

# SHORTWAVE BULLETIN

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Congrats to John Herkimer for the William P Eddings award.

Found an interesting note about a FB site I haven't heard about before. Take a look at Dietmar Krämer who is in Bolivia and have some very interesting entries there. I also found a website where you can read about the job done in Esmoraca. Take a look here: <https://www.esmoraca-bolivia.org/>

Henrik Klemetz sent me some additional information about R Katanga where I made a mistake in issue 1896. It was not a QSL but instead a poster shown. More info in this issue later.

Except for the log there is only a few contributions. One item is very promising - the one from Tore B Vik who has found three new shortwave licenses for Peru.

Hope those stations also will start operation in due time.

Here in Sweden we have had a long time of very interesting conds towards NA. Several daytimers have been heard.

Keep on ....

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## QSL, kommentarer, mm.

William P. Eddings Award  
Member of the Year – 2018

**John Herkimer**

This year the club's Executive Council enthusiastically choose John Herkimer to receive the William P. Eddings Award as its 2018 member of the year. John has done many things for the club over the years, much of it "in the background". He edited the old "Shortwave Center" column back in the 1980s, and right now he is chair of the club's Country List Committee. John is one of the many people I depend upon for advice when important issues come up. Executive Council felt it would be nice to recognize him, as he hasn't publicly received the credit that he has deserved. Also, each month John prepares the covers for **The Journal**.

I had the privilege to make the announcements at the Saturday evening banquet at the Winter SWL Festival in Plymouth Meeting. (73, Rich via DXPlorer)

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Congratulations. Well deserved, your work for our hobby. (Robert Wilkner via DXPlorer)

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Also congratulations from Denmark! John was a good member of the former Danish Shortwave Club International (DSWCI) for a long time.  
(Anker Petersen, Ex-Chairman DSWCI via DXPlorer)

## Dietmar Krämer + Facebook



Der kleine Sender Radio San Francisco von [Dietmar Krämer](#) in Esmoraca, Bolivien.

Dietmar ist auch Funkamateurliebling und berichtet in Facebook viel vom Leben in Bolivien.

Empfehlenswert ihn zu "liken".

Here is his Facebook address:

[https://www.facebook.com/CP4PG?fref=gs&hc\\_ref=ARQJ6SEj76jJ6qnE7urAgvePMkxOvjQe3XmTTwtNOlafpqn89EQNjbxZ5oJvetNjBY&dti=295486116966&hc\\_location=group](https://www.facebook.com/CP4PG?fref=gs&hc_ref=ARQJ6SEj76jJ6qnE7urAgvePMkxOvjQe3XmTTwtNOlafpqn89EQNjbxZ5oJvetNjBY&dti=295486116966&hc_location=group)

(Christoph Ratzer via A-DX)

**Christer Brunström: Voice of Turkey 15270** 727th anniversary of the Ottoman Empire QSL-card. **Swedish DX Federation via Channel 292 6070** kHz special World Radio Day QSL-card.

**Giovanni Carboni.** Last log with SDR ELAD S2 and loop antenna by Giovanni Carboni IZ5PQT - Pisa - Italy

**Manuel Méndez,** Lugo, Spain. **5840, World Music Radio,** Randers, very nice eQSL cards received in 13 and 9 days for two reception reports sent to [wmr@wmr.dk](mailto:wmr@wmr.dk).

## Log

(UTC)

1710.01	Feb22	2225	Hrd this one again from 2225 w/songs by Abba, Steelers Wheel, Michael Jackson, Bill Withers, Tom Jones, B.J. Thomas, and Brotherhood of Man. Hrd "Save Your Kisses For Me" by Brotherhood of Man right to the end at 2317. After that it seemed like deadair/OC. The signal was certainly strong enough for audio at times, but didn't hear any. The signal went off at 2329:50. The Hudson Co. TIS was stronger and more dominant than usual to-night. (Valko)
2959.996	Feb24	0751	WABF, Mobile, AL Found on this 2 X 1480 harmonic at 0751. 0753 canned ID/promo by M, then song by what sounded like Aretha Franklin. 0759 another apparent ID/promo. A little more mx, then ID by W and more mx. Came back at 0835 and hrd "Muskrat Love" by Captain and Tennille, then nice ID w/website at 0837:35. 0859 Carpenters, then ToH ID w/freq by W at 0859:45. Poor and very fady but readable on peaks. (Valko)
3240	Mar7	0258	TWR Swaziland opening with jingle and ID "this is TWR Swaziland" repeated several times. Then talks until 0323 followed by MX. At 0329 change of language, ann. by YL and ID "Radio Transmundial ...". Choirs until 0334. Then talks and at 0345 jingle and s/off. (Giovanni Carboni)
3310	Mar2	0105	Radio Mosoj Chaski, Cotapachi, Quechua, comments. (Méndez)
3320.03	Mar3	2115	R Sonder Grense, Meyerton Afrikaans ann, songs by choir (AP-DNK)
3325	Feb22	1113	NBC Bougainville 1113 press rpt by M w/ments of government and many ments of Bougainville. Went to at least 1138. Returned at 1148 and hrd end of anmnt by M, and into lively island mx. Recheck at 1207 and found w/NBC nx by M then signal suddenly gone at exactly 1207:54. Fair during peak. (Valko)
3325	Mar2	-1201*	NBC Bougainville. Segments with speeches (in Parliment?) in Pidgin and English; also segments with usual DJ in Pidgin playing mostly pop songs in English; 1100 no news; 1200 normal PNG bird call and into the NBC News in English; suddenly cut off. (Ron Howard, Asilomar State Beach, CA, USA)
3345	Mar7	0346	Channel Africa with talks and song. 0400 ann "Africa rising sun..." and jingle. Then YL reading EN news and announcing "Double 3, 4, 5 kHz on the 90 m band". Then alternating OM and YL spkrs. Good, fading out after 0415. (Giovanni Carboni)
3900	Mar4	*2130-	Hulun Buir PBS, Hailar Chinese talk - very weak (AP-DNK)
3930	Mar3	2140	Voice of the People, via Goyang, South Korea. // 3910.00 - both jammed (AP-DNK)
3930.0	Mar7	2138	Voice Of The People (cland.), Goyang. Kor to KRE, tks. Jammed. 24331 (CG)
3950	Mar7	0045	Xinjiang PBS, Urumqi Chinese talk mentioning Xinjiang // 5060 and 5960 (AP-DNK)
3975	Mar3	1740	Shortwave R, Winsen English ID: "This is Shortwave, 3-9-7-5", English pop songs. Also heard 3.3 at 2145 (AP-DNK)
3975.0	Mar1	2142	Short Wave R - pir. E, pop oldies, tks. 35433 (CG)
3985	Mar4	2135	Echo of Hope, via Hwaseong, South Korea Korean talk - jammed (AP-DNK)
3985.0	Mar7	2140	R.Echo Of Hope (cland.), Gyeonggi-do. Kor to KRE, tks. Jammed. // 5995 new. 34342 (CG)
3990	Mar7	0050	Xinjiang PBS, Urumqi Uighur talk 45444 // 4980, 6120 and 7205 (AP-DNK)
3990	Mar7	1755	PBS Xizang talks and MX. Fair. //4980 kHz (worse) and //6120 kHz (good). 1800 time signal and s/off. (Giovanni Carboni)
3995	Mar1	1440	HCJB, Weenermoor German religious talk and hymn // 5920 (AP-DNK)
4010.13	Mar7	0055	Birinchi R, Krasnaya Rechka Kyrgyz talk, local string music (AP-DNK)
4500.01	Mar7	0100	Xinjiang PBS, Urumqi Mongolian talk // 6190 (side band splashes) (AP-DNK)
4747.36	Feb27	2342	R. Huanta 2000 Nice signal w/camposina mx. M annr in SP at 2344 ending w/ID and TC, then back to campo mx. Ad block 2348-2353 w/many ments of Huanta. Canned shouted ID by M during campo song at 2358:30. Live M DJ returned at 0001 followed by another ad block to 0003 t/out. One of the rare times it stayed on throughout the evening. (Valko)
4750	Mar4	2125	Voice of China, Hailar Chinese ann, orchestra music // 4800 (AP-DNK)
4750	Mar8	1650	Bangladesh Betar. Local songs with strings and drums MX until 1659, then jingle and ID "Bangladesh Betar" followed by news. S/off 1706. Very good. (Giovanni Carboni)
4760	Mar5	1537	AIR Port Blair (presumed not to be AIR Leh [Kashmir]). Continuing with their above average reception, heard at 1537, March 5, with news in English; today with very light CODAR QRM (unusual). Nice to find this station daily doing so well (Ron Howard, Asilomar State Beach, CA, USA)

