February 25, 1983

WG ROBERT BROWNE

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## RE: HISTORY UPDATING

## SECTION II - MEMBERSHIP ROLL

Page No. 4: No. 166 Frank H. Bowers W6BLP -- Add (\*) in DROPPED COLUMN No. 174 H. Bruce Baker W6YRK -- " (\*) " " " " No. 188 Gerald J. Brentnall WA6CTT " (\*) " " "

No. 173 Robert A. Eisen W6QOY. It is possible that your History shows a (\*) in the DROPPED COLUMN. If so, please delete this (\*) and place a (\*) in the SILENT KEY COLUMN.

Page No. 6. Destroy present page and insert new Page No. 6, which updates Membership Roll.

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## SECTION III - MEMBERSHIP GROWTH

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## SECTION V - PRESIDENTIAL ROLL

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## SECTION X - MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS OF INTEREST

Insert new Page No. 17.

## SECTION XI - LUNCHEON MEETING REPORTS

All of you received a copy of Luncheon Meeting Report No. 25, dated October 23, 1982. This page should be numbered  $\frac{37}{2}$  and inserted in your History.

Millard C. George HISTORIAN

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| 251 | Robert W. Conley   | B <b>o</b> b  | WA6DQO        | 1-19-82         |              |              |
| 252 | Jack Wm. Martens   | Jack          | WB6RHV        | 1-21-82         |              |              |
| 253 | L. W. Olson        | Les           | W6CBI         | 2-5-82          |              |              |
| 254 | William R. Nodder  | Bill          | W6FKX         | 2 <b>-</b> 5-82 | •            |              |
| 255 | V. C. Ryland       | Bill          | WA6VZG        | 4-8-82          |              |              |
| 256 | Frank J, Giovanini | Frank         | WAGWEE        | 4-12-82         |              |              |
| 257 | David K. Pope      | Dave          | K6JKQ         | 5-21-82         |              |              |
| 258 | John W. Fogg       | J <b>o</b> hn | K6AO          | 5-22-82         |              |              |
| 259 | Thomas Sehabiaque  | Tom           | W6KTT         | 6-11-82         |              |              |
| 260 | Donald R. Brant    | Don           | WA6FF         | 6-25-82         |              |              |
| 261 | John H. Allen      | John          | WB6GTF        | 6-25-82         |              |              |
| 262 | Jack Moffatt       | Jack          | KA6SPH        | 6-25-82         |              |              |
| 263 | Edward Laherty     | Ed            | ₩6VKQ         | 8-30-82         |              |              |
| 264 | Hensley J. Morehen | John          | WA6DJI        | 9-14-82         |              |              |
| 265 | Walter D. Stewart  | ₩a1t          | K6HIQ         | 9-30-82         |              |              |
| 266 | Robert L. Bowen    | Bob           | KA6VBU        | 10-18-82        |              |              |
| 267 | Robert M. Sickly   | 8eb           | <b>М</b> 6СНК | 10-22-82        |              |              |
| 268 | Eddie S. Futrell   | Edi           | KA6VHX        | 10-22-82        |              |              |
| 269 | R. J. Traxler      | Bob           | KAGVHY        | 10-22-82        |              |              |
| 270 | Alvin W. Loomer    | Al            | KASTNY        | 11-19-82        |              |              |
| 271 | George C. Downing  | Doc           | K j6N         | 11-22-82        |              |              |
| 272 | Romayn H. Bantz    | Huey          | WOHUY         | 12-6-82         |              |              |
| 273 | Harold E. Hiner    | Hal           | W6WMD         | 12-6-82         |              | <del>-</del> |
| 274 | John Cook          | John          | W6LFW         | 12-14-82        |              |              |
| 275 | Charles Cappai     | Chuck         | Mekno         | 1-4-83          |              |              |
| 276 | C. M. Unfried      | Charlie       | K6IGJ         | 1-10-83         |              |              |
| 277 | Walter M. Post     | Walt          | KA6JOB        | 1-21-83         |              |              |
| 278 | William P. Hopwood | Page          | W6UZM         | 1-24-83         | <del>-</del> |              |

# 9th President



I. M. Jackson

"JACK"

OCTOBER 22, 1982 TO

### PERSONAL DATA:

Jack was born in Colorado in 1917. He moved to Pasadena, California, in 1927, then to Needles where he was raised. Jack is married to the former Clara Pimentel. Jack and Clara have three children and three great-grandchildren. Jack and Clara presently reside in Stockton.

