

MP-Pedersen 1910 Denmark

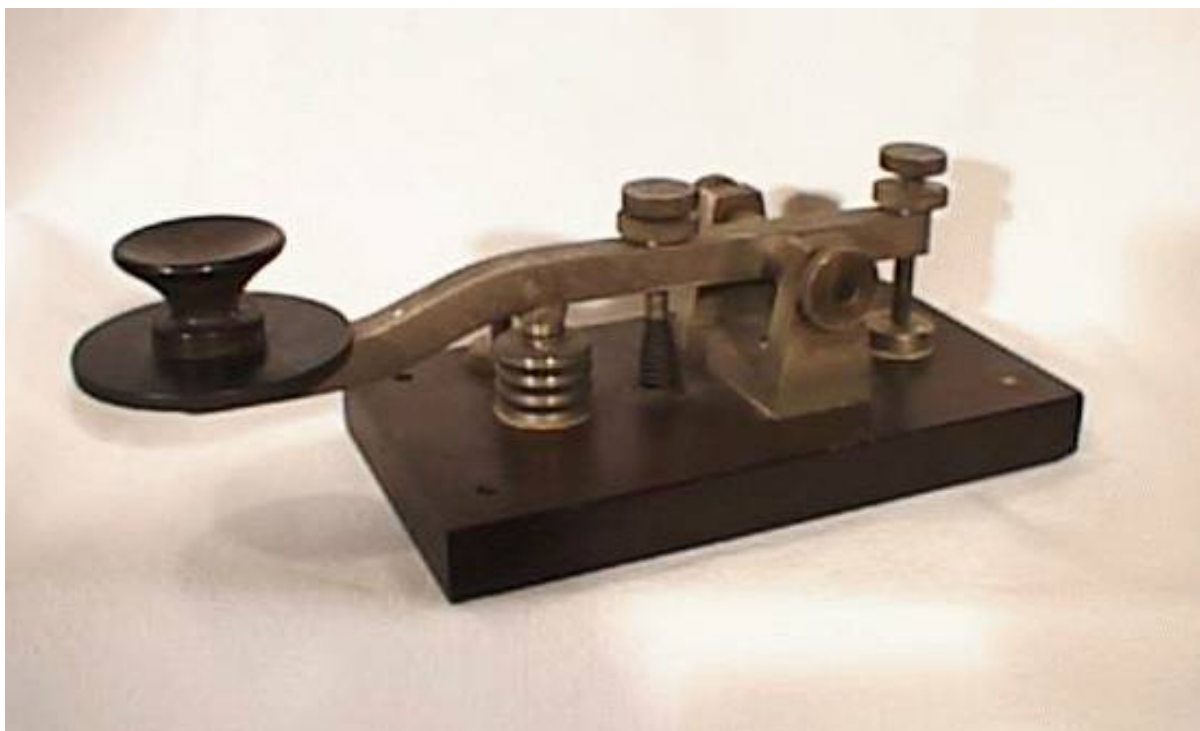
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Unmarked key with cooling flanges-- could have been for ARC!. Unmarked key with cooling flanges-- could have been for ARC!. Another key without cooling flanges. Started out as Skovmand & Petersen about 1914, later called MP-Pedersen. Info from Thomas Scherrer OZ2CPU:

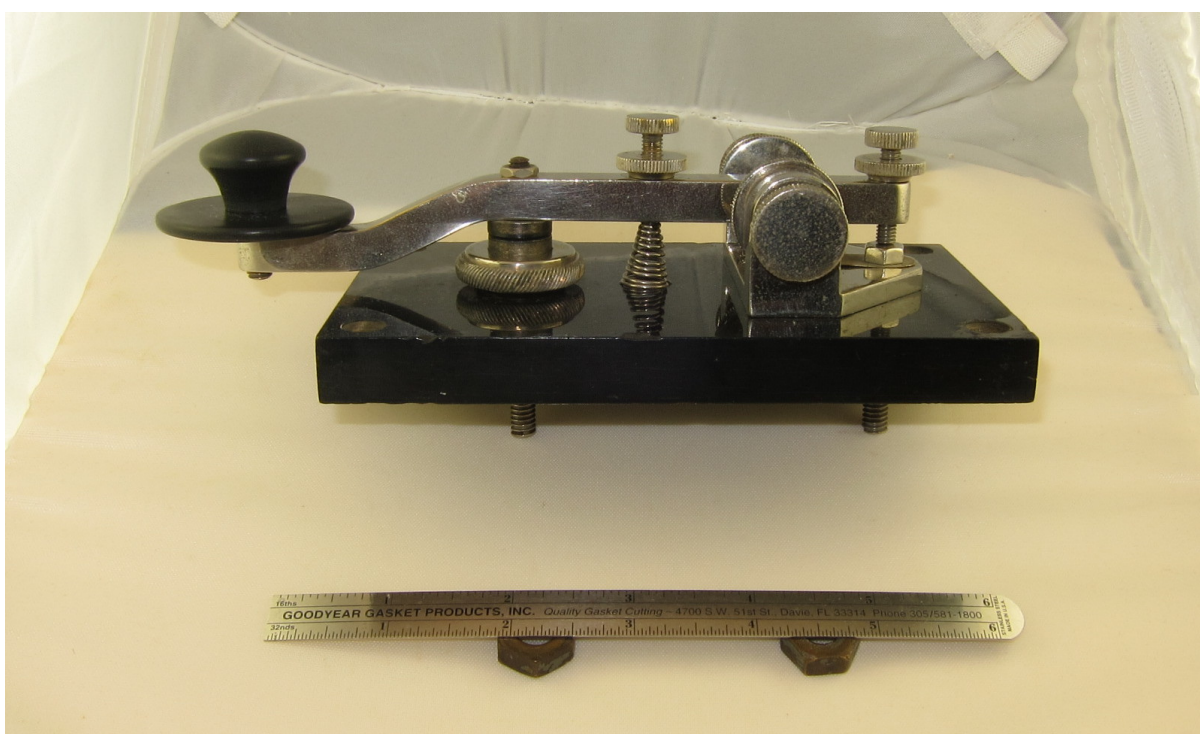
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Een andere korte samenvatting van de geschiedenis van M.P. Pedersen is:

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Das Label M.P. wurde von der Firma M.P. Pedersen (Martin Peter Pedersen) für Röhren benutzt. Diese wurden in den frühen 20er Jahren selbst hergestellt, später wurden Röhren großer europäischer Hersteller "umgelabelt". Der Röhren-Codex nennt insgesamt 55 Typen von M.P.