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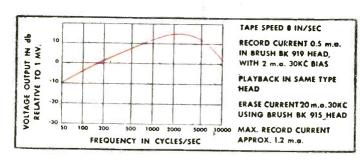




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"Selling Days are Here Again." After six long years of "shortage merchandising", now is the time for action . . . for doing all the things you used to do to create traffic, to make sales, to promote your business. Again you can look to Philco, the leader, as you did through all the years that built the radio business, for the advertising support you need to put "fire" into

your promotions. Magazine advertising, radio advertising and now local newspaper advertising, in huge, walloping, full page units.

Yes, now is the time to get back to old-time selling. Philco is back, promoting the radio business and your business in the hard-hitting way that won leadership for 17 years. Tie-in your efforts where they will yield the greatest results. Concentrate your ads, your windows, your floor displays on Philco. Impartial surveys show again that Philco is preferred by 2 and 3 to 1 over the next nearest brands. It's the line that's easiest to sell because it's the name the public wants.

Let's get going. Selling days are here again!

for 17 years America has said:

When there's a Choice, it's a PHILCO



#### The Publishers Sound Off . . .

RARE COPY and a roaring "first" in this business is this issue of RADIO & Television RETAILING, featuring the products and suppliers of four industries. We are the first to wrap it up in one book, whether you call it first edition, blue book, or bible. It is the much-demanded directory and list-all buyers' guide to the key merchandise handled by our leading retailers.

INTO FOCUS at last comes the television picture in the U. S. and there's climbing to be done on the band wagon. The pictures are reaching a delighted one-fifth of the nation and they're calling the new industry a \$300 million a year job by '48. Fall sports will give it an additional shove. A beautiful total of 89,000 TV units were produced to Sept. 1st this year; the guy who snorted is now trying to buy one.

FM TRAVELS likewise fast, with 60 to 70 new transmitters going on the air monthly. Music master Petrillo sounds favorable to FM programming and there's hardly a hurdle left, with popular-priced sets making a new stir in the mass market. Big-wigs say sets sans FM will be obsolete within six months.

FLYING SAUCERS is the term for the current output of phono records and their movement across retail counters. The sustained consumer interest in all styles of combinations of course means that a pile of platters goes with each unit, along with needles (that's the point) and accessories.

siesta's end in the merchandising of appliances is still hard for the trade to realize. The honeymoon is so well over that the first domestic brawl is well under way; people are getting hurt. Lining for the cloud: the tremendous amount of appliance business waiting for those who knock on the door and ask for it.

MAINTENANCE MEN in the service, sound and parts business are heard to say that "we're through repairing junk for peanuts." When they start in on the expensive TV-FM-COMBO units, they assume the status of experts working on valuable home-entertainment instruments for appropriate fees. The business has new life, new profits, new horizons.

**IN OTHER WORDS** there's a wave of certified optimism in all our branches—in radio, appliances, records and service. This Fall, it's singularly great to be a "Big Four" dealer.

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And General Electric helps you actively promote your business! Write for Sales-aids
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#### DELCO RADIO A GENERAL MOTORS PRODUCT

Delco radios are distributed nationally by United Motors Service. See your United Motors distributor about the Delcoradio line.



STYLE-WISE and performance-wise, the new Delco Combination sets entirely new standards of radio value!

Its advanced engineering is apparent in such features as the 15-inch speaker for finer reproduction . . . the 24 different base and treble combinations . . . the ball-bearing roller mechanism for the phonograph . . . the precision-designed selector blades that prevent record-chipping . . . the lightweight tone arm with jeweled-point pick-up . . . and many more.

Its superb styling is evident in the graceful lines and exquisite workmanship of the 18th-Century cabinets. Two models are available—R-1251 in walnut, and R-1252 in mahogany—both furniture pieces of authentic distinction.

To see and hear the best of all that's new in radio, ask your United Motors Service distributor to demonstrate the new Delco Radio Combination and other popular models.



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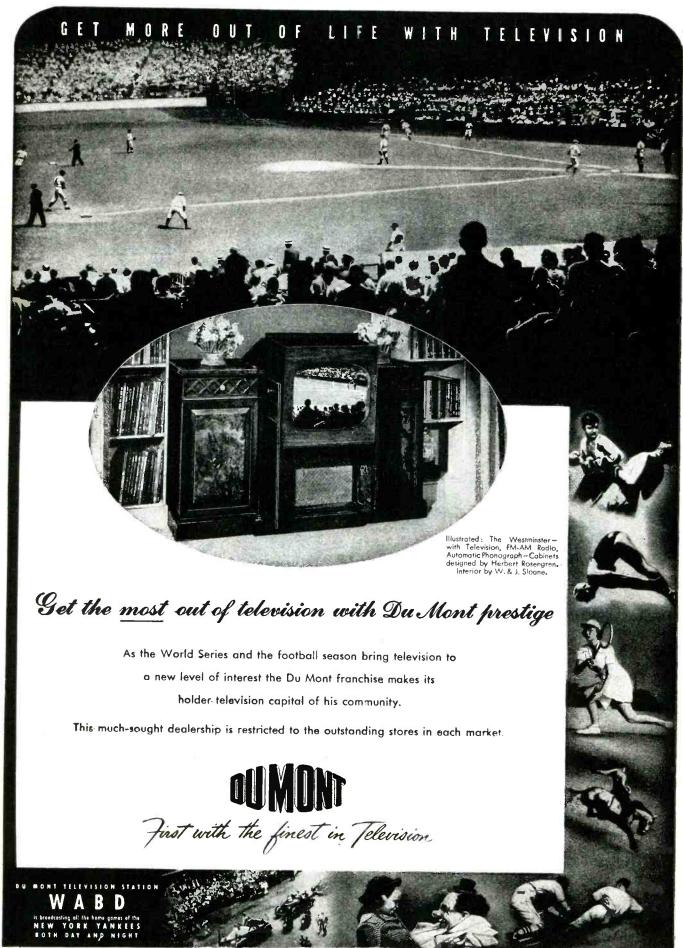
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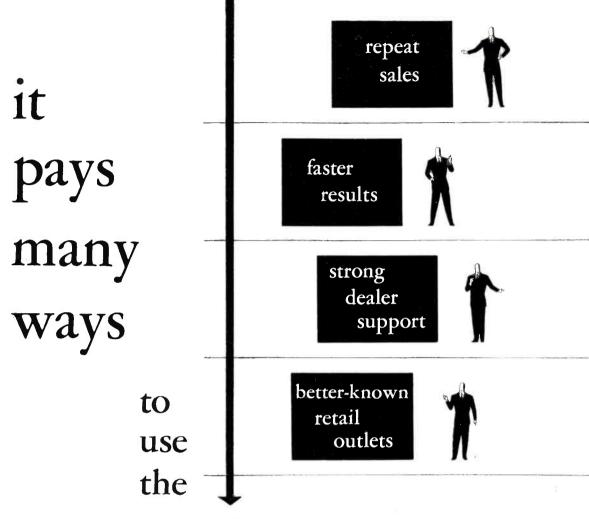
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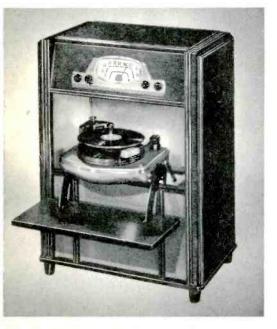
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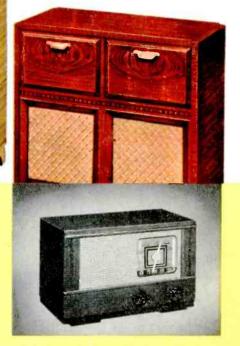
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#### The leader in Farnsworth's streamlined line of

#### phonograph-radio combinations with FM

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But wait until you hear it! Wait until you and your customers hear all the sets in Farnsworth's streamlined FM line! Then you will realize how the seventeen years of pioneering in electronic research has enabled Farnsworth to

develop the finest in this new art. Then you will understand why Farnsworth's basic engineering know-how... Farnsworth's development of trouble-free record changers... have contributed to Farnsworth's reputation for quality products.

Then you will realize, all the more, how your Farasworth Selected Dealer Franchise means more profit to you!

Farnsworth Television & Radio Corporation, Fort Wayne 1, Indiana.

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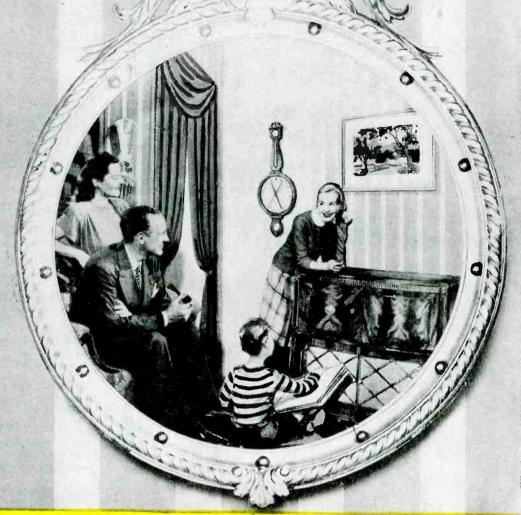
Home Hours are Happy Hours

Westinghouse Radio Phonograph









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DOMINATING NATIONAL ADS—Over 28 million radio prospects will be reached in POST Oct. 11—LIFE Oct. 27—COL-LIER'S Oct. 18—COUNTRY GENTLE-MAN Nov.—PROGRESSIVE FARMER Nov.—CAPPER'S FARMER Nov. 2

FREE AD-MATS AND RADIO SPOTS— 8 ready to run ad-mats...12 radio spots... hard working local advertising to back up your local promotion and help move merchandise off your floor. 3

EYE-CATCHING 4-COLOR BILLBOARD INSERT — Display it prominently in your store or window . . . it will high spot the important sales features of the 166 . . . the perfect family radio-phonograph.

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POWERFUL RETAIL SELLING HELPS
Attractive 2-color envelope stuffer and breadside that sell the sales advantages of the 166, 153, 167, 168, 169 and 171... each tells your direct-mail customers about the outstanding utility, convenience and performance features of these sets.

Tune in Ted Malone, Monday through Friday, 11:45 A. M., E.D.T., A.B.C. Network

RADIO'S



## NESTINGHOUSE RADIO FAMILY FIRESIDE CAMPAIGN for OCTOBER

planned promotion package will move Westinghouse radios off your sales floor. Here is everything to make a successful retail promotion: national magazine advertising, local newspaper and radio advertising, a window display, store display and direct mail-all tied in with the newest, hottest radio line in the business.



THE 125... a console radio in capsule form that is packed with features for you to sell.

THE 171 . . . a compact 3-in-1 instrument ... a LIFT-OUT, carryabout radio, an automatic record changer, more record storage space than most big consoles.

THE 153 . . . an automatic radio-phono. graph with the revolutionary LIFT-OUT carryabout radio. Twice the utility of ordinary table radio-phonographs.

THE 166 . . . concert hall performance in a cabinet masterpiece. Features Electronic Feather Tone arm, Automix Changer, Rainbow Tone FM and extra large record storage space.

THE 167... a modern console combination providing true-to-life reproduction of programs and records . . . has Electronic Feather, Automix record changer and Westinghouse Rainbow Tone FM. Extra large record storage.

THE 168 . . . a smartly styled radio-phonograph with Westinghouse Rainbow Tone FM, the beautiful Rainbow Dial, Speed Changer and full width album storage space.

THE 169... a magnificent radio-phonograph in a cabinet of fine matched mahogany veneers . . . Electronic Feather Tone arm, Automix record changer, dual speakers, Rainbow Tone FM, twin record compart-

HOME RADIO DIVISION, WESTINGHOUSE ELECTRIC CORPORATION . SUNBURY, PA.

FIRST NAME IS

TRAFFIC-STOPPING WINDOW DIS-

PLAY — This full-color display is packed with human interest...it shows a real

family fireside scene with 3 dimensional

die cut figures. Size-30" x 47".

Westinghouse

ARVIN ARVIN

THE RADIO OF TOMORROW...

## Today!



AM MODEL 182TFM \$ 74.50

Prices slightly higher in Zone 2

opportunity it offers! Compactly designed in mahogany veneer and dazzling lucite this set is a step into the future! But more than that, it's an 8-tube superheterodyne plus selenium rectifier, with 15 runed circuits, 5-gang condenser and topflight engineering in every detail for thrilling performance on both FM and AM. And, like every radio is the popular Arvin line, it's priced for the mass market, fast sales, and big volume. Ask your Arvin distributor for information on specifications, pricing and deliveries ... now!



. . the name on many profit-building products from

NOBLITT-SPARKS INDUSTRIES, INC. . Columbus, indiana



## Santa looked swell in his slack suit

A old-fashioned "Christmas rush" in July? Yes, it happened—to Sparton dealers, this year!

The new Sparton Challenger line, introduced in July—the supposed "off season" for radio sales—brought a blizzard of orders wherever it was released. And the blizzard's getting bigger every day!

Astounding? Not at all; it only proves what we've been telling you all along. That a superior line, competitively priced and backed up by punch-packing advertising and promotion, will sell in any market—any time!

And the answer is S.C.M.P.—SPARTON CO-OPERATIVE MERCHANDISING PLAN—the plan that benefits dealer and consumer by cutting distribution costs. Under S.C.M.P. there is no dumping, no over-franchising. Only one dealer in each community holds the Sparton franchise; shipments are made directly to him. And all of Sparton's national

advertising and promotion works locally for him and him alone.

During the old, easy days of the seller's market, we kept reminding you that S.C.M.P. was the dealer's lifeline for the day when competitive selling got rough. Brother, that day has arrived!

Perhaps the Sparton franchise is still available in your community. Ask us about it today.

THE SPARKS-WITHINGTON COMPANY JACKSON, MICHIGAN



in each community

#### Check These Profit-Increasing Features

- One exclusive dealer in each community
- Direct factory-to-dealer shipment
- Low consumer prices
- National advertising
- Factory prepared and distributed promotion helps
- Seasonal promotions
- Uniform retail prices
- Products styled by outstanding designers

A HOT, SHORT LINE AT LOW PRICES

narton Radio's Richest Franchise



MODEL 7-8M-46-PA—Automatic radio-phonograph in blended walnut or mahogany veneers. With 10" speaker, "roll-out" phonograph drawer. Has three wave bands.



MODEL 10-BM-76-PA— Automatic radio-phonograph with FM. "Rollout"phonograph drawer, 10" speaker. Finished in choicest mahogany or walnut veneers.



MODEL 10-AM-76-PA—Automatic radio-phonograph with FM. "Roll-out"phonographdrawer. Modern design cabinet of natural or blonde mahogany veneer.



PERIOD MODEL—No. 1007— Automatic radio-phonograph with FM, in mahogany veneer. Also the Modern Model in Golden Wheat finish; Contemporary Model in mahogany veneer.

#### SMALL SET WINNERS, TOO!

See the new Sparton portable (Model 606) for battery, AC/DC current.

See the new Sparton utilities (Models 100 & 101) in ivory or ebony finish.

See the new Sparton table automatic (Model 201) with big set performance.

## Make Your Store AUTO







the hottest new line of Philco Auto Radios ever offered. Sure-fire post-war features the public is hungry for! Better performance that you can demonstrate! Custom Styling that sells itself on sight! Your Philco Distributor has everything you need to make this profitable business roll in. Ask him about the famous Philco "Share-the-Cost" Cooperative Advertising Plan.

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## PHILCO

#### 1948 MODELS

CUSTOM-STYLED!

Automatic and manual control units are custom-styled for each instrument panel They perfectly fit and harmonize like a factory installation!

SEE YOUR
PHILCO DISTRIBUTOR
TODAY!

PHILCO, the Leader in Auto Radio for
17 years, brings you a brand new line
for all modern cars...Six DeLuxe and Popular
Priced Models with spectacular selling features
...the finest values at every price level!





Phone your local Clarion distributor now or write direct to the

Model C-102 - The

Manhattan AC-DC Table

Padio...\$27.95 mahagany

Model C-131 - The AM

Aristocrat Power-packed

Table Set mahogany .... 541.95

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Model 12101 - The FM-AM

Aristocrat Table Model

Model 11301-AC-DC Table

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Helps YOU Sell Television Sets These 12 Ways!



DEALERS-ACT NOW! CASH IN ON TERRIFIC DIRECT MAIL CAM-PAIGN to TAVERNS, CLUBS, BARS

UST's 14-way promotion plan for tarerns and restaurants is recognized as tele vision's most unusual selling campaign! Over 11,000 licensed liquor licencees are now receiving broadsides, letters, countless facts, testimonials on UST's Tavern sets. . . . Already three-fourths of all BIG PICTURE projection sets in public places are UST ... over 500,000 persons every week see UST Tavern sets!

If you act quickly, your name can be listed as an Authorized UST Dealer in this campaign. Don't miss out-write now for information about becoming a UST DEALER!



FREE! FREE! FRFF !

Send for a 16-page booklet, "HOW TO SELL TELEVISION SETS PROFITABLY." A must for any television dealer. Send card or letter to Dept. C (Dept. D for Send card of letter to Dept. C (Dept. 5) for Radio & Tel. Retail). United States Television Mfg. Corp., 3 West 61st St., New York City. Circle 6-4255

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Another "first" from the United States Television Mfg. Corp., the "One Year Ahead" company . . . first in "Big Picture" projection television . . . first in the stores with "Big Picture" sets for home and clubs . . . first with a GIANT SCREEN fully 3 1/3 square feet! And now first again with big scale merchandising aids for television dealers!

-COMPLETE SALES LITERA TURE.

Illustrating the various UST home sets; in both modern and period styles; FREE

Dynamic UST Tavern broadside shows actual screen-size picture, fully 31/3 square feet; dozens of testimonials, pictures of bar crowds; FREE

2-POINT-OF-SALE DISPLAYS.

Two beautiful two-color easel displays illustrate both the Telesonic and the Tele-Symphonic; FREE

3-COMPLETE MAT SERVICE.

Logotypes, illustrations, slogans, selling points, and trade marks; FREE

+---UST TELE-NEWS.

Periodic newsletter for UST Dealers; packed with valuable sales suggestions and latest television news; FREE

5-16 PAGE BOOKLET: "HOW TO SELL TELEVISION SETS PROF-ITABLY!"

> lammed from cover to cover with facts about America's newest growth industry; tells you whom to sell television to first; what they will ask you; how to

demonstrate; countless other tips for you and your sales force! As many as you need for sales staff; FREE

6-WEEKLY PROGRAM SERV ICE.

> Keeps you informed about all programs in your television area; an invaluable guide to help you demonstrate properly! FREE

7-WINDOW STICKER. FREE

LEAD SERVICE and general Consultation service; FREE

9-PROMOTION KIT.

Complete set of all dealer aids and units of the 12-way merchandising plan in one kit a packaged "sales talk," for salesmen. FREE.

10---CO-OPERATIVE ADVERTIS-ING PLAN.

Cost shared with UST.

11-CONTINUOUS DIRECT MAIL CAMPAIGN.

YOU are listed. Shared Cost.

12-ELECTRIC SIGN.

Unusually attractive sign reminding your customers night and day you are authorized to carry the full UST line. 8-colors!

'One Full Year Ahead



## Há sell of a situation.



So your cash register isn't gathering cobwebs ... yet. So your sales haven't come to a halt ... yet. BUT ... and check this with your own experience ... dealers in all kinds of merchandise are practically spang-dab in the middle of a situation that calls for REAL SELL.

That's right, SELL. Old fashioned, down to earth, give em their money's worth SELL. The kind of SELL that doesn't grow on buying sprees. the kind of SELL that means work for every many ack in the dealer's organization. the kind of SELL that's based on products of quality and proved performance standards.

Are you set for such a situation? Well, check your position with the Crosley line-up. You'll find plenty to think about. For example, you'll find that . . .

#### THIS CALLS FOR A SELL-EBRATION



Sure and it's the famous Crosley Shelvador\*... the only refrigerator on the market that gives a dealer an outstanding, exclusive sales edge! That 28 feet of front-row food is a feature that has so much eye appeal ... so much downright practical "help-women" appeal ... such a powerful buy appeal

refrigerators just aren't in the picture. And this 'Speed Way For Meals' is backed up by the kind of beauty, the kind of refrigeration refinements that match that way-out-in-front feature—the Shelvador\*! Do Crosley dealers have good reason to SELL-EBRATE? Well, you've had a peek view of one. Now let's raise another question:

\*R TRADE MARK REG. U. S. PAT. OFF.

#### CROSLEY Shelvador

MODEL SE947

CROSLEY RANGES? THEY EX-SE

Why? Because they give women THE BASIC 4 for easier, better cooking . . . and because they give Crosley dealers THE BASIC 4 for easier, better selling!

That goes for gas and electric models. Both have: (1) OVER-SIZE OVEN, (2) WAIST-HIGH BROILER, (3) KALORIE KEEPER INSULATION, (4) SPEED-UP SURFACE UNITS. And in addition, gas and electric models have their own distinctive features . . . features that form a firm foundation for building range sales.

Ready for another quick sales picture? Then consider this . . .





#### EVEN YOUR BEST FRIEND ... OR WILL YOU?

You won't . . . if he wants a thrifty, kitchen-size frozen food cabinet . . . and you haven't anything that measures up to the Crosley FROSTMASTER! Yes sir, the FROST-MASTER answers every demand for practical, efficient, frozen food storage for the average family. This smart, compact unit holds 100 pounds of frozen foods . . . freezes 15 to 18 pounds of meat or poultry, up to 10 pounds of properly processed vegetables.

That isn't all! The Crosley FROSTMASTER is designed to fit kitchens; its 36 inches high (exactly the standard worksurface height), 293/4" wide, 261/2" from front to back. It fits flush to walls, flush to floors . . . works right in as a supplementary unit that really belongs in the most modern kitchens. Toe space is recessed . . . the gleaming finish cleans as easily as a china dish ... and, well—when it comes to frozen foods (and it's coming to them faster every day!) the Crosley FROSTMASTER gives Crosley dealers the hottest cold-cash proposition on the market!

#### Sell-ective is the word for RADIOS!

Yes, and it also describes shoppers on the look-out for the best radio buy. They're mighty selective ... they look at price, they look at performance, they look at features. And the dealer who wants to make sales has to offer all three.

Crosley dealers can do just that. For example, there's the small table model Rondo that's smart and new from every view . . . the luxurious Carrollton that has the famous Crosley Floating Jewel† Tone System as well as too-many-to-mention other outstanding features . . . the yearsahead Crosley Spectator Table Model Television Set that puts television within reach of every home. That's only hitting the high spots, but it leads right up to this point . . .

†Patented.







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give 'em sell!

You know that the starting point for any selling program is merchandise that gives you something you CAN SELL . . . some extra advantage your prospective customers can see, or hear, and always enjoy. That's why Crosley dealers are glad "It's A Sell Of A Situation."

Division— ANCO Manufacturing

Shelvador\* Refrigerators • Frostmasters • Kitchen Cabinets and Servisinks • Ranges Radios • Radio-Phonographs • FM • Television • Short Wave • Home of WLW

## Zenith is FIRST with the FEATURES THAT COUNT

Its the industry's Style-Leader Line!



#### ONLY ZENITH OFFERS SALES FEATURES LIKE THESE



## 31 years of Radionics Exclusively Pays Off Now With Pace-Setting, Sales-Making Features

Now that the pendulum is swinging back, and shoppers are looking for honest value, Zenith is more popular than ever. For these great sets are designed and built to come out way ahead in any "hands-down" competitive value comparison.

Zenith helps you sell with features . . . demonstrable features prospects notice and want. Here, too, is superior performance, made possible by Zenith's rigid adherence to quality standards for components and workmanship. Zenith gives you styling leadership, by consistent development of style features that set the pace for the industry.

Yes, Zenith backs you up with value that makes sales . . . value made possible by the knowledge and experience gained in more than 31 years of Radionics Exclusively.



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## versatile, enjoyable and profitable

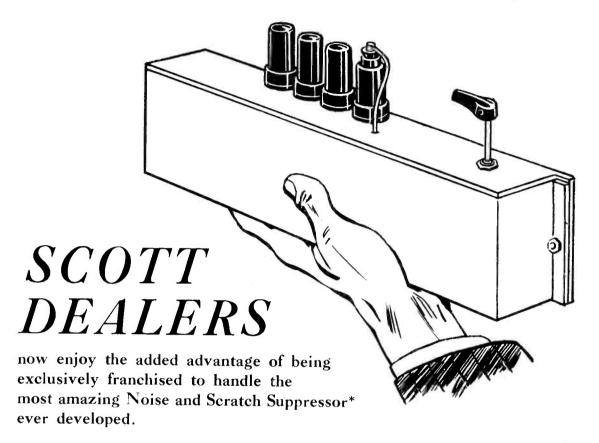
## ...THE NEWEST OU WILCOX-GAY

Trim and compact, this newest RECORDIO offers your customers complete home entertainment. Equipped with an automatic record changer that slides out at a finger touch, the Manhattan makes recordings from its own microphone or self-contained radio . . . easily, economically.

Don't sell half a radio. Sell RECORDIO... with all of the things your customer wants... radio—phonograph—record changer—and home recorder... all housed in this space-saving walnut or mahogany console. Priced to win customer approval in a price-conscious market.



## Exclusive



A great new boon for lovers of recorded music is now in the hands of dealers with the Scott franchise—available alike to present owners and new buyers of today's Scott radio-phonograph.

It is Scott's special adaptation of a radically new Dynamic Noise and Scratch Suppressor\* for the Scott radio-phonograph! It makes old records sound new, new shellac records sound like Vinylites, and modern high-fidelity Vinylite records sound superb—virtually noiseless, therefore even more musicful.

This Dynamic Noise and Scratch Suppressor is actually an electronic "filter" that screens out noise frequencies—high and low—but lets the music through. And because the ear hears less noise, it hears more music!

Designed and engineered especially for the Scott, and available in no other instrument, this revolutionary new Dynamic Noise and Scratch Suppressor has given Scott dealers another Scott "plus"—another added advantage they have been quick to appreciate and happy to use.



SCOTT RADIO LABORATORIES, INC.

4450 Ravenswood Avenue, Chicago 40, Illinois

\*Licensed under Hermon Hosmer Scott patents pending

## TEMPLE DOES IT AGAIN!

# A Top-performing SUPER HETERODYNE for only \$19.55 (walnut)



## The TEMPLE "SUPER"

Yes, a smart-looking, top-quality, genuine Super Heterodyne of medium size (not a midget), in a non-breakable cabinet. Highly sensitive, selective and powerful. Famous Temple quality. Packed eight (8) to a carton. Available in 4 colors—walnut, ivory, Chinese Red, powder blue.



The Value-Scoop of the Year! priced for Volume sale with a

#### TOP-HIGH RETAIL PROFIT MARGIN

you can't afford to overlook ORDER YOURS TODAY!

TEMPLETONE RADIO MFG. CORP.

NEW LONDON, CONN.

Executive Offices — 220 E. 42nd St., New York, N.Y.

Some Territories still available for salesmen. Write. Give details.

"Where FM also means Finest Made"

## available now...for immediate delivery

"COMBINETTE IN FM" features 8 tubes, plus selenium rectifier. operates on AC or DC. 3 stages of i.f. amplification, 5" speaker, built-in line cord antenna, "console-type" mahogany cabinet 14" x 11" x 8", receives FM independently or as tuper with any AM set. Manufactured by: AIRADIO INCORPORATED. Stam-

ford. Conn.

Hundreds of FM broadcasters and industry leaders who have seen and heard "the people's FM" recognize this combination FM receiver-tuner as just

what the people want-just what

broadcasters need-just what dealers can sell!

Priced low enough to make fine FM a reality to all,

suggested retail price...\$56.95

orders are being filled as received – and dealers will get prompt attention from exclusive sales agency, ELECTRONICS, INC. 934 Bowen Building, Washington 5, D. C., Phone REpublic 8181

### The great feature thousands are asking for...

## Strobo-Sonic Tone

### -only Stewart-Warner has it!



Stewart-Warner dealers alone can answer the demand for "the tone that's picture-clear." In both AM and FM-AM sets, Stewart-Warner is winning customer preference everywhere with the tone so faithful you can understand each word . . . distinguish every instrument . . . hear music in its true dimensions, picture-clear. True quality—priced for the buyers' market!





THE BALLADEERS—today's superior FM-AM table sets. Full depth Strobo-Sonic Tone! AC-DC, 7 tubes plus rectifier, PM dynamic speaker, 2 built-in Radair Antennae. Handsome in both walnut and desert tan.



THE CONSOLETTE—the new AM radio-phonograph that performs like a big console! Smooth AC performance, so important for fine records. Automatic changer handles up to 12 discs. Detachable legs quickly convert this set to a table model.

AM TABLE RADIC—never has so much pure enjoyment been engineered into a set this size! Radair Antenna, 5 tubes plus rectifier, tone control, powerful reception. Ivory plastic with ruby-red controls.





AIR PAL—built like a watch, smaller than a phone, yet it's a full-power AC-DC radio that plays anywhere you plug it in! Beautiful jewel-box display...gold and satin... sets it off for what it is—a console in a jewel case!

A Model for Every Purpose—a Radio for Every Room



## Stewart-Warner

EM Radios AM Radio-phonographs Television



## All through the house... there's a place for STROMBERG-CARLSON

Entertainment is a many-sided family affair - and Stromberg-Carlson's rounded line lets you take full advantage of that fact.

For the main radio in the living room-and for every listening spot in the home-your customers will appreciate the incomparable performance and appropriate styling of a Stromberg-Carlson.

A well-timed suggestion can sell many an additional Stromberg-Carlson for you!



#### Proud Possession!

"HEPPLEWHITE" . . . for the living room. FM-AM radio-phonograph combination in authentic 18th Century design. Automatic record changer with automatic stop. Hand-rubbed mahogany veneers.



Kitchen Helper!
"DYNATOMIC" . . . table model, AC-DC, of unusual power and tonal richness. In ivory or brown plastic cabinet.



#### Modern Living!

"NEW WORLD" . . . for library or den, FM-AM radio-phonograph, bleached mahogany cabinet, disappearing doors. Automatic record changer with automatic stop.



"SALEM CHEST" . . . for living room or bedroom. FM-AM radio-phonograph. Automatic record changer with automatic stop. Hand-rubbed mahogany.

## All through the house...

There is nothing finer than a

### STROMBERG-CARLSON

Radios, radio-phonographs, FM and television, sound equipment, industrial and intercommunication systems, telephones and switchboards.

## RADIO E Television RETAILING

Including Radio and Television Today

O. H. CALDWELL, Editorial Director

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### Get Out and Get Busy!

"These are not depression times, they are boom times," an outstanding figure in merchandising in this field told a group of dealers at a meeting not long ago.

And he was telling the plain, unvarnished truth.

Never before has a peacetime employment rate been at so high a level.

Never before has the public had so much money in banks and in its pockets as it has at this time.

Never before in the history of the nation has the need for new radio and appliance merchandise been as great.

The foregoing statements are not bromides. They are cold facts.

Why then, has purchasing slowed up? How long will such slow-up period last?

In the order of their importance, the following factors appear to be responsible for the present and *temporary* situation:

- 1. Inefficient salesmanship and sales promotion.
- 2. The housing situation.
- 3. Over-priced, unwanted merchandise. (Stocks of which are fast dwindling).

We see then that it isn't because the people cannot afford or do not want the merchandise that sales are not what they should be. First, it's because we are not asking them to buy, or not asking them the right way. Items two and three will take care of themselves—and soon.

While we're waiting for new homes to be built, and surpluses to fade out of the picture, let's do something.

Let's get out and replace all the outmoded, worn-out, broken-down, expensive-to-operate equipment in the hands of the *many* householders in our respective communities. Let's sell 'em new products via the salesmanship route.

Remember—the public has the money to buy, and the desire to buy. It's up to us to make their desire burst into buying action.

## What's Ahead!—in Radio,

- MOST CONSUMERS NO LONGER BELIEVE that radio and appliance prices are due to drop soon. Leading manufacturers feel that prices will, for the most part, stay where they are now, but look for some to rise slightly due to the increased cost of steel, hiked to a \$6 per ton average.
- OPINION DIVIDED ON WHAT AFFECT DEATH OF REGULATION W, next November, will have on retail buying. Some merchants believe that unrestricted credit terms will stimulate buying. Others, while agreeing that it will certainly needle sales, foresee wildcat competition in terms to be offered doing more harm than good. One sure result of the end of the regulation will be that each and every dealer's business operation method will undergo a change, affecting selling and bookkeeping.
- DEALERS REPORT INCREASING REQUESTS for credit on the part of their customers. Most retailers are tightening up on their "open" charge account business, preferring to swing over to use of finance agencies. Such procedure on the part of the merchant is an ahead-looking one because right now collection problems are practically nil.
- ONE OF THE SUREST SIGNS OF A RETURN to competitive selling is seen in the recent launching of sales contests by jobbers and manufacturers, and in the planning of similar events by many of the large dealers.
- COMBINATION GERM-KILLER, HEATER, AIR CIRCULATOR is announced by Simpson Engineering Co., P. O. Box 568, New Haven, Conn. The unit is enclosed in a portable metal cabinet. The lamp, the blower unit and the heater are all controlled from one switch on top of the cabinet.
- DISC MAKERS CATERING TO BABY-CARRIAGE TRADE, and on up into the roller-skating age group, with a flood of new children's records. When the Christmas selling season rolls around again, retailers will find numbers of new juvenile phono records to help meet the steadily growing demand.
- A HUNDRED MILLION FLUORESCENT TUBES will be made in the year 1950, predicts a Westinghouse Lamp Division executive who sees fluorescent production hitting 75 million for 1947.
- NEW SEWING MACHINE OPERATES WITHOUT bobbin or shuttle. Named the "Monroe," the appliance will be made by Lion Mfg. Corp., Chicago, and will he sold by dealers from coast to coast. The first model, a portable with full 8-inch head, weighing only 16 pounds, will incorporate all exclusive features of console models to be introduced later next year.

- RADIO MANUFACTURERS REPORT A GROW-ING TREND on the part of the public in favor of blond finish cabinets. Seems the "blonds" fit in well with modern home decorative themes.
- WHEN FEDERAL CONTROLS ARE LIFTED from the time-payment picture Nov. 1, dealers will have to tie up twice as much money in financing as they did in the past, a banker told a group of members attending a meeting of the National Retail Furniture Assn. The speaker said that the credit terms recommended by most finance agencies, would be as follows: Refrigerators—10 to 20% down, with 24 to 30 months to pay. Food Freezers—20 to 25% down, 18 to 24 months to pay. Ranges—10 to 20% down; 24 to 30 months. Washers and Ironers—20% down; 18 months. Vacuum Cleaners and Sewing Machines—20%; 12 months. Large Radios—20%; 18 months. Small Radios—25%; 12 months.
- RUMORS OF AN IMPENDING widespread shortage of electric power in the U.S. have been characterized as unwarranted and untrue by Charles E. Oakes, president of the Edison Electric Institute. "Although the early postwar growth of demand for electricity has exceeded expectations . . . all customer demands will be met in 1947 and in the year following," said Mr. Oakes.



- WITH THE SUMMER VACATION SEASON nearly at an end, progressive retailers are planning all-out promotion campaigns to boost sales of health and comfort appliances for the return to in-home living on the part of the customer. Heat pads, electric blankets, therapeutic lamps, vibrators and space heaters are a few of the items to be featured.
- BELL & HOWELL COMPANY HAS PURCHASED the Microfilm Recording Co., of Chicago. All microfilm equipment manufactured and sold by Bell & Howell will be marketed under the trade name. "Micro-Filmo."
- ONE OF THE FIRST HOTELS in the country to make electric sleeping comfort available to its guests, the Hotel Lowry in St. Paul, is offering its patrons a choice of conventional blankets or GE automatic ones in their rooms when they register.

## Appliances, Records and Television

HOME INCANDESCENT LAMP SUPPLY almost back to normal on standard numbers, but some photo bulbs are still under-counter sales items.

"AS WASHERS SCARCELY WORTH CONDITIONING for resale begin reappearing in dealers' back rooms it becomes timely to remember the publicity value of presenting these dogs to needy families or to appropriate organized charities. Reporting the gift to the newspapers should be part of the transaction, of course."—William Shaw, American Washer and Ironer Manufacturers' Association.

SOME OF THE FEATURES OF RAYTHEON'S Home Precipitator include an efficiency of 85 to 90% as compared with only 10 to 20% obtainable from the best mechanical filter; the appliance removes ninety percent or more of all airborne dirt when used in conjunction with a warm air furnace (of which there are over nine million in use in the U. S.), and the new air cleanser is cheap to operate, drawing but 50 watts.

"THE COLLEGE OF SELLING KNOWLEDGE," launched by Stromberg-Carlson, will end October 11. The intensive course goes by mail directly to the home of the dealer's salesmen, and prizes valued at \$12,500.00 are offered. The better salesmanship campaign was launched August 4.

TELEVISION HEADLINES of the both-barrels type are now being used throughout the country by dealers and distributors to announce the arrival of video sets in their areas. One of the suggestions was: "We Are Radio Obstetricians—We Deliver Television!"

"SELL PORTABLES ALL THE YEAR 'ROUND," Westinghouse sales executive J. H. Stickle urges. He suggests telling the customer how the portable is suited to use in every room in the home, and emphasizing that "in addition" the owner can carry it with him on outside trips of all sorts.



"MAKE THE MOST OF DOOR-TO-DOOR selling while it's still a novelty to the householder," one successful retailer suggests. "Right now," he continues, "people are genuinely receptive to the canvasser because door-bell-ringers are few and far between."

MORE BUSINESS FOR RADIO APPLIANCE RETAILERS and for the industry as a whole comes about as a result of competition between taverns. In television areas the operator of the modern bar and grill knows video is a must, along with air conditioning and a jukebox whose records are kept up to the minute.

25 BANKS NOW COOPERATING IN ELECTRICAL Association of Philadelphia's promotion designed to sell more electric kitchens. The banking institutions provide floor space for miniature set-ups, built to scale. The series of miniature kitchens consists of 12 designs.

ELECTRICITY CONTINUES TO WAR ON IN-SECTS. Among the latest devices to combat crawling and flying pests is an automatic electric insecticide sprayer, a single filling of which will kill flying insects in an area of 500,000 cubic feet. Other products on the market include a specially-coated incandescent lamp that transmits only the yellow portion of the spectrum to repel insects; electric screens; a DDT-coated wire screen that encloses an ordinary light bulb, and an electrically-heated unit that utilizes the steam vaporization principle.



TELEVISION SELLS ITSELF! When friends or relatives drop in and see the family grouped in front of the video receiver (see cartoon above this item), the desire to own becomes very strong, dealers are finding. That's why it's so important to follow-up all sales. One livewire merchant always asks his television customers to keep him in mind when visitors express interest in the home-owner's set. Offers the user prizes for leads which result in sales.

THE TELE-TIDE IS COMING IN! Beverage Media surveyed the liquor on-premises licensees . . . bars to you . . . during the Spring, to discover in New York City that 1 out of 5 have it—Television . . . Today, it is estimated that not less than three out of five are featuring video. That's how fast TV is moving into taverns in New York. From what we've seen it isn't far behind elsewhere. Next month, RADIO & Television RETAILING will have a "how-to" feature article on tele tavern installation.

