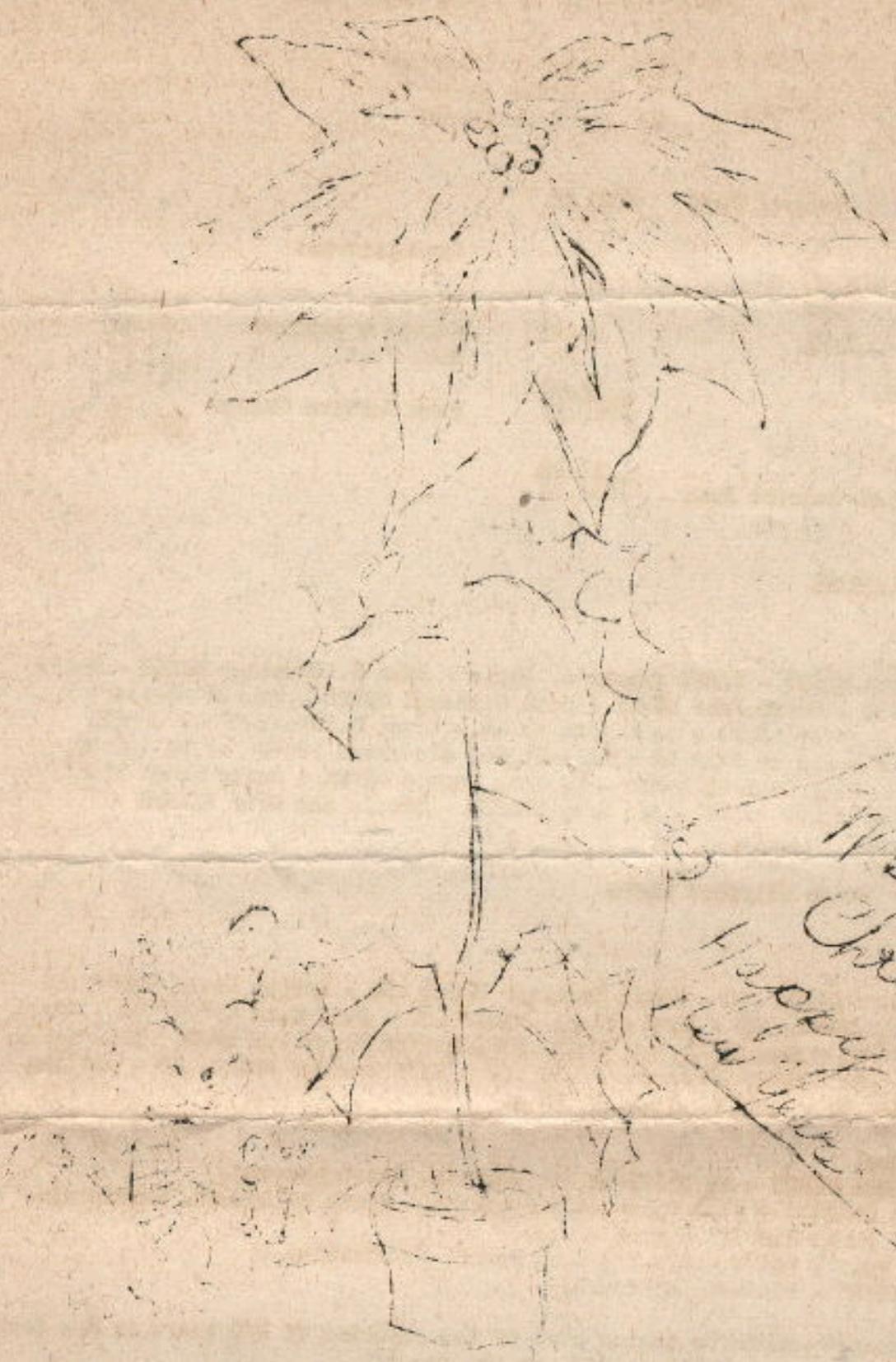


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 Christmas!  
 Happy  
 New Year!

