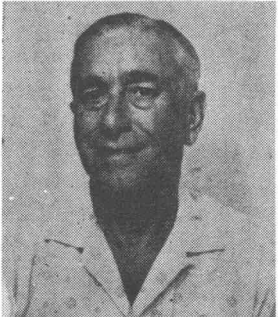
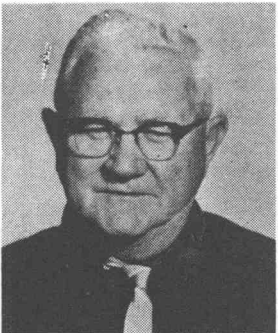




#640 GRINDLE, Frederick, M., K1SRE, Ex-W1BDB, W1BYI. Handle "Hank". Born February 14, 1898. First two way contact 1911. Occup: Retired after 42 years with local Power Company, Stationed at NBD Otter Cliffs, 1917-1921 as Landline Operator. Formerly with W.U.Tel. Co. Early rig, one inch spark coil recv. silicon det. slide tuner. Later home brew 1 kw spark job fixed gap, then a rotary gap. Member Ellsworth Wireless Assoc., Ellsworth, Maine., ARRL, RCC, QCWA, PLC, A-1.

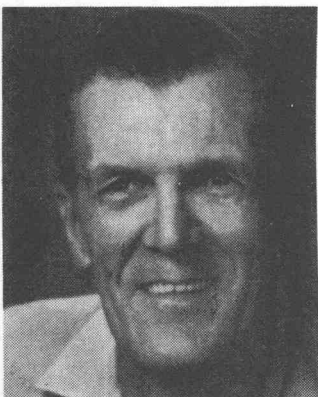


#641 AVERNA, Joseph Peter, Ex-W5DP, Ex-5DZ. Handle "Joe". Born July 11, 1903. First 2-way contact, 1923. Occup: retired. Worked as salesman in several department stores in 1937 opened small print shop in the Vieux Carre, until 1963 then retired. Early rig, spark gap, home brew receiver trans. 100 watts. Member ARRL, and The Greater New Orleans Amateur Radio Club. S.K.



#642 SEIBOLD, Karl, G., W5QJ. Handle "Karl". Born September 1, 1893. First 2-way contact July 1923. Occup: Commercial Radio Operator. Early rig, 210 oscillator, loop modulated, later improved to Heissing. S.K. 1975.

#643 HILLE, Wesling L., W5RN, Ex-NU5RN. Handle "Wes". Born November 8, 1898. First 2-way contact May 1916. Occup: Retired, Marconi Co., RCA Shipboard Wireless Operator May 23, 1916 to February 1925. Tropical Radio Telegraph Co. Shipboard ANS Shore Station February 1925 to April 9, 1965. Early rig, receiving type tube in Hartley circuit, jar type rectifier UV-199 tube receiver.



#644 HUMPTON, Howard R., Ex-W5DD, Ex-3BY, W4YN. Handle "Howard". Born August 12, 1901. First 2-way contact 1921. Occup: Radio Officer, worked as Radio Operator from 1931. Early rig, Ford spark coil and crystal detector. Belonged to Wireless Association of Pennsylvania. S.K. 1972.