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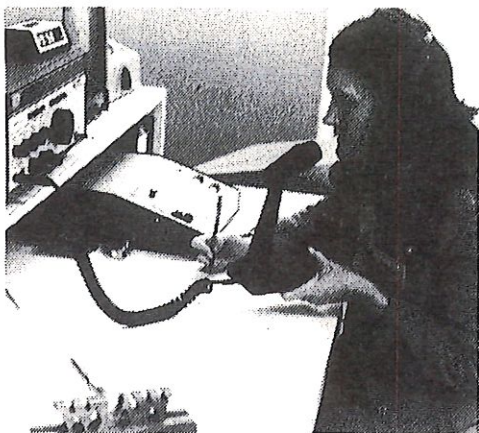
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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

I had a super trip to ARRL HQ. Most enjoyable was operating the radio station W1AW. I would like to thank Irma K6KCI net control of YL Open House for letting me check-in and work the girls on the regular Wednesday session. Everyone that I worked at the station should have received a QSL card by now; if not, please let me know. I met a lot of the YL's that work at HQ most of which are licensed. I hope all of you read the "YL News and Views" column in April QST by Jean K1IJV where you will find a good description and pictures of licensed YL's at League HQ. Sally O'Dell KB10 spent a whole morning introducing me to the personnel and showing me the operations of the League. There is a lot more to ARRL than QST! May I suggest that you send an 6" X 9" SASE with 37¢ postage to the ARRL and request their new booklet "Operating An Amateur Radio Station" which includes a description of the new re-organization section field organization. By the way, Don Search W3AZD (in charge of the DXCC program) would like me to ask you to send recipes to him at ARRL for a book that is being put together by the National Capital DX Association.



You will find in this issue ballots for election of officers and district chairman for 1984. I would like to thank the Nominating Committee made up of Chairman Jo Anne Dow WA6ZGM with members Jeanne Doncaster KA3CEO, Doris Smith WD8IKC, Elizabeth Anderson VE7BIP, for doing a wonderful job. The best way we cannot only thank the Committee but the people who have agreed to give of their time and effort to YLRL is to make sure we send in our ballots. After the election, the new officers will need your support. The new President will have many opportunities for you to serve YLRL thru appointed positions she will need to fill. Please let her know your offer of support and availability to help.

Do all your licensed YL friends know about YLRL? Beth W7NJS and Minerva WB2JNL our Membership Chairman have application blanks available. In fact, they would be happy to supply quantities for you to take to your local ham-fests, conventions, and club meetings.

Our Supply Chairman Jerrie K6INK has new supplies which in addition to stationery, patches and decals includes beautiful gold or silver pins and charms. Wear them with pride; be proud you are a member of YLRL.

Very 33,

Sandi ☺

WA6WZN

FLASH! Due to personal reasons our outstanding Editor has found it necessary to resign.

HELP! If you would like the challenge of the Editor position, please write or call Sandi, WA6WZN at 714-549-8516.

YL-OM

1983 YLRL YL-OM CONTEST RESULTS

PHONE		CW	
YL	OM	YL	OM
KGLF...Gold Cup....DL1RA		I2RLX..Gold Cup....LJ1EWL	
OK3CRX.Second Pl....OK3CWA		W8YL...Second Pl....VE3KUC	
KA4FVU.Third Pl....PA3BLA		5Z4CM..Third Pl.....EA3LA	
YL PHONE			
KGLF	*89,770	KØEPE	56,072
WA2NFY	* 1,237	DF3TE	9,940
K2RUE/4	* 1,351	DF9YY	*51,884
KA3DTE/4	* 1,680	DJØEU	10,368
KA4FVU	*73,287	DK9ZL	* 8,062
WA4SRO	* 6,525	DL7AFJ	3,712
KM7E	50,988	DL7AGJ	* 3,660
WB7FDE	*10,057	DL3SAR	16,578
N9ALC	*11,562	G4EZI	1,706
KCØGM	* 3,925	OH8MA	43,648
		ISØSFZ	* 620
		IK1AIF	8,136
		IT9JLA	*51,810
		OK3KFO	583
		OK3CRX	*74,297
		OK3YK	* 252
		OZ1AW	* 1,258
		PA3ADR	902
		SP2FF	8
		TO5RC/	
		F5RC.83	* 3,285
		5Z4CM	*11,124
		VK3KS	* 962
		YU1EXY	3,000
		YU1YL	5,250
		YU4DLJ	640
		YU7SF	20
		YU7ADJ	84

OM PHONE			
WLHOZ	* 80	W9LNO	* 37
K2LFG	* 123	DL1RA	779
W3ARK	* 195	F6HNL	* 251
WA3EXX	* 100	IK3VU	85
W6ZT	143	IKØAUO	10
W7ULC	* 308	I8HZT	* 191
KB8GH	* 100	IK1BAE	* 270
K9FFC	60	I8ZLW	* 288
		JA9SSY	* 1
		JH3DPB	212
		OK1AGN	* 438
		OK1DKS	* 288
		OK1KZ	* 190
		OK3CWA	* 962
		PA3BLA	* 657
		VK3XB	5

YL CW			
W2NFY	* 1,377	KA8PSA	* 2,250
K2RUE/4	* 4,950	W8YL	*12,127
WA2WHE	* 6,162	N9AIB	* 2,351
W3CDQ	**	WL7AZB	* 96
WA4SRO	* 2,668	DZ7YL	* 1,296
K8CNV/4	* 4,235	IT9KFO	* 1,330
		CT1YH	* 3,325
		DF6UI	* 1,187
		DK6EH	* 232
		DL2SAP	* 3,258
		DL3SAR	* 373
		DL5BAG	* 2,328
		DTØEK	* 2,925
		GM4LUS	* 280
		I1MQ	25
		I2RLX	*15,782
		I5AZX	* 330
		VK3KS	* 1,976
		5Z4CM	* 6,873

OM CW			
WLHOZ	* 220	WA3EXX	* 88
W1OPJ	* 151	AD5F	**
W2AAU	* 204	AA6EE	**
K2LFG	* 123	W6ZT	160
W2UAP	* 137	W7RD	* 67
W2QHH	**	W7ULC	292
W3ARK	* 135	W8TSF	**
		W9LNO	270
		VE3KUC	393
		OZ6XR	79
		DK3OI	140
		EA3LA	270
		EA2IA	**
		JR4ISK	**
		LJ1EWL	*1,125
		OZ8E	**
		YU7ORQ	**
		YU7SF	110
		VK3XB	20

*Denotes low power multiplier. Calls underlined are certificate winners.
 **Denotes check log only.

Awards

NEWS OF CERTIFICATE AND AWARD COLLECTING

Inge, PJ2JY, Inge, sent info on the Brazilian YL Awards via Bert, W3TNP. BRYLA is starting a new net at 2330Z each Wednesday, especially for stations in the USA and Canada on 14.288 MHz. Look for the Brazilian YLs there. Good luck!

BRYLA - "Brazilian YL Award": Radio Amateurs are eligible for this award after two-way QSO's with:

DX - 12 YL stations from different countries (3 continents)

8 YL stations from Brazil

PY - 20 YL stations from Brazil

5 YL stations from different countries (3 continents)

Contacts must be made from the same QTH, in any band or any mode and in accordance with international regulations on amateur radio. QSO July 75 on. Applicants must send a standard log certified by a recognized amateur radio association, mentioning stations worked, date, time, mode, report, and band. This award may also be earned by SWL's. When applying for the BRYLA, please send a QSL for BRYLA's files and 10 IRCs for return postage to:

P O Box 07/0004

70.000 Brasilia, DF

Brasil

WBYL - "Worked Brazilian YLs": Requires application to 8 YL Brazilian stations, totaling the name BRASIL YL, which can be formed by the call letters of the suffix. Example - PY2JY, PY2ATL, PT2LS, PY4AKL, etc. Valid contacts only after January 1, 1983, all band, phone or CW. It is obligatory to contact one PY2 station. Contacts must have been made from the same QTH, in any band, or in any mode and in accordance with international regulations on amateur radio. Applicants must send a standard log certified by a recognized amateur radio association, mentioning stations worked, date, time, mode, report and band. This award may also be earned by SWL's. When applying for the WBYL, please send a QSL for the files and 10 IRCs or equivalent US \$ for return postage to:

Inge Tobias de Aguiar, PY2JY

Rua Texas 448

CEP 04557 - Brooklin Novo

Sao Paulo, Brasil

Elizabeth, VE7BIP, sent this information on the beautiful certificates offered by the Canadian Ladies' Amateur Radio Association.

#1 - CLARA Certificate: CLARA members work 12 YLs in 6 call areas (Limit 5 VE3). Other YLs and OM's in Canada: Work 10 YLs in 5 call areas (Limit 4 VE3). DX stations, including USA: Work 5 YLs in 3 call areas (Limit 2 VE3). ALL BANDS. All QSLs dated September 12, 1972 or later may be counted. Send \$2.00 and a copy of log sheets (QSLs must be in your possession) to CLARA Certificate Custodian and have your log verified by one other currently licensed amateur.

#2 - YL DXCC: Work YLs in 100 different countries. (Use approved DX Country

List.) Open to all YLs and OMs. Send \$2.00 and a copy of log sheet (QSLs must be in your possession) to CLARA Certificate Custodian and have your log verified by one other currently licensed amateur.

