

Red Eyed Louie's West Coast DX Bulletin

October 3, 1972

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Mt. ATHOS There will be an operation from the Athos Monastery over the weekend of October 14-16. This will be with operators from the Athens Radio Club and will include SVØWJJ, SVØWII and SVØDB. It is reported that this operations may count for a new country.

The operation will be SSB only....14280kc/21380kc/28580kc. There is a possibility they may open late on October 13th. The call sign to be used will be SVØMA. There may be more information on this next week.

CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC TL8LI continues to show just about every day and at a variety of times. This station should be active until well into October.

The handle there is Andre and the station has been showing on approximately the following schedule:

14240kc	1530Z	with K6GLC and others to direct the traffic
21300kc	1700	with PY2PE to run lists
14215kc	2200	

K6GLC schedule varies but Tuesdays and Thursdays good days to watch on the long path. Some report that the ability to use the French language an asset in working TL8LI. QSL information is to send a card to Andre Flament, Binga Lisala, Republic of Zaire. He says not to send a SAE as his QSL is oversized.

KAMARAN Reports are that Aldo has been packed and ready to travel but has been holding up waiting for a few matters to clear. Last Friday he was reported as still in Asmara. Early last week it was reported that Aldo was on the way to the Red Sea Islands and would then head on to a small island adjacent to Kamaran which would count for VS9K. Later in the week came word that he had held up because he only had verbal permission to land and was waiting on the written word.

This may surface with very short notice. Aldo apparently ready to go and watching the local political situation there in Kamaran.

LIECHTENSTEIN G3BID and F8TH should be into their operation by this time and will operate until this coming Sunday.

G3BID will be found signing HBØXTI and will be SSB on 20/15/10 mtrs.

F8TH will sign HBØXTL will be all band with concentration on 40/80 c.w.

EASTER ISLAND SM2AGD, Erik, has been signing CE3OAF/CEØ and will be on the island for about another month. This is an all-band operation for sure as Erik has been reported on ten meters and is planning to work the 40/80 territory as well. Last week the reports put Erik on ten and eighty....28550kc/1715Z and 7085/0600Z. QSLs go to 50° SM3CX5. Some possibility of a detour on the way home via Juan Fernandez has been mentioned but....as they say in some circles.....these plans are unjelled as yet.

HEARD ISLAND On the reports for possible Heard Island activity next month, the U.S. Navy ship Eltanin, KC4AAA, is due to depart Australia in November enroute to the Antarctic. The route will take them by Heard and they have asked for an Australian license for possible operations on Heard. They are also thinking of some of the FB8 islands. Mid-November has been mentioned before and there should be more information should the plans develop.

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TEN METERS LIVES!!!

A2CAE	28582/1920/Sep	24m	OK1AHZ	28596/1505/Sep	23m	5VZYH	28599/1515/Sep	24e
CN8CG	28535/1425/Sep	24m	OZ7RD	28560/1615/Sep	23m	5Z4DV	28600/0010/Sep	24m
CR6QW	28590/1905/Sep	19e	SVØWJJ	28585/1440/Sep	23m	9G1WW	28669/1500/Sep	24e
CR7LE	28588/1500/Sep	24m	SK6AW	28625/1815/Sep	23m	9H1C	28550/1810/Sep	24m
CE3/CE0	28532/1645/Sep	24e	SV1FT	28505/1510/Sep	24e	9H4D	28565/1640/Sep	23m
EL2CB	28567/1510/Sep	24e	TU2DO	28579/1715/Sep	24e	9J2RC	28610/1940/Sep	24m
EA1AB	28589/1830/Sep	21e	VQ9MC	28598/1750/Sep	24e	9J2DT	28530/1450/Sep	24m
EA6BY	28596/1810/Sep	24e	VR1W	28557/0020/Sep	24m	9J2WR	28569/1749/Sep	19e
HB9QU	28580/1830/Sep	21e	VP2GBL	28607/1850/Sep	21e	9X5QC	28623/1740/Sep	20e
JH1OYH	28570/2315/Sep	22m	VP2LN	28575/2010/Sep	23e	HQ2YL	28595/1825/Sep	19e
KS6DY	28590/2315/Sep	23e	VK9GN	28550/2145/Sep	23m	CR4BS	28561/1950/Sep	23e
LX1BW	28620/1540/Sep	23m	ZD8RR	28578/1800/Sep	20e			
MP4TDM	28570/1610/Sep	23m	ZD8RW	28571/1825/Sep	21e			
I1KRM	28550/1830/Sep	21e	ZE1JL	28570/1915/Sep	23m			
OD5CX	28611/1940/Sep	24e	ZE7JC	28618/1920/Sep	23m			
LZ1AG	28021/1725/Sep	24e	UB5NAM	28032/1835/Sep	23e	YU1AA	28075/1730/Sep	26e
GT3CVH	28022/1815/Sep	23e	VK2QL	28024/2215/Sep	22m	YU1EXY	28017/1815/Sep	23e
PAØLOU	29027/1730/Sep	24e	VK3VG	28050/2200/Sep	22m	9H1CH	28023/1725/Sep	24e

