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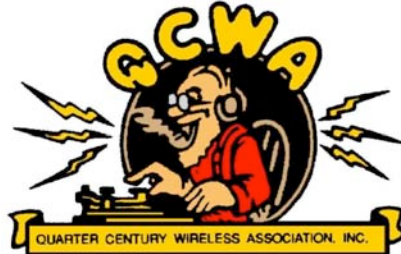
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NAME & MEMBER # BIRTHDATE	LAST CALL 1ST-2-WAY	SK: DATE REPORT FROM
Merrill P. Budlong #3115 B:May/21/1912	W1MB W1QLD-1947	SK Date Missing QST October 2007 P.87
James G. Tibbetts #3089 B:March/17/1918 Military-1938	K6QFZ W1EBA-1954	May/15/2003 Mrs, Jean Tibbetts
Earl C. Snyder #3366 B:March/11/1920	W4AYD W2GXP-1951	September/10/2005 Mrs. Snyder
Richard J. Robinson #3180 B:August/21/1921	W2OZA W2OZA-1944	SK Date Missing QST November 2007 P.95
Henry G. Elwell Jr. #3532 B:April/19/1919	N4UH W2JKH-1936	SK Date Missing QST November 2007 P.95
George J. Maczali #3923 B:March/17/1928 Military-1944	K5STR W2WGF-1947	November/1/2007 W5HX from Houston Chronicle
Gunther K. Philip #3918 B:December/15/1926	DL5GG DJ5GG-1959	October/7/2007 Guenter Pesch, DJ2XB

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The Board of Directors honors the following Silent Keys for their contribution to OOTC.

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**NO NOMINATIONS WERE RECEIVED FOR DIRECTORS IN DISTRICT 2, 4, 6, 8, 0.
THESE DIRECTORS REMAIN IN OFFICE FOR THE CALENDAR YEARS 2008-2009:**

2 NJ-NY.	JERRY MULBERG, W2MJP, #2995.
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FOR 2009-2010 IN ZONES 1, 3, 5, 7, 9. THE INCUMBENTS ARE:**

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9 (IL, IN, WI)	JOE SCHROEDER, W9JUV, 2967

OOTC ON THE AIR MEETINGS

EUROPEAN CHAPTER #5 CALL DL0OTC

**SSB 7:30 CE(S)T 3624 kHz, Tue, NCS DJ5ND, Willi Kreibohm.
SSB 11:00 CE(S)T 7090 kHz, Tue, NCS DJ2XB, Guenter Pesch.
CW 17:30 UTC 3576,5 kHz, Tue, NCS DL1MEB, Karl Maerz.
CE(S)T = Central European (Summer) Time = UTC + 1(2).**

U. S. A.

**Chapter #2 (CA): Tuesday, 1600 local 3917kHz. NCS W6HV, Troy Wideman.
AZ CH: Tuesday, 1600 local, 3913 kHz. NCS W7LGB, Lyle Brown.
N.East: Thursday, 1330 local, 7230 kHz. NCS K2VNM, Robert Kerns.
CH82 E. TN & SW. VA: Sun, 9:00PM E. 145.110MHz. down shift.
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page (27)
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A MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT



Admiring the photograph of the 1911 “tone wheel” shown on next page, I was reminded of my copy of “Circular No. 74 of the Bureau of Standards, Department of Commerce” issued March 23, 1918. The circular is actually a very well prepared text covering some of the fundamentals of radio instruments and measurements in being at that time. One fascinating section covers the “Decremeter.” I wonder how many of you were familiar with that device? Well, I certainly wasn’t, and for you that weren’t either, the device was “...a wave-meter conveniently arranged for measurements of resistance or decrement.” (pge. 196, Part II, para. 55)



Fig. 219—Small-type decrometer.



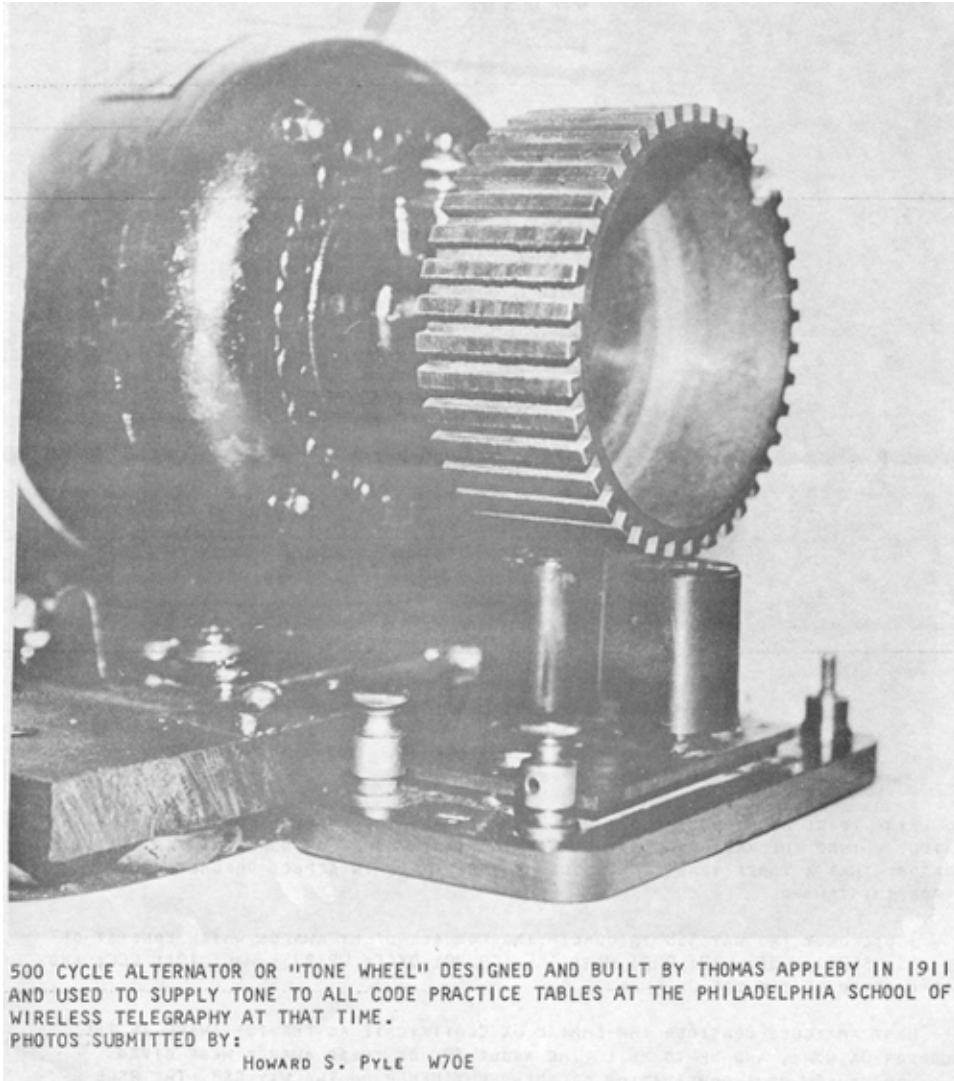
Fig. 220—Navy-type decrometer.

