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"O, BOY!"

(and other Fun Radio Finds)

The boy, dog and radio figure, "**O, BOY**" on the cover is almost true to size. The wide eyed listener is six inches tall, solid chalk with a ceramic paint and glaze that has preserved the original color. There is a copyright 1922 on the back with Martin Novelty Co., 132 1/2 S Spring St. Los Angeles, Cal. ink stamped on the bottom.

Locating "**O, BOY**" and other "Fun Radio Finds" (FRF's) doesn't happen with a quick sweeping look at a dealers display for radios, speakers and antennae. The FRF's on the back cover required some detailed looking to locate. Of course you don't know what you are looking for, you just have to look at everything. The gold boots, with the words **RADIO BOOT** printed on each boot, were found in a display of jewelry. The **RADIO LOCK** was found in a box of locks (of course). The painted **LEAD HORN** in a printers tray, the **RADIO STROP DRESSING** with vintage cosmetics and the **RADIO REDS PIN** in a cloth tobacco sack with other treasures. The **RADIO LOG** (the log pulls out of the radio like a window shade) was easily seen on the dealers shelf and the match holder **DOG LISTENING to a RADIO** was from another collector. (The 01A is pictured for size reference.)

The FRF's pictured represent a fraction of radio labeled/related items to be located. Radio Flyer wagons, Radio Sweaters, Radio Razor Blades, Radio Electric Razors (recent ARC issue) - there is a picture book waiting to be published of a large variety of products that were promoted and sold with the growing popularity of radio in the 20's.

Happy hunting - and look at everything! Fred Prohl

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NOTES FROM THE PRESIDENT

Dear IHRS Members,

Greetings! This is my first missive to you as president and as such I want to take this opportunity to wish you all good health and collecting (in that order) for 1995! We had a good turn out for our Winter meet at Indianapolis on February 18th. There were over 130 registered parties and as usual the flea market area was full. The luncheon was attended by about 45 people. A very productive meeting followed thereafter with yours truly conducting the proceedings. We covered a lot of subjects and made a few decisions, so that's about par for the course I guess. I will elaborate on some of the items as I progress with this note. Thanks to Dr. Mike Clark, Alex Whitacre, Bob Shuck and Dr. Ed Taylor for planning this event. I might say the addition of a sound system for use in our meeting was a nice touch and well appreciated! Don't want to forget to thank Mike Clark's secretary, Marcy Culp and Terri Whitacre for handling the registration desk and Shirley Gross for "manning" the Membership table.

Fred Schultz was called upon to speak about progress with the IHRS Radio Museum at Ligonier. (Please see a letter from Fred and another from the Superintendent of the West Noble School Corporation elsewhere in the bulletin.) In a nut shell, the project is progressing rapidly and the museum should open about May 20. Fred and his daughter have been averaging a phenomenal 8 hours/day working on the building, show cases, etc., and filling out voluminous grant request forms! We owe them a real debt of gratitude and are so fortunate to have such dedicated people in IHRS! Fred hasn't asked for any help to my knowledge, but when he needs it, let's not be bashful to lend a hand. On this note, if any of you plan to lend or give the IHRS museum anything, would you please bring it to the May meet if possible. Or, if you don't bring it, consider filling out a museum loan form for Fred. This was a request that came up in our meeting.

Thomson Consumer Electronics commemorated the opening of their new Americas Thomson History Center by inviting members of the IHRS and TCE employees to participate in a product contest. Only RCA, Victor Co. and GE products were eligible. TCE stated the purpose of the displays was to acquaint their employees and other invited guests to the product history of their company. Contest results will follow in another article.