4765.07	Mar7	0105	Tajik R 1, Yangiyul Tajik ann, local song to string music, conversation (AP-DNK)
4774.87	Feb26	2255	R. Sora "A Voz do Brasil" nx pgm from 2255. Full canned ID w/freqs by M at 2300. ID as R. Sora de Congonhas. Best signal in a long time but centered right on a CODAR. (Valko)
4774.90	Feb27	2353	R. Tarma Rapid SP tlk by M at 2353 w/ment of R. Santa Rosa. Tuned out briefly and canned anmnt on return at 2356 w/ment of Tarma, live M DJ w/TC and tlk by 2 men over ToH past 0003. Good signal. No CODAR QRM at this time but horrible het and QRM from R. Sora a hair below. (Valko)
4800	Mar7	0110	AIR Hyderabad Telegu talk QRM Voice of China (AP-DNK)
4800	Mar1	2100	V. of China Golmud, songs, fair //7215 kHz (poor), 4750 kHz unheard (Giovanni Carboni)
4810	Mar7	0115	AIR Bhopal Urdu ann, local songs (AP-DNK)
4810	Mar2	0315	Denge Welat. 0326 s/on with hymn or march, 0328 choirs and MX until 0337. Then until 0400 OM speaker, march, women's choir, songs. 0400 jingle then OM speaking until 0415. Very strong. (Giovanni Carboni)
4810	Mar5	0315	Denge Welat. Similar format as 2/03/18 but large fluctuations in signal, seemingly more due to TX power fluctuations than to QSB. Very strong. (Giovanni Carboni)
4820	Mar1	2108	PBS Xizang, Lhasa, music, poor // 6050 kHz (good) // 7240 kHz (best) (Giovanni Carboni)
4840	Mar2	0240	WWCR, Nashville, TN English religious talk (AP-DNK)
4850	Mar5	0002	PBS Xinjiang, Urumqi, MX, fair. (Giovanni Carboni)
4850.02	Mar2	0245	Xinjiang PBS, Urumqi Kazakh talk (AP-DNK)
4875.26	Feb27	0256	R. Difusora Roraima Tremendous signal w/long song 0256-0302, canned PT anmnt by W, tlk by M over mx, 0305 nice full canned PT ID by M w/freqs and QTH. Amazing strength but really poor the following morning. (Valko)
4875.27	Mar2	0250	R Dif. Roraima, Boa Vista, RR Portuguese ann, Brazilian songs (AP-DNK)
4885	Feb28	1252	Echo of Hope - VOH, 1252 & 1302. Brief anomaly with them being off the air, but at 1328 check noted on the air; rare that they are silent; always heard with fair-good reception and never any N. Korea jamming. (Ron Howard, Asilomar State Beach, CA, USA)
4885.0	Mar7	2142	R.Echo Of Hope (cland.), Nowon-gu. Kor to KRE, tks, mx. 35332 (CG)
4885	Mar2	0647	Radio Clube do Pará, Belém, Brazilian songs. (Méndez)
4885	Mar9	0221	R. Clube do Pará ID immediately upon tune-in; just too easy. Slightly on hi side (Glenn Hauser, OK)
4885.03	Feb27	0301	R. Clube do Para 0301 M anncr in PT w/ment of R. Clube, couple canned anmnts, and full canned ID anmnt w/freqs, and QTH by M at 0306. Strong but not quite as good as Roraima next door. (Valko)
4885.03	Mar4	2140	R Clube do Pará, Belém, PA Portuguese talk with QRM from Echo of Hope, South Korea (AP-DNK)
4900	Feb27	1200	no longer // 4940, Voice of Strait, after the switch in frequencies at 1200, on Feb 27. Recently 1200-1300 was // for 4900 & 4940, but not now. (Ron Howard, Asilomar State Beach, CA, USA)
4905	Mar1	2113	PBS Xizang, Lhasa, YL speaking and music, fair // 4920 kHz (fair) // 7385 kHz (good) (Giovanni Carboni)
4910.00	Mar7	0120	AIR Jaipur Rajasthani ann, local songs (AP-DNK)
4920.00	Mar7	0125	AIR Chennai Tamil news QRM Xizang (AP-DNK)
4920.00	Mar4	2145	Xizang PBS, Lhasa, Tibet Tibetan ann and songs // 4905 (CWQRM in USB) (AP-DNK)
4930	Feb25	-2100*	VOA, via Moepeng Hill English funny interview with a Zimbabwean Filmproducer playing some African tunes, closing ID. <u>No longer extended broadcasts towards Zimbabwe!</u> // STP 1530 and STP 6195 (AP-DNK)
4949.75	Mar1	1915	Radio Nacional de Angola, Mulenvos, comments, African and other songs. (Méndez)
4950	Mar3	1730	R Kashmir, Srinagar EE news from AIR, Delhi //Shillong 4970 and Jeypore 5040 (AP-DNK)
4985	Mar4	2150	R Brasil Central, Goiânia, GO Portuguese talk (AP-DNK)
5005	Mar4	0545	Radio Bata missing the last three days at its habitual time 0520-0610, but today 0545-0558, Mar 4, carrier detected, extremely weak signal. (Méndez)
5010	Mar2	1710	AIR, Thiruvananthapuram, Hindi songs, id. and news in EE. Good signal today. (Méndez)
5010	Mar7	0130	AIR Thiruvananthapuram Malayalam talk (AP-DNK)
5010			WRMI. After conducting a low powered test here on March 7, has not been heard again on the 8th nor the 9th; am only hearing AIR Thiruvananthapuram. Later this month, when WRMI starts up with full power, will probably be impossible to hear India, at least here on the west coast (Ron Howard, Asilomar State Beach, CA, USA)
5025	Mar2	0310	R Rebelde, Bauta Spanish talk about Santiago de Cuba in 1963 (AP-DNK)
5040	Feb26	1231	AIR Jeypore. News in English (Delhi audio feed), with news of the Nagaland election results; // AIR Shillong (4970) // AIR Thiruvananthapuram (5010) (Ron Howard, Asilomar State Beach, CA, USA)
5040	Mar2	0315	R Habana Cuba, Bauta Spanish conversation, jingle (AP-DNK)
5045	Mar5	1445	Ozy Radio, on March 5, from 1445+ with no broadcast here today. Craig Allen's Facebook comment (March 4): "changing frequency to 4835 need to order parts." March 5 - Recently

