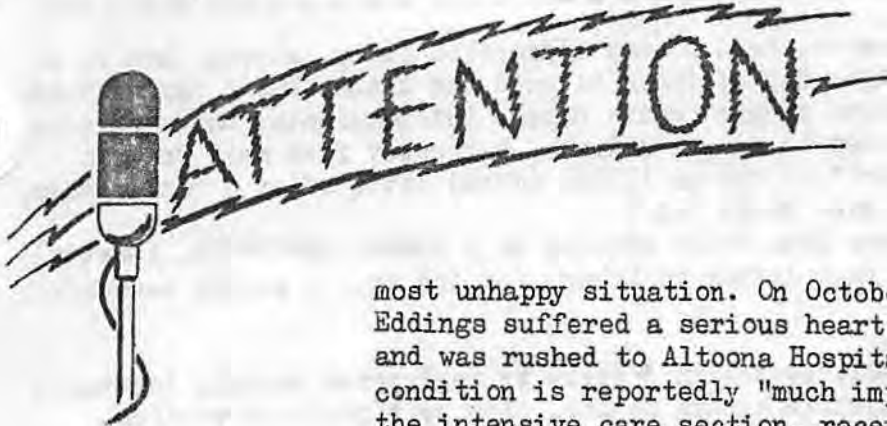


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This temporary bulletin is being sent to active NASWA members to advise them of a

most unhappy situation. On October 16, our Executive Editor, Bill Eddings suffered a serious heart attack in Altoona, Pennsylvania and was rushed to Altoona Hospital. At the time of typing, Bill's condition is reportedly "much improved" although he is still in the intensive care section, receiving blood transfusions.

I know all members join their Board of Directors in expressing the sincerest hope of the North American Shortwave Association that Bill will soon be rapidly on the road to recovery. Bill is in room 127 of the Altoona Hospital where he may receive get well cards.

As all members know and appreciate, Bill works long hours each month to put out the N° 1 SWBC DX Bulletin in the world, FRENDEX - a task for which he gives much and receives very little in the way of commendation. In the interim period, your BoD is producing this "emergency" bulletin of the most interesting DX and QSLs and hopes that the regular size/format of FRENDEX will be back into production with the December issue. An interim publisher for FRENDEX, Mr. Edward Shaw of Virginia has volunteered his services for the next few months. We ask you, the membership, to remember Bill in Altoona Hospital and to bear with us until we are again back in full swing.

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This month we are limited to only a small selection of QSLs which have been recently received. Additional QSLs which have been reported will be included in future QSL REPORTs. Nevertheless, several DX QSLs have been received, and your editor would particularly draw your attention to the following: the Austrian Army Radio Station, several from the Voice of Kenya, Ulan Bator, HPX-U.N. Radio/Switzerland, Libreville, Springbok Radio, Radio Nordsee International, Chicom 1, and the Clandestines: Radio España Independiente and Radio Libération.

- ANGOLA: A Voz de Angola, 5960, card in 7 months with full data (Stuart) Fisher)
EO, card of dancers, w/full data in 13 months. 2 IRCs sent and req'd 2 rpts (G./
- ARMENIAN SSR: Moscow replied with card in 2 months, specifying "via Erevan" on 11890 (Lemna)
- AUSTRALIA: VNG, Australian Post Office Time station, Lyndhurst, 7500, most attractive folder w/color photos of facilities and description of services. V/S: Elaine J. Doolan. 3 wks (Berg)
- AUSTRIA: Schulungssender des Osterreichischen Bundesherres, Vienna, OEY21/6255 kHz, sent attractive card in 1 month seaimail for reception in Britain; full data and included metal stick-pin featuring the station's emblem. (Calkin, Sloan)
- BOLIVIA: Radio Grigota, 4823, letter, p/p/card, mini-pennant, 1 month airmail for mint stamps. V/S: Daniel Arteaga (Sparks)
- BOTSWANA: Radio Botswana, 4845, p/p/card in 6 wks (Sparks) 5 months after f/up (Shaw)
- CANADA: CKZU, Vancouver, 6160, blue CBC domestic card from V/S: G. McGrath. 10 days (Berg)
- CAPE VERDE IS: Radio Clube de Cabo Verde, 3883, card w/QSLstatement in 17 days air (Stenson)
- CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC: Bangui, 5035, black/yellow/white/brown card w/Africa and major cities indicated. 3½ weeks after f/up for 7 month old rpt. 4 IRCs (Haines) mimeo letter in 17 days. Reported in French (Stenson)
- CHILE: R. Presidente Balmaceda, Santiago, 9590, long blue/white card in 10 days air for Spanish report and 1-IRC (Berg)
- CHINA: Peking, 7120, card and literature in 63 days seaimail. No IRC (Clyburn) full data?