#### EDUCATION:

Jack graduated from High School in 1938. He passed the Arizona State Board of Pharmacy examinations in 1938, but did not follow this career because California had no reciprocating agreement with the State of Arizona.

## PROFESSIONAL CAREER:

Jack went into railroading at Needles, California in 1938. He was promothed to Locomotive Engineer in 1940, where he served until 1942.

#### MILITARY SERVICE:

Jack enlisted in the U. S. Navy in 1942 as a corpman; drafted into the Marine Medical Corps during WW2.

#### RADID ACTIVITIES:

Jack received his General License in 1978 and now holds an Advance Ticket. His main interest is chasing DX, with photography as a second hobby.



A Non-Profit Organization For Retired Men Devoted to the Promotion of Independence and Dignity of Retirement

12-31-82

SIR MILLARD GEORGE El Cerrito, Ca.

Sir Millard :

Thank you very much for your interesting and informative letter of 12-27-82. I learned much that is completely new to me - " a Brief on SIRARC ".

Your request for notorized Gold Seals will be taken care of just as soon as we receive our new supply that has been on order. We will send you one package of standard count of 72. Expect delivery by mid-January.

After discussing the matter with our new State President SIR J. Bruce Vesey we decided there will be no cost for the Gold Seals. It is our pleasure to be assistance and we wish to lend encouragement and cooperation to the activities of SIRARC.

The best of everything that is good to you and the members of SIRARC for the new year ahead.

cordially.

SIR EDWARD F. JENSEN

State Supervisor Print Supplies

Sir Edward Jensen & Audrey 103 Calle Nivel Rinconanda Hills Los Gatos, CA 95030

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# WGAHH - Bof Browne

June 24, 1983

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## SECTION II - MEMBERSHIP ROLL

Page No. 1 - No. 17 William G. Gerlach - W68G, add (\*) in Dropped Column " 3 - No. 106 V. Wayne Kesaston - WA6YCF, add (\*) in Silent Key

" 3 - No. 115 Erwin A. Rasmussen - W6YPM, add (\*) in Dropped Column

" 4 - No. 144 Lynn E. Barr - WA6MWO, add (\*) in Silent Key Column

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## SECTION III - MEMBERSHIP GROWTH

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## SECTION IV - SILENT KEYS

Add:

Lynn E. Barr WA6MMO

V. Wayne Kenaston WAGYCF

## SECTION VIII - SPECIAL RECOGNITIONS AND AWARDS

SIRARC SERVICE AWARD: Awarded to Clyde H. Sunderland for Service as

State Board Chairman, October 1, 1977 to

December 31, 1982. (Add to Page No. 1)

## Insert new Page No. 6

## SECTION X - MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS OF INTEREST

Add new Page No. 18.

## SECTION XI - LUNCHEON MEETING REPORTS

You received a copy of Walter Jones' Report No. 26, covering our luncheon of February 28, 1983. This page should be numbered 38 and inserted in this section of your History.