ADMITTING THAT "IMMEDIATE DELIVERY" IS A HACKNEYED phrase, one merchant, nonetheless, admits that it's still a necessary one to keep before the public eye. He reports that a customer, whom he'd served for fifteen years, reported to him that she had bought a refrigerator from a competitor upon the premise that the boxes on display in her favorite dealer's store were "still only samples."

## "Golden Throat" Demonstration

## Perfect tone reproduction of RCA Victor "Jolden Throat" again

The dramatic "Golden Throat" Demonstration was given at the RCA EXHIBITION HALL, July 21 to August 2. Hundreds of piano technicians, radio dealers, and private radio owners heard the "Golden Throat" of the RCA Victor "Crestwood" reproduce sound so perfectly that even critical ears could not detect a single flaw.

Here, as at the NAMM Convention in Chicago, audiences were convinced that the "Golden Throat" is really the finest tone system in the history of RCA Victor.

Here, again, no one who witnessed the performance was able to identify correctly the source of the music . . . the piano on the stage before them, or the piano being broadcast by the "Golden Throat" tone system of the RCA Victor "Crestwood." (A standard model of this Victrola radio-phonograph was used. No special adjustments were made.)



### How two pianos demonstrated perfect tone reproduction of the RCA Victor "Gelden Throat"



The two-piano team of Carlile and Wayne performed in the dramatic "Golden Throat" Demonstration.

Miss Carlile played piano (A) on stage before the audience. Miss Wayne played piano (B) in a studio in another part of the building. A microphone (C) picked up the sound from piano (B) and fed it to a transmitter (D) which broadcast to the RCA Victor "Crestwood" (E).

The two pianists played alternately . . . passing the melody smoothly back and forth so that the audience heard continuous music. But only part of it came from the piano on the stage . . . the rest was heard from the "Golden Throat" tone system of the RCA Victor "Crestwood." And, the audiences were amazed as they heard the "Golden Throat" reproduce the tones of the piano with perfect fidelity.



## a spectacular success in New York



### *"Solden Throat"* perfect tone reproduction means more RCA Victor sales for you! 👞

HERE'S WHAT TWO LISTENERS SAID!

The RCA Victor "Golden Thront" reproduced the tone of the piano so perfectly, no one present could distinguish the broadcast from the original.

Byow Whitehill

Bronx. N. Y.

Frankly, I was skeptical at first, but this demonstration soon changed my mind. The "Golden Throat" reproduced the tone of the piano so perfectly I was unable to tell the difference between the piano on the stage and the piano broadcast through the RCA Victor instrument.

\*\*LlLin Dawies\*\*

New York City, N. Y.



The 65X1. The "Golden Throat" tone system in this instrument gives it performance superior to any other radio in the same class.

Now, you can offer your customers the listening performance they have been waiting for ... all the beauty of the artists' performance as clear as though each performer was right in their living rooms.

All RCA Victor instruments, from the popular priced 65X1 to the superb "Crestwood," have the exclusive "Golden Throat" tone system. The same engineering principles that produce such glorious tone in the "Crestwood" have been used in the smaller sets. All RCA Victor instruments give your customers greater brilliance, higher fidelity . . . dollar for dollar a more perfect performance than any other instrument.



ONLY RCA VICTOR MAKES THE VICTROLA



The "Crestwood"... Star performer of the great RCA Victor line of instruments. Here, the "Golden Throat" tone system reaches its peak performance.



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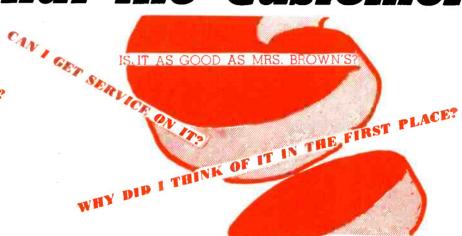
DIVISION OF RADIO CORPORATION OF AMERICA



## What the Customer

CAN I GET IT CHEAPER?

SHALL I DECIDE LATER!



• "Very well, then. I'll take the refrigerator."

These words are greatly relished by the hard-working appliance salesman. But the customer may duck the issue and say, "Thank you, I guess I won't decide today." This means that the immediate sale has been lost.

Just before the customer makes the decision is a critical time. It comes after the demonstration and the sales presentation have been made—when the salesman has finished his talking and the prospect's specific questions have been answered. It is the time when the customer gives at least some indication as to whether it's yes or no.

At this point, the typical shopper has a mind full of private doubts. The average salesman knows what these doubts are because he makes purchases himself. For instance, he knows that just before he makes his decision about buying a set of golf clubs, his mind is sometimes crowded with reasons why he should not take the step. The usual series of thoughts runs something like this:

"Maybe I can get it cheaper at the other store. I probably could get along without it for a while, anyway. It may be that prices will come

Salesmen Should Be
Ready to Answer the
Queries Which Come
Just Before the Sale

down a little later on. I wish I knew more about the manufacturer. I imagine that this salesman is telling me the truth, but after all, he wants to make the sale. The price really isn't too high, I suppose, if the quality is what it should be. But how can I be sure?"

And so on. Customers can think of many, many reasons why they should not buy. After all, the easiest course is to continue the status quo. The line of least resistance would be to walk out of the store without making any decision and facing any of its consequences. And, of course, most customers have a basic impulse to hold on to their money. Another very human characteristic is to put things off.

Also, a great many prospects get the feeling that they are being very sensible and thrifty if they do a lot of shopping around, or if they compare a number of values in a whole string of stores. Of course, the customer often does very little actual investigation, but he keeps thinking that he will, and it becomes a popular excuse for putting off a purchase.

This hesitancy on the part of the shopper is fundamentally easy to deal with because it is based on human nature. Salesmen who have had very little training can readily become experts in this regard, if they give the matter some thought.

#### Action Is Needed

As the buyer's market develops to more striking proportions, this business of knowing what the customer is thinking becomes increasingly important. More than ever, a salesman dislikes to lose a sale, particularly after he has taken extra pains and effort to sell and demonstrate his merchandise to the best of his talent. It is always a bad thing for a store to lose sales regularly at a critical point in the sales procedure and it is specially unfortunate under today's conditions.

The fact is, if a customer gets to the point of saying "I'll think it SHALL I BUY A NEW HAT INSTEAD?

COULDN'T I GET ALONG WITHOUT IT?

SHALL I LOOK AROUND! WILL THE REST OF THE FAMILY LIKE IT? WILL IT LAST?

Is Thinking

CAN I GET IT WHOLESALE?

IS THE MANUFACTURER A GOOD ONE?

CAN I BUY IT ON TIME? IS IT THE VERY LATEST?

over" he will very likely stick to this decision, even though he arrived at it in a very casual way. He may not like the idea of being talked out of it, particularly if the salesman changes his manner at all and becomes slightly argumentative. The best method is to make an energetic effort to avoid an unfavorable decision in the first place.

#### Knowing the Answers

Salesmen can do this by simply answering all the typical questions in the customer's mind. In general it appears to be better, at this stage of the game, to accent the sound value of the product, rather than to review the surface glamour or the more superficial qualities of the merchandise. When a prospect gets to the point of actually digging up the cash for the product, the most winning sales argument concerns its longrange qualities and its durability rather than its detailed characteristics.

For instance, a salesman might better say, "I'm sure you'll be more than satisfied with this unit for many years to come," rather than making some additional comments about the beautiful chrome trim of the thing.

The final parts of the sales talk are more effective when they re-state the fact that a genuinely sound value is being offered now, in this store, supported by dealer service and manufacturer's reputation, unquestionably appropriate and ideally designed for the customer's use.

It may be necessary for a salesman to repeat himself several times on this score. A resourceful retailer will, however, know how to say the same thing in a different way in order to make the point emphatic and effective.

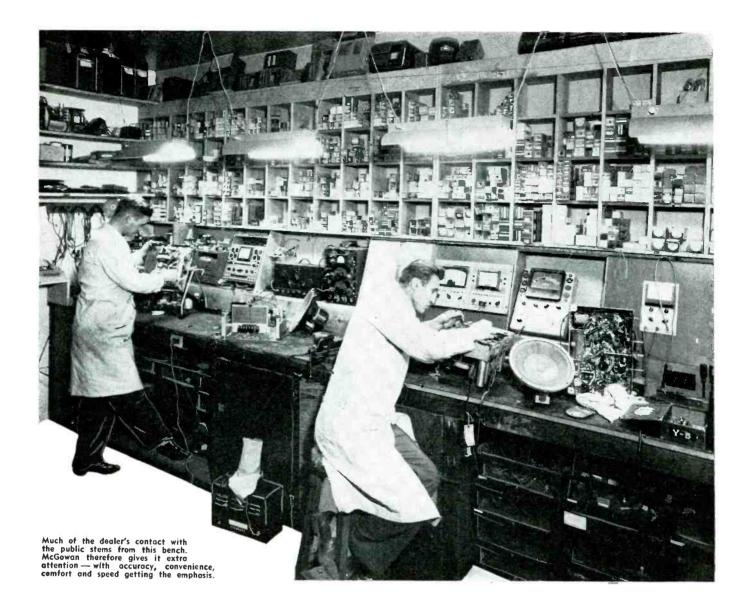
#### Flexible Salesmanship

A dealer will often see the need for selecting one or two of these general points to emphasize. Although most customers are wondering whether they "should look around," in some cases this line of action does not even occur to the prospect and it would be foolish for the retailer to make a special point out of the fact that his store can compare very favorably with other local ones. A salesman can usually tell, during the interview, which of the customer's doubts is the most pronounced. He should concentrate on solving that problem.

ture of an appliance, perhaps because the industry, within itself, recognizes may be that this particular feature happens to be of little interest to an individual customer, due to his spe-

It is a fact that the personalities, motives and requirements of customers have tremendous variations. But if there's one thing they are likely to have in common, it's a standard set of doubts which arise just before making a purchase. A salesman can be prepared for these, and can increase his sales by realizing in advance that he must have a complete set of appropriate answers.

All the selling skill in the world is of no immediate value unless the merchandiser is in good form during the last few minutes of his presentation. The conclusion is that a salesman should "watch the wind-up."



## Sales and Service Expand Together

• The sales volume at the McGowan store in St. Paul, Minn., is moving along at such a healthy clip that the firm recently moved into expanded and remodelled quarters in the "loop" district.

And because the company believes so strongly in the team of sales-and-service, the McGowan repair department is now given a big separate expansion of its own. In taking the step, the firm combined a special sales interest in records with a long-time interest in servicing, and the result is an exceptionally interesting

blend of maintenance and merchandising.

Hereafter all repair work of the company will be done in a newly opened shop on Grand Avenue at Dale Street, instead of in the retail store as formerly. The management feels that a shop centrally located between downtown and the midway district will give faster service to customers because pick-ups and deliveries can be made more quickly.

The new store has a daylight work shop which speeds up work and enables technicians to work faster and more comfortably. This new work room is efficiently laid out with all parts set out circularly around the bench. All parts are easily available to the workers and are binned according to numbers.

Stock of components is so large that practically 98% of all radio repair work can be done with no waiting to get parts. Customers benefit by such quick service. The shop maintains regular pick-ups and deliveries on both large and small instruments. Pick-ups are made on call.

#### Separate Shop Opened for Flourishing Repair Business in Minnesota

As the McGowan store specializes in selling the large radio-phonograph combinations, naturally the repair of these instruments is a specialty. McGowan employs three workmen specially trained in this phase of service. This was found to develop more satisfaction on the part of customers.

#### Doing the Job

One man specializes in outside calls where the work may be done in the home. Another gives full time to radio-phonograph repair of machines brought into the shop, while a third spends full time on small radios.

"A part of the repair shop is used for sales," reports H. J. Gruber, manager of the shop. "In a store located in a neighborhood community such as this, there is always demand for radios, records, and small appliances. Although the major part of our work is repair, we are going to emphasize records. We consider discs to be live items high in continual demand, and they build steady repeat business valuable in keeping our repair section before the public."

Table model radios are shown on one side of the shop on a series of built-in wall shelves. There are a few large radio-phonograph combinations on the floor, and an array of small appliances.

Racks at the side and the front of the shop, and near the desk section which divides the sales end of the shop from the work section, hold records. Albums are arranged at one side and single records where they can be easily obtained for customers near the desk. Low display units along the inside of the window hold the bright colored albums.

#### Interesting Display

Windows stress the sales section of the shop, displaying albums, small radios and small appliances. The shop is located at a juncture of two car lines and has much traffic past its windows.

Heavy sales are being made in children's records, found to be a good repeat item. A booth at one side of the shop provides plenty of room for privacy in listening.

No attempt has been made to "cut corners" on any of the store fixtures of display equipment. The plan is to make the entire lay-out comfortable and efficient for the McGowan staff as well as the customers. The management does not believe in the policy of getting by with only the bare essentials necessary for attracting customers to the store and selling them. Neither does McGowan try for effects that are spectacular or tricky in store facilities; the emphasis is on the fixtures, which are attractive, efficient, clean and sturdy.

An example of this is seen in the service department, where the planning of the shelving is certainly a match for any of that in direct view of the public. But you cannot do good work, day after day, unless

your facilities allow you consistent speed and convenience in routine jobs.

McGowan's interest in repeat business indicates how its main policies are formed. Customers do not come back unless they are satisfied, and this store makes a point of handling shoppers so that they'll "remember and return." Sometimes it's a case of just a few courteous words to a disc buyer, and sometimes it's a careful and thorough handling of a complicated repair job.

#### The Factors Of Good Service

- 1. Shop equipment modern and complete.
- 2. Good working conditions at benches.
- 3. Technical know-how for all jobs.
- 4. Promptness on deliveries to customers.
- 5. Good stocks of replacement parts.
  - 6. Sensible specialization among technicians.
  - 7. Constant study of new circuits.

In the record department, this dealer gets attention via a general simplicity and neatness.



## New Lines for New Fall Sales

#### Musaphonic COMBO

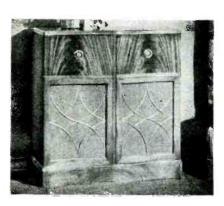
Model 45 "Westchester" radio-phonograph, equipped with chassis, record changer, audio and speakers systems of Musaphonic line. Full length doors; behind left one is roll-out phono drawer and space for 140 records—right door opens on control panel and Multiweave speaker grille of burnished decorative metal. Cabinet in modern style—genuine white ash with lattice effect on doors, clear finish.



Measures 413/8" high by 43 inches wide by 19" deep. \$820. Receiver Division, General Electric Co., Bridgeport, Conn.— RADIO & Television RETAILING.

#### Farnsworth COMBO

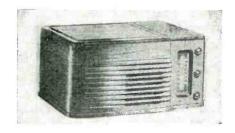
Model GK-115 console AM-FM-phonograph, ac superhet with 12" Alnico 5 speaker, pushbutton tuning. Two built-in antenna—shielded rotatable one for AM. plus dipole for FM. Tunes 540 to 1620 kc and 88 to 108 mc, AVC, travelite dial, band spread type tuning for FM. Beam



power output, push-pull amplification, RF amplifier. Farnsworth automatic record changer Type P 56 MP with automatic stop. Lightweight tubular tone arm, sapphire stylus, handles ten 12" or twelve 10" records, Mahogany veneer cabinet, solid top, metal grilles. Measures 34" wide by 36" high by 18½" deep. Farnsworth Television & Radio Corp., Ft. Wayne, Ind.—RADIO & Television RETAILING.

#### Philco COMBO

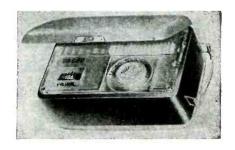
Model 1256 table radio-phonograph with automatic record changer. Beam pentode audio system, 5 tubes plus rectifier, PM



speaker. Tone control, built-in aerial. Featherweight tone arm, permanent needle. Philcote cabinet in walnut \$124.94; in mahogany, \$129.95. Philco Corp.. Tioga & C Streets, Philadelphia, Pa.—RADIO & Television RETAILING.

#### **Garod PORTABLE RADIO**

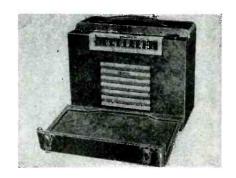
Model 4A1 portable personal battery receiver. 4-tube superhet with Alnico speaker. Tunes 550 to 1600 kc, lucite dial over inlaid cloisonne design. Antenna built in lid. Operates on  $1\frac{1}{2}$  v. "A" battery plus  $67\frac{1}{2}$  v. "B" unit. Case in two-



tone color combinations, alligator-grain plastic back and front. Vinylite strap handle. Provision for use of metallic initials, to be placed on the set by the dealer as a method for "personalizing" the receiver. Matching shoulder strap available. Measures  $6\frac{1}{2}$ " by  $3\frac{1}{4}$ " by  $4\frac{1}{6}$ ". \$29.95 less batteries. Garod Radio Corp., 70 Washington St., Brooklyn 1, N. Y.—RADIO & Television RETAILING.

#### **Emerson PORTABLE**

Model 551—A portable 3-way superhet receiver with hinged removable cover. Plays on ac, dc, and batteries. Five tubes plus rectifier, 5" PM dynamic speaker,



three-gang condenser. Cabinet of simulated leather, \$49.95 less batteries. Emerson Radio & Phonograph Corp., 111 Eighth Ave., New York, N. Y.—RADIO & Television RETAILING.

#### Majestic COMBO-RECORDER

Model 7YR752 table ac radio-phonograph-wire recorder, with microphone and spool of wire. Records from radio, mike



or record. Tunes 535 to 1620 kc, Alnico 5 PM speaker. Plays 10" or 12" discs manually, long-life needle, crystal pickup. Tone-compensated volume control. Modern design cabinet measures  $12^{5}/6$ " high  $17^{5}/6$ " wide by  $14^{3}/4$ " deep. Majestic Radio & Television Corp., St. Charles, Ill.—RADIO & Television RETAILING.

#### Clarion PORTABLE RADIO



"Chum" Model 11411 three-way personal portable in streamlined design "all-weather" case. Ac, dc or battery, with battery life rated at over 50 hours of intermittent playing. Selenium rectifier circuit. Housed in light weight aluminum, finished with baked-on enamel in choice of several colors. Front and back covers of Polystyrene plastic. Offered in combination with shadow-box display. Warwick Mfg. Corp., 4640 W. Harrison St., Chicago 44, Ill.—RADIO & Television RETAILING.

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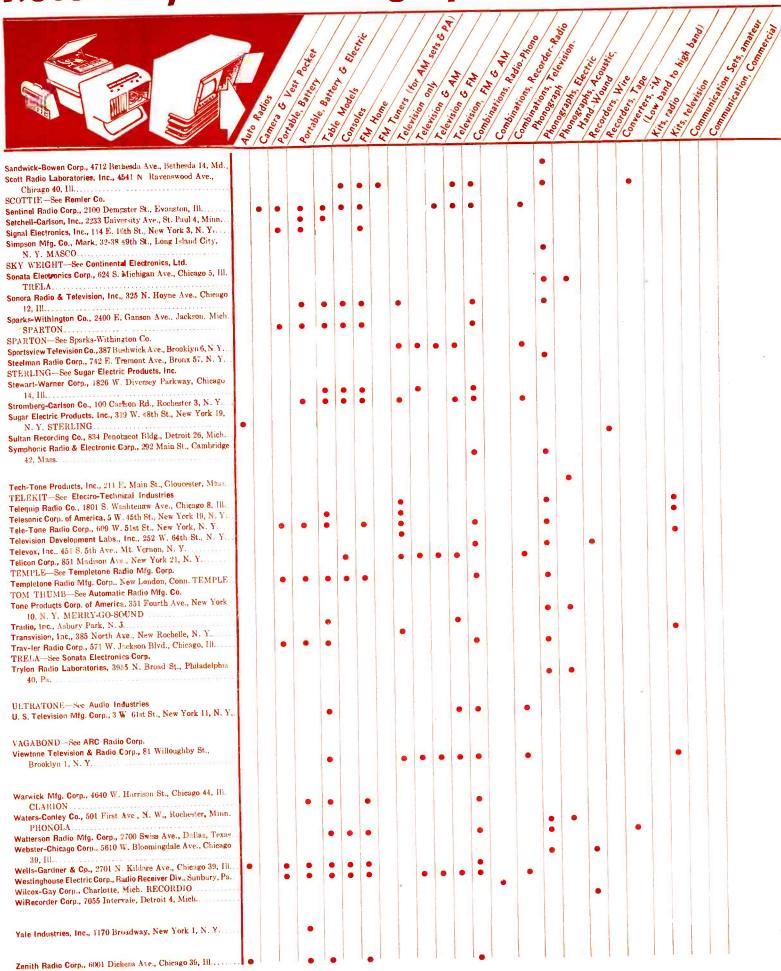
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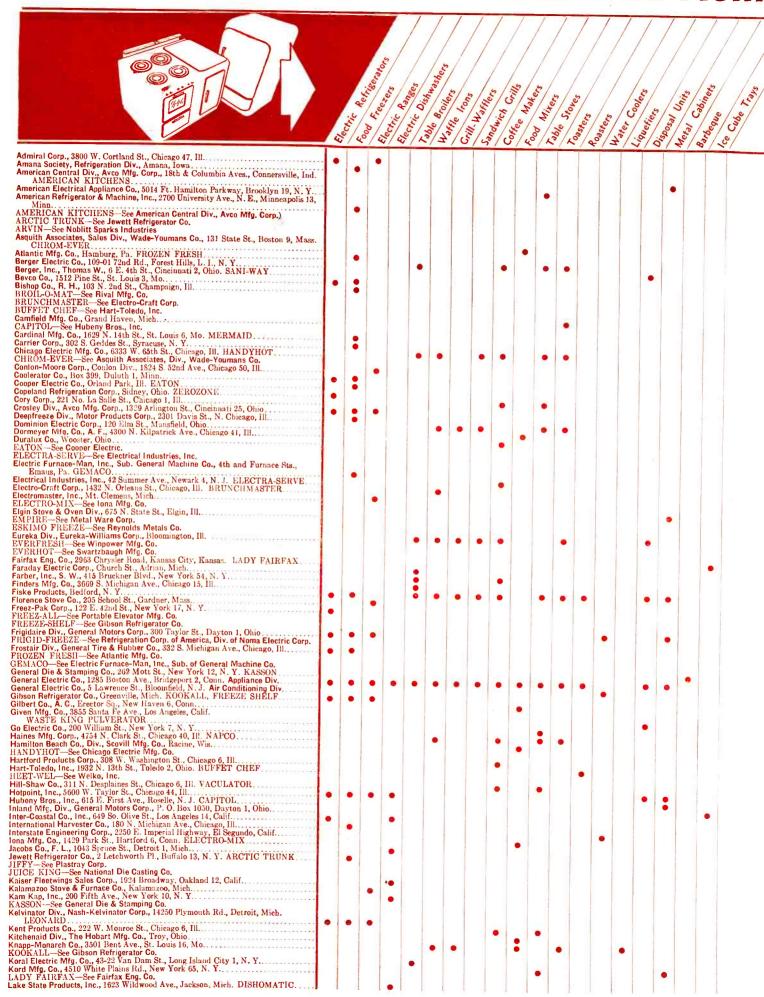
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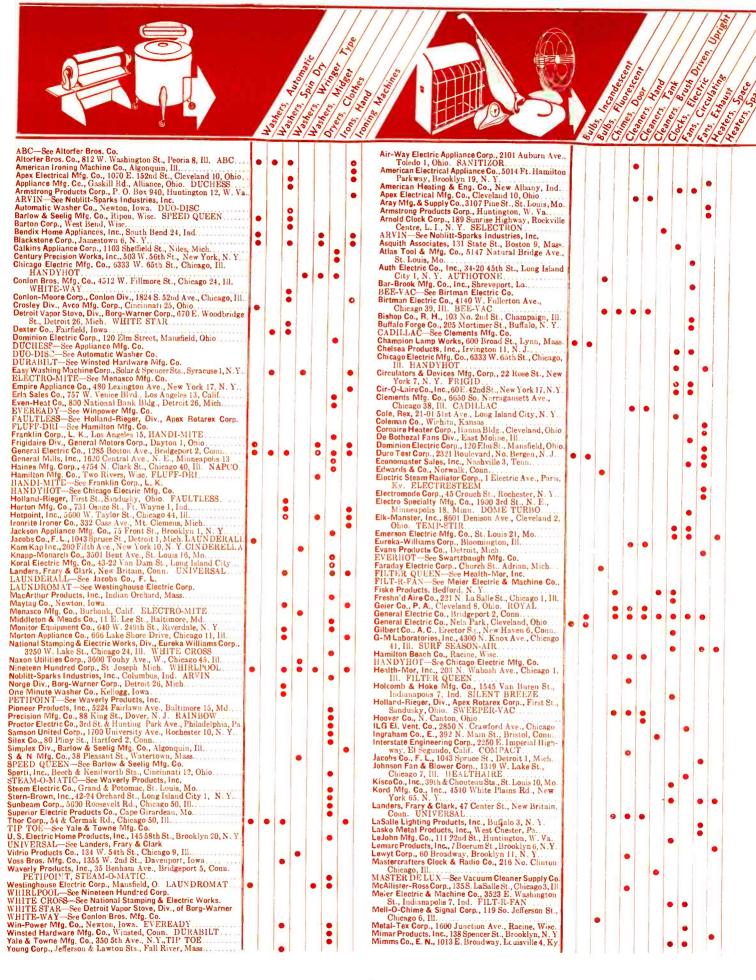
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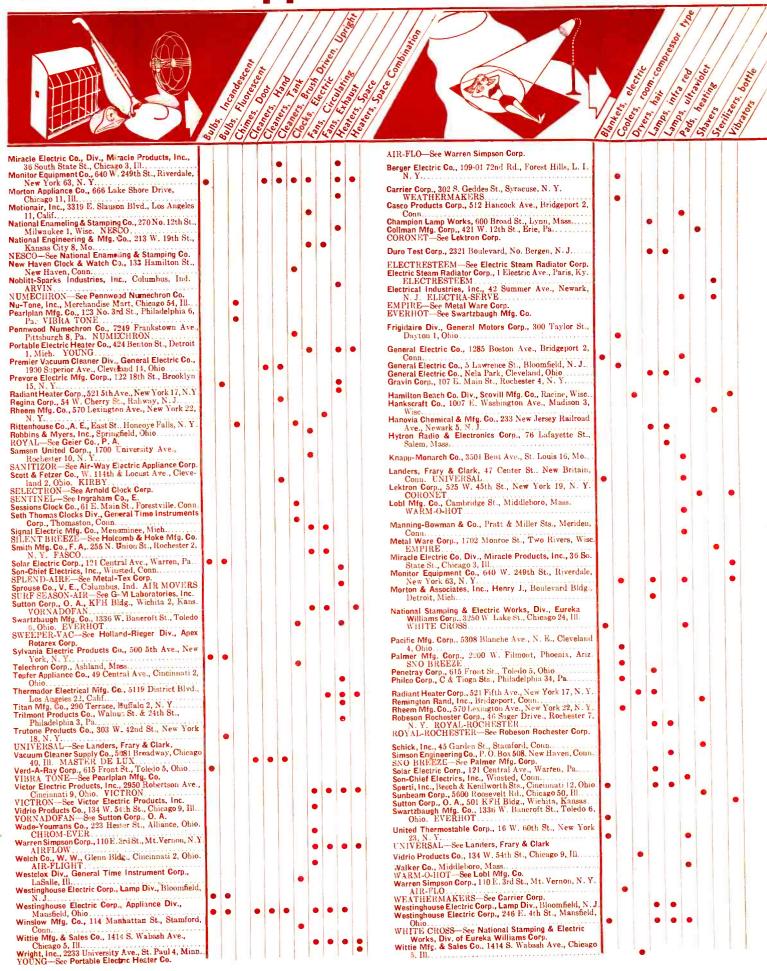
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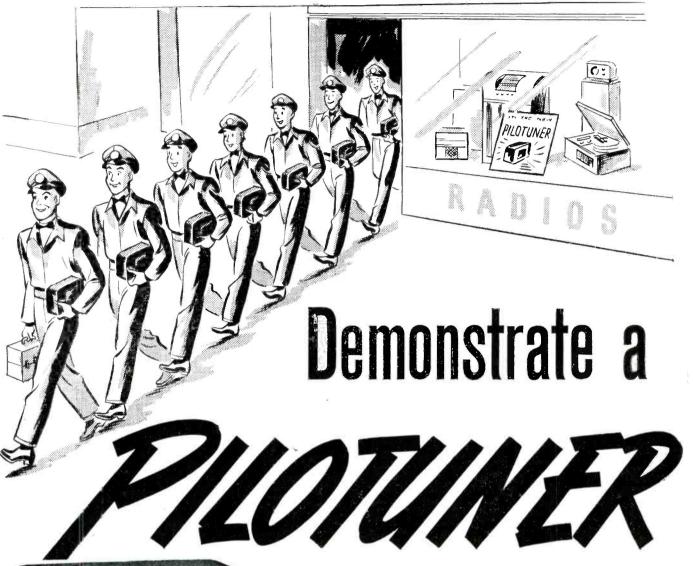
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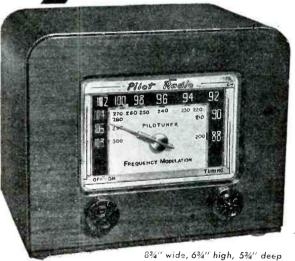


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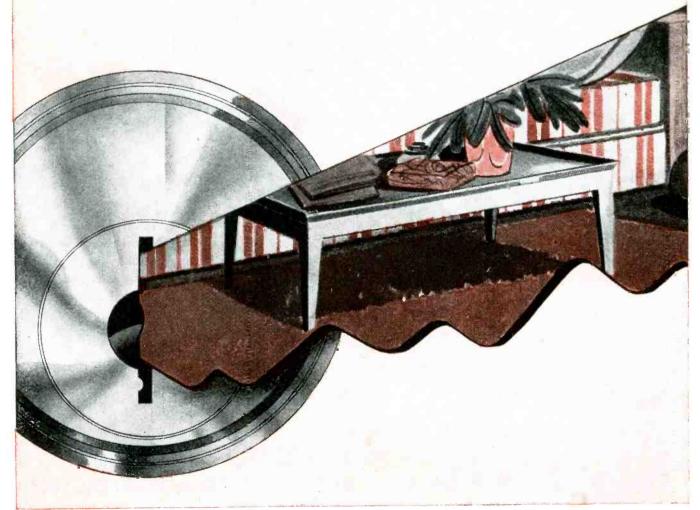
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### "The Age of Acquirement"

Dollar for dollar your advertising budget goes farther in Collier's than in either of the other "Big 3" weeklies. For FEWER DOLLARS you can penetrate the market deeper with more insertions... more weeks of national coverage. And you reach a greater percentage of the 25 to 45 year age group—the "Age of Acquirement"—the men and women who know what they want and are ready to buy.





# New Lines for Fall

### RCA-Victor RADIO



Model 66X12 table ac-dc superhet with Golden Throat tone system. 5 tubes plus rectifier. Two-point tone control, built-in magic loop antenna, AVC. Antique ivory finished plastic cabinet with concentric rectangular louvres and high-finished brass-toned ornament in the center. Slide rule type dial with a pointer that frames calibration numbers. Measures 8½" high by 13½" wide by 7½" deep. \$36.95. (Model 66X11 is same chassis in walnut plastic cabinet, \$34.95) RCA Victor Division, Radio Corp. of America, Camden. N. J.—RADIO & Television RETAILING.

### Tele-tone PORTABLE RADIO



"Constellation" model three-way portable receiver, ac, dc or  $67 \frac{1}{2}$ -volt battery. Drop door front, loop aerial, 4 tubes plus rectifier. Full vision slide rule dial, AVC. Comes in 4 colors—ebony, ivory, sand or maroon. Measures 934" by  $6\frac{1}{2}$ " by  $3\frac{7}{6}$ " and weighs  $5\frac{1}{5}$  lbs. Tele-tone Radio Corp., 609 W. 51st St., New York, N. Y.—RADIO & Television RETAILING.

### UST TELE RECEIVER

Model T-502 (1948) compact console Tele-Symphonic video AM-FM receiver with  $54 \pm \mathrm{sq.}$  in. picture. Automatic fre-



quency control, short wave, automatic picture lock-in. Automatic record changer—choice of Seeburg, Webster or Gerrard units handling ten 12" or twelve 10" discs. Picture position planned for more comfortable visibility. Plate safety glass over picture, simplified controls. Two cabinet styles—Georgian design (illustrated) of dark mahogany with selected genuine matched crotched veneers, or modern design of bleached mahogany. Measures 36" wide by 40" high by 22" deep. \$895 including tax; installation with 3 months service is extra. United States Television Mfg. Corp., 3 W. 61st St., New York 23, N. Y.—RADIO & Television RETAILING.

### **DeWald Portable RADIO**



"Companionette" Model B400 portable personal battery radio, tuning 540 to 1700 kc. Dynamic speaker, 4 tube-superhet, AVC, easy-vision tuning dial, self-contained Looptenna. Uses two flashlight battery cells plus one No. 467 Eveready (or equivalent). Two-tone leatherette case measures 81/4" long by 41/2" deep by 5" high. \$20.95 less batteries. DeWald Radio Mfg. Corp., 35-15 37th Ave., Long Island City, N. Y.—RADIO & Television RETAILING.

### Telekit VIDEO KIT



Model 10 television receiver kit with 10" picture tube. Television Training Institute interlock circuit for vertical and horizontal synchronization. Three separate power supplies, pre-tuned IF coils, 5-band switching device. Photos, diagrams and complete instruction for easy assembly. Local Telekit service stations to give help and advice. \$124.50 less tubes. Tubes are \$64.50; cabinet is \$29.50. (Model 7, with 7" picture tube is \$77.50 less tubes). Electro-Technical Industries, 121 N. Broad St., Philadelphia 7, Pa.—RADIO & Television RETAILING.

### Admiral COMBO



Model 7C73-9A1 console AM-FM radio-phonograph, 9-tube ac superhet with 12" Alnico 5 speaker. Beam power output, separate AM and FM circuits from power supply. Tunes 540 to 1610 kc for AM and 88 to 108 mc for FM, built-in Aeroscope. Two r-f stages with miniature tubes, permeability tuned throughout. Tilt tuning, bass compensation, AVC, indirectly lighted lucite dial. Record storage space. Cabinet of modern period design—mahogany, walnut or bleached mahogany veneers, inlaid molding, French gold handles. Measures 37%" wide by 36%" high by 16%6" deep. \$289.95 for any finish. Admiral Corp., Chicago 47, Ill.—RADIO & Television RETALL-

### Recordio COMBO

Model 7E40 "Traditional" recorder-radio-phonograph with AM or FM-AM as optional feature. Makes recordings from its own mike or built-in radio. Pushbutton function control, large-area, low-impedance antenna loop, 12" PM dynamic speaker. Separate cutting stages, electron-ray tuning and recording volume indicator, microphone booster stage. Slide-out changer-recorder with new pickup cartridge. Large record storage compartment with extra shelf. Mahogany fnish cabinet of traditional English period design, solid top construction. Measures 3734" wide by



16½" deep by 37%" high. \$375 plus estimated \$75 for FM chassis. Wilcox-Gay Corp., Charlotte, Mich.—RADIO & Television RETAILING.

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# Olympic is first with Flat a popular price!



**REMINDER!** Olympic's deluxe period console combinations at *popular prices* are becoming the talk of the trade. No sets of comparable quality are available at anywhere near Olympic's prices. Other Olympic models from \$14.95 list. Write for full particulars.

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Look at that retail price! Look at these specifications!

- FM and standard broadcast!
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- Plays anywhere, AC/DC!
- · Built-in antennae!
- Illuminated slide-rule dial!
- Full-sized, beautiful table model cabinet in Walnut or lvory plastic!
- Famous Olympic tone quality!
- · To retail for only \$39.95!

Act fast. Shipments begin in September. For further information and descriptive literature, wire or write Olympic Radio and Television, Inc., Long Island City 1, New York.

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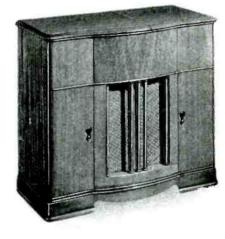
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# NEW AM AND FM-AM Radio-Phonographs



MODEL WTRU-254. The hottest selling console on the market! Priced from \$50 to \$75 below any comparable model! Complete home entertainment—Standard Broadcast, Short Wave, Automatic Phonograph! A top quality console, fine furniture in choice mahogany veneers. With album storage space. Today's biggest console value—gives you the edge on combination sales!......\$149.95



MODEL RMR-245. You'll do a big console business with this magnificent model! It's big (two record storage compartments)—it's fine furniture in rich mahogany—it's complete—Broadcast, Short Wave, Automatic Phonograph! And it's sensibly priced—within the budget of the mass market buyer. It's the model that means volume combination sales!..\$240.00

Model WLRU-245. With FM-AM

ith FM-AM .....\$275.00

MODEL RMR-219. Top-quality combination at an unchallenged price! Luxurious proportions, SONOR A-crafted in choice mahogany veneers. Two album storage compartments. Broadcast, Short Wave, Automatic Phonograph. Complete home entertainment, priced to draw in your trade, designed to sell! \$235.00

Model WLRU-219, With FM-AM, \$270.00

Model WLRU-220. With FM-AM in the beauty of rare Primavera woods, \$280.00

(Prices slightly higher in the Far South and West of the Rockies.)

### SENSATIONAL FM-AM PLASTIC TABLE MODEL

MODEL WEU-262. Brighten your sales with SONORA'S table model masterpiece! Here's thrilling FM reception and "Clear as a Bell" standard broadcast in a plastic table model cabinet that deserves an "Oscar" for its brilliant styling. Timed right, priced right to take your trade by storm. They want FM. They want fine styling and quality. Give them this SONORA sensation and watch them buy! In Mahogany \$59.95 Model WEU-240. In Ivory...........\$62.95



### SONORA-YOURS FOR STEADY, GOOD BUSINESS

SONORA Franchised Dealers are backed by a 3-Point Policy that has for its goal continuous sales and customer satisfaction—the requirements for steady good business:

**QUALITY**—Every SONORA model is designed and built to deliver "Clear as a Bell" tone. SONORA styling is market-conscious. SONORA produces fine furniture—crafted in its own wood factory.

**DEPENDABLE DEALING**—SONORA plays squarely with its Dealers. There's no obsolescence in SONORA merchandise. SONORA helps you move merchandise—protects your investment.

SENSIBLE PRICES—Each and every SONORA model is priced to appeal to mass market buyers—pledged to give more value, more quality, more enduring satisfaction for your customers' money.



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SONORA RADIO & TELEVISION CORP. 325 NORTH HOYNE AVE., CHICAGO 12, ILLINOIS

# So New. So Different



and Clear as a Bell



MODEL RDU-209. Smartest table model on the market. Fashioned in rich walnut veneers. Powerful AC-DC Superhet \$39.95



MODEL RBU-175. Features the modern plastic vogue everyone wants. AC-DC Superhet. Mahogany.....\$23.95 Model RBU-176. Ivory ..... \$25.95



MODEL RZU-248. A peerless plastic model of rare appeal. Powerful, sensitive Superhet, Mahogany ..... \$32.95 Model RZU-222. Ivory . . . . . . . . \$34.95



MODEL WGFU-242. The popular "Serenade"—America's most distinctive table Radio-Phono. In Mahogany . . . . \$39.95 Model WGFU-241. Ivory ..... \$42.50



MODEL RWF-78. The perfect Electric Phonograph—the best-seller in its field.
"Clear as a Bell." Mahogany. \$24.95 Model RWF-238. Ivory ..... \$26.95



Smartest bedtime story ever told! A bed reading light that's kind on the eyes. A "Clear as a Bell" radio for bedtime entertainment. Styled like a dream in gleaming plastic. Compact, fits any bed. Packed with appeal for all of America-this SONORA "First" sells itself on your sales floor. You'll find SONORA'S "Fun in Bed" model a sure-fire seller!