CLANDESTINE: Radio España Independiente, sent a very attractive fancy, glossy card in dp blue and yellow showing a relief style map of Spain in gold and black. For a March/69 rpt on 17702. Card is in English w/Spanish slogan "Radio España Independiente, unica emisora española sin censura de Franco." Rpted to Prague address, but reply from mail drop in France. (Robbins) full data, for April/69 rpt on 17700. (Roth) ditto after 8 rpt! (Jensen) Congratulations, gentlemen - first ones ever! (Ed.)

Radio Libération, letter from Paris address in 3 months for 15048. (Dexter)

CONGO (Dém. Rep.): Kinshasa sent 2 page letter in French for 3rd rpt. 3 months seamail. V/S: V. Nikuna (G. Fisher)

EQUATORIAL GUINEA: Radio Santa Isabel, letter in 3 weeks by registered airmail for taped report. Full data from the Jefe, Conchita Nguema de Aba. Also sent photo of studios, autographed by the Jefe and stated that pennant would follow (Shaw)

ESTONIAN SSR: Moscow, 21715 sent card, full data, stating "via Tallinn". 6 weeks for rpt on Tarsi programme to Iran (Sizer)

FIJI IS: Radio Fiji, 3284, card of Suva Street scene, 7 months seamail for 1-IRC (R. Fisher)

FRANCE: FPH, Centre National d'Etudes des Télécommunications, Bagneux, 2500 kHz. Letter in French from this time signal station giving data, but saying no QSLs available. 2 wks air for 2 IRCs. For reception in Britain (Calkin)

GABON: Libreville, 4777, OCORA yellow/brown map card w/full data in French. 2 months for French report on all night 10th Anniversary programme. SASE, p/card, photo sent w/rpt, via registered mail (Sizer)

G.D.R. RBI sent 3 different cards for their 3 sites: Leipzig - 9730, Konigs Wusterhausen - 11820 and Nauen - 9650 kHz. Also station photo, sked and form letter. 3 mos air (Dexter)

HONDURAS: Radio Suyapa, HRQ, 6125, sends friendly letter airmail in 1½ months. Rpted in Spanish. V/S: Francisco Elortegui, Gerente. Vague letter, but said return postage really helps. Also colorful 33rd Anniversary pennant. IRCs sent (R. Murphy)

(Matthews)

INDONESIA: RRI Ambon, 7140, letter in Indonesian in 4 weeks. Rpted using Indo. form / RRI, Palembang, friendly letter in 1 year after original, 1 month after registered f/up w/mint stamps. No data (G. Fisher)

INTERNATIONAL WATERS: RNI, 6210 confirming letter from DJ Roger Day (Coleman)

IVORY COAST: Abidjan, 11920, unsigned card verifying date and frequency, by air in 1 yr, 5 months for French report with mint stamps (Poulis)

KENYA: Voice of Kenya, "The Station on the Equator", 4915, sent full data printed aerogramme in 8½ months, after taped report and 2 f/ups. Aerogramme also contains two colored drawings of the Broadcasting House and the transmitter, plus station info. Return address specified the "Engineering Division". A welcome addition! (Calkin) 9 months after original, 2 months after registered f/up w/4 IRCs (G. Fisher) 7½ months for 3 IRCs (Poulis) 9 month old rpt; took 3 wks after f/up (Haines) 17 months (A. Martin) 8 months, 1 week for 3" recording (Pappas) 2 months (Patterson) Guess who has started to verify! (Ed.)

LITHUANIAN SSR: Kaunas, 11870, card in 1 month (Sparks)

MALAWI: MBC, Blantyre, 3380, sends form letter QSL from G. K. Macdonald, C.E. Full data, in 5½ months. 3 IRCs sent (Calkin)

MARTINIQUE: ORTF, 5995, personal letter in French in 12 days from L.-M. Cohic, stating date and frequency and asking for more reports to determine coverage. Rpted w/mint stamps and an English report (Michalenka)

MAURITANIA: Nouakchott, colorful map/QSL w/full data. 11 months after original; 2 weeks after French f/up w/5 IRCs. Reply was registered (G. Fisher) 7245, 5 months; 3 IRCs (Shaw)

MEXICO: Radio Universidad de Chihuahua, XERUU, 6140 sends friendly letter airmail in 3 months. Letter has vague verie statement and gives info on station. V/S: Alfonso Varona T. (R. Murphy)

MONGOLIA: Ulan Bator, 15445, letter from Boyod, Head of the English Section; 8 weeks for taped report (Matthews)

NEPAL: Radio Nepal, 11970, plain white card w/emblem in upper left corner. 5 IRCs. V/S: K. B. Khatri, C.E. 71 days seamaile with full data (Pappas)