> MILLARD C. GEORGE - K6ZRY HISTORIAN

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| 254 | William R. Nodder  | 8 <b>il</b> l | W6FKX          | 2-5-82       |         |               |
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| 263 | Edward Laherty     | Ed            | ₩ <b>6</b> VKQ | 8-30-82      |         |               |
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| 266 | Robert L. Bowen    | 8 <b>ob</b>   | KA6VBU         | 10-18-82     |         |               |
| 267 | Robert M. Sickly   | Bab           | WECHK          | 10-22-82     |         |               |
| 268 | Eddie S. Futrell   | Edi           | N6IGB          | 10-22-82     |         |               |
| 269 | R. J. Traxler      | Bob           | KASVHY         | 10-22-82     |         |               |
| 270 | Alvin W. Loomer    | Al.           | KAGTNY         | 11-19-82     |         |               |
| 271 | George C. Downing  | Doc           | K j6N          | 11-22-82     |         |               |
| 272 | Romayn H. Bantz    | Huay          | Mehuy          | 12-6-82      |         |               |
| 273 | Harold E. Hiner    | Hal.          | W6WMD          | 12-6-82      |         | -             |
| 274 | John Cook          | John          | w6 <b>lf</b> w | 12-14-82     |         | •             |
| 275 | Charles Cappai     | Chuck         | WEKNO          | 1-4-83       |         |               |
| 276 | C. M. Unfried      | Charlie       | K6IGJ          | 1-10-83      |         |               |
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| 278 | William P. Hopwood | Page          | W6UZM          | 1-24-83      |         |               |
| 279 | Champe V. Dobler   | Champe        | KAGAET         | 2-25-83      |         |               |
| 280 | Bert A. Strong     | Bert          | W6PSH          | 2-25-83      |         |               |
| 281 | F. R. Tomlinson    | Tom           | KAGYMX         | 2-25-83      |         |               |
| 282 | Edward Valenta     | Ed            | <b>Ш</b> Обама | 3-2-83       |         |               |
| 283 | Ray Ahlberg        | Ray           | W6DIG          | 3-4-83       |         |               |
| 284 | R. O. Crawford     | Bob           | WD6CEV         | 3-11-83      |         |               |
| 285 | Oren R. Sharp      | Oren          | WB6ADG         | 3-30-83      |         |               |
| 286 | Ted Culliver       | Ted           | KB6DW          | 4-14-83      |         |               |
| 287 | Dudley E. Ott      | Dud           | KA6ZZM         | 4-22-83      |         |               |
| 288 | Myron Hunt         | MY            | WB8ASF         | 4-26-83      |         |               |

Mateur Radio Club Amateur Radio Club

## SIRARC SERVICE AWARD



Be It Known To All Concerned That
This Award Is Conferred On
Elyde 海. Sunderland
SIRARC STATE BOARD CHAIRMAN
OCT. 1, 1977 — DEC. 31, 1982

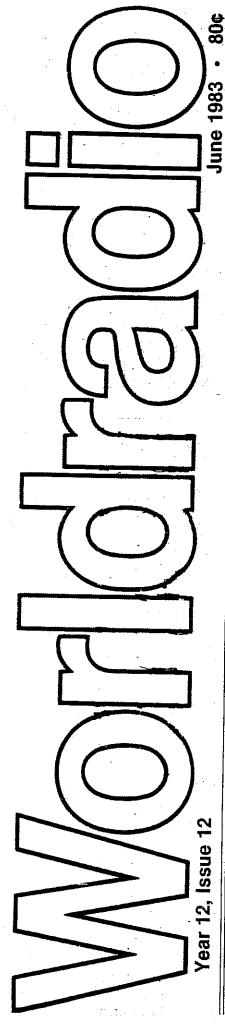
In Recognition And Appreciation Of His Outstanding And Dedicated Service To Further The Ideals Of Amateur Radio And The Principles Of SIRARC

And

Especially For His Years Of Excellent Service As A SIRARC Representative At Sons In Retirement State Board

J. M. JACKSON - NEAVY
PRESIDENT

EBRUARY 25, 1983



## Retired? Welcome to the club!

Here is some information on perhaps the most unique radio club in America. This will be of special interest to the amateurs of California.

Twenty-five years ago, four retired individuals with common interests organized a retired men's organization known as SONS IN RETIREMENT, INC. There are no initiation fees or monthly dues in this great organization. To make a long story short as possible, this great organization has grown so rapidly that it now has a California State Governing Board, with 107 branches, with a total membership of over 25,000, covering the area from Salinas to the south; Chico and Paradise to the north and Stockton to the east. Each branch has a membership from 200 to 450, depending on space for a monthly luncheon. The organization expense is met by contributions from those attending the luncheon.

