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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Happy Easter to you all.

The first "meeting" of the Board of Directors was held in February and these are the results of that meeting. The following gals were elected to serve as the Executive Board: Blanche Randles, K1IZT; Fran Bailey, K7MRX; and Shirley Rex, K8MZT. Bobbie Wilson, K7RAM, was elected to serve as auditor of ballots for this year. It was voted to donate one ticket for the 1964 YLRL Convention as a prize at the 1963 ARRL Convention. This prize will go to the licensed YL attending the ARRL Convention who traveled farthest to get there. This will cost YLRL about \$10. and will give our 1964 Convention some publicity. I was given the go-ahead to continue investigating the possibility of having the design of the YLRL Charm registered in the U.S. Patent office so that we could control its use. More on this at a later date. Finally, it was decided that there should be no changes in the rules for obtaining any of the certificates issued by YLRL. The present rules will stand.

The next issue of YLH (March-April) will contain the ballot for the election of officers for 1964. I urge you all to get your ballots in to the Secretary as soon as possible. It is your duty as well as your privilege to vote.

Be sure and get your news into your district chairmen early. She has to have her copy to Edie by the 15th of the first month of each issue, (March 15 for the March-April issue, etc.), so that Edie may have sufficient time to get the final copy to the printer by the first of the following month.

Here I would like to send a big bouquet to Edie for the fine job she is doing under very adverse circumstances. Edie has been expecting her second harmonic and having a rough go of it but she has kept up with her duties as Editor of YLH just beautifully. Did you ever try to type in bed? AND with a big lump in your tummy? It isn't easy. To add to the difficulties, Edie is a former polio gal and that certainly hasn't helped any. I know you all join me in the prayer that by the time you are all reading this, Edie is carrying that lump around in her arms instead of her tummy, hi!

This issue of YLH will go only to those gals who have paid their dues for this year. If you hear of anyone complaining about not receiving her YLH, please remind her of this--she may have just forgotten to send her dues in to Shirley. If they are not on the membership list by the time the May-June issue is ready to be mailed, they will not receive the March-April issue at all. We simply cannot hold a stack of back issues waiting for gals to pay their dues sometime next fall--it isn't fair to the gals doing all the work on YLH.

I would like to take the rest of the space I am allotted to explain the delay in your last issue of YLH.. It was the fault of no one. The copy was gotten to the printer in plenty of time; it was printed and addressed and ready for mailing in plenty of time. What happened was this. We had to apply for a new third class postal permit at El Monte, California where the magazine is now mailed. The postmaster had to send our application for reduced rates for a non-profit organization into the main post office in Los Angeles. Our application was turned down. Much fussing and fuming ensued and we appealed the decision. All of this took a good deal of time and in the end the original decision was upheld. Not because we are not a non-profit organization (which we indeed are!) but because only certain types of organizations are permitted the reduced rates. Actually we should have been paying the full rate all this time but up until the first of this year, the local postmaster could pass on such applications and they had always allowed us the reduced rate. As of the first of this year, local postmasters may not pass on such things but must send all applications to the main post office in Los Angeles and THERE we got caught!! This, of course, means a considerable increase in the cost of mailing YLH but more of that later too!!

For now, I shall bid you all the very best of everything and hope to be talking to more of you on the air now that I am back in circulation. AND a big smooch to all from Kathryn Jean.

33, Jean, K6OQD

YOUNG LADIES RADIO LEAGUE, INC.

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January 1, 1963 thru February 28, 1963

Cash on Hand, December 31, 1962 Checking Account (Calif.) \$ 116.53

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Dues - 1962	\$ 5.50	
Dues - 1963	411.50	
Subscriptions	4.50	
Pins	2.00	
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Cuts	3.00	
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	\$ 435.50	552.03

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4th DC - 1962	1.02
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DX/YL Corresp. 1963	20.00
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Pres. 1963	6.86
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Treas. 1963	35.70
Prop. Cust.	.51
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On Deposit Savings YLRL First Nat'l Bank, Canton, Ohio	904.01
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Respectfully submitted by
s/ Shirley Rex, K8MZT, Treas. YLRL, 1963

DX-YL NEWS

Betty J. Becker, K5MJW

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Arlington, Texas

DL3LS - Ursula writes --Just lately we practice English because we have had two charming visitors- W7QYA - Florence and her friend Patricia. They are on a trip around the world and stayed with us two days after having visited SM5EMN, Barbara and OZ1MR, Margaret. We are so glad to see them at Remscheid even for a few days. I never had talked to her - she only read my letter in Harmonics and wrote to me. It was the first time we had visitors from W land and we spent a wonderful time. They showed us slides from Montana and Alaska and we showed some of HB and OE where they liked to go also. We could not talk, ask and answer all things we liked as time was too short. Hope they liked their whole trip as we liked both in our QTH. Our vacation in the Alps was very refreshing. We had good WX so we could be in the fresh air all day long. Perhaps you know we always sleep in the car and when it is raining it is not easy to go inside without moisten the car inside. But in North Italy most time of the year the sun is shining and we in Germany think sun must shine in Italy and mostly we are right. WX is one of two reasons why German people like to go to Italy. We say 'bad weather we can have at home!' After returning we have a wonderful time with my parents here, (They have guarded house, flowers and cat.) and perhaps I shall drive to their QTH - Berlin- soon. In October Heinz had a vacation for 1 week and this vacation we used for a short trip to the Hartz Mts. with the border to East Germany. And while we had rain and fog for weeks in Remscheid, we were above the clouds there. My hamming was very poor this summer. I have not yet finished my DLD award - only received Silver Needle; Heinz got the Golden Needle some months ago. For my WAE I need only 1 card and couldn't receive it. 5-6 months ago I received the 98th QSL, the 99th came 2 months ago and now nothing at all! But when I am not on the air I couldn't get any QSLs, hi!

ZS6BAK - Dulcie writes -- Although I have been a ham for 2 years, unfortunately I have never worked a YL in the States. I hope to rectify this soon as we are getting a new rcvr. which should make life easier as far as DX is concerned. We have been using an old naval rcvr. which is really very flat, and although I have worked a fair amount of DX, apart from 2 contacts it has all been on CW. When we get our new Drake 2B my OM is going to put up a cubical quad - so here's hoping it's going to make all the difference we expect. The transmitter is a Viking Ranger and our antenna at the moment is a Mosley vertical. We also have a folded dipole for 20 & 40 mtrs. Another hobby my OM and I have is sailing. We sail a 14 foot dingy called a Sprog which is a very popular boat in South Africa. Every Sunday from the middle of August until the end of April or middle of May will find us racing in our little stretch of water 400 miles from the sea. Although we're so far from the coast yachting is becoming a very popular sport here and every stretch of water large enough has a yacht club. I am also very keen on golf, and what with PTA meetings, charity fund raising meetings, helping with homework, driving children to school, dancing, Cubs and friends it is no wonder I rarely get on the band during the day.

ZL2QZ - Sylvia writes-- I was born in England and was educated there. We lived in Ireland for a few years when I was a young child. I came to New Zealand with my parents when I was 61 and have been here ever since. My OM, Bill, is also English. We both sat for the ham exam in 1954. We have one son named Peter. He is nearly 21 and works for the local power board. He lives at home with us. We live on a sheep farm - Bill and I run it with occasional help from Peter on weekends. The only labor we employ is someone to shear the sheep. New Zealand is very beautiful country - very mountainous and has a small population. The climate is mild - in winter the snow is only high on the mountain tops. We live in the North Island which is slightly warmer than the South Island. Our local radio branch has about 18 members - I am the only YL. Our branch project at the moment is doing up an old cottage which we have use of for a club house and search headquarters. It has been empty for some time and was a dirty old place when we took over. We are repairing and painting inside and out and it is beginning to look quite nice now. I am no carpenter, but do enjoy painting so have been spending some of my spare time doing that. We belong to AREC and the club house will be used for a base. There are quite a lot of searches in N.Z. Deerstalkers and trampers get lost in the mountains and thick native bush and aircraft go missing. The Tramping and Mountain clubs do the searching and we provide the communications. We don't get any pay for this, but we do get a little money from the Gov. for equipment. We were alloted one new little walkie talkie set and two very old ex-army battery sets so we use quite a lot of our own gear. We have had donations of paint, wallboard etc., from local business firms so we manage quite well. So far Bill and I have been involved in one big search and several minor ones. There are about 22 YL hams in N.Z. at present with several sweating their tickets. We have recently formed a YL club, but have not had time to get any badges or membership cards yet.....(Tnx. for lovely letter, Sylvia and welcome to YLRL--- Betty.

ZL1AXP - Florence writes--- Tnx a lot for your letter and the offer of having me adopted into YLRL. I really do appreciate it and will certainly be pleased to keep in touch with my sponsor. I have a sister who is married to a member of your Army. She has lived at different times in Calif., Texas, and Las Vegas. At the moment she is in England with her husband and family and I don't know when she is due back in America. I am English and came to N.Z. in 1948, was married in 1952 and lived several places in North Island before settling in Taupo. I was a telephone operator in England during the war in the Navy, but have done nothing in that line in N.Z. Before I was married I worked for an electrical firm making transformers for Power Boards. Tnx again for making it possible for myself and other ZL girls to become members of YLRL. Taupo is in the center of North Island of N.Z., on the shores of Lake Taupo which is 26 miles long and 16 miles wide. The town is a holiday resort with trout fishing in the lake and rivers leading to the lake. We have lots of overseas fishermen coming to Taupo just for the trout. The CM is an electrician. We have lived in Taupo for 8 years and have seen it grow from a small village of 2,000 population to a thriving town of nearly 6,000 and it's still growing. (Welcome to YLRL, Florence - I hope we hear from you often. Betty)

OH5RZ - Sylvi writes--- Many thanks for your letter and call to YLRL. Indeed I am very happy for it. Our home here is in South Finland in Mussals Island. This island is situated 3 kilometers from Kotha City. The summer here is indeed very lovely. In winter going is very difficult but our family (husband and I and three boys) like so much to live here. My husband has had license for 2 years. He does not have much time to work, but makes a good antennas, hi. The time is not long to me. I work by radio and much more by CW - I like it. I make too all my own dresses. Also needlework is my other interest. I am sorry for my not fine English but I will try to write, hi! (Your English is very fine, Sylvi, and we hope to hear from you many more times. Welcome to YLRL. Betty)