Model WCU-246. Ivory Plastic . . . . \$29.95



# Radio Originals

Look to SONORA for the new and different! Look to SONORA for salesstimulating models that spark new

business for you in every season of the year. Here's the kind of original merchandise that means steady good business for you!



### THE SPARKLING NEW "GEMS"

Infinitely smart, refreshingly new-here are the most delightful of all small radios! Jewel-like in their perfection, the "Gems" are the perfect "extra" radio—yet they're truly good enough to serve as the "main" set in the home. For sheer radio cheer and charm in any room, there's nothing like the "Gems!"
Available in three lovely colors to meet all the tastes of your trade.
Model WJU-253. Mahogany.

bination.....

### THE "TOP-TUNER"

Here's a fast-selling SONORA original with irresistible eye appeal Unique in its tasteful styling, rich with "Clear as a Bell" toneplus push-button tuning! Sensibly priced to sell. Here's a model that's new and different-a table model sales-activator if there ever was one

Model WAU-243. Ivory . . . . . \$29.75



(Prices slightly higher in the Far South and West of the Rockies.)



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# More New Lines Ready

### Westinghouse COMBO



Model 166 radio-phonograph AM-FM console combination with 12 tubes. Electronic Feather tone arm, extra space for record storage, automatic intermix disc changer. Fine-furniture cabinet in mahogany or blonde. Approximately \$379.95. Westinghouse Electric Corp., Sunbury, Pa.—RADIO & Television RETALLING.

### Telex HEARING AID

Model 97 hearing aid with air-cushioned, pivot-mounted microphone. Sound aperture of new design—made of opalescent plastic recessed below the case to eliminate noise from clothes rubbing over microphone area. Stainless steel components include battery contacts, clip and case hinge. Case is shelf-locking book-type design of two types of thermosetting material—American Cyanamid Melmao and Plaskon Melamine. Silver spray shielding on interior of case, for protection against neon lamps, etc. Telex, Inc., 1633 Eustis St., Minneapolis 2, Minn.—RADIO & Television RETAILING.

### Peirce WIRE RECORDER

Portable magnetic wire recorder, design for office dictation and transcription. Complete with either microphone or foot control. Will reproduce music at manufacturer-guaranteed frequency response of 150 to 5,000 cps at plus or minus 3 db, in addition to voice sounds of desk or phone conversations, inventory taking, news reporting, etc. Special clutch permits frequent and immediate change-over from listening to recording position. Four-way



mixer system for recording multiple conversations. Peirce Wire Recorder Corp., 132 Sherman Ave., Evanston, Ill.—RADIO & Television RETAILING.

### TV RECEIVER ASSEMBLY

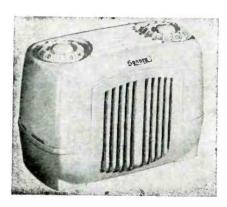
Television set covers 13 video channels, furnished complete with all components. Low voltage power supply using full wave rectification. Five if picture stages of amplification, two sound i-f stages with limiter and discriminator, two video stages of amplification. Complete with



10" picture tube plus 29 RCA tubes, Balanced 300-ohm line to antenna input, aligned and tested. All circuits are delivered wired, tested, tuned and tubed. Dipole antenna with 60-ft. lead-in, 12" PM speaker, advanced sync separator. Complete assembly data and schematics. Chassis measures 19" by 17" by 3". \$229.50. f.o.b. Brooklyn. (\$259.50 with 12" picture tube). Television Assembly Co., 387 Bushwick Ave., Brooklyn 6, N. Y. RADIO & Television RETAILING

### Sonora RADIO

"Gem" model ac-dc superhet receiver tuning 535 to 1720 kc. PM dynamic speaker, 4 tubes, antenna built into line cord—no aerial or ground needed. Plastic-molded



cabinet measures 7¾" by 4¼" by 5¾". Choice of three colors—walnut at \$17.95; ivory at \$18.95; and the buff-and-burgundy combination at \$19.95. Sonora Radio & Television Corp., Chicago 12, Ill.—RADIO & Television RETAILING.

### **Gray SET SILENCER**

Extension cord plugs in between receiver plug and wall outlet, and carries two push-buttons for silencing set during objectionable "commercials," phone-calls, etc. Push-buttons can be set for different time intervals of shut-off before restoring program. This "Commercial Control" is made by Gray Development Corp., Box 1001, Beverly Hills, Calif. Eastern distributor is Theodore Malcolm, 525 Lexington Ave., New York 22, N. Y. Retail price \$2.95.—RADIO & Television RETAILING.

### Motorola COMBO



Model 65F12 table radio-phonograph ac superhet with automatic record changer. Dynamic speaker. 2-position tone control on radio and phono, Aero-Vane built-in loop antenna—outside aerial connection. Tunes 535 to 1620 kc. "Floating Action" changer handles ten 10" or eight 12" discs. Record release spindle to insure longer record life, silent cartridge to minimize record noise. Manual play position for playing one record at a time. Illuminated slide-rule dial. Modern design cabinet in walnut veneer, measures 17½" wide by 11½" high by 16¾" deep. Motorola, Inc., 4545 Augusta Blvd., Chicago, Ill.—RADIO & Television RETAILING.

### **DeJur EXPOSURE METER**

Dual-Professional "Lifetime" exposure meter for amateur or professional photographers—new design uses either reflected or incident light to give more accurate calculations of exposure speeds and aperture settings. Eliminates "averaging" of several readings. Lifetime guarantee. \$32.50 with case. DeJur Amsco Corp., Northern Blvd., at 45th St., Long Island City, N. Y.—RADIO & Television RETAILING.

### Magnavox COMBO

"Windsor" model radio-phonograph with three chassis—one each for AM. FM. and shortwave. Four speakers, coupled to 45watt amplifier through a frequency dividing network for more realistic tonal reproduction, 21 tubes. Improved record changer with "pianissimo" pickup, storage room for 250 records behind paneled doors. Cabinet of breakfront, fine-furniture design.



in antique finished Escanaba knotty pine or genuine old world mahogany. \$750. Magnavox Co., 2131 Bueter Rd., Ft. Wayne 4. Ind.—RADIO & Television RETAILING.

# Meissner

### PRESENTS THE NEW BREWSTER LINE OF TABLE MODEL RADIOS



Here in these new Brewsters is the outstanding line you have been waiting for! Superbly designed, unmatched for sheer beauty of tone, these completely new sets reflect the skill and craftsmanship that have made the name Meissner a byword for quality in the trade. Encased in cabinets of surpassing charm, they are easily superior to anything now being offered in this field.

Smartly designed, quality engineered, these sets are being manufactured by Meissner for exclusive distribution through parts jobbers only. No quotas, no high-pressure tactics, no "special deals", no sales direct to dealers or special distributors . . . in fact, nothing that might even remotely interfere with your merchandising this new, exclusively-jobber line to the hilt. More than this . . . Meissner unconditionally guarantees the prices on these new Brewsters against reduction for the balance of the year.

This complete line is available for delivery NOW. Wire or write today for full information, prices and illustrated folder.

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FM and AM reception. Features the exclusive Noise-Gate circuit that virtually banishes interference. Pull-out automatic record changer. Choice of mahogany, walnut, or blonde finish.



Your customers won't believe its price! Compares with radio-phonograph combinations costing many dollars more. Features the exclusive FM Noise-Gate circuit, for finer FM reception, further range, less interference. Automatic record-changer. Beautifully styled.

# CAN BUILD BIGGER PROFITS FOR YOU!

More for your customers—more in exclusive engineering features, more in styling, more in performance—and at less money! That's what Majestic dealers have to offer.

A complete line, featuring models in every price range, for every taste . . . that's what Majestic dealers have to offer.

A name that has been associated with fine radio products for eighteen years—that's what Majestic dealers have to offer!

And—a carefully integrated merchandising plan—dealer helps galore—selling assistance—a smashing national advertising campaign—that's what Majestic dealers get! Investigate now. Waiting won't make you any money!



The ever-popular Frolix—the back-to-schooler's dream radio-phonograph! Light, easy to carry in its handsome case! Automatic record changer. Frolix gives more for the money than any other combination near its price!



The Majestic Wire Recorder—newest thing in electronics. Customers are fascinated by its ease of operation—its many uses. Combines recorder with radio-phonograph. The newest, hottest addition to the Majestic line—and sells for appreciably less than comparative models!



The colorful Room Mate—baby-sized, and unbeatable in its class! The plastic case comes in a variety of colors, to please every one. Trouble-free performance, far better tone and reception than your customers expect for its price!



# RECORDS

## Section of RADIO Felevision RETAILING

# Platter Profit-Pointers

FALL SEASON sees trek toward "indoor living" starting again.
Retail record sales start upswing this time of the year because folks spend more time at home, and spend more money on "at-home" entertainment.

HOMEMAKERS are more keenly aware of decorating defects when they return from summer vacations, and Autumn is the usual time for "refurnishing." Dealers should stress the importance of furniture storage-cabinets and record albums to customers.

"TIMING is as important in selling as it is in sports," explains one prosperous record dealer. He estimated that approximately 90% of his accessory sales were "tagged-on" to the original order, by being properly suggested at precisely the right moment.

EDUCATIONAL DISCS are an important part of many a record manufacturer's catalog, and they should occupy an equally prominent position in the dealer's store. The beginning of the school year is a particularly good time to hop on the "back-to-school-bandwagon" for those extra sales. (See story page 81.)

AV AILABILITY of most record players should yield the record retailer many "big ticket" sales. Customers who preferred not to buy last

winter, or who waited for the "later" models, will definitely be in the market for a phonograph this season.

LENDING A HELPING HAND to dealers who are busy making plans for Christmas orders of records and accessories, is RADIO & Television RETAILING's 1947 Directory. Dealers will find a complete coverage of manufacturers and merchandise in this issue.



PARTIES to celebrate Hallowe'en, Thanksgiving, football victories, or anything else that comes to mind, are the dealer's cue to bigger and better sales. In addition to the dance records, which the youngsters will go for, college songs, music for group singing, and novelty records can be suggested as extra discs to make the get-together a gay affair.

POSSIBILITY OF a Petrillo tiff with record manufacturers before the end of the year has many retailers wondering. Discmakers though, are unanimous in opinion that even if the worst should happen, they can still keep stores supplied with re-issues and oldies that are in demand.

RECORDING ARTISTS going in for vaudeville tours in a big way. Booking agents have found that public wants to see its disc favorites in the flesh. Dealers should check with local vaude outlets and find out which platter personalities are scheduled for personal appearances, and plan tie-in windows

THE \$64 QUESTION in record merchandising is: "Do customers know what they want before they come into the store, or do they decide afterward?" It should make no difference to astute merchants, however, for both categories are in a "buying mood," and receptive to sales talk.

NEW RECORD LABELS are still cropping up all over the country. Midwest has had the greatest influx, with local firms concentrating on hillbilly and religious recordings, as well as popular catalogs which feature names well-known in corn-belt cities.

RECORD PACKAGING is receiving more and more attention from the disc-makers, with cellophane envelopes, novelty folders, and colorful design all coming in for their share of the spot-light. Concentrated effort devoted to the way the records "look" is paying off, dealers find. Merchandise display is facilitated, and discs practically "sell themselves" on visual appeal.

# Gash in on your RCA VICTOR ads next month!

II,700,000 ads in "LIFE," "LOOK," POP and 6 other mags! They display a menu for October that's all gravy for you: new Como and Beneke albums plus a smooth and sultry coupling from a sensational new RCA Victor star!

### NOW BACK IN SUPPLY!

A lot of sales are made in these monthly books-"RCA Victor Record Review" and "In the Groove." Next month's ads will remind your customers to ask you for them ... so check your RCA Victor Distributor to meet your need.



### BENEKE

"Prom Date" (Album P-183, \$3.15). The Miller Orchestra wraps up 8 of the most popular campus tunes. A brand-new album with terrific appeal for every taste . . . every locality! Catch the first rush of sales with an early window display.



"Sentimental Date With Perry" (Album P-187, \$3.15). Eight great favorite songs get the touch of Como's magic! Next month's announcement ads will set off a sellout, so be sure to have plenty of stock on hand . . . and in sight.



### **DAVIS**

"It All Came True" and "One Little Tear is an Ocean"—With Toots Camarata and his Orchestra (RCA Victor 20-2426). It's the new hit record by a zooming new star. Get set for next month's Beryl Davis promotion

### RED SEAL 8,200,000 full-page ads! Your "LIFE" page puts sell behind the entire October release and features 3 of the headliners. 2 "TIME" pages feature

Horowitz and Maynor.



VLADIMIR HOROWITZ. Pianist: Mendelssohn's Wedding March and Variations after Liszt—Horowitz. RCA Victor Red Seal Record 11-9693. Full page in "TIME" Oct. 6.

(Prices shown are suggested list, exclusive of taxes.)



DOROTHY MAYNOR, Soprano: Sacred Songs, With the RCA Victor Orchestra, Sylvan Levin, Conductor; and Joseph Fuchs, Violinist. M-1043, \$3.85. Full page in "TIME" Oct. 20.



PAGANINI QUARTET Quartets No. 7, 8 and 9, Op. 59 ("Rasoumovsky No. 1, 2 and 3")—Beethoven. M/DM-1151, \$5.85; M/DM-1152, \$4.85; M/DM-1153, \$4.85. To be featured in "LIFE" Oct. 27.



PEERCE & WARREN: Three Operatic Duets: O Mimi tu piu non torni—La Bohême; Solenne in questora and In vano Alvaro— La Forza del Destino. RCA Victor Orch.; Jean Paul Morel, Erich Leinsdorf, Conductors. M/DM-1156, \$2.85. To be featured in "LIFE" Oct. 27.



ELEANOR STEBER: Mozart Arias: Non so piu cosa son, Guinse Alsin il mo-mento, Deh vieni non tardar -Marriage of Figaro; Torture unabating, Firm in thy decision - Abduction From the Seraglio. RCA Victor Orchestra, Jean Paul Morel, Cond. M/DM-1157, \$3.85. To be featured in "LIFE" Oct. 27.

Big "pop" and Red Seal Sellers are featured on your RCA Victor Show, Sundays (2 PM, EDT, over all NBC stations). Follow up with a tie-in promotion!

# RCA VICTOR RECORDS @





# Educational Discs

### Many Extra Dollars to Be Garnered from Specialized Sales Effort

• The start of the school season this month should provide many record retailers with an excellent opening wedge into the field of educational discs. Records that "instruct as well as entertain," have been enthusiastically endorsed by educators and parents, and are rapidly finding their way into the class-room and homes.

The head of the board of education of a big western city sends out monthly bulletins to school principals recommending specific record releases for classroom use. Many schools allot ample portions of their budget to maintain a good record library. Platter dealers can certainly profit from the flurry discs have created in educational circles; they have everything to gain by hopping on the "back-to-school bandwagon" with tiein displays and a concentrated sales effort.

Dealers are actually rendering a service to the community, and building goodwill for their stores, by setting up a good educational disc display. Records which are used in the classrooms of the neighborhood school, or which are in the school's library, should be listed for all to see. In addition, a list of supplementary discs can be easily compiled by the retailer to serve as a guide for parents.

### Effective Display

To announce the establishment of the educational disc department, the dealer should plan a colorful "school days" window, stressing this "painless" form of education. A simple, yet effective display can be evolved through combining girl and boy mannequins listening to a record player, with a large blackboard in the background and chalk notations which get the point of the display across to viewers.

Direct mail contact with members of local parent-teacher groups describing the latest "educational" disc releases, is another form of promotion which usually pays off.

The record companies have been eager to acquaint the public with their efforts in the field of "education" and are expanding their catalogs in this direction.

RCA Victor's newly recorded "Library of Records for Elementary



Grades," will be available this month. Containing 83 unbreakable records, packaged in 21 albums, the complete set is available for \$98.75, or at \$4.75 per album of four records.

The basic needs and desires of primary and upper grades are considered in these RCA Victor albums, which fall into the following categories: Basic rhythmic activities, basic listening activities, basic singing activities, singing games, Christmas album, Indian album, rhythm bands, patriotic songs of America.

### **Large Selection**

Dealers will find many records listed in the general catalogs of the record companies which can be included in any list of suggested records. However, in addition to many of the albums listed under "children's" in its catalog, RCA Victor especially suggests the "Children's Treasury of Music," which was prepared for the help of mothers in the home who wish to present standard types of music to their children, rather than for presentation in the schools.

Operatic, instrumental and vocal albums of interest to upper grades in high schools, recommended by RCA Victor include: "Treasury of Grand Opera" (M-1074, \$4.85), "Heart of La Boheme" (DM-980, \$6.00), "Boris Godounoff" (DM-1000, \$6.00), "Highlights From Madame Butterfly" (DM-1068, \$3.85), "Carmen" (DM-1078, \$7.00), "Scenes From Wagner Operas" (DM-979, \$5.85).

Instrumental albums: "Hungarian Dances" (M-1053, \$3.00), "Kreisler Program" (M-1044, \$3.00), "Lincoln Portrait" (DM-1088, \$2.85), "Organ Recital" (M-1091, \$3.85), "Rossini Overtures" (DM-1037, \$4.85), "Symphonic Dances" (DM-1066, \$3.85), "Till Eulenspiegel's Merry Pranks" (DM-1029, \$2.85).

Vocal RCA Victor albums suggested: "Cantata No. 78 Thou My Wearied Spirit" (DM-1045, \$4.85),

"Folk Songs and Ballads" (M-1086, \$3.00), "Sacred Songs Sung by Dorothy Maynor" (M-1043, \$3.85), "Songs My Mother Taught Me" (11-9153, \$1.00).

Columbia Records catalog also contains a variety of delightful and entertaining educational albums for children. Topping the list are the dramatic doings of Basil Rathbone, in: "A Christmas Carol" (M-MM-521, \$4.00), "Peter and the Wolf" (M-MM-477, \$4.00), "Robin Hood" "Treasure (M-MM-583,\$5.00), Island" (M-MM-553, \$4.00), "Hansel and Gretel" (M-MM-632, \$5.00), "The Adventures of Oliver Twist and Fagin" (MM-700, \$4.00). Other dramatic presentations in the same vein are Errol Flynn's "The Three Musketeers" (M-MM-659, \$5.00), and Maurice Evans' presentation of "Six Excerpts From 'Hamlet'" (M-MM-651, \$4.00).

Additional Columbia albums and singles which can be recommended to round out the lessons learned in music appreciation classes include: "The Young Person's Guide to the Orchestra" (MM-703, \$4.00), "Hansel and Gretel" (MOP 26, \$15.00), "The Sorcerer's Apprentice" (12584-D, \$1.00), "Brazilian Piano Music" (M-MM-692, \$3.25), "Brahms Waltzes" (17407-D, \$.75), "Variations on 'Pop Goes the Weasel'" (4368M, \$.75), "Hungarian Rhapsody, No. (12437D, \$1.00), "Suite Francaise" (MX268, \$3.00), "Music of Morton Gould" (MM668, \$5.00), "Gayne 'Ballet Suite'" (M-MM-664, \$4.00), "Pictures at an Exhibition" (M-MM-641, \$5.00).

### Suggested Albums

Decca's "Songs of Safety" records with Frank Luther may be included in any dealer's set-up of discs that "instruct." The same label's "American Heritage" album, provides listeners with insight into American poetry and history.

Disc Co. of America has a wide choice of albums for inclusion in an educational disc display. Suggested from its "folk," "children's albums," "ethnic series," and "documentary" categories are: "America's Favorite Songs, Vol. I and Vol. II" (607, 633, \$3.15 each), "John Jacob Niles —

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# Harvest







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(6) Josh White sings a time tribute to the late FDR on new Disc release.

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8 Dorothy Shay, the "Parx Avenue Hillibilly," made history for Columbia Records during a recent exploitation campaign in Flat River, Mo





# Disc Dollars from Sales

End of Summer Will See New Upsurge in Platter Profits



BACH: "Concerto in D Minor for Two Viclins and Orchestra," Jascha Heifetz, violinist, RCA Victor Chamber Orchestra, Franz Waxman, conductor. RCA Victor M or DM 1136

This album is the answer to a music lover's dream—Heifetz playing both solo violin parts. Since dream cannot be realized in the concert hall, the only way to hear this virtuosity is to listen to the album, and customers will be fascinated by Heifetz' performance.

BORODIN-GLAZOUNOFF, BER-LIOZ: "Beecham Favorites," Sir Thomas Beecham, Bart., and the London Philharmonic Orchestra. RCA Victor M or DM 1141

Personal Beecham favorites, selections from "Prince Igor" and "The Trojans," cover the three records.

DEBUSSY: "Sonata No. 3 for Violin and Piano," RAVEL: "Berceuse," Zino Francescatti, violin, Robert Casadesus, piano. Columbia X-MX-280.

This Debussy sonata is tenderly interpreted by Francescatti and Casadesus.

DVORAK: "Symphony No. 1 in D Major," The Cleveland Orchestra, conducted by Erich Leinsdorf. Columbia M-MM-687

Customers who are familiar with the "New World" symphony will appreciate being exposed to more of Dvorak's colorful native music, as well as the music students who know this work.

RACHMANINOFF: "The Bells,"
Choral symphony for orchestra,
based on poem by Edgar Allan
Poe; Jacques Rachmilovich conducting the Santa Monica Symphony Orchestra, with Hollywood First Methodist Church
Choir. Disc 804

Rachmilovich broadcast this symphony this past Spring, and the response was enthusiastic by public and musicians alike; portion of proceeds is allotted to Rachmaninoff Fund for needy musicians.

STRAUSS: "Le Bourgeois Gentilhomme," Pittsburgh Symphony Orchestra, Fritz Reiner, conductor. Columbia M-MM-693

Mood and manner of Moliere's comedy recaptured in sparkling Strauss music and Reiner rendition.

WAGNER: "A Wagner Program,"
Arturo Toscanini and the NBC
Symphony Orchestra. RCA Victor M or DM 1135

"Siegfried Idyll," "A Faust Overture," and "Ride of the Valkyries," are included in this outstanding collection, under the masterful batonwielding of Toscanini.

### LIGHT CONCERT FAVORITES

"HOLIDAY FOR STRINGS," David Rose and his orchestra. MGM 3 Rose's title tune, "Holiday for Strings," as well as the modern "4:20 A. M.," "Manhattan Square Dance," and old favorites like "Laura" and "Estrellita" included in album.

"KOSTELANETZ FAVORITES," Andre Kostelanetz and his orchestra. Columbia M-MM-681

Old stand-bys like "Jalousie," "Romance," "Ritual Dance of Fire," and "Yours Is My Heart Alone," receive the melodious Kostelanetz treatment.

STRAUSS: "Die Fledermaus, Waltzes," Leopold Stokowski and the Hollywood Bowl Symphony Orchestra. RCA Victor 10-1310

Popularity of Stokowski's symphonic interpretation of other Strauss waltzes, makes this disc a sure-fire bet for dealers.

"THE STUDENT PRINCE," Al Goodman and his orchestra, with Earl Wrightson, Mary Martha Brinley, Donald Dame, Frances Greer, and the Guild Choristers. RCA Victor K-8

All the enchantment of this sentimental Romberg operetta is preserved and recaptured on wax, in this excellent Goodman offering. The top songs of the show, plus melodious overture, have been recorded.

WOLF-FERRARI, STRAUSS,

RIMSKY-KORSAKOV: "Dance of the Camorristi"—"Tritsch-Tratsch Polka"—"Flight of the Bumble Bee." Carnegie Pops Orchestra conducted by Abravanel. Columbia 7566-M

Three favorites combined on a single 12-inch disc for several very pleasant minutes of listening.



PONS, LILY: "Chansons," sung in French, with orchestra conducted by Abravanel and Kostelanetz. Columbia M-MM-689

Pons' bell-like tones are heard to best advantage in the lovely "Chere Nuit," and Darius Milhaud songs, included in this "impressionistic" album.

TOUREL, JENNIE: "Jennie Tourel in Rossini Arias" (sung in Italian), with the Metropolitan Opera Orchestra conducted by Pietro Cimara. Columbia M-MM-691

Mezzo-soprano Tourel sings four arias from "Barber of Seville," "Cinderella," "The Italian Girl in Algiers," and "Semiramide."



CARLE, FRANKIE: "The Glow-Worm"—"Penguin at the Waldorf." Columbia 37567

The first side is a novelty excellently adapted to Carle's way with a piano.

CASE, RUSS: "As Years Go By"—
"Secrets." RCA Victor 20-2344
Both sides are based on classical themes, the first by Brahms, the flipover on a Tchaikovsky melody. Case embellishes the two with strings and brass for an unusual treatment.

CAVALLARO, CARMEN: "Love Will Keep Us Young"—"Brahms' Hungarian Dance." Decca 24103
The Cavallara pianistics features the Brahms side; Bob Allen does the waltz vocal chorus on the turnover.

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# Big Money in Discs

Energetic Mother-Daughter Team Shows

• The rustic, inviting appeal of the Northwest has been incorporated into the interior decorating scheme of The Record Shop, Seattle, Wash. Esther Whitefield, and her mother, Mrs. Elva Whitefield, co-owners of this flourishing Fifth Avenue store in the heart of Seattle's metropolitan district, have endeavored to cater to their customer's musical tastes in an atmosphere of cordial hospitality.

Rapid Growth

Five years ago the mother-daughter duo opened the store for business with a record inventory of approximately \$3000. The phenomenal growth of the Whitefield's record activities is further evinced by the fact that their current yearly inventory is \$14,000, with a yearly turnover rate of 11.

Categories of stock carried during

those first years consisted of 85% classical discs. The pace of the war changed customer's musical tastes, the Whitefield's found, and today the classical-popular ratio is evenly divided. Esther Whitefield feels, however, that slowly but surely, the trend is reverting back to an increased demand for classical recordings.

The store itself consists of a number of inviting "corners"—bordered by "symphonic," "children's" and "jazz" records. Heavy cedar ceiling beams cut across the width and length of the store. Cabinets and accessory trimmings are of this same rustic cedar. Indirect lighting enhances the appearance of the whole interior of the store, from the pale green ceiling, the ivy-patterned wallpaper, to the bright red davenport. An extra note of informality is achieved by throwing a bear-skin across the counter.

As the customer enters the store,

the symphonic works are seen at his left. The Whitefields attempted an innovation in displaying classical albums—and installed thin horizontal aluminum shelves and filed the albums "sideways." Customers seem to like this arrangement because the titles can be read easily.

### Good Symphonic Trade

The Record Shop specializes in imported recordings of classical works, and the comfortable "symphony corner" has become a mecca for music lovers. Posters telling of future Seattle and Minneapolis Symphony Orchestra concerts are posted, and customers are encouraged to relax and listen to recordings from past and future programs. A bulletin board is prominently displayed listing programs and pictures of featured artists.

To the right as one enters the store is the record counter and al-

- Cedar ceiling beams, ivy-patterned wall-paper, comfortable couch and chairs and flowers are effectively combined in this cozy "symphony corner." Note horizontal album storage-display shelves for classical sets.
- Esther Whitefield stands in front of the popular record racks, which are situated on the right-hand side of this Seattle store. Listening booths are located on both sides of the alcove. Pine cones and cedar panels carry out decorating scheme.





# for Enterprising Dealers

What Records Can Do in Seattle Store

# ESTHER WHITEFIELD SUGGESTS SELLING POINTERS:

- 1. Know what the public wants
- 2. Capitalize on value of promotional tie-ins
- 3. Maintain a "personal service" relationship with customers
- 4. Keep careful inventory
- Make store a pleasant place in which to browse and buy

bum displays of chamber, violin, and piano music. The popular records are also located on this side of the store. Listening booths are in the rear, with an over-head balcony containing stock-room space and a small office.

### Friendly Service

Self-selection is encouraged to a certain extent, but the Whitefields prefer to make friends of their customers, and never ignore an opportunity to talk with them. Both mother and daughter feel that wise buying of discs by the dealer is an important success factor, and combine their knowledge of what the public wants with potential future demand, when placing platter orders.

The Record Shop is located a few doors from one of Seattle's largest theatres, and tie-ins with local movies is a function of normal business operations at this store. The Whitefields have found that artists and tunes which they have promoted by tie-in displays outsell all other discs.

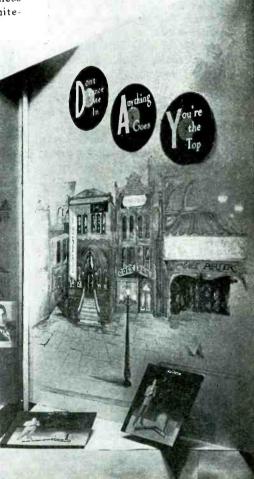
In fact, this concentration on good tie-in window displays garnered a prize trip to New York, with all the trimmings, for Mrs. Whitefield and daughter. The Whitefields walked off with top honors in RCA Victor's contest for dealers presenting the best "Night and Day" window display tieing in with the movie.

Abundant energy, a knack for knowing what discs to buy and feature, and wise use of promotional material have combined to enable the Whitefields to build a successful business in a few short years. Future plans call for continuing along the same tried and proven lines of endeavor that have proved to be so profitable and popular in the past.

One side of tae Whitefields' RCA Victor prize-winning window in the "Night and Day" movie tie-in contest. The other store display window featured the opposite "Night" theme, utilizing the same scheme and back-drop ideas.

Not the leas- part of the reward far the winning window, was a personal meeting with star Perry Como. Here Miss Esther Whitefield, Singer Como, and Mrs. Elva Whitefield, are snapped at the radio studio after a broadcast.





### Harvest Disc Dollars from Sales

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CROSBY, BING: "Kokomo, Indiana"
—"I Still Suits Me." Decca 24100
"Kokomo," from the film, "Mother
Wore Tights," has the Crosby voice
blending with the Skylarks; flip is a
duet with Lee Wiley.

DALE, ALAN: "On the Old Spanish Trail"—"Ho-Ho-Kus, N. J." Signature 15124

Accompanied by Ray Bloch and his Swing Seven, Dale does some rhythmic crooning on these two sides.

DAMONE, VIC: "Ivy"—"I Have
But One Heart." Mercury 5053
The Hoagy Carmichael "Ivy" tune
is rising in popularity; so is Damone,
who has currently completed several
Eastern night-club engagements.

DAVIS, BERYL: "You're Breaking in a New Heart"—"Mother, Mother, Mother." RCA Victor 20-2354

This is the second release by Britain's popular songstress—and it's in the groove.

DAY, DORIS: "I'm Still Sitting Under the Apple Tree"—"When Tonight Is Just a Memory." Columbia 37568

"Apple Tree" side is a follow-up novelty to oldie, "Don't Sit Under the Apple Tree. . . ."

DOSH, JOE: "Apple Blossom Wedding" — "Ask Anyone Who Knows." Continental C-11001

Dosh has been heard on several radio shows, and is currently getting big waxery build-up.

DOYLE, BOBBY: "Jealous" —
"Angel Spells Mary"; "There
But for You Go I" — "The
Heather on the Hill." Signature
Bobby Doyle's smooth vocalizing
goes over great, particularly on the
Brigadoon tunes, "Heather" and
"There But for You."



Eugene Conley, tenor, newly signed by Vox Records.

ELMAN, ZIGGY: "And the Angels Sing"—"Three Little Words." MGM 10047

"Angels Sing" is an Elman tune that won him many fans, who are still rooting for Ziggy today.

FONT, RALPH: "Habanera" — "Candi." Apollo 1073

Pianist Font does two old favorites, with a rhythm accompaniment.

GOODMAN, BENNY: "Dizzy Fingers" — "Tattletale." Capitol B439

Two pieces to display to best advantage Goodman technique and virtuosity.

GOODMAN, BENNY-KENTON, STAN: "Happy Blues"—"Them There Eyes." Capitol A40022

This twosome teamed together for the first time, to make this novelty jazz waxing, complete with running commentary and brilliant music.

JAMES, HARRY: "Love and the Weather" — "Forgiving You." Columbia 37588

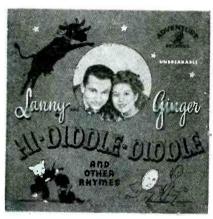
Good dancing to Marion Morgan's lyricizing on the first side, and Buddy Di Vito on the flip.

KING COLE TRIO: "That's What"

—"Naughty Angeline." Capitol

B437

"Angeline," a neat discing; "That's



Cover of new Adventure Records album for children.

What" features Nat Cole "scatting" through entirety of disc.

KRUPA, GENE: "Gene's Boogie"—
"Disc Jockey Jump.' Columbia
37589

First side has Carolyn Grey on the vocals; reverse is a pure Krupa instrumental.

KYSER, KAY: "Naughty Angeline"
—"It's Kind of Lonesome Out
Tonight." Columbia 37561

A bouncing melody and dreamy tune combined on this disc, with Harry Babbitt vocals. LAINE, FRANKIE: "All of Me"—
"Mam'selle." Mercury 5048

Described by the press releases as "cuddly" and "drooley," this Laine disc is aimed at the teensters.

LAURENZ, JOHN: "When I Write My Song"—"Auf Wiedersehn." Mercury 5060

Baritone Laurenz has appeared in several movies; his mellow bary is pleasing to the ear.

LOESSER, FRANK: "Bloop Bleep."

MGM 10044

"Bloop Bleep" is Loesser's tune, and with this recording he joins the



Molly Picon, has recorded "Busy, Busy" for Banner. ranks of the many other tunesmiths who have turned vocalist.

LUND, ART: "What Are You Doing New Year's Eve" — "Naughty Angeline." MGM 10046

"New Year's Eve" is a catchy ballad headed for top tune compilations; reverse is a bouncy rhythm tune that Lund does with ease.

PASTOR, TONY: "I'm Sorry 1
Didn't Say I'm Sorry"—"The
Lady From Twenty-nine Palms."
Columbia 37562

Ballad and novelty tune—with Tony coming in for his share of the lyrics on both.

RICHARDSON, LEE: "Deep Six Blues"—"You Gave Me Everything but Love." Apollo 1072

Luis Russell's orchestra provides accompaniment to Richardson's blues lamentations in a deep baritone.

SHORE, DINAH: "Kokomo, Indiana"—"You Do." Columbia 37587 Both tunes are from the film, "Mother Wore Tights."

SMITH, KATE: "Tomorrow" —
"Feudin' and Fightin'." MGM
10041

Two fast sides, latter "mountaineer" type tune, swung by Kate, with assistance of Four Chics and Chuck.

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### Norris Paraglide NEEDLE

Phono needle with solid sapphire shaft and tip. Parabolic point is flame processed (jewel is rotated in flame 3000 to 3600 degrees) for better fit into record grooves. Balanced for smooth gliding; designed for better tone reproduction and less surface noise. High lustre finish to protect records. Triple inspected by microscope and shadowgraph. Packaged in clear view plastic containers. Accompanied by registered guarantee certificate. \$5. (Four others in Norris line of rubies and sapphires—\$1.50 up). Industrial Sapphire Mig. Co., Inc., 131.35 Avery Ave., Flushing, N.Y.—RADIO & Television RETALLING.

### Emerson PORTABLE PHONOGRAPH

Model 548 portable record player with automatic changer. Three-tube amplifier, jewel on-off indicator. Tone arm and turntable retainers, 6" round Alnico 5 PM dy-



namic speaker. Simulated leather cabinet. durable carrying handle. \$59.95. Emerson Radio & Phonograph Co., 111 Eighth Ave.. New York, N. Y.—RADIO & Television RETAILING.

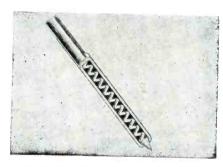
### Gramavox PHONOGRAPH

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### Ellis RECORD CABINET

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### Farnsworth DISC CHANGER

Model P-56MP automatic disc changer with Tone Clarifier, magnetic pickup, lightweight tubular non-resonant tone arm.



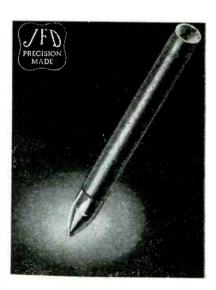
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### Trylon PHONOGRAPH

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### Big Foreign Disc Field, Says Continental Prexy

(Donald H. Gabor, president, Continental Record Co., Inc., New York City, prepared the following article exclusively for RADIO & Television RETAILING.)

Everybody has been watching the big "boom" all over the country in foreign language and international records. Since the re-birth of the record industry eight years ago, these records have reached new heights in popularity.

Even record retailers who are located in neighborhoods with practically no foreign-born population have established very profitable volumes on their international and foreign language records and found that even during the recent summer "slump," their sales did not "nose-dive" with other records but continued to sell on an even keel because of their staple, "standard" nature. It is important to note that the amount of obsolescence in foreign language and international records is practically nil. They are just as salable today as they were yesterday and as they will be tomorrow.

An interesting development has been the "Americanization" of the tastes of buyers of foreign language and international records. At one time, virtually all records for this market were pressed from foreign masters. Today, however, the majority of foreign masters are rerecorded in a more American tempo by artists in this country, many of whom have developed as "name" artists in this highly specialized field.

Suppose we examine the market for these records. To begin with,



Donald H. Gabor

the nucleus of the international market is, of course, the tremendous foreign language population in this country which has been estimated at over eleven millions. This group is still more or less concentrated in certain sections of the country and is supplemented by the even larger group of native born Americans of foreign parentage who are spread around in every state of the Union.

### Sales Going Up

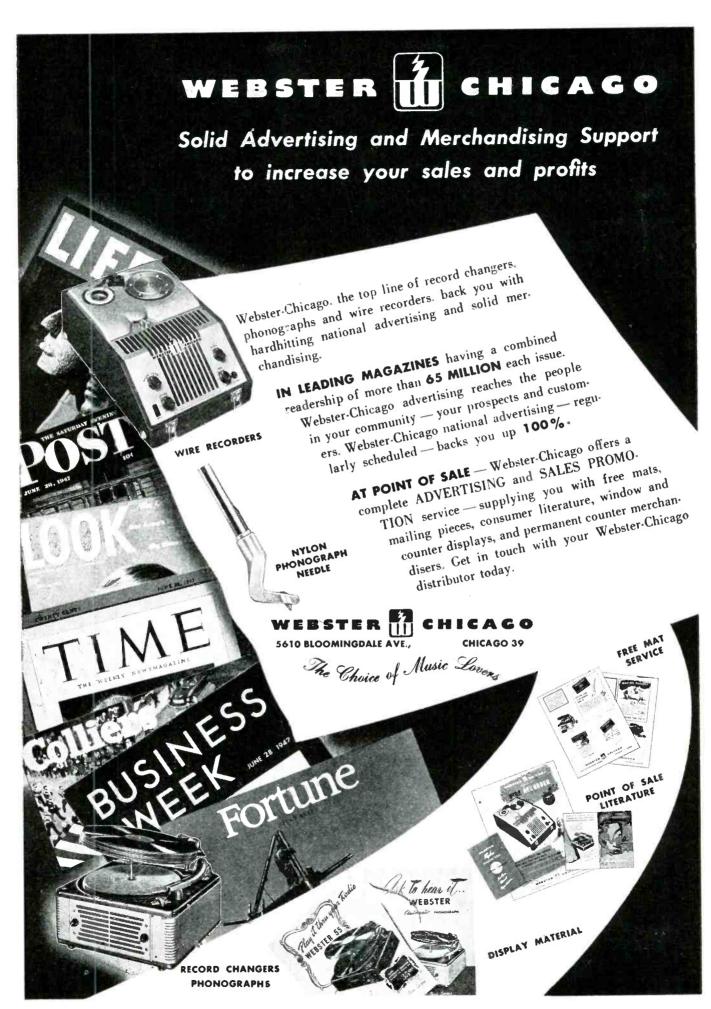
Both these groups are buyers of both foreign language vocal records as well as intrumentals of foreign origin. However, these same instrumentals, usually referred to as "International Records," are being sold in increasing quantity to the general public by merchandising minded retailers who sell Polish records to this last group as "polkas" and Hungarian records as "Hungarian Gypsy Music" without the slightest difficulty.

