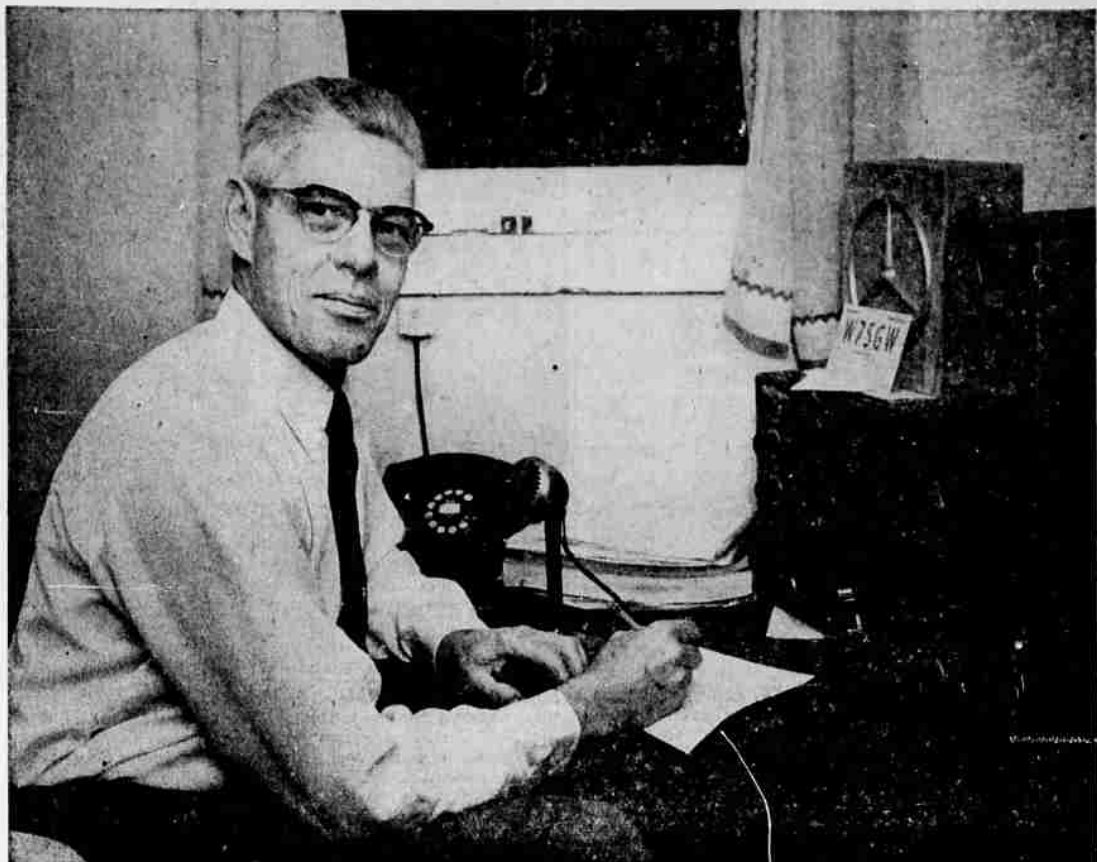
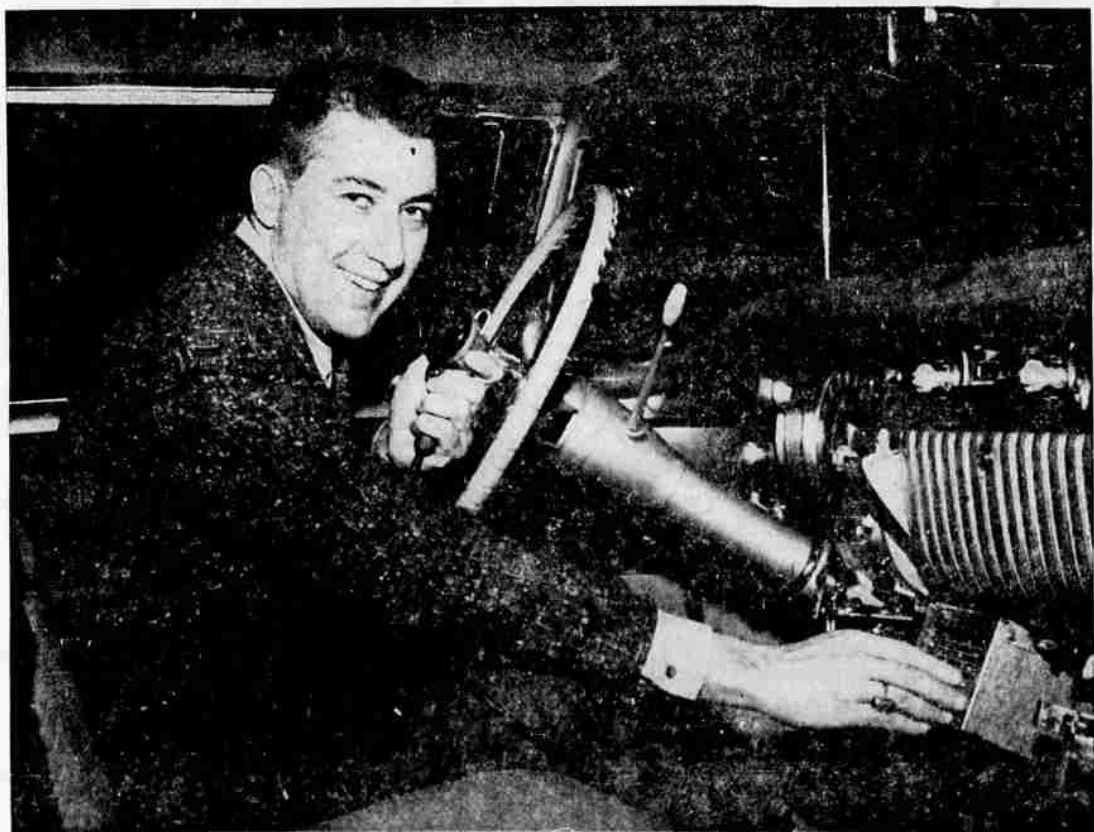




