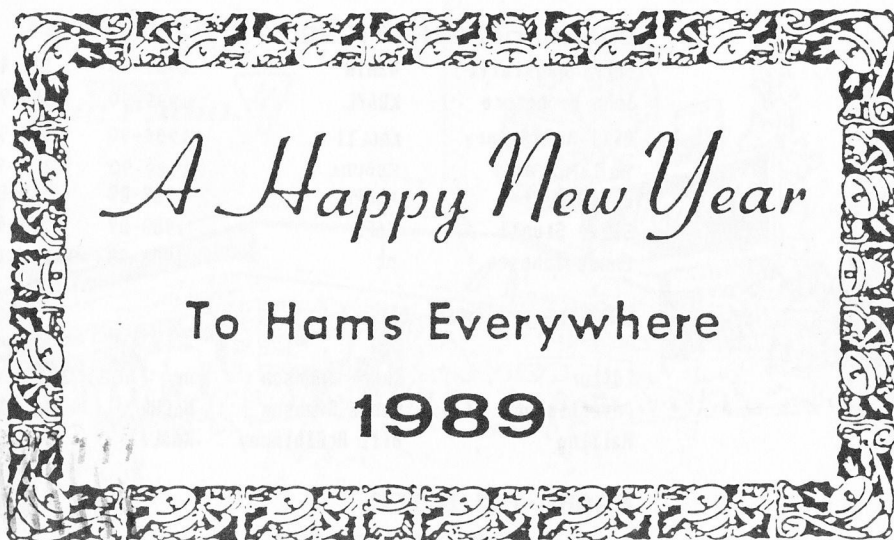


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# FROM THE EDITOR'S DESK

AS READERS OF THIS ISSUE WILL NOTE, YOUR EDITOR HAS MADE A QUANTUM LEAP IN HIS AMATEUR STANDING, AND THUS 1989 SHINES FORTH AS A HAPPY NEW YEAR FOR ME. SEE ELSEWHERE FOR DETAILS. THE HOLIDAY FESTIVITIES WILL BE RECAPPED IN FEBRUARY. MOST OF ALL, TNX TO ALL OF YOU WHO HAVE BEEN SO SUPPORTIVE IN TIMES OF EASE AND IN TIMES OF ADVERSITY. (MY BROTHER STEVE ESPECIALLY!) I HOPE YOU ALL HAVE A SUPER NEW YEAR!

- 73 DE YOUR EDITOR  
("AMATEUR EXTRA TO BE")

# SPEAKER OF THE MONTH

\*\*\*MONITOR PAARA NET FOR UPDATE\*\*\*



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NOVICE CLASS: JAN 12-MAR 2 (THURSDAYS 7-9 PM), MENLO PARK REC. CENTER FOR INFO CALL JIM O'NEILL KI6IW AT 368-8537 EXT. 10. -de K6MPN

FRED UP A-TOWERING AGAIN!  
FRED K6YT & A CREW OF PERHAM FOLKS TOOK DOWN AN ALUMINUM TOWER BEQUEATHED BY SILENT KEY K6IJ TO PERHAM FOUNDATION. BY THE SOUND OF IT IT WENT DOWN OKAY & IT IS THESE CONSTANT PUT-UPS & TAKE-DOWNS THAT PROVE FRED TO BE THE REAL PRO THAT HE IS! TNX FOR KEEPING US POSTED! -ED.

PURPLE HEARTS FOR '88 GO TO WA6LNV & XYL JACKIE. THE FORMER ENDED UP ON CRUTCHES IN THE WAKE OF WEEKEND DUTIES; THE LATTER GOT A CAST ON THE ARM IN THE ACT OF SKATING WITH THE KIDS. TAKE IT EASY YOU TWO, YOU'RE TOO VALUABLE TO THIS ORGANIZATION! -ED.

