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Lightning and radio! Radio sets and listeners may be adequately protected from injury by lightning by providing each antenna with an approved lightning arrester, located either outside or inside the house, but as near the point of entrance of the wires as possible. A water-pipe system makes an excellent ground, and is preferable to most others. Probably the next best is burying a large metal plate in moist soil. If the soil is dry the plate should be larger and pipes or rods driven into the ground and connected to the plates should be added. In all cases, however, the form of protection should be in accordance with the electrical code used by the local authorities.

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