The IHRS Board of Directors, which are the current elected officers, met at Shapiro's Deli in Indianapolis on Feb. 4th to discuss several matters. Many of our concerns were cost related, such as postage increases and cost of reproducing colored photos etc. for the bulletin. The Board decided to continue using 1st Class mail and to use an envelope to send the bulletin. Both are costly but our bulletins do look great and they arrive in good shape. We do want to use colored printing judiciously. As an example, I understand

the colored reproduction cost for the Dec. 1994 issue was about \$388.00, or over \$1.00 per bulletin! Another thing we discussed was the possibility of getting some additional help for the Editor (not that he's asked for any). But Jim Fred and Marilyn Johnston handle the whole task by themselves and we thought they wouldn't mind some help with typing, stuffing envelopes, etc. One member, nameless for the time being, has offered to help with all this and write articles too. Now to my way of thinking, we should latch on to that kind of help, because there aren't many who do offer help. We talked about the advisability of raising the membership dues to \$12.00 starting with 1996. It was brought up to the membership at this past meeting on Feb. 18th and the two comments from the floor were that it was believed \$12.00 wasn't out of line. No decision has been made on this issue as yet. What do you think?? We did decide to do away with the prorated membership fee scale. This was an accounting nightmare. The fee is a straight \$10.00/year running Jan. 1 to Dec. 31. If a person signs up during the year, we'll make an effort to see he gets the back issues of the bulletin for that year, if we have them, but that's it. Current members should realize that your dues are expected early in the year, preferably in January, and if you want a membership card returned to you an sase is appreciated.

The board spent a large amount of time discussing the May meet, especially fee schedule, flea market and Saturday auction changes. I believe a May meet flyer with almost all pertinent information will accompany this bulletin. You will note that there won't be a Thursday evening hospitality hour. It cost us about \$300.00 last year and it was felt that the money saved could best be used to pay for a professional auctioneer rather than beg for a "freebie" as in some years past, and to pay for the Ladies Luncheon and Banquet speakers. Last year we sent out over 2000 flyers at a bulk postage rate of over \$471.00. Flyer printing was free, but not likely to happen again this year. The board decided to buy a full page advertisement in the April issue of A.R.C. This will cost us only about \$200.00. It is expected to be far more effective than mailing fliers....we'll see. I tried to make the May meet a full 2-day event by delaying the auction until Saturday afternoon. This should encourage the flea market patrons to set up Saturday morning and keep up the activity there. Last year on Saturday morning the flea market was a no-mans-land, which greatly discouraged those who expected some action on that day. I know several people came to Kokomo on Saturday for the flea market and there was none. These people wanted to sell as well as buy. By the way, please note the reference to flea market early set-up and sales in the flyer. We're serious about this. Please cooperate.

We hope to be able to offer an auction buyer early check-out, but this will depend on manpower and the auction chairman. We will try to be as flexible as possible and still maintain order.

We have the promise of several very interesting seminars this year. Of course there is room for more and I ask that you all consider offering some

of your restoring "secrets" or a Hint-n-Kink of any sort. These seminars are very casual and don't have to be highly technical or lengthy.

The speakers this year should be very interesting. For the Ladies Luncheon we will have Xenia Cord from Kokomo. She specializes in historic quilts and women's aprons. Those of you who attended the luncheon last year will remember her "WLS" quilt. This year she will have a show-n-tell on "antique" aprons. The luncheon will be held in the Ramada's restaurant alcove this year. Our featured speaker for the Friday evening banquet is also a Hoosier. She is Mrs. Carolyn Churchman. She will speak on "My 50 years in radio". She is a pioneer in early radio and TV in Indianapolis and has hosted many radio programs and interviewed thousands of interesting people all over the world. She says she's interviewed everyone from Queen Elizabeth to Morris-the-Cat! She still conducts an interview show three times a week and hosts a music of the 30's and 40's show on WXLW, Indianapolis. Don't miss this opportunity for a delightfully entertaining evening! By the way, the menu for the Friday evening banquet is the same as last year with "Roast Beef Stuffed with Seasoned Dressing" and "Savory Baked Chicken" as entrees. Cost remains the same too.

If the May meet Old Equipment Contest categories aren't on your copy of the flyer here they are: 1) Made in Indiana, 2) Open class (anything goes), 3) Kits & Home Brew, 4) Pre-1930 Battery Radios, 5) Crystal sets, 6) Tombstones/Cathedrals, 7) Plastic/Bakelite Table Radios, 8) Transistors.

