

You'll swing and play like never before with the brand new K192. Large master size (17° wide) Spanish Electric Cut-away Guitar. Slim, thin *kalanard-tension* "Speed Demon" neck (see maide page) for fass, easy playing. Musically inspected and adjusted to satisfy the most discriminating player.

Two powerful "Hi-Fi" magnetic pickup units with tepstute adjustments for each string. Individual tone and volume controls for each pickup. Fast, silent 3-way selector switch for quick change from deep, bass thythm to btilliant, treble tolo tones. Flar wire wound Wolf LEKTRD-MAGNETIC strings.

Fully arched, spruce top, curly maple back and tides. Celluloid bound, oval rosewood fingerboard, nickel tilver frets. Finish is carefully hand-rubbed and hand-pollshed to a beautiful deep lustre.

K192-5	Rich studed	Mahogany		\$200.00
K192-B	Softly highli	ghted Honey Blo	nde	\$200.00
K192-G	Gleaming m	erallic "Roman C	old"	\$200.00





You can reach the outer lobby with this heavy duty, high fidelity amplifier. From lowest bass to highest treble, there's power to spare. Vibrato circuit has speed and amplitude controls. Foot switch input.

Jensen 12" speaker, 7 tubes, 20-watt distortion-free output. Three instrument inputs with tone and volume controls. Separate microphone input with volume control. Size: 18" high, 24" wide, 10" deep.

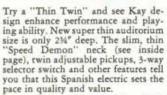
K600 Professional Amplifier ... \$200

A good quality 3-tube amplifier with husky 8-inch speaker. Designed to give long, trouble-free service. Attractive green vinyl covering with contrasting grille.

Volume control, two inputs, fuse and on/off switch. Size: 12" high, 1514" wide, 714" deep.

K300 3-tube Amplifier \$64.50





Full professional 25% scale. Wolf LEKTRO-MAGNETIC flat wire wound strings. Smoothly hand-rubbed and polished.

K161 Blonde Curly Maple top and back with Dark Mahogany sides \$175.00

accessory compartment. . \$21.60



An exciting two-unit Spanish element that offers fine professional quality a moderate cost! Its full rich tone but remendous carrying power. The sline balanced-tension "Speed Demon" net stands for supreme playing ease. (Strainside page).

Large inlaid block markers; seen hardwood body. Twin magnetic pidups with separate dual-type tone in volume controls. 3-way selector switch. Detachable cord. Finish a painstakingly hand-rubbed and pdished.

220-42 Carrying case for K142 \$9.75



Entirely new! A large grand auditorium size Spanish Electric Guitar at a price that's hard to believe. Built-in magnetic pickup with volume control. All maple laminated crackproof construction. Truly an outstanding value.

Adjustable bridge, nickel plated hardware, white edges.

K130 Lustrous Metallic Gold \$57.50

With its lightweight solid hardwood body, this Spanish electric is compacand easy to handle and play. Smar modern two-tone finish stands out.

High fidelity magnetic pickup win tone and volume controls, detachable cord. Professional 25% scale. Adjustable bridge and nickel plated hard ware.

K136 Spring Green and White Mist \$69.

220-42 Carrying case for K136 \$9.75



Powerful "Hi-Fi" magnetic pickup unit has individual string adjusters for perfect tone balance. Select spruce top, choice carly maple back and sides, fully arched. Celluloid edges. Bound oval rosewood fingerboard with inlaid position markers and nickel silver frets. Finish is hand-rubbed and polished to rhigh lustre.

 TALK ABOUT VALUE! For a moderate price this Spanish electric offers quality features that put it in a class by itself. Large super grand auditorium size, steel reinforced thin neck, high fidelity pickup-truly, a Kay best buy. Powerful "Hi-Fi" magnetic pickup fully adjustable for string balance. Built-in tone and volume controls, detachable cord. Fully arched body of figured maple. Celluloid edges. Bound rosewood fingerboard with heavy frets. Expertly hand-rubbed K148-S and polished finish. K148-5 Beautiful Glowing Walnut with Golden Sunburst \$92.50 K148-M New, Sparkling Metallic Butler" Silver \$92.50

K95

A Modern Classic! Beautiful in appearance, functional rdesign. A fine hand-crafted instrument made espendly for the discriminating player. Musically insected and adjusted.

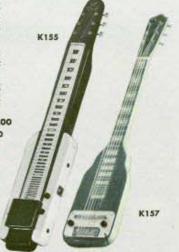
finished in glearning chip-proof Raven Black and Time Mist plastic with a non-slip back. Black plastic im rest, lucite fingerboard.

Towerful magnetic pickup unit for true, beautiful lisvalian tone reproduction. Built-in handy tone and volume controls. Detachable cord.

KISS Professional electric Hawaiian guitar . \$110.00
ISSC Carrying case for K155 \$12.00

Here's a value that's hard to beat in electric Hawiians. Perfect for the student. New, atractive Plex-tone finish in green mist. Good looking and long wearing, too!

fowerful magnetic pickup with tone and volume controls. De luxe patent heads with built-in covers.





For the ultimate in true mandolin tone, the smart buy is this Kay electric. Designed especially for ensemble playing, its craftsmanship is outstanding.

