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A woman with dark, curly hair, wearing a light blue short-sleeved blouse and a dark vest, is operating a large industrial machine. She is using a tool to adjust a large, cylindrical component on the machine. The machine is dark-colored with various rollers and belts. In the background, there are other industrial components and a control panel with several knobs and switches. The overall scene is a factory or workshop environment.

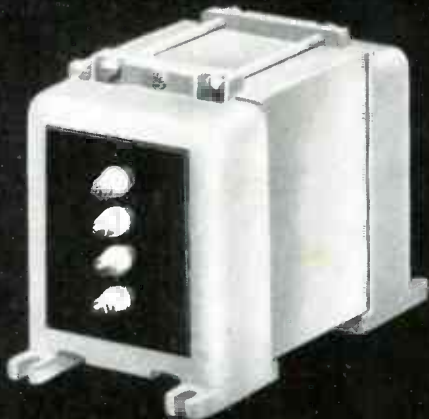
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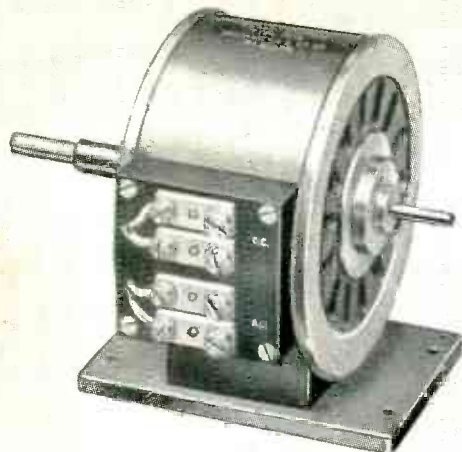
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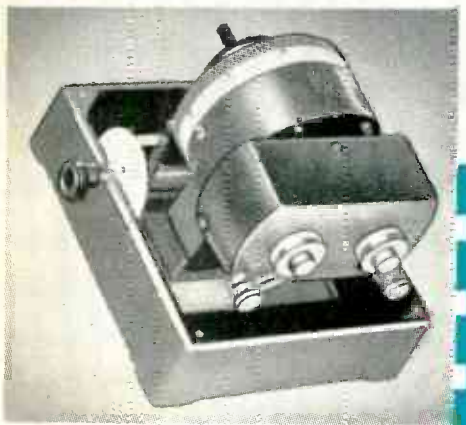


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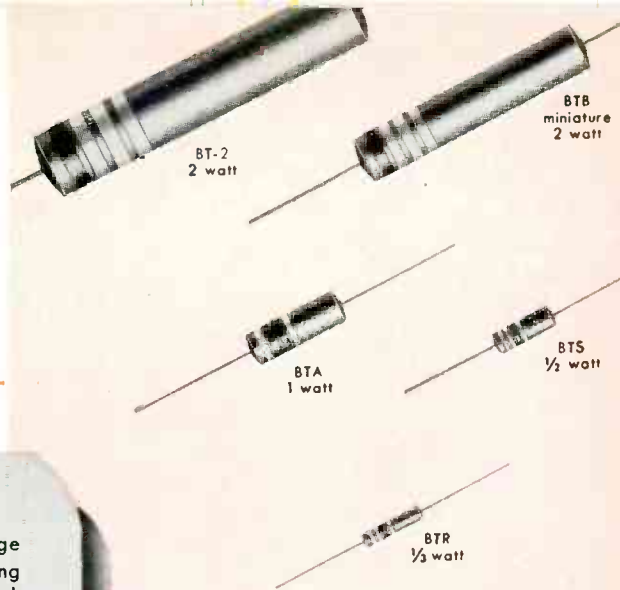
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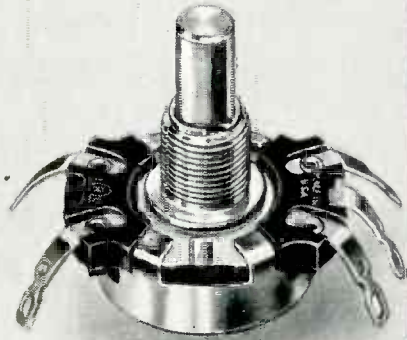


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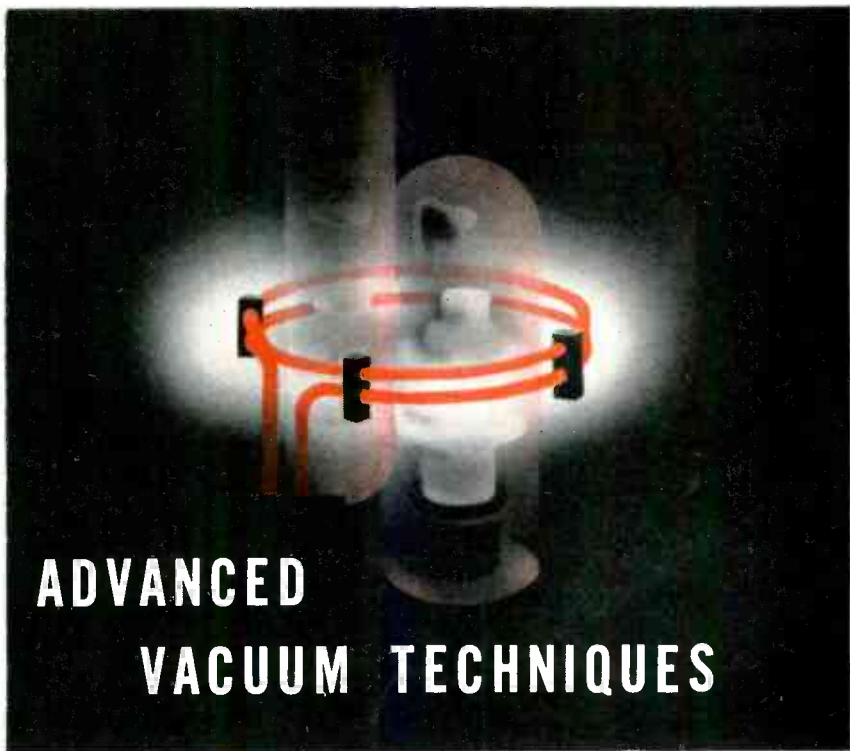
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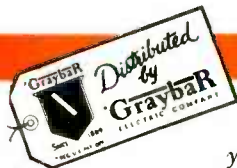
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#### SPECIFICATIONS

<b>COLD FLOW (M-R)</b>	— 250/255 F
<b>S.P. (B&amp;R)</b>	— 255/260 F
<b>POURING TEMPERATURE</b>	— 350/400 F
<b>COLOR</b>	— Brown
<b>ADHESION</b>	— Good
<b>PENETRATION 77/100/5</b>	— 0
<b>CHLORIDE CONTENT</b>	— *Negative
<b>SPECIFIC GRAVITY</b>	— 1.59
<b>FLASH POINT</b>	— 490 F
<b>MINERAL OIL RESISTANCE</b>	— Good

\*Less than 4 parts per million.

#### FEATURES

##### ADHESION TO WAX IMPREGNATED TUBES:

In developing 1766EX every effort was made to assure good bonding properties to wax impregnated tubes without sacrificing hardness at high temperatures (100°C).

##### MINERAL OIL RESISTANCE:

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##### LOW COST:

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##### COLD FLOW:

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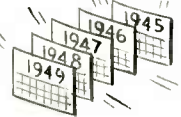


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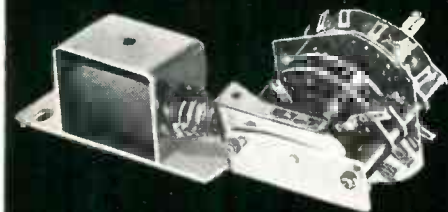
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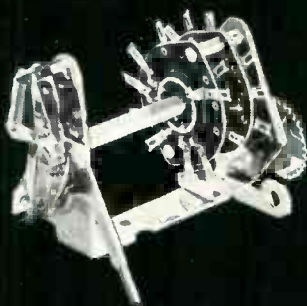
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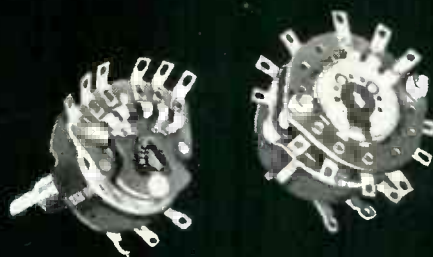
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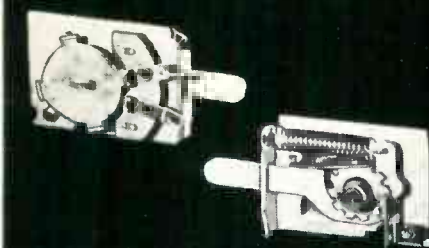
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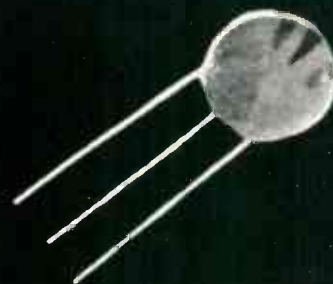
**3** Combination control and selector switches.



**4** Front and rear view—push button type tone switch.



**5** Left — dual TV Trimmer. Right — TV trimmer combined with ceramic coil form.



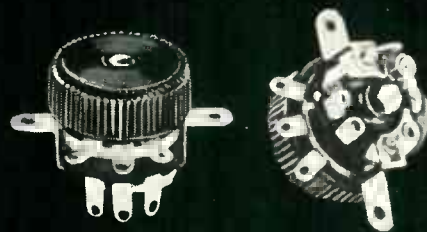
**6** 5000V dual disc ceramic capacitor. Actual size, slightly larger than a nickel.



**7** Special tubular ceramic capacitor — 2200 MMF  $\pm$  1%.



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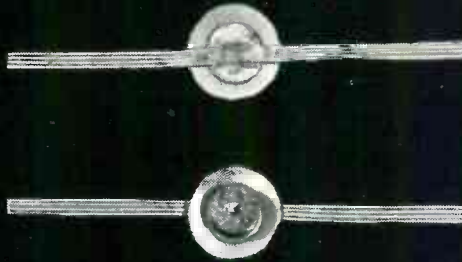
**9** Front and rear view — Centralab's miniature (smaller than a dime!) Dual Model 1 Control.



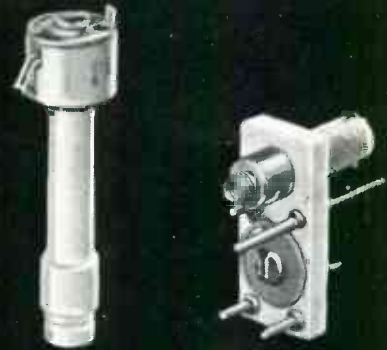
# Special Electronic Parts?



**10** Examples of special "printed circuit" parts. Left — a fixed value capacitor. Right — an inductance coil.



**11** Front and rear view — special type by-pass capacitor.



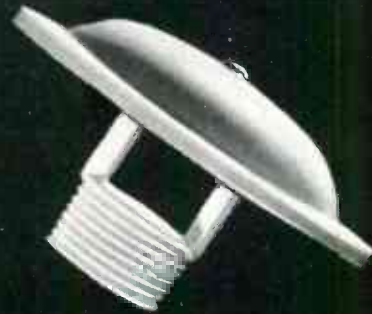
**12** Special ceramic coil form and trimmer assembly.



**13** Steatite ceramic coil form with bonded metal end.



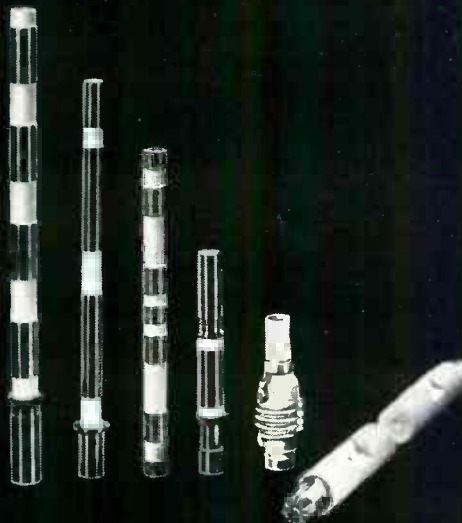
**14** Centralab Steatite ceramic used in special forms — coils etc.



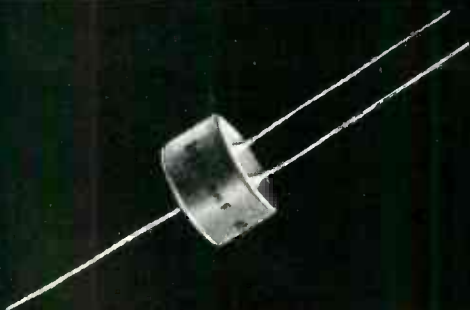
**15** CRL Steatite used as part of diffusion system in hot water heater.



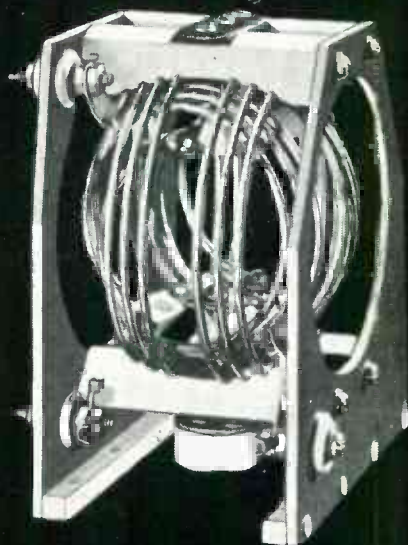
**16** Special feed-thru by-pass capacitor.



**18** Metallized ceramic rods for rotor sections in hi-voltage variable transmitter capacitors, and resonant lines.



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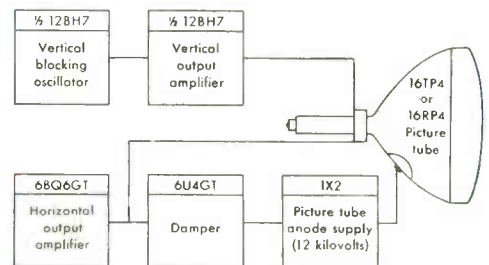


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**16TP4** Another Hytron 16-inch rectangular picture tube. Follows closely on heels of original Hytron rectangular tube, the 16RP4. Write for Bulletin E-150 for complete data. Watch also for early announcements of new Hytron 14-inch and 19-inch rectangular tubes.

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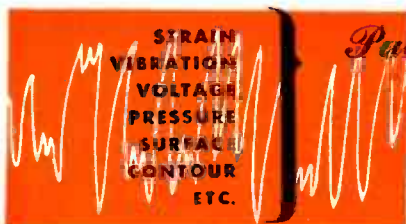
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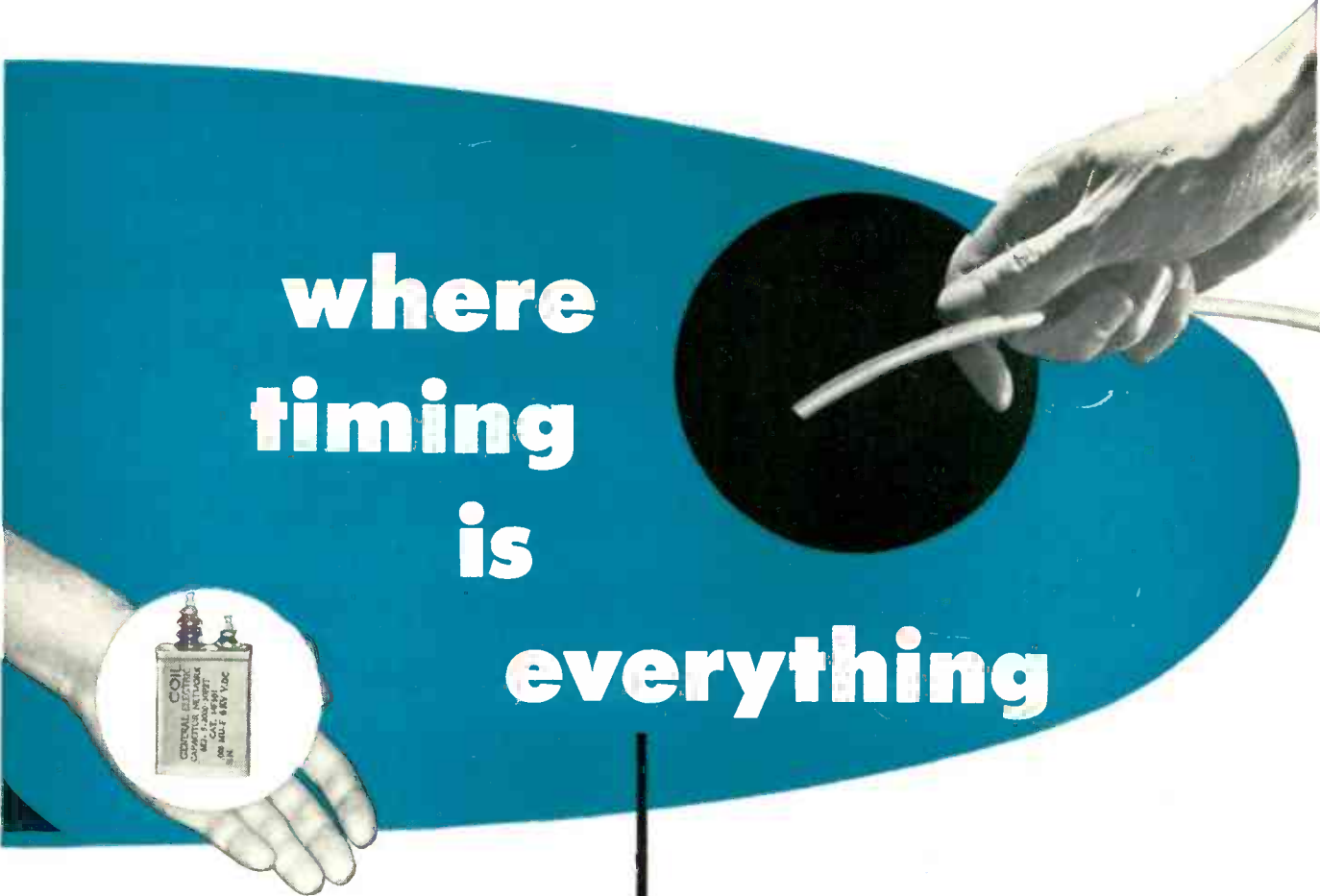
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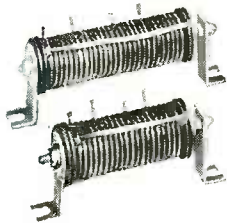
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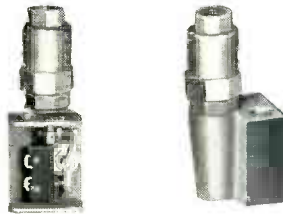
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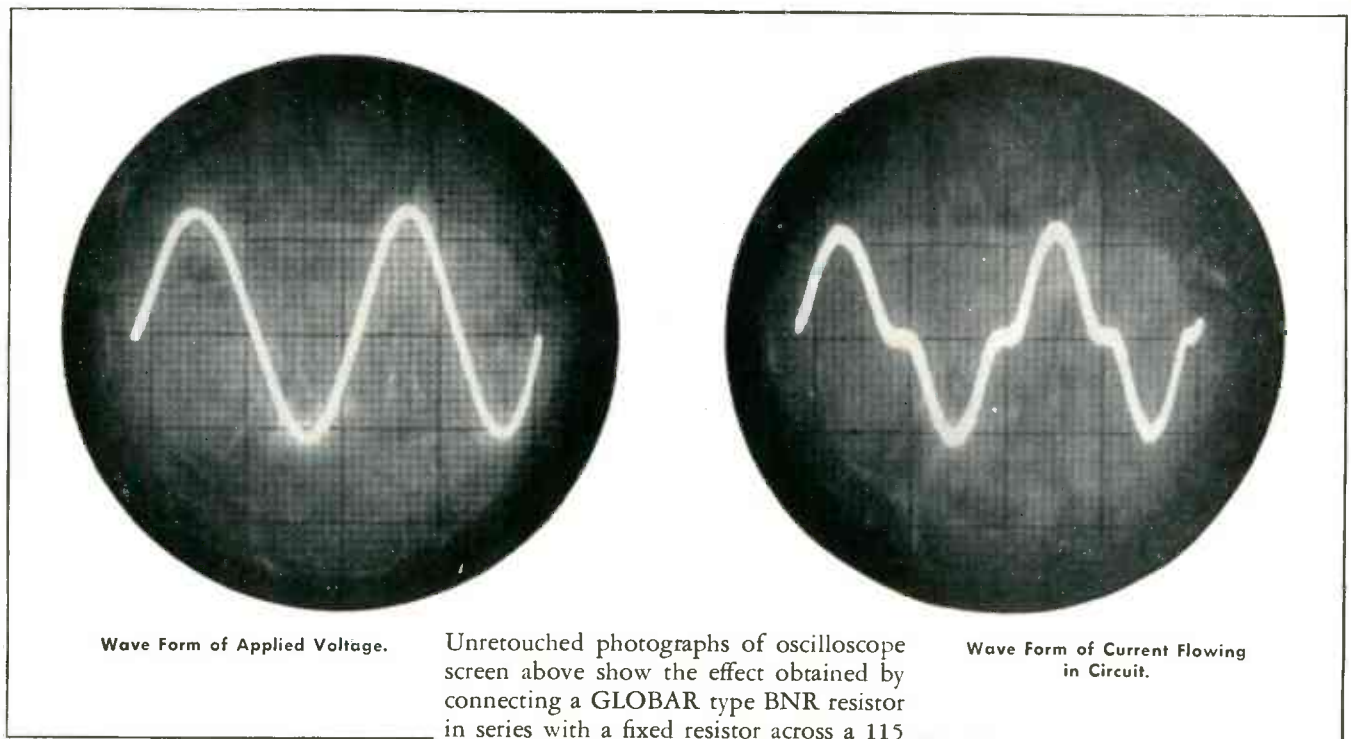
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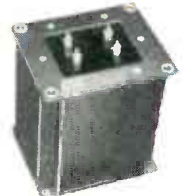
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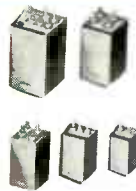
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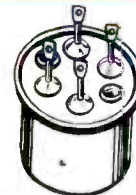
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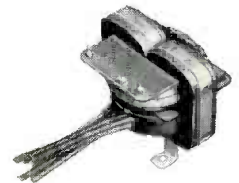
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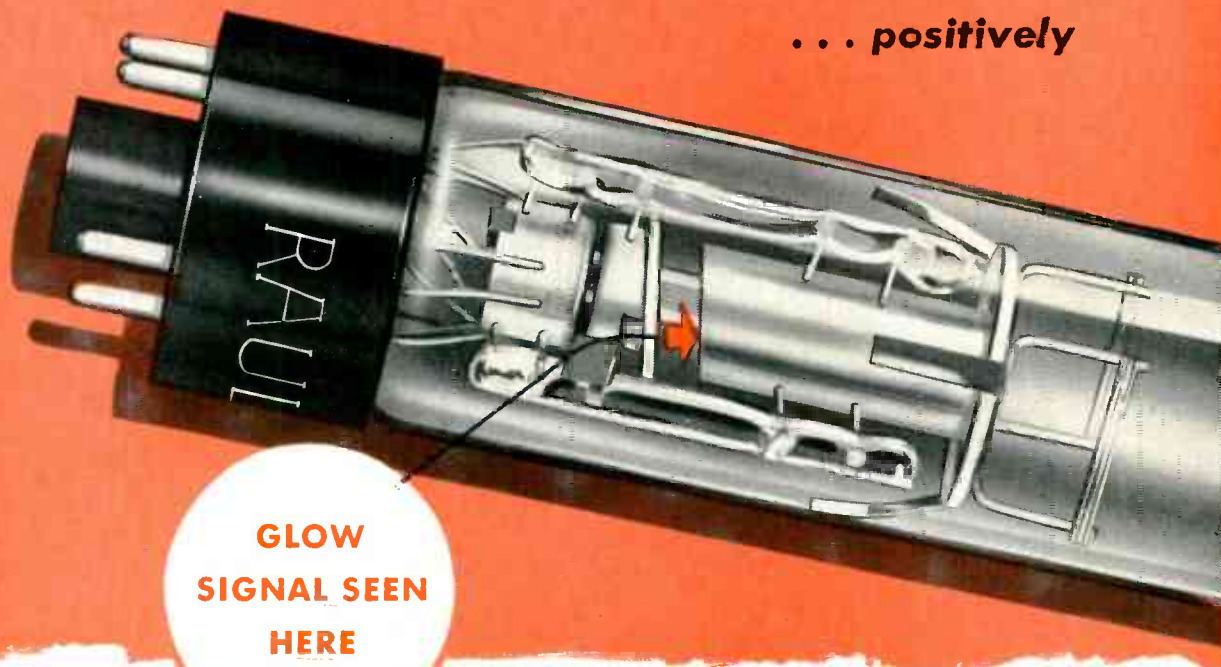
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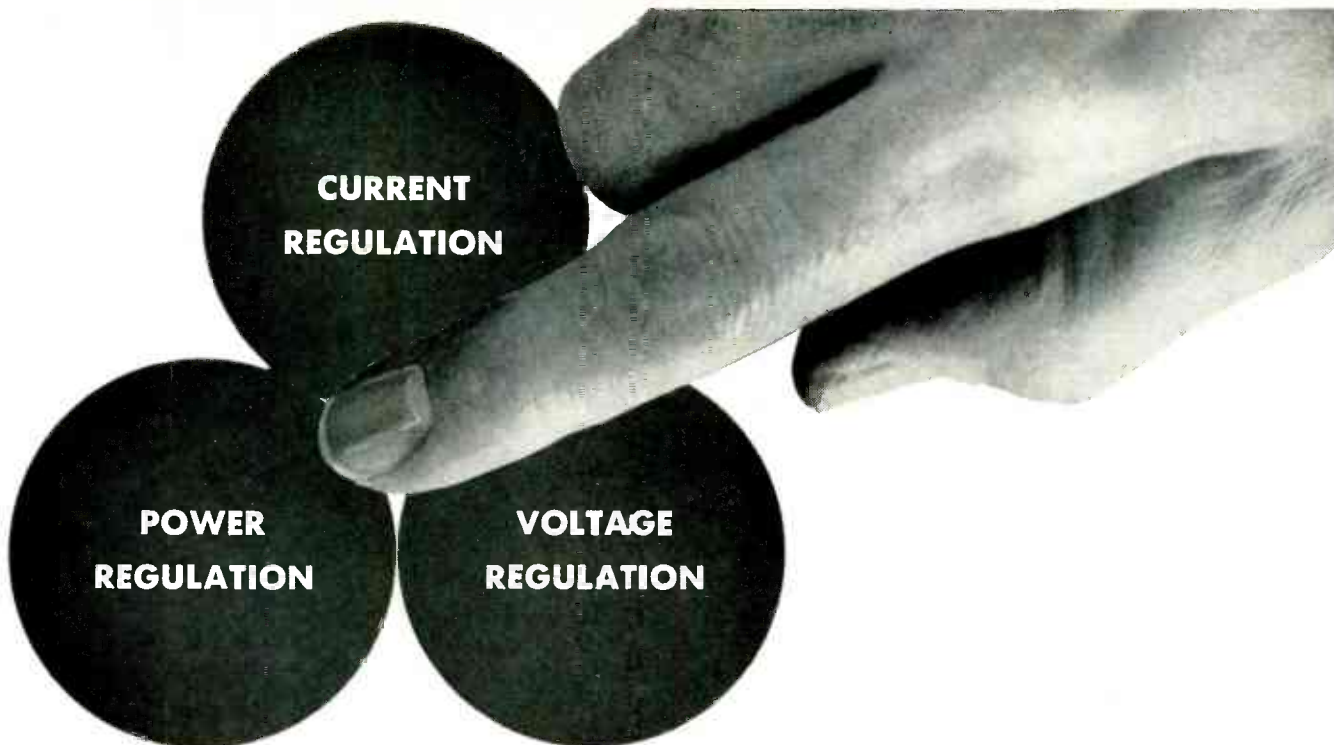


