

The meeting for September 19, as far as we know, will be held at the Close Park shelter house. According to Ward Anspach, permits for use of the shelter house cannot be granted until September 1. Therefore, final plans and directions will have to wait until a later bulletin.

Our president, Ray Lewis, is seriously thinking about DX contests for the coming season for both the BC and SW bands. Suggestions to this effect will be discussed more fully at the September meeting. Be thinking about it and have a suggestion or two ready.

Before long we probably again shall hear the familiar fire siren of 'the noisy fireman' of the air, W8ESN, coming from that big black box in Lee's basement. Lee expects to have his new 20 meter rig working very shortly and it will have plenty of power - enough to work any DX that Fred Satterthwaite can bring in on his RME-69 receiver. Is that a bet, Lee??????????

Honor Roll Changes

BCB: Bob Ludwig increases to 2X with the addition of QXL6.

SW: Fred Satterthwaite adds the following: FKLMX, VK2NC, ON4VK, OELAR, PY2CK, HKLARM, TI2FG, TI5JJ, OA4AA, VP4TH, K4UK, V01J, and loses HI2K, HI7G, G5NI, HFLA, HH2B, PY2RA to Ludwig. Merle Krueger loses TIG to Satterthwaite. Charlie Burton loses VP2CD to Ludwig. Ludwig gains a place with G2NH, G5BJ, and G5XG. Lee Kemberling is also a newcomer with EA3DY.

Notes and Tips on the High Frequencies (E.S.E.)

Any news from that most elusive continent, Africa, is always welcome to SW DXers. Listeners in this country have reported VQG, 12.63 megs., Nairobi, Kenya, calling London almost daily. A new phone station, FZE9, Djibouti, Fr. Somaliland, also has been reported. Three Egyptians have also put in their appearance. They are SUX on 7.86; SUV on 10.05; and SUZ on 13.83 megs.

From the Far East: PLM, 10.26 megs., using 3,000 watts, and FLP, 11.0 megs., are the most consistent signals from Java, being heard between 5.30 and 7.30 AM. JVH, Tokyo, Japan, sends a daily program from midnight to 1 AM on 14.6 megs., which is heard quite regularly with good volume. VJZ, Rabaul, New Guinea, an island north of Australia, is a new phone station on 13.75 megs. Recent test programs have been heard around 4 AM. CQN, Macao, Portuguese China, is on 9.525 megs., Monday and Friday from 7-8.30 AM.

South and Central America: A new one in Maracaibo, Venezuela, YV7RNC 6.068 megs., is occasionally heard. Radio El Mundo, Buenos Aires, reports the following SW schedules: LRU, 19.6 megs., 7 AM to 3.45 PM; LFX, 9.66 megs., 8 to 9 PM daily. TGWA, 9.45 megs., has a Sunday morning DX program from midnight to 6 AM. with English announcements. TI4NRH, owned by Armando Cespedes Marin, of Heredia, Costa Rica, is now broadcasting again on a frequency of 9.66 megs., from 8.30 to 9.30 PM and 11.30 PM to midnight.

In Cuba we find two new ones. CO9RY, 6.24 megs., is heard during the early evening hours. The address is Bernabe R. de la Torre, Gral. Betancourte 51, Matanzas, Cuba. The other is COCQ, 9.82 megs., Havana, which relays CMQ. We understand that COCD now has a new attractive card which is much different from the old CMCD-COCD series.

From Mid-Pacific: FO8AA, Papeete, Tahiti, 25 watts, broadcasts on 7.1 megs., Tuesday and Friday from 11 PM to 12 Midnight. Reports are solicited. Amateur-OM2RX, Agana, Guam, 14.20 megs., is being heard near 4 AM. KTR, Manila, 10.91 megs., often heard phoning near 10.30 AM.

SM5SX, Royal Technical University, Stockholm, Sweden, is being heard in the early evenings on 14.344 megs.

TOLEDO RADIO CLUB
OFFICIAL BULLETIN

Due to lack of news and support, your scribe has hesitated editing a bulletin during the past few weeks. However, there's quite a number of important items to report, so we'll get started now on what we think will prove interesting to all.

First, we wish to point with justified pride to the wonderful work accomplished by Lee Kemberling (W8ESN) during the recent flood crisis. The Noisy Fireman's name broke into print locally on more than one occasion. Your attention is now directed to articles pertaining to amateur radio in Toledo while the flood waters raged. These are appearing in Allwave for March, and Radex for April. Ye Editor and Fred Satterthwaite spent many hours working with Lee, serving as monitoring posts, and acting as reporters of the happenings. Ed Rhoades was on hand several nights to help listen to stations carrying flood traffic. Members Esquivel and Anspach showed up on one of the hectic nights and were interested spectators.

