<u>CAMBRIDGE AND DISTRICT AMATEUR RADIO CLUB</u>

<u>NEWS SHEET OCTOBER 1979</u>

Dear Member,

Due to pressures of work, house renovating, and other commitments John Worsnop
has regretfully resigned as Hon sec of the C&DARC. He will however remain a
committee member, and continue to attend the club meetings. I am sure you will
all join me in thanking John for all he has done for the Club, and its members
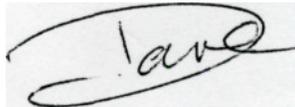whilst he was secretary.

Members attending recent meetings will remember being asked if there were any
volunteers to take over the position, but to no avail. Matters came to a head
one evening recently when the key to the club H.Q. failed to arrive, and the
assembled multitude retired to the 'Ancient Shepherd[1] for a 'grumble and grunt'
session. One result of this was that I decided that rather than see the club
deteriorate I would offer my services, provided some back up was given-by other
members. John Hall G3WLD and Mike Newport kindly volunteered in this
capacity. On 25 September a committee meeting was held, at this I took over
the position of Hon sec! John and Mike were also co-opted onto the committee

A questionnaire will be circulated to all members in the near future, to try
and discover what people want from the club; also to remind them we are still
here. A rapid return of the forms would be appreciated.

The club has an amount of equipment, some of which is available on loan –
however the records are somewhat disorganised, and we are trying to trace it
all. If you have any club property in store, or on loan would you please
contact me with details.

Finally a reminder that there are informal meetings on Fridays when there is
no publicised meeting, and all are welcome!

                    73 de Dave G8JKV

The Autumn programme follows

5 OCTOBER   The Maritime Service   by Wilf Dunel G3BYW

19 OCTOBER   Beginners evening and forum

2 NOVEMBER   Dwarf Novae by Mark Rayne G8PLF

16 NOVEMBER Junk sale – look out all the bits and pieces you'll never usei

30 NOVEMBER Wireless and the Ionisphere   by Dr. J. A. Ratcliffe