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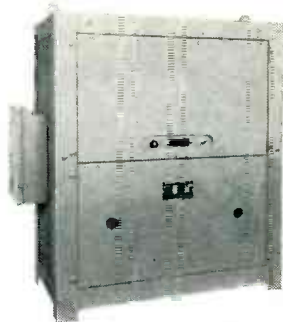
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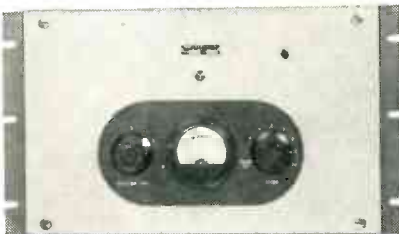


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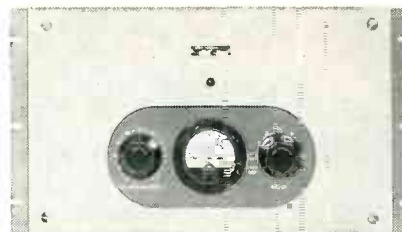
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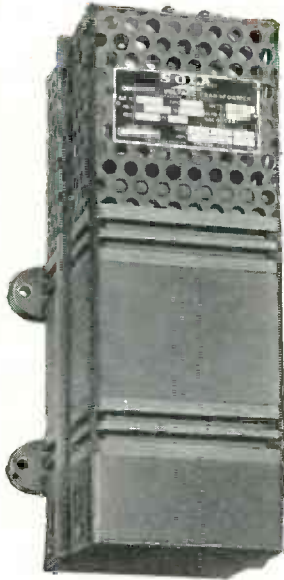
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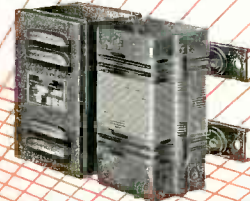
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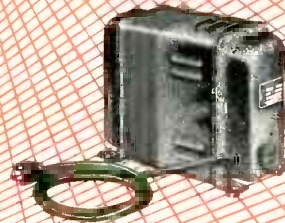
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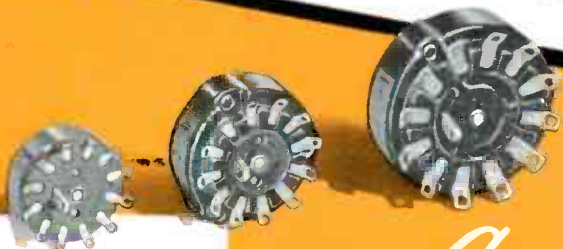
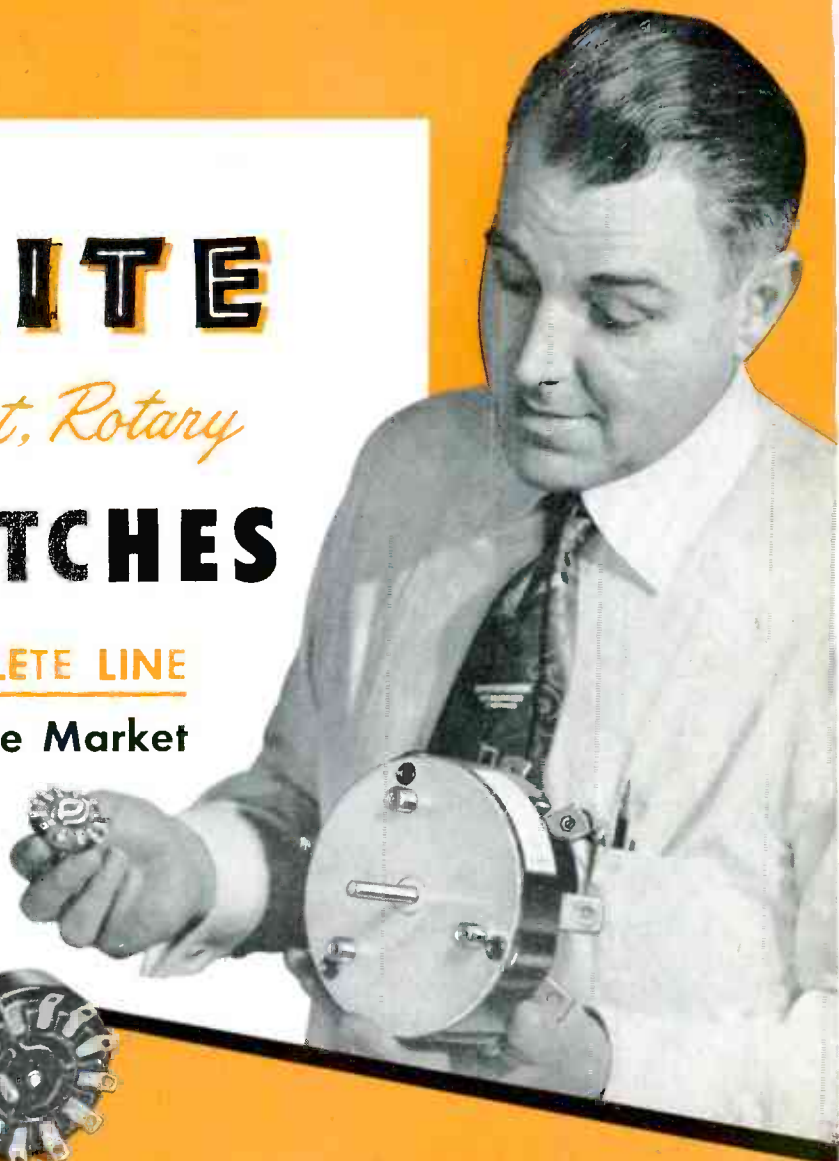


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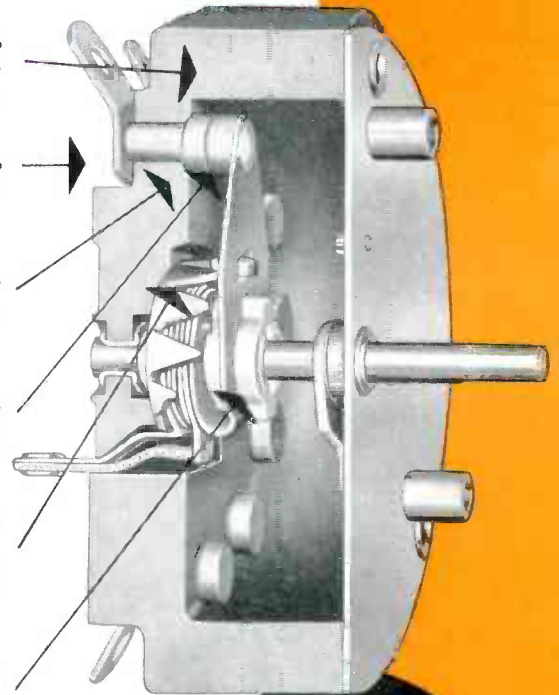
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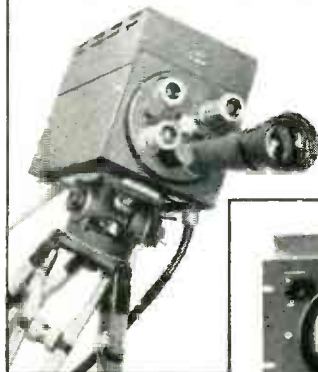
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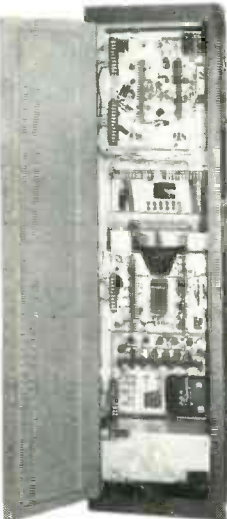
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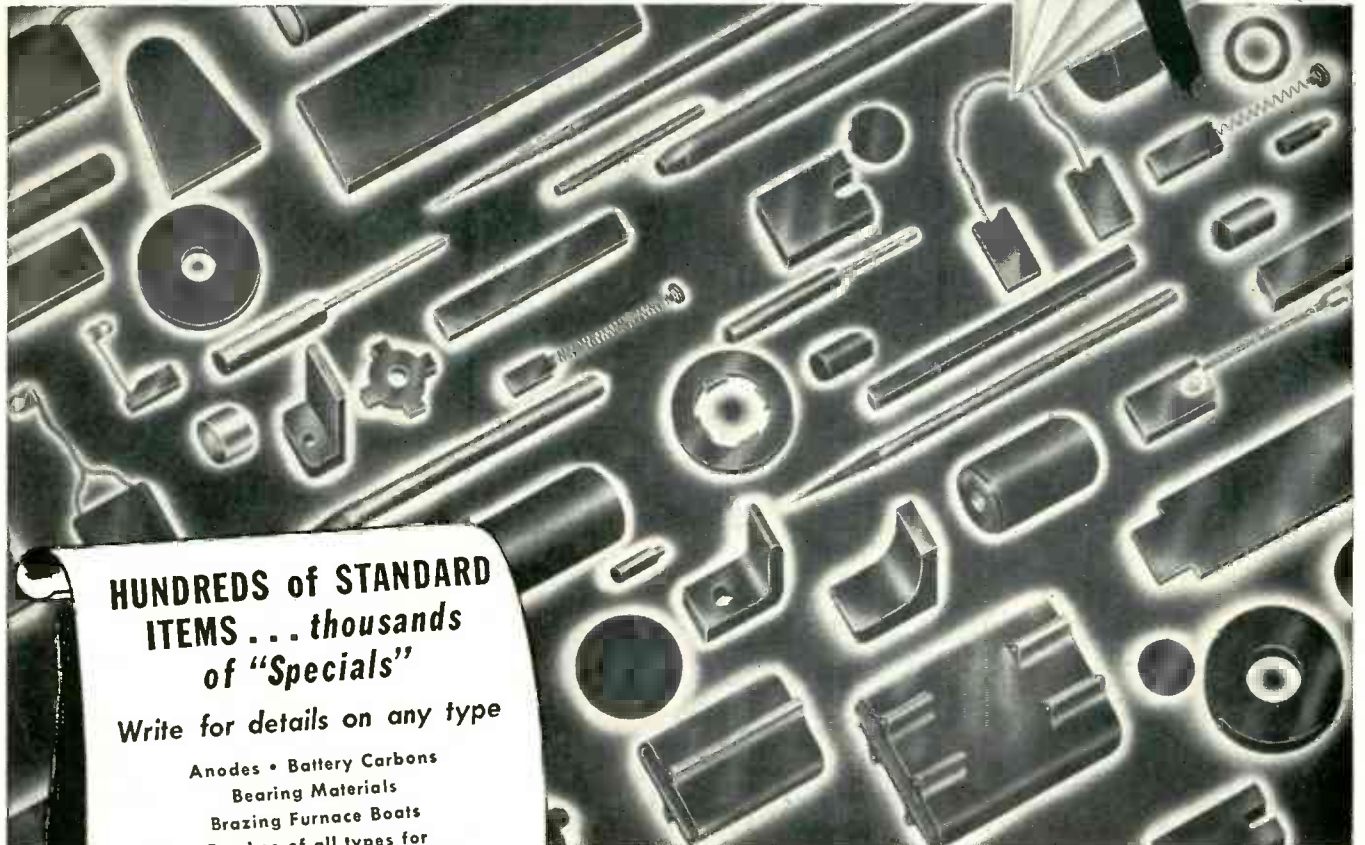
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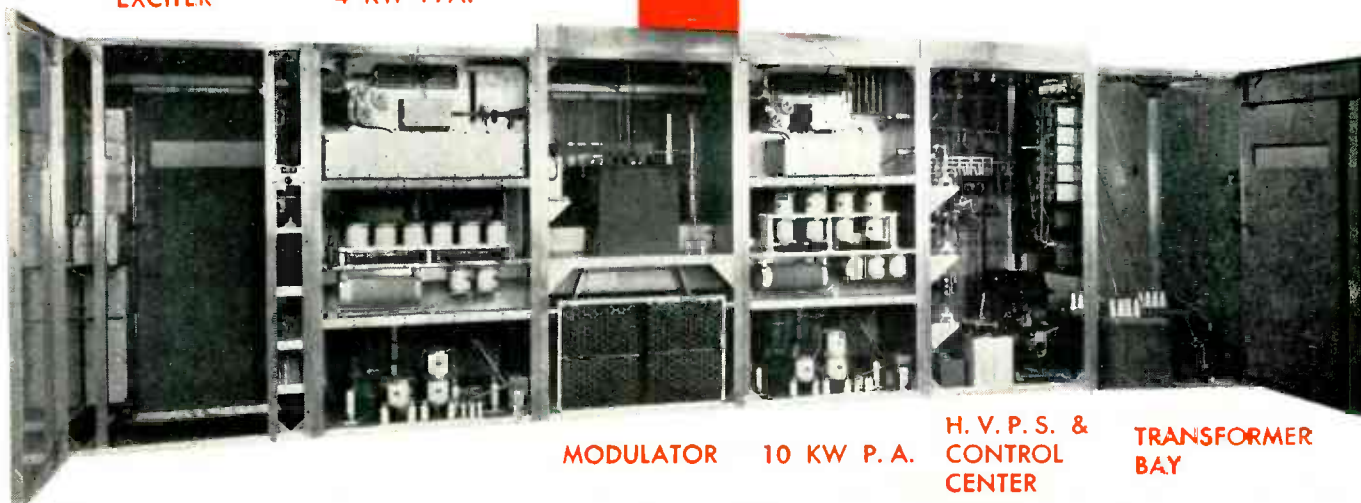
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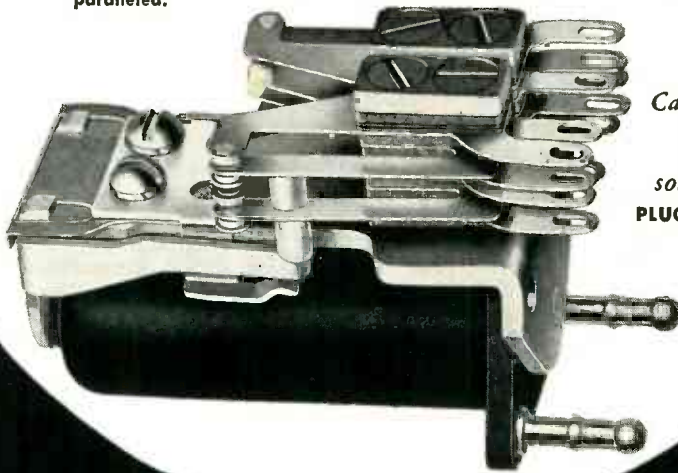
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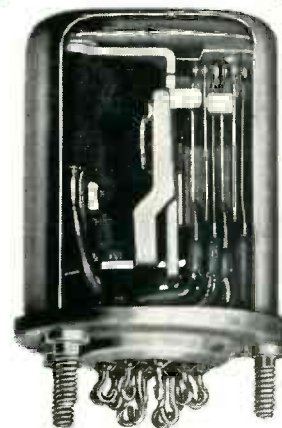
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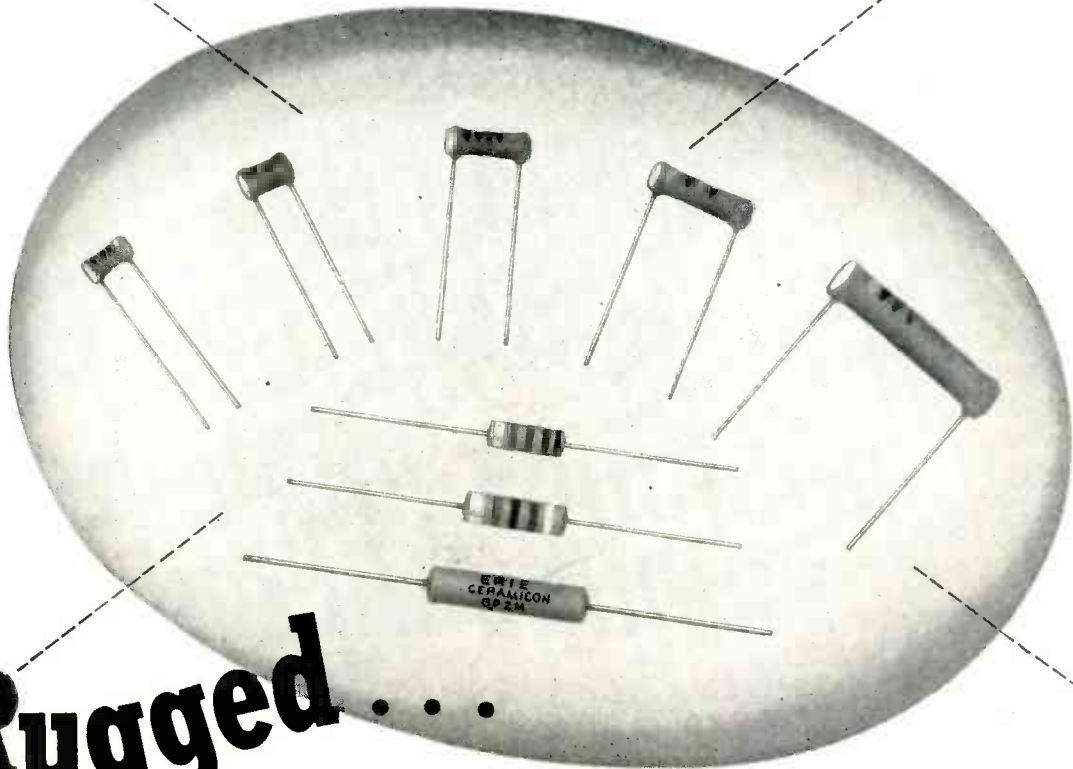
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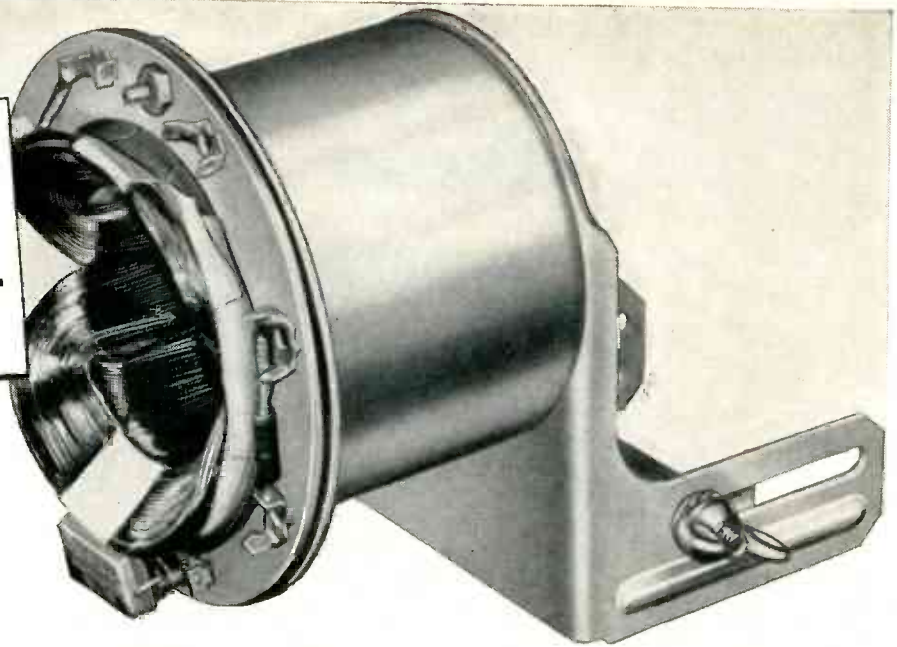
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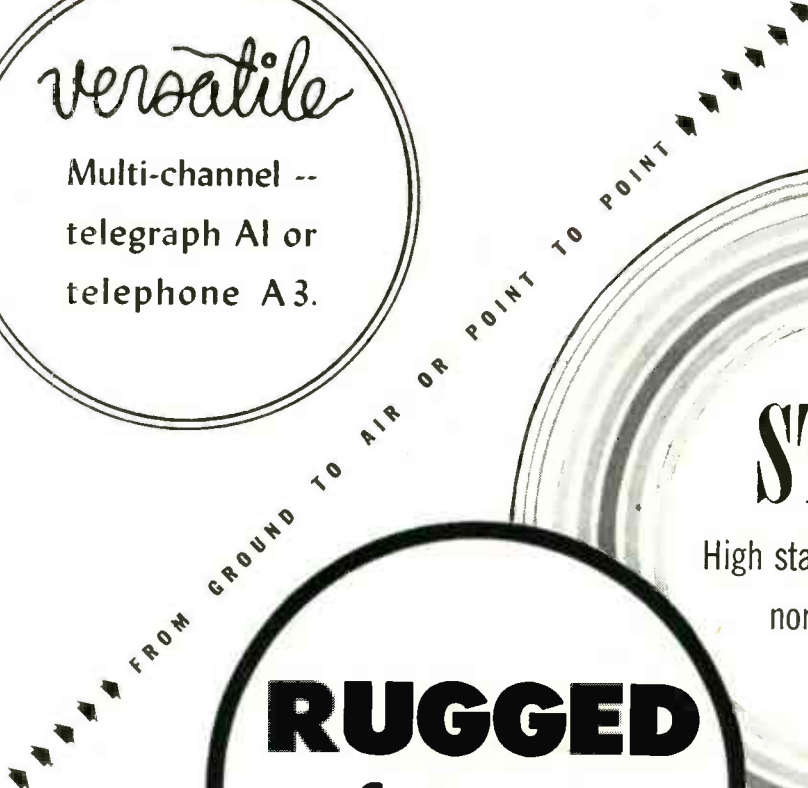
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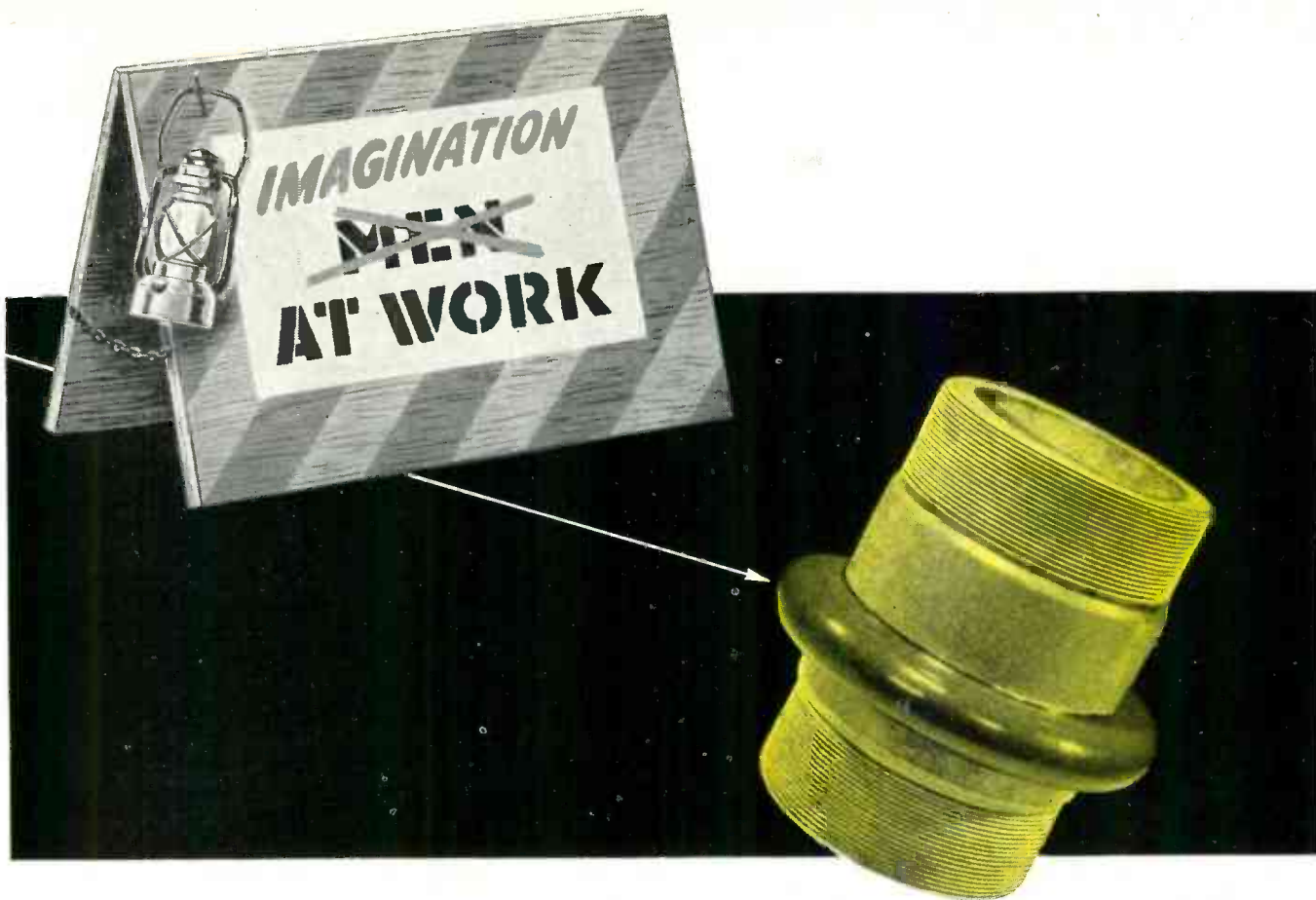
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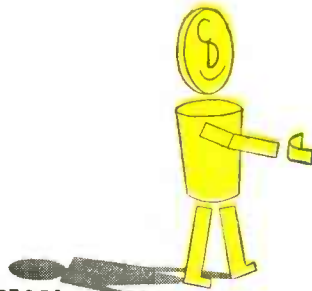




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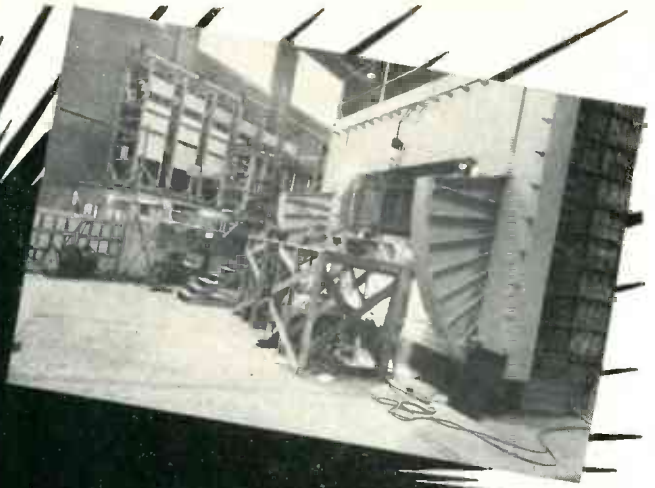
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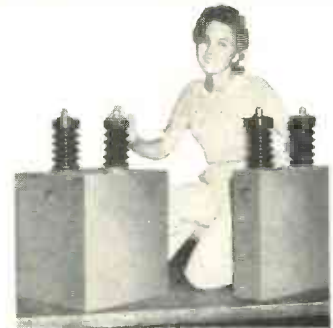
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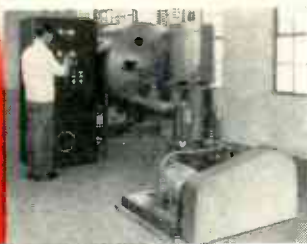
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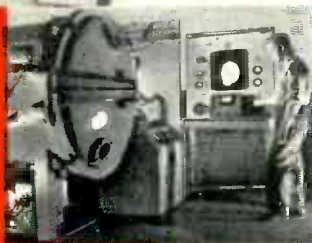
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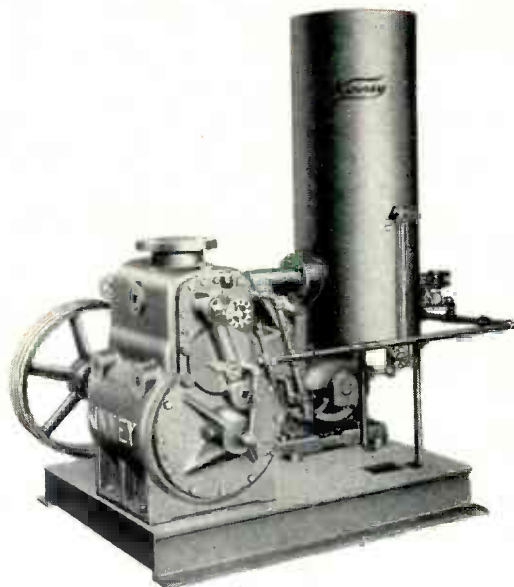


