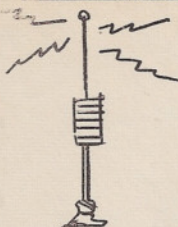
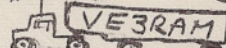
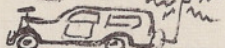
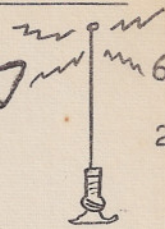


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POTHOLE NET: Every Sat. & Sun. 3760 Kcs. at 10 AM local time

WOM CERTIFICATE : Worked Ottawa Mobiles, for working five members of the club in good standing while they are mobile.

MONITOR: VE3CGO monitors 3760 Kcs daily from 0800 to approx 1800

MEETING: TIME 2015 hrs DATE 13 April 61 THURSDAY
PLACE: N.R.C. Sussex Street, Room 3039

PROGRAM: Business

Report from the Field Day Committees

Report on Emergency Facilities Available to the Club by VE3CDC

Report on VHF Activities 6 & 2 by VE3AGU & VE3BCL

PREVIEW: of 2 meter I.B. Club Project by VE3BCJ

DISPLAY & DESCRIPTION of Geloso VFO's both 2 meter and all Band-VE3BYT

CLUB EMBLEM CONTEST

The winners VE3BCL & K9YZA were presented with prizes at the last general meeting. Both designs were deemed by the committee and members to be so excellent, that it was decided to make a composite embodying the finer points of each. The committee were surprised and pleased with the large number of designs submitted and their task in selecting the winners was indeed a difficult one. We doff our whips to the winners and to all who participated!

POT HOLE NET CERTIFICATES

Have you a crack in the wall, possibly a hole caused by an old disused feeder, or maybe by a mouse yet? If so we have the answer, like hereunder please note! EFFECTIVE 1 April 1961, points will be awarded to club members for calling into the Pot Hole Net. A minimum of 18 points are required to earn a Pothole Net Certificate. The scoring is as follows for each net called into: 3 points for a mobile station, 1 point for a fixed station. The Net Control Station earns an extra point for taking the net making his point total 2 from a fixed station and 4 from a mobile. So like it behooves one to operate mobile if one wants to earn a certificate with the utmost of rapidity. And this aint all! *In addition to the net certificates, prizes will be awarded for the greatest point total as of June 30 and December 30, 1961.* All check-ins must be by radio on 3760 kc --check-ins by telephone or via another station cannot be permitted. Club Members in good standing only are eligible for the certificate or prizes. It is regretted that this is a one band affair but when the 2 meter project gets started, it will probably be extended to this band.

GOODIES IN THE OFFING

Road Rally Sunday April 9th. For those with cars--mobile equipment not necessary Starting place: Renne's Grill & Restaurant which is 3 miles past the Baseline Road on the Merivale Road. It should take less than 2 hours to run the course--excellent opportunity for the family to combine a drive with a mobile activity. Doug VE3BON will announce details on the Net and will ascertain on the day of the event via the Pot Hole Net those who intend to take part. If there aren't a sufficient number, the event will be held at a later date, but knowing the keenness of the the Mobile Club members this will not be necessary. Sports Cars, Caps & Scarves are not necessary--think of the money we are saving you!

SOCIAL EVENING: 28 April at HMCS CARELTON, Officer's Wardroom 8.30 PM
 Get out your dictionaries and prepare for the stimulating intellectual conversations. Break out the rules on etiquette, practice the minimum bending radius for little fingers on your beverage hand. This is the supreme test and if you pass, your general acceptance by the high society group throughout the world is assured in view of our extremely high standards. It is also an opportunity for the XYL to get out and meet other equally distinguished XYIs and mobile hams. So like can you afford to miss it? The price per head \$1.00 which includes hors d'oeuvres and repast. I understand the music will be much improved this time.

TRANSMITTER HUNTS: Get your loops polished and oiled since in the near future we will be having a hunt. DON'T BE CAUGHT WITH YOUR LOOP DOWN! If you don't have one, get started building one now, I am! For a hunt again one doesn't even need a transmitter. If you have a receiver in the car that is all that is required. If you haven't a loop why not build a midget ferrite job?

SUGGESTION BOX: Look for the suggestion box on the table at the meeting. You will be given an opportunity to make written suggestions anonymously. They will be recorded in a book expressly for this purpose. So when suggestion Box time comes, put in your ideas on activities you would like to see, improvements or suggestions with respect to meetings etc. If you have something really hot bring it up at the meeting during the business session. The Executive would surely appreciate your help, they try to please everyone, and will try to please you.

MEMBERSHIP CARDS: Membership cards are now available and many were distributed at the last meeting. To those still in arrears and not able to make the club meeting next week - please remit to Graham Ide VE3BYT, the Secy/treas. 47 Braemar Ave., Ottawa 2, Ontario. \$2.50 for full members and associate members category (a). \$1.00 for family members, novice members and for category (b) associate members. The latter membership, Category (b) Associate Membership is reserved for former members of the club who have moved away from the area and cannot attend the meetings and who wish to maintain a connection with the club.

SPLATTER

Welcome to the two club members who recently took the plunge and went Mobile, VE3BHA Gil, 10 meter mobile, VE3BOH John, 75 meter mobile, Good show boys this will swell the ranks! I must say that both rigs sound good on the air! 3BCJ Mitch busy on club 2 meter project prototype-...-3CDC is trying out AM on his big rig at home so you can stop looking for the hole in the dough-nut-gee its nice to be able to understand you Doug -...- 3UY Jack has just returned fm vacation in Florida-...- 3BST has mobile rig installed in his new car-...- I gess 3CGP Glenn is still working down the basement-think somebody should check, and see if he is still alive down there.-...- 3DUP now in VE5 land-...- 3BEB Harry is out of testing stage with home rig now permanently high level mod. 2HW Don is active on 40 m SSB and sez he coming to FD -...- K9YZA Bob has Central Electronics 20A SSB exciter kit which he busy assembling -...- 3AK is planning new mobile rig-...-3CEZ Lyle off to NYC for Easter trip--bet he will bring back lots of gear -...-3DMT rumoured to be changing jobs and will therefore be doing a lot of mobiling-...-3DQ Stan vows that he will attend a meeting before he dies -...-3DXO was reported lost in a pot hole but this isnt true since he has been heard mobile since -...-3BLD hearing Ottawa stns on 2 and busy getting his rig going--incidentally Fred braved the storm to come to Ottawa for the last meeting ---a doff of the whip to you OM--real pioneer stock no doubt-...- 3CLJ-Walt new member of club -welcome OM -...-5GO David from Canora Sask visiting his son in Ottawa-one of the old time hams-hope cu at the meeting David -...-3BCL has new higher power final ready to hit the air on 2 meters-...- 3GX Ed built ferrite DF loop-Doreen pleased since he wont be rotating the car at future hunts -...- Hello to all you people in the DX section-don't know what your are doing--how abt sum of you letting the old Editor know what they are doing if you hear from them?-...- Gess thats all -.-.-