I'd advise those of you who are planning to come to Kokomo in May for the Spring meet to get your motel reservations in early. There will be a women's bowling league here on the same weekend and rooms may be scarce, according to Ramada Inn management. (I forgot to tell the folks at our meeting at the Winter meet!!) That's why Ramada would only reserve 35 rooms for us on Friday evening, May 12. They did reserve 50 rooms for Thursday, May 11. Motel "6" (formerly Howard Johnson and Kokomo Inn) has reserved 35 1-bed and 5 2-bed rooms for us. All rooms must be reserved by April 1 or they may be lost. Tell them at Ramada Inn or Motel "6" that you're from the IHRS for special rates. Other motels in the area didn't care to reserve rooms for us.

I've covered about all that I can remember. I hope this has been informative. Shirley and I are eager to meet all of you at the Spring meet this May. As usual we are still looking for help with all aspects of the meet at this time. A call of help from you would really ease our anxieties and allow us to sleep better at nights.....well.....that may sound dramatic, but there's some truth to it. Please feel free to call or write about any subject. I look forward for feedback from you.

Sincerely, s/ Herman Gross, President IHRS

* * * ELECTRIFYING CONTEST * * *

There were ten attractive entries in the "Favorite Table Radio" contest at Indianapolis in February. By popular ballot, the blue ribbon was awarded to Ross Smith with his beautiful homemade DeForest audion receiver (Fig. 1) and second place to Julia Bart for the unusual French crystal set display (Fig. 2).

Mention should be made of the outstanding restoration of the Zenith tombstone by secretary Alex Whitaker. The story was told in the before and after photos. A missing side and loose cabinet veneer attest to wood-working skills as well as a complete electronic overhaul. The set is now a credit to any collection.

Thanks to all who participated in this event and were willing to share their special radios. E.T.

EARLY HOMEMADE REGENERATIVE RECEIVER

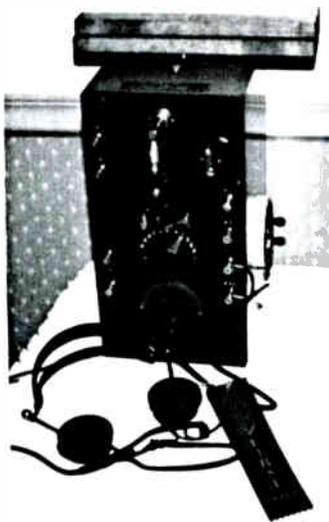


Fig. 1

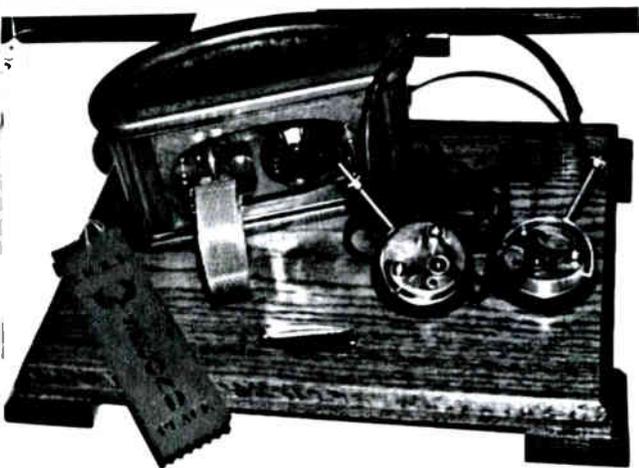


Fig. 2

THE PASSING OF JIM DI RUZZA

By George A. Freeman

Jim Di Ruzza died January 9, 1995.

For two years we made all the major regional antique radio meets. We sold hundreds of radios and parts to private collectors one-by-one and at auction. AWA, Rochester, September 1994 was Jim's most successful meet saleswise in his entire vintage radio experience. A wonderful Mishawaka IN radio and its companion parts set were some of the 'good stuff' Jim was finally letting go. We collectors will be buying vintage radio parts for years as a result of Jim's conservation efforts.

When we'd plan our trips, Jim would always talk about 'all the fun' we were going to have. And we did! We even had fun over our afflictions. When I'd get on my breathing machine for a half-hour, three times a day, he'd reference my 'smoking my peace pipe'. In the morning when he'd straighten his poor, wrinkled back into shape, I'd reference his 'Jane Fonda exercises'.

