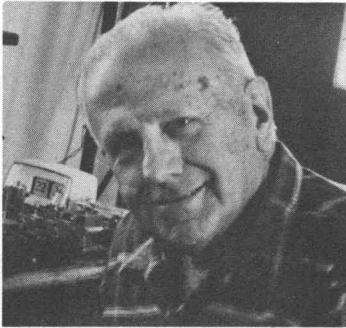




#574 DEMELLO, William XE1DDM. Handle "Bill". Born Sept. 12, 1900. First two way contact 1914. Occup: Retired after 33 yrs. with Western Electric and Westerx, was chief operator on GMD DYOTT Brazil (Fawcett Relief) expedition, 11 months 1927. During WW2 pres. Electro Minerals, S.A. and Pres. Empresabrilera De Cristais, Western Electric Brazilian Subsid. for procurement Quartz crystal Mining, purchasing and cutting for export to Western Electric Co., from Brazil. Earl rig, home made tuner rotary spark, at new Bedford B.H.S. own rig at NU2BI was 2 WE 211 tubes in self rectified circuit. Member LMRE, QCWA.



#575 EVANS, Trevor, VK2NS, Ex-A2NS, OA2NS. Handle "Trev". Born April 27, 1902. First two way contact 1914. Occup: TV and Electrical Appliance Sales, previously was manager combined photographic department and radio sales and service. Early rig, Hartley circuit, 201A, input about 10 watts. Member of Wireless Institute of Australia, British Empire Radio Union, RCCand Al-Operators Club and OOTC.



#576 SNELL, George D., Ex-W6AKM, 6CYB. Handle "George". Born April 4, 1909. First 2-way contact March 1925. Occup: Broadcasting since 1927, worked at KDYL, KIDO and KPO, worked in radio all my life. Early rig, UV202 in L.C. Hartley circuit, Reinartz tuner, det. and 1 stage audio. Member Broadcast Engineers, QCWA, AWA, WAC, WAS, Part owner in Stations KEEN, KLVR, KVEG, KAHU.



#577 JOHNSTONE, Richard, Born July 6, 1894. Amateur since 1907. Shipboard operator for Marconi Wireless Co. Then night operator at KPH station San Francisco. Enlisted in Navy 1917 and after a four year term, followed a period as Chief Operator of the Radio Copr. of America. After serving as Dist. Manager of the Marine Dept. signed up with the U.S. Navy and retired at the conclusion of the Korean War, as Commander of a Naval Electronic Unit.



#578 McCALL, Edward E., W4BA, Ex-5WP, W4BHY. Handle "Tec". Born December 2, 1905. First 2-way contact 1922. Occup: Real Estate and Insurance Executive, Pres. McCall Insurance Co., Pres. Anniston Land Co. Early rig, Ford spark coil, fixed spark gap, receiver loose coupler, crystal detector. Member ARRL, Old Timers Club, QCWA, DXCC, WAC, WAS, and BERTA. S.K. 1972.



#579 ECKLES, Tom Gaylord, W6II, Ex-W7MC, W6ATZ, W9LXD. Handle "Tom". Born May 15, 1908. First 2-way contact late 1923. Occup: Foreman, Manufacturer of Airborne and Ground Support Electronics for the Atlas Missile since 1956, was Radio Operator for 109th OBS Squadron 34th Div. Aviation Minn. Nat. Guard. Early rig, Ford spark coil antenna was made from copper ribbon removed from magnets on the Ford elec. system. Member ARRL, Minn. Radio Club, San Diego Amateur Radio Club and Gen. Dyn./ Astronautics Radio Club.