Powerful "Hi-Fi" magnetic pickup with tone and volume controls, fully adjustable for perfect string balance. Detachable cord. Spruce top and delicately figured laminated maple back and sides. Celluloid bound edges. Rosewood fingerboard, Hand-rubbed and polished by experts.

K95 Rich Violin Brown with Golden Sunburst..... \$92,50

KAY ELECTRIC BASS GUITAR

Now, any guitarman can double on bass. Because these Kay beauties have the pitch, mage and tone of a big bass viol! Hold it like a guitar, play it like a guitar—bur, man, war till you hear that tone! Watch your combo shake, rattle and roll when you give out with new thythm and solo effects on a Kay Electronic Bass or Electronic Bass Guitar. Special strings assure true bass tone and fast, easy action. Length 44°; scale length 30¼°; weight 6¼ lbs.

K160 Electronic Bass Guitar, Very easy to master. Tuned like the first four guitar strings
(E, B, G, D) but one full octave lower, Sounds like a big bass.

\$192.50
\$162 Electronic Bass. Exact same range and tuning as a hig bass viol (G, D, A, E)

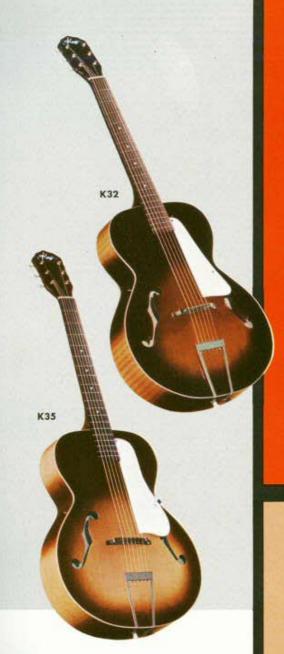
Just like the last four guitar strings but one octave lower.

\$210.00

Just like the last four guitar strings but one octave lower \$210.00 feet Carrying case for K160 and K162 \$25.00

K815 High fidelity, heavy duty bass amplifier; seven tubes, 15" Jensen speaker for low bass tones. Inputs for three instruments and microphone. Size: 19" high, 24" wide, 10" deep. \$225.00





A genuine Kay guitar at a low, low price. New large super auditorium size, too. An exceptional value for the student.

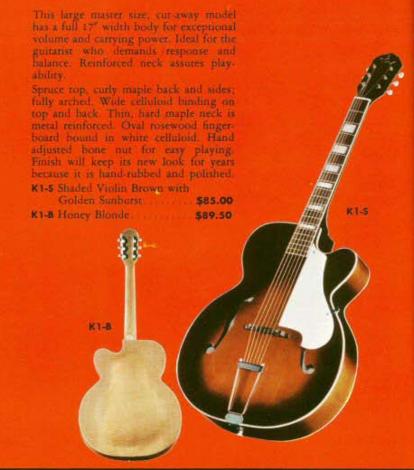
Laminated crackproof construction; fully arched. Oval walnut fingerboard. White celluloid binding on top and back edges. Adjustable rosewood bridge. Covered

K32 Gleaming Shaded Walnut finish with Sunburst \$34.50

Big, super grand auditorium size at a price just above the lowest. Typical Kay quality construction throughout.

Spruce top, laminated figured maple back and sides; fully arched. Oval rosewood fingerboard; de luxe heads with built-in covers. White celluloid guard plate. Deep hand-rubbed, shaded and polished finish.

