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Tropical Bands Survey och Clandestine List distribueras med detta nummer till beställarna. Priset är ännu okänt, men var beredda på att slanta upp några kronor för alstren inom kort!

QSL

Jan Oscarsson: RTM Bamako-4835 vykort, brev, foto från M'Baba Nadio, chef de maintenance HF de l'ORTM; R Speranza-6233 stencil; R Moundou-5286 stencil och pers brev från Dingamtouji N'Gana Esaie, Ingenieur Radioelectricien; KWHR Naalehu HI-9930 med den vanliga uppsättningen; UNPROFOR Radio via R Bosnia-Herçegovina-6890 kort, schema, almanacka via UNR, New York.

Ivar Stormo: R Clube de Rondonópolis-4955 brev, vykort, seddel (f/up) v/s Canário Silva, Dir. Comercial; R Internacional-4930,6 kort, brev, seddel etc.; R Copán Int-15674,6 E-mail (CompuServe) "v/s" Jeff White (svartid: 6 timer, som er ny personlig rekort i svartid fra Honduras...)

Christer Brunström: Radio La Palabra-4732 personligt brev från Fr Yosu Arketa som ber om ursäkt för lång svarstid pga Europaresa.

Björn Fransson: Radio La Palabra-4732 brev från samma kiile som ovan. Stn kör med "600 vatios". Rapporten var från 1994-03-18. Björn undrar om någon hann före? (utom HK). Björn! Tillsvidare undviker vi beteckningen "den vanliga uppsättningen" på denna trevliga verifikation! Hoppas det är OK?

LOGGEN - ALL TIMES ARE UTC

2390	21.6	0230	OID och inte bara bärvåg denna gång, utan marimba-mx också. Tidvis fade-out. Bör väl vara Atitlán? 0-2	RA IS
3204,5	19.6	2222	OID, men RRI Bandung en sterk kandidat, 2	JOB
3220	8.6	0252-	Channel Africa med sign on. EE, Q4 //5955 bl.a.	RA
3225	21.6	0116	Rádio Liberal, Belem do Pará lät id. 3	IS
3316	20.6	2135	SLBS sterk nå, men ikke aktiv hver kveld, 3	IS
3358,9	22.6	1940	OID - RTV Malagasy?, 3	RA
4510,2	20.6	0150	OID som def. är Perú, men är det verkligen Paucartambo som hörs här? Inte Horizonte, Chiclayo? 1-3. Mangling återstår!	BM KN
4747,37	29.6	0000	Radio (Huanta?) 2000. Sätter ett frågetecken för stationsnamnet. Vid heltimmen låter ID-et, som följer (stavningen kan vi lämna därhän): "Radio S e m ó d i c o 2000", 3	KN KN
4826,2	25.6	0225	R Sicuaní med mx, Q2	KN
4835,2	25.6	0215	R Tezulutlán förvånansvärt stark m mx	KN
4840	25.6	0210	R Andahuaylas med id. Stark, Q4	KN
4885	19.6	1812	KBC med Sports Round-up, där man bl.a. berättade att VM-matchen Kamerun-Sverige skulle bandas och sändas på morgonen dagen därpå. Nattuglande uppmuntras måhända ej (att vara DX-are är alltså inget att tänka på där?/AHK) Q4+	JOB IS
4886,7	27.6	0330	R Villa Rica, 3	IS
4904,8	23.6	0230	R La Oroya, 2	IS
4910	19.6	1759	ZNBS R One med nx på EE. Drog sponsorer denna tid. Har ju svarat nyligen så en obotlig optimist tar chansen. Q3	JOB

