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# ELECTION RESULTS

## 1980 YLRL OFFICERS

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6th Jeanie Parker, WA6UVF VE Tess Hardie, VE3HIR  
7th Shirlee Moore, WB7QOM

In addition to the 244 ballots counted for the election of 1980 Officers, there was 1 ballot received with no identification on the mailing envelope, so that it was impossible to establish membership status. This ballot was discarded and not counted.

AUDITED BY: Minerva Fronhofer, WB2JNL  
SUBMITTED BY: Ione O'Donnell, WA2DMK,  
YLRL Secretary

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## RESULTS OF VOTING FOR CHANGES IN THE YLRL CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS

ARTICLE III-OFFICERS (By-Laws) Sec. 2., shall be changed to:

The President and Vice President shall be eligible to succeed themselves for a second term, but shall not be eligible for a third consecutive term. (This does not mean that they cannot run for ANOTHER Office - only that they cannot hold Office of President or Vice President for more than two consecutive years.)

PASSED                      156 YES                      15 NO

ARTICLE VI-OFFICERS (Constitution) Sec. 3., shall be changed to: Only full, family, or life members who have been members in good standing for at least two consecutive years immediately prior to taking office shall be eligible to hold office as defined in Sec. 1 of this article, or one year in the case of District Chairmen (Sec. 2).

PASSED                      171 YES                      19 NO

In addition to the 171 ballots counted for the CB&P changes, there was 1 ballot received with no identification

on the mailing envelope so that it was impossible to establish membership status. This ballot was discarded and not counted.

AUDITED BY: Minerva Fronhofer, WB2JNL  
SUBMITTED BY: Ione O'Donnell, WA2DMK  
YLRL Secretary

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**Information** BY: Margaret, KI4W, YLRL Vice-President

### CONTEST RESULTS

We are deeply sorry about the errors made in computing the scores for the DX-YL CONTEST. In the CW portion, please note the following changes & corrections:

2nd Place CW: VK3KS

3rd Place CW: F9IQ

Phyllis, W2GLB, was "missed", Phyllis came in 4th Place in the Phone Section with a score of 1,102 points.

### AWARDS

#### TO ALL WINNERS OF CUPS AND PLAQUES:

Due to increasing costs of small orders, all cups and plaques will be purchased and engraved at the same time, when the 1979 YLRL Contests are completed and winners computed. These trophies will be then mailed as soon as they are completed.

We regret the delay, but the cost of small orders is prohibitive. We hope all winners will understand our problem.

We wish to congratulate you, each and everyone, for your fine work and high scores. Please join us in all our contests and we hope you are continued winners.

Signed: Margaret, KI4W, and the Vice-Pres Committee.

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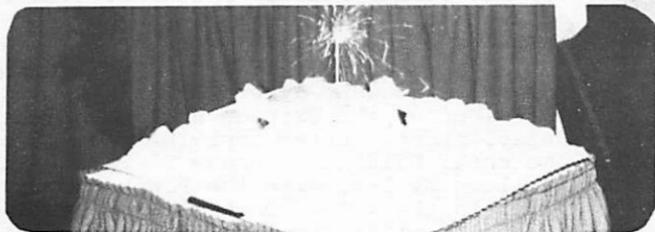
### *Message From the President*

Enjoy the Convention coverage!

Phyllis, W2GLB

Ed's Note: Phyllis made her message very short to allow space for the Convention pictures, etc.

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Birthday Cake, YL 40th Convention!!!

W2EEO Photo

# YLRL Information

**PREFACE:** Please send in your Ballot on this vital issue at once. The "RESOLUTION" states both the old articles and the articles as they will read after an affirmative vote of the members.

Please note that the "RESOLUTION" is typed in its entirety beginning on Page 5.

If you do not wish to remove this page from your copy of HARMONICS, this page may be duplicated.

## BALLOT

### RESOLUTION TO AMEND ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION of YOUNG LADIES' RADIO LEAGUE, INC.

Shall the Articles of Incorporation of the Young Ladies' Radio League, Inc. be amended as proposed to meet the IRS Standards for 501 (c) (3) status of the IRS code?

YES \_\_\_\_\_

NO \_\_\_\_\_



This Ballot must be returned to Ione O'Donnell, WA2DMK, Secretary. QTH: Newcomb, New York 12852

BEFORE 3 December 1979

NAME & CALL ON ENVELOPE PLEASE: THIS INFO IS NEEDED TO  
VALIDATE YOUR VOTE

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Yls: Eila, WA8EBS, has worked very hard for several years, gathering information and material, to bring us this IRS Ruling to "the last hurdle". Please give her and YLRL your support. Please VOTE on this issue, thereby letting Eila know that her efforts were not in vain.

To Eila and her hard working Committee; YLRL thanks you for your years of devotion to this project.

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BY: Jerrie, K6INK



Dear YLs: Again I face the problem of no space for all of our regular features, even for my own column!! Forgive me for being late with this issue. Stoney & I were on a months vacation sailing our local waters. In Newport we had an eyeball QSO with Francis, WB6QBZ, & her OM Ernie, WA6QCA. This was delightful after the extreme heat we had here... To add to my delay, shortly after arriving home, I had an "accident". The shelf holding my Drake TR-7 Power Supply, collapsed and fell on my leg, with the Power Supply gashing my leg, almost to the bone. The stitches were taken out yesterday, but I'm still limping!! Always something!!

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## R E S O L U T I O N

### RESOLVED:

That the provision of the articles of incorporation of the Young Ladies' Radio League, Inc. which now reads:

SECOND: The primary purposes for which this corporation is formed are:

To further cooperation among women radio amateurs; to develop proficiency in the art of amateur radio operation, and to further the interest of amateur radio.

In addition to the primary purposes, the corporation shall have the following general purposes or powers:

To engage in, carry on and operate anywhere and everywhere any and all business affairs, enterprises and undertakings which any citizen of the United States of America might engage in, carry on and operate, including any and all powers and rights of any such citizen to acquire, own, hold, deal in and dispose of any and all kinds of property, real, personal and mixed, tangible and intangible, including powers and rights to mortgage and sell and otherwise dispose of any part or all of its own corporate assets and property, subject only to any specific restrictions imposed by the laws of the State of California or the laws of the United States of America, and further, in addition to the foregoing powers which any such citizen of the United States of America might have in engaging in, carrying on and operating any such business affairs, enterprise or undertaking, to enjoy, exercise and hold any and all powers and rights which a corporation may enjoy, exercise and hold, including the holdings and use of franchises, licenses and rights of acquiring property by eminent domain, subject to any specific restrictions imposed by the laws of the State of California or the laws of the United States of America.

To form, promote and assist financially or otherwise, companies, syndicates, partnerships and associations of all kinds, and to give any guarantee in connection therewith or otherwise for the payment of money or for the performance of any obligation or undertaking.

To borrow money and to make and issue notes, bonds, debentures, obligations and evidences of indebtedness of all kinds, whether secured by mortgage, pledge, or otherwise, and generally to make and perform agreements and contracts of every kind and description.

To do all and everything necessary, suitable and proper for the accomplishment of any of the purposes or the furtherance of any of the powers hereinbefore set forth, either alone or in association with other corporations, firms or individuals, and to do every other act or acts, thing or things incidental or appurtenant to or growing out of or connected with the aforesaid business and powers or any part or parts thereof; provided the same be not inconsistent with the laws under which this corporation is organized.

The foregoing clauses shall be construed both as objects and powers, and it is hereby expressly provided that the

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foregoing enumeration of specific powers shall not be held to limit or restrict in any manner the powers of this corporation.

This Article SECOND: is amended to read as follows:

SECOND: The primary purposes for which this corporation is formed are:

To further education and cooperation among women radio amateurs; to develop proficiency in the art of amateur radio operation, and to further the interest and instruction of amateur radio.

In addition to the primary purposes, the corporation shall have the following general purposes or powers:

Said corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, educational, and scientific purposes, including, for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 )or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law).

RESOLVED: That the provision of the articles of incorporation of this corporation which now reads:

FOURTH: That the principal office for the transaction of business of the corporation shall be located in the County of Los Angeles, State of California.

This article is amended to read as follows:

FOURTH: The place in this state where the principal office of the corporation is to be located is the City of Burbank, County of Los Angeles, California.

RESOLVED: That the articles of incorporation of this corporation are hereby amended by the addition of new Articles, FIFTH; SIXTH and SEVENTH; to read as follows:

FIFTH: The names and addresses of the persons who are the initial Trustees of the corporation are as follows:

| Name:             | Address:                                      |
|-------------------|---|
| Jean M. Kincheloe | P.O. Box 1430, Los Gatos, California<br>95030 |
| Connie Hauck      | 794 W. 23rd St., Upland, California<br>91786  |
| Gladys Eastman    | Deceased.                                     |

SIXTH: No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, trustees, officers, or other private persons, except that the corporation shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes set forth in Article SECOND hereof. No substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office. Notwithstanding any

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other provision of these articles, this corporation shall not, except to an insubstantial degree, engage in any activities or exercise any powers that are not in furtherance of the purposes of this corporation.

