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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



The YOUNG LADIES' RADIO LEAGUE goes on to greater achievements and I shall continue to contribute my efforts, but this will be my last President's message to the members. Other officers with new ideas will carry on YLRL objectives and they, as well as the previous leaders, are indeed privileged to spend their energies building something that will endure.


In James Michener's novel "The Bridges of Toko-Ri" an Admiral, watching a young flyer take off on a mission too dangerous to assign, says "The worthwhile work in this world gets done

by volunteers." YLRL workers are all volunteers, and our League's vast volunteer leadership potential is unlimited. Best wishes to the newly-elected group who take the helm in 1975.

The last 1974 President's Bulletin, which is the Board meeting by mail, has just been issued. It is a four-page resume of action taken by the Board this year, most of which necessitates changes in the Constitution, By-Laws and Procedure Policy. The amended Constitution, By-Laws and Procedure Policy with revisions approved by the YLRL Board, will be printed fully in the large 1975 YLRL Directory that Carrie, WA4BVD, and Jean, K6OQD, are already assembling. This complete directory will be a reference volume worth a year's dues in itself. Start putting your quarters and dimes in the sugar bowl now for payment of your 1975 dues by March first.

In 1974 YLRL has established a new DX-YL to North American YL Contest; is offering a new DX-YLCC Certificate; is arranging times and frequencies for a program of "Friendly YL-DX-QSOs"; and is developing involvement of Technician YLs in YLRL activity. Our League's greatest asset, however, is her enthusiastic members with a passionate belief in YLRL and their voluntary, generous, unstinting support. May their numbers increase!

33, *Eila* W4EBS

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HOWDY DAYS CONTEST RESULTS

YLRL Members:

Ella	DJ5UAC - 38	Paula	DJØEK - 29
Christle	DJ1TE - 35	Irma	K6KCI - 18
Phyllis	W2GLB - 31	Madeline	W2EEO - 10

Non Member: Elissa, DJØYL - 16

correction

I3MQ, Ada, was listed incorrectly in the DX-YL to Sate-
side YL of January 9-10, 1974. She should have been
listed under the CW section instead of the Phone section.

AN ODE OF GRATITUDE TO OUR YLH EDITOR

by the

YLRL PRESIDENT

To be sung by every YLRL member.

Our Carrie's conscientious in every thought and act
And tackles what there is to do with vigor, brains and tact.
She handles all efficiently, much more than her full quota,
And organizes jobs down to the tiniest iota.

One counts on Carrie's careful thought in any situation.
Her solutions often bring to naught excessive aggravation.
For she's generous and helpful whenever she is needed.
Her experience is plentiful, her wisdom should be heeded.

Each issue of Harmonics is really quite fantastic,
Adorned with all her sketches, creative and artistic.
She's meticulous and accurate, edits copy o'er and o'er
And juggles space and articles, oft layout is a chore.
Gets the journal to the printer, checks blank pages, ink
may fail,
And addresses every single one and puts them in the mail.

Now, YLRL members, give our Editor a hand,
For YLH, we all agree, is the finest in the land.

Ella, WA8EBS



Introducing SOME NEW MEMBERS.....by WA2FGS

WN3VEV - "Mimi" of Wheaton, Md. is a Registered Nurse and is endorsed by Edna-WN4EUE.

WA4QJG - Betty of Savannah, Ga. is a member of the 2 Meter Repeater Assn. and also enjoys ceramics. Her OM is Harry and his call is W4GRH.

WB5EWH - Beverly is from Greenwood, Ark. Her OM - Wes is WB5CEL. She holds an Advanced ticket and is a member of ARRL.

WB9LUX - Denna is from Meredosia, Ill. She holds a General Class ticket and her OM is Herb-WB9LUY. She is interested in contacting someone in Slow Scan TV.

WN3WBD - Barbara of Lewistown, Pa. is a housewife and her OM-Robert is not licensed. Her father is W3CHR-Vernon.

WB0JBZ - Katherine of Augusta, Kan. is reinstated and we welcome her back after a five year absence.

WA0NLR - Flora of Topeka, Kan. holds an Advanced Class. She is a railway clerk and former call held was WA5DPU.

WN2JPF - Nancy of Hastings-on-Hudson, NY is a music teacher. Her OM is Marvin-WB2JRH.

WA4IHA - Susan of Greensboro, NC is an Admin. Secretary. She holds a Conditional Class and the OM is Charles-K4CJZ.

WN1THQ - Karen of Henniker, NH holds a General Class and waiting for the official ticket in the mail. Other hobbies are tennis, reading and hiking. Her OM Bob has no call.

WA6YAR - Carole of LaHabra Hts., Cal. holds an Advanced Class. She is an Ins. Adjuster/Investigator. Rig is the Swan Line.

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Gase Ellen

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From Darleen, HC2YL, comes news that she visited the states in August. The letter was written while she was visiting W2GLB.

We welcome a new member, Zelda, ZL3AAB. She is from Greymouth, New Zealand and is an adoptee of the Baylarcs. Zelda has visited the Baylarcs and talks regularly on the air to some of the members.

A letter from Myrtle, ZL4GR, thanks the WRONE net girls for

adopting her again. She hopes everyone saw her photo in November 1973 QST.

This is my last column for the Harmonics, as I have resigned as International Membership Chairman. I will miss it very much but since my husband's illness, I have not had the time to do a good job. I feel that in all fairness to him and to YLRL, I must give it up so I can devote all my time to helping him in his business. I have made some dear friends and hope I can keep in touch with them, hopefully on the air when I can get back on.

Please start sending all correspondence to Ione O'Donnel, WA2DMK, Newcomb, New York, 12852.

From the experiences of three years in this job, I would like to make a suggestion or two. Could you girls who sponsor adoptees PLEASE notify the Int'l Membership Chairman of your intentions early in the year? Just drop her a line and tell her if you do or do not intend to adopt your DXyls. If you could send the dues early, it would also help as then the girls won't miss any issues of Harmonics. Maybe when you send your adoptee a Christmas card it could remind you and you could notify the chairman then? The biggest problem in the adoptee program is trying to keep an adoptee's membership from lapsing because her sponsor has not either sent her dues or has not notified the chairman that the yl is open for adoption by someone else. It would make it much better for Ione to know in advance of the March 1st dues deadline.

Again, I'll miss all of you. It has been fun and a rewarding experience. Especially I would like to say thanks to Carrie who has done such a tremendous job on Harmonics. Even when she had all the responsibility of the Presidency, she has done a fantastic job. So my hat is off to her and many, many thanks. And to my DX friends, please don't forget me because I'll never forget you and your great letters.

Shelma
WA2WHE



TECH TALK

Pat Dennis, K8VMY
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How many of you have had Latin, do you remember Com, together, plus respondere, to answer? That is the root of the word "correspond" says Webster: No.#1 to be in agreement (with something); match. No.#2 to be similar or equal (to). No.#3 to communicate by letter. All three point out that you need more than one person to carry out the job as correspondent.