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YLRL FINANCIAL REPORT  
November 1943  
By W6WNC SECRETARY

Balance of YLRL General Fund \$321.30

Ines:

Renewals \$10.50  
New Members .50  
Donations 7.00  
18.00

Stationery sold 2.00  
\$341.30

Expenditures: 47.54  
Balance of YLRL General Fund \$293.76

Expenditures:

Postage \$ 1.09  
Editor's expense 30.21  
YLRL Pins 15.93  
47.23  
Bank Service Charge .31  
\$47.54

Secretary's Corner

Renewals:

Helen Thompson W9JPT - W9EFW Esther L. Davis - Edna G. Cummings W9IKS - Mamie Hamilton W9WQ - Clara Fehr W9JMI - Ruth Silbaugh W8VWL - Ramona Eberhart W8SKZ - Ann Webster W9HYO - Ruth Mask W6WQK - Carol K. Witte W6WNV - Enid Aldwell W6MFP - Eunice Falconi W3YA - Miriam Blackburn W3JUG ex W3 - Mary LeVar W3FXZ - Ruth Grabner W2MEG - Lillian Ruocco W2PMA - Anita McKee W2NGO - Marge Sovocool W2UBC ex W3 - Ann Gray W2LSPH - Gloria Ann Gray W2LSPH - Lida King W1GOT

New Member: Edith Clifford W1PIG

Donations:

Helen Thompson W9JPT .50 - Mamie Hamilton W9WQ .50 - Esther Davis W9EFW .50 - Ruth Silbaugh W8VWL .50 - Enid Aldwell W6MFP .50 - Ruth Mask W6WQK .50 - Carol Witte W6WNV .50 - Eunice Falconi W3YA .50 - Miriam Blackburn W3JUG .50 - Mary LeVar W3FXZ .50 - Marge Sovocool W2UBC .50 - Ruth Grabner W2MEG .50 - Lillian Ruocco W2PMA .50 - Lida King W1GOT .50 -

New Addresses:

Edith Clifford W1PIG - 14 Williams St. Faverly, Massachusetts.  
Lenore Conn W2NAZ/6 - 4653 Colwater Canyon Ave., North Hollywood, California.  
Phone Number Sunset 21855.  
Mary Ethel Peffly W6TCN - Box 334 Long Beach, California.  
Ruby Word W6WRT - Willard, Missouri.

Thanks to Lenore W2NAZ for taking care of the election of D/C there in New York  
Congratulations to you Lillian W2PMA as the new D/C.  
Results of the election -- Anita McKee W2NGO votes 6 - Catherine McRadden W2NGO votes 6 - Lillian Ruocco W2PMA votes 15.

Birthdays:

Dec. 2 Ellen White W2REU  
" 4 Letha Dangerfield W9OUD  
" 6 Marty McVay W7KCU  
" 8 Miriam Brown W7JFB  
" 9 Dorothy Willett W8UDA  
" 9 Ramona Eberhart W8SKZ  
Dec. 11 Elizabeth Zandonini W3CDQ  
" 12 Jeanette Grabscheid W6PZA  
" 13 Leta Bush W9LED  
" 18 Gladys Nichols W8SIF  
" 18 Catherine Barclay W3LSZ  
" 23 Louise Braya W6LDV  
" 25 Rose Reiffin W2LU

My very best wishes to You All for a VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR.  
From Your Secretary, Helen W6WNC

If there has been any changes, in any of your calls, will appreciate if you let me know at once. Thanks.

First District

D/C Bea Myers W1NSA

W1NSA Bea has finally finished the transmitter and wonder of wonders- it works. At least it loads the dummy antenna. Just waiting now to get the proper meter and hook up to the antenna, then I'll be QSOing you.

What's the matter girls? No news in the first district this month? Or are you eli too busy Christmas shopping? Let's do better in 1947. Until then a very best wish for a Happy Holiday Season.

Bea Myer

Second District:

Sub D/C Clara Regor

Attention Second District Members - 1630 Undercliff Ave.  
Your new D/C is Lillian Ruocco - W2PMA whose QTH is Bronx 53 New York  
Send your news to her and lets all help her have a good first month by sending in a lot of news.