SEVENTH: Upon the dissolution of the corporation, the Board of Trustees shall, after paying or making provision for the payment of all of the liabilities of the corporation, dispose of all of the assets of the corporation exclusively for the purpose of the corporation in such manner, or to such organization or organizations organized and operated exclusively for charitable, educational, religious, or scientific purposes as shall at the time qualify as an exempt organization or organizations under section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law), as the Board of Trustees shall determine. Any such assets not so disposed of shall be disposed of by the Court of Common Pleas of the county in which the principal office of the corporation is then located, exclusively for such purposes or to such organization or organizations, as said Court shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

RESOLVED: That the provision of the articles of incorporation of the Young Ladies' Radio League, Inc. which now reads: IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we, the incorporators and persons hereinabove named as directors, have hereunto set our hands and seals this 15th day of April, 1960.

(Signed) Gladys Eastman

(Signed) Connie Hauck

(Signed) Jean Kincheloe

This paragraph is hereby amended to read as follows:

IN WITNESS WHEREOF: we have hereunto subscribed our names this 30th day of June, 1979.

(Signed) Phyllis M. Shanks  
Phyllis M. Shanks, President  
Young Ladies' Radio League, Inc.  
7 Lake Circle Drive  
Vicksburg, Mississippi 39180

(Signed) Eila D. Russell  
Chairman of the Non-Profit  
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(Signed) Jerrie J. Stonier  
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# 'What you see is what you get' becomes 'you ain't seen nothin' yet'

**Kay Eyman, WA0WOF**

Members of the Young Ladies' Radio League (YLRL) had good cause for celebration when they met in Philadelphia 29 June through 1 July. Not only did they help fete America's 203rd birthday during Philadelphia's Freedom Week, they were also celebrating YLRL's 40th birthday during the 8th International YLRL Convention.

In honor of the occasion, Pennsylvania Governor Richard Thornburgh and Philadelphia Mayor Anthony Rizzo proclaimed 24-30 June to be "Young Ladies' Amateur Radio League Week." Two months earlier, Senator Barry Goldwater, K7UGA, had honored YLRL's services by reading an announcement of the convention into the Congressional Record.

Ethel Smith, K4LMB, founder of YLRL, briefly recounted the story of YLRL's origin. In 1939 she read an advertisement designed to attract the notice of YLs. Bordered in black lace, the ad noted that the contributions women had made to the service of Amateur Radio were going unrecognized, largely because no one even knew "how many of you YL key-twitchers

there are."

Ethel replied to this ad with an open letter to YLs, which was published in the July 1939 issue of *QST*. It read, in part: "Perhaps we should band ourselves together in a YLRL or something to that effect and make these women-ignoring editors sit up and take notice." Twelve other YLs agreed and responded to Ethel's letter.

By September of that year a constitution had been drafted and was approved the following month. The YLRL was born. It has since grown from its fledgling stage to an organization with over 1,400 members, representing more than 40

countries.

Ethel's address to the convention included two familiar phrases that aptly sum up YLRL's progress: "You've come a long way, baby... but you ain't seen nothing yet!" The 13 original charter members were recognized during a luncheon and information on their current activities was provided.



**PJYL president and convention co-chairwoman Sylvia Soble, W3SLF.**



**Convention chairwoman Christine Haycock, WB2YBA.**

COURTESY OF WORLD RADIO



TOP: Usha, VU2UGI,  
calling "CQ Stateside"  
on her all tube line up  
monoband transceiver  
homebrewed by her OM,  
Gul, VU2GI

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CENTER: SAYLARC luncheon held in Albany, NY.

Back Row, L to R: WB2MMA,  
WA2VIE, WA2DMK.

Front Row, L to R:  
WB2JNL, W2PVS, K1IZT,  
WB2RWT, W1ZEN, WB2MYI,  
W2UGY.



Lower Left:  
Jerrie, K6INK  
Ruthanna,  
WB3CQN.

## CONVENTION HIGHLIGHTS

For those of you who were unable to attend the 1979 YLRL Convention and 40th Birthday Party (you were truly missed!), we will attempt to reconstruct the highlights.

Thursday, June 28, YLs began arriving at the Holiday Inn, in Philadelphia, from all over the country. To add to the excitement, was the presence of DX YLs from England, Germany, Luxembourg, Swaziland, and Alaska.

The official station, W3YL, operated almost continuously from Thursday until Sunday, with YLs and OMs making contacts on all bands. The station call was that of Sandy Rutiser, with Drake Twins furnished by Jan-WB2JCE and an ICOM-22 furnished by Mollie-K3FYS. A nifty QSL card, designed by Rose Ellen-N2RE, has been sent (or hand delivered) to those contacting the station.

Registration began Friday and YLs congregated in the Hospitality Room and the radio shack for eyelash QSOs, to renew friendships, and exchange swaps.

Saturday festivities began bright and early with a breakfast for officers and committee members hosted by YLRL President, Phyllis-W2GLB. This provided an opportunity for officers to become better acquainted, exchange ideas, and approve revisions made by the CB&P Committee, who had worked long and hard on Friday afternoon.

At the YLRL Forum, chaired by Phyllis-W2GLB, 25 clubs were represented, and the following DX YLs were introduced: G4BML, LX1TL, DK9ZL, JA1AEQ, JF1WMY, 3D7AG, and WN7ABK. Officers for 1979 were also introduced.

Following is a thumbnail sketch of committee reports: EILA-WA8EBS reported that we now have our IRS reclassification as an educational, scientific, and charitable organization; this means a tremendous savings in postage.

ETHEL-K4LMB reported that the Scholarship Fund is currently at \$380, with \$300 pledged. The Fund is administered by the Foundation for Amateur Radio, but contributions should be sent directly to the Disbursing Treasurer and are tax deductible.

A panel of YLs, consisting of WA2QYZ, W5RZJ, WA8EBS, W3BIW, and G4BML related their experiences in various phases of ham radio; all were both entertaining and enlightening.

Phyllis-W2GLB reported that there are still a few copies of the 1974 Directory left. The YLs present voted to print another super-type directory next year and Blanche-K1IZT was appointed as chairman for the preliminary work of gathering material, etc.

MARTHA-W6QYL proposed assembling a world-wide directory of YL operators and requested the support of all clubs and YLs in searching out the names and calls of all YLs throughout the world.

Discussion was held on the timing of the next convention, with a majority favoring conventions in 1982, 1985, and 1989 to enable us to celebrate our 50th anniversary. The site will be announced as soon as one of the clubs volunteers to be hostess.

Madeline Greenberg-W2EEO and her OM, W2LH, gave a most entertaining and enlightening presentation of the best way to put up antennas. This was geared specifically towards YLs, so you'll probably be hearing some super signals in the near future.

YLRL LUNCHEON - With Sylvia-W3SLF acting as Mistress of Ceremonies, the YLs (and a few OMs) were served a delicious luncheon, followed by drawings for prizes. In the typical YLRL tradition, lovely prizes were donated by members and clubs, so each YL registered received at least one prize and many received two. The table centerpieces, a brainchild of Bert-W3TNP, were gorgeous floral arrangements depicting our girl on the globe and were given as prizes at the close of the convention.

YL/OM BANQUET - Always a festive occasion, this event prompted many of the YLs to don evening attire, which was truly beautiful. Councilman Melvin J. Greenberg, of the City of Philadelphia, presented Phyllis-W2GLB, YLRL President, with a citation from the City of Philadelphia, proclaiming YLRL Week in Philadelphia. He was thoughtful enough to bring along extra copies so that every person present received one. Entertainment was provided by the Sweet Adelines, whose choice of choral selections and harmony brought a touch of nostalgia to the audience. Louise Ramsey Moreau-W3WRE, as main speaker of the evening, held the audience in the palm of her hand as she delighted us with tales of prominent women in amateur radio throughout the years. And then there were prizes, prizes, and more prizes, which generated all kinds of excitement.

SUNDAY A.M. BREAKFAST - Following the invocation by Rose Ellen-N2RE, Beth Taylor spoke of her experiences in obtaining a license the the difficulties she encountered along the way, both in getting the license and operating her equipment with a handicap. Our celebrity speaker, BEVERLY WILLIAMS, Anchorwoman for KYW-TV, in Philadelphia, encouraged us as viewers to make our preferences in TV programming known to the station managers and also gave us a glimpse of the humor which occurs behind the scenes in the TV Newsroom. Liz-W3CDQ followed with sketches of YLs she has met through ham radio, and Claire-W6TON demonstrated her bell collection, explaining the origin and history of each bell. This is a truly beautiful collection.

At noon, Christine-WB2YBA reluctantly closed the convention, the YLs attending reluctantly packed their bags, and even more reluctantly bid fond adieus before departing for home, taking with them memories of a glorious weekend (and a few cases of laryngitis) which will be a topic of conversation for a long time to come.

