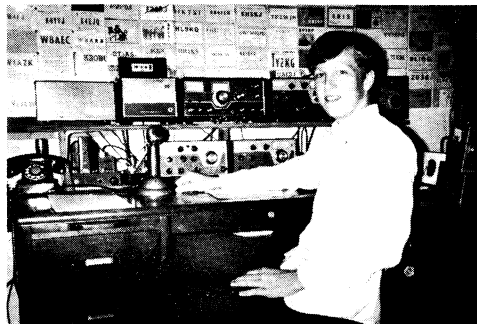


September VHF QSO Party Results



WA1MUG



WB2SIH

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JUDGING FROM your comments received, the September VHF QSO Party (despite the almost complete absence of E_s activity), was highly successful. East coast tropo conditions far exceeded those of past years. In the midwest, scatter communications provided most of the multipliers and way out west, a couple of short E_s openings sped up the action.

High score in the single-operator multi-band category was registered by **WB2SIH**. Bill with an outstanding score of 24,066. Andy, **WA2FGK** (with 70 total sections and a possible record) followed closely behind at 21,700. Bill's volume of QSOs on 50 and 144 MHz making the difference.

Multi-operator entries were led by none other than **WA1MUG**, the Mount Greylock group, their final score of 107,160 setting what is believed to be a record for the September party. The runner-up slot was taken by **WA8PLZ/8**, with a score of 65,700. **WAIIOX**, the Talcott Mt. UHF Society managed third with 53,040. Incidentally, theirs was the only QSO with **FP0CA** during the contest period.

Section totals, particularly on 220 and 432 MHz, rose considerably over last year. Some of the more notable returns were: **K9HMB** - 29 on 50 MHz; **K4PCL/4**, **W8WEN**, and **VE3ASO** tied with 25 on 144 MHz; **W2CRS** - 15 on 220 MHz; **K2RIW** and **K2UYH** tied with 19 on 432 MHz and **K2UYH** again, with 3 sections on 1296 MHz and above. High multi-operator returns were as follows: **WA8PLZ/8** with 41 on 50 MHz and 28 on 144 MHz; **WA1MUG** with 16 on 220 and 22 on 432 MHz; **W1DC/1** with 4 sections on 1296 MHz and above.

Summing it up, some 308 entries were received from 60 sections of the USA and Canada. This being almost identical to last years turnout. Certificate awards are scheduled for a January 15th mailing.

Have any ideas for contest improvement? If so, the Contest Advisory Committee would welcome your suggestions. Please address your comments to

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Good luck in the January VHF SS.

SOAPBOX

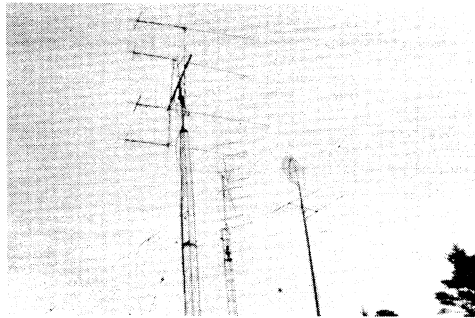
I really enjoyed signing portable 3 in Delaware on the cw portion of the 2 meter band. — **K1YLU/3**. This is my first try at a contest activity and I enjoyed it very much and hope to be more active in the next one. — **K3GUW**. This was the first contest for a couple of new preamps and boy did they make a difference. — **K3WRY**. I do not like the two 14 hour periods. — **W3KMV**. Very good conditions but little activity. — **WA3APQ**. Conditions on Saturday night were fantastic! It was a pleasure to have so much activity on the cw portion. One complaint, limiting the operating time probably hurts activity in the later periods. The VHF contests need all the time that is available to increase interest. — **W3TMZ**. This is the first VHF Party I have tried since 1950 when I was signing **G2FMF**. Thoroughly enjoyed it. — **WA3LMG**. Only had limited time for operating but band seemed in very good shape on saturday night. Really hated to cease operation. — **W2WGL**. I am discouraged by the lack of activity in this section. In fact, I was unable to work my own section.

