

RADIO NUEVO MUNDO

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SHORT WAVE LOGGINGS:

All times in UTC, month/day format

- 4762.3 Perú: R. Inca del Perú; Lima; 0600-0900 f/g in Nov. Sometimes this stn was not heard on 4762v when stn transmits on 4809.6. I think that 4809.5 is not spurious. The peruvian cumbia px "Tropical Andino" is on the air at 0100-0400 local time every day. Sorry for my mistake of px. In px heard many IDs: "Tú estás en los 1280 kHz de Radio Inca del Perú, escuchando y bailando por TROPICAL ANDINO. ¡Una clarita!", "Todos! todos a bailar con TROPICAL ANDINO, tú programa del Domingo por los 1280kHz de Radio Inca del Perú, desde la 1 hasta las 4 con la música que tienes que clamar, con la música que ya estudiabas, con la música TROPICAL ANDINO, la que junta ritmo de cumbia, con el sabor andino.", "La música TROPICAL ANDINO que tú prefieres, por eso siempre, siempre escuchémos en 1280 y 4762kc de Radio Inca. Puedes escuchar nuestro programa ... lo único que quieres que ... marchar en 40-85-93, con gusto. Te vamos a tropical andinizar con TROPICAL ANDINO.", "1280kHz onda media y 4762kHz onda corta Radio Inca del Perú que tu estás escuchando. Pionera en música, TROPICAL ANDINO.", "Ya lo tu quieres primer concurso de TROPICAL ANDINO, con tú onda que nos quieres en 1280kHz de Radio Inca del Perú, las 24 horas del día te acompañando.", "Tú estás con la primera cumbia peruana por TROPICAL ANDINO. Radio Inca del Perú emite en 1280 de onda media y 4762 de onda corta banda TROPICAL ANDINO de 60 mts.", "Por la manera agradable, Domingo con TROPICAL ANDINO. Y por los 1280kHz onda media de Radio Inca y para todo el mundo por los 4762kHz de onda corta banda TROPICAL ANDINO de 60 mts." (Inoue)
- 4790 Perú: R. Atlantida, Iquitos; 1055-1110 p 11/23. 1104 ID: "Entre emisora de Radio Atlantida del ... de la República del Perú ... aquí transmite Radio Atlantida ... como amazonas por su alcance y potencia. Atlantida, 3 ondas radiales que cubren nitidamente ... gran region del Perú." And followed-by-ads for "Banco Amazonico" 10 minutes after. (Ichinose)
- 4820 Honduras: LV Evangelica, Tegusigalpa; 1200-1225 p 11/24. 1200-religious px, 1219 TC/ID: "... hermanos y amigos, 6 de la mañana 18 minutos, 6 de la mañana 19 minutos, La Voz Evangelica de Honduras." B/out at 1225 by careear. (Ichinose)
- 4825 Perú: LV de la Selva, Iquitos; 1017-1040 f/p on 11/22. Better in LSB to avoid QRM of R. Moscow/Peace & Progress on co-channel. After ads for "Banco Amazonico", heard canned ID: "A un pueblo ... quiere que siga emisora siempre joven, La Voz de la Selva, 770kc amplitud modulada, 93.9 frecuencia modulada. La Voz de la Selva, la gran familia del aire.", then folklore mx px "El Chacarero" (Inoue)
- 4830 Venezuela: R. Tachira, San Cristóbal; 0726-0745 f/p 11/9. Often QRM of CW. Pops, TC. ID at 0736: "... Radio Tachira, la popular que damos exactamente las 3, 37 minutos ... esta es Radio Tachira desde San Cristóbal, otra emisora del grupo (diferente or excelente) ..." TNX Mr. Aoi for tips. (Ichinose)

- 4849.7 Costa Rica: R.Columbia, SJ; 0440(f/in)-0600* Every Sunday in Nov. w/nice signal. This stn broadcasts 24 hours service on MW and its SW outlet is relay fcy from Cadena de Emisoras Columbia. Also heard from 1015v s/on very regularly. Confirmed nice full ID as "Desde San José, capital de la República de Costa Rica, transmite TILX Cadena de Emisoras Columbia, Columbia transmite para el mundo entero en su frecuencia de 4825kHz en la banda internacional de 60 mts. Aquí y en Cadena de Emisoras Columbia, la Ø hora con 4 minutos." TNX Hitoshi M. for info. (Inoue)
- 4851.1T Ecuador: R.Luz y Vida, Loja; 0610-0613* 11/18 p/. Heard a part of OM Closing anmt and followed by NA. (Miyashita)
- 4880 Brasil: R.Dif.Acreana, Rio Blanco; 1000-1030 f 11/26. ZY pops, TC. 1029 ID: "ZYH 200 1400kHz onda media, ZY? 20? 4885kHz onda tropical, emissora Rádio Difusora Acreana ... primeira." (Ichinose)
- 4885.3 Perú: R.Huancavelica, Huancavelica; *1000v-1200 strong in Nov. Current px "Nuevo Amanecer Andino" hosted by Sr.Victor Alberto. Canned ID at every 30 minutos: "Para todo el Perú y Sudamerica, transmitiendo Radio Huancavelica, OAX5M 1580kHz onda corta OAX5X 4885kHz onda larga banda internacional de 60 mts. Radio Huancavelica transmitiendo desde ... a frontera, desde su estudio Jr.Virrey toledo 468, Huancavelica, Perú. Radio Huancavelica." (Inoue)
- 4965.8 Perú: LV de Cutervo, Cutervo; *1040v-1130 p/vy p in late Nov. Reactived again! First noted on 11/26. Px "Amanecer Campesino" after opening w/NA. Often heard ID, but hard to get it because of heavy QRM of R.Juan XXIII on 4964.9 w/strong sigs. (Inoue)
- 5050 Ecuador: Ems.Jesus del Gran Poder, Q? 1000-1010 p 11/26, QRM of CW. Pops, ID at 1007: "Transmite Emisora Jesus del Gran Poder en 670 onda larga ..." and followed by NA. (Ichinose)
- 5055.3 Ecuador: R.Catolica Nacional, Q; *1100-1200 f/p. Px "Con Dios y con la Historia" Px in Quechua, 1119 IDw/mx. NA mixed chorus w/orchestra, no vocal. (Nakagawa on 11/23; Kobori on 11/30; Tanaka) (11/19; Nagatani)
- 5120.4 Perú: R.Mundo, Cusco; 1018-1040 p/vy p in LSB. Reactived after 3 months' absence. Only heard on 11/29. Huaynito px "Buenos Días" including messages to listeners in Cusco-Department as Calca, Acomayo, Paucartambo, and so on. ID as simply "Radio Mundo" w/TC. Per LADXR-No 15, the stn broadcasts on 875kc and on 90 mts and 60m. (Inoue)
- 5190.8 Perú: R.Nuevo Continente, Cajamarca; First noted on 11/15 w/p at 1122. Many TNX Mr.Aoi for tips. In late Nov. and early Dec., then heard regularly here. I think R.Nuevo Continente began SW service everyday after testing transmission. Fcy is drifting between 5190. and 5190.8kHz. On 12/4 s/on at 0927 and 12/2 at 1004, but their official sched. is *0900-. Around this hour, they have a Huayño mx px and often heard the theme song of Peruvian commercial stn "La radio está más cerca de la gente", IDs: "Muy pronto, muy pronto es radio Nuevo Continente.", "Nuevo Continente, una emisora nitida cajamarquina a todo el ... de su gusto.", "El Poder más de la radio, Continente.", etc. (Inoue !!)
- 5443.9 Perú: R.Imagen, Tarapoto; *1040(or *1020v)-1150(f/out) f/p in late Nov. First noted on 11/26 w/heavy CW QRMs. Many txns Mr.M Tanaka in Los Angeles for tips. Per my monitor, at 1030 "Musica Tropical" (including Salsa and Chicha), 1100 "El Noticiero Once Sesenta". Nx at 0600-0800 local time, heard many ads for "Bingo, El Sabor Sanderino", "Industrial Nacional SA", "Yamaha", "Artefacto Tarapoto", "Banco Amazonico", "Banco Agrario". IDs: "Es radio, radio Imagen, 1160 de su dial.", "Atención a la hora, són las 6 de la mañana con 5 minutos, es la hora de Radio Imagen, presenta EL NOTICIERO 1160, ... desde las 6 de la mañana las 8 en punto ... control de su re-dactor ... en la presente jornada de esta fecha.", "R.Imagen, emisora eldorada." (Inoue)
- 5444 Peru: R.Imagen, Tarapoto; 1040-1130 p 11/25. Mx & Talk px. At 1100 ads for "Banco de Tarapoto" and ID was heard. TNX Mr.Tanaka via /Inoue. (Aoi)

- 5444 Perú: R.Imagen, Tarapoto; 1040-1110 f/p 11/29, 30. Till ca 1100 LA
 QSY!! mx(salsa etc) px, at past 1100, nx "El Noticiero 1160". many ads
 heard at ca 1100, Opening anmt for nx on 11/29: "Atención ... las
 6 de la mañana ... minutos. Esta hora Radio Imagen presenta EL
 NOTICIERO ONCE SESENTA." (Tanaka)
- 6118 Colombia: LV del Llano, Villavicencio; 0936-1135 f. HJ mx. ID at
 1003 as in LADxing. (Watanabe on 11/26; Kobori on 11/30)(11/27, Nagatani)
- 6229.8 Clandestine: R.Monimbo; *1300-1400* f/p/vy p. First noted on 11/1.
 NSI Irregularly heard here since then. (Miyashita)
- 6229.9 Clandestine: R.Monimbo; *1300-1420(f/out) g/f/p in Nov-Dec. TNX
 NSI Mr.Miyashita for tips. This new anti-Nicaraguan was heard since ear
 early Nov. Fqy is variable. Per anmt transmits on 49 mb(Nominal
 fqy is unknown) and official sked : *1300, *0000 and *0200. Open-
 ing canned ID w/mx: "Esta es Radio Monimbo, La Voz de Libertad de
 los Nicaragüenses transmitiendo en la banda de los 49 mts a las 7
 de la mañana, y luego a las 6 de la tarde y a las 8 de la noche.
 Aquí estamos de nuevo cumpliendo con nuestro compromiso de ideas(?)
 a todos los Nicaragüenses de nuestros territorios del norte a sur,
 del Atlantico al Pacifico. Radio Monimbo, simbolo del valor y de
 la grandeza del pueblo de Nicaragua, inicia sus transmisiones con
 el lema de Pedro Joaquin Chamorro ... Nicaragua volverá ser región."
 Slogan: "Nicaragua volverá ser region(ex-Republica) (Inoue) (On
 /11/26 Ichinose)
- 6299.6 Clandestine: R.Camilo Cienfuegos; 0430(f/in)-1400(f/out) g/f in Nov.
 This is a unique stn which has 24h service, is a member of CID net.
 Per monitor, including many pxs: "La Peña del CID", "Por los Caminos
 del Mundo", "Leyendo Selecciones", "Cuba para los Cubanos", "Pano-
 rama mundial", "Mundo Cultural", "El Boletín Informativo de la Ma-
 ñana", "Sentimientos", "Musica Libre", "Momento Inevitable", etc.
 On 11/29 confirmed anmt for changing fqy on 31m as "Radio Camilo
 Cienfuegos cambiará de su frecuencia actual de 10040kHz a la
 nueva frecuencia de 9940kHz en esta misma banda internacional de
 31mts. Este cambio de frecuencia a partir de este viernes, 30 de
 Noviembre, es también con el propósito ~~de que nuestros oyentes~~ que
 nuestros oyentes en Cuba pueden localizar mejor a Radio Camilo
 Cienfuegos en las radios que marca su Aclaremos a nuestros
 amigos oyentes que deben mover unos mili-metros su dial actual de
 10040kHz para localizar la nueva frecuencia de 9940kHz que solo
 es de 100kHz de diferencia. Repetimos a nuestros estimados Camilo
 Cienfuegos pasará a la nueva frecuencia de 9940kHz en su horario
 diurno y continuará en 6300kHz en su horario nocturno." (Inoue) amig
de R
- 6230 Clandestine: R.Monimbo; +1330+ f/p 11/15. TNX Mr.Miyashita (Aoi)
 NSI
- 6300 Clandestine: LV del CID; 1156-1206, p/vy p 12/3. QRM of utility.
 ID at 1059, OM talk. (Kobori) /(Miyashita)
- 7050 Clandestine: R.15 de Septiembre; 1203-1215 vy p, 12/4. //-6215,5555.
- 6045 Brasil: R.Clube Paranaense, Curitiba; 0850-0905 f 12/2. PP version
 of "Que sera sera". 0859 ID: "ZYJ200 onda media 1430kHz. ZYE725
 ondas curtas 49 mts 6045kHz, 25 mts 11935kHz e 31 mts 9735kHz.
 Emissoras brasileiras da Rádio Clube Paranaense, uma organização
 Fundação Nossa Senhora do (Rocio), Curitiba, Paraná, Brasil."
 (Hirahara)
- 9545 Brasil: R.Universo, Curitiba; 0610-0640 p/f 12/3. ZY pops, TC/ID
 at 0619. //-6020kHz w/ f condx. (Watanabe)
- 9550 Chile: R.Nacional, Santiago; 0935-1102 g/f 12/4. OM talk & CE mx.
 Sometimes TC/ID. 1001- "Onda Noticiosa" (Watanabe)
- 9655 Ecuador: HCJB, Q; 0510-0535 p 11/29. Religious px. ID at 0529:
 ".... HCJB, La Voz de los Andes desde Quito, Ecuador, América del
 Sur. Gracias, amigos por atención ...", right after TC at 0530,
 heard anmt like "Appartir de este momento, transmitimos en idioma
 Quechua" and followed by QQ px. (Kurachi)

9675 Perú: R.del Pacifico, Lima; 1212-1230 f 11/11. Religious px. 1215
ID: "Transmite Radio del Pacifico, 640kHz ... del pueblo ..."

