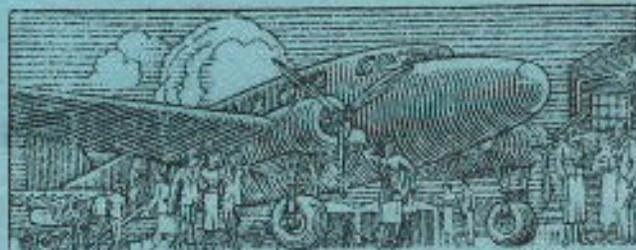
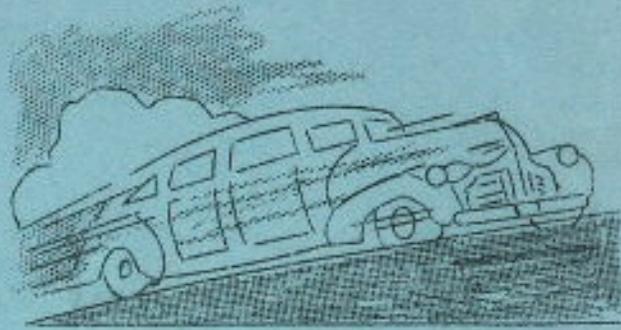
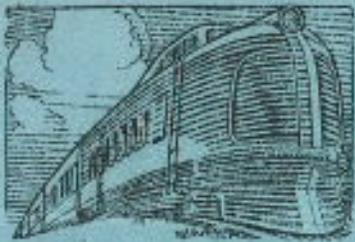


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HARMONICS

OCTOBER 1946



Y L R L
OFFICERS

President: WBIKC Lou Lacy
Vice President: W9JTA Louise Baker
Secretary: W5RQO Helen Cook
Publicity Chairman: W1HCP Lou Littlefield
Editor: W2MUF Clara Meyer

Dear Y L's

Your attention please

A change in our former procedure of notifying you of your expiring membership has been given considerable attention and we wish to announce following.

Effective with this issue of Harmonic's, when your membership expires you will receive the usual form of membership notice, attached to your Harmonics, to be filled in and returned to the League Secretary. Your past due notices will be handled in the same manner.

You will no longer be required to fill out a questionnaire, only those being required to do so, will be a new member or one being re-instated.

We feel the above will eliminate a lot of work for you and especially our Secretary as well as cutting down on expenses.

Any changes in your address, please do not hesitate to notify the Secretary at once, for Harmonics is mailed under fourth class mail and will not be forwarded to another address.

Your usual cooperation in this will be greatly appreciated.

As each of you know our League has grown considerably and our YLR Constitution is badly in need of being revamped and brought up to date. I have asked Enid W5URF if she would take over this work and get it in shape for us, and she has said that she would. I know Enid is very capable of doing this work and will give it her best, but she will need each members support, so lets all pitch in and help.

Any suggestions, proposals for amendments or additions to our constitution please send direct to Enid at the following address.

Enid Aldwell W5URF, 1111 West 107th Street
Los Angeles 16, California

I hate very much taking up space in Harmonics and will try not to take up more than necessary and only when it is necessary but I feel this item must be brought to your attention now.

It is the small item of reading your Harmonic's

First off, take time out and think just a minute, what do you do, when you receive Harmonic's? Say, "well, I'll read it later, but never get around to it" "thumb through to the District news and let the rest go" "just interested in the financial report" or "just dump it in the circular file"?

The thing I'm trying to get over to you girls is the fact that it is important to each of you, that you read your paper.

It not only contains news about our members but other items of importance, ARRL bulletins, contests, and various other things that are important to each member.

It takes time, effort and money to put out the paper and it is by no means an easy job for the Editor. Regardless of who the Editor might be, it seems to me the least we could do to show our thanks to her and the other girls who strive to get material for her, is to "add the paper" ~~to our list of things to do~~.

In the future we propose to have ballots attached to the paper for your convenience and when elections, articles or other items are present to you for your voting, or your comments are asked, won't you please take just a little time out to do your part??