All continents are represented in the ten meter reports.. This is supposed to be the back curve of the sunspot cycle but sometime conditions will fool you. Don't believe everything you hear...just work them. for the reason, let us turn to our spotted chart..

SUNSPOT LOUIE

Weather conditions in the trans-Mississippi area made observations difficult last week. This one was made on September 21st.

A group is shown which might be an indication why conditions have been good, groups indicating concentrated solar activity. These spots are small and by this time the lower group should have moved to the upper edge. There may be a help with these charts in relating solar activity to band conditions....it is there. Definitely.

NEXT WEEK The total staff of the WCDXB takes off Sunday, October 1st, for a cross-country run to Washington for a week reconnaissance there. The return will be late Friday night when tired, disillusioned and red-eyed the DC-10 will disgorge us. What is all of this leading up to.....we may be late next week. The bulletin will probably go into the mails on Sunday and Red Eyed Louie may be cropped. The reason for this is that the Red Eyed Report takes 10-12 hour of preparation and there just will not be that time available next week. Into the mails Sunday and as Monday is a holiday you may not notice anything at all. if you do....

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REPORTS FROM GURU LOUIE

I have come to bring the ligl ...

AFRICA...C.W.

CR ⁴ AG	21028/1950/Sep	22e	FB8XX	14027/0330/Sep	19m	7Q7AE	14067/1515/Sep	23w
EA ⁸ AT	14029/0115/Sep	24w	FL8DS	21055/1920/Sep	20m	9L1JT	14039/0135/Sep	26w
EL ² DG	14031/0040/Sep	23e	ZS2CW	14023/1515/Sep	23w	9J2XZ	14032/0355/Sep	21m

ASIA...C.W.

A ⁵ PN	14077/1300/Regular		UH8BY	14031/0340/Sep	19w	UL7OAC	14021/1500/Sep	21w
G ³ FNE/JY	21021/1900/Sp	22e	UH8BX	14054/0440/Sep	20w	UV9DO	14008/0430/Sep	17w
HM ⁰ B	14034/0530/Sep	23m	UI8QJ	14008/0400/Sep	25w	VU25GX	14007/1555/Sep	23w
OD ⁵ AC	14071/0505/Sep	23m	UI8IK	14078/1450/Sep	21w	YA1TCA	14044/0500/Sep	20w
UA ⁰ AN	14075/1300/Sep	23e	UK7PAA	14040/0350/Sep	19w	4S7EA	14025/1605/Sep	23w

EUROPE...C.W.

EN ³ LP	14066/0135/Sep	27w	OH1MM	14027/1820/Sep	16w	UD6DHQ	14025/0325/Sep	22w
EA ⁵ BS	21038/1640/Sep	23w	OH6VP	14022/1825/Sep	16w	UK5EAC	21028/1905/Sep	22e
GI ³ CVH	21031/1950/Sep	22e	OY9LV	14027/1535/Sep	22w	UO5PK	14025/0255/Sep	27w
HA ⁷ MC	21031/1730/Sep	20w	UA6BZ	14041/1920/Sep	22e	UPOL-21	14034/0500/Sep	22w
IS ¹ AEW	14018/0240/Sep	24w	UC2OAF	14014/1420/Sep	27w	UY5YA	14077/0325/Sep	22w
IT ⁹ RAN	14032/0130/Sep	23w	UD6DGV	14015/0440/Sep	21w	Y06EX	14044/1505/Sep	21w
I ⁸ QO/IC8	14038/1525/Sp	22w	UD6DYL	14014/0315/Sep	22w	YU1BWX	21027/1130/Sep	25w

