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A.R.R.L. DIGNITARY TO BE AT
SEPTEMBER 14TH MEETING

We have the following letter from John Huntoon, W1LVQ. We wish to express an invitation to all Amateurs to attend this meeting and visit with one of the boys from Headquarters.

"As you are undoubtedly aware from previous visits which have been made to your club, it is the policy of the League to send members of its staff to contact the membership of affiliated clubs for a general discussion of amateur affairs, and League matters in particular. I have been designated to attend the Dakota Division Convention in Minneapolis, and my itinerary has been arranged to bring me to Omaha on Friday, September 12. While this may not be your regular meeting night, it is our hope that you can arrange to get together the members of the club and other nearby amateurs for a round-table discussion of these subjects."

Lets all turn out and give W1LVQ a hearty reception and a string of intelligent questions.

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NEW OFFICERS SOUTH EAST NEBRASKA RADIO CLUB

Ray Wageman	President	WØBWK	Steinauer
B. F. Kennedy	Vice-Pres	WØZJF	Falls City
G. C. Bennett	Sec-Treas	WØWKP	Humboldt
Loren Griener	Act.-Mgr.	WØGTW	Pawnee City

HAMFEST - WAYNE, NEBR.
SOUTH EAST NEBRASKA RADIO CLUB SPONSORS

Sunday, September 14th the SENRC will throw another one of its famous Hamfests.

The Wing-Ding will take place in the City Park north of the High School in Wayne.

Bring your own covered dish. Charge will be 25¢, which will cover prizes and drinks.

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MIDWEST DIVISION DIRECTORS MEETING

The Director's Meeting proposed for September 14th in Omaha has been cancelled until further notice due to the SENRC Hamfest at Wayne.

NEXT MEETING

September 12, 1952

Friday 8:00 P.M.

Fontenelle Hotel

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Grand Island Amateur Radio Society
Hamfest - August 17th

OMAHA HAMS NEWS

Have the following from WØDW, President of the GIARS.

"We wish to thank all the OM's, XYL's and Jr. Ops. that could find time to represent the club at the Grand Island picnic."

13	Hams from Omaha
4	" " Council Bluffs
5	" " Lincoln
5	" " Hastings
2	" " Kearney, North Platte and Chambers
1	" " Elgin, Staplehurst, Brainard, Merna, Broken Bow, Halsey, Anselmo, Gresham, Greeley, Clearwater and Bloomfield.

Also a ham showed from Atlantic, Iowa and one from Colby, Kansas.

Five Cars (Mobiles) from Omaha went to G.I. en-mass having a bang up time on the trip out.

WØDW/Ø was on the air to welcome the mobile units as they approached G. I. and the Omaha gang picked him up from Central City.

The subject of having a State Wide Hamfest every year was discussed with several of the fellows with a very hearty reception, so maybe we can all get behind and support a big deal out in the center of the state next year.

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There is a very interesting article in the September issue of "TRUE" titled "Their Out to Clear the Air" by Donald E. Keyhoe on the monitoring situation. WØUSU

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FOR SALE

2300 Volts at 500 Ma. - 872A Rect. Any Reasonable offer. Write P. O. Box 626 Omaha. Or what have you got to trade?

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SUPPORT YOUR CLUB - PAY YOUR DUES NOW

Hal Morgan, BQP reports good results on 7Mc C.W. wid his Globe King and super antenna which is wrapped around the house like a clinging vine. Hal is using a converted SX-24 for a rcvr.

Incidentally United Air Lines is the new paymaster for BQP.

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Fay Powell, WNØISV has his Elmac under control now, so he is brushing up on his radio in order to pass the General ticket exam. Fay also has a 6C4 into a 2E26 on 80 Meters into a 66 Foot vertical antenna.

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Ronnie Blake, WNØHXJ is in the pains of building a new super duper rig but he won't put out what it is just you wait and see.

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Bill Kerber, EEF liked the ground plane we used on Field Day so well he is going to duplicate it at his home QTH to use with his new 813.

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Roy Rydberg will in all probability be on the air as soon as the new license arrives. He has the HQ-129-X and the Harvey Wells ready to fire.

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John Connolly, HOW has built a 6AG7 oscillator to put on the air but he hasn't got a suitable receiver to back it up. Therefore, until John gets his rcvr he will be off the air.

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Ferris Crammer, YZK erected his new 3 element 20 Meter beam on Labor Day and now has that satisfied look.

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When you see that little green bug roarin down the street, don't reach for the Flit; just get out of the way, 'cause it's JJK in his hot new Nash Rambler.

NEW MEMBERS

Ron Blake	143 Glen Ave. Co. Bluffs, Iowa	WNØHXJ
Bob Lewis	418 So. 24th Ave. Apt. 7 At. 9603	WØCZK
Harold Morgan	3558 No. 36th Ave.	WØBQP
Bob Truscott	3166 Kansas St. Ke. 5451	WØEJA

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Minutes of the August 8, 1952 Meeting

Frank Cooper reported that the city has finally continued the battle over the tower on the 85th and Shamrock road. The city has presented Frank & XYL with a summons.

Be sure and come to the next meeting and get the latest information.

The report on a change of meeting place was carried over to the next meeting.

Mobile caravan to Grand Island on August 17 was discussed and all interested were to contact Jerry Armstrong WØNKG.

Tom Fifer suggested that we try and arrange a 24 hour a day monitor for Emergency Frequency. He thought it could possibly be arranged with either the Police, Fire Dept. or some other suitable organization.