As much as we would like to contact each of you personally, it is impossible to do so therefore the paper is our only means and we rely upon each of you to read the paper.

It is possible you like things as they are, and it is possible that you don't, but whichever it might be, how are we to know unless you tell us?? Don't leave it up to the other person to do your part too.

I know it would be asking the impossible to have a 100% return, but with a membership of 165 and growing it seems to me, we could at least have a return of 125 out of 165, don't you think so??

Thanks a million for listening and my very best wishes to all

36 Lou MELAC

YLRL Financial Report

September 1946

By W6MRO Secretary

Balance - General Fund \$319.18

Receipts:

Renewals 22.50
 Reinstatements 2.00
 New Members 1.50
 Donations 2.73

8.73

Fin Ordered & Paid 1.02
 Stationery " " .75

1.77
 \$329.60

Expenditures

2.53

Balance of YLRL General Fund \$327.15

Secretary's Corner

Renewals: Ethel Fraser W1MJC - Anna Friedman W3QOM - Marty McVay W7KCU - Helen Smith W8SPU - Ella Christensen KH6JD -

Reinstatements: Marion Hart W9VW - Evelyn Scott W6MLP - Rosemary Robin W8PJT - Theresa McLaughlin W3VYU -

New Members: Ellen White W8RHU - Catharine Barclay W4LSA - Dell Thompson W4LCA -

Donations: Ola Dell Thompson W4LCA 1.00 - Marty McVay W7KCU .50 - Ella Christensen KH6JD .50 - Catharine Barclay W4LSA .50 - Evelyn Scott W6N2P .25 -

New Address: Ellen White W2IBU 978 Simpson St. Bronx 59, New York.
 Old Doll Thompson W4EKA 520 12th St. Apt. 106 Arlington, Virginia.
 Catherine Marzay W3LSZ 2022 Columbia Road N.E. Washington D.C.
 Rosemary Robin W6PJF 1003 S. Warner Ave. Stockton, California.
 Marion Hart W2YVI 11 N. 73rd St., New York.
 Theresa McLaughlin W3VU 151 Talbot Ave. Greenburg, Pa.
 Evelyn Scott W6NZP 3946 Linden Ave. Long Beach, California.

Birthdays:

- October 4 Lenore Conn W2MAZ - Eunice Falconi W2ZA
 9 Wilhelmina Meyer W2OVV - Elie Carlson W9UPF/3
 10 Marion Hart W2YVI
 17 Bernice Hunrehan W2UGY - Lillian Daleof W2LSPH
 20 Evelyn Scott W6NZP -
 21 Dottie Evans W1PTU - Lily May Hester W2
 24 Edid Aldwell W6UJF
 25 Mignon Rosenfeld W2YFL
 26 Helen Firth W6TCW
 31 Gloria Coyle W2LSPY

"Happy Birthday Girls"

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"Diana Tuck Zs6GH of Johannesburg South Africa plans to visit the USA and Canada very soon and is most anxious to meet as many hams as possible do lots all be waiting for further word from her and give her a royal welcome.

L Signed Lou Lacy

DISTRICT NEWS

First District

D/C Beatrice Myer

W2KUL Ellen has been "roaming around" the 10 meter band lately and is planning to put up a folded dipole for the rig soon. She has not had much luck on 30 meters and 40 is too popular for good results.

W2MAZ Ann is no more /5 in Texas. She is on 80, 40, and 20 C from her home in and still waiting for some XL contacts.

W2YCH Lou reports that her OI is still building a new 60 Ft. tower and a four element rotary beam. She recently worked India, Iceland, Greenland, and Egypt for a total of 53 countries!

W2NSA Bea is finally getting up an antenna and hopes to be on 40 soon.