Upwards of twelve million foreign language and international were sold in this country last year and all indications point to an even greater sale this year.

### **Bechet with Columbia**

Columbia Records, Inc., has signed Sidney Bechet, jazz musician, to its artist roster. Bechet, virtuoso of the soprano saxaphone, has recorded several releases.







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### **Columbia Vocal Artists**



Photographed on the Metropolitan Opera Stage during Columbia's recording session of "Hansel and Gretel," are singing stars Rise Stevens, right, and Nadine Conner. This is the first full-length opera to be completed under Columbia's contract with the Metropolitan.

### RCA Victor Waxes Opera

RCA Victor Records has completed recording "Four Saints in Three Acts," an opera in English by composer-critic Virgil Thomson, with libretto by the late Gertrude Stein, according to James W. Murray, vice-president in charge of RCA Victor record activities.

According to J. L. Hallstrom, general merchandise manager for the RCA Victor record department, the recorded version of "Four Saints in Three Acts" will be released as a red seal record drama album containing five twelve-inch records and a printed text of the opera, which has a prologue and four acts.

The cast included many singers who participated in the premiere of the work, which received considerable publicity because of the unusual libretto and the cellophane costumes worn by the all-Negro cast.

### Majestic Dealer Help



But now couldn't you just let Eddy Howard try it by himself for awhile?"

Cartoons like the above are available to Majestic record dealers as display posters.



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### Permo Representatives and Execs at Sales Banquet



Permo, Inc., held a gala Fidelitone party for its full-time field representatives at the Edgewater Beach Hotel, Chicago, during its fourth annual four-day sales meeting. Shown at the banquet for company officials and their wives, honoring the representatives are (1. to r.): Hudson, Indianapolis; Fortey, Boston; Suits, New York; Gene Steffens, Permo's vice-president and general sales manager; Van Natter, Atlanta; Hopper & Halliday, Denver; Ryan, Buffalo; McFadden, Columbus; Crowley, Chicago; Goetzen, assistant sales manager; Strother, Dallas; Marsh, Seattle; Smith, Los Angeles.

### **Peerless Index Albums**

The Peerless visible album, features a changeable index which appears on the outside of the album. A Pliofilm cover can be removed from the steel bound frame, and the index inserted. Sturdily built with a rounded wood back and finely bound in fabricoid, the album is cloth bound on the inside for extra strength. The 10-inch size sells for \$2.00, the 12-inch size for \$2.50.

### Sacred Distributor

The Radio and Television Equipment Co. of Santa Ana, has been named distributor for Sacred Records in southern California, according to an announcement by Earle E. Williams, Sacred's president.

### **Winant Kiddie Albums**

Following the success of their initial album, "It's Fun to Eat," Winant Productions, New York City, have announced two new releases based on the same instructional entertainment pattern. The two new releases, "Pick 'Em Up and Put 'Em Away at Toytime," and "It's Fun to Be Neat," respectively, teach the child to put away his playtoys and care for his clothing. In each album, new characters are introduced in verse, and set to music. The records are packaged individually in colorful booklike picture folders, depicting the characters and carrying the lyrics so that the child can sing right along with the record. The albums are in Vinylite, and retail at \$1.49 each.

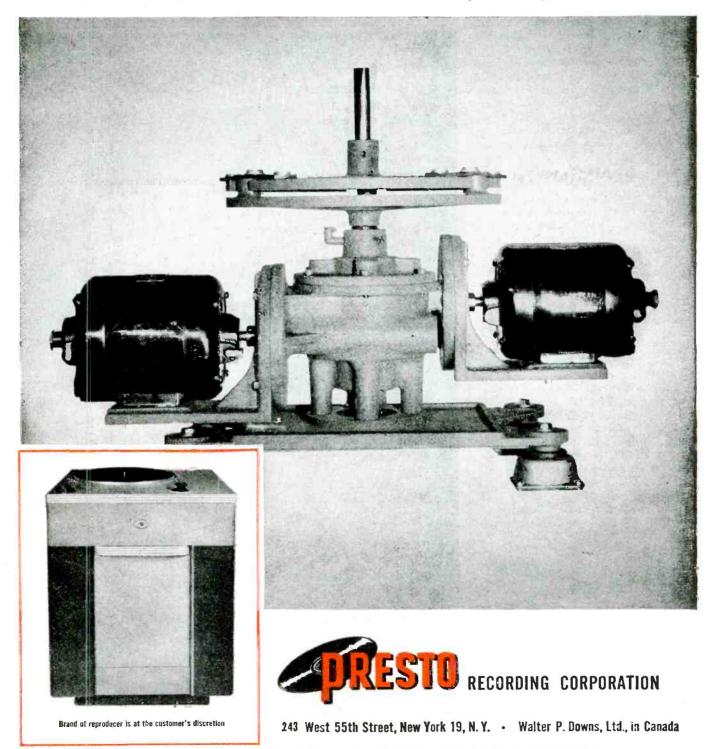
### RCA Victor Installs Model Display Window



This model display window has been installed by RCA Victor in the company's new showrooms in Camden, N. J. for use in the exploration and demonstration of merchandising techniques. Shown is a display which emphasizes the value of integrating records and record albums with radio-phonograph consoles.

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### Columbia Export Head

Columbia Records, Inc., has announced that Rudi Tolnay has been appointed export sales manager and will make his headquarters in Bridgeport, Conn. Mr. Tolnay was previously Columbia's district manager in the Philadelphia, Harrisburg, Wilkes-Barre, Baltimore area.

### **Rainbow Promotions**

Rainbow Records, New York City, held a number of specialized promotions in connection with the introduction of its new album, "Romeo Loves Juliet." A series of "D-Days," for disc jockeys was held in large cities, featuring special programs devoted to the new album on their stations. Preview performances for record dealers were held in Boston, Philadelphia, Baltimore and New York, at which the artists featured in the album were presented to the audience.

Dealer aids include a calendar of the album cover, easel cards, and special promotion postcards. Distributors' salesmen were provided with a press book, promoting the album.

### **Concert Hall Jobbers**

Concert Hall Society, New York, specializing in high fidelity classical recordings of unusual kind, has announced the following new distributors: LeRoy H. Bennett Co., San Francisco; Wilford Bros. Co., Los Angeles.

The most recent additions to the Concert Hall Society list of general releases are the Tchaikowsky Second Piano Concerto, Shura Cherkassky, soloist; the Schubert String Quartet No. 1, played by the Guilet Quartet; "Danzon Cubano" by Aaron Copland, a two-piano single played by the composer and Leo Smit; and "Humoreske" by Robert Schumann, recorded by the French master pianist, Paul Loyonnet.

### **Sacred Records Appointee**

Howard Reed, previously connected with the sales department of Sacred Records, Inc., has been named to supervise distribution and sales of new religious musical packages for radio ministers and stations, according to Earle E. Williams, president. Sacred plans to create each package around some special type of music such as choir, organ, quartet, instrumental and soloists and use its nationally known Christian artists in producing them.

### Prima with RCA Victor

Louis Prima and his band have been signed to an exclusive RCA Victor contract, James W. Murray, vice-president in charge of RCA Victor record activities announced. Emphasis will be divided between rhythm, production numbers, novelty tunes and Prima originals, several of which are under consideration as platter material.

### **New Federal Needle**

The Federal Sapphire Products Co., Elmhurst, N. Y., announce a new Euphonic phonograph needle, introduced as the first in a complete line of needles and accessories. The "Federal Euphonic" has a diamond lapped, micro polished sapphire tip for longer life and less record wear. Duraluminum precision formed shank, provides spring action to minimize needle talk and record scratch. The "Federal Euphonic" is micro inspected and shadowgraphed and retails at \$2.50.

An attractive counter display card which mounts twelve needles for easy selling, is available.



### **Vox Records Expands**

George H. Mendelssohn, president of Vcx Records, announced that Vox is currently operating nationally, with 22 distributors, merchandising records in albums only. In a move to broaden the scope of the Vox catalog, Mendelssohn announced the formation of a new "contemporary" series to be directed by vice-president Larry Green, and Bill Simon.

The new "Spotlight Series" has been defined as: "Designed to throw the phonographic spotlight on outstanding and significant personalities in the musical world. Toward this end albums issued will feature material that we feel has contributed to the development of new art forms based on the expressions of authentic folk material and attitudes. This includes improvised jazz, folk songs and dances, European specialties, operettas, etc."

### **Apollo Signs Three Harpers**

The Three Harpers, harmonica group, have been signed by Apollo Records, New York City. Billy Daniels, is another newly signed Apollo artist.

### Tiffany Distributors

Tiffany Productions, New York City, has announced the appointment of the Garden State distributors, Newark, N. J., as jobbers for the northern N. J. vicinity. Ruth Chatterton is featured in Tiffany's recent children's album, "Revolt of the Alphabet."

### Permo Dealer Help

Permo. Incorporated, manufacturers of Fidelitone floating-point needles, has a new dealer help ready. It features an actual Fidelitone Master needle in its package, surrounded by a brilliant display background in a multitude of colors. This easeldisplay is available through all Fidelitone distributors.

In addition to being a sales stimulator of exceptional effectiveness, the board carries a tamper-proof needle supply on its back-an ingenious stock and dispenser unit. To fill, the dealer removes the lid from a onedozen-tube of Master needles and lets them drop into the dispenser chamber.

### New Tempo Disc Bag

Tempo Record Company of America, Hollywood, Calif., has announced that all Tempo custom made records are to be individually packaged in heat-sealed cellophane bags. Richard Weil, in charge of advertising and sales promotion for the company, explained that "In delivering our records thus, we're giving the ultimate consumer our personal assurance that the record he buys comes to him in the same perfect condition as when it received its final rigorous inspection at our pressing plant."

### NAMM Membership Peak

The National Association of Music Merchants (NAMM), has announced that under the direction of George L. Byerly, chairman of the membership campaign committee, NAMM membership forged to its all-time high during the recent trade show and convention. Mr. Byerly, in announcing his retirement as committee chairman, praised the cooperation received from his entire committee and the many co-workers throughout the country. Hugh F. Randall, newlyelected secretary, was appointed chairman of the membership committee.

### **New Electrovox Plant**

The Electrovox Co., manufacturers of Walco phonograph needles, announce the acquisition of a new and larger plant at 66 Franklin Street, East Orange, New Jersey.

Branch offices will remain unchanged at 224 S. Michigan Avenue, Chicago, Ill., and in Los Angeles, Calif., at 2216 West 11th St.

R. G. Walcutt, vice-president, states that stepped-up demand for needles by both radio-combination manufacturers and the general consumer made it imperative for the company to enlarge production facilities.



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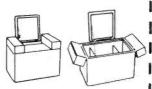
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### Disc Dollars

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THE MODERNAIRES: "Something in the Wind"—"The Turntable Song." Columbia 37569

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TORME, MEL: "One for My Baby"

—"A Little Kiss Each Morning."

Musicraft 15107

"Whispering" Torme, with his definite rhythmic flair, sings his way pleasantly through the two sides.

VAUGHAN, SARAH: "Body and Soul"—"Everything I Have Is Yours"; "I'm Through With Love"—"Lover Man." Musicraft 494,499

With a sense of deep blues, the inimitable Vaughan gal vocalizes the four sides.

WHITE, JOSH: "The Man Who Couldn't Walk Around"—"Apples, Peaches and Cherries.' Apollo 157

Proceeds from this disc go to Infantile Paralysis Fund; first side is a tribute to FDR.

WHITING, MARGARET: "You Do"—"My Future Just Passed." Capitol B438

"You Do" from musical film, "Mother Wore Tights"; flip is from another movie, "Safety in Numbers."

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### **Mercury Promotion**



"Kokomo, Indiana," Mercury waxing by Two Ton Baker, was the basis of a promotional campaign right in the city of the same name. McClellan's, local store, featured the display shawn.

"Frankie and Johnny Fantasy,"
"Beale Street Blues," and "My Man's
Gone" included in this blues collection by Lena Horne.

"TANGO WITH CUGAT," Xavier Cugat and his orchestra. Columbia C-132

Latin-American rhythm favorite comes up with "tango" tunes, that are familiar to everyone. "Jalousie," "La Cumparsita" and "Adios Muchachos" included.

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"AMOS N' ANDY"; Top Ten Records (Audience Records, Inc.)

Radio duo perform in series of sketches entitled: "Amos and the Kingfish Learn About Politics," "Andy and the Kingfish Parking the Car," "Kingfish Examines Andy for Eye Glasses," "Kingfish Sells Andy

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### Disc Dollars

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Insurance" and an episode in which "Amos Explains 'The Lord's Prayer.'"

"JACK BENNY" with Mary Livingstone, Rochester: Top Ten Records (Audience Records, Inc.)

Benny's radio characterization carried on in comedy skits: "The Violin Lesson," "Schizophrenia," "Getting a Haircut," "Getting a Shave," "A Letter From Mary's Mother," and "America's Foremost Violinist."

"EDGAR BERGEN" with Charlie McCarthy & Mortimer Snerd: Top Ten Records (Audience Records, Inc.)

Series of sketches revolve around Bergen's trials and tribulations with his two dummies. Titles include: "Ventroliquism Exposed," "A Lesson in Life Saving," "Underwear by Mail Order," "Glass Blowing," "The Grammar Lesson," and "The Three Little Pigs."

"GEORGE BURNS & GRACIE ALLEN": Top Ten Records (Audience Records, Inc.)

Five comedy acts, with Mel Banc and Bill Goodwin are included in the sketches: "Sugar Throat Sings Again," "The French Long Underwear Maker," "Gracie Discovers a Movie Star," "What Every Old Husband Should Know," "What Every Young Bride Should Know."

"EDDIE CANTOR": Top Ten Records (Audience Records, Inc.)

Eddie tells his life story in 7 parts: "Cantor's Hall of Records," "How Old Is Cantor?" "Cantor's School Days," "Cantor's Fool Days," "Cantor Flunks His Physical," "The Girls in Cantor's Life."

"FIBBER McGEE & MOLLY": Top Ten Records (Audience Records, Inc.)

Jim and Marian Jordan are featured in 6 episodes entitled: "A Fascinatin' Hunk of Natural History," "It's All Greek," "A Visit to the Dairy," "Strictly Off the Record," "Wallace Wimpole Drops In." and "A Few Notes on Piano Tuning."

"ED 'ARCHIE' GARDNER," of Duffy's Tavern: Top Ten Records (Audience Records, Inc.)

Sketches in album include: Archie and George Raft in "The Sympathetic Part," Archie and Deems Taylor in "Deems, Dem & Dose," Archie and Nigel Bruce in "Flatbush on the Thames."

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ALLEN, ROSALIE: "On Silver Wings to San Antone"-"I'll Never Grieve." RCA Victor 20-2333

First side tells story of a gal flying to her love; reverse is in a "lonesome" mood. Rosalie is a spirited singer on both.

HILL, SMILIN' EDDIE, and the Tennessee Mountain Boys: "I Never See My Baby Alone"-"The Little Shirt My Mommy Made for Me." Apollo 158

Radio's Smilin' Ed Hill with favorites of "Grand Old Opry."

SONS OF THE PIONEERS: "You Never Miss the Water Till the Well Runs Dry"-"Will There Be Sagebrush in Heaven?" RCA Victor 20-2350

First side is a clever tune, with an introductory "talk" refrain; flip is a typical cowboy lament.

TUTTLE, WESLEY: "Why Do I Love You, Oh Why"-"If You Ever Need a Friend." Capitol A40021

Tuttle's baritone voice through these two Westerns with rhythm and bounce.

WILLIS, BOB, and His Texas Playboys: "How Can It Be Wrong' -"Punkin' Stomp." Columbia

"Stomp" is a lively dance number for swinging your partner.

"CHOPIN, HIS STORY AND HIS MUSIC." Vox Music Master Series

Latest release in the lives of famous composers, with musical illustrations. This set follows albums on the lives of Beethoven, Mozart, Tchaikovsky and Schubert.

"HONEST ABE," Continental 38

The story of Abraham Lincoln, dramatically presented by the Continental Playhouse. Album aimed at grade and high school students, as well as grown-ups.

"TWEEDLE DE DEE AND TWEEDLE DE DUM," Eddie Cantor. Musicraft N-11

Eddie Cantor takes the kids on a unique "United Nations" trip around the world on a magic carpet-to a musical accompaniment by Carmen Dragon.



ARMANDO and His Jack's Band: "Escambao"-"En Tu Ausencia." Seeco 610

First side is a calypso number; about-face a bolero.

GARZA, EVA: "Sera Por Eso"-"Frio En El Alma." Seeco 609 Two bolero tunes.

JOSKA, MAKY Gypsy Orch.: "Hungarian Gypsy Csardases." tinental MR-79, MR-80

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PICON, MOLLY: "Busy Busy"-"Believe It Or Not." Banner R2016

Molly Picon has recorded these two tunes, which will be sure-fire hits with her many fans.

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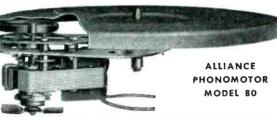
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### Disc Dollars

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RIVERO, RITA MARIA: "Ven"-"Asi Eres Tu." Seeco 596

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### **Educational Discs**

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Early American Folk Carols" (732, \$3.93), "American Legends" (725, "Funnybone Alley" \$3.93), \$3.15), "Rhythm Band Music" (742,

More recommendations from the Disc catalog include: "American Indian Songs and Dances" (161, \$8.66), "Hebrew and Palestinian Folk Melodies" (902, \$4.72), "American Documentary" (360, \$3.93).

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Vox albums of the lives of famous composers (Chopin, Beethoven, Mozart, Tchaikovsky and Schubert), with music, are worthy additions to an educational disc listing. Foreign language speaking and reading courses such as those put out by Crown Publishers and Linguaphone, will be of interest to the older scholar.

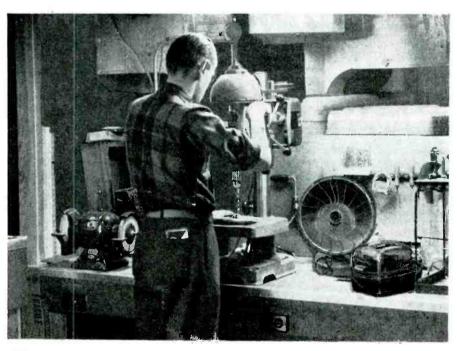
Specialty records which teach cartooning, how to sing, how to play an instrument, etc., may be included by the dealer in his "educational" record department. Platters which tell religious stories, bible stories, and which offer singing of hymns are also worthy of a place in the dealer's new department, if these are not covered by his stock of "children's" discs.

Retailers may find that they have many of the records mentioned in stock. It is just a matter of assembling these discs in a prominent place.

# ELECTRICAL APPLIANCES

Section of RADIO Television RETAILING

### How to Sell More Appliance Service



Active salesmanship on appliance service keeps the shop busy, and the profits rolling in. Every home has products needing repair. Ask for the business.

Almost any merchant can double his present appliance repair volume if he goes about it the right way. Since all repair jobs come from the customer, the dealer must go to the customer for this extra business.

There are two ways to increase appliance service volume. Number one is via personal contact. Number two is through an advertising campaign.

A combination of both the above methods will do wonders if followed through consistently and intelligently.

Every customer who comes into the store bringing an article for repair is a definite prospect for other work, too. In almost every case, the servicer who goes into the home can sell service in addition to that specifically requested by the householder. In other words, to get more business ask for more business.

As a rule, a customer brings in a repair job, or calls for the servicer to come to the home to repair appliances which are presently out of order, but in addition to such emergency repairs there are many other products which are not operating up to par, or which need re-wiring to make them safer to use.

One of the best ways to up service volume is to offer to make an inspection of all the radios and electrical appliances in the customer's home. After the "survey" has been made, the dealer should submit a proposal to the home-owner, listing the products needing service, the sort of service work suggested, and, if required, an estimate of each job and the total for all.

The customer usually appreciates the offer to go over all of his equipment, putting it in first-class order, thus making the appliances easier to operate, safer and improved in appearance.

Direct mail can be used to good advantage in soliciting for more repair work. In all instances, copy should list all of the various devices, and should provide space for the customer to check off those things he wishes fixed.

### A List Helps

Such a list is valuable, too, in selling via personal contact. It helps the dealer and the customer. If the former reads a number of items aloud to the customer, he may just hit upon something needing repair which the customer has overlooked. On occasions when the shopper has to wait in the store, such list may be handed to the customer with the suggestion that there may be some appliances listed thereon which need expert attention.

In addition to out-and-out break-downs, there are always many other maintenance services which should be attended to. For instance, under the category of needing services from an "appearance" and safety angle, we find re-wiring jobs on floor, table and therapeutic lamps, as well as on refrigerators, washers, table appliances, vacuum cleaners, etc., and cleaning and buffing work on the above and many other types of equipment. Too, the average household is always in need of new appliance cord sets, extensions and so forth.

Lubrication services can be sold for refrigerator motors, washer motors and gear-cases, ironers, vacuum cleaners as well as for numerous

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offers under one brand name a share in ALL THESE MARKETS

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# Sell More Door-to-Door



retailer can sell vacuum cleaners profitably via door-to-door canvassing in a "prepared" territory. The dealer's salesmen can make good money, and can enjoy the job making it if proper training is given themif intelligent steps are taken to make sure that the home-owners are made familiar with the dealer's firm name. and the brands of cleaners carried.

If salesmen are chased out on their own to try to sell vacs in "unconditioned" localities scattered all over the place, they will run into tough sledding, and most of them will throw in the sponge in a short time.

The retailer who isn't fooling when he decides to do a real, man-size job selling vacuum cleaners door-to-door, plans to take the following steps: 1. He prepares the territory for canvassing. 2. He selects and trains salesmen. 3. He assigns definite territory to each man.

Preparation of the field means that he must convey to each householder the knowledge that he is a reputable, well-established merchant: that he sells dependable merchandise, and that he is soliciting business.

He conveys such messages through use of some or all of the following agencies: The telephone, direct-mail, local radio stations, newspaper advertising, hand-bills.

### **Planned Visits**

When Dealer Smith mails out a card reading, "Good News We now have a stock of the famous Blank Vacuum Cleaners, and our representative will CALL ON YOU within the next few days to demonstrate the advantages, etc., etc.," it doesn't necessarily follow that the lady of the house will greet the solicitor with a great big smile-and an order.

But it does mean that the message usually serves to remove the surprise element associated with the "cold turkey" call.

When Mrs. Jones opens the door

of her home and finds a man with a vacuum cleaner there, she is surprised, and is on the defensive, unless she has been told that such a call would be made.

### Training Salesmen

Now and then a householder will buy, or accept a cleaner for trial from the salesman when he calls because the members of the family discussed the territory-preparing message, and reached a decision to purchase or try the product.

Selecting and training men for outside selling isn't a pushover proposition for the merchant. As pointed out in articles which have appeared in previous issues, the dealer must select men who are temperamently suited to the rigors of door-to-door work.

Having secured the right sort of individuals, a thorough training period is next in order. The men must be schooled to take all sorts of setbacks in their strides. They should be urged to do thorough door-todoor canvassing, without "skipping" or jumping from place to place. They need to be taught how to use direct, courteous approaches when the door is opened to them.

Such questions as whether the salesman should carry a cleaner with him on calls, or should leave the appliance in his car parked nearby, should be settled in advance.

Most authorities on merchandising believe that it is better to have the salesman carry the appliance he is offering for sale. Some others say that when the housewife sees a man with a vacuum cleaner at the door she will often pretend that she's not at home, but such condition should not prevail to any great extent today as it did in the times when everybody and his brother was out ringing door-

In favor of carrying the appliance

to the door is the directness of the proposition. "The man is selling vacuum cleaners," the housewife says to herself, and if she is at all interested in buying one, the necessity for the salesman to explain his mission has been bypassed.

Old-time salesmen will listen to "blue-sky" sales talks with tongue in cheek, but numbers of newcomers will get damaging let-down feelings when they find out that the outside field is no Garden of Eden, as it was painted by the over-zealous person, but a tough territory where sweat and worn-out shoe leather bring all sorts of receptions-door-slamming by a few, courteous turndowns by many others, and sales under the old law of averages.

Outside selling conditions and results should not be exaggerated to the prospective salesperson. He should be told that he can make money, but should also be acquainted with the true facts of life associated with this truly American form of merchandising.

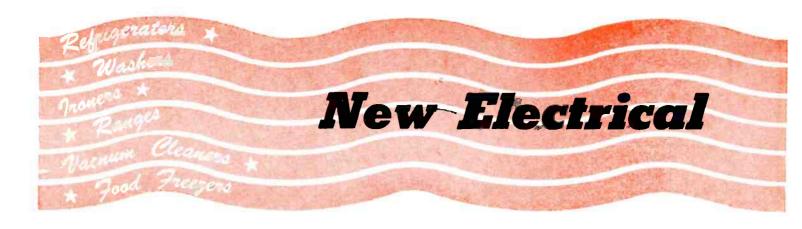
Territory allotment should be thoroughly planned. The "toughest" sections should be divided, and each man should have plenty of room to move about in.

### **Assigning Territories**

It is always a good practice to "protect" the respective territories. A salesman may call at a home and after demonstrating a cleaner may get an "I'll think it over" decision from the prospect, who later may come into the store and buy. In such cases the salesman should get his full commission no matter who closed the deal on the sales floor.

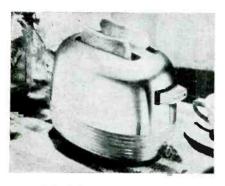
One of the things greatly in favor of selling vacuum cleaners door-todoor is the fact that the general public has accepted such technique, expects it to be done that way, and, doubtless, in the future, as it was in the past, more cleaners will be sold via this method than through any other way.

There's money in canvassing with cleaners, but it's a game where preparation and know-how is all important if profitable practice of this selling art is to be achieved.



### Proctor TOASTER

Model 1481, automatic pop-up toaster, will reheat cold toast through exclusive color-guard thermostat. Oval in shape. Toasts to any color desired, "light, medium



or dark." Sliding crumb tray, removable from the rear, permits easy cleaning of toaster. List price, \$22.00. Proctor Electric Co., Philadelphia, Pa.—RADIO & Television RETAILING.

### Mell-O-Chime CHIME

"Vanguard" model electric door chime available in a duo of long-tube styles. Model "3" has 3 tubes, of length and size to permit maximum resonance. Model "2" has two tubes instead of three. Plastic housing of antique ivory, decorated with a tulip medallion. Mell-O-Chime and Signal Corp., 119 S. Jefferson St., Chicago 6, Ill.—RADIO & Television RETAILING.

### Air Clear IONIZER

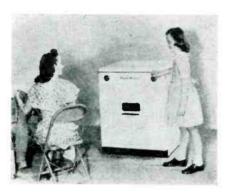
Home-size ionizer, destroys odors electrically. Goes into action with high or low concentrations of Ozone. Styled in a catalin cabinet. General Ozone Corp., 17 W. 60 St., New York 23, N. Y.—RADIO & Television RETAILING.

### Drain-O-Matic FOOD ELIMINATOR

Waste food eliminator has two-directional operation of its waste shredding elements: the direction of rotation of the rotary shredder is automatically changed, by a reversing switch, at the start of each operating period. Special safety feed spout provides safe continuous feed operation by the housewife. Powered by a ½ H.P. motor. Unit is of all-metal construction and weighs approximately 45 lbs. Unit fits all types of sinks which have  $3\frac{1}{2}$ " to 4" drain openings. Rousselle Corporation. 1673 E. 82 Place, Los Angeles 1, Calif.—RADIO & Television RETAILING

### Hamilton CLOTHES DRYER

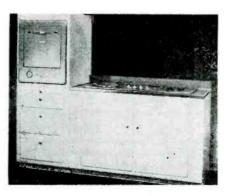
Clothes dryer features: time control switch which can be set for any drying period; automatic thermoslat; electric fan exhausts moisture while clothes revolve with a tumbling action. Electric models 600-E and 800-E are 39 inches high, 31 inches wide, and 27½ inches deep. Dryer is fin-



ished in white high lustre baked enamel, with trim in red plastic and chrome. Hamilton Mfg, Co., Two Rivers, Wis.—RA-DIO & Television RETAILING.

### Thermador RANGE

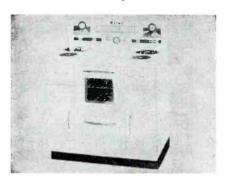
Built-in electric range is a compact, stainless steel one-piece cooking unit with a separate standard-size stainless steel oven. Both units are installed as permanent fixtures in any part of the kitchen, at any height. The cooking top consists of three heating units and a 5-quart deep well cooker. The separate oven gives extra oven space and is easily installed. Front measures 20" wide by 24" high, and fits



into most cabinets. None of the features of the conventional range oven have been sacrificed in designing it for the built-in model. Thermador Electric Mfg. Co., Los Angeles, Calif.—RADIO & Television RETAILING

### Norge ELECTRIC RANGE

Fully automatic divided-top electric range has glass-doored oven with warmer beneath and utensil storage compartments on either side; seven position burner and



deep-well switches; safety switch on rear panel. Automatic controls turn on oven. Deep-well cooker or appliances plugged into convenience outlet at pre-determined times, and cut off current also, after desired cooking interval has elapsed. Automatic preheating device raises oven temperatures quickly to required heat for proper baking, then shuts off to permit other controls to maintain temperature. Norge Div., Borg-Warner Corp., Detroit, Mich.—RADIO & Television RETAILING.

### Casco HEATING PAD

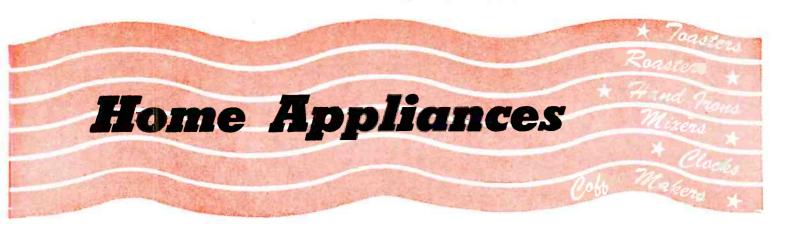
Sinus and muscle electric heating pads applies moist heat. Safe for use with wet dressings, pad has wetproof castex body. Two thermostats provided for each heat. Equipped with washable hospital sheeting slipcover with two tie tapes. Retails at \$4.90, plus tax. Casco Products Corp., Bridgeport, Conn.—RADIO & Television RETAILING.

### Hollywood HAIR DRYER

Model A-1, hair dryer has a hood that is made of spun aluminum; finished in baked hammertone enamel. Hood tilts backward. Stand is fabricated of aluminum and steel and is fully collapsible and adjustable for height. Hollywood Industries Inc., Hollywood, Calif.—RADIO & Television RETAILING.

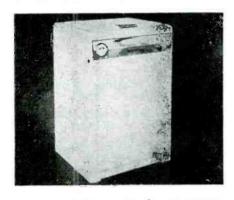
### Marvel STORAGE LOCKER

Model 101 quick freeze storage locker has capacity of 12 cu. ft. Size: 72 inches long. 30 inches wide. 34 inches high. 5-inch thickness of approved insulation. Storage compartment has smooth inside surface. Stainless steel top with sides of baked-on white enamel. W. Allen Rogers Industries, Inc., Demopolis, Ala.—RADIO & Television RETAILING.



## Frigidaire WASHER

Household washer, completely automatic; washes clothes, rinses them twice, and spins them damp-dry. One adjustment on the control dial necessary. Exclusive "pulsator" washes with "live-water" action—an up-and-down motion. Washer does



not require bolting to the floor to operate. Finished in life-time porcelain, inside and out. Frigidaire Div., General Motors Corp., Dayton, O.—RADIO & Television RETAILING.

### Waste King PULVERATOR

Odorless, clog-proof. Food wastes put down drain opening, and the water turned on, with waste matter ground into particles and swirled away. Unit installed in any sink with a drain opening of 3½ to 4 inches in diameter. Given Mig. Co.. Los Angeles, Calif.—RADIO & Television RETAILING.

## Beauty-Vac MASSAGE UNIT

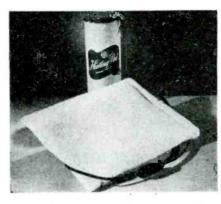
Facial massage unit fits snugly in the hand; built into the device is an alternating suction pump that "pats" the skin. Comes in attractive plastic leather case, equipped with two rubber suction cups, one for use on face and neck, the other around the eyes and nose. Hollywood Beauty Products, Inc., 6411 Hollywood Blvd., Hollywood 28, Calif.—RADIO & Television RETAILING

## Cir-Q-Laire FAN & VENTILATOR

Air-circulating and room-conditioning unit, with double utility feature—combination exhaust and cooling fan for all-purpose use. Designed for use in all rooms, unit is sturdily-made, light in weight, and powered by fractional horsepower motor. Cir-Q-Laire Co., Inc., 60 E. 42 St., New York 17, N. Y.—RADIO & Television RETAILING

### GE HEATING PAD

Waterproof heating pad, model PS 6A2, is intended for the application of both



wet and dry heat. Unique carton has metal top and bottom, and may be used as α knitting bag with label removed. Pad has thermostat for maximum heat control safety and flexibility. General Electric Co., 1285 Boston Ave., Bridgeport. Conn.—RADIO & Television RETAILING.

### Hoover ELECTRIC IRON

Automatic electric iron features handle and heat control design. Handle is brown plastic, shaped to fit hand. Wide back of handle provides extra hand support, and smooth thumb rest is molded in one with the handle. Precision heat selector is directly beneath the handle, with large, easy-to-read "pancake" dial. The dial is marked according to the fabrics to be ironed. Iron has wide heel rest; rubber guide on handle provides permanent cord. Cover is of rigid chromium plate steel. A low angle bevel at the point facilitates ironing under buttons. Iron comes in medium weight, 4½ pounds; and light 3¼ lbs. The Hoover Co., North Canton. O.—RADIO & Television RETAILING.

## Tyler HOME FREEZER

Model HU-9F, 9 cu. ft. capacity upright home freezer. For smaller homes or apartments. Tyler Fixture Corp., Niles, Mich.— RADIO & Television RETAILING.

### Metallic Industries RANGETTE

Striped chrome plated stove unit; 'lifetime' solid black glazed cooking elements; 3-heat rotary switches; removable drip pan. Available with sturdy steel cabinet finished in baked white enamel, with cutlery drawer, removable shelf and 2 towel hangers. Metallic Industries, 7319 New Utrecht Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.—RADIO & Television RETAILING.

## Westinghouse IRON

Light weight streamlined automatic hand iron with aluminum base and cover; castin Corox heating element. Weighs 3 lbs.; has ironing surface of 27 square inches. Bi-metallic thermostat controls the temper-



ature, and gives heat control for fabrics. Heel rest; 6 ft. cord permanently attached. Westinghouse Electric Corp., Electric Appliance Div., Mansfield, O.—RADIO & Television RETAILING.

### Floor O Matic FLOOR MACHINE

Floor unit scrubs, waxes, polishes and butts floors. Weighs 18 lbs. Operates on ac or dc. machine is equipped with two sets of interchangeable brushes, and one set of attachable butting pads. Additional attachments include steel wire brushes, steel wool pads etc. Retails at \$69.50 (\$72.95 west of the Rockies). Floor-O-Matic Inc., 780 E. 134 St., New York 54, N. Y.—RADIO & Television RETAILING

### Royal Rochester MIXER

Utility kitchen mixer for mixing drinks, beating eggs, batters etc. Features hispeed air-cooled motor. No adjustments to make; constructed of stainless steel, Rubber covered cord, extra 7 ft. length. Finished in various colors. Retail price, \$9.95. Robeson-Rochester Corp., Rochester 7, N. Y.—RADIO & Television RETAILING

## Waters Conley HOME PASTEURIZER

Home pasteurizer thermostat holds milk in correct temperature range until the timer automatically turns the heat off and starts the buzzer when pasteurization is complete. Size: 9½ inches by 13 inches over all. Waters Conley Co., Rochester, Minn.—RADIO & Television RETAILING



## CLEAN UP THIS FALL WITH

## REALLY **NEW** POST-WAR CLEANERS THAT ARE FEATURE-PERFECT FOR GREATER SALES

TATTLE-TALE" LIGHT tells when dirt

bag needs emptying

## UNIVERSAL'S POST-WAR CLEAN-AIR CLEANER

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- RUG-ADJUSTING NOZZLE adjusts automatically to any rue surface.
- ALL-METAL CONSTRUCTION streamlined, rugged, easy-to-handle.
- OVERSIZE "VIBRO BRUSH" loosens stubborn dirt.
- RUBBER PISTOL GRIP HANDLE with fingertip control switch.
- "TOUCH-TOE" HANDLE CONTROL for simple three position adjust-
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## Lighting Industry News

## GE Extends Operating Range of Its Slimlines

With extensive laboratory and field researches just completed, the Lamp Department of General Electric Company has announced that the operating range of its slimline lamps has been extended to 300 milliamperes, with no change in rated lamp life.

These long, thin fluorescent lamps—ranging up to 8 feet in length—previously had a current range of 100 to 200 milliamperes. The extended current range applies to all GE slimline lamps now in stock, the announcement stated.

By increasing the current rating of the lamp, more light per foot is obtained. According to General Electric lighting specialists, operation of the slimline lamps at the higher current ratings will be found particularly applicable for industrial and commercial lighting fixtures, and in show cases, wall cases, show window lighting or wherever high light output per foot of lamp is paramount.

## **Animated Window Display**

Sylvania Electric Products, 500 Fifth Ave., New York City, will send details of its animated window display to sell infra-red lamps, to dealers requesting same.

### **Novel Lamp Sales Idea**

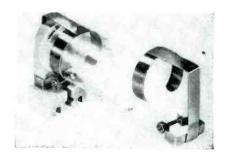
When bulbs of all sorts become plentiful enough again, one retailer who is situated in a wealthy suburban area, plans once again to include a "re-lamp the entire house" campaign along with his outside selling efforts. He was most successful with this before the war. Had his own men install all of the new bulbs, putting the old ones back in sleeves and urging the customer to keep them around for "spares."

### Fluorescents for Home

Are you getting your share of the kitchen fluorescent business? The dealer who goes out after fluorescent sales will find that almost every housewife in his territory wants someone to sell her this modern form of lighting for the kitchen, and often, too, she is in the market for fixtures for playrooms, studies, etc.