#3 - CLARA Family Certificate: Families must reside in Canada. Work 2 or more members of the same family to get family status. They need not live at the same address. All bands and modes. All QSLs dated January 1, 1975 or later may be counted. Log sheets must also show the full names and relationships of contacts. 1 point for working the first member of the family, 2 points for each additional family member worked. (Remember, you must work 2 or more from the same family for points.) 22 points are required for the certificate. Endorsements are issued for each additional 22 points. Example - Hallie du Preez, VE6AUP = 1; Buddy du Preez, VE6ANC=2, and Tavis du Preez, VE6BMW = 2 for a total of 5 points. Send \$2.00 and log data complete with names and relationships to CLARA Certificate Custodian and have your log verified by one other currently licensed amateur. QSLs must be in your possession.

ENDORSEMENTS ARE AVAILABLE FOR THE ABOVE CERTIFICATES, AS FOLLOWS:

#1 - Endorsements are available for each group of 5, 10, or 12 Canadian contacts.

#2 - Endorsements are available for each additional 10 countries worked with YLs.

#3 - Endorsements are available for each 22 points.

DON'T FORGET: When you apply for these certificates, please print your application clearly and include all the required information. Each application for certificate or endorsement must be accompanied by \$2.00

CERTIFICATE CUSTODIAN: Hallie du Preez, VE6AUP, P O Box 420, Bon Accord, Alberta, TOA OKO

u p grades!

Kathy, KC2QQ, to Advanced (Ex-KA2GOH)
Jeanette, KB4X0, to Extra
Gerri, WD5HNG, to Extra
Jerrie, K6INK, to Advanced
Sibyl, KA6RXX, to Extra
Sally, N8EEG, to Advanced
Marilyn, N8BFI, to Advanced

3 cheers!

Sympathy Note

YLRL extends deepest sympathy to these friends and their families:

Alice, N4DDK, who lost her OM Jack, N4DDJ
Emma, KA6IDL, who lost her OM
Adah, W9RTH, who lost her daughter-in-law
Edna, VP9IX, who lost her mother-in-law

Speak-out!

WHAT DO YOU THINK ABOUT...

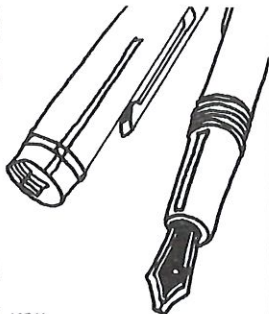
From Marcia, K6DLL...

THANKS! THANKS! THANKS! THANKS!

I don't really know what else to say. But in the past two years through three hip surgeries and the loss of our beloved son, I don't think I'd have managed without all of you pulling for me! Your "flood" of Get Well Wishes and Sympathy notes and letters have made the difference and I'm eternally grateful!! To have so many friends in so many states and foreign countries could only happen in Amateur Radio. And with this latest modern medical miracle--my artificial hip--I hope to be out amongst you all very soon and smiling again, because you cared!!

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Marcia Rast, K6DLL



From Jeanette, KB4XO...

This year at the Atlanta Ham Festival we will have a YLRL-MALARC booth and an excellent YL Forum. The forum will be a panel discussion featuring the following ladies:



June 18th and 19th, 1983

Atlanta Ham Festival

Rose Ellen Bills, N2RE, YLRL Vice-President
Martha Henson, WN4FVU, Known world-wide for her participation in DX-peditions.
Martha King, WD4NKP, Consistent ladies' contest winner and Net Control of Tangle Net.
Kathy Sewell, KA4UEM, 10 meter enthusiast and representative of the 10-X International Club



From Billie, WB2FNF...

For those of you that may be interested, I thought you might like to know a little about the SAYLARC certificate. I was told the group wanted a certificate that would be symbolic of both New York and New Jersey, and it should have a butterfly on it. So I did a little research and found the blue bird and the rose were the official bird and flower of New York and the yellow finch and the violet were the official New Jersey bird and flower. The

certificate has each of these, plus the butterfly which is the SAYLARC symbol. I colored the roses yellow in remembrance of my mother. We enjoyed many chats on CB before I upgraded to ham radio, and if she were still alive, I believe she would really enjoy the nets with the YLs.

The 33 in the corner becomes an 88 when an OM earns the certificate. The ring of friendship ribbon is pink for YLs and blue for OMs. If you look closely, you will find my initials, my call letters and the date it was drawn, concealed within the picture. I hope you enjoy the certificate as much as I enjoyed designing it and hand coloring it.

Rules for Earning the SAYLARC Certificate: No 6 or 2 meter contacts are accepted. Anyone inside the 2-call area is required to collect 15 contacts of SAYLARC members and all the usual information; anyone outside the 2-call area need only contact 10 SAYLARCs and the information. Send a copy of the log and \$2.00 to Billie Robinson, WB2FNF, 270 Palmer Road, Churchville, New York 14428.

So listen for the SAYLARC YLs and start your log today. Contacts may not be made during SAYLARC nets, but can be made before or after the net. SAYLARC nets are held on Friday at 9 a.m. on 3945 and Saturday at 11 a.m. on 7245. The CW net is on Wednesday night at 7 p.m. on 7050.

From Jerrie, K6INK...

The new pins and charms have arrived and will cost \$8.00 each, post-paid. The pins are identical to the "Girl on the World" charms and are not diamond-shaped. They are available in both gold and silver. A new order blank will be available for YLH #4.

From Lee, KB8RT...

On page 10 of YLH #6, 1982, the starting date for contacts for the 88 Certificate, offered by the Dutch YL Club from the Netherlands, is listed as 9/5/81. The starting date is actually 9 May 1981. (NOTE: Lee KNOWS because she just earned this certificate, making the final contact on March 10, 1983. See details in the 8th District Column.)

From Donna, KB8YS...

Brother Donard Steffes was my Ham Radio teacher at Hoban High School in Akron, Ohio. Almost everyone in Akron has been taught physics by him or their children have. He was sent to Monrovia, Liberia, West Africa, in November 1980 to teach at St. Patricks High School. He immediately set up Ham Radio classes and last year there were 13 new licensed Hams on the air. This year he has two new classes and a total of 100 interested students. He organized the first Hamfest in Monrovia, they think it was successful, they had 100 people show. They had 2 rigs on the air and a computer demonstration.

They have a club station, EL2SP, on the air. So far just on 40 meters. More antenna work needed.

Brother Donard is now the Secretary-Treasurer of the Monrovia Amateur Radio Association. "73" Magazine" has heard of his work and has asked him if he would start writing articles for them.

They would appreciate donations of 2 meter gear. Crystal sets are fine because they only have two frequencies to use. Transmit 145.1 - Receive 145.7 and Simplex 145.5.

If this information can get into any of the newsletters, it would be appreciated by many people.

P.S.: I have a regular sked. on Monday at 1300 Z on 21.275+-.
Anyone is welcome to join.

Donna Burroughs, KB8YS

ELECTIONS!

The following ladies have agreed to run for YLRL office for 1984. Our thanks to all of you! You will note that there are several vacancies on the ballot. If YLRL does not have a full slate of officers, the efficiency of the organization has to be affected. Please do not compound the problem by failing to vote!

Jeanne, Doris, Elizabeth, and I thank all of you who helped in obtaining the slate that we do have.

The Nominating Committee,
Jo Dow, WA6ZGM, Chairman

... CANDIDATES ...

PRESIDENT:

Rose Ellen Bills, N2RE, licensed in 1957, has been a member of YLRL for 15 years. She has been Sec/Treas for SAYLARC, Sec for PJYL, Rec Treas/Disb Treas/V P for YLRL, and is a member of the Buckeye Belles, CLARA, and the South African YL Club. QTH is Pennsville, NJ.

VICE PRESIDENT:

Marilyn Backys, WB9TDR, licensed in 1976, has been a member of YLRL for 7 years. She goes to school but still holds an associate membership in the Buckeye Belles and HAWKS. She has been YLRL 9th DC for 3 years and is currently our Secretary. QTH is Hoffman Estates, IL.

SECRETARY:

No candidate at press time.

DISBURSING TREASURER:

Karla Holmes, WA1UVJ, was licensed in 1971 and has been a member of YLRL for 11 years. She is a member of WRONE and YL-ISSB and has had the former calls of EP2KH and JY9AC. Her OM and two of her children are hams. QTH is Nashua, NH.

RECEIVING TREASURER - DISTRICTS 1, 2, 3, and 4:

Barbara Robinson, WB1ACA, licensed in 1977, has been a member of YLRL for 5 years. She is a member of WRONE and has been Circu Man and Rec Treas for YLRL. Her QTH is Marlboro, MA.

Vi Jean Chittenden, WA2BGE, was licensed in 1975 and has been a member of YLRL for 7 years. She is affiliated with SAYLARC, where she has been on the nominating committee and served two terms as Pres. She's also active in YL-ISSB, WRONE, and Buckeye Belles. Her QTH is Syosset, NY.

RECEIVING TREASURER - DISTRICTS 5, 6, and 7:

Mary Lou Brown, N7DHA, was licensed and joined YLRL in 1981. Her OM is also a ham, N7DGZ. Her QTH is Anacortes, WA.

