

December, 1998

3-4000'
 18) Deep marine layer¹ due to eddy + onshore flow
 Arctic air plunging S into MT + ID, with strong
 N flow @ upper levels pushing a trough southward
 along W Coast

20) Arctic air over NW U.S. seeping South into CA/
 Light snow in San Fran midday.
 FAT - snow @ 7pm - First official snow in Fresno since 1919
 TRM NW gusts to 54 mph @ 9 pm (50F)
 SDB 22F, NW 18 Wchill -5
 Flurries in PM, I-5 + 18 closed early evening
 trace in Fresno - 1.2 inches there on 12/20/68

Strong upper level low moving SE thru CA. -
 port near Bishop @ 9 pm

At 10pm - BIH 23F DP 4, N20G25
 TRM m NW 43G53
 SDB snow 21 NW 21G26
 MWS 23 N6
 TPA 16 W 17 PC
 LAS 40 NW 18G31, Cloudy
 PRA 33 Calm, Cloudy
 PRB 28 EG Cir DP 27
 RBZ 30 N 18G24
 SAE IntH AP 32 NW 24 Wchill 4F

Freeze warning C + S San Joaquin Vly
 FAT max only 4/F
 Max rain amounts SAN counts

At 11pm - 1005 mb low over E AZ