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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

As you can see, we have again changed the method of producing YL Harmonics. This is called "Photo Offset", and was suggested by Dot Evans, WLFTJ. It is a more economical method, with our members doing more of the labor. I hope you like it! Thank you, Dot!

July 1, 1955, is the effective date of the revised constitution and by-laws, determined by the majority opinion of your officers. The Nominating Committee is proceeding with its function. The new officers will assume their duties as of that date and, if that portion of the revised constitution is voted in, they will serve an 18-month term, to get YLRL on a calendar year.

If you should be honored with a nomination, give us a chance to vote for you. None of the offices are ogres; your circle of friendship widens, you learn a lot, and may even enjoy yourself!

The appointment of Advertising Chairman is still unfilled. If you feel that you may be qualified, please write to me, otherwise that field is going to be abandoned.

The service of handling subscriptions is being discontinued. Beulah, W4DEE, reports that it hasn't been a success. Thank you, Beulah, for your cooperation.

Received the announcement of the arrival of Peg Ferber's boy. It's not many publications that can say their editor took time out to have a baby! Mary, W6LBO, has edited this issue. Thank you, Mary!

33, Vada, W6CEE

VICE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Due to the lack of 100% report from the participants in the Anniversary Party, I had no recourse than to allow scores to remain as reported. My deepest thanks to the girls who were considerate enough to send in confirmation and scores.

To the girls sending in suggestions for permanent plaques to be given winners in future contests, I can only recommend that you give the idea thoro consideration and present your suggestions in YL Harmonics, thru' your D/C. I shall be happy to accept all suggestions and present them to the total membership for consideration.

33, Gilda, W6KER

FROM THE SECRETARY

Our thanks go to Barbie Houston, W3OQF, for printing the billheads and donating them along with the envelopes and return envelopes for YLRL. Thanks again, Barbie!

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YLRL has presented to Margaret Wells, W1BCU, Junior Past President, a beautiful Acrostic Testimonial on parchment, composed and completed by V1 Grossman, W2JEX.

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From Madeline Greenberg, W2EEO, Chairman of YL Harmonics Cover Contest Judging Committee: First Place Winner - V1 Grossman, W2JEX; Second - Dell Daykin, W3AJR; Third - Janet Poulson, W7RRM.

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From Lenore, W6NAZ: "Our forthcoming YLRL DIRECTORY is almost ready for you! It will contain a complete list of our members-in-good-standing plus a descriptive paragraph of every YL who returned the questionnaire enclosed in the last issue of Harmonics. Makes fascinating reading, is a handy "Who's Who" and will help you get WAS/YL and ILCC! Details of Certificates, Nets, etc. Future orders should be sent to Distribution Chairman: Gladys Kastman, W6DXI, 735 Glen Ave., Glendale 6, Calif. Available to anyone who sends a dollar, including OMs. (Profits will go into YLRL Treasury.) Please spread the word."

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Here's another net for your list: The Texas Round-up which meets on 3880 KC Thursdays 9:30 AM CST W5RIY NCS, W5ZTB, Alternate NCS

YLRL CONVENTION NEWS

Enclosed is this issue is a folder on the Miramar Hotel, the QTH of the convention June 25 & 26. Maxine, W6UHA, urges those who wish to stay there to get their reservation in early, for June is one of the busiest months.

Elsa Wheeler, W6JZA, 6453 Livia Ave., Temple City, Hospitality Chairman, will arrange housing for those who wish to visit in local YL homes. The earlier the reservation, the better chance there will be, as there are only 50 club members, and not all of them will be able to have guests.

Convention tickets for YLs are \$10.00, which include all events, and \$6.00 for OMs, which excludes a lunch. The YLRC/LA is not planning to make a profit on the event and, according to ARRL convention policies, will absorb any financial loss.

RESULTS OF ANNIVERSARY PARTY

Phone Section		CW SECTION	
1st: Barbie, W3MAX	22,320	1st: Lois Ann, W4YIJ	6,612.5
2nd: Lillian, W8HWI	17,100	2nd: A tie; Arlie, W4HLF, and	
3rd: Lois Ann, W4YIJ	16,528.5	Dot, W1PTJ	6,375
4th: Sybil, W7WYM	15,400		