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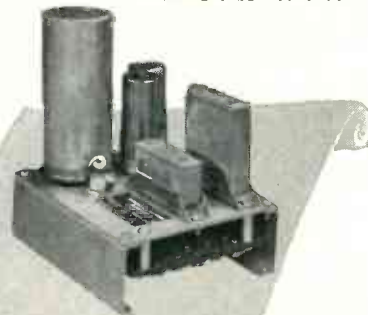
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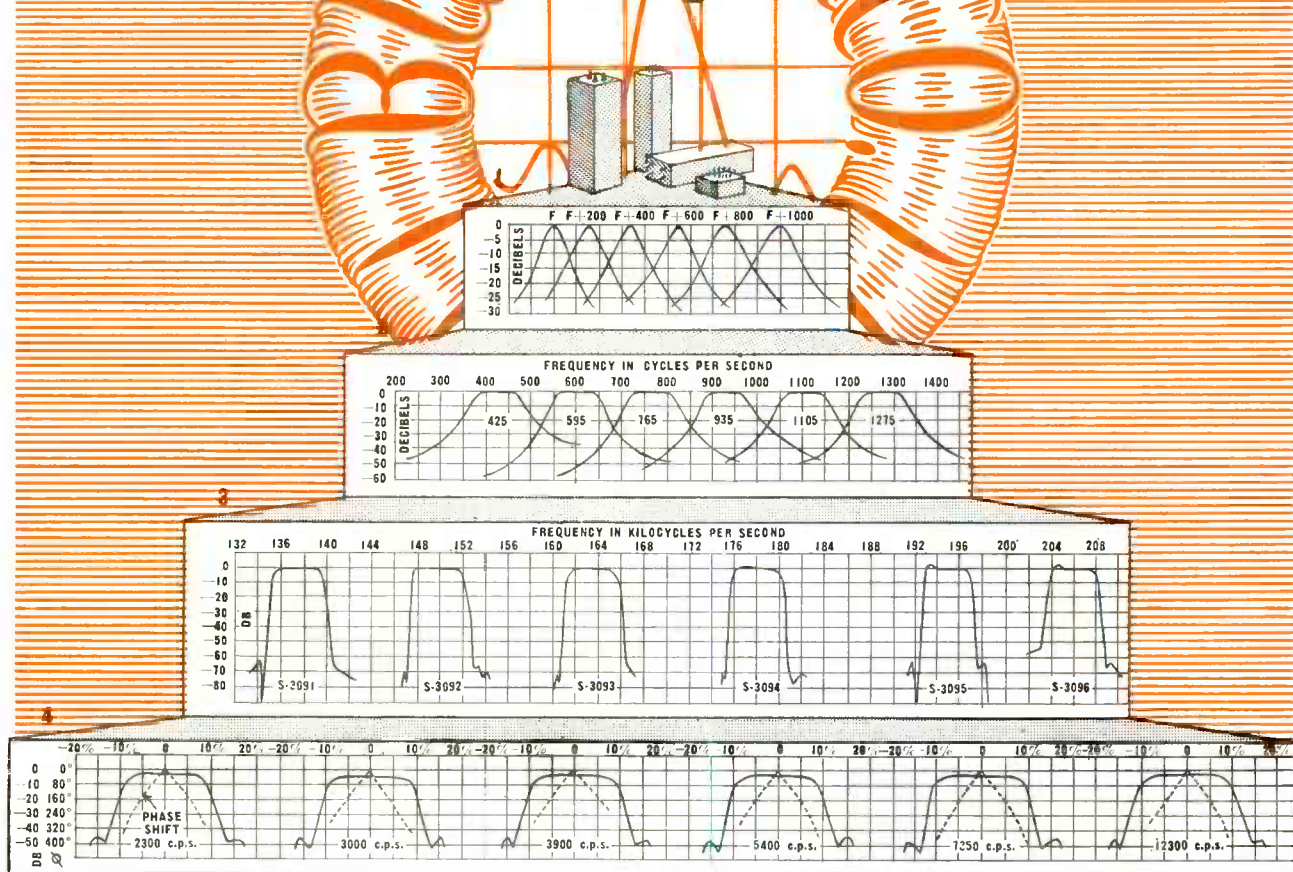


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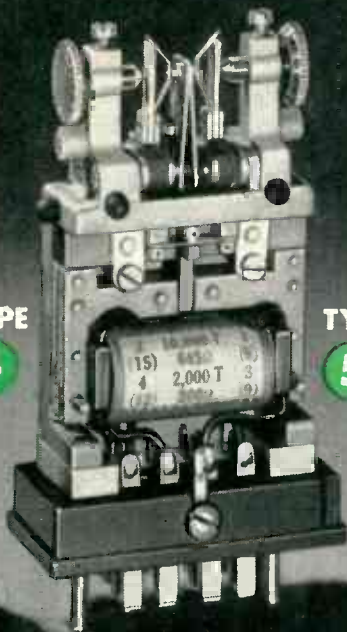
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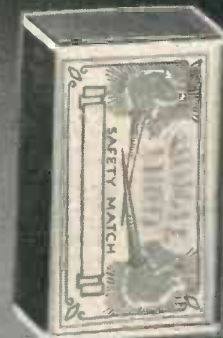
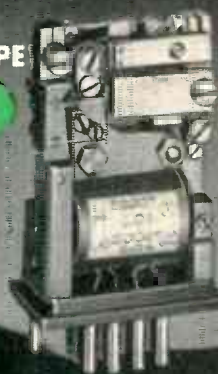
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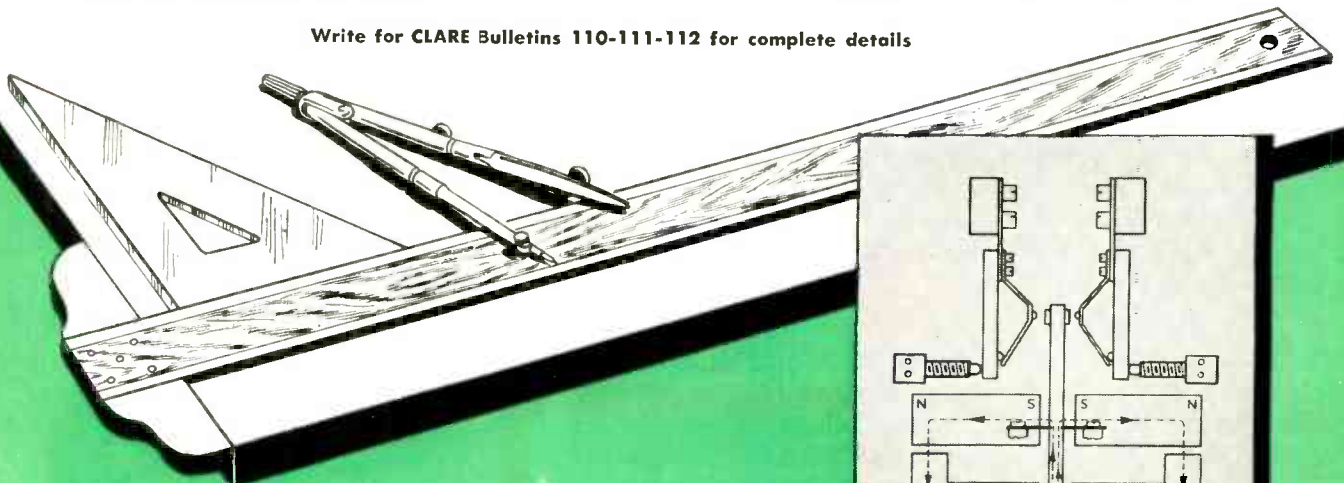
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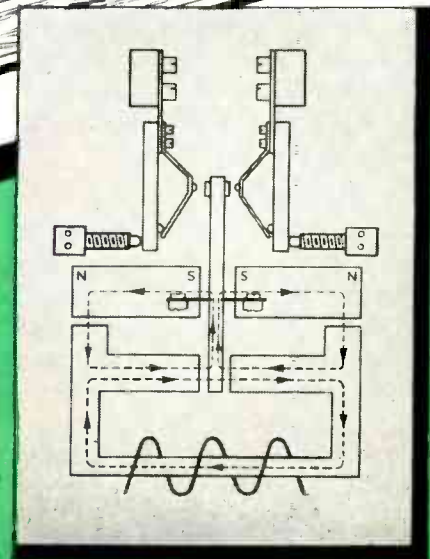
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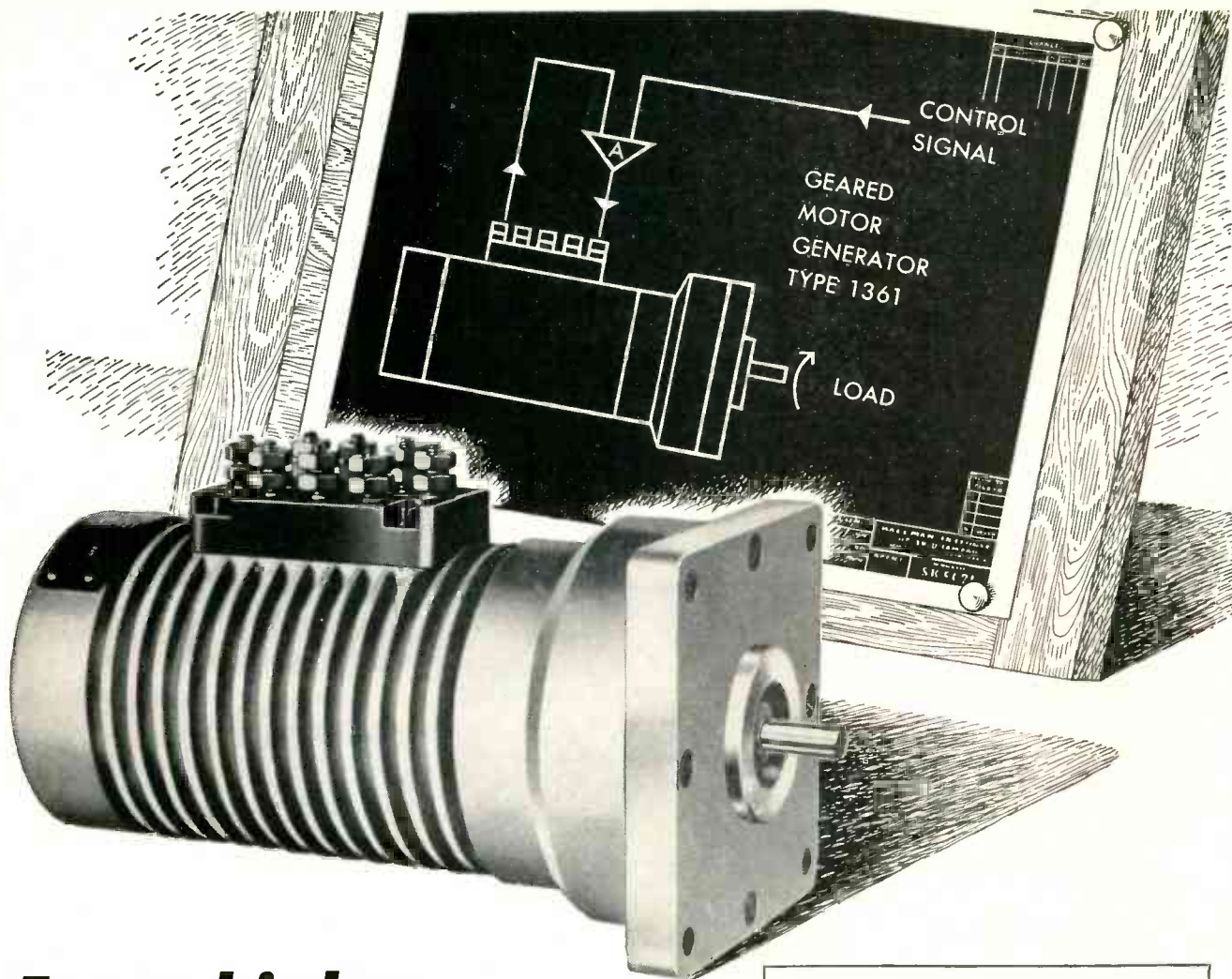


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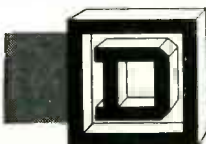
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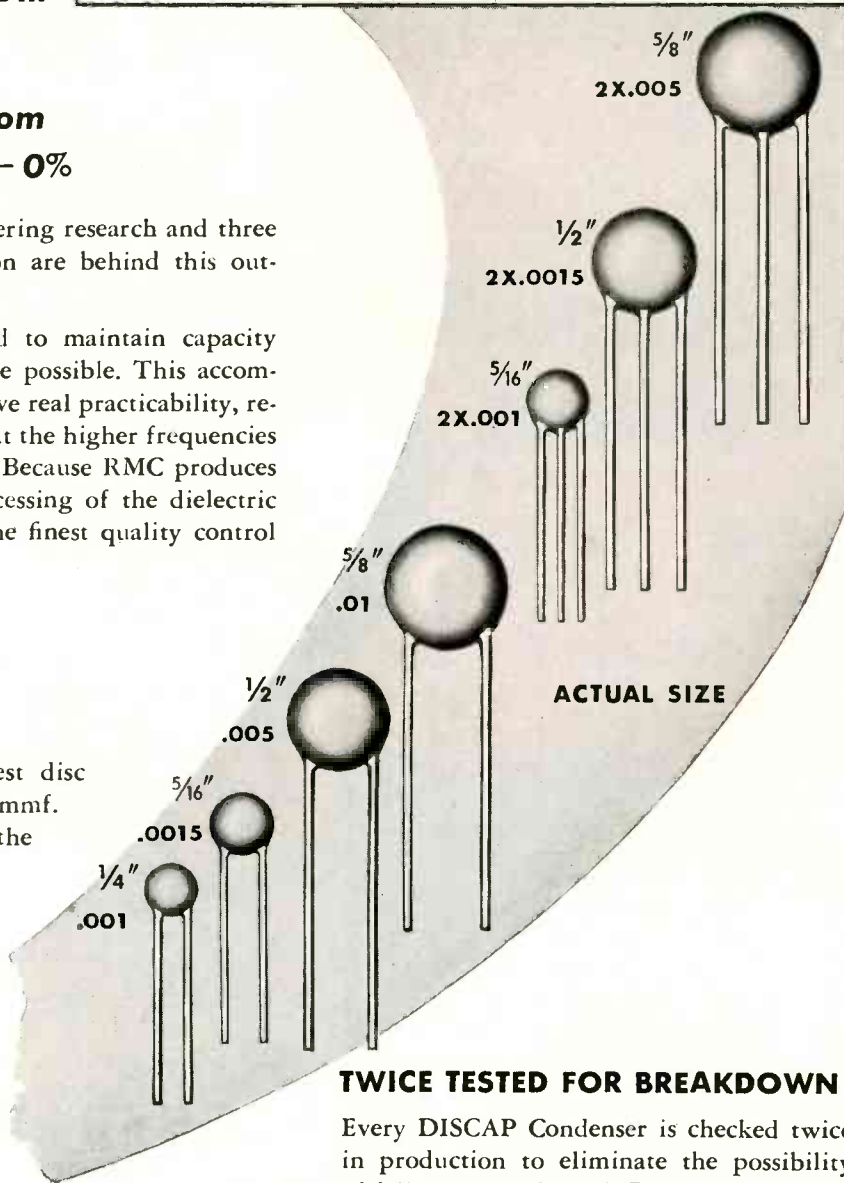
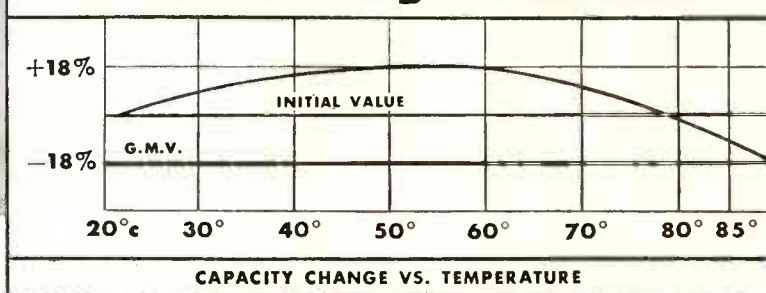
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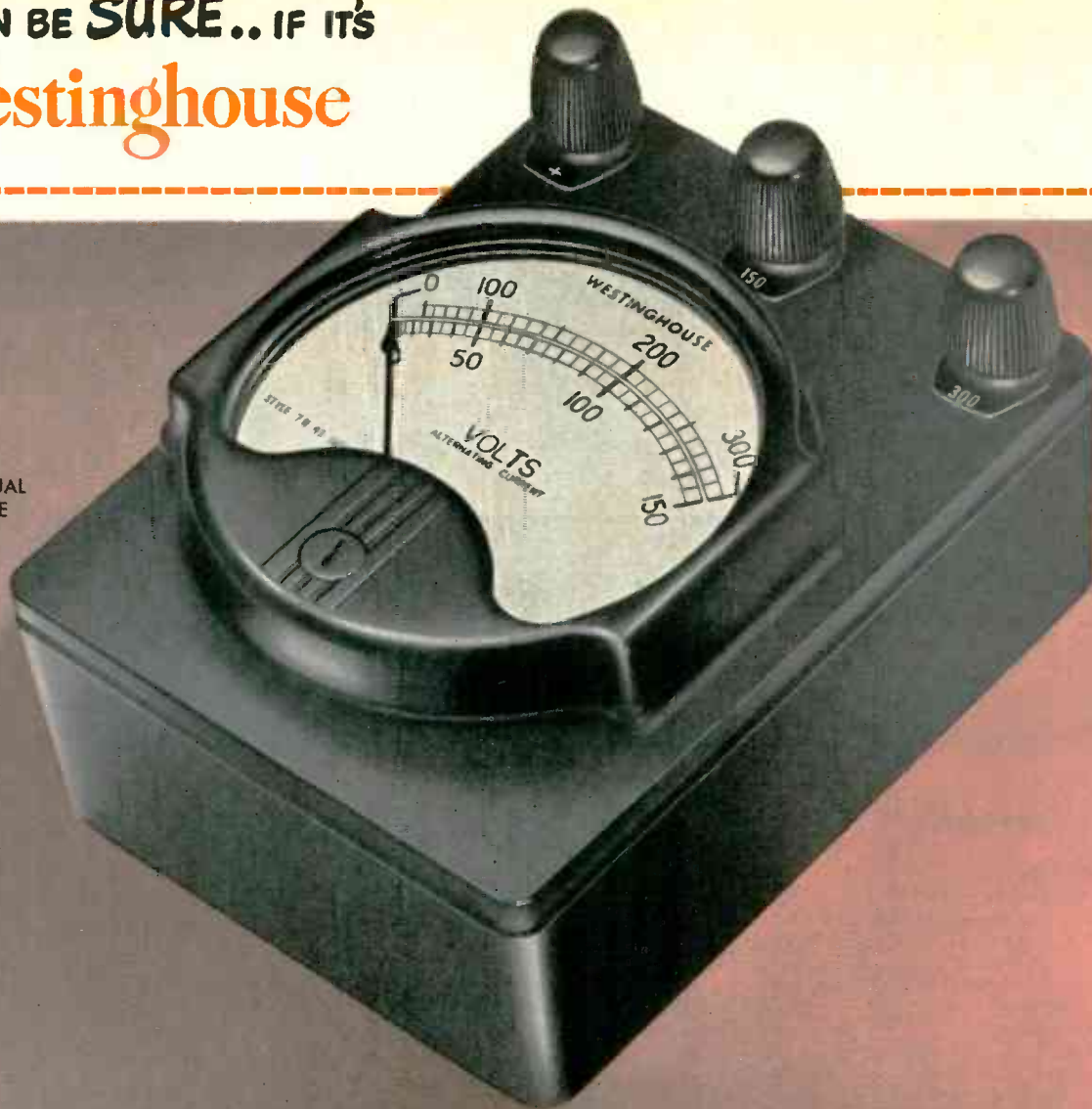
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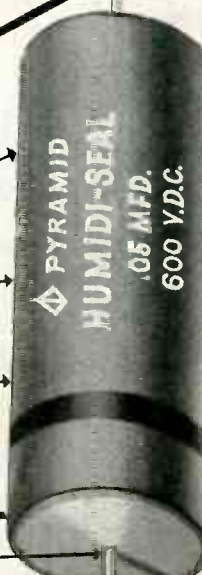
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# BUSINESS BRIEFS

By W. W. MacDONALD

Californians are always optimistic about the future of their State, and apparently it does not take long for a newcomer to acquire the habit.

Cledo Brunetti, who until recently was with the National Bureau of Standards but is now with Stanford Research Institute, said in a recent speech that because western industry does not have to worry too much about amortizing investments made long ago it is likely to adopt automatic control equipment more rapidly than industry in other sections of the country.

He also said that the west is just beginning to realize its electronics production potential, and that it will not be long before it will be manufacturing most of its own component parts.

Receiving-Type Tube failures accounted for 38.5 percent of the unscheduled equipment removals by Piedmont Airlines in 1949. Supervisor of Radio Maintenance W. D. Rollick sees some hope of improvement, however, as the type 5654 tube appears to have a figure of merit of 1,200 compared to the 50-hour life expectancy of the original commercial 6AK5 after which it was modelled.

Large Tubes of the transmitting and industrial type have had their lives extended quite materially, particularly since the war. We saw one the other day that has been upgraded by the manufacturer from 1,000 to 7,000 hours in the last five years.

Speaking Of Industrial Tubes, the trend seems to be toward metal and ceramics. There are three reasons: (1) better heat dissipation, (2) lower costs and (3) more rugged appearance.

The Amateur Market has been a disappointment to many component-part manufacturers so far this year. Possible explanations include tv, the continued availability of surplus gear and a grow-

ing tendency to buy manufactured equipment rather than to build.

Any other reasons occur to you?

Radio-Phono-Tele Production in 1949 by RMA members was as follows:

	TYPE	%	Number
Electric			
Table (under \$12.50 billing price)		10.09	1,025,488
Table (over \$12.50 billing price)			
A-M		15.77	1,601,814
A-M/F-M		4.53	459,883
F-M (including converters)		.31	31,840
Consoles		.04	4,286
A-M		.13	13,271
A-M/F-M			
Table-Radio-Phonos			
A-M		1.51	153,118
AM/F-M		.01	1,241
Console-Radio-Phonos			
A-M		.83	84,722
A-M/F-M		3.63	369,270
Battery			
Portable A-C/D-C		11.57	1,175,056
Table		.54	55,003
Consoles			
Auto		22.56	2,291,884
Television			
Table Models			
Without Radio		14.20	1,442,494
Table Models			
With Radio			
Console or Consolette			
Without Radio		7.84	795,982
Console or Consolette			
With Radio			
Radio-Phonos		1.73	175,421
Phonographs			
Phono only		1.79	181,351
With radio attachment		2.92	296,967
TOTAL		100.00	10,159,091

Production of radios, phonographs and television sets by months was:

January	8.22%
February	7.09
March	8.88
April	7.19
May	6.86
June	6.90
July	4.31
August	8.05
September	7.96
October	10.23
November	13.53
December	10.18

Popocatepetl Crash of a Mexican airliner last September kicked up sufficient fuss in the country to cause its Congress to recommend immediate modernization of navigation equipment and systems. Funds for the job will probably be voted at the present session, and much of the money will go for electronic apparatus.

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**Television Picture-Tube** sales by RMA members to equipment manufacturers totalled 3,305,673 valued at \$92,402,520 in 1949.

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**Receiving-Tube Sales** by RMA members totalled 198,753,295 in 1949, 5.9 million under the previous year. Sales to original equipment makers were up more than a million, government purchases nearly doubled those of 1949 and exports showed only a slight decline, but replacement sales fell off sharply.

Language of electronics is difficult enough to keep up with. And now comes the language of the guided-missile field. Selected, for one reason or another, from a glossary of 752 terms defined by the Department of Defense are the following:

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BABBLE  
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Honest Injun, we made up not a single one.

**Speaking Of Missiles**, identification of American types is easy if you are hep to the code system, and if you can get close enough to read the markings on the things while still retaining your liberty and health.

The prefix letter X means *exper-*



imental, Y means *under service test*, and Z means *obsolete*. Then comes a dash.

In the next group of three letters the first designates the launching point of the missile, the second tells where it is going and the third, the letter M, merely means that it is a guided missile. The letter A stands for *air*, S means *surface*, and U means *underwater*. Then another dash.

The next letter designates the service branch by which the missile is used, A for *Air Force*, G for *Army*, and N for *Navy*. Dash.

The final number and letter indicates the model. A lower-case letter "a" means first modification, a lower-case "b" second modification. Thus X-UAM-N-3b would denote an experimental underwater-to-air guided missile used by the Navy, model 3 with a second modification.

If You Noticed last month that our front cover looked different it was because of that color strip down the left side. We blush to admit that we made up a beautiful and expensive set of plates that were perfect in every respect except for the fact that the picture had been turned just 90 degrees out of phase!

So we sawed up the plates and put in the color strip to take care of the altered dimensions. Wouldn't surprise us at all if we received compliments for the change of pace despite the fact that it was the result of a near miss.

In February (p 63) we noted that a new book titled "Natural History" would be printed with ink giving off the odor of pine forests, called for suggestions suitable for ELECTRONICS.

Rosamund Cruikshank of Portsmouth, N. H. suggests "Chan(n)el No. 5." Leon A. Wortman of Fairchild Recording suggests the odor of melting pitch ("Nothing makes an electronic engineer sit up and take notice faster.") Warren L. Holmen of Minneapolis thinks we might use "the odor that steals into the consciousness a short time after one unknowingly kicks the soldering iron from its stand while repairing a neighbor's console."

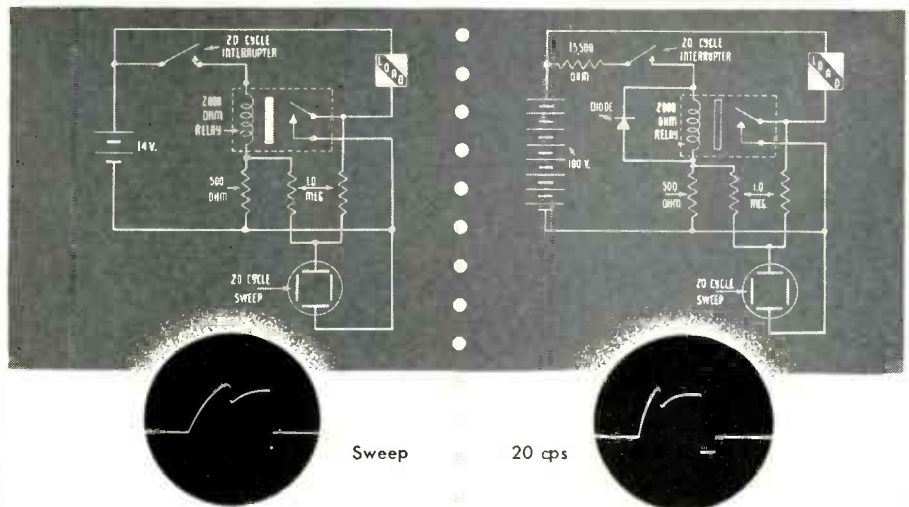
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Here are two test circuits. In each case, the same relay is used, the coil current is the same and the oscillogram shows the operating time.



### IN THIS CASE —

The oscillogram shows a gradual rise of coil current, based on the signal derived across the 500 ohm resistor. The first downward step is caused when the relay contact in closing grounds the load and removes some of the input voltage from the scope. Reverse curvature in the trace is due to back emf induced in the relay winding by the armature motion. The next and much larger downward step is the result of opening coil circuit by the interrupter. The small dot at its lower end indicates the delay in breaking the load circuit, after which the trace moves upward from reappearance of voltage across open contacts. The whole cycle shows a substantial operating delay, and a period of contact closure much shorter than that in which voltage is applied to the coil.

### HERE HOWEVER —

Although the final relay current is identical, as is the relay, it is obvious that the electrical time constant is much shorter, the current rises faster, and the contacts close sooner. Another "wrinkle" has been introduced in the diode shown across the coil. It is polarized so as not to pass battery current; but upon interruption of the circuit, it provides a low impedance path for dissipation of the stored energy in the relay, which in the other case was dissipated in an arc at the interrupter contacts at high voltage without significant current flow. In this case, the current flow is appreciable and holds the relay on for a considerable length of time.

Not only is the relay now much faster, but the contacts are now closed for a time approximately equal to that during which the coil is energized.

Thus it is evidently difficult to state operating time of a relay unless circuit conditions are prescribed — and this is no academic qualification. (Those wishing to duplicate the above displays will recognize that the two resistors shown as 1.0 megohm should be varied to give a desirable relative magnitude to the two signals, and may in fact take the form of a potentiometer.)



