives QTH...not that I've hrd anyway. 2303 brought XHGL Merida, Yucatan in for 45 minutes with automated MoR American mx and Mexican mx w/rock steady signal until 2345 s/off (freq? RWW) New KPUP 97.7 Kingsville, TX from 2345 to 0000 s/off w/Top 40; KFMK 97.9 Houston 0000 cw mx; KELT 94.5 Harlingen, TX w/auto MoR; regulars KAUM 96.5, KODA 99.1, KQUE 102.9 all Houston in; KROB 99.9 Robstown w/cw mx AN; KBER 100.3 AN cw, now stn. KRMH 103.7 San Marcos AN rocker; WGIF 104.1 Tallahassoc MoR mx; KZFM 95.5 Corpus Christi 0225 ID "The Toxas soul giant" AN black stn; rare KHCB 105.7 Houston 0600 w/religious mx and pgms; KEEZ 97.3 SA, KEXL 104.5, KTFM 102.7 in, new WOSM 103.1 Ocean Springs, MS @0615; WKRG 99.9 and WFAA 97.9 in; WIRB 96.9 Enterprise, AL vy strong prock mx 0700 to 0800. KIVY 92.7 Crockett, TX in weakly 0742 and new KLIS 94.3 Palostine, TX copied just barely. KSIX 93.9 Corpus Christi @0930 (cont'd) Dorner (Cont'd) rare for that time of day. June has been poor so far: KFIA 94.5 Scott City, KS on Es. 6/3 KJET 107.7 Beaumont soul stn; 6/8 KHER 105.7 Longview, TX weakly w/nx; 6/15 KIEF 94.5 Houston w/classical mx 0005; KLYX 102.1 Clear Lake City, TX 0038 w/auto MoR. WATM 104.1 Atmore, AL 0523 w/cw mx and KREB 106.1 Monroe, IA w/cw. My rig is Heathkit AR 13A, 5' folded dipole draped indoors, sometimes over driveway. No outside aerial. Hope the report isn't too long. I've tried to give programming details for members who might like to try the Miss/IA/TX gulf coast. 73. (A big welcome to you Mike. A good report for the first time and let's hear from you often)

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This report is not very exciting I'm afraid as I just haven't had much time to DX in the past few weeks, having been in Grand Rapids weekdays leaving only weekends open for DX. Have added the CADCO IPA for FM here and it really works beautifully. It eliminates most of the CM I used to have when the antenna was pointed at local WHFB 99.9 and in the worst east at frequencies close to the local, ic 99.5, 99.3, etc. . I'm still able to tune the CM out and get the freqs., not w/full gain of course. The gain is really great, a number of stations not usually heard are brought to decent level out of what seemed just noise, such is thecase with WISU 89.9 LaCrosse 690 watts, now hrd frequently, also KANU 91.5 is lifted out of what seemed just noise in WHMDes null. KANU heard most AM 's now when I've checked, at least until KSIH 0900 s/on. (Oh yoah: RWW) Now for my meagre loggings: 6/9 tropo SE including WSIP 98.9 Paintsvillo, KY w/rock 2045. 6/10 0700 to 0900 tropo S to WFMW 93.9 Madisonville, KY, also St. Louis in well. 6/16 WCYC 88.7 Chicago ID @2315 for 1st time hrd. 6/19 trope good in AM to MN/IA w/KNUJ 93.1 New Ulm, MN (430) w/local nx @0610, also noted were KNXR 97.5 Rochester, WOI 90.1 Ames, IA, KANU 91.5 almost local quality @0845; later that day WRSE 88.7 Elmhurst, IL w/station promo @1852, tropo good NE to 300 mi between 2200 and 0000, w/WCBY\$ 105.1 Cheboygan, MI to name one. 6/22 0900 to 1000 tropo S including WPKY 104.9 Princeton, KY (350) w/the "Good Day Show". 6/23 1240 brief Es to the Maritime provinces w/CHNS 96.1 Halifax, NS the only thing IDed. Later that day into the 24th tropo W to NW w/KMAQ 95.3 Marquoketa, IA w/nx @0037, WGBM 102.3 Viroqua, WI w/Brewers BB @0025, other stns noted on late w/BB were KFMH 99.7 Muscatine, IA and WGSY 100.9 Peru, IL. WGSY is on 100.9 and WGLC 100.9 Mendota, IL has obviously consed to exist although VJ/Whites are very unclear about this fact. 6/26 tropo xint to MN, I woke up late unfortunately but KSJN 91.1 and WCAL 89.3 still local like @0830, later that day still good to NW w/KSJR 90.1, WLOL 99.5 Mpls, KNXR 97.5 between 2300 and 0030, also @0030 WWFM 99.9 Erie, PA in well. 7/8 Es noted on the car rx in Grand Rapids @1530 w/WVFM 94.1 Lakeland, FL . IDed. Finally on 7/9 tropo wes t to Des Moines v2/2 new loggings, KXEL 105.7 Waterloo, IA @1700 and KWNT 106.5 Davenport, IA, the latter ow and called themselves semething phonetically resembling "quimt", 73.

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Present log totals 450, RX Sansui 2000, Winegard 8 element FM antenna, Alliance Ul00 rotor. 7/5 Es from 1030 to 1400 w/the following logged: KMUV 89.1 Wichita, KS; KJRG 92.3 Newton, KS, KASU 91.9 Jonesboro, AR; KOTN 92.3 PineBluff, AR; KUHF 88.7 Houston; KWGS 89.5 Tulsa; KSYM 90.3 San Antonio; KUT 90.7 Austin; KRID 92.5 Dallas; KLIS 94.3 Palestine, TX; KGNC 93.1 Amarillo; KVIL 103.7 Dallas and KGAF 94.5 Gainesville, TX, XINT signals all. Brief opening on 7/8 1200 to 1300, no IDs, not as good as 7/5.

