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BY - Gerard, F2JD, is in the Popular Republic of China (BY5) for the next two months and he hopes to have the permission to operate.

C6 - Following what published in number 207, we state that C6AGN operator is Bill, KM1E and not W1SE as reported. C6AGN will be active from Green Turtle Cay (NA-080) until the 24th of May. QSL via KM1E.

DL - Werner, DL7HX, will be portable from Foehr Island (EU-042) from 22 May to 9 June, with CW activities on 40, 30 and 20 mtrs.

DL - Bernhard DL2GAC reports that his new address is as follows: Bernhard Stefan, Moeggenweiler Str. 18, 88677 Markdorf, Germany. QSLs at the old address are in his hands so it's not necessary to send duplicates. QSLs for the recent Pacific operations will be donated by the Diamond DX Club and will be printed in the next days.

DU2 - Friday 19th May, Joe, I2YDX was active during the whole day from Babuyan Islands (OC-092). QSL via I2CBM.

EA - The following operations from Spanish islands have been announced:

Date	Rif.	Call	Island	QSL via
21 may	VA-01	EA1FEO/p	Isla Palero	EA1FEO
21 may	E-358	EA3BT/p	Illot de Santa Ana	EA3FBM
21 may	A-002	EA5FKF/p	La Gaviota	EA5OL
21 may	E-145	EA9PB/p	Isleta Punta del Morro	EA5OL
28 may	E-349	EA3BT/p	Escull de S'Angaro	EA3FBM
28 may	H-018	EA7BR/p	Islotes del Terron	EA7CWA
2 june	E-055	EA3BT/p	Illots Secains	EA3FBM
11 june	E-374	EA3BT/p	Illa els Bots	EA3FBM
11 june	E-288	ED5IRM	Escullos de Estacio	EA5VM
18 june	E-171	EA3BT/p	Illots Sadolitj	EA3FBM
24/25 june	N-108	ED1URS	Isla Marnay	EA1EB
25 june	E-056	EA3BT/p	Les Balelles	EA3FBM
29/30 june	N-016	ED1URS	Isla de Mouro	EA1EB

EA - Until the 31st of May the special station EG1RD is active on all bands and all modes, and during the CQWW WPX CW Contest also. QSL via EA1NK.

EJ - In June, DL8MCA will be in Ireland, where he hopes to activate some islands in the IOTA EU-121, EU-006 and EU-115 groups.

ES - Bruno, ES2RW, Viki, ES2RT and Valery, ES5RJT, want to activate Vaindloo Island (EU-149) using the ES2RW/4 call. The start of the expedition is planned, weather permitting, for May 24th or 25th. Operations in CW/SSB on 20, 6, 2 mtrs (square KO39ET) on the following frequencies:

20 m. - 14025 KHz CW, QSX +3; 14260 KHz SSB, QSX +5; 14340/345 KHz for VHF/Tropo/EME or WARC skeds.

6 m. - 50110 KHz monitor frequency; 50125 KHz CW/SSB (+/- QRM).

2 m. - 144.012 MHz CW-EME; 144.300 MHz SSB; 144.050 MHz CW. QSL via ES2RIQ, Ruth Kaur, Poellu 2, EE2260 Arukyla, Estonia.

F - During the weekend the station TM5RE is active from Re Island (EU-032 DIFM AT-22) with SSB/CW activities on 80 to 2 mtrs bands. QSL via F5PJA.

F - From 26 to 27 June F5OYU will be active from Fort Brescou (EU-148). QSL direct to F5OYU.

F - A group of French operators will be soon active on all bands, from 23 cm to 160 mtrs, from Sein Island (EU-068) using the TM3S call.

FP - Bruno, F5JYD reports that during his recent expedition to St.Pierre et Miquelon (TO7I), in the night (UTC) between 2 and 3 May, he scored about 300 QSO on 160 mtrs. During a 40 minutes band-open with Europe, several Italian stations were logged.

HB0 - Following what published in number 208, Manfred DL8SET will be assisted by DJ0KI during the Liechtenstein operations planned from 24 to 28 May. HB0/DL8SET will be particularly QRV in CW/SSB on WARC and 6 mtrs bands, while HB0/DJ0KI will work in CW/SSB/RTTY/PACTOR/AMTOR on 80, 40, 20, 15 and 10 mtrs. QSL via homecalls.

HB0 - The Wiesbaden Amateur Radio Club will activate again the Liechtenstein Principate from 1 to 18 June using the HB0/DA1WA call. Operations in CW/SSB on all HF bands. QSL via DJ0LC and KN6G (USA only).

