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- SOLOMON ISLANDS. hrd in Eng 0815 w/local nx 0833 record prog 0915 BBC nx. 7115kcs. (W.Craighead, Kan.)

NIGERIA. "Voice of Nigeria" hrd on 11905 in lang at 2000, Eng nx 2100. //9690. (A.Balbi, Calif.)

COLOMBIA. Radio Dif. Nacional de Colombia noted varying freq in 19mb. Hrd on 15330, 15332, 15325 and 15335. Programming is Sp. talks and nx, cultural mx. Of late, freq of 15325, now seems to be regular, also it appears to have replaced 4955. (V.Jaar, Haiti. R.Wood, Ind. J.Howard, Mo.)

GABON. Radif. TV Gabonaise, Libreville hrd 2215-2300s/off w/native mx, Fr anmts/ID. (D.Henderson, Md.)

COSTA RICA. According to letter from Radio Monumental (reported on 4745 in loggings) they have not been on SW for some time. (G.Dexter, Wisc.)

DOMINICAN REP. Onda Musical, Santo Domingo is back on 4770A from 3345. Its assigned freq 4780, but usually hrd operated 4770 in recent years. (V.Jaar, Haiti)

THAILAND. Sked direct from Radio Bangkok lists NA Service as 0415-0515. Freqs are 11910//7185, 6160 (P.Donegan, Calif.) The Home Service, in Thai, hrd at 1100-1530 on 4830 (B.Padula, Australia)

UAR. Radio Cairo now using 9475 for North American Service. Change from 9580 was recommended by ANARC Freq Recommendation Comm. (R.Wood, Ind.)

MALAYSIA. BCBFES, Tebrau irregularly hrd w/relay of BBC World Service at 0100-0130 on 17890kcs. Woman anncr IDs before and after relay. Neither times nor freq fit any skeds I have seen. (B.Hill, D.C.)

- PITCAIRN ISLAND. VR6AC was hrd 2202 with SWBC type progmg on 14100kc. Verification was rcvd via W4TAJ. (M.Hosmer, Ind.)

ANGOLA. Radio Comm. de Angola hrd at 2330-0000 s/off w/A Portuguesa on 4795. Weak! (T.Guglielmi, Ill.)

VENEZUELA. Radio Tovar noted on new outlet 9740A. Best hrd in mornings. (V.Jaar, Haiti)

SWITZERLAND. Those wanting to hear ICRC broadcast on 7210, Sept. 19, 21, 23 should listen 0600-0700, 1130-1230, 1500-1600, 2100-2200 (T.Guglielmi, Ill)

MOZAMBIQUE. Lourenco Marques hrd on 15297 1630-2000 w/ID, mx and Port anmts. This sta seems to be shifting/driftng in frequency. (S.Rowell, Wash.)

- SO.VIETNAM. According to sked rcvd w/QSL from VTN, freq is listed as 9754. Eng is 1230-1300 and 2330-2400/0000. French sked is 1100-1200 on 9754. Cantonese and Mandarin hrd on 7245. Vietnamese on 9620, 6165, 4877. (D.Hirst, Tex.)

USSR. Radio Moscow hrd in Eng w/news and commentary at 0500 on unusual freq of 19510A. (B.Sparks, Calif.)

ETHIOPIA. ETLF hrd on 9540 w/test xmsn to So.Africa.(?) 0300-0400 w/music, Eng IDs. (B.Sparks, Calif.) Sked 0400 to So.Afr.

SWITZERLAND. Effective Sept.4 the "Swiss Merry-go-Round" prog relates SBC will replace 11715 with 6120 for 0415 xmsn to NA. (D.Hirst, Tex)

CLANDESTINE. Radio Euzkadi varying/shifting freqs (15060-15090) while hrd 2030-2300. Jammers ever evident.(J.Howard, Mo.)8/22

ECUADOR. HCJB using new outlet 15325. Hrd around 1900 in Eng. (V.Jaar, Haiti)

AUSTRALIA. Radio Australia's "DXers Calling" quoting Frendx. (A.Balbi, Calif., Del Hirst, Tex., Bob Padula, Australia, J.Howard,Mo.)