Second District

D/C Lenore Conn

Yatata, yatata, we had fun! First of a series of round tables (first of every month) held all over ten meters Oct. 1st. Stations checking in were:

W2KGO Millie she says we "couldn't recognize her" after her recent diet. Hi. Although she's worked lots of enviable DX, her first South African was logged in September;

W2HGO Anita, reports she's feeling much better these days and finding enough time to catch some DX too, such as W2L and W2YVY 15' L.

W2EAY Dot, turned over her station to Lenore, W2YFL, Catherine, W2MAZ, and Kit, W2 - here's hoping.

W2PFA Lill, invited Ellen, W2IBU and Not Green table over.

W2MAZ Lenore had as guest ops - Anna, W2OCH and Jean, W2PZA, both of them are looking for antenna space. Jean is also looking for a golf partner.

W2KGA Sophie "Posture model promised for Fall and winter showing postponed. Look for future announcement." Hope that rig is heard soon tho.

W2KGB Anna, After returning home lat in August from a wonderful vacation in Maine and Nova Scotia, imagine the thrill I experienced at finding my IRLA license waiting

her car parked, came up to find it down the hill where it had rolled.
No fatalities. Lucky?

W2RAQ Catherine, "During the war I wrote to a Signal Corps boy in the Pacific via SWL lists. It will be an experience to try and recognize him in Grand Central Station when I meet his train this week-end. I carry a copy of QST for identification." Hi.

W2PFA Lillian, Entertained guests from Bangkok, Siam. They say you can buy a cow there for \$.50 and a chicken for a penny! Lets go.

W2R6C Ellen writes, "OM and Myself going up for 2nd class Comm. license this Friday. Do any of the YL's know of any place we could contact, with reference to overseas operators positions for Bob and I together? (Ellen White, 491 E 139th St. NYC 54)

W2RUF Clara, your new Editor had quite a job with the last month edition due to a number of things. Even went so far as to resign and finding that it was putting Leu to the job of getting another to take her place on such short notice, recalled the resignation and will give this month a try. Hope it goes smoother. Hi.

W2KUG Jennie, busy with the year old Jr. op. The OM W2IOF is working with Curtiss-Wright and is in Lakehurst testing a propeller on a blimp.

W2PVS Betty (new member) writes: Moving the radio shack to our bedroom so the Junior op will have a room of his own. The OM has a nifty tower with rotating beam which we hope the landlord will permit us to put up.

W2PCU Martha says work at the office has kept her off the air. Hopes to be back with us soon.

W2MLM Lenore, dropping the /2 as she moves back to Fitchburg, Mass. Bye, Lee. C U on 80? (Please send me your correct address Lee. signed, the Editor)

Landline reports: Ruth, W2QWL (courtesy BCL) being a true night owl with Rose W2KRL for company. Her folded dipole blew down in a high wind but she enjoyed listening to the round table....Greeting to all from Emma W2MJS....W2OLB (Old Lady Black) got back her call but is still searching for an apartment. She expects to accept the New Hampshire convention's invitation to speak at their next fest....W2QVM Marian staking a claim on 7615 and 7214 KC when she isn't flying in a private plane....W2QVB Mina and Butch took along a little 80 meter rig on their vacation in the Pocono Mountains, the hotel still doesn't know what that #45 wire was doing in the nearby trees.... A lil bird told me: Frances Mayer is W2PFA; Edna Liebman W2RAS; Edna Geist W2RZW. Congrats!!!

W2PVS Len, Conditions prevented hearing some of the gals at the roundtable Oct. 1st. Among them, W2PVS Betty---W2QVV mina. Round table agreed that a spot frequency, such as 29200 KC would be best for next confab. Who will join us? Hope to see you the third Friday eve each month at NYC club, 17 E 67th St. Please look for me on the YL freqs 3610 and 7220 kos.

Signed your D/C

Third District

D/C Frances Derne

W2YD Liz participated in ARRL "Get Acquainted Tests" but QRM got her down.

W2KLS Fran, was on the air from W2EWP and worked several stations on 80 mts. The roof has been surveyed at their location and hope to have antenna up soon.