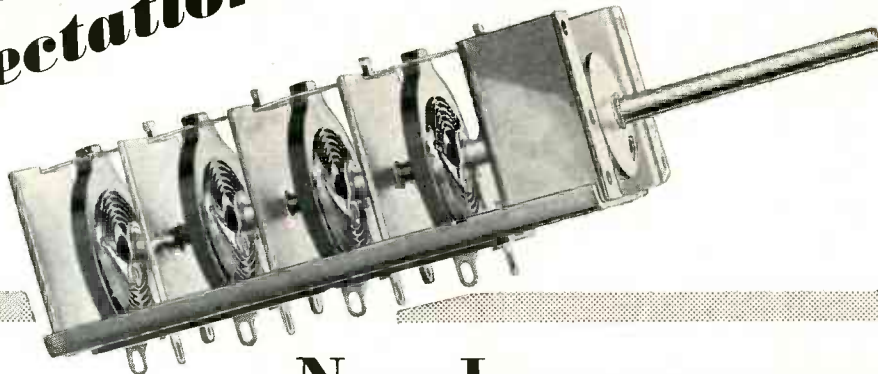
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## CROSS TALK

**1930** . . . Anniversaries after thirty are easiest to take if they are ignored. But *ELECTRONICS* is only twenty years old this issue, so let's get on with it.

When a magazine turns the corner of another decade, its editors turn their attention to their longtime friends, the charter subscribers. Five thousand such friends got copies of the first volume, in 1930. Of these, our records show 423 have never left us, even for a single issue. To these, and other long-term supporters of our efforts, we feel an accounting is due. Perhaps the new recruits will find the record worth recounting.

The charter subscriber who has renewed his subscription regularly at the one-year rate has paid \$91 for the issues of this magazine to date. If he took advantage of the special charter subscriber rate, and has since renewed every three years, at the three-year rate, he got the service at the rock-bottom price of \$60.

What did such a friend and supporter get for his money? He got a total of 43,700 printed pages, 15,700 of which were devoted wholly to editorial material. If he binds his volumes, text and advertising, he has a shelf-full 6½ feet long. The editorial content of 20 years, reduced to 400-page volumes of standard textbook size, fills the equivalent of 80 volumes of technical information. These he got

for 75 cents each. On the same basis, the advertising pages constitute 150 volumes—a truly encyclopedic commercial history of the electronic arts. Charter advertisers are still with us, too. Of the 74 charter advertisers still in business, 56 appeared in these pages in 1949.

So much for quantity. What about the quality? We feel satisfied that a good job has been done, but that's only a personal opinion. Several facts stand out. The average net paid circulation has increased from 5,092, in the six-month period ending December 1930, to 30,884 for the same period in 1949. The renewal percentage (an editor's bogey, having about the same force as the  $g_m$  of a 6AG5 has for the quality-control engineer, namely, you keep it up, or else) has followed the economic fortunes of business, but through the 20 years it has consistently bettered par for the course. It would appear, therefore, that reader acceptance is reasonably high.

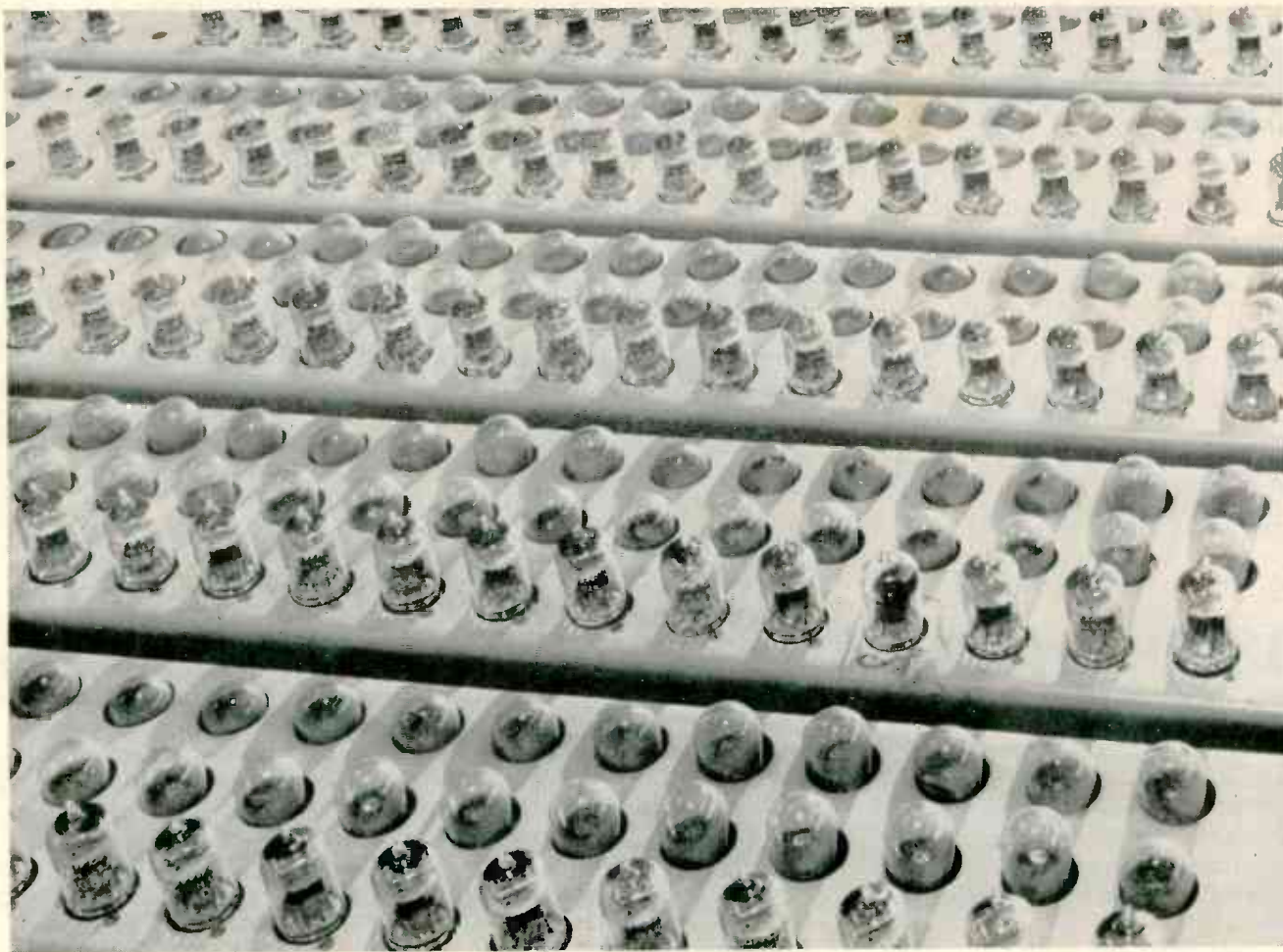
One thing is certain. The field of electronics has grown rapidly, and the load on the staff has kept pace. In 1933, it took only 354 editorial pages to cover the electronic developments of that depression year. In 1946, when we were busy publishing the huge backlog of copy stored during the war, it took 1,319 pages. Last year, things having settled down to a steady roar, it took 1,247 pages.

The staff has grown in proportion. Initially three men and a

girl, and for one brief period reduced by sickness to two men and no girl, the editorial staff now comprises nine editors and three attractive young ladies. The editorial turnover has not been high. One editor has been with us since the beginning, and of the 18 editors whose names have appeared on the masthead at one time or another, half are still at their desks.

That is the factual record. But no recital of facts and figures can reflect the great sense of excitement, the sense of participating in a vital and fascinating profession, in a great and burgeoning industry, that has buoyed up the staff throughout these twenty years. Memories are many: The private preview of a new art at dinner in Major Armstrong's home two days before he presented his famous paper on f-m in 1935. Being hauled up before the IRE Board of Directors for scooping the *Proceedings* on the orthicon in 1939. The gratified smile on Claude Shannon's face as he handed us the corrected proofs of our report on his famous theory of noise and bandwidth in communication. These memories, and a hundred others like them, mirror the past.

As for the future, our feelings are no different. We have the same feeling of excitement that comes from dealing with active men in a vital field, the same eager anticipation for the new developments to come. . . . **1950**



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**T**HE PROGRESS of the electronic art through the past two decades has been of such magnitude it is difficult to assess in technical terms. The applications in communications, in industry, in applied science and in medicine are so various, that even to list them is a formidable task. It is simpler to cast the review in terms of the common denominator of all electronic development, the electron tube itself.

When this magazine was first published, in April 1930, electron tubes had been in existence for a quarter of a century, dating back to the Fleming diode valve in 1905. In that quarter century many of the basic types had made their appearance: the triode in 1907, tetrodes in 1927, and r-f and power pentodes in 1929. X-ray tubes were in wide use, and cathode-ray tubes were available, although not yet widely used in oscilloscopes. Gas-filled rec-

tifiers were in use, and the thyratron was announced in 1928. The two-plate magnetron and the dynatron had been invented. Work was under way on the iconoscope, but it had not been publicly announced. As of 1930, there the list ended.

It is not surprising, therefore, that the complete list of tubes considered to be of interest to amateurs in 1930 comprised only 41 types. The 1930 edition of the "Radio Amateurs Handbook" contained a tabulation of 11 receiving tubes, 19 transmitting tubes, 8 rectifiers and 3 current regulators. In 1930, active tubes listed in the "RCA Tube Handbook" totalled 59: 25 receiving types, 32 transmitting types and 2 others.

Those were the good old days! The 1950 edition of the ARRL Handbook lists 1,189 types, an increment of 28 new tubes for every one listed in 1930. The active tubes in the RCA list doubled in number

every five years until 1940, and have nearly doubled again since then. There are 689 types in the HB-3 catalog as of 1950. This represents in 20 years, an increase of nearly 12 times in the output of one company alone.

The cumulative record of tube development throughout the years, in all countries, is beyond estimation. But some idea of the proliferation in tube design can be derived from the listings of the 1949 "International Radio Tube Encyclopedia," which encompasses most of the tube-type designations, in nine classifications, manufactured throughout the world. The total is 10,424 tube types! An accompanying table gives the details of this prodigious record. Note that it contains 80 different types of tuning indicators, 787 cathode-ray tube types, and 4,891 receiving tubes.

Production of tubes has reached well into the billions. Well over



# ELECTRON TUBES

## 1930 TO 1950

The history of electronics revolves around tubes. Two decades have seen the marketing of over 10,000 types, worldwide production approaching five billion units, and over thirty major advances in design

three billion receiving tubes have been made in the U.S.A. alone. Receiving-tube sales averaged about 50 million annually from 1930 to 1935. Since the war the rate has been 200 million or more annually. During the war even higher figures were reached. One series alone, the proximity-fuze tubes, achieved a total production of 130 million.

### **Technical Advances in Tubes**

So much for tube types and production. Of greater interest to engineers are the technical advances revealed in new electron-tube principles.

During the past twenty years, no fewer than 34 electron tubes essentially new in principle have appeared. These represent no mere changes in envelope, basing or heater voltage; they are basic advances. First on the list is Stuart Ballantine's variable-mu tube. Last is the electron coupler, described to readers of this journal only last month. Included in the list are the whole family of television camera tubes, from iconoscope and image dissector to image orthicon; the electron accelerators from cyclotron to betatron and synchrotron; all the electron multipliers; the electron optical tubes, electron microscope and infrared image converter; all the uhf and shf family, from klystron and resnatron to the cavity magnetron. Included also are such workhorses as the beam-power tetrode.

Along with these new ways of

controlling free electrons to perform new tasks, steady progress has occurred in mechanical structure to make tubes more rugged and reliable, more efficient in the use of filament and plate power, more comprehensive in frequency range. Part of this mechanical effort has led to changes in envelopes and basing practice. Typical trend is the jargon of the bases: octal, loctal, noval, magnal, duodecal and diheptal. Some tubes have "gone small" and others are enormous, from the miniatures and subminiatures on the one hand to the recently announced 500-kilowatt triode on the other.

### **I—The Electron Image**

Certain trends are discernible in the roster of the new tube principles and structures. In view of the present status of television, one of the most important of these trends is that based on the electron image. The basic idea of creating and storing a pattern of electrons which corresponds point for point with an optical image goes back to the suggestion of Campbell-Swinton in 1908, but a practical embodiment was not publicly described until 1933, when Zworykin gave his paper on the iconoscope before the IRE at Chicago. Concurrently, the concept of the electron image had been used by Farnsworth in the development of his image dissector, which he first described before the Franklin Institute in 1934.

At about the same time, the elec-

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tric-optical researches of Knoll and Ruska led to the development of the electron microscope. In 1936, the "electron telescope", an image converter which translates directly from infrared to visible light, was announced. In 1939 came the orthicon, a low-electron-velocity version of the iconoscope, and in 1945 the image orthicon. This latter device, considered by many to be the crowning achievement of electron tube development, employs the principle of electron multiplication, itself developed as late as 1934, to achieve sensitivity to light surpassing the fastest photographic film.

### The International Record to 1949

(Tube Types listed in "International Radio Tube Encyclopedia")

Radio Receiving .....	4,891
Triode Transmitting .....	1,598
Rectifiers .....	1,468
Cathode-Ray .....	787
Tetrode and Pentode Transmitting .....	533
Regulator and Control .....	450
Thyratrons .....	333
Phototubes .....	284
Tuning Indicators .....	80
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>10,424</b>

Last year, a new storage tube was briefly described which equals the sensitivity of the eye.

### II—The Electron Group

Early tubes were designed on the basis of collecting the electron current at the plate of the tube, thus transforming the space current directly into a conduction current in the circuit attached to the plate. But, with the development of the magnetron, a wholly new means of extracting the energy from electrons was conceived. This consisted of whirling, or otherwise moving, a group of electrons past electrodes with which they did not actually make contact, and relying on the field of force surrounding the electron groups to induce current in the electrodes. This principle was put to work in the early magnetron and

its modern progeny, the cavity magnetron. It has appeared in different forms in many other high-frequency tubes, including the klystron and the traveling-wave tube.

The electron-induction principle has been applied in reverse in one of the most important groups of machines in modern technology, the particle accelerators of nuclear science. Starting with the cyclotron in the early thirties, charged particles have been whirled at speeds approaching that of light, and at energies approaching a billion electron volts, in successive variations of the cyclotron principle; the f-m cyclotron, the betatron, the synchrotron and the bevatron.

So far as frequency of operation is concerned, the electron-grouping technique is clearly responsible for the extension of radio transmission and reception to the region above 1,000 mc, although triode structures have penetrated above this limit in a few cases. Part of the technique has been the inclusion within the tube envelope of one or more tuned circuits, which receive their excitation from the passing groups. The most noteworthy example of the latter class in the cavity magnetron, which has extended the radio spectrum above 30,000 mc, and has achieved peak power levels of the order of megawatts at somewhat lower frequencies.

### III—Scaling Down

The urge toward higher frequencies has inspired designers to follow the obvious, but difficult, trail of reducing the size of tube structures and the spacing between elements. One of the first examples of this trend was the acorn tube, one type of which (the 6F4) is still rated as one of the best high-frequency triodes, operating up to 1,200 mc.

Just before the war, the button-stem miniature tube appeared. It was originally designed for personal portable radio receivers but was quickly appreciated as a true advance in high-frequency design. The disk-seal lighthouse tube followed, noteworthy for its integration with external cavities for tuned circuits. Still another form was the pencil triode. Subminiature tubes, initially designed for hearing aids, and later

adapted to the proximity fuze, have achieved exceptional high-frequency performance, coupled with low power consumption. The proximity-fuze tubes had not only to be small but also had to withstand tremendous mechanical shock, 20,000 times the acceleration of gravity in artillery applications.

### IV—Transconductance Up

A similar trend has affected the design of electrode structures, particularly as related to mutual conductance. The battery triodes prior to 1930 (UV199 and WD-11) were hardly distinguished by modern standards. Each had a mutual conductance less than 500 micromhos, and the power output tubes (112A and 71A) as well as the early pentodes (77 and 78) got no higher than 1,500 micromhos. With the advent of the heater-filament power pentode, and particularly when the beam-power tetrode appeared in 1936, conductances began to rise, reaching 6,000 micromhos in the 6L6 beam tetrode.

When wideband-amplifier design became important about 1936 with the advent of the 6-mc television channel, attention was directed toward combining high transconductance with low input and output capacitance. One of the early successes was the type 1852, later renamed 6AC7, which achieved a conductance of 9,000 micromhos, with an input-output capacitance sum of 16  $\mu\mu\text{f}$ . This type, with its remote-cutoff sister the 1853/6AB7, became the standard wideband i-f amplifier tube in early television receives.

Came the war and radar, and the need for better tubes forced still further reduction in cathode-grid spacing and finer control-grid windings. Button-stem tube construction was adapted to assist in high-speed production and from it came the 6AK5, a pentode with 5,000 micromhos conductance and a capacitance sum of only 6.8  $\mu\mu\text{f}$ . Putting this tube in high-speed production left many an engineer prematurely gray, but at the end of the war it was the most widely used wide-band tube. Too costly for post-war commercial television sets, it was replaced by a watered-down version known as the 6AG5.



The ultimate in the brute-force, or make-the-triode-do-it, school of design is the co-planar triode designed by the Bell Laboratories for microwave relays. This tube (BTL 1553) has a transconductance value of 5,000 micromhos, coupled with a capacitance sum of 10  $\mu\mu\text{f}$ . It will amplify at 4,000 mc, over a bandwidth of 60 to 80, with a gain of 4 to 6 db per stage. Old hands said this improbable tube was impossible to build on a production basis, but it's being built. The grid-cathode spacing is six ten-thousandths of an inch, the grid wires a third of a mil in diameter and wound 1,000 turns to the inch. Viewed on this scale the surface of an ordinary oxide cathode is mountainous; to make it plane, the surface is milled off as though it were a Johannsen block.

#### V—Photosensitivity

The phototubes have been in many respects a family apart, but that is not to say that the photosensitive designers have been inactive. Two main avenues of improvement have been followed: extension of the spectral responses toward the blue and ultraviolet, and vast increases in overall sensitivity.

In 1930, virtually the only photo-surface in wide use was the cesium-oxide-silver, or S-1 photoemitter, which displays an overwhelming preference for infrared radiation in the region of 8,000 Angstrom units. Five new surfaces now grace the handbooks (S-3, 4, 5, 8 and 9). All of these have essentially no infrared response, but have peaks in the blue region, or just over the border into the ultraviolet. Surface S-9 ex-

tends into the green region, and has a spectral distribution not markedly different from that of the eye. Taken together, these photoemitters, with various optical filters, can cover adequately the visible spectrum, and well into the infrared and ultraviolet.

As for sensitivity, use of the electron multiplier in phototubes affords an increase of the order of a million times. The 917 vacuum phototube, widely used before the war, has an average luminous sensitivity of 20 microamperes per lumen. The gas-filled phototube of similar vintage (type 868) hits about 90 microamperes per lumen. But the 931-A multiplier phototube, which dates from 1940 or thereabouts, hits an average sensitivity at full rating of 10 amperes per lumen, and an especially sensitive tube may reach 300 amperes per lumen. This tube will produce a signal just equal to the noise when the light falling on the photoemitter is 10 billionths of a lumen, i.e. it will register the light from a tallow candle at three miles. For the affluent, the 1P21 multiplier, at five times the price, goes down to half a billionth of a lumen. The catalog description of the latter

tube "for applications involving very low light levels" is something of an understatement.

#### VI—C-R Tubes in Job Lots

This review of tube progress must obviously conclude with the class of tube responsible for more vacuum than all other types combined, the cathode-ray picture tube. Here the improvements have been various: in the electron gun focus is now maintained over a wider range of beam current, and the first anode current has been markedly reduced. The negative ions are forcibly removed from the cathode-ray by the bent-gun or the inclined-slot gun, in conjunction with ion-trap magnets. Phosphors are more efficient and considerably more uniform than before the war. Phosphor coatings are of two kinds: aluminum behind the screen to increase luminous output and to control negative ions, and "blaxide" in front to take the extra brightness away and enhance contrast.

The evolution of the c-r tube envelope is preponderantly a post-war phenomenon, and the end seems not in sight. The super-heavy face plate has given way in the larger sizes to the metal-sided construction. The aspect ratio, in bondage for several years, seems about to be redeemed as the rectangular-faced tube makes its appearance. Not the least of the c-r tube accomplishments are the production and price figures attained. Over 3 million picture tubes were produced in 1949, and the manufacturer's price for a 16-inch tube had descended to \$29.00 as of April this year, about that for a 10-inch tube in 1947. Future progress, in these as well as other types of tubes, may be hard to describe. But it can be counted on.—D.G.F.

#### Evolution in One Company

(Active Types in the RCA Tube Handbooks)

	1930	1935	1940	1945	1950
Receiving .....	25	84	235	269	387
Transmitting .....	32	46	70	85	114
All Others .....	2	13	63	107	188
Total .....	59	143	368	461	689

#### American Tube Types

(As listed in the ARRL "Radio Amateurs Handbook")

Type	1930	1950
Receiving .....	11	584
Transmitting (to 1 kw) .....	19	302
Rectifiers .....	8	129
Cathode-Ray .....	..	65
Cavity Magnetrons .....	..	50
Control and Regulators .....	3	37
Klystrons .....	..	22
Total .....	41	1,189

# UHF TELEVISION

First experimental satellite station installed for long-term evaluation of uhf television reception. Standard transmitter, supplemented by cavity tripler and output stage, feeds slot antenna. Printed circuits used in adapter to convert standard receivers

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**T**HE ASSIGNMENT of uhf channels to television service can be intelligently made only if certain basic facts are available in advance. The kinds of information needed are:

(1) The distances at which a given field strength can be produced by a station when it utilizes practical antenna heights, transmitter powers that are economical or possible to attain and transmitting antenna gains that are optimum.

(2) The service range as it is ultimately limited by noise produced in receiver input circuits, relative to the field strength. Receiver noise figures must be known and evaluated.

(3) The efficiency of practical receiving antennas and associated transmission lines.

(4) The effect of earth prominences, buildings and other obstructions that cause diffraction, shadows and multipath effects, depending upon height and the type of knife-edge over which the signals pass and distance.

(5) The amount of signal variation from hour to hour and from season to season resulting from changes in the troposphere.

(6) The distances at which the station will produce field intensities capable of causing interference to other stations on the same channel.

(7) Finally, geographical and frequency assignments must be made with a view towards reducing cochannel and adjacent channel interference to tolerable levels, using practical transmitters and receivers.

Since 1946, attempts have been

made to evaluate the service potential of the ultrahigh frequencies, particularly in the region between 475 and 890 mc. The results obtained by several investigators are available in the literature<sup>1, 2, 3, 4</sup>.

It was decided that the next step must be the construction and operation of a complete uhf television broadcast station in a representative community. Every part of the facility was custom built to insure

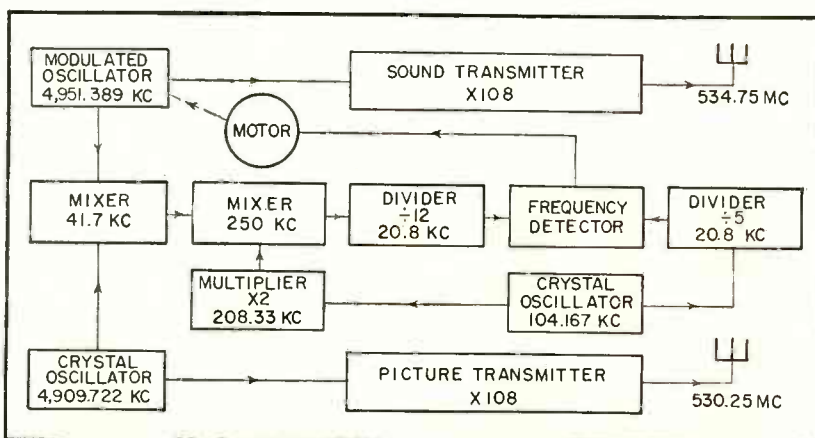


FIG. 1—Modified frequency control keeps sound carrier 4.5 mc above picture

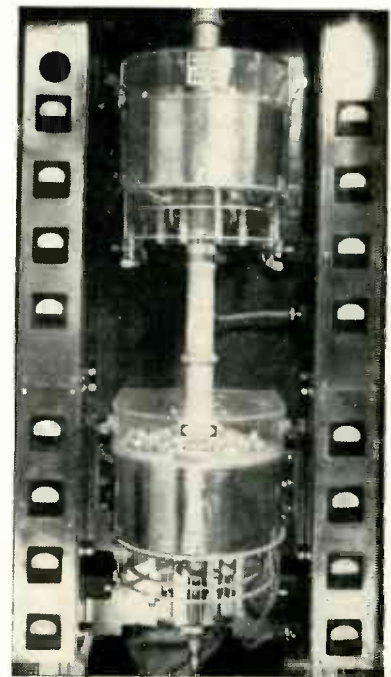
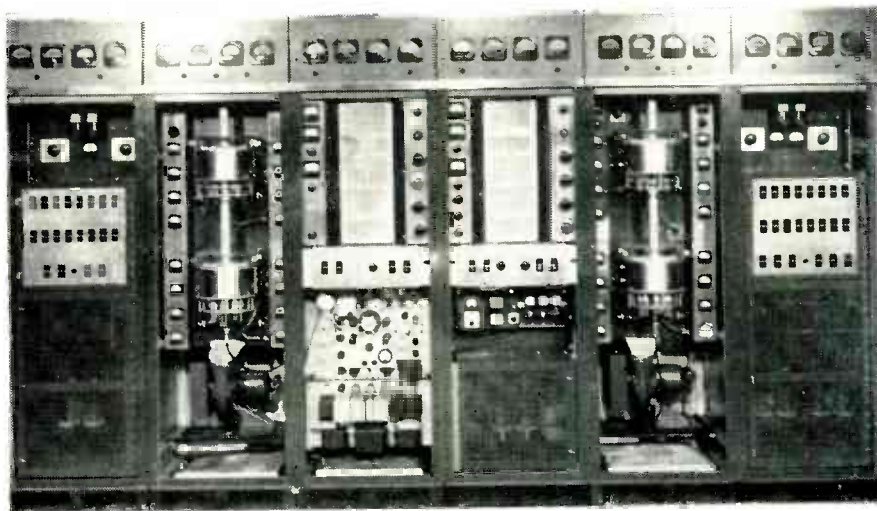


FIG. 2—Tripler cavity surmounted by output cavity. Identical units are employed for the sound and picture transmitters



# FIELD TEST



Complete uhf television transmitter. F-m sound transmitter at left and picture transmitter at right. Output cavity circuits arranged vertically are identical and are shown in more detail in Fig. 2. Frequency control is left of center



Bridgeport-Stratford uhf station and transmitting tower. Program receiving antenna is at 160-foot level

that the performance would be truly representative of the uhf television transmission conditions, in an area typical of those in which many uhf stations will later be operated.

The site finally purchased is located in Stratford, Connecticut, near the Stratford-Bridgeport boundary, on Success Hill, one of five hills surrounding Bridgeport on the land side and about 2.5 miles distant from the center of the city. It was chosen for its central location, altitude of 190 feet, minimum of shadow problems, relative isolation and because there were few zoning restrictions. About 350,000 people, half of whom reside in the city of Bridgeport, live within the area served.

The transmitter building is a one-and-a-half-story frame structure about 24 by 34 feet with floor area of 1,164 square feet. The basement is used by the RCA Service Co. in connection with the installation of receivers in the area.

The transmitting antenna is supported by a 210-foot fabricated tower rising to an overall height of 443 feet above sea level. At the 160-foot level is located the directional dish antenna used for pick-

ing up programs from WNBT on Channel 4 in New York, 53 miles away. A 2,000-mc link is alternatively employed to modulate the transmitter.

Application for construction permit was filed Feb. 8, 1949 and the first transmissions with full power and modulation were made December 29, under the call letters KC2XAK. A total of 50 television receivers with uhf converters is being installed for qualitative tests and field strength measurements with mobile equipment are being made in the area.

When it became apparent some

years ago that television service would have to expand into the uhf region, work was started on the development of tubes and circuits to provide satisfactory apparatus at adequate power to meet anticipated requirements. The KC2XAK transmitting plant, relatively simple in design, depending heavily upon existing commercial equipment, is suitable for commercial operation on actual program schedules. Many improvements are planned and will be employed before the termination of the tests. In particular, it should be remembered that the present operation

## Highlights of the Bridgeport Installation

- Sound-carrier frequency control maintains intercarrier separation of 4.5 mc
- Tripler and output cavities adapt standard equipment to uhf
- Receiver-characteristic visual monitor
- Vestigial sideband filter for uhf
- Notch diplexer for feeding picture and sound signals to antenna through a single coaxial line
- Special transmission line between transmitters and antenna
- New slot-type antenna with 88 apertures, vertical beam width of 2 degrees and power gain of 17
- Special tuners with printed-circuit filter for survey with standard receivers

will be in the 529-535 mc region. Different techniques will be necessary at 900 mc.