By Districts		By Districts	
W1VGS 11542.5	W5WUX 1620	W1PTJ 6375	W4RIG 2250
W1MCW 6580	W5REJ 1275	W1WPI 5362.5	W4BIR 1340
W1MPX 5445	W5TTU 125	W1YIM 2187.5	
W1RLQ 2700	W5WXY 50	W1RLQ 1625	W5WXY 240
W1UZR 1815		W1VGS 1125	
W1QON 1072.5	W6QGX 7455	W1YNI 438	W6PCA 1487.5
W1RYS 367.5	W6QOG 4600	K2DYD 1218.75	W6EHA 481.25
W1PTJ 4 cntx only	W6UHA 2400	K2CUQ 500	W7SIF 187.5
W1VFK 4 cntx only	W6EHA 1861.5	K2IWO 120	W7VIJ 156.25
	W6CKE 1500		
K2IWO 11857.5	W6GQZ 1200	W3QFJ 3656.25	W8HWI 4250
W2EBO 1040	W6PCA 1155	W3TYC 2450	W8OTK 600
K2DSL 675	K6ANG 900	W3MAX 1100	
W2OWL 472.5	W6WRT 858	W3CDQ 45	W7FVE 2600
	W6KER 375		
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W4HLF 15840	W7WYM 15400	W8HWI 17100	W7EFW 6037.5
W4KYY 13125	W7ULK 7837.5	W8HUX 4320	W7FVE 3277
W4RIG 10335	W7OOY 6660	W8ATB 2600	W7ERR 2625
W4SGD 6250	W7TGG 5940	W8DNF 1920	W7JWJ 1260
W4CIV 1137.5	W7RVM 5160		W7ZWL 675
W4BLR 420	W7SNR 1755	W9AQB 10920	W8MRJ 495
	W7VYG 1620	W9LOY 3375	
W5SPV 3885	W7HHH 1250		VE3AJR 5400
W5RYI 3697.5	W7QJE -	W6OMI 11962	

CLUB NEWS

Milwaukee YL Club has slated election of officers, according to W9WYJ.

San Diego YLRL, once a real livewire and disbanded for a couple years, is now in full swing, with Alice, W6GLP, as president.

YLRC of San Francisco held Inas Party and elected the following: W6QMO, Jeri, President; W6PCN, Peggy, Sec-Treas.; and KN6GDC, Klvi, and Kay, KN6HIN, Board of Governors. The group served as hostesses for the SFR's Dec. meeting. W6CEE, Vada, YLRL President, flew to S.F. to attend the Installation-Anniversary Dinner in January.

LARKS' annual Christmas Party at Younger's Restaurant was gay with games and a late supper. Mid-month meetings have been initiated to shorten the business at regular meetings. Big plans in store for YL Midwest Convention. New members include W9LDE, W4LHP, W9KFC, W8ATB, W9WYJ (all YLRL, too) and W9LAS.

YLRC of Los Angeles held its traditional Christmas Party and began the New Year at a new meeting place. The 50 members have outgrown the old one. Seventy-five put on their best bib and tucker for the annual YL-OM Valentine Banquet in Feb. Among many special guests were Ethel, VE3DTN, and Evelyn, W9YWE.

Long Island Unit of YLRL, Vi, W2JZX, reports the following as newly-elected officers: President - KN2EQU, Min; V. P. - W2KAE, Lynne; Secy-Treas. - K2CFF, Joyce; Board of Directors - W2UXM, Sally; K2KDP, Dottie; & KN2EQU, Min; Delegates to L.I. Radio Council - KN2EQU, Min; and KE2JHQ, Barbara. First meeting of the year was held at V.P. W2KAE's QTH.

New York City YLRL; Madeline, W2EEO, reports the following as newly-elected officers: President - W2IQF, Lil; Secretary - W2MVV, Alma; Treasurer - Helen Zaparn (Assoc. Member). They held their annual luncheon Feb. 19, at Susan Palmer's Restaurant in N.Y.C. Regular meetings are held at the N.Y. State CD BQ. Eight members have volunteered to man the rigs there.

NOVICE CORNER

News taken from D/C's reports.

W1LEFC, Sunny-is a Registered Nurse; has two jr. ops...W1LHRS, Sue-has left us temporarily. She sailed from N.Y. Dec. 7th on Norwegian Freighter "Ferncape", with two other passengers, bound for Egypt. From there she went to the Holy Land; will return the end of March or first of April.

KN2IZE, Marion-Condolences on the sudden death of her dear OM, Morton. She will soon be active on 80...KN2JHQ, Barbara-stepped on a rusty nail and after tetanus shots and penicillin, is on the mend...KN2DFN, Dot-in spite of one cold after another is completing her studies for General Class.

KNAPP, Ann-New Novice in Alder, Ala. (Welcome Ann)...WNAHM, Vera-newly licensed XL in Hampton. OM Les is building her 80 cw xtr...KN6HTW, Kay-works for a CPA but still is active on Novice Bands at all hours...KN6HYE, Marge-thrilled to work VE6 and WP4, getting RST 579, running 25 watts on 40 cw.

KN6IKQ, Gina-enjoying first QSO with new Viking II...WNRGHP, Imogene-helps OM (W8NTX) in new TV and Radio Shop, plus caring for daughters aged 2, 7, & 3. Works 80 cw. Has Technician and will soon try for General.

Congrats to the following for dropping the "N": K2s DSL, IRF, & IYP; W3ZFB; W4s BAV & HLN; W5EIZ; K6s DWQ, EIA, & EXV; and W8TIB.

D I S T R I C T N E W S

W1VOS, Marje Snow, Plainville, Conn.

The New England District YLs are planning a luncheon on Apr. 23rd (Sat.) at the Sheraton Plaza Hotel in Boston. All licensed and hopeful YLs are invited. Send to Barbara Harrington, W1TRE, Topsfield, Mass., for more complete information.