Part 6 of the Amateur Code reads - The amateur is Patriotic, his Knowledge and his station are always ready for the service of his country and his community. How many of you Techs can say you do or try to do a public service? Share your experience or write to me of someone you know, it will help to inspire us.

Dot Baumgardner, Tech WA8IJW, is a retired Public Health Nurse. Her OM is Orrie, W8BF. She received her ham ticket in May 1963 after attending a code and theory class. They have two very active Dalmations. She is active in the Chix on 6 and the Buckeye Belles, holding offices and serving on many committees. Dot is the Eastern Librarian of the US Blind YLs. She reads and tapes the YL Harmonics and other articles or material that would be of interest to the gals.

2-Meter DX chasers take note. A new SSB national calling frequency of 145.010 MHz has been announced, hopefully encouraging Tech licensees to become more DX oriented.

33's *Pat. K8VMY*



Get Well Wishes

K3AIF—Velma Keister is in the Oakmont Residence, a nursing home, after a three week's stay in the hospital for a broken hip—a result of a fall in her home on September 11.

A letter dated October 3 from W3DHU-Bill, Velma's OM, said that he is sure she would appreciate a card from you.

Bill is very proud of Velma. She passed her test for her ham ticket on the day before her sixty-ninth birthday. She will be 85 on November 20.



NOVICE CORNER

Cynthia Bishop, WN4FCH
NOVICE CORRESPONDENT
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Looks like fall is here and so is my last "Novice Corner." I've enjoyed serving as Novice Correspondent, but I've been disappointed in the response from my fellow Novices. As I understand it, this column is for Novices, about Novices, by a Novice. The only way it can be about Novices is if the Novices let their correspondent know what is happening. As it was this past year, this column was about a Novice—me. I only got one letter the entire year.

But this is the beginning of a new year. We need a new Novice Correspondent for 1975. If anyone is interested, please contact:

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361 Roseville Avenue
Newark, New Jersey 07107

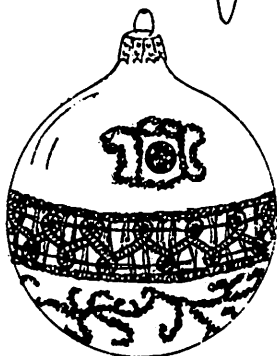
The rest of you get in there and write to her when she starts her year as NC. Let's make next year a real success!

I recently got a letter from our Roanoke Division Chairman concerning the matter of a codeless class of license and I got on my soapbox against the idea. I hope everyone will make their views known on the matter, one way or the other.

Much thanks to Carrie Lynch, WA4BVD, for her help this past year. I'll be seeing ya'll on the air—as a General, I hope!

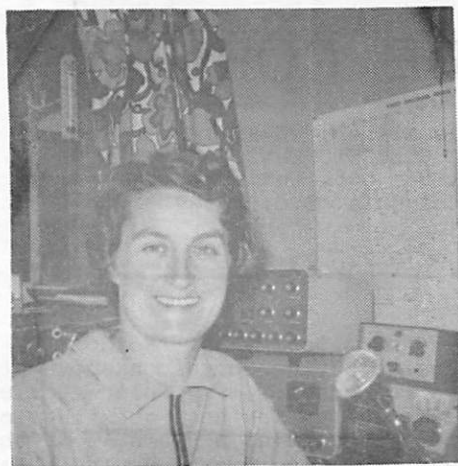
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Cynthia Bishop
WN4FCH



Congratulations

Congratulations are in order for Christine Haycock, WB2YBA, for having received a "Commendation Service Award" from the Pictorial Print Division of the Photographic Society of America in Chicago, Illinois. She was also awarded a 15-year Service Award from the American Cancer Society.



ZL3AAB, Zelda Garlick

U.S. VISITOR ZL3AAB

Many YLs had the pleasure of meeting and hosting Zelda, ZL3AAB, and her OM Russ, ZL3AAA, this past summer. They spent 45 days visiting their amateur friends from California to Arkansas.

Zelda is a nurse—parttime—at a large new hospital in Greymouth, New Zealand, where they live. She and Russ have five children so she is not on the air too much. Two of those are about ready to take their first tests for licenses too, so they will really keep the airwaves "jumping."

Dues may be paid any time after the first day in January. YLRL membership dues are \$4.00 a year, and DX YL dues are \$4.50 a year. All checks should be made payable to the Young Ladies' Radio League, Inc.

U. S. dues go to the — Receiving Treasurer: Marion Bees, W8UAP. DX YL dues go to the International Membership Chairman: Ione O'Donnel, WA2DMK

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Jackie van de Kamp, W6YKU, Custodian

The following CMCs were issued during Sept. and Oct., 1974:

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K1GSF - 15	K4KZT - 20	W6IWG - 5	W8KMT - 10
K1IIF - 15	WA4UWK - 10	W6QPI - 20	W8BYPY - 5
K1LCI - 15	K4ZYG - 15	W6VDP - 15	WA9CTC - 5
WA1LGU - 5	K5JFJ - 15	W7COJ - 5	K9QGR/7 - 15
W2BNC - 5	K5OKR - 5	WA7GMX - 5	WA9SVN - 5
WA2GPT - 15	W5ONP - 15	K7GQZ - 15	WA9TVM - 5
K2GTJ - 5	WA5PQX - 5	W7OQB - 5	W0BJI - 10
K2OYG - 5	K5VBE - 10	K7RAM - 15	W8LPI - 5
WA3GDL - 5	WA5WGA - 5	WA7UJI - 15	YV5CKR - 5
K3YPH - 5	WA5WZF - 20		
	K5YTN - 20		
	W5ZPD - 20		
	WA5ZZA - 5		



DISTRICT NEWS



One - Land

Ruth, K1IIF, District Chairman



Hi, girls—what a gorgeous fall we're having! Jane, W1ICV, left her canning and freezing long enough for a 2-week trip to VE1/2 land. Their antennas are being returned to their proper places after a summer of new siding at the QTH. We'll be glad to hear you on again as we've missed you, Jane. She and OM Vern, W1SP, attended no fewer than 8 of Boston Symphony Concerts at Tanglewood.

Bonnie, WA1GQZ, described the mini-hamfest she and OM WA1GRA, Irving, hold on the second Sunday in August. This year 137 registered, and counting children and spouses, there were over 200. All the New England states were there, as were VE1's and 2's and some from New York. Those with campers came Friday and stayed through Monday, and for the third year in a row, they had excellent weather. Many of you know Bonnie as ex-K2DKL, and she's been DC for both District 1 and 2. She tells me that Leona, W1YPH, and OM Kay, W1GAG, have been touring Southern New England.

Dot, W1FTJ, another ex-DC, is still chasing DX on 20M CW; now has 162 countries confirmed. She has four grandchildren, and she's raising champion cocker spaniels. Of four champions from their kennel, she raised 3 herself. The family business, Evans Supply (radio, electrical and electronic supplies) was recently featured in the Home Builders News—in celebration of their 40th anniversary last September. There were pictures of both their sons who are now very actively in the business and everyone else but Dot! I saw a copy, and it was very interesting.