W2KUG Mina writes taking care of the "small fry" keeps her from her rig. However, while taking the baby for a stroll in the park, she met the XYL's of W2LES, who is out for her ticket; W2OLW and the niece of W2ADW, Mina and her OM W2LLE worked simultaneously with rigs back to back. He worked W3RVI and she with the YL5L round table.

W2RUF Clara still plugging with the old mine and hoping something will soon be done about it. Also tried to get in the YLRL contest but the only YL I heard was Y4YL and couldn't contact her. Were all the gals on phones? Would all you girls working on 40 and 30 meters drop me a card with your freq, as I would like to make aaked with you. All news received before the first.

W2TU Rose, is now using FM and says it's the answer to BCI. They are looking for a new QTH in Conn. Her dream is a kilowatt.

W2NAG Lenora writes her mobile tranx worked on their way to Calif. She says they heard more DX on ten meters in two days than in a year in NYC with a SX33A. They were using a Gen-Set converter on their car radio and 50 watts. The November meeting of the NZC club was devoted to discussion about the YLRL Constitution revision with everybody in favor of increasing dues to \$1.00 a year and other changes which will help the National Organization. Very glad to welcome Anita, W2RGO to the meeting. The club presented W2NAG with beautiful blue satin bed jacket. Lenora says "Many Thanks again." The second district feels badly about losing Lenora. She was a very efficient chairman and her reports were interesting and brief. We wish you much happiness at your new QTH.

Clara - Sub D/C

Third District:

No Report

D/C Frances Darns W3AKB

Fourth District:

No Report

D/C Bessie Stock W4RWS

Fifth District:

D/C Eunice Falconi W5ZA

W5JTW Judy has her rig on the air at last. She is on 40 CW freq, 7216. Her radio club is having a banquet December 7th.

W5HSEK Fan Wells and OM are in California enjoying the mobile rig.

W5ZA Eunice has returned home from the Mayo Clinic. The OM is much improved. Still rebuilding but not on the air as yet.

Sixth District:

D/C Clara Dishong W6TDL

W6UHA Maxine has been upholding the DX reputation of 6th district having contacted: SK1AA Cook Islands, OQ5BL Belgian Congo, ZB3A Gibraltar on ten Meter Phone. Also worked W2OAA/JS Korea on Twenty Meter CW. Had the pleasure of working J2EUG Yokosuka, Japan (a former 20 meter CW traffic contact) on Ten Meter phone. Not to mention J2EUG's Pleasure at hearing Maxine.

W6TCN Mary has sold her home in Long Beach and is sojourning in Santa Barbara. Mail addressed to Box 334, Long Beach, California will reach her, as she still retains that mailing address.

The Los Angeles YLRL Club with W6WSV Carol, W6UXF Enid, W6WQR Ruth, W6MWO Helen, W6WVR Lou, W6UEA Marine, and W6TDL Clara in attendance went on record for the following recommendations:

FOR HARMONICS: Radio news preferred, with personal items of travel, education, other hobbies and family secondary; and Home Economic items listed as least desirable.

Recommended no change in the already established name YLRL.

Have taken for their project, under Helen, W6MWO, bringing the YLRL Scrapbooks up to date. Would welcome any late additions to the YLRL record. So please give the news items and pictures for YLRL history! (Send direct to Helen Cook, W6MWR, Secretary)

W6NTE Enid is busy compiling and evaluating the suggestions regarding amendments to our constitution. She advises that recommendations have been representative of all districts and very constructive. Feels gratified by YL's interested response.

W6TDL Clara has been holding personal Qsos for the families of Pacific GI's with stations W6RUP/KGC Guam, KALABA Manila P.I., J9ANA, J9AAK of Okinawa and J9AAG Tokyo. Has handled g.t. traffic for the above stations and also for J2BJG Yokosuka, J26JF Tokyo, J9AGP and J9ABF Okinawa.

Seventh District:

D/C Lizette Wolf W7HDS

All received before the first.

W7HHH Bea, returned from a trip to the west coast. Started to work the last week of the SS Contest when the filament transformer went to ground and the OM "Carl" had to wind a new one.

