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LAST MEETING

March 1975

There was a report on the 10 meter net activity and there were 13 checked in on the 2nd Sunday following the last meeting. The time is 10 a.m. on Sunday mornings at about 28,660 kHz. Hank, 3FHV showed a series of slides taken in Europe when the County Town Singers were on tour last year. Hank's picture was in the local paper but his name was not in the caption. Bernie, 3ATI gave a report on the Canadian Winter Rally.

NEXT MEETING Tuesday, March 11 8.00 p.m. Oshawa Airport

Farny, 3BHQ will give a presentation on printed circuit boards. He has recently produced some boards for solid state clocks which a number of the guys now have working. He has polished up the silk screen techniques and should be able to answer just about any questions you may have about the subject.

2 FM

At the recent Winter Rally it was said that the FM'ers outnumbered the rallyists. The rally communications were so good that
the rally guys were ecstatic about it. Bob Linquist was in constant
communication with marshalls etc even on the way up to the route
headquarters at Bancroft and decisions were made regarding any complaints by the rally entrants right on the spot. Two tower locations
were the focal point of the operation. One was at Maynooth, with the
other at Essonville. While there were some suggestions made at the
debriefing it seemed that the hams were happy with what happened.
A suggestion was made by Brent, 3EJW that we might consider acting in a similar way for the annual Enduro which occurs in October.
This is a motorcycle event and could be a lot of fun and give us a

chance to test the rigs and shake out any problems. Any suggestions regarding improvement are welcome. We don't want to tire you but it would be a nice time to go out in the country.

CLUB CREST CONTEST

Bring along your entry if you have designed a club crest. There should be several on display and they will be judged at this meeting. Vic., 3ANX says he has seen some and they are very good.

ADVANCED CODE PRACTICE

Following the Sunday 10 meter net at 10 a.m. and most evenings at 1800 hrs. advanced code is being sent by Ken, 3DOC and VIC, 3ANX. Check in on 28,600 but if it busy the alternate frequencies are 28,100 and 29,200.

BITS N PIECES

Dave, 3FYB says that there will be an advanced class on Wednesday evenings from 8 til 10 p.m. beginning on March 12 at the Consumers Gas building. This is located at the south end of Hopkins Street in Whitby. If his keyer is completed, 3CUI will bring it to the meeting. There will be a discussion regarding the time of the Tuesday evening net which begins at the same time as the Swap net on RPT. Vic, 3ANX is willing a kit for the H23 portable. Lee, 3VF and one of his YL's saw a FLYING SAUCER or some other type of UFO. The skeptics and non-skeptics are wondering what is going on in this part of the country. No, Lee is not hearing bells yet! The Autopatch is creating a lot of interest and QRM on RPT and 3ABG suggested that tests should be held between 2 and 3 a.m. Wonder who is up then? VE3LSR on 25/85 is now located at Maple Hill and is said to be putting out a fair signal. VE3TFM on 147.87/27 is now on the air for tests and shakedown trials. 3ATI is wiring the 10 mHz. Heath scope. Roy, 3AAF is back on the air on 2 FM, so is Ed, 3AZV. Jack, 3DTS will be at this meeting and welcome Jack. Vic's HW-202 is now working again after blowing a transistor during the rally.

C J DINNER

The annual C J Dinner will be held on Saturday, April 19th at the Town & Country restaurant, Mutual St., Toronto. Lunch at 12.30 p.m. is \$2.00 per person and dinner is \$7.50 per person. Tickets may be obtained by writing the CJ Association, Box 248, Chatham, Ontario. Please include your call and correct remittance with your order (from the RSO bulletin on the air) - correction BOX 284, ed.

RTTY

CMM, QG and FIV went up to Ottawa on Saturaday to pick up some 28's and now FIV, WT, CMM and CZI are the owners of these fine printers. FIV has his going and just got an autostart circuit working. Apparently there are no cabinets with these units so I guess you have to do a bit of carpentry. John, 3DDD had a sad experience with the customs men when he decided to import some paper for the sprocket feed units and they imposed a value of \$2.00 per pound on the lot. Since there was about 350 pounds this made it very expensive. The original cost of the paper was quite low and after a long ordeal they agreed to reduce it to \$1.00 per pound. With shipping charges etc. this was still too high and he gave up the struggle. If you import something, make sure that they put a realistic value on the goods. There is some activity on 2 FM using the RTTY mode and it is simple to feed the audio in and take it out to the printer. A simple TU is all that is necessary for receiving and an oscillator that can be keyed from mark to space. The most common shift is now 170 Hz. on 80 meters with 850 becoming rare. This is also used on 2 FM.

FOR SALE

Apache TX with HQ-110C Hammarlund receiver, also Johnson Matchbox. \$350 for the entire package - firm.

John, VE3FAW Uxbridge 852-6504

HW-32 Transceiver (14,100 - 14,250 kHz. SSB. Complete with HP-23B power supply, speaker and station console. The latter containing SWR bridge with separate meters for forward/reflected power, phone-patch and monitor scope. Asking \$175.00

DX-100B Transmitter (10, 11, 15, 20, 40, 80 and 160 meters AM/CW at 180 watts).

Complete with Antenna change-over relay. Asking \$100.00

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