HK - Following what published in number 210, Pedro, HK3JJH, is /8 from Narino Division group. The activity, from El Morro island, is planned to end Sunday 21 May. QSL via homecall. The 19th of May, the IOTA Committee has received from Pedro the necessary cartographic documentation for the Colombian El Morro island. Having HK3JJH/8 made the necessary number of QSOs to be eligible for a new Ref.No., SA-081 has been issued to Narino Division group.

HS - The Radio Amateur Society of Thailand has been authorized to use the special HS50A call, for a whole year starting this month,during the celebrations of the 50th anniversary of Kingdom of King Bhumiphol Adulayadej, HS1A.

HV - Paolo (I2UIY), ARI HF Contest Manager, during the CQWW WPX CW Contest, the 27 and 28 May, will be active again from Vatican station HV4NAC. QSL is sure, both direct or via bureau, to IK0FVC Francesco Valsecchi, Via Bitossi 21, 00136 Roma, Italy.

I - During the national Field Day of 3-4 June 1995, the ARI Section of Cuneo will be active using the IK1GNC/P call from a 1650mt site in the Alta Valle Varaita. All bands activity, CW/SSB. Special colour QSL via IK1GNC (bureau).

IC8 - The Rovigliano Reef (IIA NA-09) has not been activated by Roberto, IK8BIZ and Nino, IK8DDN, but by IK8VVY's team. Operations until the 23rd of May. QSL via IK8GYK.

IH9 - From 24 to 30 May, a group of OK-OM amateurs will be active from Pantelleria island (AF-018, IIA TP-01).

IJ9 - Gaetano, IT9GAI, helped by Turi, IT9HAJ, hopes to be portable from IJ9 on the following islands: Isola Grande di Marzamemi (IIA SR-05) Saturday 20 May; Isola delle Correnti (IIA SR-01) Sunday 21 May or if not possible, in June, Saturday 3, Sunday 11, Saturday 24. Isola di Vendicari (IIA SR-03) Sunday 4 June; Isola Piccola di Marzamemi (IIA SR-07), Saturday 17 June; Isola di Capo Passero (IIA SR-02), Sunday 25 June.

IL3 - Between the end of May ed the first 15 days of June, Alberto

(IK4HPU) and Afro (IK4HLU) will be portable IL3 from Albarella island (IIA RO-02) and Donzella island (IIA RO-01). QSL via their homecalls: IK4HLU, Afro Torelli, Via Fogliani 26/4, 42100 Reggio Emilia; IK4HPU, Alberto Valli, Via Toscanini 1, 42100 Reggio Emilia

IO1 - During 27 and 28 May, the ARI Section of Alba (CN) wil l activate the special station IO1GFI, with all bands operations.

IQ4 - The IQ4T station will be activated during the CQWW WPX CW Contest by IK4SXJ in the D category (S.O. Low Power all bands). QSL manager is IK4HVR, via bureau or to his address: IK4HVR, Francesco Tonetti, Via Cellaimo 2794, 47032 Bertinoro (FO), Italy.

IT9 - Following what published in number 210, Marcello (IT9ABY), Giovanni (IT9ORA) and Gaetano (IT9GAI), from 26 to 28 May will be active, in SSB and CW, from Femmine Island (EU-166; IIA PA-04). QSL via IT9ABY Marcello, P.O.Box 11, 90129 Palermo 6 (PA), Italy.

KG4 - Ken, KG4MN, is QRV from Guantanamo Bay for the next two years. Ken prefers CW and WARC bands. QSL via WB2YQH.

KL7 - Richard, N6IV, Larry, KF6XC and John NL7TB, will activate Ushagat Island (Barren Islands, Alaska) from 0200Z of the 4th of July to 6th of July. Ushagat Island is a new-one both for the IOTA programme and for the new US Islands Award. Two stations will be active simultaneously using the NL7TB call, mainly on 14250, 7250 and 3950 KHz. QSL via NL7TB. Before and after the operations from Ushagat, the group will be active from two different islands of the NA-193 group using the VY1ISL call (see VE8).

KP1 - Following what published in number 208, the Navassa expedition has been cancelled due to transport problems. Vance, W5IJU, is now hoping to activate KP1 at the end of the year or in early 1996.

OH1 - From 23 to 25 June OH1MDR/p will be QRV from Sandstroem Reef (IOTA EU-096).

OJ0 - Following what published in number 208, we report that the call used by the Market Reef expedition planned from 25 to 29 May will be OJ0/OH8AA. QSL via OH6LI, Jukka Klemola, Aarontie 5 Somero, Finland.

OZ - Gaby, DG2TM and Frank, DL2SWW, will be portable OZ from Laeso Isl., Kattegat group (EU-088), from 24 June to 14 July and will be QRV on all HF bands from 160 to 10 mtrs and also on VHF 2 mtrs. QSL via homecalls.