AIR Gangtok (4835) had been off the air, but today heard at 1442 with subcontinent music/singing. Ozy Radio on 5045, has not been heard for some days now (Ron Howard, Asilomar State Beach, CA, USA)

5045 Ozy Radio, not heard March 8 & 9, nor was anyone on 4835, so AIR Gangtok is again silent, just as Glenn reported on the 8th (Ron Howard, Asilomar State Beach, CA, USA)

5055 Feb22 1120 4KZ 1120-1123 "Every Breath You Take" by The Police. 1123-1126 "Brown-Eyed Girl" by Van Morrison. 1126 short ID promo by M ending w"...4KZ". 1129-1132 think it was "Annie's Song" by John Denver. 1132 another promo by W anncr. 1132-1136 "The Rose" by Bette Midler. 1139 ad by 2 men w/ment of "...specializing in...visit...24 hour support. For more details...you may order...registered ?? directorate...worldwide, all new positions...information...", followed by another ad ending w/jingle. 1141 next song didn't recog.(kind of sounded like INXS). 1146 1148 novelty song. 1148-1151 "After Midnight" by Eric Clapton. 1151-1154 sounded like Tom Jones "Love me Tonight". 1157 sounded like Englebert Humperdinct. 1159:45 short ad by M followed by "...4-K-Z" ID by M. 1200-1204 nx by W w/sev. actualities. Possible ad, then 1205 wx rpt by M. 1206-1211 back to mx w/Graceland" by Paul Simon. Didn't recog. the other songs. (Valko)

5055 Mar8 1252 JBA carrier from presumed 4KZ, but nothing on 5045, OzyRadio. As of March 5, Ron Howard was reporting that Craig Allen said 5045 was off pending change to 4835 --- despite Sikkim --- neither one detected here March 8 after 1300 once WWCR quit 4840 (Glenn Hauser, OK)

5055 Mar9 1130 4KZ, heard on March 8 & 9; reception is now below threshold level audio, about 1130+; back in Dec/Jan was doing much better. Still not on full power? (Ron Howard, Asilomar State Beach, CA, USA)

5129.83 Mar7 0135 WBCQ, Monticello, Maine English ann, songs (AP-DNK)

5840 Mar2 1725 World Music Radio, pop songs in English, Latin American songs, identification song: "World Music Radio", Cuban song "Junto a un Cañaveral", identification in Spanish: "Esta es WMR, World Music Radio, porque usted ama la música". (Méndez)

5857.5 Feb26 1307 HLL2 Seoul. In English with weather conditions at different observatories; providing wind direction, wind speed in meters per second, air pressure in hectopascals and temperature in Celsius; as usual the audio sounded muffled, but good signal strength. My audio posted at <http://goo.gl/YtG7Yr>. (Ron Howard, Asilomar State Beach, CA, USA)

5910.3 Mar2 0750 Alcaraván Radio, Puerto Lleras, Latin American songs. Very weak. (Méndez)

5915 Mar1 1830 Zambia NBC Radio 1, Lusaka, Vernacular comments. (Méndez)

5915.02 Feb28 1955 ZNBC, R Zambia, Lusaka, 2002 jingle, vernacular conversation (AP-DNK)

5918.351 Mar9 1111 Voice of Freedom. Thanks to Wolfie for his continued monitoring, which also corresponds to my daily checking of VOF:  
**5918.351** kHz measured on monitoring at 1111 UT on March 9, on remote Perseus SDR unit in Seoul Korea, S=9+10dB signal strength. Hwaseong bcst transmission.  
**5918.368** kHz measured on monitoring at 2111 UT on March 8, on remote Perseus SDR unit in Seoul Korea, S=9+10dB signal strength. Hwaseong bcst transmission.  
**5918.388** kHz measured on monitoring at 1630 UT on March 8, on remote Perseus SDR unit in Tokyo Japan, S=9+10dB signal strength. 73 wolfie (df5sx), via dxldyg. (Ron Howard, Asilomar State Beach, CA, USA)

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Voice of Freedom, due to their daily slow downward spiral in frequency, is now actively causing QRM for both China (CRI) and Myanmar (Myanmar Radio), both on 5915. If VOF continues their downward trend, the QRM will only get stronger. Here in California the VOF signal is daily strong, with good reception, even with the light N. Korean jamming that is also now present. (Ron Howard, Asilomar State Beach, CA, USA)

5918.789 Mar7 1413 S4-S6 in presumed Korean, music, varying slightly, Voice of Freedom, which Ron Howard has been reporting varying around this reactivated frequency, nominal 5920. This correlates with Ron's latest report, today: "March 7 - Voice of Freedom continues their downward spiral. Thanks to input from Dave Valko, who measured VOF at 1053, on 5918.91v, and at 1103, as 5918.902v. My monitoring from 1117 to 1216 had them about 5918.91v, down to 5918.76v. Ron California" (Glenn Hauser, OK)