DIVISION LEADERS

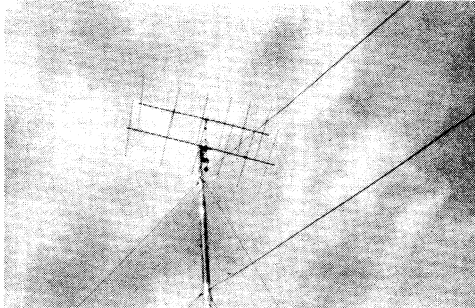
<i>Single Op.</i>		<i>Multi Op.</i>
K3WRY	Atlantic	W3AD/3
K9HMB	Central	WB8HUC/9
K0CER	Dakota
WA4CGA	Delta	WA4PWO
WB8BGY	Great Lake	W8CCI
WB2SIH	Hudson	WB2GKE/2
W0PEP	Midwest	WA0PBO
W1EUJ	New England	WA1MUG
K7BBO	Northwestern	W7HAR/7
WA6GYD	Pacific	K6GSS/6
K4PCL/4	Roanoke	WA8PLZ/8
W0AJY	Rocky Mt.	W7RQT/7
W4CAH	Southeastern
K6YNB/6	Southwestern	K6QEH
W5RAG	West Gulf	K5WVX
VE3ASO	Canadian	VE2RM

However, I will be plugging away again in January and I might even have a vfo by then! — WA2MDF. The Binghamton ARA enjoyed the September contest, 220 and 432 was especially good for us. — W2OW. Worked WA1MUG on 50-432 MHz - sure wish more people would aim their antennas toward Central PA for WPA. — K3HKK/3. This is the first time I have ever entered a VHF contest. — K9WJB. Conditions were poor but aurora brought a few more contacts. Where was the local competition? — WA0SBZ. Propagation conditions on 50 and 144 were not good with the exception of 50 MHz ionospheric scatter. Outstanding six-meter scatter signals heard in South Dakota were those of W8CCI and K8BBN. Heavy QRM in the east apparently prevented my making additional scatter contacts into W3 and W8. — K0CER. Other than a short aurora opening, things were slow here for a contest. — WB8BGY. High point of the contest was hearing KH6FRL but he was portable 8 in Michigan! — WA8EOW. Band conditions to the west were really bad. — W8WEN. Just completed my first VHF party. Terrific! Loads of stations on until the early hours of Sunday morning — but where was Michigan and Illinois? — WA8KIW. Had to work Saturday and was on the air Sunday only. Wish I was on earlier for the tropo. — WA2SPL/2. I was glad to see some cw activity above 144 MHz. Only wish it was there all the time. — WA2IKR. Was very pleased to work three new states; Ohio, WVA and N.C. — K2RIW. Worked our 20th state on 432, W4VQA in Kentucky. — K2UYH. Best contest to date. — W1ENZ. Got on 432 MHz after a long time off the band, mainly to give local club, WA1IOX a contact. Found band wide open for tropo and ended up working from Maine to NNJ, mostly with about 1 watt output. Finally got it peaked up to 3! Best tropo propagation I've seen in a contest in many years. — W1HDQ. Activity was good this contest with the tropo opening providing increased sections especially on 144 MHz with much excitement. — W1EUJ. Thought I'd try a single band effort on 220 MHz this time. Lots of activity and good propagation. — K1AGB. Where was Vermont? — W1AAI. All QSOs on A1 mode. Nice tropo conditions, will have 432 MHz for January test. — K1ABR. Very good meteor scatter conditions around 11 PM and 8 AM local time, allowing contacts from Southern California to Alberta, Canada. There were 2 short "E" openings during the contest and fair ground wave conditions to Northern Washington. — WA7GCS. Meteor scatter activity was up this year, local activity was very slow. — W7FN. Activity here in the flatlands left a lot to be desired. — WB4CES. Biggest thrill was hearing and working the S9 plus signals of WA1MUG on 432 MHz. — K4GL. Operated from 4228 foot mountain top really helped. I kept pinching myself throughout the contest, not to stay awake, but to make sure I just wasn't dreaming, conditions were so great on two cw. — K4PCL/4. WA1MUG signals were consistent, his 432 MHz was S9 plus for hours, day and night. Conditions plus the location at 2600 ft. made the contest gratifying. — WA8PLZ/8. If this score is the highest on the West Coast, it will be the sixth time in the last seven VHF contests that I have led all western single operator stations. — K6YNB/6. 50 MHz scatter was fair, two short Es openings in the NW sped up the action, 144 MHz tropo was good. — K6QEH. I enjoyed the contest but was disappointed in the lack of band openings. Had only two short ones on 6 to Washington and Oregon. Looking forward to the June party and hope to add 432 MHz. — WA6ICZ/6.

WA1"MUG" Shots



22 el on 144 MHz.



6 over 6 at 100 feet on 50 MHz.