NEW BRITAIN: Radio Rabaul, 3385, folder in 27 days for 4 IRCs. V/S: John J. Waters, Station Manager. No data, but beautiful seashell stamps. (Michalenka)

Radio Wewak, station QSL sheet in 10 days after f/up; 1 year after original. 3 IRCs (G. Fisher)

NIGERIA: Radio Nigeria, Enugu, 6035, white card w/station name in green; 4 wks (Berg)

Radio Nigeria, Kaduna, 3395, RN card w/site specified; 6 wks; IRCs returned (Sparks)

OUTER SPACE: Chicom 1, 20009, personal letters in English and Chinese from the Chinese Academy of Sciences, Peking. Clear verification statement (Michalenka) registered letters in 5½ months (Matthews) 19 weeks w/same two letters (Sizer)

PORTUGAL: Deutsche Welle/Sines, attractive Iberian card in blue/orange/white, designed for Sines in same find tradition as Köln and Kigali. Stamped for 1st day of transmission; 3 months air (Calkin)

R.S.F.S.R. (Asiatic): Petropavlovsk-Kamchatsky, 15140, card via Moscow w/full data incl. site. 25 days air; no IRCs (Koukol) card in 1 month, 15140 kHz (Sparks)

Komsomolsk on Amur, 17790, card in 1 month (Sparks)

Nikolaevsk on Amur, 15415, card in 6 wks indicating site (Sparks)

R.S.F.S.R. (European) kursk, 1770, card in 1 month stating site (Sparks)

Gorky, 11860, card in 1 month stating site, via Moscow (Sparks)

Ivanfrankovsk, 9660, card in 1 month stating site (Sparks)

RYUKYU IS: VUNC, 14460, blue/white antenna card, by air in 51 days. Rpted by registered tape. Full data QSL (Pappas) 9913, mic/UN symbol card; 5 wks air returning unredeemable IRCs (Berg)

SAO TOME: Radio Clube de São Tomé, colored p/card of beach scene; 5 months airmail.

Labelled QSL N°. 1 (Sizer) 1 yr and 3 months for 3rd f/up; usual beach scene card via Lisbon (Haines) new "Praia das Conchas" card w/gold overprint coat of arms and radio tower. Reverse printed in Portuguese w/full data. ADDR: C.P. 44, São Tomé (Hall)

SARAWAK: RMS, Kuching, 7160, b/w photo of studio bldg; full data penned on reverse (Eby)

SEYCHELLES: FEBA, attractive card from Brenda Bacon in 1 month (G. Fisher) 3 weeks airmail with mimeod letter on station and religious pamphlet (Haines)

SIERRA LEONE: RSL, Freetown, p/card in 1½ months airmail for registered f/up (G. Fisher)

SINGAPORE: Radio Singapore, 11940, card by air in 13 days air (Gager)

SOLOMON IS: SIBS, 7115, card, all details in 3 months seamaile for 1-IRC (R. Fisher) full info, 95 days for 2 IRCs (Hall)

SOUTH AFRICA: Springbok Radio, 3952, Domestic service card in 87 days w/full data, listing full Eng/Afrik/Comm services, from H. F. Verwoerd SW Station (Watman)

SWITZERLAND: U.N. Radio/HPX, Prangins, 7443 kHz, card, sked and brief note from Geneva for their 1830 Z Russian transmission. 10 days air for 2 IRCs after reception in Britain. This is, to my knowledge, the only UN transmitter of their own used for broadcasting (Calkin)

THAILAND: Thai TV, Bangkok, 6010, letter from V/S: Mr. Choo Na Lampans, Director. Air in 18 days for 2 IRCs. All data and power; reply by registered mail (Padula)

UKRAINIAN SSR: Lvov, 11900, card in 1 month via Moscow with site specified (Sparks)

Vinnitsa, 11730, card in 1 month via Moscow with site specified (Sparks)

UPPER VOLTA: Radio de la Haute-Volta, 4815, Africa map card w/full details in French plus sked. 1 month for French report w/3 IRCs (Eby)

VIETNAM: Saigon, 9620, full verie info on paper QSL; 8 months seamaile. Dollar sent (Shaw)

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This month we are limited in space, so first we will have the DX items and then others if there is space left.