3RD ANNUAL NOR CAL EMERGENCY RESPONSE INSTITUTE-- GILROY, CA. MAR 25 & 26, 1989. INFO: CONTACT DAVE LARTON N6JQJ, 766 EL CERRITO WAY #D, GILROY, CA, 95020-4149. PH: (408)847-3605. PACKET: N6JQJ @ AA4RE. RESERVATION: \$20. INCL. SAT. STEAK BBQ. MAKE CHECKS TO: "EMERGENCY RESPONSE INSTITUTE".

# PAARA BRIEFS

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SPECIAL TNX TO LARRY BARBARY KD3JX (FORMERLY WA3TLS) OF NEWVILLE, PA, FOR HIS GREAT SHOTS OF PAARA FIELD DAY '88. THE PHOTOS & LARRY'S NICE NOTE TO YOUR EDITOR WERE SHOWN ON DISPLAY BOARD AT THE DECEMBER PAARA MEETING & DREW GREAT REVIEWS. LARRY WAS A SITE VISITOR & PARTICIPANT AT FD '88 WHILE ON VACATION HERE FROM PENNSYLVANIA & DID A GREAT JOB OF MAKING THE EVENT MEMORABLE FOR US! HAVE A GREAT '89 LARRY! -ED.

TNX TO CHRIS KB6LJF WHO PROVIDED THE UNIQUE 3A FIELD DAY '88 TOTE SHEET FOR THE SECTION IN THIS ISSUE. HE ALSO HAS A BIG(!) ONE FOR ALL CALIFORNIA & ALL CLASSES, A TRIBUTE TO HIS COMPUTERISTIC PROWESS. IF INTERESTED, CONTACT CHRIS. -ED.

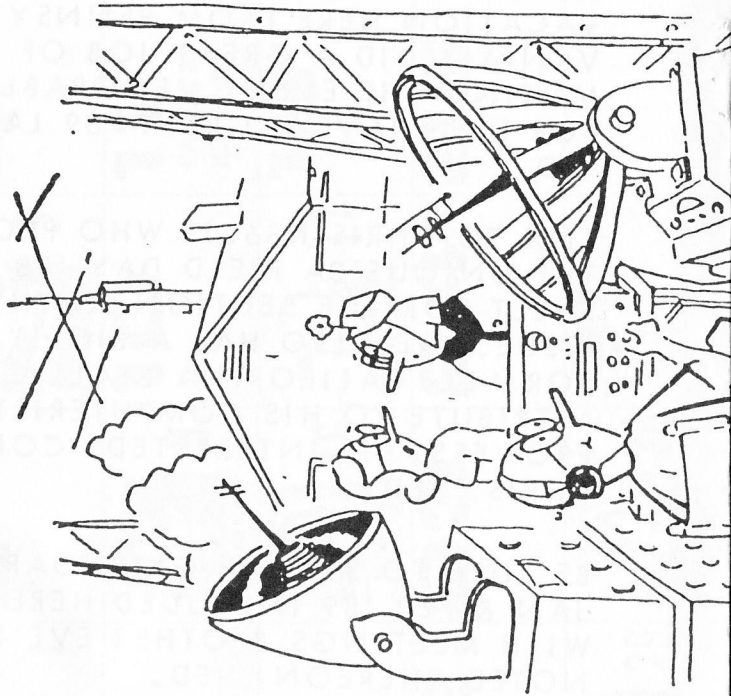
BE SURE TO SEE THE CALENDARS FOR JAN & FEB '89 INCLUDED HEREIN, WITH MEETINGS & OTHER EVENTS NOTED THEREON. -ED.



# FROM THE EDITOR'S HEART

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UNTIL JUST THIS  
ISSUE, YOUR  
EDITOR MAY  
HAVE INVITED  
THE FATE OF  
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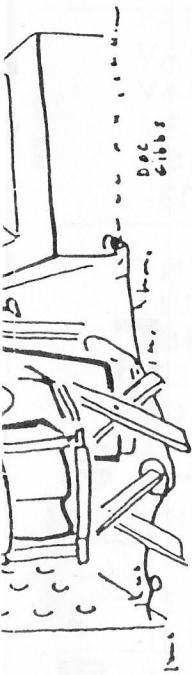


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"Oh, he's not a licensed ham, but he is a very enthusiastic SWL."