220/432-MHz operating tent.



Mt. Graylock War Memorial

SCORES

In the following tabulation, scores are listed by ARRL divisions and sections. The top single-operator scorer in each section receives a certificate award. Multiple-operator scores are shown at the end of each section tabulation; in sections where at least three such entries were received, the top multiplieroperator scorer receives a certificate award. A double asterisk indicates Novice award winner; one asterisk indicates Hq. staff member, ineligible for award.

Columns show final score, total number of contacts, section multiplier, and bands used. A represents 50 MHz; B, 144 MHz; C, 220 MHz; D, 420 MHz; E, 1215 MHz and above.

ATLANTIC DIVISION

Delaware

W3CGV 4510- 79-41-ABCE
K1YLU/3 1344- 56-24- AB
WA3HWC 333- 37- 9- B
K3GUW 264- 44- 6- A

Eastern Pennsylvania

K3WRV 12,720-204-53-ABCD
K3IUV 9828-129-52-ABCE
K1SFF/3 4059- 74-33- ACD
WA3NVO 3740-168-20- ABC
WA3BHE 2184- 91-24- AB
W3ETB 1515-101-15- AB
W3TPM 1281- 61-21- AB
WA3NGU 975- 75-13- A
WA3NLU 806- 62-13- A
W3IZU 630- 35-18- B
WA3NAH 612- 68- 9- A
WA3FMI 340- 34-10- A
WA3MRF 176- 22- 8- AB
WA3KFT 48- 16- 3- A
W3AD/3 (5 oprs.)
22,504-358-58-ABCD
K3MTK/3 (5 oprs.)
20,938-324-58- ABC
W3ARW (4 oprs.)
17,748-220-68-ABCD
WB2LZD/3 (5 oprs.)
13,275-291-45-ABCD
WA3OOD (3 oprs.)
99,332-227-43-ABCE
WA3JWP/3 (4 oprs.)
2256- 94-24- AB
W3DGB/3 (2 oprs.)
2034-113-18- AB

Maryland-D.C.

WA3APQ 5412-164-33- AB
W3KMY 5084-164-31- AB
WA3NUL (WA3EOP, opr.)
4898-158-31- AB
W3LUL 3216-134-24- B
W3TMZ 2256- 94-24- B
WA3EOO/3 1173- 69-17- B
WA3HEN 1056- 88-12- B
WA3LMG 880- 55-16- B
W3LVC 708- 59-12- AB
K3VRS 644- 45-14- ABD
W3MSN 572- 44-13- AB
W3PZK 441- 47- 9- ABD
W3HWZ 378- 42- 9- B
W3HH 352- 32-11- A
WA3LGX 270- 27-10- B
K3TBD 240- 40- 6- B
W3PIH 234- 26- 9- AB
W3GN 216- 24- 9- B
W3GEL 200- 20-10- AB
W3MAR 140- 28- 5- A
K3IXD 116- 29- 4- A
WA5WRM/3 80- 20- 4- B
WA3AJD/3 33- 11- 3- B
W3PGA/3 (5 oprs.)
9922-220-41- ABC
WA3NPD (3 oprs.)
1196- 92-13- B
WA3IBA (2 oprs.)
312- 52- 6- A

Southern New Jersey

W2EIF 7515-113-45-ABCD
W2BLV 598-123-13- D
K2BWR (+K2ZRJ)
8500-163-50- ABC

Western New York

W2CNS 7360-147-46-ABCD

K2YCO 6528-108-51-ABCD
K2CEH 1248- 50-24- ABD
W2WGL 350- 25-14- B
WA2HWC 112- 28- 4- B
WA2GPO 40- 20- 2- B
K2JZT 30- 6- 5- A
W2MYN 26- 13- 2- B
WA2MDF 24- 12- 2- B
WB2CHO 4- 4- 1- A
W2OW (11 oprs.)
19,341-278-63-ABCD
K2ERQ (9 oprs.)
6880-172-40- AB
WA2YHY/2 (3 oprs.)
752- 47-16- AB

Western Pennsylvania

W3BWU 3718-141-26- ABC
W3GSH 264- 33- 8- AB
W3DJM 215- 43- 5- A
K3HKK/3 (7 oprs.)
21,964-290-68-ABCD

CENTRAL DIVISION

Illinois

K9HMB 5738-145-38-ABCD
W9JGV 1080- 90-12- B
WA9QPM 440- 88- 5- AB
W9DJZ 304- 76- 4- AB
W9JZR 294- 42- 7- B
WB9EDP 240- 60- 4- AB
W9ABA 18- 9- 2- A
G3PAC/W9 (3 oprs.)
2232-184-12-ABCD
W9BGX (2 oprs.)
2034-226- 9- AB
WN9EUW (+K9DTB)
42- 21- 2- B