It was suggested that the secretary contact the Minneapolis Radio Club regarding there Affiliation with the Police Dept.

John Orr and others reported that the police want to cooperate with Amateur Radio.

There was a discussion on the Nebraska Ham Fest scheduled for next year.

A motion was made and carried that Jerry Armstrong be chairman of the Nebr. Hamfest and contact all other state ham clubs.

License plates were discussed and tabled until later.

Rolland Fried won the raffle prize of a flash light and 2 screw drivers.

Meeting adjourned for movies, coffee, pop, and donuts.

Leo Schmallenbach is in Washington, D.C. attending an electronics school preparatory to Foreign duty with the Department of Defense.

John Orr and a friend spent a week roaming Arizona and the southwest.

NOTICE:- Due to the visit of John Huntoon of ARRL at our Sept. meeting, we have decided to put off our "Gadget Parade" until the Oct. meeting. This gives all you guys one more Month to get those Gadgets ready in order to exhibit them at our meeting. Al McMillan has a very secret one that he is going to bring down and he isn't saying what it is about.

Dick Reimund regretfully apologizes for not having been present at our last meeting with his colored photo slides taken in Eiretria as he had to jump at an opportunity to have a pleasant two week vacation in Minn.

Dick will have his slides at our Sept. meeting and we should all be looking forward to a really wonderful and most interesting program.

Out of Town Tid Bits

Allen Fleming YOF has been in Chicago working for United Air Lines for a month.

He is getting an HRO 60 and will have a low powered rig. His operating Freq. will be 7141 Kc and will be looking especially for stations in Omaha, and Blair. So fellows lets see who is the first to work him. Anyone who wants to write Al via the mail-- waves address all mail to Box 277 Sears & Roebuck YMCA, 3210 Arthington, Chicago, Ill.

The QSL Cards for Field Day (Around 250) were filled out and sent by UFD, CZK, and JKE we want to thank Dick Eilers for the swell job of printing on our club cards. To date we have received 30 returns.

Fellows we have also had a few returns do to improper calls in the Field Day logs. So fellows lets watch the log and try to get the call, section, and all the necessary "dope" to have a 100% log.

MOBILE CORNER

"Whip Swish"

Since there is increasing mobile activity in Omaha, the paper is going to try and present a column to keep the members posted on mobile activity.

At present we have on the mobile list:-

WØCZK---Bob Lewis	10-20-75
WØNKG---Jerry Armstrong	10-20-75
WØUSB---Bill Ashley	10
WØAFZ---George Baughman	10-20-75
WØZSP---Ed Chadek	10
WØLHZ---Joe Connell	10----75
WØIOS---Frank Cooper	10-20-75
WØPXJ---Bob Ferguson	10-20-75
WØBTE---Frank Fernald	10-20-75 (at times)
WØAQJ---Tom Fifer	10
WØAEM---George Fox	10-20-75
WØUFD---John Leeder	10-20-75
WØGFQ---Leo Meyerson	10-20-75
WØPHW---John Orr	10-20-75
WØE---Bob Stratbucker	10-20-75
WØU---Rolly Fried	10----75
WØISV---Fay Powell	10-20-75-80CW

Rolling R. F.

WØ NKG--has his new home built rig going ok nw.
WØ USB--has been silent--wat's up Bill?
WØ AFZ--has his new Elmac perking, but chasing his gal more than sigs.
WØLHZ & WØZSP have been silent making So. Omaha rare DX. How come Boys?
WØIOS -- Is putting his complete mobile set-up for sale. Frank is trading off his Jeep. See him for the low down on the gear.
WØPXJ -- and his red hot Gonset rig are cluttering up the air with a good sig????
WØBTE -- has had his Elmac in and out of the OM's car so often he has a can of oil now to oil the mounting.
WØAQJ -- is rumored to be going VFO - Xtal controlled. Tom seems to like his new Morrow.
WØAEM - Has a new Elmac and has been seen rolling around town but we have not heard George as yet.
WØUFD -- has been exercising his vocal cords on 75 Come Come Johnny that Elmac works on other bands too.
WØGFQ -- has been silent as of late. Wind up the dynamotor Leo and let us hear from the Bluffs.

WØCZK - has been heard giving the boys on 20 a buzz with his new Elmac - How's DX Bob.
WØPHW - Johnny claims it was R.F. that burned thru some sad old co-ax he was using. What happened to that rcvr you were making Johnny.
WØISV - has one of the most flexible mobile rigs in the Area - Fay can go on Phone or CW 10-20-75 or 80 CW.
WØHZE - the high power mobile has been off on a jaunt to Colo. over the Labor Day weekend. Bob probably used more gas in his LKW generator than his car. Bob has a "Viking" in the trunk running over 100 watts.
WØYMU - Can put on a rig at a moments notice we hear - lets put it on for more than a moment Rolly and give us a buzz.

We hope that there will be increasing mobile activity now. We will try to keep posted on new rigs and cars. The best way for us to do it is to hear the mobiles on discussing and cussing their rigs.

Bud Rudolph WØQHK is in town for a few weeks on leave from the Pentagon in D. C.

Larry, WØKCK just took his short Kittens, Cats and Kids on a jaunt to California.

Frank Fernald, WØBTE is in the process of finishing a 420 MC receiver and will be on soon. We now have 6 or 7 fellows finishing up on rigs for 420 MC and activity should be going soon....