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# BULLETIN

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AS THEY SAY,  
"GOOD THINGS  
COME TO THOSE  
WHO WAIT (&  
TAKE THEIR FCC  
TESTS)"; YOUR  
EDITOR WILL BE  
JOINING THE  
RANKS OF  
AMATEUR RADIO  
IN AMATEUR EXTRA

CLASS ( SOME TIME DURING THE NEW YEAR  
OF 1989 )!!! MY SINCERE THANKS AND  
VERY BEST 73'S TO ALL THOSE WHO HAVE  
HELPED ALONG THE WAY. ESPECIALLY TO  
MY FELLOW PAARA AND NON-PAARA  
FRIENDS IN THIS HOBBY WHO HAVE  
AFFORDED ME THE BEST FRIENDSHIP IN  
THE WORLD! -ED.

# January 1989

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<b>8</b>	 1913 RICHARD NIXON	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b> PAARA BD. MEETING	<b>12</b> MP JAN ERIC MAR. NOVICE CLASS STARTS (K16IW) 7PM JIM: 368-8537 EXT. 10	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>
<b>15</b>	 1929 DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. DAY	 1706 BEN FRANKLIN	<b>18</b>	 1807 ROBERT E. LEE	<b>20</b>	 1824 STONEWALL JACKSON
<b>22</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b>	 1880 GEN. MACARTHUR	 EDISON PATENTS ELEC LAMP 1880	<b>28</b>
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# Field Day DE CHRIS KB6LJF

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3A SANTA CLARA VALLEY		COUNTY	ARRL SECTION		
RANK	CLUB NAME	QSOS	PWR	HAMS	POINTS
CA 5	SAN MATEO RADIO CLUB				
USA 30	W6LMN (+KB6NYZ)	1608	150W	32	5572
SEC 1	SAN MATEO SAN MATEO	SAN MATEO			SANTA CLARA
CA 8	PALO ALTO AMATEUR RADIO ASSOCIATION				
USA 46	W6OTX	1386	150W	31	4514
SEC 2	PALO ALTO	SANTA CLARA			SANTA CLARA
CA 11	SAN LORENZO VALLEY RADIO CLUB				
USA 64	N6RZ (+N6NLT)	2427	1KW	25	4022
SEC 3	SANTA CRUZ BEN LOMOND	SANTA CRUZ			SANTA CLARA
CA 16	COASTSIDE AMATEUR RADIO CLUB				
USA 113	WA6TOW	923	150W	14	2912
SEC 4	PACIFICA	SAN MATEO			SANTA CLARA
CA 20	SANTA CLARA COUNTY AMATEUR RADIO CLUB				
USA 132	W6UW (+KB6UFP)	790	150W	45	2680
SEC 5	CUPERTINO	SANTA CLARA			SANTA CLARA
CA 26	ESL Irregulars				
USA 233	KA6ASV (+KA6RDX)	211	150W	29	1520
SEC 6	SAN JOSE SAN JOSE	SANTA CLARA			SANTA CLARA
CA 29	SANTA CRUZ COUNTY AMATEUR RADIO CLUB				
USA 264	K6BJ (+KB6VOQ)	232	150W	14	1144
SEC 7	CAPITOLA	SANTA CRUZ			SANTA CLARA

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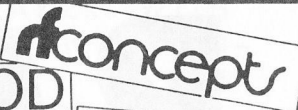
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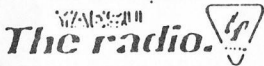
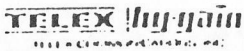
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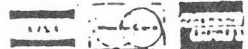
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