## Fluorescent Lamp Guard

The Den-El Equipment Co., 688 18th Ave., Irvington 11, New Jersey, announces a new fluorescent lamp guard that supports the ends of fluorescent lamps and prevents their falling out of lamp holders. The new guard has proven valuable in preventing accidents, work interruptions and tube breakage particularly in industrial plants and in the presence of vibration.



The Den-El Guard is easily installed permanently with a machine screw and nut. Made of stainless steel for lasting good appearance, and because of its special resilience is quickly sprung aside for cleaning or relamping. Available in two sizes for 40 watt and 100 watt lamps. Complete details will be supplied on request to the manufacturer.

## Sylvania Announces Price Cut on Xmas Bulbs

A reduction of over 24 per cent in the price of fluorescent Christmas tree lights, which were introduced two years ago by Sylvania Electric Products, Inc., is announced by Lewis Gordon, assistant to the vice-president in charge of sales. A string of seven lamps, which formerly sold for \$6.50, will now cost \$4.95, and the list price for individual bulbs will be 45 cents instead of 60 cents apiece. Experience in producing these comparatively new type Christmas lights, according to Mr. Gordon, has made it possible to reduce their price at this time.

The fluorescent Christmas bulbs have a screw type base and are independently operated so that a fluorescent bulb may be used in the same type incandescent string, or a string of fluorescent lamps may be added to a string of incandescent Christmas tree bulbs by just plugging it into the socket.

Round in shape and white when not in use, the bulbs light up in five pastel shades of coral, green, maize, blue and orchid, making the entire tree glow.

Besides providing an unusual decorative effect, the fluorescent tree lamps have several advantages over customary incandescent bulbs. Each lamp burns about four watts of current and has an average life of 1,000 hours. Because they burn cool, the lamps help to retard drying up of the tree.

Developed by Sylvania Electric Products, Inc., and announced for the first time in 1945, these lights need no special auxiliary equipment in order to operate, although they are made with the same type fluorescent powders that go into fluorescent tubes for regular residential and commercial use.

The sets will be distributed by three string manufacturers: Miller Electric and Royal Electric of Pawtucket, R. I., and Leo Pollock Company of New York City.

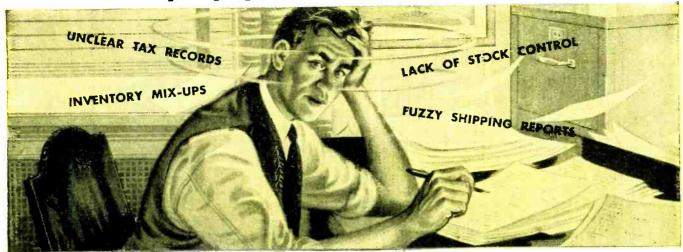
## Should Know How to Sell Therapeutic Lamps

Make sure that your clerks know the difference between infrared and ultra-violet lamps. Though huge advertising campaigns are doing much to enlighten customers, too many of them still do not know about the various functions of the therapeutic bulbs. Briefly, infrared provides penetrating heat for the relief of aching muscles; heat for hair-drying, etc., but they do not tan the skin. Ultra-violet lamps provide Vitamin D, and they cause tanning. Some types of sunlamp give off infrared rays, too, but usually to a very limited degree.

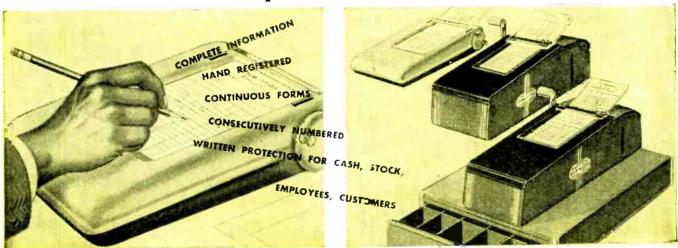
## **Re-Lamp Entire Home**

By pointing out that bulbs blackened by use are costly to operate because the user doesn't get all of the illumination he pays for, the dealer is often able to get the customer to agree to permit him to re-lamp the entire house.

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## The Battery Business

## "Sales of Cells" Now Mean Bigger Profits for Retailers

• Dealers have a new interest in the battery business.

Many a radio/appliance retailer is beginning to see the importance of establishing his store as the battery-replacement center of his community. The ever-increasing "sales of cells" is developing into a traffic-building and register-ringing proposition that means real cash income of impressive size.

A part of this revival of interest is due to retailers' experience this summer in selling batteries for portable radios. They found that the demand was good and that it meant customer contact and extra repair jobs. They also found that battery units had been improved, the number of types had been increased, and that the business was, generally speaking, a "clean" and profitable one.

## Many Types in Demand

There are almost enough uses for batteries now in the picture to justify setting up a "battery department." Most familiar to radio men, of course, are the packs for the portable sets-including those for the average-sized 3-way receiver, the "personal" type of radio, and the miniature or pocket-style unit. Then there are the packs for the millions of farm sets now in use, and a steady interest in batteries for hearing aids. In the "light" classifications are the familiar cells for flashlights, batteries for electric lanterns, and an everincreasing demand for photoflash batteries.

In addition, the cells are widely used for door bells and chimes, transmitters, telephones, ignition, and the operation of hobbyists' gadgets. All this market is within reach of the radio/appliance retailer, and it gives him at least a dozen popular items to sell and to use as traffic builders.

Due to the fact that most batteries are small items, there has been much emphasis among the suppliers on point-of-sale displays. Many of these are of the counter-supply type, so that the stocking of the merchan-

dise is simple and convenient for the dealer. Much of the business is self-service. This has been going on for so long in the battery business that the manufacturers are veteran experts in this type of display, and retailers get an excellent deal as a result of their long experience. Retailers now have a choice of displays that are bright, smart and effective—all sizes, types, and colors.

Running in national magazines are a number of sales-stimulating ads on



batteries of several types. These displays are making the public sensitive to the performance and durability of the cells, and they give the retailer the benefit of million-dollar promotion. They stir up interest in improvements and changes in the product and remind the buying public of the values now available.

## Create Store Traffic

Naturally one of the most important advantages of selling batteries is the effect that it has on store traffic. Among the other so-called "traffic" items, a customer may leave the store without making a choice, but if he wants a battery he has a real need for same, and he buys one.

Radio men have said that it is dead

easy to transform a battery customer into a prospect for radio sales-or-service. When people talk about radio power, they naturally think about how the radio is working and also how the other sets in their possession are working. This can readily lead to sales or service for any type of receiver, and it certainly is not far-fetched to imagine how the sale of a 10c battery can lead to the placing of a \$200 radio order.

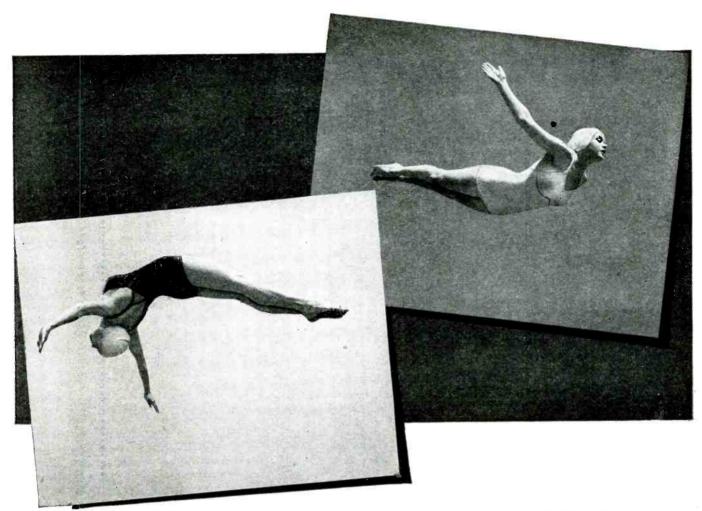
In the case of the very popular flashlight batteries, the extra-sales trend may run to merchandising the many different types of new flashlights, or many other items in which this type of cell is used. In fact, the dealer who has a complete, fresh stock of batteries may expect extra patronage from a surprising number of groups. These include photographers, hobbyists, youngsters, mechanics, experimenters, etc., all of which have special needs for regular supply.

### **Buyers Are Interested**

Or, the traffic-pulling display of flashlight cells may be strategically placed among other higher priced traffic items to which the dealer wishes to call attention. Whether or not the battery has a direct relation to other types of merchandise sold or serviced in the store—it is still much-sought by the public and of course every dealer knows the value of having people stream through his aisles.

Also, some dealers like the idea of increasing the number of battery "reminder" displays shown around the store. If enough of these are in evidence, it has been found that customers are reminded that they need a cell or two, and an extra sale is made. Here again, the fact that batteries are the small-unit type of merchandise—flexible and adaptable to many different kinds of counter and window display—becomes an advantage to the retailer.

In conclusion, the small-but-mighty battery can be regarded as a powerful little merchandiser for the cellconscious dealer.



## Which one will be TOMORROW'S CHAMP?

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time, because of its long-established service of economical national distribution, Graybar has the confidence and cooperation of top-flight radio and appliance manufacturers.

Result: Graybar dealers throughout the nation get unbiased, reliable recommendations from our Merchandising Specialists. They get a wealth of business-building assistance as well — plus the convenience of obtaining leading lines of merchandise from a near-by Graybar warehouse. Merchandising Department, Graybar Electric Company... offices and warehouses in over 90 principal cities.



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## Servicing Appliances

## Checking Door Seals On Refrigerators

The necessity of a tight door seal cannot be over emphasized. The proper method of determining a good door seal should be practiced.

The old method of using a piece of paper or a feeler gauge to check the door gasket sealing effectiveness is of little value on late model cabinets.

The door gasket can grip a .002" thickness of paper and still permit considerable air to leak through. Probably the most practical method of checking the door seal is by light.

Make up an extension cord using a 75 watt lamp. The cord should be made from small, thin fixture wire so that the gasket will permit easy closing when the door is closed on the wire. By locating the 75 watt lamp on the center shelf of the refrigerator as near the front as possible, the slightest leak in the door gasket can be detected with the door closed, by visible rays of light.

The light rays can be seen through an opening that would exert slight pressure on a piece of paper .001" thick. Poor door seal is, in most cases, caused by improper strike adjustment. The procedure for adjusting the strike is explained under strike adjustment.

The above information comes from the service department of the Kelvinator Division of the Nash-Kelvinator Corp.

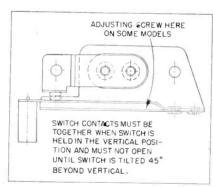
## On-Off Switch Repairs On Ray-Vector Heater

The following directions for repairing the switch on the Ray-Vector heater are provided by The Schwartz-baugh Mfg. Co., Toledo, Ohio:

- 1. Lay heater on its back, remove guard, feet, and trim band.
- 2. Remove reflector element assembly by first removing four small screws found along the flanges of the reflector ends. Push about 10" of the cord through the heater and pick up the reflector assembly by the flanges on the end and lift right-hand end so that the terminal studs pass through the small elongated notch in the right end of the heater body. Then move the assembly to the right until the safety switch clears the left-hand end of the body. This ex-

poses the On-Off Safety Switch, which is mounted on the left-hand side of the reflector.

3. If the phosphor bronze switch blade is distorted, it should be straightened. If terminal studs in the side of the reflector are loose, they must be tightened and checked for an electrical ground. The nuts which secure the switch assembly to the terminal studs must also be tight. The safety switch should remain closed until the heater is tipped forward beyond 45° from the vertical position. The switch should open when the heater is placed face down. Minor final adjustments can be made by: a. Turning the small adjusting screw located near the fixed end of the phosphor bronze switch blade. Note: This is for new switch with adjusting screw included. b. Bending the phosphor bronze switch blade slightly near its fixed end until the proper clearance is obtained. Note: This is for new switch without adjusting screw.



The On-Off Switch should cause the contact to break at approximately %41" within the "off" position, and the insulating tip should clear the switch blade assembly completely when in the "on" position. If necessary, the wire operator of the On-Off switch can be bent slightly to obtain the necessary clearance.

4. The re-assembly is the reverse of the above procedure. Care should be used to avoid striking the safety switch against the body when re-assembling.

Never use any kind of polish on plastic emblems, escutcheon plates, trim, etc., on various electrical appliances. Clean nickel plate with a dry cloth, chromium plate with a damp one.

## Checking Trouble in Vac Cleaner Motors

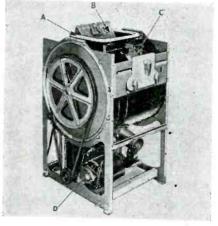
When a vacuum cleaner motor is running, a long yellow arc across the commutator indicates an open circuit. When a motor is running, a long blue arc across the commutator indicates an open circuit. A rough commutator causes a yellowish-blue spark. Never try to clean the commutator of an armature by filing it on a lathe, as this may short the bars. Do not use sandpaper as this will roughen it and cause it to spark. A little piece of cloth saturated with gasoline will quickly remove all of the black carbon or whatever substance may be on the commutator.

## Check Armature

The armature is really the heart of the motor and requires an accurate check to be sure that it is right. An armature that is not performing properly will reduce the speed of the motor and this in turn means the cleaner will not have the proper suction. An armature may be burned out, or it may have an internal short, an opening in the windings, or a burnt segment in the commutator

The foregoing information comes from the Premier Vacuum Cleaner division of General Electric Co.

## Jacobs Launderall

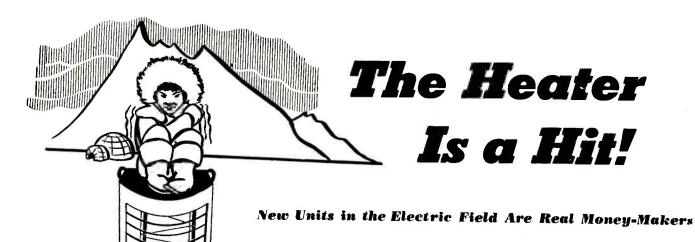


Pictured above is front view of Launderall's complete chassis assembly, showing (A) Top-Fil-Dar tub gasket; (B) washing cylinder loading door; (C) Safti-Latch mechanism; (D) 1/4 harsepower motor.

On toaster come-back calls where the complaint is improper toasting, and where everything seems to check all right, it is good practice to operate the device under actual conditions—using bread.



For further information, call your local telephone business office.



· A careful look at today's market for electric space heaters indicates that these units have profit possibilities that are strictly first-rate. It's a market that will really interest almost any cash-minded retailer when the first chill day of the early winter comes along.

September and October are two months that mean ACTION in the heater business. The Fall is the time when the merchandiser must decide on his stock and do his ordering under the new conditions, so that he will be ready for the first sales of a season that promises to be a honey.

The electric heater has always had its points as an example of clean merchandise. It's a product with no installation problems, easy to demonstrate, well supported by national advertising, with prices low enough to create traffic. All of these features are important to the dealer, particularly if he's trying to get himself into the stride of the buyers' market.

## Many Uses Developed

For sales in 1947-48 there are enough new and different types of heaters to give the retailer a valuable and impressive variety of models. Among the newer types are those which double as fans for summer; portable electric steam units; and those which have cast-type heating elements. All these are supplied in new designs with the "rough edges" long since removed—the streamlining done as ably and efficiently as American industry knows how to do it. The safety factor has been taken care of, and the over-all convenience is way up.

One of the best ways to merchandise heaters is to operate on the theory that they have many uses for the average family. And no matter

how new the home is, and how perfectly the central heating system has been worked out, the need for portable heating or drying is still present in several corners of the house. The ins and outs of air circulation are sometimes puzzling to the new home-maker but he will respond to an appliance that actually delivers comfort, when the retailer knows his facts. It is not necessary for the merchandiser of space heaters to go as far into the matters of temperatures, air circulation and humidity as the seller of air conditioning plants. But he should nevertheless know a few of the basic facts that govern the movement of air in a room.

The heater is an item that's very strongly backed up by point-of-sale materials, especially this Fall. For the dealer who means business this time, it will be easier for him to show the units colorfully and effectively in his store. Unlike some of the so-called promotional "orphans" of the appliance business, the heater has its own streamers, display cards. plus all kinds of backgrounds and "silent salesmen." They make the store seem seasonal and interesting.

In point of national advertising, the heaters no longer tag along behind the major appliance lines. They are shown in big color spreads in national magazines and become "wanted" merchandise in short order.

## AMONG MANUFACTURERS OF ELECTRIC HEATERS

Appliance Industries of America, 666 Lake Shore Drive, Chicago, III. Bersted Mfg. Co., Fostoria, Ohio Chicago Electric Mfg. Co., 6333 W. 65th St., Chicago, Ill. Dominion Electrical Mfg. Co., Mansfield, Ohio Eagle Electric Mfg. Co., Inc., 23-10 Bridge Plaza South, Long Island City, N. Y. Electric Steam Radiator Corp., Paris, Ky. Electromode Corp., Rochester, N. Y. Emerson Electric Mfg. Co., 1824 Washington Ave., St. Louis, Mo. General Electric Co., 1285 Boston Ave., Bridgeport, Conn. Knapp-Monarch Co., 3501 Bent Ave., St. Louis, Mo. Landers, Frary & Clark, 47 Center St., New Britain, Conn.

Miracle Electric Co., Chicago 3, 111. Monitor Equipment Corp., Riverdale, N. Y.

Noblitt-Sparks Industries, Columbus, Ind. Radiant Heater Corp., 521 Fifth Ave., New York, N. Y. Redi-Electric Co., 141 W. 24th St., New York, N. Y.

Samson United Corp., 1700 University Ave., Rochester 10, N. Y. Sunbeam Corp., 5600 Roosevelt Road, Chicago, III.

Swartzbaugh Mfg. Co., 1336 Bancroft St., Toledo, Ohio Thermador Electric Mfg. Co., Inc., 5119 S. Riverside Drive, Los Angeles

22, Calif. Trilmont Products Co., 24th at Walnut St., Philadelphia, Pa.

Westinghouse Electric Corp., Electric Appliance Division, Mansfield,

Wittie Mfg. & Sales Co., 1414 S. Wabash Ave., Chicago 5, Ill.

## Sales & Service

(Continued from page 103)

small appliances such as food mixers, juicers, liquefiers, hair dryers, etc.

The average customer is well sold on the necessity for keeping appliances safe and well lubricated, and it is up to the dealer to sell such maintenance service to the householder. It is natural for most customers to put off having repair work done until the time comes when the product breaks down completely.

The dealer who sells service intelligently will make money for himself and will make friends of his customers. There is a wealth of satisfaction in the knowledge that one's home electrical servants are in tiptop condition, and the smart dealer who contributes to such feeling on the part of the customer is lining himself up for more maintenance, and, for more sales of new products as well.

Many appliance retailers are electrical contractors, and for them the solicitation for more repairs on equipment is bound to result in more electrical work, too. Such merchant can sell additional outlets, new circuits, lighting fixture repairs, outdoor lights, etc.

In addition to selling repairs on utility items, there is much business to be had in servicing entertainment equipment, with radio, of course, heading the list. Keeping receivers in perfect operating condition should be the aim of every dealer. Certainly such is the inherent desire of every owner which makes the whole selling affair one of mutual benefit.

Try a remain business-increasing drive and see if the results are not more than gratifying. Make every endeavor to inspect all of the radios and appliances in the home. Every time you have a specific item to repair, ask the customer if he hasn't some other equipment needing service.

## Seasonal Product



The new Everhot electric blanket No. 920, from Swartzbaugh Mfg. Co., Toledo 6, Ohio, is 75% wool, rose or blue, packaged in clear plastic bog, \$41.95. Single spiral wire, flexible and waterproof insulated. Control unit in white plastic box, with temperature selector dial, glow light, on-off, safety thermostats. Measures 72" by 90".



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Ask your distributor about this great new improved Never-Lift iron and the FREE promotional tie-in package!

## Low Saturation in Appliances

In the 1947 consumer analysis of the St. Paul Minnesota, market, made by the St. Paul Dispatch-Pioneer Press, retail merchants in the trading area are aided in estimating their sales potentials for appliances through study of the various "saturation-point" figures.

In addition to aiming at selling the "don't have's," the retailer counts heavily on the replacement business. Typical of conditions in many cities, the St. Paul survey finds, for instance, that 22.9 per cent of the families interviewed do not own a vacuum cleaner. The 77.1 per cent who have this appliance own a variety of 73 makes.

60.4 per cent do not own electric food mixers, and 91.5 per cent do not own electric roasters. Next to radio, owned by 98.9 per cent of those interviewed, comes the electric hand iron, owned by all but 2.0 per cent of the families quizzed. 114 different makes are in the hands of those in the St. Paul market.

10.3 per cent have electric ironing machines (47 makes); 85.1, washing machines (104 brands); 13.3 own electric ranges; 32.2 own sewing machines; .2 per cent have dishwashers.

Included in the 74.1 per cent who have electric refrigerators are 68 makes, the survey shows.

57.0 per cent of the families (53,721) have one radio; 32.7 have 2 sets; 8.1 own 3 radios; 1.7 four receivers; .4 per cent. 5 receivers (350 families); 32 families

## Midwest Merchandisers Ready to Go



This group of Gibson dealers from the Kansas City, Mo., and Wichita, Kan., areas were recent guests of the wholesale division of Jenkins Music Co., Gibson's distributor there, at Kansas City's Phillips Hotel. Featured speakers were Earl S. Nobles, Gibson's divisional manager, and John L. Stephens, sales promotion manager for the manufacturer.

have six sets, and 94 homes reported seven radios each. 3.9 per cent own frequency modulation receivers.

Consumer preferences for features in a new radio stacked up as follows: Automatic record changer, 41.8 per cent; television, 35.7; FM, 32.7; regular broadcasting, 27.7; short wave, 8.3; don't know, 2.4.

New washers led the want-to-replace appliance list, followed by vacuum cleaners, irons, refrigerators, food mixers, ranges, sewing machines and ironers, respectively.

## Bendix Appliances at New Production Peak

The production accomplishments of Bendix Home Appliances, Inc., South Bend, Ind., which assembled 296,000 automatic washing machines in the first half of 1947, have been summarized in a statement by Judson S. Sayre, president.

Mr. Sayre said that personnel, flexibility of operations, intelligent planning and tightly-knit co-ordination were responsible for the production peak which "shattered all records of the company."

The output, reaching high gear in February and maintaining a monthly average of just under 50,000 units, was achieved in the face of almost insurmountable material shortages, Mr. Sayre pointed out. He had special praise for the Bendix men who made it possible to produce in six months "a total which approached our entire pre-war output of 335,000 units."

## New Planned Kitchen Trend, Hotpoint Reports

Some 3,000,000 prospective appliance buyers of the U. S. want their equipment in a "planned" kitchen, Edward R. Taylor, merchandising manager, Hotpoint, Inc., reported in a recent address marking the record sale of the "Your Next Kitchen" planning guide. Hotpoint hit the three million mark in sales of the 44-page illustrated kitchen booklet, in its 34th month. The pieces were sold at 10¢ by dealers and directly by the manufacturer from couponed advertisements.

## **Heads Appliance Research**

Ralph L. Benson is the new head of the refrigeration and appliance section of the research and advance development department of the Crosley Division— Avco Mfg. Corp., according to L. M. Clement, director of research and engineering.

## Stage Set for Peak Promotion



Expanded promotional activity of Philoo Corp., a history-maker for the firm, is explained here by James H. Carmine, vice-president in charge of merchandising. For Philoo's 133 jobbers and nationwide sales force, Mr. Carmine told how the record-breaking ad drive will include radio, television, newspapers, national magazines, etc.



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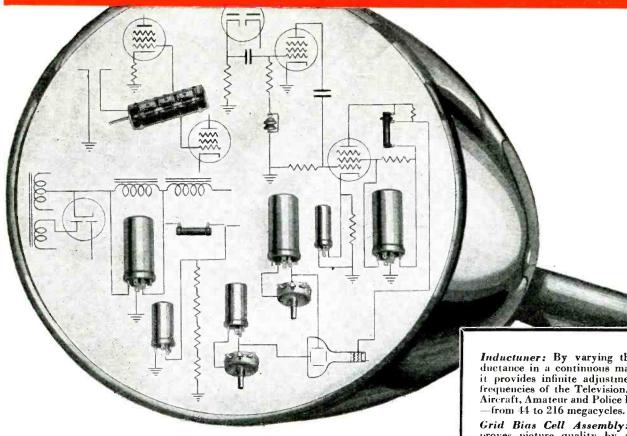
Includes Federal Tax and Detachable Cord Set with HEAVY-DUTY Switch

95c Extra in Western Zone, Ivory or Brown Baked Enamel. Model A, 1200 Watts. Model AA, 1320 Watts. A.C. or D.C.

\*Winner, Lewis & Conger First Annual Home Safety Award

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## **Mallory Contributions to Television**



NTICIPATING the day when servicing of television sets will be as common as present-day servicing of radio sets, Mallory has long been engaged in planning, designing and building television components.

The result of this foresight is shown in the typical television circuits illustrated above-circuits in which no less than ten different Mallory parts find an important place. Three of these parts—the Inductuner\*, the Videocoupler and the Grid Bias Cells—are of exclusive Mallory design.

The important point about these products is that they conform to standards for which Mallory is famous. Each in its own right is a true "Approved Precision Product." Each has the earmark of premium quality. You expect more and get more from Mallory components. That's true, too, of these television products.

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Inductuner: By varying the inductance in a continuous manner, it provides infinite adjustment of frequencies of the Television, FM, Aircraft, Amateur and Police Bands

Grid Bias Cell Assembly: Improves picture quality by aiding low frequency response and effec-tively eliminating stray pick-up. Videocoupler: Widens frequency response, resulting in better picture definition.

FP 550 Capacitor: A unique decoupling and screen bypass capacitor.

10 Watt Vitreous Enamel Resistor: Used as a voltage dropping or bleeder resistor in low voltage power

WP 540 Capacitor: Bypass for

WP 510 Capacitor: Bypass for horizontal centering.

WP 505 Capacitor: Bypass in compact container for video stage cathode circuit.

FP 135 Capacitor: Filter in low voltage power supply; effectively eliminates 60-cycle "hum band" distortion.

Carbon Controls: Used as tone, volume and contrast controls. (Not shown.)

Wire Wound Controls: Used for horizontal and vertical centering.



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## SERVICE & SOUND

## Section of RADIO Television RETAILING

## Tune-Up Service Profits Now!

Get Your Repair Dept. Geared to Promote Fall Business

• Each Fall the radio broadcasting networks put on large-scale promotions on their new and revived radio shows. This year, with a greatly increased number of broadcasting outlets, competition for the listening ear will be stronger, and bigger and better shows will be promoted on AM, FM and television. Which is, of course, where the radio servicer comes in!

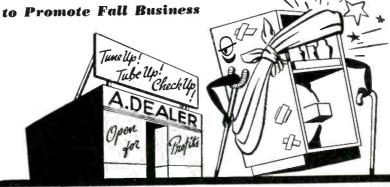
No experienced radioman need be told of the high percentage of radios, in daily use in people's homes, in sad states of disrepair. At almost any time of year, a local dealer's "radio check up" promotion will bring in a certain amount of business from this source.

The obvious time for such a campaign, however, is in the early Fall, tieing in with the local radio station's own efforts to put the radios of their audience in 100% condition.

### Planning the Program

Build your campaign around the parts and services with which most set-owners are familiar, and normally expect to buy periodically. Use a window for a technically-flavored display of tubes, batteries, antenna materials, noise eliminators . . . and, space permitting, an actual service bench or a tagged display of test equipment with posters explaining their function. Across the window run strong streamers urging Tune-Up, Tube-Up, Check-Up.

FM, with its rapidly spreading program service, is making folks throughout the country conscious of the pleasure to be experienced from



a background of interference-free silence against which the full dynamic range of the program may be heard. "AM-only" owners want that same sort of reception... and they'll respond to an effort to get it for them with the judicious use of noise-suppressing filters, new antennas, fresh tubes and batteries.

There's a big and growing market too, for parts and units which may be added to all types of receivers. The field for replacement automatic changers as substitutes for old and antiquated phonos has received only superficial treatment in many communities, while the sales possibilities in high quality speaker and amplifier units installed in attractive furniture and baffles hasn't even been scratched.

### **Brand New Market**

The emergence of FM tuning units for attachment to AM receivers is proving to be a big profit-stirring factor. Several makes have hit the market in recent months, including one selling for less than \$30. The work of installing one of these units, while definitely requiring a capable servicer, is clean and uncomplicated, and should provide many a profitable

hour for the service department.

Auto radios, as many a smart servicer knows, are especially ripe fruit, ready to be gathered in by an aggressive radioman. The clicks and buzzes and fading which are all too often tolerated in a home set, generally cause far greater concern when they appear in an auto radio, especially when the car owner does much traveling outside of town.

## Save These Listings!

To help you plan a Tune-Up campaign and purchase the supplies you'll need while the drive is on, save the directory pages included in this issue, listing the major manufacturers of every item in the radio and sound field, and refer to them when you want full information in a hurry.

Make plans now to work up printed material, posters, streamers, displays, mass advertising; arrange for tie-ins with publicity value; stress Tune-Up with appliance and record customers; get going, for now's the time!

Be sure to read and save the listing of recommended replacements for phono pickup cartridges, pages 125 and 134.



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## Religious Sound Systems

A Big Factor in the PA Business: Dealers Need This Information. Part 1

• In a highly competitive field like PA, the dealer must keep on his toes to discover how best to direct his selling activities. To help him do this, RADIO & Television RETAILING recently queried a selected group of sound men scattered from Texas to New England, and from California to New York, in small town and large city.

According to almost 25% of the men queried, all of whom are active in the PA business, installations in churches will provide the greatest single market for sound in the coming year, not counting intercommunication systems.

For all this huge interest in religious sound systems, however, not many PA men are familiar with the technical and sales problems that enter into this type of work. In a short series of articles, therefore, we will cover the most important factors. For a good deal of this practical advice, the editors are indebted to L. A. Randall of Stromberg-Carlson's sound equipment division, whose activities in this field are well known.

Sound equipment installation in churches normally fall into three classifications or a combination of these groupings, namely, auditorium PA systems, hard of hearing systems and the reproduction of chimes from the church tower.

Many churches also purchase or

rent portable systems for use during lectures, entertainment, banquets and various social events. A good portable system for this purpose must be adaptable to an easy set-up anywhere in a church room, and provide the flexibility required in a religious institution. Good results must be secured, as a rule, with a comparatively inexperienced operator.

## Choosing the System

The relative merits of a single centralized system as compared to a combination of several distinct ones has occupied the attention of church PA installers for many years, and arguments have been developed pro and con. While in the final analysis the choice must be made on the basis of conditions in a given church, the arguments offered for separate units are often quite attractive to a smaller religious institution or to the smaller PA dealer.

For one thing, the fact that the system will probably be operated by unskilled individuals will emphasize the need to keep controls and switches for any given application to a minimum. In this respect, a highly centralized system can prove confusing.

Furthermore, a single system to take care of the auditorium, hard of hearing, Sunday School rooms, tower reproducers, banquet hall, overflow rooms, chapel and recreational area, requires a specially engineered model with its increase in cost that frequently motivates the church committee to postpone or abandon the purchase of any sound equipment for lack of funds or because they cannot be sold on the intrinsic value of the benefits of the system, compared to the initial expenditure.

With these facts in mind, the sound engineer, during his survey of the institution, in estimating the costs and in talks with the committee may find it expedient to break down the requirements into several simple systems, which may be installed at separate times.

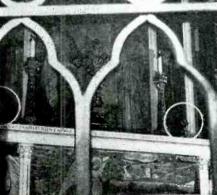
## List the Requirements

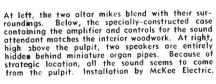
The auditorium and hard of hearing section could constitute one system, with a few speakers for the overflow room. Another system could consist of the tower reproducers, amplifier and chime program equipment, while the third system could cover the recreational or social areas.

The auditorium system will require the most study and careful consideration before any recommendation is made. This system must come as close as possible to creating the il-

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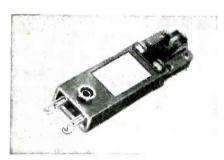




## Replacing Xtal Pickups

## Tune-Up Those Changers and Players! What Cartridge and Needle to Use?

• Scattered through manufacturers' radio set data sheets, service manuals, printed advertising brochures and catalogues are found references to the correct pickup cartridge and needle replacements to be used in repairing radio-phono combinations. So far as we know, however, nowhere but on these pages can be found a list, even though admittedly incomplete, of the parts recommended by each manufacturer for use on his own radio.



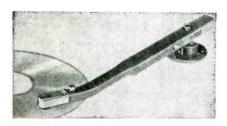
Astatic 1-J Nylon-Chuck crystal cartridge.

The brand names listed here are those of the companies who have responded to a recent request for information from RADIO & Television RETAILING.

Crystal cartridges may be very quickly tested for breakage by hand, and since the largest number of crystal failures are caused by rough handling resulting in a broken crystal, this test is naturally the first one made when a record player produces low squeaks.

The test is made by feeling the needle tip's side to side play. In an unbroken crystal the movement is firm, resilient, and restricted to approximately a quarter of an inch of movement. In a broken crystal the needle flops from side to side.

The other causes for crystal failure altogether comprise a small minority, and the connections from the pickup and the amplifier itself should be



New Audax Tuned-Ribbon reproducer, model 74-A uses a replaceable jewel stylus, linear response to 10,000 cycles, point-pressure of 24 grams. Audax Co., 500 Fifth Ave., N. Y., N. Y. Is maker.



They're hard boiled. Resistance to heat and humidity of Brush's new BR-903 PN crystal cartridge proved by 10-min. dunk in boiling water.

checked for operation before the crystal is tested any further.

If the connections and the phono circuit are in good condition and by deduction the crystal is deemed defective, its failure may have resulted from one or more of the following causes.

Overheated. Raising the temperature of some crystals to above 120° F will permanently destroy their piezo-



G. E.'s hi-fi variable reluctance pickup.

electric properties. This may occur when the cartridge is displayed in the window, unprotected from sunlight. Sometimes the dealer's storage bin is too hot, or the soldering iron is held too long on the solder lugs, and too close to the body of the cartridge, during installation.

Dried out. Too long exposure to excessively hot and dry air will permanently dehydrate the crystal.

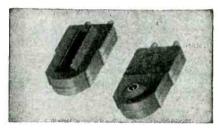
Moist. Too much moisture will cause the crystal to absorb an excessive amount of water which will also affect its operation. However, this condition is not permanent, and can be cured by removing to a dry atmosphere or by placing the cartridge in a closed jar containing a moisture-absorbing chemical.

Internal leads break. They can be

repaired by opening the cartridge and refastening. However, breaks that can be repaired by the service man occur so infrequently that the opening of a cartridge is virtually a waste of time.

When the crystal has to be replaced don't follow the old maxim, "If the shoe fits, wear it." Don't select at random from the more than 140 types now being made just because you haven't the exact replacement on hand, and can somehow manage to get the cartridge to stick to the pick-up arm. Any crystal will work. But how?

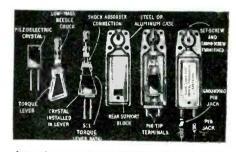
Crystal cartridges are manufac-



New Pickering hi-Z pickup has sapphire stylus.

tured with various frequency cut-offs or responses, various voltage out-puts, requiring various needle pressures, in addition to a variety of shapes and weights. Any difference between the original and the replacement, slight or extreme, in any or all of these basic characteristics may give considerable trouble.

Voltage outputs are purposely set at various levels from as low as .12 volts (RCA 39550) to 3.50 volts. (Astatic L72.) It may readily be seen



Internal construction on Shure's new "lever-type" crystal cartridge shows novel features.

that a low voltage crystal used to replace a high voltage type may not have sufficient voltage output to drive the amplifier satisfactorily, especially in cases where the amplifier is already turned up full.

The reverse is also true since the high voltage crystal may overload

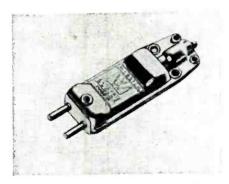
## in Phono-Radio Combos

## Here's a Hot New Pin Up . . . a Valuable List to Keep Handy

and distort the phono output, and may also bring the room volume point on the tapered volume control to where a slight movement of the control will greatly change volume.

The system may also go into audio oscillation, since the pickup may now be sensitive enough to respond to speaker vibrations. Still more: difference in impedances of different crystal pickup types will cause a change in the audio response.

If, for this reason, or if the replacement crystal itself has a different frequency response the phono may sound unfamiliar to the user. If it is lower, the customer may complain about the lack of highs. If it is higher, and the set a low priced unit depending upon crystal cut-off to reduce needle scratch, and using a speaker that is particularly sensitive to highs, the scratch noise



Webster-Electric makes big replacement line.

may be objectionable, and, by comparison, there may be a loss of bass.

Needle pressures vary from as low as .7 of an ounce (Webster AJ2) to as much as 3.75 ounces (RCA 14820). A light needle pressure cartridge in a heavy pressure arm may ruin the sapphire needle. Placing a heavy pressure cartridge in a light pressure arm may reduce the signal output.

Placing a heavy weight cartridge (inconsiderate of needle pressure, but heavy by actual weight) in an arm designed for a light weight cartridge will change the pressure on the needle, for better or worse as the case may be, and destroy the balance of the arm so far as the record changer mechanism is concerned.

If the new cartridge is light in weight and the old was heavy, but balanced for a light needle pressure, the counter balance may lift the replacement clear off the record.

