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**Directory Available**

Need a small gift for a YL (or OM, too) on your Christmas list? How about a YLRL Directory? The Directory would make a nice gift and may even bring us some new members, or maybe you would like to have an extra copy. If so, just send \$2.00 (U.S.) for postpaid delivery anywhere in the world via surface mail. Send \$1.00 extra for air mail. Send money, name and address on where to mail the Directory to Carrie C. Lynch, Route 5, Box 46, Cochran, Georgia 31014.

**Correction**

Please make the following corrections in the Directory issue of YL Harmonics—July/August 1975.

- WA2GPT Correct area code to read 516 instead of 212.
- K6HHD Correct call from K6HDD to K6HHD.
- JH3ROF Correct call from JR3ROF to JH3ROF.
- WA4BVD New address: Route 5, Box 46, Cochran, Georgia 31014



# PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



I would like to begin this final Presidential Message for 1975 by extending a special thanks to our intrepid Editor, Carrie, WA4BVD for the tremendous job she did on the Super Directory issue. I would also like to personally thank all of those who sent donations to aid with the expense of this most interesting document. Finally I would also like to thank all of you who have assisted me with the job of the Presidency over the past year. There have been a few controversies, but most of the year has been marked by progress and cooperation.

I had spoken before in my Presidential bulletin about the 16mm film on "Women in Amateur Radio" that is being done by the New York YLRL with the sponsorship of the Hudson Amateur Radio Council. I am anxious to hear from the membership as to what they think this 20 minute film should contain to best represent women in amateur radio. I had made a request for such remarks in my Presidential bulletin but none have been forthcoming, so I make this appeal in my last Presidential message.

I attended the Atlantic Canada Radio Convention and met many VE/YL's I spent a most pleasant three days in Moncton, New Brunswick. I was able to enroll five new members for YLRL and sell some directories. The Spar-ketts are a lovely group of ladies.

Next I spent four days in Reston, Virginia attending the MARCO and ARRL National Conventions. Here with the help of the Gaylarks we set up a YLRL booth and passed out enrollment blanks and sold more directories. We also had a productive forum discussing various YLRL problems. Several recommendations were made. 1. During contests the YL's should not all gang up on 14.275-14.310 but spread out over the band and also try 15,40, and 80 meters (I heard no one on 40 meters during Howdy days, the only band I had available).

2. A definite effort should be made to sponsor bi-annual conventions on the East and West Coast in the intervals between national conventions. 3. We need volunteers to make more "mini" conventions kits and banners for YLRL booths. The big kit is too much to mail. I'd like one for each district. 4. We should set a "Howdy Day" for the first Monday of each month on 14.350 at 1600-2000 GMT.

My very best 33's,

*Christene*  
WB2YBA

# Letters To The Editor

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all who have written expressing their thoughts on the "super" Directory issue. I have misplaced some of the notes, but would like to share with you some of the comments I have received.

From WA2RXO—"The YLRL directory is fabulous, you've done a wonderful job." K8CKI—"What a lovely Directory issue. No one could ever guess how many hours and days you put into it. Thank you so very much. I do appreciate it as I know everyone else feels the same. It should win a prize." W3WRE—"Congratulations on a wonderful edition of the YLH Directory Issue. It is a fitting addition to a "perfect 36" year of YLRL." K5ECP—"This note is to let you know how very much I enjoy having the "super" YLRL Directory. It is interesting reading about all the girls. You and the girls who helped you did a splendid job compiling all the information and getting it printed. Many, many thanks to all of you for your fine work." W2JZX—"Congratulations - you did a most masterful job. I loved the history and directory. I only hope everyone appreciates it as I do." VE50H—"Just received YL Harmonics and YLRL directory. What a masterpiece, whoever is responsible for all the info and work involved I would send a sincere "thank you" to." W6NAZ—"Heartest congratulations to you and all who worked on this handsome new YL Directory!! It's great! I feel this fine book greatly adds prestige to YLRL & even if it means skipping a future regular issue. As a Founding Member, I just can't say enough proud words for what you've all done! And particular tnx to the brave skillful soul who typed it & proofed!" WB6ERF—"The Directory issue is beautiful. I am sad because mine has not arrived!" K6DLL—"What I wanted you to know is that the Directory is just "super"! Have had so many favorable comments from all who have received it & those non-members who've seen it also. You sure did a great job, Carrie. The Super Directory certainly will be a great reference "book" for us for years to come—even tho there will be changes made." K6HHD—"Just had to let you know I think you did a terrific job on the Directory. I forgive you for messing up my call (my son pointed it out to me). It's the best thing YLRL has done for a long time." W2EEO—"I got the Directory and you must be congratulated for an excellent job. It is a beautiful issue and you can be well proud of it." WA7FFC—"I want to tell you that the YL Harmonics YLRL Directory is lovely. You people really have done a marvelous job getting that put together. That has been lots of work I'm sure and I do appreciate having it." KV4II—"Just must take a moment to say—"How very very nice the 36th Anniversary edition!" You have obviously worked very hard." WA2GPT—"I received the YL DIRECTORY and offer my compliments -- a simply masterful piece of work. And, I realize the effort that went into it. I think the Directory is a very complete and informative issue." W4TVT—"I just want to thank you and those who helped you put together this tremendous YLRL Directory!" K1USQ—"The new directory is beautiful. What a lot of work! You gals have been more than busy." W7NJS—"Everyone's happy and impressed with that Directory Issue! I've heard many comments on nets, abt it, and it IS a handsome publication, of which I've not yet taken full advantage." K3RGT—"My compliments to you, Carrie, if you had anything to do with preparing the Directory. I received mine and think it is quite great -- even though I shouldn't have put my AGE in, hi hi." WA2NFY—"I have to write You, the Directory is just great and I can see so many hours of hard work in it, thank You from us and for the YL's who have not the time to write, I am sure everyone is thankful for Your big and wonderful job. Now I can sit down and find in a hurry the Addresses I need and I can imagine the faces or I make myself a picture from the YL behind the call. I wish I could see You and give you a big hug. So accept this poor words and a thank You from my heart." (Continued on page nine)

## RESULTS OF 1975 ELECTION FOR 1976 OFFICERS

### CONGRATULATIONS TO THESE YLs WHO WILL TAKE OVER JANUARY 1.

President: Myrtle Cunningham, WA6ISY  
Vice President: Beth Newlin, WA7FFG  
Secretary: No Candidate  
Receiving Treasurer: Rose Ellen Bills, WA2FGS  
Disbursing Treasurer: Rosemary Davidson, WA8VXE

### DISTRICT CHAIRMEN:

1st District - Edna Bennett, K1VEB  
2nd District - Roberta Newman, WB2BHS  
3rd District - No Candidate  
4th District - Nancy Hickman, WB4NTW  
5th District - Myrtle Stinnett, WB5FGM  
6th District - Mildred Stine, W6KHM  
7th District - Gerry Johnson, K7YDO  
8th District - Rosalene Victor, WB8DQX  
9th District - Dori Leiser, W9VNG  
10th District - Glenda Lacher, WA9TNI  
KH6 District - Mary Allton, KH6HPS  
KL7 District - No Candidate  
VE District - No Candidate

PROPOSAL: "To have the rules changed for the YLRL DX-YLCC certificate so that a sub-custodian located overseas may be appointed to check QSLs and send verification to the custodian in order to save excessive postage, and to also prevent a possible loss of the QSLs."

Yes 310 No 5 Blank 26

There were three hundred and forty-one (341) sealed ballots which were properly identified with the voter's name and call on the mailing envelope as required. There were twenty-three (23) ballots received with incomplete or no identification on the mailing envelope so that it was impossible to establish membership status. These ballots were discarded and not counted.

In several instances where no candidate was listed, a write-in vote was cast. However, none was counted or considered since the organization's by-laws in Article X, Section 3, state that "No member may be nominated to office without her written consent."

Notice from president elect, Myrtle WA6ISY, reports that Jackie, W6YKU, will be 1976 YLRL Secretary. And that Doris, WA3HEN, has accepted 3rd District Chairman, and Ebba, VE5DZ, has accepted VE District Chairman.

Next DEADLINE FOR NEWS is on or before December 26, 1975. Please send your news to: Carrie C. Lynch, WA4BVD, Route 5, Box 46, Cochran, Georgia 31014

### HOWDY DAYS CONTEST RESULTS

September 17 - 19, 1975

	<u>YLRL Members</u>			<u>Non-Members</u>
DK5TT.....72	WB4PXN....52	DJØEK.....30	JA1AEQ....13	DF2SL....30
DJ7UAC....68	XJ1AMB....40	WABEBS....29	PAØHIL....11	WA6BAY/4.27
DJ1TE.....59	K5JKV/5..34	F5RC.....21	G8LY.....10	JE1IWR...17
DK1HH.....56	W8AHU....32	WA2NFY....14		

# Special Thanks Extended to

The following YIs, YL Clubs, and subscribers for their generous donations which made it possible to produce the "super" Directory issue.