K35 Violin Brown with Sunburst . \$42.00

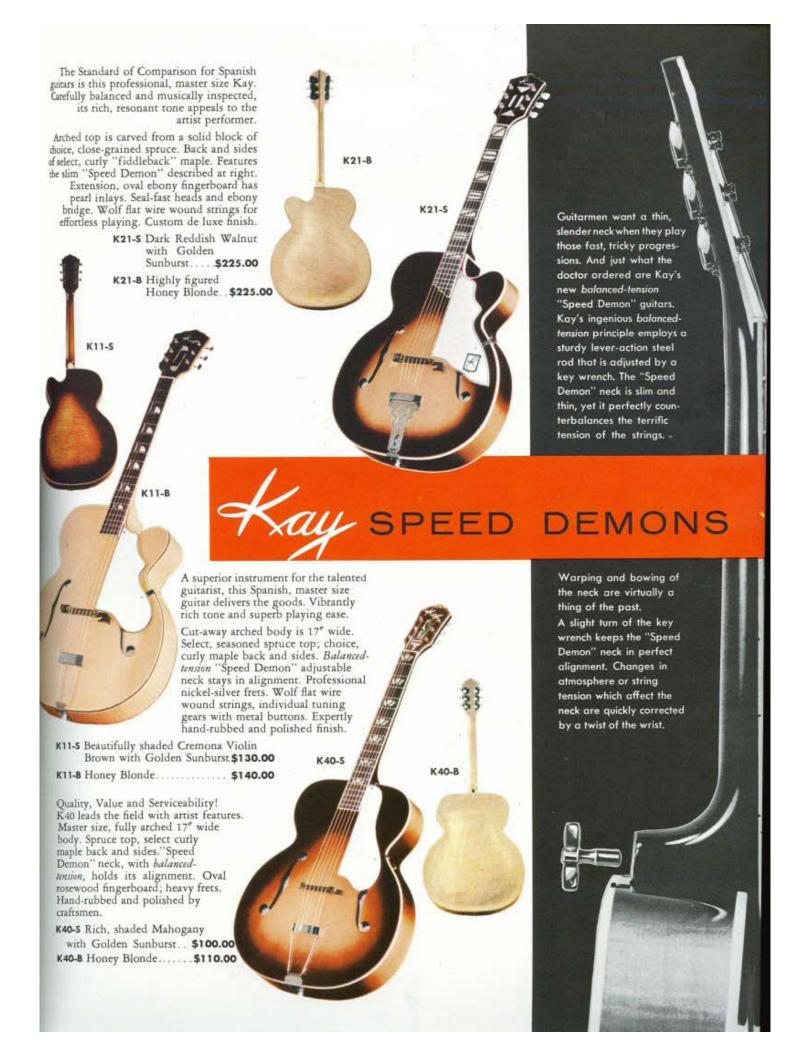


A popular model that guitarists really go for-a Kay best seller. Super grand auditorium size offers remarkable tone and range for better performance.*

Genuine mahogany top, back and sides; fully arched. Metal reinforced mahogany neck. Oval rosewood fingerboard; celluloid bound top and back edges. De luxe heads with built-in cover. Hand-rubbed and polished finish retains its showroom look.

K37 Natural Brown Mahogany in rich color... *Also produced in Tenor Guitar Style:





A new, cut-away flat guitar that combines excellent tone, smooth good looks and low price. Slim steel reinforced neck for finger-perfect action.

Select spruce top, curly maple back and sides. Edges bound in white celluloid, Bound oval rosewood fingerboard with heavy frets. Handrubbed and polished for luxurious appearance.

K18 Light Golden Brown with shading around edges......\$62.50



Distinctively different for the player who demands something better. Large master size; 17* wide for strong, full tone and carrying power. Spruce top, mahogany back and sides. Slim, steel reinforced mahogany neck. Celluloid bound oval rosewood fingerboard with seven double inlaid position markers. Rosewood bridge with compensated

bone saddle Gleaming hand-rubbed and hand-polished finish.

K22 Natural top, contrasting Dark Mahogany back and sides \$75.00

This professional flat-top cut-away guitar is gracefully shaped and perfectly proportioned. Its large master size provides exceptionally rich tone and willing response. Kay's exceptional adjustable rosewood bridge assures perfect action.

Select spruce top, choice curly maple back and sides. Steel reinforced, slim hard maple neck. Shell headpiece with attractive hand engraving. Hand adjusted bone nut. Carefully hand-rubbed and polished.

Priced just above the lowest, this super grand auditorium size flat guitar has many professional features.

Spruce top with maple back and sides for fine tone. Celluloid binding on edges and around soundhole. De luxe patent heads, bound oval rosewood fingerboard and rosewood bridge. Beautifully rubbed and polished finish.

 K15 Rich Dark Mahogany with Sunburst
 \$45.00

 K15-T As above except Tenor
 \$45.00

A large super auditorium size at a rock-bottom price. And it's a genuine Kay. An outstanding value!

Figured mahogany back and sides, natural spruce top. Flat top and back. Celluloid bound edges, white celluloid guardplate.

K12 Lustrous Natural color Mahogany and spruce \$37.50
K12-¼ As above except ¼ size. Easy to handle for those with







Kay quality at a price you'll like. Curly maple shell; rosewood fingerboard. Stainless steel tension hoop, 16 brackets. Good calfskin head. Golden color with soft brown shading.

K53—Five String Banjo \$45 K53-T—Tenor Banjo \$45 K53-8M—Banjo Mandolin . . \$45 De luxe model with choice curly maple resonator. White celluloid binding on bottom edge. Sixteen nickel plated brackets. Maple neck. Good quality calfskin head. Smoothly shaded brown finish with golden sunburst.

K54-T—Tenor Banjo \$55 K54—Five String Banjo \$55 K54-BM—Banjo Mandolin . . \$55 A showpiece instrument. Specially finished in a delicate shade of cream with light "Toast" brown shading. Curly maple resonator has intricate gold design on back. Rosewood fingerboard with professional brass frets.

K50—Five String Banjo.\$60.00 K50-T—Tenor Banjo...\$60.00 The Koy Plectrum Banjo is a made-to-order "double" for the professional guitarman. Can be played with standard Plectrum tuning (D, B, G, C) or like top four strings of Spanish guitar (E, B, G, D). Finely crafted by skilled artisans, its beautiful finish reveals highest quality. Truly a custom instrument. Select curly maple. Chromium plated hardware, 28 brackets.

 K55-P—Plectrum Banjo
 \$123.00

 K55—Five String Banjo
 \$125.00

 K55-T—Tenor Banjo
 \$125.00

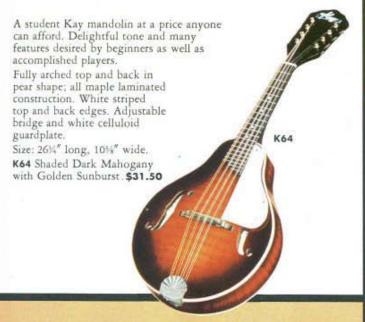
Professional model with laminated mahogany shell and resonator. White celluloid binding on resonator edges and fingerboxch. Nickel plated flange, 20 backets. Natural brown mahogany beautifully hand-rubbed and polished.