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INDONESIA. Radio Ambon, YDR2 on 7140 hrd 0630 8/12. Will send report, but they did not yet verify one sent by me over a year ago. (F.Peters, Ill.)

SOLOMON ISLANDS. Good reception on 7115 // 3995. This channel replaces 3205. (B.Padula Australia)

-NICARAGUA. Radio Bluefields hrd here 1053 on 5950kcs. ID in Eng at 1100. Prog was music in Western "country-style". This is first time this station has been hrd here in Victoria, perhaps in Australia! Sure hope it QSLs! (B.Padula, Australia)

-MALAWI. Hrd s/off in Eng on 3370 at 2100, a Sunday. Good signals. (B.Padula, Aust.)

FIJI ISLANDS. VRH8 hrd in Eng 0935, ID at 1000. VRH9 hrd in vernaculars 0930, Eng ID. VRH8 on 3230, VRH9 on 3284kcs. (Dan Henderson, Md.)

SUNSPOT predictions...for Sept. 51, for Oct. 55, for Nov. 59 (A.Balbi, Calif.)

CANADA. CFEK, Vancouver hrd\*Sundays when ZL7 is off. Freq is 6080. Seems power is more than 10w. (W.Craighead, Kan.)\*0815

-CAMBODIA. Radio Phnomh Penh on new freq of 4925 can be hrd w/Fr and Eng programs 1200-1400. Eng ID at 1300 (E.Scotentgerath, N.J.)

MAURITANIA. According to WRTH/SS, Radio Mauritania is planning a 100kw xmtr at Nouakchott in 1968. (T.Guglielmi, Ill.)

ECUADOR. Radio Javier 4990 hrd at 0400 w/ sign off. Radio Barquisimeto was not on at this time. (Cesar Objio, Dom.Rep.)

NEPAL. There is an erroneous report, now being circulated re the "Voice of the Himalayas". WRB carried mention on such which appeared in ASWLCs "SWL" recently, but made the mistake of not noting the article was a REPRINT, taken from a 1963 edition of the bulletin.. "SWL".

The current FACTS are: There are two stations involved, thus the confusion. The government station in Nepal, on 4580 now operates with 5kw; It is this station at present, that is constructing new xmtr (supposedly 100kw). The "Voice of the Himalayas" was to be a commercial station! It has not materialized. For additional info/facts on the latter, see this months SW Center, article by Gerry Dexter! (Hdq)

ASCENSION ISLANDS. Future relay of BBC will be ID'd "Mid Atlantic Relay of the BBC". (S.Neumann, Calif.)

SUDAN. Radio Omdurman 9508 hrd w/Arabic Service 0420. Is in clear until BBC s/on 9510 0515. Try between 0400-0500. (Dan Henderson, Md.)

AZORES. Radio Ponta Delgado 4865kcs hrd 2230-2300 w/Portuguese prog. (TGuglielmi, Ill.)

CZECH'KIA. Radio Prague now on 6095 as per ANARC Freq. Recommendation Comm. work. Hrd w/Eng 0330. (R.Wood, Ind.)

BURUNDI. Radio Cordac 4920kc hrd w/Fr 1825-1900, then Eng "Back to the Bible" prog. (B.Padula, Australia)

VENEZUELA. Radio Tovar, YVOP, San Cristobal, hrd on new freq 9750 with very good sigs around 1400. (Cesar Objio, Dom.Rep.)

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New Loggings Editor is Del Hirst 202 Birch Street, Snyder, Texas 79549. He will take over beginning with the October edition of Frendx. Reports are to be sent direct to him and should be mailed so that they reach him no later than the 15th of month. It is requested that members use the report form enclosed in this edition of Frendx!

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Next month we will announce first in series of contests "Logging Marathon". Complete info/data as to rules, contest manager, prizes, etc., will be given. Dont miss it!!!