ELSEWHERE...CW

C ² 9ED	14002/1530/Sep	23w	FM7AN	14061/0230/Sep	25w	YK9XE	14081/0720/Sep	23m
CX ⁴ CO	14017/0255/Sep	24w	FK8KAA	14040/0525/Sep	23m	VR4AA	14050/0635/Sep	24w
DU ⁶ RH	14034/1340/Sep	22w	KL7MHD	14067/0500/Sep	21w	VR4BS	14050/0620/Sep	24w
HI ⁴ OMZ	14052/0115/Sep	27w	OX3ZO	14012/0235/Sep	25w	ZI2AFZ	14055/0410/Sep	24w
HI ⁷ JM	14060/1210/Sep	22w	PW2WGA	14016/0050/Sep	26w	ZI2AT	14037/0550/Sep	23m
HI ⁷ JM	21035/1215/Sep	24w	VK2BQQ	14045/0700/Sep	23m			

AFRICA...SSB

A ² CAB	21356/1905/Sep	25w	FB8XX	14251/0310/Sep	22m	ZD7BB	21355/1810/Sep	23e
CR ³ AB	14207/2205/Sep	23m	FH8CE	14223/2130/Sep	22e	ZD8AW	21355/2005/Sep	22e
CR ⁴ BS	14218/2250/Sep	22m	FH8CH	14210/1430/Sep	28w	3B8CZ	14209/1340/Sep	26e
CR ⁶ OT	21306/2100/Sep	24e	FL8OM	21295/2230/Sep	22m	5VZGE	14290/2230/Sep	22e
CR ⁶ GA	21315/2000/Sep	20w	FL8HM	14224/0320/Sep	25m	5U7AS	21352/1955/Sep	25e
CR ⁶ LG	21305/1945/Sep	25w	FL8DS	21279/1820/Sep	21m	5Z4NH	21355/1940/Sep	22e
CR ⁷ CO	14220/0415/Sep	23m	FR7AK	14203/1415/Sep	22e	5Z4LW	21285/2040/Sep	25w
CR ⁷ FR	14265/1515/Sep	25w	FR7ZD	14203/1325/Sep	23w	5Z4LD	21316/1935/Sep	21m
CR ⁷ IK	14214/1600/Sep	26w	FR7ZG	14208/1220/Sep	23m#	5Z4NQ	21286/2040/Sep	23m
EA ⁸ AN	21289/2020/Sep	20m	ST2SA	14205/1450/Sep	21w	6W8AL	21353/2020/Sep	21m
EA ⁸ EN	14207/0100/Sep	24e	TU2DO	14207/2205/Sep	23m	7P8AB	14220/1450/Sep	27w
EA ⁸ ID	14231/0015/Sep	24e	TL8LI	14219/2250/Often		7Q7RM	21265/1700/Sep	21e
EA ⁹ EJ	21252/1845/Sep	22e	TR8VE	21299/2045/Sep	22m	9E3USA	21300/1830/Sep	26w
EA ⁹ AQ	21295/1740/Sep	24m	K5/VQ9	14236/1210/Sep	23m	9G1HE	21300/1620/Sep	21e
EL ² CI	14213/0155/Sep	24e	VQ9R	21340/1640/Sep	24m	9G1HF	21375/2250/Sep	23e
ET ³ USF	21314/1855/Sep	21m	XT2AF	14217/0000/Sep	20m	9G1YA	21352/1850/Sep	20e
ET ³ USA	21290/1755/Sep	20e	ZS2MI	14246/1330/Sep	24m#	9L1VW	14331/0000/Often	
ET ³ USC	21314/1900/Sep	21m	ZE1DP	14205/1405/Sep	24m#	9X5VA	21302/1950/Sep	24m

(e = eastern states m = middle states w = western reaches hl = korea hp = panama etc)
 (# = longpath all times in gmt... ??? = son of a gun, Slim is active from Cray Island)

SOME NOTES W5PM operated G5BAO last month while touring in G-land. Anyone with the present address for Wally Christie...ex-ZK2AF? Some report receiving ZK2DX QSLs so Jim must have gotten through to his printer...they were ordered before he left on the trip. VE⁴EW will be in Botswana in October and signing A2CEW. CP1JV who supplies Bolivia on c.w. pushed the linear too hard and has a somewhat lighter signal these days. Look for him on c.w. 27 kc inside the band on 10/15/20mtrs. VP2LX will be on for the CQ WW Test...phone portion. VP2LX will QSL to BX 406, Castries, St. Lucia. While many QSLs are coming through....some a bit late, the hopes for a TI9C QSL seems to be dwindling. Indications are that the operators on that effort have little interest in any QSL routine. WA⁸MUB has logs for TT8AC...sase needed.

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AND MORE RED EYED LOUIE....