4910,5	26.6	0225	LV de la Mosquitia med rlg px, 3	IS
4924,4	25.6	0245	R San Miguel med burkigt ljud, Q3	KN
4925	18.6	2210	RRI Jambi, 3	IS
4960,35	n/a	n/a	Ref. SWB #1256. Har observerat att man <u>inte</u> sänder // med systerstationen på 4910,48v. Följande "ungefärliga" adr. uppgavs: Radio HR(VC), (LV de la) Mosquitia, Puerto Lempira,....., Honduras, Centro America, 23-21. "Apartado 15"-adressen går till programproducenten i Ciudad Guatemala. SWB-manskapet uppmanas gräva lite i denna fråga!	BM
4960,9	24.6	0045	R Federación Shuar svagt, Q1-2	KN
5014,76	23.6	0300	Estación Tarapoto med ID "Est. Tarapoto" 2	BM
5015	25.6	0230	Radio Rebelde här detta datum med god styrka. Ett inslag från Radio Reloj, La Palma gjorde att sensationsnerven vred sig ett helt varv! 3+. Trol. en alt. frekv HK rapporterar denna via Play-DX på varierande 5019-5023 kHz 12-16/6 på USB/AHK	BM
5019,7	22.6	1918	R Niger stengte med hymnen, 3	IS
5019,9	24.6	0230	Ecos del Atrato, Q2	KN
5040	25.6	0100	La Voz de Yopal, Q3	KN
5049,8	25.6	0115	R Jesús del Gran Poder, Q4	KN
5050	19.6	1755	R Tanzania med rlg & EE, 4++	JOB
5505	19.6	2350	Radio Emisora Dos de Febrero anropar man. Körde också jinglen "La Radio inolvidable". 1-3. RÅ, ditt fax som du fick ok på häromsistens kom nog säkert fram till mig. Problemet var bara att du sände den blanka baksidan! Jag sände tillbaka faxet till ursprunget (sändarfaxens telnr fanns ju i toppen på "meddelandet") Jag bad då om en ny version, men det kom ingen.	RÅ
5994,7	20.6	2340	Radio Loyola med snx på aymará. Kör px-stil typ R. Nacional-1390. 1.3	RÅ
6010,7	20.6	0215	Radio América med id:t för FM-QRG:n också.	RÅ
6025	19.6	2300	R Illimani sterk med fullt ID, 3	IS
6025	23.6	2350	R Illimani bör det ha varit med fotbollsreferat från fotbolls-VM där ena laget verkade vara Bolivia. Ungern körde igång innan något id kom. Q3-4	KN
6090	8.6	0258	R Bandeirantes med PP och Q3	JOB
6196,1	25.6	0130	R Metropolitana, Q3	KN, IS
6204,0	26.6	0105	OID - men trolig R Cusco, 2	IS
6472,4	24.6	0130	R Luz y Sonido med mx-px, Q2-3	KN
6911	18.6	2255	R Dublin med mx, 3	JOB
7370	9.6	0045	Turkiska Polisradion mkt starkt med turkiska tongångar, 4+	JOB
9955	24.6	0100	R Miami Int m. px "Viva Miami", Q2-3	KN, JOB
15675	16.6	2130	HRJA R Copan surfade äntligen in med rapporterbar styrka. Fullskaligt id på EE är: "HRJA R Radio Copan International, Tegucigalpa, Honduras, Central America on 15675 kHz in the 19metre band shortwave. Any correspondence to Radio Copan International at p.O.Box 526852, Miami, Florida 33152, USA. Q2-3	JOB

Svar till LES (ref SWB #1256): Efter vad jag vet så ligger faktiskt både Radio Lider och Radio La Hora i staden Cusco. La Hora har ju (tent.) flyttat på sig till 4862,71 kHz. Denna lilla "förflyttning" verkar ju nästan vara avsiktlig! Man slåss ju om samma kunder. En interferenston på 2640 kHz är kanske det mest djävulska man kan tänka sig. /BM

Detta resonemang bekräftar även i Play-DX där HK rapporterar La Hora på 4862,7 och Lider på 4860,1 - båda lokaliserade i Cusco./AHK

INFO DESK

R Horizonte Chachapoyas- 5019,9. Ny adress: Jiron Santo Domingo 639, Chachapoyas /HK via Play-DX

Bolivianen på 4632,4 enl.SWB #1254 har ID:ats av HK. Annonserar GUAYAMERIN FRECUENCIA MODULADA, ibland med tillägget 97.5, ibland också RADIO GUAYAMERIN. Tel. är 2155, men det lär ju inte hjälpa någon.../HK

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Times given are UTC.

