



**GREATER CHICAGO
INSULATOR CLUB
NEWSLETTER**

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Racine, Wisconsin Swap Meet Report

#	Seller	Description	Price	Buyer
1	Rick Soller	8 multipart	1	Justin Perrault
2	Rick Soller	Green porcelain street light hoods	5	Justin Perrault
3	Rick Soller	Glass power insulators	9	Dave Shaw
4	Colin Yennie	Choice of box (\$16 x 2 boxes taken)	32	Mike Fowler
5	Colin Yennie	Box of porcelain uniparts	3	Steve McCollum
6	Jim Crandall	Choice of multipart	7	Rick Soller
7	Jim Crandall	2 multipart	2	Justin Perrault
8	Jim Crandall	Box full of signals	20	Steve McCollum
9	Arlen Rienstra	Box of clear Pyrex glass	11	Rick Soller
10	Arlen Rienstra	Donation to club of Hemingray Plaque Commemorative Paper	8*	Rick Soller
11	Rick Soller	2 power glass insulators	10	Tim Haraf
12	Jim Crandall	Box of CD 162 smooth base	10	Rick Soller
13	Jim Crandall	Box of CD 162 smooth base \$10 x 2 boxes	20	Bob Stahr
14	Jim Crandall	Box of CD 162 smooth base	10	Carol Hovorka
15	Jim Crandall	Box of CD 162 smooth base	10	Dave Shaw
16	Jim Crandall	Box of CD 162 smooth base	10	Steve McCollum
17	Jim Crandall	Box of CD 162 smooth base	5	Richard Case
18	Jim Crandall	3 Boxes of CD 162 smooth base	12	Dieter Holz
19	Russ Frank	Box of porcelain haystacks \$4 each x 2	\$8	Richard Case
20	Russ Frank	12 boxes of porcelain haystacks x \$1 each	12	Justin Perrault
21	Mike McLaughlin	Crown fruit jar	1	Rick Soller
22	Mike McLaughlin	Box of bottles WITH THE BOX	7	Randy Wesner
23	Mike McLaughlin	Box of cobalt CD 162 Hemingray dump insulators	50	Richard Case
24	Mike McLaughlin	Miscellaneous insulators	5	Richard Case
25	Mike McLaughlin	Crown Jewels	7	Richard Case
26	Mike McLaughlin	Sprint sign	3	Richard Case
27	Tim Haraf	Box Lot	11	Steve Mattson
28	Tim Haraf	Crossarms \$3 each x 2	6	Steve McCollum

29	Tim Haraf	Pins and brackets	.50	Richard Case
30	Jim Crandall	Choice of box \$12 x 2	24	Dave Shaw
31	Jim Crandall	Choice of box of porcelain	4	Richard Case
32	Jim Crandall	Choice of box of porcelain	3	Steve Matson
33	Jim Crandall	Choice of box of porcelain	2	Arlen Rienstra
34	Jim Crandall	Choice of box of porcelain \$1 each x 3	3	Colin Yennie
35	Jim Crandall	Choice of box of porcelain \$1 each x 2	2	Rick Soller
36	Jim Crandall	Choice of box of porcelain \$1 each	1	Justin Perrault
37	Jim Crandall	5 boxes	1	Richard Case
38	Jim Crandall	Choice of box of porcelain	7	Mike Fowler
39	Jim Crandall	Choice of box of porcelain	7	Richard Case
40	Jim Crandall	Choice of box of porcelain	3	Richard Case
41	Jim Crandall	Choice of box of porcelain	3	Dieter Holz
42	Jim Crandall	Choice of box of porcelain \$1 each x 2	2	Richard Case
43	Jim Crandall	Choice of box of porcelain – spools	1	Carol Hororka
44	Jim Crandall	14 boxes of porcelain	1	Justin Perrault
		Lunch Break at 11:50		
		1:15 p.m. – Benefit Auction for Brent		
45	Unknown	Donation of Mickey Mouse	12	Dennis Seltrecht
46	Rick Soller	LSV No. 2 Columbia in cobalt	9	Steve McCollum
47	Unknown	Thomas Unipart	6	Justin Perrault
48a	Unknown (RW?)	McLaughlin CD 162 & 164 blue	14	Steve McCollum
		Cash donation by Roger Bruss – Thanks!	10	
		Cash donation by Deb & Mike Fowler – Thanks a lot!	26	
		Cash donation by Larry Beauchamp – Thanks!	10	
		Cash donation by Rick Soller- Thanks!	8	
		1:30 p.m. – GCIC Auction		
48b	Rick Soller	Box of porcelain with 3 Macomb signals	5	Richard Case
49	Rick Soller	Box of glass	4	Steve Mattson
50	Rick Soller	Miscellaneous CD 154's	11	Mike Fowler
51	Rick Soller	1678's, Mine insulator	7	Colin Yennie
52	Rick Soller	2 boxes of beehives, 1 box of signals	13	??
53	Rick Soller	9 clear Mickey's	45	Colin Yennie
54	Rick Soller	Small flat of tolls and ponies	6	Steve Mattson
55	Rick Soller	Box of signals, flat of signals	21	Dieter Holz
56	Rick Soller	H.G. beehives	6	Dave Shaw
57	Rick Soller	H.G.CO. Beehive light purple	50	Mike Fowler
58	Rick Soller	H.G. CO. Beehive Yellow green	100	Richard Case
59	Rick Soller	Light cornflower beehive	65	Dave French
60	Rick Soller	Aqua CD 145s	9	Dave French
61	Rick Soller	L.R.I.s	4	Dennis Seltrecht