There are many such interesting sections in the circular that cover both tube type receiving and transmitting theory and circuits. It’s fun to peruse the document --if you can find a copy of the circular.

Do you have stories or photographs of the “pioneer periods” of radio? Send them in and share them with us.

Moving back to the present, it’s a new year and a good time to renew recruiting new members. Recall our goal of each of us getting a new member? We didn’t quite manage that this past year. So, let’s all try again. It’s also a good time to get the local chapters involved in social activities. Chapter meeting can be a good way to invite prospects for new membership. Also, send in your meetings minutes and photographs. My hat’s off to the submissions of Chapter 2 made by their secretary/treasurer Lyman Beman, W6GP. We all enjoy reading about the activities of the various members and chapter meetings are an excellent source for activity reports.

I would also like to remind you of a request made in the last issue. Please consider either volunteering or asking a member to volunteer to be back up in the event OOTC would need to replace either the executive secretary or the treasurer. To insure continuity of the organization it is vital to have ready replacements if and when needed.



THOMAS APPLEBY, "TA"-1908, W3AX. #0228. SK NOV. 1971.

73,
Troy, W6HV

News Letter #23

OOTC Chapter 2

1 November 2007

October 21 was another beautiful but windy day for our luncheon meeting at the Long Beach Yacht Club. Twenty three members and guests were present. Paul Schinnerer (AB6TB) President called the meeting to order at 1120 AM and then temporarily adjourned the meeting so we all could enjoy our buffet brunch.

After completing our meal, the meeting was recalled to order by the President. Members and guests included Paul Schinnerer (AB6TB) and son John, Bill Carter (W6AJ), Ken Johnson (W6FU) with friends Carol and Bill, Lyman (W6GP) and wife Marilyn Beman, Troy (W6HV) and wife Louava, Lonnie Bingham (K6CBN), Hugh (W6HG) and wife Marcia Graham,, Archie Willis (W6LPJ) and friend Sherry Revord, Al Wendelbo (K6FO), Helen Windham (N6ZLL), Jim (K6TLN) and wife Donna Nicholson, Bill (W6UUC) and wife Audrey Snow, and Stephen Gregory (WA6FEJ).

Once again Helen Windham was applauded for arranging for our group to enjoy the Long Beach Yacht Club as our meeting and dining location. Her efforts are truly appreciated.

A moment of silence was then observed for members experiencing health problems and those who are now Silent Keys.

The business for this meeting was to elect a President and also a Secretary Treasurer for the next two-year term. Since there were no members who chose to run for these offices, the President entertained a motion from the floor to re-elect the incumbent officers for another two-year term. The motion was seconded and approved by all members present.

Members were then asked to individually stand, introduce themselves, their wives and guests and, if they wished, tell us some anecdote from their ham experience. This has become an interesting and entertaining portion of our meeting.

There was no further business or comments from the floor so the meeting was adjourned early afternoon.

Respectfully,

Lyman Beman W6GP

Sec/Treas OOTC Chapter 2 (Chapter 2 pictures on next page)



Al Wendelbo KK6O



Archie Willis W6LPJ & Sherry Revord



Bill Snow W6UUC & Audrey



Hugh Graham W6HG & Marcia



Jim Nicholson K6TLN & Dianne



Ken Johnson W6FU & Carol



Lyman Beman W6GP & Marilyn



Paul Schinnerer AB6TB & John



Stephen Grsegory WA6FEJ



Troy Wideman W6HV & Group

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**MEMBER NAT HARRINGTON,
K2DYB, #3285 says:**

I go by the name "Nat". When I was born it was between Nathaniel and Peter. Would have much rather been "Pete", but then, I had nothing to say about it.

First licensed in July of 1953 as KN2DYB. Received my General class license 3 months later. I took my exams at the Federal Bldg. in Syracuse which were administered by F.C.C. examiners-inspectors. The CW test was both receiving and sending. I was 15 and pretty nervous. Was inactive in the hobby from 1963 to 1990. Came back as KB2JRT. Moved up to Advanced and got the call KF2VL. Passed my 20 W.P.M. Extra CW element, but never took the theory. Then, by way of the Vanity System, I got my original call, K2DYB back, in June of 1996. Was born in Oneida, N.Y. in Madison Co.



My interests within our hobby are traffic, emergency/public service and some DX work. I am an ex-E.C. for Oneida and Madison Counties (8 Years) and ex-Official Observer Coordinator for the Western N.Y. Section. Am currently an Official Observer for F.C.C. Auxiliary of the F.O.B. Also I am a Volunteer Examiner (VE) for both the A.R.R.L.(through 6/18/2016) and W5YI VEC.

I am a member of the "EMPIRE SLOW SPEED NET" (ESS) on 3.576 Mhz. (as of 12/1/06, previously 3.590 Mhz.) daily @ 1800 Eastern. This net was founded on August 17, 1955 by yours truly. ESS is now 52+ and growing! Give a listen....you just might want to check in. ESS Manager is Anne Fanelli, WI2G. Also, let us never forget the many years of excellent manager-ship of ESS by the late Pete Gellert, W2WSS.

Also am a member and past Asst. Manager the Oneida County Traffic and Emergency Net (OCTEN) and the New York State Traffic Net (NYS). NYS has three (3) sessions every day of the year. At 10:00 A.M. on 3.577 Mhz. and 7 P.M. and 10:00 P.M. on 3.576 Mhz. We usually have reps. from WDN, STAR, OCTEN, CDN, HVN, SDN and NLI, with liaison to 2RN.

My other appointments in addition to OO are OES and ORS. My ham radio website is: <http://bytesandhertz.blogspot.com/> Drop by and check it out. It's there for you. Comments are always welcome by email or on the air.

I worked in television broadcasting for 25 years as a broadcast technician. From 1956 to 1981 and medical leave until 1984.

