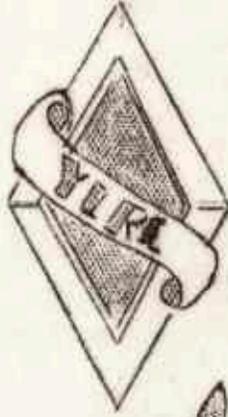


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Dear Girls:

It has been unfortunate that I have been on the sick list so much this year. I have not done as much as I should have liked to do.

I have been fortunate, however, in my Vice president, Mickey Marglin and in my Sec'y, Lou Lacy, they have done all the work and I want to take this opportunity to thank them for their grand work.

We may be on the air sooner than you realize and then we can see each other.

I also wish to thank those who have sent in news so that "Harmonics" could be read with interest.

Lots of luck to all.

Liz, Pres. YLRL

		"Election	Results"
Nominees:	Pres.		Vice Pres.
	W92TU		W5IKC
	W3CDQ		W92TU
	W5IKC		W5IKL

New Pres: W92TU

New Vice Pres: W5IKC

(Sec'y, Editor and Publicity Chairman are appointed by the Pres)

New District Chairmen:

W1KUI - Ellen Hastings, 86 Central Ave, E. Hartford Conn.

W2IXY - Present D/C

W3FX - Mary C. LeVan, 24 Sunnybrook Rd. Arlington, Flouertown, Pa.

W4GFO - Present D/C

W5JLL - Present D/C

W6LWO - Present D/C

W7EYO - Ann Webster, Box 35, Rock Springs, Wyoming,

W8TFZ - Marie Corcoran, Box 40, Cincinnati 15, Ohio.

W9JMI - Clara Rehr, East Litchfield Ave, Willmar, Minn.

10th D/C VE4AP - Maude Phillips, Chancellor, Alberta, Canada.

11th D/C G6LY Constance Hall, N. Waltham Rectory, Basingstoke, Hampshire, England



A SNAPPY NEW CONTEST

"COVER FOR HARMONICS"

Our President W3CDQ, Liz, is sponsoring the Contest for Cover for Harmonics.

Just the thought of it sounds like great fun, come on girls get your pencil and paper and put those ideas to work. Here are the rules.

Contest starts May 20th and ends June 20th.

All entries must be post marked not later than June 20th.

As many entries as you wish to enter.

All entries become the property of YLRL.

YLRL reserves the right to use any cover for future use on Harmonics.

Entries to be mailed to the Secretary, W5LKC Lou Lacy, Box 1332, Bartlesville, Okla.

Judges are: Dot Evans WFTJ and Nita Bion W8TAY.

The Judges decision is final.

PRIZES: 1st prize \$7.00 2nd prize \$3.00

SIZE of entry: that which can be used on 8 1/2" x 11 1/2" or legal size paper, for cover.

"TO ALL YL'S"

A letter from ARRL headquarters informs us that we have only a 48% membership in the ARRL. In order for YLRL to remain affiliated with them, we must have a 51% membership.

THE ARRL NEEDS YOUR SUPPORT NOW MORE THAN EVER SO LET'S JOIN UP IF YOU DON'T BELONG AND MAKE THAT 51% POSSIBLE. IF YOU DO JOIN PLEASE BE SURE AND NOTIFY OUR SEC'Y LOU SO THAT SHE CAN NOTIFY ARRL THAT WE ARE AGAIN ARRL AFFILIATES.

THANKS AND BEST OF LUCK.

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LIZ, PRES YLRL

....ATTENTION PLEASE ...

Our Publicity Chairman, W8TAY Nita, has been compiling a report of "Expressions and ideas on changes of the Constitution" which needs revamping, due to our increased membership and things which did not exist when the original outline was framed.

Nita would like any last minute ideas be submitted to her immediately, as the report is near completion, her address is, Nita Bion W8TAY, Rte. 4, Box 110, Chagrin Falls, Ohio.

YL Birthdays

MARCH

1st W6LTY
1st W9CHE
10th W5ELK
10th W7HHR
16th W1IQI
18th Margaret Henry
21st W8U2C
27th W4HWR

APRIL

3rd Kay Samargie
4th W9DKL
11th W9HJW
13th Ann Gray
16th W5JH/C
17th W4GU
18th W22HI
19th W9JWJ
22nd W9DA

"Station WTOP"

W2HAK Lenora Conn has a program called "The Fact Finder" on WTOP Washington CBS at 5:45. A very interesting program. Lenora's new address is, 2114 P. Ave. N.W., Washington 7, D. C.

