

ON THE LIGHTER Side

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The final plans are coming together for the 1988 Convention, to be held in Erie, PA. June 9 through June 12. The following details have now been confirmed: (1) Registration fee for each member will be \$35. For any guest, wife, husband, etc. there will be a fee of \$10 for the Fri. bus trip and/or \$15 for Sat. night dinner. For any non-member not interested in going on tour Fri. there is a bus which comes right by the hotel to go on a shopping tour (cost is \$2). (2) The rooms at the QUALITY HOTEL PLAZA are \$50 for single and \$60 for double (per night). There is a 6% sales tax in PA. (3) If you are coming by air, some one will pick you up at the airport (if we know your arrival time). (4) Registration fees & a credit card number or room deposit MUST be received 30 days prior to convention. I appreciate the response already received and would ask the rest of you to PLEASE respond soon!

We have an abundance of material for this month's paper (which pleases your Editor!!) so the "Spotlight" section has been left out this month

More later.....

Judith

COLLECTORS' CORNER

Following is a letter from Jack Seiderman:

TO OTLS MEMBERS,

As a fellow member of OTLS, I thought some of you might be interested in my mail order introduction.

This is a sample page of my 35 page catalogue of 500 lighters for sale. I am selling about half of them by price and the rest by your mail bid. For your \$5.00

remittance, I will ship it by 1st Class Mail and you will receive all future mailings from me. I urge any of you interested in acquiring some rare lighters from this estate settlement, not to hesitate about ordering as I intend to settle this bid call around March 26.

Bids from OTLS Members will not require any bid deposits.

/s/Jack Seiderman

(Editor's Note: The sample page is shown on page 2 of this issue)

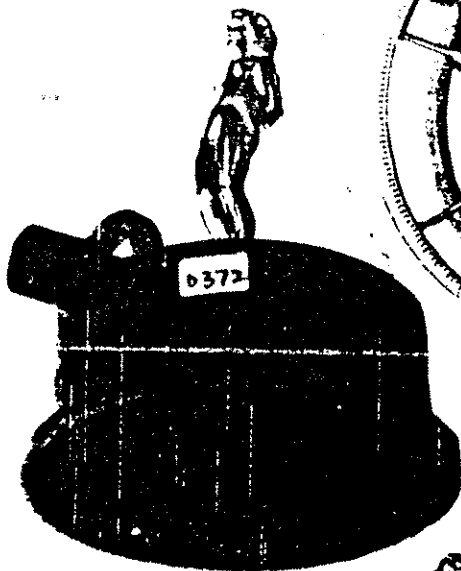
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The lighters shown on Page 3 (or described on this page) were sent to your Editor from Nita Markham and are all that remained in Bud Markham's collection. She wants to offer them for sale to OTLS Members since Bud had been a member for so long. Your Editor would especially appreciate a response on these lighters. Not only would I like to help Nita sell these lighters, I feel some of you might like to have one of Bud's lighters to remember him by. Since your Editor is holding these lighters and will be mailing them to members, please add a small amount to cost of lighter to cover my postage.

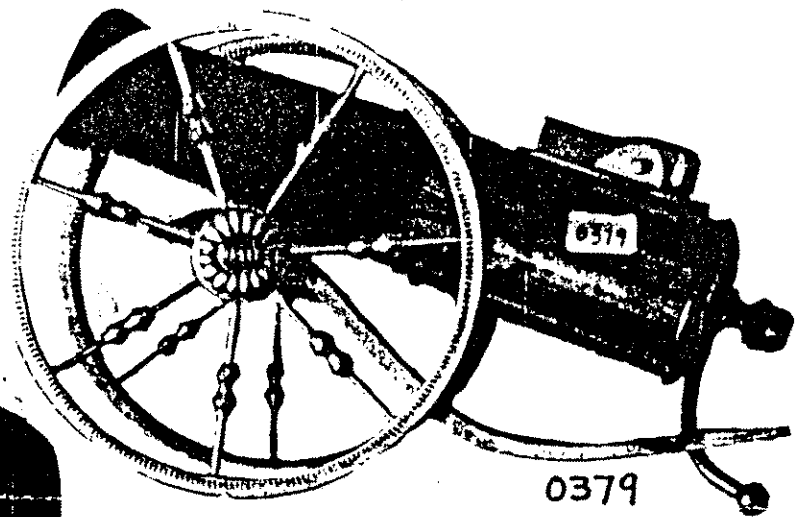
1. Ronson "Crown" (table lighter) - silver is peeling some. \$7.00
2. GIANT pocket lighter - looks like a Zippo, but is Japan - 7" tall, 4-1/2" wide. \$3.00
3. Disposables advertising cigarette brands - Kent III, Kent Golden Lights, Newport & Fact. 25¢ each.