Indiana

K9QCB 1024- 64-16- AB
WB9AMB 996- 83-12- A
WA9YXA 441- 49- 9- A
WB9ECF 330- 30-11- A
W9GJM 170- 34- 5- B
WB8HUC/9 (WB8s GEX GEY)
2457-117-21- AB

Wisconsin

WA9SDC 896- 64-14- AB
K9WJB 14- 7- 2- B

DAKOTA DIVISION

Minnesota

WA9SBZ 192- 24- 8- A

South Dakota

K9CER 476- 28-17- AB

DELTA DIVISION

Louisiana

WA5QBX 110- 22- 5- A
W5JFB 26- 13- 2- AB

Mississippi

WA5RMS 1312- 82-16- AB

Tennessee

WA4CGA 3780-104-35-ABCDE
WB4JGG 605- 55-11- A
WA4PWO (3 oprs.)
6336-194-32- ABD

GREAT LAKES DIVISION

Kentucky

K4WYN 455- 35-13- A
K4AVX 4- 2- 2- A

Michigan

WB8BGY 2944-128-23- AB
K8EFS 2331-111-21- AB
K8HWW 1200- 60-20- AB
WA8YYW 468- 49- 9- ABCE
WA8LKD 306- 34- 9- B
WA8EOW 144- 16- 9- A
K8AJC 21- 21- 1- A

Ohio

W8WEN 2400- 96-25- B
WA8STX 1335- 89-15- AB
WA8TTS 1020- 68-15- AB
WA8KIW 864- 54-16- AB
WA8ZVY 864- 54-17- AB
WA8YHN 825- 55-15- AB
WA8MLV 369- 41- 9- A
W8JRN 128- 16- 8- AB
WA8TYF 84- 10- 7- ABD
W8RQV 2- 1- 1- C
W8CCI (8 oprs.)
26,676-334-76- ABD
K8ZCE/8 (3 oprs.)
5112-142-36- AB
W8KEL/8 (+WA8WLR)
1176- 84-14- A

HUDSON DIVISION

Eastern New York

WB2SIH 24,066-332-63-ABCD
W2CRS 18,224-244-67- ABC
WA2SPL/2 16,902-288-54-ABCD
K2BGU 3768-157-24- AB
K2ARQ 3672-108-27- BD
WA2ISN 610- 61-10- A
WB2HXZ 494- 30-13- BC
W2NFR 369- 38- 9- BD
WB2VQV 248- 31- 8- A
W2HF 147- 19- 7- BCD
WB2VEQ 130- 26- 5- B
K2YIL 15- 5- 3- A
WB2FKJ/2 (6 oprs.)
4968-207-44- B

N.Y.C.-L.I.

K2RTH 14,625-174-65-ABCD
WB2GWU 4176-174-24- AB
WA2ZPX 2950-118-25- AB
WB2DPE 2656-166-16- B
WA2IKR 2635-155-17- B
WA2FUZ 2530-110-23- AB
K2RIW 2166- 57-19- D
WB2ZKT 1584- 99-16- AB
WB2ZKS 858- 66-13- AB
W2KXG 800- 80-10- B
WA2EUS 720- 36-16-ABCD
WB2EHB 451- 41-11- B
WB2MZE (3 oprs.)
10,038-239-42- AB
WA2VKY (+WB2BON)
6154-181-34- AB

Northern New Jersey

WA2FGK 21,700-251-70-ABCD
WA2ANI 6112-191-32- AB
W2UK 4200- 97-35- BD
K2UYH 3654- 61-29- CDE
W2AQT 1805- 95-19- B
WA2JUI/2 1230- 82-15- B
W2CVW 896- 60-14-ABCD
W2DZA 663- 31-17- ABC
WB2LTW 472- 59- 8- B
K2DQT 400- 50- 8- AB
WB2ZLI 87- 29- 3- B
K2RLW 10- 5- 2- B
WB2GKE/2 (9 oprs.)
34,965-508-63-ABCD
WB2KKO/2 (7 oprs.)
31,556-635-49- ABD
K2OWR (5 oprs.)
23,490-385-54-ABCDE

K2JWE/2 (3 oprs.)

