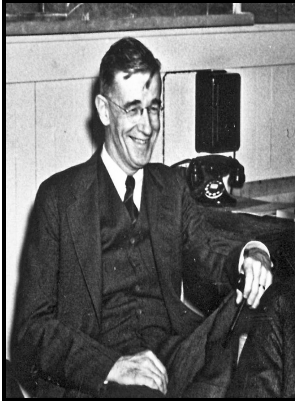


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Forrester and his staff developed a list of approximately 20 candidate companies and then by process of elimination pared the list to five: Bell Laboratories, Remington Rand Univac, IBM, Radio Corporation of America, and Raytheon. Fortuitously, in his wartime work on moving target detectors for radars, Eckert had devised a method of storing strings of radar pulses as acoustic pulses traveling through a tube of mercury. The problem is this is POV without a good current reference I have a paper that hits a bit of this, but would like to find something better.

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Their best solution was a magnetic liquid obtained from nearby Minnesota Mining and Manufacturing 3M company in Minneapolis.

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He developed different machines and also dedicated himself to business, tasks that allowed him to have a good economic position. This book outlines the military and international security uses for the machines built by and envisioned by Vannevar Bush.

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The analyzer could compute one trajectory in about 15 minutes, but it took hours to reset the analyzer to compute the next trajectory. Bush wrote in 1945 about a way to archive and search documents, linked by an interface thanks to different associations.

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