ZL1AWM - Judith writes--- We live in a new housing area on the outskirts of Auckland, which is the largest city in N.Z. (Though a small place by world standards, having only 1/2 million population. My husband is an electrical engr., employed by the gov't. in the P.O., and I have a BSC degree in Physics. Apart from radio, my interest centers around my home, family and Church. I am secretary of the trust for the nearby Methodist Church and am a Sunday School teacher. I am a member of the World Association of Methodist Radio Amateur and clubs. I like cooking, gardening, sewing and keeping house. My only complain is that there are never enough hours in the day. (Welcome to YLRL, Judith - hope we hear from you often. --Betty)

VK1YL - Denise writes to KSMZT -- I haven't been able to QSO a DX-YL since last Nov. when I had the last of a series of enjoyable chats with Helen Baber. Later I got a letter from her - also WNSOZL and W8HWX, but unfortunately the letter came after the originally set schedule. I called a week later, Dec. 8th., at 1000 GMT for 40 min. but QRM was bad and there wasn't a decent signal on the band. If anyone is interested in a sked a brief note stating date, time and freq. will have me glued to the gear with all ears flapping. We are Xtal controlled so I can only come up on 7006, 7025, 7046, and 7050 or double that for 20 mtrs. (I'm sure you'll hear from many girls who work 20 meters now that they know where you can be found. I do hope you'll have many enjoyable DX contacts, besides giving us in the States a rare VK1 contact - especially a YL--hi!....Betty)

OZ1MR - Margaret writes --- I am getting prepared for 'battle' as regards the YL/OM Contest, and I have Paul's promise that he will log for me if things get too hectic! The Perry Mason Show on Sat., 2 March will have to get along without me watching, hi!! I have not heard too many YL/XYL stations. Those I do hear most regularly seem to be Russians who do not speak English. I wish they could, or would - so I could have QSOs with them and add to my YL lists. The 40 and 20 meter bands seem to be rather erratic as short and long skip conditions seem to alternate, and if one takes advantage of short skip it has to be snappy QSO or you lose contact. The evenings (1700 - 2100 GMT) on 20 mtrs. DX is to be heard. Some are rare and exotic DX on CW and SSB but, although we hear them with good signals they do not seem to be able to hear the Scandinavians who call them. It is the same during the day, (1100 - 1400 GMT), when I try to get contacts with K/W 1,2,3 stations. It is most frustrating! I truly hope that I'll have better luck during the contest, though I shall not build my hopes too high as I've been disappointed before. I'd really like to hear more YLs on the bands, not only to help me get YLCC etc., but to make a change from all the OM contacts I've had lately. However, I guess many YLs are like myself under present band condx. and QRT to catch up on other jobs and interests. The winter WX still persists here in Europe - plenty of frozen snow still laying about, but not quite so cold; and the ice and snow does thaw a little during the day time, though we get heavy frost during the night regularly. In Danish waters the ice situation is still bad and ice breakers are in continuous use to keep shipping lanes open. Heaven knows when Spring and warmer weather will eventually reach Denmark but it will get a real welcome as we are awfully tired of this long cold winter!! I really ought not to grumble because when the sun shines into this apartment & I look at my potted plants it looks like Spring in here in the room with me, as I have my Hyacinths

in bloom and they really look and smell wonderful.

GM3NYG - Joan writes --- As I write there is a program lying beside me for a Burns supper. You have probably heard of Robert Burns, the Scottish poet; he was born in Alloway, near Ayrshire. You can still visit the cottage in which he was born. His birthday was 25 January so that is when most Burns suppers are held. To help you understand what a Burns supper is I will copy the program for you.

Piping in the Haggis

Address to the Haggis (Poem by Burns)

Grace

Supper consisting of: Soup (Lock o'leekie - or if you prefer beg. including leeks)

Haggis and mashed neeps (Neeps is a Scottish expression for turnips)

Steak Pie and Tatties (Potatoes)

Oatcakes and Cheese

Tea

Toast to the Queen

National Anthem

Chairman's remarks, song, The Immortal Memory, recitation, Choir singing songs of Burns:

Toast - The Lassies -: Song Reply to the Lassies Toast: Recitation, Votes of thanks, and

Auld Lang Syne. The recitations are of course all poems written by Burns. We would not usually

write 'neeps or tatties on a menu. They are really doric words - doric being a sort of

Scottish slang, for want of a better explanation.

Bought myself a two meter converter and am having a very interesting time. There is a fairly local net here with about 5 members. The band spread on the rcvr. broke a few weeks ago so sent for the diagram on how to rewire. Meanwhile I lent the rcvr. to a fellow who was showing some interest in radio as I was going away for the weekend. On my return home the rcvr. was returned with thanks and was told that the bandspread was fixed. Inquired what he had mended it with, thinking it would be fishing line. The answer was even better. He had mended it with the gut normally used to sew up patients after operations! He is employed in the local hospital and had searched the stores for suitable cord, but thought the gut the best thickness! I know where to go if I have any deep cuts - just run upstairs and break the band spread cord! (Thanks for the wonderful letters, Joan. Such an interesting life! Keep us posted on your next escapade!....Betty)



ZL1AWM Judith Holland

FIRST DISTRICT NEWS

Peggy Harnois, K1GSF - 56 Pennell St. Westbrook, Me.

*** After ten years as YL Editor of QST, Eleanor, W1QON, a charter member of WRONE, has resigned and Jean, K1LJV, has been appointed to succeed her. We're sorry, Eleanor, that you can't continue, but since this is so, we are very proud to offer our best wishes to Jean for success in her new venture.

Jean, and her OM Norm, K1IJU, got their tickets at the same time - Novices in July 1958, and Generals in May of 1959. They'd heard tell of the wonders of amateur radio from Norm's parents - W1YPH, Leona, and "K". W1GAG. They decided it looked like fun and this it has turned out to be for both. They have three children, Janice 13, Mark 10, and Grant 7. Jean thoroughly enjoys all phases of operating, but has been particularly active in CW traffic handling; has been Route Mgr. for Western Mass. for over a year; enjoys rag chewing, a little DX-ing, contests, but values, above all, the wonderful friendships they've made via their hobby. A busy gal, this K1IJV, and we know this new project is going to be a job well done. ***

WRONE is planning a buffet luncheon and two separate programs, one for licensed - one for unlicensed YLs, at the New England Division Convention to be held at Swampscott, Mass., April 27-28th, 1963. There will be a meeting of WRONE, a speaker, prizes and a general get-together for all gals attending. Eunice, W1UKR, and Jean, K1IJV, are in charge with one gal from each N.E. state making up their committee.

The WRONE Spring Luncheon will be held May 11, 1963 at the Svea in Shrewsbury, Mass. This is a change of date so that the luncheon would not come immediately after the Swampscott Hamfest.

We received a nice note, in poetry, from K1SLS/? And that /? is intentional. She is now living in VE6 land!! Where next? Golly, that gal sure gets around!

Glad to report that Dee, W1ZJS, is feeling better, and has been heard once again on the Yankee Lassie Net.....Louise, W1YPT, also has been in the hospital, but is home now, and coming along nicely.

Ginny, K1LCI, is very busy trying to keep track of all our YL adoptees. She reports that all their letters are very interesting. Ginny is also studying hard for college credits, and is studying, as well as teaching, art. Among her recent DX contacts of late she worked a mobile in Hawaii on 15 mtrs.

Three of the 1-land gals recently became grandmothers again - Mig, W1CML, Barb, K1PCZ and Helene, W1YWT. Congratulations to all!

Barb, K1UZG, has had her hands full with two of her children having chicken pox. Barb is a new YLRL member from Vermont and is active on the Yankee Lassie Net.....Millie, K1WNV, is another new regular check in on the net - from Rhode Island. So glad to have you join us, Millie, as those R.I. gals sure are hard to find!

Doris, K1UOR, has a new HT32 and is enjoying SSB very much. Incidentally, Doris is not the only ham in her family - her OM and jr. op. also are hams.

Jean, K1TVT, has received her Worked All Maine cert. and Maxine, K1OGU has received her YLCC. Nice going gals.....Peg, K1GSF, has a newly painted pink radio shack - can anyone top that??

Thanks to Joyce, K1OLM, for the following items from the six meter net.....K1JFQ, Bea, is keeping the net running smoothly and checkins have numbered between 6 and 10 members.....Sunny, K1TYG, is a happy gal - she recently passed her General exam.....Fran, K1MGP, is home from the hospital, and has been flat on her back for six weeks. Thanks to her OM she has been able to operate her rig from that position.

Lu, K1KYB, is back on the net after being laid up most of the winter with the flu..... Gladys, K1DGI and her OM just returned from a wonderful trip to Florida only to find the oil burner has acted up and left a heavy layer of soot all over everything! Understand Gladys took time out from cleaning up to check into the net, tho!.....Tnx for all the news, gals, keep it up....Peg.

SECOND DISTRICT NEWS

Lillian Klarfeld, W2IQP - 148 Leslie St., Newark, N.J.

The NYC YLRL held an installation dinner at the "Tip Toe Inn" in New York City. Among the members present were the following: Ruth, W2OWL who just worked ZD8DW on Ascension Island for her 149th country - 138 confirmed! Jean, WV2PZA still working at her job as purchasing agent and enjoying her 4 grandchildren.....Marge, WB2DIM, active on 6 mtrs, and worked 5 states since getting her ticket last August.....Mae reports she is quite busy at her job now that her company has merged with another.....Edith, W2VXE, says she just renewed her license for the 7th time and really hopes to get on the air this year.....Lillian, W2IQP, travelled all the way in from N.J. just to say hi to the girls. It was a lovely luncheon with plenty of ragchew.....Amy, W2EUL, spent a week in Scarborough, Ont., Canada. Visited the shack of John VE3FAW.....Alice, K2ETC, reports having a wonderful time at the luncheon meeting the old gang.....Birdie, WA2GAB, is busy teaching code at the Veteran's Hospital.....Nancym WA2FOX has been busy. Three harmonics had chicken pox, two had mumps, plus assorted colds etc. Thank goodness for the rig!!.... Madeline, W2EEO and OM Art took a quick trip to Va. Managed to see many friends at the Hamboree dinner.....Sylvia, W2GPK, and family moved to new QTH in Freeport.....Viola, W2JZX, not on air lately - busy making testimonial scrolls. Recently made one for Nelson Rockefeller, one for Mrs. Bobby Kennedy among other notables. Is still active with the Braille Tech. Press.....New Officers: Pres. Alma, W2MVV, V.P. Ruth, W2IGA, Sec. Nancy, WA2FOX, Treas. Madeline, W2EEO..... Helen, WA2DBG, had 6th harmonic, a baby girl making three of each.....Dot, K2DPN, will be back on the air soon from her new home in Jackson Township.....Kay, K2UKQ, is now in her new home in Orange, N.J.