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## OCTOBER

Tentative logging of Port Villa hrd from 0615 to 0708 on 3905. First half hour in English then French at 0645. Music portion of xmsn fair, voice portion modulation weak. Signal lost at 0703 due ARO QRM. 9/21 (Frank Peters, Illinois)

Radio Demerara noted recently on both 3265 and 5980 at s/on. Can be well heard 0910. (Vic Jaar, Haiti)

Berlut, Lebanon hrd 0015-0027 on 15325 w/ much clanking and Arabic talky-talky and w/multi-lingual anmts 0030. New freq. 9/15 (Al Niblack, Indiana)

Saudi Arabia can be well hrd as late as 2235 on new freq of 15150. Hrd airing prog of piano mx, anmts by man and woman. This station beginning to sound westernized. (Al Niblack, Indiana)

Radio South Africa announces following changes in sked: 2200-2225 15205, 11785 & 9720 replaces 11900 and 9690. 2100-2255 15205 replaces 15220. (SCEXers)

El Heraldo de Sonora, Mexico 11820 defina- tely reactivated. Hrd w/commercials and several IDs, relaying XEBH (MW). Deep QSB. Best hrd around 1730. 9/17 (A. Niblack, Ind.)

Radio Casino, Costa Rica features time cks (on CST basis) and plenty of commercials in Eng, also country-western mx. Hrd from 1105 on 5954. Rather a pleasure to hear Eng from this source. (Al Niblack, Ind.)

Contrary to skeds, Deutsche Welle daily prog to ECNA in German at 0000 is on 9680 rather than 9565, and 1/6100, 9545. 9/13 (Bert Pistor, Ontario)

Transmisoras Caldas, Colombia observed 9/15 with complete ID at 0305 on 5026. It has adjusted upwards in freq from 5020. (Al Niblack, Indiana)

Radio Bolivar, Venezuela, hrd well 1770 w/ native programming around 0125. (Niblack)

French spkr on 5020 from 2330GMT is Radio Independence, Haiti. Programming is mostly pop music. Sigs are weak to fair. I had thought this one was inactive. (Al Niblack)

Pyongyang, N. Korea hrd here on 14510 w/ good sigs in Sp xmsn to SA. Nx at 0100. Is listed as on 14520, but RTTY QRM there. 9/15 (Dan Henderson, Md.)

Radio Yaounde, Cameroon hrd with FB sigs on 4972.5 w/pop mx and French anmts. S/off is at 2200 after antehm. 9/15 (D. Henderson)

Radiodiffusora Brasilia logged 0030-0130 and rechecked at 0200. A prime suspect would be Campinas, listed 4735, hrd 4755. Fair sigs, but badly QRM'd. Noted w/Port nx, anmts, standard mx. Will continue to check further. (Al Niblack, Indiana)

Fort Lamy, Chad hrd here for first time 9/15 w/French anmts and native mx, then s/off at 2130 on 4904.5 Freq clear of any RTTY QRM until around 2300. ID heard was Ici Fort Lamy. (Dan Henderson, Maryland)

Low-powered station, La Voix de la Grande Anse, Haiti recently noted, especially on Sunday evenings around 2330 and later on 5090A. (Vic Jaar, Haiti)

Radio New Zealand on new freq of 11830 for service to Pacific Islands. Hrd at s/off 0545. (Art Glover, Washington) This replaces 11780 and is used 2000-0545. Is rather amazing since Tahiti is on 11825 at same time. Cannot see reason for the change. Have noted my own R. Australia now moved to 11780 for Indonesian service at 2230. (Bob Padula, Australia)

New SW station Ondas Panamericanas located at El Vigia, Venezuela and relaying MW, operates on 13215 as announced. Modulation is poor. S/off is 0200. (Vic Jaar, Haiti) Heard 0145 (Al Niblack, Indiana)

CEL515, Chile 15147 variable in frequency noted 9/14 2340-2350 good sigs. (Niblack)

Due to QRM from Havana and Vienna on 9525, about which the ANARC Frequency Rec. Comm. had warned Radio South Africa, prior to commencement of test xmsns to NA, a change has been made to 9675, still //11900.

(Richard Wood) This will clear up matter and confusion re various/assorted reports listed for the two freqs. Numerous members submitted data hereto, some conflicting, thus, rather than cover all...and being this station, though new, is not now to be classed DX, it would be senseless to list each report sent us re it. (Hdq)

New Hebrides anncing now operating on a daily sked...0015-0115 on 7260, and 0615-0715 on 3905. (Barry Williams, New Zealand) Would assume this means Monday through Friday...not sure if also Sat & Sun!

