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#### THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

GLANCING AROUND THE ROOM AT OUR MARCH MEETING, ONE COULD NOT BUT BE AWARE OF THE SERIOUS INTENT EVERYONE GAVE TO THE SUBJECT UNDER DISCUSSION. ONE COULD EXPECT INDIFFERENCE, EVEN CYNICISM, ON THE PART OF SOME, SAYING "IT CANNOT HAPPEN HERE" BUT I AM SURE WE ALL TOOK THE TOPIC SERIOUSLY, AND THE ENSUING DISCUSSION SHOWED IT. OUR THANKS TO MR. BILL HEWITT, THE LOCAL EMERGENCY CO-ORDINATOR, FOR HIS INTEREST IN OUR EFFORTS AS PART OF THE TEAM. WE HOPE THAT THE COMMITTEE, STRUCK FOR THE PURPOSE OF CHECKING OUT THE EXISTING EQUIPMENT, WILL HAVE A REPORT FOR US AT OUR NEXT MEETING.

AND WHO KNOWS, WE MAY GET AROUND TO THAT VIDEO TAPE YET !!

PROGRAM DIRECTOR MOE, VE3LPT, HAS A GOOD LINE-UP FOR THE APRIL MEETING. MR. MITCH POWELL, VE3OT, THE PRESIDENT OF CRRL, WILL ADDRESS THE GRARC GROUP. THIS WILL BE A GOOD TIME TO GET ANSWERS TO THOSE QUESTIONS A LOT OF HAMS HAVE BEEN ASKING ABOUT THE PLACE THAT CRRL HAS IN THE REPRESENTATION OF ITS MEMBERS. I HOPE WE CAN SHOW THE SPEAKER THAT OUR CLUB IS INTERESTED BY THE NUMBERS TURNING OUT FOR THE MEETING AND THE QUESTIONS ASKED.

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE FOLLOWING HAMS FOR OBTAINING THEIR AMATEUR TICKETS:

ERNEST MADLENER, VE3MTI, KIMBERLEY, ONT. NOC 1GO

HART RIDDERRUSCH, VE3MTP, 397 3RD. ST. HANOVER, ONT. NAN 1B4

ART ROBERTS, VE3MTM, RRI CLARKSBURG, ONT. NOH 1JO, WHO IS AN OLD TIMER WHO HAS COME BACK TO THE FOLD.

IF THERE ARE OTHERS WHO WARRANT SIMILAR KUDOS, PLEASE LET ME KNOW.

REMEMBER, ELECTIONS ARE COMING UP. APPROACH YOUR FAVORITE CANDIDATE FOR ANY OF THE OFFICES, GET HIS WILLINGNESS TO STAND, AND NOMINATE HIM WHEN THE TIME COMES. SUCCESSFUL CANDIDATES WILL GET A 50% RAISE OVER THE PRESENT OFFICE HOLDERS.

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HARVEY, VE3FOT

WANTED--ARTICLES, TECHNICAL OR OTHERWISE FOR PUBLICATION IN THE MAY ISSUE OF FEEDBACK. ALSO THE EDITOR WILL ACCEPT LISTINGS OF ARTICLES PERTAINING TO AMATEUR RADIO THAT ARE FOR SALE OR ARE WANTED. DEADLINE FOR THE MAY ISSUE IS MAY 13TH.

MINUTES OF THURSDAY MARCH 19, 1981 MEETING OF GEORGIAN BAY AMATEUR RADIO CLUB

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 THE MEETING, HELD IN THE OSCVI, CONVENED AT 8.03 PM WITH PRESIDENT HARVEY, VE3FOT, IN THE CHAIR.

THREE VISITORS WERE WELCOMED AND NINETEEN MEMBERS WERE IN ATTENDANCE.

A MOTION THAT PREVIOUS MINUTES BE ACCEPTED AS READ; PROPOSED BY MAL, VE3LPG, AND SECONDED BY TERRY, VE3LPK, - CARRIED.

DICK, VE3BIS, REPORTED ON THE SITUATION REGARDING JIM, VE3HIZ, AND THE LOSS OF HIS HOME BY FIRE.

MOTION BY DICK, VE3BIS, AND SECONDED BY ANDY, VE3LCZ, THAT THE CLUB SEND \$25.00 TO JIM WAS CARRIED.

HARVEY, VE3FOT, COMMENTED ON THE PROPOSED NEW REPEATER FOR OWEN SOUND AND THE AUTO PATCH, ETC. HE ALSO NOTED THAT THE NEXT MEETING WOULD BE NOMINATIONS NIGHT AND THAT A MEETING OF THE NOMINATING COMMITTEE WOULD BE HELD AT 7.30 PM IMMEDIATELY PRIOR TO THE NEXT CLUB MEETING. HARVEY ALSO REQUESTED THAT THE CLUB MEMBERS KEEP IN MIND THE APPROACHING FIELD DAY AND ASKED US TO GIVE SOME THOUGHT TO A LADIES NIGHT OR A PICNIC, ETC.

DICK, VE3BIS, REQUESTED THAT AN EFFORT BE MADE TO FIND THE CLUB ARCHIVES AND THAT IF THEY WERE NOT FORTHCOMING TO CONTACT IAN, VE3HIP, REGARDING SAME.

MOE, VE3LPT, INTRODUCED THE SPEAKER, MR. BILL HEWITT, WHO DISCUSSED WITH THE CLUB THE EMO COMMUNICATION REQUIREMENTS AND THE SERVICES OUR CLUB WOULD BE WILLING TO DONATE.

