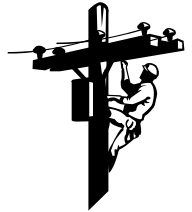


# Drip Points



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**A NOTE FROM THE EDITOR**



If you read nothing else in this issue, please spend some time re-

viewing Kevin Jacobson's "Notice to Membership" on pages 3 and 4. It outlines some important changes that the NIA membership must vote on at the General Membership Meeting on Friday, July 10, 2009.

On page 5, Dudley Ellis discusses a few ways to expand your horizons locally as an insulator collector. There are several related and overlapping hobbies for us to enjoy. It is worth a look.

The National is now less than six weeks away. If you haven't done it already, make your reservations

now. In the present economy there are some great deals to be had. Some flights I've priced are 40% less than what they would have cost a year ago.

Have a great summer!

**Arthur McConnachie**, NIA #6934  
**Information Director**



## NOTICE TO MEMBERSHIP

**This is an official notice to the membership regarding an upcoming vote during the General Membership Meeting held at the 40th NIA National in Coralville Iowa.**

On Friday, July 10, 2009 at 4:15PM—5:15 PM the NIA General membership meeting will take place in the Oakdale Ballroom Salon 1 at the Coralville Marriott Hotel & Conference Center 300 East 9th St. Coralville, Iowa.

Among the normal list of topics, there will also be a very important vote of the membership regarding changes to National Insulator Association Bylaws. These changes are required in order to meet the legal requirements of the NIA to apply for recognition by the IRS of tax exempt status under section 501(c)(3) of the IRS Code.

The National Insulator association is already a non-profit corporation incorporated in the state of Arizona. Over the past couple of years you have heard discussion at the National shows and in the *Drip Points* newsletter regarding preparations to attempt to achieve tax exempt status under section 501(c)(3). This would have numerous benefits to the National Insulator association and it's membership by allowing donations of cash or property to be deducted from the donors tax liability to the Internal Revenue Service.

The most obvious benefit to the National Insulator Association is the increase in revenue to the organization that could then be used to fund various activities that have always been talked about, but which have not been practical to implement due to the very tight budget of the NIA. The NIA typically operates very close to a break even point every year. Some years there is a surplus of a few hundred dollars and others there is a deficit by about the same amount. There has not been a dues increase since 1999, but there have been many increases in costs of publishing and mailing the *Drip Points* newsletter and in general operation of the NIA. Through various cost savings efforts, we continue to operate at a very small surplus in the most recent years. Unfortunately, this leaves very little for special projects such as authentication testing, possible museum displays, or possible increases in cost of our Liability Insurance for shows.

We have been lucky to date with regard to un-expected costs popping up, but have little on hand to address any contingencies that might come occur. In addition, there have been offers made to the NIA regarding opportunities that I am certain the membership would support, however, we have had to turn down some of these offers due to the fact that the NIA treasury balance and cash flow do not support these activities.

We have a very good opportunity here made possible through a member donation. The thousands of dollars already spent in attorneys fees to get to this point have cost the NIA nothing. As it stands, we have a new set of bylaws and a restatement letter of our articles of incorporation. Our next step requires a 2/3 affirmative vote of the membership present at the General Membership Meeting at this years National show to approve the changes in the bylaws. Should the membership accept the changes to the bylaws, then immediately after the National we will submit the restatement of the articles of incorporation to the State of Arizona and our tax attorney will submit the proper IRS form along with our modified bylaws to the IRS.

While IRS approval is not certain, we do not expect any trouble based on advice from our tax attorney that we fall into the guidelines for this type of tax exemption. The approval process has been averaging about 8 weeks and we should have an indication of approval or denial in mid to late September this year if the membership votes to accept the bylaws changes at the General Membership Meeting.

We are encouraging anyone who expects to be at the General Membership Meeting to follow the link given to the NIA website where copies of our current bylaws and the new proposed bylaws can be found. These can be downloaded or read on-line. We regret that these are simply too large to publish in the newsletter directly. If any member that wants to see these, cannot get a copy of the articles from the web-site, please contact me directly (see my contact information later in this *Drip Points* newsletter). I will get a copy of the new and old bylaws printed and sent out to you for review. The new bylaws are 20 pages in length, and the old are nearly this long, so it simply was not practical or within our cost constraints to print and mail 400-500 copies.