1.	WICEN	29.	WB4NDX	57.	WA7GFN	86.	WB9HED	113.	I3Mq
2.	KITTE	30.	WA4NMM	58.	W7GNV	87.	WB9HZV		
3.	WA1UAC	31.	WB4NXR	59.	WA7IVA	88.	K9TJK	<u>Subscribers</u>	
4.	WA2DMK	32.	WA4PDN	60.	WA7JFC	89.	WB9MFC	114.	W7RD
5.	W2EBO	33.	K4RHL	61.	W7JYX	90.	WA9MIL	115.	W8NKU
6.	WA2FGS	34.	K4RNS	62.	W7KCV	91.	W89NVL		
7.	W2IGA	35.	WB4SQU	63.	K7KHU	92.	W89FKU	<u>YL Clubs</u>	
8.	K2IND	36.	W4TVT	64.	W7LIZ	93.	W9WYJ	116.	WRONE
9.	W2JZX	37.	WA4UMK	65.	W7NLS	94.	K9ZVW	117.	North
10.	WA2NFX	38.	W4WFD	66.	K7NZO	95.	WBØBJK	County	YL
11.	W2BRXO	39.	WB9SUR	67.	WA7PES	96.	KØEPE	Club	
12.	WA2UAB	40.	WB9EAY	68.	K9QGR/7	97.	WBØTKE	118.	One
13.	WB2YBA	41.	K5ECP	69.	K7WME	98.	WAØKVL	Unknown	
14.	W3CDQ	42.	WB5FCM	70.	K7RAM	99.	WBØLFO	Donor.	
15.	K3EMN	43.	K5TMD	71.	WA7HBR	100.	WØLGB	119.	WA8VXE
16.	W3HTH	44.	K5OPT	72.	WA7TLL	101.	WØLQL		
17.	W3STLF	45.	WA6AOE	73.	W7MLX	102.	WØKFD		
18.	WA3SHY	46.	K6DMQ	74.	K7YAG	103.	WAØWAD		
19.	WA3SWU	47.	K6ELO	75.	WA7YIA	104.	KH6HPS		
20.	W3JUC	48.	WA6JJQ	76.	K8GKI	105.	KH6ITL		
21.	W3ZGK	49.	W6MFP	77.	WA8EBS	106.	WB6GMU		
22.	W4BAY	50.	WA6OET	78.	W8KUU	107.	KL7ALZ		
23.	WB4BFTJ	51.	WA6FZC	79.	K8ONA	108.	VE3BBO		
24.	WB4BFRQ	52.	W6YKU	80.	WB8PRJ	109.	VE3GDT		
25.	WA4BVD	53.	W6YZV	81.	K8PXX	110.	VE3DTM		
26.	K4CVR	54.	WA7BDD	82.	W8TAY	111.	VE7ADR		
27.	WA4FVN	55.	WA7CVI	83.	WA8USU	112.	DJØEK		
28.	W4HRC	56.	WA7FLC	84.	WB9GHS		HC2YL		
				85.	WA9FHS				

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## NOVICE CORNER

Joyce Lauterbach, WN9NUL  
 Novice Correspondent  
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H1 Gang:

Well, gals, here it is time for another interesting column. People say no news is good news, but in my case, no news is bad.

I must comment on the new directory. Fantastic is the only word I can think of. To Gattie and the gang, it must have been a lot of work, but the reward was worth it.

My OM and I will be off to Kokomo, Ind., for the second Annual Midwest County Hunters Convention for weekend in November. Will let you know how things go.

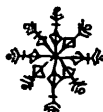
Do let me hear from you, gals.

33s, Joyce, WN9NUL



# The Time to Plan Is Now

## 1976 YLRL Convention in Houston



Dear YLs,

Just think, less than a year until we will all be packing our suitcases and heading for Houston and the YLRL Convention! No, we are not dreaming but we want you to. We want you to be dreaming about and anticipating the good time we are planning for you. The GAYLARKs have been busy for a long time with the preliminary plans and now we are down to the last go-round. We have secured the Holiday Inn West for headquarters for the convention and we are very pleased with this selection. It is on I-10 West in the Memorial City Area just west of the city. There is a camping area not too far distant for those who wish to bring campers and there is easy access to other parts of the city by freeway. You will be hearing more about this later.

Right now we need your help with the preliminary expenses and we think we have an idea which will be good for all concerned. As you may have read in Harmonics, this is going to be a real V I P Convention with Very Important Persons, Very Important Prizes, Very Important Programs and last but not least, Very Important Patrons. This is where every YL can lend her hand at helping the GAYLARKs get off the ground. We are asking you to make a Patron's donation of one dollar (\$1.00) for which we will send you a VIP gift. You may claim your gift at the convention or if you can't come (Heaven Forbid!), we will mail it to you. Also, your VIP donation will be credited to your convention registration fee. There will also be a special door prize drawing for the Very Important Patrons who attend the convention. So you see, there is no way you can lose. Please send your donations to GAYLARK c/o Alvera Look K5MIZ, 6215 Hurst, Houston, Texas 77027.

Frances Smith, WA5MPM, is prize chairman and is anxious to hear from you regarding any prizes you intend to send or bring. The more prizes the more fun! We have already heard of some Very Important Prizes from several of the members, but the books are open for lots more. Have you discussed this with your club? Send information or prizes to Frances Smith WA5MPM, 4718 Hallmark Lane #902, Houston, Texas 77027. We'll see you in '76!

DON T FORGET THE DATE  
YLRL INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION  
JUNE 10-12, 1976  
HOUSTON, TEXAS

Very 33, Frances Smith, WA5MPM  
Pres. GAYLARK  
Annie Smith, K5JKV  
Convention Chairman



**Introducing SOME NEW MEMBERS . . . by WA2FGS**

### WELCOME NEW MEMBERS DURING 1975

WALUAC - Diane is from East Lyme, Conn. and holds a General Ticket. OM-Bill is WALUAD. She is a housewife and was first licensed in 1974.

WNIUMP - Justine is from Brockton, Ma. OM-Frank is K1RCD. She is a housewife and held her license since 1975.

WB2EMU - Linda is from Clinton Corners, N.Y. and holds an Advanced Ticket. OM-Gary is WA2PJL. She was first licensed in 1961.

WA2MIO - Kate is from Plainview, LI, N.Y. and holds a General Ticket. She is a homemaker and was first licensed in 1960.



WN2VJZ - Elaine is from Uniondale, N.Y. and was first licensed in 1974. She is a bookkeeper-Supervisor.

WN3YJU - Sandra is from Aberdeen, Md. and was first licensed in 1974. She is a student. Her father is W3FSV and brother is WA3WBK.

WN3ZGK - Dorothy is from Hanover, Pa. and was first licensed in 1975. She is a housewife and OM-Donald is not a ham.

WB4AUR - Thelma is from Miami, Fla. and holds a General Ticket. Her OM-Charles is K3KQ. She is a housewife and held her license since 1971.

WB4BFJ - Geraldine is from Albertville, Ala. and holds a General Ticket. OM-Alfred is WB4BFH. She is a housewife and was first licensed in 1972.

WN4EFR/1 - Joyce is from Freeport, Maine. OM-Robert is not licensed. She is a college student. Brother-in-law is W0OQW.

WN4FUA - Janet is from Ft. Lauderdale, Fla. and was first licensed in 1973. OM-Antonio is WB4TED. She is a housewife.

WA4HEH - Ettie is from Kettle, Ky. and holds a General Ticket. Her son is WB4KIW. She is a teacher and first licensed in 1974.

WN4IDR - Karen is from Savannah, Ga. and first licensed in 1974. She is a student and no other hams in the family.

WN4JNJ - June is from Shelby, N.C. and her OM-Ben is WB4FUI. She is a housewife with two boys aged 9 and 1 to keep her busy at home.

WN4NHS - Dianne is from Union City, Tn. and first licensed in 1975. OM-Willie is K4VDQ. She is a housewife. Only licensed VI. in County.

WB5GIN - Helen is from Beaumont, Tx. and holds a General Ticket. She is a Catalog Librarian and first licensed in 1972.

WB5JIR - Lorene is from Dallas, Tx. and holds a General Ticket. Her OM-James is WB5GBR. She works in an office.

WB5LMZ - Linda is from El Paso, Tx. and holds a General Ticket. Her OM-Jim is WB5IQG. She is a Secretary and first licensed in 1974.

WN5NLM - Jane is from Houston, Tx. Her OM-"Pop" is WA5BTO. She is a School Counselor and was first licensed in 1975.

WA6BTA - Virginia is from Chatsworth, Ca. and holds an Advanced Ticket. She is a retired Medical Technologist and first licensed in 1959.

WN6KDI - Elizabeth is from Thousand Oaks, Ca. and first licensed in 1975. OM-Jery is WN6KDH. No other hams in the family.

WA6WV - Tina is from Orange, Ca. and holds an Advanced Ticket. Her OM-Joe is not licensed. She is a Medical Assistant.

WA6WZN - Sandra is from Costa Mesa, Ca. and holds an Advanced Ticket. OM-Fred is WA6WZO. She is a Probe Operator at Collins Radio.

WA7JDE - Frankye is from Scottsdale, Az. and a reinstated member holding a Conditional Ticket. OM-John is WA7JIO.

K7MCA - Fern is from Aberdeen, Wash. and holds a Conditional Ticket.  
OM-Don is W7EQY. She was first licensed in 1960.

WB7WEQ - Corrinne is from Salt Lake City, Utah and holds an Advanced Ticket. She is an Organic Chemist and first licensed in 1973.

WA7WQC - Edna is from Thermopolis, Wyo. and holds a Technician Ticket.  
OM-Jack is W7NK. She is retired and was first licensed in 1951.

WN7ZVQ - Opal is from Wilbur, Wash. and first licensed in 1974. Her  
OM-Franklin is WN7ZVR. She is a Wheat Rancher.

WN7ZYU - Myra is from Klamath Falls, Ore. and first licensed in 1974.  
OM-Jerry is WA7YMR. She is a housewife.

WN8RSM - Joan is from Cleveland, O. and licensed since 1974. OM-  
Jerry is WB8OZA. She is a Physical Therapist at St. John's Hospital.

WN8TTL - Sandie is from Chassell, Mich. and licensed since 1974. Her  
OM-Dave is K8VOA. She is a Postal Clerk.

WB9LAD - Alicia is from Rensselaer, Ind. and holds a General Ticket.  
She is a student. Brother-Don is WA8MXL/Ø-Denver.

WN9QLC - Cookie is from Mundelein, Ill. and first licensed in 1975.  
OM-David is WN9QGX. She is a Housewife/Piano Teacher.

WN9PTY - Lorraine is from Menomonee Falls, Wisc. and first licensed  
in 1974. OM Carleton is WN9QAE. She is a Registered Nurse.

WN9PKJ - Bette is from Green Bay, Wisc. and first licensed in 1974.  
Her son is WN9NRK and she is the Baby Sitter.

WBØJFF - Lovelle is from Hudson, Iowa and holds a General Ticket.  
OM James has no call. She is a housewife.

WNØMPC - Irene is from Omaha, Nebr. and first licensed in 1974. Her  
OM-Tom is WNØKФЗ. She is a housewife.

WH6IOT - Barbara is from Makawao, Hawaii and first licensed in 1975.  
OM-Robert has no call. She is a Librarian.

