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Dear Bill.,

Just went up and mailed the certificate dope to FG I think very nice, and it will be an honor to tack it up on the wall. As you say the Earle of Sebastopol has a plenty to do before he shoves off, and would have no off-set gear anyway.

Well about this WAPAMA info. Oh Boy, that my dear Bill has been on the fire for the past five years that I know of. Syd Fass first approached the "curator" a Mr. Harlan Soetten and talked over possibilities of placing some kind of "wireless" instrument in the vacant WAPAMA "radio room". Next the fellow wrote me and wanted to make a proposition with my book, which was in the "planning" stage. This was in 1964.

Then Dickow was on the stage and that flopped. Bob Palmer up in Bothell Washn wrote them museum and offered to send what radio gear he had if they wished to install it. His letter was never answered.

Then comes a Mrs. Jane Morgan---unknown to radio---except has published a book on Electronics---she has a whorlwind of ideas and is now in with several "antique" dealers. She wanted to put a set on the BALCUTHA also. She is out of it entirely. *****

The latest development is our friend Thorn Mayes. The original equipment on the WAPAMA was an E 2 120 cycle panel set---I was sure of it---but asked Frank anyway as he was opr on WAPAMA-----so as the matter now stands Thorn wants to get a set of somekind ---built up---or made up---have it presented to the Museum in the name of the WIRELESS PIONEERS. Which is a good idea. He further suggests our group could INSTALL it, antenna and all---I have all data on those things---BUT---BUT---it may have to be installed by the Union to keep peace in the Maritime family.

So thought I had better let you know the story. ***** Mrs Morgan is the one who wrote me and asked "IF I WOULD LEND HER MY BOOK SO SHE COULD GET SOME IDEAS IN WRITING HERS" Gave her a quick NO, with the information that it was copyrighted. then she turns around and soft soaped good friend Dickow out of much information---and he is burned up over it.

RJ

Bill-If you want to pass this on to Frank or any of the boys its OK with me RJ



CX soon as arrangements complete will invite Mr. Landry to our Feb luncheon RJ