- 3305 VENEZ. LV de la Patria at 0159* w/anthem after clear Sp ID; s/off listed 0300 (Michalenska)
- *3346 ZAMBIA Lusaka w/pops to 0400, EE ID, TC & mx; tlk 0420 but fading(Berg,Perry)
- 3365 VENEZ R.Puerto la Cruz 0200 w/ads & ID; co-channel QRM(Sloan)
- *3380 MALAWI MBC 0325-0340 Afr mx & an old US pop, ID 0329, address, mixing TG(Perry)
- 3383 CAPE VERDE IS w/Port ID 2241, mx, "AP" at 2257 & off(Stenson)Port mx to 2215, then mx by M&W, more mx 2240; IDs as "Aqui Praia"; frequent 2 chime IS(Berg)
- 4687 VENEZ Rdif Venezuela on this odd fqy at 0403 s/off(Dexter)
- 4760 USSR Dzambul w/woman talking in Russian 1302(Glavich) (Field)
- 4765 ECUADOR C.R.E.-HCAJ2 w/sports, ID 0445, //4910; is this ex 4650? same address/
- 4791v VENEZ R.Ondas Portenas 1100 Sp lite mx, het R.Malaysia(Berghammer)
- 4816 PAKISTAN R.Pak. (QTH?) strong at 1800 s/off after local mx pgm(Sloan)
- 4819.5 INDONESIA Pontiniak w/Indo tlks by man; 1337-1352, ID 1351, then pops(Williams)
- 4829 ECUADOR Ondas del Angel w/pop mx, ID as "Radio Angel" 0400 s/off(Sparks)
- 4831v THAILAND(Tent.) TNBS 1100 lang, het YV, early SEA opening(Berghammer)
- 4832v COSTA RICA R.Capital w/baseball games, pops, many IDs, but no QTH given, 0600* (Sparks)LA mx, poor modulation, past 0600, 1 Oct(Williams)Sports 0340, ID; is this ex 4691v? Two nites later Tachira on 4830, no sign of Capital(Dexter)
- 4834 SARAWAK RM Kuching 1100 native tlk, peaking too early yet(Berghammer)
- 4840 PERU R.Atlantida w/mx pgm after Valera s/off 0400; ID & s/off 0421(Field)
- *4845 BOTSWANA RB s/off 2101 after wx, mx, ID in Eng, anthem; strong(Padula)0405 in native w/local mx & old US pops; good lvl(Dexter)BBC mx 1800(Sloan)
- *4850 MAURITANIA Nouakchott under RTTY 0700 w/chanting(Perry)Fr ID & into Arabic chanting 0700 after IS from 0657; guitar mx 0718(Young)0700 s/on, Koran chants; Arabic 0715(Shaw)Arabic mx 2232, Fr mx 2240, chants 2249, off 2301 Sunday. Was hrd from 2200 w/cganging & stringed mx(Berg) HEARD AT 7:05 GMT
- 4854 INDONESIA RRI Palembang 1100 Indonesian tlk, mx(Berghammer)
- 4855 MOZAMBIQUE RCM, Matola, Port documentary 2045, this fqy formerly Eng Svc(Hauser)
- *4871 W.IRIAN RRI Sorong w/pop US records, ID & 1400 s/off(Sparks)
- 4896 ANGOLA RC do Bie, Silvo Porto; telephone talk-back pgm 2030, rather erratic, not hrd every day. Don't confuse with the two russian outlets on 4895 at this time(Padula)
- 4900 INDONESIA Gorontalo w/Indo cmtry & western mx; definite ID 1354; hrd past 1400. First time I've hrd this type of music from Indonesia(Williams)
- 4915 KENYA R.Kenya hrd w/mx & Eng ads, poor 1730(Bruce)
- 4923 MOZAMBIQUE RCM on NF w/ads in Eng & ID in Port(Sloan)
- 4926 RIO MUNI Bata w/Afr mx 2136(Burnett)2145-22-- s/off Sp w/Afr mx, lots of IDs at s/off(Stenson)0434-0530 Afr mx, Sp tlks(Soneff) (Berghammer)
- 4927m INDONESIA(Tentative) Believed RRI Djambi 1100 lang, too early in season
- *5010 CAMEROONS R.Garoua in Fr w/drama 1845; good sig(Sloan)2130 Afr chants, pgm seemed to be in Fr; off 2200 after anthem & drum mx(Berg)Best sig yet 2150 with Afr jazz, 5 minutes of Arabic before 2200 s/off(Sizer)
- *4950 KENYA Vernaculars svc to 1815 s/offw/anthem, strong lvl(Padula)
- 5017mv Bolivia R. Universo 1000 full Sp ID, native Indian mx(Berghammer)
- *5040m BURMA BBS Rangoon at 1115 w/Burmese tlk, dance mx; a very hasty check of 4725 failed to turn up the second network normally there(Berghammer)
- *5045 P.GUINEA Bissau good at new s/off 0102 after singing of "A Portuguesa"(Koukol) 0654 open carrier to 0703, then "A Portuguesa" while carrier on & off to 0704. Carrier off for ID, into Afr type mx, but once a male voice in Port; past 0727. One jazz piece, but the rest drum Afr mx w/singers(Young)
- 5051m VENEZ R.Mundial, possibly new ID for either former R.Zulia or R.Cultura; haven't determined QTH yet; 1015 Sp ID, cha-cha; R.Loreto down 2 (Berghammer)
- 5935 TIBET Judging from JSWC rpts, my previous rpt of 4035 was also Lhasa. 5935 at 1430 CJKT pgm of rev. mx & thots; flutter. 1500 TS, mx into lang(Hauser)

