

Mechanical Music Registry Project

Western Electric Piano Company Database Report Indexed by Model and Further Sorted by Serial Number

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Total items listed in this report: 80

Style Notes: 1. A tilde (~) in a number field represents a missing or unknown number.

Brand	S/N	Model/Style	Case Finish	Year Mfd.	Stack #
Western Electric Piano Mfr: Seeburg.	159121	A		1924	
Other Attributes: No xylophone or Selectra.					
Western Electric Piano Mfr: Seeburg.	161264	A		1925	
Western Electric Piano Mfr: Seeburg.	158329	B		1924	
Western Electric Piano Mfr: Seeburg.	158332	B		1924	
Instrumentation: Xylophone. Stack Type: Simplex stack with xylophone setoff pallets on flanged fingers.					
Western Electric Piano Mfr: Seeburg.	158829	B		1924	
Instrumentation: Xylophone.					
Western Electric Piano Mfr: Seeburg; Hammers dated May 18, 1924.	158901	B		1924	
Instrumentation: Xylophone. Comments: Xylophone from a different Western Electric, perhaps a style G or O? Xylo valves are all in one row, with lock and cancel mechanism.					
Western Electric Piano Mfr: Seeburg.	160093	B		1925	
Instrumentation: Xylophone. Comments: No xylophone softener.					
Western Electric Piano Mfr: Seeburg.	162300	B		1926	
Western Electric Piano Mfr: Seeburg.	162352	B	Oak	1926	
Instrumentation: Xylophone.					
Western Electric Piano Mfr: Seeburg.	162360	B		1926	
Instrumentation: Xylophone.					

Western Electric	162767	B		1926
Piano Mfr: Seeburg.				
Western Electric	164252	B	Oak	1927
Piano Mfr: Seeburg.				
Instrumentation: Xylophone.				
Comments: Selectra mechanism missing.				
Western Electric	164265	B		1927
Piano Mfr: Seeburg.				
Instrumentation: Xylophone.				
Western Electric	164266	B		1927
Piano Mfr: Seeburg.				
Instrumentation: Xylophone.				
Western Electric	164399	B		1927
Piano Mfr: Seeburg.				
Western Electric	165511	B		1927
Piano Mfr: Seeburg.				
Other Attributes: Emerson motor 73610DQ Serial 585243.				
Western Electric	166388	B	Mahogany	1928
Piano Mfr: Seeburg.				
Instrumentation: Xylophone.				
Comments: Might be 166888.				
Western Electric	158675	C		1924
Piano Mfr: Seeburg.				
Western Electric	158853	C		1924
Piano Mfr: Seeburg.				
Western Electric	159492	C		1924
Piano Mfr: Seeburg.				
Comments: Tall keyboardless case extension, with small Seeburg H style statues, drums, accordion, external coin box added.				
Western Electric	159574	C		1924
Piano Mfr: Seeburg.				
Other Attributes: Emerson motor M86585.				
Western Electric	159830	C		1924
Piano Mfr: Seeburg.				
Comments: Doors replaced with one large panel.				
Western Electric	159883	C		1924
Piano Mfr: Seeburg.				
Western Electric	160849	C		1925
Piano Mfr: Seeburg.				
Comments: Originally located in Cleveland, OH.				
Western Electric	161542	C		1925
Piano Mfr: Seeburg.				
Western Electric	161640	C		1925

Piano Mfr: Seeburg.

Western Electric	161762	C	1925
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Piano Mfr: Seeburg.

Western Electric	162003	C	1926
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Piano Mfr: Seeburg.

Western Electric	162211	C	1926
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Piano Mfr: Seeburg.

Western Electric	162214	C	1926
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Piano Mfr: Seeburg.

Comments: Now has piano from Seeburg L 166048.

Western Electric	162983	C	1926
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Piano Mfr: Seeburg.

Comments: Previously owned by Alden Scott Boyer, then by Al Svoboda, who placed it in the "Mahogany Room," and then in the "Chuckwagon Buffet" in Svoboda's Nickelodeon Tavern.

Western Electric	163115	C	1926
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Piano Mfr: Seeburg.

Western Electric	163678	C	1926
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Piano Mfr: Seeburg; End of main action rail 548901; end of hammer rail 189A; no date on hammers.

Western Electric	163730	C	1926
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Piano Mfr: Seeburg.

Other Attributes: Nameplate: "Western Automatic Music Co., 5534 Winthrop Ave., Sunnyside 8406, Chicago"

Western Electric	163749	C	1926
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Piano Mfr: Seeburg.

Western Electric	164060	C	1927
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Piano Mfr: Seeburg.

Western Electric	164277	C	1927
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Piano Mfr: Seeburg.

Roll Mechanism: Spoolbox #1800, stamped into top of right hand side plate.

Other Attributes: Emerson motor 548743 Style 73610 DV.

Western Electric	164350	C	1927
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Piano Mfr: Seeburg.

Western Electric	164745	C	1927
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Piano Mfr: Seeburg.

Western Electric	164787	C	1927
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Piano Mfr: Seeburg.

Other Attributes: Emerson motor 73610 DV.

Western Electric	164915	C	1927
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Piano Mfr: Seeburg.

Western Electric	165101	C	1927
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Piano Mfr: Seeburg.