In 1974, I had the honor of serving as Big Sir (president) of our local branch of 350 members. Subsequently, I was elected to the office of California State Secretary; followed by being elected as vice president and finally as state president, a special honor which I will always remember.

In 1974 we had three amateurs in our local branch, and the thought occurred to me that there must be many other amateurs in the various branches who might be interested in organizing a statewide radio club for the organization, since the organization has every known activity for the retired individual. Accordingly, I addressed a letter to all of the branches asking any amateur in the branch who was interested to contact me. Much to my surprise, in three short months I had a response from 55 amateurs. With this support, I went into action immediately, and SIRARC (short for Sons In Retirement Amateur Radio Club)

was born. Today, after nine years, we are proud of a membership of 203. These are active members; if a member shows a lack of interest within a year, he is dropped. SIRARC is not a traffic net, as such, but it stands ready to handle any break-in emergency.

For eligibility to SIRARC, one must first be an active member of the parent organization SONS IN RETIREMENT, INC. To maintain membership in SIRARC one must: 1) Retain his membership in the parent organization; 2) Show a continued interest in SIRARC by participating in one of our weekly nets, attending one or more of our three-year (\*) husband and wife luncheons or mailing in a contribution to the club, as there are no dues, and expenses are met by contributions of those attending the luncheon and those unable to attend.

SIRARC has eight weekly nets in operation. Visitors who are eligible in becoming a member of our Parent Organization, SONS IN RETIREMENT, INC., are welcome to break in. These nets are as follows:

| Day    | Time(a.m.) | Frequency          | Mode   |
|--------|------------|--------------------|--------|
| Tues.  | 8:00       | 7085 kHz           | CW     |
| Tues.  | 10:00      | 145.80 Mhz         | ĂΜ     |
| Wed.   | 9:00       | 7275 kHz           | SSB    |
| Thurs. | 8:00       | 3770 kHz           | QRO-CW |
| Thurs. | 9:00       | 3725  kHz          | QRS-CW |
| Thurs  | 10:30      | 146.85/.25         | FM     |
|        |            | (thru WA6QI        | R/R)   |
| Fri.   | 8:15       | 3770 kHz           | CW     |
| Fri.   | 10:00      | $3925\mathrm{kHz}$ | SSB    |

While the average of SIRARC members is 35 years on the air, we welcome any eligible member regardless of class of license or years of service.

MILLARD GEORGE, K6ZRY El Cerrito, California

(\*) This should read ..."three-a-year"...

Robert Browne W6 AHH

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Page No. 3 - No. 93 William G. Hoover K6PT - add (\*) in Dropped Column

Page No. 4 - No. 155 Joseph A. Palumbo W6ESZ - add (\*) in Dropped Column " " - No. 193 James H. Allen W6IQH - " " " " " "

Page No. 5 - No. 209 H. I. McGill W6RAK - add (\*) in Dropped Column " " - No. 232 William A. Stewart KB6Y6 " " " " " DESTROY QLD PAGE NO. 6 AND INSERT ATTACHED NEW PAGE NO. 6

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#### SECTION IV - SILENT KEYS

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John W. Fogg K6AO Charles P. Henry W6EJA

## SECTION XI - LUNCHEDN MEETING REPORTS

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MILLARD C. GEORGE - K6ZRY HISTORIAN

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| 289  | William J. Hower    | Bill          | W6QAX           | 6-14-83           |         |               |
| 290  | Gilbert O. Walton   | Gil           | W6GPT           | 6-18-83           |         |               |
| 291  | Robert K. Brenstein | 8 <b>0</b> b  | KE6TS           | 6-20-83           |         |               |
| 293  | Virgil J. McCluskey | Mac           | W6DNY           | 6-24-83           |         |               |
| 294  | George Carducci     | George        | W6BTT           | 6-25-83           |         |               |
| 295  | Leslie C. Boyd      | Pete          | K6EUY           | 7-26-83           |         |               |
| 296  | William E. Tiller   | Ed            | WAGGIM          | 10-5-83           |         |               |