(Contributed by Jan, WB2JCE; thank you Jan)

NOT FOR SALE  
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ALL THE MEMORIES of the  
YLRL 40th Anniversary Party,  
The sincere ENCOURAGEMENT received  
from thoughtful YLs,  
A MIDNIGHT QSO with  
YLs who truly listened,  
The clever SWAPS,  
including my frustration pencil,  
The THRILL of meeting our friends  
from across the seas and borders,  
Those SPECIAL THANK YOU NOTES  
from special people,  
Sorri Folks, they can't be bought, they are priceless.

Sylvia Soble, W3SLF

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Thanks to Vi, W2JZX, for the new "Headings" she made for HARMONICS.

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NOTE: Please note the correction for YLAP scoring:

- ARRL Section to DX - 2 points
- DX to ARRL Section - 2 points
- DX to DX - 1 point
- ARRL to ARRL - 1 point

All logs received within 30 days after Contest will be accepted.

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Linda J. Skjervem, WB5LMZ, of El Paso, Texas, is the new recipient of YLRL Scholarship.

Linda is a Jr. at the University of Texas, majoring in Electronics Engineering.

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YLRL sends thanks to Keiko, JA8EJH, and Harumi, JA8WQY, for the generous donation they sent to buy gifts for our Convention, and towards the Scholarship Fund. The Convention money was used to purchase prizes for the OMs lucky enough to attend.

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From Diana, G4EZI: It is so nice to welcome so many YLRL members to BYLARA. Please note that an error was made in computing dollars to pounds. The current equivalent value is \$4.00, not \$3.00 as previously printed in YLH. Our poor Treasurer is having to make the difference up herself! It is all my fault, I just don't understand high finances, hi, hi!!

From Mary, G4GAJ, BYLARA Editor: We would like to have a "postbag" type idea, a bit like the various District News in YL HARMONICS; with lots of snippets of news from people, rather than long articles as we've been getting previously.

Please send all news to Mary for inclusion in Newsletter -- news of holidays, new additions to the family, license upgrades, rare DX or new YLs heard, etc. Anything which might be of interest to other YLs to read, no matter how short. (Ed note; how nice to know that BYLARA likes HARMONICS!!)

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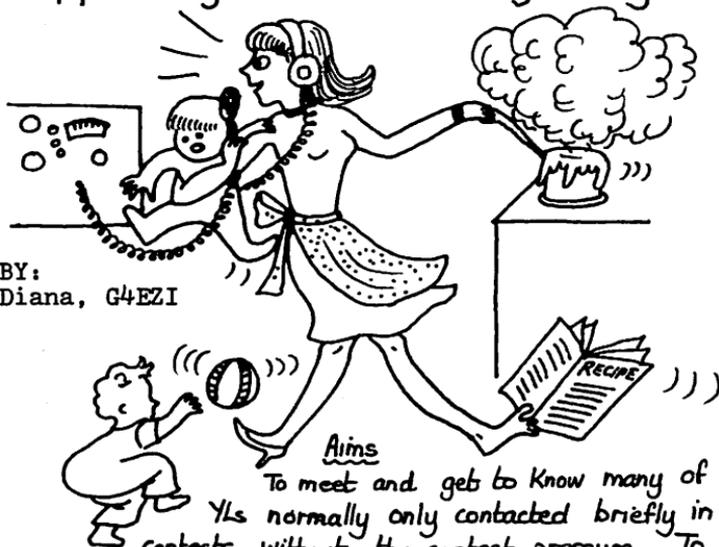
From Esther, W6BDE, BAYLARC Director: Please show a correction to indicate that G8LY, Constance; and ZL3AAB, Zelda; are adoptees of BAYLARC, & have been for years. Inadvertently, the club Treasurer, had been shown as sponsor. We worry that our two adoptees might think we had forsaken them.....

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AMATEUR RADIO GRANDMOTHERS' CLUB AWARD: YLs, when QSL-ing to another YL, please show your number and date of Award, enabling other Grandmothers and/or Great Grandmothers to earn their Award also.

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BY:  
Diana, G4EZI

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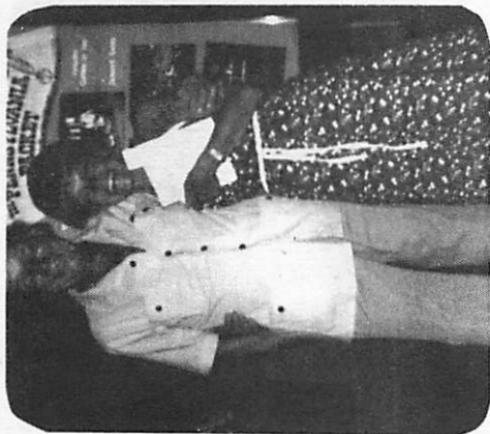
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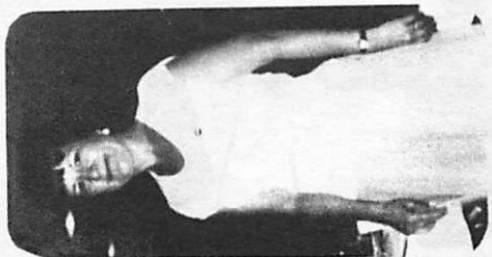
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Due to the many pictures, etc., in this Issue of YLH, there will not be any District News. Next issue, will, of course, contain the District News. My apologies to the District Chairmen, who so faithfully send in their news each issue. Any pertinent information received to date, will be printed on another page of this issue. I will try to combine the remaining news next time. Thank you for your understanding, Jerrie, K6INK.

Val, G4BML &  
OM Richard



? VE?  
Esther,  
WA6UBU;  
& OM Lyle,  
N6LB



K6INK Photos

Left: Jan, K6HHD

Right: ?; Molly, K3FYS;  
&  
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Center Top: L to R  
Jan, WB2JCE  
Bobbie, WA8ARJ

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Upper Left: L to R  
Jackie, W6YKU  
Jan, K6HHD



Center, L to R:  
Jan, WB2JCE  
Bobbie, WA8ARJ

Center Bottom: L to R  
Jan, WB2JCE



Lower Left:

Carrie, WA4BVD

K6INK Photos

Top Left: Rose Ellen,  
N2RE; Beth, W7FFG; VE?

Top Right: LX1TL, Lea &  
her OM Jules.



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Lillian, K8CKI,  
with OM JIM; &  
Bobby, WA8ARJ



Lea & Jules;  
Kay, WAØWOF



U P G R A D E

Congratulations to some very busy ladies.

Gerry is a new YL with a collection of calls: N1AMY for General class, March 1979. KA1FF for Advanced 17 May 1979. AG1U for Extra Class on 31 May 1979.

KA2EAU, Bonnie, passed her General in July.

WB2OHD, Peggy, passed her Extra Class along with her OM Tom, WA2OHD.

N2BAS, Dottie, now General Class, ex-WA2SHB.

WB3CEJ, Betty, passed General Class.

WD4NKP, Martha, now Advanced Class, as of 2 May.

WA8QPN, Verline, passed General Class in Jan. 1979

WD9UKD, Diana, now Extra Class.

A late note received from two YL-OM Up Grades:

WD4HHN, Kay, upgraded to Advanced; OM, KA4DBK is now a Novice.

WD4RFL, Evelyn, upgraded to General, along with her OM Henry, KA4BET.

Congratulations to all.

33, Myrtle, WA6ISY  
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 WA2RXO, Jean, WA2BGE;  
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Center: L to R  
 Lia, WA2NFY; Fumi,  
 JALAEQ; Toshi, JF1WMY

Lower Right: L to R  
 Toshi, Fumi, Ella



# CERTIFICATES

## CONTINUOUS MEMBERSHIP CERTIFICATE

Jackie van de Kamp, W6YKU, Custodian

The following CMC Certificates (or Stickers) were issued during January, February, and March, 1979:

|                 |                  |                  |
|-----------------|------------------|------------------|
| K1NEI - 15 Yrs. | WB6HOJ - 10 Yrs. | WAØNNC - 10 Yrs. |
| W1RTB - 30 "    | K6JHA - 20 "     | WØRAW - 20 "     |
| W1RYJ - 30 "    | W6QYL - 25 "     | WAØRRJ - 10 "    |
| WA1SRA - 10 "   | W6TDL - 25 "     | WAØTNI - 10 "    |
| K1USQ - 15 "    | K6VFE - 30 "     | KH6TI - 30 "     |
| W1ZEJ - 25 "    |                  | KH6YL - 5 "      |
|                 | K7CHA - 20 "     |                  |
| K2JYZ - 10 "    | W7DRU - 10 "     | WL7ACV - 5 "     |
| WB2RWT - 10 "   | WA7GVB - 10 "    | KL7AZJ - 10 "    |
| WA2RXO - 5 "    | WA7JNS - 10 "    | KL7FSO - 10 "    |
|                 | WA7LOQ - 10 "    |                  |
| WA3HEN - 5 "    | W7NJS - 30 "     | VE3DTW - 30 "    |
| W3SLF - 20 "    | W7NOB - 30 "     |                  |
| WA3UOC - 5 "    | WA7QQN - 5 "     | DJ9SB - 10 "     |
| W3YL - 20 "     | W7TGG - 25 "     | DL7TQ - 5 "      |
| K3ZDN - 15 "    | K7UXN - 20 "     | FG7XL - 5 "      |
|                 |                  | G3LWY - 20 "     |
| WA4IHA - 5 "    | W8EIR - 30 "     | HK5AZA - 10 "    |
| K4KUU - 10 "    | K8LGA - 5 "      | LA5HS - 5 "      |
| WB4SQU - 5 "    | WB8OUD - 5 "     | LA5IS - 5 "      |
|                 | WA8VTS - 5 "     | LX1YL - 5 "      |
| K5ECP - 10 "    | K8YFB - 15 "     | OH2YL - 5 "      |
| WB5GAH - 5 "    |                  | CH5SM - 20 "     |
| W5QWI - 30 "    | WA9EYL - 15 "    | VP8NY - 5 "      |
| K5VZB - 5 "     | WA9IYG - 15 "    | VU2CP - 5 "      |
| WA6BNS - 20 "   | WB9NUL - 5 "     | ZL3AAB - 5 "     |
| WB6GID - 15 "   |                  |                  |
|                 | WBØIKZ - 5 "     |                  |
|                 | WBØJBZ - 5 "     |                  |

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 From L to R: Jerrie, K6INK; Jan, K6HHD; Sylvia, W3SLF  
 W6YKU Photo





Foreign visitors Toshiko Someya, JF1WMY; JLRS President Fume Abe, JA1-AEQ; YLRL DX-YL correspondent Lea Swack, WA2NFY, and Ella Grindel, DK9ZL/W.

Photos by WAØWOF via Worldradio



Past presidents of YLRL: Posing in the back row are Carrie Lynch, WA4BVD; Janice Scheuerman, WB2JCE; Doris Anderson, K5BNQ; Blanche Randles, K1-IZT; Myrtle Cunningham, WA6ISY; Christine Haycock, WB2YBA. In the front are Leonice Woodward, WIZEN; Elizabeth Zandonini, W3CDW; Beth Taylor, W7NJS; Martha Edwards, W6QYL; Beth Newlin, WA7FFG; Eila Russell, WA8EBS, and Ethel Smith, K4LMB.

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Left to Right: Louisa, W5RZJ, with Myrt, ZL4GR; in New Zealand, where Louisa had a ball visiting old friends, & meeting new ones. Myrt sent along a gift for the Convention, with Louisa presenting a copy of "CQ YL" to Myrt.

Myrtle was the first licensed YL in New Zealand. In Feb. 1980 she will celebrate her 50th year of being a ham. Myrt is ex-ZL3AG, OM is Fred, ZL4AM. She remains active on the air. She is a lively interesting YL.

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## YL CENTURY CLUB CERTIFICATE (YLCC)

1 April to 1 August 1979, Onie Woodward, W1ZEN - Custodian

### CERTIFICATES:

KA5AZT, Mary Parsons  
 N7YL, Janice Weaver  
 YU1NEO, Dragan Dimitrijevic  
 WD4NKP, Martha King  
 W9CA, Robert Hotz  
 WB1ACA, Barbara Robinson  
 VE3CLT, Thelma Woodhouse  
 9H4L, Joe Cauchi  
 N3AHA, Stacey Jansen  
 WB2RWT, Gladys Zickler

### STICKERS:

|                  |     |      |
|------------------|-----|------|
| WB0MPC, Irene    | (1) | 150  |
| K0RDJ, Rick      | (2) | 200  |
| W7KOI, Earl      | (2) | 1000 |
| K4RNS, Marge     | (1) | 1200 |
| WA7IRD, Wilberta | (1) | 500  |
| HB9MX, Kurt      | (3) | 250  |
| WA9EZP, Irene    | (1) | 250  |
| F5RC, Renee      | (4) | 300  |
| W5MWK, Joyce     | (1) | 200  |
| WA4OIB, Lew      | (1) | 300  |
| WA1JYO, Vera     | (2) | 450  |
| DJ1TE, Christa   | (1) | 350  |
| DJ2UU, Hansgeorg | (1) | 750  |
| W1ZEN, Leonice   | (1) | 750  |

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### **IN SYMPATHY:**

Jessie Brabb, K7TWQ, passed away suddenly on 1 Sept. 1979. Jessie and her OM Clarence were very active hams in Idaho. Jessie was

active in MINOWs, having held the office of Secretary-Treas.

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**NOTE:** When hearing of the passing of a YL, please notify YLRL Secretary as soon as possible, so that a card may be sent to the family immediately.

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BY: LEA ZWACK, WA2NFY - DX-YL CORRESPONDENT

Today I would like to introduce all the new members, I am sorry I forgot to do this the last time.

To every one, our heartiest welcome, we wish you all many years of Happiness and Friendship.

C6AEN, Sister David works as a Missionary in Bermuda in the winter months and comes home to Maine in summer. We wish Sister David, Gods Blessings for her work.

DF4ZX, Isolde, we welcome her as a new YL and will be listening for her call.

DF3TE, Elfi's family all are all Hams, she is very happy to belong to YLRL. Elfi visited the USA last year and says she had a great trip.

YU1OKS, Vesna, wrote a beautiful letter, in English that was "written so well". Vesna has not been on the air due to the study she had for exams. She has now passed her exams and is a D.M., congratulations Vesna. We hope to hear you on the air soon on voice. Vesna used to work CW.

A4XHY, Ute, lives in a rare DX country, we all would like to have a QS0 with you.

G4HYL, Sheena, is a R.N. and works often in patients homes. Her OM is also a Ham, he praises YL HARMONICS and the great job the YLs are doing; thank you John. Both have visited the USA. We hope to have more QS0s with both of you.

AP2YL, Neveen, is now in England for a 2 year stay. We will be looking for you on the air when you get back to your QTH in Pakistan. For the time being, Neveen is the only licensed YL in Pakistan.

SM5HYL, Rozita, met her OM on the air after communicating with him for 7 years, hi!! A native of Hungary, she now lives in Sweden with her OM Ken. Her dream is to visit the USA. Rozita operates on the YL System on Saturdays and Sunday.

Note: de Editor, Rozita's sponsor, has invited her & Ken to come visit. I am trying to set up a sked with Rozita. I received the nicest & warmest letter from her thanking me for sponsoring her. She is on phone, but does work some CW.

HB9BIR, Alice, is the first YL to win an Award for Foxhunting, congratulations Alice. They are a family of all Hams, which include her OM and their three sons. Great!

G4EYL, Ann is a busy YL, other hobbies include sports, sewing, and camping. Ann is marrie to a RAF Serviceman. We wish you a speedy recovery from your knee surgery.

VU2UGI, Usha, is from Bombay. OM is VU2GI, they have a "lively" little boy. Usha is interested in Kindergarten and Montessori teaching. She & the OM built their own rig.

There are very few active YLs in India.

VK6YL: Gill writes long & interesting letters about her activities. When her daughter Mandy was ten and very busy with her Jr. Girl Guides, Gill decided to study electronics, at which time she discovered HAMS, and decided that was for her! With the assistance of many amateurs, an 80 ft. tower was erected, climaxing in a lovely "Open Tower Day" with 200 attending, resulting in a lot of cooking!

OM Bob is not a ham, he is interested in big & little motor cars & steam engines. Gill enjoys T-Hunts. She was born in England but has lived in Australia for the past 25 years. Gil and Heather, VK2HD, have a sked going on 14.170 at 0730Z, daily except on Tues, called the NATTER NET.

NOTE: There is now a VK-ZL YL Net on Tuesdays at 0930Z on 14.332 and Thursdays at 0930Z on 14.295. All YLs are welcome, either alone or with their OMs (YL-OM Team).

VK2HD: Heather loves to talk to YLs and find out abt themselves and their countries, says she has learned a lot via Ham Radio. Heather is so happy to be a YLRL member thru the sponsorship of Pat, WB0SXN.

G80GX: Mary hopes to take the exam for a higher license in the future so that she can work her sponsor and other YLs. Mary belongs to the newly formed BYLARA and writes the Newsletter for them in Braille for any YL who requests it. We wish to thank you for your service Mary.

LX1TP: Patsy, daughter of our well known Lea, LX1TL. We will be listening for you Patsy, happy hamming.

I0MLX: Lilia is from Rome. We hope to hear you on soon, Lilia.

G4IAQ: Judith is the Secretary of the new British YL Club, BYLARA. We wish her along with BYLARA, many new members and many happy years together.

ZL1BPM; Lorraine has two daughters and one son. OM is ZL1APS. She enjoys knitting. Lorraine won the WARO Trophy in 1979 for getting the most contacts in 4 hours.

VP8QG: Dee lives in the beautiful Falkland Islands. We found the perfect sponsor for her, Amy, KB4QG! May you both have a happy friendship for years to come.

