

West Coast DX

Bulletin

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UPPER VOLTA XT2AA, Jacques, showing up regularly on fifteen to work off a list compiled by WB2VAE around 21280-21285kc around 1800Z. Jacques also heard before this time around 21250-21255kc in QSO with PY2PE, Eva. WB2VAE makes the list, passes it to Jacques in French...and then bedlam starts. Some days QRM and breakers disrupt whole operation. European stations calling XT2AA when Jacques listening, when Jacques transmitting and when he is not around at all. Evident that many foreign stations not concerned about their international image with U.S. amateurs and whether we will support them in the next ITU meeting....seems that some upgrading due.

WA5KEU now handling QSLs for XT2AA. Will be there for better part of a year in XT2-land. Signal fair into mid-West and East, marginal to Western Reaches at that time of day.

NAVASSA W4VDP sailed his own boat to Navassa and operated during this last week. Most reports received show c.w. on fifteen and twenty though all band operation was forecast....both c.w. and SSB. QSL to W4VDP home QTH. Cards for the K4IA/KC4 operation of last June being received.

COCOS TI2CAP has taken on the QSL duties for the TI8NAM/TI9 operation of early July and some cards have already been received. Address for QSLing is still to Box 2412, San Jose, Costa Rica, this being the address of the Radio Club. Carlos still thinking of a January effort from TI9-land. At this time there appears to be two groups planning a TI9 operation early next year, another being handled according to reports by VE3EUU.

THAILAND According to word relayed from Bob White, the ARRL will accept HS-QSLs for DXCC credit only when it is a Thai national. It is reported that there is but one Thai national, HS1CB, Chankij, which would be a legal contact at this time...according to the rule. There are only a few Thai nationals listed in the Call Book, most HS-stations being U.S. military personnel, and apparently HS1CB is the only one on the air. He was at 21301kc at 1810Z on Aug 15th. It is expected that the situation will clear soon, probably with the signing of a reciprocal agreement between Thailand and the U.S.

MALI Jacques, XT2AA, reports that he will be in TZ-land in the coming November and December and will plan to operate from there then. Jacques feels that he will have no difficulty with the licensing for the operation.

GUS Still in Kenya at the last report, operating occasionally from 5Z4ERRS QTH. Some African operations still in the plans, XT-the one being most mentioned but with TZ and TT also mentioned. Short time remaining would indicate that possibly one operation only will be made. A telephone check with the ARRL DXCC Desk last week indicated that as of then no documentation had been received from Gus for any of his African/Indian Ocean efforts.

U3CR/UJFR Will be active from August 10-September 15th in Zone 19th. Reported to be a DXpedition...reported to be floating down a river....reported to be an University of Moscow field trip. UA3CR-US3HH and UJ8AFR participating. The frequencies are: c.w. 14020kc...SSB 14190-14195-14210-14220kc.

CALENDAR

UGANDA 5z4 KL/A Aug 22-24th
 5X5UF Aug 22-25th
 Zone 19 4LØDR Until Sept 15th. Said to be on Amur River
 4JØFR
 OGASAWARA JD1... JARL 160 thru 10 effort Aug 29-31 in All Asia DX test.
 (ex KG6I-Bonin/Volcano Islands)
 IWO JIMA KA1C Effort by KA9RC Sept 21-26th May sign KAIJ.
 All ASIA DX Aug 30-31st
 WAE Phone Portion Sep 13-14th
 XT2... Most days List taken by WB2VAE. 21280-21285kc at 1700Z+.
 EA9ER Most days List taken by 11KFB about 1630Z 21330-21340kc

CARIBBEAN VP2KC, Kit, marathon operation around 14250kc most evenings from 0100Z.

QSL to Kit Carson, VP2KC, St. Kitts.

VP2VI on frequently at 14210* around 1400Z. Name is Jack and says he often goes to Anguilla and will check possible operations there.

VP2VV, 14210kc at 0400Z on August 13th.

6Y5GB, 14208kc at 0330Z on August 13th...QSL to VE3DLC.

PJ2CB, 21320kc at 1810Z on August 15th...QSL via K8BCK

VP2GLE 28590kc at 2200Z on August 14th...QSL direct

FM7WF 14020kc at 2045Z on August 8th...