K52—Five String Banjo \$87.50 K52-T—Tenor Banjo \$87.50

For that extra flish under the spotlight you'll want this gleaming model. Its radiant metallic finish is in sparkling "Roman Gold". Rosewood fingerboard, 20 brackers, calfskin head. Hand-rubbed and polished to reefection.

K51—Five String Banjo \$95.00 K51-T—Tenor Banjo \$95.00

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This masterful Venetian mandolin is for the player who wants the best. Careful handcrafting throughout results in outstanding beauty.

Select spruce top and choice curly maple back and sides. Wide white celluloid binding with black inlay on top and back edges. Maple neck with shell headpiece; white celluloid heelplate. Rosewood fingerboard with six block position markers. Hand-rubbed and polished finish applied by master craftsmen.

K72 Violin Brown ... \$82.50

K74 Honey Blonde . \$87.50



If you want a fine quality instrument ar a reasonable price, this Kay beauty is for you. Carefully made for a long musical satisfaction.

Spruce top with mahogany back and sides, laminated construction. White celluloid bound top and back edges. Rosewood fingerboard with nine position markers. Carefully hand-rubbed and polished to a high lustre.

K68 Beautiful Natural Color. \$45.00

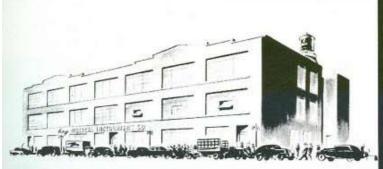
Play it on the concert stage or at home, you'll feel a surge of pride everytime you pick up this Kay Venetian. Superior materials carefully crafted assure satisfaction.

Select, close-grained spruce top, choice curly maple back and sides. Hardwood neck and rosewood fingerboard with pearlette position markers. Heavy white celluloid binding on top and back edges. Two-section nickel plated tailpiece with removable cover. Hand-rubbed and polished by master wood finishers. Concert size.

K70 Shaded Reddish Brown with Golden Sunburst... \$55.00



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THE KAY GUARANTEE

We guarantee every fine Kay instrument against defects in materials or workmanship for a period of one year following original purchase. Any instrument found to be defective within this period will be repaired or replaced at no charge.

VALUE is a matter of getting the most for your money—whatever the price. You will find that through the Thinline Electrics range in price from \$75.00 to \$115.00—each gives you the best in tone and looks for the money: each is unbeatable for value.

Value

each gives ye for the money: each

\$10950

#1963

#1963 has three powerful pickup units, each with its own separate tone and volume control. It is equipped with an instantaneous selector switch, which enables you to play each unit separately, or all three together. \$109.50 In the early 1950's, Kay pioneered the thin, semi-solid electric with the revolutionary—and very successful—"Thin-Twin". Now, we feel we have perfected the semi-solid electric with the "THINLINE" ELECTRICS—instruments made expressly for today's people, to express today's music. In sound, they combine the pure, brilliant tone of the electric, with the rich undertones of the acoustical guitar. In looks, they're an eyecatching, beautifully proportioned design—lightweight and slim (18" long, 13½" wide, 1¾" slim). In playing quality, they give you a new, short (24¾") pro scale, for faster-than-ever fingering . . . a cutaway shape that makes the high ones easy to reach . . . and the most responsive electrical equipment. In value, they are unbeatable.

THE VALUE LEADER combines the best of our craftsmen's skills, technicians' know-how and designer's flair that 50 years in the music business have taught us. Result: a superb instrument at a top-value price.

The body is of laminated, crack-proof maple, and the slim neck is steel-reinforced. The fingerboard is made of hard "rock" maple, and the five large position markers are hand-inlaid. There are professional frets, and extra-wide white celluloid binding on the top and back edges, and the adjustable bridge is "rock" maple. There are a shiny, nickel-plated trapeze tailpiece, and fine electric guitar strings. The finish is dark brown, with a shining sunburst on top and back.

Magnetic pickup units, newly designed, give great power and a truer-than-ever brilliant electric tone.

The chrome-plated guardplate has an exclusive design. Covers of the pickup units are chrome-plated, and the knobs are a contrasting jet black.

All three models feature the "THIN-LITE" neck with the adjustable truss rod.