What is seemingly Rangoon, Burma is hrd on 5040 with fade in to fair level at 1115 each morning of late since 9/22. Music es language peculiar to that type de that part of world. Some polar flutter. (Niblack)

AIR, India now using following freqs for English 0030-0130 in Gen. Overseas Service; 11710, 11760(new), 9740 and 6180. (Padula)

YVOA, La Voz del Tachira, Venezuela now on 4837½ rather than nominal 4830. Noted w/ ID in Spanish 0045 on 9/10. (Bob Hill)

YVOT, Rad. Junin, Venezuela active again on 4930. Hrd well 0030 9/7 w/religious service in Spanish, then ID and into light mx(Hill)

Greek speaking clandestine "I Foni Tis Alithias" (The Voice of Truth) logged 0515 on 6216. ID at 0525. QRM by facsimile. Modulation is excellent, suggesting xmsns emanate de a government-operated station in Eastern Europe. (Bob Hill)

Solomon Islands, 7115 excellent around 1030 (9/22, 9/23). Is Honiara with "This is the Solomon Islands" ID by man. Heretofore this station hrd with extreme difficulty, except number of yrs ago well hrd on 5960. (Al Niblack)

Reply rcvd from Radio Arequipa, Peru. It consisted of beautiful pennant and card signed by the Director, with the words, "Agradecido por su informe" (R. Wood)

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Radio Relogio Federal, ZYZ20, 4905 logged 2252-2330. All Portuguese xmsn w/constant time ticks (like WWV with a running commentary). 9/24. (Bill Graham, N.Y.)

Radio Riga (Radio Lettlands per QSL!) in Latvia, 7140 a tentative logging last mo. now confirmed. Hrd 0036-0122 w/prog of Russian vocal mx. CRM de BBC. (Graham)

TWR Bonaire now on 5960. Hrd 0445 9/14. Thsi had been (still is?) Monoco freq. (Art Glover, Wash.)

China on 10175 hrd 1815 9/20 in unID lang (not Chinese!) Peking? (Glover)

Now SW station is Ondas Panamericanas, located at El Vigia, Venezuela. (Sorry! almost repeated item from overside!)

ORTF, Cayenne uses only 3385 on SW. It does not use 4892! S/on is 0915. Local time in Fr. Guiana is GMT minus 3 hrs. (Vic Jaar, Haiti)

RNT, Fort Lamy, Chad runs to 2300 on Sat. not 2200 as in WRTH. Hrd from 2145 w/Congo type mx and Fr. anmts. 9/17 (B. Hill) Logged 2105-2135 s/off 9/16. Prog of mx, then nx in Fr, Arabic and unknown lang. Anthem by orchestra w/bells at 2134. (B. Graham) Hill lists freq as 4905, Graham lists as 4904.5

CR6RZ, Luanda, Angola 4820 has nice sig early as 2250. Hrd 9/25 w/uninterrupted pop recordings till 2303A then man and woman anncers in Port. Gongs at station break. QRM de a Latin station. (Niblack)

Although IDing as "La Voz de Colombia en Bogata" HJGX on 6020 never hrd quoting its call letters. (Niblack)

Radio Clube Paranaense/ZYS35, Brazil on 11934 audible around 0030 w/IDs for 2 SW and one MW outlet. A check of 6045 at this time yielded negative results. Like I did not hear them there! (Bob Hill)

YVOC, Ecos del Torbes, Venezuela now on 4976½ instead of 4980. Can be hrd around 2300 when ID is given. (Bob Hill)

Our tnx to all FS reporters! (Hdq)

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PERU: La Voz del Progreso, Radio Tinga Maria, heard on new freq of 4755 w/sign off 0502. (Bruce Churchill, Calif.)

PANAMA: La Voz del Barú on 6045 is still the only apparent Panamanian on SW lately. Heard in morning hours, also around 0200. (Victor Jaar, Haiti)

SO. KOREA: VOFK, Seoul hrd 0310 14/X w/Eng nx and ID on 15125. Reports of this station as being on 11925 are in error. (Al Niblack, Ind.)