RECEIVING TREASURER - DISTRICTS 8, 9, 10, KH6, KL7, and VE:

June Braunz, KM8E, was licensed in 1979 and has been a YLRL member for 2 years. She is associated with Tangle Net, Open House, SAYLARC, Buckeye Belles, and is V P of TASYL. QTH is Pullman, MI.

Verline Ferris, K18J, was licensed in 1965 and has been a YLRL member for 4 years. She has been YLRL DX Chairman two years, is in Buckeye Belles, YL-ISSB, and is the V P-elect of TASYL. QTH is Hazel Park, MI.

Connie Hamilton, WD8MIO, was licensed in 1977 and joined YLRL in 1980. She has been V P of the Marietta ARC and Sec of the Buckeye Belles. She's also active on Tangle Net, YL-ISSB, and Open House. QTH is Marietta, OH.

Becky Skinner, KA9GWE, was licensed and joined YLRL in 1980. She is

affiliated with AC-ARTS and the Ft. Wayne RC. She has been fund raising chairman for a hamfest, the IRCC rep and treas, and is YLRL Rec Treas now. QTH is Ft. Wayne, IN.

Exa Bertram, KØSPW, was licensed in 1959 and has been a YLRL member since reinstatement 16 years ago. She is a charter member of the Colorado YLs, and her son is also a ham. QTH is Pueblo, CO.

FIRST DISTRICT CHAIRMAN: No candidate at press time.

SECOND DISTRICT CHAIRMAN:

Minerva Fronhofer, WB2JNL, was licensed in 1964 and has been a member of YLRL since 1972. She is a SAYLARC member, has served as YLRL 2nd DC, and is now YLRL Eastern Membership Chairman. QTH is Salem, NY.

THIRD DISTRICT CHAIRMAN: No candidate at press time.

FOURTH DISTRICT CHAIRMAN:

Carol Shrader, WI4K, licensed in 1980, has been a member of YLRL for 2 years. She has been Pres of Metro Atlanta Ladies' ARC, Board of Directors for the Kennehoochee ARC, and trustee of the club call. She is on Tangle Net and Open House. QTH is Marietta, GA.

FIFTH DISTRICT CHAIRMAN:

Melinda Lamb, N5EZX, licensed in April, 1982, joined YLRL in August of that year. She is Sec/Treas of the Vicksburg ARC. QTH is Vicksburg, MS.

Billie Hill, WB5YLI, licensed in 1976, is a 3-year member of YLRL. She is a member of TYLRUN, SPARCYL, Helena ARC, Gulf Coast Hurricane Net, and Skirts and Shirts. QTH is Holly Grove, AR.

SIXTH DISTRICT CHAIRMAN:

Jo Anne Dow, WA6ZGM, licensed in 1977, has been a YLRL member for 5 years. She's served as Hosp and Pub Ch and Editor for local radio club and as YLRL Supplies, Nominations and 6th Dist Ch. QTH is Chico, CA.

SEVENTH DISTRICT CHAIRMAN:

Beulah Barrick, W6NLM/7, was licensed in 1949 and joined YLRL in 1964. She is also a member of QCWA, SARC, Tangle Net, IB Net, and CC Net. She has been Sec and 6th DC for YLRL. QTH is Mesa, AZ.

EIGHTH DISTRICT CHAIRMAN:

Ella Russell, WA8EBS, licensed in 1962, joined YLRL in 1963. She has been Sec/Treas, VP, and Pres in both Buckeye Belles and Chix-on-Six and is a past Pres of YLRL. QTH is Fairview Park, OH.

Joanne Solak, KJ30/8 (Formerly Doris Day, KJ30), was licensed in 1977 and has been a member of YLRL for 4 years. She is Sec/Treas of the Portage ARC and has been NC of the Blue Knob Emer Net. QTH is Mantua, OH.

Donna Burroughs, KB8YS, was licensed in 1980 and joined YLRL in 1982. She is a member of the Cleveland NORAS, Cuyahoga Falls ARC and LEARA, AKRON Cleveland Cars, and Buckeye Belles. QTH is Northfield, OH.

NINTH DISTRICT CHAIRMAN:

Adah Elliott, W9RTH, was licensed in 1941 and joined YLRL the same year. She is a member of the Buckeye Belles and was Pres and Sec/Treas of both HAWKS and Seymour ARC. QTH is Seymour, IN.

TENTH DISTRICT CHAIRMAN:

Marjorie Tiritilli, KBØZC, was licensed in 1955 and joined YLRL around 1976. She is a member of the Jefferson Barracks ARC where she has served as Sec. She can be found on Tangle Net and is 10th DC for YLRL. QTH is Lemay, MO.

KH6 DISTRICT CHAIRMAN: No candidate at press time.

KL7 DISTRICT CHAIRMAN:

Betty Marsh, KL7FJW, licensed in 1965 and a member of YLRL for 17 years. She is a member of Alaska Lassies and PARKA and can be found on Open House and Tangle Net. QTH is Fairbanks, AK.

VE DISTRICT CHAIRMAN: No candidate at press time.

YLRL SIGNS AND SYMBOLS

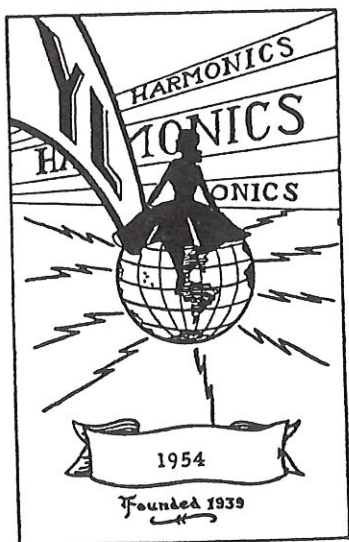
Why do we sign 33? Where did the "Girl on the World" originate? What is our official slogan? How did blue and silver become the YLRL colors?

In 1954, YLRL held a contest to choose a cover design for YLH. Vi, W2JZX, was the winner with her Girl on the World, and it has been used ever since that time.

Clara, W2RUF, (now SK), signed "33" even before YLRL days, and it was adopted by YLRL in 1940. "33" means "Love sealed with friendship between one YL and another YL."

Nita, W8TAY, suggested "QRV" (I am ready) as our Official slogan in 1940.

Our diamond emblem was designed by our founder early in YLRL history. Ethel, K4LMB, chose the deep blue and silver "because she liked them."



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QRV



Editor's Note: Jodie, N8ALJ, our regular editor was not able to do this issue because her OM Fred is suffering from a serious illness and has just undergone surgery. All our thoughts and prayers are with Jodie, Fred, and the other YLRL members and families who are currently facing difficult times. We wish all the best for you.

I was happy to fill in for Jodie this time and hope that Fred's condition will improve and that Jodie will be back for YLH #4. WAØWOF



YLRL BALLOT



PLEASE MARK YOUR CHOICES WITH AN "X" AND PRINT YOUR NAME, CALL
AND ADDRESS ON THE ENVELOPE IN WHICH YOU MAIL YOUR BALLOT TO THE
SECRETARY:

Marilyn Backys, WB9TDR
3930 N. Firestone
Hoffman Estates, IL 60195

BALLOTS MUST BE POSTMARKED NOT LATER THAN JULY 18, 1983, AND BE RECEIVED
NOT LATER THAN JULY 25, 1983. PLEASE MAIL YOUR BALLOT TODAY!

Turn this page for YLRL's Ballot for 1984 Officers and District Chairmen.

VOTE

YLRL BALLOT FOR 1984 OFFICERS AND DISTRICT CHAIRMEN

Complete balloting instructions are on the other side of this page.
Please read them and follow them carefully to make sure your vote counts.

YOUR DISTRICT NUMBER

PRESIDENT:

___ Rose Ellen Bills, N2RE

VICE-PRESIDENT:

___ Marilyn Backys, WB9TDR

SECRETARY:

___ No Nominee

DISBURSING TREASURER:

___ Karla Holmes, WA1UVJ

RECEIVING TREASURER: (Vote
for only one YL in the dis-
trict in which your call was
issued.)

RECEIVING TREASURER #1:

(Districts 1, 2, 3, and 4)

___ Barbara Robinson, WB1ACA

___ Vi Jean Chittenden, WA2BGE

RECEIVING TREASURER #2:

(Districts 5, 6, and 7)

___ Mary Lou Brown, N7DHA

RECEIVING TREASURER #3:

___ June Braunz, KM8E

___ Verline Ferris, KI8V

___ Connie Hamilton, WD8MIO

___ Becky Skinner, KA9GWE

___ Exa Bertram, KØSPW

NOTE TO DX MEMBERS: Since you
will be voting only for the
President, Vice-President,
Secretary, and Disbursing
Treasurer, you may prefer
to use an Aerogramme. If so,
just write the names of the
candidates of your choice
and send to WB9TDR.

VOTE FOR ONE YL IN YOUR DISTRICT ONLY.

