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Dear O.M.

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Glad to hear package arrived safe and in good condition.

I told you it was brand new, nevez use d. I forgot where I got it, but kept it all these years.

I have a friend a Mr. Douglas? out Frisco way who was an employee and personal friend of Mr. Gerald Best the gentleman who made the Infradyne Set.

I am a real old timer going back to about 1908. Once lived next door to Al Grebe. Now I am Chief Clerk of H'ways, ready to retire after 45 years with the City of N.Y.

I have tried several places for UX199's, but the class of fellows working today, do not even know what a 199 was or looked like poor fellows and they are all experts.)

I have some used ones, as I once collected old tubes, some may work, and some may be burnt out, but will take a little time to get at them.

I have no old time radios only a DeForest D 10 even worked for the old Man.

I need several pieces of old equipment such as crystal for the Crystalor Detector, a 1" Spark Coil by E.I.Co or Mesco.

On my "Want List" see if you can help me out. The fellow in Texas does not write me lately.

As soon as I can get going again, there is a fellow out west who is not an old timer, who has every Radio since 1920. Just for fun.

That is all for now, more later,

P.S. Sent \$2.00 out West to Ham Trader, \$1.00 for 1 yrs **subscrizption** and \$1. 00 for Ad. Received check, but no other news

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