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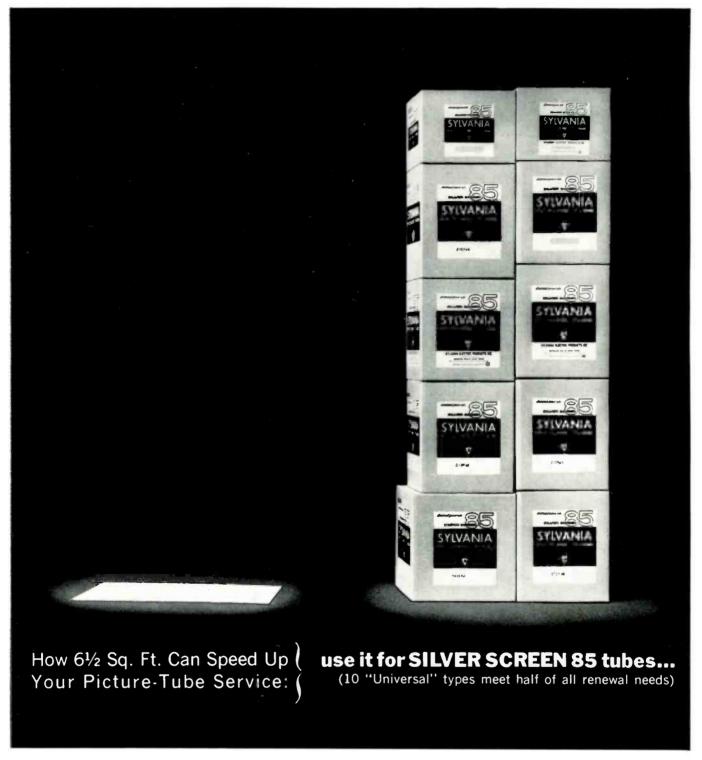
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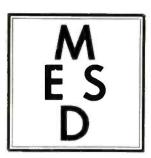
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President Emmett Mefford of the California State Electronics Association, left, is shown here presented a plaque of recognition to Keith Kirstein, former Executive Secretary of CSEA, for his work on behalf of the Association over the past years. Standing next to Mr. Kirstein is his wife who was presented a matched set of luggage. The Kirsteins stopped by the recent Board meeting in Fresno during a second honeymoon trip to celebrate their 25th anniversary.





DON MARTIN

LET'S NOT BURY OUR HEADS IN THE SAND

There is growing concern by industry leaders that many dealers are burying their heads in the sand. Some are even ignoring the importance of the new registration laws that can actually dissolve their business over night. Nothing in the California Electronic Service Industry history has ever been more important to the independent service dealer and yet we find some that "hope it will go away."

For years service dealers who are in business have worked on a program that would eliminate the tinkerer, hobbyist and part-timer who, for the most part, were responsible for the de-grading of the electronic repair profession. Although the new laws will not eliminate them over night, it is felt, it will force them to a decision of either getting in or out of the service business. They will finally be forced to know their trade and to perform top-notch work.

At several of the public hearings we have heard dealers actually "throw rocks" at the legislation but regardless of their personal feelings IT IS THE LAW right now. Of course, it would have been better had we obtained legislation that would have set a group of standards, written and oral tests, etc. but this was not what the legislature wanted to do. However, I repeat, let's forget the if's, why's, how's, and therefore's and remember that it is the law and it is going to effect the way in which we have been doing business.

Los Angeles County's Lien Law is another matter of extreme importance and may be a real hard one to live with as an Industry. However, if necessary, through a solid and strong Association of Dealers we will be able to set the basic ground rules for playing the game. I am sure that the Attorney General's office and local law enforcement agencies are not going to have the ability to police television repair frauds for the simple reason that they do not know electronics. These agencies are going to need the help of the industry in order to do an effective job of investigation and prosecution. The industry must answer this call for help and there is no doubt that they will as they have in the past. For months the California State Electronics Association worked with the different agencies with their operation Clean-up. No doubt, the success of this program alone was greatly responsible for the success of the legislation. Leaders and members became known to these agencies and their sincerity paved the way for future successes.

If I were in the service business I would make sure I was a member of the State-wide Association for no other reason than it is well known and respected by the different agencies. This, of course, does not exempt you from anything but does provide outstanding advantages to the acceptance of your shop by your customers and prospective customers. It's a symbol of integrity and a sign that you are interested in your profession. Even if you never attend a meeting I can guarantee you will be better informed and better respected than your competitor down the street who

may be offering that \$2 service call. I assure you, he is going to be watched because great efforts have been made to convince the consuming public, as well as those who will be enforcing the new laws, that it is impossible to make a \$2 service call.