New Jersey Tomater officers are Pres. Debbie, K2OTW, V.P. Lillian, W2IQP, Sec. Lois, Wv2WOY, Treas. Charlotte, WN2CRU.....Lillian, W2IQP, did a magic act for the girls at the installation. Also celebrated her 40th anniversary.....

33 Lillian

THIRD DISTRICT NEWS

Edith Rosner, W3AAU - 645 Artwood Dr. Phila., 11, Pa.

The three older harmonics of Fran, W3SBE and George, W3BYB, are altar bound. The weddings will be in April, June and August. Mary, K3BCI to Bob Pabst, K3ORT in June; Linda, K3OPZ to John Kuhns in April, and George, W3AMI to Kay Hendriks in August. Looks like George Sr. won't get his Collins this year, hi!

Irene, W3RXJ, writes that Waylars had their Christmas Dinner at a Chinese restaurant and just beat the bad weather. The Waylars adopted Christl, DJ1TE. She's a very good correspondent and keeps in close touch with the girls here. The club sent her a copy of Mrs. Kennedy's book about the White House. Waylars have also adopted another girl - Dulcie Wolfson, ZS6BAK, of Johannesburg.

Sarah, W3URU, was the only gal to answer my plea for news, though she said there was nothing to report. But for an active girl, Sarah is it! For example, even though she isn't too active at home QTH she spends two or three days a week working with a High School radio club. She is active in Mariner Scouts and is a water instructor. Also a teacher for the American Camping Association, and bowls in tournaments. For a gal with nothing to report, this is some activity!.....She and Doris, W3JRS renewed their Red Cross Instructors tickets together.

Floss, W3SRS, announced the engagement of her daughter Barbara - the date is August 10th. Eileen, K3IST, had twin girls last month. This brings her count to five. Congratulations.

That's all for now. 33, Edith, W3AAU

FOURTH DISTRICT NEWS

Marge Campbell, K4RNS 1700 Nova Rd., Holly Hills, Fla.

First we welcome all the new Floridoras that have become members since the end of 1962.

Lillian Kurtz - WN4JPS; Vivian Pic, WA4KYA; Gladys Berghammer, WA4LDT; Jackie Roberts, WA4KTY; Inez Merritt, WA4KZF; Shirley Parrish, WA4COD; Jay Johnson, WA4KMB; Lydia Berardelli, WN4ISY; Alice Kalashian, WA4GKI; Eileen S. Gould, WA4BAK.

The stork dropped a bundle at Leslie Johnson's, WA4EEZ, last December - Dianna Lynn, her first and we hear that Dot, K4LFA is anticipating her second.....There are some verbal orchids to present: To "Mike", WA4EMC, for making BPL 11 times - traffic for Feb. alone was 1,812 with 473 of them on VHF. She has CHC #683, is a member of CHC YL Chapter 4, is NCS of SETN 365 days a year acting Net Mgr; checks into 5 fone traffic nets a day regularly; is a certificate hunter; learning to type and also working to increase her code speed to 35 wpm; is planning to check into GATor CW tfc. net, and is very happy to give contacts for Floridora, Georgia Peach and YLRL Certificates.....

Also verbal orchids to W4UF who has been elected the "Sweetheart" of the FHC (Flying Hams Club) (details in Certificate Directory) ; has DXCC on fone; has over 100 certificates; is a member of QCWA #3501 - has only a few more years to go for the OOTC (aw c'mon Dot); among her more recent awards is "Gateway to the West". She's just recently discovered the fun on 80 CW...like old times she reports.....To Meg, K4HSC and her OM for being chosen to represent the state of Georgia for the National award for the Lane Bryant Foundation for 1962 activities in helping the needy. We are proud of you Meg. She's also Ga. Peach Treasurer, and is now putting out such a good signal with that brand new inverted V antenna of which she's so proud. Meg says she'll be driving a new car this year instead of operating a new SSE rig!.....To WA4FJF, Ellen for her participation in the March of Dimes, assisted by WA4KKR, relaying donations to TV stations. Ellen is also proud of her birthday present from her OM - a 75S. It is also her Christmas present, 4 of July present etc., she sez, hi!! Ellen is on teletype now - received her YLCC plus 1st sticker, and her CHC #858.....To K4NR, Ruth, for her participation in the Telethon for the TV station, relaying donations on 2 mtrs. for 22 hours. Ruth reports that it looks like a bumper citrus crop coming up - a relief since the freeze this winter. She has had a visit from WA4LDT, who recently lost her OM suddenly; also a visit from Dot, K4LFA and her OM George K4ENW, who were bragging happily about their new HI Gain antenna.

We understand that Sandy, WA4EFG and her OM Claude, WA4EEN, are not only changing their QTH from St. Pete to the Carolinas, but are also participating!.....Jodie Cooper, K4UHA, changed her name to Brown, and her address is 605 1/2 West Beach Drive, Panama City, Fla..... K7EIP/4, Blanche, has her new call - WA4ZTU, and is filling out the questionnaire for Floridora membership. She's one gal who will go up on the roof in the rain just to check her antenna!..... Annette, W4CWV, will soon be changing her address to her spanking new home on the river as soon as it is finished. Don't hear her on the air much for this reason. Wonderif her sports car activities are suffering too.....Ricky, WA4HLD and family changed their address from Tampa to 3229 Gloucester Ave., Sarasota, Fla. Still putting out a FE signal on Suncoast Net though..... Congratulations to these new general licensees - and, we hope, Floridora & YLRL members (!), Alice Kalashian, W4GKI, Goldie Miller, W4HDF; and Camille Wiehle, W4DNV all of Tampa..... Floridora Pres. W4HRC, Little Bo, has had receiver trouble and has not been able to get on the air for a few weeks. She did make it for the Feb. 'on the air' business meeting. Bo has also had a bout with the flu bug. No wonder, working in 58 degree temperatures!.....Ann, K4RDX, Chairman Nom. Comm., has been hard at it - finally got all the ballots in the mail. Hope all members vote quickly too, and mail to Fran, K4PPX, Secy., to be held by her until the meeting at Orlando in April. Ann is enjoying her new scope; sez our signals are like we are - short and stout or tall and thin, depending on what we say and how we say it!.....Ruth, W4BWR, received her new Swan and plans on using it mobile - does need a new power supply for it. She may do a little county DXing with it this summer. She received her WAC on 75 cert.....We are glad that Abby, K4VOT, only had to spend the weekend in the hospital for her ear operation. She lost no time in going back to her job!.....Rosalie, WA4FJN, (formerly K9KKG) has earned 7 certs since Nov., including Chix on Six and KC VHF Club. She has a terrific line noise in Englewood, but hopes it will clear so she can check into the net again.....Naomi, W4TDK, has just completed the monstrous task of preparing a list of the radio amateurs in St. Petersburg - 510 of them - hammy place, huh?..... Shirley, W4WPD, and OM Earl, W4UFR are proudly sowing pictures of their son Russell in uniform. He is 2nd Lt. in U.S. Army Medical Corps in San Antonio Texas.....Cathy, W4BAV, reports that the Suncoast Net meets every Wed. at 9 PM (evening net) on 50.3 - this net was organized Aug. 26, 1962 during a joint Club picnic at Taylor Park, Largo. Hilda, K4EAC is Net. Mgr. and was NCS for the first meeting on the air. Each gal now takes it for a month. After the net is secured the gals stand by for OMs wishing Floridora contacts as most of the YLs are members. The girls who do not work monitor 50.3 all day for ragchews, traffic, signal reports etc. Cathy is the proud possessor

of the Hoot Owl Cert. #1237. The gang around the Suncoast area are trying to catch her on Sat. nights and keep her up in the wee hours. To be eligible for the certificate you must carry on a QSO with a member of the Hoot Owls for one hour, on 6 mtrs., and Saturday after midnight.

Marge, K4RNS is 2nd YL to become a member of RTTY. She and OM will make it a couple, and be the third such to become members. She has had many visitors to the new QTH - K4ANR, Ruth and OM Art; Ruth, W4BWR; Helen W4UEW & OM, etc. She has added a new member to the family - a tame macaw named "Charlie" - more ARM??? He's red, with blue, green and yellow feathers and a 2 foot long tail. Stays on his stand all day long, no chain, no cage - real tame, so far!! Marge is proud of that CHC Cptr. & Cert. The original design is by her daughter in law, Helen. Jeri, K4RCX, promises to rejoin us on the nets soon.

We hope to see many of the 4th district YLs at the Orlando Hamfest, April 19,20,21 at the Cherry Plaza Hotel. Special Floridora booth with coffee and Anniversary Cake on Sat. afternoon. Annual business meeting and election of Floridoras Sunday morning; prizes, entertainment, dancing, 'eyeballs', displays, official meetings of RACES, forums, ARRL meetings, Swap Shop, Net Meetings, CW contest, Transmitter Hunt, SSB Dinner, Knights of Kilocycle Breakfast, Carl Mosley WØFQY speaker at Luncheon, etc., etc., etc., U-all-come!!!

