## Hiram Percy Maxim Memorial Award

The Hiram Percy Maxim Memorial Award is to be given annually to the licensed Radio Amateur under the age of 21 whose accomplishments and contributions are of the most exemplary nature within the framework of Amateur Radio activities, including, but not limited to, the following:

- 1) Participation or leadership in organizational affairs at the local or national level;
- 2) technical achievement;
- 3) operating record;
- 4) recruitment and training of new Amateurs;
- 5) public-relations activities.

In keeping with the tradition of the award when it was first established in 1926, formal nominations will be made by the respective ARRL Section Managers. Suggestions and supporting information, including the endorsement of ARRL-affiliated clubs, and elected or appointed ARRL officials, should be submitted to the respective Section Manager. The Programs & Services Committee will review the nominations received from the Section Managers and select the winner. The winner will receive a cash award of \$1,500, and a suitably engraved plaque, ARRL representatives will endeavor to make a formal presentation of the plaque at a mutually agreed upon convention or event.

Nominations should document as thoroughly as possible the Amateur Radio achievements and contributions of the nominee during the previous calendar year. Additional information concerning the character of the nominee should be as complete as possible.

The Hiram Percy Maxim Memorial Award is intended to provide encouragement, and a tangible reward, for outstanding young Amateurs. It should also bring Amateur Radio, and its many benefits for young people, to the attention of the public.