We talked often about death in our travels through OH, PA, MI, NY and IL. I was helping Jim manage his affairs in preparation for his death. I heard his descriptions of what the Grunow Plant smelled like back in 1934 when I was two years old. We talked about his fears as the son of an Italian immigrant in the 20s--during the Ku Klux Klan's heydays in Indiana. He would ask me questions he had relating to my field, broadcasting. Our days together were some of the best of my life.

Jim was a member of IHRS for over 15 years. I wrote a biography about him in the Vol. 22, No. 3, September 1993 IHRS Bulletin, pps 12-13.

Jim's Obituary is on the next page.

James A. Di Ruzza, age 76, Dayton OH, passed away suddenly on Monday, January 9, 1995. He was a retired Electronic Technician from DESC, with 20 years of service.

Mr. Di Ruzza was an active member of many Communications and Antique Radio Clubs. He will be sadly missed by his wife, Siglinde (Linda); by 'Spot' and 'BJ'; many relatives and friends. Visitation, Thursday, at the Magetti Gavin Funeral Home, 1508 Valley Street, where the funeral service will be held Friday, with Rev. Henry Chafin officiating. Burial will be in Memorial Park Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Humane Society of Greater Dayton, 1727 Danner Avenue, Dayton OH 45418.

Sympathy and condolences go to Linda from Jim's friends in IHRS. Her loss is ours, too. (A donation was made in Jim's memory.)

Lillian 'Lily' Parshall, wife of Harold Parshall passed away on January 20, 1995 in Dayton OH.

Lily had been in failing health for several years. She was an avid collector of novelty radios and attended most of the swap meets with Harold until her health began to fail.

Harold and Lily were married in Cincinnati in 1967 and moved to Dayton shortly thereafter. Lily leaves a son, Larry Smith of Cabot, Arkansas; a daughter, Becky Placke of Dayton; and a step-daughter, Deborah Martin of Chicago.

Lily's last radio outing was to attend the SPARK Christmas Party on December 28. Ironically, to the best of our knowledge, the SPARK Christmas Party was the last radio outing for Jim Di Ruzza, also.

IHRS Members and Friends extend sincere condolences and deep sympathy to Harold in the loss of his wife.

THOMSON History Center Opening

February 1, 1995



Thomson History Day

Thomson Consumer Electronics hosted an Antique Product/Advertising Contest on February 1, 1995, to help celebrate the opening of their History Center located in the new Thomson Americas headquarters in Indianapolis, Indiana.

Thomson invited their employees and members of the IHRS to enter the contest. The contest goal was to assist in showing the product history of the company. The entries had to be RCA or GE related products and fit into one of five categories.

- 1. Early years of radio 1919 - 1929.**
- 2. Victor company product (pre RCA merger).**
- 3. Cathedral or Tombstone.**
- 4. Console 1930 or later (radio, phono or television).**
- 5. Advertising or promotional material.**

Interested IHRS' members submitted written entries indicating their category choice, the vintage past of their entry, restoration or preservation work done, and how they would display their item. Five finalists were chosen for each category and notified of their selection by mail.

The contest and show were held in the lobby of the Thomson Technical Center. Displays were set up by 11:00 a.m. and judging conducted at noon. A luncheon followed in the Thomson Radio Bistro Cafeteria. Following lunch the winners of each category and the overall best of show winners were announced. Thomson employees and invited guests viewed the displays until 3:00 p.m.. The following IHRS members had items accepted and displayed in the Thomson Antique Product/Advertising Contest.

