# The DX Bulletin

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PROPAGATION FORECAST: Nov. 23, High/Above Normal; Nov. 24, Above Normal; Nov. 25, Above/High Normal; Nov. 26, High/Low Normal; Nov. 27, 28, Low Normal; Nov. 29, High/Above Normal; Nov. 30, Above Normal; December 1, High Normal; Dec. 2, Above Normal; Dec. 3, High/Above Normal; Dec. 4, High Normal; Dec. 5, Above Normal; Dec. 6, High Normal. TNX N4XX.

### CHATHAM AND KERMADEC

Rumors continue to pour in concerning activity by ZLIAMO from Chatham and Kermadec. The most concrete information we have rounded up indicates one week from Chatham beginning about Nov. 20; that to be followed by another week from Kermadec.

We even have frequencies for you: just above .025 on each CW band and 28.565 on Ten Meters. No others mentioned but probably the usual. This may be just another of those expeditions which doesn't get off the ground, but since Chatham is not desperately needed it will pay to watch casually for /C and assume that if it is found /K 's chances will be increased.

### ABU AIL

Nothing further to add to information on this operation which appeared in Issues 61 and 64; K6LPL will be on his way to Djibouti shortly after you receive this. He will sign J28LP there until departure for the Abu Ail lighthouse Dec. 4. He, F6ATQ, and J28AZ will sign J2ØAA/A Dec. 5-7.

One erroneous bit of information appeared in another publication...the group is NOT requiring four IRCs for return of a QSL card. K6LPL says all cards, including those received through bureaus,

will be answered.

HF band conditions for this operation are expected to be superb. Look for K6LPL to do most of the CW operating and J28AZ and F6ATQ to work SSB.

### N2KK/INDIAN OCEAN

David Schoen was active from the Maldives, signing 8Q7KK (instead of the anticipated 8Q7BC). He has fallen behind schedule and will not be going to Reunion. Instead, the next stop will be Djibouti, J2ØKK, to begin about Nov. 22 and run through the CQ WW CW Contest on the 29th and 30th. After that, 4W Yemen around Dec. 8 and ST2 Sudan about the 15th.His rig problems have presumably been solved.

### RODRIGUEZ

3B8CF says 3P8AE/3B9 should be on any time now, 14230 only at first and other bands when some new equipment is placed on line. This is reportedly a long-term proposition.

### WELCOME BACK, ART

Faithful reader Art Westneat, WIAM, says he will be appearing in "Silent Keys" soon, thanks to an unknown prognosticator. He would be happy to NOT receive any cards or letters of condolence.

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QSL cards from Turkey are coming through; KAGE, K7ABV and others have recently got cards back from TA2HIA, for contacts last summer. As the situation in Turkey remains tense it is probably still best to not send any currency in your envelope, and to continue not using any callsigns on the envelope.

As for Burma, the famous JA1 DXer whose callsign is being mentioned is a subscriber and we expect to be hearing from him, one way or the other.Burma today is like China was ten years ago; the more one digs for information on the political and cultural situation there the less one knows. The talk is that there is hope for a breakthrough on the radio front sometime in December, with possible operating permission early in 1981.

Behind-the-scenes action at the FCC is aimed at exterminating a certain K6 in the Los Angeles area who has trashed the 20 Meter band for years. There really are hams in the FCC who care about these matters...

FCC on October 31 issued an "Order to Show Cause and Suspension Order" to one Kenneth Sheets, WB3HGE. He was nailed for operating out of his General Class phone bands. Sheets was originally observed failing to identify the station he was working, a violation of Commission rule 97.84 (a); when the monitoring station checked its records and discovered that the operator was also out of his allowed band a minor violation turned into a major one.

WB7RFA's "28 MHz DX" bulletin did not get off the ground, as Craig ran into too much school pressure. Anyone who sent him ten dollars for a year's subscription will have received a refund by now.

N4PN, N4RJ, and K4UEE, from last year's record-breaking VP2KC CQWW Phone contest effort, will operate from St. Kitts again this year, in the CQ CW contest. The three are VP2KAA, VP2KAC, and VP2KAE, respectively, and will work

20, 15, and 10 Meters, in that order. They will be single operator, single-band efforts. QSL to their home calls.

Wayne Warden, W9GW, managed operations from Fiji 3D2WW and Tuvalu T2AAD, but fouled up airplane connections prevented his operating from Tarata T3.

