

Mechanical Music Registry Project

Wurlitzer Paganini Violin Orchestra Database Report Grouped by Year; Indexed by Style and Serial Number

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Total items listed in this report: 46

- Style Notes:
1. The foundational information in the report is a compilation of source material provided by Farny Wurlitzer to Q. David Bowers during the mid 1960s, and then corroborated (with any typos corrected or missing information filled-in) against the Wurlitzer Factory Shipping Ledgers (courtesy of David Reidy).
 2. Semicolons (;) separate individual items in notations; periods are absent unless present in the source text.
 3. The original source material has been slightly edited and obvious spelling and location errors corrected, but in all instances the original intent has been preserved. Otherwise the reader would be confronted with an endless number or annoying (sic) notations.

Paganini Violin Orchestras Shipped in 1912

[-Serial Numbers-]

Piano	Philipps	Style	Remodeled / Rebuilt From	Case Finish	Date Shipped
11169		?? Paganini with keyboard	-----	-----	10/30/1912
Customer: Rudolph Wurlitzer Co.; Chicago, Ill.					
Notations: Repaired					
	2449	1 Paganini	-----	Mahogany	11/18/1912
Customer: Rudolph Wurlitzer Co.; Philadelphia, Pa.					
	4148	1 Paganini	-----	-----	8/16/1912
Customer: Rudolph Wurlitzer Co.; New York City.					
	4154	2 Paganini	-----	Mahogany	12/21/1912
Customer: Rudolph Wurlitzer Co.; Cincinnati, Ohio.					
	4157	3 Paganini	-----	Mahogany	12/18/1912
Customer: Rudolph Wurlitzer Co.; Zanesville, Ohio.					

Total Items for the Year 1912: 5

Paganini Violin Orchestras Shipped in 1913

[-Serial Numbers-]

Piano	Philipps	Style	Remodeled / Rebuilt From	Case Finish	Date Shipped
	3039	1 Paganini	-----	Silver Grey	8/18/1913
Customer: Rudolph Wurlitzer Co.; Wilkes-Barre, Pa.					
	3046	1 Paganini	-----	Mahogany	4/14/1913
Customer: Frederick Piano Co.; Uniontown, Pa.					
	4151	1 Paganini	-----	Mahogany	4/21/1913
Customer: Frederick Piano Co.; Pittsburgh, Pa.					

[-Serial Numbers-]

Piano	Philipps	Style	Remodeled / Rebuilt From	Case Finish	Date Shipped
	4152	1 Paganini	-----	-----	4/5/1913
Customer: W. T. Frederick Piano Co.; Pittsburgh, Pa.					
	5100	1 Paganini	-----	Mahogany	8/6/1913
Customer: Rudolph Wurlitzer Co.; Spartanburg, S. Car.					
Editor Comments: Two numbers for this entry (5100 & 9002) assumed to represent two identical Paganinis shipped to the same destination.					
	5101	1 Paganini	-----	Mahogany	12/11/1913
Customer: Rudolph Wurlitzer Co.; San Francisco, Cal.					
	9002	1 Paganini	-----	Mahogany	8/6/1913
Customer: Rudolph Wurlitzer Co.; Spartanburg, S. Car.					
Editor Comments: Two numbers for this entry (5100 & 9002) assumed to represent two identical Paganinis shipped to the same destination.					
	3051	2 Paganini	-----	Weathered Oak	12/10/1913
Customer: Rudolph Wurlitzer Co.; San Francisco, Cal.					
	3058	3 Paganini	-----	Weathered Oak	12/10/1913
Customer: Rudolph Wurlitzer Co.; San Francisco, Cal.					
	4158	3 Paganini	-----	-----	3/26/1913
Customer: Rudolph Wurlitzer Co.; Cincinnati, Ohio.					
	4162	4 Paganini	-----	-----	11/17/1913
Customer: Rudolph Wurlitzer Co.; Butte, Mont.					
Editor Comments: From a Nov 18, 1913, letter from the Cincinnati office of the Wurlitzer Company to Mr. Frank Cash (owner of Five-Mile Inn and a Wurlitzer distributor), states that "You will remember, we changed this [Style 4 Paganini] from an Ash case to Mahogany, and it looks very nice indeed. We put art glass on it and also a statue and feel sure that Frank Cash will be pleased with it, at least he ought to, because it looks much nicer than I ever thought it could."					