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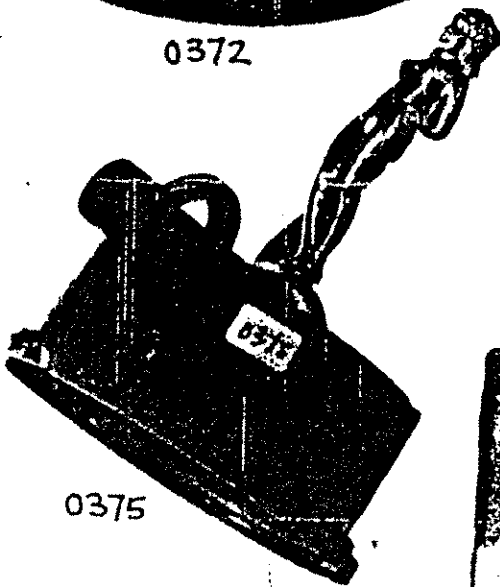
Page 4 contains a list of lighters James ("Tank") Lillich has to trade. Since this list was rather long, Tank personally did all the xeroxing and has paid for the additional postage himself. (Thanks, Tank!)



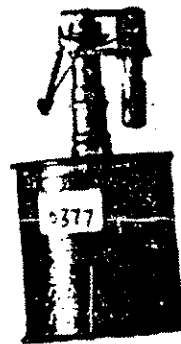
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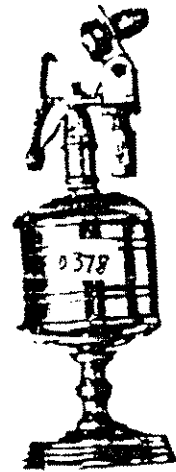
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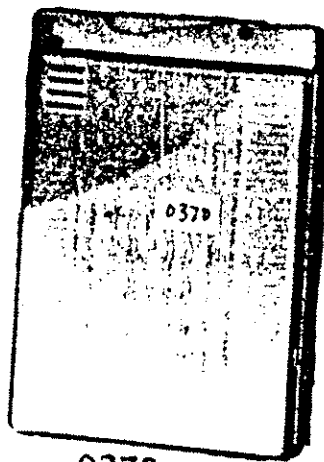
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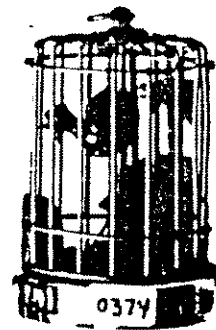
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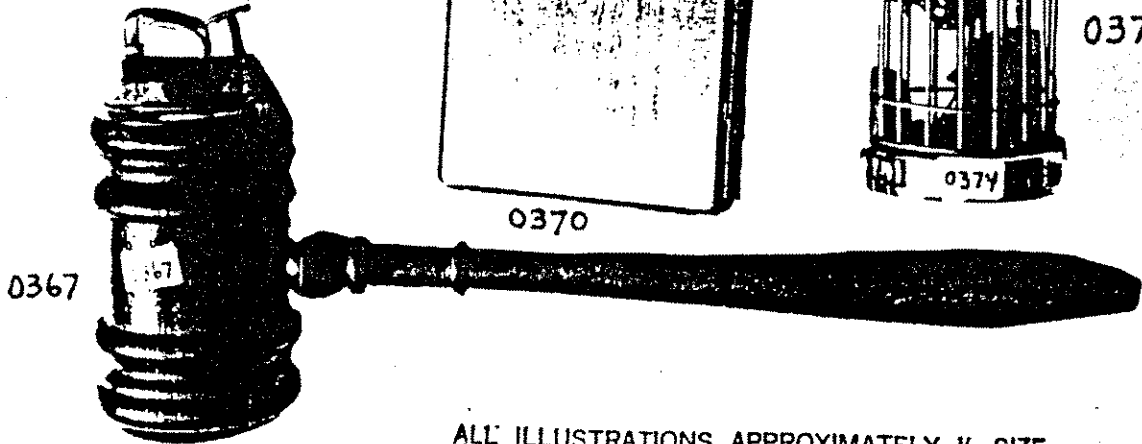
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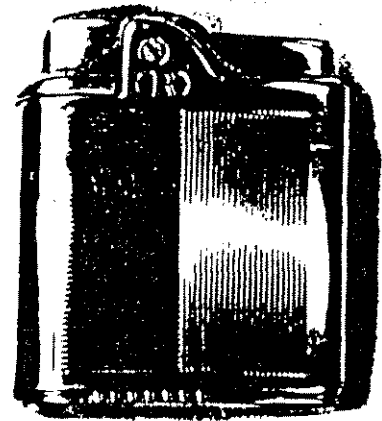
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ALL ILLUSTRATIONS APPROXIMATELY 1/2 SIZE
NO REPRODUCTION ALLOWED WITHOUT PERMISSION

ALL LIGHTERS SHOWN IN ACTUAL
SIZE - XEROXED.