FIRST DISTRICT:

___ No Nominee

SECOND DISTRICT:

___ Minerva Fronhofer, WB2JNL

THIRD DISTRICT:

___ No Nominee

FOURTH DISTRICT:

___ Carol Shrader, WI4K

FIFTH DISTRICT:

___ Melinda Lamb, N5EZX

___ Billie Hill, WB5YLI

SIXTH DISTRICT:

___ Jo Anne Dow, WA6ZGM

SEVENTH DISTRICT:

___ Beulah Barrick, W6NLM/7

EIGHTH DISTRICT:

___ Eila Russell, WA8EBS

___ Joanne Solak, KJ30/8

___ Donna Burroughs, KB8YL

NINTH DISTRICT:

___ Adah Elliott, W9RTH

TENTH DISTRICT:

___ Marjorie Tiritilli, KBØZC

KH6 DISTRICT:

___ No Nominee

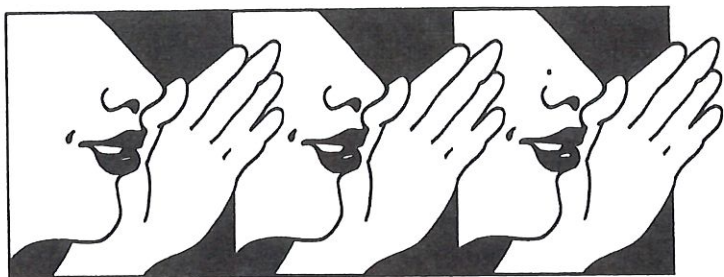
KL7 DISTRICT:

___ Betty Marsh, KL7FJW

VE DISTRICT:

___ No Nominee

Please vote today. Remember that WB9TDR must receive your ballot by July 25.



HOT NEWS.

"HAVE YOU HEARD THE LATEST?"

SECOND DISTRICT

By Wilda Robinson, WB2FNF

As I write this, your regular correspondent, Lia, WA2NFY, is preparing to leave for a trip that will take her to Italy and Switzerland. She will be visiting with some ham friends where she will have the use of "the shack" and hopes to make contact back here in Rochester. Then she will go on to Germany where she will visit with her six sisters and friends. Her plans then are to return to Switzerland and be back home in time for the Rochester Hamfest on May 20th and 21st.

Speaking of the hamfest, Lee, WA2YEK, has been busy planning the YL booth and a luncheon. The SAYLARC luncheon and meeting will be held at Oakley's American Restaurant at the NEW Marketplace Mall on May 21, 1983 (Rochester Hamfest Saturday) at 12:30. Craft items will be sold at the booth with all proceeds going to the SAYLARC. Applications for SAYLARC and YLRL membership will be available at the YL booth. Our SAYLARC certificate will also be on display, along with other items of interest.

IT'S A BOY! for Sandy, KC2ES, and Jim Guarino. Jonathan Charles was born December 29, 1982. He was 19 1/2" tall and weighed 7 lb 2 oz. Big sister Jessica thinks he is OK and "helps" Mom a lot. Congratulations, Sandy and Jim.

Some of the ladies have been getting together Wednesday evening at 7:00 P.M. on 7050 for a CW net. I am sure any interested YLs would be welcome to join them. It's a good way to get back into code and build up that speed for upgrading.

Mary, WB2JXF, has been under the weather recently. Hope she is feeling much stronger and happier now that spring is here and the weather is getting better. Our best wishes go to anyone that may be on the sick list. We hope your illness is short and you are back on the go again soon.

Kathy, KA2GOH, has been quite active on the traffic nets for some time. She has upgraded and is now KC2QQ. So if you hear her on the nets and don't recognize the call, that's why.

Rose Ellen, N2RE, has been making a poster display of QSL's, pictures, and certificates to be displayed at the Dayton Hamfest on April 30, 1983. She says we can display it at Rochester if we can find someone to bring it back from Dayton, so we will try. Watch for it...Thank you, Rose Ellen.

Lia tells me that Tena, WA2VIE, is in Florida and will be back this summer.

It's a busy time right now for Lee, WA2YEK, and Ed, K2RHS. They are preparing their boat for the summer boating season and are hoping to take a trip across Lake Ontario to Toronto in August. Daughter Wendy will be graduating in June, and, of course, Lee is involved with preparations for the Rochester Hamfest. My OM is always saying, "A busy woman is a happy woman!" I think Lee must be extremely happy. She has been involved with the planning of the ladies' programs for the hamfest for quite a few years

and always does a super job for the YLs. Keep up the good work, Lee. We may not say it, but we do appreciate your efforts on behalf of not just the radio YLs, but YLs in general.

We have been pretty busy around here for the last year, what with all the remodeling of the kitchen and bath. Now we may tear the "shack" apart and re-do it. As you read this, time will be getting close for the arrival of our newest grandchild, and the middle of August will find us way up north in Canada for a bit of R & R and possibly even some radio.

My apologies to Howy, W2QHH. He tried for almost a year to make contact with me and we finally got together. I hope my card was worth the wait. Keep up the good work, Howy. We will be listening for those new and remarkable YL totals from you. I think I was #3551 or thereabouts.

I want to thank Lia for asking me to fill in for her. I hope she has a wonderful time on her trip. We will be looking forward to her return and maybe even making contact while she is over there.

Please forgive me if my news was mostly SAYLARC, but after all--SAYLARC IS the second call area. 33, all. Have a super summer.

THIRD DISTRICT

Jeanne Doncaster, KA3CEO

Greetings again from Pennsylvania. It is now the end of April and, at last, it is warm! My OM Dick, WB3AJC, and I had a lovely week in Hilton Head SC, early in the month. We drove down in our motor home--our first long trip--and it was great fun. The July issue of HARMONICS will be the Directory so will take this opportunity to wish you all a very happy and warm summer!! On with the news...

K3FXP, Marge, from Drexel Hill, PA, writes she is the XYL of Cap'n Jack K3OWY, an active seaman, who is at sea now. He will be home in May to celebrate their 40th anniversary. He will have been at sea for six months. Marge is the secretary of the Secone Amateur Club, reorganized by the late Joe Welch, K3CT. Headquarters are at Marge's QTH. Marge and Jack are the proud parents of eleven children, and only one son, Rocky, KA3HWH, age 16, is a ham. HAPPY ANNIVERSARY, MARGE & JACK!!!

WB3CQN, Ruthanna, received a tape from Jill, VK6YL, which a number of us were able to hear and it was great fun hearing the news from "down under." Ruthanna contacted Jill, Poppy, VK6YF, and Heather, VK2HD, in March and had good copy on all of them.

For those who don't know, Ruthanna, WB3CQN, is QSL Manager for YS1MO, Mario, and 3D6AJ, Shane.

WB3HYN, Cathy, and OM Jim, WB3HYO, have a new rig, a Kenwood TS-930S. Have fun, Cathy and Jim!

WA3HUP, Mary Ann; WB3CQN, Ruthanna; WB3KPS, Sterling and OE6EEG, Dr. Selim El-Rifai, worked the YL SSB contest as partners and had a lot of fun doing it.

WB3EFQ, Lois, had her cast removed from her arm at the end of March and is having some physio-therapy. A number of us sure miss her on 2 meters! Three-land will greatly miss our good friend, Georgia, N1AOZ.

We send our best wishes to Marge, WB3JUT, and hope she is progressing well. We think of her often--all of us! Marge thanks everyone for the cards, letters, and many good wishes during and following her hospital stay. "Their prayers have been answered," she writes.

Marge received a letter from Inge, PY2JY, in Sao Paulo, Brazil. She is recuperating from her fifth operation and is doing fine. She can be heard Wednesday at 2330Z on 14288. Inge also sent info on the Brazilian YL Award (BRYLA).

WB3CQN, Ruthanna's total for DXCC is now 290 confirmed with 295 worked. She also made the CQ DX Honor Roll with 275 SSB confirmed. We in three-land are very proud of this busy ham. Congrats, "Divi!"

WA3HUP, Mary Ann, also made the CQ DX Honor Roll with a total of 301 SSB. Congratulations to you too, Mary Ann! That's just great!

K3ZDN, Jane, has just gotten out of the hospital after her second foot operation and is walking. Glad it's all over!

W3SLF, Sylvia, and her OM spent six weeks in Hawaii with their children. A wonderful time was had by all.

W3AAU, Edith, is vacationing in Florida with friends and relatives.

I, KA3CEO, Jeanne, had a good contact with Doris, WD8IKC, on 2 meters while I was in Ohio in March. Our son lives in Akron, and it was so good to hear a familiar voice. It was so good to meet Doris at the convention last June.

Will conclude for this time. I do thank those who sent me some "good news." It was greatly appreciated and I hope you all will send me more news for August. Cheers!

FOURTH DISTRICT

Jeanette Ellis, KB4XO

Hi everyone. That spring weather we were having the last time I wrote sort of comes and goes. Right now it is cool and rainy. Some day we'll really have spring - maybe.

I got a nice letter from Helen, W4DEV, of Blue Ridge, Georgia, who frequently checks into the YL Open House Net and Tangle Net. She tells me that she and her OM, Ralph, W4DET, will be leaving on their regular trip to Alaska in April. Their mailing address will be Box 4401, Kenai, Alaska, 99611. They'll be in a Winnebago equipped with a full station. She may be weaker into the nets but plans to check in.

Cathy Soehl, W4BAV, again sent the news from Florida, for which we are very grateful.

The new Floridora officers for 1983 include 2 YLRL members. They are: President - Blanche Randles, W4GXZ, and Secretary - Thelma Bolvin, WB4AUR. Congratulations girls.