W1FTJ, Dot-took a Cocker pup to the dog show in N. Y. and won 1st prize in his class. Congrats, Dot!...W1OAK, Ann-is hoping to have a 500 wt cw rig in operation soon; will run a little less on fone...W1QQN, Eleanor-is very busy with plans for the April YL luncheon.

W1RYJ, Esther-has completed DXCC; is still hunting DX on 15 & 20 mtrs...W1UET, Martha-is planning to operate portable from Fla. She will be there until June at least. Those who owe her QSLs send them to: Cottage #4, 508 Druid Rd, Clearwater, Fla. She needs 20 to complete YLCC.

W1UKR, Eunice-setting up plans to man stations for the AWTAR. They will operate on 75, 20 & 2 mtrs. She made BPL in Nov. & Dec., and was given an award from the Deep Sea Drag Net. Ranger she built works nicely...W1VOS, Marje-went to electronics show in N.Y., but didn't meet any YLs there. Wud appreciate more gals writing her their news without her writing first.

W1YJJ, Ora-lost her antenna during the hurricane Carol, but it is up again...W1YNI, Betty-lives in a very historical area--Concord, Mass...W1ZEL, Mary-has purchased a windmill to use as a tower. We certainly hope it works out fine.

W1ZR, Edith-is on cw only during the winter in Boston. She has moved her summer home in Nonquitt, Mass. to the highest point available. Tho' she lost the electric wiring, stove, garage, shingles, water arrangements, etc., during the hurricane, she saved her xtr! The water was nearly hip-deep, but she nailed up the 2nd floor window near the xtr, covered it with rubber sheeting, a bread board and a chair.

W2JZX, Vi Grossman, 18 Phipps Avenue,
East Rockaway, New York

(A word from your chairman: We cannot have interesting reports from our district if we don't receive news by the 1st of the month. If you're included this month, I either heard you on the air, or some YL sent me the info. Thanks to regular contributors, W2NAI, K2AMZ, K2AHG, K2CFP and W2EEO.)

K2AHG, Doris-instrumental in getting members from upstate NY.
K2AMZ, Alda-visiting her folks in Fla. On return to Rochester, she plans to visit 3 days at Vi's...W2BTR, Jeanne-getting back to normal after 2 serious operations. Hope this will end the illness and she can be active again. We miss her, as do GIs overseas and stateside. All the best to you Jeannie.

W2BNC, Helen-recently visited W1MJE in Boston...K2DJH, Jane-tied up with traffic in SRN and cw nets. Daughter Nancy is an active Novice; note her letter in Jan QST. "We agree"...
K2IWO, Hilda's mom is guest from N.C. She is teaching her and several YLs radio; when her mother returns home they hope to hold family skeds.

W2JZX, Vi-will assist W1UKR on Women's Air Race from Long Beach to Springfield, Mass. Reports NY State YLs turned in greatest amount on Braille Tech. Press drawing with W2JZR downstate and W2NAI upstate Chairmen. Also reports that plans to sponsor Hudson Div. Convention have been cancelled by L.I. R.C. Vi is proud of sunburst pin, prize as cover design winner, and gift of Dot, W1FTJ.

K2KPD, Dottie-is moving soon;...W2EEO, Madeline-& OM are delighted with new xtr...K2AFB, Margaret's father has been ill.
W2RTZ, Hope-(Refer to Changes of Address(Ed.) was married last fall; assists OM in Detroit TV shop...W2IQP, Lil-did magic shows for children's hospital wards. She is awaiting birth of 1st grandchild and just celebrated 32nd wedding anniversary...W2IGA, Ruth-is chairman of Cerebral Palsy Xmas Party. Also serves as Motor Corpsman in Queens.

W2VXC, Ethel-OM has been quite ill...W2UXM, Sally-attended Chicago wedding of her son. Her OM was home for a few weeks for complete rest. She carries dual membership--L.I. and NYC.
W2PZA, Jean-has little time for anything but her new grandson, and her D/C knows how wonderful that is. Let's start a Grandmother's R.C., Jean?...W2QBG, Ann-left NY for a Fla vacation.
W2EUL, Amy-active on 40...W2OWL, Ruth-checks into all YL Nets; loves her new 75A1...

W3TYC, Mickey Reinhardt, 325 Oak St., Pa.

W3CDO, Liz-had fling at A. Party, but lack of girls on 40 CW made it dull. Teaching code to teenagers, Novice & General. Works mostly 40 and 20 cw evenings...W3KMF, Jean-on the air

again with Viking II, VFO, Matchbox and SX25. Thrilled to talk to Kay, W3QPJ, and Jan, W3QPQ. Hopes to join 75 YL net. W3RXV, Peg-not on air, awaiting new baby's arrival (Refer Pres. Msge. Ed.) Looking for substitute YL Harmonics Editor. W3SLS, Betty-trying hard for WAS--6 states to go. Operates OM's (W3DVO) KW on 20,40 & 80 cw. Works some DX in PM.

