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Next Board of Directors Meeting

The April Board Meeting will be held on April 25, 1990, at Jim Giarde's home. Time is 7:30 PM, and address is 1530 Eden Way, Yuba City.

Next Club Meeting

The next Club Meeting will be an "Oldtimers-Antique Night". Time is 7:30 PM, and date is April 10, 1990. Place is Gray Avenue School in Yuba City. We look forward to an interesting evening. See you there.

The Yuba-Sutter Amateur Radio Club holds a regular net for members and guests each Monday evening at 7:00 PM on WD6AXM/R, 146.085/685. See you there.

NET CONTROL STATIONS---APRIL, 1990

Net control stations will be by the usual coercion, shanghai, or whatever again this month. See the Editor, KB6YAF, or WB5FIX to do your duty.

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EDITOR'S RAMBLINGS

Now I've got it; what am I going to do with it ?!

How often has this thought gone through your mind after a session at a swap meet or white elephant sale?

This is not a story of the usual "can't pass it up" type of thing; however. Your Editor has been fortunate in being able to acquire several items of VHF and UHF all-mode gear recently. All-mode gear brings thoughts of DX and SSB and CW and other similar thrills.

A perusal of the ARRL Handbook and conversation with knowledgeable Hams in the all-mode game indicates that there is a whole new world out there, even to one as ancient as your Editor. Maybe we are well on our way to even further new vistas and thrills in the hobby. Thoughts of Satellites and EME communication run through our head. The idea of working half the world on 2-meters or higher is almost intoxicating as we consider the fame, notoriety and glory to be had in such as an endeavor.

And then reality sets in. The Good Book and our knowledgeable friend advises off-handedly that "You really need about four bays of these things for a good job on the DX path to southern California. At least eight of them would serve as a beginning for EME work. Take the DX model and add 'appropriate' Elevation-Azimuth systems and you can work the satellites." This is not so bad, except "these things" are 14 to 18-element beams on anything

that's 144 elements! That won't fit on the whole lot, to say nothing of the back yard at W6HBU.

As always, now comes the downgrading of the grand design and a case of the realities. The antenna does not have to be quite that large, and we weren't really that interested in bouncing our signal off the moon, anyway. The present non-directional ground plane and J-poles will be augmented with some type of beam, but there will be no 100 plus-element antenna at W6HBU. We'll still have fun, and we'll work someone besides Bob, WA6OWH on 2-meter SSB. We will do the attainable, and we'll preserve our sanity, pocketbook and marriage.

Watch these pages for further word on the saga as it unfolds down the road.

The next meeting should be a good one, with old-time rigs, stories and the like. Don't miss it.

The 220 MHz. repeater at N6QMM is presently back on the high tower near Gridley. It looks like the new antenna and such is a real improvement in coverage in the Twin Cities' area. You who are not on 220 MHz are missing a bet. Orchids to Randy and Everett for all their work in getting the thing going.

Please note that we have included the Club Roster in this issue. This is a month earlier than usual. Many thanks to Ron, WB5FIX, for getting it together. We owe Emery, NG6L, and Bill, WD6BFR, for the computer program and setup to run the thing. Thanks, people, we appreciate it.

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