Ruth, K1IIF (me) is enjoying a new TenTec Triton II transceiver in the dining room and patched into the main station tribander. With a new Brimstone synthesized 2M FM rig beside it, the solid-state "upstairs" rigs get more of the precious hamming time than the S-line in the basement shack.

The WRONE net is beginning again at about 3910 at 8:30 a.m. Wednesdays but Net Controls have been hard to come by, this fall. By the time snow flies, though, they'll be more prevalent.

W1ZEN, Onie, took short trips to Maine and New York state. Bea, K1OKC, went from Maine to Illinois to visit Mickey and her children. Bea reports that the difference in tolls between going via the New Jersey Turnpike and coming back the Trans Canada Highway is worth noting: \$1.08 in VE-land, and over \$9.00 in 3-land! Marge, W1VOS, took a trip to Nashville to see her grandchildren. She and OM W1VOV are enjoying new FM 2-meter gear, too. They attended the Hamburg Hamfest.

President Peggy, K1GSF, also has new FM 2-meter gear and worked Rita, W1UZR, a while back.

Keep the news coming, girls—what's cooking at your QTH lately, what trips are you taking? New children or grandchildren or spouses? New ham gear? What modes are you most enjoying in ham radio, now? Any new hobbies? It seems to me that most YLs have many more than one hobby!



The new season is back in full swing and the PJYLs elected new officers, as follows: President, W3AAU; Vice President, K3FYS; Secretary, W3TNP; and Treasurer, K3YPH.

I worried all month because my QTH was incorrectly reported in the last issue of Harmonics. I was so afraid I would get no mail from 3-land. Well, the post office found me and I want to thank all the gals who helped in making this column possible.

Marlene, WA3UOC, was reelected President of the Child-birth Education Assn. of Greater Philadelphia. Congrats Marlene.

Carolyn, W3GTC, has been busy these days. She drove up to Teterboro Airport to talk over the next years Powder Puff Derby and then took a beautiful sightseeing trip that included the Hawk Mountain Bird Preserve.

Alice W3EXG, writes that Velma, K3AIF, is in a nursing home with a broken hip. Won't you please send Velma your best wishes? Here is a gal with courage. Velma got her General at age 65 after retiring as a school teacher. Send your correspondence to Velma Keister, K3AIF; c/o Oakmont Residence; 26 Ann St.; Oakmont, Pennsylvania 15139.

Alice has been busy too—she got to do some camping this year and has been taking organ lessons. The biggest event this year Alice says was the annual U.S. Steel camporee. Her OM was chairman of the event and of course Alice was his right hand, left hand and all around helper.

Ethel, K3LHH, is still active on 75 mtrs. with her missionary group and meets her son on 40 meters every week. He is in Massachusetts. Besides this Ethel has been busy canning and freezing fruits and vegetables for the winter months.

Shirley, W3VNN, has been busy canning, too. This year her apple tree had such an enormous crop of apples that after making over 15 quarts of apple sauce the tree still looked as if it hadn't been touched. That doesn't include all the apple pies she and her family consumed.

Martha, K3FRQ, has been active on 6 and 2 recently, and participated in the McKean Co. Radio Club providing communications of a hill climb. Martha, by the way is still busy as desk sgt. at the township police dept. and loves her work.

Got a nice letter from Louise, W3WRE, who was one of the speakers at the Annual Historical Conference of the Antique Wireless Association. To her enchanted surprise she was honored by being selected for the annual Houck Award for "Outstanding research and documentation of the history of telegraphic communication." Louise is still collecting keys and just added three more—total as of now is 212—and still counting. With part of this fantastic collection, Louise will be the speaker at the Penn Wireless Assn on October 26. Louise, you deserve all honors due you.

Amy, WA2QYZ, has been busy with MARS. She conducted a training session at Fort Monmouth in procedures on emergency drill for Operation Snowdrift.

Bonnie, WB2ALQ, and her OM K2SQS had a camping trip on Crane Mt. and even built a 2M fm SWR meter. Here's a gal who says she never even picked up a soldering iron before! Bonnie tells me that Burlington Co. RACES had a booth at the at the Burlington Co. Farm Fair and that she and her OM worked with RACES in providing communications for a 100 mile Sandy Motor Cycle Endurance.

K3FYS, Mollie, is finally going to get her rig out of the repair shop. She's been waiting some five weeks!

Saw Bert, W3TNP, and Marsha, WA3TEM, working hard at the third annual Pack Rat Hamarama while Maggie, WA3OTY, and Liz, WA3RFW, looked over the goodies.

Harriet, WA3ATQ, has got to be one of the busiest gals in 3-land. She and her OM traveled extensively this year, and attended the Women Marine Association Convention in Galveston, Texas, where Harriet, who in 1972 came up with the idea of sending birthday messages to the members via ham radio was awarded the Women Marines Assn National Service Award, a kiss from the four star General, a lovely plaque, and was installed as Public Relations Officer for the next two years! Anyone who undertakes to send over a thousand messages a year in addition to all her other Ham activities deserves every award in the book.

Rose Ellen, WA2FGS, has been working hard but did get to the Dayton Hamfest and took a driving trip with her sister for almost two weeks. Rose Ellen also got to visit Harriet this summer.

Dottie, K3YPH, got her Christmas present early this year. You should see the beautiful ring her OM gave her. It's got two of everything it seems!

My retirement must have addeled my brain! Since it's harvest time and my neighbor's black walnut trees were loaded, she told me to pick as many as I wanted. It's a month now that I've been cracking walnuts with a bench vise—the only way to open them—with walnut stained hands that I hide. Does anyone have a receipe for Date-Nut bread? I still have 50 walnuts to go!

33's Edith W3AAU

Four - Land

Nancy, WB4NTW, District Chairman



Greetings from the Fourth District. We hope that the summer has brought you all the good things: vacation, travel, etc.

W4AAB, Fran, is back on the Florida Net after a short illness. We're glad all is well now, Fran.

W4BAV, Cathy is justly proud of her special QSL card of WM200N honoring the fifth anniversary of man's walk on the moon. She also obtained an award signed by three astronauts.

WA4BVD, Carrie, has been crocheting a ripple afghan and now that it is finished, she is trying her hand at a granny afghan. Carrie is expecting a visit from her mother-in-law in November.

W4EHN, Betty, attended the Melbourne Hamfest in September. She and the seventeen other Floridoras must have had a wonderful time, wish we might have been there. Perhaps we can make it next time.

WA4EPM, Edna, with her OM Tommy, her mother and father and her four aunts enjoyed a trip to nearby Hilton Head Island on an excursion boat, The Waving Girl. They were gone about eight hours. The trip included luncheon and a tour of the shops on the Island. The weather was rather cool but clear, and they had a wonderful time. The distance covered was about fifty miles round trip.

Our thanks to K4HSC, Meg, for acting as NCS for the Georgia Peaches during our absence in August. We took a couple of weeks off for a two-week trip up the mountains. We can always count on Meg to do a good job. And just think, she can be heard all over the fourth area even tho she runs low power.