Brand Name	Models	Cartridge	Needle
Admiral	All 1946:		Admiral N-1
			Admiral N-1
	6RC46, 6RC51 3A1-6RP48		Admiral N-1
	3A1A-6RP48		Admiral N-1 Admiral N-1
	3A1-6RP49 3A1A-6RP49A		Admiral N-1
	3A1-6RP50		Admiral N-1 Admiral N-1
	3A1A-6RP50A 5B1-6RT41		Admiral N-1
	5R1 A-6RT41 A		Admiral N-1
	5B1-6RT49	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	Admiral N-1 Admiral N-1
	5D1_ADTA3		Admiral N-1
	5B1 A-6R143 A		Admiral N-1 Admiral N-1
	7B1-6RT44 7B1 A-6RT44 A		Admiral N-1
	6C71-10A1		Admiral N-1 Admiral N-1
	6C71 A-10 A1 All 1947:		
	7RT41-6L1	Special cartridge and needle (Adm Special cartridge and needle (Adm	niral part #A1372)
1	7RT42-6L1 7RT43-6L1	Special carridge and needle ( Adfi	niari part #AIJ/Z/
	7C69A-6M1	Special cartridge and needle (Adt	niral part #A 13/2/
	7C62-6M1 7C63-7C1	Special cartridge and needle (Adn Special cartridge and needle (Adn	nital part #Alo/2)
	7C73W-9A1	Special cartridge and needle (Adn	niral part #A1372)
A !- Vina	A-403	Astatic L-26A	
Air King	4704	Astatic L-71 A	
	COLUS	Astatic L-70	
Andrea	CO-U15 CO-VJ19 Television	Shure P-30	
		Astatic 1-J	Sapphire tipped nylon
Ansley	All current	Astatic 1-3	Fidelitone DeLuxe No-100
Arvin	302	Magnetic	(Arvin part #A19850)
(Noblitt-Sparks)	558	Astatic L-40AS, L-70AS	Fidelitone DeLuxe No-100
		Astatic L-70S	(Arvin part #A19850) Fidelitone DeLuxe No-100
11	665		(Arvin part #A19850)
	150-TC	Astatic L-70S	Fidelitone DeLuxe No-100 (Arvin part #A19850)
	151-TC	Astatic L-70S	Fidelitone DeLuxe No-100
	131.46		(Arvin part #A19850)
Autocrat	APR-157	Shure P-93	Fidelitone Supreme, or Jensen #10
Autocial	RPT-547	Astatic L-70, L-79	Fidelitone Supreme, or Jensen #10
1	R-1242	Shure P-90S	Miller type 570, 1/8" offset shank
Delco	N-12-72	(Delco part #1216574)	with osmium tip (Delco part #1217322)
	N-100	Astatic L-40	
Detrola	N-200	Astatic L-40	
	550	Astatic L-70 Astatic L-70	****
	650		
DeWald (United	All current	Astatic L-70	Duotone
Scientific Labs.)			
Electronic Labs.	All current	Astatic Nylon	
Emerson	506	Astatic L-70S	
Emerson		(Emerson part #820034)	00010000
	525	Astatic L-70S (Emerson part #820034)	
11	552	Astatic L-70S	
	546	(Emerson part #820034) Astatic L-705	
II.		(Emerson part #820034)	
	591 549	Astatic L-70AS Astatic L-70AS	
1	549	Astatic L-70	
	537	Astatic L-70S or Webster Nylon	
Farnsworth	All current	Astatic L-71	Permo floating point (Farnsworth part #71223)
		(Farnsworth part #71931) or Webster Nó	Permo floating point
		(Farnsworth part #71237)	(Farnsworth part #71223)
	46	Astatic L-75	Fidelitone FM-150
Freed-Eisemann	37	Astatic L-75	Fidelitone FM-150 Fidelitone FM-150
	30 (Serial Nos. 1 to 9490)	Astatic L-75	
	30 (Serial Nos.	Astatic QTM	Replaceable permanent needle
	9491 and up)	Astatic L-75	Fidelitone FM-150
11	32 (Serial Nos. 1 to 12493)		
II.	32 (Serial Nos.	Astatic QTM	Replaceable permanent needle
	12494 and up) 31 AC-DC	Astatic QTM	Replaceable permanent needle
	33 AC-DC	Astatic QTM	Replaceable permanent needle
Garod	6DPS-6	Astatic nylon 1-J	
J. 30	6DPS-7	Astatic nylon 1-J Astatic nylon 1-J	
ii .	6DPS-8 45 A P A	Astatic nylon 1-J	
11	5AP-1	Astatic L-40	
11			10.4

(This listing continued on page 134)

## Troubleshooting

## Servicing the New-Band Receivers Calls for Attention

• FM servicing is here. No longer something to anticipate, it's now a concrete factor to deal with. To keep servicers abreast of the latest circuits and to allow them to get the benefit of early field experiences in FM servicing, RADIO & Television RETAILING will report the information offered by the various managers of the service departments handling the most widely distributed FM receivers. The following advice

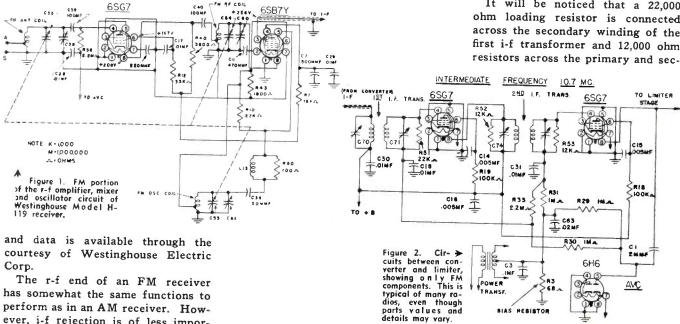
from the antenna, is connected to chassis ground; the other wire is connected to a tap on the antenna coil. The tap location has been selected for maximum signal voltage delivery to the 6SG7 r-f amplifier grid and is correct for use with transmission line impedances of  $50-300\Omega$ 

The tuned circuits, both physically and electrically, are more or less conventional, as compared with regular AM circuits, except for the size

The oscillator circuit is a conventional tapped-coil Hartley type. The coil and resistor network, L13 and R50, is a parasitic suppressor circuit.

Electrically, the i-f amplifier circuits of the H-119 are more or less conventional. The 10.7 mc. i-f transformer windings are connected in series with the regular 455 kc. AM i-f windings. In tuning such composite i-f units, the AM or 455 kc. trimmers are adjusted first and the FM or 10.7 mc. trimmers last.

It will be noticed that a 22,000 ohm loading resistor is connected across the secondary winding of the first i-f transformer and 12,000 ohm



has somewhat the same functions to perform as in an AM receiver. However, i-f rejection is of less importance, as the 10.7 mc i-f is comparatively interference free. Image rejection also is not a major problem, as the high i-f places images of FM stations outside the band.

The major function of the r-f end of the receiver, therefore, is to add as much as possible to the gain of the set so that a good signal-to-noise ratio will be obtained.

## Details of RF Circuit

Figure 1 shows the r-f amplifier, mixer and oscillator circuits of the Westinghouse Model H-119 AM-FM receiver. Only the FM portion of the circuit is shown; all band switches and components associated with AM have been deleted for the sake of simplicity in following the FM operation.

It will be noticed that one wire of the two-wire transmission line

of the tuning capacitors and coils. One and one-half volts of negative bias for the 6SG7 r-f amplifier tube is obtained from the voltage drop across a resistor in series with the transformer high-voltage winding center tap and additional bias from the AVC circuit.

The r-f energy from the 6SG7 plate is fed to a tap on the mixer r-f coil in order to obtain the proper impedance match between the 6SG7 plate and the 6SB7Y signal grid.

This mixer-oscillator tube is a 6SB7Y which is a special metal-shell type developed for converter service on the new 88-106 mc. FM band. The circuit and connections are similar to those of the ordinary 6SA7 type; however, the interelectrode capacitance of the 6SB7Y is much lower than that of the 6SA7 and the 6SB7Y is fitted with a low-loss base.

ondary windings of the second i-f transformer.

The purpose of the resistors is to permit "peaking" of the i-f circuits: unless resistor loading is used, it would be necessary to "flat-top" the i-f circuits in order to obtain proper band-pass characteristics. There is some curvature, of course, in the top portion of the resistance-loaded frequency response curve but the limiter acts to clip off this curvature providing, in effect, a wide-band flattop response at the discriminator input.

Figure 2 shows the 68 ohms voltage dropping bias resistor in the power transformer high-voltage center tap. Note that the signal for the AVC rectifier is taken directly from the plate of the 6SG7 second i-f tube through a fixed capacitor. This permits the same AVC circuit to func-

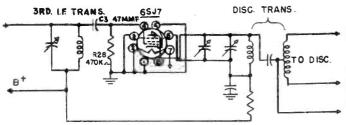
## Modern FM Circuits

to Novel Features. Short Cuts and Helpful Hints Given.

tion on both AM and FM without becoming involved in complex switching arrangements. In every other respect the i-f amplifier is strictly conventional.

- 2. Bad resistors or capacitors in de-accentuator network.
- 3. Insufficient signal for limiter saturation due to
  - a. R-F circuits out of alignment.
  - b. Bad r-f tube.
  - c. Inefficient antenna system.

half of the discriminator transformer secondary winding may be open; or, the phasing condenser between the primary and secondary windings may be open. Either of these troubles will cause loss of one reference voltage and thereby introduce distortion.



♣ Figure 3. The limiter circuit of any FM set involves components having critical values. Check voltages with a very high impedance instrument such as a set of the characteristic of the characteristic of the characteristic of the characteristic of the circuit voltages with a very high impedance in-strument, such as a VTVM, after first try-ing one or two new tubes.

## G. Trouble Shooting in the Limiter

Trouble: Distortion in Discriminator A-F Output.

> The same basic operating principle is involved in all presentday limiter circuits. A 6SJ7 sharp cut-off pentode is operated so that grid swing conditions between cut-off and zero

The limiter circuit is shown in Figure 3. Limiter tube voltages are quite critical. When replacing the grid condenser or the grid and plate resistors, the exact value specified by the manufacturer must be usel.

Figure 4 illustrates the discriminator, typical of many used in a wide range of other models and makes of FM receivers. At the right of this illustration is seen a deaccentuator network.

The time constant of this network is from 70 to 100 micro-seconds and the values are quite critical. When replacing these components, be certain that the values are identical with those specified by the manufacturer.

## DE-ACCENTUATOR DISCRIMINATOR Figure 4. For a full explanation of the functioning of a discriminator for FM, refer to standard texts or manufacturers' service manuals. Several NETWORK FM TEST JACK DISC. TRANSF LIMITER Seek TO AF AMP basic types are in use in the newest receivers.

## D. Dynamic Range or Reproduction Poor

- 1. Limiter not functioning properly.
- 2. Regeneration in i-f due to open bypass condenser or open loading resistor across i-f transformer.

  3. I-F circuits, limiter or discriminator
- not properly adjusted.

## E. Lack of Highs on FM Stations

1. Check resistance-capacitance values in de-accentuator network.

## F. Trouble Shooting in the

Discriminator Trouble: Severe Amplitude Distortion During High Audio Signal

Levels.

Remedy: This trouble is frequently due to poor discriminator alignment. High level audio signals correspond to wide frequency devia-tions around the center intermediate frequency. If the discriminator is far out of align-ment, the widely deviated signal, which corresponds to a loud noise, will go over the "hump" of the characteristic curve and distortion will result. If the discriminator slightly out of alignment, the audio quality will be good except on the very loud passages where the response leaves the linear portion of the curve and passes over to the peak. To correct, realign the discrimina-

tor transformer primary and secondary trimmers. Another possibility is that onegrid volts is of the order of 3 or 4 volts. The plate and screen voltage is maintained at approximately 63 volts. Under such operating conditions, with a strong signal applied to the limiter grid, plate current satu-ration is quickly reached.

The most frequent trouble in limiter circuits, with the possible exception of tube trouble, is a change in plate voltage due to changes in the value of the plate load resistor or to partial short-circuit of the plate circuit bypass condenser. If the plate and screen voltages are too high, the "threshold" voltage may change as much as 50 to 150 microvolts or more.

This means that the limiter will function as an i-f amplifier and little or no limiting action will take place. As the signal frequency swings with modulation, it passes over the slope of the i-f characteristic curve generating an AM signal which can be passed on to the discriminator. The discriminator will respond to AM as one-half of the 6H6 tube can act as diode rectifier. Unless the limiter removes the AM response, this condition will occur. The i-f response curve is not linear, so considerable distortion will take place when the FM signal is converted to AM. This is not normal FM reception and the conditions just described are due to a lack of limiter action.

## CHECK LIST OF FM SERVICE TIPS

## A. Noise and Hiss

- 1. Noisy r-1 or converter tube.
- 2. Defective antenna system.
- 3. Excessive plate voltage on limiter.
- 4. Regeneration.

## **B.** Regeneration

- 1. Improper lead dress.
- 2. Incorrect alignment.
- Defective shield or ground straps.
- Open bypass condenser (r-f or i-f

## C. Distortion and Poor Tone Quality

- 1. Limiter not functioning due to
  - a. Bad 6\$17 limiter tube.
- b. Incorrect limiter voltage.
- Limiter circuit not properly aligned.
- 1-F circuits not properly aligned.
- Bad i-f amplifier tube.
- Open loading resistor across i-f winding. Open bypass condenser, i-f circuit.
- g. Open bypass congenser, in the h. Incorrect voltages on i-f tubes.

## Audible Signal Tracers

Line-Up of the New Time-Saving Instruments Show Greatly Improved Features.

• In 1944, a well known radio equipment manufacturer conducted a nationwide survey among radio servicers. They found, among other things, that during the height of the phenomenal service activity, with the radioman's every moment in huge demand, less than 5% of the men owned audible-indicating signal tracers, and hardly more than 1% wanted to buy one.

Some 2 years later servicers were slowly beginning to realize the value of these instruments, to judge from an informal survey conducted among members of a local servicers organization through the sponsorship of a nationally known parts manufacturer.

At that time it was found that of 137 purchases of test equipment planned by a group of the members, 10 were to be signal tracers... something over 7%. This, of course was no indication of the number who already owned signal tracers.

Most recently, a nation-wide survey has been conducted by John F. Rider, Publisher, Inc., among radio servicers. While the final results have not yet been released, it is already clear that a sharp upward trend is evident in the use of the signal tracer. According to Rider, whose original Chanalyst introduced the method of visual signal tracing in 1938, a spot check of a representative number of responses selected at random indicate that about 55% of servicers owning tube testers and voltmeters also possess some form of signal tracer.

The very recent increase in popularity of the instrument is reflected by the new audible-indicating tracers being marketed today. On this page are shown some of the popular makes, including several which are being reported for the first time.

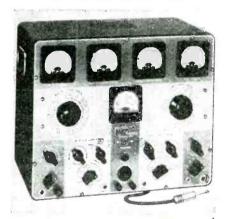
The signal tracer is not a substitute for any other type of instrument. It is completely unique among service equipment, and is designed to help "localize" troubles. In general, it performs the function which up to its invention, was done by "clicking" tube caps, careful listening and deductive reasoning. While it is no automatic brain, it can definitely save many hours of troubleshooting time for both novice and old-timer. Look 'em over and take your pick:



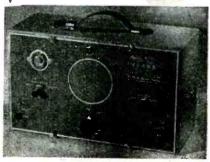
Electronic Instrument Co. Model 113A



Feiler Instrument Ca. Model TS-5



Hickok Elec. Instr. Co. Model 156 McMurdo Silver Co. Model 905





Philco Corporation Model 7030

## WHEN SERVICERS USE THE SIGNAL TRACER:

Locating of "dead" stages in receivers and amplifiers.

Locating of noise, hum, crackling, distortion.

Finding location of minimum hum pickup when mounting transformers, "dressing" leads, and placing component parts.

Finding trouble source in "intermittents". "faders", and weak or distorted signals. Determining local oscillator frequency shift "dead" output of osc.

Finding weak, microphonic, noisy, or shorted tubes.

Locating defective RF and IF transformers.

Locating defective speakers.

Testing phono pickups and microphones. Use as a low power hi-fidelity amplifier (for record demonstrations, etc.).

Locating noisy or intermittent volume controls.

Locating defective gang condensers (noisy—crackling—microphonic, etc.).

Locating noisy resistors. Checking power line noise or noise that

may be picked up by the receiver antenna.
Use as a "stage by stage output meter"
for alignment operations.
Motorboating or Squealing.

Check gain per stage by VTVM right from ant.

Precision Electronics Model 250



## Handle FM, AM, and Tele!

## More Sensitive Probes, Wider Frequency Coverage Permit Faster Work



Radio City Products Co. Model 777

Special Products Co. Model STAB



Superior Instruments Co. Model CA-12 Supreme Instruments Co. Model 562



## ELECTRONIC INSTRUMENT CO., INC.

Model 113A Multi-Analyst

Model 113A Multi-Analyst
Indications: Audible, visual (meter)
Power: AC with trfansformer. Portable, 15½ lbs.
Range: 60 cy. to 100 mc.
DC Voltmeter: Five ranges to 1000V. External multiplier to 5000V. 26 megohms input.
AC Voltmeter: VTVM, 1.5 megohms input, diode tube rectifier Five ranges to 1000 V.
Ohmmeter: Five ranges in multiple of 10, covering from .2 ohm to 1000 megohms. Electronic type.
Output Meter: Five ranges, covering from —20 to +60 db.
Features: Speaker, self-contained; 6 tubes; VTVM polarity switch; no tuning controls; see picture

## FEILER ENGINEERING CO.

Model TS-1 Signal Tracing Analyzer

Indications: Audible
Power: Battery. Portable, 4 lbs.
Features: Uses one tube, mounted in probe at end
of 3' cable; requires 22½/V bat. and one #2
flash cell; works with headphones 1000 ohms
on higher; meter for visual indications can be substituted for headphones; no tuning controls

## Model TS-2 Electronic Stethoscope

Model 15-2 Electronic States
Indications: Audible
Power: Battery Portable, 10½ lbs with battery
Features: Uses 3 direct-heater tubes, including one
in probe at end of 3' cable; 90V battery, 5" PM
speaker; jacks for RF and VTVM indication
meter, AF output meter and headphone of 1000
ohms or higher; no tuning controls.

Model TS-3 Electronic Stethoscope

Some characteristics as Model TS-2, for AC opera-tion, using static-shielded transformer; four tubes including rectifier.

## Model TS-5 Pocket Stethoscope

Model TS-5 Pocket Stethoscope
Indications: Audible
Power: AC with transformer. Portable, 3½ lbs.
Size: 4½"x2¾"x8¾"
Features: Uses 4 tubes, including rectifier, with one in probe; cables and probe fit into very small case; entire apparatus fits into palm of hand or pocket; self contained 3" PM speaker; jacks for headphones, output meter, and standard V-O-M for use as RF VTVM; no tuning controls; see picture

### HICKOK ELECTRICAL INSTRUMENT CO.

Model 156 Indicating Traceometer

Indications: Audible, visual (meters)
Power: AC, with transformer. For bench, 32 lbs.

Indications: Audible, visual (meters)
Power: AC, with transformer. For bench, 32 lbs.
Tuned ranges:
Took kc, 5000 µV—25V full scale readings, 85 mmf input capacity;
Oscillator, 600 kc—15 mc, 7 voltage scales to 750V, 1.2 mmf input capacity;
Untuned ranges:
AF 20—20,000 cycles ± 2 db, 7 scales to 500V, 2 megohms input resistance;
DC volts, 7 range to 500V, 18 megohms input;
Watts, 0-150W, connects by plugging receiver under test into front panel receptacle
Features: Speaker, mounted inside top of case, plugs into front panel; each channel separately metered, may be used simultaneously for trouble-shooting intermittents; uses 5 tubes including voltage regulator; supplied with four RC filtered probes; see picture.

## McMURDO SILVER CO.

Model 905 Sparx

Model 905 Sparx
Indications: Audible, visual (electron-ray tube)
Power: AC with shielded trans. Portable, 14 lbs
Frequency range: From 20 cy. to over 200 mc;
input is 3 mmf, over 5 megohmFeatures: Five tubes, including 6E5 electron-ray,
plus crystal diode rect. in probe; AF amp. has
65 db gain; self contained PM speaker, with
jacks and switch for external speaker; 3-position
switch connects 6E5 for various uses; no tuning
controls, see picture.

## PHILCO CORP.

Model 7030 Dynamic Tester

Model /usb bytaline rests.

Indications: Audible
Power: AC with transformer. Portable
Frequency range: higher than 100 mc
Features: Four tubes, with 6AQ6 in probe having
lucite tip lighted with pilot lamp; self-contained
loudspeaker; gain ratio is 10,000; adjustable
probe input loading; no tuning controls; see

### PRECISION ELECTRONICS, INC.

Model 250 DeLuxe

Indications: Audible, visual (meter)
Power: AC with transformer. Portable
Frequency range: 20 cy to 300 mc, 3 mmf Input
VTVM range: Comparative readings
Fectures: 4 stage VTVM; 5 tubes; illuminated
meter and probe; 5" PM speaker; 6AT6 triode
in probe; no tuning control; see picture.

### Model 200 Standard

Same characteristics as Model 250, with different case and no VTVM.

### RADIO CITY PRODUCTS CO., INC.

Model 776 Dynatracer

Indications: Audible
Power: AC, with transformer
Frequency range: Through 150 mc, 3 mmf input
Features: Detector and amplifier in probe at end
of 50" cable; 4" PM speaker; microphone and
phono input jack; no tuning control.

### Model 777 Dynatracer

Indications: Audible, visual (meter)
Features: In general, some as Model 776, plus self-contained meter with step and vernier attenuators providing 10,000—1 ratio; 10,000 µV full scale deflection; switch for meter and speaker; no tuning control; see picture.

## SPECIAL PRODUCTS CO.

Model STAB Speco

Model STAB Speco
Indications: Audible
Power: Battery. Portable, 4 lbs. 10 oz.
Features: Extra long fine probe with long leads
suited for troubleshooting auto radio while in
car; instrument cover cannot be closed without
turning off battery switch; tube in probe; also
sold in kit form; no tuning control; see picture

### Model STAC Speca

All features of Model STAB above, plus visual indi-cations with electron-ray tube also sold in kit

This is the probe used on above models, sold separ-

## SUPERIOR INSTRUMENTS CO.

Model CA-12

Model CA-12
Indications: Audible, visual (meter)
Power: Battery, Portable, 8 lbs.
Frequency range 60 cy to over 20 mc.
VTVM range: Comporative readings
Features: IT4 tube in probe; jack for headphones;
metal case; one connecting coble; no tuning
controls; see picture.

## Model CA-11

In wooden case, with visual and audible Indications; small in size; portable.

## SUPREME INSTRUMENTS CORP.

Model 562 Audolyzer

Model 562 Audolyzer
Indications: Audible, visual (meter)
Power: AC, with transformer. For bench.
Tuned ranges: 5 bands covering 95 kc—14.5 mc;
Input resistance 15 megohms
Features: Step and vernier attenuators; one probe;
pin jacks, probe and meter selector switches
arrange measurements of all radio circuits plus
external resistances in 5 ranges from 200 ohms
to 20 megohms full scale, and 7 VTVM ranges
from 1V to 1000V full scale; jack for delivering
amplified AF as driver power for audio signal
substitution testing; see picture

## New PA Units for Fall Installations

### **Eastern ROBOMAT**

The Robomat is a completely self-contained, automatic sound system, containing a record changer, sensitive AM receiver, and amplifier. The changer is of continuous heavy duty construction and is



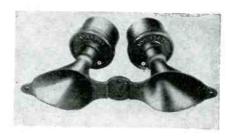
automatic, stacking 20 records and playing both sides. By means of a switch, it will play continuously or every 3 minutes. The amplifier is rated at 90W, while a timer is incorporated by means of which the Robomat is turned on and off at any preadjusted times. A microphone is included for paging. Eastern Amplifier Corp., 794 E. 140th St., New York 54, N. Y.—RADIO & Television RETALLING

## Stromberg-Carlson RECORD AMPLIFIER

Model 37 is a 5-tube phono amplifier using 6F6G tubes in push-pull to provide 10 watts with less than 5% total harmonics into an impedance of 618 ohms. The jack marked "phono" is a 5-megohm impedance input providing 56 db gain with equalization for crystal pickups, while the "input" jack offers a 250,000 ohm impedance with 78 db gain, and a wide range of equalization possible by means of three controls, for bridging across 500-600 ohm circuits. Stromberg-Carlson Co., 100 Carlson Rd., Rochester 3, N. Y.—RADIO & Television RETAILING



## University TWIN TWEETER



A die cast twin horn design offering a horizontal dispersion angle of 100° and a vertical distribution of 50°, is featured in the new University speaker. The frequency range from 2000 to 15,000 cycles is covered, permitting its use as a high frequency section of a wide range system, in conjunction with any efficient 12" cone speaker. No dividing network is needed for the twin unit, which can handle up to 16W of audio. University Loudspeakers, Inc., 225 Varick St., New York, N. Y.—RADIO & Television RETAILING

## Radio-Music Corp. REPRODUCERS

Three types of Para-Flux Reproducers have a linear response from 40 cps to well above 11,000 cps. The interchangeable vertical, lateral and universal heads use the same arm and equalizer. Model VI.1DA uses a diamond stylus for vertical "hill-and-dale" recordings, Model II.1DA is sensitive to lateral reproduction, while universal head Model UI.1DA with diamond stylus operates on both lateral and vertical reproduction. Radio-Music Corp., East Port Chester, Conn.—RADIO & Television RETAILING.

## Webster-Chicago RECORDED MUSIC AMP

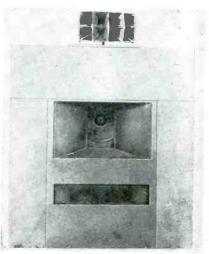


Model 66 is a portable amplifier in leatherette case, for reproducing high qual-

ity recorded music. Designed especially for use with the Webster portable record changer model 65, or as an external amplifier and speaker for model 80 wire recorder, the unit has push-pull output, delivering 8W to an 8" PM self contained speaker. Net weight 18 lbs. Webster-Chicago Corp., 5610 Bloomingdale Ave., Chi. 39, Ill.—RADIO & Television RETAILING

## Altec Lansing THEATRE SPEAKER SYSTEM

Model 800 "Voice of the Theatre" speaker system measures only 23" in depth, making installation possible in



small motion picture theatres, for which it was designed. The low frequency speaker radiates directly through an exponential horn, covering up to 800 cycles, while the high-frequency unit uses a 2 x 4 cell wideangle exponential horn, covering 800-15000 cycles. Altec Lansing Corp., 250 W. 57th St., New York 19, N. Y.—RADIO & Television RETAILING

## ACA AMPLIFIER for GE PICKUP

Model ACA-100GE direct-coupled amplifier was developed specifically to accomodate the GE variable reluctance pickup without the use of any additional preamps or equalized circuits. An independent ½-megohm input provides 117 db gain, developing 23W output with less than 1% total distortion. Response is flat within 1 db from 20 to 20,000 cycles. Hum and noise level is —40 VU. Balanced output terminals are provided for 8/16/20/500 ohms, with in-between terminals providing additional impedances of 2/4/5/10/80/125/160/175 ohms. Amplifier Corp. of America, 396-7 Broadway, N. Y. 13, N. Y.—RADIO & Television RETAILING

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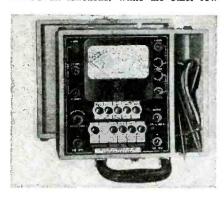
# New Bench Aids Speed Service

### **Brach SIGNAL BOOSTER**

Brach's "Puratone" Signal Booster is designed to eliminate interference and noise from the dealer's demonstration antenna setup. Carrying AM, FM and tele antennas on the same single mast, signals are fed through a shielded coaxial cable to a distribution amplifier on the sales floor. From the amplifier a radiating wire is run around the display space. A 30-40 db gain on FM and a 40-60 db gain on AM is provided. Comes with all material, including mast. L. S. Brach Míg. Co., 200 Central Ave., Newark 4, N. J.—RADIO & Television RETAILING

## **Precision MULTI-MASTER**

Series 858 is a push-button-operated 20,000-ohm-per-volt test set covering 54 a-c and d-c ranges. One row of five buttons selects all functions, while the other row



of six buttons selects all ranges, going up to 6000V a-c or d-c (d-c ranges at 1000 ohms and 20,000 ohms per volt) 8 d-c current ranges to 12 amps, 6 resistance ranges to 600 megohms, and 8 decibel ranges from —26 to +70 db. Precision Apparatus Co., Inc., 92-27 Horace Harding Blvd., Elmhurst, L. I., N. Y.—RADIO & Television RETAILING

### Walsco UNIVERSAL BELT

The new Walsco Unibelt is a universal dial belt, manufactured in continuous lengths and put up on stools containing enough belting for between 5 and 8 replacements. Since the dial belt comes in open lengths, it can be installed without taking apart the dial mechanism. To close the loop, a patented zipper-like connector is inserted in each end. A thin flexible steel core makes stretch impossible. Walter L. Schott Co., Beverly Hills, Cal.—RADIO & Television RETAILING

## Weston ANALYZER



Model 769 Electronic Analyzer features a VTVM which, by means of a small rfprobe having an input resistance of 5 megohms with 5 mmf capacity, covers full-scale ranges from 3 to 150 volts in a frequency band from 50 cycles to 300 mc. In addition, another electronic volt-ohmmeter circuit covers up to 1200V d-c and 2000 megohms, while the analyzer section of the instrument contains six 10,000-ohmsper-volt ranges, six rectifier-type a-c voltage ranges to 1200V, three ohmmeter ranges to 200,000 ohms, and six d-c ranges to 600 ma. A special d-c probe containing a 5-megohm resistor is furnished for measuring d-c. Weston Electrical Instrument Corp., Newark 11, N. J.—RADIO & Television RETAILING

## **Bendix FACTOMETER**

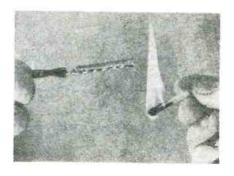
Model 847S FactoMeter is a service and sales aid for FM. Consisting mainly of a portable FM chassis with a field strength indicating meter and telescoping antenna.



it can be used to test or check an antenna or set installation location or position for signal level, and as a standard of comparison against which to check noise or interference complaints, quality, and the like, Bendix Radio Division, Bendix Aviation Corp., Baltimore 4, Md.—Radio & Television RETAILING

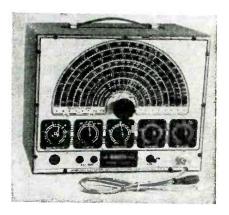
### Franklin SELF-SOLDERING TAPE

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Brand Name Gilfillan	Models 66P 86P	Cartridge Shure M-93 Shure M-93	Needle Walco Floating Jewel Sapphire #400 Walco Floating Jewel Sapphire400
Hoffman	B400	Astatic L-71 Astatic L-71	Walco Sapphire
	A401 B500 B501	Astatic L-71 Astatic L-71 Astatic L-71	Walco Sapphire Walco Sapphire Walco Sapphire
	B1000	Astatic nylon 1-J	
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Meissner Olympic	All current 6-504	Astatic MLP-9 Astatic L-40	Fidelitone
Отутріє	6-617	Astatic L-70	Fidelitone
RCA	63E 65U	RCA part #70338 RCA part #70338	RCA part #72345 RCA part #72345
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(Radio & Television, Inc.)	Darby	Astatic Nylon Astatic MLP-1 or Astatic Nylon	Permo Products
	Plymouth Buckingham		Permo Products
Scott	Early 800-B Late 800-B	Astatic L-75A or Astatic L-75S Astatic L-75A or Astatic L-73S	Aeropoint 88 Nylon
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	201 1005	Shure P90 Astatic L-71	Sparton #1 Sapphire Sparton Ruby Needle
	1006 1007	Astatic L-71 Astatic L-71	Sparton Ruby Needle Sparton Ruby Needle
Televox	Juke Boxes	Astatic L-72	
Temple (Templetone)	E-511 G-516	Astatic L-70A Astatic L-70A	Temple part #ER2-3 Temple part #ER2-3
	G-518 F-617-D	Astatic P-93 Astatic L-70 A	Temple part #ER2-3 Temple part #ER2-3
	F-617-S G-722	Astatic L-70 Astatic P-93 Astatic P-93	Temple part #ER2-3 Temple part #ER2-3 Temple part #ER2-3
	G-723 G-725 E-301	Astatic P-93 Astatic L-72A	Temple part #ER2-3 Temple part #ER2-3 Temple part #ER2-3
Clarion (Warwick Mfg, Co.)	All current	Astatic L-70	Fidelitone Master Floating Point
Trav-ler	7003 7004 7005	Astetic L-72 A Astetic L-72 A Astetic L-75	
Recordio (Wilcox-Gay)	6A10,6A20 (Serial Nos. to 469	Astatic LP-21	Permanent Sapphire (Not replaceable)
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## Religious PA

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lusion to the listener that he is hearing the original, and not an amplified voice. The loud speakers must be unobtrusive. This often means special housing or baffles to blend with the architecture of the auditorium. A speaker that attracts the attention of the worshipper defeats the illusion you try to create.

The amplified sound from the speakers must reach the worshipper from the direction of the sanctuary, chancel, or altar, where the service is being conducted. Sound directed to the worshipper in the nave from the sides or rear of the auditorium will not create the illusion we want to attain. Loudness is not necessarily essential; in fact, it can be annoying and defeat the illusion we are trying to create. A successful installation permits everyone with normal hearing to hear comfortably without being aware that they are listening to amplified sound.

### **Building the Illusion**

While concealment of loudspeakers and microphones are not always possible, the installer's imagination should be strained when necessary, to take advantage of dark areas, architectural features and the like.

The installation of the auditorium and hard-of-hearing system in the Episcopal All-Angels church of New York City, handled by McKee Electric Co. of that city, provides several good illustrations of this point.

The two horns used in the auditorium part of this church are concealed high above the pulpit, behind the miniature organ pipes which enclose a small space at the top of the column. They are completely hidden from the audience.

Five microphones, placed at the altar, pulpit, prayer desk and reading desk, are all but invisible from the pews. The two altar mikes are seen at opposite ends of the altar, submerged in shadow, and blending with the surroundings.

The 12 hard of hearing control units situated at various points, are mounted below the seats, and are found and adjusted without being seen by the worshippers.

A vital part is the control point. In this instance, it is seen concealed in a desk which matches the woodwork of the church interior.

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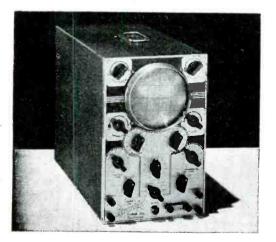
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peak deflection

HORIZONTAL .25 volt rms per inch peak to

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Direct

VERTICAL 15 volts rms per inch peak to

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HORIZONTAL 18 volts rms per inch peak to

peak deflection

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Amplifiers

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## New Jersey Dealer Draws Crowds with Outdoor Video Shows



As many as 500 persons a night gather at the D-U Electrical Center, Linden, N. J., where proprietor Charles Diou is staging outdoor TV theater performances at the suburban store. Summer merchandise is displayed all over the lawn and hundreds of prospects learn about D-U values as well as television appeal. The scrowds were photographed by Steve Huszar.

## Television Today

## "Another Stride in Forward March of Civilization"

In a memorable description of the art of television, FCC Chairman Charles R. Denny, speaking at the opening of TV Station WNBW, Washington, said that the potentialities of video are unsurpassed. Chairman Denny referred to the poet John Keats' lines about "magic casements" and continued:

"Today thousands of American homes have a 'magic casement'—not in fantasy but in actuality. Your television set is an electronic window through which you look from your living room beyond the horizon, over mountains, through the darkness of night, to far distant scenes. Your life takes on a new dimension. A new world opens.

"Television is another stride in the forward march of civilization. In terms of mass education, information, culture and entertainment, it has potentialities that are unsurpassed.

"Fifty-four additional television stations are under construction in 38 cities throughout the country. Most of these will be completed and on the air by the middle of next year.

"Sets are being purchased as fast as they come off the production lines and the rate of production is increasing rapidly. Last month more than 8,500 sets were produced. This is about the total number of sets we had in the country on V-J Day.

"The Federal Communications Commission has firm confidence in the future of television and will take every step to

assist the radio industry in giving the American people the finest television service attainable."

## Service Centers for Videorama

Seven more appointments under the new installation and service plan for Stewart-Warner "Videorama" television receivers have been announced by N. J. Cooper, service manager, radio division.

Named as "Authorized Stewart-Warner Television Service Stations" were the Missouri Research Laboratories, St. Louis, Mo.; National Radio and Television Service, Washington, D. C.; Arlington Television Laboratories, Arlington, Va.; Television Sales and Service, Inc., Newark, N. J.; Short Hills Radio and Appliance Co., Short Hills, N. J.; Pioneer Television Co., Philadelphia, Pa., and Minor's Radio and Television Co., Baltimore, Md.

## Two-Unit Video Sets Are Ready

Horace Atwood, Jr., president of Industrial Television, Inc., 34 Franklin Ave., Nutley, N. J., recently announced a number of features built in the firm's television receivers for public viewing. These are (1) two-unit construction permitting the viewing screen to be located independently of the control unit; (2) provision to control any number of viewing screens and sound systems from one control point; and (3) arrangement to use the sound system as a public address system without interfering with reception of the television picture.

## Zenith's Plan for "Phone-Vision" Sets

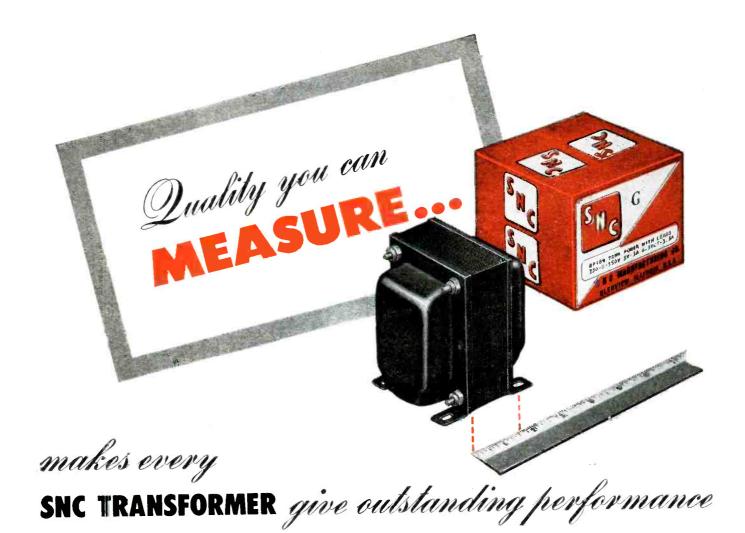
Following the Chicago demonstrations of "phone vision"—the new system of pay-as-you-see television—by Zenith Radio Corp., the Illinois Bell Telephone Co. and Zenith have been "swamped with telephone calls from people who want to get phone vision service immediately." Zenith reported that "most of the callers have received the garbled pictures on their own television receivers, and wish to receive over their telephone wires the key signals which will make the pictures clear."

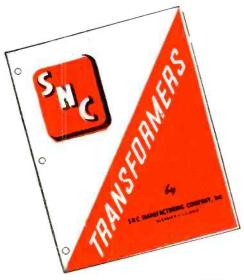
Commander E. F. McDonald, Jr.. Zenith president, said that phone vision is not yet ready for public use, since it will take from six to twelve months to finish working out details and get the new receivers into production.

## Picture Caravan Continues Video Shows

Seven more performances remain for the RCA Victor-Allied Stores Corp. television caravan touring the country with video demonstrations in stores. The tour started in May and will end in October.

The remaining stops for September are at The Golden Rule Store, St. Paul, Minn., on the 5th; the C. C. Anderson store, Boise, Idaho, on the 13th; the Bon Marche, Seattle, Wash., on the 20th; and Anderson's, Spokane, Wash., on the 26th. During October the show will be at The Paris, Great Falls, Mont., on the 1st; Donaldson's, Minneapolis, Minn., on the 11th, and at Polsky's, Akron, Ohio. on the 18th.





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## **Classy Display for FM Combination**



Eye-grabbing display in the Euclid Ave. window of the National City Bank of Cleveland used a single unit, the Farnsworth FM-AM GK-143 combination, as the star of the striking arrangement. The stunt was worked out with 9 local dealers, whose addresses were shown. The display also included photos of Farnsworth's four plants in Indiana.

## FM Sales News

## Biggest Gains Made in Production of FM-AM and TV Sets

The latest production figures from the Radio Manufacturers Association show that during the first six months of 1947, the member manufacturers made their biggest gains over 1946 in the production of FM-AM and tele sets. The grand total of AM, FM and TV sets was 8,610,-644 for the period.

The total of FM-AM receivers made during the six months was 445,563, as compared with 181,485 in 1946. The half year's output was thus two and a half times that of the previous year. As for video, more tele sets were made in June alone than in the entire year of 1946. June's record output of 11,484 in this group brought the half year's total to 46,389, as compared with 6,476 in the whole of 1946.

The proportion of FM-AM receivers to the total set production rose from 1.4 to more than 5 per cent during the first half of 1947. An RMA survey last spring indicated that total FM-AM set production in 1947 would run between 1.8 and 2.1 million this year, rising sharply during the last half of the year.

A decline in the proportional number of table models and a slight rise in the percentage of consoles characterized the 1947 half year's production. Table models dropped from 77 per cent in 1946 to 63 per cent during the first six months of this year. Console production rose from 7 to almost 11 per cent during the same period. Of the 932,420 consoles reported, 867,910 were radio-phonograph combinations.

