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PROPAGATION: Jul 10, Disturbed; Jul 11, Low Normal; Jul 12-14, High Normal; Jul 15, Below Normal; Jul 16-18, Low Normal; Jul 19, High/Low Normal; Jul 20, High Normal. TNX N4XX.

Flux (80)	Flux (81)	Flux (82)	Date	Flux (83)	Alpha (83)	K (83)
244	161	181	6/23	144	18	3
244	169	163	6/24	145	14	3
231	178	156	6/25	139	11	2
219	188	138	6/26	137	8	3
206	187	123	6/27	144	14	4
196	191	119	6/28	133	10	3
183	183	108	6/29	129	10	2
177	173	105	6/30	125	15	2
157	170	103	7/1	123	6	3
150	163	103	7/2	117	7	2
143	157	106	7/3	121	7	3

KERMADEC: several weeks ago we mentioned that ZL3AFH was expecting to be assigned to Kermadec this year. RSGB's DX News Sheet has Warwick (now signing ZK1WL) on Kermadec by September, but not on the air until next January.

K4YT, back only two weeks from his assignments in Asia, won't leave for Africa until late August or early September. An itinerary will be available at that time.

BV2B is said to be changing his operating day from Wednesdays to Thursdays. Try CW around 14.040 at 1400Z, and SSB with W7PHO on 14.225 at 1500Z. He does not hear very well, so if his signal is weak your chances of a contact are not very good.

W8IQ showed unannounced operating CW from TJ1GH on Jun 25. That's the station of DL9ZAX, who apparently is active on SSB only. W8IQ was denied a TJ license during his stay in Cameroun.

TO THOSE who have responded to our solicitation for early subscription renewal---Thanks! It is a big help.

YI1BGD made what would have to be termed a fabulous appearance on Jul 3, with operator Saad much louder on 21284 than the usual signal on 20 Meters. He worked by call areas but skipped several of them. We have waited eight months, in vain, for our QSL. Neither IRCs nor money worked.

DON'T phone us if you hear China...your editor finally worked BY8AA Jul 3. It took so long mostly because their 0100Z time slot doesn't fit our current biorhythms. But nobody ever said that working a Novice on the other side of the globe under poor propagation would be easy! We have mentioned that the BY1PK operators were aware of the path to North America around 1300Z... but in a recent letter operator Tong stated that they are completely off the air 1100-1500Z due to TVI problems.

SOUTH YEMEN: Several amateurs have offered to supply J28AZ equipment for a 70 operation, if he can supply operating permission which will pass the DXCC inspection by August 24. The information we published previously still stands. It is understood that the authorities would allow operation on two fixed frequencies, 14.195 and 21.295, SSB only, no split frequency.

CLIPPERTON: despite what you may hear elsewhere, the date of the upcoming operation is January, 1984. Several U.S. operators are tentatively signed up, but ask to remain anonymous until final (financial) commitments are made.

CAMBODIA: the rig being supplied by JAIUT and others is expected to be on site sometime in August. They have suggested the callsign XU1SS (for San Son).

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ALBANIA: DL7FT and DJØUJ are still looking for financial support for a September 1983 Albania operation. They need \$500-\$1000 to get into Albania with gear, and believe operating permission would be given once they are inside the country. Incidentally, nothing has been heard re the efforts of the Finnish society to train some Albanian operators and to set up a university station. DL7FT's address is Frank Turek, PO BOX 1421, D-1000 Berlin 19, West Germany.

DXCC: The current crop of S2BTF contacts DO NOT count for ARRL DXCC. No valid paperwork has been received for any S2 operations since January, 1982. ARRL has requested documentation from S2BTF. NONE of the Mozambique C9 operations from the past few years (SM2DWH/C9, etc) count for DXCC, either. And the DX Advisory Committee is just about to vote on the possible deletion of Spratly from the DXCC List. Their vote, as always, will constitute a recommendation to the Headquarters.

CONFESSION: In Issue 191, the editor said he had "307 out of 318" current DXCC countries. That was pretty dumb, since the current countries total is 315. Serrana Bank, Bajo Nuevo, and the Saudi Arabia-Iraq Neutral Zone were deleted a year ago. We guess we are typical in that we have given up counting what we have and just pay attention to what we don't have! With China in the log, we don't have ten current countries. If they delete Spratly we won't have nine current countries, and we guess that would mean we could waltz onto the Honor Roll through the back door.

