WEST COAST DX

Rulletin

October 5, 1971

YEMEN 4Wl continues to come through a couple of times a week, being at 21290kc last week from 1700Z and with the Western Reaches getting through around 1800Z. The full name of the operator there is Klaus Pluer and he will be in Sana for another year. QSLs go via DJ9ZB who say that it will be late in October before QSLs are being received by those who worked Klaus. Previously a large number of stations were able to get through on September 23rd.

BHUTAN JA-stations continue to report Yonten coming through from AC5TY with an a.m. signal. His favorite frequencies are ported to be 14158,14185,14195kc in the 1400-1500Z time slot. He is getting a lective to some degree and last week was asking for Africans only.

Those working AC5TY and wondering about the validity of QSLs in Bhutan need not worry. His brother-in-law is the Director of Posts and Telegraph there in Bhutan. Youten is presently looking for a couple of 5 to 10 kw transmitters for broadcast use on medium-wave bands and a half to a full kw for his own use on SSB. Bhutan recently established relations with a number of countries, including Switzerland and the U.S., and he is working on developing a communication system with the overseas ministers for Bhutan.

Present gear includes a BC-610E, Mark IV, and a BC-342....the latter needing a few parts right now.

TEN METERS This band is showing some surpr. ses and within the last month has come to life with somewhat of a minor bang. Note that ten meter contacts are being reported with Europe and Africa, the best time apparently being in mid-morning. Check the reports from Ol' Red Eyed, there may be a few surprises there and note that to some areas fifteen is more productive than 20mtrs is at any time.

MANIHIKI ZKIMA due to return from his travels this week, the schedule is for Tuatai to be back under familiar skies on October 5th. He should resume operations shortly after that time.....start watching around 0400Z in the evenings. With the resumption of operations, Clyde-W6KNH, will handle the future QSLing.

KURE The big effort over the CQ WW DX Test weekend is still on and KH6HCM anticipates no problems in getting a big total from Kure. There has been a change on the QSLing and KH6BZF will handle the QSLs for this effort. Lee has managed to pick up the logs for much of the past effort from Kure and this rounds out things....if you are looking for a Kure QSL, try it via Lee.

The frequencies will be 28525/21260/14210/7205/2805kc and listening as directed. There will be some advance action from Midway October 21-24th signing W7UXP/KM6. Prior to the CQ Test they will be runn ng phone patches for the personnel on Kure and they ask assistance in this warm-t operation.

QSLs TA3GB is presently in Sweden signing W2GBX. Anyone needing a QSL for TA3GB should go via W2FXA. VU7US QSL cards for the Laccadive effort last Spring have started to filter through. W5UBW is QSL manager for 7Q7GB...who presently is home for six months leave. 3D6AF from Swaz land QSLs via JAØCUV/l...and this includes and ZD5M QSLs needed. Tack goes to... Tack Kumagi, Box 22, Mitaka, Tokyo. K6GAK, Richard Garren at El Cajon, Calif. is now handling the QSLs for EA8GK, Antonio. Antonio also looking for a pair of 6GJ5s and a 100kc crystal.