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Greetings from the south Texas BX sieve. About the best I can report this time is 10 watter KTRU over a 200 mile path. Fortunately there has also been Es on a few dates, but nothing observed uprto the top of the band. Please note that the times given are CST and not CDT. And, despite RWWs comment last month, KYND is the correct call for 92.5 in Pasadena, TX... has been that ever since I've hrd. it. (Sorry OM RWW) 6/8 KNEB 94.1 @1204 w/Paul Harvey nx, local ads and ID @1217; KVSR 97.9 Rapid City, SD 1208 gospel mx, wx for RC @1214 into relig. pgm; KFBC 97.9 1214 w/wx for Cheyenne. 6/10 KPFT 90.1 TX @0027 w/Joff Shero reading my entire letter on propagation, etc. E/12 1511 WHKW 89.3 comedy show // 90.7, 89.9, 88.3. 1511 KSJR 90.1 MN w/Firing Line ; 1514 KLIZ 95.7 MN local ad, NBC nx; 1515 KLFD 95.3 MN local ad, bumper sticker promo; 1521 WHA 88.7 WI comedy // 90.7; 1535 WIAL 94.1 WI MoR mx, PSA and ID; 1537 WCAL 89.3 MN talk not // WSBS in/out to 1756 MN nx; 1538 WOI 90.1 IA hard jazz 1558 ID as Ceno Musco Show CDT ID as WOI FM Public Radio; 1549 WAYL 93.7 MN local ad for Dayton suburban store; KSJN 9b.1 MN in/out to 1812 // to 90.1; WMBI 90.1 IL. Chgo phone # mixed w/KSJR; WILL 90.9 @1900 ID: 1922 WYCA 92.3 IN local wx; 2229 tropo KLJT 107.3 TX UG mx, extreme version of SSB (penhaps Jimmi Hendrix from Woodstock? RWW); 2235 KJET 107.7 TX soul mx, jingle ID; 2245 KPAC 93.5 TX ID, wx; 2301 KODA 99.1 TX daycharmge anmt as if s/off, but dontinued; 2303 KHCB 105.7 TX s/off to "This is My Country", ment. STL KLU45 950MHz, 3 watts; 2316 KAUM 96.5 TX fake ad in old radio drama. 6/13 0500 WFAW 92.1 TX s/on "Big Country Giant. W. taw"; 0505 KNUS 98.7 TX KLIF nx, mix KTXN; 0645 KHFI 98.3 TX Georgetown U. Forum, ID @0659; 2305 WYNK 101.5 LA s/off, back @5AM w/the Nashville Sound; 2308 KASE 100.7 TX w/wx; 2310 WWL 101.9 IA mx, 2329 ID partly missed, at in Fr Qtr. 6/14 0012 WRNO? 99.5 IA rock, east, not image; 0357 KPEL 99.9 IA SSB, s/on, ABC Info affil; 0401 WAFB 98.1 LA s/on, output of "100,000 Hettz"HP 71; 0446 KBOX 100.3 TX ID "\$100"; 0451 KGBC? 106.5 TX Lifeline, HIH ads, or KOOL Jacksonville?; 0454 KMIE 104.9 TX ID, time pips, TSN nx; 0459 KBLT 104.9 TX s/on, then nx; 0502 KWED 105.3 TX s/on, nx; 0504 KILT 100.3 TX s/on, jingle ID; 0509 KCWM 99.5 TX wx, ID, CCI from east; 0531 MS 104.5 "This is the Family Altar BGCST of James C. Gemmon(?) transcribed. "; 0540 KEXL on; 0542 KPLC 99.5 local ad. 6/16 0659 KUT 90.7 TX s/on; 2248 KTRU 91.7 Houston, TX fromo for SW Theatre Guild, 2258 ID "the radio", nx, approached 1 on strength meter, while KPFT pinned it, 0000 s/off giving ex of license, on since 6/12/70. 10 watts: 2320 KMFM 96.1 TX TT, 2326 ID as a test, must be very lew power, as not quioted. (listed 30kw RWW); 2326 KYND 92.5 TX ID claiming atop Shell Bldg in Downtown Houston; 6/17 0008 KREE 104.1 TX arts calander, local ad, IDs "\$ 104". 6/23 0600 all the usual available Houston, Beaumont fms; C625 KDLK 94.3 local ads poorly modulated, TSN affil.; 0659 KLYX 102.1 TX TSN, \$102 ID in passing, Houston wx; 2157 KCIL 107.1 IA semi obseene cajun song, s/off 3kw @2200; 2303 KQUE 102.9 TX nx in KTFM sideband, ID in passing w/wx; 2310 KFMK 97.9 TX KFMK priority nx, s/off following back @5AM to This Is My Country. 6/24 KNIR 99.1 IA @0630 w/sports, local ad; 0637 KHER 105.7 TX TSN nx w/UPI inserts o/KHCB, local ads; 1733 Es KPBS 89.5 CA Senate hearing from NPR to 1747 end and ID, gone by 1800, 1808 89.5 UNID Es w/Firing Line; 1128 WEKU 88.9 KY 2 stns, 1130 lecture on a movie from NERN; 1134 ID: 1137 World of music until 4:45; 1805 KUHF 88.7 TX pgm "DXing Tod y" until 1830 relaying talks from Radio Camada SW Club, etc. 7/2 0600 KTAL 98.1 ID, ow mx. 7/5 2040 Es KCNA? 94.1 NV opening in progress when I returned home; 2041 KVEG 92.3 NV ment. Las Vegas, PSA then ow mx. 7/6 0505 KLCL 99.5 end NBC nx. ox KPIC and finally @0609 KNFM 92.3 Midland, TX w/local ad "in west Texas". 73 de Glenn