W4QBY, Dortha's granddaughter and husband visited her along with a friend of theirs who was a missionary in Africa. She really enjoyed the interesting experiences told by the missionary.

K4RNS, Marge is happy to report that her son is moving to Florida. Now she will have her whole family near.

In the certificate and award area WB4FQX, Helen, has 218 countries confirmed for ARRL DXCC, and W4EHN, Betty, now has her QCWA Certificate and is thrilled with it. She's also thrilled to tell of her grandson's wedding set for October.

K4JNC, Esther, and her OM John, K4JNB, have been having some back trouble and are under a doctor's care. They also had some trouble with their tower, which decided to fall on their roof during a storm. The roof is ok but the beam was a lost cause and a new one is on order. A neighbor has helped to get the tower back up. Esther and John were also recently the subject of an article (including picture) in the Flint, Michigan newspaper. The article was titled "Flint Ham Radio Buffs Celebrate 50 Years of Broadcasting for Fun & Aid". The picture shows them as they were operating for 19 straight hours during a tornado in 1953.

On a sad note we wish to extend our sympathy to Alice, N4DDK. Her OM, Jack, N4DDJ, became a Silent Key March 10th, after a long illness.

In Georgia news Carol Shrader, WI4K, has received her DXCC award and her WAS-YL. Yours truly, KB4XO, upgraded to extra and is waiting for a new call.

Our local group, MALARC, set up a table at the Kennehoochee Hamfest and got a lot of new prospects for both MALARC and YLRL.
So that does it for another issue. Ya'll have a nice summer.

FIFTH DISTRICT

Esther Smith, WD5EMZ

Melinda, N5EZX, attended the Ruston, LA, hamfest, where I met her. Melinda is looking forward to getting back on the radio just as soon as the OM gets a new antenna up.

No doubt about it. The Little Rock, AR, hamfest last March was super great. They made me feel so welcome that I'm going back next year. I met a lot of YLs at the YLRL booth, which displayed a lot of activities for the YL operator, YL nets, and contests. I met Mary, WB5DVA; Lola, KA5GGB; Ruby, KC0PY; Fern, WA9QQE; Billie, WB5YLI; Letha, KA5HFB; Jane, WB8SIF; Betty, KA5ONE; Richea, KU5L; Glenda, WD5IMQ; Alice, N5ESK; Letha, KA5KRE; Evelyn, N5DSY; Audrey, KA5KOD, and Harryette, W6QGX. Catherine, WD5JKA, of Zwolle, LA, and Betty, WB5ILY, of Many, LA, also attended the hamfest. (Both these YLs live near by.)

The SPARCYL meeting in the Blue Room was a great success and the speakers, WB5DVA, WB5YLI, and WB5ILY had only nice things to tell. To finish the full day of activities, everyone attended a "come as you are and eat what you please" SPARCYL supper, which was the 4th annual supper. Good company with good food is a great way to end a wonderful day.

Hilda, KC5SG, has been playing nurse. Her grandson broke his knee. That kept Hilda on the go to the doctors, hospital for surgery, and many trips to the physical therapist. That's quite a job. To rest up, she and the OM will spend Easter in Oklahoma, then go to Las Cruces, NM, for the annual bean feed (hamfest) where a lot of YLs plan to meet. Then they'll go on to Page, AZ, to spend some time on Lake Powell in their new 26-foot Itasca motor home.

Ruth, K5OPT, had surgery the 23rd of March, and she writes about what good care OM Gene, W5EJT, took of her and the house. She is doing fine and looking forward to their trip to Germany, Austria, Switzerland, and then back to Frankfort where they plan to rent a car and visit friends in Germany.

Inez, W5WXT, is retiring this May. Congratulations. Know you are going to enjoy your own time.

Billie, WB5YLI, had a letter from Ellen, KA0CAD. Ellen was skiing when she fell and broke her ankle in three places. She had surgery and will be in a cast for a couple of months. Ellen's OM is in the military and they were transferred to Alaska. We still claim Ellen and we send lots of "cheering up" to you, Ellen. Hope you get well soon.

Maureen, N5FFB, wrote an interesting letter. She says she enjoys 2 meters, which keeps her company while she delivers newspapers on a long rural route. She is a "professional litterbug." She and daughter Laura, KA5NAD, who is 15 years old, and 13 year-old son Frank, N5FHQ gave the OM Fred, N5DRZ, a 2-meter beam for Christmas, not thinking how it would be mounted. But Fred came through. He bought a 30 foot tower to put his Christmas gift on and also an HF tri-bander beam. Now that's a ham family! Maureen enjoys the "YL lunch bunch," which meets once a month at a local cafe for chats and to encourage each other to upgrade. Hope to let you know in the next issue that Maureen made General. She goes the third week of April to try. Good luck--I know you will do it.

W5RZJ, Louisa, retired the 1st of April. Congratulations. After 23 years with the Bureau of Indian Affairs, she is busy with her garden and garden club. She's also able to spend more time with the youngest granddaughter. Louisa hopes to get new gear and be back on the air soon.

Darleen, WD5FQX, and daughter Diane will leave the 7th of May on a long exciting trip. They will drive to Phoenix, AZ, to visit with Phyllis, W2GLB, and OM Bill, W2GTX, and then go on to Fresno, CA, to visit her father. From there they will fly to San Francisco, then to Hong Kong where they will visit friends and then go aboard the beautiful M. V. "Pearl of Scandinavia" for a trip to China. They will stop at Shanghai, Wuxi, Suzhou, Peking, Tianjin, the Forbidden City, the great wall of China, and the summer palace. They will end the cruise in Kobe after cruising through the inland Sea of Japan.

On the same cruise will be the filming of a special two-hour "Love Boat" to be viewed later this fall on TV so watch for Darleen and Diane. Diane is doing great work with baton twirling. She will work out with world-champion baton twirler Yolanda Castellanos for a week and has entered the Fort Worth Regional Competition and the National Open Baton Twirling Competition in Denver, CO. Lots of luck, Diane.

Lillian, WA5WZL, is busy with church volunteer work and the church choir. She is having some problems with her 40 and 80 meter antennas, but you can find her on 20 meter CW.

Margaret, K5MXO, is off to Memphis, TN, to visit relatives and will return via Pensacola--white sand and blue water. She will attend the third National Genealogical Society Conference to be held in Ft. Worth.

Gerri, WD5HNG, made Extra class. Congratulations. She is a part-time school teacher. Also being the mother of 17 year old identical twins keeps her busy and on the go. She loves it all.

Burnette, K5JGC, just returned from a beautiful trip to the Hawaiian Islands. She enjoyed a telephone QSO with Val, KH6QI. They had to cut short their stay in California because of the inclement weather. They will be in New Orleans for the Southern Gas Association Convention and hope to enjoy the sights, sounds and food while they are there.

That's the news for this issue. Thanks for all the letters. It's just great hearing from you all. See you on the nets.

SIXTH DISTRICT

Jo Anne Dow, WA6ZGM

UPGRADE seems to be the word of the day! Jerrie, K6INK, upgraded to Advanced in February of her 30th year as a ham, and I understand she was so happy that she shed a tear or two when she was told that she passed. Hey, lady, who wouldn't? Phyllis (KA6NFD) is now Advanced with a new call, KE6TC; Sibyl, KA6RXX, has her Extra; Cindy, KA6UZI, changed her call to NQ60, and Anne, KA6NSW, passed her Extra code test and by now probably has passed the written part. These last three gals went from Novice to Extra in about a year and a half. WOW AND VERY GOOD!

Heard from Betty, AG6C, who has to be one of the most active lady hams in the West. She keeps in touch with all of her "ham" students and there are a lot of them. She's also busy drumming up new members for YLRL constantly and even had a "ham class" reunion and party.

Lenore, W6NAZ, is still writing articles for World Radio and dropped me a note to say that she and Vi, W6CBA, are alternate NCS's (or NCSes or whatever) for the Club-to-Club Net at 7:30 p.m. on Wednesdays at 147.705/105 MHz. It's an effort to increase communication between all of the scattered groups in the Los Angeles and Orange county areas.

Edith, K6AYJ, writes that she and her OM have had visitors from Oklahoma and that she is still close with her DX adoptee and they exchange little notes and gifts. What a nice idea!

Mable, W6YZV (what a call), fell and fractured her left knee. She's already on her second cast with a third one coming up. Is this the normal procedure or is Mable breaking the casts too? Hi! Write to her.

Enma, KA6IDL, lost her OM recently, and we're so sorry to hear that. She's staying busy though by trying to improve her code speed for an upgrade. There's that word again!

The Valentine party of the YLRC/LA was great, I hear...cornish game hens? Wow, what a bash! The program on T-hunts was so good that it will soon be seen on cable TV. Now that's what I call a program!

Mary, WD6FYE, is on a jaunt to Rio and she was so casual about it I nearly died--just like she was going to the store or something. Hope you do have a ball. Or I guess by the time you read this, I should say, "had a ball."

Avalon, WB6HOJ, made her acting debut last winter, but decorum demands that I do not go into detail as to what kind of a "professional" part she played. Gotcha, Avalon!

Mildred, W6HTS, had trouble with her car, and after calling for help and advice, she discovered she had it in the wrong gear. Hi!