BOLIVIA

- 76) 4450 R Est Frontera /cf. NL #1/, active since early March (Ed.)
new) 4508.7 R San Joaquín, San Joaquín (Beni) 2250-0100/0230. First hrd late Feb. by Áyrás (JE0 2/3)
160) 4530.3 R Hitachi (Ed., 29/3)
183) 4732.4, ex-4903.9, R La Palabra, Santa Ana del Yacuma (Ed.)
81) 4985.3v, ex-4980.9, R Dif Minería (Jones, NU 1263)
113) 5500.4 R Luz del Oriente, reactivated, first hrd 12/3 (Jones, NU 1263)
38) 6014.9, ex-6015.8, 6015.1, R El Mundo. Seems to be on full power per end of March (Ed.)
17) 6119.3, ex-6122.9, R Dif Integración (Jones, NU 1260)

COLOMBIA

- All info by Ed. unless otherwise stated.
5A) 540 R Auténtica is not 24 h; hrd s/off 0200 (YHG)
7) 660 R Auténtica. Addr: Calle 5C No. 41-30, Cali
26) 300 R Atalaya now relays RCN cadena básica
30) 840 50 H J Doble X (YHG)
36A) 870 50 R Mar Caribe Int'l. Mgr: Efraín Tejada. Street addr. listed is 2nd floor, whereas unrelated stn 36B) 1520 R Minuto is on 3rd floor.
47) 890 R Continental (Todelar Bogotá) is HJCE, not HJCS
45) 920 Ondas del Mayo. Mgr: Alejandro Ortega Portilla.
38A) 930 La V de Bogotá is HJCS, not HJCE
138/D) 980, 1030, 1230. Addr. is A. A. 2180, Cali, not 1972.
148) 990 RCN Medellín. Effective 1 Feb. 1994, 100, not 150 kW. Street addr. also given as San Juan 57A-21.

- 303) 1000 0.1 R Cultural, Cajibío: 1100-1700, 1900-2300 (Weekends 1100-1900). Dir: Hugo Cruz. F. Pl: 0.5 kW (YHG)
63A) 1020 RCN Pereira. Dir: Fernando Sánchez (YHG)
72) 1040 Colmundo Bogotá. Addr: Diagonal 58 No. 26A-29 (or: A. A. 36750), Bogotá (YHG)
79) 1050 R Palmira. Add alt. st. addr: Cra. 33 No. 28-51. Gte: Otto Burkhardt (YHG)
84) 1060 R Surcolombiana. (r. 1060.3; delete r. 1050).
91) 1070 R Super, Popayán: 24 h. (YHG)
104) 1100 R Super, ex-R Futuro, Neiva, as of Feb. 94
112B) 1120 R Deportes, ex-Corazón AM, Bucaramanga (YHG)
115AB) 1120 A 1480. Addr: Cra. 7a. No. 16-50, piso 12, Pereira (YHG)
new) 1140 5 R Piendamó: 1100-0500. Gte: Angel Ledesma. Addr: Cra. 7a. No. 2-27, Piendamó (Cauca) (YHG)
125) 1140 RCN Barbosa, ex-La V de la Pcia. Colombiana
119) 1150 RCN Neiva, ex-R Neiva 7
118A) 1160 HJOC Ecos de Colombia, ex-R Total, as per 1st March
139) 1170 La V de los Pijaos, ex Ondas del Folklor, Calle 11 No. 10-22, 2o. piso, Guamo (Tolima)
63B) 1210 Antena 2 de RCN, ex-La V Amiga. Gte: Dr. James Fonseca (YHG)
172) 1230 R Colina. Addr: Calle 14 No. 9-100, of. 302, Girardot (YHG)
112C) 1270 Corazón AM, ex-R Deportes, Bucaramanga (YHG)
new) 1300 R Cd. de Fresno, Fresno (Tolima)
203) 1300 R Lumbí. Dir: Gustavo García Yepes