Total Items for the Year 1913: 11

Paganini Violin Orchestras Shipped in 1914

[-Serial Numbers-]

Piano	Philipps	Style	Remodeled / Rebuilt From	Case Finish	Date Shipped
	4153	1 Paganini	-----	Weathered Oak	11/21/1914
Customer: Rudolph Wurlitzer Co.; Albany, N.Y.					
	5102	1 Paganini	-----	Mahogany	2/27/1914
Customer: Rudolph Wurlitzer Co.; El Paso, Tex.					
	5103	1 Paganini	-----	Weathered Oak	7/10/1914
Customer: Rudolph Wurlitzer Co.; San Francisco, Cal.					
	4159	3 Paganini	-----	Mahogany	7/10/1914
Customer: Rudolph Wurlitzer Co.; San Francisco, Cal.					
	4160	3 Paganini	-----	Fumed	6/1/1914
Customer: Rudolph Wurlitzer Co.; Rochester, N.Y.					
	4164	7 Paganini	-----	-----	4/21/1914
Customer: Rudolph Wurlitzer Co.; New York City.					

Total Items for the Year 1914: 6

[-Serial Numbers-]

Piano	Philipps	Style	Remodeled / Rebuilt From	Case Finish	Date Shipped
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Paganini Violin Orchestras Shipped in 1915

[-Serial Numbers-]

Piano	Philipps	Style	Remodeled / Rebuilt From	Case Finish	Date Shipped
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3039		1 Paganini	-----	Silver Grey	6/23/1915
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Customer: Rudolph Wurlitzer Co.; Cincinnati, Ohio.

3052		2 Paganini	-----	Mahogany	2/15/1915
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Customer: Rudolph Wurlitzer Co.; Cincinnati, Ohio.

Notations: Stood in packing room after being finished

Total Items for the Year 1915: 2

Paganini Violin Orchestras Shipped in 1916

[-Serial Numbers-]

Piano	Philipps	Style	Remodeled / Rebuilt From	Case Finish	Date Shipped
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3029		1 Paganini	-----	Weathered Oak	6/9/1916
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Customer: Hansel & Baker; Williamsport, Pa.

5104		1 Paganini	-----	Weathered Oak	2/11/1916
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Customer: Rudolph Wurlitzer Co.; Merrill, Wis.

3052		2 Paganini	-----	Mahogany	9/18/1916
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Customer: Rudolph Wurlitzer Co.; Chicago, Ill.

4155		2 Paganini	-----	Driftwood	6/3/1916
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Customer: Consolidated Music Co.; Salt Lake City, Utah.

4156		2 Paganini	-----	Mahogany	12/6/1916
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Customer: Rudolph Wurlitzer Co.; Chicago, Ill.

Total Items for the Year 1916: 5

Paganini Violin Orchestras Shipped in 1917

[-Serial Numbers-]

Piano	Philipps	Style	Remodeled / Rebuilt From	Case Finish	Date Shipped
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3023		1 Paganini	-----	Weathered Oak	7/12/1917
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Customer: Rudolph Wurlitzer Co.; Buffalo, N.Y.

2458		3 Paganini	-----	Mahogany	2/24/1917
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Customer: Rudolph Wurlitzer Co.; Rochester, N.Y.

Music Roll Device: 6 Roll Changer.

4161		3 Paganini	-----	Mahogany	3/28/1917
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Customer: Rudolph Wurlitzer Co.; Milwaukee, Wis.

Music Roll Device: 6 Roll Changer.

Total Items for the Year 1917: 3

Paganini Violin Orchestras Shipped in 1918

[-Serial Numbers-]

Piano	Philipps	Style	Remodeled / Rebuilt From	Case Finish	Date Shipped
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[-Serial Numbers-]

Piano	Philipps	Style	Remodeled / Rebuilt From	Case Finish	Date Shipped
	3030	1 Paganini	-----	Silver Grey	2/21/1918

Customer: Rudolph Wurlitzer Co.; Philadelphia, Pa.