W1NEN Norma Schall' USNR l/c picture in QST March 45, issue.

Did you know that Verna, K7HUT, just had one of her articles published in a magazine up in Alaska?

Vi Grossman, W6JAX, has an article in latest issue of "CQ" magazine, very nice article too.

W6IKC would like to hear from W8OJL, W4GR0 and W1FHC, very important.

YLL PINS

Gold filled pins for all officers past and present.

Silver Pins for members.

Silver Pins

without safety clasp \$.85
with safety clasp 1.00

Gold Filled Pins

without safety clasp \$1.10
with safety clasp 1.35

YLL STATIONERY

100 sheets
100 envelopes \$1.50

50 sheets
50 envelopes .75

Secretary's Corner

February, 1945

Receipts:

Dues:

Renewals: W9RNO/4, W1NHN/6, W6TMB, Ann Gray, Gloria Ann Gray, W9KSA, W9OUD, W2MBG
 Reinstated: W3AKB, W7FTX, W7HHH, W9RFO, W3FLA.
 New Members: Wilda Rappila

Donations: W9RFO 50, W9RNO/4 50, W3AKB 50, W1NHN 50, W7FTX 50, W2MBG 50, W3CDQ 2.23.

Stationery Sold: Ruocco .75.

March 1945

Receipts:

Dues:

Renewals: W6TOY/8, W8TLD, W7Fth, W3HVO, W5HWK, W9LIE/3 W6RYS, Weinberg.
 Reinstated: Mayer.
 New Members: Miriam Brown, Katherine Lake.

Donations: W6LNO .25, W6TOY/8 .50, W8TLD 25, W7Fth 1.50, W5HWK .50, W7HAR 50,

Fine Sold: Rappila 1.00.

Stationery Sold: W6LNO 1.50.

YLRL FINANCIAL REPORT
 Feb-Mar 1945
 By W5IKC Sec'y

FEBRUARY

Feb/45

RECEIPTS:

Renewals 4.00
 Reinstated 2.50
 New Member .50

Donations 5.23

Stationery Sold .75

On hand gen/fund 1/31/45 177.02

Expenditures

Fine Purchased 4.51

1/3 Deposit on Fins 1.70

W3CDQ Postage 2.23

W5IKC Postage .90

9.14

On hand gen/fund 2/28/45 167.88
 177.02

Mar/45

RECEIPTS:

Renewals 4.00
 Reinstated 50
 New Members 1.00

Donations 3.50

Fine Sold 1.00

Stationery Sold 1.50

On hand gen/fund 2/28/45 179.38

EXPENDITURES

W5IKC Postage .98

On hand gen/fund 3/31/45 178.40
 179.38

DISTRICT

NEWS

1st District

D/C Ellen Hastings WKUI, 86 Central Ave.,
East Hartford, Conn.

WLTV is now in Tennessee, the land of rain, hail, and fogs. (all gals from Tenn please omit reading this) But Carl gets home nearly every nite, so the weather is not so important. Dot finds rents exorbitant, and rooming accommodations not of the best at that. We miss having you here, Dot. One thing more to make us wish the war were over.

WLGQT made up for a long long silence by writing on the prettiest paper. Trellises of roses made us remember spring. Jim is still working outside days, and in the shack repairing radios at night.

WKUI is learning a lot about industrial electronics. Three hours at a stretch would seem long in any other subject except radio. Studying is being neglected for raking the lawn, letting the wind blow away the fertilizer, retiling up the rocks of the stone wall that mysteriously get knocked down every winter, etc.

W2KUG Jennie Lathrop writes that she is in charge of signal Corps inspection at six war plants in four cities. She has but one helper and together they inspect everything from relays and quartz crystals to parachutes. But by now she is anxious to get back to keeping house.

2nd District D/C W2IXY Dot Hall, 186-18 Williamson Ave,
Springfield, LI, NY.

(Taken from NYC RADIO LOG of March, 45)

Discussion for a "Radio Shack" but has been decided no shack - - for the present. Have established a "Radio Library" which is growing. Two new members, Katherine Lake and Evelyn West, Katherine is attending Marine Radio School, Evelyn West is an attorney and has taken over as Librarian with Alberta Van Santen as assistant. Ann Rainbeau has had the flu. W2Maz reports her OM has been sick with Scarlet Fever.