9Y4AA 21278kc at 1900Z on August 9th. Has 40m capabilities..heard around 7035kc

VP2SY 14221kc at 0440Z on August 13th. QSL direct

AFGHANISTAN YA1HD at 21302kc at 1325Z, August 13th. YA1SG at 21287kc at 1450Z on August 11th.CHANNEL ISLANDS

GC5AOM Guernsey 3503kc at 0345Z on August 10th

14050kc at 0100Z on August 10th

GC5AON Guernsey 21300kc at 2030Z on August 9th

GC5AOK Sark 21284kc at 2220Z on August 14th. QSL to F6AGN

GC5AGA Guernsey 21305kc at 1630Z on August 16th. QSL to K4II

TUNISIA 3V8MOL...on almost daily from 0200-0400Z, 14210-14225kc. QSL to W2GHK.

3V8AH, 14213kc at 0200Z on Aug 11th. 3V8AA at 14226kc on August 11, 0420Z...

QSL to F50J....also at 14028kc at 0400Z on August 12th.

SARDINIA/SICILY

IS1BDO: at 21005kc, 2130Z on August 8th

IT1AUA at 14275kc, 0445Z on August 11th

FORTY/EIGHTY FORM SHEET

OH2YV	3501kc	0235Z	Aug 6e	ZE3JX	7004kc	0505Z	Aug 8kh
	7003	0008	11e	LAØAD	7001	0345	9w
K6JGS/HKØ	7004	0420	14w	OK1VK	7009	0413	9w
CT3/DJ5JK	7002	0420	16w	GM3CFS	7002	0422	9w
CT3/DJ5JK	3502	0545	15w	DL8FR	7020	0443	9w
9Y4AA	7035	0500	10w	3Z3CTC	7029	0400	10w
DM2BJD	7011	0410	10w	HP1HH	7023	0546	10w
ØR4OX	7027	0610	10w	LZ1KAA	7001	0305	11w
YØ4RST	7004	0235	12	ØH2BIO	7005	0235	12w
HA4DYB	7005	0240	12	YU2DCC	3502	0407	12w
8P6CG	7004	0400	14w	HC2GG/1	7000	0330	14w
CEØAE	7295	0650	14w				

REPORTS FROM RED EYED LO... E....., the Watcher of the Lone Night

EUROPE

OH0AA	21020kc	1655Z	Aug	10e
LX1BW	14228	0530		15w
UR2DL	14212	0415		13w
HV3SJ	21368	1645		11e
YO7BI	21251	1830		11e
HB0XVW	21280	1800		6m
L7GJ/L	21310	1500		10m
CT2AA	14196	0745		13w
TF2WLW	7002	0500		15w
UR2KAA	14216	0517		15w
UT5ER	14202	0345		13w
UT5BA	14205	0400		11w
OH0NB	21050	2210		10w(W000Q)
LX1AJ	21278	1755		11w
OHOAA	14057	0710		11w
UP2KPI	14007	0210		11w
GB3FRC	14031	0435		11w(G3WTJ)
OY2H	21044	1700		11w
OZ7UU	21019	1815		11w
HB0XVW	14060	0050		10m
UG6AW	14206 LP	1400		12w
F2WS/FC	14210	2330		12w
9H1M	14209	0320		13w

NORTH/SOUTH AMERICA

K6JGS/HK0	14255kc	0640Z	Aug	11w
K6JGS/HK0	7004	0420		14w
CO2BB	21057	2150		11w
HK0BKW	14212	1345		12w
6Y5ET	21302	1900		12w
HI8XJP	14315	0400		12w
VP8KD	28600	1800		9w
VP1DM	14026	0545		4w
ZP9AY	28592	2135		9w
8P6DD	21255	2150		7m

ELSEWHERE

VR2DK	14207kc	1200Z	Aug	13m
FK8AC	14197	0750		13w
EO8EH	14256	0715		13w
VR6TV	14226	0730		13w
KJ6BZ	14260	0430		13w
VK9BM	14232	1300		13w
VR3C	14265	0710		12w
VK9DH	14016	1030		11w

ASIA

TA2E	21010kc	2300Z	Aug	9e
	14010	0045		10e
7Z3AB	14202	1315		8w
MP4TCS	21335	1640		11e
9N1MM	14219	0120		13e
XW8CS	21302	1325		13e
4S7YL	14203	1200		7m
VU2DK	21295	0215		7m
9M6AC	21269	2220		7m
ZC4BX	21010	2135		11w
4Z4FH	21050	2140		11w
4Z4NFU	21084	2200		11w
UI80J	14050	1510		13w
MP4BHR	21275	0540		15w
EP2DA	14215 LP	1325		8w
9N1MM	14227	1530		14w
VS6BS	14212	1200		13m