MOVED BY TED, VE3AEO, AND SECONDED BY DICK, VE3BIS, THAT JIM, VE3BFV, ANDY, VE3LCZ, AND HARVEY, VE3FOT, TO CHECK INTO THE USEFULNESS OF THE PRESENT EQUIPMENT OWNED BY THE COUNTY OF GREY AND THE CITY OF OWEN SOUND; - CARRIED.

HARVEY, VE3FOT, THANKED MR. HEWITT AND THE CLUB SHOWED ITS APPRECIATION IN THE USUAL MANNER.

AFTER THE ADJOURNMENT OF THE MEETING MOST OF THE MEMBERS MET AT THE A&W FOR A RAG-CHEW, AND REFRESHMENTS.

JACK, VE3DTS, SECRETARY-TREASURER.

ANNOUNCEMENT - THE NEXT MEETING OF THE GEORGIAN BAY AMATEUR RADIO CLUB WILL BE HELD ON THURSDAY APRIL 23RD. PLEASE NOTE THE CHANGE IN DATE DUE TO THE EASTER HOLIDAY. THE MEETING PLACE WILL BE IN THE OSCVI AT 8.00PM. THE SCHEDULED SPEAKER MR. MITCH POWELL, VE3OT, THE PRESIDENT OF CRPL, HAS BEEN POSTPONED UNTIL A LATER DATE. OUR PROGRAM DIRECTOR MOE, VE3LPT, IS MAKING OTHER ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE PROGRAM.

FOR SALE - A POWER SUPPLY MADE TO MILITARY SPECIFICATIONS THAT IS RATED AT 12 OR 24 VOLTS AND 22 AMPERES. \$1.00 A POUND OR \$50.00 WHICHEVER IS LESS; A TEN-METER TH3 HYGAIN 3-ELEMENT BEAM, NEW AND IN A BOX, FOR \$100.00; SEVERAL MOTOROLA PAGING RADIOS LESS BATTERIES AT \$5.00 EACH. CONTACT WALTER, VE3FFN FOR DELIVERY OF THESE ITEMS

How To Tell That You're Old

Everything hurts and what doesn't hurt doesn't work.

You feel like the morning after when you haven't been anywhere.

You get winded playing chess.

Your children begin to look middle-aged.

You know all the answers but nobody asks you any questions.

You turn out the light for economic rather than romantic reasons.

You sit in a rocking chair but can't get it going.

Your knees buckle but your belt won't.

You're 17 around the neck, 42 around the waist and 96 around the golf course (9 holes).

You just can't stand people who are intolerant.

You burn the midnight oil until 9 P.M.

Your back goes out more often than you do.

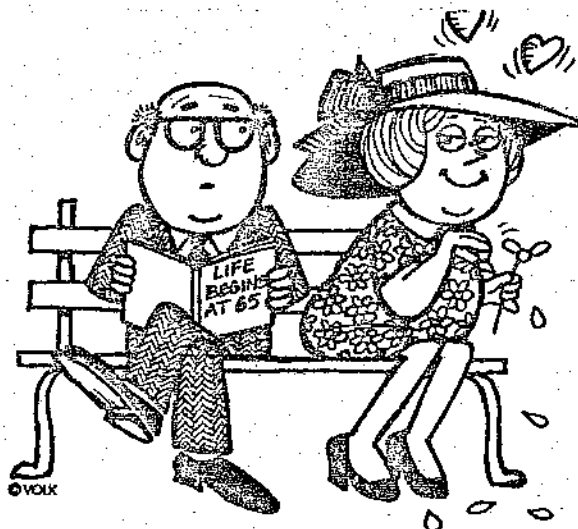
Your pacemaker raises the garage door when a pretty girl goes by.

The little gray-haired lady you help across the street is your wife.

You get your exercise acting as pallbearer for friends who exercise.

You have too much room in the house and not enough in the medicine cabinet.

- Knights of Columbus bulletin



FOR SALE- STAN GOUZANOS, PHONE 924-2473, HAS SEVERAL CB TRANSCEIVERS AT \$25.00 AND UP; ALSO A 15 METER 3-ELEMENT BEAM, NEW BY HYGAIN FOR \$150.00; ALSO SEVERAL VERTICAL ANTENNAES.

WANTED-- A SYNTHESIZED 2 METER TRANSCEIVER. CONTACT MR. ART ROBERTS, VE3MTM, RRI CLARKSBURG, MOH 1JO, OR PHONE 599-5551.

FOR SALE-- AGS-38 4-BAND COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVER WITH S-METER, BAND-SPREAD, RFO. \$59.95. CONTACT JIM, VE3BFV, 371-1209.

NEWSWORTHY - ART FERGUSON, VE3HP, HAD A SESSION IN THE G&M HOSPITAL IN JANUARY AND IS NOW AT HOME TRYING TO GET BACK TO HIS NORMAL GOOD HEALTH. WE ALL WISH HIM SUCCESS.

FRED, VE3KPK, HAD A TRY AT KEEPING BATCHELOR'S HALL WHILE HIS XYL, ERICA, WAS IN THE G&M FOR REPAIRS. SHE IS ENJOYING A GOOD RECOVERY AND IS BACK TO LOOKING AFTER FRED.

MAL, VE3LPG, HAS RETURNED FROM HIS SOUTHERN HOLIDAY AS HAS IAN, VE3HXX.