5952.46 Feb27 0208 R. Pio Doce 0208 really nice signal w/nonstop rustic CP camposina mx. 0220 finally short canned ID anmnt by W, and more anmnts. 0225 men shouting "Pio Doce" twice, then alternating M and W anncrs over instru. mx w/ID. 0227 usual "Colonel Bogey march and long full canned ID anmnt by M w/QTH "Siglo XX, Municipio de Llallagua, Departamento de Potosi, Bolivia", AM SW and FM freqs, website, and phone. Ended w/harp signature 3 times at 0229 and plug pulled at 0230:02. Had slight QRM from weak signal on 5950, but pass-band removed it. (Valko)

5960 Feb26 0500 R. Ndarason Int. (relay) NHK (Issoudun) went off here leaving R. Ndarason Int. already on with vcl song then exotic Afro mx at 0500. Same W anncr as hrd previous day w/opening

anmnt mixed in w/ment of Nigeria, Hausa and ending w/ID at 0502:25. When a M anncr came on along with the W, I realized it was 2 diff. audio feeds. W continued w/pres. nx to 0511 (many ments of Nigeria, and Boko Haram) while the other had more exotic mx then M anncr at 0510. The first feed had all tlk segments (w/mx bridges), and the second had all exotic mx (sounding HoA style at 0513 and 0527) with the studio M anncr sev. times. Hrd the M on the second feed ment "International" at least twice, possibly Ndarason IDs, but the pace was too fast to be 100% certain. But presumably 2 diff. R. Ndarason Int. feeds mixing together. Was down to just the second feed only at 0620 recheck. Tnx Mauno Ritola and Dave Kernicks tip passed on by Ron Howard. A Youtube video of the reception can be found using this link: <https://youtu.be/SWfNPDmIc74> (Valko)

5975	Mar4	2200	Voice of Vietnam, Son Tay Vietnamese talk (news ?) // 5925 (AP-DNK)
5985	Feb28	1316	Myanmar Radio. The Wednesday edition of "Say It In English"; 1316-1325; Tom checks into a hotel to get a good night sleep; "poor Tom has been trying to sleep for three hours," but loud TV being played in the room next to his; program carried later than usual; show only on Mon. & Wed. (Ron Howard, Asilomar State Beach, CA, USA)
5995	Mar2	0653	Radio Mali, Bamako, African songs, French, comments. (Méndez)
<u>5995.0</u>	Mar7	2145	R.Echo Of Hope (cland.), site? Kor to KRE, tks. Jammed. New fq. // 3985, but not 4885. 33442 (CG)
6005	Mar1	1450	Shortwave Service, Kall-Krekel German talk about the Nature (AP-DNK)
6010.02	Feb26	2301	R. Inconfidencia 2301 singing ID jingle, then live studio M DJ starting w/nice clear ID, then same ID jingle again, and nx highlights w/separater fanfare between each and ment of "America". Another ID at 2303 and list of network stns. Good signal and clear. (Valko)
6015	Feb27	1210	KBS Hanminjok Bangsong 1 heard with about a half an hour with no N. Korea jamming; news in Korean; nice "KBS News" IDs in English after each news item; sound bites in English; good reception. My audio at <a href="http://goo.gl/VUDaxm">http://goo.gl/VUDaxm</a> (Ron Howard, Asilomar State Beach, CA, USA)
6030	Mar1	1806	Radio Oromiya, Addis Ababa, East African songs. (Méndez)
6035	Feb28	-1222*	PBS Yunnan (Voice of Shangri-la). Running past usual 1201*; as they always do after 1201, played a musical loop of EZL instrumental music, over and over again; better than average reception; no sign of BBS/Bhutan. (Ron Howard, Asilomar State Beach, CA, USA)
6050	Mar2	0645	ELWA Radio, Monrovia, English, religious comments. (Méndez)
6065	Mar1	1832	Voice of Hope, Lusaka, id. "From Zambia, this is The Voice of Hope Africa, broadcasting on...", English, religious comments. (Méndez)
6085	Mar1	1455	R Mi Amigo International, Kall-Krekel English ann, pop songs, timesignal (AP-DNK)
6090.0	Mar4	1640	Voice Of Amhara State, Geja Jawe. Vn, tks, phone-ins. 35343 (CG)
6110	Feb27	1517	KNLS (tx1). In Russian; almostfair. Checking this due to being reported by Hiroyuki Komatsubara -"1505 - 6110kHz KSLN [sic.] World Christian Broadcasting, Russian,** New SKD ? or mistake ??[Feb 25]"; listed on their website at <a href="http://www.worldchristian.org/WhoWeAre/howtolisten.php">http://www.worldchristian.org/WhoWeAre/howtolisten.php</a> . Interested to also hear Russian on 6105, via CRI, at the same time (Ron Howard, Asilomar State Beach, CA, USA)
6110.0	Mar4	1637	R.Fana, Geja Jawe. Vn, HoA songs, tks. 35332 CG
6115	Feb26	0549	R. Congo Nx pgm at 0549 t/in. Wasn't there at 0540 check, so came on sometime w/in those 4 min. M pgm host in FR w/many many actualities and ments of Rwanda (or was it Luan-da) and Congo. Nice ID ending rpt by M at 0554:15. Afro Pop mx bridge at 0602, then canned M and W at 0603, Afro Pop mx w/M voice-over tlk and ment of Congo at 0604. 0605 M anncr. More canned anmnts to pleasant Afro Pop mx after 0608. Tlk during mx at 0614-0615. Fading. Best hrd in many years. Stronger on the Delta Loop but a little noisy. Also getting blasted pulsing static noise from 6080. A Youtube video of the reception can be found using this link: <a href="https://youtu.be/4zv8UEbQExc">https://youtu.be/4zv8UEbQExc</a> (Valko)
6115	Mar1	-1832*	Radio Congo, Brazzaville, French, news, "Radio Congo, le journal", "Le Congo", songs, "Le musique congolaise...". (Méndez)
6115	Mar2	1300	& 9505, Voice of Strait. March 2, another day of the change in their schedule; these frequencies noted up till about 1300, when they switched to 4900 & 4940 (Ron Howard, Asilomar State Beach, CA, USA)
6130	Mar5	2350	R Nationale Lao, Vientiane Lao woman talking with local music and songs (AP-DNK)
6134.72	Mar9	0644	S4-S6 music. Don't see how it could be anything but R. Santa Cruz, which is normally closer to 6134.8, and EiBi shows off the air between 0208 and 0900; while R. Aparecida, Brasil, possibly 24 hours, is typically on the other side around 6135.2. Need to check early evening for RSC when it's easily heard and measured (Glenn Hauser, OK)
6150	Feb25	0226	Channel Z Andy Walker doing a show. 0226 t/in. Songs by Episode 6 and The Squires. Song anmnts, ID, jingle ID. Andy giving greetings to Andy Yoder, Chris Lobdell, John Fisher, Ragnar, Harry Smith, Mike Rohde, George Zeller, Bill Finn, Kracker, and others. Good signal w/very quick fades. Signal was cutting out at times and finally went off in mid-pgm at 0233 (op said in an e-mail response because of poor conditions). A Youtube video of