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Since I haven't as yet properly set up and found a permanent location around here, the FM DXing has been pretty limited. I'm still using the Wards 62 1 w/it's 2' whip. I used to think San Antonio was crowded with FM stations. There are over 20 stations hereabouts that one could call local since they're in all the time. Due to the mountain ranges just out west of here, I have been experiencing severe multipath distortion on most signals due to my omnidirectional antenna system. Here is a list of locals: KCFR 90.1 Denver (25); KCSU 90.9 Ft. Collins (40); KWBI 91.1 Morrison (25); KUNC 91.5 Greeley (40); KGRE 92.3 Greeley; KIIX 93.3 Ft. Collins, KBVL 94.7 Boulder; KHOW 95.7 Denver; KRNS 97.3 Boulder; KFBC 97.9 Cheyenne, WY. (80); KFML 98.5 Denver; KVOD 99.5 Denver; KLIR 100.3 Denver; KOSI 101.1 Denver; KFTM 101.7 Ft. Morgan (80); KLOV 102.3 Loveland (30); KOA 103.5 Denver; KIMO 104.3 Longmont (15); KADX 105.1 Denver; KBPI 105.9 Denver; KLZ 106.7 Denver, and KJAE 107.5 Lakewood (20). With that crowd it takes some doing to know if the band is open or not. June 27 apx 1300 to 14.10 MDST I was getting ch. 6 audio on 98.75. It finally turned out to be WFBM Indianapolis. Checks for skip in the FM band proper didn't reveal anything. Hope I'm better set up by next time. 73.

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So far this season has been less than good, but here's a report of what's been hrd so far: All times ELT. 5/29 A fair Es opening. 1131 AM WCAL 89.3 1M good; 1200 KDCR 91.3 IA; 1225 who was carrying the Indy 500 on 92.1? Faded before local ID. (WERM?? RWW); 1232 WOW 92.3 NEB very nice ID right thru local WHOM; 1235 KOWH 94-1 NE; 1250 KSOZ 88-1 Mo. Later that evening WGLS 89.7 NJ was finally added thru much WGBH QPM, June produced nothing worthwhile except one time trop receptions of WEEP 107,9 and WFBG 98.1 both PA. However, I was seldom home on weekends, so probably missed some skip openings. July has been better though starting w/7/4: 1256 AM WNCT 107.7 NC s/off shortly afterward; Ollo WTRY 106.5 NY ex WDKC; 0114 WVOR 100.5 NY w/WCMS and probably also WRCH nulled. 7/5 0400 WLKW 101.5 AN/HI program. This must be the most difficult RI outlet, it doesn't get out. Later that mouning, some Es hoted w/KMUW. 89.1 KS @1031. Also noted undeeded KCUR 89.3 Mo, KANU 91.5 KS and KCKN 94.1 KS around the same time. The PM of the 5th produced some good Boston trops w/most of them in like locals. Particularly strong were WEEI 103.3, WBOX 92.9 and WCOP 100.7 covering WFMZ/WLNA. Additions were WHDH 94.5 @1007 right after WCHR 94.5 s/off: 1030 WLYN 101.7 MA vy ruff due to WPIX 101.9 and WBJH 101.5 QRM. 7/6 0005 WDNH 97.5 MH strong...this one should be hrd for good distances via trop. 7/9 1044 AM and for the next hour SS in/out on 91.7, or close to it. Guess Cuba, but no IDs caught. (Perhaps WHRS FL??RNW); 1054 WHMS 92.1 FL also on Es. Locally WNYC 93.9 is back on NSP as Lindsay's \$\$ troubles are over for this year. Their 14 hr sked was nied while it lasted. Local WRVR 106.7 one of the weakest locals here, just announced plans to move their XR to the Empire State Building. They plan to switchover semetame this fall. Speaking of XR changes, WEVD 97.9 has done something as their strength went way up here. Previously Baltimore and Hazleton used to over ride them occasionally. N ow I can't even null them. Chris Lucas of CT noted a similar increase in strength. 73 for this month.

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At home during June I had the chance to install a six element FM antenna atop a rotator at my wife's pa rents hous e, about 10 miles NW of m y down town location. This is at a considerably higher elevation giving a clean shot to the N and W, but lacking the paneramic view across Lake Superior and 35 miles in the north Wisconsin countryside of my older location. Consequently, on normal days, I hear about 100 miles farther SE from downtown than over the hill (three miles north of Adolph MN), while the other location offers better receptionability to such places as NW Iowa, SD, ND and Winnipeg. This report includes stations picked up at either, or both locations. New stations WDTH 103.3 Duluth, WMFG 106.3 Hibbing and WHLB 107.1 Virginia, all IN, were hrd at both places, except for WHLB, while at 50 miles has not yet been picked up on 122 Avenue, below the crest of the hill at only 50 miles. 6/16 WLSU 88.9 WI and KBMO 93.5 MN (at s/off 0900 to 1830 return. 6/17 KEHG 107.1 MN, Adolph w/no WHLB interforence. A 1331 6/23 WJMD 94.7 MD by MS. An excellent trop opening the night of .6/25 until afternoon of 6/26 brought in KCLN 97.7, KWAY 99.3 and KTOF 104.5 IA; WWTO 105.7 Peoria, WKWL 104.9 Belvidere (while WGGR 105.1 was on less than two miles from me!), and WPGU 107.1 Urbana, IL and my last remaining ungrasped commercial WI station, not including CPs WGLB 100.1 Pt. Washington. WI and IL are now tied for my largest state w/97 stations each. Es 6/27 in the PM presented KINT 97.5 TX, and both Las Cruces NM stations KGRD 103.9 and KRWG 90.7. The only other FM Es hrd was the morning of 7/5 when soveral stations from 5 SE states were noted, w/the only ID being previously hrd WMGR 97.3 GA which has applied to change it's call letters to WJAD.

