

Frank R. Freimann

1905-1968



As a young man in Chicago, Frank Freimann developed a passion for the, then infant, radio industry. Freimann was an immigrant from Austria-Hungary, where he was born in 1905. He formed what became the Electro Acoustic Products Co. at the dawn of the Depression in 1929.

The company merged with Magnavox in 1938. Freimann became President of Magnavox in 1950 and led it until his death in 1968. Sound reproduction was a special interest of Freimann's, who was a member of several musical societies and an honorary conductor of the Fort Wayne Philharmonic.