9939.4 Clandestine: R.Camilo Cienfuegos; 2300-2315 f 11/30. QSYed from
10040kHz.-2310 px "Boletin Internacional de Noticia" and followed
by mx px "Exito Musical". Try for it! (Cf. 6300kHz) (Inoue) /(Nakaqawa)

9988 Perú: Estacion 2000, Rioja;+1131-1200+ p 11/5. (Aoi)

9988.3 Perú: Estacion 2000, Rioja; 1200-1225 p/vy p 11/5. Heard peruvian
folklore and ID. Measured fqy is 9988.4 or 9988.3kHz. (Inoue)

11710 Argentina: RAE, BA; 0410-0459* p 12/1. Till 0415 nx, and "La Educa-
cion en Argentina", "Nuevo Cine Argentina". ID at 0425: "Buenos
noches , amigos en Buenos Aires, capital federal de la República
Argentina, esta es la segunda emision en idioma español de Rae,
Radiodifusion Argentina al Exterior." At closing time, heard anmt
in 7 languages except Arabic. (Kurachi)

15345 Argentina: RAE, BA; 0142-0223 p 12/2. SS px, At 0200 TC/ID in 8
languages. EE opening anmt at 0201, from 0203 10 minutes' nx and
EE ID at 0214: "Y ou're tuned to Rae, Radiodifusion Argentina al
Exterior, the overseas service of Argentine National Radio ...
Buenos Aires, Argentina." And heard tango mx. (Kurachi)

Additional logging

6296.1 Perú: R.Chota, Chota; Reactivated here! after a long absence. First
heard on 12/3. Confirmed Huayño px and IDw/TC as "Son las 6 con 50
minutos en Radio Chota." at 1152. (Inoue)

DX NX

CLANDESTINE: R.Camilo Cienfuegos: Per anmt they changed the privious
31 mb 10040kHz to 9940kHz on 11/30. for listeners in Cuba in order
to make it easy to find out in official-31-mb. They said day-time
on 9940kHz and night on 6300kHz local time there, but current sched.
in detail is still unknown. (Inoue)

R.Quice de Septiembre: Now can be heard on 6215kHz. Per anmt,
since 12/1 they have changed sched. as follows; 0600, 0700, 1200,
1615, 1630 and 1900 Nicaraguan local time. (Inoue)

COLOMBIA: R.Cinco, Villavicencio: They relay NX "Primera en la Noticia" via
a head stn of GRC-net at 0600, 1300 and 1700 local time. (Inoue)

PERÚ: R.Vision, Juanjuy; Per my monitor on 11/6, they have an original
nx "Panorama Informativo" at 0630-0800(Primera edicion) and at 1200-
1300(Segunda edicion). Now QRV on 5359.8kHz w/good sigs. (Inoue)

QSL NX

CHILE: R.Portales, S; (6080) Proper stn's name is Emisoras Diego Por-
tales S.A. They owns and operated R.Portales, R.Alondra(CB88-AM) &
R.Carolina (98.9-FM). Their slogan is "La Primera de Chile Siempre"

PERÚ: R.Nuevo Continente (5191): Ltr/post crd. v/s: Carlos Justo Rivas
Davila. /(Aoi)

ECUADOR: R.Catolica Nacional, Q; Ltr/pennant. Morning nx is "Buena No-
ticia. Reactived on SW on 8/1. Fqy: 94.1(10KW), 880(50) & 5055(10).
QTH:Av.America 1830 Mercadillo.v/s:Pablo Vallejo Klein(Dir.Adm)(Aoi)

R.Zaracay (3395): QSL ltr/red pennant/sticker for 25 year's anniv.
in 9m. v/s: Elssy Cun. C. (Secretaria) (Nabeshima)

▶ According to JETRO-Lima, Peru decided to adopt DST(GMT-4) reective Dec.16
until April 28,1985. 4

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SHORT WAVE LOGGING -II By Nabeshima.

4945.0 Bolivia: R. Illimani, LP; 2206-2237 f/p on 11/25. Till 2230- カッカ(?)中継, 2230 TC, CM, then tlk px by OM & YL in vernacular. ID at 2232 w/theme mx "Desde Bolivia en la America del Sur, R. Illimani, la voz... (Not de Bolivia), aquí todo el país. Ondas cortas y media, Frecuencia Modulada estereo." (Nabeshima)
Another Long pass stns: 4876.0 La Cruz del Sur, 5025 R. Quillabamba 5095 R. Sutatenza.

5055.3 Ecuador: R. Católica Nacional, Quito; *1100v- g/f in Nov. First noted on 10/13 by inf. from Mr. Sasaki. Test mx, NA, then Opening ID, religious px "Con Dios y con la Historia" W/theme mx" (Nabeshima)

5443.9 UNID; 1126-1135 on 11/23 p. OM tlk in SP. It is said that this stn is R. Imagen, Tarapoto. TNX Mr Tanaka via Mr Sasaki.
Los Angeles 450 inf. (Nabeshima)

6090 Argentina: R. Belgrano, BA; 2320-2332 p on 11/18. Mx w/OM anmt, 2332 YL ID "LR..., R. Belgrano.." (Nabeshima)

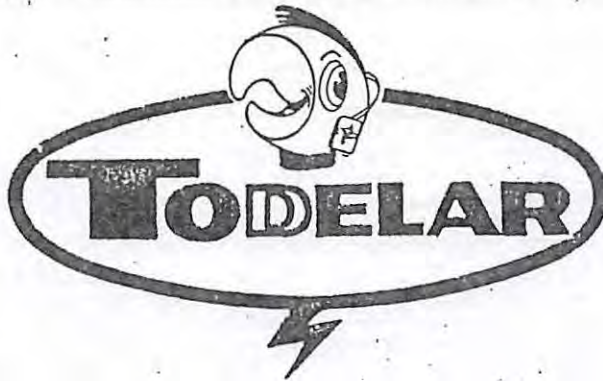
6229.9 XXX: R. Monimbó; *1301-1400(S/off or f/out) f/p in late Nov. S/on w/mx then opening ID by YL "Esta es R. Monimbó, la voz de libertad de los Nicaraguenses, transmitiendo en la banda de 49 metros, a las 7 de la mañana..., 6 de la tarde de la 6 de la noche. Aquí esta... con nuestro compromiso... todos los Nicaraguenses en nuestros territorios del norte a sur de la... Radio Monimbó símbolo del valor... del pueblo de Nicaragua, inicia sus transmisiones con el (lema de Pedro Juaquin Chamorro), Nicaragua volverá ser (república)." Then Centro American mx px w/YL anmt. I heard TC (JST-15h.). TNX Mr Sasaki for INF. (Nabeshima)

6299.5 XXX; LV del CID/R. Camilo Cienfuegos; 0730-1330 f/g in Nov. First noted on this frequency on 11/18. Many short px(almost nx) & Centro American mx, US pops mx px w/ many ID. For example, "LV del CID presento Panorama Mundial." "...R. Camilo Cienfuegos de la cadena radial de Cuba Independiente y Democratica. (chime) LV del CID." "Una Cuba para... LV del CID presento una Cuba para..." "Cuba Independiente y Democratica presenta la noticia del periodico." etc. Not heard on 10040kHz recently. (Nabeshima)

6115.0 Mexico; R. Universidad de Sonora; 1359-1408 p on 11/21. YL anmt then OM tlk px(nx?). I heard tentative ID "Radio Universidad de Sonora." TNX for Mr Sasaki. (Nabeshima)

LA DXing on North Pacific (Japan - California sea route)

4755	Brasil: R. Educação Rural: *0800-, -0500*	4895	Brasil: R. Baré: *0800-	5055	Ecuador: R. Católica: *1100v-, -0300*
4755	Perú: R. Huanta 2000: *0945v-, -0200*	4900	Venezuela: R. Juventud: *0955-, -0400*	5191	Perú: R. Nuevo Continente: -1115- on 11/1
4775	Perú: R. Tarma: -1000-, -0500*	4905	Brasil: R. Araguaia: -0830- on 11/15.	5360	Perú: R. Vision: *1030v-, -0300v*
4780	Colombia: LV del Carabobo: *0900-	4920	Ecuador: R. Quito: -0500-	5444	Perú: R. Imagen: *1040v-
4790	Perú: R. Atlántida: *0900-, -0500*	4922	Perú: R. Ondas del Tifoneo: -1000-		
4820	Bolivia: R. Santa Ana: -0250* on 11/20.	4930	Haiti: R. 4VEH: -1000- (Nov px begun ca 1000, not 0900-.)		
4820	Ecuador: R. Paz y Bien: *0900v-	4935	Perú: R. Tropical: *0940-, -0400*		
4930	Venezuela: R. Táchira: 24 hours.	4960	Ecuador: R. Federación: *1040v-		
4835	Guatemala: R. Tezcutitlán: -0230*	4970	Venezuela: R. Rumbos: *0900-, -0500*	Reporter: Masahiko Tanaka	
4840	Perú: R. Andahuaylas: *1040v-, -0300*	4980	Venezuela: Ecos del Torbes: *0900-, -0-	Period of Reception: Nov. 6th - Nov. 23r	
4885	Perú: R. Huncavelica: *1000v-	5025	Perú: R. Quillabamba: *1100v-, -0300*	Receiver: R-1000	
4890	Ecuador: R. Centinela del Sur: -0300* on 11/19.	5045	Perú: R. Libertad de Junín: -1100-, -0400*		



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↑ From Colombian Phonebook via T.Hirahara

Following 20 pages has been editèd by T.Hirahara until Dec.16, based on materiales from overseas.

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APARTADO 1505, TELEFONOS 25404 - 25982, MANAGUA, D. N., NICARAGUA

"ACTUALIDAD DX LATINOAMERICANA" - Report No.4 from Latin America by Christian Zettl - (dated Oct.26, postmarked Oct.29, Guatemala, which reached here Dec.4! How long!)

VENEZUELA: R.Nacional de Venezuela, the international service of Venezuela, now in its 3rd year of existence (founded on July 29, 1982), has recently put into service two additional 50kW xmtrs. Per Rotoricio Ojeda, head of the program department, they should be operational as from December, but I actually monitored them already on 15400 and 11695 in parallel w/ usual 9540 in the 1100-1200 morning xmsn. The sked of R.Nacional is as follows; 1100-1200, 1400-1500, 1800-1900, 0000-0100 and 0300-0400. The same pgm is repeated in all broadcasts. Reports on these xmsns are welcome and duly verified by CSI card, pgm sked, sticker, pennant and touristic info on Venezuela. They should be forwarded to R.Nacional de Venezuela, Canal Onda Corta, Apartado 3979, Caracas 1010, Venezuela. A letterbox pgm is broadcast Sundays, called "Club de la Amistad".

R.Continente is another stn in Caracas that only recently returned to the SW, now broadcasting on 5030. When I visited the stn I received a warm and hearty welcome, I was shown around in the studios, interviewed and finally given a record w/ Venezuelan guitars as a remembrance. After having been returned into private hands (the stn was owned and operated before by the state organization "Corporacion Venezolana de Fomento" in January 1984, SW operations w/ the 16 year old CCA xmttr of 10kW were soon being resumed. These broadcasts are in parallel w/ MW 590 (50kW). So far no FM has been allowed by the government, only one, one-profit stn has been allowed to use the band. The lack of FM broadcasts is in sharp contrast w/ the otherwise comparatively advanced development Venezuela has achieved in other fields. Address of R.Continente: Av. Mexico, R.Catatumbo Internacional, Maracaibo, is still airing its SW /Apartado 866, Caracas.

Outlet of 9620, although the use being made of this freq appears to be rather sporadic. As far as I know, the stn has last been reported on this freq in 1983. I myself was unable to monitor R.Catatumbo Internacional on this freq, despite of having had a try in Maracaibo itself.

COSTA RICA: Per my monitoring in the spot, R.Nacional is not on 6035, neither is Pero del Caribe on 69645. /9537.

EL SALVADOR: R.El Salvador has been hr'd w/ a relay of the national service at 2030 on

NICARAGUA: I've observed that Nicaragua obviously has got now a total of 4 different services on SW, all in the 49mb. 1) The external service on 6014.5 "LV de Nicaragua". As from November they are on an somewhat extended sked: 2300-0500 ("in EE: 0100-0200 and 0400-0500) and 1100-1400. 2) The national svc on 6099 "LV de Nicaragua". 3) R.Zinica on 6120. This freq sometimes also carries R.Sandino. 4) R.Sandino on 6200.

CLANDESTINES: Even after the reported destruction of a relay xmttr of R.Venceremos, the stn is still on the air w/ their complete sked, now even using an alternative freq in all of their broadcasts. They are on the air daily, from Monday to Saturday, at 1215, 1830, 0000 and 0230, and Sundays at 1400, 2000 and 0230. The freqs having used for the 1215, 1830 and 1400 xmsn, respectively, are usually 6560(+5kHz) and 6850 and for the 0000 and 0230 xmsns 6560 and, now additionally for propagational reasons 3650. The 0230 xmsn is also relayed on 98.5 FM for San Salvador and the Eastern provinces of El Salvador (for the latter also at 0000). The address to write to is: No trace as yet of R.Parabundo Marti. /Apartado 7-907, Mexico D.F.

Going on to the clandestines operating w/ target Nicaragua fanatic R.15 de Septiembre has been observed regularly on 5555 and 5580, used simultaneously.

LV de Sandino is still on 6215, but now always accompanied by jamming.

Turning towards Cuba, I've hr'd LV del C.I.D. on 11680 at 2000, only 20kHz apart from /their close ally R.Clarin.

GUATEMALA: Guatemala's external svc - TGW, La Voz de Guatemala - is definitely one of the most grotesque radio stn I've ever seen. There is no permanent staff - all those working at the international svc are actually people from the national svc -, no one seems to know really what SW is all about, not even the director of the svc, no one bothers really to investigate if the stn is audible at all. The studio consists of a reel-to-reel recorder connected to an FM feeder which carries the signal to the xmttr site, Granja Pavon, about 20km outside the capital, where it is fed to a "CCI" 10kW xmttr (evidently no longer working at full power, as happens w/ the MW "RCA" xmttr on 640 which, w/ an original output of 50kW has dropped to 20 - 30kW now) and then (supposedly) to a dipole. A recent change in the sked has made that the incoming correspondence has drastically dropped, but even though, TGW will continue to carry its weak signal to wherever it may be (with or without correspondences). The current sked reads as follows; 2100-0000 and 0400-0700 on 6180. A one hour pgm consisting of IDs in SS, EE and FF of 15 min. of duration(!) at the beginning of the broadcast (another fact that adds grotesqueness to the stn), followed by news and cmtries in SS, EE and (sporadically) FF as well as the world-famous

marimba-music is repeated in the rest of the broadcast. In the current circumstances, reception reports are seldomly verified. Best to send all reports on TGW to the Guatemala DX Club, Apartado Postal 583, Guatemala. Carlos Zipfel, one of the founders of the club is working at the stn and is in charge of answering reports. If it were not for him, who also produces a weekly DX pgm at TGW, many reports would never get an answer. Anyone wishing to write directly to the stn, may of course do that (5a. Avenida 13-18, Zona 1 - Guatemala, C.A.)