- 63C) 1330 La " Amiga, ex Antena 2 - 2 - RCN, Pereira. (r. 29.7).
225) 1340 Antena 2 de RCN, ex-RCN Neiva
251AB) 1380 & 1440. Dir: Bernardo Tobón Martínez
new) 1402.5 (H2805) R La V de Cimitarra, Cimitarra (SS) (SSG/gn/R Enlace)
311) 1490 La V de los Robles is ex-Todelar, now Sistema Colombiano de R. Gte: Fco. Urrueta. Addr: Calle 27 No. 33-55, Tuluá. - Tuluá FM Stereo 96.1 S kW (YHG)
42E) 1470 R Familiar, ex-R Musical: 24 h. Format: carrilera. (r. 1469.8). Dir: Gmo. Botero Ramírez. Dir Tec: Antonio Serna
316) 1510 La V Panamericana, Calle 41 No. 19-87, Bucaramanga.
363) 1510, ex-1560, La V de los Cedros, Libano (Tolima), is ex-R Libanense, and a Todelar affiliate
368) 1520 R Minuto. Cf. 36A) 870
1298) 1550 R Reloj, Calarcá, not Armenia (YHG)
336) 1550 "HJZI 15-50", ex-R Fantasía: 24 h. Addr: Calle 22C No. 31-01. Gte: Luis Fdo. Saavedra. Format: Christian Contemporary
new) 1580 R dif Comunal Cultural, Timbó (Cauca) (YHG 20/12)
1188) 1580 Beverly Hills 15-80 AM, ex-Ecos de Colombia, per 1st March. Format: rock (JE0 2/3)
349) 1590 R /Zona/ Metropolitana. Affiliation to Em. Nuevo Continente (key st. 294), 1460 kHz has been implemented, change of name has not.
new) 1600 La V de Arauquita, Arauquita (Arauca) (SSG/Cnx 28/10)
10X) 3501.3, ex-3500, La V del Gualnía: irr. 1000-2300
new) 3580 R Católica: irr. 2100-0400. Location is rural district (corregimiento) of Cuatro Esquinas, Túquerres (Nariño). (A Guanacha)
628) 4884.9 Ondas del Meta is currently inactive on SW



- 172) 4965.4 R Santa Fé is inactive on SW.
262) 5020 Ecos del Atrato. HJCP, not HJPC, per canned ID 17/2. No mention of HJIT, listed on 1400.
356) 5567, ex-5569.5v, R Nueva Vida. Addr: Calle 7a. No. -9-25, Tibú (NS). Ap. A. in Cúcuta no longer valid. (Hard-ester, Köhlbrenner, FT #701)
93) 1080/5975 R Macarena. Delete from Todelar listing. Is aff. to Cadena Radial Auténtica only (YHG)
144) 1170/6035 La V del Guaviare Is aff. to RCN, not Todelar (YHG)
50), not 72), 6065 R Super (YHG)
Delete DP: Néstor Molina.
2) 9685 R dif Nacional. In March 1700-0300 approx.; for. sce. has been reduced to 2200-0300. Remaining SW freq's are all inactive at present.

DOMINICAN REP

- 9) 920 /CF. NL #1/94/ Variously hrd as R. 920 or relaying some of the FM outlets of the same company, i. e. Universal 98 and Power 103 (Perdomo, Feb.)

ECUADOR

- 608) 2967.7 R Runacunápac Yachana, "R El Saber del Hombre", Simiátug. This fq, heard Dec. 92 and Jan. 93 was not a harmonic; transmitter was in disorder. SW license now being applied for. (Eusebio Sigcha T., prgr mgr)
771) 3280.0, ex-3279.8, La V del Napo (Ed. 2/4)
748) Transmitters of La V del Upano on 3360 and 4870 are at Macas, not Macumá nor Loja (McVicar, DX Partyline 11/12)
5060.1, ex-5060.5, Sistema de Emisoras Progreso (Ed., 27/3)

GUATEMALA

- 91) 5040 La V de Nahualá is inactive on this fq (Johnson, from Belize listening post, NU 1262)

HONDURAS

- 111) 3249.5 R Luz y Vida. Morning trm ends at 1800, rather than 1630 (Johnson, NU 1262)
147) 4830 HRLW 0.5 R Litoral, La Ceiba. Gte. prop.: José E. Mejía. Started 15/5/93 per QSL rec'd (Berg, via DX Partyline 2/4) Studios are at Centro Comercial San José, La Ceiba (Atlántida) (E Perdomo, 9/3) Sked seems to be 1300v-2248-, on the air irr., about one day in three (Johnson, from Belize listening post, NU 1262)

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===== DATELINE BOGOTA ===== 12th May, 1994 =====

3134.3 R Jerusalén, Peru, "desde la floreciente y turística cooperativa de Jerusalén". That's all the QTH info they have given on the air. Prgr includes "himnos", TC's, evangelical transcription services in Spanish and long talks by Manuel Quispe Girón on medical plants. Morning transmission starts at 0900 on weekdays, 1000 Sundays, but there is no s/on announcement. This is a stn operated by a religious community somewhere near Cajamarca capital. Apparently, the place is fairly well-known; from the prgr contents I gather that it has been featured on TV, and that visitors come to stay at the place for a few days. Announces MW 1600, but SW has also been mentioned.