COLLECTORS' CORNER (continued)

FROM BUD MARKHAM'S COLLECTION



(Ronson, Whirlwind) Silver
colored metal - \$4.00



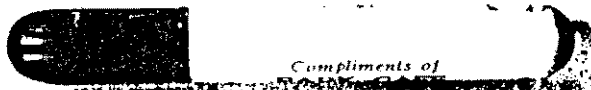
(Japan) Looks like Bowers, silver
metal. \$3.00



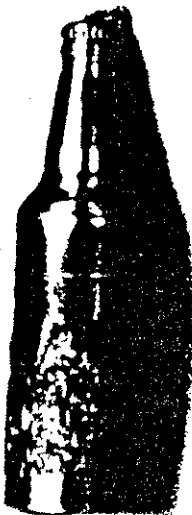
(Continental, Japan) Pall
Mall ad - \$3.00



(Evans) Gold colored metal
w/picture of horse. \$5.00

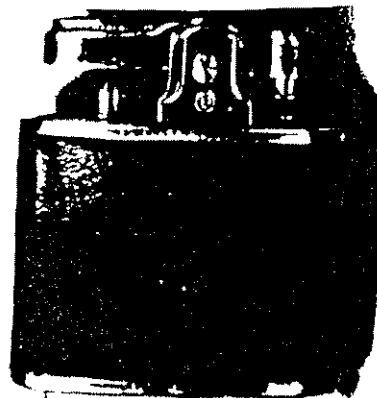


Compliments of
(Reallite, St. Paul, Mn.) Ad
for Park Cafe, Oakland, Ca.
\$3.00



(Ken Co, U.S.A.) Silver bottle,
label almost gone. \$2.00

(CMC) Silver metal covered
w/green leather. \$2.00



(Japan) Napoleon III - \$2.00



(Dunhill) Sterling Silver with
orange colored rope. \$40.00

ON THE LIGHTER SIDE MEMBER:

TRADING LIST OF TANK LILLICH, 519 W. TAYLOR, SP311, SANTA MARIA, CA. 93454

I HAVE THE FOLLOWING LIGHTERS TO TRADE FOR OTHER LIGHTERS WITH COMPANY NAMES, BRAND NAMES, MILITARY, CITIES, STATES, COUNTRIES, ETC..

1. SOLAR - RADIO SHACK = MY #258
2. FLEET RESERVE ASSN. - CREST CRAFT - #31- JAPAN
3. SAM'S TOWN - GOLD RIVER - HOTEL & GAMBLING HALL, TECHNO, PHIL. PLASTIC
THROWAWAY
4. LAUGHLIN (NEV), HONG KONG, #394, (PLASTIC THROWAWAY)
5. HEARST CASTLE, SAN SIMEON, CA., #409, SCRIPTO, (PLASTIC THROWAWAY)
6. ALASKA (WALRUS), #380, TECHNO, PHIL. (PLASTIC THROWAWAY)
7. NATIVE TEXAN, #400, JAPAN, (PLASTIC THROWAWAY)
8. MARLBORO MAN ON HORSEBACK, #497, HONG KONG, (PLASTIC THROWAWAY)
9. RAIDERS (LA), #237, FEUDOR, PHIL. (PLASTIC THROWAWAY)
10. CAMEL BIG NOSE, #498, HONG KONG, PLASTIC THROWAWAY
11. JIM BEAM (LABEL), #222, KOREA, PLASTIC REFILLABLE
12. JACK DANIEL'S (LABEL), #227, UNK. PLASTIC REFILLABLE
13. NORTH AMERICAN AVIATION, INC., #132, PENGUIN, JAPAN, NEV USED, EX SHAPE
14. USE TO BE CHESTERFIELD, ZIP STYLE, #61, CONTINENTAL, 95% EMB. GONE.
15. KENT EMBLEM, #154, OMEGA, JAPAN, NEV. USED, EX SHAPE
16. KENT EMBLEM, #119, SYMBOL, JAPAN, PT 4268, GD SHAPE, WICK JUST SINGED.
17. KENT EMBLEM, #368, colvair, japan, NEEDS REPAIR.
18. NEWPORT EMBLEM, #68, CONTINENTAL, NEV USED, EMB STARTING TO PEEL
19. L&M EMBLEM, #362, CONTINENTAL, GD SHAPE
20. L&M EMBLEM, #83, CONTINENTAL, VERY GD SHAPE
21. CAMEL EMBLEM, #181, MODERN BY H.M.C., JAPAN, GD SHAPE
22. SALEM EMBLEM, #202, MODERN BY H.M.C., JAPAN, GD SHAPE
23. SALEM EMBLEM, #210, SAROME, JAPAN, GD SHAPE, EMB. START TO PEEL.
24. WINSTON EMBLEM, #185, CORONET, JAPAN, GD SHAPE
25. WINSTON EMBLEM, #170, ZENITH, JAPAN, GD SHAPE
26. WINSTON EMBLEM, #171, ZENITH, JAPAN, GD SHAPE, EMB. START TO PEEL.