ACTUALIDAD DX LATINOAMERICANA

Hola, amigos! At last I arrived here in Mexico, my new (temporary) home for the six month to come. As you all followed my tour through South and Central America through the reports I sent to RNM, I am sure you can roughly imagine that I had a very fine time in all the countries I visited. In all, I've been in a total of 10 countries, namely: in Peru, Ecuador, Colombia, Brazil, Guyana, Suriname, Trinidad and Tobago, Venezuela, Guatemala and Mexico. I've visited dozens of stations, among which such famous as Radio Moderna (Peru), HCJB (Ecuador), Radio Rio Mar (Brazil), Radio Apintie (Suriname), Radio Continente (Venezuela) and Unión Radio (Guatemala), to name just a few, should be well known to all of you. I don't know really how often I was invited into the studio to tell my impressions live on the air - in any case I was very much impressed by the fact that anyone could actually hear me, taking into account that most LA local stns are working on a very small budget and with equipment dating from the 50ies and 60ies. I myself was also engaged in interviewing radio people and DXers for the Spanish and German DX-programs of ORF, Austrian Radio. The interview that definitely beat all the rest was the one granted by the head of Radio Suriname International - most probably the very first one! I also came to know the overwhelming cordiality that characterizes Latin American DXers: A big 'thank-you' to Juan Carlos Codina in Peru, the Club Diexistas de la Amistad in Venezuela and the members of the Guatemala DX Club. By the way, if anyone is interested in getting in touch with those clubs, just drop them a line. They'll be excited to hear from you: Club Diexistas de la Amistad (CDXA), Calle 4, No. 82, Cafinca II, Barinas 5201, Venezuela and Guatemala DX Club, c/o Secretary General Edgar A. Oliva M., Apartado Postal 583, Guatemala, Guatemala.

But now it's high time to pass on some LA-DX info to you, so here you are:

CHILE: R. Patagonia Chilena (970 and 6080) has recently begun broadcasting a DX prgr. in charge of Chilean DXer Erwin Sandrade. The new prgr is on the air from 1400 to 1415, informs "Actualidad DX". R. Nacional annd. a 24 hour-sked. Hrd here w/ booming signal (15140). As a result of the recent declaration of the state of siege in Chile, about nine magazines were closed and two radio stations silenced by the militaries.

→ Another interesting stn located in Guatemala City is the Latin American unit of Adventist World Radio (AWR), locally known as Union Radio. This stn operates three xmtrs, one each in the MW (TGMU Union Radio on 1330) and the FM band (TGMV "Advent-sterio" on 105.5) and one on SW (TGMW LV de la Iglesia Adventista en Latinoamerica on 6090). Union Radio was purchased in 1979 by the Seventh-Day Adventist Church in Guatemala and converted what is known today as AWR-Latin America. The local outlets, 10 kW each on MW and FM, began broadcasting from a new location in the Adventist HQ of fice in Guatemala City in May 1979. The facility was officially inaugurated on Aug. 17. The SW outlet became operational w/ test broadcasts in March 1980. The 10 kW suppressed to a 3kW output, radiated from a simple vertical antenna. Subsequent new antenna was installed on a mountain top 12 miles away and a VHFfeeder was installed. (Another new antenna will be put into service in 1985.) AWR is currently on the air (on 6090) as follows; 1100-1300 in SS, 0000-0200 in SS, 0200-0400 in EE.

Yet another stn, known to some of you, is TGN R. Cultural transmitting on 2 SW channels 3300 in the 90mb and 5955 in the 49mb (each one 10kW) and on MW 730 as well as on FM 100.7. While broadcasts on MW and FM are carried out continuously from 1100 (Sunday 1200) in the morning to 0630 (0430 on Wednesday), SW is only used between 1100 and 1430 and 2230 to 0430. Pgmng is mainly in SS, there are though daily 1/2 hour broadcasts in the vernacular languages spoken by the Maya-indians, namely Mam, Kekchi and Cakchiquel (Monday-Saturday 1100-1130, Sunday 1200-1215) and EE Gospel pgms produced in the US (Monday-Saturday 0300-0430, Sunday 0045-0400), especially for foreign listeners. Reports are verified: Apartado 601, Guatemala (or: 4a. Ave. 30-09, Zona 3, Guatemala).

MEXICO: XERMX, R. Mexico Internacional has obviously dropped 11770 and 5985 (Guatemala). Per stn anmt and my own observations the only freqs used now are: 17765, 15430 and 9705 between 2200 and 0500.

73's, Christian

DOMINICAN REPUBLIC: R. Earth is still hrd via R. Clarín in Santo Domingo, 0300-0400 on 11700. Their address as announced over the air is: P.O. Box 92-2, Santo Domingo.

EL SALVADOR: Apart from the more regularly (however without fixed sked) used 9587 rpted last time, R. El Salvador was also hrd recently on alternative 5992 at 0040 w/ a relay of its domestic service. The frq is blocked however at 0130 as VoA s/on on adjacent 5995.

NICARAGUA: LV de Nicaragua is now carrying more news services than ever: The progr "Aquí Nicaragua" is now hrd each hour on the hour, whereas "avances informativos" are brctd every half hour. Acc. to stn anns, the current sked may be modified at any time if important events occur. So far LV de Nicaragua has been bcsting from 2300 to 0500 on 6015 w/ EE from 0100 to 0200 and 0400 to 0500.

MEXICO: From all the Mexican stn said to be active on SW, only the following have been observed recently:

R. Huayacocotla on 2390 w/ somewhat erratic sked. Hrd as early as 1400 and as late as 0000, but obviously not on the air continuously.

No trace of R. Mil on 6008, instead a strong carrier is noted throughout the day on 6010.

On 6045 R. Universidad de San Luis Potosí can be hrd w/ moderate signal.

XEQM, Su Pantera has a terribly modulated signal on 6105, hrd as early as 1500 and s/off at 0500.

The next Mexican on the dial (or rather the digital readout) is R. Universidad de Sonora on 6115, starting xmissions at 1400.

6165 is irregularly used by XEW, LV de América Latina, besides XERMX: by far the strongest stn on SW from Mexico. XEW, a stn w/ much prestige in Mexico, has only recently celebrated its 54th anniversary (the stn was founded 18 Sept. 1930).

In the 31m band I only detected XEW on 9515 (used regularly in parallel to the 19m band outlet), while XEQK, La Hora Exacta and R. UNAM are obviously not on the air (in spite of the fact that R. UNAM announces its SW channel of 9600).

In the 19m band we find the already mentioned XEW ^{either} on 15160 or on 15177 (used alternatively, however without any regular pattern. The stn is evidently not monitoring its SW outlets, because I often happen to hear them on 15160, when the frq is blocked either by HCJB or by LV de la OEA/VoA.

XERMX-OC, Radio México Internacional, the only stn I visited so far proved to be a vey grotesque int'l service. At the moment is obviously run without any program concept, broadcasting lots of MExican music, government statements, editorials from newspapers, many prgrs on Mexican culture and history, but without providing the necessary background info, other prgrs are simply rebroadcasts from the national service. People working at XERMX are relatively young and vey informal. The studios are currently located in a dependency of the Dirección de Radio y TV in Colima 161, but as I am told a new building has already been completed and will be occupied by XERMX within some 8 months. In fact, one should not take Mexicans too seriously when they are talking about dates - red tape and corruption prevent - in most cases - a project to be completed on the forseen date. Take as an example the 100 kW-xmtr, acquired by the Mexican Government in 1981, but still without being installed or used (by the way, the same happened to Venezuela's powerhouse - 1000 kW on MW- LV de Venezuela !). At the moment the 14 yr old xmtrs used since the foundation of XERMX are in use, but no longer in parallel, as spares are becoming short. They have one 50 kW (on 15430) and four 10 kW xmtrs, with antennas beaming to

the East Coast of South America (15430), to the Antilles, to the West Coast of North America and to the Lake District and Canada. Foreign language brcsts have been discontinued as a part of the austerity policy of the current government. Plans exist, however, to introduce a 2 hour news brcst w/ a half hour each in SS, EE, FF and PP. A new prgr concept is being elaborated and will be put into force as from January 1, 1985. At that time a full-colour prgr guide and a new pennant should be ready as well. So far the plans.

The current sked reads as follows:

1300-1700 on 5985 and 11770

2000-2300 on 9705, 15430 and 17765

2300-0300 on 9705 and 15430

0300-0500 on 9705, 15430 and 17765

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| Programs: 1300 Himno Nacional y Saludos (daily) | 2000 Himno Nacional y Saludos |
| 1310 Efemérides (daily) | 2010 Efemérides |
| 1315 Géneros Musicales de México (daily) | 2015 Aquí México |
| 1330 Voces de México (daily) | 2030 Comentando la noticia (Mon - Fri) |
| 1400 Mujer (daily) | 2045 Música instrumental |
| 1430 Tiempo de Corridos (daily) | 2100 Música y cifras |
| 1500 Testimonio Cultural (daily) | 2130 Visión DX desde México |
| 1530 Visión DX desde México (daily) | 2145 Nuestras bandas |
| 1545 En primera plana (daily) | 2200 El recital de hoy |
| 1600 Música y cifras (daily) | 2230 Raíces musicales |
| 1630 Música instrumental (daily) | 2300 México indígena (Sun) |
| 1650 Programación vespertina (daily) | El Deporte (Mon) |
| 1655 Despedida e Himno Nacional | Cita con el pensamiento (Tue) |
| | Reencuentros con la historia (Wed) |
| | Cuentos contados por nuestra |
| | cuenta (Thur) |
| | Revista semanal (Fri) |
| | Sones y canciones (Sat) |
| | 2315 Música instrumental (Sun & Thur) |
| | 2330 México canta |
| | 0000 Música (may be substituted by |
| | special prgr on certain occations) |
| | 0100 Editoriales de la semana (Mon) |
| | Panorama informativo (Tue-Sat) |
| | Comentando la noticia (Sun) |
| | 0130 Historia musical de México |
| | 0200 Mujer |
| | 0230 Música |
| | 0245 Radio Correo del Aire |
| | 0300 Semanade Bellas Artes (Mon) |
| | Testimonio cultural (Tue -Sun) |
| | 0330 Pentagrama |
| | 0400 La Hora Nacional (Mon) (This prgr |
| | is broadcast by all Mexican stations, |
| | each Sunday 2200-2300 local time, |
| | Monday 0400-0500 UTC. Take a note!) |
| | 0400 Música instrumental (Tue-Sun) |
| | 0415 México Jurídico (Tue-Sun) |
| | 0435 Visión DX desde México (Tue-Sun) |
| | 0445 Música instrumental (Tue-Sun) |
| | 0455 Despedida e Himno Nacional |

Typical stn ID ann (vy frequently hrd):

"Radio México Internacional, XERMX-0C, la estación de onda corta del Instituto Mexicano de la Radio, una voz hermana para los pueblos del mundo transmite para ustedes en las bandas de 16 metros 17,765 MHz,..."

Address: Radio México Internacional
Apartado 24 306
06700 México D.F.

CLANDESTINES: R.15 de Septiembre is now using 4 channels in parallel: 5555, 5580 (sometimes SSB), 6215 (ex LV de Sandino!) and 7050 Hrd s/on at 0327 until 0530 and again from 2230 to 0030 and 0930 to 1130.

R. Farabundo Martí hrd at 2300, 0100 and 1830 on 6590.

LV de CID is also being observed on 6300 throughout the whole morning (hrd at 0300, up to 0700 and later). Local press rpts state that the head of the "Cuba Independiente y Democrática" organization, Hubert Matos, is currently in the Nicaraguan mountains to find out more about the antisandinista movement FDN. He even was hrd speaking over R.15 de Sept. This is the first obvious and publicized indication of the close cooperation between CID and other Central American antirevolutionary forces (supposedly also in the field of broadcasting.

My address here in Mexico: Guadalupe González, c/o Christian Zettl, Amores 1868-Dpto 302, Colonia del Valle, 03100 México D.F., MEXICO. I'd love to hear from

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- 3215rf VENEZUELA Ondas Panaméricas; 0150-0210 SP coastal pops, M ID/TCs, many Mérida and Caracas store ads. Not noted since (Krueger 11/7)
- 3309.8 PERU R. Bagua, 1058 with 'atención' messages, repeating salutations twice and then stating the message once. ID at 1100 (Wilkner 10/29)
- 3539 UNID Central American, 1104, SP EZL versions of pop hits; "My Way", "Obla-di, Obla-da" and a real trashy version of Springsteen's "Fire". Frequent t/cks, often over the songs. 1106 t/ck for "6:06". Commercial annmnts incl one for India Airline flights to Dubai! W anncr "esta es nuestro reloj...para todos centroamericanos". Fair with deep fades and some UTE QRM (Pappas 10/28) [Dave Valko in PA also rptd something on this freq a few weeks ago. At the time I thought it to be the usual R. Rebelde 6x590 harmonic, but now apparently is something else! -SR]
- 3640 CLANDESTINE R. Venceremos, caught at 0015 during sign-on ritual with full ID, sked; and anthem on 11/14. Also caught them at 0300 recheck on the same frequency. On 13 NOV; I had them at 0115* on 3677.2, so frequency varies. On the former log; they were // 6556.2, but both frequencies had an abnormally weak signal for them. (Potter)
- 4200 VENEZUELA Ecos del Torbes, 1050 noted over the usual R. Rebelde 7x600 harmonic. "Noti-Rumbos" w/ usual bells. //4980 so suspect this to be a mixing product at the xmtr site; 4980 minus 780 (MW outlet) = 4200 (Reinstein 10/27)
- 4760 VENEZUELA R. Frontera, 1054-1101 fair level tho garbled audio. Música venezolana followed by t/ck & ID "esta es la señal de Frontera...YVOO 1140 kHz onda larga, YVPP 4760 kHz en onda corta, y YV??...frecuencia modulada". Into string of travel ads for México, "el mariachi oro y plata" atop nice mariachi mx (Reinstein 11/7)
- 4785 BOLIVIA R. Ballivián, 0910 in SP & Quechua(?), rel pgm w/ talk & hymns, M&W in poss. Quechua. SP slogan "Radio Social y Iglesia". Full ID by M at 0934 "...kiloHertz, onda media...vativos de potencia, 4785 kHz...vativos de potencia...Radio Ballivián". Into LAm ballads (Parks 10/29)
- 4825 PERU R. La Voz de la Selva, 1026 mostly ballads w/ M DJ & ID at 1031. Fair but some splatter de R. Táchira (Parks 10/29)
- 4885.3 PERU R. Huancavelica, 1044+, in the clear but weak w/ deep fades. Música andina & partial ID "Bienvenidos oyentes...de la Radio Huancavelica". (Reinstein 11/4)
- 5040 ECUADOR La Voz del Upano, 2318-2347 several IDs & t/cks hrd despite weak signal & high QRN (Kamp 10/28) +++ 0023-0142* lengthy s/off annmnts, NA, IDs (Wilkner 10/29)
- 5050 ECUADOR R. Jesús del Gran Poder, 1101+ usual powerhouse level. String of ads for Quito tiendas, then W "Emisoras Jesús del Gran Poder de Quito, Ecuador, presenta - Las Noticias, el primer edición de hoy". 1105 "las noticias en Poder" (Reinstein 11/8)
- 5273.4 PERU R. Moderna, 2358 first noted as het on R. San Juan. Then barely audible after San Juan s/off. Huaynos, M DJ. Still audible at 0200 recheck (Parks 10/26)
- 5274.4 PERU R. San Juan de Chota, *1105-1120, tentative w/ "El Condor Pasa" at s/on, then short annmnt by M & Peruvian National Anthem. Annmnt by M 1110 & into OA mx. Good signal strength but readability very difficult due intense local line noise (Lazarus 10/25) +++ 2324-2356* good sig w/ nice huaynos, many "en Radio San Juan" references & t/cks. Phone # & promo at 2343, long "El Condor Pasa" fare w/ ID from 2353, off without NA. Hetred by very weak signal, maybe R. Moderna, but unable to copy. Tnx Parks phone tip (Krueger 10/26) +++ 2328-2356* nice signal w/ pgm of huaynos and ballads. ID as "Radio San Juan de Chota, desde Chota, Cajamarca, República de Perú". Uses "El Condor Pasa" as theme mx (Parks 10/26) [tnx to JCC for illucidating the situation around this freq - SR]