Basically, the transmitter comprises a type TT-500B 500-watt commercial vhf unit delivering picture power at 176.75 mc and sound power at 178.25 mc, followed in each case by a tripler and power amplifier. Sound modulation is conventional. Grid modulation of the picture power amplifier is accomplished by eight parallel type 6L6 tubes operating as cathode followers. Performance conforms to standard vhf practice. The transmitter operates with a power output of 1 kw on sync signal peaks.

*Sound Carrier Frequency Control.* Because of the very small

amount of deviation (25 kc) employed for frequency modulation of the sound channel at the operating frequency (534.75 mc) it is necessary to maintain the center frequency exactly in order to reduce noise. Because many receivers employ the intercarrier system, it is further necessary that the sound frequency be maintained exactly 4.5 mc higher than the picture frequency of 530.25 mc.

For these reasons, the center-frequency control of the sound transmitter depends upon a crystal reference chosen to compensate for variations of the picture transmitter crystal control circuit. The method of maintaining the required 4.5-mc difference, shown in Fig. 1,

involves a slight modification of the customary commercial equipment.

As shown in the block diagram, the output frequency of the picture transmitter depends upon a crystal oscillator and a frequency multiplier of 108 times. Output from this 4,909.722-kc crystal oscillator is fed to a mixer and the 41.7 difference between this and 4,951.389 kc from the sound-channel modulated oscillator is fed to still another mixer. This mixer adds the multiplied output from the 104.167-kc difference crystal oscillator and feeds approximately 250 kc through a divider to the frequency detector. The difference between the variable signal near 20.8 kc and a 20.8-kc signal derived from the difference crystal oscillator actuates the motor control that tunes the modulated oscillator. As soon as the modulated oscillator is brought exactly to 4,951.389 kc, both inputs to the frequency detector are at the same frequency and the motor remains stationary.

Since the maximum amount of frequency deviation for 100-percent sound modulation amounts only to about 230 cycles at the modulated oscillator, and because the amount of effective deviation in the control circuits due to modulation is further reduced by mixing and dividing, sound modulation cannot significantly affect this frequency control. The separation is therefore maintained at 4.5 mc within plus or minus 450 cycles.

*Tripler and Output Cavities.* The assembled tripler and output cavities are shown in Fig. 2, with input at the bottom, output at the top. Eight type 4x150 tubes are used in parallel in each cavity, with

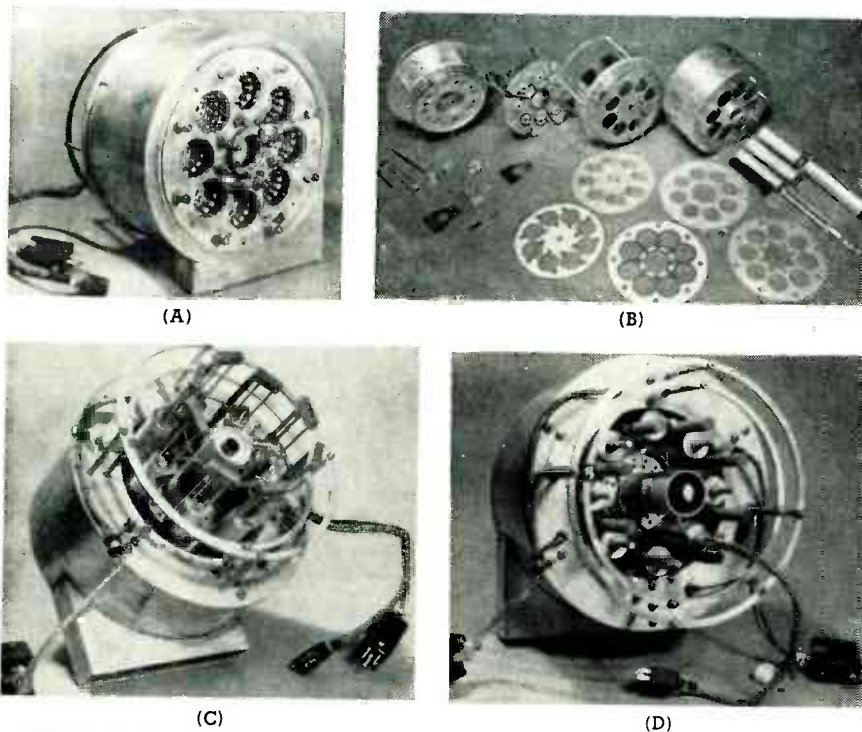


FIG. 3—Detail of cavity for eight 4X150 tubes. Tuning of tripler is shown at (C) and output tuning adjustments in (D)

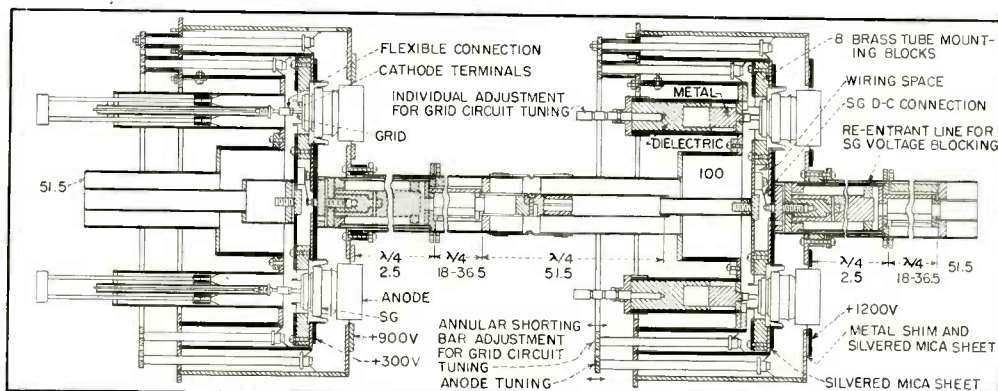
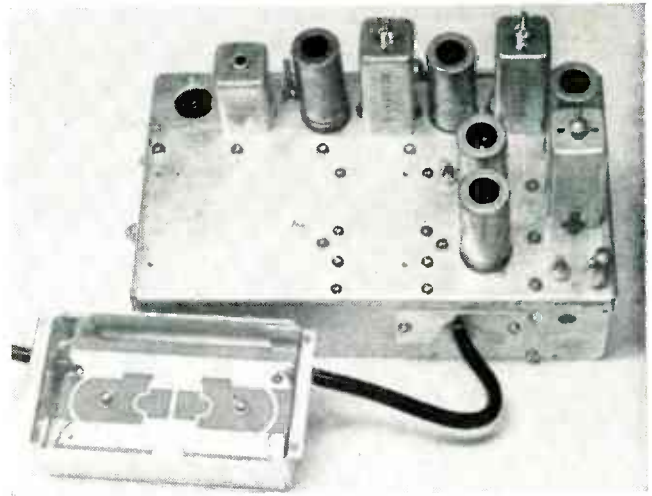
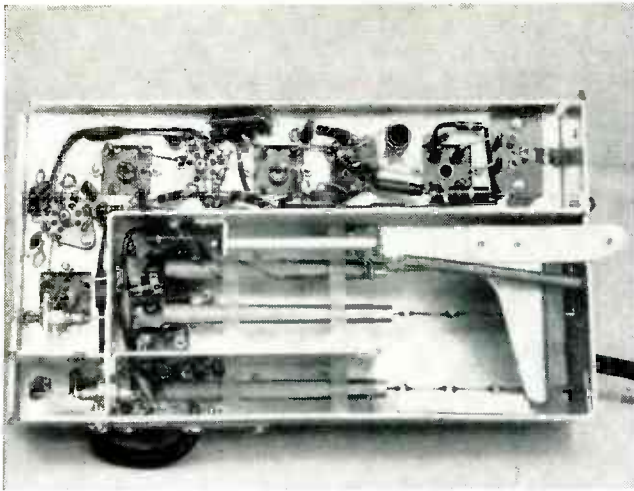


FIG. 4—Cross-section of tripler and output cavity units. Input to tripler is from the left and output from final at right. Cavities are actually mounted vertically as shown in Fig. 2





Under-chassis of uhf tuner showing slug tuning arrangement

Top view of uhf tuner with printed high-pass filter exposed

anodes visible at the top, beneath transparent covers. These covers serve both to protect the operators from plate potential and to build up a slight pressure that forces the cooling air downward past the grid seals. They are interlocked to avoid damage to equipment as well as to insure safety of personnel from plate potential.

In the closeup of the tripler unit (Fig. 3A) the tubes and output connection have been removed. The upper fingers seen through the tube apertures make contact with the anode, while the inner fingers connect to the screen grid. A typical cavity unit is shown disassembled in somewhat greater detail in Fig. 3B.

The grid and plate cavities are tuned by annular shorting bars connected for mechanical convenience to the rings shown in Fig. 3C and 3D. Additional individual grid-

circuit compensation is provided through the manipulation of controls to be seen in the photograph and Fig. 4. Equivalent grid circuits for both tripler and amplifier are shown in Fig. 5. The grid-cavity adjustment is shown as  $L_1$ . Because each tube contributes its own input capacitance  $C_1$ , an adjustment  $L_2$  is provided for each tripler tube (Fig. 5A). Various combinations of  $L_1$  and  $L_2$  can tune the circuit to resonance, but each combination presents a different input impedance. Thus, the input circuit can be adjusted to the 51.5-ohm cable connecting the tripler to the output of the modified driver. The r-f grid voltage on each of the eight tubes is balanced by adjustment of the eight  $L_2$  circuits.

Although the grid circuit (Fig. 5B) of the amplifier stage is essentially similar to that of the tripler, the input impedance is designed

for about 100 ohms. Because of the higher operating frequency, the grid-lead inductance  $L_2$  becomes more significant and requires compensation in the form of series capacitance,  $C_2$ . A dielectric sleeve slides between two conductors to vary the capacitance in this equipment. In the amplifier, the grid is not returned to ground for modulation frequencies. Video signal is introduced to the grids through quarter-wavelength sections of transmission line (not shown).

The plate circuits of the triplers and amplifiers are identical and differ in operation only in the amount of loading coupled into the circuits. The output load impedance is matched by two quarter-wave transformers in series, one of which is variable to adjust the load on the tubes. The characteristic impedance is changed by varying the spacing between the inner and outer conductors of the coaxial transmission line section. Physically it is accomplished by rotating the outer conductor with respect to the inner conductor approximately as shown in Fig. 6.

Monitoring equipment includes required indicating instruments for the sound and picture channels as well as scope presentations of waveform and picture for the picture transmissions. Here, again, standard equipment has been adapted at moderate cost for use at uhf. The transmitter frequencies are heterodyned to 49.75 and 45.25 mc (formerly used for television channel 1)

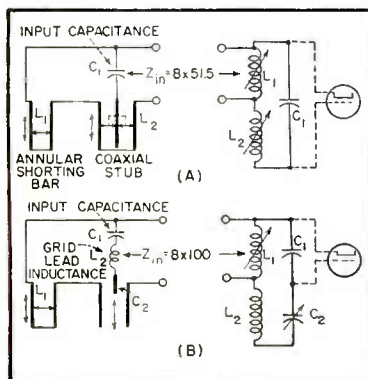


FIG. 5—Equivalent grid circuit of tripler (A) and output amplifier (B)

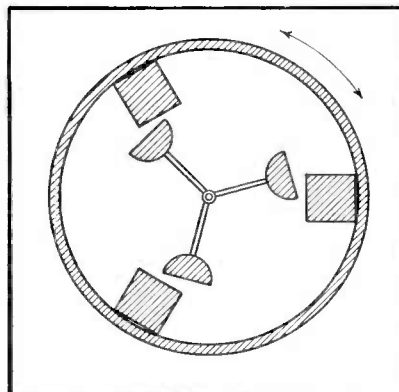


FIG. 6—Variable impedance coaxial line transformer, tripler to final

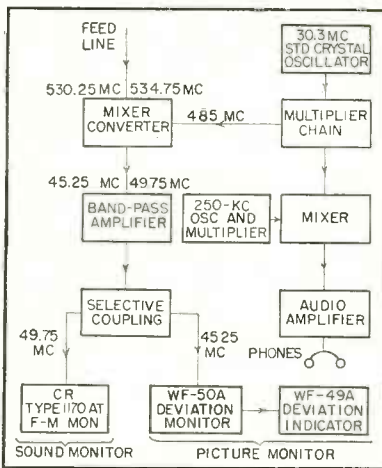


FIG. 7—Frequency monitoring equipment adapts existing vhf gear to uhf

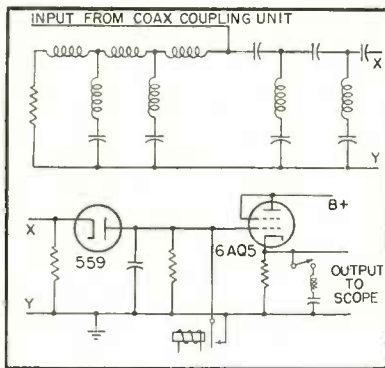


FIG. 8—Visual monitor and modulation converter produces characteristic similar to that from home receiver

amplified and then filtered for use in the appropriate separate monitors. As shown in Fig. 7, a crystal oscillator at approximately 30.3 mc is multiplied to 485 mc to beat with

the transmitted signals. This oscillator has a frequency stability of 2 parts per million per 30 days. Any drift is checked against a 250-kc oscillator-multiplier which in turn is checked against standard frequency transmissions from WWV.

**Receiver Type Visual Monitor.** Modulation monitoring of the picture channel after the sideband filter is obtained with a standard demodulator. A special diode detector connected ahead of the vestigial sideband filter permits oscilloscopic observation of the envelope of the double sideband output. The vestigial sideband demodulator is a tuned r-f type receiver of low sensitivity using coaxial line circuit elements. It employs a constant resistance filter of the  $m$ -derived type. This design assures stability of the cutoff point on the receiver response curve and compares with the receiver characteristic contemplated in current standards. In addition to the video information which corresponds to the picture received at a distant point, the converter supplies a 100-percent modulation signal in the white direction. The schematic diagram is shown in Fig. 8. An absorption filter tuned to the carrier beat frequency between picture and sound carriers can be switched out for measuring square-wave response. The tuned relay shorting device supplies a reference level for measuring modulation depth and percent sync.

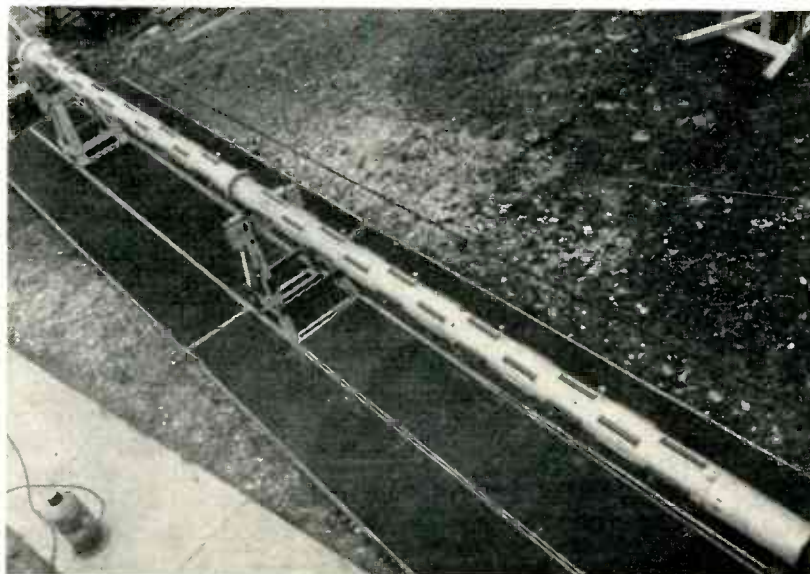
**Sideband Filter.** The picture transmitter output circuits are connected to a vestigial sideband filter employing coaxial-line circuit elements as shown in Fig. 9. Although this filter is basically similar in design to vhf units, the shorter physical lengths resulting from the higher frequencies of transmission make possible a more economical design of the circuit elements.

**Notch Diplexer for Single Line.** The picture and sound outputs are brought together in a notch filter employing coaxial line elements to combine the two outputs in one antenna feed line with very high attenuation looking backward towards the individual transmitters. Except for the smaller physical dimensions at the operating frequency, this type of circuit construction is well known and has been described in the literature<sup>8</sup>. It is shown in the photograph with the vestigial sideband filter.

**Special Coaxial Line.** Power is delivered to the antenna through a special 3½-inch diameter coaxial transmission line having a measured attenuation of 0.6 db and standing-wave ratio of better than 1.1.

For the particular experimental installation, a variation of standard beaded coaxial line was instead employed.

To minimize reflections caused by the special insulating beads that support the inner conductor from



Adjusting the high-gain slot antenna. Wire mesh and space cloth beneath make possible testing in horizontal position



the inside of the outer conductor, a special undercut-bead construction is employed.<sup>6</sup> Figure 10 (not drawn to scale) shows how the inner conductor ends are connected by means of a plug. The annular grooves cut into the plug concentric with the axis of the transmission line to reduce transmission line discontinuities. There are three supporting insulators in a 20-foot length of line. The space between these insulators is approximately uniform.

**High Gain Slot Antenna.** Studies of propagation and coverage difficulties in the uhf region indicate that appreciable power will be needed as contrasted with that required on the higher vhf television channels. Because of the difficulty of generating power at uhf and because antenna structures are physically small, the additional power requirements are most easily realized by means of an array.

The bat-wing antenna elements of the superturnstile arrays require separate feed lines to each group of elements. Since it is desired to realize the highest practical antenna gain, the number of sections must be increased over the usual number employed at very-high frequencies. The slot type antenna provides somewhat greater simplicity in the feed system and was employed in this station. A four-sided slot antenna for 500 mc has a diameter of about 10 inches which is sufficiently large to elimi-

nate structural problems. By choosing a theoretical gain of 20, a vertical beam width of the main lobe of about 3 degrees at the half-power points results. Sufficient power is available in subsidiary lobes and nulls directed below the horizontal to fill in for local coverage overshoot by the main lobe. A horizontal pattern circular to plus or minus 1 percent is obtained with the 22 sets of four slots alternately arranged at 45-degree physical intervals about the supporting pole. This staggering was employed to obtain proper coupling between sections. The measured pattern of an antenna 40 feet long shows the vertical beam width of the main lobe is about 2 degrees at half-power points, with a power gain of better than 17.

The method of illuminating the slots is indicated in Fig. 11. The inner conductor of the coaxial feed is extended, beginning at the center of the antenna, by a section of the same diameter as the outer conductor. Adjustable probes are provided for each slot and have been individually turned in to the proper depth. Relation of the slots and probes is shown at the left. Additional probes spaced between those used to feed the slots are adjusted to eliminate the discontinuities caused by the pickup probes.

The photograph shows the antenna undergoing adjustment tests. In order to avoid the mechanical complications that would arise if

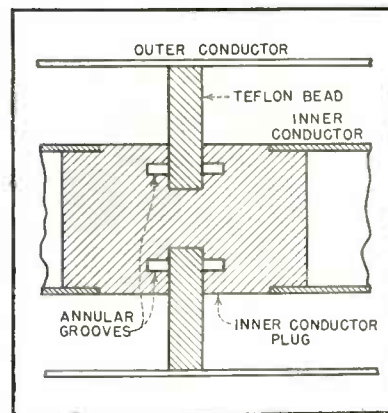


FIG. 10—Approximate representation of undercut bead construction for output coaxial line

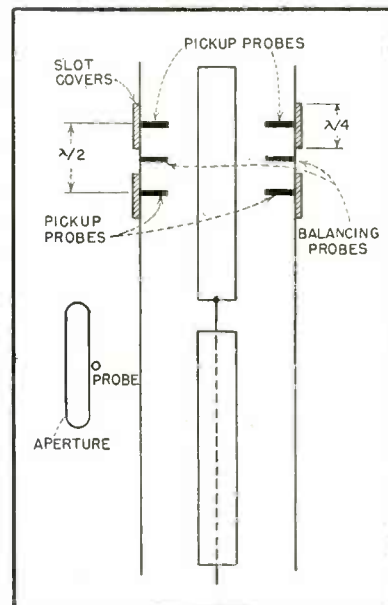


FIG. 11—Simplified diagram of slot antenna feed system. Relation of exciting probe to aperture is shown at left

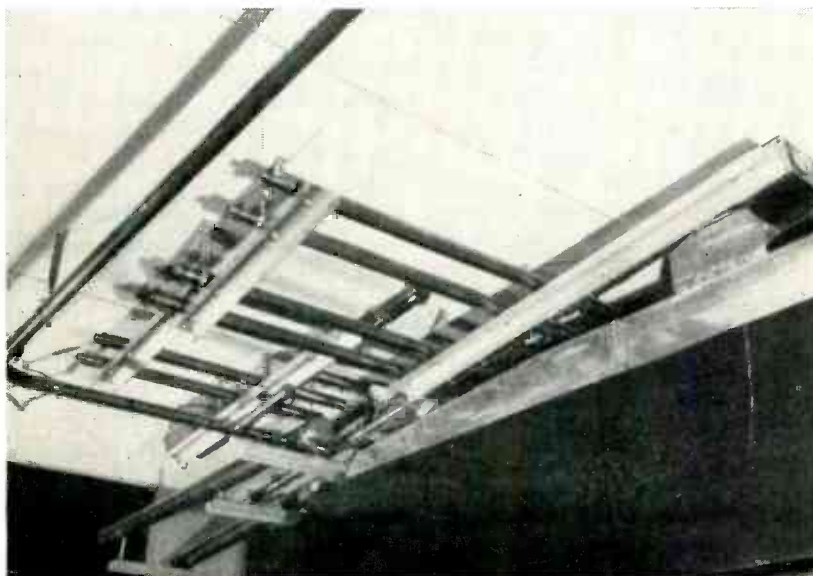


FIG. 9—Vestigial sideband filter with coaxial line elements extending to left is above the transmitter. Notch filter of larger line extends to rear

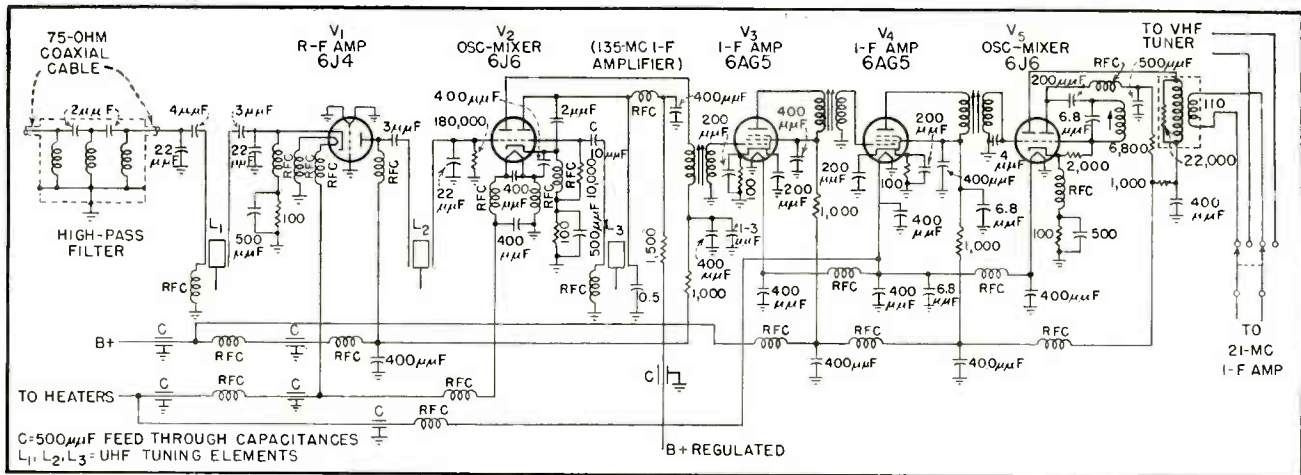


FIG. 12—The uhf tuner feeds output to i-f of conventional television receiver through switch at right

the adjustments had to be made with the antenna in the vertical position, a special surface was built under the horizontal antenna supports. Such an antenna designed for vertical use could not normally be adjusted so close to the ground because of reflected energy that would nullify that emanating directly from the radiator. For this work, a wire screen mounted in a suitable mechanical framework of wood was placed below the antenna as shown. The screen is backed up a quarter of a wavelength away, by "space cloth" having a resistance of 377 ohms per unit square. To the recumbent antenna, the space below appears much like the space with which it is otherwise surrounded. Space cloth is a fabric impregnated with graphite and a binder.

### Receiving Equipment

Because the Bridgeport transmitter operates in the lower region of the uhf band, it has been possible to attain satisfactory performance using conventional tubes in both a tuner and a converter that covers the range from 500 to 700 mc. The units to be described do not represent finished commercial design, but are experimental models produced for obtaining reception data when connected respectively to the i-f amplifier or the antenna posts of conventional television receivers.

**UHF Tuner.** This tuner comprises a high-pass input filter with cutoff at 500 mc, r-f amplifier, mixer-oscillator, i-f amplifier (132 to 138 mc) and fixed-tuned mixer-

oscillator with low-impedance output at 21 to 27 mc. The first intermediate frequency is high enough to provide satisfactory image rejection with only two uhf tuned circuits, but is also low enough to obtain reasonable gain and noise factor with conventional tubes.

The tuner circuit diagram is given in Fig. 12. The high-pass input filter used to reduce spurious responses is shown schematically here but is illustrated in the photograph. The printed circuit is accomplished by photoengraving a 1.5-mil copper sheet bonded to a paper-base Bakelite sheet.

The 132 to 138-mc i-f amplifier, using two stages of type 6AG5 tubes with three double-tuned circuits, satisfactorily isolates the first and second oscillators. Automatic gain control is not used because the band-shape response varies markedly with varying tube transconductance.

The tuning elements illustrated in the underside of the tuner chassis comprise strips of copper foil mounted on natural paper-base Bakelite tubing with low-loss cement. Tapered copper foil is used to obtain a desirable tuning curve and proper tracking of the r-f and oscillator circuits. The oscillator element consists of a bifilar winding terminating in a split capacitor section. All three elements are tuned by means of copper or brass cores inside the Bakelite tubing.

The uhf converter (not shown) has been designed to operate into the antenna connection of a

television receiver tuned to either channel 12 or 13. The high-pass filter has a cutoff at about 475 mc. An r-f tuned circuit with proper impedance matching to maintain high operating circuit Q is used between the filter and the crystal mixer.

The i-f system comprises a low-noise high-gain cascode stage followed by a conventional pentode stage.

The Stratford-Bridgeport project, under the direction of C. B. Jolliffe, co-ordinates the facilities of RCA Laboratories, RCA Victor Division and the National Broadcasting Co. The latter unit has taken responsibility for procurement of the site, construction of building and tower, installation, operation and field investigations.