We have heard a few grumbles in regards to the registration law that may be on the minds of others. First of all, an immediate advantage that we can see is that for the first time the real dealer distributors will be able to qualify their customers correctly. In the past, resale number was about all you needed and, anyone in the retail business could use this to obtain electronic parts and accessories. Through the registration law, distributors can now ask for their dealer registration number and this will definitely tie them into the business.

Another advantage of the law that might not come to mind is that for the first time the Board of Equalization will have a record of who is in the business and who is not. They will be able to collect taxes never before available because a lack of being able to check on those who were operating "out-of-their-home and in-to-their-pocket." This was a big advantage over the legitimate dealer who paid the proper taxes and the bookkeeping that went along with it. The deposit alone should eliminate much of this type of competition and will once and for all make a person stand up and be counted. We certainly will have competition but it will be based on a cost factor that will not provide the wide range of profit that has existed in past years. I wouldn't be a bit surprised if the Board of Equalization will take a long look at those registering and see how many have not been on their records over the past few years.

Another important aspect of this is that an all out campaign is being launched, by the different state offices, to make the consumer aware of these new laws and what procedures they should follow in regards to complaints. No one is going to protect your interests or present your side of the story better than the men who are making a living in the same fashion as you are. Try to be a part of this industry through membership . . . it may be the best investment you ever made in your own future.

You might consider this a plug for MESD, and it is, but we have been advised that we will be allowed to carry all the latest information as it is released by the Department of Professional and Vocational Standards. As you know, we have a subscription campaign under way at this time and, it would seem to me, that every dealer in the State would want to guarantee receiving this publication each month. So far the results have been overwhelming but still over half of the dealers in the State have not sent in their subscription order. We will have a follow up mailing in the near future and I hope you will take advantage of the charter subscription offer.



CSEA NEWS WIRE

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* dealer news



Membership Drive Set for November

DEALERS URGED TO APPLY FOR LICENSE TO DO SYSTEMS

Over the past few months we have carried stories in regards to the contractors license needed for the installation of sound and antenna systems. Since that time, several dealers have applied for this license with good success.

Acording to Al Mungor, a San Jose dealer. "it is a relatively easy task to obtain this license. What I did was to fill out an application for a C-61 special license under the Contractor's License law. This was submitted with the necessary deposit and within a couple of weeks I was notified that I should appear before an examination board. At the time that I applied there where several hundred others applying for different licenses but only two of us under this "special" category. The examination took all day to complete and was basically on the laws with very little technical information. A few weeks later I was notified that I had passed the examination and was asked for the additional fees and within a few days I received my card."

According to Al. "the acquiring of this license has opened a completely new business for us. Contractors are seeking our help to provide a service they hadn't been able to get."

COMMITTEES FORMED TO STUDY PAY TV AND A APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAM

President Emmett Mefford of the California State Electronics Association has just announced the establishment of two new committees within the Association.

Under the direction of Allan Crawford, representative from Zone B, a full scale study will be made into Pay TV and its effect on the independent service dealer. His committee will review all present and proposed systems and their possibilities for future development.

A second committee, to be headed by Ken Preston from Zone C, will review all aprenticeship programs in the State of California and submit a study and recommendations to the Association in regards to future development of a program to provide future technicians to the industry.

An all out drive for membership in the California State Electronics Association has been set for the month of November, according to Jim Wakefield executive secretary of the state wide electronic service association.

This program will get under way the first of November with every chapter and every member competing for prizes and awards. The key to the campaign is the outstanding Insurance Program provided for members of the Association. Through a special opportunity available for one month only, all new members to the Association will be allowed to take part in the insurance program WITH-OUT BENEFIT OF AN EXAMINA-TION. This outstanding offer, is through the cooperation of Woodman Accident and Life Insurance Company and will not be made available after November 30th. Everyone who is interested in membership is urged to make every effort to join next month. All applications can be submitted at any time during October and these will be held up so that everyone can take advantage of this opportunity. A complete list of CSEA chapters, addresses, etc. are listed in another article in this issue of MESD.

ZONE B COUNCIL MEETS TUESDAY, OCTOBER 8TH

The regular schedule of Zone B Council. for a meeting on the second Tuesday of each month, will be resumed. with the next one scheduled for the night of October 8th, according to Mel R. Haury of Morgan Hill, Santa Clara County. Council Chairman. It will hear reports on the September 22 meeting of the CSEA Board and Delegates, held in Fresno, and go into other matters. including that of pay TV which has been noted in the press as endeavoring to operate in the Bay Area. The dinner meeting will probably be held at Fink-Helnick's restaurant, 3rd Avenue and East 8th St., Oakland, as members of the council feel it most centrally located. However, bulletins will be sent representatives as to definite place, says Phil Fisher, Zone B Council sectytreasurer.

