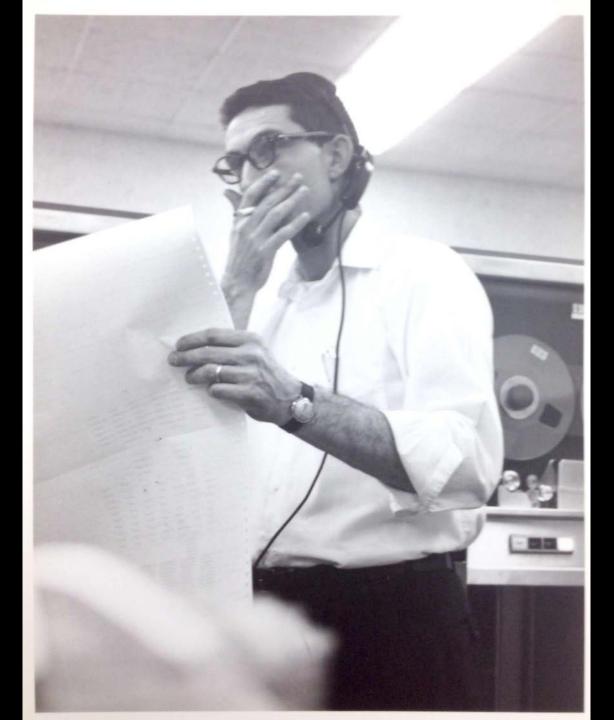
## Aerospace and Southern California Culture

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#### Al Hibbs, at center with Explorer 1 model









WHILF ALREAT HIRRS (LEFT) SIPS MILK AND STUDIES THE ROULETTE WHEEL. ROY WALFORD PRESIDES OVER RECORD BOOK AND THE MOUNTING STACK OF CHIPS

#### ST. PETERSBURG TIMES, SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 23, 1947

#### Boys Quit Reno While Ahead \$8,000

RENO, Nev. - (UP) - Thellay" betting system bowed to sisting "there's no such thing Rover boys of the roulette wheel, the inevitable laws of chance as a roulette system."

two ex-Chicago university students who plunged their \$300 further and get out while they wheel to find out what number still had \$8,000 in winnings.

Albert Hibbs, a mathematics master from Chillicothe, O., and Roy Walford of San Diego, announced they were heeding the advice of Columnist Billy Rose and would leave Reno "while they still have carfare home." wheels half the time, they each

For amateurs, they didn't do bad in two weeks in this gamblingest city. They parlayed their

and started losing. savings on a "system," decided at the Palace club playing the they wanted to make enough to vesterday not to buck Lady Luck number 21 after logging the buy a small yacht to explore it favored the most. Then they went to Harold's club and jot-

ted down numbers there until cal diseases. they thought they "had it." Sixty hours play over three days brought them a net of \$2,300.

Since they each worked the took out a net of \$4,000. They their "work" at the wheel.

\$300 to \$8,300 at two casinos Veteran gamblers grunted and off me" if they could with their before their "progressive par-proclaimed it "pure luck," in-system.

The pair of ex-students, both They won \$6,000 in 40 hours serious looking, had announced the Caribbean and Central American areas studying tropi-

> Walford said they would go to San Diego to spend Thanksgiving with his family.

After that - maybe Las Vegas or Reno again. They pondered the offer of Harold Smith, Harthus were paid \$80 an hour for old's club manager, who offered to let them "take a million bucks



