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Amplifier	\$100
Diamond Needle in GE cartridge	\$25
Collaro changer	\$50
2 speakers in separate cabinet	\$75
Cabinetry	\$50

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It's all assembled

Once you've removed the carton, this Hi-Fi set is all ready to plug in and play. Just put on a couple of your favorite records and discover the wonderful "presence" of music that you've been missing. Notice how the instruments of an orchestra become "sorted out." Each note comes through richer and fuller. Then you'll understand why real music lovers are hi-fi addicts. Incidentally, the Dictograph music system doesn't have to be played loud . . . it "whispers down" beautifully.

Tops all-in-one unit

No matter how much you pay, it is physically impossible for the conventional all-in-one phonograph to duplicate the performance of the Dictograph, with its separately enclosed speaker system. Having the speaker system separate from the record changer allows you great flexibility in placing the speaker, where it will give the most perfect sound reproduction. Try the speaker in different parts of the room and at different heights. The difference in sound will amaze you.

Diamond stylus

The record changer includes a genuine diamond stylus which will give 1500 hours of safe play. That's an eternity compared to other so-called permanent needles which gouge your valuable LP records after only 50 hours of play. You also get the famous General Electric magnetic cartridge, the same that's used by the finest FM stations.

Top quality amplifier

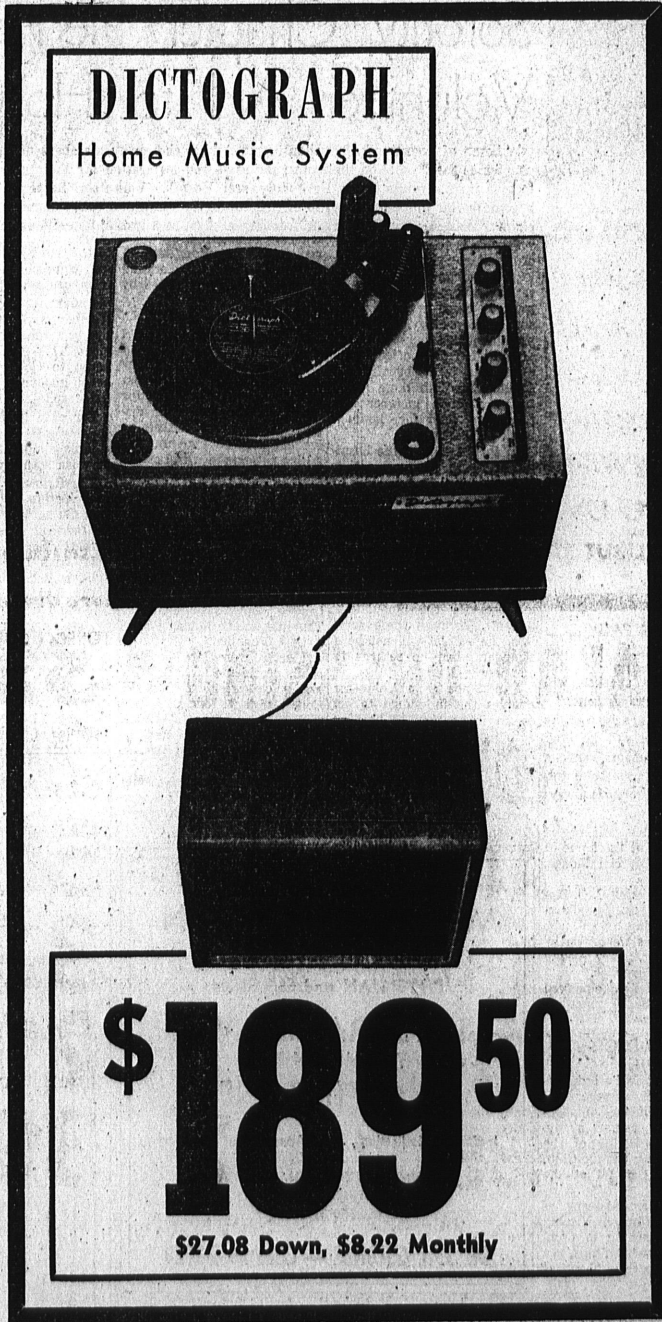
The heart of the system is the Dictograph amplifier, which incorporates the famous Williamson-type circuit used in custom hi-fi systems costing as much as \$1,000. It has separate bass and treble controls, and a record compensator that brings out the full fidelity of different record brands. 3-speed record changer precision made in Britain, with a stylus pressure of less than 1/2 of an ounce for minimum record wear.

Separate cabinets

For this one low price, you get both the amplifier-changer and speakers housed in separate sturdy wood cabinets, and covered with attractive leather-grained fabricoid. There are no loose components to put together. It's ready to play.

