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October 27, 1989

MEMO TO ALL INDIVIDUALS HOLDING A COPY OF THE "SIRARC" HISTORY:

RE: UPDATING OF THE HISTORY FROM OCTOBER 28, 1988 TO OCTOBER 27, 1989

SECTION II - MEMBERSHIP ROLL

Page No. 1. After No. 23, George E. Elliot W60PW, insert a (\*) in Silent Key Column.

Page No. 2. After No. 40, Gerald F. Crowley W6TLC, insert a (\*) in Dropped Column.  
" " 81, Charles Buckter W680W, insert a (\*) in Silent Key Column.

Page No. 3. After No. <sup>85</sup>36, F. D. Matthews W6QWX, insert a (\*) " " " "  
" " 110, Harold I. Cobb W6KDJ, insert a (\*) in Dropped Column.

Page No. 4. After No. 142, J. S. Nettleton K6MKQ, insert a (\*) in Silent Key Column.

Page No. 5. After No. 222, Charles B. McDermott KA6NDX, insert a (\*) in Dropped Column.  
After No. 243, Harry J. Halberstadt KA6PLO, insert a (\*) in "  
" " 237, Edw. G. Cooper W6JCX, insert a (\*) in Silent Key Column.  
" " 241, Lee Beardsley W6MJY, " " " " " " "

Page No. 6. After No. 268, Eddie S. Futrell N6IGB, insert a (\*) in Silent Key Column.  
" " 279, Charles V. Dobler KA6AET, insert a (\*) in in Dropped Column.  
" " 292, Virgil J. McClusky W6DNY, insert a (\*) in Silent Key Column.  
" " 294, Leslie C. Boyd K6EUW, insert a (\*) in Dropped Column.  
" " 302, Fred R. Lathe W6DAC, insert a (\*) in Silent Key Column.

- Page No. 8. After No. 306, Elmer C. Gunther KB6DQI, insert a (\*) in Silent Key Column.
- " " 308, E. R. Richier WA6SOH, insert a (\*) in Dropped Column.
- " " 321, Albert Queen KG6PQ. He has upgraded his License to Extra Class. Delete KG6PQ and enter new license AA6HJ.
- " " 338, Gerald D. Starkey WA6LIJ, insert a (\*) in Silent Key Column.
- " " 339, Jack O. Whittock KA6NQJ, insert a (\*) in Dropped Column.
- " " 345, S. Wallace Inman WA6SJU, insert a (\*) " "
- " " 356, George Raven K6OG, insert a (\*) in Dropped Column.
- " " 347, Howard M. Turnidge W6DFX, insert a (\*) in Dropped Column.

Remove old Page No. 9 and insert enclosed new Page No. 9.

Insert enclosed new Page No. 10.

### SECTION III - MEMBERSHIP GROWTH

Page No. 1. Add the following figures to this page:

### SECTION IV - SILENT KEYS

Destroy present Page No. 1, and insert enclosed new Page No. 1.

### SECTION V - PRESIDENTIAL ROLL

On Page No. 22, Jack W. Martens, under "JACK", add: "..... TO OCTOBER 27, 1989".

Insert New Page No. 24, covering Incoming President Harold J. Silver.

### SECTION VI - OFFICERS

Destroy old Page No. 3 and insert enclosed New Page No. 3.

### SECTION VIII - SPECIAL RECOGNITIONS AND AWARDS

Destroy old Page No. 7 and insert enclosed new page No. 7.

### SECTION XI - LUNCHEON MEETING REPORTS

Throughout the year you have received from the Secretary copies of the luncheon meeting reports. These should be numbered as followed and inserted in Section XI of your copy of the history:

Report No. 43 - Meeting of October 28, 1988, should be numbered Page 57.

" " 44 - " " February 24, 1989, " " " " 58,

" " 45 - " " June 30, 1989, " " " " Pages 59 and 60.