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In June I logged 17 new stations, all tropo. I didn't hear my first Es until July. My RX is a Zonith Trans Oceanic. 6/5 0530 WEPN 97.5 VA, then a swing up to N Y state, logged were 0557 WHCU 97.3 Ithica, 0630 WKRT 99.9 Cortland and WVOS 95.9 Liberty. 6/7 2400 WFMZ 100.7 Allentown. 6/15 1938 WASH 97.1 DC. 6/19 2100 WFME 94.7 Newark, 2120 WPEN 102.9. The next four days were spent in the Poconos where I logged 15 by tropo. The results show how altitude helps. 6/28 1905 WNAV 99.1 MD, 2145 an UNID on 104.1 with a telephone talk show. 6/29 0600 WSTW 93.7 Del, WPBS 98.9 Philadelphia, 0610 WSPK 104.7 Poughkeepsie, 0628 WMMR 93.3 Philly, the sound much improved from when rew'd in WB, WWSH 106.1 Philly very strong reception. 0630 WVNJ 100.3 NJ, WRFY 102.5 Reading very strong, 0640 WMMM 107.9 Westport, CT, this one was in most of the day, then hardly over ID. WLIB 107.5 NY, these weak NYC FMers seldom show up in the valley. 0715 WIFI 92.5 Philly local like. They seem to have dropped the HP '71 sound, but still play popular mx, however. 0720 WLAN .96.9 Lancaster, PA, 0733WTOA Trenton "Passport Radio", 1045 WMYE 91.5 NYC in beautiful w/easy listening mx, 1122 WPLJ 95.5 NYC ex WABC, 1615 WDAC 94.5 Lancaster in strong, but many fadeouts. 1630 WRNW 107.1 Mt. Kisco NY "The big band sound" thru nulled WEJL, 1645 WCCC 106.9 Hartford fadey, 6/30 1800 WDLC 95.7 Port Jervis NY, 1830 WLVP 102.3 Franklin, NJ in bood w/MoR mx. 7/1 0835 WWPO 93.5 Stroundsburg, PA. I've been after them for a long time. 2000 WNBC 97.1 NYC weak, WDIC, WPLJ in again. 7/5 @1100 I noticed Es up to 93 MHz coming in from the MO area. An UNID was on 92.3 w/MoR mx, seldom broke, KJRG?. KARD was in locallike at this time, and they're just a few miles away. (Jim, seeJoe Fela's report on p. 6 for note comparisons. RWW)

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Here's my second report on my FM DX: June closed quietly in trop openings. KOOL Jacksonville, TX in fairly regularly; new one for me KHER 105.7 in Longview, TX for 20 min. Houstons in 6/15 steady and strong for EO hours, including KLYX Clear Lake City 0038, where astronauts live. WATM Atmore, AL in 0523 w/ow mx, KREB Monroe, LA xw 0540 barely audible. 6/16 brought in KGBC Galveston for 75 minutes strong and steady w/automated mx MoR; ed KUHF 88.7 Houston @1134 pm w/jazz mx; hrd rocker KLJT Lake Jackson, TX barely audible 2345 to 2400. Next day class A KVCL Wirnfield, IA beautiful signal @0811 to 0833 and KTOC Jonesboro, LA. 0845 also class A . Elvings idea of using maps helped there! N ew religious WPCS Pensacola stereo 89.3 pm 6AM (?) to 2200 s/off daily. Can copy indoor folded dipole almost all day. 100kw.... 6/25 local WWOM off and copied WGNE 101.9 Panama City for the first time...automated MoR AN. Es on 6/25 brought WIFI 92.5 PA (ZOW: ) 0946, WOSU Columbus Ohio, KDCR Sioux Center, IA religious cutlet; WDYN Chattenooga, also religious; KXCV 90.5 Marysville, Mo new ed; and KRWG 90.7 Las Cruces, NM and many other unID ed FM carrying Congressional hearings on Pentagon hearings, all between 0946 and 1134 CDT. Since then, Bob's Tech Notes prove right. Trop stinks: barely copy Mobile now; boomed in spring. Stagnant high masses drench w/thundershowers. Any other FM DX mut interested in exchanging air checks of his local FMs, not for logging purposes, of course, but for the curiosity of it? Is there anybody in WFTDA along the Gulf Coast who DX's FM? For the benefit of other DXers, VIVSL 105.3 LA now AN rocker, WDSU 93.3 now easy MoR 0600 to 2400, KLEF 94.3 IA hard rock 2400 s/off, WTGI 103.3 Hammond, IA ow 0600 to 0900, MoR day, hard rock to 0100 s/off.. 100kw, WJDX Jackson, Miss hard rock 2400 s/off, WJBO Baton Rouge now hard rock to 0100 s/off, New Orleans cw AN WNOE 101.1 and MoR atmtd WWL 101.9 both AN and 100kw, high aat, casy MoR WBYU 95.7 high aat 0600 to 0100 off. WBIL 93.7 Biloxi 0600 to 0000 chicken rock.

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I am sorry that I haven't written to report my DX earlier, but I have been quite busy in the past few months. In fact, I was on vacation for a month in Mexico where I did some interesting DXing on FM, and in the last month, I have been doing the all night shift on CKFM 99.9 here in Toronto. First, some nx of interest to some DXers. We at CKFM are presently doing some work on our XRs. We currently have a storeo plant w/an ERP of 200kw at an antenna ht. of 444'. Our new plant will be located atop the 60 story Commerce Court Bldg in dt Toronto. It will be the tallest building in Canada. Our tower top will be 876 : and we will reduce power to 100kw circular. I am told that the system will be automated so that in the event of trouble, the XRs will change automatically. Besides this, we will keep our old plant until late 1973. Thus we will have 5 XRs, 4 of them in stereo. Well, when you are #1 FM station in Canada, you just have to try harder. (I should charge you for a spot annot. for CKFM hihi. RWW) Tower erection should start in mid July, the XRs are already in Toronto awaiting installation. We should be on the air in mid September w/the new plant. As for DX: 7/5 I spent most of my time on TV. but did hear KRID 92.5 Dallas, TX @1210 PM. While in Mexico, I had some great trops, TX all the way to KBOX 1.00.3 inland. on 5/24 fab Es on car radio, friend kept notes while I drove, included WSMU SC, WFBC 93.7 SC also WAJR 101.9 WVA. Some fregs. 2 and 3 deep. This was done in Yucatan Peninsula at 10AM, That's all for now, Hope to see all at E. Lansing. (Ed not, this was extensively edited, as I'm out of stencils again. RWW)

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VHF COM 503 VHF ETV 87 UHF COM 180

UHF ETV 115,

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STATIONS GOING ON THE AIR

WDXR-TV (ch. 29) - Paducah, KY. - was due on the air on May 21st.