Safe Driving Award To Be Sponsored By CSEA San Diego

A plan is being developed to make a "Safe driver of the month" award to some driver in and around the San Diego area.

Sponsored by the San Diego chapters of CSEA the program will operate in the following manner. First of all, all members, who are on the road much of the time, will be asked to write down the license number of any driver they see performing a "safe driving" act. These numbers will be sent to Sacramento and the names of the drivers sent back to the local chapters. These names will be placed in a hat and one drawn each month. The winner will be notified and a special plaque along with a small gift will be given to the winner for performing his act of "safe driving."

The chapters feel that this is a good way to receive a lot of fine publicity and also to perform an outstanding civic service to the community. All members will participate and the one submitting the winning entry for the month will also receive a small prize.

NATIONAL ELECTRONICS ASSOCIATION TO MEET OCTOBER 6TH

The next meeting of the newly organized National 7lectronics Association, an Association of State Associations, will be held on October 5th and 6th at the Hotel Muehlebach Towers, room 364, Kansas City, Missouri.

Mr. Jim Wakefield, executive secretary of the California State Electronics Association, has been authorized by the Board of Directors to represent their group at this meeting. At the present time, over 14 State Associations have indicated they would be interested in such a National Association but no concrete plans have been made by the California group.



By MEFFORD EMMETT



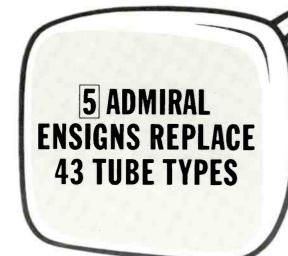
Time has a way of changing conditions for all things and all people, so it has with me by the unfortunate death of Clare Lannam, president of The California State Electronics Association. As Vice President and duly elected President to fill the vacancy left by Mr. Lannam's death I feel it a great responsibility to carry out the duties of president. I know Mr. Lannam had set a coarse for CSEA in the coming year, to take great strides forward in the Electronics Serving Industry. I hope I can interpret some of his ideas with others of my own and fellow Directors to make The California State Electronics Association an association of service dealers that can respect and be proud of their industry through ethical business and professional practices.

The proper growth of the Electronics Servicing Industry with our newly enacted Registration Law will depend greatly upon each and every individual

Dealer and Technician in the business. We have our first opportunity in the Electronics Industry to become recognized as business and professional men, if we will, but only avow to control our own practices. This is an industry that requires every technician who is a part of it, through his conscience, to be his own worst critic, as to ethical practices in servicing and advertising, because of the intricate technicalities and complex problems involved in servicing procedures. An old saying, that one bad apple will soon contaminate a barrel of good apples, can and has applied to our servicing industry. Let an unqualified shop poorly handle a technical service job for a customer who later becomes dissatisfied and through publicity leave the impression that the entire industry is at fault.

Our good fortune of having a Registration Bill passed by the Legislators in Sacramento is our first break and the proper interpretation and understanding of its provisions by all service dealers will be watched with interest, and those members of CSEA who will, no doubt be called on for advice and recommendations. The handling of internal problems will be a big factor in whether the Registration Bill will be extended beyond the two year trial period.

It is up to us. so let us make it work.



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NEW LAWS NOW IN EFFECT...

- DEALERS MUST PROVIDE ESTIMATES
 - FORMS TO BE CREATED

On September 19th every electronic service dealer in Los Angeles County was required, by law, to submit an estimate to all customers on work to be performed. Any dealer who does not comply with this new law is subject to arrest and prosecution as a misdemeanor.

On September 20th every electronic dealer in the State of California will be operating under the new registration law and the standards set by it. Although actual registration must be completed by January 1, 1964, the new law is in effect at this moment and all dealers are subject to its enforcement.

By now, every dealer has had an opportunity to read both of these new laws and understand them. 20 meetings, under the sponsorship of the California State Electronics Association, have been held throughout the State with an estimated 2500 dealers in attendance. In these meetings the Association and State of California Officials have done their best to explain the new laws and what must be done in order to comply with their regulations.

Although these two laws have been combined and discussed together it is important to note that the Association had nothing to do with the Lien Law.

The Registration Law was very much the Association's and was completely handled by CSEA over a two year period. No other organization had anything to do with it either in its writing or its support and was enacted through determined hard work by the officers and members of CSEA.