JA7SGV, who has been touring the Pacific area, was expected on from Tarawa last week.

Wayne made about 7,000 contacts from Fiji and Tuvalu, all on Charlie Whiskey.

KIMM is rumored to be aiming for some African country for the CQ CW contest; we have no details but the ARRL WIAW on-the-air bulletin the night before the contest will probably have the late word.

Need IRCs? K5KG has a bunch forwarded to him by OJØMA, and will part with them as follows: U.S. IRCs, 38 cents each, all other IRCs, 30 cents per. The USPO IRCs can be redeemed in the States for 41 cents worth of stamps. K5KG, George Wagner, 11502 Quali Creek Dr., Houston tX 77070.

We are still counting the returns on the <u>Centigrade vs. Celsius</u> question; based on early returns from the East Coast we are now able to predict a narrow victory for Celsius.

Over in Jordan, any JY2 station is a member of the royal family, and we are told they should be addressed as "Your Highness" or "Your Royal Highness." If you talk to an ambassador or sheik from the Arab world, address him as "Your Excellency."

Several have written expressing interest in managing QSLs for stations in Turkey. At least one volunteer wants a job regardless of the DX station or country. If you know of a deserving DX station, put him in touch with John Farrington, WAITQP, 17 Sherman Ave., Canton, MA 02021.

New North Jersey DXA officers for '81: K2RW Pres, W2MIG V. P., W2GK Sec., and K2CM Treas. These folks also run the QSL bureau there.

### BANDPASS: Call/Freq./UTC (plus West, Central, East Coast report)/Date

Low Bands	EA9E0/3800/06C/12	TF3YH/3505/10E/10	VS6D0/7007/09W/16
CE6CFX/7006/03E/11	EA9EU/3523/07C/15	T2AAF/7007/15W/11	4UIUN/3511/02E/8
CM1RH/3529/07C/15	J73D/7004/10E/13	T2AAF/3502/10E/14	5W1BG/3509/06W/9
CX2DK/7006/23E/12	AH2G/7003/12E/9	UAØ2CY/7003/11E/12	8Q7KK/7005/13E/7
EASRL/3509/06W/9	OD5LX/7003/01E/13	UL7CAD/7005/12E/7	
EA8FJ/7002/01E/11	SM4CAN/3503/05W/11	VP2VGF/7003/08W/15	
EA8QL/3795/06C/12	TA2TAT/7002/23E/13	VS6D0/7004/11E/13	
Africa	SU1AL/14235/04C/9	ZS3KC/14210/05W/11	8Q7KK/14206/15W/14
EA9GT/14019/20W/9	S79NLB/21327/13C/11	3B8DB/14024/03W/12	9G1AP/14244/02E/11
EA91B/28502/12E/10	TJ1AY/14205/20E/11	3B8RS/14225/15W/13	9G1AP/14213/01E/13
ET3PG/14230/05C/8	TJ1BB/21022/21E/13	3D6BP/21355/20W/9	9J2B0/14026/15W/10
FRØFLO/14220/04C/9	TU2JJ/14204/02C/14	3B8CF/28526/19W/9	9J2WS/14024/05W/12
FRØFLO/28590/14C/13	VQ9NN/14223/16W/10	5NØDOG/14015/05W/13	9J2KO/14204/15W/13
DJ IUS/	VQ9AA/14203/15W/13	5V7HL/21355/22W/9	9J2KL/28008/13E/15
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K5LBU/	XT2AU/14220/07E/12	7X2LS/21354/19W/11	
STØ/28750/15E/16	ZD7HH/21295/19E/13	7X2LS/28746/15E/11	
Asia	HL9TS/14045/09E/13	UI8ADR/14044/03E/12	VU2BK/28020/14E/11
AP2MQ/14217/01E/11	HMØB/21049/02E/11	UI8LBA/14002/06W/12	4S7CF/14211/01E/11
AP2SA/21313/06C/9	JT1KAF/14026/01C/12	UJ8JCT/28030/13E/11	4S7DJ/14213/12E/11
A4XGV/28590/18E/11	JT1KAF/14021/13E/15	RJ8JBQ/28750/14E/17	5B4EF/14204/15W/10
A9XDD/21355/19E/11	TA2TAT/14033/01W/10	UM8MAA/14235/16C/11	5B4JE/28750/14E/15
BV2B/14205/21C/11	UD6GA/14025/04W/13	VS6GP/14022/14W/10	9K2DK/28055/12E/11
BV2B/14221/14E/12	UF6FCZ/14028/06W/13	VS6EY/14021/14W/12	9K2DR/28025/12E/13
BV2B/14222/16W/13	UH8HAI/14224/16W/11	VS6EY/14025/18W/15	9V10I/28530/23C/10
WD4GXY/	UH8DU/14025/04W/13	VS6CX/28602/01W/10	9V10I/28549/00W/10
DU2/21026/00E/11	UH8EAD/14024/16W/13	VS6DD/28572/00W/12	9V1TX/28524/01W/11
DU9RG/28540/23C/8	UI8MAA/14224/16W/11	VU2KMK/14028/02E/12	
Europe	FC9VN/14025/08W/10	W6QL/	W6QL/
EA6DD/14003/06W/10	HV3SJ/28591/16W/8	SV5/14031/06W/13	SV5/28750/14E/10
Oceania	H44CB/28505/01E/9	WH3AAB/28550/18E/8	VK2AGT/14220/07E/12
FK8CP/14205/13E/10	KC6TR/28507/02E/10	KH3AB/28033/22E/9	VK3DCU/
F08GM/14214/04C/12	KG6JJH/28585/01E/9	KH3AB/28501/02W/10	VK2/14025/11E/14
H44PG/14075/07W/10	KH3AB/14034/05W/15	P29GA/28502/21E/10	VR6TC/21350/01E/12
Elsewhere	HKØBKX/14201/05C/13	VP1BEH/28529/00E/12	
CE9AH/21345/00E/12	HKØBKX/21017/02E/12	VY 1CC/28529/22E/11	
FMØGDE/14215/03E/15	LU3ZY/14212/23E/12	ZF2AN/28021/22E/12	