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\*Charlotte Amalie, VI. (ch. 3) 9.575kw max. video and 1.915kw max. aural AAT 110 ft. \*Marquette, MI. (ch. 13) N. MI. Univ. 315.4kw video and 63.39kw aural AAT 1090 ft. \*Portsmouth, OH. (ch. 42) 563kw video and 112.6kw aural AAT 1230 ft.

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Des Moines, IA. TG-TV (65, 63) Lown Boostgroo.

CONSTRUCTION PERMITS CANCELLED

Bethlehem, PA. WKAP-TV (ch. 60) WKAP Inc. - delete call letters
Hartford, CN. WUHF-TV (ch. 61) Kappa TV Corp. - delete call letters
Oklahona City, OK. KLPR-TV (ch. 14) KLPR-TV Inc. - delete call letters
Concord, CA. KCFT-TV (ch. 42) TV Hill. - delete call letters

LICENSE SET ASIDE

\*Trenton, NJ. (ch. 52) WNJT FCC on 4-15-71 set aside grant of license covering new station. CHANGES GRANTED IN TV STATIONS OF ATING

\*Augusta, ME. (ch. 10) WCBB gtd CP 5-5-71 for 309kw video, 63kw aural AAT 1000 ft.

\*Belton, TX. (ch. 46) KNCT gtd license 5-10-71 chge grantee to licensee.

\*Boston,MA. (ch. 44) WGBX-TV gtd CP 5-11-71 for 403.4kw video and 80.7kw aural. Casper,WY. (ch.2) KTWO-TV gtd program test authorization 5-20-71 for 20kw. aural. Denver,CO. (ch. 2) KWGN-TV new AAT 1050 ft. xmtr to 64 ft. WTW of present site. Gainesville,FL. (ch. 20) WCJB gtd license 5-17-71 chge grantee to licensee.

Jackson, MS. (ch. 16) WAPT license chged to read -owner-American Public Life Bdcstg CO. Las Vegas, NV. (ch. 13) KSHO-TV gtd license 4-29-71 to chge grantee to licensee.

Lead, SD (ch. 11) KHSD-TV gtd license 4-1-71 to chge grantee to licensee.

\*Pittsburgh; PA. ch. 13) WQED chge name to Metropolitan Pittsburgh Public Bdcstg Co. new AAT 690 ft.

\*Pittsburgh, PA. (ch. 16) WQEX chge name to Metropolitan Pittsburgh Public Bdcstg Co. 248kw max. video and 49.6kw max aural with AAT 700 ft.

San Francisco, CA. (ch.44) KBHK-TV 1980 kw max video & 198 kw max aural AAT 1610 ft. transmitter moved to Mt. Sutro.

San Francisco, CA. (ch. 32) KQEC 1330 kw. max vidoe & 265 kw. max aural AAT 1670 ft. transmitter moved to 525 4th St. San Francisco.

\*San Francisco, CA. (ch. 9) KQED AAT to 1670 ft., transmitter to MT. Sutro.

\*Schenectady, NY. (ch. 17) WMHT 2570 kw max video & 513 kw max aural AAT 950 ft.

Waterbury, CN. (ch. 20) WATR-TV studio location to Peach Orchard Rd. Prospect, CN.

Wilkes Barre, PA. (ch. 28) WERE-TV 4102 kw. video 820.4 kw aural.

Worcester, MA. (ch. 27) WSMW-TV gtd license 4-8-71 chge grantee to licensee.

APPLICATION DISMISSED

Lebanen, PA. (ch. 59) New Hudson Bdcstg Corp.

NEW CALL LETTERS ASSIGNED

\*Biloxi, MS. (ch. 19) WMAH Miss. Authority for ETV.

\*Eude, MS. (ch. 17) WMAU Miss. Authority for ETV.

\*College, Alaska (ch. 9) KUAC-TV, U. of Alaska.

\*Goldvein, VA. (ch. 53) WMVT, Northern VA. ETV Assn.

\*Greenwood, MS. (ch. 23) WMAO Miss. Authority for ETV.

\*Meridian, MS. (ch. 14) WMAW Miss. Authority for ETV.

\*Senatobia, MS. (ch. 22) WMAV Miss. Authority for ETV.

\*Bowling Green, OH. (ch. 27) chge station location to Lima, OH.; chge frequency to ch. 57 750 kw. max. video & 150 kw. max. aural AAT 1059 ft.

\*Corpus Christi, TX. (ch. 38) chge to 1250kw video and 166.2kw aural AAT 871 ft.

