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Radio Amateur Exhibit
“A CENTURY of PROGRESS”—1934

The World’s Fair Radio Amateur Council, sponsor of the 1933 Radio Amateur Exhibit, will again be host to all visiting hams in our 1934 Display.

This year you will find our interesting features in the Travel and Transport Building at A Century of Progress, Chicago.

Nearly 2000 square feet—crowded with Radio Amateur Exhibits and displays—a show you will never forget.

Amateur Radio—presented to you in a “New Way”—colorfully and artistically handled in true 1934 style.

W9USA is our call for all transmitters in use at the Fair. We will go on the air about May 15th, on 7030 K. C. Watch for us and give a call or send a report when you hear us. Thanks.

There will be six transmitters of various powers and types. You may come over and work one of the rigs if you bring your license with you. (This is absolutely necessary since no one will be allowed to operate without his license.) Remember this—for your own satisfaction.

Yes, the Arrl is 100% with the World’s Fair Radio Amateur Council. We are not only affiliated with Arhl but QST is doing everything possible to help us present the story of Amateur Radio to the Public.

Radio manufacturers will have their latest and best material on display and in use in our transmitters.

There will be prizes for the best manufacturer’s exhibit and prizes of all kinds for attendance of radio amateurs from everywhere.

Something doing every minute the Fair is open—for five months. Special features and stunts will be maintained and there will be plenty of activity.

Among the Special Features of the Radio Amateur Exhibit, will be the transmitter in operation in the Court of the Hall of Science. “A Century of Progress” is cooperating in this activity and every afternoon an audience of 10,000 will see our feature performance consisting of actual radio transmissions conducted in true amateur radio fashion.

Contact will be made with radio amateur stations throughout the world primarily on the 7000 and 14,000 K. C. Bands.

Both Code and Voice will be used, on the proper bands, and both sides of all conversations will be presented to our huge audience seated in the Court. By giving the complete conversations to the audience, with the aid of an intricate loud speaker system, our guests will be enabled to “listen in” on an Amateur Radio Station at work and get the feeling of an actual “QSO.” Many will thus have their first opportunity to see an Amateur Radio Station in action.

The World’s Fair Radio Amateur Council is building a Special Transmitter, for the purpose, consisting of two 203-As Class B modulating two 211s in the output stage. Complete control of the station is in the hands of the Council and the Call Letters W9USA will be used.

The Radio Amateur Exhibit is for “the Amateur” and “the Public” and we aim to bring the two closer to one another by the presentation of amateur radio in graphic display method. Will you be there?

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