W3T6C, Camille-hopes to be on air soon with a new set-up from her new QTH...W3TYC, Mickey-finished assembling Xmas Heathkit Scope. Participated in A.P.; used the Heathkit xmr on cw; enjoyed working the YLs but disappointed by lack of Novices. W3UTP, Sylvia-After QST article on teenagers, has had letters from fellows as far away as Calif. Got SWL card from Japan. Is making skeds with them.

W3UTB, Meg-enjoys the Viking; has shack in top shape with new operating table, etc. Had her 1st off-continent QSO on 15 mtrs with Havana, Cuba...W3VLY, Lollie-mostly on 15 mtrs. Reports 8 accredited "Witches" on 15: KZ5DG, TI2VX, W3QPQ, TI2PP, KZ5FA, W700Y, W4HLP and herself. Handles MM traffic; is trying for MM Certificate. Hopes for more "Witches" on 15.

W3WUE, Ad-reports new traffic net on 2 mtrs for SE Pa. & So. Jersey; all stations welcome...W3ZBF, Leona-New YLRL member says ham bug bit her a year ago. Became a Novice in June '54, a General in Dec. Works all bands with Viking Ranger. Working for YLCC and WAS; is on early PMS.

W4RLG, Frances Shannon, Cottondale, Alabama

W4BLR, Kay-enjoyed SS Contest and Roanoke ARRL Convention at Richmond. Other YLs there were: W4s TVO, ZFF; W3s MSU, CDQ; and WN4EXS...W4DEV, Helen-is taking night courses in sewing and piloting. Owns charter yacht "Bacardi" with Captain Ralph, the OM (W4DET).

W4DWP, Mary-recently gave an OM his 1st YL contact in 27 yrs. W4JCR, Nita-wrote an article on rare fern that will be published in Feb. Nature Magazine...W4LKM, Annette-enjoying DX on 15 mtrs. Latest is OZ7SP. OM (W4CWV) working on beam to go on 35 ft tower. Talks to old friends on 40 mtr net. Still folk-dances and sews.

W4PPQ, Kitty-Lots of company from home state (N.J.)...W4RLG, Frances-As of Jan.20, still in hospital but hopes to leave soon. Spent 2 wonderful weeks outside during Christmas; visited Hattiesburg, Miss., & Columbus, Ga; saw Lenette, W4UDI. Thanks to faithful who have sent news.

W4TDE, Naomi-started another advanced code class...W4TOG, Jane-returned home after several days in hospital. (A speedy recovery, Jane!)...W4SGD, Katherine-visited W4s HLP, BQI, RIG, and W2WBN on vacation. Missed YL picnic due to "Hazel" (had

38 trees blow down). Was NCS of Tar Heel Net in Nov. Has YLCC with 3 endorsements (250 YLs)...W4UDI, Mary Anne-Congrats on harmonic Ruth Agnes born Nov.23. OM is W4ONW...W4WAP, Shirley-operating mobile while OM attends Ga.Tech. Is working at telephone co. Attended Confederate Signal Corps meet, saw W4s UMM and YEK.

W4WPD, Shirley-reports St.Petersburg gals are working hard at new YLRL RC and feels fortunate to be a member since she lives in Tamps...W4WJX, Dean-new prexy of Birmingham ARC. Active on 75 and OM (W4EBD) busy getting on SSB...W4WTJ, Betty-now treas. of Memphis RC. Her pic was in the paper as 1st YL to hold office...W4WYI, Myrtle-Deepest sympathy to Myrtle & Tex upon death of his father.

W4YYJ, Lois Anne-enjoyed Anniv.Party (Congrats on wonderful score! It's a beautiful cup)...W4ZMV, Bobby-taking course in piloting, seamanship, etc. May have to take her boat to Phila. OM leaves soon for Europe and she may go to work to pass time. W4YJD, Chris-operates AM, CW, & SSB. Rig is Viking II; 20A exciter on SSB, rotatable vest pocket beam for 20, center-fed half-wave for 75, fullwave on 40. Loves that SSB! She and Beulah, W4DDE, hope more YLs will join them in a SSB YL net on 14.292 each Tuesday at 2:30 EST.

VP4BC (W4TVT), Clair-still enjoying DX; latest is ON4OC, who sent pics of his town, Aarschot, Belgium, and rig. Other QSLs from CX2CN, LA5YE, and one of wood with velvet letters from Anita, HK3FV. Discovered "Sorrell Tea", made from petals from a fruit tree--tastes like good old Southern blackberry juice and is a clear red. OM goes jungle hunting. She teaches remedial reading and speech 5 afternoons a week, and substitutes at Naval Station School.

W5TTU, Pat Parks, RFD 1, Rotan, Texas

W5FEM, Viola-meets with Texas Roundup and NW Emergency Net. W5JYD, Pat-has moved to Lafayette to accept new position; will be on air soon. (Pat,pse send new QTH)...W5LGY, Helen-builds much of her gear (Santa bro't a new soldering iron). Holds ARRL appointments as EC, OBS & OPS. She is in favor of a "Gripe Column" and the cups for contest winners.