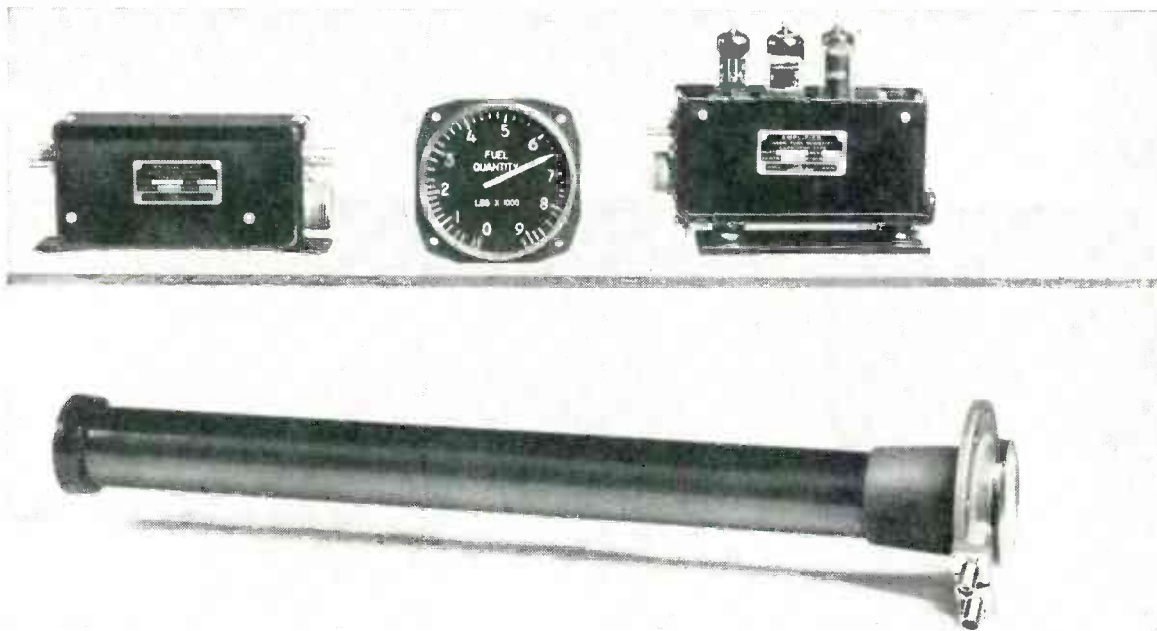
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Of the four components of the fuel-gage system—bridge transformer, indicator, amplifier and tank unit—only the indicator, a rebalance motor, contains moving parts

# AIRPLANE FUEL GAGE

Laboratory accuracy is provided in a rugged instrument that indicates the weight of fuel, rather than volume. Employs self-balancing bridge principle, approved for military aircraft under AN-G-31A specifications

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**D**URING the latter part of 1942, the disadvantages of the conventional float types of gasoline gage for aircraft became apparent. This gage employed a cork or hollow metal float to measure the level of the fuel; the information was then transmitted via gears, magnets and/or selsyns to an indicating instrument on the pilot's or flight engineer's instrument panel. Serious errors resulted from gasoline slosh, the volumetric expansion of gasoline with an increase in temperature, changes in supply voltage and wear in mechanical linkages.

In the effort to obtain a better fuel quantity gage for both mili-

tary and commercial airplanes, three new types of capacitor gages were developed. All of these make use of the dielectric constant of gasoline, which varies from 1.85 to 2.3, depending on the temperature and the constituents of the gasoline.

The first type consisted of an oscillator (around 100 kc) which supplied voltage to a capacitance bridge. One arm of this bridge was a concentric tube capacitor mounted vertically in the tank; the unbalance voltage, which was proportional to

the level of the fuel, was rectified and read on a 270-degree d-c microammeter.

The second type also used an oscillator feeding a bridge with two capacitance arms, one of which again took the form of a concentric tube assembly in the fuel tank. The currents flowing through the tank unit and the reference capacitor (usually of the fixed silver-mica variety) were rectified and compared in a d-c ratiometer. An improved version of this type used an a-c ratiometer, constructed like a miniature two-phase power factor meter. This version eliminated the rectifiers and their waveform errors.

## Approved Type

The third type is based upon the self-balancing bridge principle and is now the only type approved for military aircraft under AN-G-31A specifications. In common with the

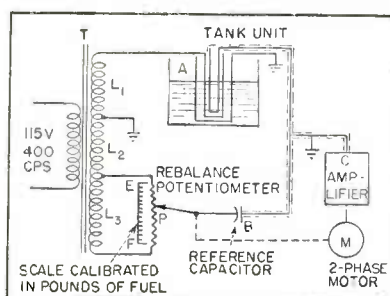


FIG. 1—Major elements of the bridge circuit

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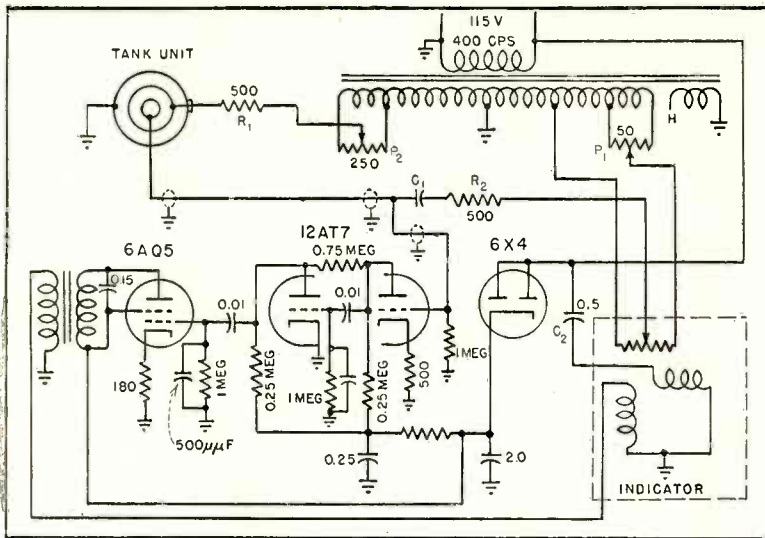


FIG. 2—Circuit of commercially available fuel gage

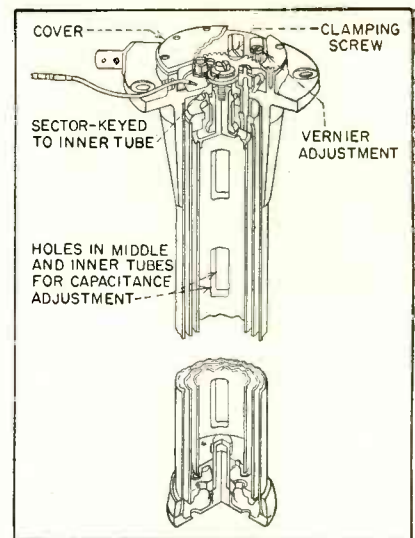


FIG. 3—Cutaway view of tank unit

other two versions of capacitance-type gages, it indicates weight of fuel rather than volume when used with AN-F-28, AN-F-32, AN-F-34 and AN-F-48 aircraft fuels. This concept of fuel quantity measurement is quite important, for engines use fuel on a weight rather than volume basis.

### Circuit Action

The basic bridge circuit is shown in Fig. 1. A concentric tube capacitor *A* is mounted vertically in a cell of the gasoline tank. When the tank is empty, and there is no gasoline in *A*, the capacitance of *A* equals that of the reference capacitor *B* (usually 75 to 550 $\mu\text{f}$  in typical installations). If the voltages across  $L_1$  and  $L_2$  are also equal, there is no unbalance voltage fed into amplifier *C*, no movement of motor *M*, and the arm of potentiometer *P* remains at the empty end of scale *E*.

If the tank cell is half full, the impedance of *A* is decreased, and the increase in voltage from  $L_1$  must be balanced out by an increase in voltage (but of the opposite phase) from  $L_2$ . This is accomplished by adding voltage from  $L_3$ , which is in phase with the voltage from  $L_2$ . This voltage is added by driving the potentiometer wiper to a position midway between *E* and *F*, which rebalances the bridge. When the tank is full, the amplifier again drives the motor to the new balance point, at *F*.

The motor *M* is a miniature two-phase instrument type, with a

salient-pole, high-resistance rotor which is designed to give maximum torque when stalled. The current for one phase is supplied by the amplifier, the current for the other by the same generator that supplies the primary of bridge transformer *T*. The phase fed by the generator is known as the line phase, or reference phase, and is fed through a capacitor so that it is normally 90 degrees out of phase with the current from the amplifier.

The current from the amplifier is always in phase with the output voltage from the bridge, but the latter may be either in phase with, or 180 degrees out of phase with, the generator voltage. Hence the direction of rotation of the motor depends upon the phase angle of the current from the amplifier. Bridge, amplifier and motor are connected so that the unbalance voltage from the bridge always drives the motor and potentiometer in the direction required to rebalance the bridge.

As the balance point is approached, the amplifier output decreases; when balance is reached, the amplifier input and output are cancelled out and the motor stops. Thus the bridge is automatically balanced. Since fuel quantity determines the position of the wiper arm on the potentiometer, a pointer may be attached to the shaft carrying the wiper arm and thus indicate pounds of fuel on an appropriate circular scale.

The schematic of a commercial model is shown in Fig. 2. Refine-

ments have been added to the basic circuit to allow for manufacturing tolerances in the values of the various components. Potentiometer  $P_1$  is used to calibrate the full-scale point;  $P_2$  is the zero or empty calibration adjustment. A 6.3-volt winding has been added to the bridge transformer to supply the heaters of the tubes in the amplifier.

Resistors  $R_1$  and  $R_2$  limit current in case of a shorted reference capacitor, tank unit or wiring. The reference capacitor  $C_1$  is represented by *B* in the basic circuit diagram. This is hermetically sealed in an HC-6/U crystal holder, and plugs into a socket in the bridge unit. The bridge transformer is supplied with 115-volt, 400-cycle, single-phase current; the amplifier and indicator must also be supplied from the same current source to maintain proper phase relationships in the system.

### Tank Unit

The tank unit (*A* on the diagram of the basic circuit) is made of three concentric tubes of different diameters; the inner and middle tubes are insulated from each other and from the outer tube. All are assembled into a head casting which holds them rigidly together and provides a surface for mounting the entire unit in the fuel tank of the airplane. The center tube and the middle tube form the active capacitor surfaces; the outer tube is grounded and serves as electro-





# Recent Developments in

Nonmathematical analysis of present-day and possible future communications systems. Author cites feasibility of a system for transmitting the English language at speaking rate over a channel with 20-to-1 signal-to-noise ratio and a bandwidth of only 2.3 cycles per second

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**T**HE NEWER SYSTEMS of modulation, such as f-m, ppm (pulse position modulation), and pcm (pulse code modulation), have the interesting property that it is possible to exchange bandwidth for signal-to-noise ratio; that is, we can transmit the same information with a smaller transmitter power provided we are willing to use a larger bandwidth. Conversely, in pcm it is possible to use a smaller bandwidth at the expense of an increased signal power. The discovery of these systems has prompted a re-examination of the foundations of communication theory. A number of workers have contributed to this field, among them Gabor, Wiener, Tuller, Sullivan and the writer.

The basic ideas of communication theory are not new. Important pioneering work was done by Nyquist and Hartley in the 1920's and some of the roots can even be traced back to the nineteenth century physicist Boltzmann. The more recent developments, however, include factors that were ignored in earlier treatments; in particular, we now have a much better understanding of the effect of noise in the channel and of the importance of statistical properties of the messages to be transmitted.

In this paper the highlights of this recent work will be described with as little mathematics as possible. Since the subject is essentially a mathematical one, this necessitates a sacrifice of rigor; for more precise treatments the reader may consult the bibliography.

The type of communication system that has been most extensively investigated is shown in Fig. 1. It consists of an information source which produces the raw information or message to be transmitted, a transmitter which encodes or modulates this information into a form suitable for the channel, and the channel on which the encoded information or signal is transmitted to the receiving point. During transmission the signal may be perturbed by noise as indicated schematically by the noise source. The received signal goes to the receiver, which decodes or demodulates to recover the original message, and then to the final destination of the information.

It will be seen that this system is sufficiently general to include the majority of communication problems if the various elements are suitably interpreted. In television, for example, the information source is the scene being televised, the message is the output of the pick-up tube and the signal is the output of the transmitter.

A basic idea in communication theory is that information can be treated very much like a physical quantity such as mass or energy. The system in Fig. 1 is roughly analogous to a transportation system; for example, we can imagine a lumber mill producing lumber at a certain point and a conveyor system for transporting the lumber to a second point. In such a situation there are two important quantities, the rate  $R$  (in cubic feet per second) at which lumber is produced at the mill and the capacity  $C$  (cubic feet per second) of the conveyor. If  $R$  is greater than  $C$

it will certainly be impossible to transport the full output of the lumber mill. If  $R$  is less than or equal to  $C$ , it may or may not be possible, depending on whether the lumber can be packed efficiently in the conveyor. Suppose, however, that we allow ourselves a saw-mill at the source. Then the lumber can be cut up into small pieces in such a way as to fill out the available capacity of the conveyor with 100-percent efficiency. Naturally in this case we should provide a carpenter shop at the receiving point to glue the pieces back together in their original form before passing them on to the consumer.

If this analogy is sound, we should be able to set up a measure  $R$  in suitable units telling how much information is produced per second by a given information source, and a second measure  $C$  which determines the capacity of a channel for transmitting information. Furthermore, it should be possible, by using a suitable coding or modulation system, to transmit the information over the channel if and only if the rate of production  $R$  is not greater than the capacity  $C$ . That this is actually possible is a key result of recent research and we will indicate briefly how this is accomplished.

## Measurement of Information

Before we can consider how information is to be measured it is necessary to clarify the precise meaning of information from the point of view of the communication engineer. In general, the messages to be transmitted have meaning. This, however, is quite irrelevant to



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the problem of transmitting the information. It is as difficult (more so, in fact) to transmit a series of nonsense syllables as straight English text. A little thought on the subject will convince one that the significant aspect of information from the transmission standpoint is the fact that one particular message is chosen from a set of possible messages. The thing that must be transmitted is a specification of the particular message which was chosen by the information source. If and only if such an unambiguous specification is transmitted, the original message can be reconstructed at the receiving point. Thus information in our sense must be correlated with the notion of a choice from a set of possibilities.

The simplest type of choice is a choice from two possibilities, each with probability  $\frac{1}{2}$ . This is the situation, for example, when one tosses a coin which is equally likely to come up heads or tails. It is convenient to use the amount of information produced by such a choice as the basic unit, called a binary digit or, more briefly, a bit. The choice involved with one bit of information can be indicated schematically as in Fig. 2A. At point *b* we may choose either the upper or lower line with probability  $\frac{1}{2}$  for each possibility. If there are *N* possibilities, all equally likely, the amount of information is given by  $\log_2 N$ . The reason for this can be seen from Fig. 2B, where we have eight possibilities each with probability  $\frac{1}{8}$ . The choice can be imagined to occur in three stages, each involving one bit. The first bit corresponds to a choice of either the first four or the second four of the eight possibilities, the second bit corresponds to the first or second pair of the four chosen, and the final bit determines the first or second member of the pair. It will be seen that the number of bits required is  $\log_2 N$ , in this case  $\log_2 8$  or 3.

If the probabilities are not equal,

the formula is a little more complicated. A simple case is shown in Fig. 2C. There are four possible choices with probabilities  $\frac{1}{2}$ ,  $\frac{1}{4}$ ,  $\frac{1}{8}$  and  $\frac{1}{8}$ . This can be broken down into a sequence of binary choices as indicated. The information produced is given by  $(1 + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{4})$ ; the 1 is from the first choice (at point *p*) which always occurs, the  $\frac{1}{2}$  is from the choice at point *q*, which occurs only half the time (when the lower line is chosen at point *p*), and so on. In general, by a similar decomposition, the information, when the choices have probabilities  $p_1, p_2, \dots, p_n$ , is given by:

$$H = -(p_1 \log_2 p_1 + p_2 \log_2 p_2 + \dots + p_n \log_2 p_n) \quad (1)$$

This formula, then, gives the amount of information produced by a single choice. An information source produces a message which consists of a sequence of choices, for example, the letters of printed text or the elementary words or sounds of speech. In these cases, by an application of Eq. 1, the amount of information produced per second or per symbol can be calculated. It is interesting that this information rate for printed English text is about two bits per letter, when we consider statistical

structure only out to word lengths. Long-range meaning structure may reduce this figure considerably.

## Encoding Information

The importance of the measure of information, *H*, is that it determines the saving in transmission time that is possible, by proper encoding, due to the statistics of the message source. To illustrate this, consider a language in which there are only four letters: *A, B, C* and *D*. Suppose these letters have the probabilities  $\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{8}$  and  $\frac{1}{8}$ , as in Fig. 2C.

In a long text in this language, *A* will occur half the time, *B* one-quarter of the time, and so on. Suppose we wish to encode this language into binary digits, 0 or 1. Thus we might wish to transmit on a pulse system with two types of pulse. The most direct code is the following: *A* = 00, *B* = 01, *C* = 10, *D* = 11. This code requires two binary digits per letter of message. By using the statistics, a better code can be constructed as follows: *A* = 0, *B* = 10, *C* = 110, *D* = 111. It is readily verified that the original message can be recovered from its encoded form. Furthermore, the number of binary digits used is smaller on the average. It will be,

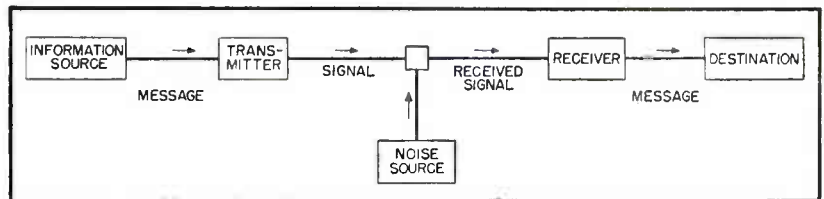


FIG. 1—Generalized communication system is roughly analogous to a transportation system

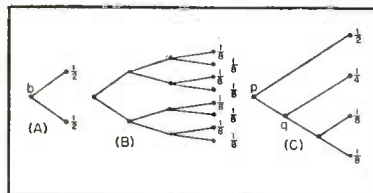


FIG. 2—Schematic representation of equal and unequal probabilities. The choice involved with one bit (binary digit) of information is comparable to tossing a coin heads or tails

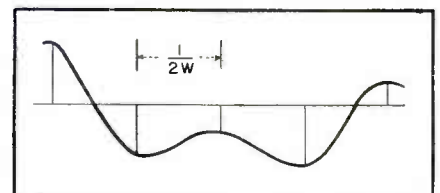


FIG. 3—Signals represented by functions of time which lie within a band of frequencies *W* cps wide can be specified by the values of a series of equally spaced samples  $1/2W$  seconds apart

in fact calculated as follows:

$$\frac{1}{2}(1) + \frac{1}{4}(2) + \frac{1}{8}(3) + \frac{1}{8}(3) = 1\frac{3}{4}$$

where the first term is due to the letter *A*, which occurs half the time and is one binary digit long, and similarly for the others. It will be noted that  $1\frac{3}{4}$  is just the value of *H* calculated for Fig. 2C.

The result we have verified for this special case holds generally. If the information rate of the message is *H* bits per letter, it is possible to encode it into binary digits using, on the average, only *H* binary digits per letter of text. There is no method of encoding which uses less than this amount.

### Capacity of a Channel

Now consider the problem of defining the capacity *C* of a channel for transmitting information. Since the rate of production for an information source has been measured in bits per second, we would naturally like to measure *C* in the same units. The question then becomes "What is the maximum number of binary digits per second that can be transmitted over a given channel?"

In some cases the answer is simple. With a teletype channel there are 32 possible symbols. Each symbol therefore represents 5 bits, provided the possible symbols are used with equal probability. If we can send *n* symbols per second, and the noise level is not high enough to introduce any errors during transmission, we can send  $5n$  bits per second.

Suppose now that the channel is defined as follows: We can use for signals any functions of time  $f(t)$  which lie within a certain band of frequencies, *W* cycles per second wide. It is known that a function of this type can be specified by giving its values at a series of equally spaced sampling points  $1/2W$  seconds apart as shown in Fig. 3. Thus we may say that such a function has  $2W$  degrees of freedom, or dimensions, per second.

If there is no noise whatever on such a channel we can distinguish an infinite number of different amplitude levels for each sample. Consequently we could, in principle, transmit an infinite number of binary digits per second, and the capacity *C* would be infinite.

Even when there is noise, if we place no limitations on the transmitter power, the capacity will be infinite, for we may still distinguish at each sample point an unlimited number of different amplitude levels. Only when noise is present and the transmitter power is limited in some way do we obtain a finite capacity *C*. The capacity depends, of course, on the statistical structure of the noise as well as the nature of the power limitation.

The simplest type of noise is white thermal noise or resistance noise. The probability distribution of amplitudes follows a Gaussian curve and the spectrum is flat with frequency over the band in question and may be assumed to be zero outside the band. This type of noise is completely specified by giving its mean square amplitude *N*, which is the power it would deliver into

a standard unit of resistance.

The simplest limitation on transmitter power is to assume that the average power delivered by the transmitter (or more precisely the mean square amplitude of the signal) is not greater than *P*. If we define our channel by these three parameters *W*, *P* and *N*, the capacity *C* can be calculated. It turns out to be

$$C = W \log_2 \frac{P + N}{N} \quad (2)$$

bits per second. It is easy to see that this formula is approximately right when  $P/N$  is large. The received signal will have a power  $P + N$  and we can distinguish something of the order of

$$\sqrt{(P + N)/N}$$

different amplitudes at each sample point. The reason for this is that the range of amplitude of the received signal is proportional to  $\sqrt{P + N}$ , while the noise introduces an uncertainty proportional to  $\sqrt{N}$ . The amount of information that can be transmitted with one sample will therefore be  $\log_2 [(P + N)/N]$ . Since there are  $2W$  independent samples per second, the capacity is given by Eq. 2. This formula has a much deeper and more precise significance than the above argument would indicate. In fact it can be shown that it is possible, by properly choosing our signal functions, to transmit  $W \log_2 [(P + N)/N]$  bits per second with as small a frequency of errors as desired. It is not possible to transmit at any higher rate with an arbitrarily small frequency of errors. This means that the capacity is a sharply defined quantity in spite of the noise.

The formula for *C* applies for all values of  $P/N$ . Even when  $P/N$  is very small, the average noise power being much greater than the average transmitter power, it is possible to transmit binary digits at the rate  $W \log_2 [(P + N)/N]$  with as small a frequency of errors as desired. In this case  $\log_2 (1 + P/N)$  is very nearly  $(P/N) \log_2 e$  or  $1.443 P/N$  and we have, approximately,  $C = 1.443 PW/N$ .

It should be emphasized that it is possible to transmit at a rate *C* over a channel only by properly encoding the information. In general

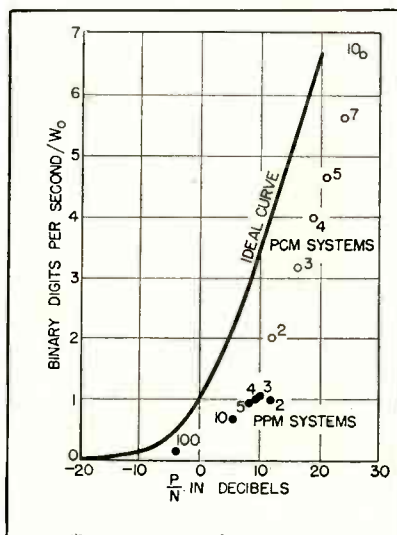


FIG. 4—Channel capacity per unit bandwidth as a function of the signal-to-noise ratio for two pulse transmission systems

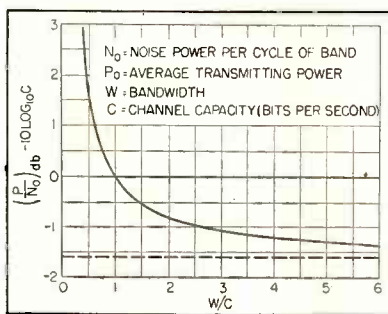


FIG. 5—Where the signal-to-noise ratio is large, halving the bandwidth roughly doubles the signal-to-noise ratio required for a given channel capacity



the rate  $C$  cannot be actually attained but only approached as a limit by using more and more complex encoding and longer and longer delays at both transmitter and receiver. In the white noise case the best encoding turns out to be such that the transmitted signals themselves have the structure of a resistance noise of power  $P$ .

### Ideal and Practical Systems

In Fig. 4 the curve is the function  $C/W = \log(1 + P/N)$  plotted against  $P/N$  measured in db. It represents, therefore, the channel capacity per unit of band with white noise. The circles and points correspond to pcm and ppm systems used to send a sequence of binary digits, adjusted to give about one error in  $10^5$  binary digits. In the pcm case the number adjacent to a point represents the number of amplitude levels; 3 for example is a ternary pcm system. In all cases positive and negative amplitudes are used. The ppm systems are quantized with a discrete set of possible positions for the pulse, the spacing is  $1/2W$  and the number adjacent to a point is the number of possible positions for a pulse.

The series of points follows a curve of the same shape as the ideal but displaced horizontally about 8 db. This means that with more involved encoding or modulation systems a gain of 8 db in power could be achieved over the systems indicated.

Unfortunately, as one attempts to approach the ideal, the transmitter and receiver required become more complicated and the delays increase. For these reasons there will be some point where an economic balance is established between the various factors. It is possible, however, that even at the present time more complex systems would be justified.

A curious fact illustrating the general misanthropic behavior of nature is that at both extremes of  $P/N$  (when we are well outside the practical range) the series of points in Fig. 4 approaches more closely the ideal curve.

The relation  $C = W \log(1 + P/N)$  can be regarded as an exchange relation between the parameters  $W$  and  $P/N$ . Keeping the

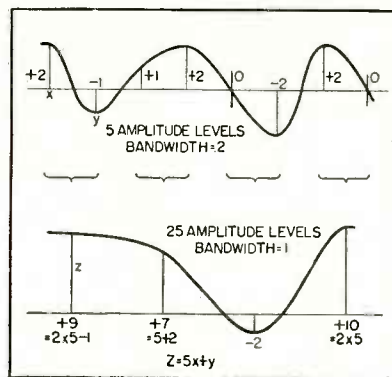


FIG. 6—Graphic representation of a typical system for conserving bandwidth at the cost of increasing transmitted power

channel capacity fixed we can decrease the bandwidth  $W$  provided we increase  $P/N$  sufficiently. Conversely, an increase in band allows a lower signal-to-noise ratio in the channel. The required  $P/N$  in db is shown in Fig. 5 as a function of the band  $W$ . It is assumed here that as we increase the band  $W$ , the noise power  $N$  increases proportionally,  $N = WN_0$ , where  $N_0$  is the noise power per cycle of band. It will be noticed that if  $P/N$  is large a reduction of band is very expensive in power. Halving the band roughly doubles the signal-to-noise ratio in db that is required.

One method of exchanging bandwidth for signal-to-noise ratio is shown in Fig. 6. The upper curve represents a signal function whose bandwidth is such that it can be specified by giving the samples shown. Each sample has five amplitude levels. The lower curve is obtained by combining pairs of samples from the first curve as shown. There are now 25 amplitude levels that must be distinguished but the samples occur only half as frequently; consequently the band is reduced by half, at the cost of doubling the signal-to-noise ratio in db. Operating this in reverse doubles the band but reduces the required signal-to-noise ratio.

To summarize, there are three essentially different ways in which bandwidth can be reduced in a system such as television or speech transmission. The first is the straightforward exchange of bandwidth for signal-to-noise ratio just discussed. The second method is utilization of the statistical correla-

tions existing in the message. This capitalizes on particular properties of the information source, and can be regarded as a type of matching of the source to the channel. Finally, particular properties of the destination can be used. Thus, in speech transmission the ear is relatively insensitive to phase distortion. Consequently, phase information is not as important as amplitude information, and need not be sent so accurately. This can be translated into a bandwidth saving, and in fact part of the reduction attained in the vocoder is due to this effect. In general, the exploitation of particular sensitivities or blindnesses in the destination requires a proper matching of the channel to the destination.

Many present-day communication systems are extremely inefficient in that they fail to make use of the statistical properties of the information source. To illustrate this, suppose we are interested in a system to transmit English speech (no music or other sounds) and the quality requirements on reproduction are only that it be intelligible as to meaning. Personal accents, inflections and the like can be lost in the process of transmission. In such a case we could, at least in principle, transmit by the following scheme. A device is constructed at the transmitter which prints the English text corresponding to the spoken words. This can be encoded into binary digits using, on the average, not more than two binary digits per letter or nine per word. Taking 100 words per minute as a reasonable rate of speaking, we obtain 15 bits per second as an estimate of the rate of producing information in English speech when intelligibility is the only fidelity requirement. From Fig. 4 this information could be transmitted over a channel with 20 db signal-to-noise ratio and a bandwidth of only 2.3 cps!

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# PIN-POINTING ULTRASONIC ENERGY

Two watts of sound energy concentrated into an extremely fine area records on sound-sensitive paper without touching its surface. Magnetostriction oscillator, using an 805 triode, drives a nickel-alloy tube at about 20,000 kc

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**M**AKING a permanent record on paper without touching the surface of the paper may be accomplished with an information-modulated light source focused onto a moving strip or disc of light-sensitive paper. Where it is inconvenient or impossible to incorporate a light-tight housing, or where the use of light-sensitive paper is undesirable, some other means for transferring the information to paper must be used.

## **Ultrasonic Recording**

A special kind of sono chromotropic paper offers a convenient alternative. It is chemically treated so that portions of its surface which are subjected to high-intensity ultrasonic energy undergo a visible change. Thus, a modulated source of ultrasonic energy could, if sufficiently intense, inscribe information on such paper for a permanent record, and also meet the requirement for a recording head that does not touch the surface of the paper.