- 5965 BOLIVIA R. Nacional de Huanuni, 1000-1022F, noticed the ZY to be quite weak so gave this a chance and struck paydirt! Opens with reverb ID by M (audio muffled) over ballad praising the city of Huanuni, ID "Radio Nacional de Huanuni...kcs, República de Bolivia". Then promo in presumed Aymara & into pgm of Andean ballads. Noticias by M at 1019, QSB by 1022 (Parks 10/29)
- 5970.1 PERU R. El Sol, 0135-0143, local Sunday eve soccer match, live SP M IDs (Krueger)
- 5982.3 MEXICO R. XEUIJ, 0005+ surely the one hrd here w/ many GMT-6 t/cks and lots of local ranchera & mariachi mx. At 0014 M "vamos a continuación con la música Mexicana". Too much QRM to pull an ID (Reinstein 11/4)
- 5985 BOLIVIA R. San José, 0949-1022 t/out. Quite good signal w/ variety of ballads and rustic quenás y bombas. 0958 ID "escuchan Radio San José...República Boliviana". For those wondering where to write to QSL R. San José, simply check your WRTH under 1490 kHz (Reinstein 10/23) +++ 0951-1026 w/ non-stop mx except for one ID as "Radio San José para Bolivia y el mundo" (Wilkner 10/24)
- 5991.9 EL SALVADOR R. El Salvador, 2114-2215+ very strong w/ mostly generic LAM pops. At 2120 hrd "3 de la tarde y 20 minutos en Radio El Salvador". Brief nx bulletins but mostly mx (Reinstein 10/24) +++ 1103 w/ LAM pops, M DJ, ID as "Radio El Salvador" Good, but het (Pappas 10/27)
- 6035v COLOMBIA LV de Guaviare, 1049 w/ Colombian pops, ads (one for a Motorcycle Repair Shop), ID & t/ck by M. Good (Pappas 10/27)
- 6088.8 UNID African 2156-2245, vernacular tk by M, some very nice tribal mx. No ID noted. Poss. FRGN Kaduna, listed for 6090 in Hausa (Reinstein 10/23)
- 6090.5 GUATEMALA Unión Radio, booming in at *0000 with ID as "Sistema Unión Radio", and directly into "Inmortales de la Música" pgm of classical and semi-classical mx, sans-annmmts 'til 0104 when full ID by M as "TGMU, Unión Radio 1330 kilohertz amplitud modulada, TGMB 105.5 MHz frecuencia modulada, TGMUB 6090 kHz, banda de 49 metros onda corta. Escuchanos todos los días desde...de la mañana, hora local...información desde nuestra transmisión de hoy...al Apartado Postal 31-J, Guatemala, América Central". Doubt the A.P. as doesn't correlate w/ previous addr rptd (51-C). Followed by inspirational pgm (Potter 10/24) +++ 1123 w/ ID, calls & freqs, religious pgm. The audio seemed distorted (Jones 10/29)
- 6115 PERU R. Unión, 0949+ incredible signal! Quick ID "la mejor programación está en Unión". Nice OA mx w/ canned IDs over the song "Unión, la Radio, Unión, la Radio". Into pgm "Sintonía de Dios" sponsored by la iglesia católica (Reinstein 10/24)
- 6120a NICARAGUA R. Zinica, 1402-1505 revolutionary sounding pgm titles but mostly typical area mx. Signal still good at 1500 (Santosuosso 10/27)
- 6139.5 BOLIVIA R. Santa Cruz, 0920-1000, tnx to Inoue tip via RNM!! Nice clear signal in ECSS LSB to avoid 6140 mud. Great música folklórica w/ charrangos, bombas, quenás, & haunting zampoñas. 0930 ID "Radio Santa Cruz, empresa de nueva radio...de la ciudad de Santa Cruz...escuchan nuestra transmisión en ? kHz..." Many t/cks; more CP mx. 1. over the mx as "R. Santa Cruz, desde Santa Cruz de la Sierra, Bolivia". Lost to VOA *1000 w/ NPR on 6140 (Reinstein 10/26)
- 6139.5 BOLIVIA R. Santa Cruz, 0922-1001 per Reinstein tip, ID "Radio Santa Cruz, que transmite desde Santa Cruz de la Sierra, Bolivia". Long conversation pgm (Wilkner 10/27)
- 6150 COSTA RICA R. Impacto, *1053 abrupt s/on with fanfare & into pgm "Música de Esta Tierra Nuestra". ID "Desde San José de Costa Rica, capital de la democracia centroamericana, Radio Impacto presenta 'Hoy en la Historia'". 1100 nx pgm "Radio Impacto la nueva Radio en Costa Rica presenta 'Una Voz de Costa Rica, el caribe y el mundo', las noticias" (shouted by 2 men in unison). Mostly anti-Sandinista nx bulletins. Xlr signal, crunching the Chinese outlet co-channel (Reinstein 11/2)
- 6170 FRENCH GUIANA RFO Cayenne, 0957 French pops, W DJ, ID & nx by man at 1000. differs from WRTH which claims 1115 s/on for 6170. Much better than //5055
- 6175.4 PERU R. Tawantinsuyo, 0916, typical OA mx followed by IDs & t/cks, some commerce. (Jones 10/20) +++ 0935+ very good level w/ huaynos & criollos. T/cks all a few min. slow. At 0940 "exactamente 4 con 37 minutos, 4 con 37 en Radio Tawantinsuyo...en la programación...Perú" (Reinstein 10/24) +++ 1005+ ID "...transmite Radio Tawantinsuyo, es el corazón de..." Into xInt Indian mx (Wilkner 10/25) +++ 0944 pretty hardcore Andean tunes, ID, shouts of "Arriba, arriba, arriba Perú". Gd stuff (Pappas 10/27)
- 6180 VENEZUELA R. Turismo, 0930 ad string ("Diario de los Hombres", fabric store, etc.) ID, t/ck, into YV pops (Pappas 10/27)
- 6299.5v CLANDESTINE R. Camilo Cienfuegos, 0213+ quite strong here, 0213 de 6240. Incredibly as; 10040 at 9 am to 7:45 pm, and 0300 at 8 pm to 8:45 am (bears only slight resemblance to reality, hi). At 0000 on 10/25 has "Línea Directa" (Reinstein) +++ 0857+ w/ "Comentario de Hoy" pgm on Grenada one yr after the invasion, ID at 0901, then "E Noticiero Nacional de Cuba". Good (Pappas 10/27)

CLANDESTINE R. Venceremos, 0137 w/ claim from Morazán Province. Extremely strong sig. Recent media releases have claimed a major El Salvadorean govt objective in current military offensive is to close them down. Doesn't appear they have had much luck. But is CID competing for the Venceremos audience? Hrd w/ Camilo Cienfuegos pgm at 1245-1335* on 10/27 w/ even stronger signal (Santosuosso 10/25)

7914.5 UNID 0031-0254 noted while on Mutant/WOOB patrol this night only. T/in to SP man, ment "Instituto Nacional", then non-stop classical mx, lost or QSB 0254. AM mode. Not // Colombian Rdlsa. Nacional, or the powerhouse MWers. Why are these my favorite sub-hobby passtime? (Krueger 10/18) [That's because your WOOB yourself, hi!!! SR]

9587.4 EL SALVADOR R. El Salvador, 0110-0135+ very strong signal w/ mostly "rockeros" mx (LAM rock mx). Brief annmmts including "adelante El Salvador" promo at 0130, followed by a Public Service Annmmt translating as "Revitalizing the economy benefits all" (probably directed at the guerillas who shot down the crop-dusting plane that week, ofcourse claiming it was on a spy mission) (Reinstein 11/4)

STEVE REINSTEIN: CLANDESTINE - Radio Miskut, 6914, prepared cd duly signed & stamped, along with an epic 3-page letter describing the history and the struggle of the MISURA, received from Evaristo Mercado Pérez, Director de la Radio Miskut, in 26ds for SP report & \$1.00. Also recvd magazines EL GIGANTE YA DESPERTO! and brochures vividly describing the horror story of Miskito women being forcibly sterilized against their wills by the Sandinista regime! Letter notes, among other things, that Nicaragua fell to the communists during the Carter years. MISURA is a unifying organization for the Miskitos, Sumos, Ramas, and Criollos- Negros of the Atlantic coast of Nicaragua. Address is: Comisión - Política MISURA, Apartado Postal No. 1668, Tegucigalpa D.C., Honduras. Personnel of the 'Directorio' include Wycliffe Diego, Coordinador General, and Stedman Fagoth, Jefe de Estado Mayor. A tremendousthanks to Gerry Dexter for digging up the address on this! BOLIVIA - R. Juan XXIII, 4965, f/d card & letter from Gonzalo Céspedes M., in 38ds for SP rpt & mint stamps. Per letterhead, station slogan is "La Voz Católica de la Chiquitania y Promoción Popular al Servicio del Campesino Chiquitano". Sked is 1000-1330 & 2000-0030 (as per WRTH). Affiliated with ASBORA & ERBOL. Stn rubber stamp seems to be a papal insignia. BOLIVIA - sent \$1.00 to Jhenny Sonia Vargas Escobar at Radio La Cruz del Sur, and received their nice royal blue pennant with white fringe and red & white silk-screened lettering. Very attractive and worth the peso! Tnx RNM!

'LA DX DOWN UNDER'
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Geoff Cosier,
Australia.

As usual for this time of our DX season 'down under', things are rather quiet from Latin America. Apart from the odd strange bit of propagation (cf 4825 below!), things can be just plain dull this time of the year. Though I must admit that I have been kept busy following the Middle-Eastern clandestine scene in the later hours...

QSL! Yes I had a LA one this past 2 months, hi. Ecuador: Radio Bahai 4990. Printed letter in 2 months from v/s Marcelo Quinteros ^{Maena}, Gerente Ejecutivo. Long and interesting ltr. notes the tests they were doing were with 1 kW into a new type of dipole aerial. Also sent stn. folder and the best poster from any radio station that I've seen! HC no. 26 for me, and one of the nicer replies from that country////

Loggings (!?): No apologies for the lack of quantity and/or quality, gang...

4792 Ecuador: Radio Atalaya; Quite gd. 0931 17/11 w/nx px and items about Managua

4800 Ecuador: R. Popular, Cuenca; Another nicety 17/11 0928 w/musica del campo, TC 0930 as 'Las 4 con 30 minutos en Radio Popular de Cuenca'

4825 Peru: LV de la Selva; Strange! 26/11 on a pretty poor LA night, this is trouncing RM Vladivostok c/c as I type this! Beautiful rustic flute/bombo duets and anncts in Quechua by MA. Better than in winter! 1018 GMT+, that is.

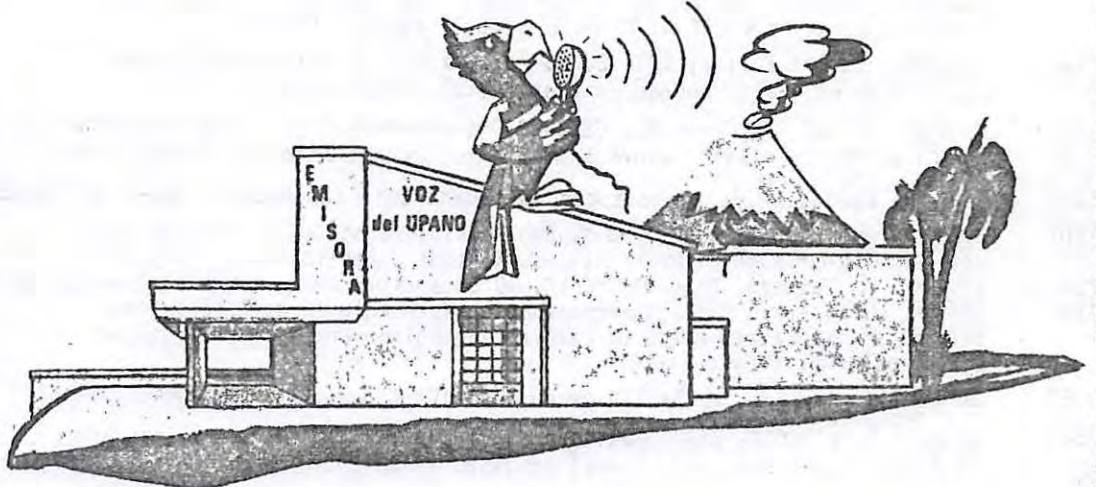
6025 Bolivia: R. Illimani, La Paz; Nice signals 0930+ before KL fades in (Ha, Ralph!), //to the ubáquitos 4945, where Caracol Neiva seems rather inactive these days!

6020 Beware! If you hear Cuban/tropical LA type stuff here prior to 1000, it is RN's Bonaire relay at poor lvl in s eming FF, not R. Diego Portales!