Rosemary, W6PJF, is really going strong on her macro-photography and wrote a detailed letter about the flowers and...bugs. Glad you enjoy this as we're always looking for guest speakers at our club meetings. Next time you're up this way...and so on.

Jane, K6RLR, was our local flood reporter. None of us were in any trouble in Chico except for "all road" closures, but Janie lives by the river and kept northern California posted several times daily on the river risin's and highway closin's, and there was a bunch of them. One day I thought we were all going to be in southern California before noon.

Jo, WA6ZGM, has survived one wedding and is smack in the middle of another, with a new grandbaby arriving via the third kid shortly after all of this. Our family has grown by three new people all in one year, and that means more dishes, hi!

Thanks to all of you who took the time to write to me. How about the rest of you giving it a try? 33.

SEVENTH DISTRICT

Phyllis Douglas, K7SEC

April seemed to be a very busy month for our YLs. The Arizona YL Mesa luncheon was well attended. WA7JDE Frankye, WB7FDE Jane, KC7RY Eva, W6NLM Baulah, K1YXZ Marge, KA7AKK Beth, K6SWB Rosemary, W7JYX Verna, KD7QH Jean, W2GLB Phyllis, K7ESA Dottie, Hazel (Dottie's Aunt), W7QOB Shirley, W7JZA Ruby, and KB7NN Ann enjoyed receiving pictures that Shirley had taken at some of the other luncheons. The next one will be May 21 in the Sun City Glendale area. Listen to Coffee Cup net for further details.

W7JZA Ruby, Ariz. enjoyed the Northern As. QCWA get together at Montezuma Castle and is looking forward to the Southern As. potluch at Picacho Peak.

K6DLI Marcia, Nev. thanks everyone for the cards and notes of encouragement and is looking forward to shedding her crutches and heading for Alaska in mid July. She and Ted enjoyed a visit from K7YGV Beth and K7YGW Bob.

Marge who was busy with her Boy Scouts making delicious hamburgers. They plan to have a food booth at Ft. Tuthill ARCA Hamfest July 30-31.

WA7ZVQ Opal, Wash., writes about the MINOW meeting in Seattle and a pot-luck dinner at the home of WA7RYA Ruth and her OM N7GX Dick. Opal is look-forward to August when their daughter and family from Aberdeen, Scotland will be visiting for about six weeks. Their grandson, Jeff will be staying in the states to go to college at Wash. State in Pullman. They are proud of his receiving his Eagle Scout Badge and are happy that they will be seeing more of him than in the past.

WB7FDE Donna, Wash., has been very active on DX and other contests. Her OM John is AE7P, his parents are both hams, her brother also and now they are proud to include their 11yr. old daughter, Kari KA7PTO. She was the only child in an adult novice class and passed her test on the first try! Kari

has already worked many states on CW, is active in her school band, girl scouts, and evening classes in creative dramatics and art. She is also an avid computer fan. Opal just sent in her membership to YLRL. We look to the future for Kari to perhaps be active with YLRL for many years.

WA0NNC Karen, Ariz. with OM W0YOY Bernie accompanied by HV2OV attended the International DX Convention in Visalia, California. Traveling type seminars were very interesting and made them want to travel and go on their own DX-expedition. They liked the one-track program idea and met many very nice state-siders in addition to those from outside the U.S. They enjoyed breakfast with ZS2AF. Always nice to expand horizons and learn what life is like elsewhere. They hope to attend next year. In the meantime Karen stays busy with editing a local club newsletter, being secretary of OPRC, attending Ft. Tuthill Hamfest at Flagstaff in late July, working at the U. of A, studying algebra and calligraphy and enjoying their family. One of her boys graduates in June.

WA7FFG Beth, Ariz. found her "twin sister". A lady at her Nile meeting who was born the same day. Beth has been on a "veg. diet" that she got from W7LIZ Edith. 18 lbs. so far and she wanted to surprise the folks in Indiana. She is now in Rosedale, Ind. until Oct.

W7LIZ Edith, Ariz. is proud of her OM W7TCQ Jim, who received a letter of appreciation from the Rincon Rotary Club for his many years of contributions in the fields of radio communications and emergency communication services to the community. He was selected as the "Rincon Rotary Senior Citizen of the Year". He was presented with a flag which flew over the U.S. Capitol at the request of Senator Dennis DeConcini and was affectionately named the "Man from MARS". Congratulations to you both!

KC7ET Evelyn, Ariz. and OM Ed leave the middle of May for Bloomington, Ill. where both of them have family. They will travel and live in their motorhome.

K7XGV Beth, Ariz. and Bob will be traveling for the summer and take in the conventions at Flagstaff, Reno, and Anaheim. They were able to have a nice visit with all their family at the Las Cruces Bean Feed where their newest granddaughter Elizabeth(KA5HPI Cheri's) won a book on Electronics. We expect to see her in Granpa's next ham class. Others at the Bean feed were WD5AHE, KC5SG, K5ECP, W9JAD, KC7ET, W7INN, K7SEC their OMs and many more that right now I can't think of. A great time was had by all.

Eighth District

Doris Smith, WD8TKC

Sylvia Rickett, N8AKI, daughter of W8LGY Ruth is the first woman instructor at Northrop University in Inglewood CA. She is also president of Los Angeles chapter of the "Ninety Niners", an international organization of licensed women pilots. She is flying almost every Saturday and Sunday to practice the flight maneuvers for the commercial flight test. After she gets her aviation career on its own feet she hopes to have more time for hamming.

We are sorry to have to report another Silent Key. Fran Porter, K8RZI, died in Miami FL on March 9. She was president of Buckeye Belles in 1965/66 and was a long time member of Dayton ARA. She will be missed by all who knew and loved her.

New YLRL member Kathy, N8EDL, from Moundsville WV says she has not been very active on the HF bands since she started working midnights on a new job at a chemical company. Before the new job, she had been checking into YLISSB and was "having a blast because a YL from WV is almost DX!" She is active with TSRAC, taking her turn as NCS on Monday night ARES net, Tuesday weather training net and Wednesday 10 meter phone net. She is starting a 6-meter phone net on 15.150 Sunday mornings at 11:00 a.m. local time and invites anyone with 6-meter capabilities to check in. She bought her OM Don, WB8ZTV, a Hal DS 3100 with MSO. The MSO is on 3635 KHz and anyone is welcome into the machine. The call-up is MSOZTV. We hope to meet Kathy in Dayton.

KC8JI Ann and OM John, KC8WM, are planning a trip to New Mexico in June to see son Jay, KA2CFN, who is in the Air Force. Daughter Trina, WD8LPQ, is planning to upgrade. Ann won the contest sponsored by her local club to get the club active on low bands and will receive a jacket and trophy.

N8CGM Susie is Corresponding Secy for OH-KY-IN ARS. OM Brad, WD9HDZ, NCS for some of the morning OSSBN nets, sang in Cardinal District SPEBSQSA contest in Columbus IN in April.

There were 36 in attendance at the Buckeye Belles Annual Meeting in Delaware, Ohio on April 10. Officers installed by K8CKI Lillian were: WA8VTS Ann, President; WD8MRJ Millie, Vice Pres.; WD8MIO Connie, Secy; and K8MZT Shirley, Treasurer. Founder's award went to KJ8X Shirley Riestenberg for outstanding help to the Belles. Continuous Membership Certificates were presented by K8MZT Shirley. KA8MPH Mary reported results of the BB QSO Party: N8AJU Sue had most contacts; KA8JVL Betty had farthest contacts (Turkey and New Zealand); and WD8IKC Doris contacted the most Belles.

K8MZT Shirley is now recuperating from surgery on April 22 for replacement of her left hip (her right hip was replaced two years ago). OM Chuck, K8MZS, returned from Florida a few days before Shirley entered the hospital. We hope this operation will be as successful as her previous one.

WB8EIR Kate says she is coming along "real good" now, walking on her foot but using a walker when she goes out. She wants to thank everyone for the get-well cards (she received about 200); and also for the sympathy cards she received after her daughter's death. She says she misses her "but she is in better hands now and no pain". We hope you continue to improve, Kate.

WB8QOY Donna informs us the following officers were installed at Michigan TASYL meeting at Muskegon State Convention on April 17: WD8DQG Carol, President; K18V Verline, Vice Pres.; KM8E June, Secy; and WA8YPY Ruth, Treasurer. WD8MEV Shirley is the new Editor of TASYL TATTLER. The TASYLS presented the Michigan Amateur Radio Lady of the Year award to WA8DHB, Aileen Gagnon.

KB8RT Lee is now writing a YL column for Monroe Co. MI Radio Club's bulletin. She is also heading up a group that will provide communications for a bike-a-thon in June. Lee received her DX-YLCC Certificate and was happy to see that the certificate number was "33". She has also qualified for the Netherlands 88 Certificate.

N8ALJ Jodie's daughter Molly graduates from high school (Interlochen Arts Academy) and will go east for college next year. Jodie spent an afternoon with Joyce, W5MWK, on February 17 at Dallas-Ft. Worth Airport. It was Joyce's birthday and they celebrated with a nice eyelash ragchew. Jodie's OM Fred underwent surgery at Mayo Clinic on April 15. She stayed at a hotel in Rochester MN for several weeks to be near him. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and Fred, Jodie. We are grateful to WA0WOF, Kay, who agreed to take over for Jodie as YLH Editor for the time being.

