To

PRESTO RECORDING CORP.
242 - W. 55TH ST.
NEW YORK
N.Y.

ATTENTION
RALPH C. POWELL

order (2) - PHONO CONTROL 25,000W
STOCK # 1624

~~1 - TYPE 21-A~~

P-2658 - used on New Y -3
(old -3)
P-4403 - NEW (8) -3
P-4461 - NEW (500)
P-2652 - old } Y-0
P-2653 - old }

PRESTO Recording Corp.
242 WEST 55TH STREET
NEW YORK
N.Y.
ATTENTION MR. P.C. POWELL.

Dear Sir:

I am trying to straighten out the mixup we got into in the exchange of 1-C cutting heads.

Refering to my letters of March 26th and April 8th and to your letters of March 28th and April 18th, here is the procedure as near as I can determine from my records; —

On March 26th, I shipped to you one 500 ohm 1-C head # 4461
On April 8th, I received from you one 8 ohm 1-C head # 4615
~~On April 11th, I received from the Seattle Radio Supply Co, one 8 ohm 1-C head # 4739.~~
On April 24th, I received from you two 8 ohm 1-C head # 4737 and # 4587.

I have your invoice # 88744 dated April 3rd for one 1-C head # 4615 and your credit memo # X-9716 for one 1-C head # 4461. (the 500 ohm head).

I have your invoice # 88971, dated April 18th for two 1-C head # 4737 and # 4587, and your credit memo # X-9919 for one 1-C head # 4403.

I am returning to you today by express, one 1-C head # 4615, for which please send me a credit memo.

The pair of matched heads # 4737 and # 4587 are operating satisfactorily.

The mixup seems to be that the Seattle Radio Supply Co., sent us on April 11th, one 1-C head # 4739 which apparently was supposed to replace the 500 ohm head # 4461, supplied on the 75-A turntable purchased from them, however the 500 ohm head was returned to you on March 28th upon the instructions of Loyd Marsh of Marsh Agencies.

KOMO
RETURN CUTTERS
# 2665
# 4739

TOTEM BROADCASTERS
KJR

March 26, 1946

Presto Recording Corp.
242 West 55th Street
New York, N. Y.

Attention: Mr. R. C. Powell

Dear Sir:

We have had in operation for several years a Presto Type "Y" recorder consisting of (1) Type "87-A" amplifier and (2) Type "75-A" turntables equipped with Type "1-C" cutting heads, Serial #2652 and #2653. This recorder has operated satisfactorily and makes a normal level cut on the discs without any sign of overloading the amplifier.

We recently purchased, from the Columbia Electric & Manufacturing Co. of Spokane, (1) Type "87-A" amplifier, Serial #1004, which has an 8 ohm output and (1) Type "75-A" turntable, Serial #3385, which came equipped with a Type "1-C" cutting head, 500 ohms, Serial #4461. Mr. Lloyd Marsh, of Marsh Agencies, Seattle, has instructed me to return this 500 ohm cutting head to you and request that you exchange it for an 8 ohm cutting head.

We also purchased recently from the Seattle Radio Supply Co., Seattle, (1) Presto Type "75-A" turntable equipped with an 8 ohm Type "1-C" cutting head, Serial $4403.

When we put the new amplifier and the new turntable with the 8 ohm cutter head, Serial #4403, into service we found that in order to get a normal satisfactory level of cut on the disc, we ran into amplifier overloading to an extent that we were unable to use it. We then tried the new cutting head, #4403, on our old "Y" recorder and found that with a normal level of cutter input we got a 3 D.B. lower level of cut on the disc than the old cutting heads produce. This would indicate that cutter head #4403 had a 3 D.B. lower efficiency than our old cutting heads.

I would like to know if by exchanging cutter heads you can supply us with (2) heads matched as to efficiency and of such an efficiency that they will operate satisfactorily without overloading the amplifier.

I am shipping to you, by express today, the 500 ohm cutter head, Serial #4461.

I would also like to order (2) Stock #1624 Phono controls (25,000 ohm).

Very truly yours,

F. J. Brott
Chief Engineer

Via Air Mail

NOV 1st 1946
KJR NOW HAS IN OPERATION
4737
4567
Presto
? MAY BE (8)

KJR
P-2652
P-2659
? MAY BE (3)

April 3rd 46.
Loaned KJR - cutter head # 2665
Returned April 17th 46 Brott

Recd from Presto
Approx Apr 24th
2 matched cutter heads
# - 4737
# - 4587
Will Reck them

APRIL - 8 - 46
Recd cutter - 8 ohm # 4615

will return these

APRIL - 11 - 46 # 4739 -20B
(Recd from Seattle Radio supply)

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CORPORATION

242 WEST 55TH STREET, NEW YORK, N. Y.
PHONE CIRCLE 5-7760
CABLE PRESRECORD, N.Y.

Manufacturers of
SOUND RECORDING EQUIPMENT, DISCS, COMMERCIAL RADIO COMMUNICATION EQUIPMENT,
PRECISION ELECTRONIC DEVICES

Mar.28,1946.

Totem Broadcasters
Station K J R
Seattle 1,
Washington

Gentlemen:-

Replying to yours of March 26th, it will be in order for you to return the 500 ohm cutting head(Serial No.4461,type 1C) to us, to the attention of Mr. A. Zrike, and we will exchange it for an 8 Ohm Head.

We also would suggest that you return to us the 8 ohm head,Serial No.4403, and we will see to it that you get a pair of properly matched 8 Ohm cutters.

We are entering your order for 2 #1624 Phono Controls, 25,000 ohms and shipment will go forward in about 5 days.

Yours very truly

PRESTO RECORDING CORPORATION

I. Rosenblatt

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Project Engineer.

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TOTEM BROADCASTERS
KJR

April 8, 1946

Presto Recording Corp.
242 West 55th Street
New York, N. Y.

Attention: Mr. I. Rosenblatt

Dear Mr. Rosenblatt:

Replying to your letter of March 28, I am shipping the 8 ohm cutting head #4403, by express today, to Mr. A. Zrike. This leaves us short one cutting head and we will appreciate getting the two matched cutters as soon as possible.

Very truly yours,

F. J. Brott
Chief Engineer

cc: A. Zrike
Via Air Mail

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April 18, 1946.

Station K J R
Totem Broadcasters,
Skinner Bldg.
Seattle, 1, Wash.

Gentlemen:

In reply to your letter of April 8th, we submit our invoice #88971, in the amount of $261.65.

In reply to your letter of March 26th, we shipped to you and billed you under our invoice #88744 the sum of $131.35, in exchange for your cutter #P4461 against which we issued our credit #X9716. Upon receipt of your letter of April 8th, we in error put throught an order for two 1C cutters as indicated on invoice #88971. We submit our credit #X9919 to cover cutter P4403 and if you will be good enough to return the one cutter which we shipped in excess, we shall be pleased to issue credit for same upon receipt.

We trust we have caused you no inconvenience.

Very truly yours,

Presto Recording Corp.

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AC.HT
Encl.

A. Caine