4960 Ecuador: R. Federacion, Sucua; S/on 1030z under Beijing's JJ sce 26/11 at fair lvl, w/'Andean' mx theme, anncts in SS & poss. Indian language. Not usual for November here

5040 Peru (t): R. Libertad de Junin (t); S/on over pres. R. Cinco 1039 whilst latter had typical 'pop' HJ mx, at poor lvl. This came on w/vy outback OA mx, mushy anncts w/s/on greetings etc. but not as good as during winter; also suffered ute QRM. Doubt LV de Upano, as that not hd here recently, and mx doesn't fit HC

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NEW EDITOR!

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Whatever happened to FT?... I guess a few explanations are in order. Unfortunately Stu Kline was unable to continue editing FT due to a heavy work load at his job. Stu expresses his regrets. After a few phone calls between Stu, Dan Ferguson and myself, it was decided to pass the editing chores to yours truly!! For those of you who don't know me, here is a quick bio: I'm 29 years old, married and have 2 children. I work as a consultant for a catalog publishing firm here in Pittsburgh. Former editing chores include Qsl Report for Frenx back in the early 1970's. Equipment here in the shack is a ICOM R71, SPR4(Modified), and a 110 ft. longwire antenna. Dx'ing takes me back to 1969. C/H is 195, C/V is 145.

- 3215.1 VENEZUELA Ondas Panamericanas, 1020-30, M in SP, LA mx.TCs. (Bolland 11/7)
- 3253.5 UNID LA station noted for the 1st time on 11/19 from t/in 0452 to 0707 s/off. Very weak at first, but with a build up of sig til fairly clear by 0630. Anmt. after every song that appeared to be "Radio Nova Ciento presenta" also many ments. of "Super Radio". Variety of pop vocals and romantic songs. At s/off no ID except "Super Radio". (Sparks)
- 3254.6 HONDURAS R. Luz Y Vida, 0234-0252, SS rel. mx. TC & ID at 0238,anmts. and marimba mx. Freq. change or just drift? (Valko 10/23)
- 3260.7 ECUADOR LV Del Rio Carrizal, 0254-0330*, non-stop light LA mx, TCs and one ID as "R. Carrizal". s/off anmts ment. freq, NA & off. (Valko 10/24)
- 3310 PERU R. Bagua, 1026-32, just caught ID and this followed by Ads & mx.(Bolland)
- 3310 BOLIVIA R. San Miguel, 0300-05*, caught s/off anmt. w/ID, into NA then off. On another night I heard ballads & light pops. (Gliksman 11/19)
- 3316.2 ECUADOR R. Pastaza, 0350-0408*, LA mx, ID & s/off anmts. HC NA (Alexander 11/18)
- 3325 BRAZIL R. Liberal, 0507-38, Brazilian pops, M DJ w/ID at 0508 ments. several freqs. Later, ment. of Liberal and Belem. Good and clear w/just slight UTE QRM. (Valko 11/19)
- 3325 GUATEMALA R. Maya, 1058-1110, many IDs, TCs & pgm. name.CHU QRM. (Valko)
- 3325 BRAZIL R. Liberal, 0430-0454, strong sig but alot QRM. PP ballads and EZ listening mx.Ment. of Liberal at 0452. (Moritz 10/9)
- 3375 BRAZIL R. Nac de Sao Gabriel, 0859-0915, M anncr. w/ID , also seemed to mention station pwr, pgm. of Brazilian mx. (Gliksman 10/20)
- 3395 ECUADOR R. Zaracay, 0148-0230, many IDs w/ment. of freq. and Santo Domingo. Nice HC mx. Good signal! (Valko 10/1)
- 3540H CUBA R. Rebelde, 1030+, looking for Dave Valko's UNID LA but only hearing the usual 6th harmonic of 590khz. Also //2360, 4130, 4720, 5310, 5900. (Reinstein)
- 3640.5 CLANDESTINE R. Venceremos, 0002-35+, very strong & stable here. El Salvador NA, theme mx, ID "Transmite Radio Venceremos, voz oficial del Frente Farabundo Marti para la Liberacion Nacional...Emision de su senal de libertad desde Morazan, El Salvador, Centro America, territorio en combate contra la opresion y imperialismo". Tnx to Potter tip! (Reinstein 11/22)
- 3958 FALKLAND ISLANDS FIBS, *0858-0930, s/on w/march type song, full ID by M into BBC nx. til 0907. Pop mx. and several mentions of stanley. (Valko 10/11) 0905-0940, BBC nx. til 0909, into pop. mx. w/DJ. 'Ghostbusters' etc. local nx. at 0920 w/weather rpt. and ID. Heavy QRM but readable. (Yamron 10/10)
- 3958 FALKLAND ISL. FIBS, *0859-0935, S/on w/march mx, ID and freqs. at 0900, nx. and pop mx. pgm. followed. Very weak. (Alexander 11/4)
- 4200 VENEZUELA Ecos del Torbes, 1050+, probable mixing at xmtr. site: 4980 minus 780=4200. Fair but garbled & QRMed by Rebelde harmonic 7x600. (Reinstein)
- 4755 PERU R. Huanta 2000, *1016-25, canned ID by YL.."Republico de Peru, transmite Radio Huanta dos mil.." followed by anmts. & huaynos. Poor. (Bolland)

- 4755 PERU R. Huanta 2000, 1013-1025, beautiful yipping vcl. mx. ID by YL as follows, "5 de la manana con 21 minutos en la studios R. Huanta 2000" More mx. followed. Best hrd. in a while. (Valko 10/8)
- 4760 VENEZUELA R. Frontera, *1004-1013, NA followed by s/on anmts. by M. freq. anmts. AM/SW/& FM, couple of IDs, etc. Another anthem type song, reverb tlk by YL then ID and ment of pgm. "Venezuela y su musica". Fair (Valko 11/7)
- 4762.2 PERU R. Inca del Peru, 0920-1001, lively OA mx. w/2 M annrcs. TCs & IDs. Frequent echo promos & ads. Good lvl. w/some fading. Best on lsb to avoid Mayak 4765. (Cunningham)
- 4765 BRAZIL R. Rural, 0805, PP, Brazilian pop mx. ads & IDs. This freq. is in the clear due to Cuban Mayak dropping down to 4763.5 (Alexander 11/4) also noted by Ed. Cuba now blocks out Peruvian, Inca del Peru, 4762V)
- 4775 PERU R. Tarma, 0959-1030, SS M, Huaynos, ments, w/reverb. Poor. (Bolland 10/1)
- 4796.5 BOLIVIA R. Nueva America, 1000-30, sig. just popping up at 1000 w/singing. No opening comments noted. Poor. (Bolland 10/17)
- 4800.7 ECUADOR R. Popular, 1019-32, LA mx, ads, and ID at 1030. Fair. (Bolland 11/12)
- 4810.2 PERU R. San Martin, 1042, LA mx. w/M annrc. & TCs. Fair. (Bolland 11/5)
- 4825 GUATEMALA R. Mam, 2309-59*, off key marimba mx. w/vcls. IDs, TCs by M and ment. of freq. & towns. Tlk. pgm. S/off anmts. w/call anf freq. then off. Fair w/QRM. (Valko 11/5)
- 4825 PERU LV del Selva, 1009-1025, flute and guitar mx. TCs, IDs, pgm. name "Musica popular" and ment. of Iquitos at every break. (Valko 10/4)
- 4825 PERU LV de la Selva, 1000 s/on with IDs by M & YL then into mx. pgm but immediately began mixing w/Russian stn on the frequency. (Sparks 11/10)
- 4830 VENEZUELA R. Tachira, 0855, LA mx & many "Buenos Dias". (Fisher 11/10)
- 4845 BRAZIL R. Nac. Amazonia, 0949-1002, PP M w/ments. & mx. ads. Canned ID by YL at 1000. Good. (Bolland 10-14)
- 4855 PERU R. Huancavelica, 1000, w/sign on, anthem and opening ID, then into orchestral huaynos. (Sparks 11/4)
- 4875 BRAZIL R. Nac. Boa Vista, 0940, PP pop mx. ID & freq. anmt. at 0946. R. Super still up on 4876.9 leaving this in the clear. (Alexander 11/4)
- 4875t BOLIVIA La Cruz del Sur, 1016-33, Andean mx to 1020, short religious program to 1030, followed by tent nx. bulletin. No ID noted (Gliksman 11/21)
- 4876 BOLIVIA La Cruz del Sur, 0953, tune in to rel. mx, opening anmts at 0955 with ID & freqs. 4 chimes & ID at 1000 followed by rel pgm. (Alexander 11/23)
- 4880t BRAZIL R. dif Acreana, 0949-1015, talk til 1001, into pgm of Brazilian pops. Possible ment of Acreana at 1001. Ads & TCs. Good bet this station hasn't totally switched back to 4885. (Gliksman 11/23)
- 4885 PERU R. Huancavelica, 1010-34, Andean mx.pgm, every 5 minutes they seemed to play a bit of "El Condor Paso" and ID. (Gliksman 11/23)
- 4885 PERU R. Huancavelica, 1025-1043, OA mx. "El Condor Pasa" at every break. Tlk. by YL and M w/TCs & ments. of Huancavelica, Peru and La Voz de Lima. Very strong and clear. (Valko 11/14)
- 4905 BRAZIL R. Araguaia, 0917-24, M in PP w/mx. & ads. Poor. (Bolland 10/14)
- 4910.7 PERU R. Libertad, 0958-20, SS, folklorico mx. w/tlks. by M. poor. (Bolla
- 4915.2 COLOMBIA Armonias del Caqueta, 1007-20, t/in to rel. organ mx, NA at 10: Chimes and opening anmts w/ID at 1012. A jazz arangement of "Happy Birthda. To You" sung in EE! (Alexander 11/23)
- 4934.7 PERU R. Tropical, 1039-45, M in SP w/ID as "R. Tropical". Fair. (Bolland 11/12)
- 4964.8 BOLIVIA R. Juan XXIII, 0956 w/ shouted ID by M, into vcl. mx. then ID again w/echo. ID & freq. anmt. at 0955. Good. (Wilkner 10/2)
- 4965 BRAZIL R. Poti, 0115-35, ballads & lite Brazilian pops, many anmts and IDs, long taped ID with screams of "Poti, Poti, Poti" at 0133. Seemed to be mixing w/another Brazilian at times. (Gliksman 11/27)
- 4965 BRAZIL R. Poti, 0256*, tuned in to organ mx. then canned s/off anmts. w/ID and freqs. Several ment. of Natal. Good. (Valko)
- 4977 ECUADOR R. Tarqui, 1056, HC mx. and nx. pgm. (Jones 9/20)
- 4990 PERU R. Ancash, 0802*!! OA mx, canned s/off anmts. by M as "Desde Huaraz el ? los Andes, transmite Radio Ancash, 1190 kc/s. onda media, 4990 kc/s. onda corta, 101.3 frecuencia modulada stereo." Back on 1 1/2 hrs. later! (Valko)

- 4990 ECUADOR R. Baha'i, noted at 0600 w/test tape repeated continuously. IS of several notes on flute like inst; then station ID followed by short anmt. ID as "Radio Baha'i de Ecuador, transmitemo 4990 kc/s. banda de 60 metros, onda corta, en Otavavlo, Ecuador". Repeated til 0630 t/o. (Sparks)
- 5005.6 BOLIVIA R. Cristal, 2342-0004, pgm of long talks w/frequent ments of nx items, Vz. and Central American nx, bank ad before the hour, ID as "Desde La Paz Bolivia, R. Cristal CP40, 790 kilociclos onda media.. onda corta banda de 60 y 49 metros". (Wilkner 11/25 & 11/27)
- 5025 PERU R. Quillabamba, 0237-59*, SS, LA vocals, closing anmts. w/ID and freqs. over "Tonight We Love" at 0254. NA at 0258* (Alexander10/27)
- 5040 ECUADOR LV del Upano, 0023-0142* long s/off anmts. from 0132 to 0139, NA & several IDs. (Wilkner 10/29)
- 5040 ECUADOR LV del Upano, 0013-0116, pgm of HC mx w/tlks and frequent IDs. 0112 ID as "Aqui termina su transmisiones Radio Educatora Cultural, LV del Upano, HCVB7". This was followed by "Song Of Joy" then full ID at 0113 giving AM freq. 1140 khz. and mailing address as Correo Matas, Morona Santiago, Ecuador. 0115 "Song Of Joy" again then off. (Fisher 11/7)
- 5050 COLOMBIA La Voz de Yopal, 1057-1103, ID by M "La Voz de Yopal" just heard under Ecuadorian stn. Poor. (Bolland 11/7)
- 5055.2 ECUADOR R. Catolica Nac de Ecuador, 1128, logged here for the 1st time. M w/noticias; ID at 1130, then rel. pgm w/variety of folklorica mx. Talk in Indian lang. Heavy QRM TIFC, TC at 1200. (Sparks 11/21)
- 5060.4 ECUADOR R. Nac Progreso, 0320-0411*, LA pop mx, anmts, IDs, echo anmts, s/off with NA. (Alexander 11/25)
- 5190.8 PERU R. Nuevo Continente, 2253-2320, LA vocals and talks, ID at 2304 as "R. Nuevo Continente, onda corta..." Poor. (Bolland 11/13)
- 5191 PERU R. Nuevo Continente, 1045-1049. If you haven't heard this one yet, its no wonder, since its very irregular. (Valko 11/4)
- 5191.7 PERU R. Nuevo Continente, 1022-1040, back on w/assumed reconditioned xmtr. Many IDs & Tcs. OA and LA mx. Fair to good. (Valko 10/11)
- 5274 PERU R. San Juan, Chota, 0105-0115*, LA mx. pgm., "El Condor Pasa" w/reverb s/off anmts. by M. Did manage to catch ID at 0111. Vocal NA then off. Heavy. local buzzing QRM. (Valko 11/4)
- 5274 PERU R. San Juan de Chota, 0043-0103*, "La Bamba", many IDs w/ment of "R. San Juan la Super Radio" & "Radio Super Musica". Many TCs also. Canned echo ID w/sign off anmts at 0100 & fanfare, ment of 5275, NA, then off. Heard what sounded like relay of R. Bagua next night at 0100-10*. (Valko 11/18)
- 5274t PERU R. San Juan de Chota, *1105-1120, s/on with "El Condor Pasa" followed by short anmt. by M at 1110 and pgm. of Peruvian mx. Good sig. but readability difficult due to local line noise. (Lazarus 10/25)
- 5274 PERU R. San Juan de Chota, 1120, anmt. by M w/guitar mx. followed by long anthem, 1127 ID then pgm. of huaynos. Fast fade out. (Sparks)
- 5444NF PERU R. Imagen, 1027-1041, several IDs by M w/ment. of 1160 khz. & 60 metros, TCs also. Campo mx. w/vcls. (Valko 10/21)
- 5616.5 PERU R. Ilucan, 1105-1124, s/on around 1100. OA campo songs w/flutes. Short echo canned ID; then live ID by M. Anmts. & TCs. Hrd nite before w/childrens songs. Same both AM/PM. Hrd 0105-0120 w/no ID. (Valko 11/18) Nice!!
- 5955 COLOMBIA LV de los Centauros, 0910, NA & s/on anmt w/IDs & anmts for Caracol, la grande compagnie. (Fisher 11/10)
- 5970 PERU R. El Sol, 1050-1103, M & YL talking w/TC and ment. of San Martin. Huaynos mx. ID on the hr. Poor. (Bolland 10/30)
- 5982.3 MEXICO XEUJ Linares, 2203-40, M in SP. Jingles w/ID by child. Poor. (Bolland)
- 5985 BOLIVIA R. San Jose, 0951-1026, non-stop mx. except for one ID as "Radio San Jose para Bolivia y el mundo" (Wilkner 10/24)
- 5985 BOLIVIA R. San Jose, 0918-1001, non-stop vcls. and instrumentals, San Jose yelled twice during vcl. (Murff 10/10)
- 5991.9 EL SALVADOR R. El Salvador, 2114-2215+ LA pops w/few nx. bulletins. Many TCs & IDs. "....a traves de Radio El Salvador". (Reinstein 10/24)
- 5992 EL SALVADOR R. El Salvador, 1058-1145, LA & Caribbean mx. ID 1103, "La Voz de Pueblo y Amistad". Freq. & TCs. 1128 noticias. (Murff 10/11)