Well, as of today, December 15th, 2006, the F.C.C. has ruled there will no longer be any code requirement for any amateur radio license. It is a sad day for amateur radio. I guess this is progress. As I listen around the bands though I really question whether our hobby is improving or just becoming easier to be a glorified CBer. Nat.

MEMBER AL MILLER, VE7KC, #3890 says:

I am 91 on my way to 92 and still around. I just got in under the wire as a "Spark" man as when I took my commercial exam they were still using the Marconi 10 inch coil as the emergency transmitter. I am glad I never had to use it except for the exam.

The main transmitter was the Marconi 100W4 with two 211s. It was a horrible thing that with switching it operated CW, phone. ICW. You got RF burns on your fingers from the key. I also operated the 500-watt Marconi which looked like a bear cage.

The SPARC radio museum near Vancouver has one or two of the Marconi 10-inchers plus receivers of the same vintage. Take a look at their web page. On the Hydrographic Survey ship the call was CGFQ but also worked a little for Marconi on the CPSS Princess boats. I am a founding member. almiller73@shaw.ca
Editor- <http://www3.telus.net/radiomuseum/> then click on EARLY SPARK.

**SILENT KEY - JAMES G. TIBBETTS, SPARK OP, K6QFZ, #3089
3/17/1918 - 5/15/2003**

Jean Tibbetts writes: I am sorry I did not notify you of my husband's death earlier. I do not have a bonafide computer and any long message puts my machine out of order. Two weeks ago it did not get fixed for 4 days. I have had Lou Gehrig's disease for many years and Jim was my caregiver until he went to the hospital and never returned. Sincerely Jean Tibbetts
jeantib@mymailstation.com

**NEW MEMBER PATRICK E. "PAT" BUDER, AE6ZY, #4498
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NEW MEMBER ROBIN D. "ROB" HUCKABY, WB4GKI, #4499

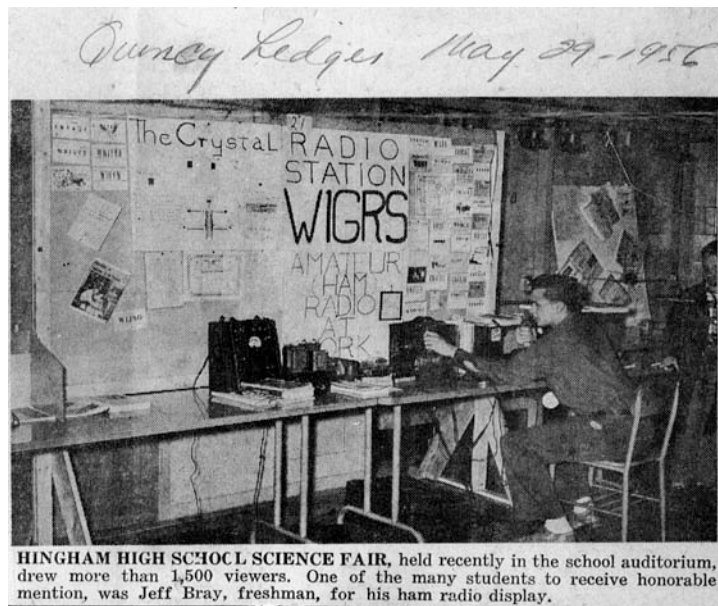
Born May 20, 1951, Griffin, GA. Spouse Jan KF4HRZ. WN4GKI-1967.
Favorite modes: HF CW and VHF SSB/CW. wb4gki@arrl.net.

NEW MEMBER REINHARD TAUCHE, DL1AY #4500

Born August 30, 1947, Döbern Germany. Spouse Liane, 2 Children, 2 Grand Children. DM3NYF-1967. DL1ay@darf.de



**FROM
MEMBER JEFF
BRAY, W1GRS,
#4005**



HINGHAM HIGH SCHOOL SCIENCE FAIR, held recently in the school auditorium, drew more than 1,500 viewers. One of the many students to receive honorable mention, was Jeff Bray, freshman, for his ham radio display.

On January 12 2008 it will be 170 years since the first Telegraph message.

Submitted by Lt. Col Harry W. Robinson, W2AZ, #3931

Human thought was transmitted over a wire, and it happened in Morristown, New Jersey. Samuel Morse and Alfred Vail transmitted the first telegraph message in a factory on Speedwell Avenue.

Vail, the little known co-inventor of the telegraph and Morse code, had been working with Morse for four months at the Vail estate before the historic trial on January 6.

The two men became friends at New York University in 1837 where Morse was a professor of history and Vail was a student of the ministry. Morse, who had dreamed for years of perfecting a telegraph, performed a demonstration that year, sending electric impulses from an electromagnet through 1700 feet of copper wire.

Vail witnessed the demonstration and was so impressed that he dropped his ministerial ambitions, borrowed \$2,000 from his father and brother, and went to work trying to improve the apparatus Morse had used.

“I was struck with the rude machine,” wrote Vail, “containing, as I believed, the germ of what was destined to produce great changes in the condition and relations of mankind.”

Vail's father, Judge Stephen Vail, was the owner of the thriving Speedwell Iron Works, below the Speedwell Lake dam. This was the factory in which the shaft was forged for the Savannah, the first steamship to cross the Atlantic. Tires, axles, and cranks for the first American locomotives were also manufactured there. Alfred Vail, then, was well versed in mechanical knowledge and experience when he took on the telegraph project.

William Baxter, Vail's 15-year old apprentice, later wrote, “When Morse's mechanical knowledge and skill were found to be limited, Vail began to draw on his own wonderful power of invention in substituting practical and commercially available mechanical combinations for the more or less impractical designs of Morse.

He said insulated wire was at that time practically unobtainable, and they had to rely on “milliner's wire such as was used to give outline to the skyscraper bonnets of the day. The entire New York market was drained for our experiments.”

By early January 1838, Vail's father had grown discouraged with his son's experimenting and the sarcastic remarks from fellow townsmen. He began to feel the project was a waste of money, and waited for January 6 to decide whether or not to discontinue financial support.

It was on that night that the project reached completion. In the Vail barn, then used as a nail factory, about 3 miles of wire was coiled and twisted, connecting the second floor and the first floor.

Vail's father handed him a piece of paper on which was written "a patient waiter is no loser." Alfred Vail carefully tapped out the message using a code of numbers. Within minutes, Samuel Morse received the message, decoded it, wrote it out on a piece of paper, and handed it back to Vail's father. His financial assistance was then assured.

From this successful trial followed the dramatic long distance demonstration from Washington to Baltimore in May 1844, with the words "What God had wrought."