Ran out of space before running out of news. 33 till next time.

NINTH DISTRICT

Adah Elliott, W9RTH

On April Fool's Day, KA9MXZ, Barb got a lovely April Fool's Day gift-- a group of kittens. Bet they are cute. Barb is quite busy handling traffic. Good luck, Barb.

KS9N, Mary Lou, is now an Extra and is quite excited about getting to attend the Dayton Hamfest where she hopes to meet many YLRL gals. She says they had a very good auction at their sale last month. There will be more details about that after we see her at Dayton.

K9ILK was about to throw her amaryllis bulb away when she noticed it had a stem growing up, and it produced a lovely red bloom. I'm sure glad she didn't throw it away. Fran was busy this weekend baking brownies and a delicious cocoanut pie. Sounds good!

K9RXK, Ann, has been busy making tapes for the YLRL Western Division group. Know she enjoys it a lot. Ann and family are going to the Dayton Hamfest, and W9RTH is going to go along with them. Hope we will have a lot of news after the hamfest. I hear many YLRL gals plan to attend. Ann and Adah both have had sore throats and have been hoarse. Haven't been together so wonder how both got it at the same time.

KA9JJB, Mary, and Barb, KA9MXZ, had dinner together in Columbia City, IN, and had a great gabfest. They talked a mile a minute. Hi. K9FZX, Annie, was also there. Glad they all got together.

Donna, W8QOY, reported she checked in with the Buckeye Belles and told them that Jodie, N8ALJ, is staying at the Kahler Hotel, Room #480, 20 Second Avenue SW, Rochester, MN 55903, during the illness of her husband. We all hope her OM gets better soon.

W9NBW, Dot, is having carpeting laid on her kitchen floor and is quite busy, as usual.

N9ALC, Dot, is now Extra class. Congratulations, Dot. She is making dolls for her grandchildren and great-grandchildren for Christmas and is sewing for herself and knitting. She plans to go to Dayton. Dot has picked up some DX stations on the Extra portion of the bands. Her OM will retire this month.

K9RXK, Ann, took her school children to the planetarium in Indianapolis and they all really enjoyed the day.

N1AOZ, Georgia, is now a silent key. She checked into CQ Cuties the week before Feb 17 and became a silent key on March 4.

The daughter-in-law of Adah, W9RTH, passed away on March 10. Will have a lot more news after the Dayton Hamfest.

TENTH DISTRICT

Marj Tiritilli, KBØZC

After a late attempt at mischief by winter, spring seems to have arrived. This week the days have been gorgeous.

On March 2, I talked with Louise, KAØFJD, who was then anxiously watching and listening to weather reports from California. The reason for her anxiety was that on March 10, she was scheduled to participate in a ten day whale-watching cruise off the California coast. Haven't been able to get in touch with her since then to hear all about it. Louise is retired from teaching Spanish and has many interests that occupy her time.

Got a note from Saxon, KBØTK. She and her OM Sam plan to attend a picnic gathering of the Kadiddlehopper group (Did I spell that correctly? They meet all day at 7.253) in Twin Bridges, OK. She also wrote that Lois, KØSFB, of Bellevue, Nebraska, became grandma again...and again. On March 12, one of her daughters gave birth to a boy, making that five grandsons for Lois. Then on March 15, another daughter gave birth to a girl--Lois's first granddaughter. Congratulations to Lois and family.

And then Saxon told of a new Ø-land YL she has talked to: Faith, KA2MVB, in Ft. Riley, KS. Faith has already joined YLRL and can be found on 40 meters. Welcome, Faith.

A big THANK YOU to the gals who have been sending news. Hopefully I'll be hearing from more of you "10's" in the future.

Jer and I recently spent a week visiting various members of the Tiritilli clan in Illinois and Wisconsin. Since our return we've gotten into the Spring Fling, which at this QTH means clean up, paint up, fix up time. But this Saturday we are going to take a break and visit the zoo. 33 and God bless.

Silent Key

Fran Porter, K8RZI, on March 9

VE6AUP, Hallie, writes that they received their first rain of the season in early March. Unfortunately, it turned to freezing slush which caused havoc on the roads in Edmonton. Hallie has some seeds planted in trays indoors and is looking forward to the weather warming up so that she can start work in the garden. They have had a relatively mild winter too though I must admit I do shudder when I hear Hallie mention those MINUS temperatures! They may not be cold for Alberta but they sound cold out here on the coast!

VE7CBK, Bobby's granddaughter, Tiffany Jayne, is now 7 1/2 months old and naturally little gets done around Bobby's house when she comes over for a visit!! It has been such a mild winter and warm spring that the fruit trees in her area are just bending over with the weight of the blossoms. Bobby hopes that there will be a bumper crop of fruit to follow.

VE7ADR, Alberta and her OM have been over to Vancouver Island for a short visit with ham friends, but they didn't go on their usual trip to Hawaii during the winter. Unfortunately, Alberta's brother is not well and her two sisters are not enjoying good health either. I do hope that things get better soon, Alberta.

VE7DKS - I haven't talked to Vicki but have heard that she passed her real estate exam. Congratulations, Vicki!! Hope that we can get together on 2 meters before we leave on our holidays.

VE7BIP - My VE news is very scarce as I got just one letter from my VE girls this time. They must all be on extended winter holidays!! We have just finished our move out of the house in Vancouver, and oh my, am I ever glad that that is over! There were many times that I wished that I had never started the project!! We are staying with our daughter Arleen and her husband Paul, about 20 miles out of Vancouver and will be leaving on the 1st of May for Europe. I think I NEED that holiday! It looks as if the new QTH will start going up in July and I know that those 6 to 8 months of construction will go VERY slowly. Hope that everyone has a wonderful summer.

DX YL NEWS

Verline Ferris, KI8V

Did you know this is World Communications Year? In honor of this, the Leeds Young Ladies plan a special event, with operation by the YL members of the White Rose Amateur Radio Club of Leeds, England. GB2LYL will be on all bands, conditions permitting on May 21/22.

The JLRS and JLRL are also planning a celebration, but no details had been received from Japan at press time.

ISØSFZ, Grazia Sassu enjoys 20 and 40 meters phone. She is a surgical-medical doctor and teaches topographical anatomy at Saffari's University. She's a member of ARI, ARMI, YLC Electra Marconi and VDXG. W3CDQ is her sponsor.

CT1YH, Lucia, has a son, CT1CFN, who is an MD in South Africa. Her mom lives with her and her OM, CT4GX. She has two grandchildren. WD4NKP is her sponsor. We are happy to have new YLRL members.

P29NUN, Sr. Margaret, lives at 5000' in the tropics. Primarily a 10 and 15 meter phone op, she frequents 28.578 at 0230 GMT. P29NSF wrote about her in 73 as "the Nun on a broomstick with spotted underwear." This is on her QSL card. Sr. Margaret is a teacher and is planning to upgrade soon. K6INK is her sponsor.

We also welcome JH1CCQ, JE1IVM, and JK1MHA as new family members of YLRL. Mom Fumi, JA1AEQ, has lots of QRM with three daughters, OM JA1PK,

and son-in-law JA1FMO. They all live in one house with two grandsons and her mom.

IIIEP, Gianna, likes gardening. Her daughter and son-in-law are OK following a bad car accident.

YV5CKR, Helena, broke her wrist before Christmas. She has two grandsons who keep her busy. W1FTA, Gladys, is her sponsor.

Our sincere sympathy to Edna, VP9IX, and Tom on the loss of his mother in March. Edna quit her job to help her before she died, and she was in England before that to be with her dad who was ill. Someone had bootlegged her call on CW since June, signing portable 5T.

VK6YL, Jill, is Councilor of the Wireless Institute of Australia and secretary of the W. A. repeater group. She had some lightening in March which took the final on her IC-211 and the FT-101E lit up without being on.

G4OAT, Dorothy, mentions producing an exhibition for a local archaeological society. Her OM is G4MLN, Brian.

DK9ZL, Ella, was on her second DXpedition to Guernsey, using GU5E00 from late March 'til April. About 10,500 contacts were made by the three operators on the Isle of Man in ten days.

VU2CP, Leela, sent W6NAZ, Lenore, some lovely handmade crochet items.

G4KFP, Jasmine sent KI8V a date book to keep organized. KD5VT, Gale, is Jasmine's sponsor.

Axel, son of DL1LV, Christel, and DL1LU, announces his new sister, Dortje Maren, born March 3rd. Congratulations!

ZL1BI, Shirley, who operates 10 meters, is a secretary at an OB hospital. Her mom lives with her. She invites YLRL members and their OMs to stay with her in ZL-land after making arrangements ahead by radio or mail.

ZL1BBN, Win, and OM Jim, ZL1GM, have four sons. Three are hams: ZL1BAP, John; ZL1UGD, Alex, and ZL1UCM, Robert. Alex is in Miami, FL, this year and is on 2 meters. Win has a few sheep and enjoys spinning as a second hobby.

DJØEK, Paula, was in the NA-DX YL contest. In '84, she plans on a trip to the U. S. West coast. I hear several people mentioning some plans to get together. YLs in the 6th area, let us know about your Olympic plans!

I8PLH, Hildegard, hopes her rotor for the TH6 will be fixed when the weather is good. She may be stateside this year.