W5RYX, Lynn-Mobile since she travels with OM. Checks into KLR and Tex.Roundup. Lynn like Harmonics' size, the cups, and welcomes a "Gripe Column"...W5RFX, Deloris-has joined OM in Germany, we hear...W5RZJ, Louisa-had fun in A.P. with Joe as babysitter. Recently did a writeup on YLs of 1915-25 for Mar. CQ; 1st licensed YL she could learn of was W8NH, Emma (1915). Still active is YLRL member WLZR, Edith, licensed in 1919. Sandos like their isolated location, tho' temperature has been to -18 with much snow...W5SON, Carolyn-is secy of her R.C. and checks into MARS. Hopes to have new home completed

soon...W5SYL, Iva-Besides being NC for KLR daily, is on CAP. Has new xmtr her OM (W5MTQ) built...W5TEB, Bonnie-had ring-side seat at Shreveport Hamfest registering hams. Spent a week visiting her folks.

W5TTU, Pat-cks into KLR and Texas Roundup, finds many net members active on other nets and MARS. Keeps xmtr on CAP frequencies daily for traffic; picked up wrong mike one day, causing a minor disturbance using W5TTU call on wrong freq. Likes Harmonics as is until budget improves, cups instead of plaques, and feels a mimeo machine is impractical.

W5UXW, Opal-Lucky gal with new B&W xmtr, Xmas gift from brother, and a new mike!...W5BDB, Rose-Welcome back to W5land where she has a lovely new Dallas home. Rose got on the air 1st thing to meet old friends. Mobilizing from Ariz., she had difficulty making contacts, so used phonetics, "William's 5 Beautiful Dallas Blonds". A man called, asking, "Didn't I pass you about a mile back?" Grandmother Rose just shut down.

W5CHR, Jean-and family drove thru a snowstorm to their Ruidosa lodge for a week of winterfun with friends...W5DRA, Teeve-and OM now completing interior of new home. She hopes to attend West Gulf Div Convention...W5EYE, Marion-became interested in ham radio when she met her OM, W5KXJ. On their 1st date they put a home-built KW on the air and she fell hard for ham radio--and the operator. At 23, she is the mother of 4. Rec'd her "N" call in 1954 and Gen. 1 mo. later.

W5WKY, Bernice-is NC for Texas Roundup, organized Thanksgiving Day with 9 girls; now has 28! She makes and gives certificates to the ones that check in 5 straight weeks...W5YKE, Martha-is satisfied with Harmonics and the YLRL cups.
W5ZPD, Cindy's other hobby is collecting pix of hams. Pse note.

W6WSV, Carol Witte, 6852 Claire Ave, Reseda, Calif.

As we were preparing Harmonics for the "printer", we were informed of the fatal auto accident of Neva Fredenburgh, W6YLL, and her OM W6VJQ. They were killed instantly by an oncoming car that had gone out of control, as they were going home from work. They were both well-known and liked thru'out the West. Our loss is great! Ed.

K6ACF, Rosemary-competed in VHF SS contest...K6CAL, Isabell-has applied for Mexican ham ticket so she can assist in the Ensenada boat races communications. She was heard by Cliff, W6SXX/MM, 491 mi. w of Santa Barbara on 2 mtrs!...W6CKE, Vada-busy now at income tax "season", working for a ham PA...K6OYZ, Sister Patrice-at home in Box Canyon after FB trip to N. Y. Is on 75 with HT-9.

K6KIA, Ellen-plans an 85' pole for 10 and 20. (Glad she has recovered from spinal surgery and back at YL meetings.)...K6DRS, Jean, passed her General on her birthday...W6KER, Gilda-spent Christmas in Santa Barbara

before the deluge of A. P. reports hit her QTH...W6LBO, Mary-Thru' the YLRC/LA was asked to appear on the Groucho Marx Radio & TV show Feb. 16 & 17. She won \$400 to divide with her partner, Howard Hill, well known archer...W6NZZ, Evelyn-reports that K6CPX will soon be on with a console KW.

W6PCN, Peggy-checked into MARS for 1st time with BC669 and feed-line to 20 mtr beam as antenna. Is house-hunting now, & hopes they have found the QTH, if they can overcome restrictions against hamming in the area. (Lots of luck, Peg.)...W6QMO-Jeri-made BPL again in Dec. & handled heavy MARS traffic to boot.

W6UHA-Maxine-entertaining old friend FO8AD, Roland, from Tahiti. The OM (W6TS), Maxine & Roland attended DX Club convention in Fresno...W6WSV, Carol-Note new QTH at head of column. Expects to be more active this year, as new QTH is R9 for ham radio in contrast to R0 at former QTH. Remember to send news to new QTH gals!

W700Y, Jeannine Phillips, Box 971, Harlowton, Mont.