W2FWB Ethel, attended the Washington Radio Club meetings but has nothing on the air as yet.

Fourth District

D/C Jerry Stock

No report

Fifth District

D/C Eunice Falconer

W2JW Judy, up to her neck in Little Theatre Plays, taking music lessons, playing piano and directing drama at church, attending radio theory and code classes, trying to find a cook and housekeeper, feeding chickens and working 8 hours a day, finds it hard to get on the air but hopes to soon. "Must be super woman"

W2ZA Eunice, almost as busy as Judy. The OM ill all summer, so, running the business and keeping house has been a full time job. Leaving for Mayo Clinic, to be gone for some time but hope the OM will come home much improved in health. Aged to be on the air with a temporary rig using an HT-9 transmitter on 10 and 20 meters until the big rig is overhauled. States Ethel W2JAD is also a busy YL.

Sixth District

D/C Clara Fishong

W5JZQ/6 Lily May of Douglas Ariz. is now WTKAR and the OM WYZAD. Sorry to lose but our loss is the seventh district's gain.

W6RYJ Pearl of Sacramento is on 30 mts. at present operating 30 watts at 3721 kc. Hopes to get on 20 and 40 also. The Sacramento hams had a get together in Elverta Park. She and her OM W6DIX attended and report a good time. Pearl's other hobby is fishing and she certainly lives in the right country for it.

K6ROJ Ella, is now KH6FD "King Henry's Six Flaming Dragons" is a member of the Hubba Hubba network and the Guam Amateur Radio League. She made headlines in the local paper for handling traffic work from Guam during the typhoon, for the local Army Headquarters. She would like to work Europe for her WAC. She hears Vp6YD (freq. 28480 kc) and XZ4AR (R.A.F.) Rangoon, Burma.

W6DQ Clara worked XA-BZ Italy and GMSMN of Scotland making her WAC on 10 fone since returning to the air.

W6ACI (ex W6TCH) Marty McVay is a little on the lonely side in Washington. Misses her old friends and YL news. Would like to hear from the girls in California. Her new QTH is P.O. Box 675 Colfax, Washington.

W6LWO Helen, too busy to answer personal mail as yet. Business comes first, but hopes to get around to it real soon. She has a new mobile rig which she hopes to enjoy on her vacation.

Seventh District

D/C Lizette Wolf

KL7AX Verna's air mail letter, 16 days enroute says - we are again in Ugashik but will leave soon for trapping cabin on lower Ugashik Lake. Will be there until May or June. If lucky, we may get mail a couple of times. With so much work to do before we can get to antennas we won't be on the air for a while. But hope to be on 10 fone this winter.

W7EWR Mary Ann's OM replaced the center dipole with a folded dipole fed with 72 ohm twin lead and got R9 from Yokohama, Japan and R7 in tests with New Zealand. Had a visit from Miriam W7JFB, her OM and son while on their vacation. Her son W7EKW works them on sked from Navy in Seattle. He will soon be released.

W7HHH Bea can be found on 14,236 around noon. Worked Lily May from Arizona who's new call is WTKAR. Says her OM worked Enid W9MEX in California.

W7HYO Ann has been going to Southwestern Wyoming Teacher's Institute in Rock Springs this year. She would like to take a permanent teaching position but if she did she wouldn't get on the air so she will substitute.

W7JFB Miriam had a nice QSO with Maude 7a6LZ over the Canadian back fence. Contacted Inez W7JEX in Portland who will be a YLRLer soon. Inez works W8OCW and is looking for Margaret W7ECC. Margaret's OM W7AQJ says she has been inactive on 80.

W7HIS Lizette, has been trying to get the Emergency Corp Organized and stir up interest on the 144 mc band. Has anyone heard anything on 11 meters beside that persistent op Dia Themy? Collared Mr. Hamby from ARRL at the Denver Convention. Chances look good with pix etc., Lou W1MCW our Publicity Chairman who puts a swell sig in here on 10 fone says she will push it along.