CHANGES IN CALL LETTERS

Fresno, CA. (ch. 30) KFSN-TV, Capital Cities Bdcstg Corp. (formerly KFRE-TV) \*New Brunswick, NJ. (ch. 19) WNJB, NJ. Public Bdcstg Authority (formerly WTLV) New Haven, CN. (ch. 8) WTNH-TV Capital Cities. Bdcstg Inc. (formerly WNHC-TV) Peoria, IL. (ch. 19) WRAU-TV Forward of Ill. Inc. (formerly W.RL-TV)

Philadelphia, PA. (ch. 6) WPVI-TV Capital Cities Bdcstg Corp. (formerly WFIL-TV)

RECUEST FOR CALL LETTERS

\*Aberdeen, SD. (ch. 16) New - State Board of Directors for ETV req KDSD-TV. Grand Rapids, MI. (ch. 8) WOOD-TV McGraw Hill Inc. req WOTV. Indianapolis, IN. (ch. 6) WFBM-TV McGraw Hill Inc. req WRTV. Kenosha, WI. (ch. 55) WKSH Wisconsin TV Corp. req WKRL. Sacramento, CA. (ch. 15) KRAQ Grayson TV Co. req KMVE-TV. San Diego, CA. (ch. 10) KOGO-TV McGraw Hill Inc. req KGTV.

MODIFICATION OF CONSTRUCTION PERMITS

Chattanooga, TN. (ch. 61) WRIP-TV 306 kw. max video and 61.1 kw. max. rural. Boston, MA. (ch. 5) unassigned Boston Bdcstrs Inc. 20 kw. aural AAT 977 ft.

Cleveland, OH. (ch. 19) WCTF 620 kw. video and 124 kw. aural AAT 1140 ft. transmitter moved to near Park Dr. and State Rd. on grounds of Parmadale Orphanage, Parma

\*Springfield, MA. (ch. 57) WGBY-TV 1312 kw. video and 262.4 kw. aural.

Traverse City, MI. (ch. 29) WGTU 482 kw. video and 96.2 kw. aural AAT 1300 ft. CHANGES RIVER IN TV STATIONS OPERATING

\*Boston, MA. (ch. 44) WGBX-TV req 403.4 kw max. video and 80.7 kw. max. aural. Boston, MA. (ch. 5) unassigned req 20 kw. aural AAT 977 ft. Charlotte Amalie, VI. (ch. 10) WBNB-TV reg 60 kw. video and 6 kw. aural. Jackson, TN. (ch. 7) WBBJ-TV req 54.4kw. video and 10.9 kw. aural. New York, NY. (ch. 7) WABC-TV req 64.6 kw. video and 12.92 kw. aural AAT 1611 ft. transmitter to North Bldg of World Trade Center, New York.

\*New York-Newark, NJ. (ch. 13) req CP for 62 kw. video 12.4 kw. aural AAT 1637 ft. Tulsa, OK. (ch. 2) KTEW req mod. of lic. to chge name to Scripps-Howard Bdcstg Co. of OK. MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS

1. Ball State U., Muncie, IN. req ch. 17 for ETV reservation.

2. WSUN-TV St. Petersburg, FL. (off air) req addition of ch. 24 to Naples, FL.

3. FCC has assigned ch. 50 to Little Falls, NJ. for ETV use.

4. Allocation changes: Add \*ch. 36 Atlant c City; \*ch. 23 Camden, NJ.; \*ch. 57 to Philadelphia and deleterch. 23 from Philadelphia also add \*ch. 45 to Alliance, OH.; \*ch. 27 to Bowling Green. OH.; and delete \*ch. 27 from Bryan, OH.

5. Nationalist China's third commercial station is due to start in late 1971.

6. WUHQ-h1 supposedly was to begin programming on the 25th of MAY. Anybody as yet caught

them even testing?

7. From Gary Olson via Wayne Plunkett, a new 100 kw. (full power, anyway) ch.2 will be on in the Georgian Bay region of Ontario within a few weeks (I think they have already been logged by one or more DXers). They will repeat CKCO Kitchner, ONTario. The call will probably be CKCQ-TV-1.

I would be interested in hearing from any readers who might be interested in a portion of this column being devoted to the ever increasing world of TV translator stations.

Roger Carriere of 196 Joseph in Buckingham, Quebec , Canada would like to join the ranks of the TV Guide exchangers. He offers to supply programming data for all of the following stations: CBFT, CBMT, CFTM, and CFCF(all Montreal) CKWS(Kingston) CBOT, CJOH, and CBOFT (all Ottawa) CHLT(Sherbrooke) WCAX, WVNY and WETK(all Burlington, VT.) WPTZ(Plattsburgh, NY.) WMTW(Poland Springs, ME.) WRGB(Schenectady, NY.) WSYR, WHEN and WNYS(all Syracuse, NY.) and WWNY(Watertown, NY.). WWNY(Watertown, NY.).