Category 1: Early years of radio 1919 - 1920

(*) Winner of RCA 13 inch color TV

- Dr. Ed Taylor (IHRS member).....Radiola Bijou (British)
Cy Fraser (Thomson employee).....Radiola III & amplifier
Don K. Johnston (IHRS member)Radiola RS & amplifier
Eric VonGrimmenstein (IHRS member).....Radiola 20 & horn speaker
*Walter Sanders (IHRS member).....Radiola 24 & Radiola 26

Category 2: Victor company products (pre RCA merger)

(*) Winner of RCA bookshelf stereo system

- Dave Campbell (Thomson employee).....Victor VV-4-40 victrola
Rick Miller (Thomson employee).....Victor 4-3 victrola
Don Gooden (Thomson employee).....Victor VV-XI victrola
Charlie Jost (Thomson employee).....Victor VV-VIII victrola
*Melissa Metzger (Thomson employee).....Victor VV-XI victrola

Category 3: Cathedral or Tombstone

(*) Winner of RCA kitchen color TV/AM-FM radio

- Cy Fraser (Thomson employee).....RCA Victor 6-T tombstone
Robert Shuck (IHRS member).....RCA Victor 100 & RCA
Victor 115 tombstones
Michael Feldt (IHRS member).....RCA Victor 128 cathedral
*Candace Lasco (Thomson employee).....RCA Victor 121 cathedral

Category 4: Console 1930 or later (radio, phono or television)

(*) Winner of RCA on screen programmable VCR

- Richard Foltz (Thomson employee).....RCA QB1-1977 television
Mark Matney (Thomson employee).....RCA Victor 97KG
Jack Drake (Thomson employee).....RCA Victor U-123
radio/phono
Warren Cullison (Thomson employee).....RCA Victor 242 radio
Paul Knutson (Thomson employee).....RCA Victor 21-CT-663
*Richard Posey (Thomson employee).....RCA 9K1 radio

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Category 5: Advertising or promotional material
(*) Winner of RCA portable AM/FM/CD stereo system

Don K. Johnson (IHRS member).....Ad/Promotional material
Dr. Ed Taylor (IHRS member).....Ad/Promotional material
Tom Yost (Thomson employee).....Ad/Promotional material
Vic Johnston (IHRS member).....Ad/Promotional material
***Robert Shuck (IHRS member).....Ad/Promotional material**

Walt Sanders was the winner of the grand prize which was a RCA DDS rooftop satellite system. All contestants received a RCA portable AM/FM cassette player, stuffed Nipper and Chipper dogs, and RCA patches.

By Michael Feldt

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IHRS 1995 CALENDAR

FRI. & SAT., MAY 12 & 13, RAMADA INN, KOKOMO
SAT., AUGUST 26, HIGH DIVE PARK PAVILION, ELKHART
SAT., OCTOBER 14, RILEY PARK, GREENFIELD

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Leo Gibbs

Leo Gibbs ,IHRS member, went into the C C U unit of the Kettering Hospital Feb. 10, 1995. He is now recuperating at home. (See the profile of Leo Gibbs in the Dec. 1994 issue of the Bulletin) If you want to send him a "Get Well" card his address is: 701 Brookfield Rd., Kettering, OH 45429.

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IHRS RADIO MUSEUM OPENING MID-MAY! GRAND OPENING SET FOR SEPTEMBER AT LIGONIER.

Dear IHRS Members,

At this time the plan is for the IHRS Radio Museum to be opened by mid-May. The carpet, rest room equipment and most of the electrical supplies have been purchased and are in the process of being installed as the weather permits. We have completed most of the showcase wiring and are in the process of replacing some missing glass. A wooden fence has been installed at the rear of the building at a cost of \$1800.00. This was paid for by the Tylers (owners of the property). \$600.00 has been donated to the building fund in the last 30 days by local businesses and industries. Using donated labor and careful buying, our building fund is still in good shape.

We continue to receive a considerable amount of publicity. Ft. Wayne television station Channel 12 was in Ligonier filming a 3 1/2 minute segment on the museum. It was aired on the 6 o'clock news and we received very favorable comments. Channel 21 has requested they be the first ones notified when the museum opens so they can do a follow up piece. This along with the Associated Press release has given us a good base as we apply for various grants to complete the restoration.

Many schools, senior citizen and handicapped groups along with travel agencies have already contacted us in regards to scheduling tours. (See letter from West Noble School Corp. elsewhere.)

Things are starting to move fast and before long we need to create a museum committee to oversee types of displays and many other detail that will come up. The whole project requires a lot of work but it is something that the IHRS and the State of Indiana can be proud of.