ZS6AB0: Kuki, So. Africa, is a Dress Designer. She enjoys Ham Radio and is active daily on 10 & 20 Mtrs. Kuki is a member of CLARA and is the President of SAWRC. She enjoys being active and making new friends. OM is ZS6AK, Mannie, they have three boys, 11, 9, & 7 years old.

ZL2QY; Pearl is recovering from eye surgery, and we wish her all the best. We are so happy for the first contact with Pearl and the ZL YLs. A special thank you to Pearl for helping YLRL grow and sending new YLs to us.

To all the new members, welcome and happy hamming.

ZL2AZY: Binny sends a lovely letter. She is the President of the New Zealand YL Club. She is very busy with the Convention, Nets, & visiting Hams. Binny works for the Government in Walkway Developments and Forest Parks.

OELYHW: Gisela is a new YLRL member who keeps very busy with her home and two children, as well as working part time. She has been licensed since 1976, but is not very active; her QTH has 80 people, so TVI is a problem! Gisela says she hopes to see America again and be able to spend more time on her next visit.

DLIMS: Juliane is a very busy YL. She loves Transmitter hunts. All are hams in her family, they enjoy skiing. Juliane sends special thanks to her sponsor, Dorothy, K7ESA.

G4GSZ; Lauraine is President of her local Radio Club and is very busy preparing for their next Hamfest, plus taking care of two lively boys. She was thrilled to have contacted the first ZK YLs. Her OM worked the mobile rig into W7 Land, not bad at all!!

ZL4GR: Myrtle is approaching her 50th year as a Ham. Our congratulations, dear Myrtle. She was pleased to meet Louisa, W5RZJ, and her OM Joe. Grateful thanks to the WRONES who adopted Myrtle.

Y04UJ: A beautiful Easter card was received from Mary. Thank you very much, we are looking forward to meeting you on the air.

PY1DVQ; Barbara loves to write letters and is happy her sponsor keeps in touch. Receiving her YLRL Membership Card was the greatest Easter gift for Barbara. She loves to correspond with US YLs.

Listen for the PY YLs on the BRYLA Net on Wednesdays on 14.200, 1800Z.

JR3MVF; Kyoko "Miyo" is so glad to be a YLRL member. She and her OM visited Europe, where they had a chance to work the ITU station in Geneva. JA Hams are not allowed to use Repeaters, so they were happy to be able to use them in Germany. Miyo had an eyeball QSO with Anne, F6CYL. In Japan Miyo is very active on 15 & 20 Meters.

F2SQ; Alice works CW most of the time. She did not find many YLs in the Contest. A Lady Amateur for 10 years, Alice is married and has 3 children. One son is also a Ham.

9VITT/WA40TN; Madge sends 73 & 88 from Singapore, where there are only about 40 licensed Hams, with only one other YL. Forty & Eighty Meters are very limited. A recent Convention brought many Hams together, with a good time had by all.

ZS6GH: Diana likes travelling with her OM. On their last trip to Europe they slept in 34 beds! They met many YLs and received a warm welcome every where they went. Diana keeps in touch via Radio and mail. Another hobby of hers is stamp collecting.

DK8LQ; Gertrude is a Nurse. Her work along with her home & children keep her quite busy. We hope to have a contact with you soon.

HB9ARC; Greta is too busy as a Dentist, we miss her on the bands. C U Agn during vacation time. All the best.

G3NOB; Rita writes such nice letters; Yes, I love the Post Cards with views from the QTH. I keep them in a

special album, along with YLs pictures, when I have one! I am waiting for a long QSO about the beautiful wildlife, birds, and flowers in your country. Best wishes to all from Rita.

HB9ACO: Helene tells about the 50th Swiss Amateurs Celebration -- all of here send good wishes for this special occasion. Helene is the Secretary for all the 3300 members, of which only 38 are YLs. So far she is "up to her ears" in correspondence for the great event. We will have to wait until she retires to have a QSO; we are sorry to hear that! Helene hopes everyone had a very good time in Philadelphia.

DL3SL: Uschi and her OM travel quite often. They always remember us and send pretty postcards from their travels. We thank you and we hope auf ein Wiedersehen in USA soon.

VK3KS: Mavis visited VK4 Land which she enjoyed. She is a very active YL. Mavis was the lucky winner of the Hager Award in the 1978 YLAP. She enjoys YLH, but sometimes it takes 3 months to arrive, so sorry to hear that. (de Editor, I hope now that Mavis is getting YLH via Airmail that she doesn't have to wait that long for delivery of YLH!) Mavis hopes we will have more VK YLs, as there are more Novices now.

11MQ: Ada, we hope your are feeling better now; we are listening for your Call again. All the best to your family.

HB9YL: Anny has a little Grandson. She works part time with older people. Anny likes to work CW, and now that she has more free time, will try to call us.

P24OK/VK2AOK: Jane sends thanks to her sponsor, Chris, WB2YBA. Jane has a baby boy who keeps her busy, along with her vegetable garden.

There are 2 YL Novices in Papua, New Guinea, and along with Jane we hope they will upgrade and join us. Novices can only operate on 10 & 15 Meters. Jane is the Treasurer of the Radio Society, a very active group with abt 200 members. Communication is very vital in her Land; she says she is proud to be the first licensed YL.

JH1GMZ: Akiyo sent the Contest Rules for the JA YLs Contest to be held in September. We have to wait for a QSO until her house is rebuilt. Good luck, Akiyo, the pictures are lovely, thank you!

G3JZP: Jean found a dear friend in her sponsor, Donna, W8QOY. With low power and a poor antenna system, it is hard to make contact with the States. Jean lives near 6 small villages; she enjoys hill walking, music, dressmaking, and traveling by trailer to South West Scotland during vacation time. Jean's OM is a volunteer for the National Institute for the Blind.

G4HES: Shirley likes the US type of exam better, which uses more CW. In Great Britan, CW is not used much after the Exam. Shirley is teaching a Ham course for blind people in her Club, G4GRL. The idea of the course was Shirleys; great going Shirley. We will be listening for all of you.

OE6YHG: Greta sent along some interesting information in her letter; All YLs in OE Land have the letter Y in their call. Also, many OE YLs have only the so called "little license", which limits them to 2 Mtrs.

Greta is looking for a new QTH with enough room for all their hobbies, which include Ham Radio, Railroads, etc. We are looking forward to many contacts with you, Greta, from your new QTH. Good luck to all of you.

ON6RW: Mart met many hams & had a great time at the big Hamfest in Friedrichshafen. We are looking forward to meeting both of you next year in the USA. Good health!!

SM5XCX: Gunilla is happy to be a YLRL member. She would like to hear from her Sponsor more often. Most of the SM YLs work, resulting in few contacts. Gunilla & her OM, who is also a Ham, live on a farm with their two children. She works as a Secretary & loves her work. We hope to make contact with you soon Gunilla.

DF2SL: Anny was visited by JR3SQN, & her OM JRSQM. A wonderful time was had by all. I will talk more about this visit later, as it was a long letter, and I don't know where our Editor would find space to print it!!

I was so pleased to meet the following DX-YLs at the Convention: LX1TL, Lea; J1AEBQ, Fumi; JF1WY, Toshi, G4BML, Val; 3D6AG, Gerry; and DK9ZL, Ella. We send our Best to all and hope to meet all of you, plus many more, at our next Convention. Love to all.

Vy 33, Lia, WA2NFY

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BY: STELLA L. McPHERSON, WA4WPN, CUSTODIAN

The following WAS-YL Certificates were issued for the first six months of 1979:

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| K8BFD  | WD9ELT |
| K0RDJ  | K0UBP  |
| WB7OHB | WD9HNE |

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OE-6-YL-AWARD

The OE-6-YL-AWARD is issued by the YL-Club Styria in Austria. AWARD issued only for contacts made after 26 April 1976. OE-Stations need 50 points, Europe and DX-Stations need 25 points. One OE-6-YL counts 10 points, other OE-YLs count 5 points. This AWARD can be worked on all Amateur Bands. Each YL can be worked on each band one time.

Send application with GCR-List & 10 IRCs to: Gerda Krainer, OE6YKG, Paigweg 6, A-8570 Judenburg, Austria.

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## LET'S GET ACQUAINTED



## Introducing Some New Members

BY: Marilyn, WB9MFC  
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NLAGD: Michele Bartlett from Newington, CT, Ass't ARRL Membership Services, OM Jim is K1TX. Operates mostly VHF, Tech, former call of WB1FAU.

N1AMY: Gerry McKenzie from Methuen, MA. General class., OM Lionel (Mac) is not a ham.

KA2A0Q: Donna Tompkins, Pleasant Valley, NY. Donna is a happy homemaker, OM Bob is WD2AGM, daughter Kimberly is a Novice, KA2AOR. Donna is a General.

N2AZJ: Sofia Diers from Elmhurst, NY, Tech ticket, OM Tracy is W20QK. Sofia is an Investigator, her former call was KA2DJW, she is active in RTTY.