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#### TVDX RECORDS

Ch_ Call	_Location	Miles	DXer. Location	Comments
17 KRTV	Little Rock AR	45	Jerry Don Burch, Hot Springs AR	now off
KLYD	Bakersfield CA	220	Randy Miltier, Campbell CA	now KJTV
WITV	Fort Lauderdale FL	665		now off
WJKS	Jacksonville FL	510	Ron Le Blanc, Marrero LA	now off
WSEC	Miami FL	5	Ronald Schatz, North Miami Beach FL	
WJRJ	Atlanta GA	755	Robert Cooper, Oklahoma City OK	
WAND	Decatur IL	560	Robert Cooper, Oklahoma City OK	
WTVO	Rockford IL	645		was ch39
KGTV	Des Moines IA	290		now off
KTCI	Saint Paul MN	275		11011 011
WNED	Buffalo NY	445		
WBUF	Buffalo NY	455	Dave Janowiak, Milwaukee WI	now off
WMHT	Schenectady NY		Mark Lewis, Downsview Ont	
WUNE	Linville NC		Larry Vogt, Springvield VA	
WJAN	Canton OH	405	Bill Draeb, Kewaunee WI	
WPCA	Philadelphia PA	105		now off
WPHL	Philadelphia PA	455	Harold Cooper, Westland MI	
18 WDHN	Dothan AL			
KCHU	San Bernardino CA	470	Dick Clark, Fort Lauderdale FL	200 000
WHCT	Hartford CT	380	Eric Norberg, Claremont CA Dennis Smith, Little Creek VA	now off
WCLP	Chatsworth GA	725	Robert Cooper, Oklahoma City OK	
WFAM	Lafayette IN	440	Mark Lewis, Downsview Ont	now WLFI
A TOTAL		tie	David Kanaar, Buffalo NY	HOW WILL
K18AA	Salina KS	230	Robert Cooper, Oklahoma City OK	of KCKT-2
WLEX	Lexington KY	740	Robert Cooper, Oklahoma City OK	OI HORE E
WSYE	Elmira NY	555	Bill Draeb, Kewaunee WI	
WCCB	Charlotte NC		Larry Vogt, Springfield VA	
WHIZ	Zanesville OH	420	Bill Draeb, Kewaunee WI	
WXIX	Milwaukee WI	430	Robert Seybold, Dunkirk NY was ch 19	. now WVTV
19 WHNT	Huntsville AL			
KLOC	Modesto CA	630	Robert Cooper, Oklahoma City OK	
WTVH	Peoria IL	175 565	Dennis Smith, Sequoiah Crest CA	UT DT
WCDC	Adams MA	725	Richard Nieman, Buffalo NY Bill Draeb, Kewaunee WI	now WIRL
WUCM	Bay City MI	235	Bill Heusmann, Steger IL	
		ti∈	John Parillo, Girard OH	
KCSD	Kansas City MO	525	Bill Draeb, Kewaunee WI	
KXNE	Norfolk NE		Bill Draeb, Kewaunee WI	
XIXW	Newport KY (OH)	750	Robert Cooper, Oklahoma City OK	at
WNOK	Columbia SC -	595	John Lombardo, Irvington NJ	
WKPT	Kingsport TN	615	Bill Draeb, Kewaunee WI	A 198
KAEC	Nacogdoches TX	375	Glenn Hauser, Enid OK	
KXIX	Victoria TX	465	Robert Cooper, Oklahoma City OK	
WXOW	LaCrosse WI	665		
WXIX	Milwaukee WI			h 18, WVTV
KEPR	Pasco WA		Ray O'Rear, Zillah WA	
CICA	Toronto Ont		John Robertson, Croswell MI	
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As participation grows in our "Rank" listings, we get requests to cover more information. One suggestion, and a good one, is to indicate the number of UHF TV stations received. So please include this in the future. Also for TV, the number of stations logged by Es. For FM, please show the number of Es stations, and the number of stations logged in the band 88-92 MHz. For both, please indicate the year you began DXing from that location. And please follow the format given on the next page.

## TV RANK

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DXer. Location	Stns	UHF	Es_	States	Brand brooklessed	Lands_	YB_	_ As_of:_
Robert Seybold, Dunkirk NY	496	10000000		49+DC	8	6		9 May
Robert Cooper, Oklahoma City OK	337	122				-		26 Jun
Cary Olson, Deerfield area IL	282	70.		37+DC	7	5		1 Jun
Roger Brown, East Lansing MI	280			39	56	4		19 Apr
Bill Heusmann, Steger IL	241			37	6	5		8 Apr
Morrie Goldman, Chicago IL	239		1000	39	5	5 4		7 Jun
Frank Wheeler, Erie PA	230			32+DC	9			23 Jun
FredMcCormack, Des Lacs ND	227			39	6	3 3 6		6 Jun
Ron Le Blanc, Marrero LA	183			30	1	6		21 May
Jerry Pulice, Staten Island NY	164		ix Tell	32+DC				6 Jun
Les Prus, Manhattan KS	152			31+DC	3 5 2	3		6 Jun
Robert Grace, Franklin TX 77856	149			30	2	4		6 Apr
Joe Kureth, Southern Pines NC	144	中域。華麗		26+DC	4	4		24 Jun
David Cox, Carrollton AL	142							
Larry Vogt, Springfield VA	142			30	5 2	2		6 Jun
Pat Dyer, San Antonio TX		142		30+DC	2	3		13 May
	131			34	2	5356		7 Jun
Paul Polin, Morton Grove IL	130			16	2	0		11 Jun
Dave Egan, Valleyfield PQ	126			31	4	3		12 Mar
*Paul Luchter, Oceanside LINY	121			25+DC		-		11 Feb
Bill Heusmann, Des Moines IA	118			26	1	5		8 Apr
Glenn Hauser, South San Antonio TX		5	60	33	1	4	71	12 Jul
Fred Nordquist, North Syracuse NY	100			18	2	2		6 Jul
Tom Yingling, Baltimore MD	70	V		21+DC	1	3		1 Jun
David Alpert, Morton Grove IL	28			5	0	I		11 Jun
David Swanson, Margarita CZ	15			2	0	6		3 Jul
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*Bruce Elving, Duluth MN	927			39+DC	3	2		5 Feb
John Ebeling, Bloomington MN	572	Sept. Sept.		37	4	3		23 May
Robert Seybold, Dunkirk NY	445			35	2	2		9 May
Andy Bolin, Charleston IL	384			16	1	2		1 May
Larry Vogt, Springfield VA	358			34+DC	2	4		13 May
Fred McCormack, Des Lacs ND	236			34+DC	3	2		6 Jun
Fred Nordquist, North Syracuse NY	235	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	The state of the s	23+DC	2	2	Name of the last o	6 Jul
John Parillo, Girard OH	170			14+DC	1	2		1 May
Peter Hobday, Potsdam NY	153			9+DC	2	2		12 Jun
Glenn Hauser, South San Antonio TX		31	48	25	ī	3	71	12 Jul
Mike Domer Jr, Metairie LA	117			11		2		4 Jun
Jim Pizzi, Santa María CA	101			16	3	3		8 Jul
Pat Dyer, San Antonio TX	90			12	Ø nø	2		7 Jun
Frank Wheeler, Erie PA	78	(revers	e order	4	-	2		23 Jun
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29 WDXR Paducah KY		Fred McC				OV		new
		Robert C						new
	175					UK		new
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FMers: 88 MHz DX records due 12 Aug	gust;	E9 MHz, 12	2 Sept:	explain	ed las	t mont	th.	73/Glenn
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#### AUGUST 1971

Some of the reports in this month's column were delayed arrivals that should have been in the July issue. Again, my apologies.