Automobile radio production during the first half of 1947 exceeded the total for 1946, the respective figures being 1,208,159 (1947) and 1,153,458 (1946).

Of the 46,389 TV sets produced in the past six months, 32,769 were table models, 9,229 were consoles, 3,517 were radio-phonograph combination models, and 874 were converters

The FM-AM output during the half year was largely in console models although table model production has shown an increase in recent months. A total of 361,689 radio-phonograph combinations, 15,615 straight consoles, and 68,259 table models made up the FM-AM total.

## **Receiver-Tuner Ready**

The "Combinette in FM" receivertuner FM unit, announced earlier by Electronics, Inc., Washington, D. C., as the low-priced "people's FM" now has a suggested list price of \$56.95. The firm, located at 934 Bowen Bldg., Washington 5, D. C., states that the units are now available for immediate delivery. This table model job has 8 tubes plus rectifier, and can be used separately as a complete FM receiver or as an FM tuner with any AM receiver. It is an ac-dc set, with built-in line-cord antenna, housed in a mahogany cabinet.

## Survey Shows Need for Cheaper FM, Says Report

The FM Association, Washington, D. C., has revealed that out of the returns of a questionnaire sent out by FMA. 94% indicated a public demand for lower-priced FM receiving sets. FMA said that "the unanimous opinion of those who replied indicated that dealer surveys made in their territories, which are scattered throughout the country, showed conclusively that the average prospect for a new radio is unwilling to pay the high prices asked now for FM-AM consoles, with phonographs."

Other conclusions were that "in some areas, dealers and distributors are loaded with AM sets and they are reticent in informing customers of the advantages of FM-when a new FM station goes on the air, cooperation with dealers loaded with straight AM sets is impossible in the majority of cases, but dealers who have smaller inventories of straight AM sets and are in a position to stock FM-AM receivers are enthusiastic over FM broadcasting and, through experience, are convinced that their future profits will be measured by the extent to which they promote FM. In the majority of cities and towns having FM service, however, the station operators and dealers have held cooperative meetings which are producing profitable results for both.

## How to "Demonstrate in Forty-Eight," Being Shown

Now being shown at dealers' meetings held throughout the U. S. on the new Westinghouse radio line, is a half-hour sound slide film entitled "Demonstrate in Forty-Eight." The show is attracting wide attention as an example of the trend back to vigorous merchandising, as it gives full details on how to demonstrate new radios effectively.

The film was written, directed and produced by William Alley of Depicto Film, 245 W. 55th St., New York 19, N. Y. It deals with 15 different features of the Westinghouse line, and how these features can be shown to today's customers.

The features include Rainbow Tone FM, Plenti-Power, Electronic Feather, Rainbow Dial, Auto-Mix record changer, Signal Light control, Dual Tone Balancer, Lift-out radio, the Jewel receiver, cabinet quality, Double Range dual speakers, Disappearing Speakers, record storage space, built-in FM dipole antenna and the Giant Chassis.

### Zenith Teaches FM Service

The series of FM servicing schools for dealers' and distributors' technicians which was started in Milwaukee in June by the Zenith Radio Corp., under general service manager Frank Smolek's direction, has been scheduled for 21 cities from coast to coast.

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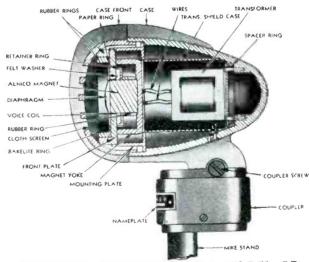
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# Sales Tips and Profit Pointers

Deep are the roots of customer skepticism toward what the salesman has to say. An old proverb has it that "the buyer needs a hundred eyes, the seller not one". Most of such suspicion, however, is felt toward salesmen who are strangers to the buyer. That's why it's so important to make friends of one's customers—gain their confidence through sincere, honest dealings, and by showing interest in the buyer after the sale has been made.

Salesmanship as a career offers unlimited earning possibilities. In addition to the financial aspect, the salesman has a golden opportunity to "go places" in this man's world. Moreover, salesmanship does not impose any age or academic standing requirements.



There's a tendency among salesmen to class all sales meetings as hogwash and as time-wasting practices. The best way to make them feel favorably inclined toward merchandising sessions is to keep the blue-sky and bokum stuff out.

Too many consumers still believe that if they buy "on time" they will get better service on their radio and appliances, because they hold the whip-hand via power to withhold payments if equipment fails to function properly. No reputable dealer makes any such distinction in his service policy, and he should seek to impress every purchaser that such is the case. Should point out, too, that finance contract terms do not permit customer to hold back due payments.

Margin can never be considered alone. It must always be balanced against your turnover of stock. High-margin goods are not the most profitable if they are slow-moving. Even on merchandise that is intrinsically good, you may be tempted by quality discounts to buy such a large stock that your stock turn suffers.

Genuine salesmen are never clock-watchers or minute-pinchers, but are guys who realize that they're actually putting in hours working for themselves.

## The Guest Experts of the Month Say—

The easy days of selling from incomplete catalog descriptions and offering of vague promises of delivery are over. The prospective customer today is once again a critical and exacting buyer and expects to see and be shown before placing the order. Operating displays of inter-comms, microphones, pickups, loud speakers, etc., are practically a must if the dealer or sound specialist is to be recognized as a legitimate supplier of sound equipment. There is no "short cut" to the profits that should be enjoyed from this branch of your business.—R. C. Reinhardt, president and sales manager, Atlas Sound Corp., Brooklyn, N. Y.

If we are to maintain our present day economy, the retailer must look forward to dealing in a volume approximately double that of 1941 . . . and he cannot handle such volume without the creation and training of an adequate sales organization. This is the retailer's biggest responsibility in the months immediately ahead.—Charles T. Lawson, vice-president in charge of sales. Nash-Kelvinator Corp., Kelvinator Div., Detroit, Mich.

Because of overstock on some items which have become slow-moving, there is a growing tendency among jobbers and dealers to reduce inventory below a reasonable minimum. Overstocking is not advocated. But cutting inventory to the point where customers are disappointed is not good business. Overstock on some items does not justify being out-of-stock on others. Watch the demand.—John Q. Adams, sales manager, Hytron Radio & Electronics Corp., Salem, Mass.

Smart merchandising means building friends for your store. A clever dealer will

- (1) Feature merchandise with a background of reputable service—a dealer's good name is only as good as the stock he carries.
- (2) Sell the "use to her" features of a product. A customer should not be high-pressured into buying what she does not need.
- (3) Win confidence in his store by his friendly consideration of his customer's needs and his willing cooperation in helping her satisfy them.—Oswald MacCarthy, Eastern regional sales manager, Proctor Electric Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

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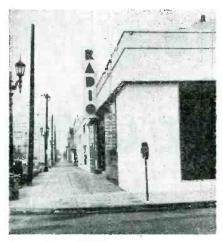
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BRANCHES: CHICAGO . SAN FRANCISCO

CHICAGO, ILL.—William W. Boyne, Zenith district sales manager, has been appointed general manager of Zenith Radio Distributing Corp., 912 W. Washington Blvd., here. The distributing corporation is a wholly-owned sales subsidiary of Zenith Radio Corp., covering Chicago and 31 northern Illinois counties. There's a display salon at 680 N. Michigan Ave. here, and to provide additional space for improved service to its radio dealers and for the expansion of its M-G-M record distribution, the distributing corporation recently purchased the two-story and basement building at 912-22 Washington Blvd.

BOSTON, MASS.—James M. Tighe has been named advertising and sales promotion manager for *Northeastern Distributors*, *Inc.*, 588 Commonwealth Ave., here. He will work closely with Northeastern's dealers to assist them in their advertising and sales promotion problems.

#### **Grand Opening**



Here is the new \$250,000 plant of Radio Products Sales, Inc., at 238 W. 15th St., Los Angeles, where president C. F. Sexton staged a 3-day grand opening that drew 5,000 guests. De luxe building has 36,000 sq. ft., 50-car porking lot, streamlined section for each type of product.

ST. LOUIS, MO.—Sixteen different lines of sound equipment are now carried by the *Phonecraft Co.*, specialists in the public address field with wholesale distributor offices and display rooms at 3904-06 Olive St., St. Louis 8, Mo. The lines are American Communications, Astatic, Atlas Sound, Dalmo Victor, Electro-Voice, Electronic Labs, Eltram, Guided Radio, International Industries, Kainer, Scientific Radio, Snyder, Sound, Inc., Stromberg Carlson, Telex, and Turner

CHARLOTTE, N. C.—Just franchised by Garod Radio is the Household Distributors Division, Southern Friction Materials Co., P. O. Box 1475, here. The firm is covering North and South Carolina with four salesmen traveling over 10 routes. The president is Howard Snow and the department managers are Edgar L. Jones, Jr., R. Hovan Hocutt, and Wallace C. Gilbertson.

### Jobbers in Action

#### Distributor News Across the U.S.

BOSTON, MASS.—Bendix Radio and Allied Appliance Co., Bendix radio distributor in the New England region recently joined forces in a novel sales drive on the Consolette radio-phonograph. Bendix cooperated with Decca Records in offering the Consolette at the regular price of \$179.95—plus four most popular albums free of charge. The report was that "scores of customers took advantage of the value."

Success of this campaign was due to "the excellent support of alert Bendix Radio dealers in the area we serve," stated Ralph S. Cron, vice-president and general manager of Allied Appliance.

NEW YORK, N. Y.—Distributors in New York City who will handle the Webster-Chicago wire recorder have been announced recently by W. S. Hartford, general sales manager. They are: Gross Distributors, Inc., 570 Lexington Ave., and Sanford Electronics, Inc., 136 Liberty St.

WHEELING, W. VA.—General Distributors, electronic parts distributors of this city, have moved into their new quarters at 26 Tenth St. The company, which started in business only a year and a half ago, now has a store with eight times the floor space of their former location.

here, has resigned his post to form his own business in wholesaling radio and appliances. Mr. Strawn is a veteran jobber of this area and has represented such lines as Zenith, Tappan, ABC, in addition to RCA and other major lines.

DETROIT, MICH.-C. W. Strawn,

vice-president of the RCA Victor Dis-

tributing Corp., at 1930 E. Jefferson Ave.,

PITTSBURGH, PA.—Motorola, Inc., has announced the appointment of Electric Products, Inc., as exclusive wholesale distributors for Motorola products in this area. Electric Products, Inc., will handle the entire line of Motorola FM and AM home radios, auto radios, automatic gasoline car heaters and television receivers. Officials of the firm are: R. E. Staffan, president; A. J. Curry, vicepresident; and F. D. Hoyt, sales manager. All were formerly principals of Electric Products Corp., distributors of Frigidaire products for 20 years.

**SPRINGFIELD**, MASS.—Milhender Distributors, Inc., has formally opened its new branch at 324 Columbus Ave., here.

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF.—Appointment of the J. N. Ceazan Co., as distributor of Farnsworth products in 47 counties in Northern California and 10 counties in Western Nevada has been announced by the Farnsworth Television & Radio Corp. Julius N. Ceazan, who founded the company 28 years ago, is president; B. T. Roe, vice-president and general manager; Bernard M. Ceazan is treasurer; and Mose Katsev is secretary and sales manager of the radio and appliance division.

#### St. Louis Distributor Expands Operations



Night view of the big new location of ARA Distributing Co. at 2300 Olive St., St. Louis, Mo., where the firm has 10,000 sq. ft. of space. In addition to handling Crosley products, ARA has become one of the largest phono record distributors in St. Louis.





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#### **NEDA Adds New Chapter at Greensboro Meeting**

At a meeting sponsored by the Middle-Atlantic States Chapter of the National Electronic Distributors Association in Greensboro, N. C., Louis B. Calamaras, executive secretary of NEDA, presided at the formation of a new chapter for that area.

Twelve distributors of the Carolinas and eastern Tennessee became members of NEDA and were joined by five members of the Middle-Atlantic States Chapter to form the new group.

Mr. Calamaras commended A. W. Greeson of Johannesen Electric Co.. Greensboro, N. C., and F. E. Beaudry of Lambeth Electric Supply Co., Winston-Salen, N. C., for their cooperation in the formation of this new chapter. The following officers were elected: president, B. W. Krell, Dixie Radio Supply Co.. Columbia, S. C.; treasurer, Al Rothstein. Southeastern Radio Supply Co., Raleigh. N. C.; director, A. W. Greeson, Jr., Johannesen Electric Co., Greensboro. N. C.; and secretary, F. E. Beaudry. Lambeth Electric Supply Co., Winston-Salem, N. C.

Salem, N. C.

Present at the meeting, in addition to Messrs. Krell, Rothstein, Greeson and Beaudry, were H. W. Hunt, Jr., C. W. Fields, C. Lee Clarke, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Thompson, T. T. Freck, Jack Farmer, W. K. Stoner, B. W. Krice, L. Julian Long, A. L. Hege, L. M. Vick, H. L. Dalton, H. M. Sherard, Jr., Leslie Rucker, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Rothstein, Alfred B. Geer, J. Gasser, R. M. Johannesen, James Leonard, H. B. Grice, Gordon C. Hoffman, J. A. Gettman. C. W. Ferguson, L. T. McCollum, W. R. Murray, F. C. Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Ashman, H. B. Bennett, and W. D. Jenkins, a national NEDA director.

#### PhotoFact Aids Free to Servicers

A complete cumulative index to more than 1000 postwar radio receivers, combinations, record changers, recorders and sound amplifiers, arranged alphabetically and by model number and indicating the correct PhotoFact Folder to use for servicing information, is included in a group of three folders being offered free to radio servicers by Howard W. Sams & Co.. Inc., Indianapolis, Ind.

In addition to the index, a second brochure describes five simple ways to file PhotoFact Folders and other servicing material, while a third free item is a specimen PhotoFact covering a popular radio-phono combination. All can be obtained from local parts jobbers or from the publishers.

#### **ICA Has New Plant**

Insuline Corp. of America has added another 25,000 square feet to its modern plant facilities. The new annex is located at 19th Ave. and 36th St., Long Island City, N. Y.

In announcing this expansion, S. J. Spector, president of Insuline, said that "ICA's new plant has been set up and streamlined to insure the most efficient methods of operation in keeping with Insuline's long-standing policy of producing quality products for volume business".

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finger you roll it up and out of sight and the instrument is ready to carry, and fully protected. With the Roll Top Safety Case you cannot leave your carrying case behind. It is never in the way. And you have constant, important protection to your 260 from damage, whether in use or not.

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10	10	10	٧.	100		0:200,000 (1200 ohms center)
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250	250	250	٧.		Amperes	
1000	1000	1000	٧.		D.C.	(5 Decibel ranges: $-10$ to $+52$ DB)
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#### New Westinghouse Sets; Television Ready Soon

With its large Sunbury, Pa., plant in full production, Westinghouse has ended allocation of merchandise, brought out a new line of radio receivers, and promises a television set before the end of the present year.

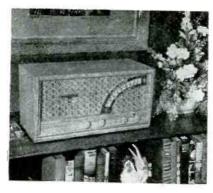
The new models are being introduced to the firm's distributors by J. H. Stickle, advertising and sales promotion manager, Edgar G. Hermann, manager of home radio sales, and other executives. The firm has launched a huge advertising and sales promotion campaign, sales training courses, and a new series of dealer helps.

At the top of the new line is the model 169, which will sell for about \$600. This console, with 25 watts undistorted

output, is an AM-FM combination, having 14 tubes, short-wave dual disc storage space, dual speakers, and the new "Electronic Feather" tone arm.

The model 166, an AM-FM combination, is a 12-tube console, which will sell for approximately \$379.95. It will be available in mahogany and blond finishes, has the new tone arm, and like the other Westinghouse changers, it plays 10 and 12 inch records inter-mixed automatically.

An 11-tube AM-FM, model 164, is the only console in the line which does not have a record player. The 164 has 15 watts undistorted output and will sell for about \$187.50. Model 168 is an 8-tube console combination, featuring increased record storage space. It is available in mahogany and blond finishes, and will sell for about \$249.95. A table model, number



Model 161. AM-FM, 8 tubes; price about \$99.95.

157, featuring push-pull and a 3-gang condenser, will sell for approximately \$39.95.

The firm's new three-way portable, model 165, features a luggage-type case, disappearing handle, 3-gang condenser, and six tubes. Its approximate price is \$59.95. Model 161 is an AM-FM, 8-tube table model, available in mahogany and blond, and will be priced at about \$99.95. Within a short time Westinghouse plans to have a six-tube, AM-FM table model ready for the market.

The "Consolette," an AM-combination, will list at \$139.95. A table model battery farm set will sell at \$41, less batteries. Other popular models in the line introduced earlier by the company will be retained.

Westinghouse is also actively promoting sales of its new "Stratovision" FM antenna, listing at \$9.95, and its radio tubes and radio batteries.

#### Five Ways to Sell Electric Ranges to Women

"Women are not as much interested in the way an electric range is made as they are in what it will do for them," declares H. M. Parsons, vice-president of Landers, Frary & Clark, in an outline of the fundamentals of merchandising electric cooking. Mr. Parsons continues:

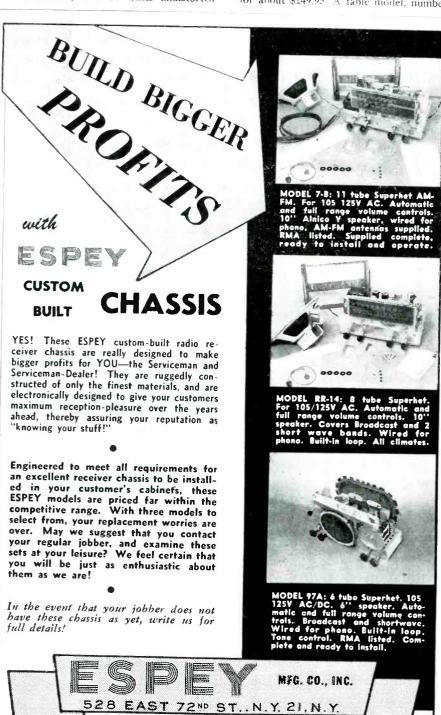
"Women do not want the cold, fundamental facts that a range is made of steel, wires and other materials, but they insist upon knowing that it will last, and that it will carry out the various cooking operations with ease and quickness.

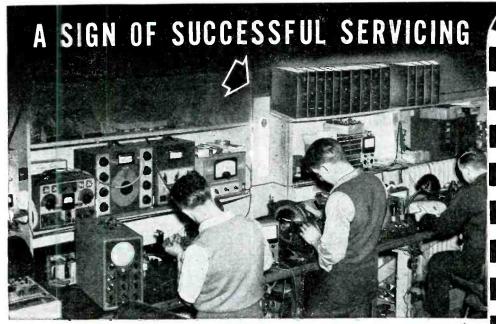
"Dealers should concentrate on five fundamental features: it's (1) clean, (2) automatic, (3) safe, (4) fast, and (5) economical.

#### Sets Shown at NAB Convention

A number of the 1947-48 lines of home radio sets, AM, FM, and television, are being displayed in the Atlantic City Municipal Auditorium during the 25th Annual Convention and Exposition of the National Association of Broadcasters, September 15-18.

Displays of equipment manufacturers and transcription companies and program services, occupy the largest amount of space in the hall, however.





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#### Million Dollar Sales Contest Under Way

A nationwide \$1,000,000 contest for distributors and dealers of Lendix automatic washers has been announced by W. F. Linville, general sales manager, Bendix Home Appliances Inc.

Prizes totalling this sum will range from merchandise to trips to Florida and will be available to 20,000 retail salesmen, 250 wholesale salesmen and the sales managers of 79 distributors. The contest will close December 13. Distributors will participate with the manufacturer in the setting up of the prizes.

Both Bruno-New York, Inc., and Krich-Radisco, Newark, N. J., held big dealer meetings in their areas, at which the con-

test plan was vigorously applauded.

Mr. Linville said that in one-third of the Bendix automatic washer markets, dealers are getting from 33½ to 100% more units than their established quotas. "Quotas are based on a monthly production of 55,000 units figured against distributors' and dealers' potentials," Mr. Linville stated.

#### **Heads Television Net**

Lawrence Phillips, executive vicepresident of USO-Camp Shows, Inc., has been named for the post of director of the DuMont television network, according to Dr. Allen B. DuMont, president of Allen B. DuMont Laboratories, Inc.



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#### **Heads Festival Series**



Harriet H. Higginson is the general manager of the newly formed RCA Victor Consumer Custom Products Dept. Department was formed to develop and market RCA's new "Festival Series" line of high-fidelity custom built radio-phonos, to be distributed direct through selected dealers. Deliveries start this month on these deluxe FM-AM combos (some with TV) priced at \$1800 to \$4000. Fine-furniture cabinets come in variety of styles.

#### More Colors in New Tele-Tone Table Models

In introducing its new sets, for \$12.95 and \$24.95 respectively, the Tele-tone Radio Corp. is placing fresh emphasis on the matter of color. The cheaper one, the "Leader" table model, is offered in ebony and gold, ivory, dusty pink, blue and chartreuse; the new "Constellation" portable (See "New Lines" section) comes in ebony, ivory, sand and maroon.

John S. Mills, the Tele-tone vice-president in charge of sales, said that "we believe that introduction of more pastel and other colorful shades will immensely enhance the sales appeal of a set to the average woman, who, after all, spends most of the dollars earned in the country today."

The \$12.95 "Leader" has 4 tubes including selenium rectifier—a 3¼ lb. superhet measuring 5¼" by 3½" by 8¼".

#### Bright Star Offers "More Bright Light Longer"

Bright Star Battery Co., Clifton, N. J., has started an extensive advertising and promotion campaign to continue through the fall and winter seasons.

The theme, "More bright light longer," is based on actual laboratory findings. The consumer media list includes general magazines, scientific, farm and youth publications. The space campaign will be augmented with direct mail and point-of-sale aids, including new display pieces.

#### Nate Hast Heads Midwest Sales for Lee 400

Nate Hast, well known radio merchandising figure who has previously held key positions with Emerson, Philco and Lear, has been appointed head of Mid West sales for the Lee 400 radio. The set is made by Lee Radio Co., 1331 Halsey St., Brooklyn, N. Y., and sells for \$12.05.



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#### New AM-FM-TV Lines Shown by Farnsworth

Farnsworth Television & Radio Corp. is in production on TV sets and is placing them on the market this month, according to president E. A. Nicholas.

Mr. Nicholas told Farnsworth distributors at their national convention that the company is accumulating its production of television receivers to release them in quantity in TV areas.

The models are table sets retailing at \$349.50, and consolettes priced at \$497.50. The consolettes have FM-AM radio in addition to television and both models have 10" direct-view picture tubes.

The Farnsworth executive predicted that telecasting stations would be in operation in at least 37 cities by the end

of 1948, adding that areas served would include more than 40% of the nation's population. He said that the sale of 5,000,000 sets in the next 5 years was likely.

The 1947-1948 Farnsworth radio and phonograph-radio line, presented by John S. Garceau, advertising and sales promotion manager, includes 15 new models available in 24 different cabinet designs and finishes. Following introduction of the line to distributors, all new models are being shown to franchised dealers at special presentation meetings in principal cities.

The firm's new line of FM-AM phonograph-radios, ranging in retail price from \$219.50 to \$425, includes four 8-tube and four 11-tube instruments. The newly designed P-56MP record changer being used



Farnsworth's table model TV set GV-220 comes in a compact modernistic blonde cabinet. Ten-inch picture tube gives picture of 52 sq. in. Controls unfamiliar to user are in bright plastic, others are obaque.

in all 11-tube models.

Included also are two 6-tube AM combinations — a chairside similar to the Farnsworth model of the past year, and a compact lowboy.

Farnsworth's new triple-play portable radio, Model GP-350, is attracting much interest, and the new 5-tube and 6-tube table model radios include a wide selection in cabinet designs and finishes.

#### "Happier Homes Make Happier Employes"

An unusual folder has been issued by Shure Bros., Inc., 225 W. Huron St., Chicago 10, Ill., titled "Understanding". It concerns the firm's factory classes in child care training, for which the company has been widely complimented, and points up the general value of the "understanding" quality of people. Shure says that "we want our customers and suppliers to know that Shure Bros. is not an abstract corporate name—that Shure Bros. is people."

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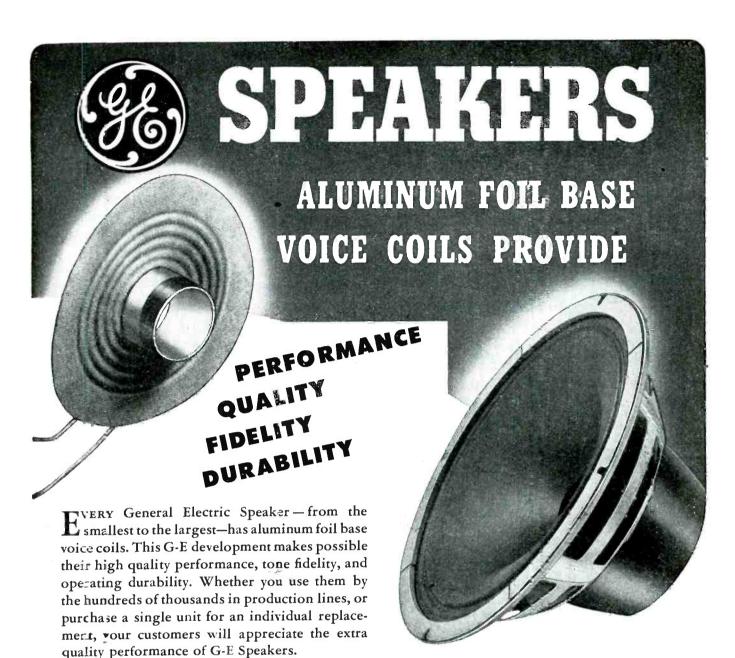
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Hytron Radio & Electronics Corp., 76 Lafayette St., Salem, Mass., is making available upon request, their latest catalog of Hytron transmitting and special purpose tubes, just released. Using a new, attractive two-color format, the catalog fits standard three-ring binders.

#### New Booklets

Western Electric Co., 195 Broadway, New York 7, N. Y., leads off Issue No. 8 of its publication "Oscillator" with an article entitled "Sound Reproduction Comes of Age," by E. M. Hall. The history and advancement of sound, and its influence on modern society is discussed, followed by two articles on loudspeakers.

Centralab, Division of Globe-Union, Milwaukee, Wis., are distributing free copies of their interesting booklet "Why Ceramic Capacitors" to radio servicers. The origin, development and reasons for the superiority of ceramic

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dielectric are described in this two-color 8-page booklet, which shows the new BC Hi-Kaps line of ceramic bypass and coupling capacitors.

Sprague Products Co., North Adams, Mass., distribution organization for Sprague capacitors and Koolohm resistors, are giving free copies of a giant wall chart for radio services. The chart includes diagrams and descriptions of common circuit troubles involving capacitors and their remedies, and many other useful features.

Shure Brothers, 225 W. Huron St., Chicago, Ill., feature their entire new line of microphones and pickups in the 1947-8 catalogs No. 157 and 158.

New Haven Quilt & Pad Co., 86 Franklin St., New Haven 11, Conn., offer a catalog describing their line of padded covers which eliminate damage claims arising from scratch, burns and water damage to radios and appliances passing through the repair department.

Sound Apparatus Co., 233 Broadway, New York 7, N. Y., is offering free to sound specialists engaged in acoustical measuring work their brochure on a "Portable Reverberation Analyzer," containing detailed data on reverberation time measurements, solutions of acoustic problems, absorption coefficients, reverberation time limits for auditoriums, studios and homes, and other sound subjects.

Waldom Electronics, Inc., 911 N. Larrabee St., Chicago 10, Ill., is making available to the trade a new catalog which is cited by the firm as "the most complete listing of speaker cones ever recorded."

Pyramid Electric Co., 155 Oxford, Paterson, N. J., is offering a new 3-color catalog (J-4) called "Long Life DC Dry Electrolytic Capacitors." The 8-page bulletin has a wide variety of the capacitors, in cardboard and metal containers, with capacities ranging from 5 mfd. to 2000 mfd., at voltages from 6 v. to 600 v. working. Complete with detailed specs, illustrations, etc.

Refrigeration Specialties Dept., Norge Division, Borg-Warner Corp., 670 Woodbridge St., Detroit, Mich., makes available a 38-page "Frozen Food Digest," in a two-color "small magazine" style. It handles 24 different frozenfood topics, includes illustrations, and is available for 10¢ a copy.

Seletron Division of the Radio Receptor Co., Inc., 251 W. 19th St., New York 11, N. Y., has a new 8-page bulletin on selenium rectifiers for d-c requirements. Included are illustrations of rectifiers covering a range of voltage and currents, together with their electrical characteristics, dimensions and weights.



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#### Ten New Receivers Shown by Sonora

New models of the Sonora Radio & Television Corp., Chicago 12, Ill., have been shown to distributors, with a total of ten sets in the line-up including an emphasis on FM and a television unit.

Of the five FM sets, four are console radio-phonos priced from \$179.95 to \$280. The other FM receiver is a plastic table model which, in walnut, is tagged at \$59.95; in white plastic, \$62.95.

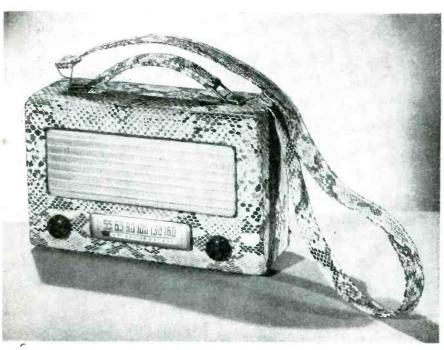
Among the AM units, three are phonoradios-a table model and two consoles. These are priced at \$149.95 and \$240, respectively, for the consoles, and \$89.95 for the table model. The latter unit, Model WBRU-239, is a compact job with automatic record changer, walnut veneer cabinet with roll-over design on top.

Another set is the plastic table model (see "New Lines" section) for \$17.95 in walnut, \$18.95 in ivory, and \$19.95 in the buff and burgundy combination, billed as "the world's most powerful small set." The tenth set in the line is the Sonora ivory plastic bedlamp-radio. This is the "Nightingale" model No. WCU-246, an ac-dc superhet with enclosed lamp for reading, at \$29.95.

#### **Sparton District Manager**

The Sparks-Withington Co., has announced the appointment of H. L. Pierce as district merchandising manager of the Sparton radio and appliance division. His territory will cover all of eastern Pennsylvania and southern New Jersey. He has been active in the electrical appliance business for 25 years.

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#### Lewyt Distributors in Sales Clinic

Lewyt Corp., 60 Broadway, Brooklyn 11, N. Y., was host at a five day sales clinic for its distributors of the new Lewyt vacuum cleaner, at the Hotel New Yorker New York City.

Heading the list of speakers was Alex M. Lewyt, company president. Others in-



Getting a look at the new Lewyt vacuum cleaner here is Stan Lomax, famous sports commentator, who was the guest speaker at Lewyt's sales clinic. At center is Mr. Lewyt and at right is Mr. Daily.

cluded Walter J. Daily, manager of the vacuum cleaner division; J. Gordon Lippencott, industrial designer; Arthur Grossman, Chicago advertising display executive, and E. Harold Greist, vicepresident of Hicks and Greist.

#### Sales Reps Named for RE

Radio Essentials, Inc., the distributing agency for American Radio Hardware Co., Inc., has announced a number of changes among its sales reps. The new set-up is:

set-up 18:

James J. Becker, 2321 Second Ave., Seattle, Wash., will cover Oregon, Washington, Alaska and British Columbia. L. A. Chambers Co., 565 W. Washington Blyd., Chicago, will cover Illinois and Indiana. Floyd Fausett & Son, 1316 Allegheny St., S. W., Atlanta, Ga., will cover Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Mississippi, North and South Carolina and Tennessee. Massey Associates, Inc., 1124 Vermont Ave., N. W., Washington, D. C., will cover Delaware, D. C., Maryland, eastern Pennsylvania, Virginia and West Virginia. Segar & Taylor Co., 4508 E. Genesee St., Syracuse, N. Y., will cover upstate New York.

#### **Heads New Proctor Development Division**

Walter H. Vogelsberg has been named manager of the new equipment division of the Proctor Electric Co., according to Walter M. Schwartz, Jr., president. Mr. Vogelsberg formerly was associated with General Electric.

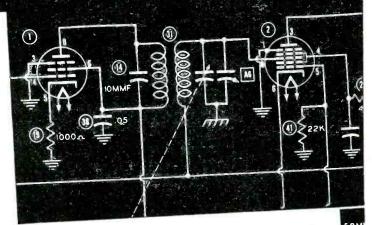
In the Proctor research department a number of improvements for electric ranges have been developed. The purpose of this new division is to further develop these improvements and to perfect plans for marketing them.

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#### Garod's New Line Includes Television

Garod Radio Corp., is now showing its new line-up of AM-FM and television developments at previews for its distributors.

Garod president Max W. Weinth aub presented a new television console receiver with a direct viewing 10" projection tube, including AM-FM and shortwave reception, and automatic record changer, to retail at less than \$700.

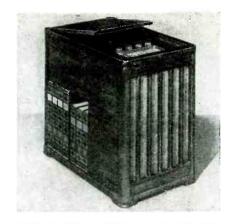
Lou Silver, national sales manager, displayed the new Garod "Starlet" personal portable radio (see "New Lines" section) to retail at \$29.95 (less batteries). These two units were features of the new line.

Also featured was a new "Radalarm" clock-radio combination, in a two-tone

plastic cabinet, to sell at \$39.95. A new "chairside" was demonstrated, featuring standard broadcast and short wave bands, and automatic record changer, made to retail at \$149.95.

Garod's FM sets were shown by Mr. Silver in a choice of three price ranges. The "Sherwood" AM-FM short wave console with automatic record changer was shown at \$249.50. The "Hardwick" is also a three-band console combination with two-post record changer featuring a "duo-sonic" speaker system to support the FM tuning, and retailing at \$285. The remaining period style combination the "Chesterfield" model. is largest in the group with dual speaker system for high fidelity FM reception and record reproduction, retailing at \$350.

Joseph G. DeVico, advertising manager,



Garad's chairside Model 6DCP2 is a 2-band automatic radio-phono in mahagany. It has 2-post disc changer, handles twelve 10" or ten 12" records, and retails at \$149.95 in Zone 1.

outlined a national advertising program to include copy in several mass consumer magazines and an increased schedule in local newspapers.

(News of the sale of the Garod firm to Leonard Ashbach of Chicago appears on page 177.)

#### Low-Priced TV Receiver Kit

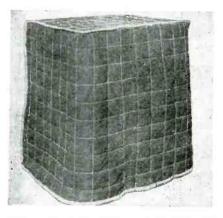
A new Telekit, a product of Electrotechnical Industries of Philadelphia, is a television kit with all component parts except tubes, to be marketed "for less than \$100." Photographs, diagrams and illustrations are provided to make the assembly job easy.

The 7-inch kit is listed at \$77.50 less tubes, and includes FM sound reception and pre-tuned I.F. coils. The larger ten inch Telekit sells for \$124.50, less tubes, and has electro-magnetic scanning and focusing to hold the picture steady. The power supply is a full 10,000 volts.

Telekit service stations have been set up in principal cities to give the purchaser help or advice in his assembly.

The firm is located at 121 N. Broad St., Philadelphia, with sales headed by former Army Captain Milton J. Shapp.

#### They Got It Covered!



Above is one of the padded covers for radios and appliances, made by New Haven Quilt & Pad Co., 84-86 Franklin St., New Haven 11, Conn. The firm's line of covers, web straps, carrying harness, etc., is sold direct to dealers—it prevents chipping, nicking, scratching, etc.; cuts delivery costs and reduces damage claims and customer complaints. This style is \$8.



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#### Expansion Announced for Koiled Kords, Inc.

Graybar Electric Co., with offices and warehouses in 96 principal cities, has been appointed exclusive distributor of all Koiled Kord products except telephone retractible cords of which they will share the distribution with several telephone manufacturers.

At the same time it was announced that The Whitney Blake Co., New Haven, Conn., is now teamed with the West Coast interests of Ralph Collins and Charles F. Mason, in the ownership of Koiled Kords, Inc., successor to Cordage, Inc.

According to John Brown Cook, the new K-K president who is also president of Whitney Blake and the Reliable Electric Co. of Chicago, the new arrangement will effect immediate economies in manu-

facturing and in sales distribution. All manufacturing operations are now at the W.B. factory in New Haven. Sales activities of Koiled Kords are directed by Col. E. L. Love, formerly in charge of Koiled Kords, Division of Kellogg Switchboard Co., of Chicago.

#### Mallory's New Offices in New York City

P. R. Mallory & Co., Inc., has announced a new address for its New York office at 41 E. 42nd St., Suite 1215. Mallory manufactures electrical, electronic and metallurgical components, dry cell batteries, resistance welding electrodes and special metals, with headquarters and main plants at Indianapolis, Ind., and branch plants at North Tarrytown, N. Y., and Tipton, Ind.

#### Arcturus Firm to Offer Popular-Priced TV Sets

"Surprising departures from present designs and styles" in popular-priced television sets are promised by Arcturus Radio & Television Corp., a newly





John V. Rice

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formed associate company of Standard Arcturus Corp. The new firm has offices and factory at 19 Nebitt St., Newark, N. J.

James R. Donahue, veteran of the radio and electronic fields who was formerly sales manager of Standard Arcturus, has been named president of the new company.

An executive appointment in the Standard Arcturus company was also announced with the naming of John V. Rice as sales manager of the tube division. He is now planning "extensive jobber promotion of Arcturus tubes . . . with many sales helps for both distributors and dealers." Mr. Rice was formerly with National Union.

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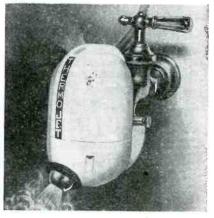
Write: General Electric Company, Electronics Department, Syracuse 1, New York.



#### **Mueller Rep Named**

Mueller Electric Co., has announced the appointment of Leroy W. Beier as its exclusive sales representative in the Chicago area. His headquarters address is: 600 S. Michigan Ave., Chicago 5, Ill.

#### **Faucet Water Heater**



This new "Thermojet" is an automatic electric hot water heater for attachment to any size or shape faucet. It gives steady flow of water—lukewarm to boiling, has no moving parts and uses 110 or 220 volts—ac only. Therma Electric Corp. of America, 55 W. 42nd St., New York 18, N. Y., foir trades the product at \$15.95.

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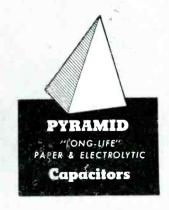
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T6-D5	.005	600	3/8	1%6	.25
T6-D6	.006	600	3/8	1%6	.25
T6-S1	.01	600	%	13/6	.30
T6-S2	.02	600	%	13/6	.30
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#### Remler Sales Head



Jack Totten has been named Vice-president in charge of sales for Remler Co., 2101 Bryant St., San Francisca. He has had extensive experience in both radia and appliances. President R. C. Gray has annaunced that Remler's western distribution will be expanded—the firm will "go national" with camplete new radio line priced from \$19.95 up. Jobbers are now being appointed.

#### Rider Readies New 99c Technical Books

The first six books of the Rider 99¢ bookshelf, scheduled for Fall and Winter publication, will cover some of the most important service subjects of the day announces John F. Rider, Publisher, Inc., 404 Fourth Ave., New York 16, N. Y.