We say, "Welcome" to YLRL Marguerite, K4ZZS. Marguerite and her OM Jim, W4PFF, live in Dublin, Georgia. K4ZZS was a member of the original Georgia Peach group and is a member of the present group of Georgia Peaches, an affiliate club of YLRL. In addition to amateur radio, her hobbies include coin collecting, gardening and tennis. Marguerite and Jim have done much toward the maintainance of the tennis courts at the Veterans Administration Hospital in Dublin where Jim is a nursing assistant. Jim also has a sign painting business. He also enjoys a good game of tennis. We enjoyed an eyeball QSO with Marguerite and Jim at the Augusta Hamfest in September.

WB4PXN, Nesta, and her OM Newt, WB4JSZ, had a beam and rotor stolen from their summer home in Michigan. Nesta wrote to say that it took three men and a tractor to put it up and they have not yet figured out how it could have been stolen without someone hearing the noise and reporting it. We certainly are sorry Nesta and Newt. Here's hoping you get your new one up soon. The news from the Magnusons was not all bad, they had a nice trip overseas visiting South East Asia. Their two-month cruise aboard a freighter was most enjoyable. Most of the time they had good weather, except for two typhoons. Thanks, Nesta, for your two most welcome letters. We always enjoy getting your news by mail.

WA4QJG, Betty, has begun making her ceramics for Christmas. She sells some of them and will be hard put to get all the orders filled. At present she is in a local hospital for a few days, but should be out soon. Hurry up and get well Betty, so that you can improve your bowling average.

K4RYJ, Welma, is spending her time fishing, while her brother Keith, WB8MXI, is visiting her. They both checked into the Peaches last Thursday morning and we all enjoyed working Keith in four-land.

K4WXS, Lee, writes to tell about her trip out west. She saw the Grand Canyon, the Sierra Range and the Canadian Rockies. Thanks, Lee, for you letter, it means so much to hear from you.

This is our sixth issue, so it is time for me to say thanks to all who wrote news making the column possible. We appreciate the opportunity of serving as your fourth district chairman and are looking forward to another year of chronicling all your good times. Most thirty-three from yours truly and the members of the fourth district. We wish you and yours a Merry Christmas and Happy, Healthy and Prosperous New Year.



Hi Gang!

Five-land news may be a little scarce this time unless I receive some news in a hurry since we are getting ready to leave town for a long awaited vacation. The OM and I are planning to attend the 125th anniversary of the founding of Austin College in Sherman and will go from there to visit relatives in Arkansas. We will also attend the birthday party of the Texas Young Ladies' Round-up Net at the home of Mary, K5MPI, in Springdale on October 18 and 19. We hope to go from there to visit other relatives and finally wind up in Hendersonville, North Carolina, where we will spend a few days with my brother and his wife. The beautiful part about it is that our grandson will be doing the driving and giving us a chance to see the scenery.

I am glad to report that Nina, K5TEY, is making progress towards walking again after a long seige with a broken hip. We are proud of Peggy down there in Dickenson who has passed her Extra class. We think that is terrific. Her fourteen year old son also passed his Novice. It must run in the family! Myrt, WB5FGM, in Ft. Worth, managed to go from full time R.N. to part time. Now she is trying to cut down on part time. I'm afraid there is too much demand for her services for that. We've all been worried about Daisy, WA5TYH. We haven't been able to raise her on the air. We were glad to find out that she has just been sleeping late. Come on, Daisy, get up and talk to us. Received word that Kathy, K5IHF, who moved to Louisiana, just barely missed hurricane Carmen. The family was all ready to evacuate when the danger passed. Cory, K5UKK, hopes to be back on the air as soon as she can get the antenna up. Hope she does better than we did. It was six months. We have renewed activity on a limited basis with a couple of dipoles. Makes us appreciate the old beam. Helen, W5LGY, took part in some radio club activities at the college in Commerce recently. They had a station on the air and were really in business. We're sure she converted some new hams because she was so enthusiastic. One young fellow had mike fright until Helen said the magic word "football," and then he certainly had plenty to say.

Speaking of Gaylarks, Sue, WA5FVH, is working with the South Montgomery Volunteer Fire Department on the Public Relations Committee. The first job will be judging the Fire Prevention Poster contest at two elementary schools. She makes all the Junior Hi football games to watch son, Mike, in the marching band and will teach girl scout classes later. Sue was also very active in civil defense during the explosion here recently as was her mother Annie, K5JKV, and others. Deanna, WA5KRI, was appointed divisional manager for Tri-Chem Liquid Embroidery in August. She has been trying to get on the air, but we have had so much rain they couldn't pour the base for the tower. She has a new Moseley Classic beam and a Hallicrafters SR 150. Mary Jo, K5DJS, and OM plan to fly to Switzerland for the Christmas holidays. On the 8th of June, Betty, W5ERH, became the proud grandmother of a five pound grandson. For a week he was in grave

danger due to being seven weeks premature and having a lung problem, but now he is doing fine.

This is my last column and with it I say "Thanks" for the news which you have sent in. It has been a big help. I am making a resolution right now to be more active in sending in news to next year's Five-land Director,

33 and 88, Frances, WA5MPM

Six - Land

Violet, W6CBA, District Chairman



HAPPY FALL SEASON TO ALL FROM SIX LAND:

K6VFE - Sister Charlotte acquired 15 more enthusiastic people who enrolled in her novice theory and code class. So far she has taught about 30 people to become hams. Some of these have gone on to general, advanced and one extra class. Sister Charlotte will also be helping in maintaining a radio booth at their local fair. (You'r quite a gal, Sister Charlotte.

Thanks for the news.)

K6DLL - Marcia wrote the highlight of their summer was the one week visit of ZL3AAB, Zelda, and ZL3AAA, Russ. They celebrated the 4th of July together with a big family get-together including homemade ice cream. Which they had never seen made before. We also hosted a party of about 50 people so their guests could meet friends and hams in the area. Other trips included a drive to Stateline, and Reno, Nevada. (I understand Zelda got hooked on the flashy machines.) Our daughter Lyn underwent surgery and extensive daily therapy at U.C. Medical Center. Her treatment now completed she is back to her teaching school in Napa, and showing remarkable improvement. (Certainly is good news.) This kept Marcia very busy, but in early September they spent one week touring Northern California and a visit with Vada, W6CEE, and Al, W6HWM.

WA7PRE - Dorothy and son David took a quick trip to the bay area to visit her new grandson, Frank Edward Leif, and the proud parents Fred and Ruth.

W7NJS - Beth and her friend are off for Portugal, Spain, Tangiers, Germany, Austria, Northern Italy, Switzerland, the Netherlands, and home over the pole from London, (WOW!!!)

W6CEE - Vada and OM Al, W6HWM, are on a trip around the U. S. One of the highlights of their trip is attending Al's nieces wedding.

WB9GWP/6 - Judith Beaston is the newest mermaid of the BAYLARC's. Her OM is John, WB9GWO/6.

BAYLARCs - Their 20th anniversary dinner was a success on June 29. Guests were Zelda, ZL3AAB, and Russ, ZL3AAA. The BAYLARCs have adopted Zelda into YLRL for 1975.