WH6IPR - Mary is from Wahiawa, Hawaii. OM is Charles WH6IMI and they  
are stationed at Wheeler AFB with the Security Police.

VE2JZ - Jeanne is from Beaconsfield, Quebec and holds an Advanced  
Ticket. First licensed in 1963. OM-Richard is not licensed.

VE2DPO - Lorraine is from Dollard des Ormeaux, Quebec. OM is Gord-  
VE2DKK. She holds an Advanced ticket and is a Housewife.

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*Greg Ellen*  
WA2FGS

There are many pictures on hand but, because of skipping one of the regular editions of YLH, there is no available space in this issue.

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SHOWING PARTIALITY

By Ann Porter, WA3TNX

I am a rehabilitation teacher which means that I travel about the countryside in Southwestern Pennsylvania, teaching adults who have lost their sight how they can still live happy, useful lives. Now I know that teachers are not supposed to have favorite students, but somehow I have gone astray. The recipient of my great esteem is a 73-year old man whom we will call Mr. W. He happens to be both deaf and blind, but teaching him has been easy since Mr. W. retains excellent speech since he did not become handicapped until middle life.

Mr. W. had an eighth grade education and spent his working career doing various laboring jobs. He never married, and his closest relative is a devoted sister. When Mr. W. began to lose his sight and hearing, he suffered much emotional stress which caused him to be placed in a hospital for indigent people where he has remained since 1957.

I met Mr. W. in 1962 when I began to help him in various ways—teaching him braille shorthand, typing, the one-hand manual alphabet used by the deaf, etc. I also enrolled Mr. W. in several correspondence courses in which he did excellent work. He began to participate in hospital recreational activities, craft classes, etc. Even though he cannot hear, Mr. W. still enjoys playing his mandolin. He is such a pleasant person that he has many friends on the hospital staff and among the volunteers. These people talk to him by printing on the back of his hand.

Two years ago, Mr. W. and I got the idea that Mr. W. could earn some pin money if he could get his certification from the Library of Congress as a braille proof-reader. At first, they did not want to accept his application since he was not a high school graduate, but finally they relented and gave him a chance. Now Mr. W. has completed the strenuous course and is about to receive his certificate. This is, indeed, a rare accomplishment only to be gained by hard work and patient endeavor. I, myself, would never tackle the job.

Each week my Seeing Eye dog, Cara, and I visit Mr. W. to help in any way we can. As I talk with Mr. W. using the manual alphabet, Cara watches our hands in complete fascination. Then, just before we leave, Mr. W. treats Cara to a couple of cookies. Yes, feeding a Seeing Eye dog is a "no no," but this is a special privilege that I grant my favorite student.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR - Continued from page three.

K7NZO—"The Directory turned out beautifully and I am so glad."  
W1ZEN—"The Directory Issue is just great and shows a tremendous amount of work, and you and your 'group' are to be congratulated." WA0TNI—"Carrie; You have done a swell job as editor and a beautiful job on the directory." W8VXE—"Enclosed is \$ as a contribution to the Directory, which is a marvelous effort. I enjoy looking for "soulmates" with same birthday as mine." W4BAV—"Just received my YLRL Directory this week & want to write you about it. Honestly, Carrie, it is the most complete, attractive & beautiful job I have seen." "Also those who contributed history, etc. deserve a lot of credit & my thanks to you all. I can well appreciate the work, research & labor of love put into it. I shall cherish it & it will join my Florida Ham Directory, which is with me wherever I go. Hi!" "Would also like to tell you, Carrie, that I am not the only one who is praising the Directory, as have heard many complimentary remarks on it. The Floridoras have commented on it on their net." (Continued on inside back cover)



# DX-YL NEWS



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We now have 99 DX members, almost the magic number! Since the number three issue we have welcomed 17 new members. Twelve are listed in the Super Directory—DK1HH, DK8LQ, G4CHH, HA5KKW, JH3ROF, JR3AQE, JR3THI, (our first DX family), ON6RW, OK2BNZ, SP2FF, VU2NIM, YU2CBV, and all information on them can be found in that issue. I do wish to apologize to Akemi, JH3ROF, for listing her incorrectly in the Directory as JR3ROF.

The five new members since the Directory was printed I would like to introduce to you now. HC1WW, Margret, a self paid member. Margret's OM is Rene and is not a Ham. They have two YLs, Michelle, age 14 and 2nd operator of HC1WW, and Jacqueline who is ten years of age. Margret is active on phone only and says that to be licensed in Ecuador you do not have to know Morse Code as yet. Her hobbies are oil painting, ceramic art work, sewing and gardening—any left over seeds you might have would be appreciated along with your QSL, all to K1ALP—her QSL manager.

YV5YL, Milagro, is a family member, her mother-in-law is Helena, YV5CKR. Milagro is married to Ladislao, YV1ACI/5, and they are the proud parents of Jozsef, born June 2, 1975. You will find Milagro on phone. She and her OM edit the Radio Club Venezolano's magazine twice monthly. She enjoys writing, music, and movies.

G4BML, Valerie, is the adoptee of Beth, W7NJS. Her OM is G3AHE and they have two YLs, Cheryl age 18 and Karen age 16. Valerie operates both CW and Phone, and has quite a background in CW. In 1947 she joined the W.R.N.S. as a Wireless Telegraphist, later joined the BBC Monitoring Service as a Morse Monitor, after a twelve year break for domestic life, she is now working again for the BBC as Senior Radio Telegraphy Operator.

JABEJH, Keiko, is the adoptee of Beth, W7NJS. Her family consists of OM, JABQX, two sons, Keiichi, JABWQX age 17, Tsumeo age 11 and one daughter Harumi, JABWQY, age 15. You can find Keiko on the air from 0100-0900 GMT on 14-28 MHz. She and her OM run a bathhouse in Japan and she enjoys knitting.

SP5FVI, Danuta, is also the adoptee of Beth, W7NJS. Danuta is not married, but her brother is SP5EWY. She operates both CW and phone with a 50-watt transmitter. Her hobby is mountain climbing.

In South Africa ZS6GH, Diana, has had a busy 1975 thus far. In addition to her regular duties as President of SWARC, Co-editor of the YL Beam, and President of the club Internationally Yours (Transvaal group), Diana took a trip to Cape Town and toured the Winelands and sampled the wines which are world famous. At Easter she attended the S.A. Radio League Convention where the SAWRC held its 23rd anniversary luncheon. Then she and her son took a trip to South West Africa, a land of many contrasts, desert and bushland. They visited Tsumeb a large copper town and Etosha, which is a large Game Park, where they saw lions in the wild, giraffes, herds of zebra, wildebeest and jumping Springbok. The Springbok is the insignia which is on the blazers of all the South African international sportsmen and women.

Ella, DJ5UAC, is very happy to be a member of YLRL and wrote how much she enjoyed the visit of Lia, WA2FNY, in home in Frankfurt this last spring.

Rita, G3NOE, writes about the Amateur Radio Rallies held in England, which sound very much like our Hamfests here in the States. These rallies originated as Mobile Rallies and then grew into general get-togethers and meeting places where one can buy or not, new and used equipment. Rita attended the North Midlands Rally which is held annually in a pleasure park complete with a zoo, so that it makes a good family outing. There is a restaurant, snack bar and lounge-bar. One hall was devoted to new commercial equipment, a wide selection of antennas, and she says VHF equipment is enjoying a boom in England, as it is here. One feature that I did notice was different in England—"The home builder is very well catered for with parts of every description available and if not readily available orders taken and posted to the buyer." The cry here in the States is that parts are very hard to find and home builders find it very discouraging.

Constance, G8LY, has had her call since 1936. Now that the bands are in such poor shape she is finding other things to keep her busy. Hope conditions are better for this year's YLAP than last year, Constance!

Mary, YO4UJ, and her OM left for South Africa the last of May, where he had to undergo heart surgery. They were hopeful of returning to Romania in August, but I have not heard since. Our best wishes to you both, and hope you are back home by now and on the road to full recovery.

Thelma, ZL2JO, is the retiring President of W.A.R.O. In a letter dated in May, she says she is going to visit the states and will be staying with Jessie, WA6OET, for most of the time. Hope you had an enjoyable visit, Thelma, and hope to hear more about it.

Ruth, HK3BLD, is still on the air and you can find her on the Inter-continental Net in the mornings. She works her operating hours around her family—and guess that is familiar to us all! Hi!

A special thanks to Alice, F2SQ, for her long list of prospective members from France.

Ada, I3MQ, has received her DXCC award and is now waiting for her WAZ and WAS awards. She missed the YL-OM contest this year because her daughter, Annita, was Confirmed on March 9 and so Ada was busy with visiting relatives.

Barbara, SP2FF, was looking forward to August and her vacation, when she hoped to find a lot of time to get on the air.

Christa, DJ1TE, had a very nice visit to the States this summer. Madeline, W2EEO, and Irene, W3RXJ, were kind enough to send me news on Christa's visit, but am sure you will find a full account in both 2 and 4-land news, and I refer you to both of those columns. Christa writes, "There have been such a lot of remarkable things on this trip that it is not easy to say which was the best. I hope to come again soon, that I can show my family how nice my friends there are and how interesting America is! I wish to say a big Thank You to all my friends there and especially to my sponsors the WAYLARCS."

News from Sonia, FY2SO. Her OM Joe is busy with the building of their new house, which they hope to move into about nine months. Lena, her oldest YL, is studying Physics at the Sao Paulo University and Elsie, the youngest, is in 10th grade at the Sao Paulo Graded School.

I have five new DX-YLs waiting to be adopted. If anyone is interested in sponsoring a DX-YL, please let me know. Dues are \$4.50 per year and that is all that is required. However, most of the gals do correspond and find "adopting" to be a very rewarding experience.

Remember to mark your calendar in the New Year, for January 14 and 28—the DX-YL to North American YL Contest. Check the Super Directory for the times. And hope for an increase in sunspots—hi!

Best wishes for a joyous Holiday Season.



# DISTRICT NEWS



One - Land

Ruth, K1IIF, District Chairman

One-land news won't be very comprehensive this time, as my antennas aren't all up, and NO ONE has written me any news!

