

# WEST COAST DX

## Bulletin

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December 29, 1970 51-70

FORMOSA K6QH will be in Formosa this week and will make a determined effort to obtain permission to put BV2A or some other BV2-Station on the air. Joe will be carrying his own rig with him and will try to work a number of possibilities to get permission to operate.

K6QH will be in Formosa on December 29-30-31st, departing Los Angeles International on December 27th. He will operate any possible mode if permission can be obtained. This is not a sure thing and operating permission may be somewhat difficult but it may also pay to listen...stranger things than this have happened recently. QSL to K6QHs home QTH in Woodland Hills should things *jell*.

CHAGOS In case you missed it in the newspapers, the U.S. and Great Britain have signed an agreement to build a joint communications base on Diego Garcia there in the Chagos and there will be around 250 personnel there to operate it. Construction should start in 1971 and be completed in about three years.

This should eventually take Chagos off the rare or semi-rare list...it should but wait and see. Meanwhile, watch for VQ9SM at 14030kc or 14232kc...crystal controlled..around 1400Z or 0200Z.

SAIPAN A number of stations are being reported from these Marianas, among them being KG6SV who seems to like the area around 14300kc...or possibly slightly lower.

This one will show up around 0900Z...maybe earlier, maybe later. KG6SL also likes the 14300kc country, he was at 14308kc at 0700Z a few weeks back. KG6SF is another on the island, he will be found at times down in the lower part of the twenty meter band and he QSLs to WA6AHF/Ferne. This one will come on around 1200Z...and it may be possible to get details on a more exact schedule by dropping WA6AHF a note.

ARABIAN NET 7Z2AB says that he will try to have ST2SA and SU1MA at 14200kc each

Friday at 0600Z. A good possibility that Henry will bring in others from the Middle East there. There has been a 7Z2AG on during the last week....says to QSL to a P.O. Box in Ryad. Some sources indicate some reservations on this one as there do seem to be some inconsistencies. Work him if you wish...but 7Z2AB is always there for a true-blue contact.

FUNNY FARM The bars seem to have been let down at the Farm and the woods are filled with peculiar ones...that's for sure.

UF00L continued to show up last week...saying he was on Nova Zembla. Last Sunday he was saying to QSL to John Huntoon W1LVQ. Another time he said to QSL via the Bureau...still a third one was via WA8ASQ. Says he is trying to new country status for the island....How about that?

Also looking somewhat peculiar is FB8AT who was on twenty c.w. last week. Said he was on Marion Island and QSL to FLATB. Then there was 5Y3GT...off the coast of Cuba...well rectified signal. Cards for CR9TB are being returned from Hong-kong by the HARTS marked "Unlicensed CR9 Station". Then there was 9P3W at 14051kc at 0530Z on December 21st...said he was on MacRae(?) Island.... That prefix assigned to the Republic of the Congo. Along with FB8AT there was also FB8AK saying he too was on Marion Island. During the CQ WW Test an AS3B was giving his QTH as Atlantis and QSL to K2PJK...this one was a bit on the cruel side as K2PJK is crippled with cerebral palsy and unable to do much about handling the flood of QSLs received,...This AS3B definitely no good.

EUROPE

UD6BD	21255kc	1455Z	Dec 14e
C31AA	14217	1230	Mon-Wed
UN1BR	14034	1450	11e
HV3SJ	21256	1715	19e
ZB2BY	28523	1540	13m
LZ1KAA	14230	1540	16w
LZ1KVV	14078	1530	20w
HA5AM	14207	1525	17w
OE7UD	14208	1610	17w
GI5UR	14201	1605	21w
IT1PLM	14227	1625	21w
MLI	14226	1535	21w
MLB	14229	1645	23w
MLB	28560	1500	19m
JX1LL	14007	0050	16m
GC3AS	28510	1645	14m
EA6BD	14047	2005	17m
HM1EU	14236	2320	15m
OX3AB	14068	0125	18m
SP7DTE	21041	1555	18w
UK6LAA	14255	1305	21m
UP20J	14202	1300	22m
UF6LA	14039	0300	11kh