## Overview of Changes:

The most significant change is the addition of **ARTICLE 3. Establishment and Purposes** This section Mostly fills statutory requirements for the definition of what we can and can't do as a 501(c)(3) organization. There is nothing here that changes what we do as an organization today, however, for the purposes of tax exempt status we must state this. One item that we originally sought to change was the statement:

*"The Corporation is established as a charitable organization, and is organized exclusively for charitable, educational, religious, literary and scientific purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (the "Code"), or corresponding provision of any future federal tax laws."*

The board originally asked that the word "religious" be removed from the sentence. We feared this might be misleading as we are not a religious organization. We were however told by our tax attorney "[this is from the statute and should be left as is \(all charities have the same wording\)](#)" so the wording remains. Our purpose is clearly defined elsewhere in our bylaws and membership handbook.

Some other more minor changes are:

1. Board members are no longer able to set compensation for themselves. This was allowed in the current bylaws, but no board member has been or is presently compensated. The possibility is still open to do this, but it is now much more difficult.
2. The old **ARTICLE 11. Nominations and Election of Directors and Officers** is a little different. For various reasons under 501(c)(3) we need to have the Nominations committee made up of current members of the board. This was not the case in the past and adds a burden to the board members. It does not however change the way in which the process occurs. Previously, the nominations committee could have non-board members.
3. old **Article VI -- Committees of the Board** is now replaced by a much shorter **ARTICLE 8. Committees**. The prior content of the much more specific old article VI will be included in a operations manual to be created. This was removed from the bylaws to allow more freedom to change the committees in the future and more importantly to simplify the bylaws as much as possible to smooth the process of IRS acceptance.
4. old **Article VIII -- Corporate Records** is now being moved to a new operations manual to be created. This was removed from the bylaws to simplify the bylaws as much as possible to smooth the process of IRS acceptance. The board has no intentions of changing the way we keep records (except to the extent that we need to keep more records per 501(c)(3).
5. old **Article IX -- NIA Sponsored Shows** and old **Article X -- Standards and Ethics** are both removed from the new articles in favor of being placed in the new operations manual. This was again done to simplify the bylaws as much as possible to smooth the process of IRS acceptance
6. The new **ARTICLE 20. Amendments** has been changed to simplify the amendment process and to tie this to elected officers and directors of the corporation.

I would highly encourage anyone planning to attend the general membership meeting at the National to read the new bylaws and compare them to the old bylaws. There will be a vote on this and you will be asked to vote yes or no on passage of these changes at that meeting.

The Link to the Old and New bylaws page of the NIA web site is: [www.nia.org/handbook/proposed.htm](http://www.nia.org/handbook/proposed.htm)

I would like to thank you for your attention to this matter.

Respectfully submitted June 1st 2009 by

**Kevin W. Jacobson, NIA #6720**  
**First Past President**



**2nd PAST PRESIDENT**



Often times when we are traveling we overlook certain aspects of our hobby. Maybe it is not because we are in such a hurry to get where we are going but that we are unaware we are bypassing bits and pieces of hobby related history as we speed down the highway. Before your next trip, take a little time to do some research to find that small town telephone museum that has been waiting for years for you to stop by and soak up some of the local telegraph and telephone history. These museums are curated by private collectors, retired or current phone company employees, and organizations such as the Telephone Pioneers of America. You may have to get off the Interstate and drive twenty miles or so to find one of these museums but you'll be glad that you did.

One such museum here in Georgia comes to mind. It is the Georgia Rural Telephone Museum in

Leslie, Georgia, owned by Tommy C. Smith, the CEO of Citizens Telephone Company. You have to get off Interstate 75 at exit 101, U.S. 280 and drive west for 17 miles. The museum is in an old cotton warehouse that was built when cotton was king here in Georgia. The museum claims to house the largest antique telephone display in the world with over 1500 different telephones, including an 1877 telephone (one of two known). Other items include a 50 line switchboard (one of a kind), a wide selection of insulators, a Bell Telephone paper-weight display, and local history including Creek Indian relics. The children will love Bubba the talking bear.

