

#285 SHAFER, David P., W4AX, OOTC 285. Handle "Dave". Born Sept. 7, 1903. First 2-way wireless contact 1916 Easton, Md. Licensed 3AC Baltimore 1919, homemade regen receiver and sync spark transmitter. In 1922 2nd Sparks on S.S. Persian (KQX) Plying East Coast. Chewed out by 1st Opr. for calling CQ - never sent a CQ since! Graduated Johns Hopkins University 1926 (EE.) employed Western Union 42 years - retired as Genl. Supvr. of Maintenance and Operations. Member OOTC FOC QCWA VWOA and ARRL. Amateur extra 1st Comm'l phone, 2nd Comm'l telegraph. Active 10,15,20,40 and 80 mostly CW. Located on farm near Richmon Va



#286 TEMPLE, Lemuel M. Sk, Ex-WlDI, handle "Lem". Born Aug. 17, 1900. First 2-way wireless contact Nov. 1913. Present occup: Mgr. Conn. Area, Richard Puriton, Inc.



#287 KRAMER, Theodore L., W4NR, Ex-WØTWC, Ex-8BCD, W2MXE. Handle "Ted". Born November 28, 1904. First 2-way wireless contact 1920. Occup: Maintenance Headquarters Manager United Air Lines.



#288 USHER, Don, Ex-WØCK, Ex-WØBSZ. Handle "Don". Born June 26, 1906. First 2-way wireless contact 1915. Occup: Genera Insurance Agent. Born in Des Moines, Iowa, served in the U.S. Army; received honorable discharge. District Chairman of National Federation of Independent Business. Member of Polk County Health Board, Masonic Order, Shrine, B.P.O. Elks, Isaac Walton League, American Legion, 40 and 8 Past Chairman of Board of Junior Chamber of Commerce. Member of ARRL for 44 years.