This article describes an ultrasonic generator capable of pin-pointing two watts of ultrasonic energy for the purpose outlined. In use, the recorder point, which is actually the end of the vibrating

element of a magnetostriction oscillator, is mounted in a fixed vertical position slightly above the special recording paper which is continuously moved for time reference.

## **Generator Requirements**

An analysis of the problem indicated that a practical frequency for use in this work should lie within the general range of 10 to 30 kc. A study of all the methods of producing ultrasonic vibrations in air indicated that the magnetostriction oscillator has the best possibilities for focusing.

It was estimated that 2 watts of usable energy would be required at the point of focus in order to effect inscription. Under most favorable conditions, the power converted into sound energy is estimated to be only about 10 percent of the electrical energy delivered to the vibrating element of a magnetostriction oscillator. Furthermore, if this vibrating element is provided with a reflector or other device on the end for focusing the energy to a point, only a small part of the input energy, possibly 1 percent will be available at the point of focus. This condition would call for an oscillator having about 200 watts electrical input to the vibrating element.

First a small oscillator was built and its behavior was studied in order to work out the design of a

more powerful unit. Based upon this preliminary study, the design was made for a magnetostriction oscillator using an 805 triode to drive a nickel alloy tube at about 20 kc. The electrical circuit for this power unit is shown in the diagram. The principal elements include the tube, a plate coil, a grid coil and the vibrating element with its mounting.

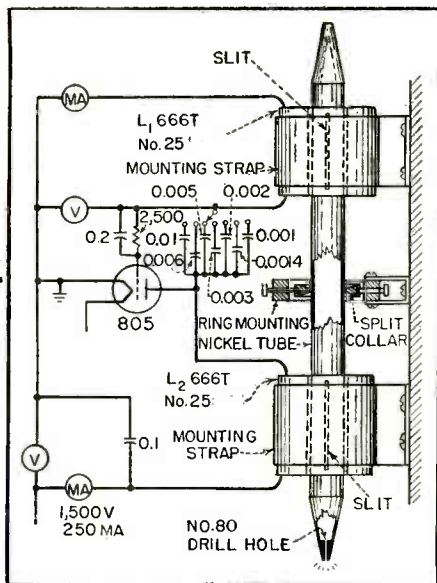
Experiments disclosed that a 1-to-1 turns ratio between plate and grid coils gives the best results. When the grid turns exceed the plate turns by more than a 2-to-1 ratio, the grid current exceeds the rated capacity of the tube. After several trials, best results were obtained by using 666 turns of No. 25 sse wire wound with  $\frac{3}{8}$ -inch inside diameter one inch long for each of the coils.

## **The Vibrating Element**

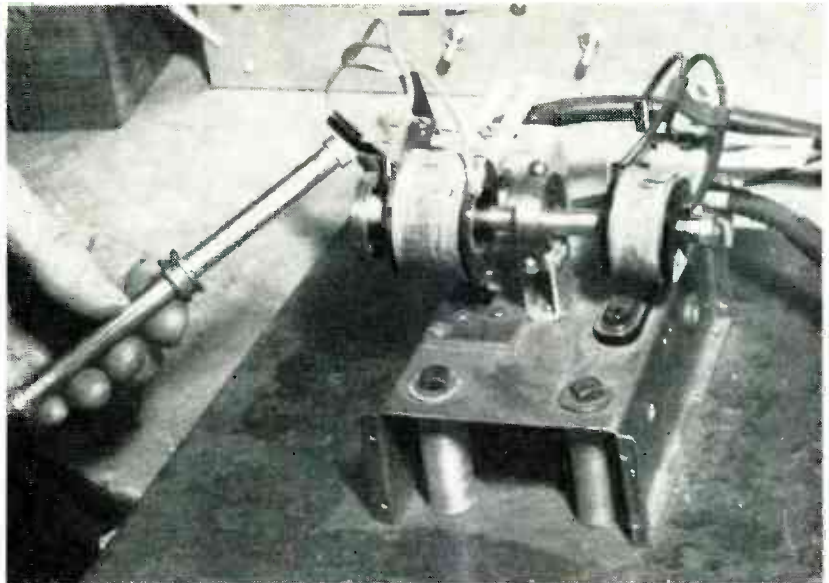
The vibrating element consists of a thin-wall nickel alloy tube  $\frac{3}{8}$  inch in diameter and securely mounted in a rigid holder designed for the purpose. This holder grips the tube securely at its neutral point without affecting its mode of vibration. A tube was selected rather than a solid rod because of its superior heat-radiating qualities. In an oscillator of this power, heat dissipation is a serious problem, due in part to internal friction and part to

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Schematic of magnetostriction oscillator with seven operating frequencies between 10 and 28 kc



End-reflector type vibrating element that led to the discovery of the pencil-shaped tube shown in the drawing. Unmounted tube shows slits for cooling and split-collar mounting ring at center

circulating current induced in the tube by the grid and plate coils. The heating can be reduced considerably by slitting the tube, but this in turn produces a wide band of unwanted frequencies outside the fundamental. A compromise was effected by cutting a short longitudinal slit under each coil and leaving the ends of the tube intact.

When the vibrating element in a magnetostriction oscillator is magnetized by a-c it will vibrate at twice the applied frequency. This results from the fact that the rod will contract on both the positive and the negative swings of the applied a-c. To make the rod vibrate at the applied frequency, a magnetic bias is applied and this should exceed the induced magnetic field. In this oscillator the bias is supplied by the d-c in the plate coil.

The resonant frequency of the vibrating element of a magnetostriction oscillator is determined by the equation  $F = V/2L$  where  $F$  is the frequency in cps,  $V$  the velocity of sound in the material in cm per second, and  $L$  the length of the tube in centimeters.

The velocity of sound in nickel varies inversely with temperature. At 32 F it is approximately 4,973 meters per second. Therefore at this temperature the length of a plain nickel-alloy vibrating element with a natural frequency of 14 kc is 17.75 cm. When a concave piston

or reflector is attached to the end of the tube the loading results in a lowered frequency. This effect requires a shortening of the tube to raise the frequency to the desired range. For the aluminum reflectors used, the length of the tube is reduced to approximately 12.7 cm.

#### Mounting Ring

For mounting a rod used as a vibrating element, it is customary to pinch it firmly between the tips of three screws extending radially from a mounting ring. However, this method is not sufficient to secure a thin metal tube without deforming it or allowing it to slip. A special mounting was designed as shown in the drawing and photograph. This split brass collar grips the tube firmly and yet permits it to be shifted when the screws are loosened. The photograph shows the assembled driver unit and the vibrating element in its mounting. The shape of the reflectors on each end of the tube is essentially spherical.

Experiments with aluminum pistons in the end of the nickel tube revealed that they absorb an excessive amount of power owing to internal friction. Therefore a reflector was formed from sheet nickel and silver-soldered to the end of the tube. This metal did not absorb so much energy by heating, but tests revealed that the focused

energy from this reflector was not as yet adequate for the purpose intended. However, an interesting phenomenon was observed during these experiments.

A nickel tube had been prepared with a conical point, resembling a sharpened pencil. The cone was formed separately in a die and silver-soldered to the tube. When this blunt conical point was located just above the surface of a pan of water, it was noted that when the tube was oscillating, an air blast, issuing from a crack in the seam on the side of the cone impinged upon the surface of the water in the container below.

Another tube was prepared with a No. 80 hole drilled axially in the blunt point. In this cone, the air blast issued from the hole and depressed the surface of the water below. This effect was not the result of temperature-expanded air within the tube since the tube had two slits in the side. Apparently there is a pumping action that causes the tube to expel a jet of air of considerable force, resulting in a much better focusing of energy than was accomplished by other means.

The project which led to the discovery of this unique ultrasonic recording pencil was sponsored by the Office of Naval Research in an attempt to develop new types of facsimile recording paper.

# TELEVISION PRODUCTION TECHNIQUES

Ideas for cutting costs, speeding up production and improving quality of television receivers. Featured are conveyor accessories, subassembly jigs and assembly-line fixtures

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THE LAYOUT of the Du Mont television receiver plant at East Paterson, New Jersey, was aimed at giving maximum value for the customer's television dollar, by improving the ratio of time usefully expended to the time expended on lifting, lugging, carrying, moving and transporting components, tubes, cabinets, subassemblies, work in process and finished goods. To accomplish this aim, material handling by hand labor was reduced to a minimum, a central signal system was provided and the production lines were mechanized, resulting in many worthwhile production shortcuts and quality insurance procedures.

## Conveyor Line Accessories

The 450,000 square feet of production floor space was laid out to give: (1) A continuous flow of materials from receiving to shipping; (2) minimum manual handling of material; (3) powered belt conveyor assembly lines; (4) mono-rail overhead conveyors for delivery and storage of larger components, subassemblies and chassis units in process.

**Console Tilt Table.** The spring-actuated table in Fig. 1 and 2 facil-

itates handling of heavy console television sets during final packing in shipping cartons. When incoming cabinets are unpacked, cartons are opened at the bottom. At the packing position, the carton is placed over the upright cabinet, and the filled carton is pushed off the end of the roller conveyor as in Fig. 1A. In tipping, the carton comes in contact with the roller on the tilt table; the table then tips slowly under restraint of the 100-lb spring to meet the falling carton. After the spring has returned the table to horizontal, the table is rotated 90 degrees as in Fig. 1B for sealing the flaps, then rotated another 90 degrees for tipping the carton back upright onto a skid, on an outgoing conveyor or directly on the floor as in Fig. 1C. Additional 180-degree rotation brings the table in position for the next set. With this table, one man can handle a 320-lb console.

An angle iron backstop, visible in Fig. 2, was added to the original design. As the table returns to horizontal the first time (between Fig. 1A and 1B) the carton rests against this backstop, helping the console to slide or seat itself in the carton.

Each of the gravity roller con-

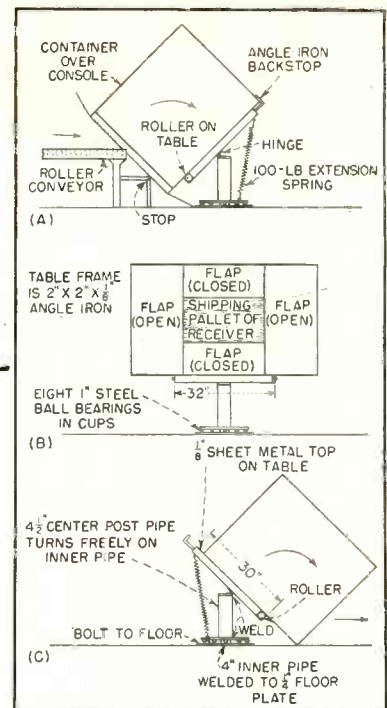
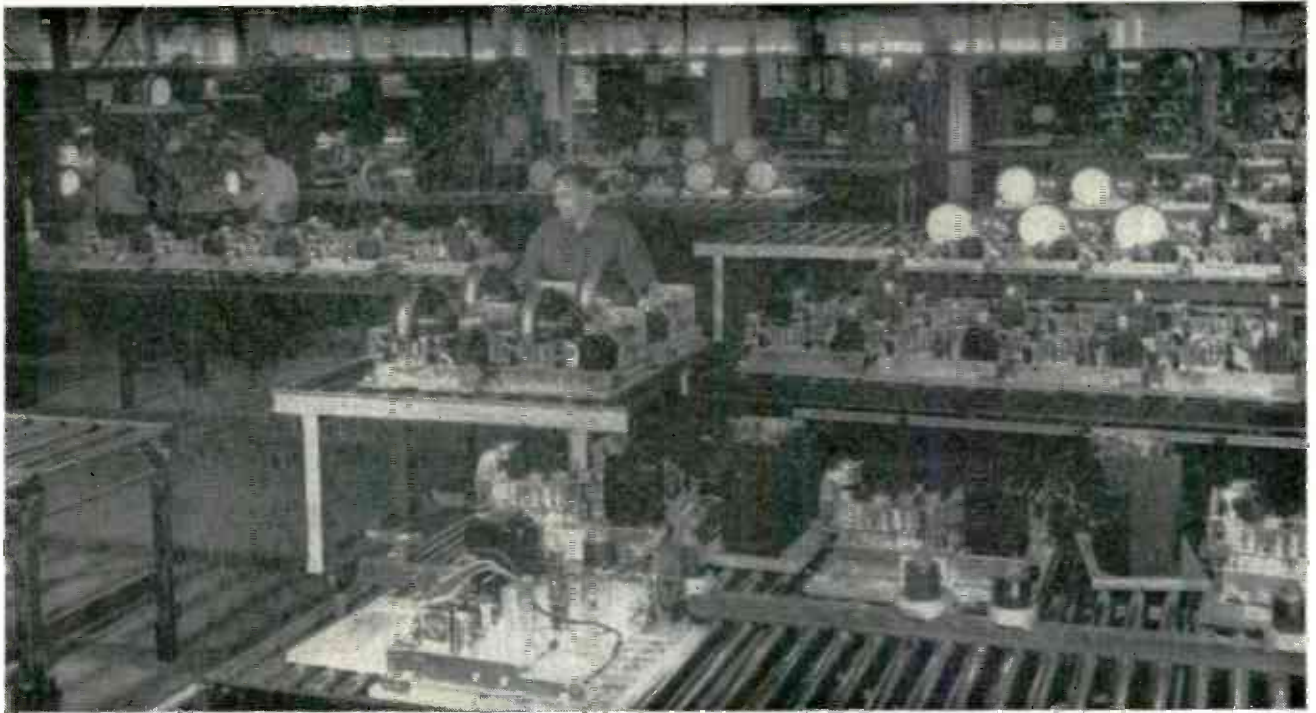


FIG. 1—Details of spring-cushioned tilt table, and three steps in its use for turning console on side and back up again without damage



FIG. 2—Tilt table in roller conveyor line enables two men or even one to turn carton with 320-lb console on side for sealing of flaps. Here carton is being turned upright again after sealing





Lifting of 60-lb chassis units is eliminated and pedestrian path is provided across roller conveyor lines by using conveyor-topped trolley cars running on floor rails across each end of television receiver aging area. For straightline transfer across gap, sets are pushed across top of car. Sets can be transferred to different lines four at a time by cart, for balancing load into the 12 aging conveyors (at right), or transferred from aging lines into the final test conveyors (at left) after their 2-hour aging at rated line voltage



FIG. 3—Strategic omission of rollers and use of angle-iron stops in roller conveyor speeds and simplifies turning over of table-model tv sets in cartons for sealing of flaps



FIG. 4—Overhead tube conveyor dips down at end of each main assembly line to make picture tubes available exactly where needed. Conveyor also brings tube clamping strip



FIG. 5—Overhead chassis conveyor moves between curved guides that hold platform steady as a chassis is slid on or off. This conveyor eliminates lifting and trucking about 40 tons a day

veyor assembly lines has adjustable leg supports to allow for a change in work height with different cabinet models. Ball caster plates at intersections and turn-around points in the lines facilitate turning of cabinets during final assembly and inspection. Live roller conveyors parallel to final assembly lines bring cartons and cases from the cabinet unpacking area, eliminating costly manpower in handling light but extremely bulky empty cartons that are used again for outgoing sets.

*Missing-Roller Technique.* In packing a table-model television set

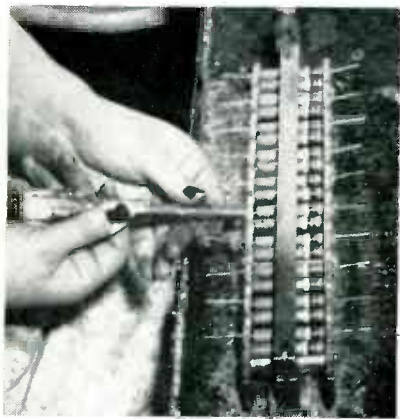


FIG. 6—Quick spin of hollow-shaft notched tool twists one lead neatly around another for paralleling of resistors. Jig holds ten pairs of resistors at a time

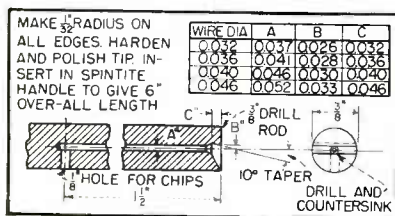


FIG. 7—Machining specifications for resistor-paralleling tool. Dimensions vary with resistor leads as per table

as it comes down a roller conveyor, the carton is placed over the upright set as shown in Fig. 3, flaps are spread out, and the carton is pushed forward until the foremost flap drops into a gap formed by leaving out some of the rollers. The set itself next drops into this gap and is turned on end with its carton. The next gap in the rollers receives the forward corners of the carton and the carton makes

another 90-degree turn, landing on its top for convenient sealing of flaps. Two more gaps produce two more 90-degree turns for the sealed carton, returning it to an upright position for conveyor delivery to the finished stock area.

### Conveyor Lines

*Overhead Chassis Conveyor.* Chassis units on which an assortment of parts have been riveted in the riveting section are suspended from a hook on the overhead chassis conveyor by the last riveting operator and are delivered to the start of the main receiver

430 feet of moving belt surface. Metal-top tables 20 feet long accommodate all mechanical assembly operations at the beginning of the lines, and similar tables 14 feet long at the ends of the lines provide facilities for tube mounting. Total length of an assembly line is thus 464 feet. All wiring operations are done on these belts progressively; through control of belt speed the movement of the chassis is made to coincide with the prearranged time cycles set by the methods section for assembly operations, reducing the operator holdups common to push-along systems and producing a saving in move time over the push-along schemes.

*Overhead Tube Conveyor.* A 584-foot-long monorail overhead conveyor with picture-tube carriers spaced four feet apart provides a safe storage capacity for 146 picture tubes in otherwise unused space near the ceiling, eliminates the need for unpacking the tubes at assembly-line positions, and eliminates the empty-carton disposal problem. Tubes are unpacked and cartons disposed of at the receiving well where the conveyor is loaded, without using trucking facilities of any kind inside the plant.

As shown in Fig. 4, tube carriers are designed to hold any size of tube from 12 to 20 inches in diameter. The conveyor dips down over each of the three main assembly lines at the picture-tube installation point. Sizes of tubes loaded are in the same ratio as total requirements of the different lines, so an operator never has to wait more than a few seconds for the desired size of tube to come along. A separate hanger over the picture tube carrier brings the corresponding clamping strip for the tube.

*Overhead Chassis Conveyors.* Two overhead conveyors of the type shown in Fig. 5 convey finished chassis units from one part of the plant to the other. One moves units from the assembly lines to the test section. The other transfers the aligned and tested units to the cabinet assembly lines. At each loading and take-off point, chassis carriers move between a metal loading table and a backstop that permits sliding a chassis on without having the carrier swing away. Each

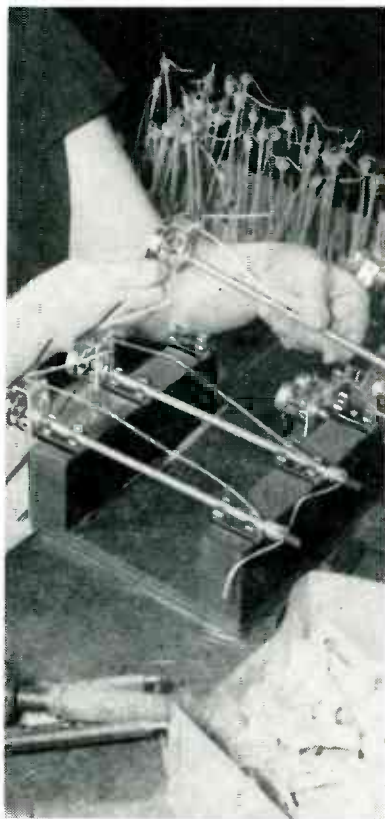


FIG. 8—Inexpensive standard fuse clips are ideal holding jigs for potentiometer subassemblies

assembly lines, thus avoiding aisle trucking and providing overhead delivery and storage. The conveyor is the conventional I-beam monorail chain and roller type, 736 feet long. It dips three times along its route, to supply each of the three main assembly lines.

*Main Assembly Line Conveyors.* Each of the three main assembly lines is a belt-on-roller type conveyor 18 inches wide and providing





FIG. 9—Universal gage for precutting capacitor and resistor leads to prescribed lengths

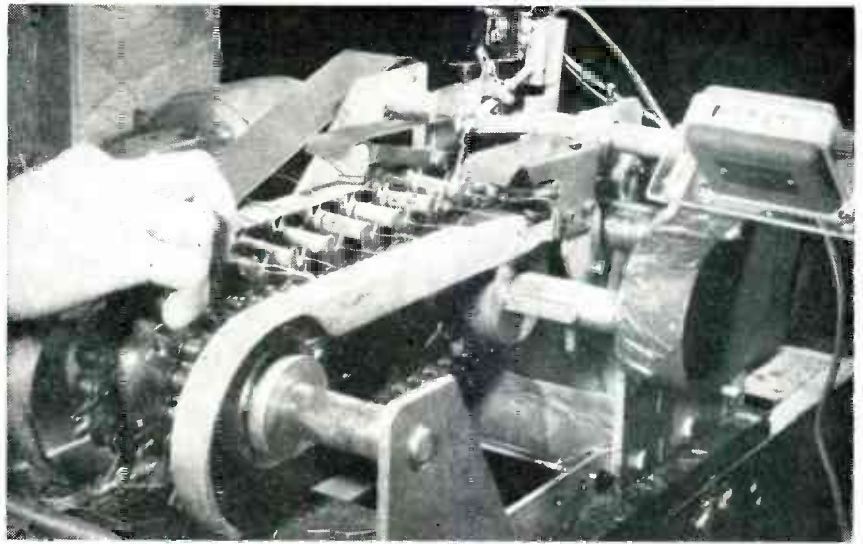


FIG. 10—Automatic machine developed by DuMont engineers for precutting leads of components at high speed. Motor-driven chopping blades function in a manner similar to the operation of pruning shears

chassis weighs approximately 60 pounds, and would be more costly to transport manually by lifting, loading, trucking and unloading.

### Subassembly Jigs

**Twisting Tool.** Use and construction of a simple tool for twisting together the paired leads of parallel-connected resistors or capacitors are shown in Fig. 6 and 7.

**Clamping Jig.** The fuse clips shown in Fig. 8 are inexpensive time-saving fixtures for holding long-shaft potentiometers securely while permitting 360-degree rotation during subassembly work.

**Lead-Cutting Gage.** The simple stepped metal plate of Fig. 9 enables an operator to cut resistor or capacitor leads quickly and accurately to any desired length before assembly. The lead length produced is stamped alongside each notch on the  $\frac{1}{8}$ -inch thick steel plate.

**Lead-Cutting Machine.** High-speed precutting of capacitor or resistor leads is made possible by the specially designed machine shown in Fig. 10. A counter indicates total output for each run of parts.

### Assembly Line Fixture

**Easel Stands.** Figures 11 and 12 show a simple and sturdy stand for holding cartons of small parts alongside main assembly lines.

**Chicken-Feeder Supply Boxes.** Resistors, capacitors, lengths of spaghetti, precut leads and any

other small components used on assembly lines are conveniently stored in the welded metal boxes shown in Fig. 13 and 14. As operators take parts from the lower opening, more drop down. Loading

is conveniently from the top, and each box holds a reasonably adequate supply.

**Test Bench.** The simple and sturdy all-welded bench design of Fig. 15 and 16 lends itself to eco-

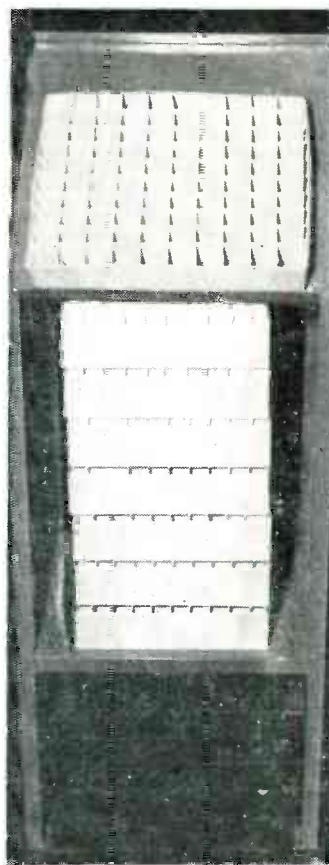


FIG. 11—Universal welded-metal table for holding and storing cartons of small parts

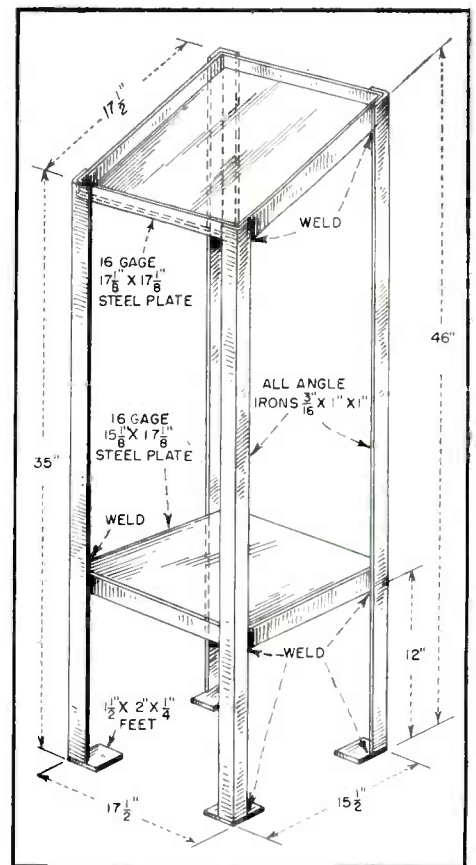


FIG. 12—Fabricating specifications for carton-holding easel. Rough edges of welds are filed or ground off and top corners are rounded off

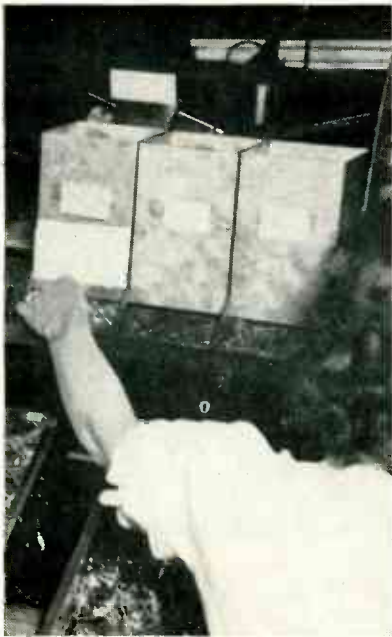


FIG. 13—Chicken-feeder type supply boxes make small parts readily accessible on main moving-belt assembly lines

nomical fabrication in quantity, provides maximum versatility for use at various television receiver test, alignment and repair positions and is both comfortable and convenient for technicians using it.

A powered metal-slat conveyor brings chassis units to and from test benches on either side. Conveyor height is such as to permit sliding a chassis directly onto the bench.

*Picture Tube Holder.* Also appearing in Fig. 16 is a standard cathode-ray tube housing developed for bench use and capable of holding either 15-inch or 19-inch tubes. The housing is steel and the face plate is Lucite. Use of a separate picture tube at repair benches simplifies working on the bottom of a chassis during trouble-shooting.

### Component Test Sets

*Flux Leakage Search Coil.* With the setup of Fig. 17 in the component acceptance section of the plant, it is a simple matter to determine whether the stray magnetic field of a new power transformer is sufficient to modulate the picture objectionably by acting on the electron beam in the neck of the c-r tube.

An unshielded 3,000-turn pickup coil is mounted on a special jig that permits placing the coil at the exact

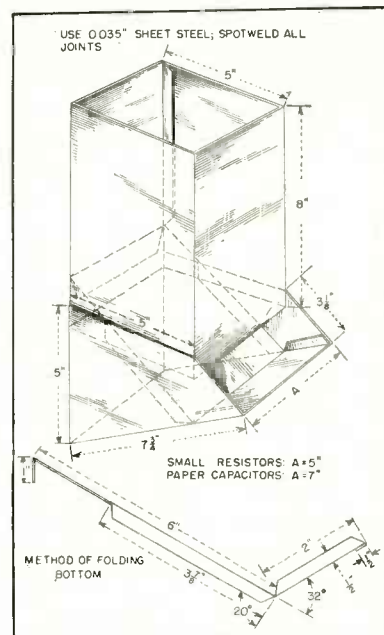


FIG. 14—Metal-shop guide for cutting and welding feed bins for small parts. For longer parts, width is increased

center line occupied by the electron gun and moving it forward or backward along this line. In addition, the jig permits rotating the coil in all three dimensions to find the point of maximum pickup. The voltage picked up by the coil is measured and its waveform viewed with a cathode-ray oscilloscope used in conjunction with a voltage calibrator (on top of scope in photo).

