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Ponderings from the Poop Deck

Bill Myers, K1GQ

This is probably the last issue of the Scuttlebutt which will be afflicted with my particular style of editorial musings. Most resignations are explained by the vague phrase "personal reasons." No such luck this time, gang.

First I must list the two reasons why I volunteered to edit this newsletter.

- I knew nothing about how to do it, and thus anticipated considerable educational benefit.
- I wanted an easy outlet for my writings on various arcane topics in our corner of the hobby.

The first ambition has been fulfilled beyond expectations. We developed from typewriters and Scotch tape to phototypesetters and hot-wax paste-up. The excitement of learning evermore sophisticated techniques compensated for the large investment of time needed to make the quality of the product commensurate with the capability of the tools. The excitement is now gone, leaving only frustration at being unable to establish a regular

publishing schedule in spite of extraordinary cooperation from several authors (especially, Matt, KA1R, and Mark, AA2Z).

The increase in sophistication has also frustrated my second ambition. I've found it impossible to produce both a high-quality newsletter and technical articles on antennas, receiver performance, etc. I know, content is more important than appearance but I cannot bring myself to compromise in either area. Given that I can accomplish only one of these two tasks, I now choose to write rather than edit (even though the new editor may have the wisdom to reject some of my prose).

The use of "we" two paragraphs previous is not unintentional. There are three club members who have held vital behind-the-curtain roles in the last several years. Most important, Dick, AK1A, has provided the tools to do the typesetting, and has spent uncountable hours on the exacting task of adding the necessary markup information to the raw text in order to achieve the desired result. The latter chore was especially challenging for the many charts and tables which appeared in the Scuttlebutt and the YCCC Contest Handbook. John, K1AR, and Everett, AJ1I assumed responsibility for finishing the pasteup with page numbers and so

forth, and arranging for printing, collating, stapling, folding, labeling and mailing - another time-consuming yet unavoidable element of producing your newsletter. Many other members have perceived the pressures and offered assistance. Unhappily, there appeared to me to be no way to integrate the efforts of additional personnel without increasing the period between issues, simply due to delays in communications. Thanks, one and all.

Floating

Paul Young, K1XM

As many of you know, K1GQ is no longer the editor of the Scuttlebutt. After a long hard fought battle, (they fought harder than me) I have agreed to "give it a try". This issue is being put together in a big hurry. I hope my next issue is better. I don't have access to the typeset equipment K1GQ was using, so I can't promise as professional a newsletter as you are used to, but I'll try. As to my qualifications, I have none. I'm not a technical guru like Bill. I was editor of another contest club newsletter for a while, but they fired me. I will try to do better this time. Please send me your comments, your criticisms, and above all your articles. My editorials tend to be full of terrible puns. Please make sure I do not have space for too many of them! Thank you.

Coax-Seal Alternatives

Bill Myers, K1GQ

Coax-Seal is a relatively new product on the amateur market, intended for weather-proofing coaxial connectors, etc. Its advantage over standard electrician's putty (also called duct putty) is that it adheres well to the plastic jacket of coax cables. The disadvantage is price. A small roll (5 foot by 1 inch wide) of the stuff costs 40 cents per foot. The same material (I think) is now being sold to homeowners as an do-all sealer under various names such as "Miracle Seal." The cost is much lower, probably due to different packaging. A 15 foot roll 2 1/2 inch wide works out to 28 cents a foot, and 8 inch wide rolls get you down to 19 cents per foot. For further info, contact Revere Products, 30809 Carter Street, Solon, OH 44139, 800/321-1985.

News From the Competition

Tom Frenaye, K1KI

Anyone active during the last year probably has heard KC3EE, one of the new FRC stars. Ken, now KN3O, just became (re)licensed last summer (novice + extra). He sits on a 600 foot hill near K3WW and W3RJ. He's got a pair of TS-930Ss, a Milspec 1030, an Alpha 77, and BIG plans for this summer. Think about two 6-el 20 meter Telrex antennas on a Bertha, a 3 el 40 meter beam on top of 140 feet of Rohn 45, and three full sized 1/4 wavelength verticals for 80 meters. Are you prepared to meet the FRC challenge? By the way the Bertha was recently used to make points for the YCCC from W2PV...

Welcome Back

By the time you read this, W1ARR/6 will be W1ARR of Natick, Mass. Bob Hill is known as the founder of the (original) Murphy's Marauders, and of NCCC. Welcome back, Bob!

