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Gentlemen:

The May 1949 issue of Wireless Engineers has an article discussing the Physics Society's exhibition at the Imperial College, London, from April 5 to 8, 1949. This article mentions a small triode tube made by your organization under the number E1771. The only information given indicates that this tube will operate at a wavelength of from 6 to 7 cm. Please send additional information upon the electrical characteristics, mechanical dimensions and price of this tube. What delivery may be had on this tube in small quantities?

How does this tube differ from a tube presently sold by you under the number DET 23 and labeled E1600? We are particularly interested in learning whether or not the E1771 is an improved version of the E1600, and if so, what the improvements are.

Yours truly,

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