The Blue Ridge Net has been discussing entering a candidate for one of the YLRL offices this year. More on that later.....Since we have no treasury, we did not adopt a foreign YL last year. We hope to change that this year.....Flu has taken its toll and kept several girls off the air at intervals this winter. W4BQI has been quite ill - a patient at Fairfax, then at Winchester Hospital.....Two new girls, WA4EVE, Vera of Norflk, Va., and WA4YES (?) of New Bern, S. Carolina have been checking in to the net.....K4CZP, Mattie, still our faithful NCS reports new net certificates have been issued to WA4EVE, Vera, and K3NVF, Olive.....K4YAK, Jinny, announces that she has found the ideal spot for the annual Net Picnic near Richmond, Va., and the date has been set for the week-end of June 29-30th. Anyone interested should contact K4YAK.....Net members never tire of the witty comments of K4BCE, Bertha.....We greatly appreciate the numerous cards and gifts sent by our favorite SWL Ann Jones, XYL of W3CKA of Bear, Delaware..... K4EAM, Vi, is putting out terrific signals with her new Christmas present transmitter.....WA4FEY Ruth, has a new FB antenna which she made herself. Some gals sure are smart!.....WA4CKQ, Betty, of Lexington, N.C. has a new baby daughter - Congrats!.....W4TVT, Claire, is glad to have her OM back after a 5 weeks absence in the Far East. She has been variously involved with Scouting, Garden Clubs, A PTA minstrel show and Nets - Nets = Nets!!!(Tnx Claire for your news - your cooperation is greatly appreciated - Marge)

Georgia Peach Certificate Custodian for 1963 is K4IFT, Lin, Lavon Avenue, Savannah, Georgia. K4DNL, Olivia is retiring as Ga. Peach Historian due to other responsibilities as a working girl. Her son Bill was married in Nov.A new Peach is K4RDX, Anne of Stuart, Fla. who joined while attending Miami Hamboree.....We hear K4BDF, Sue, is getting ready to move.... Congrats to K4RHU, Jeannie, for having high score in the CW section in the 4th district...K4ZNK, Betty deserves congratulations as President of CHC YL Chapter 4 - a very active YL!.....WA4KKB, announces she too will be moving in the very near future and will furnish her new address when available.....K4HSC, Meg, Georgia Peach Treasurer reports 22 paid up members.....W4VEM is new Publicity Chairman.....K4LIU Marita and K4ENH Hazel have both moved into new houses in recent months.....Many thanks to Sue K4BDF and Toni W4KJE for compiling the roster of members....An eyeball Meeting is being arranged for the Atlanta Hamfest on June 2nd.....A new policy has been adopted - The first Thursday in each month the Georgia Peaches will hold "Visitor's Day" on the net and invite other YLs to join in the net - Also visit at members shacks and ck in from there. A welcome to new Peach member WA4ROI, Lilly McDonald..... K4ZNK, Betty, took a trip to Columbus, Ga., to pick up a trophy for CHC Cptr 5 contest and stopped and had an eyeball QSO with K4RHU, Jeannie - the first time they had met in person, and had a fine visit. Never let it be said there was no 'romance' to ham radio - ask Jeannie, K4RHU! - also it has made it possible for her to have a more powerful signal on the air!!!

YL activities at the SouthEastern Div. Conv. Jan. 19th & 20 at Miami. The Convention opened officially 9 AM on Sat. the 19th at the Municipal Auditorium with opening of meetings by James P. Born Jr., W4ZD, Drtr., officiating and addresses by ARRL officials.....YL activities started at 11 AM at the auditorium with a meeting for all YLs. Floridora Pres. Florence (Little Bo) Bogardus introduced guest speaker Mary Dosling from Minnesota, WØWKS/W5DEW, who gave a most interesting story on her romance with her OM WØTSN Goodwin, past pres. of ARRL - also history of her amateur radio life, being the 4th licensed YL in the state of Texas.....K4HSC, Meg, won the transistor tape recorder awarded as a door prize.

The FINS, with V. Mayree as its originator, played hostess at luncheon to all licensed YLs in the Star Light room of the Biscayne Terrace, with the following attending: KP4CL, VE3BFE, W5DEW, W5DUR, K4RNS, K4ICA, K4PPX, K4SED, K4TBG, K4HSC, K4UIZ, K4GKL, K4RHL, WA4ERC, W4CWV, WA4FJF, WA4EXO, W4VSM, W4VSG, W4BWR, W4TQE, W4VIM, WA4ITP, WA4BAK, W4TSY, W4ESS, W4IMG, W4IGN.

V. Mayree awarded the prize to the YL traveling the farthest to attend to W5DUR, Beth from Odessa, Texas. VE3BFE would not accept as she stated she was just 'passing thru'!.....The big event of Sat. evening was the banquet which many of the YLs attended. W4WYR, Evelyn Gauzens, the Chairman of the Hamboree was the busiest Floridora YL there, making sure the whole program went smoothly. ARRL Pres. Herbert Hoover Jr., W6ZH, was the main speaker, and other VIPs added their vvy fine comments also.....Midnight found many attending the Wouff Hong Ceremony with many being initiated and others enjoying the ceremony as members.....A Floridora informal meeting was held Sunday AM in the Terrace Room at the Biscayne Terrace Hotel at 11 AM, with Little Bo, W4HRC, presiding. Reports were read and approved. K4RNS, Cert. Custodian, reported that 275 certificates have been issued with a good percentage going to DX stations. Anne Pitcher, K4RDX, Nom. Comm. Ch. announced ballots for the coming election of Floridora officers would soon be in the mail. Evalyn Shea, K4UIZ, Pres. of the Orlando Radio Club requested suggestions for the Orlando Hamfest April 19,20,21 at the Cherry Plaza Hotel. It was decided that the Floridoras would have their own booth in the Assembly Hall and that Sat. afternoon at the booth would be sort of an open house for members and their OMs with coffee and cake instead of the usual evening party, thus making it possible for Floridora members to participate in other evening activities. Evalyn reports there will be a display of our History Books, photos, YIRL stationery and other literature etc. She also requests all members send their QSLs to be displayed at the booth - also pictures of members at their rigs. Applications will be available to prospective members.Sidelights of the Convention: Evelyn Gauzens, W4WYR, Ch. of the Hamboree and her OM Carl received a Drake 2B from members of the Dade Radio Club in appreciation of their work over the past 12 years in the club. Congrats!! Beth, W5DUR, XYL of W5NW, "Scupy Groves", enjoyed all the activities too. Evalyn Shea, K4UIZ, Pres. of the Orlando R.C. proudly accepted the Field Day Trophy presented to the club for the third year - now their permanent possession.....KP4CL, looking better than ever, was proud to become an honorary Floridora YL. She is a very efficient assist on the FINS net.....Helen Bivens, W4UEW and K4RNS could be easily found with their calls on the shirt backs. Saturday's shirts had red letters and Sundays had blue. With their similarly attired OMs, Charlie W4LZT and Jim, K4RNR alongside they couldn't be missed!.....Meg Hennon, K4HSC, was so happy to have her OM Gordon with her, making a wonderful recovery from a recent cataract operation.....Ga. Peaches attending the Hamboree were W4VIM, Virginia, K4HSC, Meg, WA4FJF, Allen, K4RNS, Marge and a new recruit K4RDX, Anne..... Eileen, WA4BAK, of Miami, joined the Floridoras as a result of meeting so many of the members there. That beautiful orchid that V. Mayree, K4ICA was wearing at the banquet on Sat. night was for a vvy special reason - her Dr. OM presented it to her as it was their anniversary and the next day was her birthday.....It's a good thing that Ruth, W4BWR, has that long stride! She needed it to dash from one meeting to the next plus keeping up with prospective customers for the gear she had for sale at the swap shop booth.....We almost missed seeing W4LPR there, but she was. W4GGQ, Betty, left her lovely family in her Mother's care so she could participate.....Fran, K4PPX, and OM Archie entertained Little Bo, W4HRC; Ruth W4BWR, WA4FJF, Ellen and her OM WA4FIJ overnite. If her house was as big as her heart we could have had the Hamboree there!!!.....All were happy to see Kay, K4TEG, out after such serious surgery.....Wonderif K4RHL, Ellie, fishes while she hams - when she is mobile on that beautiful boat of theirs???? !!

NEWS FLASH!!! The YL FINS is now a bonafide club with officers, dues and certificate! In order to prevent confusion with the Floridora organization and award, the FINS is now the FINS now stands for YL FloridaInternational Sidebanders, instead of the original Floridora Inter'l. SEBers. The officers are Pres. K4RHL, Ellie; V.P. K4GKL, Margaret; 2nd V.P. Marge, K4RNS; Sec/Treas./Cert. Cust. V. Mayree, K4ICA; Public Relations KP4CL, Alicia; Publicity, W4BWR Ruth.(See the YL Certificate Directory Section in the last section of this Harmonics for further information.)

FIFTH DISTRICT NEWS

Margie Klar, K5PIO - 3525 Bellaire Dr., No. Ft. Worth, Texas

It is hard to believe that nothing is happening in 5-land, but if you can depend on what I receive in the mail - such is the case!

Ella, W5TSE, has moved into a brand new home at 11314 Janet Lee in San Antonio and has a brand new 100 foot tower for her antennas. So we hope she will be real active as soon as she gets settled.

Inex, W5WXT, Frances, W5KQG and Ella, W5TSE are all active on six meter and two meter FM., all having mobile units and home stations. Anytime there is an opening into Texas look for these gals - they monitor the bands about 18 hours a day!

Estelle, K5MTF, is keeping busy being President of the Whoot Club, taking French lessons and making five afghans..

Bea, K5BNH, is not losing a son, but gaining a daughter on March 15th!

Beth Ann, K5GFI, works full time in a hospital, is moving into a new home, graduates from school in June, is President of WHO Club - and still manages to care for her husband and little daughter! What do you do in your spare time, Beth??

Gaylark has made their club a YLRL affiliate once again for the year 1963.

Marie, K5CRH, is sporting a new red automobile. She sure got it the hard way though. A drunk driver ran a red light and damaged her other one beyond repair. We are thankful Marie and her little grand daughter who was riding with her at the time were not hurt.

PLEASE, PLEASE girls, send me some news. Help me represent our area -- Thanks, 33 Margie

SIXTH DISTRICT NEWS

Martha Edwards, W6QYL - 44303 N. Date Ave., Lancaster, Cal.

I think the weather man is conspiring to prevent any real "CALifornia" weather during the times I write this column anyway. Lancaster, in the desert, had snow last weekend! But most of the state had either snow or rain, so there are no individual wx reports..

But, to begin in the South: since there is no "newsy" yet in San Diego, most of the news was via grape vine. W6QGK, Harryette, flew down there the other day and took W6MWU, Mary and K6JZA, Dottie up for a spin. Harryette says they are very courageous - The gals say they enjoyed it. They flew around in the Barker's new 4 passenger Cessna 172. Dottie spent 3 days early in March with Harryette - flying, of course. Dottie also has pilot's license. They also attended a meeting and banquet at the High Desert Radio Club at Burnt Mt. Ranch in the Yucca Valley...50 present there didn't know there were that many hams in that area. Dottie's OM retired as of the 1st of March, and they have hopes of getting back East to her class reunion at Peter Bent Brigham Hospital in Boston.....Meta, WA6BNS, our new YLH advertising Chairman, reports she has been entertaining relatives from Wyoming and clearing brush at the cabin for field day.....Mary, W6MWU, has kept out of mischief with Girl Scouts, Cub Scouts etc. when not flying. Had three flat tires on one vehicle in one day!!