Hank Holbrook, 7211 Chestnut Street, Chevy Chase, MD 20015 has been noting a lot of the OK City pager this summer, usually to the extent of dominating the frequency so that nothing else gets thru. More QSLed DX from the cottage, GMT used.

5-24: 2029, KIY 757 35.22 Montgomery, AL (pager, 250 w)
25: 1906, KIN 645 35.22 Miami, FL (pager, 350 w, A2 tone ID)
29: 1629, KSB 204 39.50 Kankakee, IL (sheriff, 500 w)

Glenn Hauser, PSC Box 42309, Kelly AFB, TX 78241 using A-2586, GMT.

5-18: 2312, KIY 508 29: 1912, 37 Spanish 15: 1707, KDN 402 2326, KIN 645 31: 1923, KIM 905 6-2: 0022, KME 238 1711, KIM 905 1700, Long Beach 19: 2326, KIY 508 23: 1915, KAH 661 2349, KIN 645 9: 1955, KIM 905 22: 1334, KIM 905 13: 0027, KAI 927 1926, KSJ 815 1336, KFJ 891 24: 1752, KDN 402 0142, KIM 905 2005, KIY 757 2009, KIQ 999 1425, KIY 508 0206, Long Beach 2035, KIY 508 15: 1603, KFJ 891 24: 1521, KIN 645 25: 0117, KIY 508 27: 1335, KSJ 815 30: 1520, KIM 905 1621, KAH 661 1648, KIN 645 29: 1315, KIM 905

Now, my loggings. Allied A-2586 with whip and 20' indoor random wire antenna. Thru Jun 28 in bottom level of 3-story apartment bldg; after on 4th floor of 5-story hotel. MDST used, all Es, new here underlined.

	5, Sacramento		Sacramento			KKV 690
	00, <u>KMD</u> 342		KQD 609 KSC 864			Boise
191	7, KSG 644		OK City			Eugene KFJ 891
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Some new ID's from old San Antonio loggings; CST, F2 unless noted.

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10-14: 1705, KCH 954
25: 1330, KBL 747
22: 1100, KCH 954
1555, KCC 960
11-1: 1125, KBP 777
8: 1425, KCD 582
1150, KBS 321
12: 1505, KCH 954
1610, KAV 469
13: 1630, KAV 469
14: 1156, KGC 765
17: 1100, KCH 954
17: 1327, KCE 579
1610, KCH 954
1610, KGC 765
1611: 1327, KCE 579
1618, KSA 776 (Es)
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some of the following are newly identified stations that have been logged in this column before as unknowns (e.g., KOP 303, KCB 897, etc.)

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42.54 Belmond, IA-sp KMB 305
35.22 Minneapolis, MN KMD 342
35.38 Denver, CO KME 238
33.90 Colchester, CT-f KME 438
33.90 W Glens Falls, NY-cf KOA 796
33.86 Tafton, PA-f KOH 894
33.62 Whitinsville, MA-f KOP 303
  KAG 793
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  KAH 661
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 KAI 927
KAV 469
KBL 747
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KBS 321 33.78 Seaside Park, NJ-f KQD 313 35.50 Dayton, OH
KCB 897 35.66 Portland, ME KQD 607 35.50 Grand Rapids, MI
KCC 960 33.72 Bloomfield, CT-f KQD 609 35.22 Lansing, MI
KCD 498 33.70 Sandwich, MA-f KSA 213 42 / Springfield, IL-sp
KCD 582 33.70 Harvard, MA-f KSA 776 42 / Pontiac, IL-sp
KCD 583 33.70 Harvard, MA-f KSB 230 42 / Joliet, IL-sp
KCE 579 33.78 Westmoreland, NH-f KSB 235 42 / Maryville, IL-sp
KCH 954 33.70 N Branford, CT-f KSB 236 42 / Effingham, IL-sp
KCK 671 33.90 Lake George, NY-cf KSB 432 42.38 Minocqua Twp, WI-sp
KDN 402 35.54 Omaha, NE KSC 644 43.58 Chicago, IL
KFJ 891 35 / Columbus, OH KSC 864 35.58 Peoria, IL
KGC 226 35.34 Allentown, PA KSD 326 35.58 Indianapolis, IN
KGC 765 33.94 Sykesville, MD-vf KSJ 815 35.22 Fort Wayne, IN
KGC 760 33.70 Conshohocken, PA-f KUA 772 42.42 Indianapolis, IN-sp
KIM 905 35.22 Charlotte, NC - 35.58 Boise, ID
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 KIM 905 35.22 Charlotte, NC - 35.58 Boise, ID

KIQ 999 35.34 Mobile, AL - 35.26 Eugene, OR-mp

KIY 508 35.22 Orlando, FL - 35.58 Long Beach, CA

KKV 690 35.62 Houston, TX - 35.58 Oklahoma City, OK

KMA 829 35 / San Diego, CA - 43.58 Sacramento, CA
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c-county; f-fire; mp-mobile phone; sp-state police; v-volunteer; rest are pagers

\*A2 code ID's by: KAI 927, KDN 402, KFJ 891, KGC 226, KIN 645, KIQ 999, KKV 690, KMA 829, KME 238, KME 438, KOP 303, KOD 607, KQD 609, KSD 326, and KSJ 815.

My apologies to Richard Colgan and Hank Holbrook on not being able to include their latest reports due to mail delay. Hank has suffered an accident while cycling, and it appears that he will be getting in a lot of unscheduled DXing time. We all wish him a speedy recovery. In the future, whenever your editor undergoes a change of address, the regular column contributors will be notified personally about it.