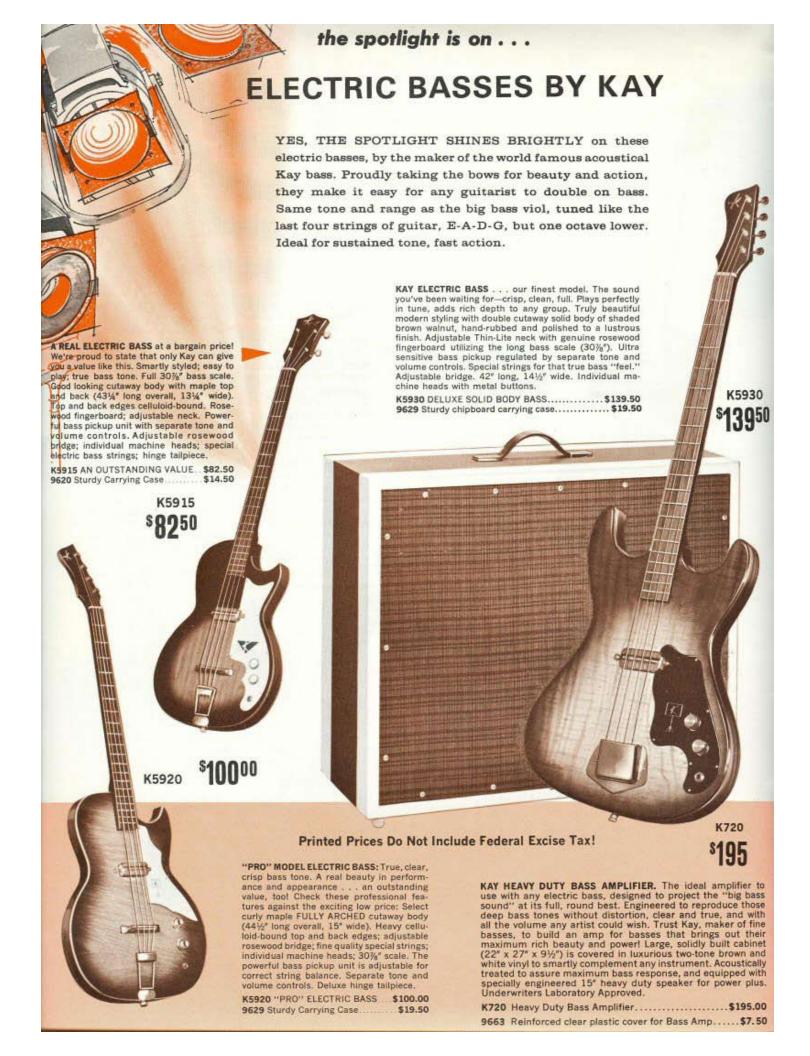


\$8950

#1962

#1962 has two powerful pickup units, each with separate tone and volume controls, and the instantaneous selector switch. \$89.50







ALL-NEW SPACE-AGE INJECTION **MOLDED GUITAR CASES**



The unbeatable combination of full floating protection with smart styling at a sensible price. Lightweight injection molded case of high impact copolymer. Handsome leather textured graining is smartly accented by a valance strip. Comfortable deluxe carrying handle. Extra large accessory storage compartment, Nickel plated hardware.

9701

New lightweight cases provide full and total "floating protection"; suspends the instrument at greatest points of stress.

Smart sleek styling with all the features of a hard shell case but available at a soft shell value price. Total floating protection suspends the instrument at the greatest points of stress. Scientifically placed urethane foam pads safeguard the guitar at top and bottom. The injection molded high impact copolymer case is extremely lightweight to carry but is tough and durable against the roughest abuse. Finished in a handsome leather textured graining that is complemented by a molded and leather grained carrying handle. The interior features an extra large storage compartment to hold all accessories. Gleaming nickel plated clasps lock cover securely in place. This is an outstanding value priced for the most limited budget.

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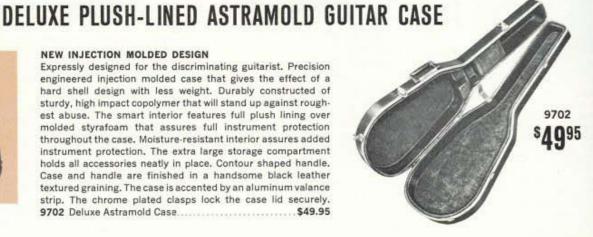


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NEW INJECTION MOLDED DESIGN

Expressly designed for the discriminating guitarist. Precision engineered injection molded case that gives the effect of a hard shell design with less weight. Durably constructed of sturdy, high impact copolymer that will stand up against roughest abuse. The smart interior features full plush lining over molded styrafoam that assures full instrument protection throughout the case. Moisture-resistant interior assures added instrument protection. The extra large storage compartment holds all accessories neatly in place. Contour shaped handle. Case and handle are finished in a handsome black leather textured graining. The case is accented by an aluminum valance strip. The chrome plated clasps lock the case lid securely. 9702 Deluxe Astramold Case\$49.95



Transistorized Amplifiers an exclusive

A REAL BREAK-THROUGH in guitar amplification . . . brought to you FIRST BY KAY. These Space Age transistorized amplifiers have so many long-hoped-for advantages, no serious musician will rest until he has one. First, they eliminate the annoying microphonics of vacuum tubes, giving you stable, uniform true sound never affected by vibrations or voltage variations. What a boon for recording artists! Here, too, is reliable performance that eliminates tube-changing annoyance . . . performance that can be counted on through the most exacting engagements. And here is instantaneous sound with no need for warm-up or standby switch. Note, too, the new Kay easy-to-reach slant control panel and exclusive tapered cabinets. Then add to all this Space Age efficiency the further advantages of lighter weight and compact beauty of design and you'll say Kay transistorized amplifiers deserve all the honors.

RIUMPH OF TOP
DESIGNERS, ENGINEERS—
AND KAY!...MAKES
ALL OTHERS OBSOLETE!