Do not hesitate to contact me with any comments or questions.

s/ Fred M. Schultz, IHRS Museum Curator

On behalf of the entire IHRS membership, the Board of Directors wishes to thank Fred and Marcella Schultz for the very considerable effort they are putting forth to bring this Radio Museum to reality! We are grateful!

THE FOLLOWING LETTER WAS RECEIVED FROM THE WEST NOBLE SCHOOL CORP.

This is a good example of the support Fred and the other people working on the museum and visitors center are receiving. The letter can be included in grant submittals as evidence to potential benefactors of the great excitement in the community regarding the Radio Museum.

January 27, 1995

INDIANA HISTORICAL RADIO MUSEUM

To Whom It may Concern:

The West Noble School Corporation would greatly benefit from the establishment of a radio museum. Students of the West Noble School Corporation, elementary through high school, would have the opportunity for field trips to the museum, as well as the teacher could develop instructional units concerning this form of communication.

Having this local resource (Radio Museum) would greatly enhance this possibility. Therefore, as Superintendent of Schools, I am supportive of any consideration that you can give in financial support of this endeavor.

Sincerely, s/ **Bruce Hippensteel, Superintendent**
West Noble School Corporation

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Apology

I apologize to Gladys and Fred Schultz for the loss of the caption under the picture of their Grandson, Andy Schultz. This photo was at the bottom of the back cover of the Dec. 1994 Bulletin. The caption was on the master copy I took to the print shop but when the Bulletins came back it was lost.

Jim Fred, Editor

***** COMING EVENTS CALENDAR *****

APRIL	8, 1995	KY, Henderson	MSARC Show/Swap
APRIL	22, 1995	OH, Toledo	MARC Spring Swap Meet
MAY	6, 1995	NY, Bloomfield	AWA Spring Meet
MAY	12-13, 1995	IN, Kokomo	IHRS Spring Festival
MAY	19-20, 1995	MN, Bloomington	MARC RadioDaze '95
JUNE	16-17, 1995	OH, Cincinnati	SPARK Radorama
JULY	7-9, 1995	MI, Lansing	MARC Extravaganza '95
AUGUST	2-5, 1995	IL, Elgin	ARCI Radiofest '95
AUGUST	26, 1995	IN, Elkhart	IHRS Swap Meet
SEPT.	6-9, 1995	NY, Rochester	AWA Conference
OCT.	14, 1995	IN, Greenfield	IHRS Swap/Business Meet



WANTED: Black, Cylinder records for Columbia Graphophone. Two minute type, either Long or Short. Ross Smith, 1133 Strong Ave., Elkhart, IN 46514, 219/295-7770.

FOR SALE: Hallicrafters S-85 (Civic Patrol), very nice, works, \$20.00 + UPS. George Hausske, 1922 E. Indiana, Wheaton IL 60187, 708/668-3845.

WANTED: 1934 Allied Radio catalog in excellent condition. William Ross, 875 Gordon Terrace, Winnetka, IL 60093, 708/441-6462.

FOR SALE: About 90 old radios, 100's of tubes, testers, speakers, power supplies, etc. SASE for list. Prefer to sell as one lot. Inspect any time. Jim McDonald, 135 W. Griffith, Box 478, Galveston, IN 46932, 219/699-6539.

WANTED: Crosley model 124 chassis and speaker. Fred Prohl, 7520 Satterfield, Rd., Columbus, OH 43235, 614/792-8492.

HELP! LOST! At the IHRS Indianapolis meet Feb 18th. A **RADIO HANDBOOK**, 12th Edition. Published by Editors & Engineers. Green cover I believe. Left it on someone's table! If found please contact Paul Gregg, 725 College Way, Carmel, IN 46032, 317/846-3094. Thank you.

WANTED: Silvertone All-Wave "Wonder Radio", Sears # 57F4663, shown on page 558 of 1937-38 catalog. Gerald lackey, 7946 Mulberry Rd., Chesterland, OH 44026, 216/729-3144.