4732.6 R La Palabra, Bolivia. Typical TC/ID at 0040, 11/5: "La Palabra: Paz y bien para todos los hogares, le anuncia la hora: Son las 9 menos 20 aquí en Radio La Palabra".

4775 R Iarma Internacional, Peru, is requesting reports, which will be answered, they say, in their morning show "Alegre amanecer". At 1100 "Angelus", followed by an ID announcement in English and "Música folklórica nacional". A recurrent ad for a pennant manufacturer's, Bordadurfa García, seems like promising news to pennant hunters.

4810 R San Martín, Peru. I don't hear the morning prgr mentioned in "Relámpago" #55, but instead, at 1000-1100, "Agroinforme". On Sat mornings there is a music prgr called "Buenos días San Martín". Their ID annct is ingenious: "R San Martín, la imagen tropical de Tarapoto, una radio con música, noticias y cultura para todos los peruanos". That's how to kill their two competitors in one sentence.

4824.2 R La Voz de la Selva, Peru, celebrating its 22nd anniversary 14/4, manager Miss Julia Jáuregui at the microphone during the local evening transmission.

4858.3 R La Hora, Peru, is here again, having been on 4862.5-7 at the end of February. This freq was mistakenly reported as R Emisoras 16 de Marzo, Bolivia, in various bulletins, for instance Numero Uno. But the Bolivian is rock-steady on 4864.5.

4904.9 R La Oroya, Peru. I haven't been checking this stn daily, but s/on times seem to be much more irr. than reported in "Relámpago" #55. On 11/4 stn was not on the air even at 1100. On 22/4 they were playing Los Errantes de Chuquibamba already at 0942, and on 28/4 the stn seemed to s/on around 0935. "Amanecer andino" some mornings is called "Amanecer en los Andes". The present name of the morning show seems to be "Buenos días, ciudad metalúrgica", which, by the way, has been rendered as "Buenos días, ciudad de la música" in Numero Uno and some other North American bulletins. Per annct's, the Sun transmission starts only at 1500, heard closing at 0005, "Domingos espectaculares".

4925v R San Miguel, Bolivia. Their current events prgr, 1000-1030, changed it's name to "La Voz del Norte Matinal" on 17/1.

4930.7 R Internacional, Casilla de Correos 1473, San Pedro Sula, Honduras, has been asking for reports indicating at what time the signal is audible. Recently, 11/5, their morning transmission with "El noticiero de la mañana", has been heard until 1100. The signal is huge and the programming enjoyable to listen to.

4950.1 R Madre de Dios, Peru, ex-4953, with "Un festival de música internacional"; Mondays until s/off 0200v. In this prgr there are taped reports from RAI, BBC, R Netherlands, REE, and DX reports from abroad are being featured.

4969.3 Morning show on Imagen, Peru, is no longer as reported in "Relámpago" #55, but rather "Amanecer con Imagen".

4991 R Ancash, Peru, will celebrate its 10th anniversary 27/5 with a big "verbena", presents etc. per annct heard 3 weeks in advance. As reported elsewhere, stn is now on a 24 h. sked. I was surprised to hear Los Hermanos Yandú, 12/4, in a regular ½ h. prgr until midnight. These quacks seem to hit the road after a month or two in one place. Last year they stayed in places such as Saposoa, Moyobamba, Celendín, where they used to have a daily live broadcast on one of the local radio stations. While in Saposoa, they phoned in their prgr to Estación C, of Moyobamba. These "curanderos" usually stay in a local "hostal", and in their prgrs they answer letters from listeners, inviting them to come and see them. A standard trick is to try to woo the locals by referring to the town they're in as "en esta culta ciudad de ..."