AFRICA	C.W.			3D0D0	11001/1170/2 01 00
9Q5VM	21028/2020/sp 26w	IN8AA	14045/2230/Sp 22w	3B8DC	14004/1130/Sp 24e
CR5AJ	14012/2250/Sp 27w	TY1 ABE	14005/2300/Sp 27w	BD8AF	14027/1305/Sp 26m
FB8XX	14045/1330/Sp 25m#	ZD8MG	14042/0440/Sp 26e	7Q7AC	14025/1340/Sp 25e
FB6ZZ	14026/1500/Sp 26w#	ZD9BR	14049/1435/Sp 28w#		
ASIAC.W.					
HS3AFB	21022/1800/sp 23w	UL7BAB	140/1/0210/Sp 26m	VS6FK	14040/1410/Sp 27w
OD5GZ	14030/0000/Sp 26m	UL7BC	14033/0130/Sp 25m	VU2GX	14036/1505/Sp 28w
UAØYT	14027/0250/S- 23m	UL7GAJ	14029/0230/Sp 26m	YA1.R	14019/1430/Sp 29w
UI8BL	14009/1600/sp 28w	UL7NAF	14029/0150/Sp 24m	4S7AB	14022/1110/Sp 24e c
UJ8AQ	14044/1405/Sp 28w	UL7XE	14035/0350/Sp 24w	9V1QJ	14053/1540/Sp 30w
UK8AAC	14027/1505/Sp 23w	UI8MV	14045/0200/Sp 26m		
UKØFAA	14035/0330/Sp 22w	UVØEJ	14040/0615/Sp 23w		1411 1
EUROPEC.W. GC5AWQ 14028/2235/Sp 24e UK2PAA(UP2) 14035/1155/Sp 26m UC2UO 14043/1435/Sp 24w					
		UC2WP	14026/0420/Sp 24w		16 14023/1415/Sp 29w
ON8WX	14026/0420/Sp 24w	UB5MAB	14049/0455/Sp 24w	OPOUL	10; 14025/ 1413/ bp 23w
UNZFAALU	A214043/1420/Sp 27w			* /	substitute to a light of the
ELSEWHERES C.W. VE8CE 14030/2345/Sp 25m					
кс6вк	21058/0250/Sp 25w	кс6вк	14001/1320/Sp 25e	VK9LV	14030/1300/Sp 25m
CO6AH	14072/0010/Sp 25w	KS6CG	14009/0400/Sp 26w	VP8LK	14019/0105/Sp 23w
CX2XA	14043/0045/Sp 23w	LU1 EFH	14017/0440/Sp 26w	VPZAAA	
DU6RH	14005/1450/Sp 30w	LUIDIB	14059/0220/Sp 26w	YBØAU	14026/1655/Sp 27w
FP8CT	14019/1115/Sp 24e	HPlBR	.14040/0315/Sp 28w	ZL5AX	14008/0410/sp 26w
HKØBKX	14043/1500/Sp 27w	UALKAE	.14029/1510/Sp 30w	AITIDHY	14000/0410/5P 20W
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CR6NW	28600/1900/Sp 23w	TR8MR	21300/2125/Sp 26e	A2ACQ	14207/1850/Sp 26e
TR8MR	28518/2110/Sp 22e	TY3ABF	21290/2010/Sp 21e	-FB8ZZ	14201/1255/Sp: 26e
ZS3JJ	28598/1920/Sp 23e	5N2AAU	21345/1130/Sp 25e	CR5SP	14192/2200/Sp 26e
ZD8KO	28573/1535/Sp 27w	5Z4MZ	21380/1920/Sp 26m	ZD7SD	14214/2235/Sp 26e
ZS3CJ	28561/1630/Sp 27w	5H3KA	21381/1840/Sp 22e	ZD8TS	14219/2215/Sp. 26e
ZE6JN	28570/1610/sp 22w	7Q7LA	21312/2000/Sp 24w	3B8CR	14218/1345/Sp 22e
5X5NA	28557/1925/Sp 24w	7XØWW	21276/1605/Sp 23e		14215/1200/Sp 26e
9J2LR	28574/1945/Sp 24w	9.Q5GE	21377/1925/Sp 26m	3D6AX	14208/1450/Sp 26m
9X5VA	28585/1935/Sp 24w:	9J2JN	21287/2030/Sp 28w	5H3LV	14207/1300/Sp 22e
ET3USB	21329/1905/Sp 22e	9X5ER	21280/2015/Sp 26w	7Q7AA	14197/1530/Sp 28w
ST2SA	21298/2000/sp 23e	9GLED	14236/2220/Sp 28w	9J2LZ	14202/1425/Sp 26w
ASIASSB-					
HMIAQ	21315/2345/Sp 23e	JT1AG	14207/0215/Sp 25e	457SW	14206/0115/Sp 23m
OD5EP	21322/1650/Sp 29w	UI8MF	14215/0145/Sp 23m	7Z3AB	14245/1430/Sp 24w
HSlabu	21335/1505/Sp 25e	UL7SG	14240/1445/Sp 29w	9K2AM	14232/1410/Sp 24w
MP4BJG	21321/1610/Sp 23e	UAØAJ	14203/0230/Sp 25m	9K2BQ	14170/1445/Sp 23ja
4W1AF	21290/1800/Sp 29w	VU2KV	14244/1455/Sp 24w	9K2YG	14200/1530/Sp 28w
4Z4JT	21277/1540/Sp 24w	AVSKO	14216/1500/Sp 23w		
VU2HLU	21328/1625/Sp 23e	YK1 AA	14245/1430/Sp 24w		
EQZYL	14203/1515/Sp 25m	4S7AB	14202/1200/Sp 25e		A SERVICE S
EUROPESSB					
CT2BB	28580/1945/Sp 24w	OY7JD	213 7/1515/Sp 24w	9H1BW	21302/1810/Sp 23w
EAlPX	21282/1600/sp 24w	OY9LV	213c0/1640/Sp 24w	НА5КВО	
GW3EQL	21324/1605/Sp 24e	ISØAWP	21288/1900/Sp 23w	TT3HS	14217/2140/Sp 24w
GC3UQN	21325/1930/Sp 26e	UG6AW	21280/1655/Sp 24w	OYGLV	14209/1455/Sp 26w
HBØXUA	21313/1615/Sp 24w	UC2WE	14205/1505/Sp 23.ja	OH8RC	14223/2240/Sp 25e
WLSEWHERESSSB HKØBKX 28595/1545/Sp 23w VR6TC 21354/2240/Sp 28w VR1AA 14209/1140/Sp 24e					
HKØBKX	28595/1545/Sp 23w	VECTC VF2EQ	21354/2240/Sp 28w	VR1AA VR4BM	
ZK1CD 8P6AJ	28535/2115/Sp 26w	8-10	21301/2105/Sp 28w 21357/1640/Sp 24w	ZK7 T	14212/1215/Sp 22e 14265/0800/Sp 24ja
9Y4VU	28598/1510/Sp 23e 28600/2055/Sp 22w	WS	14227/1135/Sp 24e	VK	14195/0925/Sp 23ja
KV4AD	28578/1525/Sp 27w	KX6BQ	14219/1230/Sp 28e	VP2DAJ	
WALID.	ZOJYOJ TJEJ/ SP ZYW	TWODE	11213/1230/pb 506	VECDEO	17277/1117/2012/16

