

LAKEHEAD AMATEUR RADIO CLUB

December, 1952

Monthly Bulletin

---

Our dinner meeting last month was a successful affair. We had a good meal and a pleasant round table afterwards, but it would have been a bigger and better affair if there had been a better turn-out of members. There were only twelve sat down at the table, we had hoped for more. It was unfortunate that the weather turned a bit rough and made driving hazardous.

A vote of thanks to Ted Dunderdale - VE3BBO for making it possible to continue our round table at the Armouries - where the seats are very comfortable and the surroundings most pleasant.

The draw for the American Radio Relay League Handbook was won by Walter Wastell, an old timer at the game who accompanied Ben Burrell - VE3BMT as a guest. "Walt" having no time for amateur activities at present, very generously turned the book back to the Club. On being asked to make a second draw, he pulled Herman C.G. Dalman - VE3DJD's ticket out of the hat.

Our next meeting will be held December 17th at the old stand, the RCAF depot - Victoria Ave.

Miscellaneous - Amongst the members we have a "Q"5er for sale and also an R9'er. Both gadgets are mighty fine additions to a receiver layout. Ask the Secretary for details.

Next meeting will be the last in 1952 - don't forget the 1953 Field Day. Nothing like being prepared early.

Harry Stephens - VE3AIT and VE3JHM were unable to attend our dinner meeting as they were promoting the Good Neighbour Policy dinner, etc on Yankee-ship celebrating Thanksgiving.

We note that Chas. McDonald - VE3GS was in the news last week - picture on the front page too. But we haven't heard Charlie on the air for some time. We expect to hear a bit more activity around this neck of the woods shortly. The gremlins tell us that Ralph Parker - VE3HU has just put winter oil in the gears of that HRO - Bill Roberts - VE3ARN, Joe Stevens - VE3XT and Harry Stephens - VE3AIT are also due on soon.

Anybody hear Frank Start - VE3AJ on 75? He hopes to reach out as far as Fort William this winter.

For the next meeting - a talk on the use of the "Lightning Calculator" by Harry Stephens - VE3AIT. We will also have a film in case Harry runs out of calculations.

Bill Blennerhassett - VE3AGA and Ray Greer - VE3CH are back on the air again.