6170	Mar3	0635	this reception can be watched using this link: <a href="https://youtu.be/hOBjKaud93w">https://youtu.be/hOBjKaud93w</a> (Valko) Scandinavian Weekend R, Virrat Finnish ann, pop songs (Scheduled on 5980 !). Also heard 3.3 at 1310-1325 English ann and pop songs (AP-DNK)
6173.95	Feb27	0010	R. Tawantinsuyo Very surprised to find this audible at 0010 w/Huayno mx. Studio M anncr at 0012-0014. Phone ringing SFX during song at 0015 and 0016. M anncr didn't take any calls on the air though. 0017 canned W anncr very briefly, no doubt a promo. M anncr returned mixing w/mx 0017-0019. All parallel to their web stream. Had a nice ID at 0017 but it was just a tad too weak to hear it here. No QRM. Nearly gone by 0030. One of the best Andean openings this Winter season here. (Valko)
6205.0	Feb25	1615	Laser Hot Hits - pir. E, pops, tks. 35343 (CG)
6245.0	Feb24	1855	UNID - pir. E, tks, pops. 25331 (CG)
6295.0	Feb25	1622	Reflections Europe - pir. Silent carrier. Adj. uty. QRM. // 12255 also silent. 24442 (CG)
6305.0	Feb18	1851	R.Joey (t) - pir. Mx, Dutch songs. <i>T-ID via DX press.</i> 35342 (CG)
6320.0	Feb25	1613	R.Focus Int'l - pir. E, pops, tks, e-mail addr. ann. & phone nr. for rec. rpts. Occ. CW QRM. Improving. 24442 (CG)
6520.0	Feb25	1701	Voice Of The People (cland.), Goyang. Kor to KRE, tks. Jammed. 23442 (CG)
6925.05	Feb21	2125	Yeah Man R. 2125 end of Jazz song, then M anncr w/ID and tlk abt HF Underground and greeted listeners by their site IDs. 2127 back to Jazz. 2130 another anmnt including IDs and into "track 2" w/sev. false starts. Still going to at least 2145. Fair signal w/slightly distorted audio and some heavy QSB. A Youtube video of this reception can be watched using this link: <a href="https://youtu.be/baBLZ3ombjc">https://youtu.be/baBLZ3ombjc</a> (Valko)
6954.98	Feb24	0732	UNID. Still going from the evening before with the marathon broadcast at 0732 UTC with "Feel Like Makin' Love" by Bad Company. Later, 0843 "Jesus is Just Alright" by The Doobie Brothers, 0846 "Roy Rogers" by Elton John, and 0851 "Against the Wind" by Bob Seger Fair on peaks but generally poor here in SW PA. (Valko)
7120	Mar1	1833	Radio Hargeisa, Hargeisa, East African songs. (Méndez)
7140.0	Mar3	1813	Voice Of The Broad Masses, Selai Dairo. Vn, tks, phone-ins, HoA songs & mx. Occ. amateur QRM. 35432 (CG)
7140.03	Mar3	1720	Voice of the Broad Masses of Eritrea, Asmara Tigrinya ann, Horn of Africa music (AP-DNK)
7275	Mar2	*1255-	KBS World Radio. Yesterdays QRM from UNID Chinese station was in fact CNR1. March 2, confirmed CNR1 // 6125. At *1255 the start of the KBS IS and ID, mixing equally with CNR1. So with two major stations here, there is no possibility of my hearing the recently reported PBS Guizhou, which has been heard by Japanese DXers about 0300 UT, when there is no CNR1 (Ron Howard, Asilomar State Beach, CA, USA)
7390.0	Feb25	1618	R.NZi, Rangitaiki. E, Afr songs, tks, pops, s/off anns. Adj. QRM. 43442 (CG)
7554.80	Mar4	1314	Regarding my log - "new frequency 7554.80, AIR via Delhi-Kingsway, ex: 7555.5v, 1314, March 4." Thanks very much to Wolfie checking on March 5, who noted "Nothing heard in 1255 to 1303 UT, 1318 UT nothing, except some 3.2 kHz wide STANAG like digital UTE of the Asian armies transmission center ? not permanently, but 2-3 minutes, then hopping around in 41 mb, and back to 7555v." I also checked at a later time and also heard nothing around 7555. So seems something happened to AIR for them to be on a new frequency yesterday and then to not be broadcasting today. Needs more monitoring. Appreciate Wolfie's assistance! (Ron Howard, Asilomar State Beach, CA, USA)
7555.69	Mar9	1212	AIR via Delhi-Kingsway, 1212, March 9. Already on with carrier; 1213 AIR IS (normal audio); 1215 start of distorted audio; unreadable; at 1255 heard with much better audio. Their recently varying frequencies seem to have settled onto this frequency, at least for the time being (Ron Howard, Asilomar State Beach, CA, USA)
7563.5L	Feb27	1058	VC01 (Chinese Military numbers station), at 1058 and again much later at 1540, with numbers in Chinese. Must just be a loop with numbers? (Ron Howard, Asilomar State Beach, CA, USA)
7720	Mar3	1832	USB, Marconi Radio International, Italian, radio news in Italian, id. "This is Marconi Radio International...", comments in English. (Méndez)
7720.0	Mar3	1548	Marconi R Int'l - pir.Ital, DX px, e-mail addr. anns. for rec. rpts. USB tx. 25331 (CG)
9629.932	Mar2	0629	Portuguese ads at S5-S7, mentions Aparecida. Now a comparable if not better signal to the other ZYs on 31m. Believe this one had been absent a while (Glenn Hauser, OK)
9630	Mar3	1335	CNR 17, Lingshi Kazakh ann, pop music // 6180 (AP-DNK)
9635	Feb21	2148	R. Mali (pres.) Found very strong carrier here at 2148. Extremely weak modulation w/live lcl Afro. mx (mainly percussion and vcls) from 2152. Went right over 2200 ToH, although there was a M tlking presumably from the remote QTH. Absolutely nothing on 5995. Came back at 0000 and the signal left the air at 0004:36. So no doubt Mali, but I'll still call it pres. as no official ID was hrd. (not hrd on this freq again over the next 3 days) A Youtube video of this reception (including nice IDs by 9650 R. Guinee) can be watched using this link: <a href="https://youtu.be/mpplkbrZFvE">https://youtu.be/mpplkbrZFvE</a> (Valko)

9650 Mar2 1120 Radio Guinée, Conakry, French and Vernacular comments, African songs, id. "La Radio National du Guinée". (Méndez)