AFRICA

7Q7WW	21291kc	1800Z	Aug	8w(skcd)
9G1BY	21340	1240		11e
ET3ZU	14211	2020		11e
ET3USA	14233	0300		13w
FB8ZZ	14197	1130		8m
EA8GK	21289	1915		9m
EA8FE	14260	0700		15w
9X5AA	21287	2005		12m
CR7BC	14202	1450		12w
5L2BA	14210	0345		15w
5L2D	14217	0430		11w(skcd)
FR7ZD	14198 LP	0400		13w
ZD8AB	28600	1750		9w
ZS3T	28600	1745		10w
CR6HI	28600	1950		10w
9J2DT	28600*	1910		10w
6W8XX	21100	2020		9w
9G1GS	21320	1735		14w
TR8DG	21258	2100		8w
ZD9BN	14020SSB	1530		11

ELSEWHERE --

VK9LB	14232	1545	Aug	14w
KW6AA	14207	1430		7m
VK0MI	14013	1250		10m

SHORTLY NOTED: K4KQ thinking of a possible FY7-operation this Fall. The WAE brought KV4FZ back on the air in a hurry...moving or not. ARRL indicates that VP5MM from Providenciales/Caicos okay. Maurice, VS5MC/VS6AA still objecting but probably will supply documentation for his Brunei effort. K4ZCP has logs for K4PHY/YV5 operations. K4PHY now on way to Yaounce in TJ-land...taking gear with him. Latest DXCC list from ARRL has error in footnote for Corsica/FC....correct footnote should be '1'. FCC considering changing CB rules to allow transmission of traffic information...petition filed by REACT...September 15th deadline for comments. The Nevada Group have left Andorra but apparently are passing up Monaco though the rest of their plans are still go-go-go. Bigelow Green, WLEAE, Vice-Director of the New England Division passed away August 11th. 9G1GS eyeing some other African spots and may operate from Mauritania 5T5-land. The Australian prefix AX will be used in 1970 during the Captain Cook two hundredth anniversary celebration. Mail reports early..keep them fresh.

REVILLA GIGEDO XE1J, Jose, says that he hopes to operate from XF4 this Fall and most likely in October. Transportation is via government boat which goes to the islands once a month, usually around the 6th of the month. 24 hours is the usual stay...sometimes 48. Little advance information on availability of transportation is usually received. Watch around 6th of month...plus or minus a few days for possible operation.

HAITI HH9DL, Don, showed up at 14205kc at 0400Z on August 12th...running a phone patch into Albuquerque. Said he was the only HH station presently active with HH9GR now living in Florida. Was also on the following day, August 13th from 2300Z around 14250kc. Will be in Oklahoma later this month to pick up an airplane. Said he would be active around 14205kc from 0100Z but did not show the following nights. Don working SSB....c.w. contacts apparently by a phoney.

UGANDA Frequencies for 5Z4KL/A effort Aug 22-24th August given as 3598, 7048, 14050, 14070, 14198, 14248, 14298, 21298 and 28598. Also reported is that 5X5UF will operate Aug 22-25th...frequency 21033kc, QSL to WA4WTJ.

PORT ELIZABETH AWARD ZS2PX passes along information on the Port Elizabeth Award... 3 P.E. Stations plus 5 IRCS brings the certificate. Danny hot for the California award. Listen for him LP in the mornings...he needs those elusive 6's.

PAKISTAN AP2AG in West Pakistan at 21266kc at 1620 on Aug 11th. AP2AD 14205-14210kc from 1500Z...also around 14228kc at 0100Z. Both in the West. AP2AG reports no active East Pakistani at this time but AP5CP frequently reported on c.w. around 1500Z 25-30kc above twenty band-edge. In case of doubt....work them first.

73, WA6AUD

TNX TO: W4BRB, W3RX, WB4BAP, K4ZCP, W4OPM, W5LZZ, W5ALA, K5LIL, K6KA, K6UFT, WA6GLD, K6OZL, WB6UJO, W6PTS, W6KHS, K6AQV, W6DZZ, K6TXR, WB6AQF, W6CNA, WA6PXY, K6CWS, K6LAE, W6VUW, WA6BVY, WA6AHF, W6MI, K6EC, W6HVN, W8CT, W9WКУ, W9TYN, WA9VIZ, K9EUZ, K0VBX, KH6GLU, KH6BZF, KA9RC, HPLJC...what a line-up!!!

WEST COAST DX BULLETIN Published every week by the miserable Marin County DX Group. One of the local QRPers had XT2AA listening for him...but Jacques could not read thru the breakers. As Ben Spinoza said: "It is a comfort to have companions in misery" Comfort....ha!! Companions...ha!! We'd rather have Jacques and a XT2AA card. Hear from the Marin Miseries..... \$7.00 for a full miserable year.

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