W1PRT and K1IIF, Jack and Ruth Barber, have moved—swapped homes with our daughter, actually, and our shack isn't quite as we want it—no tower up yet, etc. We moved two blocks east, and the phone number is the same, and our daughter can always forward mail.

As I write this, I am about to leave on a tour of Peru, Brazil, and Chile including Easter Island, and I'm reading up on the Incas, Cuzco, and Machu Picchu. Since I am to speak to the local Women's Club—and I always include a demonstration of packing—I am all packed, though I won't leave until four days, tomorrow night is the talk spiced with movies of a cruise.

By now the WRONE luncheon, chaired by Gladys, W1VFF, and Marge, W1VOS, with WA1KMP, Marge (last DC for first district), and Faye, W1EYS, helping out with the prizes. Marge is very clever, you know, with the most beneficial project for "keep Connecticut clean," which helps WRONE no end. She and the OM pick up beer cans from various untidy persons, then she makes hats which she can sell. She makes all sorts of comparable clever saleable items. This year, she made the favors for the luncheon honoring Bicentennial year so, of course, she made little wagons for each girl. Ursula, DL3LS, sent a gift which was raffled off.

Ursula and Henry have just returned from a tour of Austria and Germany in their camper. They used the Triton successfully in working contests while touring. What fun being retired! Speaking of the retired, Leona, W1YPH, and her OM have just returned from a tour of the New England states as the fall foliage has been at its height. We wish more of you YLs could see our one-land in the end of September and early October. The gaudy colors on the trees radiate light even in the rain.

Lorraine, WA1EDR, just married off her only child, and what a job! The groom became so nervous that after they were married, but still during the ceremony, he started to reel, the priest noticed that he was sweating, too, so he asked the best man to take him out back. After a glass of water and a couple of minutes to recover, he was back and in good shape. Lorraine had been sick to her stomach all the day of the evening wedding, but no one expected the young people to react that way. Lucky there's only one!

Bonnie, WA1GGZ, is preparing for a Bicentennial Christmas—her Christmas knitting is to be red white and blue mittens. Bonnie never has an idle finger.

WRONE and YLRL members of Pioneer Valley Repeater Association had a very active part in the New England Division ARRL Convention.

WA1IGO, Judy, was in charge of publicity and printing. Sue, WA1FVV, headed up YF activities. Judy and Gladys, W1VFF, participated in the WOOF HONG ceremony.

Two - Land

Eva, WA2BAV, District Chairman

This is my last issue of the news for YLH. Our new chairman, Bobbie, WB2BHS, is urging the girls from W2-land to send the news from now on to her address: R.D. 2 Box 210, Oregon Trail, Pine Bush, New York 12566. The next deadline is December 19.

There wasn't much news all summer, the girls have been busy and from most of them I still didn't hear.

W2EEO, Madeline, is writing: "Had a very busy summer with company from Germany (Christa DJ1TE) and Australia (VK2LC & XYL Gris) and friends

from all over the U.S. among others. Had settled very nicely at the new QTH. Art, W2LH is happy and relaxed. He retired Dec. 13, 1974." Madeline is busy gardening and working with her knitting machine.

WA2LWG, Irene, passed her General exam this summer then vacationed in Europe traveling through Italy, Switzerland and France. She is now active on 2-meters and is looking around for a low-band rig.

SWL, Helen Zuparn, does not have much to report except that she spent her vacation. Helen is now busy with the job and doing volunteer work.

WA2RIX, Ruth, is now recuperating from gall bladder operation, over the summer Ruth kept busy on 2-meters from the hospital and had eyeball visitors from hams and YLs. She had many QSOs on 31-91. Ruth is now active as Sisterhood Pres. and NYC YLRL Pres. Her OM Cy, K2BM, is Pres. of H.A.R.C. and son Sandy has acquired a new Volkswagon dealership selling new and used cars.

N.Y.C. YLRL wants new members and Ruth, as the Pres., is urging all the gals in the N.Y.C. area to join the club.

W2GLB, Phyllis, just finished an enjoyable trip to Washington, D.C., Philadelphia and Boston with OM's mother, a cousin, and a friend, everybody having a great time.

WA2RST, Bea, is back teaching science in the Junior High School. The OM Milt and Bea are taking a boating course and learning to navigate ships. They both attended the ARRL Convention in Virginia where the YLs have been very active. Bea met many of the old timers in YLRL including Ethel Smith. They enjoyed the meeting with Pres. Chris Haycock, WB2YBA, and about thirty other YLs. The local YLRL did a great job in the hospitality room and a good time was had by all present.

W2IQP, Lilian, is writing a letter saying she can't attend the NYC-YLRL meeting since her daughter-in-law Debbie, K2OTW, is working Saturdays and Lilian finds traveling very difficult. She is still having low blood count and problems with the eyes, having had a second cataract operation and still healing. We hope Lilian will have a quick recovery.

K2OTW, Debbie, sold her house and moved into an apartment. We wish her lots of luck in the new place.

WA2NFY, Lia, wrote me a letter—she got her novice license in 1973 and one year later the General and this spring the Advanced. Lia came to this country ten years ago from Switzerland, married her OM seven years ago, and went back to Europe this spring to visit her sisters, and met many OMs and YLs in Italy and Germany. Lia is spending now many hours on the air. Her OM built a big station and she is now working on WAS and other awards, also busy keeping house when not on the radio, in the company of a parakeet, Metilda, a YL who is calling "CQ, CQ."

W2RAQ, Catherine, is a certified scuba diver. She had a great time for two weeks in the Carribean in the Grand Cayman Island where she stayed at a friend's place, a ham. Catherine is planning to take a portable set there next summer.

WB2ALQ, Bonnie, wrote in June that she and OM, K2SQS, had been very busy. The local radio club, West Jersey Radio Am. provided communications for a rally in May and for a bicentennial "Wake up America Relay Ride." It went from Boston to Philadelphia. Bonnie is now also busy getting her oldest son to kindergarden and making plans for the convention in Philadelphia in 1976.

W2OWL, Ruth: We heard that Ruth is still busy furnishing and settling down in Miami with OM Morrise. (Ed. Note: W2OWL is now W4LYC)

WA2BAV, Eva: We came back from our vacation this summer from spending a few weeks in 4X4-land visiting many hams and meeting some for the first time after many QSOs. We met Devora, 4X4NW with OM Ben, 4X4IL, both very active hams. We met them both some years ago in London when they signed G5. Devora is a member of YLRL and we spent a lovely day together at Kibuts SASA during the CQ WDX contest where many hams came

to operate the 4Z4HF club station. OM George, WB2AQC, made a film about the 4X4 ham life and wrote an article about the trip which is coming out in the November issue of CQ magazine. My father, YO2BGP, got his second class license and now we can work him on SSB as well, but no luck so far.

With this I want to thank all the girls for helping me with news, and it was my pleasure to serve as Second District Chairman for 1975.

33s to all, Eva, WA2BAV

Three - Land

Hazel, K3RGT, District Chairman

As I start this column, we have gotten through the 4th of July, which in the capitol of Kinzua Country is quite an affair each year. The activities are engineered by the JCCs (Junior Chamber of Commerce) and starts the week before with a Vesper Service, Fun Fair, Water Battle and sponsored games—then it is culminated by a huge parade on the morning of the 4th, Drum Corps Competition in the afternoon and a beautiful fireworks display in the evening.

The Western Pennies continue to meet on the first Sunday of every month on 3990.5 KHZ at approximately 9:30 A.M. local time directly following the Western Pennsylvania Civil Defense RACES Net and would appreciate having other YLs check in at least for a quick "hello." It is always good to get to meet new girls. In one of our chats recently, we were speaking of some of the gals who have met their husbands through ham radio, but Vi, WA3BAA, informed us that she met her husband through a ham-burger so I guess they must have been to McDonalds. Hi, Hi.

From Norma, WA3KKT, we received several items of news: Field Day this year was a joint operation of Erie and Corry Radio Clubs at Pike Rocks in Warren County, and resulted in a total of 70 in attendance. A number of the group moved in on Friday with families in campers and tents, pleased at the opportunity of a weekend outing. All bands were manned—including Novice and 160-meters (only the wide open spaces can accommodate an antenna "umpteens" feet long). The eldest operator was W3ZB, Mike, of Edinboro, Penna., several years retired, and the youngest was Tammy, WN3ZSH, of Erie, Penna., eight years old. Tammy's mother, also a Novice, is Sherri, WN3ZSK, her father is Ron, WA3UDH, and grandfather WA3TRJ. Another Sherri, WA3PSH, was also present. One Novice exam was given during the event and would you believe on the tailgate of a truck! Yes, before long you will hear Dave from Cambridge Springs on our Novice band. Our Field Day score may not go down in history, but the delightful time enjoyed by all will remain in memory.

WA3PSG, Ray, father of Sherri, WA3PSH, is recuperating at home following hospitalization as a result of tangling with a power lawn mower.

WA3LJF, Jo, is enjoying the summer boating on Lake Erie. WA3GMN, Peg, also an Erieite, still vacationing in sunny Calif. As a result of the last code and theory classes held in Erie, Pa., under the direction of W3NGI, we have gained five YL Novices. And speaking of Novices, a tip of the hat to the young ladies who write the Novice News in the YL Harmonics. Difficult as the job surely is, it is a very encouraging column to all of those struggling newcomers with the realization that they are not alone, and a column we all enjoy reading.

It seems incredible that 2-meter FM could be useful in passing traffic, but of recent date we received two messages for delivery on the local land-line. One message from Germany was originally handled through MARS and the second originated in Honolulu on a 20-meter net. It only proves what we were well aware of—the ham experimenters on our experimental 2-meter band have succeeded again, making extended communication a possibility for the non-experimenters through use of repeaters.



WA3KKT, Norma, continues with the announcement that volunteer operators from Erie, Meadville, Warren, Penna., and Jamestown, N. Y., will assist the Corry Radio Club in handling communications for the Firemans' Centennial Parade on August 2nd in Corry. The parade will consist of 250 invited units, 11 divisions with official hours 2:00 P.M. to approximately 6:00 P.M. Mobile units at main arteries go on duty at 9:00 A.M. This will all be 2-meter FM and all handi-talkies within the city limits. At the conclusion of the day's activities, all volunteer operators and their families will be hosted by the Corry Club at a picnic supper.