W6JZA - Elsa hosted the YLRC of L.A. September meeting at her lovely home in Long Beach. Twenty-two gals attended with four OMs watching the football game in the other room. The club is making plans for the Christmas party and Valentine YL-OM banquet in February.

W6CBA - Vi will have the November meeting of the YLRC of L.A. at her home. I will be showing slides of our trip to Hawaii.

A BIG THANKS to you all who helped me make up this column.



Thank you very much for all the news you sent me during the year. Raj, K7NZO, will be under the gun from now on so please send your news to her.

Correction and apology: WA7MEL of Utah informs me that Laura, WA7OXZ, and Guinevere, WN7STQ, are his daughters, not his wife and daughter as erroneously reported. They also are not new YLRL members but have been members for some time. They are in private school in Arizona. Laura is 15, and Guinevere is 13.

K7UBC, Verda of Idaho, and OM have been on a trip to Arizona and California visiting relatives.

WA7BDD, Joan of Spokane, is putting a new code keyboard kit together. She, OM Jim, and daughter Julie vacationed in Penticton, B.C. this fall.

Don, the OM of Lucie, WB6RFE of Redwood City, retired October 1.

New to the MINOWS is Sue, WA7BTE of Heron, Montana. She has a new three-element beam.

Also new to the MINOWS are Gail, WA7WGN of Corvallis, Oregon, and Mary, W7QGT, SCM for Washington.

Raj, K7NZO, would like to thank the many, many who sent condolences at the death of her OM, Chuck.

Joan, WA7SOK, of Oregon has persistent rig problems. On weekends she can get on with one of her dad's rigs.

At this writing, Beth, W7NJS, of Oregon is on a month's vacation in Europe. She is travelling with her longtime friend, Frances Gregg, a teacher. The two gals will spend 15 days on the Iberian Peninsula, with a side trip across to Tangiers. Then they will fly to Frankfurt for a 17 day trip through Germany, Austria, Italy, and Switzerland. They will return home via Amsterdam and London where they'll pick up Pan Am for Portland. Beth hopes to revisit some of the hams she met when she was in Europe five years ago.

WA7ZZN, Helen, of Washington is the only YL member of the Mt. Baker Amateur Radio Club, Inc. Early this fall she helped man the club's 6 x 6 emergency van at the Northwest Washington Lynden Fair for demonstration purposes.

33, Joyce, K7RRS



October has brought out not only the beautiful Fall Colors, but all the nasty flu bugs that have yet to go South for the winter, at least around this part of the world. Anyway, here are some ramblings from the Cereal City.

Joan (who used a banana to help her pass her general test) writes that she and her mother, Joyce, have received their new calls WB8NWT and WB8PAV. Joyce likes 20 meters, but also has been on 80 long enough to pick up one state and now lacks just Hawaii and Alaska. Joan is on 80 meters, mostly. Their cousin W8EUE helped them put up a tower.

Kate, W8EIR, asks, "By looks fall is here--I wonder where the summer went?" She and OM George had planned some traveling to Hawaii to visit Dell, but George has been ill and the trip postponed. She keeps busy as chief cook, chore boy, and driver. Congratulations are due Kate for on 25 years with her call and with YLRL. She now also is a member of QCWA. Many more years of happy hamming, Kate!

A note from Dorothy, WB8PRJ, was written on note paper headed "Dots & Dashes of Dorothy." Couldn't be more appropriate as she says she enjoys CW more than phone so far. "I got my General license March 19 and grabbed S.D. the very next day. Then first time on 20 M got my Alaska. Was wishing that I could have gotten WAS as a novice, but will settle for how I finally finished." She lacks only Alaska on 40 so maybe will find it some day and finish up properly.

There were four licensed YLs at the 20th Annual VHF Conference in Kalamazoo on October 19th—K8UCY, Donna; W8AQU, Louellis; myself; and from Victor, N.Y., Harriet, K2KLP. All attending enjoyed the slides and talks by W1SL, Tom, on EME and by WA8ULG, Ted, on 432 equipment.

Wonder if any other gals also found such poor propagation and participation in Howdy Days? Or didn't I listen at the right times? Sure hope to find more gals for the Anniversary Party.

That old flu bug just pounced on me so see you later.

Very 33s, Rosemary, WA8VXE

Ten - Land

Glenda, WAØTNI, District Chairman



Hi, gals! Sorry to say we missed the Midwest Convention so no report on that. I get that nasty virus that keeps you coughing for four or five weeks and Neal, our 12 year old son, gets a mild concussion at school and had to stay in the hospital for observation. He and I recovered nicely so our family could make the trip to Six Flags in Missouri the weekend of the 18th. Had a wonderful time.

Martha Shirley, WØZWL, writes that she is reviving the YL Grandmother's Club Award in memory of Mary Meyer, W9RUJ, (now a silent key), but she can't find any material that Mary may have had. Can someone help her with that information?

New certificates are being printed and she would like all licensed Amateur Radio Operator Grandmothers to send their name, call, and address to her for her records. Also, indicate if you are a great-grandmother. Those who have the award are automatically members, but please send the number and date of the award so she knows who you are. Best of luck, Martha, and on your 21st year with the South Dakota Wx Net.

Thanks to Jean Ehlis, WBØALK, who sent me the Colorado bulletin, Loose Change. Oct. 12 was the meeting of the Southern Quadrant and their business will be a Christmas boutique table where only handmade articles will be brought by the YLs with the extra profit going to their club. Their guest speaker was Frances W. Talbott—a member of the International Graphoanalysis Sec. She makes analysis of handwriting to help people better understand themselves, and

was going to do the YLs in the Club. Sounds like a great meeting! Present at the September meeting were: Drucilla Lee-Peg, WBØLFO; Darla, WBØDUV; Elaine, WØHEM; Marie, WBØHUC; Helen, KØWZS; Joan, WBØALK; Linda, WBØPYZ; Rosie, WAØMNL; and Linda, WAØMNM. They had a good business meeting and a game for their entertainment.

The Northern Quadrant had their meeting October 12 with guest speaker Lola, KØRXK, who is very active in Civil Air Patrol and spoke on that.

Dates to remember in Colorado:

December 6 and 7—YL Boutique Table

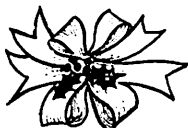
December 14—last quarterly meeting of 1974. Election of officers and gift exchange with Mr. and Mrs. Slats Council speaking on the 1976 Convention.

Thanks for the news, gal's, and I'm still around 3970 KHZ from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. so hope to CU.

33 es 73, Glenda, WAØTNI

KH6 - Land

Ardelle, KH6TI, District Chairman



Aloha -

This will be my last note from Hawaii as District Chairman. Mary, KH6HPS, will take it from here. I wish her well and hope she can get more news items than I was able to get—at the least she can tell of her

activities.

After all these years I'll get to meet Chata, W1RLQ, here in Hawaii in a few weeks. We had many a QSO from Hawaii in the late 40's and early 50's.