L.A. YL club is busy as 90 bees working on prizes and plans for the 5th Funfest....W6JPU, Mildred and her OM, Max, W6DEY, welcomed their 11th grandSON,- no granddaughters yet!, on Washington's birthday. They also went on their first camping trip to Mesquite Springs in Death Valley with W6QYL & W6RDQ - Maxson's took their camper, and the Edwards slept in their station wagon. After visiting Scotty's Castle, and hitting the high spots they made it home at 10PM on Sunday night after a 6 AM start on Saturday. They got to Beatty and Rhyolite, but Titus Canyon was closed.K6ANG, Billie, is enjoying their new Swan transceiver which they're using mobile - says she loves SSB.....May 1st, or thereabouts, will be a red letter day at WA6AOE's/ Maxine is expecting a visit from Anita, ZS1TZ and her OM Phil, ZS1TP. Hope we can all get to meet them..... WA6KQP, Nita, enjoyed the YL/OM Banquet. For you Easterners (east of the Cal. border!) the night was lovely. Solid sheets of liquid sunshine made lovely pools out of the Freeway underpasses. We are most proud to announce, however, that there were 87 reservations and 87 present! We all enjoyed the program - a magician of the Keith-Orpheum circuit who read our minds for one of his most fascinating tricks. He is also the rector of St. Athanasius Episcopal Church in Echo Park.

We are delighted to welcome the newest member of the L.A. club W3WRE, Louise. She's busy handling traffic on CW.....K6JCL, Jenny, has it in for Mr. JFK - since the physical fitness program came up, her OM decided she wasn't getting enough exercise, so this week she is painting the outside of the house! (I think I know where to find some crutches or a stretcher for the Fun fest, Jenny.) They didn't make a million at Las Vegas, but they did break even - and had a ball.

Rosemary, W6PJF, W6QYL and W6RDQ are getting in condition to climb Mt. Whitney this summer - are you??....

The BAYLARCs were also blessed with liquid sunshine for their Valentine Banquet - had 22 there in spite of it. Wendy, W6ALL and her OM Woody W6EWW from Jamestown traveled the farthest. East Bay travelers, over the wet slick Bay Bridge, were Dorothy and Walt, WA6OGK & W6WTI; Elaine & Jim, K6S2T & K6LWA; Virginia and Virgil, WA6PTU & WA6QZA. All the rest came from San Francisco and the Peninsula. Despite the small turnout, a hilarious time was had by all attending. WA6LIZ, Dottie, prepared the games - those of you at the S.F. edition of the Funfest will remember her "Slides". Special thanks for decorations and favors go to Estelle, WA6ALK, and her Art, W6UDL, and K6CUV, Lee. BAYLARC of the year went to Art, W6UDL for his outstanding and ready help for all Baylarc activities during the past year. He and Estelle have been most generous with their time and artistic talents. Since Marge Carter, K6ZKH, and her OM were unable to be there and show the film of their trip to Europe, WA6LIZ showed her latest picture book of BAYLARC and its myriad activities which brought forth a good many guffaws.

Esther, W6BDE, presented the Baylarc of the Year plaque to Dorothy, WA6LIZ. This is an award originated in 1961 by Esther who presented it then to W6QYL for her efforts in behalf of the club that year. In 1962 it went to the originator of the plaque, Esther, as the most deserving BAYLARC of that year. Who will be next? Come to the 1964 Valentine Party - maybe it'll be you! Among our distinguished guests was W6BIP, SCM for our area - who is WA6GQC, Elsie's OM...The rest of the evening's entertainment was music with Elsie, WA6GQC on the piano, and Eleanor, WA6JGR on the accordion, with the OMs and YLs serenading each other with the Ham shack love lyrics composed by Esther, W6BDE - quite a lyricist, that gal. (Tnx to Vera, WA6PKP, for the above BAYLARC news.)

Heading North to Camellia Land now. New members there include WN6DFM, Doris Gordon, WN6DFN Roberta Baldwin, and WN6DFO, Helen Neilsen, (Do you suppose they stood in line to get the consecutive calls) as well as Vi Cox, WA6VAX.....The Chirps have decided against associate memberships. Their dues are \$2.50 a year. For 1963, the payment of dues of all members was suspended, so they will be members for all of '63. These are WA6BKM, WA6DGH, K6DLL, W7DVH, W6DXI, K6ENK, K6ENL, K6HHD, W6HTS, W6LTG, K6PBG, K6RLR, WA6THI, W6YKU.....WA6ZUT, Chris, and her girls are en route to Italy to join her OM. Let us know if she gets on over there.

One of our Northernmost gals is Pat, WA6ISB, who teaches 6th grade in Scotia. She is a lively Mermaid (a mermaid in the redwoods??) whose OM is BOB, K6TPX. She is usually found on the Mermaid net on Sat. AM. Her Bob has finished the walls inside their new QTH with almost every type of redwood panelling known. Their den and master bedroom are particularly lovely, resembling curly maply. Pat does operate 2 meters and they are both very active in the local radio club.

33 Martha, W6QYL

SEVENTH DISTRICT NEWS

Betty Swanzy, K7JPI - 1454 Hartford, Bend, Oregon

A very nice letter from Phyllis, K7SEC, revealed that the Tucson YLs have organized a club & will call themselves the "Cactus Keys" - a certificate is forthcoming. They elected the following officers: Pres. Fran, W7DRU, V.P. Ellen, K7INN, and Sec/ Treas. Phyllis, K7SEC.....Three YLs from Arizona have dropped the N from their calls. They are Vera Anderson, K7RQI, Ruth Yost, K7RZN, and Phyllis Douglas, K7SEC.....Clara Ouellett, K7BQI, is back in Tucson from Denver - Betty K7JTX is back too.....Seems these Tucson gals are real busy ones in the two radio clubs there. In the Old Pueblo Radio Club we have Fran, K7DRU, as Sec/ Treas. and Mary Jane, K7LSW as Program Ch., and also Editor of Solid Copy. In the Catalina Radio Club we have Ruth, K7RZN, as Sec/Treas. and Phyllis, K7SEC, as the Editor of Zero Beat.....Marcia, K7BKI and OM spent 2 weeks at Christmastime vacationing on the coast of Oregon.....We Bend girls had the pleasure of having lunch with Marie, W7JRB. Those present were Bea, W7HHH, Sherry, W7ZLT, LaVaun, K7DMH, and Betty K7JPI.....Ollie, W7DKH, recently spent some time in Portland visiting the QTH of Marianna, W7WFO and Beth, W7NJS. Ollie also hosted the Central Oregon Radio Amateurs one evening and we had a chance to meet her most charming new daughter in law. She is the XYL of W7BLH and from XE-land. ...The Northwest YL Net is planning a picnic for sometime in May. They will more than likely do a little advertising of it after they set a final date and time.

The 1963 Oregon Amateur Radio Convention will be held in Eugene this year, on the 1st and 2nd of June. Pre-registration will be \$10.00 for hams and \$5.00 for non hams. These prices are good till the 1st of May and then it will be \$11.00 and \$6.00. This covers the drawings, banquet, Sunday breakfast, dance and the YL tea. Send to OARA, 1075 West Hilliard Lane., Eugene, Oreg.

Betty, K3IEY/7 is back in 7-land - her OM is stationed at Moses Lake, Wash.....Phyllis, K7CPB, hopes that with her contacts in the last YLAP that she now has YLCC.....Vera, W7TGG, is busy getting ready for the State Rock Show in Fort Benton, Mont. in June. She's made 36 plaster of Paris bases (muffin tin size) on which she's mounted 11 different rock specimens on each base.

There were 11 of the Portland Roses attending their March meeting, held in the home of Bettie, K7BED. During the evening the members signed a tablecloth which Bettie had been getting ready for them. It is to be sent to the Calif. YL Get-Together. The tablecloth is red and has each name and call, club name and some roses done in white. The gals plan to give one of these to the YL conventions where their members are represented. (Ohio in '64????).....Helen, W7GGV, checks into the Northwest YL net. Says she hopes to soon be in the new house. The cabinet for her radio gear is made of ribbon mahogany.....The Klamath Falls (Ore.) YL-OM teams are thinking of putting out a certificate, Hope to have more news on this next time.....Pat, K7RKB, is attending art classes.....Edith, K7PEE, is busy both at home and on her R.N. job.....Dona, W7QKU, is finishing a course in oriental brush painting.....Lil, W7GRC, is knitting herself a new dress.....You can look for Alice, W7DVH, and Bessie, W7DIC, for Portland Roses contacts - both are associate members.....Carolyn, W7IRF, has been ill and had to drop out of school. We were so sorry to hear this. She had been going to OTI, studying electronics.Listen for the Portland Roses Club station of the air this year on field day - we hear they are going out again. The call is K7UER, and counts as 2 for the certificate.....We were so very sorry to hear that Inez, W7PUV, became a silent key. She was the wife of a Presbyterian minister, a fine CW operator, and the mother of W7LBN.....

33 Betty.

EIGHTH DISTRICT NEWS

Alice Nelson, K8MQB - 4620 Kanawha Ave., S.W., So. Charleston 9, W.V.

Ruth, W8LGY, has been busy cleaning out drawers and has issues of Harmonics dating back to 1958 - if anyone is interested in them contact Ruth. This past year she was V.P. and Membership Chairman of the Buckeye Belles, and now is busy helping Shirley, K8MZT, with the 1964 YLRL Conv.....

It was so nice to get news from Kay, W8DUV, this time. Six in her family have been down with the old flu bug. Kay was on low power while the OM rebuilt the KW. She has been checking into MARS nets, and has joined RACES. She attended the W. Va. State Radio Council in So. Charleston last Feb, so I had the pleasure of meeting her. She is the Secy. of the State Radio Council..... Betty, K8WZF, reports that in February the Cleveland Area Belles held a meeting at the QTH of Eunice, K8ONA, and despite the below zero weather, had 11 very brave Belles attending. K8MZT drove 100 miles round trip to be with the girls. Eunice provided a cake decorated with the Belle motif for the occasion - and her OM, Bernie, K8LMF, donated \$10.00 to the '64 Conv. Fund. The Cleveland area gals hope to have their membership 50% YLRL in the near future so that they can affiliate.....