- 6035 NIGERIA NBC, Enugu, w/ID to that effect 0515(Dexter)
- 6045 PANAMA LV del Baru in clear w/good sig, fast fading, 1007-1050 when unknown het killed them. IDs, TCs between every number. LA mx, ads(Sizer)
- 6070v VENEZ R.San Sebastian, but usually ID simply as "SS"(ese, ess). S/on w/ 2 anthems & into requests 1000(Wood)1030 full Sp ID, ads; newly activated(Berghammer)0056 noticias; strong(Sloan)Batling CFRX & occasionally on top w/LA mx at 0225 & 1015 checks(Sizer)pop mx & ID, 0400 s/off, above CFRX(Sparks)LA mx, ID 0357, anthem(?) & off 0359(Soneff)Nightly to around 0400 s/off(Field)
- 6119 VENEZ R.Angostura, YVSX, Ciudad Bolivar, from 0915 tune. Rapid, multi-voice talk, brief mx & vocal group segments, TCs, IDs. Good lvl, but het VOA 6125 (Dexter)
- 6155 PERU R.Pucallpa w.poor sig but ID thru heavy QRM 1000(Sizer)
- 6190 MOROCCO RTM w/carrier to 0 600, anthem, s/on anmts in Aravic, into chanting, // 9615. Ici Rabat ID at 0615, mx, more Arabic mx after 0632(Young)2130 Arab chants Different from 6170.From 2200 both //(Behr)
- 6192 CLANDESTINE-CAMBODIA at 0603 Cambodian tlk by M&W; other audio in background. //9870 previously rptd. Bits of the "International" recorded off SW were thrown in at times. After 0650, audio QRM let up; tlk abt Kirirom; 0725 lively over-modulated Chinese song; off 0730. Not to be confused with Manokwari, Indonesia, 6193v, heard in the evening(Hauser)
- 6198v CLANDESTINE V. of the Pathet Lao at 1045 w/Lao songs; unid on 6200(Berghammer)
- 6255 GALAPAGOS LV de G. finally noted w/3 definite IDs between 0330-0400. Mixture of mx from LA types to "Pennsylvania Polka". Seems to have three different ancrs, each taking a different night. Sig is improving. S/off varies 0358-0406. Plays Ecuadorian National Anthem at closedown(Dexter)Fades in 0230 w/all LA combo mx. Usually a serious religious presentation around 0345, then full ID, chapel bells & l-o-n-g anthem & s/off 0405v. Generally IDs as "Radiodifusora La Voz de Galápagos" Sig ranges poor to good(Berg)Fair w/rel tlk 0350 before s/off 0400 (Sizer)0330-0400 s/off; tangos & pop dance mx; 10 minute rel tlk before s/off, while orchestra played mx from La Boheme (on subsequent nights mx was from Madame Butterfly); ID & anthem(Sparks)From 0340 tune, ID 0343, then light mx; a very few pops noted. Good S9 lvl, t/o 0355(Niblack)
Mx pgm w/"San Cristobal" hrd in ID 0400 before s/off(Field)4 days in a row from 0205 to s/off 0400A. Ec mx & occasionally US pop tunes. Seems to be nxcast 0333-0342 most nights, then prayers w/orchestral mx 0345-0359; IDs infrequent, but nearly always between 0330 & 0345. A marching anthem closes down each night. Once on 6257(Young)
- 6275 LAOS Paksane noted w/US pop mx of the '50s at 0738; at 0754 playing a march often hrd on Thai stns; 0755 YL ID & giving fqys(Hauser)
- 6405 THAILAND Or Sor, Royal Household, 0858 theme mx, s/on mentioning 6405 & 1333 kc, into Thai march. Ancd sked as 0900-1200 GMT(Hauser)
- 7107 THAILAND Thai RTV at 1015 w/Thai songs, autumn peak to SEA(Berghammer)
- 7144 SARAWAK RM Kuching 1015 Malay tlk pgm(Berghammer)
- 7160 SARAWAK RM Kuching 1030 lang, Eng sked; increasing CW QRM(Berghammer)1128 Eng religious pgm(R.Fisher)
- 7198v TAIWAN V.of Righteousness 1115 Cantonese political tlk, no Malaysia 17 Sept; jammed(Berghammer)
- 7214 BRUNEI R.Brunei, Tutong, 1045 lang talk, hets Taiwan, up 1 (Berghammer)
- 7235 SOLOMON IS. My report of Fiji here is incorrect. My only explanation is that I must have hrd "BBC" as "Fiji".(Sizer) OK, thanks much for the correction.(DF) SIBS good 0803 w/Eng, BBC mx 0900. Tnx A.Balbi.(Sala)Often hrd around 1130A when they s/off. ABC mx 1100. Is this //3995?(Perry)1045 mx & BBC pgms. (Michalenka)local mx 0815, ex 7115 to avoid R.Australia(Padula)
- 9575 GREENLAND Grønlands Radio begins 5 note IS around 1010, 6 per minute, then brief ID 1015, into US pops. Nx 1030 in Danish or similar., pops 1045. Out quickly 1110, fair to good till then. 5980 fair & lasts a bit longer, but 5960 is weak(Berg)