W7BKJ, Dolly-and OM, W7ACD, are spending the winter in Ariz. She's on the air from there...W7HDS, Lizette-has been very active along with the rest of the Wyo. Hams, trying to get Call Letter License Plates in their state.

W7NJS, Beth-and OM drove to Port Chicago, Calif., to spend Christmas with his daughter and her family...W700Y, Jeannine-and OM, W7NPV, have had the welcome mat out as usual, really enjoying life as each day seems to turn up one or many Hams to swap stories with.

W7QYA, Flo-has been trying out electronic keys. She works both fone and cw & doesn't think she could give up either one. She and OM, W7VMB, just completed a short trip around the state, visiting Hams...W7TGG, Vera-is going to ceramics classes. Says they are working on flower patterns now and finds it very interesting.

W8SPU, Helen Smith, Sycamore, Ohio

W8ATB, Esther-is looking forward to Chic YL conclave and Grand Rapids Convention in March. Thinks YLs should wear special ribbons at these affairs...W8FPT, Wava-back from Fla. vacation with cache of sea foods. Daughter Jeannie, busy with school and music, but has W8UVV call...W8HHP, Rita-missed school when bus driver refused to climb her steep snowy hill.

W8HUX, Marvel-still printing Toledo Ham Shack Gossip with Lillian, W8HWX...W8KDX, Wilda-likes 10 when open, uses 32V2

and 75A2. Works daily and bowls often; does PTA and VFW Aux. work. Likes Harmonics...W8KZL, Betty-busy caring for new baby daughter but reads YL-net mail...W8LGY, Ruth-Her mother has been quite ill and she has spent a few days each week with her in Ashland. At home is on 75, where gear is now conveniently in dining room...W8NNH, Millie-was off air due to deaths of her and her OM's fathers. DX hunts on 20, collects stamps, crochets, and takes home movies with new camera.

W8ODC, Kathy-High School Sophomore and on basketball team...W8ONI, Hope-and her rig have been on sicklist. She had possible polio, but no diagnosis on rig. Listens to Wed. net...W8COM, Ann-gave her 1st Novice exam to a paralyzed youth nearby. Has been making a Mich. Callbook. Finds many new YLs listed and suggest each state have a committee to interest them in YLRL and the nets.

W8TBT, Louise-sewing Spring wardrobe. With W8SPU attended technical demonstration of electronics at the Tiffin R.C. Both YLs were lost after the 1st half hour in the maze of diagrams, but one OM told them most of them were lost too...W8UDA, Dorothy-hopes to be on the air on 40 & 80, weather permitting an antenna raising. Lost her father in Nov., moved in Dec. Her 10-mo. daughter is good natured, tho' a livewire and big for her age. She expects a baby in May. (Dorothy is blind and does her own housework and cares for the baby herself.)

W8SPU, Helen-New Gonset Communicator for 2 meters. Participated in VHF contest, with new 16 element rotary beam. Right now is finishing hand-knit suit started 3 yrs ago. Anybody want to challenge her for booby prize? Dayton Convention is April 2nd, and she hopes to see lots of YLs there.

W9LOY, Chris Bowlin, 6563 Tahoma Ave., Chicago, Ill.

W9AQB, Norma-hopes to visit Chicago and meet YLs there...W9BCA, Helen-got Heathkit for Xmas and helped OM assemble it...W9JPT, Helen-Christmas in Fla. with wonderful time and rest. Planning on opening a gift shop (FB Helen but don't forget hamming)...W9LAS, Rose-passed General 1st try. Soon to be mobile.

W9LOY, Chris-thanks girls for letters and cards with news. Still working mostly 40, but some 75. Enjoyed A.P...W9MLE, Peggy-has become a DXhound on 20 cw. The DX QSLs are rolling in; uses a special "South Paw" bug...W9MYC, Gladys-entered VHF SS. Still on 40 and 80, altho' rebuilding rig.

W9NCZ, Mary-planning to join LARK and attend Midwest get-together in May. Has worked the gang on 75 there...W9YBC, Gloria, received her EC4AR card. WOW! Working hard on YLRL Convention publicity. Gloria invites all YLRL clubs to ask for the Photo Album. Just write Gloria for it. She enjoyed a nice visit with Grace, W9GME and OM.

W9YWH, Evelyn-enjoying a fine visit in Calif. as this is written. Attended LARK Xmas Party in spite of a lump on her head!...W9YXX, Rita-now VFO on all bands and hopes for more contacts...W9OTC, Edith-Another ham has been added! OM-W9OWD; son-W9MEM; and daughter June-W9OTM just married Denny-W9ODS, making 5 hams in the family.

W9QMA, Dot-presented her OM & daughter with new harmonic, Frederick William, Dec.16. Hopes to get General soon...W9RUJ, Mary-handles loads of phone-patch traffic from Germany, Newfoundland, Labrador, Canal Zone and here. Hopes to make YLRL convention in Santa Monica and Midwest in Chicago.