CHINA: Huhehot, Inner Mongolia heard weakly at 1120 17/X on 4068 w/man and woman annncers in Oriental, but non-Chinese tongue. (Bob Hill, D.C.)

ANGOLA: Radio Clube de Mocamedes new sked is: 0600-0900, 1100-1300, on 5015 and 7230, and 1700-2300 on 5015 and 9515. Radio Clube do Congo Portuguese new sked and freq: 0600-0800, 1100-1400, 1700-2200 weekdays on 4860, and 0800-2000 Sundays on 4860. (B. Churchill, Calif.)

CAPE VERDE IS.: Hrd at long last! Logged on 4715 8/X w/music at 2020, anmts in Port. at 2035, then news at 2045. (B. Padula, Australia)

AFGHANISTAN: Definately has moved to 11760 de former 11865. Hrd 1900 w/news read by man 22/X and at s/off at 1930 23/X. (A. Niblack)

THAILAND: HSKB, Home Service of R. Thailand hrd on 4830 at 1100 s/on w/Big Ben type chimes. Some QRM de Radio Malaysia, Sarawak later, around 1400 when HSKB prog in Thai. (B. Churchill, Calif.)

HAITI: Latest sked of Radio Lumiere; English daily 1000-1330 and 2000-0230, Sundays 1000-0230. Spanish daily 1300-1330 is special prog. Freqs are 2410, 6100, 9590, 9790. Another outlet, 9635 is used irregularly. (V. Jaar, Haiti)

USSR: Radiostantsya Atlantica on 11810 hrd w/Russian ID 1719 then music to 1728 when s/off was abrupt. 12/X. (Art Glover, Wash.)

COSTA RICA: Faro del Caribe noted back on shortwave rather regularly now. On 9645 at 1200 sign on and on 6037 around 0200. Spanish programing, religious broadcasts. (Victor Jaar, Haiti)

BRAZIL: ZYU60, Porto Alegre on 15335 hrd w/sports prog in Port. at 0125 13/X. This station must be used for special occasions irregularly, or is partially inactive. (Al Niblack, Ind.)

GREECE: Forces Broadcasting Service heard on 6045 at 2230-2301 15/X w/uninterrupted music, then brief anmt, ID, anthem and s/off. (Bill Graham, N.Y.)

NEW HEBRIDES: Radio Port Villa hrd with dance music, then Eng nx at 0640. Into Fr. prog at 0650. S/off 0711. Freq 3905. (Bruce Churchill, Calif.)

SO. VIETNAM: Saigon hrd on 9360A in Fr at 1100-1200 then Eng dictation nx at 1200-1215. This freq not listed anywhere that I know of. (Bob Padula, Australia)

NO. VIETNAM: Hanoi hrd regularly on 11760 w/Eng to American Servicemen in So. Vietnam at 1300-1330. (Marlin Field, Mich.)

BURMA: BBS verified reception of reactivated 5040 channel. Card said this replaces 6035 for evening xmsn 1100-1430GMT only. (B. Churchill, Calif.)

MALAYSIA: Penang hrd with good signal at 1110 16/X on 4780. Dance music then ID in Malayan 1115 and into vocal mx. WRTH lists 7280/9515, but recent checks here yield nil. (Bob Hill, D.C.)

VATICAN: Hrd on new freq 11700 in English 1755 23/X. (Al Niblack, Ind.)

THAILAND: Hrd w/late prog 1459-1516 8/X on 6160. WRTH lists s/off as being 1445. (Art Glover, Wash.)

**BLUE EAGLE:** According to Glenn Hauser, New Mexico, the Voice of the Blue Eagle was hrd on 11620 approximately, between 2255-2335, 8/X. At first appeared to be relaying an American Broadcasting Corp. station, but it later switched. Xmsn was erratic, some rock and roll music was hrd. A definite ID for WOCB (Manitowoc, Wisc. 980kcs) hrd as well as several commercials and CPT given by the station being relayed. IDs for the Voice of Blue Eagle were made by a seemingly non-pro anncr at 2257 and 2335 s/off. Further investigation finds that a Navy Oceanographic research plane, believed to be Blue Eagle, is at Univ. of Wisconsin 25/X, conducting tests on Great Lakes. Sea surface temps, ocean waves, vertical sea temp. profiles, air temps, solar radiation, pressure, humidity. Plane carries crew of ten including Univ. of Wisc. and Univ. of Michigan research specialists. USAF Operations Office, Truax AFB, Madison, Wisc. says it is providing the support facilities. No reasons given for SW radio tests/xmsns. (Don Jensen, Wisconsin)

