

"SPARKS"

"STATIC ROOM LOG" OF

THE WIRELESS PIONEERS

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Not very often do you receive a publication with the "magical" NUMBER 1, VOLUME 1. Here it is.

"SPARKS" is the name,
WIRELESS is our game!"

We have tuned up our equipment to make sure it is in resonance with all circuits and wavelengths, adjusted to reach all members. Decimeter readings insure a minimum of QRM. The auxiliary batteries fully charged. Plenty of power. Chief Engineer has 'juice on' to the shack (didn't have to beg!). RI. down and gave us clearance. Emitted wave found pure and sharp. Hot wire ammeter gives plenty of radiation. Nearby Coastal Station says "QRK". We are in business!

As you can plainly see - your new publication will be "THE LOG" of every static room far and near. One who has spent many hours in this atmosphere of higher-learning knows that most operators qualify for a Ph.D. in not only Travel but 'Spark-gap' Electronics, Law, Politics, Foreign Trade, etc. (to name a few). The University of Hard Knocks might even throw in a Magna cum Laude. Who knows? Those who have travelled the route are certainly entitled to it.

"SPARKS" will be published quarterly at the start. Perhaps in time, with necessary equipment and funding, we can make it a bi-monthly or even monthly paper. However, we still plan to resume the annual PORTS OF CALL which will be along in a few months.

NEVER SO MUCH... FOR SO LITTLE !

We will also try to publish a YEAR-BOOK and perhaps a DIRECTORY. The latter, every two or three years. Pages of "SPARKS" will carry vital info about new members to enable you to keep the last Directory updated. We will also include the names of Silent Keys, Personal Changes of all kinds, Net Skeds, Coming Events and news about reunions, etc. We will add news, as space allows about things nautical and electrical that heaves in sight of the Crow's Nest here at HQ.

We invite you to "plug-in" to our communication net and supply your share of the news so that we will have plenty of copy on the hook when we start to work up each issue.

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"Welcome Aboard"

FRESH --
UNPOLLUTED
AIR



... all you SWP'er4

THE "WIRELESS PIONEER"