Bert, W3TNP, is vacationing at her summer cottage on Lake Shehaken in Wayne County—she has her Kenwood TS 520 with her, but no 2-meter gear this year. She has, however, sent us the following news:

Edna, WA3NGV, vacations in Ocean City for the summer. She has 6-meter and 2-meter FM mobile capabilities at the seashore. K3YPH, Dottie, can be heard on 2-meter FM mobile each day to and from work on 16/76. Dottie and OM, K3WSV, are vacationing in Mexico City.

The PJYL Radio Club has adopted Mart DeVos, ON6RW, from Belgium as their DX-YL adoptee. The gals with DX capabilities are busy setting up regular skeds with Mart and are hoping for many FB QSOs.

Jane, K3ZDN, and OM Don spent a lively vacation on the cruise ship SS Doric to Bermuda. Jane enjoys cruises so much she hopes that we all have an opportunity to try a cruise at least once.

Please keep in mind the ARRL Atlantic Division Convention to be held at the Ben Franklin Hotel in Philadelphia on July 23, 24, and 25, 1976. The PJYL club has charge of YL and XYL activities and plans are shaping up nicely, however, first on the agenda was to find a means of supplementing the club's treasury. The PJYL club, Mt. Airy VHF club members and friends all donated items and they held a Flea Market at Lahaska, Penna., and it was such a success that they plan to make it a yearly activity.

By the time I'm finishing this column the big Firemen's Parade in Corry is all over and I was privileged to be able to help in this activity. I want to assure you that I thoroughly enjoyed it (even though August 2nd proved to be one of the hottest days of the summer). I used my Regency HR 2B in my car and was stationed at the Judges' Stand—who could ask for more! The picnic furnished by the Corry Radio Club was superb and we made our way back home that evening with the great satisfaction that we had done our best that day and when things are all O.K. it makes for good sleeping. Hi, Hi.

From Norma, WA3KKT, we have the following:

We were recently tipped to meet a sked originating in Australia at 1:00 A.M. our time. Feeling uncertain we could successfully achieve this with our little mini-beam and lack of height, we listened in advance for DX to roll in and to our delight heard K4KYI, Fran, in North Carolina working DX with ease. Not feeling free to interrupt her DX, we wrote to her asking her assistance with our VK2 sked. Fran promptly replied agreeing to aid us and again proved the old adage "what a small world" by telling us her OM was originally from Franklin, Penna., a city 45 miles from us and she met him thru ham radio. She added the final touch—they were snowbound at Franklin, Penna., last Thanksgiving. Fran's mom is W4ZOI, her father was W4CXI, and her OM is W4SIB. And the outcome of our VK2 sked! A severe storm in Australia severely damaged the antenna as it came down three days before the sked time and was expected to be down for several weeks. Will take it up with Fran later.

Dear Girls: This being my "swan-song" as writer for the 3rd district news, I want to thank you all for your loyal help this past year. It has been a pleasure for me and I hope that you will support Norma, WA3KKT, as she carries on for our district.

Greetings from the fourth area where fall has finally arrived and we're back in the news gathering business again.

Congratulations to the Floridoras upon their affiliation with YLRL. Welcome aboard.

This year the Floridoras will have two Christmas partys. The West Coast party will be held at the home of K4CSC, and the East Coast party at the home of K4RNS.

The beautiful Floridora certificate is now obtainable upon proof of contact with five Floridoras from K4RNS, general contest rules apply.

The Georgia Peaches announce that again in 1976 there will be no dues collected from members. Georgia Peach certificates will be issued upon proof of contact with five Georgia Peaches. General contest rules apply. Send fifty cents in stamps or coins to WA4BVD.

The Georgia Peach Executive Council submitted a letter of nomination to the Georgia Single Sideband Association naming K4RRHU as its candidate for Sidebander-of-the-Year. So far as we know, Jeannie is the first YL ever nominated. The winner was announced last Sunday with a close friend of Jeannie and her family, K4JNL, President of the association winning the award. Today, the council members on frequency were of the opinion that we should not be discouraged and should continue to nominate a Georgia Peach each year, and with members like K4RRHU, I expect we will. From the Georgia Peaches, a heartfelt congratulations, Jeannie. You are most certainly the Georgia Peach-of-the-year.

Our thanks to WB4NKO for the news that the Knox County YLs are offering a certificate for working ten YLs with ten numbers. For further information, contact WB4NDX.

The daughter of WB4NKO came home for a weekend after her first six week as a college freshman. Jo told us about the nice visit on net last week; we imagine that was a long six weeks, Jo.

K4RYJ, Welma, gave a birthday dinner for her daughter and granddaughter. Another guest was WB8MXY, Keith, Welma's brother from Ohio who serves as a relay station for the Georgia Peach net from his home QTH. Today, Keith checked in from Welma's QTH and it was a pleasure to have him join the roundtable. And while we're on this subject, OMs are welcome to visit with the Peaches any time and will be picked up after the first roundtable.

K4HSC, Meg, got more enjoyment out of the TV broadcast of the World Series this year because one member of the broadcast team was a former neighbor. As usual, Meg's garden is growing beautifully, and she will serve homegrown vegetables for Thanksgiving dinner when her son, Jack will be home.

WA4BVD, Carrie, has a new address, same QTH, but new mailing address: Route 5, Box 46, Cochran, Georgia 31014.

After receiving that wonderful directory issue, we all know how Carrie has been spending her time. Carrie, it's beautiful, and has so much helpful data in one place.

Our summer activities included a trip to Chester, S. C., in our new travel trailer, camping in Chester State Park for five days. We had fun and learned a lot being new at the camping game.

To see your activities in print, drop us a line. Our next deadline is December 25. We will start preparation about December 19.

From all of us in the fourth call area, a big Thirty-three.

Nancy, WB4NTW

Editor's Note: I received a post card today (Oct. 28, 1975) from Edna, WA4EPM, in which she says, "Having a very nice vacation aboard this ship." The card has a picture of the "Bolero" ship and is a seven day cruise

going to Gozumel, Mexico, Momego Bay, Jamaica, and Port-au-Prince, Haiti. The ship sailed from Miami, Florida.

Five - Land

Helen, K5ECP, District Chairman

My term in office as 5th D/C has gone by very quickly. I have enjoyed it. Thank you all very much for your fine co-operation in sending me news. Your D/C for 1976 is Myrtle Stinnett, WB5FGM, of Ft. Worth, Texas. I know you will all give her lots of help.

Myrtle is net control for TYLRUN. She and her OM Ed, WB5FGN, are active in RACES and have attended the Advance Skywarn Seminar. She passed the Advanced class exam Aug. 12 and is anxiously waiting for her license. They had a beautiful garden this year and put lots in the freezer.

Grace, K5MRU, is 2nd VP of the Ten-Ten Net and is District Manager for districts 4 & 5. She and her OM George, K5MRT, have a summer QTH at Rand, Colorado. They took a trip to Hawaii in May.

Louisa, W5RZJ, did well with her gardening this year. She entered some fresh vegetables at the State Fair. She won seven 1st place ribbons, two 2nd place and four 3rd place. Congratulations, Louisa! She and her OM, Joe, are busy these days supervising the building of a new home.

In September, Louisa and I had lunch with Shirley, WA8GPO, from Cincinnati. Shirley and her OM were in Albuquerque attending a convention.

We took a trip to the San Francisco area in July to get acquainted with our new granddaughter, Jennifer. She is our first grandchild. I got a new Baldwin organ recently and am having lots of fun with it.

Thanks again for all your help.

33, Helen, K5ECP

Six - Land

Violet, W6CBA, District Chairman

W6NAZ, Lenore, has done a lot of recording for the Heart Fund of celebrities for radio. Time out last July for foot surgery so ran usual patches with Thailand (MARS) from wheel chair. Trusting to walk minus crutches soon. Most of my hamming is on 13 Mc. Sometimes 2-meters.

W6PJU, Mildred, notified me that the North County YLRC celebrated its 4th Anniversary last April with a luncheon at the Colony Kitchen in Fallbrook. Dessert and business meeting followed at the home of K6AYJ, Edith. Our officers for the next two years are Pres. K6AYJ, Edith; Vice Pres. W6PJU, Mildred; Secretary-Treas. W6YZV, Mable. With 25 in attendance a fine time was had by all.

WA6KKQ, Genevieve, lost her sister Edna Karhu last April 11. Although not a ham she was a strong supporter of the No. County YLRC since its formation. Belated condolences to Gen and her family. (Txn Gen for note and article.)

W6FFS, Clare, come from 3-land where she was a Penn-Jersey YL club member. Her OM W6FFQ attended the May BAYLARC meeting.

K6RLR, Jane, says she and the OM are going to devote more time to ham radio and less to flying airplanes. Their #1 son K6YOE, Larry, is now a partner in his dad's law firm, and #2 son WA6ERZ, Don, is expected to graduate in law this year and add his name to the family shingle.

K6HHD, Jan, and OM W6GDO, Jay, took a week in January for a Caribbean cruise. They took along a hand-held 2-meter FM rig and talked via repeaters in San Juan, Puerto Rico, to a station at St. Thomas in the Virgin Islands. I understand they have decided to acquire ocean cruising as a #2 hobby.

WA6JGR, Eleanore, reports that OM Art, W6MXJ, got her a new 2-meter transceiver which she is enjoying. Eleanore is a nurse and works the graveyard shift.

WB6ZZM, Jeanette, writes ham radio is still #1 in her life. She is also active as Veep of Retired Federal Employees Assoc. in her area, Publicity Chairperson for Foot hills Dist. of Calif. Garden Clubs, and the Auburn Arrangers Guild. OM Al, W6NHD, was ill last spring, but doing fine since his surgery.

WA6DDB, Carol, reports she's busy putting the finishing touches on her Ph.D. research at U.C. Davis.

W6YKU, Jackie, was expecting visitors from England this past summer. (Cousins whom they visited in 1973.)