Millard C. George K6ZRY - HISTORIAN

NO.	NAME	HANDLE	CALL	MEMBER-SHIP DATE	DROPPED	SILENT KEY
358	L. James Tomer	Jim	W6CYM	4-27-86		
359	Joseph Hayes	Joe	K6YIK	5-1-86		
360	Leland P. Robinson	Robby	N6LAM	5-7-86		
361	James D. Chloupek	Jim	K86AVC	6-6-86		
362	Harold E. Arndt	Hal	K86HPX	6-6-86	*	
363	Edward E. Caine	Ed	KA6OFR	6-7-86		
364	John E. Harris	John	KB6LAR	6-30-86		
365	Charlie E. Walsh	Charlie	W6HVX	7-1-86		
366	Richard A. Bricchetto	Dick	N6NCI	7-2-86		
367	Orville L. Hill	Orv	WF6C	8-2-86		
368	Howard E. Taylor	Howard	N6KEA	11-4-86		
369	Roy I. Couzin	Roy	W6JET	11-21-86		
370	Charles T. Haist	Chuck	W6TWL	11-26-86		
371	Edwin Erman	Ed	KA6YAV	12-24-86		
372	James W. Shaley	Jim	KA6DXY	1-22-87		
373	Harold W. Annis	Harold	N6HAB	1-27-87		*
374	Jess Melton	Jess	N6JKD	1-30-87		
375	John W. Rucker	John	WA6BLG	3-5-87		
376	James C. Hayes	Jim	N6IMI	3-6-87		
377	LaRoy B. Everett, Jr.	Roy	KB6PZZ	4-24-87		
378	Stanley B. Weiss	Stan	W6KHH	6-17-87		
379	Lowell M. Lux	Lowell	K6SRD	7-1-87		
380	James J. Richardson	Jim	W6GFK	7-2-87		
381	Marion J. Henson	MH	W6NKR	7-3-87		
382	Claude Blakeslee	Claude	WB6GHZ	8-25-87		
383	Glenn Grant	Glenn	WB6GEN	8-28-87		
384	Daniel H. Kolster	Dan	WB6QIO	10-31-87		
385	Wilhelm Merkl	Bill	N6OEG	11-18-87		
386	Robert J. Hamilton	Bob	WB6RWT	12-9-87		
387	Paul W. Jones	Paul	N6PAC	1-11-88		
388	W. H. Jones	Jerry	W6IJY	1-14-88		
389	Jackson G. Sauers	Jack	KB6JRI	2-5-88		
390	Samuel Mason	Sam	WD6FTM	2-6-88		
391	Laurence V. Kohles	Larry	N6RGA	2-8-88		
392	George A. Klein	Geo	WR6D	2-20-88		
393	Bill Robinson	Bill	N6BR	3-22-88		
394	Charles K. Korman	Ken	WA6PFL	3-23-88		
395	Nicholas Wogh	Nick	WA6TTP	4-25-88		
396	Marvin R. Martin	Marv	WA6NQR	6-10-88		
397	Jack H. Grey	Jack	WA6PQL	6-22-88		
398	William J. Moresi	Bill	N6FER	8-16-88		
399	John T. Rose	Jack	KB6MXR	8-16-88		
400	Joseph M. Brothers	Joe	N6ATN	9-3-88		
401	Karl Heuer	Karl	AA6LH	10-21-88		
402	Wilfred Senior	Will	K6SEZ	10-28-88		
403	Robert F. Franklin	Bob	K6TP	11-18-88		
404	Daniel H. Davis	Dan	KA6HIA	11-20-88		
405	George A. Wood	George	W6TDL	3-3-89		
406	T. J. Wess	T. J.	NA6L	4-22-89		
407	William J. Koczon	Bill	W2HWQ	4-23-89		
408	Elmer Talbert	Bob	W6PFC	4-24-89		
409	Floyd Gopinch	Cap	KA6VVG	5-1-89		
410	Aldo Bussi	Aldo	W6FMK	5-4-89		
411	Walt Entelman	Walt	KB6MYF	5-16-89		
412	Vincent LaPorta	Vince	K6TEN	6-6-89		
413	Edward D. Vallerga	Ed	WS6O	6-8-89		