One of these days I hope to get back on the air again and will be looking for all of you.

33, Dell, KH6TI

KL7 - Land

Betty, KL7FJW, District Chairman



Sorry not to have had a column in the last two issues, but when I have no news, no column.

We are sad to see Bess, KL7FLS, now has an Arizona address. Knew it was in the works, but still hate to lose your cheery voice up here. Have a ball!

Rose, KL7FQQ, and her family moved into their new home this summer. It is just beautiful, right down to the bay window. They had a big garden and potato patch. They won't be on the air till spring. Tower is down and moved, but not back up again, at the new QTH. Stan has been putting in lots of overtime due to the pipeline work, so no time for fun projects. Rose now works full time for one of our local radio stations. She will be hosting a new womens' TV program starting the middle of November, called "Rose's Window." Congratulations, Rosie, we know you will do well. Rose gave Lyla, KL7CSR, a jingle when she was in Anchorage last week. Lyla and OM Jim had a good summer fishing off their boat. They got a moose this fall, which many didn't do this year. They plan a long trip outside this winter. Have a good time, but hurry back, Lyla.

Had a nice letter from Cynthia, KL7IAS. She is our newest Alaskan YL. Her OM, KL7HDX, is in the Coast Guard at Kodiak. She has a little girl two years and a boy seven years. Cynthia is very active with Army MARS and several other nets. She is the only YL ham on the island.

Received a welcome phone call from Elaine, KL7FMN. She is in Fairbanks on jury duty. The whole court from Tanana is in town. So we may get to have an eyeball before she returns home. We all seem to be exceptionally busy this year with building. Elaine and Bob are adding on to their home. With the early, deep snow, their snow machine business is open with a bang.

Fairbanks had a record snow for October last week, 9.7-inches in 24 hours. Sure could tell the old timer from the new southern drivers.

My OM and I remodeled our lake cabin. It now looks like an old paddle wheel river boat. Sure made comments fly among our neighbors. We like it, though. We also had two wonderful fishing trips to the Kenai Peninsula this summer. Salmon were scarce, but we enjoyed the country. Ralph climbed the tower and fixed our 20-meter quad yesterday. So maybe I can chat with you gals.

Keep the news coming, gals.

33, Betty, KL7FJW

VE - Land

Ebba, VE5DZ, District Chairman



Editor's Note

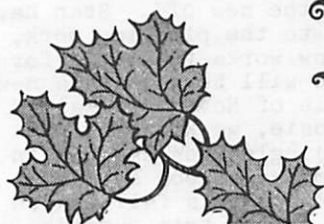
In Ebba's October 15 letter, she says that she is sorry there is no news this time. She was leaving the next day for British Columbia and didn't have much time. She was waiting to hear from the gals, but no word.

Ebba said that she has enjoyed being District Chairman, but wishes that she had more news. And says that she hasn't been active on the air which accounts for some lack of news, too. Also, she had not received the Clarion yet, so couldn't find some news in there.

Ebba writes that her address will be: Box 271, Peachland, British Columbia, until the end of March, at least.

Thanks a million, Ebba, for your letters throughout this year.

33, Carrie, WA4BVD



Merry Christmas

*To all of you
from all of us*



Kay Anderson - W8DUV



As it turns out, this year's award goes neither to a man nor a boy, but to a very lovely gal by the name of Kay Anderson, W8DUV.

Kay was first licensed as WN4BLR in Richmond, Virginia. She and her husband were active members of the Richmond Amateur Radio Club, where Kay took an immediate interest in traffic and public service work. During the period from 1955 to 1959 she often piled up traffic totals of over 400 messages per month.

She received the ARRL Public Service Award for her participation in hurricane emergency work during this period. In 1954, Kay turned in the top YL score in the novice roundup. In 1955, and again in 1956, she was cw winner in the YL-OM contest, attesting to the fact that she is and has always been an on-the-air type of amateur.

In 1958, Kay served as Vice-President of YLRL, the Young Ladies Radio League, and in 1959 was chosen as YL Chairman at the Roanoke Division Convention held that year in Richmond. In 1959, also, Kay was elected to the national presidency of the YLRL.

In 1962, Kay and her OM Ed moved to Huntington, West Virginia, where she acquired her present call W8DUV---Ed became W8DUW. Setting up their station in Huntington, Kay was soon active again, and in 1962 and 1963 she won second place on cw in the YL-OM contest.

It was here that Kay launched into organizational amateur radio in a big way. She served as secretary for the West Virginia State Radio Council. She was appointed to the office of Assistant Director of the Roanoke Division in 1968 and has continued to serve in that capacity ever since.

In 1969, Kay was co-chairman of the Roanoke Division ARRL Convention held at Huntington, West Virginia. She served in 1968 and 1969 as secretary for the Tri-State Amateur Radio Club of Huntington. In 1969 Kay performed as communications chairman of the Powder Puff derby station at Huntington, West Va. airport, as operator of an official broadcast station on teletype for Army MARS and as Chairman of the Roanoke Division

Kay Anderson - W8DUV

was presented

ROANOKE DIVISION ARRL SERVICE AWARD

by Harry Dannals, W2TUK, Pres. ARRL

One of the highlights of the year around these parts is the selection of one of your members to be the recipient of the Roanoke Division ARRL Service Award. The purpose of this award is to give recognition to amateurs who have contributed their time and energies over a period of several years in behalf of the organizational aspects of amateur radio.

So this award is not for the "flash in the pan" or short term star - but for the fellow who delivers the goods on a sustained basis. This award is one that attempts to separate the men from the boys.

League Officials meeting at Greensboro, North Carolina. She also found time during the year to make appearances at local hobby shows to promote the cause of Amateur Radio.

1970 saw Kay receiving some well-deserved recognition for her efforts: she was named Amateur of the Year at the Dayton, Ohio, Hamvention - being the first YL ever to be so honored. Later that same year she was selected to be recipient of the West Virginia Outstanding Amateur Award for 1970. In 1971 Kay appeared on a number of Huntington radio and television shows in promotional efforts in behalf of Amateur Radio.

In 1972, Kay served as chairman of the Annual West Virginia MARS State Meeting, and was an active participant, together with OM Ed, in providing relief communications following the Buffalo Creek flood disaster of that year. She also found time to serve as co-editor and publisher of the West Virginia Army MARS Bulletin and to function as senior Net Control Station of the MARS voice net.

This year, so far, Kay---together with Ed, was selected as co-winner of the First Army MARS Commander's trophy...the highest honor to a MARS radio operator in a 17-state area. She served as chairman of the 1973 ARRL State Convention at Jacksons Mill in July...and a highly successful affair it was too, with many innovations and surprises.

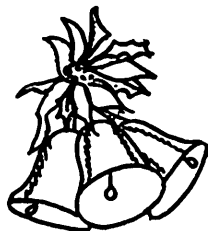
Kay, we should point out, is active on cw, single sideband, radio-teletype and 2-meter FM. She is a member of the A-1 Operators Club, holds the 30 word-per-minute code proficiency certificate, Official Relay Station and Official Phone Station appointments and has worked all West Virginia counties.