9745 Mar3 1330 R Bahrain, Abu Hayan Arabic talk (AP-DNK)

9774.0 Mar9 1137 Fu Hsing BS, at 1137 & 1240, March 9. Off the air today, after being heard yesterday. So a one day only transmission? Will still keep an eye out here for any more activity (Ron Howard, Asilomar State Beach, CA, USA)

11720 Mar3 0858 Scandinavian Weekend Radio, Virrat, Finnish, comments, music, songs, extremely weak. (Méndez)

11735 Mar1 2017 Radio Transmundial, Santa María, religious comments. (Méndez)

11735 Mar1 1805 Zanzibar Broadcasting Corporation, Dole, English, news. (Méndez)

11780 Mar3 \*2058- cut on at \*2058 JIP S7-S9 excited Brazuguese talk, presumably SBG; 2129 recheck, yes, that's it, unlike weekdays when more serious with `Reporte da Amazônia` at 2130. Still no Anguilla to ACI it from 11775. And game still going past 2200 instead of `A Voz do Brasil` weekdays. Since they join in progress the game at 2058, do they also QIP, cut off at 2300, even if it's not finished? I'm not checking at that time (Glenn Hauser, OK)

11780.03 Feb27 2150 R Nacional da Amazônia, Brasília, DF Portuguese talk, musical interlude and more talk (AP-DNK)

12255.0 Mar4 726 Reflections Europe - pir. E, rlg. propag. pxs. // 6295 better yet poor. 15341 (CG)

12365.0 Feb25 705 VMC Marine Weather Stn, Charleville QLD. Wx warnings. 25442 (CG)

17769.03 Mar4 -0900\* South African Radio League, Meyerton English interviews about shortwave propagation, HAM callsigns, ID (AP-DNK)

**KiwiSDR Paraguay**, <<http://paraguay.proxy.kiwisdr.com:8073>> < excellent remote rx

6105.37 5 kW ZYE728 R Cultura Filadelfia, Foz do Iguacu PR heard at S=6 level at 1500 UT Feb 27.

11780.01 250 kW ZYE365 R. Nacional da Amazonia, Brasilia DF S=8-9 at 1515 UT, BrasPortuguese progr.

11915 R Gaucha, like exact measurement was 11914.959 kHz yesterday Feb 26, now on KiwiSDR measured at ZOOM-in on AM-narrow mode approx. 11914.95 kHz, 1520 UT, S=7 strength.

11934.905 10 kW ex "Radio R-B Dois", ZYJ200 Radio Evangelizar, Curitiba PR at S=3-4 JBA tiny signal at 1527 UT on Feb 27.

(73 wb df5sx)

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## Station news

### GERMANY Radio Klein Paris on Air

Die siebte Sendung von Radio Klein Paris International, der "lokalen" Free Radio Kurzwellenstation aus Mecklenburg, ist am 01. April 2018 (Ostersonntag) zwischen 10:00 und 11:00 UTC auf Kurzwelle 6070 khz über den Sender von channel292 aus Rohrbach zu hören. Neben einem Rückblick auf die sechste Sendung und den Reaktionen daraus zum Thema DXing in der DDR, ist ein Portrait über Bizim Radyo (türkischsprachiger Geheimsender aus der DDR) und ein Portrait der Sängerin Susi Koch (Kommt aus Mecklenburg) zu hören.

Die Sendung wird am 02.04.2018 (Ostermontag) zwischen 12:00 und 13:00 Uhr ebenfalls auf 6070 khz und am 01. Mai via [lautfm/jukebox](http://lautfm/jukebox) wiederholt.

Empfangsberichte per Post gehen an die Adresse FM Kompakt c/o Thomas Kircher, Staudinger Weg 9, 74081 Heilbronn (Deutschland). Empfangsberichte per Mail bitte an [kunos-radiothek@web.de](mailto:kunos-radiothek@web.de). Für eine QSL per Post bitte Rückporto für einen Standardbrief beilegen.

(<https://www.facebook.com/groups/rmrcev/>)

(Anatoly Klepov via RUS-DX # 967)

**NIGERIA [non]**. Now we have a chance to compare the two **Dandal Kuras**, as David Smith explained separation into adjacent frequencies.

5960, March 4 at 0527, African percussion, VG S9+10; 0532 mentions Maiduguri several times (Nigerian city original HQ of DK). 5960 has better modulation than 5950 below. 5960 is still on at 0601, and poor at 0649. Info from David Smith said his new Chad-based service is still on 5960, i.e. at 05-07 via Ascension. It is still also officially Dandal Kura, but in process of transitioning to Ndarason Radio International. So would we ever hear IDs as NDI any more?

5950, March 4 at 0527, African talk about Nigeria, Boko Haram, also S9+10 but softer sound. 0530 now dead air, but up to S9+20 and steadier than before; 0533 seems to be switching around to different bits of feed sources, like tuning a satellite or internet receiver, alternating with dead air; no hums, anyway. 0535 talk and DA; 0543 still modulating on and off. Off the air by 0601. Info from David Smith was that 5950 at 05-06 is the Maiduguri-based original Dandal Kura, via FRANCE. And also 7415 at 06-07:

7415, March 4 at 0602, now this one is on, but very poor with hum; at 0649 still VP but heavy hum, worse than Ascension would suffer, so maybe it is really ISSoudun, FRANCE as alleged. Is not // 5960.  
(Glenn Hauser, OK, DX LISTENING DIGEST)

**PERU.** Information from MTC – Peru:

3365 OAW7L 1 kW New licence to Melquiades Tapia Condori. Av. Diagonal Angamos N°2300, Urb. Las Fucias, distrito de Wanchaq, provincia de Cusco, departamento de Cusco

4930 OAW7M 1 kW New licence to Roosbelt Bellido Cahuascano, Av. Bolívar N° 127 — Comunidad Ccapacchiani, distrito de Pitumarca, provincia de Canchis, departamento de Cusco.

6030 OAD6A 1 kW New licence to Empresa Radio Difusora Roy Juarez E.I.R.L, Calle La Libertad No 105, Distr de Moquegua, Prov de Mariscal Nieto Dept de Moquegua  
(Tore B Vik, Norway)

**USA.** Dave - Have posted this to WRTH Facebook page:

Ron Howard Am fairly sure they will, at least for me, block reception of AIR on 5010 kHz., once WRMI is up to full power.

After my hearing WRMI today (March 7), testing on 5010 kHz., I emailed Jeff White, asking about my reception. He has kindly responded with:

*"Hi Ron.*

*I'm amazed that you were able to hear 5010 in California. Yes, we were doing some **low-power testing** on that frequency. We'll be back there sometime after the start of A18.*

*All the best.*

*Jeff*

WRMI Radio Miami International, 10400 NW 240th Street, Okeechobee, Florida 34972 USA, Tel +1-305-559-9764  
Fax +1-863-467-0185, [www.wrmi.net](http://www.wrmi.net) "

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On Wed, Mar 7, 2018 at 5:02 AM, Dave Valko <[djvalko@verizon.net](mailto:djvalko@verizon.net)> wrote:

Just found 5010 parallel to 9395 WRMI at 1257 with "Dirty Laundry" by Don Henley. So although it doesn't rule out a Pirate relaying WRMI on 5010, the parallel indicates it's more likely that it is in fact WRMI itself.