IØMLX, Lilia, enjoys her flowers. Her OM, an M. D., enjoys his trees and vegetables. Her last trips were to China in 1980 and Brazil last year. Her son Miarco, an M. D., died in 1981 at age 26. Her other son Mat is an engineer. WA2NFY is her new sponsor.

OH2YL, Kaarina, is learning to drive.

4X4NW, Devora, mentions her daughter has been in the Army for two years and her son is 17. W7NJS is the sponsor of Kaarina and Devora.

YO4UJ, Maria, writes that her OM Sever has 319 countries. IZ9A and IZ9B, a new independent country, is the latest rare one. VKØ was on 14 and 21 MHz CW and SSB, and they got it. Good luck to their son on the university exams.

DJ9SB, Renata, is a dedicated volunteer, helping others, and deserves a big Thank You for her work. She is a super YL.

DL3SAR, Ingrid, visited YLs, including DJ1TE, last summer. She enjoyed camping in the summer and skiing during the holidays in Switzerland.

G3NOB, Rita, likes CW and has a new Trio 930. She enjoys tent camping in the mountains. The ptarmigan chicks were a favorite at Applecross and their winter white change of feathers were a lovely sight in N. Scotland on Quinag. Rita has a 9 year-old granddaughter.

XE1CVY, Maria, is on the air now and the sticking relay problem is fixed. She was on tour as a pianist at the end of March. Thanks for the photo and the QSO on your birthday.

ZS6GH, Diana, and OM Reg, ZS6J, operate ZS6GMM, a station at the Gold Mine Museum, where there is tribal dancing and a 1900 steam train ride. She says Kellogg's exists in South Africa as they have a factory. Snap... Crackle...Pop!

11MQ, Ada, says the new YLRCI DX Correspondent is 1IKAX, Helen, a former Australian. She would like mail and news.

5Z4CM, Charlotte, will leave Kenya around August. Look for her on the 6th of June at 0500-1300 and after 2000 GMT on 10 meters CW. Skeds for 40 and 80 will be made on request. Her daughter Annelle is 16 and has a new U. S. call, KA5QID. She will join YLRL as a family member. Congratulations and welcome.

VU2UGI, Usha, may be stateside again next summer. We hope so!

Five countries are now allowed to use 18 and 24 MHz, and about 30 countries have been heard on 10 MHz. Are any YLs active yet on CW or RTTY in these new bands? The U. S. has gotten phone band expansion, as of May 22 on 14 MHz. Happy Summer! The next issue is the Directory issue.



By Shirlee Moore, KQ7Y

SOME NEW MEMBERS.....

N1CHO, Thelma L. Whitehouse is a homemaker from Unity, ME, with a General license. She enjoys CW and is ex-KN1YKE and KA1GPT. Another ham in the family is K1GW.

KA2OSN, Sara Stewart, from Toms River, NJ, is a technical writer with a Novice license. She is using a QRP rig and enjoying talking on the Novice bands while looking forward to upgrading.

KA2QZQ, Alys M. Harper has a Novice license and is a computer programmer from Egg Harbor City, NJ. Her OM Robert is W3BH.

KA2MVB, Faith S. Webster, from Ft. Riley, KS, is a teacher's aide/student with a General license. Her OM Ronald is KA4LUK, and she is ex-DA2WF.

KA4DDQ, Virginia R. Slack is from Atlanta, GA, and has a Tech license. She is a clerical worker and volunteer instructor for the American Red Cross and also sings in her church choir. She hikes, cooks, and does a large variety of needle art. Virginia is a member of the Atlanta RC and the new Metro Atlanta Ladies' ARC. Her uncle is K5QBU.

WA4WKC, Carol H. Hale is an R. N. with a General license from Dunwoody, GA. Her OM Jim is W4ZUE, son is N4FKU, and daughter is KA4LIY. Carol is Co-Vice Pres of the Atlanta RC, Co-Chair for Communications for the Winter Special Olympics, 1983, and was the Co-Chair of the Atlanta RC in 1982.

WB4LTA, Marianne C. Magnan is an airline agent with an Advanced license from Tyrone, GA.

N4EWI, Barbara C. Willis from Marietta, GA, has a Tech license and is a computer systems manager. Her OM John is KB4DU.

KA4HQY, Dolores Young is a housewife from Dunwoody, GA, with a Tech license. Her OM Huel is K4DRQ.

N4HJE, Claire M. Farmer is from Smyrna, GA. She has a Tech license and is a housewife. Her OM Jim is N4IBW. Claire is ex-KA4ZYF.

KA5GIS, Carol Kirk from Bremerton, WA, is a housewife with a General license. Her OM Brian is WB7OWM. Carol operates mostly CW and likes QRP operation, especially in contests. She used to operate from the Navy Rec Station KH6SP (Nov 79 - Feb 80). Her dad is a ham, and there are eight hams in her husband's family, counting Carol.

WB5ILY, Betty Merritt is from Many, LA. Her OM Lavell is WB5ILX. She is a member of the Extra Class Couples Club, secretary of the Sabine Parish ARC, has a General class radio telephone license, is teaching a Novice class and is Asst. net manager for the Central Gulf Coast Hurricane Net. (She will become net manager in July.) Betty was the first YL amateur in Sabine Parish and was one of the founders of the SPARCYL Net.

N5FFB, Maureen McClain is a self-employed newspaper carrier from Sanger, TX, with a Tech license. Her OM Fred is N5DRZ, son Frank (13) is N5FHQ, and daughter Laura (15) is KA5NAD. She is working on her General, trying to "catch up" with the rest of her family.

KA6STT, Mim Pitman from Northridge, CA, is a secretary with a General license. Her fiancée Allen is WA6TAL.

KA6RCM, Mary L. Turner is from Bishop, CA. She is retired and has a Tech license. Her OM Cal is WB6YZY.

KA6KVK, Patricia F. Nudson is a homemaker from Cambria, CA, with a Novice license. Her OM Gerald is WB6UMR, son Larry is KL7IQQ, and daughter Nancy is 6W8IE and N3AFE.

N6GGR, Maxine Reams is a photographer (disabled) from Costa Mesa, CA. She has an Advanced license and her sister is N6EKR. Her brother-in-law is KB6O. Maxine is a 10-X member, collects stamps, reads, and listens to tapes and music. She is ex-KA6RRL. (Maxine's call was incorrectly listed on p. 29 of YLH #2.)

WA6IWT, Froma M. Reiter is a retired teacher with a General license from Fullerton, CA. She is a member of ARES, BARRA, V-P of the Fullerton Garden Club, past pres. of Mu Phi Epsilon, Anaheim RC, and is presently editor of "Squelch." Froma is still active as a free-lance musician and enjoys needlework, reading, and stamp collecting. Her OM Charles is WA6IWS.

N6IFD, Carol A. Park, from Cupertino, CA, holds a Tech license and is a houseperson. Her OM Ted is K6XN, and she has two children.

KA7OAJ, Gloria J. Koch is a word processor with a Novice license from Clackamas, OR. Her OM Alan is KA7OAI, and her son Eric (16) is KA7OAH. She is very active in Girl Scouts on the district level, a member of the Clackamas ARC, and is hoping to upgrade this spring. Gloria has a 40 meter dipole up 40' between organic towers.

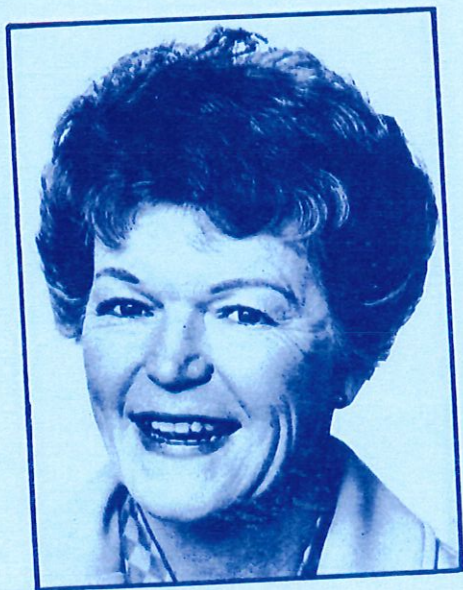
WB7PWB, Carol Hackett is a nurses' aide with a General license from Ft. Wainright, AK. Her OM John is KA7FUE and dad is WA7TWU. She has two daughters and belongs to Army MARS. Her home QTH is Oregon, but they will be in Alaska "at least" until November 1984.

KA8CXS, Beverly Williams from Battle Creek, MI, has an Advanced license. She is a plant assigner-Mich. Bell and OM Charles is WD8LJF. She has one daughter and two grandchildren. Beverly belongs to the southern Mich ARC.

KA8PWM, Gertrude M. Susock is retired and lives in Detroit. She has a General license and is currently secretary for the Wayne Co. ARPSC and NCS. Beverly also monitors and is a control operator for the radar repeater.

YLRL congratulates Lenore, W6NAZ. She received a Special Achievement Award at the 1983 Dayton Hamvention in recognition of her tireless efforts on behalf of amateur radio. Lenore is a charter member of YLRL, and we are very proud of her.

Congratulations, Lenore! You are a very special lady. You have set an example for all of us to follow as we each strive to maintain the high standards and true spirit of amateur radio.



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