Registration Forms

As soon as the Department of Business and Professional Standards have completed the registration forms, every CSEA chapter in the State will have them on hand at their regular monthly meetings in order to aid the dealer in this registration program. These forms will also be available from Department offices throughout the State and by writing the Department in care of the State Capitol in Sacramento. It is expected that a full scale crash program of registration will begin sometime around the middle of October and will continue to the first of the year. The cost of registration has not, as yet, been determined but many feel it will run about \$35 per year.

Estimate Forms

At the present time, CSEA is working on a model estimate form that will satisfy the requirements of both laws. At the recent board of directors meeting a workshop session was held and a tentative form worked out that will be submitted to the Attorney General's office for a possible o.k. It is anticipated that these forms will be available at the October meetings of all CSEA chapters and everyone is urged to attend. MESD will reproduce this form in the November Issue so be sure to watch for it at that time.

See next page for all CSEA Chapters and Meeting Dates.







Just a portion of the over 2500 dealers who have attended the State wide information clients being sponsored by the California State Association are pictured here. On the left are Officials of the Department of Professional Standards and Officers of CSEA, From left to right are: Mr. John Blackwood of CSEA, Mr. Bob Whitmore of CSEA, Mr. Don Otten and Mr. Hastings of the Department of Professional Standards for the State of California, Ralph Johannot of CSEA, Mr. Emmett Mefford, State President of CSEA; Jim Wakefield, CSEA Executive Secretary, and Mr. Bob Mott of the Los Angeles Better Business Bureau.

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California State Electronics Association

CHAPTERS AND MEETING SCHEDULES

AREA OR CITY	ADDRESS	CHAPTER	PRESIDENT	MEETING DATE	PLACE	TIME
Bakersfield	P.O. Box 3245	Bakersfield	J. Blackwood	Open	Open	Open
Bellflower	P.O. Box 129	Los Cerritos	H. Huffman	2 & 4 Wed.	Bertha's Cafe	7:00 p.m.
Concord	1348 Galindo St.	Diablo Valley				
Fresno	1115 E. Belmont	Fresno	A. Chisser	2nd Tues.	PG & E Bldg.	8:00 p.m.
Glendale	P.O. Box 4012 No. Station	Glendale- Burbank	B. Seal	2nd Thurs.	Burbank Elks Club.	7:30 p.m.
Lawndale	4138 W. 164th St.	So. Bay	D. Reed	2 & 4 Wed.	15405 S. Western Ave.	8:00 p.m.
Los Angeles	213 So. Coronado St.	Los Angeles	F. Cox	4th Thurs.	Rodger Young Aud.	8:00 p.m.
Modesto	P.O. Box 1624	Stanislaus				
Mill Valley	P.O. Box 294	Marin County	R. Hoy	3rd Wed.	Dominicks San Raefel	12:15 p.m.
Morgan Hill	212 S. Monterey	Santa Cruz County				
Oakland	5585 Thomas Ave.	ACTRA	A. Crawford	1st Tues.	Driftwood Rest. Alameda	7:00 p.m.
Palm dale	38534 N. Sierra Hwy.	Antelope Valley				
Pasadena	P.O. Box 1143	Pasadena	R. Kealey	2 & 4 Wed.	Vasa Hall Pasadena	8:00 p.m.
Pomona	443 W. Center St.	Pomona				
Redding	P.O. Box 1410	Redding				
Riverside	121 S. Riverside Ave. Rialto	Riverside	M. Weaver	2 & 4 Thurs.	Open	8:00 p.m.
Sacramento	1801 "J" St.	Sacramento	F. Marshall	Open	Open	Open
San Diego	2207 Highland	San Diego #13	H. Honda	4th Tues.	KOGO-TV	8:00 p.m.
San Diego	1930 S. Santa Fe Ave. Vista, Calif.	San Diego #18	C. Powell	2nd Thurs.	Chapter Office	8:00 p.m.
Santa Barbara	733 Chapals	Santa Barbara				
Santa Monica	12026 Wilshire L.A. 25	Santa Monica				
Santa Paula	957 Main St.	Ventura				
San Jose	P.O. Box 304	Santa Clara County	A. Munger	2nd Wed.	Los Gatos Lodge	8:00 p.m.
South Gate	P.O. Box 626	San Antonio	A. Goodwin	2nd Wed.	Open	8:00 p.m.
Stockton	P.O. Box 1306	San Joaquin	T. Cary	3rd Tues.		8:00 p.m.
Tulare	P.O. Box 309	Tulare County				
Whittier	419 West Penn	Whittier				
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HOW IMPORTANT ARE ADEQUATE BUSINESS RECORDS?