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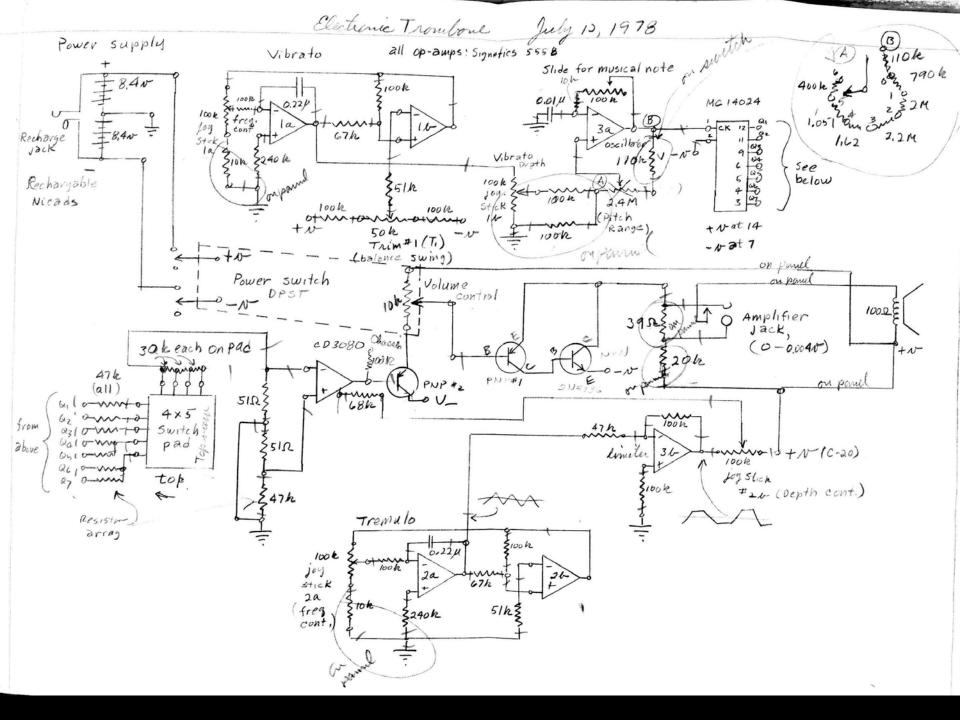
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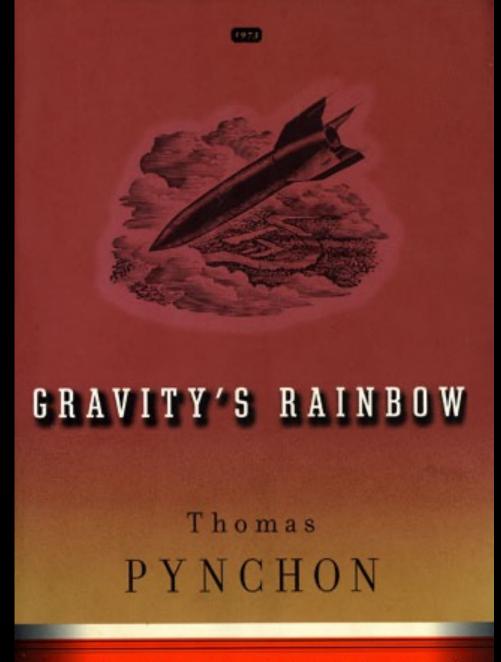