CALENDAR

AVES Still look for them in the latter part of this month....October 18th onward.

KURE W7UXP/KH6-Kure from October 25th to November 1st.

VK/ZL TEST C.W. portion.....October 9-10th.

RSGB 10mtr PHONE TEST.....28/21mc October 9-10th.

CQ WW TEST October 30-31st... Work for the night is coming.

BOY SCOUTS World=Wide Jamboree On the Air...Oct 16-17th.

FORTY/RIGHTY DESK CM6HT 7007/0800/Sp 30w 3838/0930/Sp 23e PJ9AD 7203/0130/Sp 23e 9Y4VU 7028/0830/Sp 30w 7014/0148/Sp 27e VK2D0 3862/0940/Sp 23e KP4AF CO2DC 7005/0750/Sp 30w 7039/0210/Sp 27e KL7HEE 3838/0930/Sp 23e HKØBKX VP2AAA 7012/0840/Sp 30w 3807/1110/Sp 23e VP1CR 7238/0600/Sp 21w JH1JDB VS6DO 3805/0900/Sp 24e 7006/0846/Sp 30w JE1TD0 7003/0850/Sp 30w FK8KAA LU8AJ 7033/0430/Sp 23w VP8LK 7015/0505/Sp 30w 3843/1045/Sp 26e LU1HDZ VELHP 7014/0430/Sp 28w 905QR ZIAJF/A 3840/1055/Sp 26e VP8LV 7033/0435/Sp 23w 3845/1020/Sp 27e PZIAH 7027/0300/Sp 27w PY7AES 7006/0250/Sp 27w ZL3JU 7026/0455/Sp 23w 7004/0510/Sp 23w ZS2RM KV4FZ 3804/1005/Sp 23w TI2AP 7070/0600/Sp 25w 7002/1500/Sp 28w TE2CF ZS6BT PJ2CW 3804/1025/Sp 23w 7010/0540/Sp 30w 7003/1440/Sp 24w# KP4/KS4 3804/1030/Sp 23w ZELDX ZL2IR 7028/0440/Sp 30w 7003/1455/Sp 24w# TIZAP KS6DH 3804/1030/Sp 23w ZE2KV 7003/0425/Sp 30w 7015/0513/Sp 30w **UK2FAH** 3848/1030/Sp 24w UAZDC OB8V 7030/0340/Sp 29w 7013/0410/Sp 29w CM2FR 3795/0615/Sp 25w PZ1AH EL2CB 7090/0810/Sp 25m 7037/0340/Sp 29w 3805/1300/Sp 27w CO7HC XE1J DU6RG 7235/0835/Sp 25# ZL4JF/A 7092/0815/Sp 25m HCLNGR KG6SI 3805/1325/Sp 27w 3797/0345/Sp 28w 7028/0340/Sp 23m KZ5WH YO9AEL 7026/03 3/Sp 23m UK3KAA 3796/0400/Sp 28w 7032/0345/Sp 23m Sp2AOB 7032/0349/Sp 23m VP8LK ZS6DW 3809/0450/Sp 28w PY5CFU 7035/0220/Sp 27m HCLRF 3803/1410/Sp 30w DU6RG 3845/1030/Sp 29w YBLAY 3803/1410/Sp 30w VRIAA