- 6009.9 PERU R. America, 0810-0850, lively LA mx & ID. (Alexander 11/23)
- 6080 CHILE R. Patagonia, 0929-37, s/on anmts, chimes & full ID, "La Revista de La Manana de Radio Portales". A news pgm from R. Portales. Many mentions of R. Portales which might confuse some. (Fisher 11/10)
- 6080 CHILE R. Patagonia Chilena, 0930, short ballad then nx. Good. (Gliksman 10/20)
- 6090 GUATEMALA TGMUB, 1123, ID & freqs, into rel. pgm. distorted audio. (Jones 10/2)
- 6105t COSTA RICA R. Universidad, 2232-2342, M anncr. w/light pops and ment. of Costa Rica & AD for Banco de Limon. (Gliksman 10/22)
- 6120 NICARAGUA R. Zinica, *1105, s/on anmts. Horrible modulation. (Fisher 11/10)
- 6120.7 NICARAGUA R. Zinica noted from 1500 to 1730 with fair to good signal during local daylight. Also noted 6150 R. Impacto, 6105 Su Pantera, and 6199.9 R. Sandino during the same time period. (Wilkner 11/12)
- 6139 BOLIVIA R. Santa Cruz, *0905-0938, s/on with short musical interlude and announcement by man including ID, program of music played by guitars and sung by groups with announcements by man. Signal distorted because of het and readability difficult but I clearly heard "Buenos dias Bolivia" several times and one TC as GMT-4 (Lazarus, 11/17)
- 6139.4 BOLIVIA R. Santa Cruz, 0920-1000. Tnx to Inoue tip via RNM! Nice clear sig. in Tsb to avoid 6140 slop. Great CP folklorica mx. w/charrangos, bombas, quenas y zampoanas. 0930 ID "Radio Santa Cruz, desde Santa Cruz de la Sierra, Bolivia". Clobbered by VOA NPR at *1000. (Reinstein, Wilkner)
- 6140 PERU R. Huayllay, 0925-0943, lcl. flute mx. w/singing. ID at 0940. ID phonetically sounds like "Radio Why-eye". (Vlako 10/8)
- 6155 PERU R. Pucallpa, 0948-1006, Andean mx pgm til 1000, followed by anmts and some sort of interview. Several IDs during mx pgm (Gliksman 11/23)
- 6175 PERU R. Twantinsuyo, 0916, several IDs & TCs after typical OA mx. and commercials. (Jones 10/20) 1005, ID "..Transmite R. Twantinsuyo en el corazon de.." into exc. indian mx. (Wilkner 10/25)
- 6180 GUATEMALA R. Nacional, 0400, first time this has broken thru the QRM for a long time. Sports pgm. ID and marimba mx. (Sparks 9/15)
- 6183 PERU R. Oriente, 1100-10, M anncr. w/mx. pgm & full ID at 1102. (Bolland 11/9)
- 6242 PERU R. Municipal de Calca, 1012-55, pgm of OA mx w/anmts by M. "Radio Municipal, la voz..para todo el Peru" at 1024 and "Radio Municipal de Calca" at 1038. Readability difficult due to UTE. (Lazarus 11/23)
- 6363.5 PERU R. Huallaga, 1105-1115, OA mx. as well as some contemporary tunes. Anmts. by M. Could make out TCs and one ID when rerunning tape as "..de la manana, Radio Huallaga..". S/on around 1100. Heavy fades. (Valko 11/14)
- 6725 PERU R. Satellite, 0145-50, pgm. of Peruvian mx. heard only when UTE is off this freq. (Fisher)
- 6853 PERU R. Santa Cruz, 0448-0503*, Lcl mx w/vocals. s/off anmts. at 0458 w/many IDs and one as "Radio Santa Cruz, 6850 Kilociclos banda de 41 metros, Santa Cruz, Cajamarca. ? Santa Cruz, Departamento Cajamarca, Republica de Peru, Buenos dias Santa Cruz, Buenos dias Peru". Then NA and off. S/off varies. Tnx to Don Jensen for tip. (Valko 11/7)
- 9505 PERU R. Tacna, 1013-1018, Nice OA vocal mx, tlk by M w/ID, TC, and ment. of "Buenos dias Peru". Pgm name as: "Musica para todo de .." Also ments. of Lima & Cajamarca. 1st time noted on this freq. (Valko 11/14)
- 9540 VENEZUELA R. Nac, 1148-1201*, huge signal w/YV pops in the pgm "Cielo y Llano" produced by Fabricio Ojeda Diaz (who is v/s) S/off after "Gloria al Bravo Pueblo". (Reinstein)
- 9587.3 EL SALVADOR R. El Salvador, 0217-0235, EZ listening mx. anmts. and ID at 0232. (Alexander 10/27)
- 9629.6 CHILE R. Agricultura, 2319-2332*, booming in w/M anncr reading "cartillas" from Santiago listeners. Several ments of "Radio Agricultura de Los Angeles" TC at 2235 for 8.26 "en R. Agricultura". Abrupt s/off. (Reinstein 10/26)

BELIZE: R. Belize, R'cvd nice letter from Michael Gundy, engineer at R. Belize, in response to my recent letter regarding where have they been. Says that they were off the air for 2 months to erect new antenna and recondition xmtr. Notes that they run 1 KW with sloping dipole. (Moritz)

Monitoring of TB Brazillians stations. November 1984 by Antonio Ribeiro da Mot
ta - São José dos Campos SP Irazil. Rx Hammarlund SP 600 plus Long Wire 42 mt

2310	17/11	2300	R.Progresso - Sousa PB . Educational px	QSA	1/2
2410	17/11	2305	R.Transamazônica. Senador Guionard AC. Pps	QSA	1/2
2420	17/11	0255	R.São Carlos - São Carlos SP. Mx pop	"	4
2490	17/11	0053	R.Educação Rural - Coari AM. Fx mx	"	2
2490	17/11	2310	R.Oito de Setembro - Descalvado SP. Mx (Not 2480)	"	3
3205	17/11	2230	R.Ribeirão Preto - Ribeirão Preto SP. Id "Rádio 79"	"	5
3225	19/11	0120	Lins R.Clube. Lins SP. Mx Pop	"	5
3235	17/11	2220	R.Clube - Marília SP. Mx Pop	"	5
3240	17/11	0750	R.Difusora Brasileira. Uberaba MG. Fx mx sertaneja	"	3
3275	17/11	2345	R.Difusora. Cáceres MT. Mx	"	1/2
3325	15/11	0830	R.Difusora Universitária - Guarulhos SP. Mx sertaneja	"	5
3325	17/11	0330	R.Liberal - Belém PA. mx e Ids	"	2
3335	16/11	0140	R.Alvorada - Londrina FR. Mx Pop	"	2
3365	19/11	0115	R.Cultura - Araraquara SP. Mx Pop	"	5
3375	17/11	0335	R.Dourados - Dourados MS. Mx pop	"	3
3375	17/11	0125	R.Nacional - São Gabriel da Cachoeira AM. Mx Ids	"	1/2
3385	15/11	2115	R.Congonhas - Congonhas MG. Gospel	"	4
3385	17/11	0150	R.Educação Rural - Tefé AM. Fx mx	"	1/2
3437	17/11	0125	R.Educadora 06 de Agosto. Xapuri AC. (heard here now)	"	2
3570	17/11	0145	R. 3 de Julho - Brasília AC. Pops (Also hd on 3582)	"	1/2
4108	17/11	0112	R.Difusora. Sena Madureira or Cruzeiro do Sul? Mx Advs"	"	2
4755	17/11	0800	R.Educação Rural - Campo Grande MS. Fx sertanejo	"	5
4755	07/11	2200	R.Difusora do Maranhão - São Luís MA - Football	"	2
4765	28/10	2030	R.Rural - Santarém PA - Football	"	2
4765	16/11	0410	R.Nacional - Cruzeiro do Sul AC - Fx mx.	"	2
4785	19/11	0200	R.Brasil- Valinhos SP. Mx Id	"	5
4785	04/11	0301	R.Caiari - Porto Velho RO - Mx sertaneja.	"	1/2
4795	17/11	0230	R.Difusora - Aquidauana MS. Mx Advs	"	3
4805	19/11	0222	R.Itatiaia - Belo Horizonte MG . Sports.// 6070 Khz	"	4
4815	19/11	0215	R.Difusora - Londrina PR. News (Now 0900-0300 hs)	"	5
4815	18/11	0125	R.Nacional de Tabatinga. Tabatinga AM. Mx	"	1/2
4825	28/10	2035	R.Educadora - Bragança PA. Football	"	2
4835	12/11	0255	R.Atalaia - Corumbá MS. Gospel	"	2
4845	07/11	2200	R.Nacional - Manaus AM. Football.	"	4
4855	28/11	2340	R.Por Um Mundo Melhor - Governador Valadares MG. Mx	"	3
4855	28/11	2340	R.Emissora Aruanã - Barra do Garça MT. mx	"	1/2
4865	28/11	2342	R.Sociedade - Feira de Santana BA. Football	"	2
4875	16/11	2130	R.Jornal do Brasil - Rio de Janeiro RJ. Mx	"	5
4880	04/11	0200	R.Difusora Acreana - Rio Branco AC. 17/11 hd on 4885	"	2
4885	04/11	0205	R.Clube do Pará - Belém PA. Mx	"	2
4895	16/11	0142	R.Baré - Manaus AM. Mx Pop	"	2
4905	19/11	0235	R.Reglogio Federal - Rio de Janeiro RJ. Time Pips	"	5
4905	10/11	0125	R.Araguaia - Araguaia GO. Fx mx	"	1/2
4915	20/11	0825	R.Difusora - Macapá AP. Fx sertanejo	"	1/2
4915	17/11	0530	R.Anhangüera - Goiânia GO. Mx Pop (Now 24 hs)	"	5
4925	19/11	0241	R.Difusora - Taubaté SP. Mx Pop	"	5
4935	28/10	2020	R.Difusora - Jataí GO. Football (Now 0900-0300 hs)	"	2
4935	16/11	0835	R.Capixaba - Vitória ES. Gospel	"	4
4945	16/11	0100	R.Difusora - Poços de Caldas MG. Fx sertanejo	"	4
4955	16/11	0820	R.Cultura - Campos RJ. Sambas	"	5
4955	07/11	0140	R.Clube - Rondonópolis MT. Mx Pop	"	1/2
4965	07/11	0117	R.Alvorada - Parintins AM. Football	"	2
4965	09/11	0805	R.Poti - Natal RN . Porró do Marcolino	"	2
4965	28/11	0830	R.Sociedade Triângulo Mineiro - Uberaba MG. Sign-on	"	3
4975	19/11	0157	R.Timbira do Maranhão - São Luís MA - Mx Pop	"	3
4985	14/11	0830	R.Brasil Central - Goiânia GO. Mx sertaneja	"	5
5015	03/11	0410	R.Cultura - Cuiabá MT. Mx Pop	"	2
5015	13/11	0900	R.Copacabana - Rio de Janeiro RJ . Gospel	"	4
5025	04/11	0810	R.Jornal da Transamazônica - Altamira PA. Fx sertanejo"	"	2
5035	19/11	0255	R.Aparecida - Aparecida SP. Light music	"	5
5045	10/11	0800	R.Difusora - Presidente Prudente SP. Sign-on	QSA	4
5045	07/11	0730	R.Cultura do Pará - Belém PA Mx sertaneja	"	4
5055	19/11	0300	R.Mauá - Rio de Janeiro RJ. Sambas	"	3

"LX'ers Calling" Nov. 1994 issue, published by LX AUSTRALIA
 Ecuador: R.Catolica Nacional in Quito now operates on 3 chan-
 nels - 5055KHz (10kW), 880KHz (50kW) & 94.1MHz (10kW). Its
 studios are situated at edificio de la Antigua Nunciatura,
 Avenida America 1830 y Mercadillo. Postal address is Apartado
 540A (not as per WRTF84). The stn is operated by Fundacion
 Ecuatoriana Juan Pablo II and associated w/ Conferencia Epis-
 copal Ecuatoriana. Director General is Mons. Jose Vicente Equi-
 puren. New SW xmttr was commissioned Aug.1, 1984 and operates
 only 9 hrs daily and claims coverage of the whole of Ecuador.
 Info sheet states "Radio Catolica Nacional es un instrumento
 o servicio de los Obispos Catolicos del Ecuador para la Evan-
 gelizacion y la Promocion Humana del Pueblo Ecuatoriano".

Uruguay: La Voz de Artigas has started ancng a SW (W.Watt)
 freq 4945 w/ the call sign CBAl17 (sic) hrd ca 2300. (RCI SWID 9/22)

** Could not be heard during this monitoring, stations usually well heard
 as Radio Educadora de Limeira SP on 2380 Khz; Rádio Cacique de Sorocaba SP on
 2470 Khz; Rádio Clube de Varginha MG on 3245 Khz; R.Cultura de Sergipe de Ara-
 caju SE and R.A Voz d'Oeste de Cuiatá MT both on 4775 Khz; Rádio A Voz do São
 Francisco de Petrolina PE on 4945 Khz; R.Marajoara de Belém PA on 4955 Khz and
 Rádio Iguatemi de Osasco SP on 4975 Khz. (See note below)

News about ZYs stations: News dates are underlined!