<u>NO.</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>HANDLE</u>	<u>CALL</u>	<u>MEMBER- SHIP DATE</u>	<u>DROPPED</u>	<u>SILENT KEY</u>
414	Edward L. Russell	Ed	N6RJ	6-23-89		
415	Robert M. Emery	Bob	WA6JJR	8-5-89		
416	Clifford Abel	Cliff	W6EZE	8-16-89		
417	Howard B. Mount	Howard	N6PYR	8-28-89		

ACTIVE MEMBERSHIP GROWTH

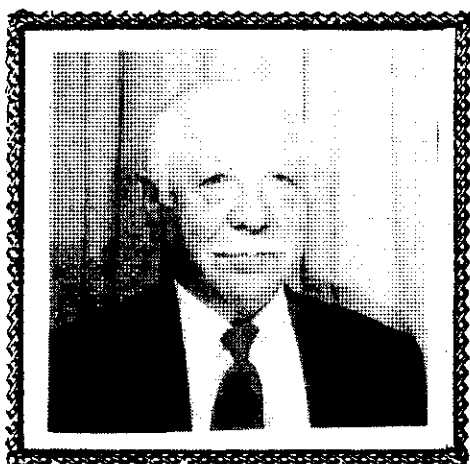
<u>AS OF</u>	<u>TOTAL NO. MEMBERS</u>	<u>NUMBER OF BRANCHES REPRESENTED</u>	<u>TOTAL COMBINED YEARS OF ALL LICENSED MEMBERS</u>	<u>AVERAGE NUMBER LICENSED YEARS PER MEMBER</u>
1-1-74	3	1	80	27
1-1-78	135	46	4747	35
6-30-78	140	50	4964	35
1-1-79	144	52	5008	35
6-30-79	155	55	5328	34
1-1-80	165	55	5616	34
6-30-80	171	53	5906	35
1-1-81	175	51	6159	35
6-30-81	188	57	6359	34
1-1-82	187	59	6512	35
2-5-82	186	60	6433	35
6-25-82	191	61	6592	34
10-22-82	191	60	6531	34
2-25-83	201	63	6992	35
6-24-83	207	63	6924	33
10-28-83	205	63	6756	33
2-24-84	209	66	7076	34
10-26-84	219	64	7242	33
10-25-85	227	64	7770	34
10-31-86	229	67	7852	34
10-23-87	233	68	8028	34
10-28-88	245	68	8269	34
10-27-89	238	70	8287	34