The Upper Peninsula YLs have adopted Judith Holland, ZL1AWM....These hard working gals helped their OMs with the March of Dimes Telethon in January at WLJ-TV in Marquette. The drive was a huge success.Faye, K8PNA, has been in the hospital with operations on both eyes. She is doing fine, and expects to see better than ever soon.....Plans for the 13th Midwest YL Conv. in Newberry on June 22 - 23 are coming along fine. Zelma, W8HAV, and Vi, W8JXJ, Chairman & Co. Chairman have been very busy gals working out all the details. A reminder: please send registration of \$2.00 to Zelma Neault, W8HAV, Box 483, Marquette, Mich. by May 15th!!!.....Esther, W8ATB, has enjoyed the winter in spite of the cold and heavy snow. She and John missed going to Florida, but are looking forward to some trips this summer. They plan to attend the Convention in Newberry, and then go on to Bemidji, Minn. to attend the International Airstream Rally. They will visit relatives along the way as well as friends before returning home. They're taking the gear so will enjoy some hamming as they travel.....Mary, W8VRH, has been working on a hooked rug - 42 X 64, and that has taken up a lot of her time. Has SSB gear now, but hasn't used it much as of yet.....Avis, W8WUT, had a recent trip to Oklahoma City to visit the Jr. Op, a Lt. in the A.F. While there she visited Dotty, W5DCB, and reports they really talked up a storm! All you YL CHCrs and YL FHCrs send QSLs to Avis for the Cleveland Convention. If you are members of both clubs, please send 2 cards. Avis is V.P. of her city bowling assoc., so will be a busy gal as the women's tourney is in full swing.....Marge, K8ITF, has been busy with letters, favors and plans for the Buckeye Belle Annual Meeting on March 10 at Columbus. She has an HT32 and sounds real fine on SSB. Girl Scouts takes up a lot of her time.....Kate, W8EIR, had a wonderful vacation in Ark. and Texas. While in Dallas she had some nice QSOs with folks in TG land...also checked into the 40 Meter Net. There is still a lot of snow in Ossineke, so Kate isn't convinced that Spring is just around the

corner!!.....In January, Amateur Radio was the subject of a special program carried out with the permission of the FCC over WERE in Cleveland, Ohio. Guests were Eunice, K8ONA; Warren, W8CTZ; and Walter, W8AEU. Studio Control Engr. was Joseph, W8FAZ. During the program, K8ONA/8 in downtown Cleveland was in operation on 51 megs. Contacts were made with listening hams, both fixed and mobile. The voices were heard both on 6 meters and over WERE. Eunice told the listening radio audience about operations of amateur radio nets, the part taken in ham radio by YLs and XYLs, and how it could be a hobby for the whole family to enjoy and participate in as they do on the Apricot Net in Cleveland every Mon. night on 51 megs. The program lasted three hours and the time went so fast it was over before they knew it. Sign off was done with 73, 88, & 44 (44 used by the famous Apricot Net) in fine amateur fashion by the master of ceremonies!.....Doris, K8LIGU, has had a lot of illness this past month with that old flu bug and bronchitis. Her oldest harmonic is studying code for his Scout badge, and will be a ham before we know it.....Listening and talk-in with the gals on the Buckeye Net leads us to believe that Alice, W8OTK, is ready anytime for warmer weather! They have had lots of snow and cold wx in her area.....Marie, W8MBI, is back in the hospital where she has had major surgery. We all hope by the time this issue is out that she will be back on the air with us. We've missed you very much, gal!.....

Even though 1964 is quite a ways off, let's not forget the YLRL Convention! The Belles are working very hard on this and will appreciate all the help we can give them. Heard through the grape vine that they'd be very happy to receive stamp books to use towards prizes..... My personal thanks to all you girls for the news and pictures you sent me for this issue. The OM & I will be in Newberry for the Midwest YL Convention and it will be a thrill for me to meet all of you. I would also like to thank all of you girls everywhere for all the good wishes while I was ill. You will never know how much this meant to me. 33 and bless you all.....Alice.

NINTH DISTRICT NEWS

Marian McCone, K9JJS - 331 Annette Ct., Rhinelander, Wis.

It has been a long hard winter, but can Spring be far behind the YL/OM contest and the DX contest??? Sure hope all the Larks sent in their logs to Lynn, K9IWR.....The OM and I worked the DX contest as a multi-op station. Although our score will break no records, we sure had fun!

Congratulations to WA9DKN, Marie, on her new General, and to her daughter Kathy, WN9GHF, who just received her Novice.....WA9GTV, and WA9ABG, Ennis and Mildred are both working hard to progress from Tech to General tickets.....K9TRP, Diane, had a letter of commendation from Mr. Minon of FCC after publicity in the Sun-times. Also had a request to provide communication between Mothers and sons in the Canal Zone and Guam via fone patch by people not familiar with ham radio.....The design for the Club QSL card for W9FCA has been picked and the members are working on the phonetics. Other activities include plans for a Spring Luncheon at Kungsholm the end of April, and the adoption of 2 foreign YLs this year.....Congratulations to Chris, W9LOY on a new son.....

Well, gals, news is a little scarce - Sure would like to hear from more of you before my next deadline. Seems I'm too close for the high bands, and too far away for good skip on 80. I am planning on being at the Midwest YL Conv., and hope to meet each and every one of you there.

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*           !!! NEW CONTINUOUS MEMBERSHIP CHAIRMAN !!!           *
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*           RUTH SIEGELMAN - W2CWL                               *
*           2336 Holland Avenue                                  *
*           Bronx 67, New York                                  *
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TENTH DISTRICT NEWS

Libby Auer, KØMAS - 18 Ladell Court, St. Louis 32, Mo.

Jan, KØRWX has three small harmonics - belongs to AK SAR Ben Radio Club. Says there is no YL club in Omaha, but some of the YLs belong to their OMs clubs. She and her OM, WØRMB are technicians, and are both builders and experimenters. She is active in Eastern Star and church work....also finds time to build things for her house, and to decorate it.....Lena, WØMVT and her OM, Bill, WØDXI, have three married children and three grandchildren. They keep regular skeds with son Larry, WØDXJ/2 in Syracuse, N.Y. Lena returned to teaching school after a 30 year absence to raise her children....got her B.A. degree a year ago in order to qualify for a teaching contract. Her interests are her church sisterhood and educational organizations, and her hobbies are photography and playing her Hammond organ.....Nice to hear from KØMMR, Flora. They moved to Mets from Eldon last year, and have been busy finishing their new home. Both Flora and her OM teach Sunday School, and she is song director. She has had a full time job for 22 years. Her hobbies, besides radio, are sewing, embroidery, crocheting, cooking, and she enjoys hunting and fishing.....Marte, KØEPE and Ethel, K5OPS/Ø had a short visit with Lois, K4CXJ/Ø when she was in Denver. Ethel keeps weekly skeds with Ruth, K5OPT.....The Colo. YL Christmas party was at KØBTV's in Boulder - a great success, we hear.....In Loose Change, we read that there were 90 SYLver Dollar Certificates issued by Dec. 31, 1962. Membership stands at 33. The Pres. is KØWZN. Besides monthly meetings, the girls have a 6 meter net, and are contemplating Field Day activities.....They also had a Colo. YL party on Jan. 19th on 7260. How's this for a group of live wires??.....WØAYL, Ella, is now CHC #792 and a member of CHC YL Ch. 4. She, too, teaches school.....Emma, WØJUV, has given up substitute teaching to spend more time with ham radio. She also prints and composes the Lawrence Amateur Radio Club Bulletin, and is active in MARS, and Rtty MARS nets.....WØWA has been off the air due to rig trouble. Loretta will have had her licence 40 years this year, and hopes to become an OOTC member.....

Thelma, KØHEW, and OM Jim, WØACU were in Wichita for a week end to attend a gun show. Thelma met Dot, KØGIC, Emma, WØJUV, and Sandy, KØYHU who were there for an ARRL Convention which was also held at the same time...Thelma, KØHEW gave a talk on CHC at the Junction Radio Club in December...

Alice, WØUMO, has been ill, as have other members of her family. This, along with antenna troubles has prevented her being active much on the bands. Sure hope her problems are clearing up now.....Till the next issue.....

33, Libby

KH6 DISTRICT NEWS

Jeanette DeLong, KH6AFN - 1865 Eames St., Wahiawa, Oahu, Hawaii

On January 31st the gals in the KH6YL Club met at Ruth Jones', K5MGI/KH6, with a wonderful turnout despite the gale weather. By the time most of us got home the winds were up to 80 miles per hour - real terrific blow! We held an election of officers with the following result:

Pres. Iris Reeves, KH6ESL

Sec/Treas. Hattie Bloomer, KH6DUM

Luika, KH6AFL, remains as Historian, and custodian of the KH6YL certificate.

Hazel, KH6AFC, is busy with her new little girl, but has more time for hamming than when she was working. She is doing a lot of traffic handling for Samoa.

Luika, KH6AFL, made a trip to the little visited island of Molokai. She was not successful, however, in reaching any of the hams at Kaulapapa, the Hansen's disease colony on Molokai.

Hattie, KH6DUM, went on 2 meters to handle traffic during the January 31st storm. Many communities had no other form of communication.

Jeanette, KH6AFN, arrived home from the Jan. 31st meeting to find a police officer blocking the entrance to her home! There were five huge trees down across the road into her place and all lines were down for 24 hours. Out came the candles, hibachi, and Japanese cooking grill!

Gladys, KH6BTX, has not been as active as usual since her son and family moved back to the Islands. There are grandchildren to sew for, etc.

Iris, KH6ESL, has a new TH4 Thunderbird beam, and is very enthusiastic about it.

The gals in KH6 land are starting to discuss Field Day operations, but nothing very definite as of yet.

Aloha - 33 Jeanette

VE DISTRICT NEWS

Ebba Kristjansson, VE5DZ - Box 71, Colonsay, Sask., Canada

VE2HI, Ethel Pick, paid Maude, VE6MP, a nice visit last summer. These two have been in touch with each other since about 1938. Last October Maude had the pleasure of having some Boy Scouts who were on their annual Jamboree come visit for two days. They had a wonderful time looking over the ham gear, etc. Maude is also looking forward to meeting Louise Reneker, K1SLS, and her family who are now living in Calgary.

VE7BBB, Eva, is going full speed after various awards. She got YLAP fone Certificate, W.A.S., Grandma, Twin Cities, QCWA-50, HTH - 200, FHC-25, FHC/CHC-25, CHC/QCWA-25WRONE and several others are on the way. She also has weekly skeds with VE8MA on fone or CW, depending upon condx.

VE5DZ is finally going to settle down a bit after the wedding and showers. Had a surprise shower for our daughter in law recently and had a full house - 61 altogether! No hams though, so couldn't give them a demonstration about ham radio, hi!! Have let a few contests slip by, so there goes my 1963 New Year's resolutions up in smoke already!

YL Century Certificate Rules

Custodian: Katherine M. Johnson, W4SGD, Box 666, Fuquay Springs, North Carolina

1. Two-way communication must be established on authorized amateur bands with stations, mobile or fixed, operated by 100 different licensed women amateurs. Any and all amateur bands may be used.

2. All contacts must be made from the same locations. Within a given community, one location may be defined as from places no two of which are more than 25 miles apart.

