Subject: How to ID strange capacitor?
Posted by ToFo on Tue, 09 Sep 2003 20:38:07 GMT
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Sorry for off topic, but I don't yet know where this is on topic.I found a box of capacitors from around the 1950's yesterday in a barn. I hope to identify them if possible. Who would know? Where should I ask? Hmmm.They are built like tanks. (judging by the other gear in the room they could have been in a tank, lots of US Army Signal Corps stuff)They are .75" round by 2" long, weigh about 1/4 pound, are .47 microfarad - 600V axials and have a very beefy porcelain tube encapsulating them. They say "type 177" and have a logo that looks like a "G" with an "I" sitting where the crossbar of the G would be. Oddly they test within specs and seem to work nicely after 1/2 century.Thomas

Subject: Post a photo
Posted by Wayne Parham on Tue, 09 Sep 2003 21:19:12 GMT
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That's a pretty cool find, especially if you want to use 'em in vintage electronics gear.Post a photo here and maybe someone can identify them. And I would suggest contacting someone at Antique Electronic Supply, because they may have someone that is more familiar with those kinds of parts.

Subject: i have some webspace to host pic ,if u need *nt*
Posted by toxicport.e on Tue, 09 Sep 2003 22:46:56 GMT
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Subject: cap photo link
Posted by ToFo on Tue, 09 Sep 2003 23:30:27 GMT
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Any clues are welcome, Thanks folksThomas

Look!

Subject: Re: webspace to host pic
Posted by ToFo on Tue, 09 Sep 2003 23:52:05 GMT
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Thanks for the offer, thats great!I would have taken you up on it too, but I get space with my service.Thomas