# In Memoriam

NAME	CALL LETTERS	NAME	CALL LETTERS
Butler J. Osborne	W6US	Hensley J. Morhen	WA6DJI
Oscar W. Peterson	W6LGW	David K. Pope	K6JKQ
August L. Bernes	W6HCE *	Walter D. Stewart	K6HIQ
Pete Antonino	W6FDV	Lon M. Hildebrand	W6QUE
Joseph W. Lowry	W6QZ	Lyman Watts	WA6FNC
Robert C. Harriss	K6VY	Fred Donley	WA6EZK
Nicholas M. Nugent	W6MYI	Willard B. Tallmon	W6DVB
Paul M. Patane	WA6JQJ	Jacob H. Wiens	W6DXB
George H. Smith	W6BNH	Ralph W. Thornally	W6NG
J. Howard Zurcher	W6RCE	Charley N. McCoy	K6SAM
Robert W. Hewitt	WB6HOR	Charles A. Strobel	K6PDE
Roy F. Stuart	W6JXI	Elwood C. Moffitt	W6MVD
Loren A. Wann	WA6LPO	Irvin D. Martin	W6KTI
John Q. Rickey	W6BZV	Fred P. Terry	N6JSK
Merle E. Smart	W6ATN	LeRoy P. Wallick, Sr.	K6VPF
John F. Roberts	W6QXP	David H. Brodie	W6PGQ
Harold F. Moore	W6DEF	Robert E. Yates	KA6YKZ
Julian T. Travis	WD6AUA	Wm. G. Baker	W6VIZ
Melvin D. Whiteman	W6BZ	Claude H. Gregory	W6AWB
E. Stewart Naschke	W6DGL	Carl Hilpisch	N6LZS
Gus Hilpisch	W6DWJ	N. B. Eddlestone	W6N8Q
John E. William	WD6FIR	Alfred C. Blanchard	WA6EQK
Robert B. Wolfe	WA6HIN	Edward T. Turner	W6NVO
John H. Luhr	WA6LRB	George F. Burnley	WA6DZD
Sherman A. McDevitt	W6JFA	Darrell H. Teachout	W6CPW
Robert A. Eisen	W6QOY	Elwyn G. Lambert	W6CJC
Howard Gibson	WA6FMQ	Fred R. Lathe	W6DAC
Bill Green	W6BYS	Lee Beardsley	W6MJY
Larry M. Reed	W6CTH	John S. Nettleton	K6MKQ
H. I. Rothrock	WB6QNZ	George Elliot	W6OPW
Lynn E. Barr	WA6MWO	F. D. Matthews	W6QWX
V. Wayne Kenaston	WA6YCF	Gerald E. Starkey	WA6LIJ
John W. Fogg	K6AD	Elmer C. Gunther	K86DQI
Charles P. Henry	W6EJA	Harold W. Annis	N6HAB
Ferris W. Hartman	W6VJN	Virgil J. McCluskey	W6DNY
Don Howard	WD6GGB	Edw. G. Cooper	W6JCX
R. A. Hanlon	W6KJ	Charles Buckter	W680W *
Herbert J. Breuer	W6JN	Eddie S. Futrell	N6IGB
Alvin W. Loomer	KA6TNY		
Robert L. Bowen	KA6VBU		
R. L. Kreiss	W6AHG		
Elmer E. Callies	K6IW		
Robert F. Brions	KA6LWG		
Robert K. Brenstein	KE6TS		
Robert W. Conley	WA6DQO		
J. M. Jackson	N6AVV *		
Fred B. Mängelsdorf	W6ZK		

\* PAST PRESIDENT

# 16th President



**Harold J. Silver**

N 6 N D B  
"HAL"

OCTOBER 27, 1989 TO OCTOBER

Hal's early history was doing R. & D. in New Jersey on General Doolittle's props to bomb Tokyo. After the war he moved to New Hampshire where he completed the Industrial Engineering education at M. I. T. Tiring of shoveling snow, forty years ago, he was hired by the Varian Brothers to join them. Teaching at the local colleges at night required a teaching credential from U. C. The sixties saw Hal start up his own company called "SILECTRO" in Palo Alto. Selling his company after ten years he kept active taking on special consulting assignments.

Hal's first interests were in flying and building his own planes. After aviating for 45 years, he has hung up his wings. Retirement found the time to earn KB6JPI. Condo living with antenna restrictions limited his activities but a dipole in the attic permitted limited satisfaction. The phonetics for his present call, N6NDB, is - "NO DUMB BUNNY".

Besides SIRARC, Hal was Fishing Chairman and SIRARC Chairman at Branch No. 5. He is a member of Emarc, Fars, Specs, Races and Cares. He is also damage assessor for the Red Cross. In between all this he still manages to get in some deep sea fishing every month with the SIR group.

Barbara and Hal have been married for over fifty years and were blessed with six daughters and ten grandchildren.