TV, FM and tape, too

The Dictograph Home Music System has controls and connections already engineered into the units which make it a simple matter to connect any FM or AM tuner, a tape recorder, or the audio section of your TV. You get not just a phonograph, but a high quality audio system to give you home entertainment for years.



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P T A ACTIVITIES

Evelyn Carr 186th Street

Evelyn Carr's annual Country Fair, sponsored by the PTA, will be held Friday, Oct. 26, from 6 until 9 p.m. on the school grounds. This announcement was made by Seth Warden, finance and budget chairman, and Mrs. Jess C. Clewett, co-chairman.

A prize will be awarded to the person wearing the most unique country garb.

Mrs. Robert Holmes will be in charge of the sidewalk cafe where hot dogs, chili, pie, cake and coffee will be served.

Roland Stamm is in charge of the soft drinks and Mrs. Pete Freese has the sweet shop.

Mrs. R. Thomas and Mrs. R. Jones will conduct the country store where needlecraft and a white elephant sale will be held. Mr. and Mrs. G. Curnery, chairman for midway fun and prizes.

Attractions will include fish pond, turkey shoot, hoop-la, bean bag toss, football pass, junior carpenter, space booth, milk throw, fish bowl cartoon and something new for the little ones, 6 years and under, a junior midway.

Newton

A big Halloween carnival and ham dinner is scheduled for Halloween night at the Newton School, sponsored by the Newton PTA. There will be many varieties of booths and games to attract young and old. The carnival will open at 4:30 p.m. and ham dinners will be served to families in the cafeteria. Festivities will continue until 10 p.m.

Room Mother Chairman Mrs. Wilfred Knapp, 121 El Chico, held a room mothers' meeting at her home Thursday morning, Oct. 4, to discuss duties this year. Since the carnival is on Halloween, they will dispense with room parties for that occasion, but will hold parties in the rooms for Christmas, Valentine's Day, and on the last day of school. Coffee and doughnuts were served to the 45 mothers present and to the Newton PTA president, Mrs. Henry Graef, who was also present at the meeting.

On Thursday morning, Oct. 11, there will be a board meeting for executive board members at Mrs. Marvin Sims' home, 159 Via Circula, at 10 a.m.

Dr. Keith S. Ditman, famous psychiatrist from the Mental Health Foundation, will speak at the regular Perry PTA meeting at Perry Elementary School, Thursday, Oct. 18, at 8 p.m.

In his speech on mental health, Dr. Ditman will discuss "How Parents and Teachers Can Work Together by Helping Our Youth Over Emotional Stability and Inner Security."

Dr. Ditman is now a director in the department of psychiatry at the UC Medical Center, and of the Southern California Society for Child Psychiatry. He has contributed greatly to the research department of the University of California Medical Center School.

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The membership theme of the 186th St. School PTA, "Working Together," and illustrated by posters of busy bees and a bee hive, is most appropriate for the busy members of the executive board. Meetings of the membership committee, the budget and finance committee and the ways and means committee, under the chairmanships of Mrs. Floyd C. Beech, Mrs. Billie Lewis, and Mrs. Frank Daddi, respectively, have been held in the last two weeks. Mrs. James McMillen, press chairman and Red Cross Co-ordinator for Gardena-Willington Council, attended a Red Cross Information Meeting in Los Angeles, and 24 executive board members attended the 10th District School of Information held in San Pedro on Sept. 27. Mrs. Herman Eisenbeiss, PTA president, F. C. Beech, Floyd Phillips, Billie Lewis, G. Patton, Frank Daddi and James McMillen and Miss Ruth Engdahl, school principal, attended the Council meeting held at Carson St. School on Sept. 28.

With such co-operation and enthusiasm, Mrs. Floyd Beech, membership chairman, is certain that the membership drive now underway will be a huge success and bring in many 100 per cent rooms. Children who bring back their membership envelopes with the dues on the first day, are promised a treat by the PTA.

Carson
"Hit a Home Run for Carson Street," is the slogan being used by Carson Street PTA in its annual membership drive, according to Mrs. James Dane, membership chairman.

The drive will run from Oct. 9 through 12 and all friends and parents are urged to join. The association is offering two prizes, one for kindergarten through 3rd grade, and one for the 4th through the 6th grades, as an incentive to sell memberships. The room with the highest percentage in either group will be given a monetary prize.

Membership in the Parent-Teacher organization is nominal and entitles one to a membership in both the local and national associations.

HIGH SCHOOL
Torrance High School PTA membership drive is now in full swing. All parents are urged to send in their membership dues. Realizing the importance of friendly cooperation between teachers and parents, Gov. Goodwin Knight has proclaimed this week as California PTA membership week. The slogan for the California PTA Congress is: Parents and Teachers; Together; Are united for youth.

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