KA2CLX: Elsie Finkelstein of Troy, NY has a General ticket, occupation is Education. OM is Alfred, N2AKW.

KA2CQX: Janice Bond of Moorestown, NJ is a Novice. OM Gene is WB2UVB. Gene's father is WA2MGU, uncle is K2OHM. Janice is a housewife and part time Nurses Aide.

KA2DJN: Dorothy Braverman of Linwood, NJ. Dorothy is a Novice, OM Nathaniel is a retired Eng. with the call WB2CBB. Daughter Marilyn is N2AXN. Dorothy is a "Domestic Engineer".

Dorothy was the winner of the food processor at YLRL Convention. Jan, WB2JCE, & her houseguest, Jerrie, K6INK, had the pleasure of seeing the big smile on Dorothy's face when the prize was delivered to her in Linwood.

KA2DWU: Margaret Diana Cassaday, Monroeville, NJ, has her Novice ticket. She is a substitute teacher. OM Frederick is not a ham.

KA2EAU: Bonnie Stevens, of Stone Ridge, NY, is a Novice. OM Derwin is W2ILW. Bonnie is a homemaker and partime early childhood education consultant.

KA2EHZ: Christine L. Taigel, Pennsville, NJ, General ticket. OM Karl is WA2PGU. She is secretary to High School Principal; a member of Salem County RC Inc., Salem County Repeater Assoc, & SAYLARC.

WB2JXF: Mary Davenport, Tonawanda, NY, Advance ticket. OM James, WA2RUK, son-in-law is WA2BUN. Daughter is also a ham but no call was listed.

N2APF: Dorothy Lovely of Ocean City, NJ, has her General, is active on low bands as well as 2FM. OM is Richard, N2AEJ.

WA2PUP: Cora Albertelli, Bronx, NY, is a Novice. Cora especially enjoys CW. Other ham in family is Sharon, WB2AYK.

WA2TYQ: Theresa McHale of Lake Hiawatha, NJ, has her Advanced ticket. OM Ted is AJ2H. Daughter Maureen, N2AVG, was licensed at 12 years of age & is now working on General.

KA3CEO: Jeannie Doncaster, R.N., is a Novice, she is taking Code & Theory course at local Community College trying hard to get her General. OM Richard is WB3AJC.

KA3DIF: Darlene V. Nicholson from Parkton, MD. She is a Novice, occupation Housewife. OM John is KA3CGE.

WB3DYA: Barbara G. Brocklehurst is a Secretary, Philadelphia, PA, with the former call of WALMYI from 1969 to 1976.

WB3FQH: Margery "Betsy" Robinson from Peckasle, PA. Betsy is a R.N., holds an Advanced ticket. OM Russell is WB3FQI. They have an 8 month old Harmonic, Garrett. (By the time this appears in YLH, Garrett will be "several" months older!!)

WA3HEW: Dorothea Hilbert of Devon, PA, is a Tech. OM Edwin is NJ3ACM.

WA3INJ: Agnes Duffy, Norwood, PA., has her General. OM James is not a ham. Agnes is a retired Communications Op.

WB3IYB: Jeanne V. Gridler from Scottdale, PA, is a vending machine attendant. She has her General ticket. She is a widow, OM Richard was W3SJB.

WB3KFK: Lee Ann Watkins, Scranton, PA., Advanced Class. Lee is a waitress & loves to roller skate. She is a member of MARS and also holds a Third Class Comm. ticket.

KA2GFF: Mrs. Alberthine Mount-Burke of Salem, NJ, has a Novice ticket. She is an Engineer/Instr.

N4AVS: Dorothy "Dot" Ellis, Atlanta, GA, Tech ticket. OM is TOM, N4AVT. Dot is an Asst. Administrator at a bank.

KA4EEO: Joyce Tomanek of St. Simons Island, GA, holds a Novice ticket. Ex OMs Call, W8WAL for 40 years. Joyce, a "Fellow Ham in Labor Relations says, 'What a Call for a YL,' --KA4EEO--Equal Employment Opportunity." !!!!!

KA4FGI: Deborah "Debbie" Silas from Largo, FL, with a Novice ticket. OM is JIM, KA4DAH. They have 2 children, Andrea, 3, & Jennifer 1. Andrea loves listening to CW. She enjoys writing poetry and rag chewing. She operates QRP, 1-1/2 watts.

KA4FQK: Therese "Teddy" Kamis, Marietta, GA, holds a Novice ticket. She is a Receptionist. OM Jim, WA4PAF.

KA4GNJ: Stephanie L. Neill, a Novice from Brentwood, TN, is a 3rd grade student. Father is K4XG. She was first licensed in Jan. 1979.

WD4MJS: Mary H. Albrecht, St. Augustine, FL, is a teacher, has a Tech ticket. Mary's former call in April 1965 was WN4ZGB. OM Joe is WA4EYY.

WA4MNU: Bessie Stell from Winder, GA, has a General ticket. Bessie is a Legal Secretary. OM Pierson is W4FEW. She is active on CW and enjoys chasing DX.

WA4ORX: Patricia Reckinger, QTH is Arcadia, FL. Pat has a General ticket. She is a Deputy Sheriff, Farmer, & Housewife. She chases DX, raises chickens, rabbits, cattle, & works a large garden. She also loves to cook & bake. OM is Leon, WB4HYH.

WA4PUO: Juanity "Petey" Hubbard, from Peachtree City, GA with a General ticket. OM L.R. "Rudy" is WA4PUP.

KB4QG: Amy L. Rothrock, Huntsville, AL; Advanced ticket. Occupation: "At home with young children". OM John AK4Z. Amy's former calls; WN7SHK, WA7SHK, & WD4GSQ. She is studying for her Extra ticket. Amy is a member of Huntsville Area YL ARC HAYLARC. She likes to do Public Relations work in Radio, using the News Media. She likes CW, Contests, & DX. Hobbies are jogging and gardening.

WA4URY: Marian Adamson from Atlanta, GA, with a Tech ticket. She is a Systems Analyst. OM Richard is WA4NAO.

WN4WDR: Syble Clark, Riverdale, GA. OM is Glenn, W4LCB. Syble has a new General ticket. She was a novice in 1952 for 1 year, re-licensed in March 1978, upgraded to General in August 1978. She asked for her original call and got it.

KA5BBB: Doris Morgan from Dallas, TX with a General ticket. OM Jack is W5LQR. WAS while a Novice. Sponsor "Ham-Com" Dallas 79, DART (Dallas AR Team) 2 Meters.

N5BCG: Mary Lester from Oklahoma City, OK, has a General ticket. Her former call was KA5DAU, which she held for 3 months. OM is Dr. Eugene, Jr, who is not a ham. Their son Greg is KA5EIT.

KB5CJ: Carol Kirby, Lawton, OK, has her Advanced ticket. Carol's former call was WD5CPU. OM Phillip is KB5CL.

KA5CMQ: Debra "Dee Dee" Yingst from Houston, TX. Tech ticket. OM Vic is WD5DDR. Occupation is Electric Tech. She holds a 3rd class Radio Tele. and is working on 2nd class license. She has written an article called "Exploits of XYL" for CQ Magazine.

KA5DRA: Jane Dreker from Taylor, AR is a Novice. OM Claude is KB5DM. Jane is a Housewife.

WD5FMP: Linda Thompson of Greenville, TX, has a General ticket. OM is Dick, WD5FMQ. Linda is an active member of TYLRUN.

AK5H: Monita McLemore, ex WB5JKY, of Jackson, MS, has her Extra Class ticket, is a piano teacher. OM Harry is WB5FLP with an Advanced ticket. Monita holds 5-BWAS, DXCC, YLISSB, Geritol Net (since becoming extra), 3905CC MSSB, & 7233. She is also active in MS 10-10 on 28.

WB5VWB: Agnes Ellisor, Houston, TX, Advanced ticket. OM Charles is WA5FMK. They have 4 harmonics, 2 girls 14 & 15, 2 boys 13 & 9. They are active on CW and Slow Scan TV. Agnes is a Secretary and Commercial Underwriter for an Insurance Co. They are members of TCARS. (Twin Counties ARS) Charles is V-P and Agnes is Treas., completing their 2nd term. This is a training club to help people get their licenses.

WA5ILY: Betty Merritt from Many, LA. Betty has her Advanced ticket. OM Lavell is WB5ILX.

WD6AXA: Maryrose McNair of Torrance, CA, holds a General ticket. "My OM is the interesting one in the family! I am a retired (tired?) teacher, now working as Art Consultant for same district. I work CW - all bands, and try out

homebrew equipment of OM, Bob, W6MPZ. Member of United Radio Amateur Club, San Pedro, CA. Hobby is licensing Novices. OM & I have sponsored forty-one with two more expecting. I love gadgetry & all crafts."