- 9653v THAILAND TNBS, 1000 Thai tlk, likely mx; hets VOA-9655(Berghammer)
- 9682v VENEZ R. Maturin, 1100 Sp ID, says only "Maturin"; hrd neither "Radio", nor "Monagas"(Berghammer)
- 9702 NIGER R.Niger finally hrd, weak 0856 w/ID, Afr mx, 0900 pips & Fr anmt, ID, Fr pops & Afr chant; QRM HCJB 9710(Perry)
- 9708 MALI Bamako ID & fqys in Fr 0557, Fr mx 0700, vernacular 0730; often at good lvl. Pwr?(Brode)9710, 2000 Afr mx, Fr anmts, 2215 ID, song & anthem to 2300 s/off. //7110 & 5995(Behr)
- 9722v VENEZ R.Merida, 1130 Sp, local mx; noted only sporadically(Berghammer)
- 11321 INDONESIA R.Angkatan Udara w/western songs to s/off 1359; new fqy(Sloan)
- 11778.9 MOZAMBIQUE L.M., 0400 US style "Much More Music"(Wood)
- 11819 MOZAMBIQUE RCM, 0415 mx & port anmts, (Behr)
- 11845 KUWAIT RK 2000 great lvl in Eng; all mx, Eng ID every 15 minutes; QRM Ghana 11850(Michalenka)Opera selections 2020, few IDs, s/off 2100 & anthem, final ID; New fqy & is //4967.5 & 15345 also hrd(Padula)
- 15125v KUWAIT RK, new fqy, 2030 Arabic pgm & chants to 2120A, Kuwait?(Behr)RK here on NF 2030 Arabic drama, ID 2053, jamming 2100 for R.Liberty; good lvl(Padula)
- 15185 SEYCHELLES FEBA w/weird DJ show 0310; 0330 instead of s/off, they continued w/ pgm "It's All Yours" after ID(Hauser)Gave mailing address 0245, into Indian lang(Padula)S/on 0100 Eng ID to India in lang to 0300, then Eng. Indian mx, cmtry; Eng pgm was simple Eng w/Eng lesson(Heggs)
- 0253 Indian type mx & anmts w/M&F voices ta 0259. Then ID & time. Then "Under the Southern Cross" pgm. Featured a lesson in counting 1 to 20 in Eng. Hrd to 0400 w/ID & s/off anmts. Next day was at 60 over S(lvl(Young)
- 15250 ETHIOPIA ETLF, Arabic sermon 0450, NF, ex 15400 ex 15175(Padula)
- 15265 SEYCHELLES FEBA 1450-1630 close, Eng IDs on the hour, TCs, too. Seemingly $3\frac{1}{2}$ hrs ahead of GMT. Eng 1500-1530, rather than the listed time of 1530-1600 as given in WRTH SS.(Young)1600 full Eng ID by OM, into Marathi; QRM Moscow on fqy(Koukol)Eng rel pgms 1500-1530, Hindi 1530, Mar athi 1600, Gujarati 1615. Asked fro reports 1629 & gave address as P.O. BOX 234, Victoria, Seychelles. (Marshall)
- 15265 AFGHANISTAN Kabul, Eng mx, cmtry, mx 1800-1830(Bruce, Marshall)
- 15375 ECUADOR HCJB on NF, ex 15405 & 15380, Port 2130, Jap2200, Russian 2230, German 2300, Jap 2330. Well hrd all this period(Padula) 0000 Port, 0030 Ger(Behr)
- 15445 ECUADOR HCJB, German 2000, Scandanavian lang 2030, Sp 2100. NF, ex 15535, which was used for a week or so late September. Now on top of VOA also on 15445. This station making changes almost daily, hard to keep track of. Don't know why they don't stick to a channel & get any interference cleared by IFRB on one of their authorized fqys(Padula)
- 17825 KIRGHIZ SSR(List) Believed Frunze here 1115 w/Chinese weakly under another Moscow "Radiostantsiya Rodina" pgm in Russian(Sizer)
- 17830 CEYLON(Tentative) Little doubt this was Ceylon; Indian type singing & mx well hrd at dawn & improved as day progressed, from 1100(Shaw)
- 17865 USSR 0400 Eng mx; PE listed as via Khabarovsk, who knows?(Kagey)My list shows via Komsomolsk-Amur(DF)
- 17895 MEXICO XERMX, R.Mexico in Eng w/Mexican & world mx, sports & weather in Mex. by a woman w/poor pronunciation 6 geographical names. Exc lvl 2010 w/dramatic bridge mx between each item. Production ID & mx format close 2057, then IDs in Eng & sp(Dexter) (Berghammer)
- 21684v E.PAKISTAN Dacca seems to have returned from 17840, 1300 lang; sked 1030-1330 /
- 28245 TIBET Lhasa-4035 is biggest harmonic radiator I've yet to encounter. Hrd 1503 after being hrd on 36315. This is 7th harmonic, unhrd 8th or 10th, so seems limited to odd ones. 36315 noted 1436.(Hauser)

