THE RADIO SOCIETY

Meetings for practical work have continued on Wednesday evenings. The amplifier which we built last term has now passed stringent quality tests for microphone and pick-up input, and the younger members of the Society have just completed a radio tuning attachment designed by T. K. Hemingway.

At the same time an oscillograph has been assembled to illustrate the principle of cathode ray technique. It is still in the bread-board stage, but has already delighted its builders by confirming the accuracy of their mathematical computations. The circuits have been simplified as far as it is possible to continue efficient working with ease of demonstration; when time permits another tube with more refinements will be set up for valve testing and general purposes.

H.L.

THE RADIO SOCIETY

The Society has been meeting throughout the term on Wednesday evenings, and considerable progress has been made. Work has continued on the oscilloscope, and the beginners’ group have built a one-valve set. Just recently the Society has been presented with a working five-valve set.

We invite all those interested in radio to attend our meetings on Wednesday evenings.

J.R.

THE RADIO SOCIETY

The Radio Society was re-formed under the guidance of Mr. Merriman. Officers elected are J. D. Rhodes, Treasurer, P. J. Walker, Secretary.

The Society is very sorry to have lost the services of Mr. Lockett.

Mr. Merriman’s T.V. set was on view to a small party of members near the beginning of term. The Society is building an oscilloscope, and individual members are building one-valve sets.

P.J.W.

THE RADIO SOCIETY

This term has seen an influx of new members to the Society from the Third and Fourth forms. The earlier weeks were spent in investigating the large amount of “War Surplus” material that the Society has acquired, and in making the Radio Room into a workshop where sets could be built, repaired and used. Each of the younger members of the Society has built one or more battery-operated one-valve sets, and the limitations of the Cathode Ray Tube which has for long been the bête noire of the club, have now been firmly established.

J. J. Hanlon (6SB) was elected Secretary at the first meeting of ten, and, a fortnight later, gave a demonstration of soldering technique. Our proposed visit to the B.B.C. Transmitter at Penrith was frustrated, but a small number of members paid an evening visit to the Police Wireless Headquarters, where the control of Police Cars, Ambulances and the Fire Engines of the city is achieved.

The Society’s limitations are, at present, shortage of equipment and of funds, and it would welcome the presentation of old Wireless sets or Electronic instruments of any kind.

J.J.H.