62	Rick Soller	Box of transpositions	10	Colin Yennie
63	Rick Soller	2 lids of CD 151s	1	Dave French
64	Rick Soller	2 flats of CD 133's	19	Richard Case
65	Rick Soller	Box of kegs	12	Richard Case
66	Rick Soller	CD 126s	5	Steve McCollum
67	Rick Soller	CD 106's in a box	16	Steve Mattson
68	Rick Soller	Choice of box of CD 102s	22	Steve McCollum
69	Rick Soller	Choice of box of CD 102s	21	Randy Wesner
70	Rick Soller	Choice of box of CD 102s	20	Dave Shaw
71	Rick Soller	Box of tolls	13	Dave Shaw
72	Rick Soller	2 boxes of CREB CD 145s	24	Richard Case
73	Rick Soller	4 California signals – Purple and smoke	9	Tim Haraf
74	Rick Soller	Amber insulators, diamonds, etc	5	Steve Mattson
75	Rick Soller	Miscellaneous porcelain	5	Colin Yennie
76	Dave French	Choice of insulator	31	Randy Wesner
77	Dave French	Choice of Insulator 2 @ \$24	48	Richard Case
78	Dave French	Choice of insulator	20	Steve McCollum
79	Dave French	Choice of Insulator (A.U.)	17	Mike McLaughlin
80	Dave French	Choice of insulator (NN-Canada)	13	Rick Soller
81	Dave French	Choice of insulator 2 @ \$10	20	Colin Yennie
82	Dave French	Choice of insulator 4 @ \$5	20	Richard Case
83	Dave French	3 miscellaneous insulators	5	Arlen Rienstra
84	Dennis Seltrecht	Insulator – half of proceeds to club	6	Rick Soller
85	Dennis Seltrecht	Insulator – half of proceeds to club	5	Dieter Holz
86	Arlen Rienstra	24 clear Mickey's	245	Rick Soller
		Donation to club by Steve Mattson	5	
		Donation to club by Larry Beauchamp	5	

Total sales = \$1311.50

Total sales subject to 10% commission = 1251.50 x 10% = \$125.15

Donations to club = \$10

Donation of insulators to club to sell in auction = \$13

Total raised in auction for Brent Burger = \$41 in sales + \$59 in donations = \$100

Uncollected money (item 52) = \$13 (\$1.30 commission)

Club income = \$133.85

Upcoming Shows and Events

When: September 10, 2011 (Saturday)

Where: Racine, WI

Description: 11th Annual Greater Chicago Insulator Club Super “End of Summer” Swap Meet, Cookout, and Auction at the home of Randy Wesner, 434 Blaine Ave., Racine, WI 53405 from 9 AM to 3 PM. Club auction from 11-noon and 1 p.m. to ?. We will

be having the Famous Rick Soller Auction again. For all you mud hounds, Rick will be auctioning off two porcelain insulator collections. He has some glass too. If you want to put something in the auction, by all means bring it with. Russ Frank also bought a collection recently and will have insulators from that collection in the auction. Lunch will be served at noon (Brats, hot dogs, roasted corn and more). Please RSVP if you are coming. Please bring your own tables if selling. Will go on rain or shine Info: 262-633-0756. Email: RandysDodge@gmail.com .

When: September 24, 2011 (Saturday)

Where: Nisswa, MN

Description: North Western Insulator Club's Fall Swap Meet, at home of COLIN & KAREN YENNIE, 1126 Ebert Dr, Nisswa, MN 56468 from 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM. Lunch will be served. Please bring your own tables. Info: 507-271-3457. Email: cryennie@hotmail.com

When: November 4 - 6 (Friday - Sunday)

Where: Springfield, OH

Description: 41st Mid-Ohio Insulator Show at the Clark County Fairgrounds, exit 59 off I-70. The "Springfield Experience" is more akin to the fur trappers' rendezvous of times past than just another insulator show and sell. Good times are had by all, acquaintances renewed, tales told, songs sung, and good food consumed before collectors begin denning up for the winter, and, above all else, a vast assortment of insulators (glass, porcelain, and other stuff) will be admired and exchanged. Dealer set-up begins at "high noon" on the 4th (collectors begin filling the hall at about 3:00 pm) and the "last man standing" will depart about 3 pm on the 6th. Entertainment may be enjoyed Friday evening and the Saturday evening dinner is always the "must do" highlight of the "Experience." Be sure to observe the Wilkersons make miniature glass insulators with equipment and methods similar to those used during the late 1800's. A special display and seminar about glass and porcelain insulators manufactured in Indiana (excepting Hemingray) will be presented for your amazement. Download dealer and displayer table reservations forms from the show website, www.insulators.info/shows/springfield , or call STEVE BLAIR, 740-852-3148 if your printer is on the fritz. If all else fails, call or e-mail GLENN DRUMMOND, 334-257-3100 (glenn@patent-1871.com).

For Sale: 2011 Insulator Price Guide. \$45 postpaid or pick one up at the next show (such as the Racine swap meet). Note: This is the pre-publication price. These are now priced at \$49 postpaid from the publisher so you can save some money if you don't have one or need another by getting it from Rick Soller, 4086 Blackstone Ave., Gurnee, IL 60031 (847) 782-8602 or COM574@clcollinois.edu.