

16th May 1957  
G.P.O., Hobart  
Tasmania, Australia

Dear Hap:

More trouble. I have a type BL202 recorder made by the Brush Electronics Company in Cleveland, Ohio. The old faithful pen which I have used for the past nine months finally got very dull and the tip chipped. Recently I had to replace it with one of my spares. At the time I also found that the remaining spare pen has a broken tip so it can't be used either. Thus I am now operating with my last recorder pen. It may last a long time and then again it may not.

Please call up the Brush representative in New York and have them send to me via air mail three standard pens for use with their BL202 recorder. These pens cost about five dollars each and the airmail postage will probably be an equal amount, even tho the pens only weigh a fraction of an ounce each.

Thanks in advance for taking care of this matter. I expect to bring the old pens back with me to have new tips put on.

Best regards,

Grote Reber

The 3 pens arrived 3 June 57 OK  
Postage \$2.25