Another growing telephone museum is the Charles Hall Museum Including the East Tennessee Telephone Pioneer Museum in Tellico Planes, Tennessee. You have to get off Interstate 75 and drive east for about 25 miles to the museum. A check on the Internet will give you the directions. The expansion of the museum is being completed by the owner Charles Hall. The expansion houses many historic items including telecommunication memorabilia such as switch boards, a central office switch, an old 1922 Model-T installers truck from Southern Bell, an underground cable display that includes a cut away portion of a roadway

and a manhole, an aerial platform display, 300 antique telephones and an impressive 1000 piece insulator display. Other items in the museum include Indian artifacts and an antique gun display. Mr. Hall and his wife Billie have invited the Dixie Jewels Insulator Club to the museum for the Club's August 15, 2009, swap meet. If you are in the area this would be an opportunity to see the museum and talk to other insulator collectors as well. Call me at my contact number for additional information.

Remember, before your next trip or weekend junket, check the Internet for the location of one of these small museums and work a visit into your plans. In your planning don't forget about the railroad museums either. In addition to the telephone museums, you will find a lot of beneficial hints in them that may help you on your next insulator hunt.

Don't forget to take a child to the next swap, local show, insulator hunt or on your visit to a museum. Remember, the children of today are the future of our great hobby.

I hope to see you at the National in Coralville, Iowa. Be safe in your travels!

**Dudley Ellis, NIA #5085  
2nd Past President**

**The National Insulator Association's  
40th Annual Show & Convention**

**July 10-12th, 2009**

**Coralville Marriott Hotel & Conference Center  
300 East 9th St., Coralville, Iowa 97232**

**Hosts: Larry & Pat Whitlock, Bill & Linda Connell, Dennis & Jeanne Weber**





**MEMBERSHIP DIRECTOR**



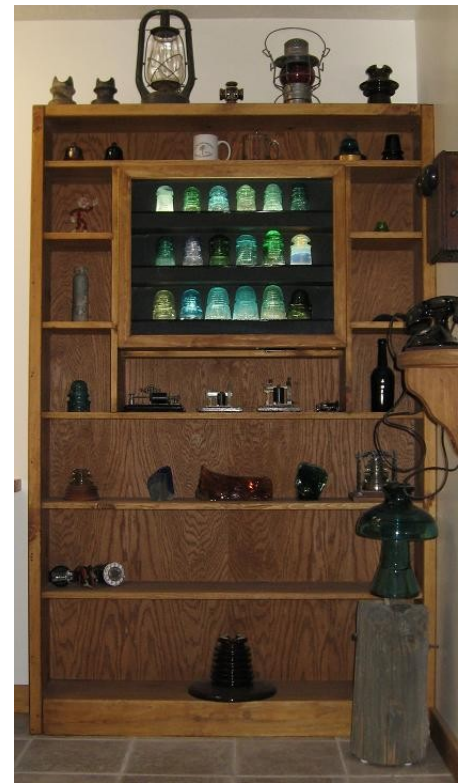
Spring's here and it's time to start thinking insulator hunting and shows. I'm already getting the urge to get out and start looking for new treasures.

Well, the insulator room is still showing some progress, but with the warm spring weather the indoor work has definitely slowed down. A set of unlit shelves with a small bottom lit display in the center is now complete. (Ross Baird was the inspiration for the bottom

backlit shelves are still underway.

Showtime is nearing! Jeanne and I are preparing to attend Tommy Bolack's tailgator in June, then off to Iowa and the National in July. We are planning to take in a couple more shows as well.

As of this writing our NIA membership count is just past 1500 active members, which is slightly ahead of last year's membership count at this time. Keep up the good work of letting fellow collectors know about the NIA and its many benefits. Let's try for another record membership year. There are still NIA brochures available for anyone who would like some to distribute. Just email your request to me at [Don.Briel@comcast.net](mailto:Don.Briel@comcast.net) or drop me a note in the mail. Membership applications are available on-line at [www.NIA.org](http://www.NIA.org) along with a host of other valuable information.



