

Lafayette Md  
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Mr. Gote Reber  
Green Bank  
West Virginia

Dear Mr. Reber.

Well here we go again on the old radio biz. I thought that after I sent you the last three sets, that would wind things up but I was pleased to get your letter of the 8<sup>th</sup> in which you stated that you would like to have the rest of my old gear.

The #6 set is complete with tube and Head phones and is in mint condition as far as Visual inspection goes but I think with the proper batteries it would operate.

Set #5 is partly dismantled in the audio end but the front end is practically intact - it is short one audio transformer and one tube socket but those were the spares that I sent you on the first shipment.

Set #4 is not dismantled except for tubes and it is not as dirty as one might expect it to be.

I have 12 tubes of the #199-299 class that show filament continuity although I have no way to test them for emission or gas. all of them have short prongs.

I also have one Cunningham 301A brass base that shows out. and is apparently O.K.

If you are interested in this gear at the price you offered in your letter just send the check made out to me and I will box it up and ship it to you the same as before.

I don't know how far you plan to go on this old radio collection but from what I can gather from eye ball P. S. O's with some of the natives up here I get the idea that there is some more old stuff stacked away in attics and sheds around here that might be uncovered through an ad in the local daily. what do you think?

The thing that is most amazing to me is that I should think that your add appearing in P.S.T. month after month would swamp you with old radios in time. apparently this is not the case or you would not continue to buy them. as I said before in a previous letter, I am not trying to be nosy but merely interested.

Thank you for the copy of your work in the islands. it was very interesting but I am afraid it was way over my head because I know absolutely nothing about radio astronomy and the like.

Will say again it was pleasing to hear from you again even if you didn't want the old stuff.

Very truly yours.

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