**ISRAEL:** Kol Zion now hrd in Eng on 9725 from 2015 to 2030. Prog of news and interviews. Same is repeated at 2115. There is GRM from what appears to be some outlaw Army net on or near the freq. (Del Hirst, Texas)

**SAUDI ARABIA:** Hrd on 15150 22/X in Arabic with segments of "Washington Post March" in between news anmts. Hrd well WCNA until fade out around 1945. (Lou Stober, Oregon)

**ECUADOR:** HCJB will put a new 100kw xmtr in service soon as part of their new "Project Outreach". (Elias Coulouras, Mass.)

**JAPAN:** NHK now using 11780 from old/former 17825 for Eng to ECNA 2345-0045 and it is //15135. (Bert Pector, Ontario)

**W. GERMANY:** DW now on 9640, replacing 9680 during broadcasts to NA in German 0000-0255. //6100 and 9545. Also, in Eng to NA, new freq 9735//6075 0130-0250. Other sked notes; Eng to NA 2050-2100 on 6145//9735 & 11925. The 1510-1550 xmsn to WCNA has been dropped. (Bert Pector, Ontario)

**BULGARIA:** Recently noted with a new Interval Signal. (Victor Jaar, Haiti) Like wat Vic?

**SPECULATION:** Not to take away of the "romance" from matter, but it is hrd from most reliable source that some of the Spanish Number bits reported as "spy" could be mere xmsns of certain large org south of the border that uses this mode, on certain freqs, re transactions to New York. (Del Hirst, Texas)

**MALAYSIA:** Kuching, Sarawak tuned 1125 17/X on 4835. Iban language talks by male and female anncers. Hrd to after 1130 without any discernable ID. Is not dual to 5037! (Bob Hill, D.C.)

**CLANDESTINE:** A Voz da Liberdade (a quasi-clandestine using xmtrs and freqs of Algiers) hrd on 7171 at 0035 20/X w/man and woman in Port. political harangue. There is a slight hum noted on carrier. (Bob Hill, D.C.)

**WIBS:** Hrd on 11975 around 0100. Could be a new freq, but seems to me they used this some years ago. (Al Niblack, Ind.)

**TUNISIA:** Tunis hrd s/off in Arabic 2330A 18/X on 6199. Seems they are shifting or drifting as recent check found them on freq of 6201. (Al Niblack)

**GREENLAND:** Godthabb hrd from 2210 to 2220 in guttural Greenlandic, on 5980. QRM is a beautiful mess being R. Demerera, a Colombian, and a Peruvian station also using same freq. 16/X. (Al Niblack, Ind.)

**PAPAU:** Outlet noted at 1130 10/X on 3304 in possibly what is Police Motu/vernaculars. Time quote at 1150A, then definite ID at 1200 "Radio Daru, VL8BD" by man in English. (Al Niblack, Ind.)

Hrd at 1110 17/X on 3305A w/songs of both Polynesian and US western genres, plus anmts in native. (Bob Hill, D.C.)

**SOUTH AFRICA:** Radio South Africa IX Prog hrd 0315 20/X. Made reference to NASWA, Friendx and Del Hirst. (Marlin Field, Mich.)

**UPPER VOLTA:** Radio Ouagadougou hrd with positive ID on 4815 at 2255 by female anncr in Fr, then gongs and into news until s/off at 2300. You can be sure there is alot more than 4kw being used...that's positive too! (Al Niblack, Ind.)

**ANGOLA:** Radio Clube do Lobito hrd on new freq of 4707 around 2300. In Port. Sked not known. (Bruce Churchill, Calif.)