Kay is a balanced amateur in the best tradition of the Radio Amateurs Code! She is employed by the C & O Railroad as a secretary; she is also secretary of the Better Service Club of the C & O. She is a member of the Eastern Star, the Baptist Church of Huntington, and the P. T. A.

P. T. A.??? Oh, yes, we should mention that she is the mother of five children, ranging in age from 13 to 21.

The Roanoke Division is pleased to present this award in sincere appreciation for Kay's considerable accomplishments and her great and sustained efforts in behalf of this great avocation which we share.

(Auto-Call)



Upgrades

Congratulations to Marjorie Buck, WA6TBU, for having gone from Novice to Advanced in a very few months. Four months after she passed her General she passed Advanced.

YLRL also extends congratulations to WN9KHN—now WB9KHN, Lucile Lankas, on achieving General; and to WNØLFO—now WBØLFO, Mary Campbell, for having passed Advanced.

AMATEURS-VITAL HONDURAS LINK

by George McEvoy, Staff Writer

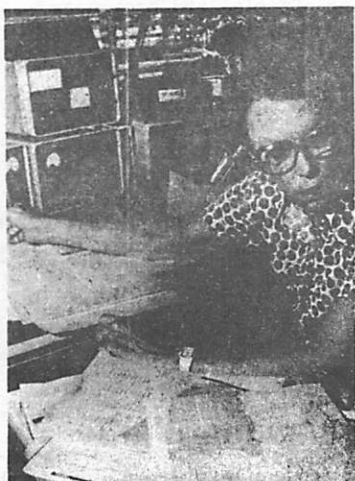
The voices came through clear but metallic, muffled slightly by the echoes of great distance.

"I've got 1,500 pounds of food and a helicopter. We're in a valley near San Pedro Sula. Rather isolated. Need a pilot who knows the country."

These are not the melliflous tones of a trained radio announcer. They are the strained, anxious voices of rescue workers, deep in hurricane-ravaged Honduras.

"I've got a pilot for you" another voice says. "He flies for a fruit company and knows the land. He'll fly right in."

Ellie Horner sits at her amateur radio layout in her Fort Lauderdale Home at 2616 Barcelona Drive and smiles with satisfaction. Once more, her radio frequency has been used to facilitate getting aid to the stricken people of Honduras.



Ellie Horner, K4RHL (Photo by Lou Toman)

(When we put Ellie's picture on this page, at 2128Z we could hear her handling traffic with HRIJBS. On 14.320 MHz it was a message regarding a shipment of medicine.

Mrs. Horner is one of a large group of Broward County amateur radio operators who have turned their sets into rescue bands since Hurricane Fifi struck Central America.

Actually, she was broadcasting warnings to Honduras on 16 Sept. when Fifi was still just a growing tropical storm. She has a teletype machine in her radio room, connected directly with the Hurricane Center in Miami. As soon as it began clack-clacking out its warnings, she relayed them to amateurs in Honduras.

"I hope we saved some lives by warning people in time," Mrs. Horner said. "Maybe some of them could get to higher ground before the flood waters hit."

Right now, her job consists of relaying messages and - mainly - in keeping a frequency open for the use of rescue workers on the ground and in planes. They can broadcast to each other or to headquarters in the U.S. or elsewhere over her beam.

"I'm taking turns keeping the frequency open with a man in Bryn Mawr, Pa.," she said. "He starts out early in the morning, and when his voice gives out, I take over." But even more importantly, Ellie Horner, the man in Bryn Mawr and all the other amateur radio operators in the country are providing just about the only link Honduras has now with the outside world.

"Almost all the phone lines are down." Mrs. Hornor said. "Radio is the only voice the people have there."

Several amateurs are operating in Honduras itself, although most of the broadcasting is by official and relief agencies. It is these agencies that Mrs. Horner is helping.

"This is K4RHL," she said into the microphone as some amateur got on her frequency by mistake. "We are handling official and emergency traffic only on this frequency."

The errant one said "sorry" and got off.

Since Fifi struck Honduras, Mrs. Horner has been plagued with phone calls from people asking her to contact friends in the storm-wracked republic.

(Ft. Lauderdale, Florida News)

E 2800 CONGRESSIONAL RECORD—Extensions of Remarks May 6, 1974

NATIONAL WEEK TO HONOR YOUNG LADIES' RADIO LEAGUE, INC.

HON. WILLIAM E. MINSHALL
of Ohio
IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Monday, May 6, 1974

Mr. MINSHALL of Ohio. Mr. Speaker, I am today introducing a resolution setting aside the first week of each November in recognition of the outstanding achievements of the Young Ladies' Radio League, Inc.

This international organization of women radio amateurs, most of them in the United States, provides emergency communication services in times of crises, aids servicemen to talk to their families via the YLRL voluntary wireless network, makes radio tapes for the blind, holds competition to increase radio knowledge and skills, and sponsors girls around the world who want to participate in electronic communication.

In my own area of Ohio I know firsthand of instances in which these selfless ladies have provided important services, notably during the July 1969 storms that caused such havoc along Lake Erie. I am very proud of the fact that the 1974 president of YLRL is Mrs. James L. Russell of Fairview Park and Kelley's Island, Ohio. When the 1969 storm struck Kelley's Island, Eila and Jim Russell operated their radio station, providing communication for islanders with worried relatives ashore.

The State of Ohio has honored the YLRL for the past 3 years with a "Buckeye Belles" Amateur Radio Week, and New York State has honored its YLRL similarly in the past.

At a time when person-to-person service is gaining increasing recognition, I hope that my resolution will focus attention on a unique group of women which for years has been providing just that humanitarian facet to the fascinating field of amateur radio.

Excerpt from Y.L.R.L. President's Bulletin #3 October, 1974

On May 6, 1974, Hon. William E. Minshall of Ohio proposed a Joint Resolution, #H.J. Res. 1001 in the House of Representatives of the United States, asking that the President of the United States declare the first week of each November as YOUNG LADIES' RADIO LEAGUE, INC. NATIONAL WEEK. The resolution highly commended YLRL and its activities, and Mr. Minshall's remarks on the floor were even more glowing. This resolution was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary, which has been considering Watergate matters to the exclusion of all else. I wrote Congressman Peter W. Rodino of New Jersey with additional information but have heard nothing from him. But we are in the Congressional Record of May 6, 1974. Viva YLRL.
Eila D. Russell, W8EBS, YLRL President - 1974

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

May 6, 1974

Mr. Minshall of Ohio introduced the following joint resolution; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

JOINT RESOLUTION

Asking that the President of the United States declare the first week of each November as Young Ladies' Radio League, Incorporated, National Week.

Whereas members of the Young Ladies' Radio League make important contributions to friendship and harmony among widely separated people by constantly expanding channels of communication between individuals around the world as they contact members in other countries via shortwave radio; and

Whereas the Young Ladies' Radio League, as it is known in International Morse Code, makes radio tapes for the blind, provides operators in times of emergency, helps servicemen talk to their families via a voluntary wireless network, holds competitions that increase radio knowledge and skills, and sponsors young women in many countries who wish to participate in electronic communication: Now, therefore, be it

1 Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of
2 the United States of America in Congress assembled, That
3 the President of the United States declare the first week
4 in each November to be "Young Ladies' Radio League, In-
5 corporated, National Week" to provide the deserved
6 recognition their endeavors merit.