3rd District D/C W3HVO Pauline Ann Haver, 315 Beechwood Ave
Trenton, N.J.

W3FXZ Mary says she has been out of touch with all radio doings for so long she doesn't know what goes on. Says she has been awful busy with her home and doing relief nursing too, has moved to Flourtown, Pa.

W3CJG Nice card from Liz while in Miami Fla., had rather bad attack of bronchitis. She met ada W9RNO/4 and Leora W1AKQ WAC, while in Miami and had a grand time.

Received nice long letter from Mary Kohoe Applegate W1MCH/3 who is now living in Woodbury, N. J. and works as an Associate Inspector at the Naval Aircraft Factory at Philadelphia Navy Yard. Says the work is very interesting. She and her Hubby recently returned from Lake Placid, N.Y. and spent a very enjoyable skiing trip while there. This is the odd part of it however, upon receiving a job card from me some time ago and noticing the address as 315 Beechwood Ave, in Trenton, she asked her hubby if he knew where Beechwood Ave was located. He being a former Trentonian and with a look of great surprise, informed her that he was born on Hillcrest Ave, two blocks away! Then he began to wonder if.

W3EVO Pauline Raser could be any relation to Ed Raser, old time W3NG/3CS and now W3ZL. It came out that her hubby Mac, who operated a spark station (W3EP) on Hillcrest Ave back in 1920, was an old friend of my hubby W3ZL. So its a small world after all and to think we have renewed old acquaintances through the medium of the YLRL. More power to our organization.

4th District W4GFO Helen Davy, 1604 Pinola Ave., Kingsport, Tenn.

No Report Received.

5th District W5JAL Celia Phares, Box 435, St. Smith, Ark.

W5HWK Pvt. Jessie J Hart is now stationed at Love Field, Tex. and is the only WAC instructing in communications. She is a qualified flight radio opr, but is working as an instructor in radio code, radio procedure, navigation, and weather symbols. Jessie is also an accomplished tennis player and a few months ago won the tennis singles championship in the WAC tournament, then she and her partner, won the doubles championship. Jessie sends regards to all the gang, a special Hello to Mickey Marglin and her address is Pvt Jessie J Hart A811998 WAC SQD SAC B, Love Field, Dallas 9 Tex.

W5BJW Judy, is having a lot of dental work done and taking a three or four week vacation. Judy is saving her dimes, dreaming and hoping we can have a National YL Convention after the war. Judy is a faithful worker for YLRL and her dreams should come true.

W5JAL is ill at this writing and has spent most of the past month in bed but looking for brighter days as summer approaches.

(we wish you a very speedy recovery Celia, Ed.)

6th District D/C W6MWO Helen Cook, 359 So. Rexford Drive, Beverly Hills, Calif.

W2HIY/3JSH/6 Dottie, has a four month old daughter that keeps her busy. The Om W8ZWA is stationed at Del Monte Calif.

W9NEX/6 Enid's, home address is 1206 N. Third St, Burbank, Calif. Wishes her mail and Harmonics sent to that address.

W2LSEK/6 Ann, is back in the W2 state for awhile, her address is 2 West 83rd St. New York 35, but she will be back to Calif. Thanks Ann for your letter, will be seeing you when you return.

W1NHN/6 Hows about it Norma? or do I owe you mail? Helen.

W6TCH Marty, always says Hello.

W6SDG Kitty I guess is still pretty busy, hope the Om is all OK now.

W6MWO Helen, certainly enjoyed a very lovely dinner at Enid's W9NEX/6 home and was happy to meet both Enid and the Om. W6LBA, they sure have a cute place and I enjoyed the visit. I could say something about Jig saw puzzles Enid - but guess I won't. Thanks to you both. P.S. I sure would like to hear from some of you gals in the 6th district hows about it? I mean some of you gals

7th District D/C Lizette Wolf, 3222 Dillon Ave., Cheyenne, Wyo.

W7FNR Mary Ann's letter proved that we were both real "sisters of the Skillet", as we liked to cook over camp fires. Especially mountain trout sizzling in butter, a yellow greasy substance used by pioneer women. Says her Om W7FND, was gaining fast and should be on his feet again soon. He's AKKL 3CM for Washington State, you know. All are wishing him a speedy recovery Mary Ann.