You, as a TV service dealer in a booming business, must realize the importance of getting all the information concerning your field and the basic criteria that will make your business endeavor successful.

After studying many reports made by the U.S. Department of Commerce, it was found from statistics that a bank balance is not always a sign of a financially successful business. Many businesses fail not because of technical know-how or courteous service, but due to the lack of accounting controls. Scimming through the information, it is evident that one-third of the dealer failures kept no accounting records at all, 75 per cent kept inadequate records, and the lack of adequate records came only second in failures to lack of sufficient working capital.

These informative reports can lead you to a better understanding of your business and the basic accounting principles that keep your dealership from being entered into these statistical failures.

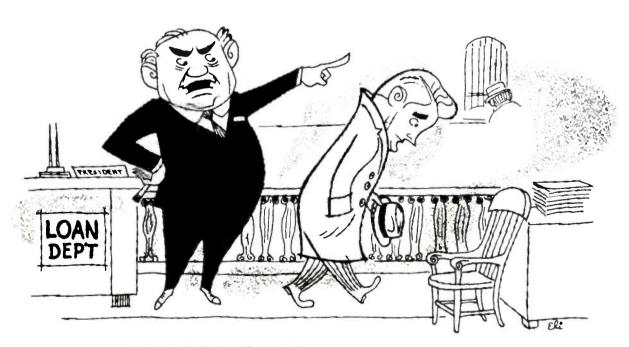
Further inquiry from varying sources only makes one more aware of the importance of simple accurate records. Records can be depended on for pertinant information as: How much of your business do you really own; what do you owe to suppliers; how much should be accumulated for taxes; how much profit was made last month, last year; is your business growing, standing still, losing money; should you expand or wait?

You, of course, recognize your ability as a TV technician and a specialist in your field, but if your weak point is keeping records, don't hesitate to turn for help to an accountant, a man trained in that area and also superior in his field. The accountant can help you set up a simple but adequate bookkeeping system that either you or your wife could handle. It is prepared in such a manner that it will require only a matter of a few hours a week to be completely taken care of. After learning the basic principles of bookkeeping and accounting, you might even find this a pleasurable experience and soon might come to regard it as not such a task at all—now that you know exactly what you're doing.

After your books are all organized it will be evident that this is going to be the best and easiest way in which to keep the close tabs you want on your money. It is certain that dealers learn from viewing other dealers in the business, that there is more than just paying bills salaries and having a little take home salary each week. Understanding this and the fact that you're in a competitive booming business—of course, makes you aware that it is imparative to make sure to substantiate your business investment. Records are also going to be beneficial in this aspect, because you're assured that you'll be able to find out WHAT you need to know about your business WHEN you need to know it.

Make sure to keep from "biting of more than you can chew at one time" in regards to shop expansion. When and if considering a location change refer back to those books to see if it is feasible or even profitable to consider this plan.

Many service dealers are hurting financially from distant customer service calls by not charging a small amount extra for this inconvenience and extra expense. It is suggested once again that if this is your case don't hesitate to turn to



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your records to figure how many cents per long distance customer could keep you out of the hole. This is something the customer won't even notice or object to, yet will keep you from a losing proposition.

The separation of money acquired from contract service agreements is one item that often drives many to bankruptcy. The money runs out while the contract is still effective. Make sure to counteract this by keeping a separate fund. Looting conspiracies on the part of the employees is another foremost reason for bankruptcy. When and if your shop becomes large enough to employee a large staff make sure to effect a systematic inventory control.

It is inevitable that every dealership has a yearly slumpa time when extra capital is needed, but you don't want to let any employees go, in anticipation of a sudden up-swing in business. The next and most obvious possible arrangement would be for you to turn to the bank. They will, of course, require profit and loss and other necessary financial statements—another important reason why it is imparative to

be able to turn to those records.

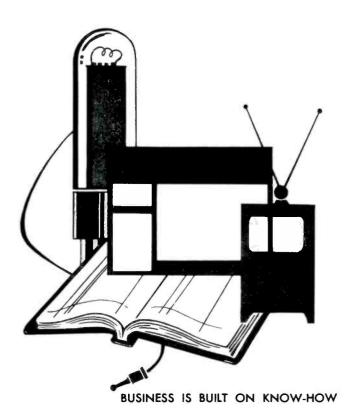
A special warning goes to those dealers incorporating the check book method of accounting-this system is definately inaccurate, inadequate and a dangerous faulty method of bookkeeping.

Possibly the most important thing your books will be used for will be your income tax statements-by the request of Uncle Sam, who demands that you keep these records. Law also states of course that you must pay Social Security and other federal, state and city taxes. This of course is impossible without the aid of detailed records of your payroll, sales, purchases, expenses, etc.