N6BCY: Rosemarie Pitz, Long Beach, CA, has a General class ticket. She is single and a retired R.N. (Navy) Note from Editor: I met Rosemarie aboard the Queen Mary's Radio Room, W6RO. Rosemarie has taken over the job of sending QSLs to the hams working the station. Rosemarie is a lovely YL and deserves a lot of credit for the excellent work she is doing. She is a member of The Associated Radio Amateurs of Long Beach, Inc., the club that sponsored W6RO.

N6BEF: Jerry Curtis from Redondo Beach, CA, has an Advanced ticket. Om Robert is N6ECH. Jerry's former call in the 1950s was WNØBZU. She operates on the 2nd Sat. of each month on the Queen Mary stn, W6RO. She is a member of RACES and UARC (United Amateur Radio Club).

AG6C: Betty Bravin of Santa Rosa, CA. has an Extra Class ticket. OM Hopyy is WD6CKP. Betty's former calls were WD6CKR and KB6CF.

KA6DFB: F. Louise Jackson of Los Angeles, CA, has a Novice ticket. Louise is a bank employee. OM Donald is WA6YOK.

WB6DIH: Helen Raye, Santa Cruz, CA. General ticket. Helen is a retired R.N. OM is Frank, WD6DJW.

KA6DZS: Karen Peterson from Aptos, CA, Novice ticket. OM Lloyd is AA6T. Karen is a telephone operator.

KA6EZU: Ada "Jan" McLernon from Oxnard, CA is a school teacher, has a Novice ticket. OM John is KA6CWJ. Jan is planning to upgrade. Son Scott is waiting for his Novice ticket to arrive.

WA6JSG: Barbara Colton from Long Beach, CA has her General ticket. Barb is single, a R.N. at the VA Hospital, and is attending classes at Cal State, Long Beach.

WA6LNH: E. Mae Washburn, Westminster, CA, has her Advanced ticket. OM Hugh is WA6IEX. Mae is a secretary, her primary interest is RTTY.

WØMFW: Gladys Brattland of Long Beach, CA has her General ticket. OM is Armond, K6EA. The "Ø" call was issued in Minnesota but is used more now in CA.

WB6PCS: Alice Fuka from Canyon Country, CA with a tech ticket. OM Ron is WA6ZQY. Ron's former call was K9WRO.

KB6P: Edith Elizabeth (Betty) Baldo of Berkeley, CA. OM Cris is AI6S. Betty is a Life ARRL Member and has an Extra Class ticket. She is a member of East Bay ARC and Mt. Diablo ARC.

WA6PJN: Jewell Glasscock from Madera, CA. She has a General ticket, is a teacher, and is single.

WB6VRE: Cecile Oosterveen from Glendale, CA, has an Advanced ticket. "Ceil" is married, but did not list OMs handle. She is a member of Lockheed ARC, W6LS.

WA6YEO: Adrienne Jacoby from North Hollywood, CA., has an Advanced ticket, is a teacher, and is single. Adrienne is presently teaching a licensing class for the San Fernando Radio Club. Her father is Herb, KA6CVT, a "graduate" from Adrienne's class!!

WA6ZTW: Evie (Evelyn) Brightman from Long Beach, CA. with a Tech ticket. Son is Howard, K6OSD, OM is Nate, K6OSC. Evie is a member of YLRC-LA, & The Associated Radio Amateurs of Long Beach. OM Nate is "Chief OP" of the Queen Mary Radio Room, W6RO, having worked many years to accomplish this feat.

WA6ZVN: Ruth Wyborny of Earp, CA, has a General ticket. "I live in Wheel-er-In, Sp. 21." Ruth likes to paint and crochet.

KA7ADM: Karen Sue Elliot, Miles City, MT. Karen has a General ticket. OM, Dr. Jim, is WB7WBA.

N7AKH: Alice Shepard, Marion, MT, former call was WB7WBP, has a General ticket. OM Francis is W7HAH.

KA7BML: Jeri Berberick of Sheridan, WY, has a Novice ticket, is a Legal Clerk. OM John is KA7ACM.

KA7CNE: Lavelle Birmingham from Scottsdale, AZ, has a General ticket, is a R.N. OM is John, WB7SOV. Their daughter is a ham, call not listed on Application.

WA7COR: Marilyn "Jane" Smith from Joseph, UT, Conditional ticket. OM is Dan, WA7COQ. Former calls: WØIDM & K5IML. Jane is a member of YLISSB.

KA7DBY: Cora Heyl of Torrington, WY, with a Novice ticket. OM Bob is WA7ALI. Cora is a teacher.

KB7DV: Elizabeth (Betty) Haskell of Tucson, AZ, has an Advanced ticket. OM Willard "Bill" is AC7D. Betty's former call was WN9WGR. Son-in-law is WB7VFW. She is a member of AZ Cactus Net and AZ Traffic Emergency Net, RACES, Tucson Repeater Club and Old Pueblo RC. She is also active on 2FM.

KA7ETX: Florence O. Reitzel of Seattle, WA with a General ticket. OM is Irvin, N7AWK. Flo is a Secretary-Bookkeeper. She upgraded to General in 14 weeks.

WA7PUX: Kathi Brown from Coeur d'Alene, ID is a retired teacher of Piano, Flute, and Clarinet. She is now writing fiction, working 3 to 5 hrs per day. OM Warren is W7KFP. They have built their new home in a secluded and wooded 25 acres. Kathi is desperately looking for an active YL in Albany, GA. "GOT ANY LEADS, GALS?" Kathi is active on 2FM, & 20 & 40 Mtrs. They are 18-1/2 miles south of CDA, near Verda, K7UBC.

N8ANC: Garnett L. Gillispie of St. Albans, W.VA, holds an Advanced ticket. Garnett is a widow. Son is K8LZ, daughter-in-law is K8VQ. Her former call was WD8EOC. She enjoys DX and has 5BWAS, DXCC, WAS-YL-WAC, & is a YLISSB member.

WD8BMK: Ruthanne Weaver, Cincinnati, OH, is single & has a General ticket. She is a Music student. Father is Jim, K8JE, sister Kathy, 14 years old, is WD8DAN.

WD8IAD: Pauline Nowak, of Canton, MI, Advanced ticket. OM Ken Sr. is WD8IAE. Ken, Jr. is 13, his call is WD8KCP. They also have a 15 year old daughter. Pauline enjoys DX.

KB8JK: Marianne Morgan of Saginaw, MI, Advanced ticket. OM W. Duane is AA8N. Daughter Katherine, 15, is WD8RHS. Marianne enjoys reading, corresponding with many of the DX hams that she meets on the air. She enjoys working CW.

WD8LPP: Ann Degenhart from Newark, OH, has her General ticket. OM John is WD8RDV, daughter is WD8OPQ.

WD8QAD: Judith Frye, Dayton, OH, has a General ticket. She is a teacher and Mother. OM Charles is not a ham. Judy is a member of the Buckeye Belles.

KA9BAC: Beryl Pedersen of Juneau, WI, Novice ticket. OM Roy, K9PHI, is SCM of Wisconsin for 3 terms now.

NOTE de Marilyn, WB9MFC: "We are very proud of Roy & his dedication to Amateur Radio and Wis. Traffic Nets, & WX Nets. Just a lovely couple. Guess this makes Beryl '1st Lady of WI'!! This is a pleasant surprise to hear she is a ham and studying to upgrade."

WD9BCG: Patsy Creapo of Neenah, WI. OM Ralph is not a ham. Patsy has her Gen. ticket. Hobbies are County Hunting, CW, and SSB. She is working on CW 5BWAS & CW DXCC.

WD9BCZ: Theresa Gilbert of Terre Haute, IN. OM Wayne is WD9BCR. Gen. Ticket. They have a 2-yr old son, Bryon. They are interested in sports, piano, organ, sailing, reading, & gardening. They are active on 2FM.

KA9CAM: Margot Manning of Kankakee, IL, is single, a student, and is a Novice. Mother is Carol, KA9CUA.

KA9CUA: Carolyn Manning of Kankakee, IL, is a Novice, daughter is Margot, KA9CAM. Carolyn is a Social Worker.

KA9DTE: Linda Hamende from Reddick, IL, has her Novice. OM is Scott, WD9EVV. They have 2 sons, 4 & 1 yr. of age. Linda enjoys crafts of all kinds, is a Piano Teacher. Before her marriage she taught K-12.

WD9EGA: Margaret Burmeister of Greenleaf, WI. Novice ticket. OM Virg is WB9MHS. She is a plant worker.

WD9HDU: Edna Hibbs of Rockford, IL, has her Novice. OM William is not a ham. Edna is a Beautician.

WD9HEE: Margaret Rapp, Vincennes, IN, General ticket. OM Del is WB9UXG. She is a retired Beautician. Their son Neil is 8 years old - Worlds Youngest Ham - with the call WB9VPG "Very Proud Guy"!! Neil was the Worlds youngest ham at age 5, had his Tech at age 6, received his General ticket when he was 7. Margaret says she is "Happy Easter Egg."