W7HYO Ann has been teaching first and second grades but likes the second best because there is less QRM there. Experienced some summer static condx with thunder and lightening followed by a November blizzard.

W7IOI Helen is now living in Lombard, Ill. and will soon be on the air sharing the OM's BU610.

W7JTB Marion suggests arranging skeds with their D/C to get news for Harmonics. Had some real DX with Ireland on ten meters. Worked W7JKX Inez on 80 CW and looking for more YLs on 20 and 75 meters.

W7HDS Liz, Gave a party for 20 YL's of the local radio club members. Will handle some Xmas traffic for the boys at the Vet's Hospital here, who I met while serving on a Legion Auxiliary Committee. The new rig will have 813s in the final.

Merry Christmas to each of you and make mine merry with more news.

Eighth District

D/C Katherine Henry W8Y0J

W8YBL Margaret, who has been using the OM's call, plans to start building her own rig after Xmas. She has worked some DX. Her best results being J9AGS, PA01DW, a K6 and a VK6.

W8WUT Avis is looking forward to a contact with South America to complete her WAC. She also is working on a WAS with 33 states worked and 31 confirmed.

W8SFP Helen is not on the air yet due to the OM and her being very busy. Is interested in an Ohio 75-meter net and would like to contact others active and interested on this band. How about it Girls?

W8Y0J Peggy busy with her new job and other things. Plans to work on the new rig by the first of the year. Best wishes to all of you for a happy holiday season and the best of everyting in the new year.

Ninth District

D/C Harryette Barker W9KSA

W9KSA Harryette, expects to go home (Kansas City) for Xmas. She hasn't been home for a year and is looking forward to it.

W9E0Z Wilma, has her new cell but no rig. She had a pleasant visit and dinner with Leta W9EED and her daughter Shirley in St. Louis. Wilma's future location is uncertain but she hopes to stay in the 9th district.

W9MNR Helen is enjoying being home again after her years at Scott Field. She expects to be on the air soon.

W9MCE Et is keeping up on her code as chairman of a Chicago Hamfester's code class.

8th District

D/C Loretta Ensor W9UA

W9ZML Mertha has been in the San Fernando Valley of California (lucky girl) since Sept 15th. She was called there by the serious illness of a sister and will go to another sister to help care for her sick mother. Says she is the family's nurses aide for the past two years. (Did we say lucky?) Has been trying to get on ten phone but parts are not available. She still has a small emergency rig. They sold the best of their equipment to the army in '45. Their 500 watt rig is still on the air at Rapid City. Her OM YUR had a tranx on 40 and 80 which he left at home. Draws attention to the fact that their district 8 means nothing. Hi, it's awful.

W9OUD Letha's Stencor P-60 of pre war service has gone out. Oscillator, rectifier and filter went out one night during traffic sked and a few nights later a screen bypass followed. About only operation is the MO. traffic net at seven each night. Contacted W9MLY for the first QSO and a pleasant chat, but had worked her OM W9KWA often. Letha's brother ex W9IGW now W9VHX is in St. Joseph, Mo. with the Highway Patrol.

Y9WJ Joanna and John announce the arrival of the little harmonic, born November 13 at 10:12 A.M. Weight 8 pounds 9 ounces. Name, John Glen Jr. and called Glen. Looks like his Dad with red hair, green-blue eyes and tall. Mother, Dad and baby doing nicely, thank you.

A YL Xmas by Clara Reger W2RUF

'Twas the night before Xmas, and all was so still,  
Children all put to bed, the stockings all filled,  
Dad reading his paper had fallen asleep,  
Worked hard all evening, trimming the tree.

The moon was so bright on the new fallen snow,  
And twelve midnight had not far to go,  
When all of a sudden, without any warning  
A spark pierced the room, the family came running.

Mother sat at her rig, headphones on,  
Excited and smiling, her eyes, they just shone,  
"Do you hear Santa?" the children cried with glee,  
"To my dears, I've just hooked Africa for my J.A.C."

A merry Christmas and a Happy New Year to you all from all the Officers,  
District Chairman, and your Editor and hoping for a successful year for YLRL.