Western Electric	165122	C	1927
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Piano Mfr: Seeburg.

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Other Attributes: Emerson motor S83777.

Western Electric	165239	C	1927
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Piano Mfr: Seeburg.

Western Electric	165302	C	1927
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Piano Mfr: Seeburg.

Western Electric	165314	C	1927
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Piano Mfr: Seeburg.

Western Electric	161996	Derby	1925
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Piano Mfr: Seeburg.

Western Electric	162192	Derby	1926
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Piano Mfr: Seeburg.

Western Electric	162228	Derby	1926
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Piano Mfr: Seeburg.
Roll Mechanism: Spoolbox 1541.

Western Electric	164597	Derby	1927
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Piano Mfr: Seeburg.

Western Electric	165681	Derby	1927
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Piano Mfr: Seeburg.
Comments: Previously displayed at Svoboda's Nickelodeon Tavern, Chicago Heights, IL.

Western Electric	165717	Derby	1927
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Piano Mfr: Seeburg.

Western Electric	165761	Derby	1927
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Piano Mfr: Seeburg.

Western Electric	165762	Derby	1927
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Piano Mfr: Seeburg.

Western Electric	165865	Derby	1927
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Piano Mfr: Seeburg.

Western Electric	162355	G	1926
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Piano Mfr: Seeburg.
Instrumentation: Xylophone; Chinese tom-tom.

Western Electric	162696	G	1926
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Piano Mfr: Seeburg.
Instrumentation: Xylophone, tom tom, snare drum and triangle.
Comments: Previously displayed at Deckers Resort, Deckers, Colorado, which was owned by the mayor of Aspen.

Western Electric	163387	G	1926
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Piano Mfr: Seeburg.
Instrumentation: Xylophone, Chinese tom-tom, cymbal, snare drum, triangle, mandolin rail.
Comments: Emerson Electric motor, No. S47297, Type 73610DV.

Western Electric	164447	G	1927
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Piano Mfr: Seeburg.

Western Electric	164075	J	1927
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Piano Mfr: Seeburg.
Instrumentation: Xylophone.
Comments: Keyboard, A rolls.

Western Electric	161281	O		1925
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Piano Mfr: Seeburg.

Western Electric	162701	O		1926
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Piano Mfr: Seeburg.
Instrumentation: Xylophone, bass drum, cymbal, snare drum, wood block, triangle.
Other Attributes: Emerson motor S49232.

Western Electric	164437	O		1927
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Piano Mfr: Seeburg.
Comments: Similar to KT Special.

Western Electric	165332	O		1927
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Piano Mfr: Seeburg.
Comments: Instrumentation of KT Special.

Western Electric	165528	O		1927
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Piano Mfr: Seeburg.
Comments: Comparable to Seeburg KT Special.

Western Electric	161152	S		1925
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Piano Mfr: Seeburg.
Other Attributes: Keyboard style Selectra, no extra instruments.

Western Electric	162933	S		1926
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Piano Mfr: Seeburg.

Western Electric	163892	S	Oak	1926
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Piano Mfr: Seeburg.
Other Attributes: Ornamental cast iron plug covering Selectra hole.

Western Electric	691		Selectraphone	
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Comments: Nameplate: Western Electric Piano Company, Chicago, Ill.

Western Electric	1405		Selectraphone	
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Other Attributes: Rock-Ola Model J amplifier, serial number 2447; lift-out, and possibly non-original. Radio chassis nameplate: 0753406 BO.
Comments: Combination coin phonograph and radio.

Western Electric	158987	X	Oak	1924
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Piano Mfr: Seeburg; Action dated 1924.
Instrumentation: Xylophone; converted to play G rolls, with added wood block, tambourine, triangle and cymbal.
Stack Type: Seeburg stack (late, 2-tier).
Art Glass: Green and pink with clear chipped textured and beveled glass.
Comments: First coin piano owned by Art Reblitz. The cabinet is 64" high with the casters, 23" deep, and 46-3/4" wide.
Owner: John Brothers (reported 3/05/2011)

Western Electric	162280	X		1926
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Piano Mfr: Seeburg.
Instrumentation: Xylophone.

Western Electric	163339	X		1926
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Piano Mfr: Seeburg.

Western Electric	163989	X	1926
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Piano Mfr: Seeburg.

Other Attributes: No xylophone or tune selector; Emerson motor S49386 Type 73610DV NP 159.

Comments: Originally owned by Edward Wurdeman, Minneapolis, MN.

Western Electric	164202	X	1927
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Piano Mfr: Seeburg.

Instrumentation: Xylophone.

Comments: No Selectra.

Western Electric	164332	X	1927
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Piano Mfr: Seeburg.

Comments: No xylophone or selector.

Western Electric	164456	X	1927
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Piano Mfr: Seeburg.

Comments: Converted to G rolls with added percussion. Displayed at Clark's Trading Post, Lincoln, NH.

Western Electric	164626	X	1927
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Piano Mfr: Seeburg.

Instrumentation: Xylophone.

Comments: No Selectra.

Western Electric	165431	X	1927
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Piano Mfr: Seeburg.

Instrumentation: Xylophone.

Western Electric	165484	X	1927
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Piano Mfr: Seeburg.

Coin Switch: Coin accumulator missing.

Other Attributes: Holtzer-Cabot motor 5719 50.

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