OCTOBER 23, 1987 TO OCTOBER 28, 1988

PRESIDENT - Charles M. Unfried K6IGJ  
1ST VICE PRESIDENT - Jack Wm. Martens WB6RHV  
2ND VICE PRESIDENT - Harold Silver N6NDB  
SECRETARY/TREASURER - Charles I. Wilson W6CCQ  
HISTORIAN - Millard C. George K6ZRY

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2ND VICE PRESIDENT - ROBERT J. TRAXLER KA6VHY  
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MEMBERSHIP/ROSTER CHAIRMAN - ROBERT E. DOUGLAS W6EGU

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PRESIDENT - Harold Silver N6NDB  
1ST VICE PRESIDENT - Edward V. Rawlinson WD6CHD  
2ND VICE PRESIDENT - Robert J. Traxler KA6VHY  
SECRETARY - Dudley E. Ott KA6ZZM  
TREASURER - Jack Wm. Martens WB6RHV  
MEMBERSHIP/ROSTER CHAIRMAN - Robert E. Douglas W6EGU  
HISTORIAN - Millard C. George K6ZRY



- PRESIDENT'S PLAQUE. Awarded to Past President Stanley Saniuk W6PRR on October 25, 1985.
- PRESIDENT'S PLAQUE. Awarded to Past President Charles A. Enloe WA6TJJ on October 31, 1986.
- PRESIDENT'S PLAQUE. Awarded to Past President Irwin R. Wolfe W6HHN on October 23, 1987.
- "SIRARC" SERVICE AWARD. Awarded to Past President Norman S. Buell W6SJK for service as State Board Chairman January 1, 1983 to October 23, 1987.
- PRESIDENT'S PLAQUE. Awarded to Past President Charles M. Unfried K6IGJ on October 28, 1988.
- CERTIFICATE OF RECOGNITION PLAQUE. Awarded to Charles I. Wilson W6CCQ on October 28, 1988, for dedicated Service as Secretary/Treasurer for years 1987 and 1988.
- PRESIDENT'S PLAQUE. Awarded to Past President Jack W. Martens W86RHV on October 27, 1989.

June 5, 1990

SIRARC REPORT NO. 47

Dear SIRARCAN:

Our 48th Regular Luncheon Meeting was held at Spenger's Restaraunt on February 23, 1989 with an attendance of 137 members and guests.

The meeting was called to order by our President Hal Silver, N6NDB who then led the Pledge of Allegiance to our Flag.

The invocation was given by Charles Enloe (WA6TJJ). He then read the list of current silent keys and requested a moment of silence in their remembrance.

President Hal then introduced the head table.

President Hal presented an award for the Quarter Century Wireless Association (QCWA) to Walter Read (W6ASH) for contacting 50 QCWA Branches and for bringing 100 members into QCWA.

New SIRARC members who had joined since our last meeting in October were then introduced by founder and first president Millard George K6ZRY. He introduced W6UKR, K6GYY, W6MXJ, W6OR, WB6KYG and W6LAS.

President Hal, with considerable pleasure, presented our award "Ham of the Year" (a Certificate) to William Gielow WA6FXD for his exemplary participation and contributions to our SIRARC activities.

First Vice President Ed Rawlinson, WD6CHD then introduced our speaker S. Marti-Votkoff, Engineer in Charge, Federal Communications Commission, San Francisco. He reviewed his many activities in the Commissions' offices on both the East Coast and the West Coast as well as providing an interesting insight into the internal working of the FCC. Of particular interest was his explanation of how the FCC uses volunteer amateur groups to locate and control jammers.

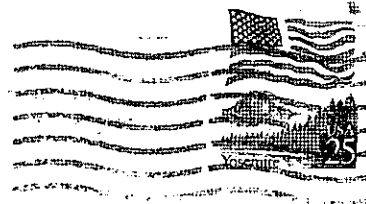
Our Past President Norman Buell, W6SJH and our 2nd Vice President Bob Traxler, KA6VHY, presented door prizes which had been purchased by the Club and also donated by the following members and organizations: W6DXG, N6IGB(XYL), WB6SFP, KA6VHY, Coast Savings & Loan and George's Machine Shop.

The Club thanks the following members for their contributions to our Honor Roll (10/1/89 to 2/23/90) to help sustain our Club's Treasury: Roy Couzins W6JET, Ed Rawlinson WD6CHD, Bob Traxler KA6VHY and Charles Wilson W6CCQ.

73's de KA6ZZM

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