The basic principles of the accounting and bookkeeping records of your business can be the most advantageous

tool vour business may ever be offered.

In future articles we will discuss such other items as store display windows, advertising and promotion, etc. Although many of these are fundamental we hope that they will stimulate more interest and to provide some of the answers of being a successful businessman.



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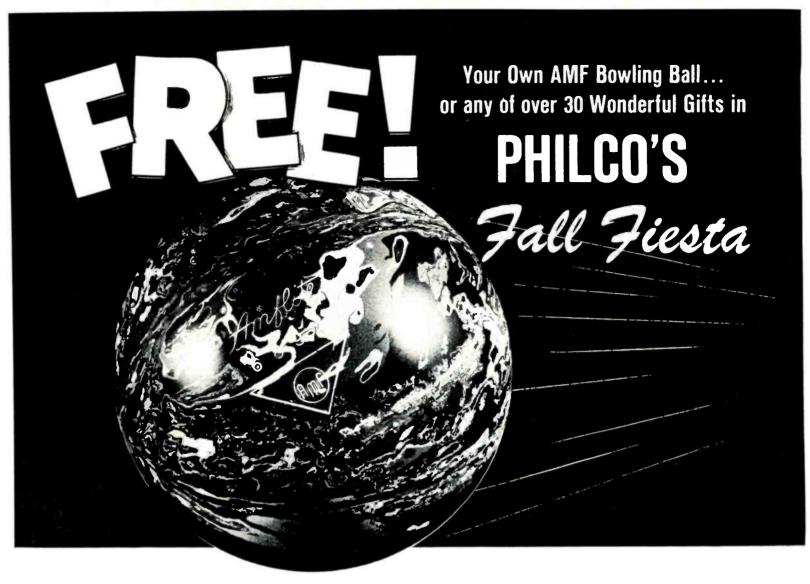
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STANDARD KOLLSMAN OPENS L.A. WAREHOUSE

Melrose Park, Ill. — Standard Kollsman Industries, Inc., manufacturer of VHF and UHF television tuners and all-channel converters, is now stocking its Los Angeles plant. 2100 Soto Street, with the firm's new UHF converters, it was announced by Dal Photopulos, Standard Kollsman distributor sales manager.

The new warehousing facility, according to Mr. Photopulos, will permit West Coast distributors to immediately draw inventories from stock to serve the growing UHF markets in Los Angeles and other coastal cities.

CSEA Sponsored Meetings Attract 2500 Dealers Throughout the State

Over 2500 dealers have attended the California State Electronics Association sponsored meetings throughout the State during the past 30 days.

Following the enactment of the new Registration Law and the new Lien Law, CSEA has attempted to provide a service to the electronic service industry in California by holding some 20 meetings at different locations from San Diego to San Francisco. The largest attendance was registered in Los Angeles when the Rodger Young Auditorium was packed

to capacity to hear Mr. Donald Otten of the Department of Business and Professional Standards describe the new registration law and its effect on the service industry. Although the new Lien law only applies to Los Angeles County, and is not under his Department, Mr. Otten did touch on it briefly and warn all attending that they will be required to provide estimates to all of their customers after September 19th.

A question and answer period was held at every meeting except the Los Angeles session since the crowd was so large. At all meetings special question cards were provided so that any dealer could have his question answered in writing by filling it out and turning it in that evening. MESD will print a resume of these questions and their answers in a future issue of the magazine. Be sure to watch for it.

Additional meetings are scheduled this month for several other northern California cities and special mailings will be sent out in advance of the program night.

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G.E. ANNOUNCES PREMIUM PLAN FOR FALL

Owensboro, Ky.—An enticing selection of Christmas premiums will be available to radio and television service dealers in October and November through authorized distributors of General Electric tubes and other electronic components. Like:

A pretty girl doll, 17-inches high, who says "Give me a kiss"...

A water rifle, new on the market, that will warm any boy's heart as it spurts water 35 feet . . .

A new Armorclad® tube caddy available which looks like a fine piece of luggage . . .

A nelectric carving knife which slices through hot bread or meat . . ;

A camera outfit that includes everything the young photographer needs—camera, film, flashgun with bulbs and batteries and clip-on neck strap, and

A set of color Christmas cards with a service theme which offers the greeting "Happy Holidays" and shows a dealer adjusting a television set.

All are available with the purchase of General Electric tubes through authorized distributors.