utes longer to get in, but the show should be well worth it. Any mailed in dues payments that are not received by me prior to June



lit display. He has some fantastic insulators in just such a display.) A few insulators are on display in the case, but I'm now looking for some nicer pieces to better populate it. There is also a 10 foot wide strain and suspension display that is complete and stocked with insulators (see above). The strain display has turned out to be rather difficult to photograph. It looks much nicer when viewing it live. Another built in cabinet and the

If you are receiving this 'Drip Points', your NIA dues are paid for 2009. By the time you read this article, it will probably be too late for others that are not paid up to send their NIA dues in advance to get into the National on NIA day (Friday, July 10th). But NOT a concern -- it's not too late for them to get in. If you know anyone that has not yet paid for 2009, just have them bring their dues to the show. It may take them a few min-

27 will not be processed until after the July NIA National in Coralville.

Have a great summer and I hope to see many of you in Iowa!

**Donald Briel, NIA #7218  
Membership Director**



**From the Treasurer**

**Jack Roach, NIA #4156, Treasurer**

**NATIONAL INSULATOR ASSOCIATION  
2008-2009 FINANCIAL STATEMENT  
NINE MONTHS ENDING MARCH 31, 2009**

<b>Beginning Balance – General Funds</b>		<b>\$13,574</b>
<b>Museum Exploratory Committee</b>		<b>972</b>
<b>Authentication/Ethics Account</b>		<b>2,297</b>
<b>Revenues</b>		
<b>Donations</b>		
<b>Membership Dues</b>	<b>\$10,283</b>	
<b>Miscellaneous Income</b>	<b>350</b>	
<b>Product Sales</b>	<b>3,752</b>	
<b>Galen Howard Donations</b>	<b>275</b>	
<b>Total Revenues</b>		<b>14,660</b>
<b>General Fund Expenses</b>		
<b>Advertising</b>	<b>335</b>	
<b>Taxes and Fees</b>		
<b>Marketing Product</b>	<b>1,443</b>	
<b>Postage</b>	<b>2,592</b>	
<b>Printing</b>	<b>498</b>	
<b>Supplies</b>		
<b>Educational Expense</b>	<b>156</b>	
<b>Crown Jewels Rebate</b>	<b>460</b>	
<b>Drip Points</b>	<b>3,536</b>	
<b>Show Advertising Rebate</b>	<b>728</b>	
<b>National Show Awards</b>		
<b>Telephone Expense</b>		
<b>Special Projects</b>		
<b>Total Expenses</b>		<b>9,747</b>
<b>Closing Balance – General Fund</b>		<b>\$18,212</b>
<b>Museum Exploratory Committee</b>		<b>972</b>
<b>Authentication/Ethics Account</b>		<b>2,297</b>
<b>Galen Howard Fund</b>		<b>275</b>
<b>Total Balance on Hand March 31, 2009</b>		<b>\$21,756</b>



## HISTORIAN CHAIR



Recently a number of Armstrong miniature CD 216 on a pedestal have entered the market. This raised my suspicions about the authenticity of the piece. After acquiring one and talking to other collectors, I have concluded that reproductions have been made.

About 2007, Larry Veneziano purchased from Bob Moss most of the parts of the mold used to make the Armstrong miniature CD 216 on a pedestal. The only part Bob did not have was the plunging mandrel used to make the pinhole. The insulator is embossed with an A in a circle on both sides of the skirt and the base of the pedestal is embossed Armstrong's WHITALL TATUM DISTRIBUTION INSULATORS. Bob states that Larry said he was not going to make insulators with the mold. Now new ones are being reproduced. Some have been sold by Lenny Veneziano (eBay handle Lendog) on eBay. Two were given to Andy Wadysz by Larry who resold one as a reproduction at a price consistent with it being a reproduction (\$15) to a collector aware that it was a reproduction.

There are at least five ways to distinguish the original from the reproduction. I am basing this on differences between three recently purchased examples of these that can be traced back to

Larry and between five examples purchased over 10 years ago.

The first and easiest method of detection is an examination of the pinhole. Without the original mandrel, a new one had to be created. The original, however, created a large concave area matching the profile of the pedestal before creating the pinhole. The new mandrel creates a more solid base by only plunging out the pinhole. I speculate two possible ways this oversight occurred. First, the drawing in the McDougald's price guide is incorrect for the miniature CD 216 on a pedestal (but close for the CD 155), and this drawing might have been used to figure out what the mandrel looked like. The other possibility is that a miniature CD 155 on a pedestal was examined with the assumption that the same mandrel was used on the miniature CD 216 on a pedestal. I find this more likely since the reproduced mandrel created a slight base indentation in the center of the pedestal like the original.