To be released in pairs, the six 99¢ books will be entitled: "Understanding Vectors & Phase in Radio Work"; "Signal Generator at Work"; "RF/IF Selectivity"; "Adjusting Transmitters with the Scope"; "Understanding Transmitters", and "Installation & Servicing of Low Power PA Systems".

The books will be 5¼" x 7¼", on English finish paper with sturdy cover and sewed binding, having a minimum of 128 pages and a maximum of 160 pages. Hard covered books at a somewhat higher price will be available for libraries.

Other books scheduled for publication in the immediate future will include a Broadcast Operator's Handbook, and a text on FM transmission and reception.

#### More Reps for Merit

Continued expansion of its sales force has been announced by Merit Coil & Transformer Corp., Chicago, with the appointment of additional representatives.

Southern California and Arizona will be covered for Merit by Herb Becker, 1406 S. Grand Ave., Los Angeles 15, Calif. Indiana, Tennessee and Kentucky (except Covington and Newport) will be covered by Bullock-Cobb Co., 233 E. Market St., Louisville 2, Ky.

John I. Crockett is sales manager of the firm.

#### **C-D Plant Expansion**

Factory capacity of the power factor division of Cornell-Dubilier Electric Corp. has practically doubled with the completion of an additional plant of 41,000 square feet in area, according to Octave Blake, C-D president.

## SPRAGUE TRADING POST

#### SWAP . BUY . •SELL•

URGENTLY NEEDED—All tube testing information on Triplett #1501 tube and set analyzer. Will pay to borrow if necessary. J. B. Runyon, 39 Bedford Rd., Summit, N. J.

SWAP OR SELL—Sprague Tel-Ohmike #16 in good condition, \$40 cash, or will swap for equivalent in Rider Manuals or ham gear. Send list. John F. Petit de Mange, 909 Macadam St., Chester, Pa.

WILL TRADE—Fre 20% ohm ladder type attenuators (General Radio) for three 500 ohm ladder type attenuators of any make. Willard Barkdoll, 904 W. Fullerton St.. Chicago 14, Ill.

WILL TRADE—Model airplane engines Class A Atom, Class B Delong "30". Class C O. K. Super "60". Want communications zeceiver. E. Gosdin, 711 W. 180 St., New York 33, N. Y.

FOR SALE—Supreme V.O.M. #616. In fair condition, uses jack for settings. Good for beginners, \$15. Manford Trees, Armstrong, Iowa.

FOR SALE—Collins ART-13 T/47A transmitter.

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FOR SALE—Collins ART-13 T/47A
ransmitter, complete as purchased, in
good condition, \$125. Also, pair of \$14
tubes, new, not in cartons. Hugh WareWIPYD, 11 Hillside St. Milton, Mass.

WANTED—Radio set BG-610 complete for
ham operator. Must be fully equipped, in
good condition, and for use on 110V.
Chas. E. Haley, 28 Church St., New
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SWAP OR SELL—Hallierafter S-20 Receiver, 70w CW transmitter, less power supply; 24v D-C; 540v D.C. 450 ma. dynamotor; O-5 R-F Weston 2" round ammeter; 907 tubes; Millen 70-70 mmfd. 3000v. variable split stator. D. M. Frantz. 1400-B Washington St., Amarillo, Texas. SWAP OR SELL—Smm. movie capt. 150-watt 'fone transmitter, complete, Abbott MRT-3. Evan Boden, Bucknell Village. Lewisburg, Pa.

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Will TRAOE—Clough Brengel Type OM FM and AM oscillator (range 100 Kc. 30 mc.). Want communication receiver. M. J. Namken, W52HW, Rio Theater, Odessa. Texas.

WANTED—Any information concerning a naval receiver & xnitter unit used in Corsair airplane suring early part of the war. Manufactured by Northern Electric in Canada. Is a 8-tube, 4-crystal channel receiver and 3-tube. 4-crystal channel receiver and BFF. No. 110D/763" for the receiver and Type 22 (Can) REF. No. 110J/0764" for the xmitter. Unit is operated by remote control. Court Balfed, 221 Wilson Ave. Wollaston, Mass. Will SWAP—Complete N. R. J. radio course with kits of parts. Want Instructoraph with tapes; good camera, or whathave you? John Brotz, 6100 Buchanan Place. West New York. N. J. WANTED—Field strength meter, 10 to 100 mc. approx. television sweep generator RCA models 708B or 352A or Boonton 160A Q meter or General Radio 650A impedance bridge. Also want Rider Manusla. W. J. Luckas. 56 Spooner St., Floral Park, L. I., N. Y.
FOR SALE—Used Kylstron WE417A. \$2; Magnetron with magnet, \$2; Jan 715B, \$1. D. Birnbaum, Box 1022, Kingsville, Texas.

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FOR SALE—Ampro precision 16mm. sound projector model UA with case, less speaker, Will consider trade for ARK-7 type RCVR. F. L. Mickle, WFUN. Huntsville, Ala.

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EDR SALE—Signal tracer, new, 3-tube circuit, speaker output. complete with cabinet, butteries and tube, \$14.25 plus postage, J. T. Cataldo, 222 St. Marks Ave., Brooklyn 17, N. Y.

WANTED—Position in radio work. Have completed radio course in DeForest Radio School, Marion H. Deffenbaugh, Mahomet. 11.

FOR SALE—Used Superior #450 tube tester in good condition. Also ATR 6v. D. C. 110v. A. C. inverter 75-85 W.,

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WANTED—Auto receiver, any condition, providing high voltage is working properly, and including vibrator and transformer. Describe fully. All inquirles answered. A. L. Oliveira, 94 Potomska St., New Bedford, Mass.

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WANTED—DB-20 preselector in good condition or any preselector tuning both BCB and SW. Give full details. Richard Daneker, 316 E. 2nd St., Lansdale, Pa.

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Paneker, 516 E. 2nd St., Lansdale, Pa. FOR SALE—Have 80 new G. E. 5U4G tubes in sealed cartons, 35c ea. in lots of 10, or 25c ea. if you take the lot. I. Susman, 1052 Blake Ave., Brooklyn, 8, N. Y.

SWAP OR SELL—Rider Manual XI, fine condition, \$13. German Walther 9 mm. piston, \$45. Will swap for Sonar XE-10 or BC-221, or for plate transformer de-livering 2500v. at 450 ma. Desi Argen-tini, WSNIN, 118 Lowell St., Vander-grift, Pa.

WANTED-750v. 250 mil. power supply. L. D. Shapiro, W2URX, 4 Elizabeth St., Glen Cove, N. Y.

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FOR SALE—1 through 14 Rider Manuals, excellent condition, \$90, #330 Simpson tube tester, new Aug. 1946, \$100. Leland Jenison, Belmond, Iowa.

FOR SALE—Handee grinder, good condition, \$15; 450v. @ 25 ma. 6.3v. @ 1 amp. power supply. \$8; up-to-date RCA 11B-3 tube handbooks, \$5; new head-phones, \$5; two National ACN dials, \$2.50 ea.; 6" magnetic speaker, \$1. All 20th Bt., Erie. Pa.

25th St., Erie. Pa.

FOR SALE—Used Hammarlund HQ-129-X receiver with matching speaker, perfect, \$125, Used Jackson audio osc. #652, \$45, \$1629 and I625 tubes, odd parts and meters. Will take good comb. floor model radio as part trade. Pat Brick, 111 E. Washington St., Charleston 1, W. Va.

WANTED—S-W receiver and any radio equipment. Will swap 2 Control Line model planes, never flown, with motors. Also have control handle wire wheels, Exacto knife set and one extra motor. Ernest A. Sawyer, P. O. Box 346, Marshall, N. C.

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FOR SALE—Complete DeForest television course, \$20. Gerald Spector, 158 Chestnut St.. Lakewood, N. J.

FOR SALE—R. C. P. sig. generator #705, perfect working condition, practically new. Complete with instructions. L. Marek, 32 Chestnut St., Holyoke, Mass.

Complete With Instructions. L. Market, Sc. Chestnut St., Holyoke, Mass.

WANTED—Rider manuals 2, 3, 4 and 5;
2-meter rig complete; 3" scope (must be reasonable); 3000-3000 volts 350 mil. pwr. xfmer.; pair of sockets for VT 327A tubes; condenser tester. Baney Radio Service, 115 Cleveland St., Butler, Pa.

SWAP OR SELL—R-45 sig. generator good as new. Want Itider manual XII or set of Coyne Applied Practical Radio books. Obern Vanover, Wise, Va. WANTED—Altee Duplex with dividing network or test eqpt. such as tube tester, sig. generator and meter, also hi-quality Haillterafter receiver. Have for trade Zeiss Dekarem binoculars 10x50 case and straps, perfect, original carton. O. La Vosburgh, c/o S. P. & S. Telegraph Office, Vancouver, Wash.

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#### Prices in England 250 % Higher Than Those in U. S.

Recently returned from a trip to England, Leonard Carduner, sales promotion manager of Garrard Sales Corp., 315 Broadway, New York, has written this interesting article exclusively for RADIO & Television RETAILING:

Some months after 1947 was ushered in, the radios shown in the shop windows of England were for display only. To-day you'll see signs beside most displays announcing that they are available for delivery—soon, if not immediately.

Indeed, in the industry abroad, it is generally agreed that the shortage will be ended early in 1948, possibly before, and that within a year the production will exceed the potential sales.

This forecast is being made despite the

fact that some 50 per cent of each manufacturer's output is required by the British Board of Trade to be exported now, and that this percentage will continue to be substantial. Also it's made in the face of a purchase tax of 33½ per cent on all radio and television receivers, and consumer prices that are about 250 per cent higher than those prevailing on standard merchandise in the United States

If you were selling radios in England today, you'd be handling mostly 4- and 5-tube superheterodyne sets in plastic cabinets, retailing around \$65. This price includes the 331% per cent purchase tax, which is calculated on the price at which wholesaler invoices the dealer on each radio and television set.

You would be selling quite simple sets, too, with two and occasionally three



Leonard Carduner, Garrard sales promotion mgr.

wavebands with manual tuning. Slightly more elaborate sets in wood cabinets would retail at \$100, including tax.

It would be about impossible for you to get hold of consoles and radio-phonograph combinations, for they just haven't been made. Those that are being turned out range around \$800, and are generally comparable to those that retail for about \$300 in the States. Many manufacturers are planning to launch small combinations at about \$200, including tax, in the big Radio Show that is to be held in England in October of this year. Many of the manufacturers of combinations will be using Garrard phonograph equipment and dual-speaker systems.

Only one personal radio comparable to those sold in America has been announced in England. This set—with two wavebands and somewhat resembles the Emerson Personal—retails at \$80.

#### Auto Sets Up

Today there's much more interest in radios for automobiles than there was before the war. In fact, some of the leading manufacturers, including E. M. I. and E. K. Cole, have set up separate factories for the manufacture of these sets Some of the automobile manufacturers are now fitting radios as standard equipment in the higher price model cars. All these car radios have two wavebands Alternative models are available for either 6 or 12 volts, and run around \$60 and \$120, including tax Most of them incorporate some form of push button or pre-set tuning

The BBC television service was started again in June, 1946. The general opinion of most visitors to England—including my own—is that this BBC service is superior to that in any other part of the world. Three programs are sent out daily, seven days a week. At present there is only one transmitter in London, which has a service area of about thirty-five miles. However, in extremely favorable locations, reception can be obtained up to 90 miles. British television today serves a potential public of about nine million people.

The production of television receivers



has been considerably lower than was expected, due entirely to the extreme shortage of cathode ray tubes. In a recent issue of "Wireless Trader," prices listed on about a dozen table and console models ranged from about \$300 (including purchase tax) to \$480, tax also included. These prices are about three times what they were before the war, although it must be remembered that they include the purchase tax in each case. You will notice that, in comparison with prices for table model and "personal" radios, television set prices are quite low.

It is estimated that the E. M. I., whoe transmission system is used by the BBC and who manufacture the H. M. V. and Marconiphone receivers, is responsible for about 50 per cent of all the sets which have been made since the war. The H. M. V. Model 1803 television set incorporates a 15-inch tube, which gives a particularly good picture.

#### Jobbers Come Back

Just before the war, many set manufacturers tried to cut distribution costs by eliminating the jobbers and wholesalers to deal directly with the retailers. It is significant that they have reversed this trend somewhat since the end of the war. Now the move is back to distribution of radio sets through wholesalers or jobbers. At the moment the market appears to be split about half and half between manufacturers who have gone back to wholesalers and jobbers and those who are still selling directly to dealers

Another interesting development in England is the fact that manufacturers who make both home sets and automobile radios almost invariably distribute these through separate channels. The home sets are sold through the ordinary radio dealers, whereas the automobile sets are sold through motor car distributors.

#### Manufacturer Services

Probably the only unusual distribution method introduced since the war is that of Sobell Industries, Ltd. This company sells its sets at prices that include two years of free service. If trouble develops in a set made by this company, the consumer sends a telegram to the Sobell head office, after which one of the company's engineers calls and services the set in the home.

The net result of this merchandising is that this company has been able to distribute its sets through many retailer, such as furniture dealers and the like, who never stocked radios before, because the problem of servicing is eliminated. This company's sets cost about \$10 more than similar models that do not include servicing.

Of course, everybody in the radio and television industry is looking forward to what will be revealed when the National Radio Exhibition is held in London in October. It is expected that at this show the real postwar receivers will be seen for the first time.





A tough, compact, versatile soldering iron that does the work of four for the price of one! Equipped with four detachable tips, the "Gun-Grip" simplifies soldering in hard-to-reach places. It's accurate . . . fast . . . dependable!

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## IS THE LINE THAT

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#### The Farm Market:

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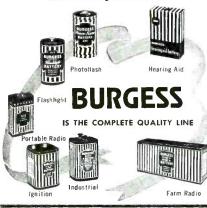


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#### Sales Helps

#### **Packaged Window Displays** by Norge

set of five window display "packages" for use during the last half of the year has been prepared by Norge.

Designed according to season, or most prominent activity of the month, and to tie in with current national advertisements, each window display is a complete unit. As many as six or seven colors are used.

A descriptive portfolio, pointing up the benefits of such application of showmanship principles, is being provided as an aid in this endeavor. Monthly prizes for best windows are being offered the retailers as an incentive to dramatic employment of the material.

#### **Eye-Catcher**



Edge-lighted identification sign—a lucite panel in a bakelite case, is offered by Wilcox-Gay Corp. Lettering has brilliant glow and there's no static interference.

#### **New Display Light for Counters and Windows**

"Lite-Master"—a new display device for dealers to use—is now being offered by Photo-Vision, Inc., 35 W. 43rd St., New York 18, N. Y. It consists of a fluorescent reflector supported by an adjustable easel, designed to convert a show card or photo into an electric sign. Smaller items of merchandise may also be placed under the light to attract buyers' attention. Lite-Master is also recommended as an ideal night light for dealers.

There are two models-No. 500 is adjustable up to 12" and is \$9.75. Model 501 goes up to 18" and is \$11.75. Both 6 and 8 watt fluorescent tubes are used.

#### Versatile Display for Hardware and Parts

General Cement Mfg. Co., Rockford, Illinois, is ready with a new display idea, the "Wall View Display," which can be used in four different ways.

In addition to the semi-circle, square and triangle, the new "Wall View Display" can be hung on walls flat to show all four lines of merchandise easily. The device is thus a wall display, counter display and excellent device for creating interest at point of sales.

The patented display holds bags of

#### **Beach Beauties**



Now being shipped to dealers by RCA Victor is this full-color, 3-dimensional display for portables. Jeanne Moare is shown at left.

electronic hardware and radio products and can display four times the amount of merchandise.

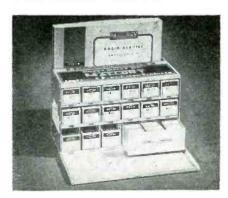
#### Neon for Motorola Dealers

Motorola, Inc., has contracted with Neon Products, Inc., Lima, Ohio, to furnish Motorola dealers with neon illuminated displays for their store fronts. The signs tie in with Motorola's national advertising and become a where-to-buy identification.

#### "Black and Gold" **Promotion**

Emerson Radio and Phonograph Corp. has announced a national advertising tie-up with Allied Artists for the use of newspaper ads to exploit Emerson's "Black Gold" radio Model 543 and the cinecolor moving picture, "Black Gold."

#### **Convenient Cabinet**



In a new volume control deal for servicers, P. R. Mallory & Co., Inc., Indianapolis, Ind., offers a sturdy steel cabinet with an inventory and recorder guide and a rack for their copy of the Mallory Radio Service Encyclopedia at no extra cost with their purchase af an assortment of 15 Mallory controls and 9 a-c switches.

The assortment, which will cover about 90% of ordinary service requirements, sells to the trade for \$14.85, including cabinet.

#### **Self-Selling Display**



New package released by Bright Star Battery Ca., Clifton, N. J., is a colorful display which hold: 24 of the 10M cells, retailing at 10c each. The lid of the carton folds back for display piece.

#### Big Sales Kit on **Electric Heaters**

Electromode Corp., Rochester, N. Y., is supplying its electric heater retailers with a complete complimentary promotion

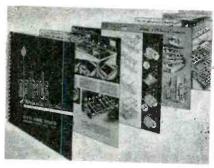
Included are two display pieces for the dealer's store; a window streamer; samples of the company's complete selection of consumer literature; an instruction booklet for retail clerks; newspaper ads; spot radio announcements; publicity stories for local release; price sheets; and folder showing these and other selling aids available.

#### Coffee Making **Demonstration Kit**

Cory Corp., manufacturers of Cory glass coffee brewers and Fresh'nd-Aire circulators, is ready with a new demonstration kit for territory managers.

The kit consists of the new Model DEA, domestic automatic coffee brewer and the new Model DEG electric coffee grinder. The two units, with a supply of whole bean coffee, a Cory measuring cup and safety stand for glass upper bowl are packaged in a plush lined, fitted, leather traveling case.

#### **Doll Up Your Store**



This elaborate 45-page presentation on "Methods of Merchandise Presentation" has been issued by Reflectar-Hardware Corp., Western Avc. at 22nd Place, Chicago, III. It deals with store fixtures and displays for all types of products.

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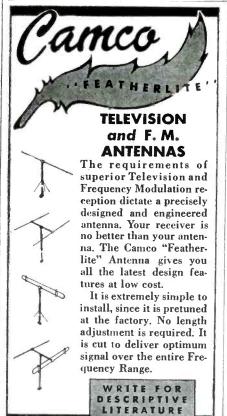


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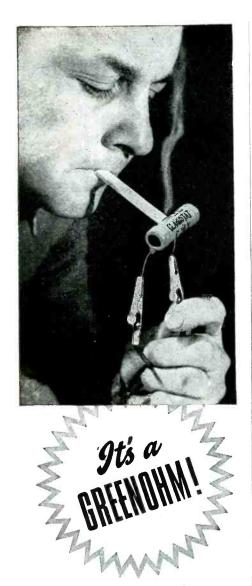
Gramavox Radio & Phonograph Co. 799 Broadway New York 3, N. Y., M1 Dear Mr. Colbert:

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#### Dealers Are Key Men in "More Radio" Drive

Strong emphasis is being placed on the radio retailer as the "Number One Man" in the success of the big "Radio in Every Room" campaign of the Radio Manufacturers Association. The drive, in which RMA has been joined by the National Association of Broadcasters, is a year-round program. The observance of National Radio Week, Oct. 26 to Nov. 1 this year is a separate event although the RMA-NAB promotion experts are also behind it.

A new sound slide film showing radio retailers how to cash in on the "every room" campaign is now available for local showing, RMA has announced. The 35 m.m. Kodachrome strip entitled "Let's Get Personal" runs 12 minutes.

The film explains that 93% of American homes now have at least one radio set and that increased future sales depend on selling radios of their own to individual family members. It points out that retailers and manufacturers can tap an unlimited market by playing up the advantages of personal ownership of sets by Mother, Father, Sis and Johnny. The convenience of having "a radio at your elbow wherever you are, whatever you're doing" also should be stressed, according to the film.

Plans of manufacturers for advancing the campaign in national advertising and sales promotion are shown and suggestions made for dealers to follow. Ideas are given for window and interior displays and for special promotions throughout the year.

Print and record combinations of "Let's Get Personal" cost \$15. and stores are urged to purchase them for periodic showings to sales forces. They can be obtained through the Fred Eldean Organization, 670 Fifth Ave., New York 19, N. Y. Film and pressing may be borrowed for a limited time from Eldean.

#### **Eureka Executives**

Frank W. Noble has been appointed as-

#### 25 Years as President



Celebrating 25 years service as president of Emerson Radio & Phonograph Corp., Benjamin Abrams, left, receives an engro. sed testimonial from Charles O'N. Weisser, sales manager. A quarter of a century ago, Emerson was a small firm; it is now said to be "the world's largest manufacturer of small radios."

sistant to George T. Stevens, executive vice-president and manager of the Eureka division, Eureka Williams Corp. He will supervise the division's advertising, merchandising and sales promotion activities. Mr. Noble, who was previously sales promotion manager, has been associated with the company since 1943.

Richard S. Holtzman will replace Mr. Noble as sales promotion manager. He joined Eureka in 1941. During the war he served as a Lieutenant (S. G.) in the Navy and in 1945 rejoined the company.

#### **Kessler Joins UST**

A. E. Kessler is the new public relations director of United States Television Mfg. Corp., according to Hamilton Hoge, president of the firm. Mr. Kessler has had 19 years in the newspaper and public relations fields. He was formerly with Viewtone and during the war was public relations officer of the antiaircraft artillery school and served in the China-Burma-India Theatre as information officer.

#### Radio Star Takes Recorder on Tour



Illustrating another use for wire recorders, this unit by Webster-Chicago will be used by Herb Shriner, Indiana humorist and radio star, ta gather moterial for his radio show. He'll take the unit on tour to make on-the-spot records of conversations. He's shown here with Shirley Jewell, dancing starlet.

#### Celebration by Specialists in Quick Service



Staff members of the New York Service Station of Proctor Electric Co. now celebrate their 5th anniversary and "54,000 satisfied customers." Members of the war-born maintenance organization, front row, left to right, Florence Van der Drift, Laura Fleming (first employe), James Francese, Mory Furey, John Romano. Back row: Larry Di Dio, James Murphy, Thomas Fazio, Arthur Hart (manager), and Milton Scharn.



A new semi-circular fluorescent lamp that provides more light than a 50-watt incandescent bulb, but consumes only about one-third the power, has been introduced by the Westinghouse lamp division.

Designated "Circlarc," the new lamp is ideal for table and floor lamps, for wall and ceiling fixtures, for merchandising displays and for interiors where the lamp itself will add a decorative dash.

The Circlare plus its ballast, required to operate all fluorescent lamps off regular lighting circuits, will sell for about one-third the price of the circular fluorescent lamp and its ballast. The ballast for the Circlare is one-third as large and only one-fifth the cost of the circular lamp ballast.

The Circlare is an 18-watt tube curved to form a half circle 12-inches in diameter. It has a useful life expectancy of 2,500 hours at three hours average burning for each start. This is the same burning life as for the circular lamp and



The new Circlarc is shown on easel at right, and in foreground is illustrated one of its uses as light source under circular display shelves.

two and one-half times longer-lived than the 50-watt incandescent bulb. A two-pin plastic base at each end of the semi-circular lamp connects it to the electric current. The base pins are located 45 degrees to the plane of the lamp, which arrangement allows the pins of the two opposing lamps to overlap and reduces the thickness of the two-lamp holder to a minimum.

#### JFD Offers New Auto Radio Accessory Line

A complete auto radio accessory line for the radio industry has been announced by Julius Finkel, president of the JFD Mfg. Co., Inc.

The new line consists of, (1) The Remote-O-Cable Replacer—the JFD auto radio tuning cable-servicing machine, (2) A line of recently re-designed auto antennas, (3) Exact duplicate replacement cables for all popular types of radios, (4) A wide assortment of auto radio fittings and connectors, and (5) A varied assortment of all popular types of suppressors and condensors, antenna mounting hardware, antenna lead cables, static eliminators, plugs and jacks, extension leads, shielded loom, auto body plugs, adaptors, servicemen's handy cable replacement kits, etc.

An 8-page folder describing this autoradio accessory line is available from the company at 4117 Ft. Hamilton Parkway, Brooklyn 19, N. Y.

#### McLoud for Quam

Appointment of the W. Clif McLoud Co., 711 Colorado Bldg., Denver, as sales representatives for the state of Colorado, Wyoning, Utah, New Mexico and eastern Montana is announced by the Quam-Nichols Co., Chicago, manufacturers of Quam Adjust-a-Cone speakers.



#### Andrea LARGE-SCREEN "Sharp-Focus"

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Receivers have 27 tubes plus 3 rectifiers and a 12 inch picture tube.

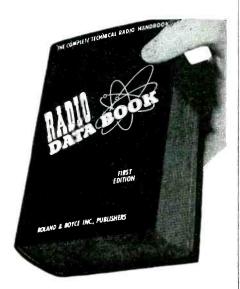
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#### Furniture Styling in **Motorola Promotion**

"The biggest advertising campaign in company history" is starting for this fall on the new 1948 Motorola home radios, it was announced by Victor A. Irvine, advertising manager of Motorola, Inc.

The new campaign will feature the "Furniture Styling" theme, showing the various models of the line in harmonious room settings. The company found this trend to be a leader in consumer buying in recent survey.

Mr. Irvine said that dealers agree with the findings of the survey, "and agree almost universally that the most important single radio selling point today is cabinet

Center of the new campaign will be full-color, full-page advertisements and columns in Saturday Evening Post, Colliers and Better Homes and Gardens. Also there will be full-color, full-page ads in The American Weekly and This Week, plus a large-scale cooperative advertising program. Advertising will be backed up by a full-scale point-of-sale promotion program.

#### New Lines

Motorola has a complete new line of 27 home radios (FM and AM Golden-Voice consoles, radio-phonographs, portables, FM and AM table models and TV receivers) and has held distributor preshowings in Chicago, New York, New Orleans and San Francisco. These were staged under the direction of general sales manager W. H. Kelley, assisted by W. H. Stellner, vice-president in charge of the home radio division, and Victor A. Irvine, advertising and sales promotion manager.

In television, the firm has introduced two of the "Golden Voice" sets. The screen for both the consolette and the

#### **Meck Model**



Wide publicity for the "Plymouth" model radio made by John Meck Industries, Plymouth, Ind., results from its use os a prize award in the "Lead the Band" contest at Martinique Supper Club, Chicago. Winner Lila Lennon is shown here with band leader Gay Claridge.

table model have 10" picture tubes, with picture area of about 55 sq. in. The units are pre-aligned to cover all 13 TV chan-

Other featured sets are the Golden-Voice FM-AM console lowboy, the Motorola spinet, and the new portable Playboy, Jr.

#### Gerber for Lyman Intercoms

The appointment of Gerber Sales Co., 739 Boylston St., Boston, Mass., as exclusive sales representative for "Callmaster" inter-communicators, has been announced by the manufacturer, Lyman Electronic Corp. Gerber will cover the states of Maine, Vermont, New Hampshire, Massachusetts, Connecticut and Rhode Island. John R. Lyman, general manager of the Lyman firm says that one of the factors behind recent sales peaks in Callmaster products is "the fact that its price has made possible many applications of the intercom." The Lyman company is located at 12 Cass St., Springfield, Mass.

#### Exhibit of Tele Kits Draws Thousands



Part of the crowd at the jobber meeting held by Transvision, Inc., 385 North Ave., New Rochelle, N. Y., at the Waldorf Astoria in New York. Meeting preceded 3-day public showing which, according to the firm's ad agency man, H. J. Gold, attracted over 30,000 people. Behind this counter, left to right, are Herb Suesholtz, Transvision general manager; Dave Kubrick, eastern sales rep; and Irving Brown, Mr. Kubrick's associate. They're showing features of new 12" tele kit, which has FM sound and built-in

#### Gibson Hikes Range Production Pace

New machinery at the Belding, Mich., factories of the Gibson Refrigerator Co. will more than double present electric range production. According to officials construction of one new building has started and extensive remodeling is under way in buildings housing the present range facilities.

The Gibson management says that the new facilities will include the latest production methods available to the industry, plus various efficiency features devised by Gibson plant engineers.

All range operations at Gibson were moved from the Greenville, Mich., plant to one of the plants in Belding at the end of the war, to release more Greenville factory space for refrigerators and home freezers.

#### "There Came a Day When the Item Did Not Sell"

The merchandising department of Graybar Electric Co., has recently issued a novel bulletin which tells "The Fable of the 'Merchant Electropolous'." The "fable," which is not without its lessons for radio-appliance men, runs like this:

"—and so it came to pass that for many moons the appliance merchant lived in a strange interlude. As fast as he placed an electrical gadget on the counter, the item was immediately sold.

"And it was good.

"But behold, there came a morning when a gadget the merchant had placed on the counter the day before was still there. And it remained there the next day, and the next, and the next, until many days had passed.

"And the appliance merchant became sore perplexed.

"And one day there came to him a certain one of his elder clerks who said: 'Master, I remember in the days of my fathers that in order to sell wares we placed notices and descriptions in public places, and when customers came to our shop we talked diligently and meaningfully to them about the benefits of our gadgets. Can it not be that such action would be proper now?'

"Then saith the merchant: 'Thou sayest wisely and so shall we do. But first let me see a man about a pair of shoe laces.' And after the manner of his kind, he continued to postpone taking action day after day. And day by day his business declined.

"And it was bad!"

#### New Perma-Power Units for Battery Set Users

Two new "Perma-Power" units, (successors to Porta-Power) with which owners of battery sets can convert to all-electric operation, have been introduced by General Transformer Corp., 4321 N. Knox Ave., Chicago 41, III. The units feature selenium rectifiers, universal sockets, hum-free design, negligible power consumption, and a 3-year guarantee.

Model A is for 1½ volt sets and is priced at \$16.75 list. Model B handles 6 volt sets and lists at \$19.95. Each unit has its own promotional material on the shipping container; jobbers need not rehandle them.

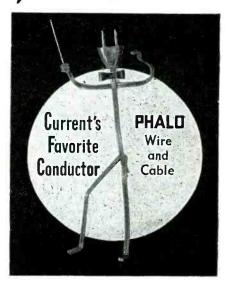
GTC recently expanded its factory operations into 100,000 sq. ft. of space at its ultra-modern Chicago plant. Officials say the firm's steady growth can be traced to its guarantee policy, which has been in force for 20 years.

#### **Headquarters Honors the Sales Reps**



This photo was raken when home office executives of Mark Simpson Mfg. Co., Inc., got together with Masco sales reps from all parts of U. S. The meeting honored new Masco PA lines, sales plans, and price protection policy. Front row, I. to r., Lou Weinrib, Delores Smith, Len Werner, Mark Simpson, Miryam Simpson, Herman Hughes and David Libsohn. Second row, Paul Scholz, Phil Optner, Henry Segel, Sonny Simberkoff, Les Logan, Ed Colman, Jack Perlmuth, Herb Erickson, Jose DePedro and Felix Simon. Third row, Tom Frye, Mike Berns, Rinald Nordstrom, Ed Schulz, G. E. Watt, Andy Anderson, Milly Anderson, J. E. Liedthe and Doc Pepper. Fourth row, David Sonkin, Ted Thibou, Earl Smith, Ira Edmundson and Harold Newman.

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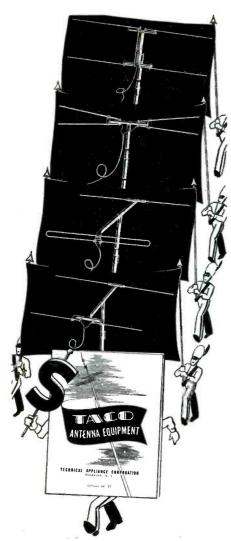
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#### "Lee 400" Styling



Here's a factory assembly scene at Lee Radio Co., 1331 Halsey St., Brooklyn, N. Y., where the \$12.95 "Lee 400" sets are finished by the hundreds. The novel cabinet is Tekwood—a veneer-kraft laminate made by U. S. Plywood Corp—which Lee sprays with varnish adhesive and finally rayon filaments to get unusual color combinations and effects.

#### Recordio Show for Mid-West Distributors

Over 150 radio men gathered at the Charlotte, Mich., Country Club to view the new line of Recordios as guests of the Wilcox-Gay Corp., Charlotte, when the company was host to distributors from the Midwest accompanied by their salesmen and key dealers. Factory tours and a luncheon were on the program. W. L. Hasemeier, vice-president in charge of sales, led the sales meeting. C. S. Blakelee, sales promotion manager, presented the national advertising and merchandising program and G. E. Murphy, sales supervisor, demonstrated the new models. Wilcox-Gay reports that a record volume of business was booked for early fall delivery following the meeting.

#### Admiral's New "Moistrol"

In refrigerator demonstrations at the Furniture Market in Chicago, Admiral Corp. said that "the last inconvenience of the modern refrigerator has been eliminated with development of our new moisure evaporator".

In the new model of its "Dual-Temp" refrigerator Admiral has eliminated the need for emptying the drip tray. Moisture condensed from within the storage space is evaporated from the pan through use of a warm coil, known as the "Moistrol," which uses heat generated by the cooling unit.

#### **Arcturus Appointment**

James S. Donahue, president of Arcturus Radio & Television Corp., Newark, N. J., has announced the appointment of Corbin Advertising Agency, New York City, as its advertising agent to handle its advertising, sales promotion and publicity.

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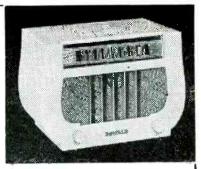
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NEW DEVELOPMENTS in radio reception — inventors predict that several new circuits are forthcoming.

RADIO RETAILING announces radio window display contest for dealers.

SERVICE & SALES — Maintenance is the stepping stone to more sales at Haynes-Griffin, New York retailer.

FARM RADIO is a life-saver for Ohio farmer who needs to know weather forecasts.

BETTER CABINETS for radio homes mean larger sales, greater profits and cleaner merchandising.

TRADE NEWS—Atwater Kent signs licensing agreement with RCA; Radio Worlds Fair Opens Sept. 19th; Radio Protective Association formed by manufacturers; Prince of Wales broadcasts opening of International Peace Bridge at Niagara Falls.

#### Sylvania Transfers Maguire

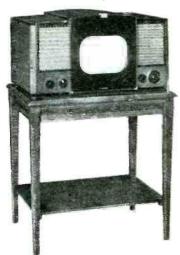
Wm. M. Maguire has been transferred from the Salem, Mass., plant to the distributor sales department of the radio tube division of Sylvania Electric Products Inc., according to news from C. W. Shaw, general sales manager. Mr. Maguire will serve as products specialty salesman in cooperation with Sylvania sales division managers and distributors in the eastern half of the United States. He joined the company in 1930.

#### Steam Iron Price Upped

Price of the Silex Steam Iron has been increased to \$21.95, Federal Excise Tax included, (\$20.90 plus \$1.05 tax), according to an announcement by J. M. Moore, general sales manager of The Silex Co., Hartford 2, Conn. Mr. Moore said that "while we are reluctant to advance our price, the fact is that we are in a period of the highest production costs in the history of this country and in order to return a reasonable profit such action is necessary."

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#### Ashbach Buys Garod in Large Cash Transaction

Leonard Ashbach, president of Leonard Ashbach Co., Chicago, has completed the purchase of 100% of the stock of the Garod Radio Corp., Brooklyn, N. Y. While officials would not reveal the exact amount involved, they readily admitted that the large cash transaction greatly exceeded a million dollars.

Previous owners were Max W. Weintraub, president, and Barney Trott, secretary-treasurer and chief engineer.

Mr. Weintraub becomes Garod's metropolitan distributor through Belle Electronics Corporation, and Mr. Trott has been retained as chief engineer under a long-term contract. Mr. Ashbach stated that the plant will continue operating, without interruption, at its present location. In announcing the purchase, the new owner lauded the record of Lou Silver, sales manager for the past 8 years, who remains with the company in an important executive position.

In addition to planning greatly increased production in the radio and television field, Mr. Ashbach said that a Garod electric refrigerator would be marketed as soon as sufficient materials are available.

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#### RCA Vice-President



Orrin E. Dunlap, Jr., has been elected vice-president in charge of advertising and publicity for Radio Corp. of America, according to an announcement by Brigadier General David Sarnoff, president and board chairman. Mr. Dunlap, well known as former New York Times radio editor and author of 10 books on radio, joined RCA in 1940. His radio experience dates back to 1912.

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Oct. 7-8: National Farm Electrification Conference, Claypool Hotel, Ind.

Oct. 26-Nov. 1: National Radio Week Nov. 3-7: Second International Lighting Exposition and Conference, Stevens Hotel, Chicago

Nov. 3-5: National Electronics Conference, Edgewater Beach Hotel, Chicago Nov. 23-30: Second Annual National Crafts & Hobby Show, Madison Square Garden, N. Y.

Dec. 2-7: Tenth Annual Electrical & Home Appliance Show, Bureau of Radio & Electrical Appliances, Federal Bldg., Balboa, Park, San Diego, Calif.

#### Heads Permoflux Jobber Sales Program

M. B. Leskin has been named head of jobber sales and advertising at Permoflux Corp. The firm has two factories—one at 4900 W. Grand Ave., Chicago 39; the other at 236 S. Verdugo Rd., Glendale 5, Calif.

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#### Refrigerator Demand to Continue Strong

It will take 54½ months to catch up with the normal demand for quality refrigerators, according to L. H. D. Baker, vice-president of Admiral Corp.

Between V-J Day and the end of 1949, he said, there will have accumulated a demand for 17,644,000 refrigerators in the U. S. By the end of 1946, only 2,400,000 has been produced, and so far in 1947 the rate has been approximately 280,000 units a month. At this rate, it will take 54½ months to catch up with normal demand, assuring a steady market for all-out production well into 1950.

#### **District Manager**

A. Earle Fisher, in merchandising for the last 20 years, has been appointed southeastern district manager for the Westinghouse home radio division. Mr. Fisher will headquarter in Atlanta and his territory will include North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Alabama, Louisiana, and parts of Tennessee and Mississippi.



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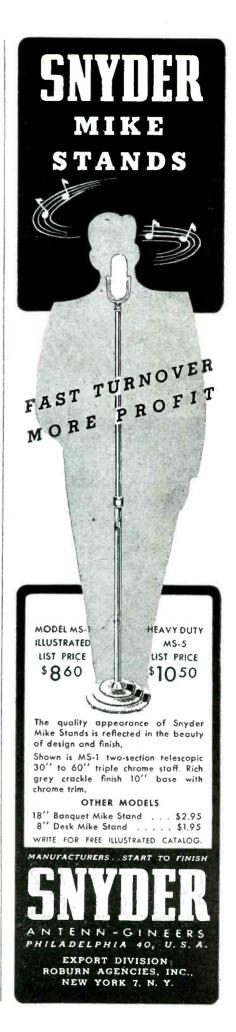
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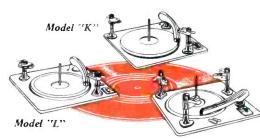
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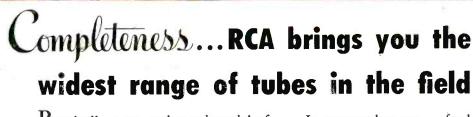
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