Please continue your support so we can get going again on the usual basis as soon as possible. Your BoD is doing all possible, but we need your help, too. Dan Ferguson.

NASWA ANARC REPORT - NOVEMBER

The Association of North American Radio Clubs has a new Executive Secretary! He is Wendel Craighead, 2110 West 74th Terrace, Prairie Village, Kansas, 66208. Wendel was the only nominee for the position and thus no vote was required. Wendel is a SWBC DX'er and NASWA member. "Old Timers" may remember his name in the old Ken Board "World At A Twirl" columns. NASWA offers its thanks to Wendel for taking on the Executive Secretary's job and we wish him well in the two years ahead. While we're at it, congratulations and thanks for a job well done go to Gray Scrimgeour, retiring ANARC Executive Secretary who now takes on the duties of a NASWA ANARC representative. Your efforts over the past 24 months are greatly appreciated Gray!

On now to other Association news and the report that a vote is now being taken on whether to allow individual subscriptions to the monthly ANARC Newsletter. The facilities for this service exist thanks to ANARC's Publisher, Don Erickson of IRCA. Price would be \$2 per year for 12 monthly issues. We'll let you know the outcome of this one in our February column.

The Midwest DX Club with headquarters Morton Grove, Illinois has now reached the required membership level and a vote is being taken on granting full ANARC membership to MWDXC. The answer on that one in February too.

Work is continuing on the ANARC DX Census, although a volunteer is still needed to tally results of part of the census. This does not amount to a long or difficult job and if you are interested in volunteering, please contact Wendel at the above address. Jerry Starr of WHOT Radio is taping an announcement about the Census which will be aired over HCJB.

Meantime, Phil Sullivan has issued some preliminary results on the Census. Popularity of the various forms of DXing based on the preliminary tally go like this: Short wave broadcast: 83%; Medium wave 54%; Amateur 37%; utilities 27%; FM 21%, TV20%, Long-wave 15% and UHF-VHF 5%. Club memberships (100 samples) ASWLC-31; IRCA 11; NRC 8; NASWA 35; NYSDXA (now defunct) 2; NNRC 32; CIDX-5 and WTFDA 12. Total memberships out of the 100 DX'ers was 139. 71 of the 100 belonged to only one club, 23 to 2 clubs, 3 to 3 clubs, 2 to 4 clubs and 1 to 5 clubs.

A reminder that the DX Archives project has been successfully concluded and a place now exists for permanent retention of QSLs belong to deceased DX'ers or those no longer interested. The Antique Wireless Association of Holcomb, New York will retain QSL collections in their museum. A volunteer, someone living in the area of Holcomb, is needed to maintain liaison with AWA. AWA already has one DX collection and they were quite impressed with the listening aspect of the DX hobby!

Some procedural changes are in the works in issuing the ANARC Merit Awards. These should be worked out shortly. Meantime, nominations continue to be welcome. Send them to Gerry L. Dexter, Rt. 1, Maple Rd., Lake Geneva, Wisconsin. Don't forget 3 carbons and an SASE.

IRCA's membership has grown so they have another rep..Randy Seaver, 540 C Street, Apt. C, Chula Vista, California, 92010.

CIDX is still experiencing problems in finding a publisher. There may be format changes in the works as well.