(Ron Howard)

## Other radio news



### Array Solutions Receiver Front End Protector

Heute eingetroffen: Array Solutions Receiver Front End Protector. Der nächste Sommer mit Gewitter und extremen statischen Auf- und Entladungen kommt bestimmt.

(Christoph Ratzer via A-DX)

<https://www.arrayolutions.com/surge-and-rf-protection/as-rxfep>



Henrik Klemetz commented the lines about Radio Katanga in issue 1896. He says it was not a QSL but a poster c:a 50\*30 cm. I also got this additional information from him.

## RADIO KATANGA

### DX-spalten

NAGON KANSKE FRAGAR sig hur det står till med radiosändningarna från Kongo nu då förhållandena alltmör håller på att stabiliseras igen. Frågan har sitt berättigade intresse. Leopoldvilleradion sänder som vanligt sitt hemmaprogram på 4880 kc/s och på kvällarna även över 15245 kc/s, medan utlandsprogrammet fortfar att höras med god styrka på 11755 kc/s. På de gamla frekvenserna sänder också regionalstationerna i Bukavu (4839 kc/s), Luabourg (6125 kc/s) och Coquilhatville (5933 kc/s), vilka alla har avlyssnats med goda resultat i Sverige. Det har däremot inte den nya FN-radion i Elisabethville vilken rapporteras sända på 5060 och 11975 kc/s. Bland annat bjuder den på underhållning för de svenska soldaterna. Ovisst är om denna station är identisk med "Radio Kamina" som tillkommit på svenskt initiativ.

RADIO KATANGA har utstått många stormar under de drygt två år som den varit i etern. För en tid sedan dekretades av centralregeringen att Leopoldville skulle få ensamrätt till sändningar riktade utomlands, men icke desto mindre fortsätter Radio Katanga sina nyhetsprogram, på bland annat engelska och portugisiska (för Angola och Mozambique) precis som vanligt. Betecknande är emellertid att man sedan lång tid tillbaka lagt av med de något svulstiga paroller som tidigare karakteriserade stationens anrop ("Här är Radio Katanga. Detta är Elisabethville, huvudstad i den fria katangesiska republiken. Här kämpar president Tshombe och hans folk mot kommunismen och för Katangas och Afrikas frihet"). Dessa försvann i stort sett redan sedan FN-soldaterna den 13 september i fjol förhärjade radiostationen och åstadkom radiotystnad i två veckor. Tråkigt är emellertid att det nu är omöjligt att ernå brevsvår från Katangaradion. Förr kunde man förutom verifikation få en så prydlig affisch som den som är avbildad härintill. — Radio Katanga hörs varje kväll på 11872 kc/s till stängningsdags kl 22.00.



Det av belgarna förvaltade området Ruanda-Urundi blev självständigt i

fjöl somras och därvid förvandlades området till två separata stater Rwanda och Burundi, vilka båda har var sin radiostation, nämligen Radio Rwanda i Kigali (6050 kc/s) och Radio Burundi i Usumbura (6195 kc/s). Båda dessa sändare har under sommarens lopp kunnat avlyssnas med gott resultat omkring kl 20.00 med program på franska.

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Jag vill inte vara petig även om det kanske verkar så, men det är faktiskt inte ett QSL-kort som visas utan en affisch, ca 50 x 30 cm.

Jag fick min avbildad i min DX-spalt i Västerbottens-Kuriren på den tiden som Lars Wallmarks (se senaste numret!) pappa var redaktionssekreterare för Västerbottens-Kuriren. Tyvärr fick jag aldrig affischen i retur...

På Finn Krones facebook-sida finns en box-länk där du kan höra hur stationen lät hos mig dazumal.

Bifogar Katanga-inspelningen lite mera lättillgänglig än box.com.

This is what their transmission sounded like on Dec 23 1961 recorded in northern Sweden:

<https://app.box.com/s/5uzi0mmjbcfzodb7gtuq6q2g00xgiqr8>

Stationen gick verkligen bra. (Henrik Klemetz)

#### Finn Krone's Facebook site:

**Radio nostalgia 19610411:** When I was still 15 years old I was able to listen to Radio Katanga now and again on 11866 kHz in the 25 m. band. Katanga was a rich state which broke away from Congo (ex Belgian) 1960-1963, and was supported by Belgium, supporting its own interests - the richest part of Congo.

Read bit of a horror story here

[:https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/State\\_of\\_Katanga](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/State_of_Katanga)

Parts of Europe have made a lot of evil to Africa 🙄:-(-

But I was proud to receive Radio Katanga's confirmation of my reception in Denmark anyway at the time. The poster is in size A1, here cooked down from a folded state - which shows.

Great hobby of radio listening (DXing) the world at the time. Still there - now many likely in the internet?

(From Finn Krone's Facebook site)

## Wieder eine Sendersprengung

ZUR INFO.....DEUTSCHLAND SCHAFFT SICH AB.....73....

MBR installation (former Deutsche Bundespost, Telekom) Media & Broadcast 153 kHz (155 kHz til 1986) longwave 2-mast DLF Donebach Germany, 500 kW, nighttime 250 kW screened signal towards Brasov Bod-Romania will be explode blown up and destroyed for ever on Friday March 2nd 2018 between 1200 and 1400 hrs CET/MEZ, or 1100 and 1300 hrs UTC.

Last DLF Cologne bcast transmission happened on Dec 31, 2014.

Picture from A-DX

(73 de wb df5sx)



### Antennenverteiler

Das Forum "dx-unlimited" und die Radiofreunde NRW haben ein Projekt Antennenverteiler ins Leben gerufen, welches in den letzten Monaten stetig gewachsen ist. Den hochwertigen Verteilerbaustein zur Verteilung von einem Antennensignal auf 10 Ausgänge kann man nun zu einem sehr hobbyfreundlichen Preis von 85 Euro erwerben. Ein gelungenes Projekt!

<http://dd3ze.de/index.php/10-fach-antennensplitter>

(Christoph Ratzer via A-DX)

## Titanic's last radio message 106 years ago. ARRL

The Titanic/Marconi Memorial Radio Association of Cape Cod operation will use (amateur radio) W1MGY, in recognition of the Titanic's MGY call sign. Operation will begin on Saturday, April 12, at 9 AM ET and continue until April 15 at 1:27 AM ET (0527 UTC) -- the time when the Virginian heard Titanic's last radio message 106 years ago. The Titanic disaster claimed some 1,500 lives. W1MGY trustee Barry Hutchinson, KB1TLR, said plans call for coverage on all bands, mostly within the General-class subbands, on CW and SSB. Two stations are planned.