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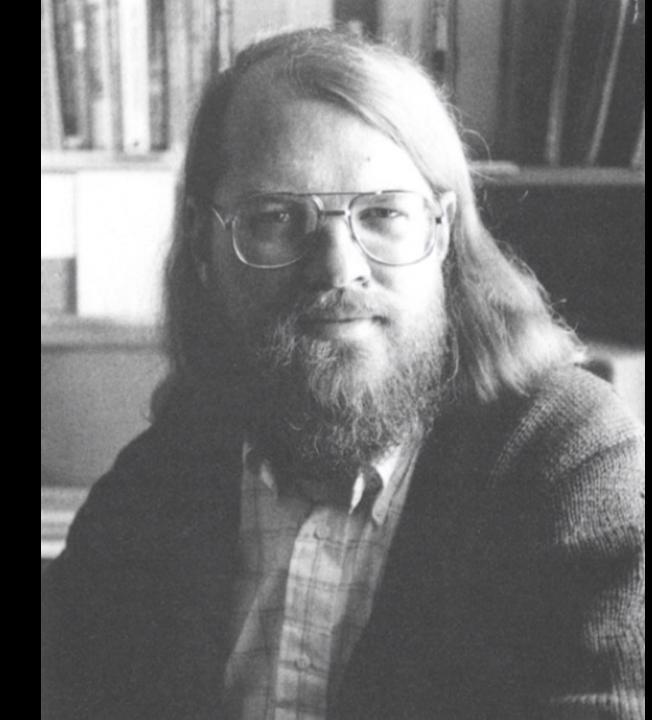
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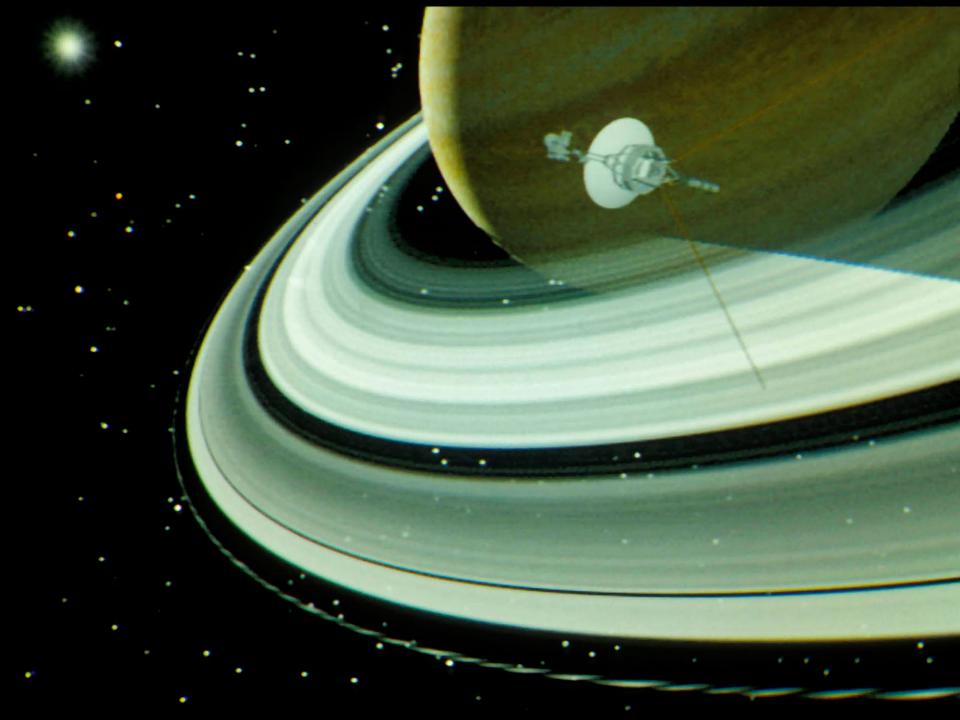


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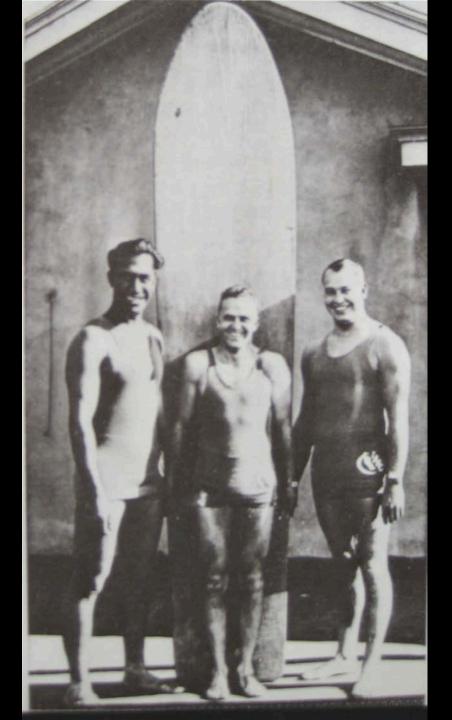