The success of the invention was proclaimed throughout the world but only Samuel Morse received the accolades. The patents had been taken out in his name, and Alfred Vail was forgotten.

Vail wrote friends that he "wished to preserve the peaceful unity of the invention," and therefore did not press his claims, but later wrote, "I do not feel myself fairly treated."

The barn where the first words were tapped and the original Vail homestead are still standing on Speedwell Avenue. A historical marker indicates the spot. Now owned by Speedwell Historical Village, a charitable, educational organization, the buildings will someday be refurbished and opened to the public.

SO MUCH INFORMATION – ABOUT OOTC

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What does your daddy do for a living?

My daddy's dead.

What did he do before he died?

He sort of clutched at his chest and fell over.

My computer fell on the floor and slipped a disc.

HOW MANY OOTC "SPARKS" ARE STILL AROUND?

THERE ARE 1121 KNOWN OOTC SILENT KEY "SPARKS"

Here is a list of 58 members that indicated on their application or later that they used "spark" for a living or started their two-way with some kind of spark equipment. There may be some in this list that are "SK" and we have not been advised. IF YOU KNOW that any member in this list is "SK" we would appreciate the information. Write to OOTC INC 3191 Darvany Dr Dallas TX 75220-1611 or send an e-mail to ootc@att.net

If you are in this list, you SHOULD write your memoirs and send it to OOTC INC 3191 Darvany Dr Dallas TX 75220-1611 or email to ootc@att.net.

At least send us something to print in Spark-Gap Times. It is too late for the 1121 Silent Key Sparks. Don't wait, do it now! How about sending a picture?

LEGEND:

Last name, first name/initial, last known call, "spark", 1st call if known, 1st two-way if known, last known city and state, member number.

BAILEY, CHARLES A - W7YU - "Spark Op" W6BXL-1923 GLENDALE AZ Mem#1276
BENN, J A - W6BY - "Spark Op" 6AM-1915 UPPER LAKE CA Mem#1073
BERNARD, ELMER O - W0CKI - "Spark Op" 9DY-1922 BLOOMINGTON MN Mem#0936
BOYD, WALDO T - K6DZY - "Spark Op" W0YGL-1930 GEYSERVILLE CA Mem#3787
BRADY, JAMES F - W6ASN - "Spark Op" 6ASN-1921 ALAMEDA CA Mem#0234
BRUNING JR, JOHN H - W8DSR - "Spark Op" 9CRN-1920 CINCINNATI OH Mem#1298
BURN, JAMES W - K4NC - "Spark Op" 3ADP-1919 RIPPLEMEAD VA Mem#1232
CHASE, CLIFFORD E - W7HIP - "Spark Op" 9ABP-1923 VANCOUVER WA Mem#3561
CHURCHILL, PAUL K - W6QBY - "Spark Op" 6BF-1921 VENTURA CA Mem#0571
CONAUGHTY, ROBERT B - W4OSG - "Spark Op" 1BGK-1917 CLEARWATER FL Mem#1116
DRESSEN, DON D - KD6LG - "Spark Op" 9AY-1921 LAGUNA HILLS CA Mem#1688
FOODY, ROY T - W2EPN - "Spark Op" 8DHF-1923 BAYPORT NY Mem#2037
FRERET, L DELERY - W4KB - "Spark Op" 5NM-1927 LUCEDALE MS Mem#2998
GENZARDI SR, VINCENT R - W2GRA - "Spark Op" 2AEH-1922 PARSIPPANY NJ Mem#4073
GRAPP SR, OTTO F - K2FP - "Spark Op" 3VF-1924 PENNSAUKEN NJ Mem#0399
GROSSELFINGER, WALTER H - W2ATQ - "Spark Op" 2BCM-1920 EastRockaway NY Mem#3324
HANSEN, THEODORE A - W9IX - "Spark Op" 9DXW-1919 LAFAYETTE IL Mem#0647
HASSLINGER, RALPH - W2CVF - "Spark Op" 2CVF-1922 GLEN ROCK NJ Mem#1552

Last name, first name/initial, last known call, "spark", 1st call if known,
1st two-way if known, last known city and state, member number.