BOY SCOUT JAMBOREE This will be on the air next weekend, October 16-17th. If you jump in do not be confused by their use of local time rather than GMT. Frequencies to watch for HB9BS in Geneva and TI2CIE in Costa Rica are:

C.W. 3590/7030/14090/21140/28190kc SSB: 3740/7090/14290/21360/28990kc U.S. stations will be found around:

C,W. 3590/7030/14090/21140 and 28190kc. SSB 3940/7290/14290/21360/28990kc.

As old Bob would often say....BE PREPARED

OH-DX.... A recent note from OH2BH indicates that all the QSLs for the 3Cl and 3CØ operations have been checked against the logs and things will move fast on the QSLing.

Martin indicates that he has not given up DXpeditions in spite of malaria and married life and hopes for something next year. "Mali' island is still in their plans and they do hope for something there some time in the future.

The OH-DX Foundation is down to a paper organization with the bank still holding some paper on a loan for the efforts last year. \$5100.00 was spent in the Africa effort last year and they are still trying to recoup the expenses on that one.

Something will hopefully come in future OH-DX efforts....they did establish an enviable record on their Fernando Poo and Annobon efforts.

SHORTLY NOTED This issue has been somewhat difficult. The staff flew in from Southern California Friday night after a week at Cal Poly. Enthusiasm flags when you are tired and this week has been a chore. Suffer with us until we get our strength back. British Phoenix still expected in October ... VRIAB and VRIW. VETIR/XU went QRT Future possibilities looks good...one rep at says that XU8VS license already issued. ZS6DW says he will be at 3799kc/0400Z dai y and HKØBKX now has 40/80 possibilities.

BAJO NUEVO/SERRA BANK Joe Goggin, K9KNW, a member of the efforts down there in the Hurricane area last month, reports that their departure from Bajo Nuevo was a bit hasty but with the deteriorating weather and the reports on EDITH, they figured that they had better get away from the reefs and into deeper water. They were well away from land when Edith passed through but they did have twelve hours of high winds as the tropical storm passed.

Over 400 contacts were made from Baja Nuevo with many Europeans, some Africans but very few Asians. Joe reports that the openings just were not there and generally the group was disappointed in not being able to work a good number of Asians. After being worked over by EDITH for twelve hours, the landing at Serrana Bank was welcomed for R&R. Another 3000 contacts were made from KS4DX before heading back to San Andres.

Leaving San Andres was not easy and plane connections from San Andres are not easily made. They left a TR4 with external VFO with Francisco-HKOBKX. The TH3 beam used at Baja Nuevo and Serrana Bank was also left with Francisco.

Considerable film was shot on the trip, Joe reporting that he has 12 rolls of movie film plus a couple of hundred slides as a result of the trip. Presently he is trying to get the slides organized into some semblance of order and shake the sand out of his ears.

TNX to KlCPF, W1MQK, W2FXA, WB2YQH, K2LGJ, W2CDL, W4HU, W4KA, WB4PUD, W4TUC, W5ALA, W5PAQ, W5UBW, WA5ZNY, W6APW, W6CLM, K6EC, W6FET, WA6FYC, K6GAK, K6HN, K6HTM, K6KA, W6KHS, W6KNH, W6KYA, K6LAE, K6LEB, K6MHD, W6OL, W6ONZ, W6PNO, K6QF, W6TSQ, WB6UDC, K6UFT, WB6WHM, K6WR, W6YUS, W6YHT, W7FSE, K8RWL, W9DDL, K9KNW, WØJRN, KH6BF, JH1HWN.

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