5019.8 R Horizonta, Chachapoyas, Peru, was heard during Easter (viz. 31/3) until 0100 with special religious services thanks to Ecos del Atrato, Colombia, which kept quiet at the time. This stn is announcing HJCP, not HJPC, per top of the hour annct heard 17/2.

5039.3 R Libertad de Junín, Peru. Announcement given by Mr. Yamada in RNM #191 is very close: "Transmitiendo R Libertad de Junín, la emisora que Ud. y su familia necesitaban, una emisora puesta a su servicio, con la música y los entretenimientos que le harán su favorita". 13/4, at 1034.

5179 R Oriental, San Ignacio, Peru, is a new station; on this freq since 12/4, s/off 0130v. Some of the canned ID's are given twice: "Desde la cuna del progreso y del trabajo, (...) nacional, transmite, en amplitud modulada, frecuencia modulada, onda corta, R Oriental, la más (...)". "Desde el pueblo de San Ignacio, tierra generosa, transmite R Oriental, la emisora de su preferencia". "R Oriental, la más alegre de su dial". Not surprisingly, R Frecuencia San Ignacio, 5700, now starts its transmissions a bit earlier, around 0030 or so, but on Mother's Day, 8/5, well before midnight.

5602.7 R Ritmo, Peru, is unheard since April or May '93. I reported the demise of this stn to Numero Uno #1250, but, shortly after, two logs of "R Ritmos" w/ ID, TC etc. appeared in that bulletin, both w/out date, though.

5614v R Ilucán, Peru, has returned to their usual whereabouts after well over three months on 5422.2.

5894.7 R Paucartambo, Peru, is regular around 1100 w/bilingual prgr, power apparently 300 W, altho speaker said "potencia de 300 kHz".

5924.1 CVU La V del Trópico, Bolivia, 7/4 at 2315 w/news and sports, improved level but disastrous sound quality, seemingly due to faulty studio-tx link.

6010.6 R América, Lima, Peru, 7/4, 2330 w/rock music, ID'ing, precisely as PFA has it, "los mejores tiempos de radio". Curiously enough, Venezuelan R Mundial 1040 is on exactly the same decimal, although usually not audible that late. On 6/5 at 2058 commentary on new banking austerity laws by Roger Vivas, "el director de R Los Andes 1040", commentary called "Un eco valiente en la cordillera".

6045.2v R Santa Rosa, Peru, weekdays 1000-1100 w/"La hora huanuqueña", weekends w/"Mínca, La Voz de la Libertad". The former prgr is for the Huánuco community living in Lima, the second is for the Cajamarca community.

6080.1 R Patagonia Chilena, Chile, tentatively 10/5, 1040-1100 relaying news from R Portales, 1180. HCJB off, only recognizably QRM from R Australia. A most unusual catch here!

6281.7 R Huancabamba, Peru, w/ noticeably improved signal level from 3/5 onwards. On 10/5 the speaker mentioned that tx power has been raised and that transmission times are from 0630 local to "altas horas de la noche". 11/5 w/tough "pauta publicitaria" comprising some 15-odd establishments; 0028 "servicio de comunicados".

6238 R Estación Yurimaguas, Calle Comercio 102, Yurimaguas, Peru, has made a comeback to SW at a very crucial moment, R Oriente, 6190, having been silent for over a month now. First noted 28/4 around midnight with pop and rock, a few days later also in the morning, usually signing on at 1000, and featuring the same prgr as last year on 5046.3. The announcer and the music is the same, the only thing to have changed is the commercial back-up.

6472.6 R Luz y Sonido, Huánuco, Peru, was first noticed 30/3. S/on 1030v, s/off 0130v. Less QRM in the morning. Address given as "749 Jr. Dámaso Beraún, Plaza de Armas". A letter sent to the director of San Teodoro Seminary, which has a regular prgr on Sat night, has been acknowledged on the air. This stn is non-commercial and operated by the Diocese of Huánuco.

6530.2 R Patria Libre, Colombia, has been off the air since medio April after a raid by the Colombian Army to a camp in the San Lucas mountains of Bolívar state. Reportedly, the SW tx was capable of 1 kW output power.

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