ASIA

VS6BF	14203kc	2355Z	Dec 18e
VU2KT	14201	1225	21e
VS6DA	14233	1220	21e
EP2FB	14233	1230	18e
7Z3AB	14245+/-	1400	Daily
AC3PT	14294	1320	17e
EP2EH	14243	1350	18e
JD1ABO	28557	2239	19w
JD1ABO	14209	0250	22w
UA0YAE	14032	0155	19w
MP4TDK	14090	1515	19w
EP2WB	14208	1505	21w
TA3HC	14206	1550	17w
AP2KS	14217	0245	20w
UL7JL	14227	0250	20w
EP2WB	14202	1625	20w
7Z2AG	14210	1500	23w
UL7JA	14216	0255	22w
9M2BQ	14206	1600	22w
VS6DR	14204	2310	18w
W6DLE/4X4	14220	1600	23w
MP4TDT	14235	1600	23w
MP4MBB	14255	1500	18w
MP4BHH	14255	1500	18w
UM8FZ	14219	0630	19w
4X4UI	14202	0600	19w
UW0AP	14006	1900	14m
4S7NG	14064	0150	14m
4X4PW	21029	1450	18m
9M2FX	14207	1300	21m
4S7PB	14203	1305	22m
UI8MF	14024	0230	11kh
JTLKAE	14039	0630	12kh
MP4TDS	14052	1500	14kh

AFRICA

SU1MA	14205kc	1730Z	Dec 26w
EA8DS	21294	1915	21e
CR4AJ	14011	0030	19e
FL8HM	14024	0245	21e
5N3ABG	28538	1530	Mon-Thu
ST2SA	14245	1420	18e
VQ9TF	14032	1930	17e
7Q7AA	28552	1615	Often
FH8CG	28565	1445	11m
5U7AW	14217	2300	20w
A2CAW	14227	1645	19w
ZD5F	14237	1640	19w
CR4AJ	14211	0045	19w
CR4BS	14208	0225	17w
CR4BS	28548	1655	23w
XT2AA	14219	2135	Friday
9Q5QR	14212	1730	26w
5R8AP	28545	1645	18w
9J2XZ	28508	1800	17w
CR7CN	14052	1550	21w
9J2JY	14076	1515	21w
3B8CR	14223	1535	17w
TU2CX	21040	1727	23w
TU2CX	14046	2300	22w
3B8CR	14065	1740	23w
EA9EJ	21258	1750	18m
ZK2AG	14265	0645	15m
ZL4OL/A	14209	1345	19m
KV4CI	14005	2100	10m
FG7AA	14077	2340	22w
KS6DR	14240	0012	22w
VP2SAB	14203	0	17m
K6AZB/KB6	14327	0000	16kh

ELSEWHERE

ZP5GS	14242kc	2340Z	Dec 20e
FM7WN	21277	2120	20e
FM7WN	14207	0200	17e
VP8KD	14207	0150	17e
WV4GS	21120	0600	Often
VP2ME	21353	1915	18e
VP2ME	28571	1605	19m
VP8CW	28574	1720	17w
FK8KAA	14028	1505	21w
WX3MAS	14/21/28mc.	Fr. 1500	All week
FG7XF	14018	0200	19w
VR2EQ	14266	0745	21w
K3QOS/KB6	14223+/-	1700	daily
PJ7JC	28594	1645	20w
FO8BX	14243	0246	21w
ZK1MA	14202	1655	21w
KX6KX	28548	2200	17w
HK0BMO	28603	1840	24w
5W1AR	14245	0725	21w
VR6TC	21350	2300	22w
G21AA	14308	1730	16kh
KG6SL	14308	0715	16kh

CALENDAR

PACDXNET PARTY  
 FRESNO DX MEET  
 APRIL 160m Test

January 3rd Starts 0400--ends 1000Z...six hours on 20 SSB.  
 Fresno International DX Meeting...January 30/31st...  
 January 30/31st

POSSIBLES

Zanzibar

5H3LV possible this Spring.....Garth will try to give at least two weeks notice.

LACCADVIES

Possible activity in February by WU2CK...February 14th being mentioned. K6LOM says he may try for it next June. Also looking into a Nicobar operation.