SWBC outlets in Burma and Timor have been contacted by the QSL committee. And, follow-up letters have been sent to stations who were contacted earlier but have not replied. This ANARC Committee has a tough job but they've managed a few successes and no doubt will come through on additional stations.

ANARC's sister organization, The European DX Council held their annual convention in Cologne, Germany the weekend of July 24th. ANARC's liaison man, Serge Neumann attended and reports that discussions centered around the definition of a DX Club, the problem of fund-raising for EDXC, report forms, and the difference between being a DX'er and being an SWL. Representatives from member clubs in Sweden, Denmark, Finland, Germany, Holland, Belgium and England were there as well as representatives from Deutsche Welle, Radio Nederland and the Swiss Broadcasting Corp. Serge comments he thinks "that because of increased postal costs, as well as a shortage of qualified people to work on committees, it wouldn't surprise me if ANARC and EDXC cooperation becomes closer as the years go on."

There are a few new clubs floating around which have contacted ANARC about associate membership. These include The Rocky Mountain DXers Association and the Idaho DX Association. Both clubs are new and small. Information about the South Jersey DX Club is rather hazy, they were to have applied for associate membership. Apparently the name has been changed to the Americas Radio League.

Some of the ANARC clubs held conventions this past summer. WTFDA's was in Dunkirk, New York and drew about 25. NRC set a record with some 70 members attending including one from Jamaica and Cesar Obijo from The Dominican Republic. San Francisco will play host to the NRC'ers next year. (Nice to have that all set so soon!!). The INRC pionio-convention drew about 70 persons to Patapsco State Park in Maryland.

Gray sends out a reminder that we're still looking for a 1971 ANARC Convention host or hosts...1971 Man of the Year nominations can be sent in any time and, as always, the various ANARC committees can do with additional help.

And that about cover's two month's worth of ANARC news! - Again, a big welcome to Wendel Craighead!

More...next month.

73,

Gray Del Gerry

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For info/data on above NASWA members, see next page. Have you sent your pix in yet?

ROSS HULVEY III

a recent new NASWA member, Ross is a student, therefore single. His rx for present is an Ameco R-5 and he uses a 75' longwire. With only a few QSLs thus far, he anticipates many more in the days to come. He enjoys listening to the various DX programs, but is rapidly becoming more interested in serious DXing.

DAVID BALTIMORE

Manager of a TV-Radio station, Dave is married and has been in NASWA for 3 years. He uses a National HRO-500 rx along with a trap dipole antenna. SWBC QSLs thus far total 59. His main interest in the hobby is to hear what goes on in the rest of the world and to DX as many new countries as possible

CHRIS LOBDELL

A college student, single Chris has been an active NASWA member for 3 years. He DXes with a Drake SW4A, employing a Mosley SWL-7 Antenna. His SWBC QSLs at present number 119. Chris likes DXing Africa and LA most. Aside from being a NASWA member, he edits part of SWR section for sister club ASWLC's SWL (and does a fine job!)

ROBERT FERITZ

Also a college student, single, Bob too, has been with NASWA for three years. An Ameco R-5 is his rx using an inverted "L" antenna. To date, he has 41 SWBC QSLs. Says Bob, "My main interest in DXing is to find out more about this fouled up world of ours."

DON JENSEN

In his 8th year with NASWA, Don is a newspaper reporter, is married and has 3 children. During his tenure in the club, he has served in various capacities, is presently our Country List Chairman as well as advisor to BoD. His rx is a Drake R4B, antenna a longwire plus a Joystick. SWBC QSLs now total a 'sweet' 200. His main interest in DXing involves clandestine stations of which he has written about in past bulletins and national magazines.

ROBERT SHEPHERD

A computer-programmer, single, Bob has been in NASWA for 3 years and reports regularly from his QTH "down under" in Australia. He uses a Marconi B28 (CR-100) rx and a longwire antenna. His SWBC QSLs total 153. For some years, he has served as one of the officers of the ARDXC along w/fellow member Bob Fadula.

ANDY RUGG

From VE-land, Andy is a chartered accountant, single. Been in BASWA four years. Uses an AR88D rx along with a longwire antenna. He, as many DXers, works various bands including SWBC, MW, and ARO..... depending on mood and conditions. Enjoys contests when time permits.

DONALD SCHIET

A new member, Don is a design draftsman, married. His rx is a Hammarlun H-145A - his antenna is a dipole. He doesn't get too much time for dial twisting, but he has managed 25 SWBC QSLs so far. After serving a hitch in the USAF, he is just getting back into the swing of DXing.

ROBERT ESTAND

Bob works for the telephone company in El Paso. Is single. Has been with NASWA two years. Present rx is a Realistic DX-150, due his being restricted to space, antenna is short length of wire around the ceiling of his shack. SWBC QSLs total 75.

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