W6BDE, Esther, took a quick weekend trip to So. Calif. last April. Spent two days in Vista and chatted with W6PJU, Mildred, via landline. Also made a trip to San Diego's Rueben Fleet Planetarium in Balboa Park to Laserium Concert.

WA6GQC, Elsie, reports OM, W6BIP, is already in the Scachelle Islands on a work assignment. Elsie left Aug. 7 for two or three days in London and then meet BIP in Paris Aug. 10. They traveled by Eurail through France, Belgium, Holland, Denmark, Germany, float down the Rhine and perhaps to Vienna. All this and meeting several hams along the route whom BIP has held DX QSOs with for many years. At the Oct. YL-OM pot luck dinner, they will share some of the high points of their trip. The dinner will be held at the El Granada Mobile Home Resort, Moss Beach, Calif. QTH of W6BDE, Esther.

ZL3AAB, Zelda, the adoptee of the BAYLARCS, wrote them thanking them for sponsoring her. She has five harmonics, Jill 18, Helen 16, and three younger boys. She belongs to the WARO (Womans Amateur Radio Operators). They have 53 transmitting members and eleven associate members.

WA6UAH, Vernice, and OM K6PQI, Warren, spent a vacation in Colorado Springs visiting son and family. They traveled by AMTRAK and Vernice says it's the greatest vacation they've ever had because they didn't wear themselves out driving.

W6NLM, Beulah, and OM Clint, W6CP, hosted the August 23 buffet luncheon of the BAYLARCS in Santa Rosa. DX guest was Thelma, ZL2JO, YLRL adoptee of the YLRC of L.A. for the past 18 years. Thelma came to Calif. July 30 for a six-week visit. First three weeks in L.A., then she flew to Sacramento Aug. 19 where she met K6DLL, Marcia, for several days. Then Beth, W7NJS, arrived and Marcia and her OM Tom, W6SMU, all drove to the luncheon at Beulah's. Vada, W6CEE, and OM Al, W6HWM, drove 300 miles to attend the luncheon and drive Thelma back to the Northern Border of Calif. at Fort Jones to see the area there. (I met Thelma at Jessie's, WA6OET, and Pete's, WA6MWG, big party. What a delight to meet Thelma after chatting with her all these years! Vi.)

W6USE, Lola: The BAYLARCS welcomed her back and hoped to see her soon.

WA6AOE, Maxine, and Bill, K6MQT, met Thelma, ZL2JO, and Vada, W6CEE, and Al, W6HWM, in Redding, Calif. to have dinner before Thelma had to catch the plane back to San Francisco. Maxine and Bill live in Everett, Washington, now. (I'll miss you, Bill. Oh yes, you to Maxine. Hi - Vi.)

W6CBA, Vi: Well at this writing I've been out of the hospital two days. I had major surgery Oct. 10 and will be off work 'til at least the second or third week in November. Am planning on being on the air in about a week. Right now I tire too easily. While recuperating I am over seeing a complete remodeling job of my kitchen and two bathrooms. Talk about killing two birds with one stone. Thank you, BAYLARCS, for all your news and to the gals who dropped a line now and then to add to the column, much appreciated. I hope the post office doesn't lose this column. I think it's one of my best. Hi.

33s, Vi, W6CBA

Congratulations to our new officers and chairmen, and to the outgoing staff who did such a fine job. I hope the coming year will be a good one for all. Next year please send your news to K7YDO, Gerry, new D/C.

WA7TFU, Bernice and OM WA7LXE, Sam, had planned to go to California and Arizona last spring but had to change plans. They built a Heathkit 12A, during which Bernice enjoyed learning to solder, connect wires, etcetra, which she enjoyed. They will sometimes use the rig mobile. They finished making a Tricities Callbook this spring, finding that there are about 200 Hams in the three towns—Richland, Kennewick, and Pasco. This August a trip abroad to Denmark, Norway and other places was enjoyed.

\*W7HHH, Bea, was given an excellent report by her doctors that the new hip is coming along fine and she has no pain in it. She has had some pain, however, in her left knee, which upon examination her doctors found to be arthritic. Medication was prescribed, and we hope successfully. She was to be the guest of Beth, W7NJS, several days in October.

WA7QQN, Helen, did a lot of baking for the "Blossom Time" event in May, and was involved in Art Guild work. She entered a contest and WON. It was to see who could contact the most Hams in Whatcom County, Washington. She had a month to do it in and said there are about 180 Hams in the county. It is a hard one to find Hams in, as I know. Then, it being International Women's Year, she decided to try to promote Amateur Radio to the public as a women's hobby as well as for OMs, so she wrote an article, which was printed in the Bellingham paper. It covered about half a page and had a picture of Helen at her rig. It is a very good article. I wish you could all read it and that the picture were good enough for reproduction again. She had several calls from interested persons after the article came out. Good for you, Helen!

WA7FLC, Katherine, wrote that she had had little time to get on the air last fall and winter as her OM had been very ill and hospitalized for awhile, but he was gradually gaining his strength back by spring. While he was in the hospital the wind ruined the quad, and in January their son put up a beam for them, but Katherine had not had time to use it. I hope that in the six months since then that all is well again. Katherine is a former 7th D/C.

K7KHU, Orissa, and OM K7BAG, Chuck, attended the Bryant Hamfest in April. The Wenatchee affair was next on the agenda; and they made a trip to North Dakota and Montana in July during their vacations. They both passed their Advanced, too. Good work! Orissa was so busy that she was mostly on just 2- and 6-meters, studying, gardening, and crocheting dolls.

WA7YLA, Marjorie, was busy this spring studying hard for her Advanced, which she hoped to try for in July, and checking in on "The Rats" on 20, three times a week. She played bridge every other Wednesday, and hoped to check in on YL Open House other Wednesdays, but something usually seemed to prevent that from happening.

W7NJS, Beth, attended the MINOW picnic this spring and was met by Bernice, WA7TFU, upon arrival, and enjoyed the hospitality of Bernice and Sam, her OM, WA7LXE, an electrical engineer, very much, as well as the picnic. They visited the Barrows, WA7UFS, Mona, and W7BCT, Jim, one night, too. Beth went to San Francisco, Santa Rosa, and Sacramento in August and had the pleasure of meeting ZL2JO, Thelma, during that time as well as old and new friends she has known on the air or in person. In September she visited friends in Bay City, Oregon, where they enjoyed walks on the Pacific Ocean beach, playing Scrabble and other relaxing fun things.

W7LCS, Toddy, did some gardening after her dancing classes were over for the season, in June.

W7MRX, Fran, and W7LDK, Doc, visited Beth, W7NJS, in June on their way to Spokane and Moscow, Idaho. They spent the fourth of July week at Sand Point, Idaho. I'm sure this is a drop in the bucket as to their activity!

WA7HRZ/WA6AOE, Maxine, and OM Bill, K6MQT, spent five months, mostly in Washington, looking for that ideal spot where they would have JUST the perfect place, with a view and antenna farm possibilities, but did not find it....YET! I hope they don't give up, and expect they will try again next summer. Since returning to Avalon, Maxine has been heard with a good signal from her small antenna there. I was very pleased that they stopped by on their way south in August.

\*K7UBC, Verda, and OM Johnny, were heard this summer from all over the Pacific northwest on the Alley Cat. Rivers, sounds, locks, ocean, Canadian waters and places too numerous to name, they visited, including the YL ISSB convention on Orcas Island. In August the boat suffered a cracked rudder, so they left her in Anacortes, Washington, where later Johnny repaired it, painted the boat and readied it for a trek to Alaska next spring. Verda had a good signal each time I heard her. What fun they had!

WA7SOK, Joan, bought a new home which she has been having fun with after apartment life for a long time. Painting, redecorating, planning changes, as well as planting a garden and getting acquainted with her new shrubs and trees, and her new neighbors, has taken a lot of her free time, but she is enjoying it all. She and her mother took a trip to Canada for two weeks in September. They like the Canadians very much, and the mountain and water scenery of awe inspiring variety was fascinating. Joan by now may have an antenna up, but will wait till next summer to put up a beam.

WA7RBR, Margaret, was in and out of the hospital this summer, but we now hope she is fine again. She and OM Barney took a group picture of the MINOWs at their picnic this spring, which you will see in QST, September YL News and Views. The original is clear and sharp, but in reproduction it lost some detail as usual.

W6ALM/7, Evelyn, and OM, enjoyed the YL ISSB convention and the talks by K4ICA, V. Mayree (founder), and W2GLB, Phyllis, very much. Evelyn reported that there was a party the Monday after the convention, at Betty's, K7UXN, and Ed's, her OM. Betty is the '75 president. That was fun. Few YLs were heard by Evelyn during Howdy Days, but she worked 15, including the YLs WB6TUC and WB6TUD, on their sail boat in the South Pacific. She QSOed two YLs in Germany this summer, also. The YLs heard during Howdy Days that she could not work seemed to be having QSOs or handling traffic but not interested in the contest. She happened to be in Seattle on the same day that President Ford was there and was one of those whose hand he shook. How about that!

WA7FRM, June, and OM enjoyed a gala affair on 18 July, which was the occasion of their daughter's wedding. She works in the lab. at Eastern State Hospital, and her husband works for the Department of Natural Resources. They are making their home in Spokane. June and OM are increasingly busy in their jewelry business and have little time for play or the air.

WA7FFC, Beth, our next Vice President, had a good signal from Rosedale this summer reports Bob, W7RD. She sold her Signet, bought a Triton, had new antenna system installed....tower, beam and 40-80 meter dipole, so that she can operate as she wishes from there in summers. There was much to do to ready the house where her sister had lived for selling; to decide what to keep and what to let go with the house as well as the actual selling of it. A big job. I know, having been thru that!

W7LIZ, Edith, and OM Jim, went to Washington to visit their son and his wife in the early spring.

W7TWQ, Jessie, and OM had some fishing at Priest Lake in July. At the Walla Walla Hamfest MINOWs were well represented with K7KHU, K7UBC, WA7BDD, W7MFS, WA7UFS, WA7UJI, K7UTT, W7QGP, K7RAM, WA7RBR, WA7RVA, WA7LOQ, WA7FRM, W7FDE, WA7JRB, WA7SPA, K7PVC, WA7TLL, W7NJS, all present, most of whom are YLRL members and 18 were MINOWs. Most of those with OMs were accompanied by them of course, and a good time was reported, as is normal at that affair.