HERRERA, FRANCISCO C - XE1AX - "Spark Op" M1AX-1921 MEXICO, DF MEXICO Mem#0593
HOLCOMB, BANKSON T - WA3MEK - "Spark Op" XSM-1923 CHATHAM NJ Mem#1252
JACKSON, EDWARD W - K6JH - "Spark Op" 1LW-1915 WILTON CA Mem#0998
JEROME, ERNEST G - WB4JCB - "Spark Op" 2AQH-1920 FT MYERS FL Mem#1288
JONES, LLOYD M - W6DOB - "Spark Op" 6AWN-1921 SALINAS CA Mem#2100
KAMIN, VERNON A - W9US - "Spark Op" 9US-1919 RHINELANDER WI Mem#1974
KIRCHNER SR, OLIVER F - W9BUA - "Spark Op" 9BCX-1920 CHARTHAGE IL Mem#2349
KRAMER, THEODORE L - W4NR - "Spark Op" -1920 STUART FL Mem#0287
LESSIG, LINWOOD G - K4SV - "Spark Op" 3QW-1920 ALTAMONTE SPRINGS FL Mem#2701
LOEFFLER, HERBERT C - W2RNZ - "Spark Op" 8TL-1920 ROCHESTER NY Mem#1569
LOVELAND, ROBERT - WB1FLO - "Spark Op" 1BXB-1921 MARBLEHEAD MA Mem#2097
LUCKEY, EDWIN T - W6MJ - "Spark Op" 3BTP-1922 HOLLYWOOD CA Mem#1852
MARTIN SR, JOHN R - W5HFP - "Spark Op" 9BPV-1917 PARAGOULD AR Mem#2142
MARTINKA, ANTHONY - W9OD - "Spark Op" 9OD-1920 BERWYN AL Mem#0277
MAYERS, LEONARD M - W3FVF - "Spark Op" 3BMA-1921 BIG RUN PA Mem#2110
MC DILL, CHAS W - KA8FXA - "Spark Op" 8DSB-1923 SPRINGFIELD OH Mem#2380
MILLER, ALBERT H - VE7KC - "Spark Op" VE5KC-1933 PENTICTON BC CANADA Mem#3890
MORGAN, A BROCK - VE3OI - "Spark Op" BM & 3X-1920 DUNDAS ON CANADA Mem#1068
MOXEY III, LOUIS W - N3CZB - "Spark Op" 3BFL-1921 DOYLESTOWN PA Mem#3051
MURPHY JR, COLEMAN - W3BBL - "Spark Op" 8BBL-1924 PITTSBURGH PA Mem#2433
NOLAN, ARTHUR B - WB6CFT - "Spark Op" 6CCP-1922 SAN DIEGO CA Mem#3454
OLIPHANT, THEODORE R - W8BPC - "Spark Op" 8BIL-1920 CRESTLINE OH Mem#1341
OSORIO, AUGUSTO EDUARDO - LU2AO - "Spark Op"-1920 BuenosAires Argentina Mem#0254
PITZER, JOSEPH H - W4JPI - "Spark Op" JP-1913 FT WAYNE IN Mem#1135
PRATT, ROY W - W0BAL - "Spark Op" 9BAL-1921 MITCHELLVILLE IA Mem#0605
RAGSDALE, WILLIAM H - W8PQ - "Spark Op" 3PQ-1916 BIRMINGHAM MI Mem#1475
REYNOLDS, JOHN H - W2DAB - "Spark Op" 2DAB-1923 NEW MILFORD CT Mem#3975
RUFF SR, HAROLD M - W9ZFU - "Spark Op" 9DXI-1922 MARINETTE WI Mem#0837
RYDER, EARL - W8TDY - "Spark Op" 9AKK-1915 LOS ANGELES CA Mem#1307
SHRADER, ROBERT L - W6BNB - "Spark Op" W6BNB-1931 SEBASTOPOL CA Mem#3007
SMITH, GERALD F - W0DUN - "Spark Op" 9BTX-1922 AKRON IA Mem#0472
SOUTHWORTH, FRANCIS G - KC5RZ - "Spark Op" 5JJ-1922 WHITESBORO TX Mem#0556
SOVEROFF, VERNON W - K6ZUO - "Spark Op" 9BVK-1923 Shingle Springs CA Mem#0419
SYMONS, WILLIAM E - K4IH - "Spark Op" 9UW-1920 ANDERSON SC Mem#1558
TERREL, C L - 8CBE - "Spark Op" 8CBE-1918 ACCRA GHANA Mem#0793
THOMSON, COREY - VE2IR - "Spark Op" VE2DX-1919 MONTREAL PQ CANADA Mem#0604
VOLTZ, WILLIAM E - W9HW - "Spark Op" 6HV-1919 MICHIGAN CITY IN Mem#2012
WEINIG, ROBERT F - K4FZ - "Spark Op" 8FK-1916 NAPLES FL Mem#0863
WHITE SR, LAWRENCE V - W7GRE - "Spark Op" 7AIF-1922 WALLA WALLA WA Mem#0889
WOODS SR, JAMES F - K2IHD - "Spark Op" 2BDV-1922 BAYPORT NY Mem#2002

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ZONE	1	2	3	4	5
1967	MCAULEY W1KJ	HERLAND W2MDB			ARMSTRONG W5RIH
1968	ROGERS W1DFS	RASER W2ZI	APPLEBY W3AX		HAMMOND W5BN
1969	ROGERS W1DFS		APPLEBY W3AX	GUY W4AZ	HAMMOND W5BN
1970	ROGERS W1DFS	GOULD K2NP	APPLEBY W3AX	GUY W4AZ	HAMMOND W5BN
1971	ROGERS W1DFS	GOULD K2NP	APPLEBY W3AX	GUY W4AZ	GAMBLE W5ZC
1972	ROGERS W1DFS	GOULD K2NP	ROBINSON W4QR	GUY W4AZ	GAMBLE W5ZC
1973	ROGERS W1DFS	GOULD K2NP	ROBINSON W4QR	GUY W4AZ	ROBERTSON W5OB
1974	MCKEE JR W1KC	GOULD K2NP	ROBINSON W4QR	GUY W4AZ	ROBERTSON W5OB
1975	WILLS W1DJ	GOULD K2NP	JOHNSON W3AC	GUY W4AZ	ROBERTSON W5OB
1976	WILLS W1DJ	GOULD K2NP	JOHNSON W3AC	SIECK K4NE	ROBERTSON W5OB
1977	WILLS W1DJ	GOULD K2NP	JOHNSON W3AC	SIECK K4NE	ROBERTSON W5OB
1978	WILLS W1DJ	RASER W2ZI	JOHNSON W3AC	SIECK K4NE	ROBERTSON W5OB
1979	WILLS W1DJ	RASER W2ZI	JOHNSON W3AC	SIECK K4NE	ROBERTSON W5OB
1980	WILLS W1DJ	RASER W2ZI	JOHNSON W3AC	STOLZENBERGER WB4ODL	ROBERTSON W5OB
1981	WILLS W1DJ	RASER W2ZI	JOHNSON W3AC	STOLZENBERGER WB4ODL	ROBERTSON W5OB
1982	WILLS W1DJ	KORF K2IC	JOHNSON W3AC	AKRE W4ZZZ	ROBERTSON W5OB
1983	WILLS W1DJ	KORF K2IC	JOHNSON W3AC	AKRE W4ZZZ	ROBERTSON W5OB
1984	WILLS W1DJ	KORF K2IC	JOHNSON W3AC	AKRE W4ZZZ	ROBERTSON W5OB
1985	WILLS W1DJ	KORF K2IC		AKRE W4ZZZ	ROBERTSON W5OB
1986	WILLS W1DJ	KORF K2IC	DORIAN W3JPT	AKRE W4ZZZ	ROBERTSON W5OB
1987	WILLS W1DJ	KORF K2IC	DORIAN W3JPT	AKRE W4ZZZ	ROBERTSON W5OB
1988	WILLS W1DJ	KORF K2IC	DORIAN W3JPT	AKRE W4ZZZ	ROBERTSON W5OB
1989	WILLS W1DJ	KORF K2IC	DORIAN W3JPT	BOOKWALTER W4NWF	
1990	WILLS W1DJ	KORF K2IC	DORIAN W3JPT	BOOKWALTER W4NWF	
1991	WARNER W1HRQ	GIRONDA W2JE	GLEASON W3KW	BOOKWALTER W4NWF	SMITH W5KL
1992	WARNER W1HRQ	GIRONDA W2JE	GLEASON W3KW	BOOKWALTER W4NWF	SMITH W5KL

