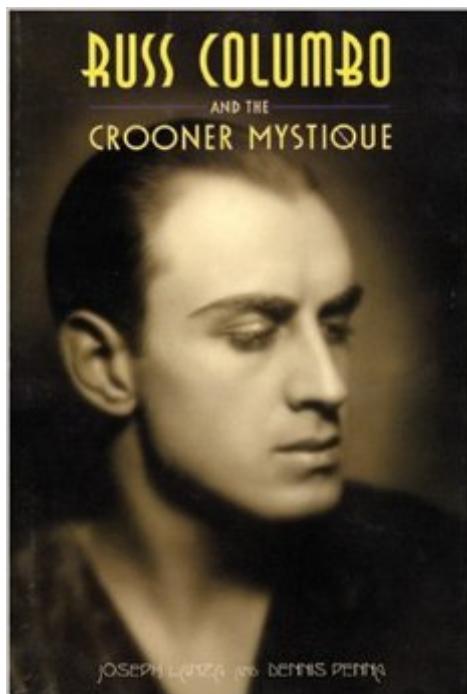


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Synopsis

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After stumbling across a crooner (morals) controversy via a 1934 tract Voodooism in Music and Other Essays that neatly ties into my rock-music-is-the-devil's-music '60s-'80s fascination, I had to listen to Russ Columbo, Rudy Vallee and early Bing Crosby, and look up this book for information about Russ Columbo. I was familiar with Columbo's song, "Prisoner of Love," from 1946 on Perry Como's hits comp 1958 Lp, Golden Records , which Joseph Murrels put at something like 2 million copies sold, as well as Jerry Vale's concept Columbia Lp, I Remember Russ. The most interesting chapter in the book dealt with a crooner war (trumped up publicity, apparently) between rivals Bing Crosby and Russ Columbo, which brought out a period of anti-crooner morals' backlash in the early '30s, somewhat before a "blue" lyrics song/record ban campaign waged by the Committee of Five in the later thirties 1935+, which included top acts Rudy Vallee, Guy Lombardo, and Paul Whiteman Pops: Paul Whiteman, King of Jazz at the time. The aspects of the controversy, circa 1930-1934, parallel similar events and arguments against the 1954-58 Broadway showtunes' ASCAP vs.

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