WA7UJI, Debbie, has been busy canning, making butters and cocktail sauce and other projects since their summer trips. She and W7JFR, Roy, her OM, visited the four western provinces of Canada this summer, and attended the Airstream rally in Manitoba. They drove through six north-west states, including North and South Dakota and through Yellowstone Park. They worked into San Francisco on 40 meters from the 8900' top of Big Horn Mountain. Debbie checked into 20-meter MINOWs when she could. Since returning they have had company, including a daughter and a son. They are expecting their tenth grandchild. Number two son will be the father, and his first child. This momentous event will occur in Bermuda, so it MAY be awhile before grandma and grandpa see the new arrival. Debbie and Roy plan to spend the winter in Southern California and Southern Arizona.

W7LXQ, Jane, and OM have sold their home in Washington and by now may be settled in their new place in Arizona.

W7MFS, Gladys, sold "HCJ Electronics," so well known to many of us, in July, and took a trip to Montana and also the ocean.

WA7UQJ, Jean, plans to work again this winter at the emergency hospital in Yellowstone Park. She is an R. N.

WA7OII, Jean, is living in Tacoma again we hear.

WA7ZPM, Gloria, is a bran new member of YLRL. Welcome to the fold. She has three grown children, eight grandchildren, and they adopted one grandchild who is four years old. Gloria is taking accounting at Portland Community College and lives in Cornelius, Oregon, not far from Portland. She has been a General since September, so is a new Ham as well. She has been welcomed into MINOW net, but am not sure if she is a member yet.

K7WUR, Carol, was heard on two 20-meter nets recently. Where have you been, Carol?

LAST MINUTE ADDENDUM: \*\*

W7HHH, Bea, is leaving with two friends for two weeks in Arizona and southern California. She is feeling much improved as of October.

K7UBC, Verda, and Johnny have a new Fiat.

COLUMBUS DAY, '75... on this date in 1908 our good friend W7RD, Bob, who is a subscriber to YL Harmonics, first became interested in wireless!

WA7BDD, Joan, is going to Central Valley High School night classes twice a week, taking up typing. (I think I ought to join you, Joan!)

K7NZO, me, had a nice letter from my DX adoptee, DK1HH, Anita, who said that in "DL" there are about 500 YLs, but they are not active on the DX bands. Most of them work on 144 MHZ. She and OM were licensed in '66.

Thanks for all the news. It has been a pleasure.

33, 76, CUL, Raj, K7NZO

Eight - Land

Rosemary, WA8VXE, District Chairman

Well, the time has come for my last effort as 8-land District Chairman—a most enjoyable time for me. The typewriter has also decided it was time for me to retire—it already has!

The Buckeye Belles celebrated their 14th anniversary at their annual dinner meeting May 18th, with Ruth, W8CJP, as chairman. The new officers were installed by Jean, W8BFC, followed by a talk by Eunice, K8ONA, editor of "Ham Antenna Column" for the Cleveland Plain Dealer, who stressed the need for all amateurs to help uplift our public image by stressing our public service activities.

The Chix-on-Six honored Eila, 1974 YLRL President, at their Installation Dinner July 8th. The Buckeye Belles were also invited to attend.

Clips from the Buckeye Burr:

The Belles have another YLRL adoptee—DK2KD, Ilse Senkel, Woerthstr. 21 D4660 Gelsenkirchen - Buer, West Germany. Ilse is not too proficient in English, but would appreciate new German speaking or writing friends.

Lucille, W8OFH, was expecting to be out of her cast and back to work in November.

Beulah, W8EKQ, her OM Emmett, K8AZU, and family drove their 1928 Chevy Roadster in the 3½ mile long parade celebrating Wooster's selection as an All-American cities for the bicentennial.

Bernie, W8DDC, is the proud mother of a new Novice—her 12 year old daughter. No call was given. Maybe you found her in YL-AP.

Doris, W8LZU, has been recovering from surgery. One week after she left the hospital, her son had to go in the hospital and shortly thereafter, her daughter-in-law had to have major surgery. Hope all are fully recovered by now.

A note from Sandie Harjala requests that a B be substituted for the N in her call, as she received her General ticket on June 30. She credits her OM, K8VOA, for his help in preparing for the test. They have been camping this summer with their family, April 8, and Allan 5. This fall she is a full time student at Swomi College in Hancock, 12 miles from her home at Chassell in the UP. Congratulations, W8TTL!

A note from Mary, K8ONV, a "transplanted TasyL," reports that she and her OM Ken, K8OHC, have been learning to handle traffic on the Ohio Sideband Net. She needs only four countries yet, but is still interested in DX. Mary has two daughters in the medical field, Sally K8ONW, a pathologist on the staff of the University of Michigan Hospital and Medical School and Alicia, K8RBB/6, a physical therapist at Sharp Hospital, San Diego. She and Mary keep in touch via 20 meter schedules.

Kate, W8EIR, is settled in her home in her old neighborhood in Lansing (318 E. Rouse) after being in other locations for 31 years. She hopes to get her TR3 on the air shortly.

A note from Juliette High, W8KUU, describes their home in "Copper Country" at Lake Linden, Mich., with twelve inches of snow still on the ground April 18. She sent a picture of their very sturdy looking tower with antennas for 2 meters, triband beam and 40 meter dipole. After being CW only operators, they now have SSB gear and learning their way around. She and the OM Donald, W8KUV, are former New Jerseyites.

Bobby, W8ARJ, writes of her graduation (not from high school, but post-graduate!) in June. She also has a new grandson Robert III, born Labor Day, 11 lbs. 7 ozs. He has older sisters age one and three.

Two other novices are Ruth Bates, W8VEV, a new TasyL member from Owosso, age 15, and Irene, the YL of K8SIA, who passed her test last spring.

This year The Auto State YLs (TasyLs) will be ten years old. We were hoping to have a get-together in Lansing in October, but it has been tentatively rescheduled for December 6. More details later.

Rosemary, W8VXE, needs a couple of new Michigan counties to complete a project. If you would be able to help out, please let me know and we'll set up a schedule. YLs only need apply!



May I express my thanks to all of you for your help in writing this column. I know you all will extend the same help to the new DC Rosalene, WB8DQX.

33s, Rosemary, WA8VXE

Nine - Land

Carol, WA9NEJ, District Chairman

As they say in the movies, "Where did everybody go?" That's what I'm saying to all of you. Dear y1's—we columnists really need to hear from you to make things interesting.

From WB9FJB, Joyce, who now lives in Raleigh, North Carolina.

"Ken has an 80 meter antenna up for teletype, but the dx bug has subsided." Joyce and Ken moved in August and are busy with a new house and grassing one third of an acre. Good luck—we'll miss that Mississippi drawl.

Another Joyce, WN9NUL, in New Lenox, Ill., is busy traveling around to all sorts of conventions. She and OM attended the County Hunters convention in Dogpatch, Arkansas, and are taking the whole family to a "mini" County Hunters, Nov. 8 & 9 in Kokomo, Indiana. A big congratulations for working New Zealand, Joyce.

The LARKs are having a reunion supper at the home of Peg Russell, WA9BZR, in November.

Coming up on December 13 is the annual WCRA (Wheaton Community Radio Amateurs) Christmas Party at the Sweden House. Don't forget their annual hamfest in February. And, as long as we're talking about Wheaton, the code and theory classes are going great guns, with 28 in the Novice and eight in the General. Plus we have an advanced electronics class held on Saturday afternoons.

Here on the homefront the hole is waiting to be dug before the snow comes. In this village the trustees vote if it's advisable to put up a tower which makes it a nail biting situation. But, where there's a will there's a way so I've gone back on 40 CW with just a dipole. Works quite well.

The OM, K9GHR, and myself have been appointed Public Relations Assistants to the Central Division Director, which boiled down means informing and educating the public about ham radio. I hope it concerns all of YOU because we're dying! In September alone, 300,000 Citizens Band licenses were issued. That's right. Now you can pick yourself up off the floor. Really abominable. If you're interested, please send for a four page pamphlet on the differences between CB and ham radio along with a stamped self-addressed envelope.

That's about it from here. Please remember to send your news—you Novices—don't be shy. Happy days in every way.

33. Carol. WA9NEJ

Ten - Land

Glenda, WA0TNI, District Chairman

Hi from Ø-land. It's been a while and lots of things have been happening.

The Colorado YLs had a kick off luncheon in May for the ARRL Convention and thanks to all it was a nice success. For their June meeting, they went to the Glen Eyrie Castle as guests of Rosie Lewis, WA0MNI, and Linda Vidmar, WA0MNM. July was a family picnic and the ARC Swapfest. In August, Jim and Linda, WA0MNM, had a new baby girl. Congratulations from all of us to the family.

Lovelle, WB0JEF, and OM got all of their remodeling done and most of their beans picked, so she will have a little more air time now. Their oldest son graduated this spring and he has a job welding. She and her OM were at the Iowa 75-meter picnic at Marshalltown in August. It was very nice meeting them and all the friends from 75 meters.

We got a free Shetland pony for the boys and spent three weeks and some cash building a fence for him. He is like an overgrown puppy dog and a great pet, so he was well worth the time. We've kept busy this summer painting the house, fishing, and going to near-by hamfests. I stumbled onto the Howdy Days Contest and met ten YLs and ten OMs in the little operating time I had. Russ and I are taking a Spanish course at our Community College and really enjoy that, but it sure takes a lot of time for studying. Sure would like to hear from you gals.  
Adios Amigas (So Long Friends).

33s, Glenda, WAØTNI

KH6 - Land

Mary, KH6HPS, District Chairman

Sarah, KH6CBT, can be heard daily calling for check-ins to the Confusion net.

Gail, KH6IPL, is back on the air after rig problems kept her grounded for several weeks.

Barbara, KH6IOT, has moved to Florida and no one has heard from her. Maybe you Florida YLs can find her!

I will be accompanying (on the organ) the Maui Community Chorus of eighty voices, directed by OM Don, when we do three performances of Handel's Messiah in early December. I am currently charting the course of the yacht, Sorcery, which is racing between Honolulu and Okinawa. There are many phone patches to the Lahaina Yacht Club which is sponsor.