73)	630	<u>10/</u>	R.Estadual - Curitiba PR. ex 5/
108)	670	<u>10/0.5</u>	R.Gazeta - Carazinho RS. ex 5/0.25
117)	680	<u>2/</u>	R.Piratininga - Piraju SP. ex 1/
624)	<u>730</u>	<u>1/0.25</u>	R.Humaitá - Campo Mourão PR. ex 1360 Khz
CP)	<u>740</u>	<u>1/0.25</u>	Bariri R.Clube - 17250 Bariri SP. ex 1370 ex 790 Khz
165)	<u>750</u>	<u>25</u>	R.Alvorada - Brasília DF. ex 50 Kw
505x)	<u>750</u>	<u>10/2.5</u>	R.America - Belo Horizonte MG. ex 1240 (still on 1390)
631)	<u>3365</u>	<u>1/</u>	R.Cultura - Araraquara SP. ex 2.5 Kw
973)	<u>810</u>	<u>1/0.25</u>	R.Alvorada - Rialma GO - ex 1560 Khz
202)	<u>820</u>	<u>5/</u>	R.União - Blumenau SC. ex /50 Kw
CP)	<u>850</u>	<u>1/0.25</u>	R.Itacainas - 68500 Marabá PA. ZYI...
CP)	<u>940</u>	<u>1/</u>	R.Verdes Florestas - Cruzeiro do Sul AC. ex /0.25
CP)	<u>970</u>	<u>5/</u>	R.Alvorada - 15650 Estrela d'Oeste SP. ex 2.5/
291)	<u>3335</u>	<u>1/</u>	R.Alvorada - Londrina PR. ex <u>5/</u>
787)	<u>1020</u>	<u>1/0.25</u>	R.Cultura - Jales SP. ex 1470 Khz
327)	<u>1030</u>	<u>1/</u>	R.Princesa - Lajes SC. ex 5
CP)	<u>1080</u>	<u>1/0.25</u>	Sistema Ipanema de Comunicações - 36950 Ipanema MG.ZYL...
1028)	<u>1090</u>	<u>1/0.25</u>	R.Independência - Eldorado MS. ex 1590 Khz
423)	<u>1140</u>	<u>10/</u>	R.Coroados - Curitiba SC. ex 5/
434)	<u>4775</u>	<u>1/</u>	R.A Voz d'Oeste - Cuiabá MS. ex 10 Kw
460)	<u>1180</u>	<u>1/</u>	R.Correio do Sertão - Santana do Ipanema AL. ex 5/
494)	<u>1230</u>	<u>5/</u>	R.Princesa d'Oeste - Campinas SP. ex 2/ (Sch: 0700-0400)
799)	<u>1310</u>	<u>5/1</u>	R.Sarandi - Sarandi RS. ex 1470 Khz, ex 1/0.25 Kw
New)	<u>1350</u>	<u>1/0.25</u>	<u>ZYK205</u> R.Aurora - 99200 Guaporé RS. ex 1590, ex 0.25 kw
New)	<u>1430</u>	<u>1/0.25</u>	<u>ZYK224</u> R.Cultura - 96600 Canguçu RS. ex 0.25 kw
CP)	<u>1450</u>	<u>1/0.25</u>	R.Vale do Paranaíba - 64160 Luzilândia PI. ZYI...
CP)	<u>1500</u>	<u>1/0.25</u>	R.Floresta - 68460 Tucuruí PA. ZYI...
New)	<u>1510</u>	<u>1/0.25</u>	ZYL269 R.Oliveira - 35540 Oliveira MG. ex 0.25, ex
CP)	<u>1560</u>	<u>0.25</u>	ZYK...R.Regional - 18740 Taquarituba SP
CP)	<u>1560</u>	<u>0.25</u>	ZYH...R.Transportadora - 48400 Ribeira do Pombal BA.
CP)	<u>1570</u>	<u>1/0.25</u>	ZYI...R.Xavantes - 78640 Jaciara MT.
CP)	<u>1580</u>	<u>0.25</u>	ZYK...Sistema SP de Comunicações - 06650 Itapevi SP.
CP)	<u>1580</u>	<u>1/0.25</u>	ZYK...R.Difusora das Missões - 98300 Palmeira das Missões
New)	<u>1580</u>	<u>1/0.25</u>	ZYL284 R.Paranaíba - 38810 Rio Paranaíba MG. ex 0,25 (RS)

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NB: In spite of the impossibility of mine in tuning the stations
 listed above (**), these stations has been widely reported around the world!

Good DXing to all Antonio Ribeiro da Motta (ARM)

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LISTENER INSIGHTS ON PROGRAMMING

ARGENTINA [further to Sept RIB, p 11] (Emilio Pedro Povrzenic, Argentina, Aug Latinoamérica DX) There are numerous programs of opinion and debate which can be heard on mediumwave in our country dealing with topics which only a few months ago would have been taboo; these programs are conducted by journalists of a variety of political tendencies. Perhaps the station best known for this type of program is LR3, Radio Belgrano, Buenos Aires, 6090 and 950 kHz, which even broadcasts a program opposing the regime currently ruling Paraguay, featuring exiles from parties other than the one in power, embellished with Guaraní folk music of a different style than the traditional one we are accustomed to hearing on Radio Nacional del Paraguay. The most remarkable thing about this unusual program is that it is broadcast only on mediumwave, Sats. 1100-1200; since if they wanted the Paraguayan people to hear a different drummer, it should be broadcast on the 49m shortwave transmitter Belgrano has, something which apparently is not happening. A program of reference [?] is MESA DE CREDOS, Sundays at 0030-0200 on which religious matters are dealt with in a fraternal Judeo-Christian debate, with listeners calling in their questions and opinions. SIN ANESTESIA is a news analysis program on current national events, Mon.-Fri. 1000-1200, conducted by the disputatious Eduardo Aliverti, who for example on July 13 surprised the audience by opening his program with the ID of Radio Sandino, Nicaragua, and several cuts from their programming and announcements, one of which was dedicated to Radio Belgrano, which Aliverti explained formed part of a program interchange which his program has undertaken with stations in other Latin American countries. Thus this program will be a great opportunity for those who collect IDs. MAÑANA, TARDE Y NOCHE, Sundays at 1200-0100, is another opinion show, currently broadcasting a series of investigations into the coups d'état in our country. [translated by gh]

[non C U B A] (Fabio Borborini, Italy) Regarding George Zeller's observations about La Voz del CID-- I don't know his working conditions or location, but I am ready to buy that Radio Camilo Cienfuegos, 10040 kHz is using 800 kW: on July 13, with Kenwood R-1000 and two longwires (114 meters and 100 feet) at a height of 10-12 feet and bearing E/SE on one and S/SW on the other, for over 90 minutes I was ready to believe they were broadcasting from the yard next door (QTH was Latina, about 40 miles south of Rome, and hours were 2315 GMT to past 0045 July 14). Honestly, CID was coming in at enough power to glue the S needle way past 9+40 dB--strange you may say but what made me jump on the chair was that with the RF attenuator inserted (3 steps 20/40/60 dB), the situation did not change. No sweat! Switched to second antenna--yes, there was a difference, I would say -20 dB, but I still had the 60 dB attenuator inserted!--what's going on here?? No sweat--jumped out; it was pitch black but antennas were where they were placed; OK the meter went bananas so to speak, or not? Bandscan shows BECWS/R Kiev/Kol Israel/R Budapest/R Moscow/BRT/R Nederland/RSI/R Budapest/VOA where they belong but at normal power, S7 to S9 +20/+30, so meter was OK. Well what happened--I still do not know (! For sure I mean!!). Ideas: 1) Perfect propagation window and that QTH is an exact skip multiple; 2) CID using more than the 800 kW; 3) I thought I was in Latina but instead I was sitting on top of their antenna! Anyway, they sounded much better than a local FM or AM station. In any case I have not QSLed CID yet; found addresses only now in August RIB, and can you or anybody help me in writing a letter to CID explaining to them that their signal was way in excess of 9+80 dB for the Kenwood S-meter with the worst-oriented antenna. Sorry, I do not have the face[?!]!! (Oh, my mental conditions were not contaminated--by alcohol or smoke of any kind; sorry, I shortwave only!) gh: Only active frequencies now appear to be 11680, 10040, 7400, 7352½, 6300v, together making up almost 24h schedule, 2 at a time

(Miami Herald, Nov. 9) [Union Radio = WOCN - 1450 kHz]

Job recruiters attract a diverse group looking for common role on Radio Marti

By BARBARA GUTIERREZ
Herald Staff Writer

Norberta Marrero, a tomato picker from Southwest Dade, showed up at Little Havana's Union Radio wearing green work pants and a worried look.

"I'm a Mariel refugee, but I really want to work for Radio Marti," she asked. "Can I?"

Humberto Medrano, deputy director of Radio Marti, the station scheduled to beam news and entertainment to Cuba, assured Marrero that if she qualified, her immigration status was no impediment to the job.

A relieved Marrero joined 30 people who waited in the lobby at Union Radio to talk to Medrano and two other recruiters from Radio Marti.

Among those waiting were actors, secretaries, journalists and radio commentators, all of them hoping to play a role in

bringing news of the outside world to the Cuban people.

"I have never worked as a broadcaster, but I think I could do a good job," said Jose Alberto Lopez, an office worker, who sat patiently awaiting his interview. "I think the Cuban people are awaiting Radio Marti and even though I am an anti-Communist I also think I could be objective in delivering the news."

The recruiters — Medrano; Bruce Boyd, Radio Marti personnel chief; and Jorge Rlopedre, news director of the radio project — are touring Miami this week hoping to interview potential writers, technicians and broadcasters for the station, which will broadcast out of Washington.

The trio has already traveled to New York, Los Angeles and Puerto Rico in searching for personnel.

"We are still searching for qualified people and naturally

Miami was the logical place to look for Hispanic personnel," said Medrano. "So far we are hopeful. We've seen some very good candidates."

Medrano said that although the majority of the applicants were Cuban and had very definite anti-Communist feelings, that was not a stumbling block to hiring.

"All these people will be directed from higher up and the news delivered will be exact and balanced," he said.

Radio Marti was scheduled to begin operation this fall. However, staffing and organizational delays have stymied the operation, now scheduled to start at the end of December, said Rogene Waite, public information specialist for VOA.

"I don't think anyone anticipated how long it would really take to get this thing off the ground," Waite said. She added that about 60 people had been

hired to fill the estimated 180 positions for the station. Many of the applicants are awaiting security clearance, a federal requirement for all federal workers.

This was all good news to Cristina Fernandez, 21, a secretary who had not heard of Radio Marti, until Thursday morning.

"I heard it advertised in Union Radio and decided to give it a try," she said. "I came during Mariel and know what the young in Cuba need. Radio Marti should broadcast more accurate information about life in the United States."

Among those aspiring to a position was Cesar Carbo, 71, a well-known Cuban actor and radio commentator in pre-Castro Cuba, who wanted to apply as an announcer for the cultural programming side of the operations.

"A good way to reach the Cuban people is with the voices they know well," he said. "Mine is well-known."

gh: For more on "Radio Marti begins gearing up," see page 78 of Oct. 8 Broadcasting magazine (via David Alpert) which reveals that Paul Drew, rather than a Cuban, is apparently going to head it.

I have read three of the newspapers in T&T. GH quoted the Express, a middle of the road paper. The Guardian (a minor-league Times of London) is the right wing paper, and the Bomb is the quasi-leftist populist paper. I have seen both Express and Bomb articles on Caribbean Radio 14. The theme is always the same. An American company is starting a commercial station in Gúiria beamed to Trinidad (sometimes called a 'pirate'). The government ministries know little or nothing about it - typical confusion in the early stages of any issue in Trinidad. However, the government is upset at the threat to their broadcasting monopoly, not unlike Britain's reaction in the 1960s to Radio Caroline. GH seemed puzzled that the government would be upset. I am amused but not completely puzzled. It is true that foreign MW stations can already be picked up in Trinidad. The Guardian prints daily schedules for the BBC World Service and the VOA-1580 relay along with the 610 and 730 radio schedules. Grenada and Barbados are audible easily along with a vast array of Venezuelans. But, I would estimate that way over 90% of the radio audience is on 610 and 730. I'm sure that the government fears competition for audience, and perhaps more seriously, competition for advertizing revenue. Ultimately, they fear loss of a monopoly on cultural influences and political information gatekeeping. I am quite sure that the government would like to fight this.

But, what can they do? Any action they take would have foreign policy implications with Venezuela, the slumbering giant on their border. A British-type ban on T&T advertizing on Caribbean Radio 14 invites retaliation. Will BWIA, Old Oak Rum, and Angostura Bitters no longer be able to advertize in Caracas? Underlying all relations with Venezuela in T&T is the realization that if Venezuela ever got tired of their pointless border squabble with Guyana, they could easily come over and mop up Grenada-style on Trinidad. I do not think that Chambers will pick a fight with Venezuela for that reason. Trinidad has a reasonably vibrant economy, oil, gas, and asphalt industries with economic value, etc. Also, Chambers is cautious. You will note that although T&T is economically and militarily stronger than any country in the West Indies (Cuba and Puerto Rico not relevant), they did not join with the USA in the invasion of Grenada. I found that people there seemed to favor the invasion but that Chambers failed to participate due to caution, respect for tiny leftist elements in the Trinidad oil, gas, and public utilities unions, and the failure of Venezuela to participate. Local wags also noted that it is just as well that the T&T army did not participate in the invasion, in that the Cubans or even the Ft Lauderdale police force would easily destroy the T&T army in a fair fight. The point of all this is that I don't think that the T&T government will have much leeway in fighting broadcasts from Venezuela, even of a commercial nature, although I'm sure that they would very much like to do so.

An even stronger fantasy implication occurs to me. Assume that Caribbean Radio 14 is a successful commercial venture. What is to stop Ted Turner from negotiating an agreement with Venezuela, putting up a billion watt TV transmitter on the highest hill around Gúiria, and blanketing Trinidad, Tobago, Grenada and Barbados with a relay of WTBS or CNN? Such a move would capture way over half the TV ratings in the Caribbean, given the mediocre local television services there. Even the thought of this must run shivers up and down the TTT organization.