W9SJR, Bernice-Now working 2 mtrs with OM-built 100 wt xmt. Had a visit with Helen, W4DEV, who will return North for the YL Midwest convention...W9TMZ, Barney-without a receiver since OM loaned theirs to Cub Scouts. Barney edits "Pin-feathers", the LARK bulletin...W96YX, Peggy-now on 40 fone & cw. Has LARK Certificate and working on WAS...W9WYJ, Florence, busy getting settled in new QTH.

W9ERR, Anna Belmonte, 2720 S. Dahlia St., Denver.

W9FVE, Hilda-The two longest hours of the contest for Hilda were when her power went off...W9MMT, Marie-received new D104 from brother for Xmas...W9MYL, Flo-has been ill, but improving now. Her son and wife are now at home in Denver after his Navy discharge.

W9RAW/5, Bertha-happy to report the OM is improving after major surgery...W9TKY, Virginia-Her OM (W9SKK) was licensed early in '54 and in self defense she received her license the following De. She helps him in the office-machine repair business. They operate mostly 75 at home and are mobile with an Elmac.

W9TYE, Betty-really talking up YLRL Convention. Bet is really proud of 1st DX (VE2AT5). She hopes to be SSB soon with OM (W9GQY). She likes cw at home, fone for mobile...W9ERR, Ann-received and enjoying SSB slicer from OM at Xmas. Has 70 YL contacts confirmed and chasing the rest. The Colo. amateurs are working on license plate bill.

KH6AFN, Jeanette DeLong, 634 Prospect St., Honolulu

KH6AFC, Hazel-had 1st boy baby, James Jr. born Dec. 17. OM is KH6ES. They also have 2 girls, 12 and 6. Hazel lost ant. in an Hawaiian storm...KH6AFL, Luika-should have her Viking Ranger completed soon. She loves babysitting with her granddaughter. She and OM hope to take a mainland trip this summer to attend YLRL convention...KH6AUJ, Dottie, works 40

diligently trying for 5 states she needs for WAS. She has skeds with KP6AK, Palmyra Isle. As sole occupant there, he enjoys Hamming. Anyone need KP6?...KH6AFN, Jeanette-has been working, with little time for hamming, but hopes to soon. Has had mainland houseguests. She is planning to attend YLRL Convention, also.

VE3AJR, Dell Daykin, 124 Erie S., Leamington, Ont.

VE3AJR, Dell-worked new gals on A.P. Planned to buy the OM a mike for Xmas, but he bought himself one first. Was surprised and pleased to win 2nd in cover contest, a lovely cosmetic set.

VE7AUF, Lois-visited interior of B.C. and saw ham friends in Vancouver, New Westminster, and Victoria. When last heard from she was doing Xmas shopping by mail-order and hunting about her island for a small Christmas tree. (They are 100 to 125' tall there)...VE3DDA, Eleanor-got feet wet in A.P., but hopes future ones will be on weekdays. A new TV set has been added to the household.

VE3DEA, Denny-took color pix on trip to England. Out of 118 shots, 115 were beautiful (her 1st color photography). Has rewired modulator 5 times and its FB now...VE2HI, Ethel-is teaching retarded children and finds it interesting and rewarding. She is director of board of Montreal ARC, bowls, enjoys TV, bridge, books and movies.

ZS6MW, Joy Jones, Box 400, Pretoria, So. Africa

ZS2AA, Iris-is new president of S.A. Women's Radio Club...ZS5PP, Eileen-winner of Diana Trophy...ZS6GH, Diana-featured in "Meet the YLs" column of YL Beam...ZS6MW, Joy-off on holiday to the coast, between Port Elizabeth & Cape Town to the place they call "Garden Route". It has rainfall the year-around so is very green with lots of forests and undergrowth; long beaches for swimming, good fishing (OM, ZS6H, loves under-water fishing which is usually done in the lagoons because of sharks). Boating is good and one can go miles up the river. The cottages they are going to are on the beach and they have hopes of great fun with their two jr. ops.

D X HONOR ROLL	Countries Worked	Confirmed
<u>ZS6KX</u> Mario	128	109
<u>CR7LU</u> Lucia	110	96
<u>ZS2AA</u> Iris	91	71
<u>ZS5EG</u> Marial	?	70
<u>ZS1MU</u> Pat	75	55
<u>ZS1GT</u> Daphne	15	11
<u>ZS2JR</u> Helle	10	3
<u>ZS6GH</u> Diana	60	55

CR7LU, Lucia, has worked 41 states with 36 confirmed, among them are WLFTJ, W3JSE, and W5UCQ. Lucia is very active and has been on the air since 1952.

NEW MEMBERS

Due to lack of space, QTHs are omitted. They will be supplied to you upon request.