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1993	KREAMER W1GAY	GIRONDA W2JE	GERBRACHT W3QPP	BOOKWALTER W4NWF	SMITH W5KL
1994	KREAMER W1GAY	WINTER W2AUF	GERBRACHT W3QPP	BOOKWALTER W4NWF	SMITH W5KL
1995	KREAMER W1GAY	WINTER W2AUF	GERBRACHT W3QPP	BOOKWALTER W4NWF	SMITH W5KL
1996	KREAMER W1GAY	WINTER W2AUF	GERBRACHT W3QPP	BOOKWALTER W4NWF	SMITH W5KL
1997	KREAMER W1GAY	WINTER W2AUF	GERBRACHT W3QPP	BOOKWALTER W6DGU	SMITH W5KL
1998	KREAMER W1GAY	WINTER W2AUF	GERBRACHT W3QPP	BOOKWALTER W6DGU	SMITH W5KL
1999	BARDFIELD W1UQ	WINTER W2AUF	GERBRACHT W3QPP	BOOKWALTER W6DGU	SMITH W5KL
2000	BARDFIELD W1UQ	WINTER W2AUF	GERBRACHT W3QPP	RANGLES W4COW	FLOYD W5DXR
2001	BARDFIELD W1UQ	MOZLEY W2BCH	GERBRACHT W3QPP	RANGLES W4COW	FLOYD W5DXR
2002	BARDFIELD W1UQ	MULBERG W2MJP	GERBRACHT W3QPP	RANGLES W4COW	FLOYD W5DXR
2003	BARDFIELD W1UQ	MULBERG W2MJP	GERBRACHT W3QPP	RANGLES W4COW	STANTON W5LBU
2004	BARDFIELD W1UQ	MULBERG W2MJP	GERBRACHT W3QPP	KNIGHT W4ZJY	STANTON W5LBU
2005	BARDFIELD W1UQ	MULBERG W2MJP	GERBRACHT W3QPP	KNIGHT W4ZJY	STANTON W5LBU
2006	BARDFIELD W1UQ	MULBERG W2MJP	GERBRACHT W3QPP	KNIGHT W4ZJY	STANTON W5LBU
2007	BARDFIELD W1UQ	MULBERG W2MJP	GERBRACHT W3QPP	KNIGHT W4ZJY	STANTON W5LBU

ZONE	6	7	8	9	0
1967	MEYERS W6MLZ		BAUMGARDNER W8BF		
1968		LINVILLE W7DH	SHAFFER W8TE	ELDRED W9SG	WYLIE WA0APB
1969	MAYES W6AX	LINVILLE W7DH	SHAFFER W8TE	ELDRED W9SG	WYLIE WA0APB
1970	HOLLY W6DRV	LINVILLE W7DH	SHAFFER W8TE	ELDRED W9SG	FREEMAN K0MOA
1971	HOLLY W6DRV	MIDDLETON W7ZC	SHAFFER W8TE	HINDS W9WR	FREEMAN K0MOA
1972	ELSER W6FB	MIDDLETON W7ZC	SHAFFER W8TE	HINDS W9WR	FREEMAN K0MOA
1973	ELSER W6FB	MIDDLETON W7ZC	SHAFFER W8TE	HINDS W9WR	FREEMAN K0MOA
1974	HOLLY W6DRV	MIDDLETON W7ZC	SHAFFER W8TE	HINDS W9WR	FREEMAN K0MOA
1975	HOLLY W6DRV	STANLEY W7DKB	SHAFFER W8TE	ELDRED W9SG	FREEMAN K0MOA
1976	HOLLY W6DRV	STANLEY W7DKB	SHAFFER W8TE	ELDRED W9SG	FREEMAN K0MOA

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1977	HOLLY W6DRV	STANLEY W7DKB	BIDDLE K8UZ	ELDRED W9SG	FREEMAN K0MOA
1978	HOLLY W6DRV	STANLEY W7DKB	GIBBS W8AQ	ELDRED W9SG	FREEMAN K0MOA
1979	HOLLY W6DRV	STANLEY W7DKB	GIBBS W8AQ	ELDRED W9SG	FREEMAN K0MOA
1980	HOLLY W6DRV	STANLEY W7DKB	GIBBS W8AQ	ELDRED W9SG	FREEMAN K0MOA
1981	CABANILLAS W6IL	STANLEY W7DKB	GIBBS W8AQ	ELDRED W9SG	FREEMAN K0MOA
1982	CABANILLAS W6IL	STANLEY W7DKB	MILLS W8SA	ELDRED W9SG	FREEMAN K0MOA
1983	CABANILLAS W6IL	STANLEY W7DKB	MILLS W8SA	ELDRED W9SG	ANDERSON K0NL
1984	GARTSMAN W6ATC	STANLEY W7DKB	HOFFER W8CWY	ELDRED W9SG	ANDERSON K0NL
1985	GARTSMAN W6ATC	STANLEY W7DKB	HOFFER W8CWY	ELDRED W9SG	ANDERSON K0NL
1986	GARTSMAN W6ATC	STANLEY W7DKB	HOFFER W8CWY	ELDRED W9SG	ANDERSON K0NL
1987	GARTSMAN W6ATC	STANLEY W7DKB	HOFFER W8CWY	ELDRED W9SG	ANDERSON K0NL
1988	GARTSMAN W6ATC	STANLEY W7DKB	HOFFER W8CWY	ELDRED W9SG	ANDERSON K0NL
1989	GARTSMAN W6ATC	STANLEY W7DKB	HOFFER W8CWY	ELDRED W9SG	ANDERSON K0NL
1990	GARTSMAN W6ATC	STANLEY W7DKB	HOFFER W8CWY	ELDRED W9SG	ANDERSON K0NL
1991	GARTSMAN W6ATC	TIPPETT W7LVB	HOFFER W8CWY		MEYERSON W0GFQ
1992	GARTSMAN W6ATC		HOFFER W8CWY	KNIRKO W9MOL	MEYERSON W0GFQ
1993	GARTSMAN W6ATC	TRENT KL7DG	HOFFER W8CWY	ERICKSON KA9DYS	MEYERSON W0GFQ
1994	JOHNSON W6NKE	TRENT KL7DG	HOFFER W8CWY	KNIRKO W9MOL	MEYERSON W0GFQ
1995	JOHNSON W6NKE	TRENT KL7DG	HOFFER W8CWY	KNIRKO W9MOL	MEYERSON W0GFQ
1996	JOHNSON W6NKE	TRENT KL7DG	HAYMOND W8CCN	KNIRKO W9MOL	MEYERSON W0GFQ
1997	JOHNSON W6NKE	TRENT KL7DG	HAYMOND W8CCN	KNIRKO W9MOL	MEYERSON W0GFQ
1998	JOHNSON W6NKE	TRENT KL7DG	HAYMOND W8CCN	KNIRKO W9MOL	MEYERSON W0GFQ
1999	JOHNSON W6NKE		HAYMOND W8CCN	WEBB W9IPO	MEYERSON W0GFQ
2000	JOHNSON W6NKE	HELLWIG WA7PVC	HAYMOND W8CCN	WEBB W9IPO	MEYERSON W0GFQ
2001	JOHNSON W6NKE	HELLWIG WA7PVC	HAYMOND W8CCN	KOWOLS W9BUB	MEYERSON W0GFQ

