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555.127	Craig Breedlove	Spirit of America, Sonic 1	GE J79	11/2/65	
576.553	Art Arfons	Green Monster	GE J79	11/7/65	
600.601	Craig Breedlove	Spirit of America, Sonic 1	GE J79	11/15/65	
622.407	Gary Gabelich	Blue Flame	Rocket	10/23/70	
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