❄️ official notices ❄️

Renewals for 1974:

WA2HLQ Susan L. Pickman, 23 Stiles Drive, Melville, New York 11746
WA2RPN Dorothy Cohen, 3486 Woodward St., Oceanside, L.I., N.Y. 11578
WN4CFC Carol Shaw, 3451 Gotten Place, Memphis, Tennessee 38111
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K8LGA Ann O. Warren, 327 Grant Street, Cadiz, Ohio 43907
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California 96515
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WBØJWV Elizabeth T. Schmidt, 1570 - 6th Ave. South, Anoka, Minn. 55303
DJØYL Elissa Linhe, 1 Berlin A, Daverwald, WE61, West Germany
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Changes:

WA1NHL new address: 2 Lemon Lane, Ridgefield, Connecticut 06877
WA5GLM new address: Rural Rt 3, Box 178 A, Brownwood, Texas 76801
KØGAS/7 new call: W7KIB
WN8OUD new address: 701 E. Columbia Ave., Cincinnati, Ohio 45215
W8UAP new address: change city to Burton, Michigan 48529
WB9HED new address: 519 Maple Street, Lawrenceville, Illinois 62439
WN9KHN new call: WB9KHN, General class
WNØLFO new call: WBØLFO, Advanced class
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FCC "Goofs"

Marjorie Buck is one of two amateurs now holding the call WA6TBU.

"The other one from this area too. After months of hassling with FCC, looks like Marge will keep that call and Mike, the other one, will be given a preferred call since he was licensed years before. That is "one for the books"!! Mike has been getting all of Marge's QSL's, since only his call and address appears in the Callbook."

The above quote from Marcia Rast, K6DLL.





YOUNG LADIES' RADIO LEAGUE, Inc. FINANCIAL STATEMENT



April 1, 1974 through June 30, 1974

Balance forward, April 1st: \$1471.87

Receipts:

Dues	\$491.25
Savings A/c-Calif.	738.32
Interest on a/C-Calif.	140.39
Calif. tax refund	5.00
Bank charge refund	<u>8.00</u>

1382.96

2854.83

Disbursements:

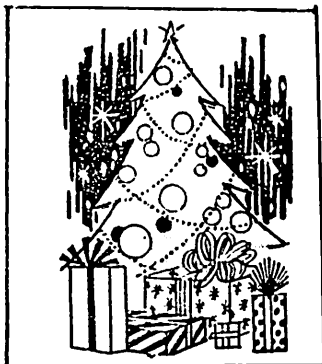
YLH	625.00
Postage	17.43
N/G check	4.25
Certificates/Scrolls	71.40
Savings A/C transfer to NY	738.32
Bank charges	<u>3.65</u>

1460.05

Check book balance June 30, 1974 \$1394.78

Savings Account 4/1/74	\$189.93
Interest Earned	.91
Transfer from Checking	<u>738.32</u>

\$929.16



Respectfully submitted

Madelene Kiceberg

W2EEO, Disbursing Treasurer

Audited by:

Frank [Signature]
W2IGA

APPLICATION FORMS

Anyone desiring "YLRL Information and Application Forms" may obtain them from the Supplies Custodian, Londa Shultz, WA2CRW, 111 Acorn Drive, Scotia, New York, 12302

YLRL INFORMATION

Dear YL:

We would like very much to see your name on the membership list of the YOUNG LADIES' RADIO LEAGUE!

YLRL, organized in 1939, is the only organization of International scope exclusively for women amateur radio operators. Our aim is to promote good fellowship and to share our mutual interest in amateur radio. You will find that YLRL puts more fun into our hobby. YLRL is a non-profit organization comprised of women amateur radio operators, incorporated as such, under the laws of the State of California. The following notes tell briefly about membership, dues, activities, etc., and will give you an idea why you should become a member.

YL HARMONICS - official publication of YLRL, is published by and for the members of the Young Ladies' Radio League, and comes to you as part of your membership. YL HARMONICS is published bi-monthly and is loaded with YL news from all over the world. Rules for, and winners of, our five annual contests are announced; the requirements for our popular YLRL sponsored certificates are listed periodically, as are listings of various YL Nets. Messages of activities and progress are brought to the membership from the officers, and complete lists of officers, committee chairmen and certificate custodians appear in each issue. Once a year a Directory, giving calls, names and addresses of the hundreds of members is published--a valuable addition to the ham shack of any active YL.

DUES - are \$3.00 per year, due and payable March 1, and are delinquent March 31. For NEW and FORMER members joining after August 31, the dues may be pro-rated by half the annual dues for that fiscal year (currently \$1.50). Dues for DX members: \$3.50, and may not be pro-rated. FAMILY MEMBERS: When More than one YL in a family, living at the same address, joins YLRL, the first pays the full dues and the second and subsequent members each pay \$1.25. Family members are entitled to all privileges of membership, except that only one copy of YL HARMONICS is mailed to a family. Subscriptions by non-members: \$3.00 per year, and may not be pro-rated.

We would WELCOME your support--and you would enjoy your membership and subscription to YL HARMONICS--so please use the membership application on the reverse side of this page...and let's get together!

Vy 33,
YOUNG LADIES' RADIO LEAGUE, INC.

IN FILLING OUT THE APPLICATION ON THE OTHER SIDE, PLEASE BE SURE TO STATE WHETHER OR NOT YOU HAVE EVER BEEN A (FORMER) MEMBER OF YLRL OR A NEW MEMBER JOINING FOR THE FIRST TIME. ALSO, THE YL WHO IS SPONSORING A NEW YL FOR MEMBERSHIP, PLEASE SIGN YOUR NAME AND CALL IN THE SPACE PROVIDED FOR THIS.

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

Applicant's Call _____

Date _____

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 _____

Please print

MAILING ADDRESS _____

CITY _____

STATE _____

ZIP _____

Endorsed by: _____

CALL _____

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hold an Amateur License of the following class: EXTRA _____

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GENERAL _____

CONDITIONAL _____

TECHNICIAN _____

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_____.

I am applying for membership as a NEW _____ / FORMER _____ MEMBER.

Are you a member of the AMERICAN RADIO RELAY LEAGUE? _____.

If not, kindly notify the Secretary when/if you join later.

Are you married? _____. Occupation: _____

Birthday is: _____ (not year:) OM's Name: _____

His Call: _____. Other hams in family: _____

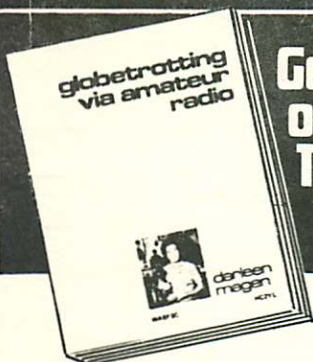
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