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2002	JOHNSON W6NKE	HELLWIG WA7PVC	HAYMOND W8CCN	KOWOLS W9BUB	MEYERSON W0GFQ
2003	WIDEMAN W6HV	PISKUR K7FP	HAYMOND W8CCN	KOWOLS W9BUB	MEYERSON W0GFQ
2004	WIDEMAN W6HV	PISKUR K7FP	WEHNER W8KNO	KOWOLS W9BUB	MEYERSON W0GFQ
2005	WIDEMAN W6HV	PISKUR K7FP	WEHNER W8KNO	KOWOLS W9BUB	MEYERSON W0GFQ
2006	WIDEMAN W6HV	PISKUR K7FP	WEHNER W8KNO	SCHROEDER W9JUV	MEYERSON W0GFQ
2007	WIDEMAN W6HV	PISKUR K7FP	WEHNER W8KNO	SCHROEDER W9JUV	MEYERSON W0GFQ

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New member fee now \$22. (initiation\$10+\$12one-year dues.) Dues \$12 a year. Or LIFE DUES for \$10-initiation plus: Under age 75 \$175., 75-79 \$135., 80-84 \$110., 85-89 \$85., 90-94 \$60. Age 95 and over free. May pay in installments.

NOTE CHANGE OF ADDRESS

NEW e-mail address for OOTC headquarters is now ootc@att.net Please change your address book if you have one to reflect this change.

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PRESIDENT

1947-1949 IRVING VERMILYA *W1ZE
 1950-1952 GEORGE STERLING **W1AE
 1953-1955 IRVING VERMILYA W1ZE
 1956-1958 WATSON GREENE W1CPI
 1959-1963 EARL CLINE SR ***W4PPZ
 1964-1967 BERT OSBORNE W4MF
 1968-1969 RAYMOND F GUY W4AZ
 1970-1976 ANDREW SHAFER W8TE
 1977-1978 FRED ELSER W6FB/KH6CZ
 1979-1984 RAY MEYERS W6MLZ
 1985-1986 LEWIS SIEK K4NE
 1987-1990 L. F. HEITHECKER W5EJ
 1991-1992 DUNCAN KREAMER W1GAY
 1993 HARRY GARTSMAN W6ATC
 1994-2004(SK-in-office) LELAND SMITH W5KL
 2005 DUNCAN KREAMER W1GAY
 2006-2007 TROY WIDEMAN W6HV

VICE PRESIDENT

1947-1952 ROLAND BOURNE ****W1ANA
 1953-1958 CHARLES ELLSWORTH *****W1TU
 1959-1961 LAWRENCE DUNN W2CLA/W2LP
 1962-1964 MERRILL BEAM K2BX
 1965-1967 PERLEY B DUNN W6WPF
 1968 FRED ELSER W6FB/KH6CZ
 1969 EDWARD RASER W2ZI
 Assistant BERT GAMBLE W5ZC
 1970-1971 WILLIAM GOULD III K2NP
 1972-1976 FRED ELSER W6FB/KH6CZ
 1977-1979 GEORGE ELDRED W9SG
 1980-1984 LEWIS SIEK K4NE
 1985-1986 HOBART JOHNSON W3AC
 1987-1990 DUNCAN KREAMER W1GAY
 1991-2005 HARRISON MOORE W2JQS
 2006-2007 JOE SCHROEDER W9JUV

TREASURER

1947-1852 HUBERT INGALLS W1NQ
 1953-1958 EARL CLINE SR ***W4PPZ
 1959-1964 EARL WILLIAMS W2EG
 1965-1966 EUNICE THOMPSON W1MPP
 1967-1968 T. FRANK SMITH W5VA
 1969 BERT GAMBLE W5ZC
 1970-1976 RAY MEYERS W6MLZ
 Assistant LEE MANN K6KP
 1977-1978 RAY MEYERS W6MLZ
 1979-1986 A. J. GIRONDA W2JE

TREASURER

1987-1991 BERT AYERS W6CL
 1992-1993 WESLEY RANGLES W4COW
 1993-2007 LEE KNIRKO W9MOL

SECRETARY

1947-1953 HUBERT INGALLS W1NQ
 1954-1956(SK-in-office) FRED MULLER W4ZL
 1956-1957 EARL CLINE SR ***W4PPZ
 1958 RICHARD KLEINBERGER W2AEC
 1959-1964 EARL WILLIAMS W2EG
 1965-1967 EUNICE THOMPSON *****W1MPP
 1968 T. FRANK SMITH W5VA
 1969 BERT GAMBLE W5ZC
 1970-1978 RAY MEYERS W6MLZ
 1979-1986 A. J. GIRONDA W2JE
 1987-1988 BERT AYERS W6CL
 1989-1990 WESLEY RANGLES W4COW
 1991-1993(SK-in-office) TED HEITHECKER W5EJ
 1994-2007 BERT WELLS W5JNK

* **W1ZE** Operator at old "CC", the Marconi station at South Wellfleet, Cape Cod, Mass.
 ** **W1AE** was head of the FCC during his term as OOTC President.

*** **W4PPZ** Originator of OOTC newsletter Blabbermouth later renamed Spark-Gap Times.

**** **W1ANA** designed OOTC certificate still used today. Was top executive Maxim Silencer Co. & close associate of Hiram Percy Maxim the founder of ARRL.

***** **W1TU** One of the three wireless operators who handled all the traffic on the Titanic sinking while he was with the Canadian Marconi Company in New Foundland. Also received a Presidential commendation for the handling of radio traffic on the NC-4 transatlantic flight. He sponsored Marconi's daughter as OOTC's first honorary member.

***** **W1MPP** The first woman broadcaster in the United States, and no doubt in the world.

#0026 K2AE Henry Broughton made radio contact across the stage as assistant to Nikola Tesla at the Chicago Worlds Fair in 1893. SK-1959.