3. Contacts may be made over any period of years, provided only that all contacts are from the same location.

4. Contacts with YL's anywhere in the world are recognized, provided only that confirmations clearly indicate the stations were operated by duly licensed women amateur radio operators.

5. 100 QSL cards, or other written communications, from the stations worked confirming the necessary two-way contacts, accompanied by a list of claimed contacts, including the full name of the operator, alphabetically arranged (last name first), the call letters, and the date of each contact, must be submitted by the applicant directly to the YLCC custodian. Sufficient postage must be sent with the confirmations to finance their return by first class mail. The YLRL will not be responsible for any loss or damage to same.

6. Endorsements: Confirmations of contacts accompanied by alphabetical list, as described above, from stations operated by additional YLs may be submitted for credit each time 50 additional confirmations are available. Endorsements will be made to the original certifications as application is approved. Gold stickers will be awarded to applicants who have worked their additional contacts from the same location (or within 25 miles radius.) Silver stickers will be awarded, provided only that the holder of the certificate, in moving, retains the same call letters that appear on the original certificate.

7. Decisions of the YLCC custodian regarding interpretations of these rules as here stated or later amended, shall be final. All inquiries regarding cards, applications, or the certificate should be addressed to her. Address and name-- Katherine M. Johnson, W4SGD, Box 666, Fuquay Springs, North Carolina.

WORKED ALL STATES YL

Custodian: Grace Ryden, W9GME, 2054 N. Lincoln Av Chicago 14, Ill.

1. Contact with a duly licensed YL in each State. D.C. may be substituted for Maryland. ARRL "Single Community" rule applies. No time or band limitations.

2. Send QSLs and alphabetical by State, list showing Call, Date, Band and whether A1 or A3.

3. Sufficient postage must be sent to finance return of QSLs by first class mail.

WORKED ALL CONTINENTS YL

Custodian: Miriam Blackburn, W3UUG, Box 2 Ingomar, Penna.

1. The Young Ladies Radio League issues a Worked All Continent-YL Certificate to any licensed amateur in the world.

2. Two-way communication must be established on the amateur radio bands with the six continents: North America, South America, Europe, Africa, Asia and Oceania. Any and all authorized amateur radio bands may be used. Cross-band contacts are permitted; contacts may have been made over any period of years.

3. Contacts with all six continents must be made with duly licensed women operators.

4. Contacts with all six continents must be made from the same location. Within a given community, one location may be defined as from places no two of which are more than 25 miles apart.

5. Six QSL cards or other written confirmations, showing proof of contacts should be submitted to: Miriam Blackburn, W3UUG, Box 2, Ingomar, Penna. A list of contacts must accompany the cards and sufficient postage (or IRCs) must be sent to finance their return by First Class Mail. The YLRL will not be responsible for any loss or damage to same.

6. Decisions of the WAC/YL custodian regarding interpretation of these rules as here stated, or later amended, shall be final.

DX - YL

Custodian: Maxine Willis, W6UHA, 6502 Wynkoop St. Los Angeles 45, California.

1. Available to licensed YL operators outside your own country as defined in ARRL DXCC countries list. All contacts must date after April 1, 1958.

2. Send log extracts showing date, time, station, band, mode, RST reports and own QTH and name.

3. Sufficient postage (or IRCs) may be sent to finance the return but no charge is made.

THESE 4 CERTIFICATES ARE SPONSORED BY YLRL and are the only certificates YLRL sponsors.

ALAMO

AWARD - ALAMO YL
Custodian - Inez Cole, W5WXT, 320 Meadowbrook Dr., San Antonio, Texas.

REQUIREMENTS - US and DX Stations contact 3 member Texas stations contact 4. All contacts must date after November 1, 1959.

APPLICATION- Send list showing date, time, call and frequency.

CHARGE- 25¢

"MERMAID"

AWARD - BAYLARC CERTIFICATE
CUSTODIAN - Elaine Carter, K6SZZ, 1011 - 85th
Ave. Oakland 21, California
REQUIREMENTS - Contact with 6 "Mermaids" after
Sept. 1960. Net contacts do not count.
APPLICATION - Send copy of log.
CHARGE - No charge.

BUCKEYE BELLE

AWARD - BUCKEYE BELLE CERTIFICATE
CUSTODIAN - Marie Helmin, W8MBI, 3943 Concord
St., Toledo, 12, Ohio
REQUIREMENTS - Ohio Amateurs contact 20,
others within the Continental limits of US
contact 10, DX 5.
APPLICATION - Give log data and the girls
Buckeye Belle Number (NOT CHC No.) verify
by two hams or one Club Officer.
CHARGE - 25¢

CHIX ON SIX

AWARD - CHIX ON SIX
CUSTODIAN - Margie Blose, K8ZEV, 6159
Thistlewood, Mentor, Ohio
REQUIREMENTS - Ohio Stations must contact
and QSL 10 members of the Chix. Out of state
stations must contact and QSL 4 members of
the Chix. Sticker requirements are the same
for both, 4 valid contacts.
APPLICATION - Send call and log data to
custodian.
CHARGE - No charge.

CHIRP - TIFICATE

AWARD BY - THE CAMELLIA CAPITAL CHIRPS
CUSTODIAN - Velma Lohner, WA6DGH, 500 Rockwell
Road, North Highlands, California
REQUIREMENTS - Contact with six members after
July 26, 1957.
APPLICATION - Send list of 6 contacts giving
calls and date of contact. (Not necessary to
send QSL cards but should have received them
to confirm contact)
CHARGE - 10¢ postage

DARK EYED QUEENS

AWARD - DARK EYED QUEENS CERTIFICATE
AWARDED BY - CHICAGO YLRL, INC.
Custodian - Esther Talbott, 15144 Hiawatha Trail
Orland Park Hills, Ill.
REQUIREMENTS - Contact 5 licensed members of
the Club after Jan. 1, 1960. Net contacts
do not count.
APPLICATION - Send QSL's to Custodian.
CHARGE - 10¢ in coin (no stamps).

FINS CERTIFICATE

AWARD BY - Florida (YLs) International
Sidebanders
CUSTODIAN - V. Mayree Tallman, 428 SW 28th Road
Miami, 36, Florida.
REQUIREMENTS - DX stations work 10 W or K members
plus 5 DX members; W or K stations work 10 DX
members plus 5 W or K members. Seal endorsement
for each additional 10.
CHARGE - SASE necessary for certificate.

FLORIDORA

AWARD - THE FLORIDORA CERTIFICATE
CUSTODIAN - Marge Campbell, K4RNS, 1700 Nova Rd.,
Holly Hill, Fla.
REQUIREMENTS - Confirmed contacts with 10 members
for U.S. operators, others 5. Contacts must
date after April 21, 1957. Member must be in
Florida at time of contact. Contacts made
during Floridora YL net operation do not apply.
APPLICATION - to custodian with GCR list.
CHARGE - 10¢ in coin or stamp to cover cost of
mailing certificate; DX 1-IRC unless thru QSL
Mgr. If QSLs are sent, postage must be sent for
their return.

GAYLARK

AWARD - GAYLARK CERTIFICATE
AWARD BY - GULF AREA YL AMATEUR RADIO KLUB
CUSTODIAN - Betty Sutton, #5ERH, P.O.Box 45-588
Houston 45, Texas.
REQUIREMENTS - Contact with 6 Gaylarks after
January 28, 1958. DX stations are required
to contact 5.
APPLICATION - Send log extracts.
CHARGE - 10¢

HAWK

AWARD BY - HOOSIER AMATEUR WOMEN'S KLUB
CUSTODIAN - Fran Yelch, K9ILK, P.O. Box 135
Princeton, Indiana
REQUIREMENTS - Contact with 10 HAWKS after
Jan 1958. Net contacts do not count.
APPLICATION - Send list with call, date and band.
QSL's not needed.
CHARGE - Return postage preferred.

KANSAS YL

AWARD - WORKED KANSAS YL CERTIFICATE
AWARD BY - KANSAS RADIO CLUB
ADDRESS - Kansas Radio Club, 5019 Gramar,
Wichita, Kansas
REQUIREMENTS - Contact YL stations in Kansas
after Jan.1, 1947 as follows: Novice applicants
contact 2; Kansas stations 10; rest of U.S.
contact 6; DX stations contact 2.
APPLICATION - Send QSL's or certified list signed
by one amateur.
CHARGE - 50¢ or 4 IRC to above.

LAD "N" LASSIE

AWARD BY - LOS ANGELES YL RADIO CLUB
CUSTODIAN - Irma Weber, K6KCI, 762 Juanita Ave
Santa Barbara, California

Requirements - Work ten members of LAYLRC After
January 1, 1952.

APPLICATION - Copy of log showing name, call
letters, date, time, band and type of emission
may be sent in lieu of QSLs. Special recognition
will be shown on certificate if all contacts
are C.W. It is not necessary for all
contacts to have been made from one QTH. Only
one certificate shall be awarded to an individual.

CHARGE - Return postage.

LARK

AWARD BY - LADIES AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
CUSTODIAN - Connie Kalinowski, W9UON

1045 Milwaukee Ave., Chicago 22, Ill.

REQUIREMENTS - Contact 10 members after Sept.
1st, 1962

APPLICATION - Send list of LARKs contacted,
verified by one licensed amateur or notary
that either QSLs and/or log contact was
sighted, to custodian.

CHARGE - None

LOADED CLOTHES LINE

AWARD BY- LOADED CLOTHES LINE YL NET
CUSTODIAN- Lucille Miller, K5GYZ,

116 South Glenwood St., El Paso, Tex.

REQUIREMENTS - Contact with 10 net members
on or after Jan.1, 1959.

APPLICATION - List showing date, time, call
and frequency.

CHARGE - None

COMMENTS - Contacts during Net sessions do
not apply.

MISSIONS TO MISSILES

AWARD BY - SAN DIEGO YL RADIO CLUB

CUSTODIAN- Pat Muelheim, W6GGX, 4275 Del Mar Av.
San Diego 7, California

REQUIREMENTS - Contact 5 members after June 1,
1959. Stations outside the USA
need only 3 contacts.

APPLICATION - Send full log data.

CHARGE- None

OREGON ELIZABETH

AWARD- OREGON ELIZABETH CERTIFICATE

CUSTODIAN - Beth Taylor, W7NJS, 14637 S.E. Fair
Oaks Ave., Milwaukie 22, Oregon

REQUIREMENTS - Contact 5 YL's with the given
name "Elizabeth" or one of its derivatives.