Analogies to XERE, CKLW, W. Berlin TV to E. Germany, etc., do not apply in Trinidad at the moment. Trinidad has no history of foreign media competition and is not used to it. Furthermore, the USA has a long history of being viewed as media imperialists by foreign countries, as you well know (e.g. USSR jamming of VOA, RFE, etc., the USA/Cuba Martí dispute and Cuba's capacity to retaliate by running 500 kW on lots of North American clear channels, Third World complaints that the US media does not cover Africa, Asia, etc., fears in many countries of direct satellite to household broadcasting, nationalistic complaints in Canada that the USA dominates Canadian media, etc., etc., etc.)

I was amused by the ad rates for Caribbean Radio 14 (\$100TT for 15 minutes). At the official rate this is \$41 US. The official rate is a sham. Instead of letting the TT dollar float, it is pegged to \$1 US = 2.40 TT, as it has been for at least a decade. The TT dollar is really worth less than that. They simply inflate the domestic economy to artificially maintain the fixed exchange rate. So, Pierce Communications is offering quite a bargain on advertizing.

B R A Z I L (via Oct DX Ontario) **Rádio Nacional do Brasil's** English schedule, 0200-0300 on 15290: **Mon-Fri** REPORTER BRASILEIRO-10 mins of Portuguese news; THE NEWS REPORT; MUSICAL; features alternating from week to week: **Mon** ECOLOGY or TOURISM. **Tue** TRADE & INDUSTRY or BRAZILIAN PERSONALITIES. **Wed** GEOGRAPHY OF BRASIL or GEOGRAPHY OF BRAZIL. **Thu** THE COUNTRY-SIDE OF BRAZIL or DAILY LIFE IN BRAZIL. **Fri** CULTURAL HAPPENINGS or BRAZILIAN FOLKLORE. **MUSICAL**. **Sat** THE NEWS REPORT, SPORTS IN BRAZIL, MUSICAL, HIGHLIGHTS OF THE WEEK, MUSICAL. **Sun** CHATTING WITH OUR LISTENERS, SUNDAY SPECIAL [no details]. Days given are local in North America. The other English broadcast, per sked at 1750 on 15270 to Europe.

BITS & PIECES FROM EVERYWHERE

La Voz del Tropico 4458 in Villa Tunari, BOL varied by letter from Director Oskar Ustariz Arandin. Says that the stn has a BOL made tx of 250W into a horiz ant 33m long & 12m high. Other equip is simple & the stn has tech probs which they hope to solve soon. Villa Tunari is in the Provincia de Chapare in Departamento de Cochabamba & is a tropical town 165km from the city of Cochabamba. The stn belongs to CITRO, Centro de Capacitación Integran del Tropico, a non-profit educational & cultural institution. It has a staff of 8, 2 of whom are designated professors. Other staffers are described as young, idealistic & unattached, apparently accounting for their willingness to work out in the boonies! Central office is Avenida de la Integración No. 50, Villa Tunari; regional office is Calle Paso del Inca No. 349 or Casilla 3883, Cochabamba (Don Jensen DSWCI 10/84) Radio San Pedro 7433.8 in Cajamarca, PRU has varied by letter, v/s Rvdo. Lorenzo Vigo Diaz, Catholic parish priest for the parish of San Jose, incl 30,000 souls in the town of Cajamarca, 5 small towns & 35 hamlets. The stn is still experimental w/homemade equip. Technician is Raul Lopez. Says stn has been operating since May. Addr is Apartado 145 or Jose Galvez No. 683, Cajamarca. The stn is part of the parish's evangelical work, & he hopes to start normal pxing soon (Don Jensen DSWCI 10/84)

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R. Vale Rio Madeira 2310kHz has QTH 69800 Humaita, AM & is a new 1kW stn, MW is 670kHz 1/.25kW (Claudio Moraes/WRTH) R. Dif Itacoatiara 2340 has QTH Av. Solimoes 809, 69000 Manaus. Tel: 5212500 (Livio Magos/Playdx)

R. 3 de Julho 3582 is the correct name of this stn not 13 de Julho. Hrd 9/10 on this freq ex 3570. Accord to a recent verie nom freq is 3600. V/s Mr. Carlos Henrique S. de Oliveira. Director Geral. Addr: Rua Genni Assis s/n, 69930 Brasileira AC (Antonio Ribeiro da Motta, Brazil; R. Dif Amazonas 4805 addr: Sarmento 121, 69000 Manaus. Tel: 2331000 (L. Magos/Playdx) R. Nacional Manaus 4845 QTH: Av. Mins Concalves 143, 69000 Manaus, AM. Tel: 2376811 (L. Magos/Playdx)

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No, I didn't wind up on the wrong end of a Malay "keris" dagger), nor did a tiger carry off my radio, nor did the shack become overgrown with tropical flora. So where have I been? Settling in at the new QTH and new job, spending time with the family, seeing the area again. But now the ol' R4B beckons, so I'm ready to get back at it. But lest there be any false expectations, I have no intention to become (nor could anyone) the "JCC" of Southeast Asia, hi. As always, I'll be tuning for the fun of it, and if I find anything interesting, I'll be sure to let my colleagues know about it!

Background - A look at the map will give you an idea of what I am treated to here. Sumatra is just a stone's throw across the Straits of Malacca, and as such, quite a few Sumatran RPDK stns are "locals" here, audible far into the mornings and some all day. But the bands are also confused with numerous Thai and local harmonics, weird electrical noises, assorted other stinkers! The shack is in the second floor of my home, a 40-50 year-old colonial house on a hilltop a few minutes out of the heart of downtown KL. An attic antenna was selected after much consideration since the house has been hit by lightning 3-4 times over the past few months, and that, coupled with the threat of de-antenna-ing activities by the troupes of local monkeys (most seen at once was three dozen!), made an external wire undesirable. Frankly, since I'm already in Dx land, an optimal antenna isn't quite the consideration it would be back home... Unfortunately for a habitual "morning man" DXer like me, the key time to listen here is in the evening. From 7 p.m. onwards (1100 GMT) the RPDs are audible until their s/offts 1440/1500/1600 depending on which part of Indonesia, and then the Indian regionals come in, and if one stays up late enough, eventually the Africans and Middle Eastern stns come in when darkness sweeps those areas. Dawn here is about 2300 GMT. The problem with morning listening is that the key target here, the Indos, are hardly worth going after in the local morning since they s/on arnd local dawn and then quickly fade as daylight takes each locality, only the Sumatrans staying audible for any length of time.

Daytime bandscan: Following is sampling of stns audible as daytimers, not exhaustive by any means, indicating those like a Local (LL), Strong (S) and reasonably good power (OK): 4120v Karo (LL); 3316½ Simulungan (LL); 3460.3v Aceh Timur (LL); 3241 Sibolga (S); 5887 Pekanbaru (S); 3232 Bukittinggi (S); 3265 Bengkulu (LL) with Gorontalo no factor here; 4856 Palembang (OK); 5052 S'pore (LL) 2537 Songkha, Thailand (2 x 1269) (LL); 4032 Melaka (4 x 1008) (LL)... and the list goes on. (Ralph Perry, Kuala Lumpur, MALAYSIA) via FT-271

CLANDESTINE CONFIDENTIAL NEWSLETTER #5 by Gerry L. Dexter

Radio Antorcha Martiana says their bcs are made up of articles, reports & editorials of general information appearing in newspapers, magazines & other publications, as well as material presented on Radio & TV that the station feels Cubans should be informed about. The station "represents a genuine Cuban effort to bring information to all free Cubans regardless of their physical location, inside or outside of Cuba". At last report the stn was still being 0100 Tu Th Sa on 7078v. (CCN) Radio Mambi operated by the Junta Patriotica Cubana says "we are extremely sorry to tell you our SW stn has been closed". A SS nx release accompanying the note indicates that the closure was due to an FCC raid which took place at 7.45pm EDT on 24/7 (CCN) Several persons incl CCN have received mailings from Radio Farabundo Marti's apparently new rep in the USA. Some have rec PPCs although the letter responses which are also sent state that QSLs cannot be issued since the office is not set up for this purpose yet. This office has sent postcards & other literature to a number of clandestine hunters. Incl is a long list of needs, among them high quality cassettes, unidirectional microphones, DC portable stereo tape deck, typewriters, cameras, mixers etc. The US contact is Roberto Acuna at Centro de Comunicacion y Ayuda Entre Los Pueblos (Center of Communication & Help between Peoples), POB 26843, Los Angeles, CA 90026 (Jensen, Reinstein, Moritz) CCN wrote a letter back requesting more information but it was returned by the PO as undeliverable. Rxion reps can be sent to Apartado 3280, Managua, NCG. (CCN)

The new Nicaraguan clandestine is Radio Monimbo 6230v. The name may come from the NCG village of that name where indians fought a battle against Somoza forces & more or less kicked off the armed revolution. Monimbo is also the title of a novel by Robert Moss & Arnaud Borchgrave about a Castro plan (which he supposedly ancd in Monimbo) to create a race war in Miami. More recently, anti-Sandinista demonstrations in Monimbo led to the arrest of a p & to student occupation of a Catholic School. The stn seems to be operating fairly regularly 0000 & 0200 w/bcs lasting abt an hr. Pxs are low key, man & woman ancrs in tlks, then 2-3 mx selections (usually at least 1 on marimba). Several reports surmise the stn may have a Catholic connection. ID is something akin to "Radio Monimbo, La Voz de la Libertad Nicaraguense" w/ments of Pedro Joaquin Chamorro also noted within the ID at times: (Zeller, Jensen, Reinstein) CCN has rec a letter & PPC from Radio Miskut. The letter describes the plight of the Miskitos & other indian grps, noting that early in the Sandanista regime that they had no complaints, but then their petitions for land ownership were denied, protests resulted in a number of their leaders being jailed & tortured - resulting in a breakaway & commitment to help overthrow the current NCG Gov. A later QSL rec by Don Jensen notes that the power of RM is 2.5kw. The office also confirmed our rxion of La Voz de la Libertad, briefly active in 1983. Rx reps can be sent to MISURA Political Commission, POB 1668, Tegucigalpa, Honduras. MISURA is a contraction of the 1st letters of Miskito, Sumas & Ramas indian groups. (CCN) As you can see CCN is still going strong & with the dropping of WBI next year will remain as one of a very few publications adequately catering for the Clandestine specialist. Gerry has a list of questions about clandestines to which he is seeking answers. If you think you might be able to help, send a SASE to RR4, Box 110, Lake Geneva, Wisconsin, USA 53147. By the way, Gerry's book Clandestine Confidential is available from Universal Shortwave, 1280 Aida Drive, Reynoldsburg, OH 43068, USA - suggest you send US\$12 for seemail delivery.

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- 3309.8 PRU R.Bagua. 0225-0244 good w/ stale romantics, sports event promo, ments. of Bagua, then 0232 OM TC "... en Peru, Radio Bagua", long pauses between DJ chatter and ads, an apparent mixer problem. No trace of Bolivian R.San Miguel
- 3370.1 GTM R.Tezulutlan, 0010 xlnt signal rivall. /3310.2 this eve. (Kruegar 11/17)
rf ing those of 3380 R.Chortis and 3360 LV Nahuala. Tlks mostly in local langs, some SS, clear IDs, //-4835 even stronger sig. Much tlk about Sr. Jesucristo and iglesia catolica. (Reinstein 11/24)
- 4182v PRU R.Gran Pajatén, Celendin, varying from 4125. Now closer to its annod freq of 4200. Slogan "Fajatén, tu mejor compania". Anocanned ID "Radio Gran Pajatén, hermanando los departamentos de la Libertad, Amazonas, San Martin y Cajamarca". (Codina 11/8)
- 4885 CLM Ondas del Meta blasting in 1035 while serching for Huancavelica; TCs, LA
- 5040 ECA LV Upano, 0110-0117* great /pop mx, jingle promos. (Kamp 11/25)
signal, classical mx, ID "Radio Difusor Cultural La Voz del Upano". Annced "1540kHz" and "5.04MHz". Gave address simply as Correo Macas, Morona Santiago Ecuador, Sud America (Reinstein 11/28) /This MW stn not registered. (Codina 11/11)
- h5281.1 PRU R.San Jose, Cajamarca, low power. 1320.2x4. Also on 2640.4 and up on 6601.
- 5810.8 PRU R.Acunata, Chota, 2118, xlnt signal, new smtr? Varying fe to 5798.9 (Codina 11/11)
- 5982.1 MEX XEUJ, Linares, 1940-2320, vy good w/ LAM pops, TCs, IDs such as "XEUJ 590kHz frecuencia internacional presenta la musica tropical ... XEUJ, la fuerza de onda corta en Linares." (Krueger 11/22)
- 6045.2 MEX R.Universidad de San Luis Potosi, 0331-0507* fair w/ classical and strange chamber mx, 0455 OM ID, TC, Saturday pm preview, mx bridge then: "Buenas noches. XEXQ, Radio Universidad de San Luis Potosi, 1460kc/s onda media, 6045kc/s onda corta en San Luis Potosi, Mexico" over "Pomp & Circumstance", then fast vocal version of NA from 0503, off. (Krueger 11/17)
- 6115 MEX R.Universidad de Sonora, Hermosillo, 1512-1545 f/out YL ID "Radio Universidad" into three piano solos, carillon piece, ID 1526 and non stop classical mx /thru face; fair. (Krueger 11/17)
- 6363.5 PRU R.Huallaga, Saposoa, began regular commercial operation w/ ads for Saposoa stores. Annrc is same as was on both Estacion C and Radio Moderna (Codina, no date)
- 9545 BRS R.Universo, Curitiba, 0433-0625 noted since 11/21, apparently running all-night (blocked by DW-Antigua *0453-0550*) w/ ZY pops, ads, religious sermon, 0600 OM ID "1210kHz ondas largas, 6020, 9545 e 11905kHz ondas curtas, Radio Universo, Universo!" (Krueger)
- y9778.4 LOM R.Santiago now active on 3lm. Hrd on 9755 on 11/23 at 1700 t/in w/ commentary, 1703 into rapid-fire noticias by 2 OM ancrs, w/ frequent ads, 1730 played "The Stars and Stripes Forever" (evidently their theme), w/ pm credits and ID ads to 1800 t/out. On 11/24 they changed (drifted) to 9778.4 and were still there on 11/25; e.g. good level at 1545 w/ low-key Latin pops. (Potter) Also 1701-1900, 0205-0215 daily since D.Potter tip 11/24 w/ Noti-Tiempo network nxcasts, local Sunday LAM mx request pm, TCs. Xlnt signal. (Krueger)

Thank you for contributing during 1984. We do hope you a
Good DX'ing in the new year! Deadlines for 1985 are:
Jan.5, Feb.2, Mar.2, Apr.6...(first Sat. of the month).

↓ From Dominican Phone book, R.Santiago (see above) and ↓
Radio San Juan via T.Hirahara

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