A second difference between the original and the reproduction is the color. The class color of the original is a grayish clear while the reproduction is a crystal clear color. The original matches the off clear color of insulators made by the company but the reproduction does not. Obviously, minute variations in glass formulas and ingredients make it very difficult to get exactly the same version of clear glass today that was made decades ago. Interestingly, the reproduction that I own has a thin olive wisp that runs down the pinhole and makes a loop in the pedestal. Russ Frank has one with a similar olive wisp.

A third difference is in the weakness of the embossing on the insulator. The A in the circle on the skirt of the insulator is finely en-

graved in the mold. The mold was then used and stored for years. Whether because of the fineness of the engraving, wear from use, rust, or just the current manufacturing process, the reproductions have only a faint embossing of the A in a circle that can only be seen in the right light.

Fourth, there are fine annealing lines in the pinhole. When these miniatures were originally made, a lot of care was put into making them. Reproductions seem to have been annealed too quickly, resulting in fine annealing lines in the pinhole.

Fifth, other imperfections exist. There tends to be swirl lines, bubbles, and other imperfections in the reproductions. Also, some of the stippling on the top of the pedestal may be smoothed out.

Pictures are posted on the web site of the NIA, [Insulators.info](http://Insulators.info), and [CollectingInsulators.com](http://CollectingInsulators.com). I have also taken photographs of the reproduction next to the original that I plan to include in the NIA exhibit of fake and altered insulators.

**Rick Soller, NIA #2958  
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**Dues Schedule:**

Regular Membership . . . . . \$ 12.00  
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Check appropriate class: Regular \_\_\_\_\_ Family \_\_\_\_\_ Junior \_\_\_\_\_ Club/Org. \_\_\_\_\_

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*An engraved badge & bar is a great resource to identify yourself to others at the show.*

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*Also, an order form is in back of this issue of Drip Points.*

***We’ll see you all in Coralville !!***

Carolyn Berry  
Product Marketing Chairman -- NIA # 4336



# Summer 2009

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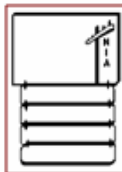


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 Silver screened NIA logo on: NIA blue \_\_\_ red \_\_\_ green \_\_\_ \$1.50 \_\_\_\_\_  
**NIA Hat/Lapel Pin** - enamel tack pin with NIA logo \$4.00 \_\_\_\_\_  
**NIA Decal** - for inside car window \$0.50 \_\_\_\_\_  
**NIA Name Badge** - engraved; epoxy pin back; beveled edges (fill in form on page 2)  
\$13.00 \_\_\_\_\_  
**Badge Bar** - (ie. NIA position or Local Club) \$4.00 \_\_\_\_\_

**Subtotal** \_\_\_\_\_  
**U.S. Postage (see back)** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Total Enclosed** \_\_\_\_\_

**Adult / Men's Size Chart:**

S (32-34) M (36-38) L (40-42)  
XL (44-46) 2X (48-50) 3X (52-54)

**\*Ladies Size Chart:**

S (28-30) M (32-34) L (36-38) XL (40-42)

**\*Ladies order comparable adult/men's size for most shirts, unless specifically noted as a ladies shirt**

**\*\*U.S. Postage: \$6.00 for the first item & \$1.45 for each additional item ordered. Postage for Patches, Decals is \$0.45. Pins or Name Badges/Bars are \$0.85 per item. \*\*for non-US postage, AK & HI, or, for an exact postage quote, please contact me.**

*Please make check or money order in U.S. funds payable to:*

**National Insulator Association or NIA**

## Order / Shipping Information

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone \_\_\_\_\_  
Email address \_\_\_\_\_

**Name Badge Engraving Information** (must be a current NIA member!)

Name \_\_\_\_\_ NIA # \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_  
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Name \_\_\_\_\_ NIA # \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_

Club Bar: \_\_\_\_\_ (qty needed) \_\_\_\_\_  
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