K708 "GALAXIE II" AMPLIFIER \$300.00

MAGNIFICENTLY ENGINEERED and tastefully designed, the Galaxie II is a customized guitar amplifier of unequalled quality. The chassis can be removed from the speaker enclosure and placed by your side, allowing you to place the speaker up to 25 feet away from your instrument! Removable brass legs, when attached, raise the speaker to the height and angle of maximum sound projection. Just look at the sleek tapered lines and add the technical quality and value of these features!

- Guitar "peaked" response thru 12" Special Purpose Speaker
- . 35-watt "zero" distortion output signal
- . 11 Transistors and 8 diodes; advanced circuit design
- 2-Channel feature: Each channel has bass and treble boosts; volume control; vibrato amplitude control; foot switch plug for vibrato; and 3 instrument inputs (total of 6).
- · Master vibrato frequency control; foot switch included
- . Static-free on/off ground reversing switch
- . Rich brown and tan vinyl covering, exclusive grill cloth
- Pilot light and external amp connecting jack
- . 20" high, 24" wide, 12" deep at bottom. Legs elevate 101/2"

K708 "GALAXIE II" REMOVABLE CHASSIS AMPLIFIER......\$300.00
9662 Reinforced clear plastic cover for K708 Amplifier......\$7.00



VANGUARD "704" VIBRATO AMPLIFIER \$85.00

Imagine an amplifier that delivers so much power in such a compact, lightweight package, and has a vibrato circuit, too! It features the new Kay slant-control panel and smart cabinet design engineered into this sensational line. Has 7 transistors and 4 diodes; potent 5-watt output; heavy duty 8" speaker; and 3 instrument inputs. Tone control with on/off switch; volume control; and 2 vibrato controls. Input jack for foot switch. Cabinet 16%" wide, 13%" high, and 7" deep. K704 Vibrato Amplifier.....\$85.00



VANGUARD "700" TRANSISTORIZED AMPLIFIER \$65.00

Worthy member of the new Kay transistorized amplifier family, the Vanguard "700" boasts 4 transistors and 2 diodes; Hi-Power output; and Kay "Triple Tone Circuit" with 3 instrument inputs, each with a different tone quality (treble, normal, bass), to increase your tonal effects. Has tone control with AC switch; volume control; and 8" speaker for amazing volume. Size: 16¾" wide, 13¾" high, and 7" deep at bottom. A truly compact, lightweight, vibrationless amp.

K700 Transistorized Amplifier \$65.00 9660 Clear plastic cover......\$5.50



VANGUARD "706" AMPLIFIER \$175.00

Note the all-new slant-control panel on these transistorized amplifiers—easy to read, easy and fast to operate. All models are designed with the same luxurious good looks, the same rich simplicity of line that makes for compact portability. A vibrato dual channel amp with 8 transistors, 2 diodes, and powerful 15-watt output. Heavy duty, specially designed 15" speaker. Two channels, each with separate volume control: bass and treble boost controls, 4 instrument inputs, 2 in each channel. Separate vibrato strength control for each channel plus master vibrato speed control. Two foot switch inputs to control vibrato, 1 foot switch included. Pilot light; ground reversing and AC switch. Size: 20" wide, 17%" high, 9½" deep at bottom

K706 VANGUARD AMPLIFIER.....\$175.00
9661 Reinforced clear plastic cover for K706 Amplifier \$6.00

first" by KAY



K707 "GALAXIE I" AMPLIFIER \$250.00

9662 Reinforced clear plastic cover for K707 Amplifier......\$7.00



VANGUARD "705" AMPLIFIER \$125.00

What guitar player could resist owning an amplifier like this? Typically, the "705" is also Space Age designed and engineered for convenient portability and dependably stable, realistic sound. A terrific vibrato amp, with 7 transistors and 4 diodes; 10-watt output and heavy duty 10" speaker for plenty of "umph". Has 4 inputs which feature 3 tone circuits: treble, normal, and bass. These separate circuits are designed to extend the tonal range of your guitar. Tone control with AC switch; volume control plus separate speed and strength control for vibrato. Input for foot switch. Cabinet 20" wide, 17½" high, 9½" wide at bottom.



K703 VALUE LEADER AMPLIFIER \$47.50

An extraordinary amplifier! Extraordinarily low-priced! For hand-some styling, powerhouse amplification, and operating features, you can't match the K703 at anywhere near the price. Imagine all these big features in this one model: 3 instrument inputs; 3 tubes; 4-watt undistorted output; powerful AC circuit with isolation transformer; specially designed 8° speaker; 10′ cord; tone control with on and off switch, volume control; attractive two tone cabinet measures 15%" x 12½"; and it bears the UNDERWRITERS LABORATORY stamp of approval too! An amp with performance worthy of much higher-priced models.

