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Traffic Totals are mighty, mighty slim this time. Only seven stations reported so far, and that do make it binding, as they say... Most noticeable by their absence of course are the boys from KR6-land, mostly due to the fact that there are six stations in that group. Would appreciate receiving totals from the rest of this goodly group.

<u>STATION</u>	<u>QTC</u>	<u>PP</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>STATION</u>	<u>QTC</u>	<u>PP</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
W6IAB	2817	697	3514	K4MCL	297	39	336
W6YDK	2228	93	2321	KP4AZJ	10	311	321
KH6BGS	191	497	688	W4NTR	<u>240</u>	<u>34</u>	<u>274</u>
KH6AJF	419	68	487				
<u>JULY TOTALS</u>					<u>6202</u>	<u>1739</u>	<u>7941</u>

(MAY)

KH6BGS	300	366	666
KP4AZJ	15	256	271

Any July totals received late will be shown in the September ZERO BEAT.

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6IAB passes along the unhappy news that Oscar left for I&I duty in Nebraska. I agree, Bob, he'll be a hard man to replace. With the heavy traffic and skeds 6IAB has, any shortage of help is going to hurt. Oh, replacement, where are you???

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It's been a long dry spell where contacts with KR6-land are concerned. Just haven't been able to hear a squeak out of Oki for several days.

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4MCL also went work in the ARRL Field Day and came up with 498 contacts and a total of 2628 points with seven operators. As they say, good show old bean. Had a note from Bud, formerly of KR6GF, who says he now hangs out at MCSC, Albany. His call is K4EIK/4 tacked on to a BC-610, DX-100 and an A3. Welcome aboard, Bud, and we'll be looking for you on the bands.

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KP4AZJ is running loaded schedules with 4LEV and 4NTR, but is still looking for more skeds. Really stirring up the airways down there in his island 'paradise'...

"..."

4NTR had a ferw short words with Jerry, formerly 6YDK, now taping together the remains of KG4AM. At least he's got it on the air and I'm sure he'll put in a lot of improvement shortly.

"..."

Al, K6RIG, shows up at 4LEV occasionally. Good to hear you in there, Al, but make it more often.

"..."

Wall plaque at 4NTR reads; "No Enemy Would Dare Bomb This Place And End All This Confusion".... Nuff sed....

"..."

4PFC finally got into a new building. It sounds a little odd hearing W4PFC portable 4... Anyway, Glenn is now helping that station spout RF. Joe sure needed extra help down there, but I suspect he delayed the move to the new building until Glen got there to do the heavy work....

"..."

4NTR is in the planning stage for a Novice Class. Hope to stir up a little activity at Henderson Hall. Getting a big assist from Gus, WN4FCS/1. Gus calls it Will ya Never 4... But he hopes to shed the 'N' real soon...

"..."

The booming signal coming out of Jax, Florida, has been K5TMT/4. Joe has been operating there temporarily but is soon off for Memphis.

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Had a final '73' from Dave, 8VPB. Leaves 13Aug for EQ-land. He's sure been helpful here at 4NTR and we'll miss him. Everyone listen for a strange voice with an EQ call real soon, though.

This issue of ZERO BEAT will carry, below, about one-half of the total list we have compiled on the USMC-types who are also licensed Amateur Radio Operators. If your name doesn't appear this month or next, let us know. If the info shown is incorrect, bug us with a QTC..Thanks...

APPLEBURY, T E	K4BUJ	MCAS Cherry Point NC	K4VGZ
BACON, J S		3rdMarDiv	WA8EBU
BARFIELD, E		MCRD Parris Island SC	W4SGX
BARRETT, R H		OSO Rm 418 OldFedBldg	WN0AVV
		Des Moines Iowa	
BAUMANN, A W		3rdMarDiv	K2VEO
BLAKESLEE, R R		3rdMarDiv	K4DSQ
BLODGETT, J C		NATTC USNS Memphis Tenn	K5TMT
BOSO, K G	W4NTR	HqBn HQMC HH Arlington Va	K4PYV/4
BRIMMER, J C	KR6MB	3rdMarDiv	W9EIG
BROOKS, B F	KH6AJF	Camp Smith Hawaii	K4BLA
CHAPPELL, R F		I&I 7th 155mm HowHtry	K6GMU/3
		Connellsville Pa	
COHN, W A		MCAS 3 MCAF Santa Ana Calif	K0YVN/6
CONTONGENIS, J P	W6YDK	MCRD San Diego Calif	WA2KDW
COUNTRYMAN, W J	K4MCL	MCSC Albany Ga	K7JKN
DANSEN, W		MCSC Albany Ga	K4EIK/4
EARLY, W R		3rdMarDiv	
GRAVES, C A		3rdMarDiv	K5MXN
HANSON, L M		3rdMarDiv	K9EHS
HANTHORN, J E		Base Legal Office CamPenCalif	WA6HXF
HEARRELL J C		USMCRSS 76 Pearl, Portland Me	K4YTJ
HEMPEN, T A		3rdMarDiv	K9YMX
HIXSON, H H		3rdMarDiv	K4SZM
HOWARTH, L T		MCSA Philadelphia Pa	K6TZW/3
JONIO, P E		2dMAW Cherry Point NC	W8RWF
LASZKO, R S		3rdMarDiv	
LAVIN, J F		3rdMarDiv	WN9AZL
LITTLETON, J D		3rdMarDiv	K3UCY
MACHUNIS, R J		3rdMarDiv	
MAHER, S F		MCAS Cherry Point NC	WA2GTA
MARSH, W L (Mr)	exW4PFC	444 W Chestnut Johnson CityTenn	K4BOB
MATTSON, J L	KG4AM	MB Guantanamo Bay Cuba	
MORITZ, P A		3rdMarDiv	
MOTE, R L		3rdMarDiv	K5FKT
MYRICK, B B		3rdMarDiv	K5JPV
MCNIEL, J A	W6FCS	MCAS El Toro Calif	W8BCP
PANG, G D H		3rdMarDiv	KH6DYI
PETERSON, L B	KR6MB	3rdMarDiv	K7COE
PETERSON, R H		3rdMarDiv	K4NEU
POPPER, S J		3rdMarDiv	K4PYR
PONSTINGEL, A J		HqBn HQMC HH Arlington Va	WN4FCS

That's about it for this time around, so we'll wrap it up. Sure need news items from all stations, and in particular, the traffic totals. Thanks much, and

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