WESTINGHOUSE SETS SERIES OF DEALER SERVICE CLINICS

Mr. C. A. Nealon, Regional Service Manager for Westinghouse has announced a series of dealer Television Service Clinics that will discuss new features and service methods for the 1964 Westinghouse line of television and high fidelity receivers, the new alltransistor stereo receiver and U.H.F. limers

Schedules in Northern California inelude:

San Jose, Oct. 1, 8:00 p.m., Hyatt House

San Mateo, Oct. 3, 8:00 p.m., Villa Chartier.

Sacramento, Oct. 6, 7:30 p.m., S.M. U.D. Auditorium.

San Lorenzo. Oct. 15, 8:00 p.m., Westinghouse Auditorium.

Modesto, Oct. 17, 7:00 p.m., Modesto Junior College.

Fresno, Oct. 22, 7:30 p.m., The Hacienda.

San Francisco. Oct. 21, 8:00 p.m., Red Chimney.

Redding, Oct. 29, 8:00 p.m., Casa Blanca.

Chico, Oct. 31, 8:00 p.m., Oaks Hotel, Stockton, Nov. 5, 8:00 p.m., Eden Motor Lodge.

Schedules in Southern California include:

San Diego	Oct. 9
Bakersfield	Oct. 16
Imperial Valley	Oct. 1.0
San Bernardino	Oct. 23
Santa Barbara	Oct. 29
Santa Maria	Oct. 30
Vorwalk	Nov. 20

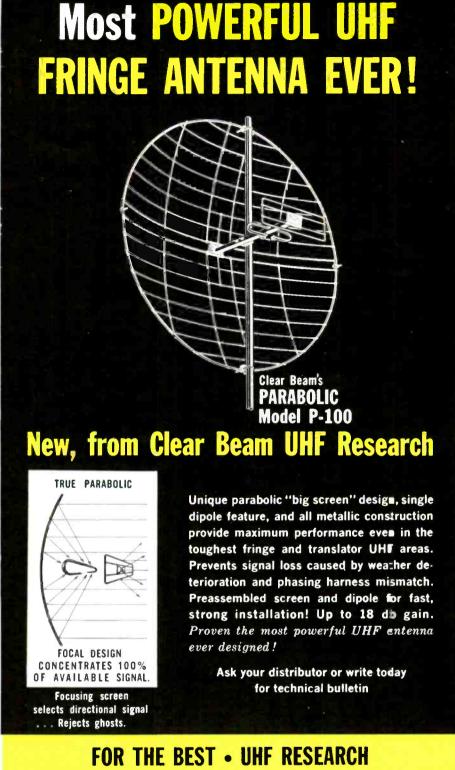
Dealers are asked to contact Mr. E. L. Mixon, district service training supervisor in Southern California for the time and place of these meetings in their areas.

HALE OF CALIFORNIA FIRST TO WIN \$100 IN GE CONTEST

The 101 winners in the first of a series of three monthly contests exclusively for radio and television service dealers have been announced by Gordon E. Burns, distributor sales manager, General Electric Company.

Top winner of the \$100 merchandise certificate was J. Hale, Hale's Radio & TV, 56 North Bascom Street, San Jose. California. He was one of 15 from California, the state that yielded the most prize winners.

Winning the first monthly "101 Contest" gives J. Hale a chance at the \$500 cash grand prize which will be awarded to one of the three monthly winners.

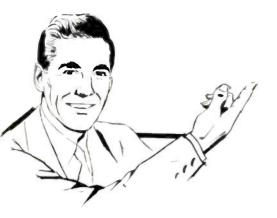


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ANTENNAS TO YOUR CUSTOMERS

By ROBERT D. RAYNOR, President Clear Beam Antenna Corp.

PART VI

Although FM broadcasting has been going on for over twenty years, it is only since the advent of High Fidelity recordings and High Fidelity play back equipment in the home that it has taken on an important entertainment aspect.

Most peoples are quite well aware that if they have an FM set that they can get a better quality of music than on AM radio. Unfortunately, because FM appears similar to AM radio, most set owners think the difference is only on programming and are not aware that FM is accomplished by what can technically be considered an entirely different process.

This lack of awareness shows up in the sales statistics on FM antennas. With literally millions of FM sets already on the market and hundreds of thousands more being sold each year, the total number of FM antennas in use runs somewhere under 5% of saturation. The strange point here is that the moment an FM fan learns that he can achieve better reception with an outdoor antenna he will install one immediately. This is understandable when you consider that most FM fans already hade a considerable investment to obtain better music, and the installation of an antenna, which makes the set work properly, is usually only a small fraction of the cost of the set itself.

The fact is . . . there is not a single area in the country where the installation of an outdoor antenna will not improve reception and bring in more of the available stations . . . and with greater clarity.