**MAURITIUS:** MBC verified reception on 9710 w/card. Am pleased due it sed this station not known as regular verifier. (B. Churchill)

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DECEMBER

MONACO: Monte Carlo hrd on new freq of 9585 at 0830-1005 w/Sunday Service of TWR in English. 11/27. (Balbi)

AZORES: Ponta Delgada hrd well w/light mx 2225-2230 then ID. This surely runs more than the lkw listed by WRTH and FBIS. Freq is 4865. (Niblack)

NEW GUINEA: Port Moresby/VLK3 on 3925 can be hrd at fair level 1255-1300 w/musical programming and Eng. (Niblack)

SWITZERLAND: Berne winter freq for NA is 5965. Operates 0115-0300 and is // 6120, 9535. (Legge)

DOMINICAN REP. New station on SW is HIMP, Radio Ocoa. Freq is 3210 altho announced 3225. Hrd daily 1200-0300. Address: Calle 12 de Julio esq. Sanchez, San Jose d'Ocoa, Dominican Republic. (Jaar/Objio)

GUATEMALA: Radio Maya, Huehuetenango is well hrd daily on 2360 around 0100 with Indian dialects, followed by Spanish. The programs are religious. (Jaar)

MOZAMBIQUE: Radio Pax hrd at 0356 s/on w/organ IS, then religious mx and into Port. at 0400. QRM'd by DW 0424 s/on. Freq is 7205. (Dexter)

UZBEK(USSR): "International Service" of R. Tashkent hrd on 9600 w/Eng and mx 1215-1228. Vry good level. (Niblack)

CONGO(D.R.): Radio Bakwanga s/on 7299 at 0400 after native IS, then into native mx and vernacular. Often QRM'd. (Niblack)

CYPRUS: BBC World Nx hrd 0300 on 11905. Sigs fair to good. (Balbi)

VATICAN: HVJ hrd w/tests for ANARC 0030 on 9690 11/18-25..and still hrd 11/26-28 to 0125 //11770, 7270. (Balbi)

BOTSWANA: BBC relay at Francistown hrd on 4845 around 2000 w/Eng ID. S/off is 2015 most days, but often late as 2045. (Padula)

ENGLAND: BBC London now using following 11 meter freqs: 25650, 0900-1300 for World Service; 25670, 1000-1400 for Middle East; 25750, 0930-1300 for Asian Service. (Padula)

IRAN: Radio Teheran hrd on 11750A wth s/on in Arabic 1830 then native singing. Bad hetrodyne. 11/22. (Hirst)

GUATEMALA: Radiofonicas Escuelas "Chortis" Jocotan (TGCH) hrd on 3380 11/5 sent airmail QSL(letter) in Spanish 11/21. (Hirst)

BURMA: BBS on 5040 has Eng 1430-1630 including nx and wx 1445-1500. Pop mx is hrd before and after nx. 11/24. (Churchill)

MAURITIUS: Forest Side hrd on 4850 under bad utility QRM w/Hindi prog until 1429 and into French 1430. Has pop mx until 1500 w/frequent anmts and commercials in French. Nx at 1500. QRM from R.Malaysia 4945 also. 11/25. (Churchill)

REUNION: St. Denis hrd on 4807 w/pop mx 1424-1505. Frequent anmts in French by YL but no ID given. 11/20. (Churchill)

NEW HEBRIDES: Verified my last months FS report w/form letter signed by both Eng and French officials. All details given. Returned in 25 days via airmail. (Churchill)

NEPAL: Radio Nepal 4600 hrd 11/20 w/YL talking in vernacular 1358-1408, Hindi mx and anmts to 1417 followed by closing anmt by OM and a vocal song/anthem. Carrier off at 1419A. This signal only audible on extraordinary propagation days, even though carrier is hrd often. (Churchill)

FR.SOMALILAND: Radio Djibouti hrd on 4780 11/24 from 1937-2001 s/off. Arabic songs, mx and anmts, then La Marseillaise. (Graham)

TURK ISLANDS: VSI35 logged 11/24 at 1830 w/local area nx and wx. Heavy QRM/QSB. (Graham)

SWEDEN: Radio Sweden now using a new arrangement of its interval signal. (Berg)

Happy Holidays to our FlashSheet reporters! Merry Christmas and IXperous New Year!!!!