16,544-352-47- AB

K2DEL/2 (7 oprs.)

14,118-340-39- ABC

WB2MFC/2 (12 oprs.)

6448-208-31- AB

WA2UDT (+WA2PKY)

2831-149-19- B

WA2OHW (3 oprs.)

1378-106-13- AB

WB2IUW/2 (+WB2DTT)

1150-115-10- B

WA2JNO/2 (4 oprs.)

392- 56- 7- B

MIDWEST DIVISION

Iowa

W0PFP 612- 36-17- A
WA0 UPS 319- 29-11- AB

Kansas

WB0BBC 48- 16- 3- AB
WA0VJF 38- 19- 2- A
WA0PBO (+WA0PKG)
600- 60-10- AB

Missouri

K0TLM 588- 41-14- ABD

NEW ENGLAND DIVISION

Connecticut

WA1LNJ 10,669-217-47- ABD
K1HTV 5244-228-23- B
WA1FFO 3955-113-35- AB
W1VTU 3500-118-28- BD
W1ENZ 1003- 59-17- B
W1GZG 567- 63- 9- A
W1DHT (W1ZUQ, opr.)
500- 50-10- B

W1HDO*

498- 25-13- BD

WA1GTP

338- 23-13- ABC

W1QJL

70- 10- 7- AB

K1PQA/1

6- 3- 2- B

WA1IOX (10 oprs.)

53,040-559-85-ABCDE

K4GGI/1 (+WA2KZV)

160- 9- 8- DE

Eastern Massachusetts

W1EJU

12,349-212-53-ABCD

K9AQP/1

1152- 32-18- CD

K1AGB

896- 32-14- C

K1HBY

820- 82-10- AB

K1COS

248- 31- 8- A

WA1MKP

189- 21- 9- AB

WB2KXC/1

105- 21- 5- A

W1MHL/1 (multiop)

5174-197-26- ABC

WA1MHN (8 oprs.)

3608-163-22- ABC

WA1IED (3 oprs.)

2464- 84-28- ABD

WA1KVJ (+WA1KVK)

1700-100-17- A

W1AAI (+K1OJQ)

1560- 78-20- B

Maine

W1DCC/1 (21 oprs.)

51,376-591-76-ABCDE

WA1NDW/1 (+WB2WWY)