W7HDS The editors of 'Harmonics' are to be complimented on the interesting copies they have been putting out. Did any of you read "The Big Broadcast of 1921" in the February issue of Coronet? If you girls of the 7th will send news - I'll route it to Harmonics for printing. Don't let it be said that there was no report from D/C. I'll write a poem to fill in the space, then you'll be sorry, hi.

8th District D/C Dorothy Ann Willett, 3513 Fleming Road, Flint 5, Mich.

(Report received too late for last issue of 'H' so we print here. Ed)

W8AKD Jacky did get home with the Om for Christmas, but the Om now is in Fla. so Jacky may take off any day now and join him there. How we envy that Florida swimming in winter! Hi.

W8KNC Opal, writes that she is plenty busy with bond selling, Red Cross work, plus taking care of her children. Opal sent a grand clipping from her home town paper telling about what her little town Emporium is doing in the war effort. It certainly is a typical American town and wish we had room for publication here. Maybe many of you read it in other papers throughout the country.

9th District D/C W9JFT Helen Thompson, R. R. #1, Edwardsville, Ill.

W9Ua Loretta hears from some of the gang and once in a while some of the boys stationed at the local base visit her. Her brother was home for ten days over the holidays, for the past 17 months, he has been stationed at the Naval Air Station at Seattle as Radio Material Officer. Loretta keeps the farm in operation, planting and harvesting crops besides seeing that the beef steaks etc., keep going to the guys and gals. She is also Sec'y and Treas. of the women's division of the local orange and has had to be on hand at all farm sales, which the organization serves lunches, and average about one a week. Like all the gals, she enjoys reading in the Harmonics what all the girls are doing etc, and says that those who make it up and publish it really do deserve a lot of credit.

W9LW Esther, wishes that the gals in other states would exchange or write to her and ask her to send them something from her state. She thinks that it would be nice if each girl would make it a habit to write to one new girl a month. At the end of a year each girl would have made 12 new acquaintances. This would give us all a chance to know each other a little better until we can once again have those good old QSO's. In November, Esther met Harrolyette W9K5a, while she was making train connections in Ft. Wayne W9K5a gave Esther a call on the phone, so in less than half hour, Esther was on her way to the Penn. Sta. They had a nice chat, which was all too short, they have had many a QSO on 160 meters but was the first time they had met in person. Esther writes, Harrolyette was just as sweet to meet as she was on the air.

W9OWQ Mammie, misses being on the air and dreads to think of what all will have to be done before she can get on the air again. Antenna is her chief worry. All the hams who helped her get on the air, are away but she has an offer from a fellow in the Pacific who says that he will be home to give her some assistance when that time comes.

#9UPF Ella, goes with her husband wherever his job may take him, they lived in Baltimore, Md. for a while, then moved to Pa. Says the country is beautiful, even with the snow and cold weather but she misses her folks and friends in Illinois and hopes that they will be able to return after the war. Her little daughter is Blond and has blue eyes, is 19 months old and plenty of company to her mother.

#9JIA/4 Louise, is doing fine, housekeeping, cooking and seamstress, she makes her daughter Dotty clothes (now a sophomore in school) (sounds like a full time job). Likes Fla. ok but would gladly come back to Illinois for some clean fresh air, she won't complain though as long as she can be with bud, the Om. Was surprised at the financial statement, having no idea that the club was quite so well off.

#9JPI, I have been busy house cleaning, sewing, gardening and taking care of 400 baby chicks. we are to get 400 more chicks a ril 19, so you girls see what I'll be doing this summer. Whenever you want fried spring chicken, you know who to visit. Let #9JIB has a standing order. Any of you who wish for the same? I'll be glad to hear from you if you do. How about you girls who haven't sent me any news as yet, don't you have something of interest for harmonics? Thanks girls, 33 Helen.

A letter just received from #8UNB Blondie, who has had an accident, while testing an induction regulator motor (rotor) it rolled off and landed on her left foot, results compound fractures, she will be in bed for three weeks or more, and would like very much to hear from any of you girls who have a moment to spare, and will answer immediately. Blondie has been going to Junior College, studying "Electrical Engineering" which includes, Rectifiers, Relay and Electrical algebra, plotting curves and etc., hopes soon to be an "Engineer" Blondie's address is, 414 Sylvan Ave., No. Braddock, Penn. What say girls, if you can drop her a line, I know she will appreciate it loads, and we all wish you a very speedy recovery. Ed.

Reference to 'Harmonic' cover of last issue, in shading the states that had YLRI members, Maryland, was omitted, my sincere apology to you girls of that state. Lou #5IKC.