FOR SALE: Tube type CB's & other CB items. SASE for list. **WANTED:** Microphone stand for Universal velocity microphone (2 7/8" wide). Harry Blesy, 9S 740 Clarendon Hills Rd., Hinsdale, IL 60521, 708/789-1793.

WANTED: Chassis for Howard model A, 3-dial neutrodyne. Panel is 7X30 inches. 1920's radio or chassis by Super Antenna Co. Dcforest D-12 cabinet. Allen Jochem, 2205 Broadway, Quincy, IL 62301, 217/223-6751.

WANTED: 1934-35 Stewart Warner console, 8-9 tubes. John Checchio, Jr., 2629 Decamp Court, Apt. 124, Elkhart, IN 46517, 219/295-7230.

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**THE INDIANA HISTORICAL RADIO SOCIETY
PRESENTS**

THE TWENTY FOURTH ANNUAL REGIONAL RADIO FESTIVAL

RAMADA INN-KOKOMO, KOKOMO, INDIANA MAY 12 & 13, 1995

Schedule of Events

<u>Date</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Site</u>
Friday May 12	Flea Market	All day	Ramada's South Parking Lot & Inside (Apperson Room)
	Registration	8 AM - Noon 1 PM - 4 PM	Ramada Lobby
	Seminars, etc.	9 AM - Noon	Haynes Room
	IHRS Ladies Luncheon	Noon to ??	Ramada's "Key West Palms" Restaurant
	Old Equipment Contest		Seiberling Room
	Enter items	1 PM - 2 PM	
	Judging, etc.	2 PM - 4:30 PM	

	IHRS Banquet	7 PM	Haynes-Apperson Rooms
	Contest Awards		
	Guest speaker		Mrs. Carolyn Churchman "My 50 Years in Radio"
Saturday	Flea Market	All day	Ramada's South Parking Lot (Not Inside on Saturday)
May 13			Ramada Lobby
	Registration	8 AM - Noon	Haynes-Apperson Rooms
	Auction check-in	9 AM - Noon	
	and preview		
	Donation auction	1 PM - ≈ 1:45 PM	(Auction will end
	Consignment auction	≈ 1:45 PM - 6 PM	at 6 PM)

For information, call Herman Gross, 317-459-8308 or Dr. Mike Clark 317-738-4649

ACCOMMODATIONS on or near HWY-31: Comfort Inn 317-452-5050, Econolodge 1-800-424-4777, World Inn 317-453-7100, Signature Inn 1-800-822-5252, Fairfield Inn 1-800-228-2800, Motel "6" 317-457-8211. Block of 35 1-bed and 5 2-bed rooms reserved. Cost is \$32.69 for 1 person, \$39.23 for 2 persons, including tax. Ramada Inn 1-800-272-6232 or 317-459-8001. Block of 50 rooms for Thursday night and 35 rooms for Friday night reserved. Cost is \$53.41 for 1 to 4 people, including tax. **Deadline** for reserved block of rooms is April 1, 1995. Tell them you're from IHRS.

* Fairfield Inn and Motel 6 are adjacent to Ramada Inn. (Within walking distance) **Reserve rooms early.** There's a Bowling League in town the **same weekend.** Rooms might be scarce.

NOTES

Although everyone must be Registered to attend this Spring festival, *Membership* in IHRS or AWA is **not** required for participation in any event except the old equipment contest on Friday afternoon. Contest participants must show evidence of current membership.

FOR SALE: Crosley 51 & Crosley Bandbox Jr. with speaker, both excellent condition. Two RCA Radiola III, FADA speaker. **WANTED:** Philco 70, AK cone or horn speaker. Mark Franklin, 4428 Spurrier Rd., Big Clifty, KY 42712, 502/242-9275.

WANTED: Philco 90 speaker, also transformer for p-p 45's. Jeff Lendaro, 1107 Logan St., Noblesville, IN 46060, 317/773-3969.

WANTED: Two original knobs for "New World Radio", by Colonial (1933 Globe). John Haught, 5268 Webb St., Aliquippa, PA 15001, 412/378-4026.

WANTED: 500 watt. multi-match modulation transformer by UTC, Thordarson or Stancor. B&W HDVL 1kw center linked coils. Martin Piepenburg, RR 1, Box 56B, Monterey, IN 46960, 219/542-2591.