VFO-230 RFI

Jack Schuster, W1WEF

I recently had a problem that might interest others who own the Kenwood VFO-230. It began with occasional reports of distorted transmit audio, sometimes to the point where I was unreadable, especially on 10 meters. The audio sounded normal in the monitor mode on my TS-830S.

I found that problem occurred only with the beam pointing towards the shack - a good clue that RF was getting back into the rig somewhere. The problem was there even when transceive on the main VFO, unless the VFO-230 was completely disconnected from the TS-830S. Disconnecting the VFO-230 eliminated the trouble. I found that the mating surfaces of the VFO-230 top and bottom covers were painted, as well as the surface on the rear where it screwed to the rear panel. Scraping the paint from these surfaces resolved the problem.

Secretary's Report

Charlotte Richardson, KQ1F

The April meeting was held on 9 April 1983 at the Mattatuck VFW Post 8075 in Prospect, Connecticut, with 46 members attending.

The club-sponsored CQ plaque and associated problems were discussed. The club voted to sponsor one plaque to be awarded as determined by the club.

AB1W will be on during the WPX CW from VP2M single-band 40m, and is willing to move to other bands for members who need QSOs.

K1GQ passed out a pamphlet from ColAtchCo about their new vertical arrays.

K1AR showed new QSL cards from AJ1I. More details are available from AJ1I, who was not in attendance.

Two new members were voted in, KZ2S and W1WAI.

N1MM is selling 90 feet of Rohn 45.

Wang Labs is putting together a \$10,000 Rohn order.

It was decided to combine the offices of Secretary and Treasurer because of the large overlap in responsibilities.

Elections were held and the following officers were elected:

K2VV President

K1KI Vice President

KA1GHR (now KQ1F) Secretary/Treasurer

WA2SPL showed his slides of the 1982 CQ WW P42E operation.

The meeting adjourned to Lums.

Respectfully submitted,

Charlotte L. Richardson, KQ1F
Secretary/Treasurer
11 April 1983

Clipper's Log

Matt Power, KA1R

The following scores are listed in an innovative style in which the station owner's callsign is listed, in the case of a guest-operated station operated with the guest operator's callsign. I believe this information may be of interest to those who read contest scores.

CQ WW WPX Phone

K2VV 2180/622
KC1F(at K1OX) 2033/82
KA1VQ(at K1GQ) 1630/
KA1R 1106/
KR2N 424/
KA2AEV 239/
AJ1I 197/

CQM

KC1F(at K1OX) 925/165
K1KI 339/52 7 MHz
K1AR 350/
K1XM 150/ 7 MHz

ITU World Telecommunications Day

KA1R 278/23

ARRL DX Phone (High Claimed)

Single op -- High Power

W1ZM #2
K1AR #3
W1RR #7
AK1A #13
K2RD #15

80 Meter Single Band

KR2N #1

Multiop -- Unlimited

K1OX #2

ARRL DX CW (High Claimed)

Single op -- High Power

W1KM #2
W1ZM #3
W1RR #9
W1RM #13
K1DG #15

Multiop -- 2 Transmitter

K2VV #4

June VHF QSO Party

W2SZ/1 (AG2X, K2TR, WA2SPL, others) 280K
W1VD (K1JX, others) 180K
K1TR (K1EA, KA1R, K1TR, others) 174K

ARRL Field Day

W1YR (Nashua ARC) ?QSOs/20,000points 15A 5
K1AR (+K1DG, KA1FBY, AJ1I, W1IHN, KC1X,
3235/9600 3A 200 W
W2GSA (KA2AEV, KZ2S, others) 2800/9000 5A
KA1R 550/4630 1E 1W
K1JMR (KC1Q, N1RC, others) 600/? 2A 200 W

IARU Radiosport

KQ2M(at W2RQ) 2606/124
KA1R 1623/114
KZ2S 1000/82
K1AR 1000/60
KA2AEV 843/83
N1RC 594/81 CW
K1XM 550/
K1KI 394/51
KQ1F 130/

CQ WW WPX CW

KC1F(at K1OX) 1928/511
KZ2S(at W2RQ) 1850/465
KA1R 1225/414 (14 MHz)
W1IHN 1050/350
KA2AEV 875/342
K3UA 570/270 (14 MHz)
AJ1I 197/

ARRL DX Phone (High Claimed)

Single op -- Low Power

KA2AEV #2
AK1L #6

160 Meter Single Band
K2XA #3

Multiop -- 2 Transmitter

K2TR #1

ARRL DX CW (High Claimed)

