A while ago I saw a pic of an unusual lighter, and I got intrigued by it.



Investigation learned it was a "New Method self starting lighter" made in the 1950's in Bradford, PA.

It uses catalys to ignite the lighter, and comes with a vial for spare fuel.

Platinum wires serve as a catalyser after the reaction is started by a little ball of "platinum black", wich produces heat when "Columbian Spirit" react with the air.

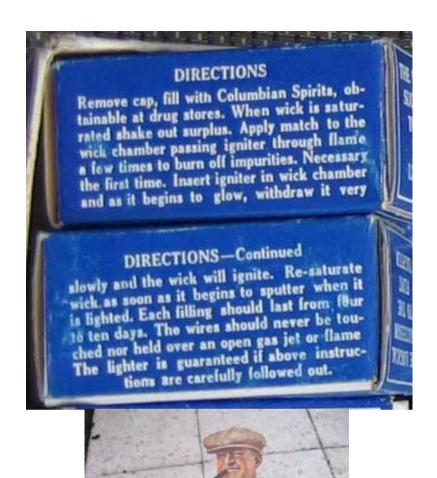
Needless to say I had to have one... 💬 After a long search, I didn't find one, but **twelve** of them new in box.











POCKET LIGHTER