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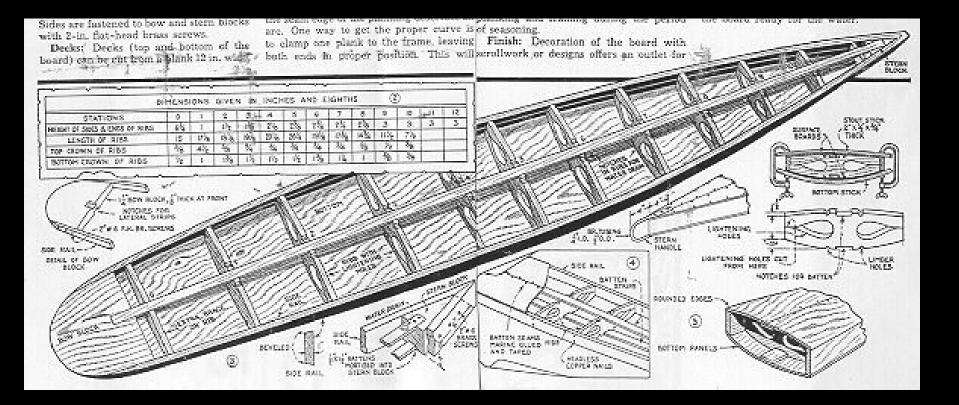






# Gerard Vultee, 1925

#### Wooden surfboard, 1930s



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## Bob Simmons, late 1940s







Hugh Bradner (inventor of the wetsuit) at Caltech pool



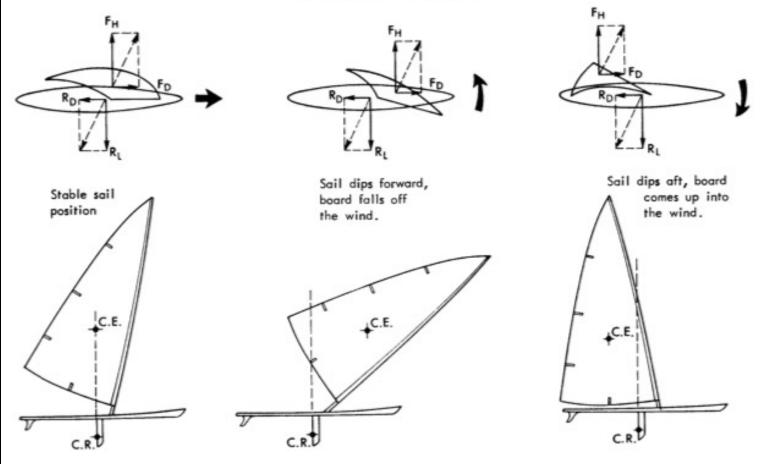
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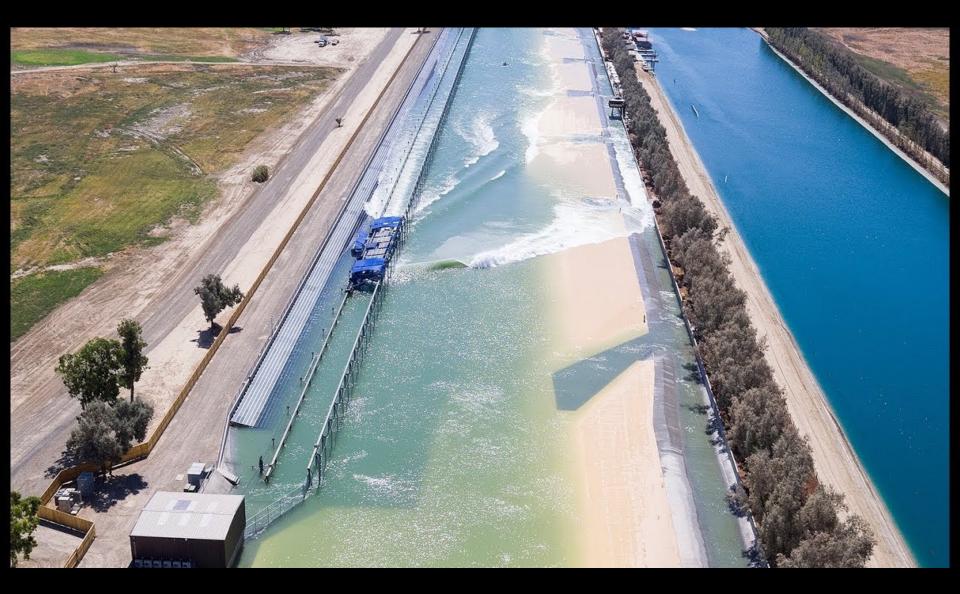
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