K703 Value Leader Amplifier....\$47.50
9650 Heavy, clear plastic cover to fit K703 amp....\$4.50



K710 REVERB POWER PACK UNIT \$65.00

The Reverb Power Pack functions in parallel to your amplifier adding exciting new dimension to your music. It picks up the guitar signal and passes it through the Reverb Power Pack and then to the amplifier to produce an amplified and resounding reverberated sound. This produces an amazing "band shell" fullness and hi-fidelity stereo-like quality. A handy control lets you vary intensity from zero to full "band shell" sound. There are 3 jacks, 1 for the instrument, 1 for a foot switch, and 1 for connecting to the amplifier. Easy to use, no complicated connections. Self-powered by a special 4 transistor and 1 diode amplifier that adds plenty of power to the regular amplifier output. Two-tone white and brown covered cabinet is $17\frac{1}{2}$ " x $5\frac{1}{4}$ " x $5\frac{1}{4}$ " x $5\frac{1}{4}$ " x $5\frac{1}{4}$ ".

K710 Reverb Power Pack Unit......\$65.00



K720 BASS AMPLIFIER \$195.00

The ideal amplifier to use with any electric bass, designed to project the "big bass sound" at its full, round best. Engineered to reproduce those deep bass tones without distortion, clear and true, and with all the volume any artist could wish. Trust Kay, maker of fine basses, to build an amp for basses that brings out their maximum rich beauty and power! Large, solidly built cabinet (22" x 27" x 9½") is covered in luxurious two-tone brown and white vinyl to smartly complement any instrument. Acoustically treated to assure maximum bass response, and equipped with specially engineered 15" heavy duty speaker for power plus. Underwriters Laboratory Approved.

K720 Heavy Duty Bass Amplifier......\$195.00

9663 Reinforced clear plastic cover for Bass Amp......\$7.50



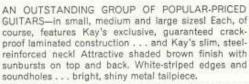
It's fun to play a guitar . . . to be the center of parties, games and merriment! It's even more fun when you play a guitar which gives you round, full tones and fine response. That's why it's most fun to play a Kay!

KAY STUDENT CONCERT MODEL-an exceptional valuel This guitar is especially designed for the young student, with an extra-narrow, slim steel-reinforced neck that is easy for small hands to finger. Solid spruce top, laminated crack-proof maple back and sides. Glued-on pin bridge. It has a 91/2"-narrow upper bout for easy holding; the lower bout, 141/2" wide, is for full true guitar tone. Protype frets, 9 markers, low easyto-play action. Perfect for studios and students!

K3500 Kay Student Concert Model. \$35.00

KAY "WESTERN" MODELa real "singing" guitar with a big resonant tonel Its special shape makes it ideal for rhythm and singing. The body is of crack-proof, laminated maple ... with slim, steel-reinforced neck and genuine walnut fingerboard with 4 inlaid markers. Pinless bridge, celluloid guardplate, good quality strings. Lustrous shaded walnut finish, with highlights on top and back.

K6120 Kay "Western" Model.



K1160 Standard size with full 18 fret (14 frets clear of body) maple fingerboard, \$27.50

K5160 Auditorium size (15x40%*). Celluloid guardplate.

K8160 Master size (17x42"), Celluloid guardplate. \$39.50



Service is built into each and every Kay . . . no matter what the pricel The laminated, crack-proof body and slim, steel-reinforced neck give you excellent tone, action, responseand superb trouble-free service!

Service



\$4950

KAY "PLAINS" SPECIAL: The combination of highpriced features and low selfing price make this a top-flight value! It's an auditorium-size guitar with a solid spruce top and laminated, crack-proof mahogany back and sides for real fine guitar tone and appearance. Edges and sound hole are celluloid-bound, and there's an extra celluloid inlay on the top edge and sound hole, "THIN-LITE" neck with adjustable truss rod. Glued-on rosewood bridge with bone saddle.

K5113 (shown). White spruce top with brown mahogany sides and back. \$49.50

K113 Same as above, but ½ size (34½" long, 11" wide) for small folks! \$49.50



\$**79**95

KAY "COUNTRY" MODELone of Kay's top sellers, this is a guitar that's big in tone ... big in looks! Its special shape accentuates the round, full bass tones-making it ideal for rhythm work. Slim, steelreinforced ADJUSTABLE neck .. heavy celluloid binding on body . . . bound, genuine oval rosewood fingerboard, Natural white spruce top, brown mahogany back and sides . hand-inlaid rings around sound hole beautifully hand-rubbed and polished

K6100 Kay "Country" Model, \$79.95



\$**59**95

K6116

KAY'S GLEAMING SUPER-AUDITORIUM MODEL has a solid spruce top, laminated crack-proof figured maple back and sides - all finished by hand-rubbing and polishing. Beautiful shaded walnut finish with golden sunburst. Heavy celluloid binding with a heavy black-and-white block inlay on top edge and sound hole. "THIN-LITE" neck with adjustable truss rod. Oval rosewood fingerboard, celluloid-bound. Glued-on rosewood bridge. K6116 Kay's Super-Auditorium Model, \$59.95

Printed Prices Do Not Include Federal Excise Tax!



\$**79**95

K6130

KAY "FOLK" GUITAR. A fine mellow toned, easy playing guitar . . . features the wide classic type neck with slotted heads. Comes equipped with metal strings but can be used with gut or nylon strings too. Natural white spruce top, genuine mahogany back and sides; celluloid bound edges plus an extra inlay on the top edge. The celluloid bound soundhole also has a "classic" ring. Cellulaid bound rosewood fingerboard with inlaid markers. Neck is steel reinforced. Classic type rosewood bridge. Hand rubbed and polished finish.