COCOS-TI9

Possible this coming Spring

JUAN de NOVA

Something may develop in January

FORTY/EIGHTY DESK

YTLECD	7011kc	0430Z	Dec 18e	U05GQ	3512kc	0600Z	Dec 19e
YO2APY	7004	0437	18e	G2DC	3503	0643	20e
TI2AP	7003	0232	22e	KZ5KN	3505	0635	20e
CX8BBH	7004	0235	22e	HI3PC	3513	0147	16e
CT1GD	7003	2312	21e	GC2LU	3508	0750	12e
UW6FS	7018	0437	20e	HA4YD	3508	0637	19e
ILFO	7015	0436	20e	CT3AS	3509	0701	19e
SP8CH	7023	0416	20e	YU3FU	3510	0359	20e
UF6AL	7021	0412	20e	VP2MM	3814	2400	21e
UL7GW	7011	0251	20e	VP2MRK	3509	0230	20e
VP2LAA	7033	0240	20e	6W8DY	3790	0545	13m
AX6HD	7006	2146	19e	G3TJW	3797	0623	12e
UA0CAK	7013	1200	20w	OZ7JK	3788	0605	12e
KG6JAC	7002	1215	20w	FO8BS	3804	0715	22w
8P6BU	7010	1115	21w	HK3AVK	3804	1000	22w
UK1AAC	7012	0830	22w	LU8AJG	3804	0820	23w
EA8HB	7016	0339	23w	VP5GT	3805	1000	23w
KC6CT	7010	1400	11w	YV1PP	3805	1000	23w
				OA8V	3807	1050	17w
VP2VL	1995	0607	12m	9V1QE	3809	1500	18w
				VS6DO	3796	1445	18w
				8P6CX	3806	1025	18w
				KP4AN	3806	1010	18w
				PJ7JC	3806	1010	18w
				KG4CS	3806	1010	18w
				ZP5GU	3535		
				UW9AF	3803	0725	Often 19w
				EP2DA	3807	1300	17w
				CO2FA	3803	0725	19w
				YN1ZZ	0700	19w	

QSL MANAGER OF THE MONTH W3HMK, Joe Arcure, is the January QSL manager of the Month and will receive the engraved trophy. Joe has handled QSL chores for many years and has handled some 40 DX stations, his recent activity including PJ8AR in the CQ SSB test. W3HMK is the fifth recipient of the Manager of the Month and as a DXer has a total of 243 worked with 230 confirmed. Nominations for future awards can be made to Scotts QSL Service, (WA5UHR) 1510 Lynnview, Houston, Texas 77055

SHORTLY NOTED 3B8DA, Paul, advises that it was his own gear that was damaged on the return from St. Brandon and not the So. Cal DX Club rig which presently is being used from Chagos by VQ9SM. It was personal gear of Pauls, including his receiver and transmitter and QSL cards which were damaged. 3B8DA plans to visit Rodrigues after the cyclone season which would put it around May 1971. Will wish direct QSLing for this coming one. VP2MM showed up at 3814kc on Dec 20th...called CQ in vain and finally went looking for greener pastures. VP2MRK QSLs via VE3EWY. EA9AZ is presently living in Madrid while EA4CX says that there is talk going of a possible Andaman Island efforts...this makes the Laccadives, Nicobar and the Andamans being talked about. A K4 says he has a Clipperton License...FO0AB being mentioned...and plans to go there after the first of the year. Also says he has a FS7-license and will operate in the ARRL DX Test coming up. W6CDJ has a sked with K3QOS/KB6 daily at 1700Z/14223kc plur or minus. Odus can only operate on twenty...has a single-band transmitter. A note to Walt, W6CDJ, will be helpful if you are looking for a schedule. 5R8AS, Chet Cunningham, has apparently left Madagascar permanently... VU2DIA now gets his mail addressed as follows: B.S.Hegde, A-29, Amar Colony, Lajpatnagar 4, New Delhi. The I<sup>N</sup>DXA has the beam on the way to 5U7AW...who promises to be on the PRS at least once a week. Meanwhile, VE2DCY has a sked with 5U7AW Sundays prior to 2200Z...and will come up onto the U.S.band. A WB6 has a possible schedule with MP4MBB on Fridays at 1500Z..14255kc. WB6UDC will start and then possibly turn things over to another W6. That Tandenberg reef supposed to show up this last week-end...nothing popping up to noon.

TNX to W2FXA, WB2YQH, WB2IWH, K2LGG, W2PDB, W4HU, K4IIF, K4NE, K4KQ, W4UF, W5ALA, WA5UHR, K5ZJK, K6AQV, W6BJI, WA6BVY, W6CDJ, W6DZK, K6EC, W6EHP, K6GAK, K6LAE, WA6LLY, K6MHD, K6OZL, WB6QLZ, W6TSQ, WB6UDC, K6UFT, W6VUV, W6YUS, K6QH, W7DQM, W6JHV/7, W7PFZ, W8CT, K8RWL, K9KDI, W9UM, W9WU, WØJRN, WØYDB, KH6GQW, WØDAD/KH6, 3B8DA.

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