Secondly comes a matter of utmost importance to all of us! It pertains to a plan we have in mind concerning a club house. Details are being worked out, and we hope to submit a resume of the complete idea at the next meeting. Ward Anspach will be our host on this occasion. His address is 3217 Cottage Ave. The date is set for April 10. Please, we ask of you, be present at this important session of our organization. In passing let us say that the project under consideration deserves, and must have, the cooperation of each and every member. Plan now to meet with the gang April 10.

Our profound thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Merle Krueger for the excellent refreshments served at our last meeting. We note with regret that attendance at both this last get-to-gether and the one preceeding it was small. We most certainly cannot hope to accomplish much in such cases. So how about it fellows? Are we going to make the TRC go forward or not? We must have more tips and livelier meetings or else!

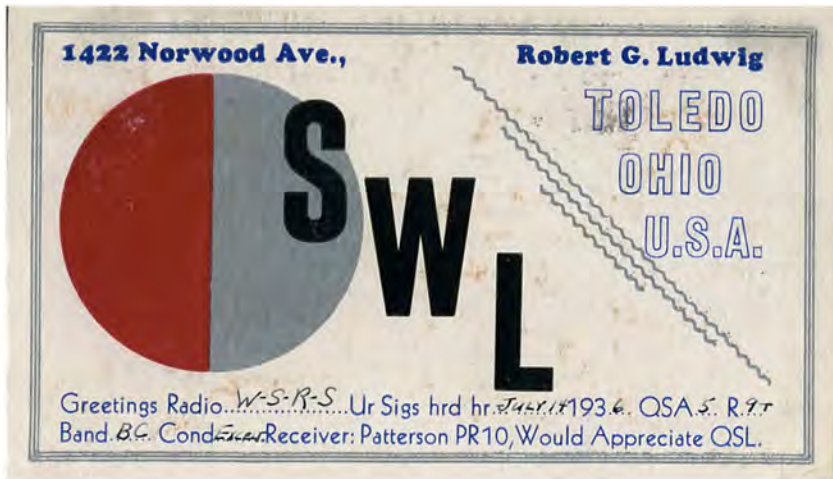
From Merle Krueger we learn that Warsaw, Poland, on 22:00 meters is being heard Mon. Wed. & Fri. from 12:30 to 1:30 PM. EST. The call seems to be SPW. Next comes LZA, Sofia, Bulgaria, 20:11 meters, who broadcasts on Sundays from 12:30-8:00 AM and again the same day from 10:00 AM-4:30 PM. Fred Satterthwaite says that 20 meters has been good, and also that Glen Windisch is running him ragged on his pet band. How about a report on your activities Glen, you old tomatoe ?

We have on hand about 2000 sheets of official club stationery. This is a special ink job, all the black work being done in highly embossed, raised letters. The first ten TRC members who call or write me, may have 200 sheets for only \$1.10. Your name and address are printed on each sheet. Drop me a line immediately as the printer must have the complete order by March 25. How about it, Merle, Leo, Glen, Ward, Ed, et al ? Space doesnt permit more now, so I'll be looking forward to seeing everyone Saturday night, April 10th. C. U. then amigos.

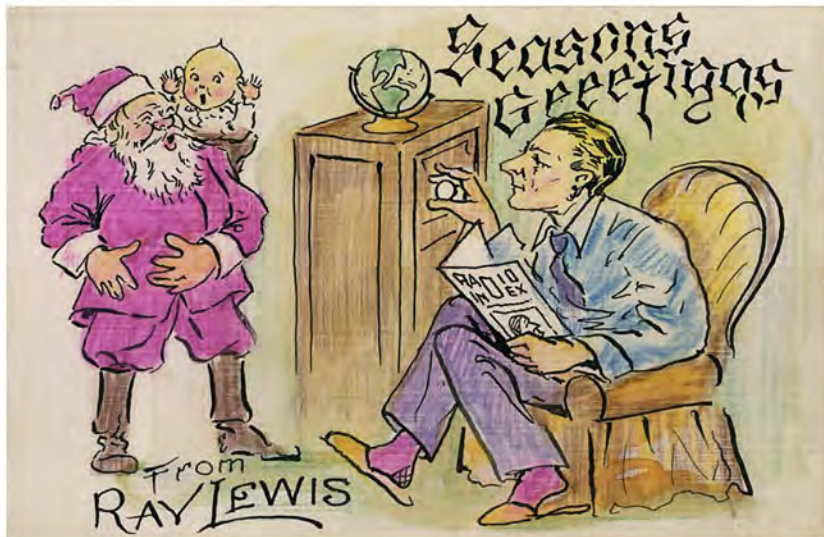
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Holiday card from Club President Ray Lewis