K6130 Super Auditorium size 41 x 15½°.....\$79.95 There's artistry

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CONCERTO CLASSIC GUITAR. A fine sounding, big value instrument in the **true** classic design and with traditional wide finger-board and slotted head. The body is of maple. Natural white top with dark stained back, sides and neck. Proper glued on classic bridge. Nylon and wound strings, Attractively finished.



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Kay "SOLO SPECIAL": This is an extra-deep, master-size guitar for the professional who demands outstanding performance, as well as striking appearance. Musically adjusted and inspected. It's an extra-deep (4½") master size . . with slim, balanced-tension neck that's fast and easy . . . oval ebony fingerboard with inlaid mother-ofpearl position markers, Venetianshaped ebony bridge. The natural white top is of selected, close-grained spruce with special ribbing to emphasize the bass tones. The back and sides are of choice curly maple-with a darkwalnut shaded finish. The finish is hand-rubbed, hand-polished. K8127 "Solo Special", \$137.50

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Sparkle

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K60

KAY "FOLK" MODEL 5-STRING BANJO-just the thing for accompanying today's popular folk singing! It's easy to play and it's fun, tool The 30 brackets assure even tension on the top quality plastic head to give a good, clean, crisp tone. Heavyweight shell . . . hard maple neck...genuine select walnut fingerboard with hand-inlaid markers. Non-slip adjustable tension tuning keys. Hardmaple bridge, good quality strings.

K60 Kay "Folk" Model 5-string banjo. \$69.95 [~]\$159⁵⁰

K1000T

KAY ARTIST MODEL-for the discriminating player. Designed in conjunction with several outstanding playersthis is a "solid" instrument for real banjo tone and feel, Resonator is of laminated select curly maple, both edges heavily celluloid-bound. Hard rock maple neck. Celluloidbound rosewood fingerboard with hand-inlaid block position markers, 28 brackets, Chrome-plated cast flange and tension hoop. Adjustable tailpiece with hinged cover. Engraved arm rest and headpiece. Geared machine heads for precision tuning. Deluxe non-slip fifth string peg. Professional plastic head.

K1000T (shown) Kay Artist Model, tenor banjo. \$159.50

K1000 As above, but 5-string model, \$159.50

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K52



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KAY PROFESSIONAL MODEL BANJO— Laminated mahogany shell and resonator, both edges bound in white celluloid. Celluloidbound fingerboard with Inlaid markers. Hard "rock" maple neck. Nickel-plated cast flange. 20 brackets. Heavyweight cast nickel-plated tension hoop. Wood arm rest. Good quality calfskin head. Natural brown mahogany finish, beautifully hand-rubbed and polished.

K52 (shown) Kay Professional Model banjo, 5-string, \$89.50

K52T As above, but tenor model. \$89.50

KAY DELUXE MODEL—with resonator. The resonator is of laminated, crack-proof maple, the edge is celluloid-bound. Maple neck. Shaded brown finish with golden high-light on resonator. 16 nickel-plated brackets. Plastic head. Adjustable tension pegs.

K54T (shown) Kay Deluxe Model, tenor banjo. \$59.95

K54 As above, but 5-string model. \$59.95

KAY "LEADER" BANJO—a good quality banjo at a price you'll like. Maple neck is in a rich dark brown finish. 16 nickel-plated brackets, stainless steel tension hoop. Plastic head. Adjustable tension tuning keys.

K53 (shown) Kay "Leader" Banjo, 5-string model. \$49.95

K53T As above, but tenor model, \$49.95

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K8950 Kay "Master Cutaway" Model. \$89.50 \$**52**⁵⁰

K6845

THE MERCURY ARCHED GUITAR-A real dazzler with a beautiful polished finish and it has a good tone, too. The fully arched crackproof body is of laminated maple. The top and back edges are bound with celluloid. Oval rosewood fingerboard, iniaid position markers. "THIN-LITE" neck with adjustable truss rod. Adjustable rosewood bridge. Large celluloid guardplate, Hinge tailpiece. Pollished, shaded brown finish with sunburst on top and back. K6845 Super Auditorium size -41" x 15½" \$52.50

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K6838

KAY DELUXE ARCHED GUI-TAR: a beauty to look at and a delight to play! Arched spruce top, laminated curly maple back and sides-handrubbed and polished shaded brown finish, with golden sunburst on top and back.
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K6838 Kay Deluxe Arched Guitar, \$69.50





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K6836

KAY BIG VALUE LEADER: pro features — at a top-value pricel Spruce top and laminated maple back and sides, celluloid-bound edges. Handrubbed and polished shaded walnut finish, with large sunburst. "THIN-LITE" neck with adjustable rosewood bridge. Celluloid-bound rosewood fingerboard. Super-auditorium size, tool

K6836 Kay Big Value Leader. \$59.50

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this super-auditorium, arched
guitar. It has laminated genuine mahogany top, back and
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Heavyweight celluloid binding on top and back edges.
Deluxe machine heads with
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K6437 Kay All-Mahogany Arched Guitar. \$64.50 \$4350

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K6833 Kay Super-Auditorium Special \$43.50



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K460 Kay Student Model ... \$29.95

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K70 Kay Venetian Shape Mandolin. \$79.95