ASIA...SSB

CR9AK	14195/1500/Sep	25w	MP4TDM	14235/1535/Sep	21w	YA1LN	14216/1350/Sep	22m#
EP2YL	14238/1430/Sep	27w	OD5ET	14270/0320/Sep	20w	YA1OS	14212/1230/Sep	22h1
EP2WH	21348/1615/Sep	22w	OD5FU	21337/1745/Sep	24w	YA1GNT	14204/0300/Sep	22m
EP2SW	14227/0340/Sep	20e	UA9EJ	14227/0350/Sep	24m	YA1RA	14216/0240/Sep	27m
HS4AC	21300/1505/Sep	20hp	UA9OO	14227/0405/Sep	22m	YA1TCA	21315/1605/Sep	21m
HS4AGZ	21261/1525/Sep	23m	JK9ABA	21332/1530/Sep	23w	YK1AA	14225/1500/Sep	23w
HS4AHV	21302/0110/Sep	26w	UL7IAF	14206/1610/Sep	21w	4S7PB	21356/1630/Sep	24m
HM1AQ	14226/1220/Sep	22m	UL7PAC	14228/1630/Sep	23h1	4X4FQ	21336/1720/Sep	25m
HL9UH	14209/1215/Sep	21m	UL7NW	14220/0315/Sep	22m	4X4GH	21342/1735/Sep	25w
JY6UMM	21260/1440/Sep	21m	UW9WR	14210/0350/Sep	24m	7Z3AB	14211/1430/often	
JY9VO	14250/1440/Sep	29w	VS6BS	14208/1215/Sep	23m	9K2CA	14205/1510/Sep	25w
JF1DTE	21322/0130/Sep	26w	VU25BX	14211/0305/Sep	22m	9M2DQ	21314/2340/Sep	22m
MP4MBB	21355/1530/Sep	21m	VU25AAA	21305/1530/Sep	23w	9N1MM	14223/0055/Sep	25m
MP4MBR	21352/1615/Sep	21w	XW8BS	21280/0000/Sep	22h1	9V1QQ	14102/1610/Sep	27w
MP4TCK	14210/1520/Sep	26w	YA1LM	14244/535/Sep	22w	EP2WB	14206/1500/Sep	22m

EUROPE...SSB

CT2BA	21331/1515/Sep	20hp	GI6VU	14205/0100/Sep	22e	SK7CY	21239/1545/Sep	22w
CT2AK	14210/0025/Sep	24e	HV3SJ	21355/1500/Sep	23e	SV1FT	21274/1750/Sep	21m
CT1QN	21306/1740/Sep	26e	IS1CDO	14206/2120/Sep	22m	SV0WU	14214/0330/Sep	22w
EA4MY	14182/0400/Sep	24m	IS1AGW	21284/610/Sep	24w	UC2CS	21296/1905/Sep	23m
EA6BH	21313/1910/Sep	24m	IC8TRA	21296/555/Sep	25w	UD6BR	14206/0320/Sep	20m
EF9W	21323/2000/Sep	22w	M1B	21375/1715/Sep	23e	UF6VAA	14259/0300/Sep	22w
GB3JAW	21267/1855/Sep	22w	OE9AHI	21251/1625/Sep	25w	UF6CA	14224/0350/Sep	20m
GW5VD	21316/1550/Sep	20w	OE7UD	14244/1530/Sep	22w	UG6AW	14237/1510/Sep	24m
GC3EML	21354/1910/Sep	20e	OK2ZT	14245/0600/Sep	23w	UT5AM	14220/0500/Sep	23m
GC2GGK	14224/2115/Sep	19e	OY3H	21286/1620/Sep	21m	ZC4BJ	14203/0130/Sep	21e
GD3RFK	21328/1800/Sep	21w	OY5NS	21319/2035/Sep	22m	ZC4DJ	14217/0045/Sep	24e
G2MI	21278/1910/Sep	25w	OE9AHI	21251/1625/Sep	25w	Y02BN	14220/1440/Sep	27w
HA8KCP	21307/1505/Sep	21w	SP9VU	21307/1840/Sep	23m	YU2CDS	14298/1825/Sep	21e