318- 53- 6- A

New Hampshire

W1AZK

3672- 83-36- BCD

W1JSM

2046- 90-22- BD

K1MFO

1580- 79-20- A

WA1FSZ

846- 44-18- ABD

W2MNK/1

270- 30- 9- B

WA1JSD

147- 21- 7- A

WA1GDR

90- 15- 6- AB

Rhode Island

K1ABR

2320- 80-29- AB

Vermont

K1GYT

4402-142-31- AB

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1A1SM		20	2			W2EIF	9	11	13	12		W3LUL		24				K8EFS	20	1			
1A1VTU		22	6			W2OW*	25	20	13	5		W3PGA/3*	13	16	12			K8ZCE/8*	17	19			
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1A1IED*		17	8	3		WA2DPS		16				WA3EOQ/3		17				WB8DL/8*	41	28		21	
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B2GLQ/1 1541-66-23- BD			K6GSS/6 (3 oprs.)			Georgia			Oklahoma		
1LJG 144-18-8- AB			7511-230-29-ABCD			W4ISS 187-17-11- AB			KS5VX (+WSWAX) 3008-94-32- AB		
WA1MAG/1 (+WA1JEX) 2160-144-15- A			W6PIY/6 (9 oprs.) 1460-146-10- AB			W4WDH 60-10-6- B			W4LRR 54-9-6- AB		
Western Massachusetts			ROANOKE DIVISION			West Indies			Southern Texas		
1K1DX 2599-113-23- A			North Carolina			KP4DFH 50-25-2- AB			W5RAG 546-39-14- AB		
1J1X 1007-28-19-BCDE			WB4LDO/4 3059-133-23- AB			SOUTHWESTERN DIVISION			W5KA/5 (7 oprs.) 165-33-5- AB		
VA1LFR 732-61-12- A			WB4LDP/4 462-33-14- AB			Los Angeles			CANADIAN DIVISION		
VICGY 684-36-19- AB			WB4KIB 287-41-7- AB			K6YNB/6 7682-321-23-ABUDE			Quebec		
1ULZ 650-65-10- AB			WB4CES 145-29-5- AB			K6SSN 3280-179-16-ABCD			VE2HW 1872-63-24- BCD		
VA1MUG (24 oprs.) 107,160-1047-94-ABCDE			K4LVV/4 (+WA4VCC) 6552-234-28- A			AB W6BFH/6 396-66-6- AB			VE2DFO 1220-61-20- B		
VA1MVM (+WA2DRH) 12-4-3- AB			WA4WZQ/4 (WA4s W2P WZQ) 3192-133-24- AB			K6HXW/6 (6 oprs.) 5390-217-22-ABCD			VE2RM (9 oprs.) 7128-202-33- ABD		
NORTHWESTERN DIVISION			South Carolina			Orange			Ontario		
Oregon			K4GL 2077-61-31- ABD			K6IBY 504-23-18- ABC			VE3ASO 7380-180-41- AB		
K7WXX/7 1836-100-17-ABCD			W4VHH 1769-51-29- BD			K6QEH (5 oprs.) 7992-264-27-ABUDE			VE3CRU 3150-105-30- ABD		
WA7GCS 1836-94-18-ABCD			WB4LRK 98-14-7- AB			WB6VZY (5 oprs.) 3876-182-19-ABUDE			VE3DNR 1001-77-13- B		
WA7KAK 357-51-7- AB			Virginia			San Diego			VE3GAF 900-50-18- A		
W77YR 138-18-6-ABCD			K4PCL/4 8648-188-46- AB			W6QED 2261-133-17- AB			VE3EJV 544-32-17- B		
K7HSJ 42-14-3- AB			K2UOP/4 4266-158-27- AB			K6PUR 1885-145-13- A			VE3AIB 305-56-5- BD		
Washington			W4FJ 3201-76-33- ABD			WA6TIV 232-29-8- AB			VE3WL 161-23-7- A		
K7BBO 2086-145-14- ABCE			WB4FAX/4 (4 oprs.) 700-70-10- A			Santa Barbara			VE3SAU (3 oprs.) 5883-159-37- AB		
W7FN 1696-106-16- A			West Virginia			W6ICZ/6 1482-78-19- AB			VE3DSS (+VE3CWT) 3332-119-28- AB		
W7QCV 44-44-1- B			W8AEC 2100-84-25- AB			W6LUC/6 (3 oprs.) 1012-92-11- AB			British Columbia		
W7HAR/7 (3 oprs.) 1148-164-7- AB			WB8FVL 539-49-11- A			WEST GULF DIVISION			Foreign		
K7KOT (+W7GLS) 540-60-9- AB			WA8PLZ/8 (7 oprs.) 65,700-689-90- ABD			Northern Texas			FP9CA 1-1-1- A		
W7EK/7 (WA7s JEG LZ) 33-33-1- B			WB8DOD/8 (6 oprs.) 2662-121-22- AB			WASZUC 265-53-5- AB					
PACIFIC DIVISION			ROCKY MOUNTAIN DIVISION								
East Bay			Colorado								
WB6NMT/6 540-34-12- AC			W0AIY 64-32-2- AB								
WA6JUD 252-36-7- AB			K0GHC 45-15-3- AB								
Nevada			New Mexico								
K7ICW 264-24-11- AB			K5EFW 12-6-2- A								
Sacramento Valley			Utah								
WB6NKO 480-48-10- AB			W7RQT/7 (3 oprs.) 106-53-2- AB								
San Francisco			SOUTHEASTERN DIVISION								
W6FAW 32-8-4- AB			Alabama								
San Joaquin Valley			Eastern Florida								
WA6NVR 1722-82-21- AB			38-19-2- A								
W6YKS 396-44-9- AB			W4CAH 261-29-9- AB								
WB6QQF 324-35-9- ABD			WA4EOW 38-19-2- A								
W6DPP 35-7-5- A			W4GHV/4 12-4-3- B								
Santa Clara Valley											
WA6GYD 1782-85-18-ABCD											
WB6JON 836-76-11- AB											
WA6UAP 140-14-5- D											

“It Seems to US . . .” (Cont. from p. 57)

Finally, this was the year QST switched to in-house composing with the acquisition of an IBM type-preparation computer – not without a few Excedrin headaches as the staff discovered little things we had taken for granted when our printer handled them! Nevertheless, the new type has apparently met the approval of most of our readers, and has produced a real saving in composition charges, as well as providing considerable flexibility in scheduling.

What things . . . what weather . . . will make up our amateur Sphere in 1971? Time will tell – and the staff and officers of ARRI hope it's a happy time for you! **QST**