**TEXAS:** According to Collins Radio, Dallas, Texas, the VOA plans a 250kw relay station in Australia. The xmtr, built by Collins is now undergoing tests (11/29) with a dummy load at 175kw. Station is to be in operation by Spring/Summer '67. (Stuart)

**W.GERMANY:** Bayerische Rundfunk/DMR24, hrd on 6085 at 0640 w/light mx, anmts in German and nx 0700, wx 0705, then classical mx at 0711. 11/25. (Churchill)

**ARGENTINA:** RAE now using 11710 for its Asian program. Noted before 1030 to s/off at 1117. Generally QRM'd, especially by AIR until 1100. (Jaar)

**COLOMBIA:** A new station on SW is La Voz del Rio Cauca, Cali on 4875. Noted since early October, it is hrd 24 hrs daily. (Jaar)

**HAITI:** Radio Lumiere has been noted on new 9565A with Spanish prgram ending 1330. (Jaar)

**IRAQ:** Radio Baghdad using new outlet on 15400A and hrd well daily in Arabic to 1200 s/off. (Jaar)

**NORWAY:** R.Norway has activated 25900 and is using new freqs 25730, 21655. All are well hrd around 1500 w/Norse programs. (Jaar/Legge)

**CYPRUS:** BBC E.Med. relay on 11820 hrd to 1915 s/off. No trace of R.Abidjan also sked for this time/freq. (Glover)

**GREECE:** Athens, NBI hrd s/on at 1730 w/IS and lingo into anthem followed by usual format. Freq 15345. (Niblack)

**THAILAND:** After considerable monitoring, am of the conclusion it is definately R. Bangkok loggable on 11940 as early as 0000 in native Thai w/M & W anncers. At 0100 clock strikes 8 and ID for "R.Thailand" is given, then into nx. Closedown at 0200 at which time 6 chimes are hrd. Could be this is new 100kw xmtr mentioned by some sources as now being in operation. (Niblack)

**TAZANIA:** Hrd on 21600 in native at 1500. Irregular. (Balbi)

**BRAZIL:** Radio Guacha, Porto Alegre now on 11915 (as listed) is well hrd around 2300 but later smeared by HCJB. (Niblack)

**SAUDI ARABIA:** Add new freq of 7220 hrd from 0345 tuning till 0350 tune out, in native and pop mx, and ID. High powered. Listed as Riyadh. Late checks show this freq now heavily QRM'd. 11/20 (Niblack)

**PAKISTAN:** Rdio Pakistan on new freq for Karachi to West Pakistan service of 4885. Urdu nx at 1445, Eng nx at 1500, Karachi prog in Urdu at 1515. 50kw? (Churchill)

**NICARAGUA:** Radio Atlantica now being hrd on new freq 6175A around 1200. QRM. (Jaar)

**VENEZUELA:** Escuelas Radiofonicas de Venezuela, San Fernando, Apure, operated by Ministerio de Educacion, now using 2440 (listed 2430) and 4910 to 0100 s/off. (Jaar)

**ECUADOR:** C.R.E. Guayaquil now being hrd to s/off at 0500 on 4645A although they still announce listed 4765. (Jaar)

**CEYLON:** Radio Ceylon commercial service hrd fair most days on 4870. Program is pop mx with frequent anmts and ads. Eng hrd around 1445. This is 10kw xmtr and is not well hrd until RRI Sorong s/off 1430. (Churchill) 11/25

**BRAZIL:** Now that R.Americas is missing(?) and the jamming too, Radio Inconfidencia is noted on 6000 from 2240-2250 w/commercials and Portuguese tunes. 11/20 (Niblack) (Some sources say that R.Americas has not been on since Inez hit. However, could be a mere coincidence. Edq.)

**AFGHANISTAN:** Radio Afghanistan 4775 hrd extremely well at 1230 w/pips and into 5 minutes of nx read by man in lingo. 11/13. It is //7200 reported by BH. (Niblack)

**CAMBODIA:** Phnom-Penh noted since 11/6th check and rechecks, nearly consistantly, around 1245-1305 tune outs. Hrd w/woman anncr, far east mx. Modulation is light and allows slop at times from a 9700 outlet. Phnom-Penh is on 9695. (Niblack)

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