P5 - As reported in the previous number, the first amateur radio activity legally authorized from the North Korea land was made the 14th of May 1995 using the P5/OH2AM call with 100 watts and a vertical R5 antenna. The Finnish delegation (OH2BC, OH2BH, OH0XX among the others) made about 20 QSOs on 14 MHz SSB and 7 MHz CW, due to short time available, but a big activity is planned before the end of the year. First three QSOs were made with DU9RG, JA1BK and OH3YI.

SP - Wolin Island (EU-132 SPIA SZ02) will be activated from 24 to 30 June by some SP-IOTA-Club members: SP2CYK/1, SP2LLW/1 and SP2LLV/1. Operations in SSB and CW mainly on 20 and 80 mtrs. QSL via homecalls. The same team hopes to activate in the near future Usedom (EU-129 SPIA SZ01), Chrzaszczewska (SZ04) and Karsibor (SZ03) islands.

SY - Following what published in previous number, Dominik, DL5EBE, reports that no permissions have been issued from Mt. Athos Community for amateurs radio activity to KC1QF and SV1BKN....

TA - As published in number 210, the TA2DS and TA1F team has regularly started the activity from Anatolia Region West group (AS-099) using the YM0KK call: the activity in now "on the air" not from Alibey Island but from Bozcaada Island. QSL via bureau or direct to Box 93, 81031 Istanbul, Turkey. The team has announced the intention to activate the rarer Anatolia Region South West group (IOTA AS-098).

UA0B - R0/UR8LV wants to activate Andreya Island or Petra Is.(AS-063). The expedition depends on the availability of transportation.

VE7 - Elizabeth, VE7YL, reports that on the 28th of May an operation is planned from a British Columbia island, valid for C.Is.A. Award. The activity will take place only if propagation for Europe is good.

VE8 - N6IV, KF6XC and NL7TB will use the VY1ISL call from two new islands of the Yukon Territory. First activity is planned for 30 June and 1 July, while the second is for 8 July. QSL via NL7TB.

VU4 - Following what published in previous numbers, VU2JPS from Andaman Is. (AS-001) has been reported on 14195 KHz at about 0200Z, together with VU2AU who made SSB lists. The calls are passed to VU2JPS in AM and then VU2JPS call them in CW. It will be valid for Mixed DXCC ? Good luck.

W - John, NL7TB, manager of the US I program, wants to encourage the operators from US islands to use 14250 KHz (+/- QRM) af referring frequency for QSOs with Europe.

WP3 - Paul, WX9E and Mike, N0BSH, will join Felipe, NP4Z, to activate one of the new prefixes assigned to Puerto Rico during next CQWW WPX CW Contest (27-28 May): the call will be WP3/WX9E, but they have not yet decided if thiswill be a Multi-Single or Multi-Multi operation. Before and after the contest Paul and Mike will be QRV as WP3/WX9E and NP3/N0BSH, both with QSL via WX9E.

XU - Sanyi, XU7VK/XU95HA, will be active until the 12th of June, particularly during the CQWW WPX CW Contest, using the special XU95HA call. QSL via HA0HW, after the end of operations.

ZL8 - Many European DXers who have not made QSO with ZL8/G4MFW, will be happy to know that a team of six ZL amateurs, leaded by Ken (ZL2HU) with Ron (Zl2TT) is organising a Kermadec expedition for this year, probably during the CQWW DX Contest; and probably Barry will be there again in January.

3D2_fiji- For two weeks starting the 29th of May, Steve, AA6LF and Bob, N6EK, will be QRV respectively as 3D2LF and 3D2EK from Fiji. Steve and Bob hope to activate for few days the Mamanuca Group (OC-121) and the Yasawa Group (OC-156), with the utmost attention to propagation for Europe. Operations in SSB and CW on usual IOTA frequencies QSL via AA6B (only for 3D2LF QSOs) or N6EK (for 3D2EK QSOs).

4U0ITU - DL2LSo and DL5YYM will activate the 4U0ITU station in Geneve from 23 to 28 May, all HF bands, and particularly on 50 MHz using the following frequencies: 50.155 MHz for Italy, 50.205 MHz for France and 50.105 MHz other directions (+/- QRM).

5B - As published in number 197, Phil, G4WFZ wants to activate an island near Cyprus (AS-???): the activity is planned for Friday 26 May and /or Saturday 27 May, but there is the possibility of a short activity the 22 or 23 May during the recognition.

5X - Paul, 5Z4FO, will leave Kenya in July to go in Uganda where he hopes to be active as 5X1MW. QSL via KB4EKY.

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