<u>E2APW</u> -Marion Sylvester	<u>K6CAL</u> -Isabell McKanney	<u>W9INP</u> -Mardene Magnus
<u>E2CUQ</u> -Evelyn Twining	<u>K6DEN</u> -Evelyn Roediger	<u>W9KFC</u> -Ruby Wright
<u>E2EPV</u> -Lila M. Fogle	<u>W6DPN</u> -Pat Parillo	<u>W9LDE</u> -Adeline Weiland
<u>E2INQ</u> -Margaret Bergin	<u>K6ELI</u> -Doris Arnold	<u>W0DVB</u> -Dorothea Adams
<u>W3UKJ</u> -Mena Rose	<u>KN6DV</u> -Fran Stephenson	<u>W1JAU</u> -Carol Huston
<u>W3ZUB</u> -Marion Moll	<u>KN6GI</u> -Jayne Dynes	<u>W1LH</u> -Evelyn Miller
<u>W4AHN</u> -Merle McLain	<u>K6ORA</u> -Barbara Wight	<u>W0MPB</u> -Dot Breedon
<u>KN4ET</u> -Sue G. Cable	<u>W6KYZ</u> -Ann B. Joyce	<u>W0PIK</u> -Mabel Anderson
<u>W4DEP</u> -Jaunita Talbott	<u>K6HMP</u> -Mary M. Harris	<u>W1QIW</u> -Anne Burkholder
<u>W4GAN</u> -Melba C. Jibb	<u>W6MIV</u> -Myrtle Chambers	<u>W1TQQ</u> -Geraldine Grantges
<u>W04HLN</u> -Ruby Turner	<u>W6QVY</u> -Betty Ester	<u>W1TVV</u> -Virginia Bartling
<u>W4JOW</u> -Blanche Strode	<u>W6QWC</u> -Grace Woodhouse	<u>W1TZS</u> -Ann M. Powers
<u>W4WJI</u> -Adrene Christian	<u>W6REG</u> -Esther E. Popp	<u>W1UAL</u> -Patricia Dows
<u>W5DJU</u> -"Gem" Bach	<u>W7WYN</u> -Sybil Allbright	<u>W172M</u> -Pat Goyette
<u>W5ERR</u> -Betty Sutton	<u>W8QQQ</u> -Emma L'Esperance	<u>KL7BNW</u> -Thelma Baker
<u>W5FBM</u> -Viola Simmonds	<u>W8RZM</u> -Dorothy Higgins	<u>KZ5KA</u> -Catherine Howe
<u>W5YAJ</u> -Eleanor Wehrli	<u>W8SUV</u> -Jeanne Harlan	<u>VE2ADB</u> -Stella Belanger
<u>W6AVF</u> -Mary Klein	<u>W9IMT</u> -Klzenia Stalcup	<u>VE3HFE</u> -Bea King
<u>K6ANP</u> -Kathleen Kreyaler		<u>VE3BOI</u> -Mildred Bask

REINSTATED MEMBERS

<u>W5JCI</u> -Bertha Watson	<u>W7NJS</u> -Elizabeth Taylor	<u>K6JUL</u> ex- <u>W0IHD</u> , "Jenny" Lukenhill
<u>W5LGY</u> -Helen Douglas	<u>W5OLL</u> -Ola Coffman	

CHANGES & CORRECTIONS OF QTH

W1GEO, Ruth Klein, Mansfield Center, Conn.
W1UEM, Norma Guile now Norma Kornacki, 57 Grant Ct, Norwich, Conn.
W2GPK, Sylvia Greenberg, 413 Pulaski St., Riverhead, L. I., N. Y.
W2IAM, Shirley Cortright, Holmdel Road, Holmdel, N. J.
W2FUI, Selma Goldman, 14332 E. Rosecrons Ave., La Mirada, Calif.
W2RTZ, Hope Plummer, now W8UPZ, Hope Brock, 8900 McGraw Ave, Detroit 10.
W3KMK, Jean Cameron, 375 E. Idm, Bellefonte, Pa.
W3OLI, Helen Morrison, 4400 Danvers St., Rockville, Md.
W5HDB, Rose Williams, 1131 Gardenview, Dallas 17, Texas
W5SPV, Patt Hubert, Box 163, Dallas, Texas
W5YKE, Martha Brittain, 855 Stovall Drive, Dallas, Texas
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W6QYL, Martha Edwards, 14281 S. Mar-les Dr., Santa Ana, Calif.
W6TCN, Mary Peffly, Box 125, Pine Valley, Calif.
W6MSV, Carol Witte, 6852 Claire Ave., Reseda, Calif.
W7KEV/g, Laura E. Stegner, 517 2nd St., NW, Ortonville, Minn.
W7SEW, Pauline Stemler, 200 S. Sixth, Klamath Falls, Oregon
W8HBO, Sylvia Pressman, 3586 Reading Rd., Apt.#1, Cincinnati, Ohio
W9OTH, June Battin, now June Gilbert, 1218 W. Hadley, Milwaukee, Wisc.
W9WIJ, Florence Belanger, 4975 N. Hopkins, Milwaukee 9, Wisc.
W0MNT, Marie Ellis, 608 Lesser Dr., Fort Collins, Colorado
W0N2I, Beulah I. Dreger, 6533 Sheridan, Minneapolis, Minn.
W1QZS, Marian Staebler, now Marian Champlin, 4715 S. 12th Ave.,
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