ELSEWHERE...SSB

CE9AA	14218/0625/Sep	27w	PW2WH	14220/2250/Sep	22w	VR1PA	14231/0610/Sep	25e
CR8BE	21304/2025/Sep	20m	TI2FU	21340/0035/Sep	21w	VR1W	14201/0435/Sep	23w
C29ED	14201/1415/Sep	23m	VA3HAM	14282/0005/Sep	24m	VS5RL	14225/1710/Sep	25m
DU1EN	14224/1250/Sep	22m	VK9ZB	14205/215/Sep	25m	YB0ABE	14235/1550/Sep	21m
DU1PT	14207/1130/Sep	20e	VK9XX	14246/240/Sep	24m	YE1ABD	14228/1320/Sep	23m
HC2YL	21300/1420/Sep	18e	VK9RY	21297/0340/Sep	23w	YB0AAV	14201/1230/Sep	24m
KG4FL	14189/0300/Sep	21w	VK9XI	14245/1415/Sep	25w	YJ8BL	14220/2055/Sep	22m
KX6BU	14292/0525/Sep	23w	VK2/VK9	14215/1150/Sep	26e	YJ8BL	14240/0530/Mondays	
OX3XD	14207/1650/Sep	24m	VK9AJ	14237/0605/Sep	23w	YJ8GH	14202/1210/Sep	21m
FP8DH	14202/0110/Sep	26m	VK9JV	14214/0830/Sep	25w	ZL3KK/C	14236/0430/Sep	23m
FM7WE	21258/2200/Sep	22m	VP1BH	21300/1850/Sep	22e	3D2AN	14274/0510/Sep	21w
FP8DH	21304/2000/Sep	24w	VP2KF	14221/2050/Sep	22m	5W1AU	14234/0435/Sep	21w
FP8CT	21240/1620/Sep	23w	VP2SAS	21365/2030/Sep	26w	8P6BC	14210/1135/Sep	24w
PJ2CR	14224/1400/Sep	24m	VP8MS	14247/0200/Sep	20hp			

FORTY/EIGHTY DESK

CO3JS	7085/0630/Sep	23w	SM7BIC	7077/5/Sep	26e	YU3TWT	7010/0420/Sep	23e
CE3/CE0	7085/0605/Sep	26e	TU2DD	7006/10/Sep	26w	ZL1AQ	7025/0630/Sep	23w
GW3YBN	7050/0610/Sep	23m	TU2DO	7080/0635/Sep	26w	9H1GE	7030/0530/Sep	22w
GM3JDR	7020/0415/Sep	23e	UB5MZ	7027/0120/Sep	22m	LU1ZA	7009/0430/Sep	21e
LA6IJW	7026/0445/Sep	22w	UA0TBO	7028/1420/Sep	25w	EL2CB	3793/0615/Sep	28w
KC4USN	7240/0630/Sep	23w	VP2ST	7028/40/Sep	23m	G3LP	3510/0550/Sep	23m
KB6DA	7080/0605/Sep	22m	VP2SAH	7014/050/Sep	22w	JD1YAA	3513/1130/Sep	23w
KZ5WH	7077/0610/Sep	26e	VP2VAU	7215/1110/Sep	23m	KB6DA	3826/0600/Sep	28w
ON5CW	7077/0615/Sep	26e	VR1W	7080/0605/Sep	22m	VP7BL	3805/0615/Sep	27w
OK1APV	7035/0530/Sep	23m	VP7BL	7220/0615/Sep	23m	VR1W	3823/0600/Sep	28w
CE9AHI	7022/1420/Sep	25w	VS6DO	7002/1400/Sep	26w			

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CALENDAR

KAMARAN
Mt. ATHOS
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NEW ENGLAND DX DINNER

SEANET CONVENTION

CALIFORNIA INTERNATIONAL DX MEETING.....

Aldo, ET3ZU, packed and ready to go. May develop anytime....
SV0MA October 14-16th. possible new one.....!!!
KZ5PW & Company signing KS4KZ from October 26th...
ZL2KK/C on right now....for a couple of weeks more
A51PN on regularly....14077kc from 1430Z or so....
October 12018th by VK2BQQ
October 7/8th. Bands have been good for this one.
October 8/9th....
October 7/8th.....phone go-round
End of this month.....October 28/29th.. PREPARE!!
This week-end....October 7th at Waltham, Mass. Ask K1DRN for details
November 10-12th in Bangkok.

