

The repeater is running at 45 watts at the present time. Bill Miller has said that the repeater will be totally re-vamped soon.

Anyone interested in helping out with the March Of Dimes Walkathon, April 25 contact Dick Hay, W1LE

Two bills have been filed in the Mass. congress to reduce the cost of ham plates. One bill, H.B. 4175 would reduce the fee to equal regular plates. H.B. 1981 would return the fee to the old \$9 fee. Send QSL card or letter to your representative to show support!!

It is with deep regret that we announce the passing of WA1PLT's father-in-law. A card was sent and acknowledged.

Gilly, K1SWY, won the promissory note drawing at the March Business meeting. There are only 10 notes left !!

WA1VFX, Dave, came by for a visit a few weeks ago. Nice to see friends again !

Just a gentle reminder. If we put in toilets and a kitchen, not only will we save the \$225 we pay the Stackhouse each year but our telephone bill would be reduced to \$11 a month. We would qualify for a RESIDENTIAL phone. We'd save at least \$345 a year. Not to mention the added income from rentals !! The longer this is delayed, the more money we're wasting !!

Last issue I wrote an editorial that, in part, attacked Dick Bash. It was my hope that some controversy would be created. Unfortunately, whatever controversy was created did not materialize in the form of comments in the Zero Beat Box. It's getting hard to write this paper.

What does it take to get more guys involved in the club ? There's a great deal that has to be done and few to do it. Don't burn out the few who WILL work for the club. One hour a week or even a month could produce a hell of a lot. We aren't asking you to leave your families adrift at sea !! Pitch in. Somebody did for you !!

The tribander is back in operation as of 2/20/82. A balun had to be constructed due to the fact that the old one was missing.

Tnx to Bob Petitpas, Lefty Cabra 1, Gilly Meeiros, and Barry Miller for their help.

Special thanks to Gilly. He came down after I could not get the rotor to work properly. Anybody can put the ring gear in wrong, can't they Gil ??

Tnx again, guys.

For those interested in cutting wood - the trees that are marked are to be cut. The trees will be cut in sections.

For those interested in supporting the Nat'l Fed. of the Blind, applications are available from the officers. Associate memberships begin at \$10 per annum.

Committee members are needed for our Annual Flea Market and for our 50th Anniversary Year celebration. Please give it some consideration, fellas.

The ARRL is seeking slides from local clubs to formulate a slide show on Field Day. The originals will be returned. The slides must be 35mm and include a brief description, call and name of subjects.

Send submissions to: Field Day 1982

ARRL
Club/Training Dept
225 Main St.
Newington, Ct.

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Attn: Kari Townsend - Film Librarian

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IN THE BOX !!!!!!!

FOR SALE

Hustler Vertical 10-30m 5 mos old

\$65 see KA1HCP

3M copier w/250 sheets

\$100 see WB1ERS

Radio Shack line printer, 2 w/interface for a Model 1

\$400 see W1ZHC

33 ASR ASCII Printer

\$200 see WB1DBX

Bird Wattmeter w/2 slugs (2m hi/lo)

reasonable see WB1ERS

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Vibrokeyer by Vibroplex w/HA1 Halli-crafter Keyer (tube)

\$60 package deal see WA1CLU

Model 28 re-perf & tape distributor

\$ 50 see WB1DBX

Model 15 teletype printer, tape reader re-perf, extra keyboards.

\$45 for all see WA1PLT

Macrotronics RS232 Demodulator w/program on tape.

\$250 see W1ZHC

TR 2400 w/wall charger, extra batteries car charging unit.

\$225 see W1ZHC

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The Framingham Amateur Radio Ass'n is now accepting application for the Dr. Carlton Crosby Memorial Scholarships. High School Seniors or Post-Secondary students with a valid amateur ticket are eligible to apply. Awards of \$ 50 - \$500 to a maximum of ten recipients.

Write to Crosby Scholarships
c/o P. O. Box 15
Sudbury, Mass. 01776

5th Annual PVRA Flea Market

Sunday May 2, 1982

10am - 5pm adm \$1 - door prizes - all indoors

Talk-in 146.19/.79 and 146.04/.64

Location: George Penney High School, Forbes St., E. Hartford, CT.

The Newport County Radio Club Auction

Monday, May 3, 1982

7pm - door prize - indoors

Location: Seaman's Institute Bldg., 18 Market Sq., Newport, RI.

Mt. Beacon Hamfest

July 24, 1982

8am - 3pm - adm \$2 (youth & kids free) - tables \$4 door prizes

Talk-in 146.37/.97 and 146.52 Simplex

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