Frank Lillich

For Sale or Trade

Have Dunhill Sylph, Tallboy, Tinder Pistol, Dueling Pistol, Sylph Ruler & 1943 Black Steel Zippo in box never used. Will trade for other Dunhills. (All pictured in Bisconcini's book) Call or write. Ira Pilosoff
Spirit of St. Louis lighter.
 Sold brass on stand. MINT CONDITION. \$50 or trade for old tobacco tins or old fountain pens. Will also buy same. Write me. Bill Kern

BACK ISSUES OF OTLS NEWSLETTER AVAILABLE FOR 70¢ EACH. 1984 - 10 issues; 1985 - 12 issues; 1986 - 12 issues; 1987 - 12 issues. PLEASE STATE WHICH ISSUES YOU WANT WHEN ORDERING. (Your Friendly Editor)

Just bought a complete lighter collection - want to sell approximately 475 of these lighters. 34 pages of pictures & pages of accompanying price lists available - \$4.00 for 4th class postage or \$5.00 for 1st class mail. Jack Seiderman (Editor's Note: Jack will sell these lighters separately or in one lot.)

CORRECTIONS & ADDITIONS:

Marc Klarman - new address.
 P. O. Box 697
 Mahomet, IL 61853

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS:

1. Lynn Baker
 310 N. Schrader Ln.
 Tucson, AZ 85748
2. Fred Laird
 369 NE 167th St.
 N. Miami Beach, FL 33162
3. Joe Roseman
 P. O. Box 338
 Idyllwild, CA 92349
4. Jeff Silver
 / S. LaPeer Dr.
 Beverly Hills, CA 90211

For Sale or Trade

Available:
 Advertising/souvenir pocket type. List wants by subject. Will trade against 1910-30's round brass European inscribed types (liquid fuel or tinder wick). Warren Gerber.

I have many 50's, 60's advertising lighters and misc. duplicates. Will trade fro 20's, 30's, 40's pocket lighters. I like lighters that show use, but still work. Contact Mike Holm.

Wanted to Buy or Trade

Wanted: Lighters with pictures of pinup girls. Must be in excellent cond. Robert Stowe

Looking for old junk lighters for parts - also Zippo with the hinge on the outside. Tom Zimmer

Wanted to buy - new or mint condition lighters with corporate logo engraved. Prefer Zippo. Write & describe. Fred Laird (See new member list).

Wanted: 'Transfo Lighter' Pyrium Flint Lighter - patented 1948 in France - W. D'Alton, Inventor - as pictured LIGHTERS ASCENDINI #239. John Grawe.

Want any lighter with Erie, Pa. on it. Also looking for broken lighters to use for parts to fix mine up. Tom Prylinski

Looking for Ronson touch tip lighters & art deco airplane lighters. Marc Klarman

Wanted: Tank, cannon, armored car lighters. Must be in very good condition. Contact Jack Albertson.

Wanted to Buy or Trade

Would like to swap an original Calibri, in fair cond. & working, for a Ronson Banjo. Charles Arrundale

Wanted: Ronson Banjo and pre-1958 Zippos - all must be in good condition - for cash or swap for Australian made lighters or rare tobacco tins of Western Australian origin. Rex Hodgson

Wanted: Cigar Counter Lighters run on batteries or electricity. Lighters made by NASSAU or IMPERATOR - flint must be on top or rasp wheel. WAR ERA lighters. BOOK SHAPED lighters. Will buy or trade. Would like to see pictures from members even if not selling. Jim Lohr

Looking for Catalogues, old ads or leaflets (or facsimile) of pre-1939 period. Please send detail with price to Jacques P. Cole. For research on Lighter Book.

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