Music Roll Device: 6 Roll Changer.

	5118	3 Paganini	-----	Walnut	2/20/1918
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Customer: Rudolph Wurlitzer Co.; New York, Export Mexico.

Music Roll Device: 6 Roll Changer.

Total Items for the Year 1918: 2

Paganini Violin Orchestras Shipped in 1919

[-Serial Numbers-]

Piano	Philipps	Style	Remodeled / Rebuilt From	Case Finish	Date Shipped
	4153	1 Paganini	-----	Weathered Oak	10/23/1919

Customer: Rudolph Wurlitzer Co.; Cleveland, Ohio.

Music Roll Device: 6 Roll Changer.

Editor Comments: Date assumed to be 10/23/1919 due to previous dated entry.

	4155	2 Paganini	-----	Driftwood	7/15/1919
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Customer: Rudolph Wurlitzer Co.; Pittsburgh, Pa.

Music Roll Device: 6 Roll Changer.

	5124	4 Paganini	-----	Silver Grey	7/23/1919
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Customer: Rudolph Wurlitzer Co.; Pittsburgh, Pa.

Music Roll Device: 10 Roll Changer.

Total Items for the Year 1919: 3

Paganini Violin Orchestras Shipped in 1920

[-Serial Numbers-]

Piano	Philipps	Style	Remodeled / Rebuilt From	Case Finish	Date Shipped
	3023	1 Paganini	-----	Weathered Oak	7/15/1920

Customer: Rudolph Wurlitzer Co.; Buffalo, N.Y.

Music Roll Device: 6 Roll Changer.

	5115	2 Paganini	-----	Walnut	7/30/1920
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Customer: Rudolph Wurlitzer Co.; Pittsburgh, Pa.

Music Roll Device: 12 Roll Changer.

	3056	3 Paganini	-----	Silver Grey	12/20/1920
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Customer: Rudolph Wurlitzer Co.; San Francisco, Cal.

Music Roll Device: 6 Roll Changer.

Total Items for the Year 1920: 3

Paganini Violin Orchestras Shipped in 1921

[-Serial Numbers-]

Piano	Philipps	Style	Remodeled / Rebuilt From	Case Finish	Date Shipped
	3032	1 Paganini	-----	Silver Grey	4/25/1921

Customer: Rudolph Wurlitzer Co.; San Francisco, Cal.

Music Roll Device: 6 Roll Changer.

Notations: Rep. by Shelf

[-Serial Numbers-]

Piano	Philipps	Style	Remodeled / Rebuilt From	Case Finish	Date Shipped
	4164	10 Paganini	-----	Mahogany	12/24/1921
Customer: Rudolph Wurlitzer Co.; San Francisco, Cal.					
Music Roll Device: 6 Roll Changer.					
	4160	3 Paganini	-----	Fumed	1/20/1921
Customer: Rudolph Wurlitzer Co.; Seattle, Wash.					
Music Roll Device: 6 Roll Changer.					
	5119	3 Paganini	-----	Mahogany	9/12/1921
Customer: Rudolph Wurlitzer Co.; Middletown, Ohio.					
Music Roll Device: 6 Roll Changer.					

Total Items for the Year 1921: 4

Paganini Violin Orchestras Shipped in 1922

[-Serial Numbers-]

Piano	Philipps	Style	Remodeled / Rebuilt From	Case Finish	Date Shipped
10609	3048	1 Paganini	-----	Weathered Oak	4/7/1922
Customer: Ingersoll & Gaukler Co.; Detroit, Mich.					
Music Roll Device: 6 Roll Changer.					
Editor Comments: Frederick Ingersoll and Francis O. Gaukler.					

Total Items for the Year 1922: 1

Paganini Violin Orchestras Shipped in 1923

[-Serial Numbers-]

Piano	Philipps	Style	Remodeled / Rebuilt From	Case Finish	Date Shipped
	5113	2 Paganini	-----	-----	6/11/1923
Customer: Rudolph Wurlitzer Co.; Luiton, Ind.					
Music Roll Device: 6 Roll Changer.					

Total Items for the Year 1923: 1

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