The YL issuing the card must have been in
Oregon at the time of the contact. QSLs from
YLs licensed at an address outside of Oregon
may be used if the card clearly shows them
operating Mobile or Portable in Oregon, or at
the station of an Oregon radio amateur. If
later, QSLs are supplied confirming contacts
with 5 additional "Oregon Elizabeths", a seal

will be issued to the certificate-holder, to be
added to the certificate.

APPLICATION - QSLs, or other proof, of any date,
should be mailed, first class; the cards will
be returned, and certificate sent.

CHARGE- None

PENN - JERSEY

AWARD - The PENN - JERSEY YOUNG LADIES AMATEUR
RADIO CLUB

CUSTODIAN- Carolyn Currens, W3GTC, P.O. Box 523
Norristown, Pennsylvania

REQUIREMENTS- U.S. Stations contact 10 members,
foreign stations contact 5 after June 1, 1956.

APPLICATION - Send list showing calls, date and
band. Do not send QSLs.

CHARGE- None.

PORTLAND ROSES

AWARDED BY- PORTLAND ROSES

CUSTODIAN- Helen Wise, W7RVM, 4311 S.E. Salmon St.
Portland 15, Oregon.

REQUIREMENTS - Contacts with 8 members, either
regular or associate, and you must have contacted
them when they were members. A contact with the
club station K7UER, counts as two.

APPLICATION - Send list with full log data.

CHARGE - None.

SILVER DOLLAR

AWARD BY - COLORADO YLS CLUB

CUSTODIAN- Tillie Curington, KØRGU, 2067 Brentwood
Denver 15, Colorado

Requirements- Contact and QSL 5 members after
July 1, 1962, or during year of joining or there-
after. Second certificate may be worked, same
requirements.

APPLICATION- Send list with log info stating
contacts have been QSLed.

CHARGE- 50¢ or 5 IRC

TEXAS BLUEBONNETS

AWARD BY - TEXAS BLUEBONNETS

CUSTODIAN- Doris Steele, K5RAE, Orangefield, Tex.

Requirements - Contact 6 members of the
Bluebonnets on any band.

APPLICATION- Send log extracts giving full data.

CHARGE - None.

TYLRUN

AWARD BY- THE TEXAS YL ROUND UP NET

CUSTODIAN - Bernell Johnson, K5GBX, 1822 S.W. 3rd
Street, Grand Prairie, Texas.

REQUIREMENTS - Two-way contact, on any band, with
25 Full Members. A full member is one who has

a Certificate of Membership and has paid her dues.
All contacts must be made from the same location
and under the same call over any period of years.
QSLs must show the members certificate number and
date. Net contacts do not count.

APPLICATION - QSLs must be sent to the Custodian
by first class mail. They must be accompanied by
a list of contacts with call, full name of

operator, certificate number, date and time of contact and band of operation, arranged in alphabetical order by call.
CHARGE- Sufficient postage must be enclosed to finance the return of the cards by first class mail, plus 15¢ to cover mailing of certificate. TYLRUN will not be responsible for any loss or damage to QSL cards.

WAYLARC

AWARD BY- WASHINGTON AREA YOUNG LADIES
AMATEUR RADIO CLUB

CUSTODIAN - Camille F. Hedges, W3TSC

2202 Culver St., Washington 21, D.C.

REQUIREMENTS - Contact five WAYLARC members in good standing on or after Jan.1, 1960. DX stations need only 3 contacts. Net contacts do not apply.

APPLICATION- Send QSLs with stamped, self addressed envelope.

CHARGE- 10¢

WHO

AWARDED BY- WOMEN HAM OPERATORS OF TERRANT
COUNTY, INC.

CUSTODIAN- Margie Klar, K5PIO, 3525 Bellaire Drive
North Fort Worth, Texas.

REQUIREMENTS- Contact 3 members or 2 members and club station K5LZW. Contacts after May 1, 1958.

APPLICATION- Log extracts; call, date, time, mode and frequency.

CHARGE - None

Comment - Endorsements for 3 on one band, all CW or all Mobile.

WRONE

AWARD BY- WOMEN RADIO OPERATORS OF
NEW ENGLAND

CUSTODIAN - Blanche Randles, K1IZT, 62 Linda Ave.
Framingham, Mass.

REQUIREMENTS - Work 6 WRONE members with at least 3 different N.E. states represented, after May 1, 1959. WRONE net contacts do not count. Contacts must be made from one QTH except Maritime Mobile stations have no location limitations.

APPLICATION- Send list with station worked, date, freq. and state. Have list verified by 2 amateurs or 1 officer of radio club.

CHARGE- 20¢ - If QSLs are sent send postage to cover return by first class mail.

COMMENT- A sticker is issued for contact with one member in each N.E. state in addition to original application. When certificate and sticker have both been earned you will have worked 9 WRONE members and all 6 N.E. states.

KH 6 YL

AWARD BY- KH6YL AMATEUR RADIO CLUB

CUSTODIAN- Louise Bostwick,

COMMENTS - The KH6YL club are in the process of adjusting their rules and the new rules will not be available until after this has gone to press. We will publish their rules in the next issue.

PARKA

AWARD- PARKA LUCKY SEVEN AWARD

CUSTODIAN - Geraldine L. Nichols, KL7ALZ
Star Route "A", Box 4017
Spenard, Alaska

REQUIREMENTS- Two-way contact from the same location or within a 25 mile radius, with 7 paid-up members of PARKA. The exception being that Alaskan amateurs must also show proof of contact with at least 4 other KL7 YLs (any); making a total of 11. Contacts valid after Feb.1, 1955. Any band or mode may be used but no cross band operation.

APPLICATION- When sending confirmations, please enclose sufficient U.S. postage or IRC's for return of your cards and certificate.

CHARGE- No charge except sufficient postage for cards and certificate.

HYLH

AWARD- HUNT THE YL HUNTERS

AWARDED BY- YL CHC Ch#4

CUSTODIAN- Tillie Curington, KØRGU, 2067 Brentwood St
Denver 15, Colorado

REQUIREMENTS - Contacts with specified number of members during year of joining CHC or thereafter, Dir. Codes GCR, MER, IAR 25%R, AOB/M/MR, and CHC/HTH QSL rule apply. Any communications must include SASE. Royal Huntress and Royal Wolf count 1 point each and RW may be substituted for needed State or country with CHC/QSL Rule applying.

HYLH-G-NA any 25 DX any 20

" F " 50-20-3 " 40-15-2

" E " 75-25-4 " 60-20-3

" D " 100-30-5 " 75-25-4

HYLH-C-NA 150-35-6 DX 125-30-5

" B " 200-40-7 " 150-35-6

Special award will be given for:

HYLH-A-NA 300-50-10 DX 175-40-10

The second and third figures are minimum States and Countries represented in the 1st figure. KH & KL count both State and Country. Assoc. members count 1/2 point but fully as State or Country.

APPLICATION- Send GCR list alphabetically by call showing No., Call, Name, QTH, CHC No., Band, mode, Date.

CHARGE - \$1.00 or 10 IRC - For seals and Endorsements send SASE or 1 IRC.

GEORGIA PEACHE

AWARD BY - GEORGIA PEACHES
CUSTODIAN - Lin Starling, K4IFF, 1346 Lavon Av.
Savannah, Ga.

REQUIREMENTS - Confirmed contacts with 10 paid
up members of the Club after Oct. 1, 1957.
Contacts during Net operations do not count.

APPLICATION - Send QSLs.

CHARGE - Return Postage

COMMENT - Endorsement is available for each
additional 5 members.

V. P. COMMENT

These certificate rules have all been
varified before we published them. If your
certificate does not appear it is because we
got no reply when we wrote for verification
or we had no information on the certificate.

Any certificate rules not printed here
will be included in a later issue if you
will send the rules to ---

Blanche Randles, K1IZT
62 Linda Ave.
Framingham, Mass.

.....
Applicant's Call

.....
Date

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

I hereby apply for membership in the Young Ladies' Radio League Inc. I am
willing to abide by the Constitution and By-Laws of the League and such
rules as shall be promulgated by the organization from time to time. I am a
Licensed Woman Amateur Radio Operator.

Name Address

City Zone State

Endorsed by Call

— Name of member — or Treasurer may endorse —

Enclosed is \$..... in payment of: Dues to

Member's pin (optional) Stationary, notesize (optional)

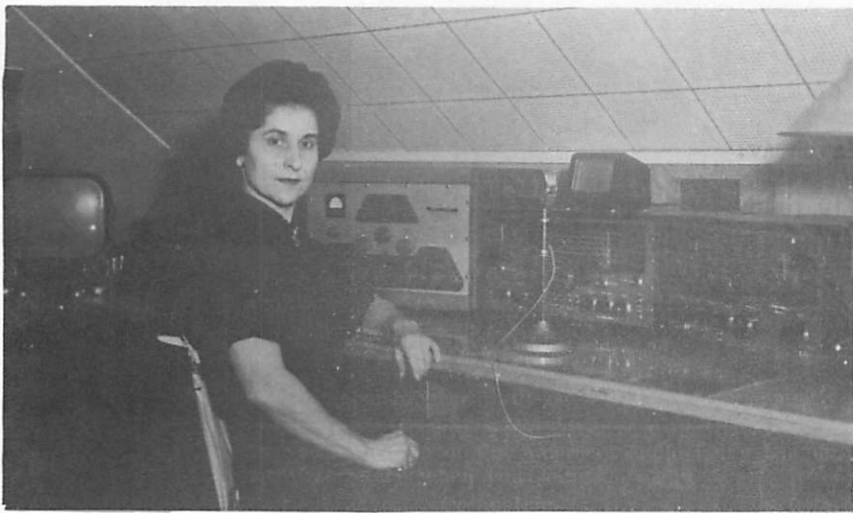
Stationary, typing size (optional)

Your first copy of YL Harmonics should be received in two months. Please
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Reinstated? Frequency usually operated



K8ITF



OH5RZ

Back Row: W8AHU,
K8ONA, W8DXY,
K8MZT, W8GBS,
& W8WRJ.



Buckeye Belle Meeting at QTH of K8ONA

Front Row: K8ZEV,
W8FYC, K8VMV,
W8DZL, W8EFB,
and K8WZF.

Please mail card and
remittance to Treasurer

Your membership card will be sent to you as promptly as records are entered

Are you a member of the American Radio Relay League? If not, kindly
notify secretary when you join.

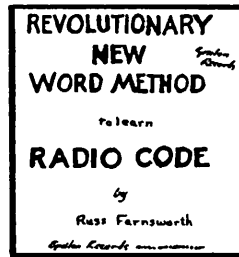
Married? Occupation Date of birth

OM's call Any other hams in family

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