W-7-SGW are call letters of Al Spiker, above, who became a "ham" radio operator in 1952 and has a sending and receiving outfit at his home at 1016 W. Ridgeview, as well as a mobile outfit. Al is employed by Lockwood Motors in the electrical and wheel balance departments.



W-7-SHA are call letters of Don Bell, above, foreman at Lockwood Motors, who has a mobile outfit and a sending and receiving set at his home at 814 Neba St. Don has been a radio "ham" operator since 1952.



W-7-OHK call letters belong to "Chuck" Reinhart, above, who is shown sending from his mobile set. Reinhart, who is a combination announcer-salesman for KRXL radio station, also operates his set from his home at 1262 SE Stephens St. He has been a "ham" radio announcer six years.

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W-7-TUI are call letters of Bob Reece, who has his "ham" radio shack at the corner of SE Lane Avenue and Glenn Streets. Bob has been a "ham" radio operator since 1953. While at his place, the photographer made his "debut" over the air when Bob contacted Reinhart's mobile set. Bob is a projectionist at the Indian Theatre.

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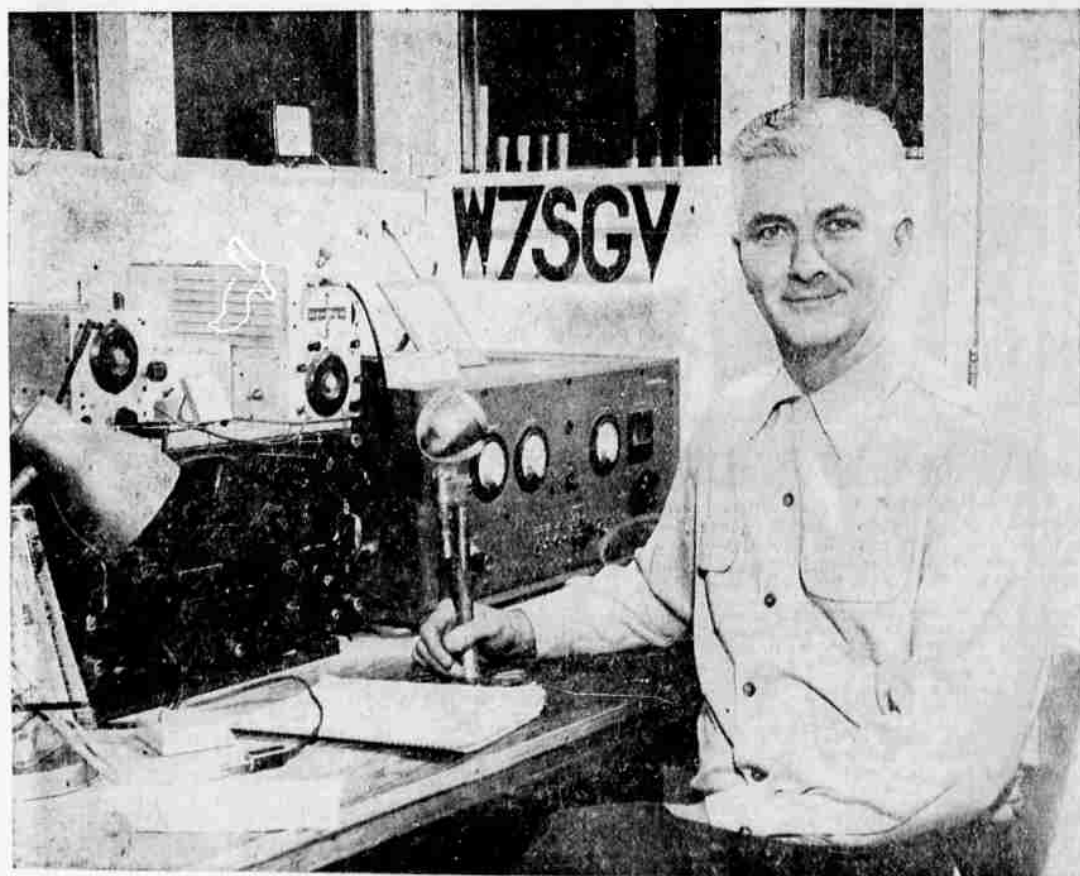
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DURING THE RECENT STORMS and flood, when communication lines were down a number of "ham" radio operators came to the aid of law enforcement officers, the press and citizens of the entire county. Five of the "hams" who featured prominently in giving unstintingly of their time and help compose today's society feature page.

"HAM" radio operators have proved "unsung" heroes of a great many instances; however, probably no other hobby offers one the compensations resulting from being a "ham". New friendships around the world are formed and the "hams" have great times on the air.

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W-7-SGV call letters belong to Jim Armstrong, above, who operates his set from his home at Kelley's Korner. Jim, who has been a "ham" operator since 1952, has the refrigeration service at Horn's Appliance store.