CORRECTION: The news paragraph for Manila W7JWC in the last issue of Harmonics should have been under the call of Clarice W7FTX. Please accept my sincere apologies girls and thanks for your news and letters.

signed your D/c

Eighth District news will be found on the last page. It was received too late for this spot.

Ninth District

D/C Harryette Barker

No report

W00UD Letta is the first to report this month. She writes the xmitter does a better job of exciting the burglar alarm system and stove pipe than the antenna. Hi. No. traffic net will start Oct. 1st at 7 P. CST on 3755 kcs. Also reports a state party is planned for Missourians in and out of the state for Nov. or Dec., definite date later. Letta also asks for news from .o. YLs for '68T as some of the fellows get the idea she is the only YL in the state. How about it girls?

W0JHI Clara has just had her license renewed. She is still working at the hospital, is lone /c 103 patients for 8 hours. Reports a slight damage to her home by fire.

W0JHJ Joanna is still preparing for the little "harmonic". The painting of the downstairs of her Mother's house is about completed, then John will have more time for the 3-element, close-spaced, 10 meter beam he is contemplating. She tells of an unusual incident when a cousin was visiting them from Chicago and they contacted a ham in Chicago who knew a friend of his, and then later contacting a fellow in Pittsburg who knew a student at Chicago U. whom the cousin knew.

W0JHO Marie is in Columbia, Mo. for the school year as hostess at the residence-hall of Christian College, where twelve students live. She is not moving her xmitter to Columbia so will be off the air until the holidays.

W0JHA With the beginning of school, more canning and housecleaning my month has been quite busy. Howard Ireland W0VIB of Des Moines Iowa, his wife and Mother spent a day with us. Mr. Ireland was a radio technician at NAS Seattle while W0JHJ was stationed there. Was quite thrilled to receive a first day edition envelope of the "Flying Post Office" and 5¢ stamp from Floyd Martin ex W0ZOL now radio op with ATC.

To the Members,

In the event of change of address or if at any time you do not receive your copy of Harmonics, please notify me immediately. Any member having a suggestion for the paper, they will be welcome at anytime. This is your paper girls and we want you to take an interest in it. Also let us thank the girls for their nice letters of congratulations on the last issue. It was the letters that made me try again when I was ready to give up. I appreciated the letters more than I can tell you. Thanks again.

33's Clara Heger W2RUF,
Editor

Arrived late
8th District

D/C Katherine Henry

W0VEL, Martha, and OM are the proud parents of a 7 lb. 6 oz. son born July 28. Congratulations.

W0WUT Avie, had a nice QSO with Ella KH6FD who by the way, was her first KH6 contact.

W0Y0J, Peggy, has been very busy and as yet does not have a rig ready but hopes to get one started soon.

Please girls, how about a little news?

Your District Chairman

To District Chairmen- Please get your news in before the tenth of the month or it will be too late for the issue of Harmonics.

This months cover was designed by your Editor but was run off by an A.B. Dick duplicator. Due to the poor condition of the old one, we are contemplating on the purchase of a new one. You will get more news on that at a later date.

Your Editor

AN OPEN LETTER TO ALL MEMBERS FROM YOUR EDITOR

As you will note, some of the print in our paper is very poor. This is because our duplicator is worn out and due to its age and model, cannot be repaired. As the machine is today, it takes about four days work to get the paper out. With a recent model, it could be done easily in a day and a half or less.

As long as the editor is changed every year, the mob should be as simple as possible. With the proper equipment it would be, but, as it is now, it is a headache - and believe me gals - I know.

In order to get a new one, we will have to drain our treasury and we hate to do that. How are we going to get the money? Shall we have donations? Should we have a raffle of a \$25.00 War Bond? Do you have any other suggestions?

Write your president with your suggestions. This is your organization girls and we want each and every one to take an interest in it. The officers work plenty hard so that it will be a good organization but they need your co-operation.

Who has a good suggestion? Don't put it off. Write in today.

Thank you girls,
Your Editor
Clara Negar WERTF