WANTED: One of the four matched knobs for a Scott All Wave receiver. Will pay \$50.00 for a good knob! Also want 16mm films. Maury Zivitz, 15567 Martha St., Fortville IN 46040, 317/485-7023.

WANTED: RCA model RAE 79 complete or parts. Cabinet for Federal models 58 & 59. 35mm movie projectors. Will pickup. John Johnson, P.O.Box 17, Fowlerville, MI 48836. 517/223-8417.

WANTED: Philco Beam-Of-Light record changer and parts. Philco service literature. NRI course booklets. National Radio News booklets. Dennis Graham, 1515 Wright Dr., Sandwich, IL 60548, 815/786-8083.

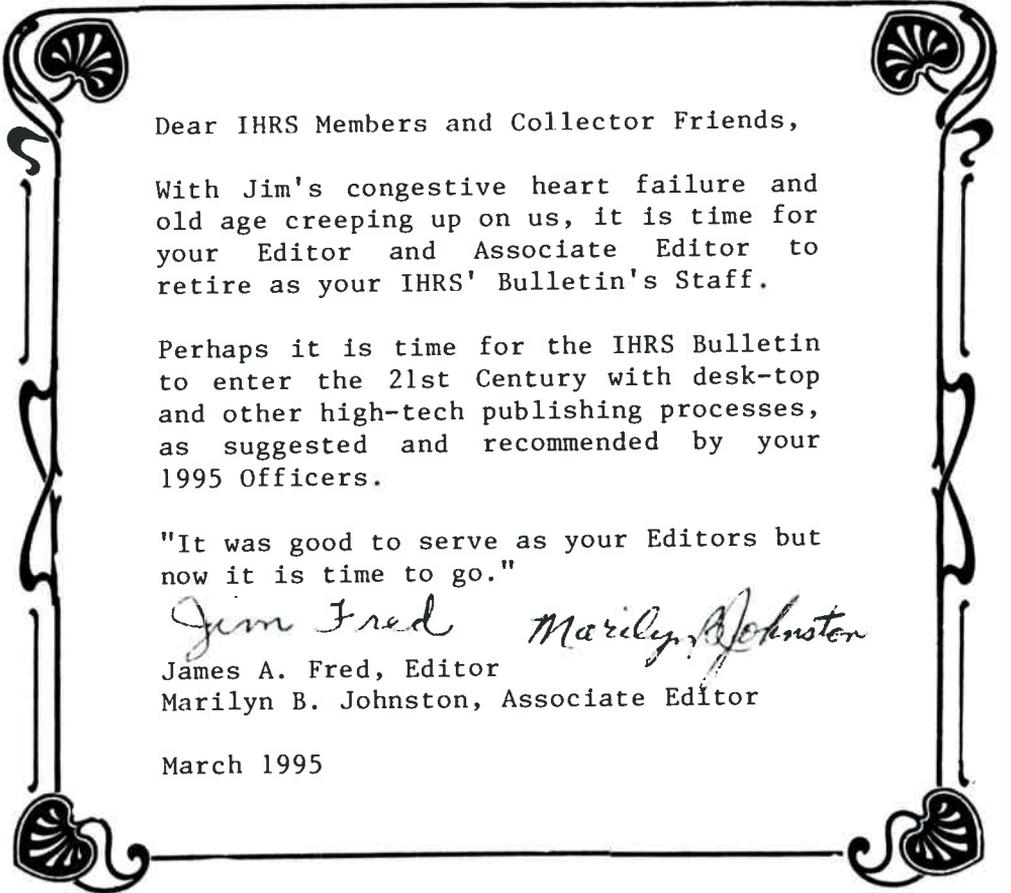
WANTED: Two small brown knobs for Zenith 3-R battery set. Wayne King, 103 N. Main St., Lawrenceburg, KY 40343 502/633-6564.

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#585Y or Z, #480, #481 or #484. Grunow #11-A, #11-B, GE #A-205-E, #A-208E. Chester Gehman, 156 Burwell Rd., Winsted, CT. 06098, 203/379-2441

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