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A6XJC 21312 21E 2	HL9AH 14231 13W 2	UF6FCO 21032 13E 26	(S. Shets)
A6XJC 21340 22W 2	HL2VK 21270 16W 2	UF6FAG 14002 01E 30	4K1GDW 21011 19E 3
A71AD 21280 17W 25	HP3JRP 14024 00E 1	UG6JJ 14018 02E 3	4S7EA 14201 12C 27
A71BJ 21272 18W 25	HP1XEK 21019 12E 2	UL7TAB 14009 01E 30	4S7WP 14042 04W 30
A92BW 14167 03C 1	HT1JCC 21029 14E 2	UL7EAR 14012 01E 30	4S7WP 14041 01E 1
BV2B 14227 14W 30	HV3SJ 21041 15E 3	UH8EAD 21014 19E 25	4S7WP 14035 03E 3
BV2B 14221 14W 2	H44DS 14231 11E 21	UH8HCS 21012 12E 1	VE7CZ/
BY1PK 21060 01E 29	ISØWSU 14227 04W 29	UJ8BQ 14025 00E 1	4U 21315 22E 25
BY1PK 21034 01E 1	JT1AO 14230 14W 27	UM8MAQ 14058 01E 3	(Syria)
BY8AA 21048 01E 4	JT1AO 14227 14W 1	VP2MM 21004 19E 25	4U1UN 14028 13E 2
CO2HQ 21345 00C 28	JY3ZH 14235 04E 29	VR6KB 14015 03C 24	4Z4UR 14214 04W 29
CO2HS 14183 05W 29	JY3ZH 14221 05W 29	VS6DO 14190 14W 29	4X4BL 14206 03C 30
CP7GM 21019 16E 1	AH2AN 14200 12E 3	VS6DX 14206 14W 1	4X4FR 14191 04W 30
CT2CH 14042 06W 2	KG6JJH 14028 11W 28	WA4BCQ/	4Z4XB 21305 04E 4
G4JMB/	KX6PO 14241 06W 27	VS6 14200 14C 3	5H3DM 21277 21E 25
CT3 7070 01E 1	LX1JP 21032 13E 26	VU2BK 21024 11E 1	6W8EX 14021 00E 1
C21RK 14223 11E 27	LX1JP 21029 22E 30	V3WKB 14022 02C 25	6Y5AM 21345 00C 28
C21BD 14214 13W 27	LX1BI 14194 05W 2	YC2BDJ 21016 18E 25	7P8CM 14167 12C 29
C21RK 14155 14C 2	OD5LX 21012 13E 26	YB2BLI 14197 13W 27	7Q7LW 14237 04W 2
C6ANQ 14014 00E 1	OD5LX 14030 02W 2	YB2BLI 14225 14W 29	9J1BB 21064 21E 2
NØZO/	OH2BAW/Ø 14039 00E 1	YB2BLM 14226 15W 2	9J2BO 21021 16E 1
DU2 21030 02E 29	OHØBA 21029 20E 2	YBØCR 14216 13W 2	9J2WS 21025 14E 2
G4DUW/	OX3UD 14042 11E 2	YB3ARK 14170 14E 2	9M2BB 14200 14W 2
DU1 14032 11E 2	OX3XR 14024 12E 2	YB6IK 21275 16W 2	9M2BB 14195 15C 3
D44BC 14203 04W 30	PZ5JR 21345 00C 28	YB5ASO 21028 16E 2	9V1TL 14029 15W 27
EA6AU 21011 12E 1	PZ1DT 21023 22C 30	YI1BGD 14201 04W 1	9VØTL 21029 16E 1
EA6BH 14221 05W 2	P29BS 14174 12C 5	YI1BGD 21284 19C 4	
EA8QL 28519 23W 25	G4ABI/	YJ8TT 14310 05E 5	
EA8ABR 21011 19E 25	ST2 21023 17E 1	YS1OD 21021 19E 25	
EA8VI 21011 12E 1	SVØCT 14027 03W 25	ZB2EO 21015 19E 25	
EA9JE 14040 23E 26	S79WHW 14200 03W 27	ZC4RB 14024 22E 1	
EA9CX 14040 19C 27	S79ARB 14200 03E 29	ZC4YC 21005 12E 2	
FC9UC 14208 23E 29	S79WHW 14200 03E 29	ZD7BW 28540 15E 25	
FK8EJ 14025 12C 30	TA1UA 21031 22E 30	ZD7BW 7070 23E 25	
FK8EJ 14058 11E 2	KA4EIN/	ZF2GD 14020 02E 28	
FM7WD 14060 02E 28	TI4 28615 20W 2	ZK1CH 14200 11C 3	
FM7BX 14208 13W 2	TR8IG 21006 12E 26	AL2BKM/C 7003 11E 6	
FO8JR 14310 05E 5	TR8JLD 14008 22E 30	ZS6ANE 14240 14W 29	
FR7BP 14025 12C 24	TR8JLD 14001 00E 30	Z21FN 14040 13W 28	
	TR8DR 21008 17E 2	1AØKM 21294 22W 2	
	TU4AT 21279 21C 27	3B8FG 14024 12E 2	
	T77C 21026 16E 2	3B8CF 14043 03E 3	
	T77C 21026 19E 3	3B9FK 14022 11E 27	
	UA2FDP 14013 22E 1	3B9FK 21018 12E 2	
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 China HOW to Work It: I 193
 Chad DJ5RT/TT8 rumored any day now
 Tuvalu No T2 by GM4JAM yet; I 193
 Taiwan BV2B switching to Thursdays; I 198

Malagasy 5R8AL occasional Tues/Weds; I 196
 Rodriguez 3B9FK until December
 Anguilla VP2EUQ/W1UQ and VP2EYL/K1YL Jul/Aug
 Madeira G4JMB/CT3 by VS6CT now to end of Jul
 Corsica F0CH/FC Now to Jul 26

St Maarten K2KTT/PJ7 ends Jul 12
 St Pierre FP0 until Jul 12; I 190
 Mali TZ8DC by DJ2BW/DL8DC Jul 14-24
 Burundi 9U5JM by W4MGN Jul 26-Aug 2
 Market Reef Jul 22-Aug 1; I 189

Andorra C31YR by G8APZ Jul 16-24
 Convention NW DX, Seattle, Jul 29-31; WB7RVA
 Contest WAE CW Aug 13-14
 Contest All Asia CW Aug 27-28
 S. Yemen J28AZ working on end of Aug; I 197, 198

Contest WAE Phone Sep 10-11
 St Paul VE1SP1 end of Sept for eight days
 Malpelo Starts Oct 12; I 188, 197
 Zone 23 U0Y Oct 1-Nov 31

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