WB9NXW: Wanda Smith of Summitville, IN, has her Advanced ticket. OM Gene is WB9KQT. Brother-in-law is WB8FBN. Wanda is an active Local Skywarn System, and as a Communications Division Member of C.D.

WA9QQE: Fern A. Wehrheim from Baldwin, IL is a part time Postal Clerk. OM Pete (Elbert) is K9TFB. She holds a Gen. ticket. She a member of the Breakfast Club, #814, Hoseman of Red Wagon Widow. Also member of Marissa Amateur

Radio Club (2Mtr Repeater).

WB9SAV: Ruth D. Banks, QTH is Neenah, WI. Ruth is a Homemaker, has her Advanced ticket. OM Charles is K9IS, som is N9ER.

WB9SFT: Sharon Harlan is a student from Rockford, IL, with a General ticket. OM is Gene, WB9MMM. Their 13 yr old son is KA9BXA.

WB9ZNA: Karen M. Thorne, a Novice from Neenah, WI. OM is Robert, K9DAF.

Note from Marilyn: "Congrats on ticket, "Drunk After Five"! Is this a pleasant surprise to me, I have met Karen and Bob at WTH WEST ALLIS, WI Swapfest. Karen was Bob's logger during the County hunting trips. I know Karen was "hitting the books", hi....

WDØCIQ: Barbara Bauer, Fort Morgan, CO, has her General. She is a Housewife. OM Donald is WDØCIP.

WDØCKM: Elaine Scott from Springfield, MO, Advanced ticket. OM Perry is WDØCKN, daughter Gail is KALCVI. Elaine is an Accountant, originally from MA. She likes to knit, enjoys reading. She is the Secretary of Southwest MO ARC.

WDØEDR: Dorothy Williams is a Novice from Oak Grove, MO. Dot is a housewife. OM John is WDØEQU.

WDØGVC: Marian Smith of Kansas City, MO, has her Advanced ticket. OM is WBØSSB, Lawrence. Other ham in family is WDØGWL; no other info listed on application.

WBØHKN: W. G. "Gene" Meador of Florissant, MO, is a teacher, holds a Tech. ticket, and is single.

WBØOMP: Helen Gray, Platte, SD. OM Charles is not a ham. Helen has her General ticket. Their son is WØSAD (not sure abt this call, sorry), daughter-in-law is WAØUFS, and grandson is NØAIT.

KØRCO: Pauline Harris, Excelsior Springs, MO. OM James is KØEET. Pauline is a General - says "For a very short I was a Novice, a shorter time a Tech, now a General". She is a Ceramin Instructor.

KH6INK: Jolly A. Peterson from Aiea, Hawaii, has her General ticket. Jolly is a Counselor. OM Lavern is KH6EKQ. Other hams in their family is KH6INJ & WA6UIW. No names were listed.

NOTE de K6INK: I am so happy to have my Hawaiian counter-part join YLRL when I sent her an Application. This came abt from a letter I received from Sarah, KH6CBT, who told me abt Jolly and sent me a copy of the column Jolly writes for a Hawaiian ARC. Looking forward to working you on the air now. I answered a CQ from Hawaii one evening and the OM came back to me saying "Hi Jolly"!! He was confused for awhile, hi!!

KL7BJ: Terry Ann Pilcher of Eagle River, AK, who is in the process of moving to MS. Terry has her General ticket & is a Secretary. OM Jess is KL7JEA.

KL7CV: La Yonne Davie of Willow, AK, is a housewife & has her Tech. ticket. OM Leroy is KL7CUK.

VE3COH: R. M. "Mary" Hedges of Scarboro, Ont. Canada has her Advanced ticket. She is a member of CLARA, TRILLIUMS, and Scarboro ARC, and works all bands. OM Thomas is VE3GZV, son Rick is VE3GJI.

VE3ILT: Audrey Cuthbert of Scarborough, Ont., Canada, holds an Advanced ticket. OM is David, VE3HVR. Audrey is active on all bands; is on the Executive Board of SARC Inc., and the Ontario TRILLIUMS. She is a Homemaker.

VE7CBK: Bobby Kelly of Richmond, B.C., Canada, holds an Advanced ticket. OM Archie is not a ham. Bobby is a housewife and a member of CLARA, YLARA, & NZART.

VE7DVG: Janis Lynn Cameron of Port Alberni, Canada. Class of license not shown on Application Form. Janis is a Clerk. She works mostly 2 Mtr at the present time. OM is Garry, VE7DZR.

A comment from Marilyn, WB9FMC, who sends all the New Member info typed to me for retyping: Any gal having the opportunity to take the CPR classes at their local Red Cross - Do take them, I did and am glad that I did. It is better to know it, and not need it, than to need it and not know it.

Happy DXing to all, 33, Marilyn

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NOTICE: Two corrections received regarding NEW MEMBERS, we are sorry for the errors, but it is not an easy job, at times, for Marilyn to read some of the handwriting she has to "decode"! No offense to Mildred or Verline, just a hint!!

K5LUZ: Mildred Bell, OM is K5LVA. They have been retired for 11 years, and both have had their Advanced ticket for 18 years.

W8QPN: Verline Ferris, OM is Don, WB8JYX, and owner of Ferris Radio. Verline is a member of MARAC #1064, TASYLS #57, and an associate member of Buckeye Belles. First licensed in 1965, upgraded to General in January 1979.

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## Let bygones stay gone

L to R: Toshiko, JF1MWY; Fumi, JA1AEQ; Art, W2LH, & W2EEO.

On 20 July Jerrie Stonier, K6INK, was the guest speaker at the San Fernando Valley (CA) Radio Club on the topic, "YLs in Ham Radio and YLRL." She had just returned from attending the YLRL Convention in Philadelphia, as the editor of *YLRL Harmonics*.

She conducted a very bright and amusing program when she asked each YL present to tell how that woman became interested in Amateur Radio. As a long-licensed operator, Jerrie described the difference between days past and "today" when it is commonplace for a woman to be a ham.

"Gone are the days," she said, "when an OM would write on a QSL, 'You have a good fist for a YL!'" She gave high praise to the OMs who have encouraged women into the once-male hobby. □



## A YL IN THE SOUTH PACIFIC

By: Aola Johnston, ZLLALE

PREFACE: Aola is a new YLRL member, and during her DXing, gave many YLs new Countries. Due to lack of space, we will print her story in serial mode, as it is a delightful tale!

"When I first heard Ian, ZLLBCG; my OM Dave, ZLLAMN; & good friend Eddie, ZLLBKK, talking of a South Pacific DX-pedition, I did not for one moment think I would be involved. After the men had had preliminary talks & made tentative plans, Eddie found that due to business considerations, he would be unable to go. It was at this point that Dave asked me if I would like to accompany him and Ian on their trip. Hardly believing my good fortune, I quietly agreed, not daring to let those mere males hear my old heart pounding away.

Preparations began in earnest when we visited Polynesian Airlines and were advised of their Tri-Islander air fare scheme. This meant that in addition to our planned visit to Niue Island, we could as a bonus also visit Tonga & Western Samoa at a minimal extra cost. Naturally this idea appealed to all of us and bookings were promptly made. As we now had confirmed dates we began the task of advising people around the world of our plans. In a very short time I began to realise that I was going to be a much wanted YL in the countries I was about to visit.

I began to spend a fair amount of time on the air and found that people everywhere were awaiting our operations. Dave & I planned to stop over with Phil, 5WIAU, and his XYL Annie at Apia in Western Samoa, awaiting the arrival of Ian before moving on to Niue Island as guests of Harry, ZK2AE. On our way home we would spend five days with Bill, A35WL, & his XYL Joan in Tonga. Many skeds were kept with these good folks & plans, dates, times, etc. were worked out to everyone's satisfaction. It was during this time Phil mentioned to me that it would be advisable to bring cotton underthings up to the tropics. This became my #1 problem. The purchase, or more specifically the locating, of light cotton garments in the middle of a N.Z. winter is no easy task, believe you me. After several fruitless trips all was in order, bags were packed and weighed. rigs checked out & cleared with Customs and all systems were go.

Out of bed very early on Sat., 7th July, a hasty breakfast and off to Mangere airport with a crisp 3 deg. of frost hanging in the air. Formalities were soon over, although a certain amount of interest was shown in our "cabin baggage" -- mine consisted mainly of a remote VFO for our 101 whilst Dave's WAS the 101!! Our Boeing 737 took off at 8:20 AM & headed north into a beautiful, almost cloudless, sky. Dave was hoping to see the Kermadec Islands on the way but it was not to be. Clouds gradually thickened & followed us north until we landed at Tongatapu airport in the Kingdom of Tonga, about 2 hrs & 33 min. after leaving NZ - what a change, the temperature was around 85 deg. and I felt very much overdressed. My first impressions of the Pacific Islands were Coconut palms, very flat terrain and oh that beautiful warmth. No more woolies for the rest of the trip....."

(Sorry, but will continue in YLH, #6; 3 more pages to 'go')  
(de ed: Welcome to Aola, my new adoptee.....)



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