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SHORTLY NOTED Chester from XV5AC operated CR9AK briefly while on leave. He should be back in Saigon by now...the Tele-rex beam has arrived there and signals out of XV5AC should be BIG, BIG,BIG. Might help with Vermont and Montana it needs for WAS. W4KA offers his services to any DX Station needing a Stateside QSL manager. C29ED was being used again last week....this time it was the president's birthday. W5PAQ reports working 60 countries in three weeks on ten meters in September. Does that prove anything...?? That ten is alive and kicking. Bill Orr, W6SAI, was operating 3A0AF last week....often looking in vain for those elusive sixes. JY6YL will be signed by Rosie, EP2YL, during her visit in Amman October 11-15th. K6GLC will run a daily schedule with JY6YL at 1400Z around 14240kc. 9U5BB has been reported as leaving Burundi due to some ill health and not feeling just right with the disturbed conditions in the area. possibly will return permanently to Belgium. 9U5s all reported as off the air. The California QSO Party will be this week-end...October 7-8th. May be a chance for those like 3A0AF to catch a rare one. ZS6LW reports it took some convincing to get the paper work done for ZS2MI....and that there would be no amateur interference to other communications. Sakki will be on Marion for a year. Chester of XV5AC said he will be at the SEANET convention"with bells (bell??) on". sounds sort of in crutable but that the way things are out there....they say. CR9AK goes to CT1BH for QSLs. ZL2KK/C showed on 80 mtrs last Friday....3505kc at 1000Z. VR1W is in his last week of operation. should be back in the states next week. Jim has been on 40/80 as has JD1YAA on Minami Torishima.

That SV0MA came with a couple of versions...one mentioned the island of Mykonas just s.e. of Athens. Mt. Athos is an autonomous area in northeast Greece at the end of the Acte péninsula.

PY0DVG cards have been sent to PY1DVG from the printers and should be out shortly. Those looking for FR7AM/G QSLs might try....desperately...BP 1050, St. Denis, Reunion. Cards being received include VS5JA, KC4DX, PA0MI, WA5ZNY/KV4, K5AAD/KV4, PW2WH said he was mailing the last 300 W/K QSLs for St.P&P on Sept 23rd.

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TOP SERVICE FROM TOP DXERS....

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BRITISH HONDURAS VP1BH was active recently...being at 21300kc/1850Z on September 22nd
and this one QSLs to

Robert Harris VP1BH
Citrus Grove
Stann Creek, British Honduras

In addition to the announced plans for VP1A and VP1WMU to be active during the CQ Test coming up the last week-end of this month, VP1ST, Sydney Turton is making plans for extensive activity in this CQ WW Test as well as ARRL Tests in the Spring. In fact he has plans for considerable contest activity. Syd has a brand new 600R-600T set-up at Belize. Anyone working Syd should QSL to Sydney Turton, P.O. Box 35, Belize City, British Honduras.

There have been some calls changes recently with W2MJ now holding the call VP1MJ and Walt Stiles W7NYO now holds VP1WS in lieu of his former call of VP1WJS.

TNX to W1AM, WA2BCK, DL2AN/W1, WA2DHS, W2FXA, WB2YQH, K2LGJ, WA2MBP, W3CDL, W4EH,
W4KA, WB4SPG, W4TUG, W4UF, W5ALA, WA5EMH, W5LZZ, W5OSJ, W5PAQ, W5QBM, W5UBW, W6AAO,
W6APW, K6AQV, W6BJI, K6EC, W6EJ, K6GLC, WDX6GXV, W6ITD, W6KYA, K6LAE, W6MI, WA6MWG,
W6OKK, W6OL, W6TSQ, W6TTS, K6UFT, W6VBI, WB6WHM, K6WR, W6ZTJ, WA7KEF, W7NYO, W7PFZ,
W7YTN, K7ZHS, W8OA, K8RWL, K8TVO, W8ZOK, W9DDL, WØJRN, WØYDB, KØZXE, KZ5PW, HP1JC,
HL9UH, JA3GZN.

WEST COAST DX BULLETIN Published every week by the Marin County DX Group. One of the local QRPerers came hopping by last week, filled with the self-satisfaction that marks the successful. He paused for a moment: "say, what do you think happened in that big pile-up for that DXpedition last month. Our local Big Gun up on his antenna farm got a 5X9 report and I got exactly the same....a 5X9 report and I was running barefoot. What do you think of that?" "Son of a gun, what could we tell the hippity-hoppity happy QRPer but that 5X9 is a standard report from a DXpedition and often pre-entered into the logs. "Pretty good", we said. "Did you beat him out?". "Oh no!", the QRPer said. "I worked them about five days later....but how about that 5X9 report". And away he went down the road. We were happy to see him go for we wish to take from no man his dream. \$9.00 for a weekly course in DX ego gratification....\$10.50 brings the happy words by airmail. 5X9 reports all the way....

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