Hopefully I will have more news for the next issue. Every one who was responsible in any way for the beautiful Directory issue is to be commended. It was a great job, and I am really delighted to have a bit of information on so many YLs. Now if I could only work a few more of you. Hi.

Aloha, Mary, KH6HPS

VE - Land

Donez Booth, VE6YL, District Chairman

Fall is on the way, crisp clean air, beautiful maple leaves and many contests and activities. Unfortunately, many of the gals are inactive.

Jan, VE3BII, had equipment problems and their antennas were struck by lightning.

Ivy, VE3IV, I hear is busy working and caring for OM Cliff.

Ebba, VE5DZ, spent the spring time in British Columbia and is keeping up with her handicrafts.

Jeannie, VE7JIB; Marj, VE6LC; Madge, VE6ATP; and approximately thirty other YLs had a get-together at the Calgary Convention in August.

Donez, VE6YL/3, is still settling in at 245 St. Clair Street, Chatham, Ont., but has no equipment at present. Please drop me a line at the above address.

73/33 Donez, VE6YL/3

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Eunice Bernon, K8ONA, received the Public Service Award from QCWA.  
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The Cleveland Chapter of the Quarter Century Wireless Association honored a YLRL member with their "Ham of the Year" award for Public Service. Because the club is composed of old timers, and since Eunice has received plaques and trophies for other things, Werner Sauber, W8KC, made an old-time wireless set that worked on 40 meters and presented it to her as a trophy, although she is a Tech and couldn't operate it. But anyway, a YLRL, Eunice Bernon, K8ONA, received the QCWA Ham-of-the-Year award.  
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(Family member with YV5CKR)

REINSTATES AS OF 9/1/1975:

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CONTINUOUS MEMBERSHIP CERTIFICATE

Jackie van de Kamp, W6YKU, Custodian

The following CMCs were issued during:

MAY AND JUNE:

K2OEW - 15      W7WHV - 20  
K3EDO - 15      K7WUR - 10  
W4LYC - 25      K8PXX - 15  
K4WYR - 15      VE3IV - 10  
K5ADQ - 20

JULY AND AUGUST:

K3AIF - 15      WA7BDD - 10  
W7GLK/4 - 35      WØHEM - 15  
K4TBG - 15      WAØMNL - 5  
K5DJS - 15      ZE7JK - 15  
K6BUS - 20  
K6OHR - 10  
W6YZV - 5

YOUNG LADIES' RADIO LEAGUE, Inc.  
FINANCIAL STATEMENT

April 1, 1975, through June 30, 1975

April 1, 1975 - Balance Brought Forward..... \$ 494.35

RECEIPTS: Dues..... \$ 1195.75  
 Super Directory Fund..... 589.00  
 DX Prepaid Postage..... 16.19  
 Supplies..... 30.75  
 Interest Earned-Calif.  
     Savings Acct..... 5.06  
 Subscriber..... 4.00      \$ 1840.75  
 Total Receipts..... \$ 2336.10

DISBURSEMENTS:  
 YL Harmonics..... \$ 329.60  
 YL Harmonics Postage..... 89.80  
 YLH Supplies..... 73.02  
 DX Postage..... 14.20  
 Stationery..... 66.00  
 General Postage..... 11.44  
 Super Directory Fund - Transfer  
     to Savings Acct... 589.00  
 California Base Deposit..... 25.00  
 Savings Account - Transfer..... 400.00  
 Dues Refunds..... 12.50  
 Bank Charges..... 7.40      - 1617.96  
 \$ 718.14

Check Book Balance..... \$ 718.14  
 Savings Accounts:  
     Calif.-Receiving Treasurer..... 25.00  
 NYC-Disbursing Treasurer - Super  
     Directory Fund..... 589.00  
 Regular Account..... 1470.98  
 Interest Earned-1975..... 30.28  
 New Worth..... \$2833.40

Respectfully submitted,

Audited by:  
 Ruth Kalish, W2IGA

Madeline Greenbery, W2EEO  
 Disbursing Treasurer

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YLCC REPORT

April 15, 1975 - September 15, 1975

Onie Woodward, Custodian

Certificates

W8BZX - Darrel Fogt - All CW  
 I1BGJ - Carlo Bugnano

Stickers

WAØRZF - Elsie Kness (1) - 250  
 DJ1TE - Christa Elksnat (1) - 150  
 W1QHH - Howie Bradley (1) - 2200  
 WA1JYO - Vera Klecowsky (1) - 200  
 WA2DMK - Ione O'Donnell (1) - 150  
 WA6TKQ - James Okubu (1) - 200  
 W7NJS - Beth Taylor (1) - 650  
 Silver

WELCOME TO MORE NEW MEMBERS by Rose Ellen WA2FGS

WA1PVU - Susan is from North Granby, Conn. and holds a Technician Class. OM is Gregory-K1T2D and activities are on 220 Mc. at present.

K3AGR - Ruth is from Accokeek, Md. and holds a General Class. OM is David W3PJM and son Dave is WA3YGM. Chiefly active on VHF and A-TV.

WA3IWK - Margaret is from Clinton, Md. OM is Bill (non-ham). Her occupation is Secretary of Patuxent River ARC & Housewife.

WA3ZNS - Earlane is from Pottstown, Pa. OM is Don (working on his ticket). She is working toward Advanced Class - good luck.

W3ZST - Nancy is from Philadelphia, Pa. She is a music teacher and also belongs to Northeast Phila. ARC. Licensed since early 1975.

WN4AXY - Carolyn is from Alexandria, Va. OM is Allen-WA4SEH. She is working on General Class and also a nursing student.

WB4JJE - Kathleen is from Annadale, Va. OM is Will-K4GEM. First licensed 1968 and works 40 CW and 2 Meter FM.

W4VOZ - Lori is from Lake Helen, Fla. OM is Gene-W4TYH. First licensed in 1961. Occupation - Handicrafts (historical).

WA5CKA - Beverly is from San Antonio, Tx. OM is Don-K5ALK. First licensed 1962 and is a member of Alamo YL's.

WB5OCX - Nancy is from New Orleans, La. She holds a Technician Class and is Mgr. of Admin. Srv. Div. in a local bank.

WA6AW - Hope is from Joshua Tree, Calif. Mother is WA6BJB. She is a student and holds a General Class Ticket.

WA6BJB - Betty is from Joshua Tree, Calif. OM is Edgar-WA6BJD. She holds an Advanced Class Ticket and is a Homemaker.

WB6DJO -KH6HGA - Margaret is from Van Nuys, Calif. She holds a General Class Ticket. OM is K6VC-Collie. She is a Housewife.

WA6IIG - Joan is from Santa Paula, Calif. OM is Jerry-WA6IBV. She enjoys painting, astrology and has varied interests.

WA7ZPM - Gloria is from Cornelius, Ore. OM Art (non-ham). Her father is WA7KZR. She is a student/housewife.

W7ZUQ - Rosemary is from Woodland, Wash. A reinstated member and we recall her OM is Frank-W7YIO, son WA7ASX and son is WA7ASY.

WB8PDP - Betty is from Cincinnati, O. OM is Charles-WB8PDQ. She enjoys camping, fishing, bicycling and needlecrafts.

WN8VEV - Ruth is from Owosso, Mich. Brother is WN8TGU. She is a student and belongs to ARRL.

K8MXS - Catherine is from Pedria Heights, Ill. OM is John-K8IRA and son is WB9NAW. Licensed since 1959 she works 40 and 2 meter fm.

WB9NCT - Dottie is from Porterfield, Wisc. OM is Ken-(non ham). She is a substitute church organist and mother of 3. Likes 75 and 20.

WN9REY - Dorothy is from Mundelein, Ill. OM is Wayne-WN9QGW. She is a Housewife-Grandmother. Brother-in-law is K3TPS.

WN9PPO - Edith is from Ellsworth AFB, S. Dakota. OM is Fred-WN9OUJ. Occupation is housewife.

KW6HJ/KH6 - Millie is from Pearl City, Hawaii. OM is Herb KW6HF-KH6IPS. They run MARS and Ham Radio traffic. Enjoy bowling and reading.

VE1AAO - Barb is from Rothesay, New Brunswick. OM is Dick-VE1ATG. Enjoys cw and traffic nets also reading knitting and bottle collecting.

VE1ADY - Judy is from Moncton, New Brunswick. OM is Norm-VE1ACA. Loves to read and enjoys sailing. They have 2 harmonics.

VE1APL - Joan is from Moncton, New Brunswick. OM is Ralph-VE1APM. They have 5 sons. She is a teacher and frist licensed in 1968.

VE1YV - Margaret is from Moncton, New Brunswick. OM is Ernest-VE1AG. They have 5 children and 3 grandchildren. First licensed in 1957.

VE1YW - Jean is from Moncton, New Brunswick. OM is Neil-VE1YZ. She was first licensed in 1974.

VE3EOR - Heather is from RRI Queensville, Ont. OM is Douglas-VE3CWO. An ex-hairdresser - enjoys sewing and cricheting and cake decorating.

VE7CJL - Elizabeth is from Burnaby, British Columbia. OM is Mike-VE7CJL. Enjoys 40 meters and local radio clubs.

73's

*Rose Ellen*

WA2FGS

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR - Continued from page nine.

YV5OKR—"Today I got the beautiful issue "Directory." Have to congratulate you otra vez. Real wonderful. I like the condensed report beside almost every YL. On the first look discovered several YLs who have born the same date I had. Hi. You earned a beautiful award and and I am hoping all the YL-s think the same way. We ever had such a clean, efficient Directory. I am so glad with you, because I can imagine your work and now satisfaction when all is over. Every detail has been so important you were exhausted to get the pages together. Occasionally QSP my greatfulness to all YLs they collaborated with you. My admiration and best thanks."

SILENT KEYS

It is with deep regret that YLRL reports that Ann Carnett, WB9IMH, and Evelyn Scott, W6NZP, both became silent keys on Sept. 13, 1975.

Congratulations to KV4II, WA9WOF, and WA2RXO for having successfully passed their Advanced Class exam.

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