160 Meter Single Band
WA2SPL #2
W1ZM #3

20 Meter Single Band
W1YN #4
W1RM #13
K1DG #15

Multiop -- Unlimited
K1OX #2

Colombian Contest

W2YV 118/30
KA1R 1623/114

ARRL Midnight Special

K1AR 1000/60
KQ2M(at W2YV) 181
N1EE(at K2AU) 140
KZ2S 136
KA1R 91

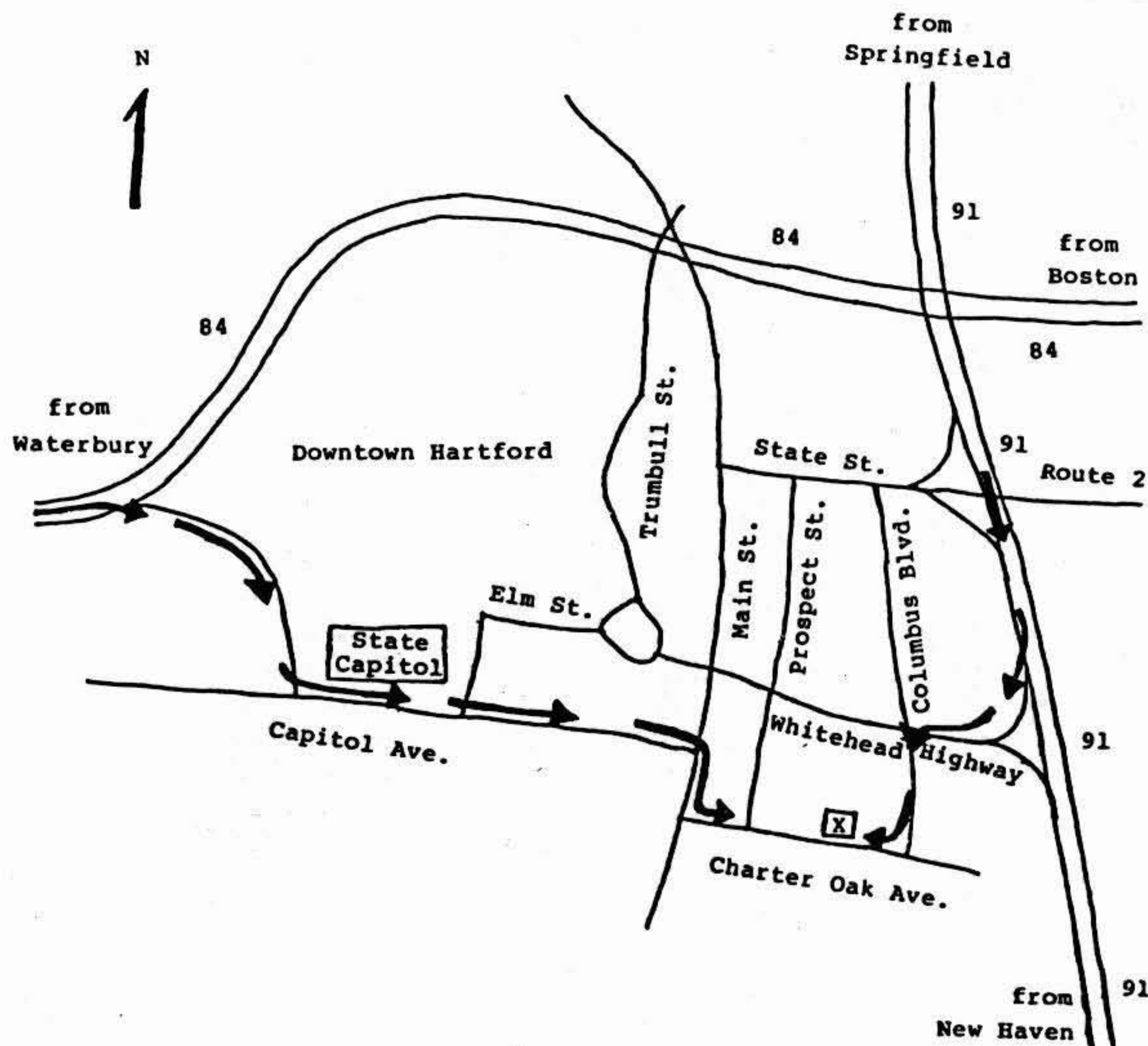
Yankee Clipper Contest Club Roster:

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WIAJ	John Porter	617/861-0582		19 Lillian Road	Lexington	MA 02173
KIAR	John Dorr	617/663-3452	617/671-7344	30 Champa Road	Billerica	MA 01821
NIAB	Bill Santelmann	617/862-1753	617/894-8700 x	247 30 Fairlawn Lane	Lexington	MA 02173
AKIB	Sam Boomer	203/886-1328	203/446-2174	8 Turnpike Park	Norwich	CT 06360
WIBK	Charles McCarthy	617/562-5622	617/366-6000 x	328 128 Forest Avenue	Hudson	MA 01749
KBIBQ	Steven Holly	617/969-6518	617/964-3434	99 Franklin Street	Newton	MA 02158
WIBR	Roger Prince	617/393-3413	617/798-8576	66 Washburn Street	Northboro	MA 01532
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KCIK	Ken Weinbeck	617/256-8218	617/667-1932	20 Janet Road	Chelmsford	MA 01824
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MAP TO THE OCTOBER MEETING



Excess Cargo

Joe, WA2SPL has for sale a Drake 160 - 15 meter linear amp. Joe says it is an L-7 with a single 3-500Z. Price about \$500.

Dave, W2TA has the following two items for sale:

KLM 6 el 20 meter Big Sticker -- \$350

Contest antenna/tower package -- \$899

- 70 ft Rohn 25 with thrust bearing, rotor shelves, 1/4 inch EHS guys, HD guy insulators, anti-torsion bars, etc.
- 24 ft mast, 2 inch OD, 1 inch ID, aluminum
- Ham II rotor with 300 ft cable
- 6 el 15 meter yagi, 35 ft boom, W2PV design
- 6 el 10 meter yagi, 26 ft boom, W2PV design
- 300 ft 3/4 inch hardline

Contact Dave at (H) 413/445-4306 or (W) 413/664-4411 x2720.

Tom, K1KI (203-673-5429 or 3830 Khz) has the following for sale:

Mint TR-7 with 6.0, 2.3, 1.8, 0.5 filters, noise blanker, PS-7 power supply, MS-7 speaker, MN-7 tuner, 7073DM microphone, 18 months old. Best offer over \$900.

Heath SB221. Last one off the production line, still in sealed box. With 10 and 160 conversion kits. \$700.

Kenwood TS-830S, both 500 Hz filters, VFO-240. Best offer over \$850.

Autek MK-1 memory keyer, vibroplex paddle. \$70.

300 feet of 1 inch polypropylene rope (yellow). New, still on the spool. \$40.

7 Element 20M beam on a 58 foot 3 inch boom. \$300.

Free - Proven sidemount plans for Rohn 25-45-55 towers. Contact Paul, KO3C (ex-KI3P, KO1W), PO Box 302, Andover, ME 04216. (H) 207/369-9031 or (W) 207/364-7871.

Paul, K1XM, is looking for two 150 MHz oscilloscope probes, and for about ten coax relays (indoor use).

Special-Order Filters

Tom Frenaye, K1KI

Tom, N4KG, has plans to have ceramic filters made for the TS-830S. He can get them for \$45 to \$50 each if he can find enough people to order one (he'll order 50 if 20 people say yes). Depending upon what people want he'll order 2.1 or 2.4 kHz filters. Drop him a postcard or phone.

3 dB	6 dB	60 dB
2.1 kHz	2.5 kHz	3.6 kHz
2.4 kHz	2.9 kHz	3.94 kHz

Next Meeting

The next Yankee Clipper Contest Club meeting will be on October 1, 1983 at the Polish National Home, 60 Charter Oak Avenue, Hartford, CT, 01664. We have the basement room from 9 AM until 4 PM or so. Last years contest convention was quite successful, and K1KI is lining up speakers for this year. Attempt to arrive by 10 AM so you don't miss anything.

Directions:

From the West, take I84 to Capitol Ave. Follow to the end, which is Main Street. Turn right on Main, go one block, and turn left onto Charter Oak Ave.

From the East, take I91 to the Whitehead Highway, I484. Turn left onto Columbus Blvd, and right onto Charter Oak Ave. (about 2 blocks).

See the enclosed map for details.

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The **Yankee Clipper Contest Club** (an ARRL Affiliated Club) holds four official meetings per year, on Saturday afternoons in March/April, October (at the New England Division Convention), November/December, and January/February. Also, W2YV hosts a summer social gathering each July, usually on the second weekend after July 4. Attendance at an official meeting is *required* in order to become a member. Club members congregate on 3830 kHz Monday evenings; many routinely monitor this frequency other evenings as well. On two meters, try 146.745 (K1OX) in the East MA/NH area, 147.03 (K1FFK/R at K1RQ) in West MA/NY.

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