



Who's Who of Ballooning

By Ecbert Eecks

BROWN, William Dennis USA (1942- (HB/GB)
 See APPENDIX- Sport Balloonist.
 b: 20 Jun.1942 Detroit, MI. Res.of Colorado-1991.
 e: Western State College, BA-Business Management.
 p: Businessman, Insurance & Real Estate.
 f: First B-Flight (HB) 1 Sep.1976 W/Joe Wood; First B-Solo (HB) Oct.1977 from Frederick, CO; First B-Flight (GB) Nov.1985 D.REINHARD; First B-Solo (GB) Jan.1991 from Kersey to Brighton, CO; FAA B-License issued Oct.1978; More than 500 hours by 1991.
 l: 1986, Asst. Steward for World G-Balloon Championship; 1990, Co-Founder (W/T.COLE) of: The NH3 Aero Research Consortium; Designed, built & flew own gas balloon; 1991, Participated in FIRST NH3 B-Race (Tyndall, SD).
 m: BFA, Gas Balloon Committee; NAA; Colorado B-Club.
 h: Winner of Montgolfier Diploma. ***Epic flight 7 Jan.1991 from Littleton (CO) in Golden Globe." FIRST recorded flight of a gas balloon using Anhydrous Ammonia (NH3) for lift. Flight lasted 1:30, reaching 7200'MSL, and covered 30 Miles.
 r: BL-Jun.91p16; Bio-data 1991.