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Next Week will be the <u>last issue</u> for November expirations who have not yet renewed. About 200 of you extended your subscriptions to beat the price increase. We are trying to figure how to put your expiration date on your address plate; look for that to appear before the end of the year.

Mail your BANDPASS reports on Friday or Saturday. Do NOT include contest contacts in your reports, unless they are the result of abnormal openings, etc.

Please keep us in mind when you have DX tidbits or other interesting information. Tell your friends, too. Thanks!

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### CALENDAR

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Sable Is	By VEIAI	Still maybe for last weekend of Nov; Issue 62
Contest	CQ WW CW	Nov. 29-30
Djibouti	By N2KK	J2ØKK Nov. 22-30; this issue
Djibouti	By K6LPL	J28LP Nov. 29-Dec. 5; Issue 64 and this issue
Deadline	CQ WW Ph.	Mail log for CQ Phone Contest by Dec. 15
Contest	ARRL 160	Dec. 6-8
Abu Ail	J2ØAA/A	Dec. 5-7; Issues 61, 64, and this issue
Yemen		By N2KK Dec. 8-15; Issue 62
Peter and	Paul	PYØSA and PYØRA Dec. 12-14; Issues 61 and 63
Sudan	ST2	By N2KK Dec. 15-22; Issue 62
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S. Sudan Heard.	STØ	By N2KK Dec. 22-Jan. 15; Issue 62
Mellish		Still talking, by P29JS, January; Issue 64
S. Sandwid	ch	VP8SSI Jan. 1-4; Issue 63
Lebanon		By N2KK Jan. 15-Feb. 4; Issue 62
Cyprus	5B4KK	By N2KK Feb. 4-11; Issue 62
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By VK2BJL and others, April; Issue 63

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### Some brief QSL notes:

Palmyra

All WA4MBG/HBØ cards from last summer have been answered; Bob has ordered cards for his recent operation from Luxembourg. Note address in this issue's tabulation. LU2AFH has answered some requests for LU3ZY cards; money talks. YU2NFJ seeks aid on a VQ9AA/D Oct. '66 QSO; that was Don Miller. N6RA needs advice on YA1OS (73), FWØAA (74) and VP8AI (77). WITSP looking for 5AITC (53) 3A3TZ (52) and KT1BB (52). W8AH yearns for XW8HP, no date mentioned. W1FZ needs T2AAE on Oct. 20, and (whoops, that's JA2JSF, Jim). K2POA can't locate CR7IA (71) and XW8DS (70).