This report compiled from the best records I have found, if better info known, advise Secretary OOTC

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Jan-01-LISTING-PA0JAL	Jan-30-COLEMAN-K6VW	Mar-07-MEYERSON-W0GFQ
Jan-01-BUTROVICH III-W5UWB	Feb-01-FLANAGAN-W2KRM	Mar-07-KREIBOHM-DJ5ND
Jan-02-WARD-K1DW	Feb-02-GARTSMAN-W6ATC	Mar-07-CLARK-W3ZMN
Jan-03-SVEC JR-WA4BKW	Feb-02-BELRUP-SM7COS	Mar-07-STROUT SR-W2YC
Jan-04-PERRY-KL7BT	Feb-03-MOORE-W5DXP	Mar-09-KAISER-K9RCN
Jan-04-BIRD-WS7R	Feb-04-DIRIC-K5CSK	Mar-10-PHELPS-W8TP
Jan-04-LITTLEWOOD-K4HF	Feb-06-SCHWEIZER JR-W2CF	Mar-10-GROSSELFINGER-W2ATQ
Jan-04-KOONCE-W3GOU	Feb-07-SIMPSON-WA4SLF	Mar-10-GOODWIN JR-K5RG
Jan-05-NIPPER-W4AGN	Feb-07-SOIFER-W2RS	Mar-11-PERKINS-WA7SNY
Jan-06-SANDERSON-KD0YZ	Feb-07-GUDAS-N7TP	Mar-12-HENDERSON-W5UZV
Jan-06-FINN-K0HLA	Feb-07-BARGELLINI-WA3KNN	Mar-12-ROBINSON-K1QAR
Jan-06-SUNDERMAN JR-K4XTC	Feb-07-WILKERSON-WD6FDD	Mar-12-HENDERSON-W5UZV
Jan-07-SKINNER-W9QXR	Feb-08-HILL-W5HX	Mar-13-GRABEL-N2FLR
Jan-07-THOMPSON-W5RFM	Feb-09-HELD-K6QS	Mar-13-PHELPS-W6LLP
Jan-08-WILLIS-W6LPJ	Feb-12-GARLAND-K5WSX	Mar-14-DEXHEIMER-W2VCI
Jan-08-SCHWERDTFEGER-W0OYI	Feb-13-WEBER-K5IU	Mar-14-BETHEL-K4CT
Jan-08-STANTON-W5LBU	Feb-15-MC BRIDE-W4DGJ	Mar-16-BROOKS II-W4UMC
Jan-08-FRANKE-DL2AYJ	Feb-15-MC GAVRAN JR-W5PNY	Mar-19-NAGEL-N8HOC
Jan-09-CHILDS-K6IPM	Feb-16-BEAM-W4HFB	Mar-19-SCHNEIDER-W9IEI
Jan-10-SIFF-WA4BUE	Feb-16-LOVAASEN-K0MFB	Mar-20-ANDERSON JR-KU6Y
Jan-10-AARON-WA2IEI	Feb-17-JACQUINOT-K2DL	Mar-20-NEWSOME-W0HXL
Jan-11-BELL-W6AQ	Feb-19-BENDER-W3SYY	Mar-20-SHORB-W3FSA
Jan-11-ERWIN-W5PUT	Feb-19-LAW-WB4NLU	Mar-21-BRINK-W3WPY
Jan-12-EVELAND-W6QM	Feb-20-WONSON-AC4KA	Mar-21-PICKERING-KJ9N
Jan-12-O LEARY-K0YCN	Feb-20-MC CULLEY-K0RJS	Mar-21-SCHRINER-W5FO
Jan-13-SCHROEDER JR-W9JUV	Feb-22-RECK-DM2AXO	Mar-21-HOESTENBACH SR-W5EGS
Jan-14-GRANDISON-K6WS	Feb-22-COONEY-K1TU	Mar-21-BRATTON-K5RA
Jan-16-CHANCE-W3UC	Feb-22-EVANS-KC2ICX	Mar-23-CARNETT-N5PEN
Jan-17-GOLDBERG-KD2IN	Feb-23-WIESEN-K2VX	Mar-24-PINGREE-W1ZD
Jan-17-MILLER-VE7KC	Feb-23-TAYLOR-KS5A	Mar-24-FOSTER JR-NN7K
Jan-18-AITON-W6HAG	Feb-25-ZELLE-W8FAZ	Mar-25-FREY-K0VF
Jan-18-WHEELER-W9QR	Feb-25-CIPOLLETTI-WB2SPP	Mar-25-PAGELS-K9AAL
Jan-18-YEAGER-KB0MTY	Feb-26-KING-F5TZ	Mar-26-REINHART-K9PLM
Jan-18-NIELSEN-K2GRO	Feb-27-RUSCHMEYER-W0JKY	Mar-26-PARTRIDGE-K2QBZ
Jan-19-WELLS-W5ZUT	Mar-01-WEHNER-W8KNO	Mar-27-KILLORAN-W7PP
Jan-21-LAMBERT-W8IXD	Mar-01-MILLER-W0IKT	Mar-27-TAYLOR-VE3CT
Jan-22-LUCCHI-W6NVN	Mar-02-SIEGEL-W2ST	Mar-27-LANEY III-K4BAI
Jan-22-DOBKINS-W5LCM	Mar-03-MC CONNELL-W6DPD	Mar-28-DOTY JR-W7ACD
Jan-23-MARSHALL JR-W1FJI	Mar-03-NOLAN-G3KWK	Mar-29-MULBERG-W2MJP
Jan-23-ROUMAN-W8OWN	Mar-03-CALLAHAN-WA2NZA	Mar-31-CHERNIN-KH6GI
Jan-27-BLAKE-N4DB	Mar-04-CHAPMAN-W6VIF	Mar-31-SCHWENGER-DJ3WE
Jan-28-FRANK-W1SOV	Mar-04-DOE JR-W1GQU	Mar-31-SWINNEY-W8CNJ
Jan-28-WENZEL-W2GF	Mar-05-WOODS-W7TW	
Jan-30-RYAN-W6LOA	Mar-06-GIBSON-W3DJ	

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DALLAS TX 75220-1611

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CHOOSE RED OR BLACK LETTERING
(If you do not choose, black lettering will be ordered)

WHITE WITH BLACK LETTERING _____

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BADGE WITH LOCKING SAFETY PIN BACK (\$7.00) _____

BADGE WITH PLASTIC POCKET CLIP (\$9.00) _____

BADGE WITH MAGNETIC BARS (\$9.50) _____
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BADGE WITH BOLO CLIP AND TIE (\$9.50) _____

CHOOSE TIE COLOR

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Present call _____ Address _____

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My first amateur call was _____ Other calls _____

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CB () Year _____ Describe it _____

Date of Birth _____ Birthplace _____

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