Marconi's wireless station in Wellfleet on Cape Cod -- now on the National Register of Historic Places -- played a role in the rescue of 740 survivors from the Titanic. Marconi's wireless operator onboard the rescue ship Carpathia contacted the Titanic that fateful night to inform the wireless operator that the Cape Cod station was transmitting messages to the ill-fated ship. The Titanic's Marconi wireless operator promptly replied, "Come at once. We have struck a berg," initiating the rescue of survivors.

(Mike Terry via WOR)

## Swedish Telecoms Regulator Considering Charging Hams a Fee to Run More Than 200 W

ARRL, 03/06/2018

Sweden's Post and Telecom Authority (PTS) is considering lowering the transmitter output power for general Amateur Radio stations to 200 W PEP. Under a set of wide-ranging proposed regulatory changes affecting many radio services, radio amateurs who want to run higher power would have to apply for a license and pay an annual fee of about \$33.

Amateur Radio licenses were eliminated in Sweden in 2004, and Amateur Radio in Sweden is “permission free,” but prospective radio amateurs still must pass an examination, typically arranged by Sweden’s International Amateur Radio Union (IARU) Member-Society in Sweden, **SSA**.

A certificate and a call sign, valid for life, are issued without any future fees. The maximum permitted power on most HF bands is 1 kW; that power level would not necessarily be guaranteed under an Amateur Radio license, and conditions could apply.

The PTS’s rationale is that requiring a *license* for radio amateurs who want to run more than 200 W will make it easier to trace any interference that those transmitters may cause.

“The matter is widely discussed in Sweden,” Henryk Kotowski, SM0JHF, told ARRL, “since there are quite a few opponents to permission-free operation, resulting — in their eyes — in degradation of quality and discipline on the air.”

SSA is planning to comment on the proposal. The deadline is March 30. -- *Thanks to Henryk Kotowski, SM0JHF*

[Swedish Telecoms Regulator Considering Charging Hams a Fee to Run More Than 200 W](#)

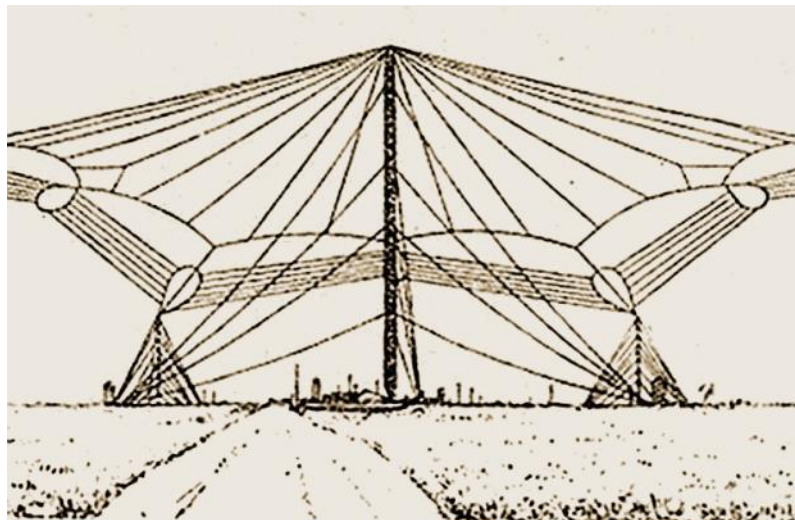
(Mike Terry via WOR)

## Erinnerungen an den „deutschen Eiffelturm“

### Der Gigant am Steinhuder Meer – Überseesender Eilvese von Daniel Schneider am 09.03.2018

Zu Kaisers Zeiten war es kein Kaliberg, der weithin sichtbar die Gegend um Wunstorf dominierte – es war die riesige Antennenanlage nordöstlich des Steinhuder Meeres, mit der in die USA gefunkt wurde. Es war das höchste deutsche Bauwerk seiner Zeit und schrieb Technikgeschichte.

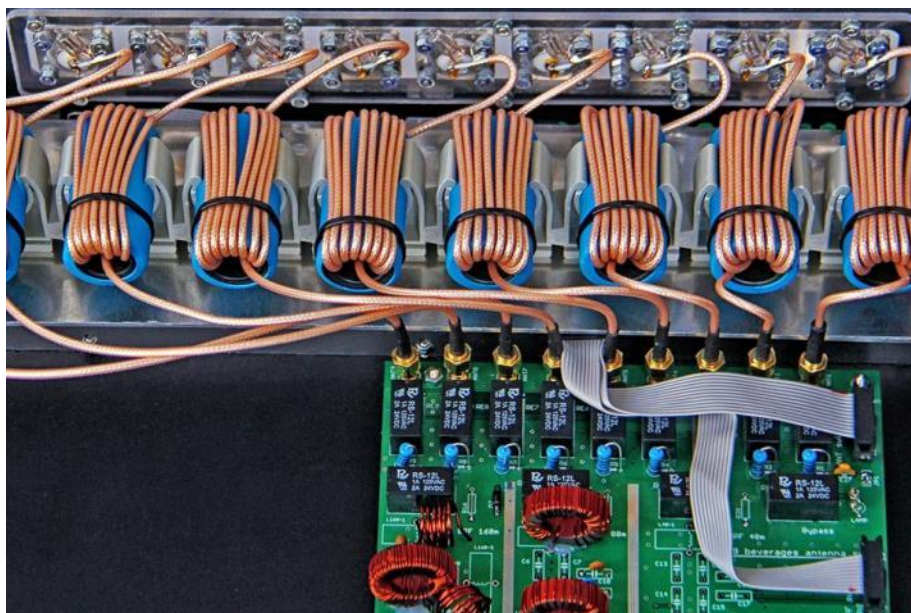
Der Sender Eilvese, aus der Entfernung betrachtet. Die Häuser in der Mitte um den Hauptmast geben einen Hinweis auf die Größenverhältnisse | Bild: Artur Fürst



Read the full story here: <https://www.auepost.de/news/kultur/der-gigant-am-steinhuder-meer-ueberseesender-eilvese-17420/>

(Wunstorfer Auepost via A-DX)

## Antennenumschalter



Mein "Custom Production" [remoteqth.com](https://remoteqth.com) Antennenumschalter, 9 Antennen via Internet schaltbar, Voverstärker und Bandpässe für Mittelwelle und Tropenband - und jede Menge QRM Filterung.

(Christoph Rutzer via A-DX)

You have to visit their website <https://remoteqth.com/> and check out all the "goodies" they manufacture. /TN