WHY FM IS DIFFERENT FROM AM

Because of the frequency at which it is broadcast, ordinary AM radio rarely, if ever, requires an antenna. FM on the other hand is broadcast in the same general frequency range as TV and is subject to the same reception problems as television. Interference which shows up in television as ghosts, snow or picture distortion also affects FM signals.

Even the finest high fidelity sets cannot deliver undistorted sound unless the signal is received free of this form of interference.

Many FM stations are now broadcasting "stereo", that is, sending out two audio signals on the same frequency rather than one as in regular (monaural) FM. With the proper receiving equipment, you can obtain the same effect from FM stereo as you do with stereo records and a two-

speaker system.

FM sterco signals, by their very nature, are weaker than regular FM signals. This means that an FM antenna is a "must" in most areas if the best FM reception is to be obtained.

SOME COMMON QUESTIONS ABOUT FM RECEPTION

- Q. My FM tuner has a built-in antenna. Isn't that all I need?
- A. No. Unlike AM radio, built-in FM antennas are capable of receiving only nearby stations. To bring in other stations, which are either weaker or are further away, you need an outdoor antenna.
- Q. Can you receive FM on a television antenna?
- A. It is occasionally possible for you to obtain FM reception on a TV antenna. Generally, however, TV antennas are not designed to work on the FM band (88-108 mc.). In addition, if you live in an area where FM is broadcast from many different locations, your TV antenna will very likely be too selective in its direction to receive them all. For best results, an antenna specifically designed for FM reception is recommended.
- Q. Is a special FM antenna required for Stereo?
- A. Any well designed FM antenna will operate on Stereo FM. Therefore, a "special" antenna is not required. However, because stereo FM does not travel as far as regular FM, a more powerful FM antenna will generally be required than was formerly necessary.

HOW TO SELL FM ANTENNAS

As indicated, most FM set owners and prospective FM set owners are not aware that an FM antenna is necessary and of what it will do for them. The best approach, generally, is through an actual display of the antenna at a point where the sets are sold or where allied items, such as Hi Fi records or TV antennas, are displayed and sold. Remember, we are dealing not with an antenna but rather with improved home entertainment.

If each potential customer is made aware of the improvement they can attain in their listening pleasure, FM antenna

sales will increase tremendously.

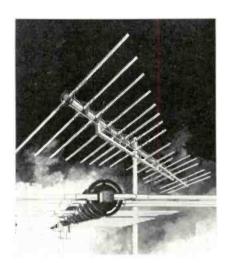


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The Distributor Sales Division of Jerrold Electronics Corporation, 15th & Leghigh Ave., Philadelphia 32, Pa.



PATENTS HELP PRODUCE HIGH QUALITY INDOOR ANTENNA BY CLEARBEAM

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The Slimline indoor antenna is protected by U. S. Patent Nos. D-188, 460 and 3,015.210. More information regarding the Slimline indoor antenna can be obtained by writing to Clear Beam Antenna Corp., Box 471, Canoga Park.

PARALOG'S DESCRIBED IN NEW CATALOG

Catalog DS-CS-518.1 describes the new Jerrold-TACO line of Paralog TV-FM antennas. This 7-page, 2-color catalog includes an explanation of the modular parasitic element concept, which, with the log-periodic design makes this line of antennas the most innovative on the market.

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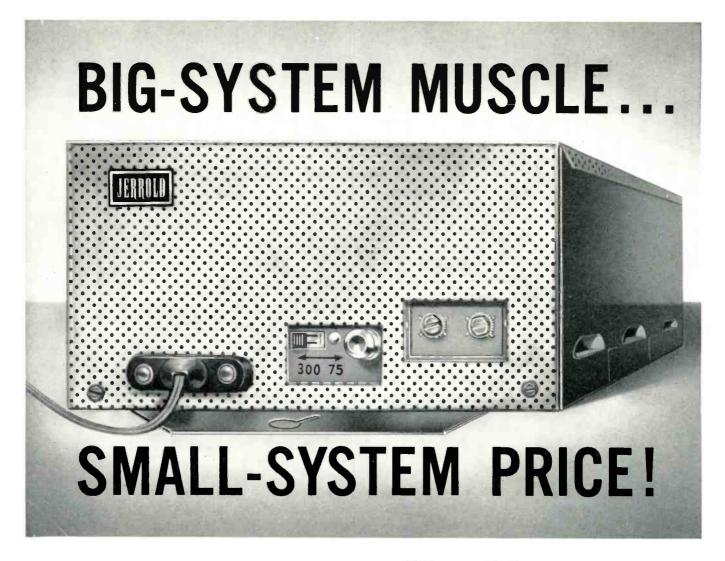
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