By using on the test chassis in turn a number of transformers exhibiting known and different external field effects in receivers, it was determined that about 0.4 volt induced in the pickup coil by the external field of a power transformer may be considered just barely passable. This voltage produces about a  $\frac{1}{8}$  inch deflection of the picture. All measurements are made with the line voltage set at its upper limit of 129 volts. The search coil technique provides a means of measuring the strengths of the external field at the crt gun position irrespective of the size or shape of the transformer being considered for acceptance.

When all available transformers exceed the leakage requirement at the distance predetermined by chassis layout, copper banding may often be used around the outside of the transformer to reduce the stray

fields at their source. A banded transformer appears disassembled on the bench in Fig. 17.

*Cold-Cathode Lighting.* Production lines are illuminated as shown in Fig. 18. Though cold-cathode lighting equipment is more expensive initially, it gives lower lamp replacement costs and provides a more uniform intensity of lighting as the tubes do not blacken with age.

### Quality in Quantity

There is, of course, much more to a successful quality production job than a fine building, miles of conveyors and various production aids. Engineering prototypes of new models are reviewed by manufacturing and receiver quality control departments, who recommend changes to improve quality and simplify manufacturing operations. Samples of the components on the bill of materials are brought in and given a rigorous test against engineering specifications by the component acceptance section of the receiver quality control department. Only parts approved may be purchased.

Individual operations on the production line are planned after exhaustive motion and time studies have been made on production prototypes of the new model constructed by the manufacturing methods section from the final bill of materials and engineering drawings.

A substantial pilot run is made to reveal any deficiencies in the methods breakdown, to train personnel, and to give manufacturing, engineering and receiver quality control departments an additional opportunity to eliminate bugs in the receiver. Complete type tests are made of each unit of the pilot run by the quality control section of the receiver quality control department.

Field test runs are made on a fully equipped mobile laboratory test bus and as a result, additional minor changes may be recommended. The bus is later used to field-check pilot run and production models. A hinged antenna mast on the roof can be raised by one man.

The cabinet engineering and receiver quality control departments



conduct tumbling and drop tests on a few packaged teletes of each model. After careful observations of any resultant damage to the cabinet or teaset components, changes in packaging or teaset construction are recommended to correct any weaknesses which may have been revealed.

The use of any components and materials for pilot or production runs must await approval of these materials by the incoming inspection section, as must the payment of invoices to vendors. Statistical quality control techniques are used to assure high quality in a most economical manner. Representative samples are selected from each shipment in accordance with scientifically prepared sampling plans; lots which fail to pass the sampling plan are returned to the vendor or inspected 100 percent. It is estimated that the use of scientific sampling inspection has reduced incoming inspection labor between 70 and 90 percent while giving a far better control of quality than haphazard sampling.

The subassembly section of the manufacturing department prefabricates about 50 percent of the material which goes into the completed teaset. These subassemblies are subjected to a scientific sampling inspection before being passed on the main assembly lines, where they are wired and soldered into the chassis as the set moves.

At frequent intervals along the main assembly line, a checker-repair operation is done. Defects found by these checkers are immediately reflected back to the responsible line operator. At the end of each production line, there is a 100-percent inspection by the process inspection section. The results are marked on an inspection sheet, and are plotted on a control chart which is posted and published. Defects are tagged by these inspectors, repaired by manufacturing, and re-inspected before being put on the overhead platform conveyor which carries the set to the test section. In addition, scientific sampling inspection is made by the product control section before completed

chassis units go to test, as a check on the main line assembly and inspection positions. This data again is plotted on control charts which are posted and published.

The teaset test section utilizes standard signals, delivered from the central signal generating room via distribution amplifiers located at various strategic places on the main floor. This central room is air-conditioned, and contains over a quarter of a million dollars of special equipment designed and fabricated by the test equipment design section.

Chassis units entering test first go to the pretest subsection, where they have power applied for the first time and are checked to be sure that each stage is operative and every control functions. Errors are corrected by trouble-shooters and repairmen. From pretest, the chassis is carried on a power-driven slat conveyor to the alignment subsection. Here each is adjusted and aligned by scope, using the signals piped from central.

After alignment, the slat con-

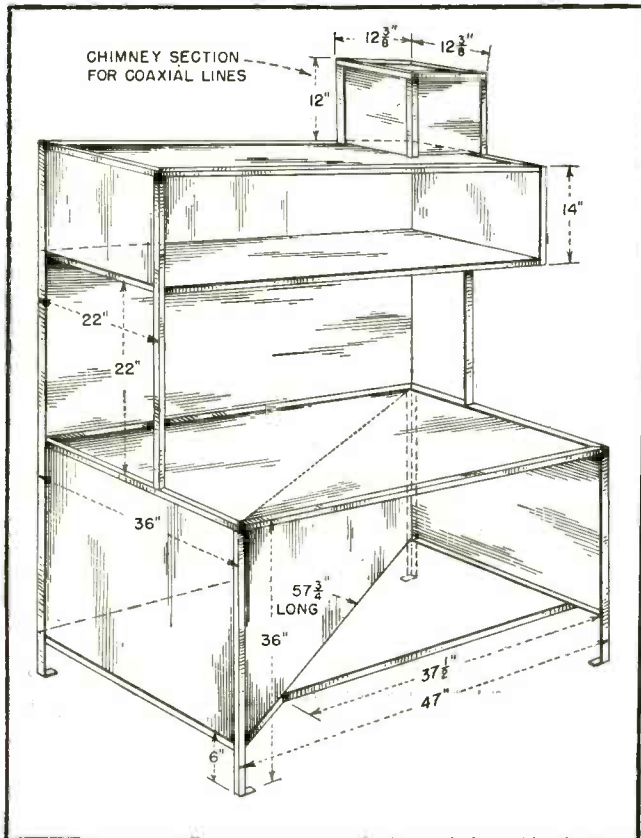


FIG. 15—Standard test bench used throughout DuMont plant. Diagonal panel underneath stiffens entire structure and protects coaxial terminations at left side of bench



FIG. 16—Top of bench can be either sheet metal or plywood. The combination Lucite-metal holding fixture takes both 15-inch and 19-inch tubes



FIG. 17—Chassis fixture for measuring stray magnetic field of power transformers at neck position of picture tube as part of power transformer acceptance test

veyor delivers the chassis to the aging area where it is run for at least two hours to bring out any latent defects. From aging, the chassis moves to the final phasing position where such defects as may have developed are corrected, and a final tailoring of the alignment is given to insure optimum performance. Each day a number of production chassis units are taken after the final phasing operation to a complete type test laboratory for electrical performance measurement.

From the phasing position, the chassis moves on an overhead platform conveyor to the final cabinet assembly section. At the beginning of each cabinet assembly line, a 100-percent cabinet inspection is performed and any necessary touchup operations are made. The cabinets move on the roller conveyor to the final assembly positions, where the chassis, loudspeaker, changer and hardware are mounted on the cabinet. Each completely assembled receiver is thoroughly checked by the final acceptance inspection section of the receiver quality control department with inside audio wobulator and video monoscope test signals. Any which fail are trouble-shot and repaired in the next line position and then reinspected. After the teletest has been ap-

proved, final cabinet inspection is made, minor cabinet scratches that may occur on the line are touched

up, and the receiver is packed and is then ready for shipment to the consumer.

Each day four or five sets of each cabinet model are moved from finished stock into the life test laboratory where each one is given a complete consumer's acceptance test. Accelerated life tests are then given at 129 line volts. The receivers are automatically turned on and off each fifteen minutes for a period as low as 16 hours for some receivers and 250 hours for others of each type. After this life run, another inspection and additional electrical measurements are made. A limited number of receivers are tested on the vibration table and in the heat and humidity chambers as a double check on production. A random selection of receivers is hauled out of finished stock and examined by Dr. Du Mont in his own personal laboratory at Cedar Grove, New Jersey, each week.

The overall philosophy is that it is more economical to make something right than to fix it.

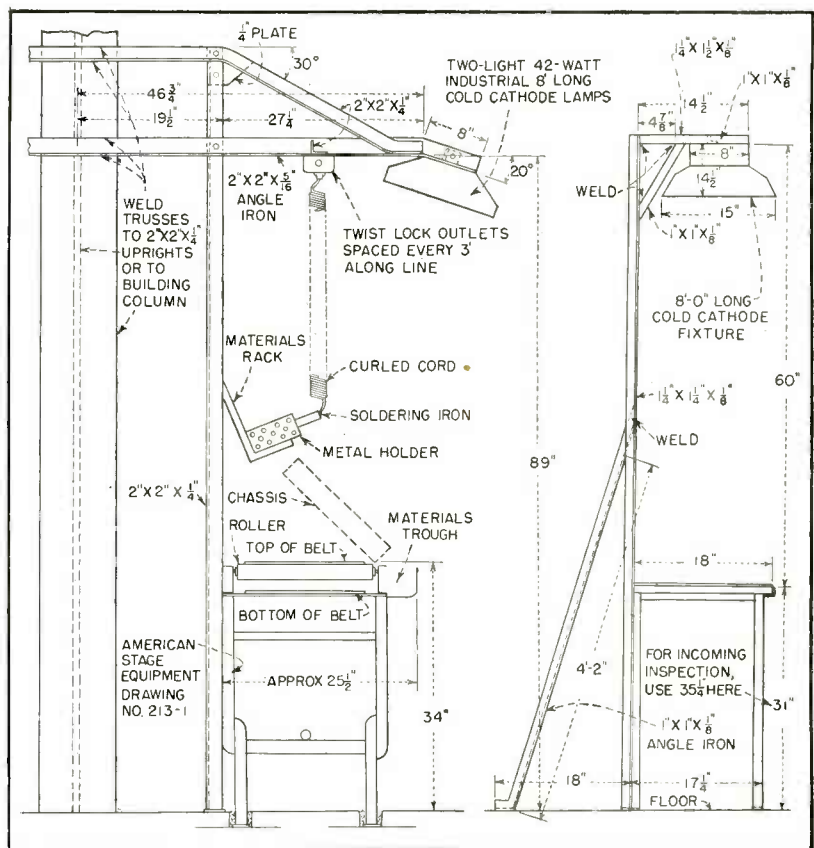


FIG. 18—Cross-sections of main moving-belt assembly line and stationary sub-assembly or incoming inspection lines, with critical dimensions for optimum positioning of overhead cold-cathode fluorescent lights. Lines are usually back to back on common center supports



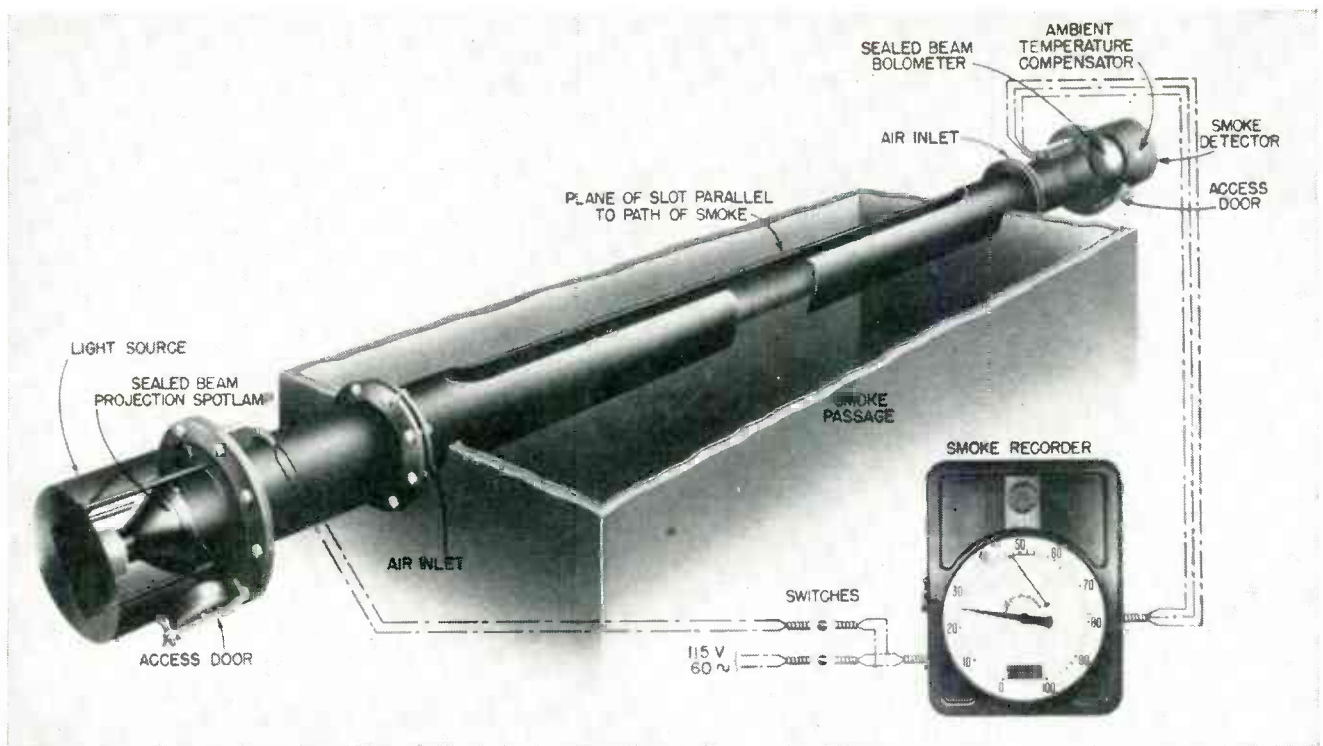


FIG. 1—Smoke in flue reduces amount of light reaching bolometer, at right, from light source at left. Resulting variations in voltage drop across bolometer, due to its changing resistance, are automatically balanced against voltage drop across portion of motor-driven slidewire unit that actuates recorder. Scale around circular chart of recorder indicates percent smoke

# Measuring Smoke Density

New sealed-beam bolometer system gives high accuracy, without need for frequent cleaning and recalibration. Lenses, mirrors, lamp and bolometric light detector are sealed in glass, and windows are washed by air. Unique circuit uses null-balance a-c potentiometer

ONE OF THE greatest obstacles to accurate measurement of smoke is the nature of smoke itself. It coats lenses and lamps of light detectors, resulting in loss of accuracy and high maintenance costs.

Dust, fly ash and fog caused by condensation of water vapor in the flue gases contribute further to inaccuracy. Where samples are drawn from the stack or breeching into bypass lines, fly ash and cinders in the smoke tend to cause clogging and result in inefficient, expensive operation.

Often smoke-density measuring

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devices must be installed in places where high ambient temperatures are common. This creates a problem for devices having receivers which depend on filament temperatures as an indication of density. Theoretically, the filament temperature depends on the amount of radiation reaching it through a

column of smoke, but if the surrounding air becomes too hot, inaccuracy will result. In addition, excessive heat may cause rapid deterioration of radiation receivers such as phototubes and self-generating photocells, resulting in frequent replacements.

Moving the smoke detector to a cooler location solves the high-temperature problem but introduces another serious one caused by lower temperatures. In cooler parts of a stack there is a great deal of condensation. Inadequately protected instruments are quickly af-

ected by the excessive moisture, and severe corrosion results due to presence of sulphur in the flue gases.

In many cases, where the light source and light-sensitive elements are attached directly to a steel smoke stack or breeching serving boiler furnaces, warping creates a serious alignment problem. Any warping or moving of the supporting breeching due to gas temperature changes will result in the light beam being deflected away from the receiving element. This leads to errors or may cause the instrument to cease functioning altogether.

Unless voltage regulators or equivalent compensators are used, phototube-operated smoke-density instruments are subject to large errors when the line voltage fluctuates to any extent. Voltage variations affect the light source and the calibrating equipment as well as the photoelectric amplifier.

### Smoke Density Methods

An early method of estimating smoke density, still employed today, is the use of Ringleman charts. Cross-hatched charts having known percentages of their area left transparent are held in the line of vision to the column of smoke. The number of the chart which most nearly matches the smoke is then assigned as an index of smoke density. Naturally this method is greatly limited by sky and wind conditions as well as human errors in judgment. An overcast sky introduces errors which become worse when high winds are present to dissipate the column of smoke as it leaves the stack. The color of particles leaving the stack leads to further errors. The closer it approaches the color of the background sky, the more difficult accurate smoke detection becomes.

A device which has done much to eliminate the guesswork from smoke-density measurement is the bolometer type instrument shown in Fig. 1. It consists of a light source and light detector (bolometer), both of sealed-beam construction, mounted at opposite ends of a length of 4-inch standard pipe. The pipe is inserted across the full

width of a smoke stack or duct. It has a longitudinal slot 3 inches wide in the center to provide a passage through which smoke flows. The smoke intercepts a beam of light projected from the light source toward the bolometer. At low densities of smoke the bolometer receives all the radiation from the light source. As smoke increases, the radiation received by the bolometer decreases. These changes in radiation are transmitted to a smoke-density recorder of the electronic type.

### Advantages of Bolometer

One reason for the decision to use a bolometer as a smoke-density measuring device is illustrated in Fig. 2. The low efficiency of the thermal resistance-sensitive element of Fig. 2A, open to the atmosphere and without concentration of incident radiation, is obvious. In Fig. 2B the radiation has been concentrated on the sensitive element through a converging lens. Since the lens involves two open surfaces it creates a serious problem of low efficiency due to dirt and dust accumulation.

Reflection of many metals such as silver and aluminum is high in the infra-red region. Advantage may be taken of this property by using an aluminized parabolic reflector as in Fig. 2C to concentrate radiation. In smoke-density measurement, however, this arrangement with its open metallic surface is subject to corrosion by oxygen or sulphur dioxide.

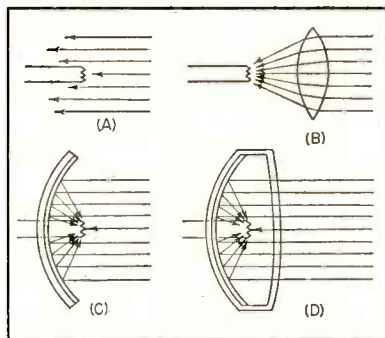


FIG. 2—Development of sealed-beam bolometer, showing how parabolic mirror (C) gives same concentrating effect as a lens (B). Final sealed unit (D) has no converging lens

In the arrangement finally adopted, shown in Fig. 2D, the radiation-sensitive element and the metallic reflector are covered with a glass lens and enclosed in a vacuum. The evacuated region not only protects the metallic surface but also increases the sensitivity of the element by eliminating heat losses due to convection and conduction.

### Null Balance Circuit

A unique bolometer circuit, shown in Fig. 3, employs an a-c potentiometer which operates on the null-balance principle. The voltage drop across the bolometer receiver is balanced against a reference voltage applied to the slide-wire.

To insure greater accuracy, a common source of 115-volt 60-cycle power feeds the light source, the smoke detector, and the measuring circuit. The light source, a 150-watt commercial spotlight, is connected in series with a 10-ohm resistor to reduce filament voltage and insure long life. The smoke detector and measuring circuit are supplied with a potential of 7.5 volts through the power transformer. This potential is stepped down further by the isolating transformer to supply the reference voltage across the slidewire.

The beam from the light source is focused on the bolometer filament which is responsive to the total radiation reaching it. The temperature, and thus the resistance of the filament, varies with the radiation received. The amount of light reaching the bolometer is a function of smoke density. Therefore, the temperature of the bolometer filament as well as its resistance and the voltage drop which occurs across the bolometer are likewise functions of smoke density.

The voltage drop across the bolometer is automatically balanced against the voltage drop across the upper portion of the slidewire by the action of an electronic amplifier and motor control. The motor control is always energized and drives the motor continuously, repositioning the slidewire and recorder until the balance point is reached.



The instrument can be calibrated easily for any desired range of smoke density with the null adjustment and range adjustment shown in Fig. 3. The null adjustment establishes the maximum smoke density to be measured. At this point the voltage drop across the bolometer is at its minimum and therefore the balancing voltage also must be at its low point. In other words, it is at the point where the density of smoke has become great enough to reduce radiation reaching the bolometer to a minimum. To achieve balance the null adjustment is moved until the recorder balances at a reading of 100 percent and the slidewire is at the upper end of its travel. Since 100 percent smoke is not normally achieved, the actual procedure involves turning off the lamp to simulate this condition.

### Adjustments

The range adjustment establishes the minimum smoke density (usually a clear stack) which will be measured. At this point full radiation from the light is reaching the bolometer and the voltage drop across the bolometer is at its maximum. The balancing voltage drop must also be at its maximum, meaning that the slidewire contact will be at the lower (0 percent smoke) end of its travel. Therefore, to set the point of minimum density at 0 percent, the range adjustment is moved until the recorder balances at a reading of 0 percent smoke. This last adjustment will in no way affect the setting of the null adjustment, which has been set at 100 percent. A fixed resistor is a further adjustment for the system and its value depends upon the distance between the light source and smoke detector.

The temperature-compensating filament shown in Fig. 3 is a sealed-in-glass resistor. Both it and the bolometer are located within the smoke detector housing so that the effect of ambient temperature variations is minimized.

As is quickly revealed by this rough study of the bolometer circuit diagram, it has the distinct advantage of being simple. The light source, smoke detector and the

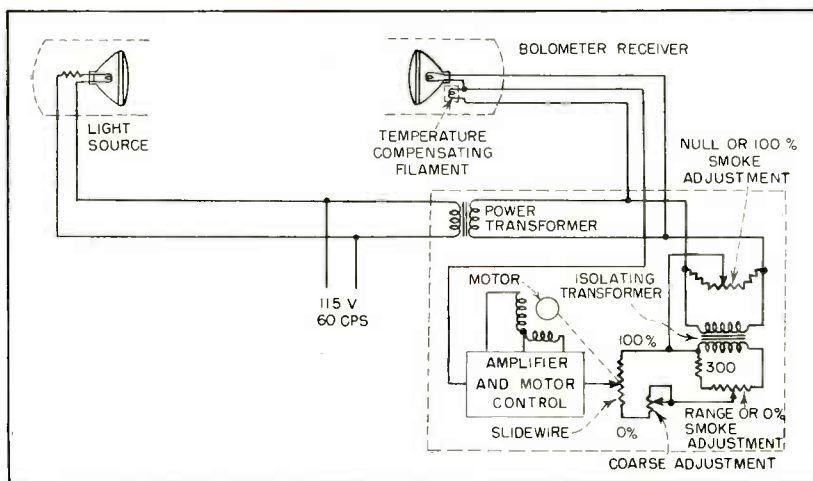


FIG. 3—Null-balance principle of Bailey bolometer-type smoke recorder

measuring circuit all are supplied with a-c power from the same source, making variations in line voltage self-compensating. No standard cell, dry cell, galvanometer, or d-c to a-c converter are needed, assuring accuracy, stability and permanence of calibration. By eliminating the galvanometer from the circuit and replacing it with an electronic amplifier, a motion-free detecting mechanism is created.

### Maintenance

Both the light source and the receiver are of the sealed-beam type and are not affected by corrosive gases or dust, thus insuring long life. The radiation-focusing mirror in the bolometer will remain clean and bright indefinitely. Instruments which are not hermetically sealed are apt to require frequent cleaning of condensing lenses and reflectors, but only the front glass on the bolometer and lamp here need attention.

Frequency of cleaning of the bolometer and lamp windows is lessened by air vents on each side of the stack, shown in Fig. 1. A negative pressure in the stack causes clean air to flow through spaced flanges which secure the light source and smoke detector to the pipe, thus preventing dust and fog from reaching the lenses. To make infrequent routine cleanings easier, access doors are provided on each housing.

Excessive smoke usually represents inefficient furnace operation and means that valuable fuel or product literally is being thrown out through the stack. To reduce smoke and insure maximum furnace efficiency, a smoke density recorder can be equipped with contacts to turn on air or steam jets or to sound alarms. For the convenience of operators, smoke density may be indicated on a 29-inch bold scale which encircles the circular recording chart. For permanent records a continuous 12-inch, 24-hour circular chart is usually provided, to give a complete picture of smoke conditions for each day and show the result of any action taken toward abatement.

Today, more than ever before, measurement of smoke density must be accurate and reliable. Smoke is now limited by rigid ordinances in many large communities, while others are considering more severe legislation in the interest of public health and civic improvement.

As integral parts of the communities in which they are located, industrial plants cannot afford to neglect the demands of local smoke abatement committees. Installation of reliable smoke density measuring devices like the bolometer-type instrument not only helps to achieve better community-industry relations, but also permits more economical furnace operation.

# Reducing Unwanted in MOBILE

Increasing occupancy of all the mobile service bands requires elimination of spurious and harmonic radiations, often beyond limits normally imposed by FCC. Suggestions are made for improved equipment design including low-pass filtering. A new technique for measuring the strength of these frequency components is described



Two-way f-m communications equipment used by Texas well-drilling outfit



New York State Police employ specially packaged transportable units

**P**HASE or frequency-modulation transmitters, consisting of a crystal oscillator followed by a phase modulator, a series of multipliers and a power amplifier, may have spurious radiations on any frequency that is an integral product of the crystal frequency. By RMA definition, spurious radiations are any r-f emissions except harmonics of the output carrier frequency radiated by or from the transmitter, other than its specified carrier frequency and modulation products. Harmonic radiations are r-f emissions radiated by or from the transmitter on multiples of its specified carrier frequency. Figure 1A shows the spectrum of a phase-modulation transmitter typical of mobile units available in 1948. The multipliers of this transmitter were two quadruplers followed by a doubler, giving a factor of 32. For the graph shown, the output frequency was 32 mc and the crystal frequency 1 mc. Therefore, there are possible spurious radiations at every integral megacycle but most are so greatly attenuated that they are not detected.

The measurable unwanted radiations consist of a spurious group near the output frequency and also the harmonics, spaced at intervals of the crystal frequency. They are also found at odd multiples of one-half the output frequency because the doubler-driver has only a single tuned-plate circuit. The reason why there is none at 80 mc is not known. Many other spurious radiations would be present here if each quadrupler were not followed by double-tuned circuits. Similar spec-



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tra are obtained for different multiplication factors, as will later be shown.

## Improving Design

Several elementary factors govern the magnitude of the spurious radiations, and the following design features should be incorporated where they are to be minimized:

- (1) Adequate selectivity should follow each multiplier stage.
- (2) The multiplication factor for each stage should be held to a minimum.
- (3) The total multiplication factor of the transmitter should be low.
- (4) The drive on each stage should not be excessive.

Likewise, where harmonics are to be minimized, the following are important:

- (1) Adequate selectivity should follow the power amplifier.
- (2) A push-pull power amplifier will yield lower even harmonics.

Needless to say, shielding is necessary in some instances to reduce undesired coupling and direct radiation.

In order to illustrate the extent of improvement in performance attributable to each of the above design features, data are given for more recent designs. Figure 1B shows the spectrum of a transmitter directly comparable to that of Fig. 1A. The improvement is obtained by reducing the multiplication factor from 32 to 24 by changing the first multiplier from a quadrupler to a tripler, by improving the Q of the double-tuned circuits of the multipliers, by insert-

ing a double-tuned circuit between the driver and the p-a and by increasing the selectivity of the antenna tuning circuit.

Figure 1C shows the spectrum of a narrow-band 25-to-50-mc transmitter that is identical to the transmitter of Fig. 1B except that the multiplication has been reduced from 24 to 12. Here the multipliers have been changed from  $\times 3 \times 4 \times 2$  to  $\times 2 \times 3 \times 2$ . Note that only the spurious radiations near the output frequency are affected and are improved by approximately 20 db.

Figure 1D shows an additional step in improving performance by inserting a low-pass filter in the antenna cable of the transmitter of Fig. 1C. Only those spurious radiations above 37 mc are changed because the filter has negligible attenuation below that frequency. In this case all radiations are more than 90 db below the carrier.

One additional graph, Fig. 2, shows the spectrum of a 148-to-174-mc transmitter that incorporates these desirable design features to reduce all spurious and harmonic radiations to more than 85 db below the carrier.

## Using an Output Filter

The advantage of using a low-pass filter to suppress spurious and harmonic radiations at the higher frequencies rests in its negligible insertion loss, negligible effect on antenna tuning and uncritical adjustment. Several models of the GE type KY4A filter are available having design cutoff frequencies of 43, 62, 118 and 257 mc. A 1 yield

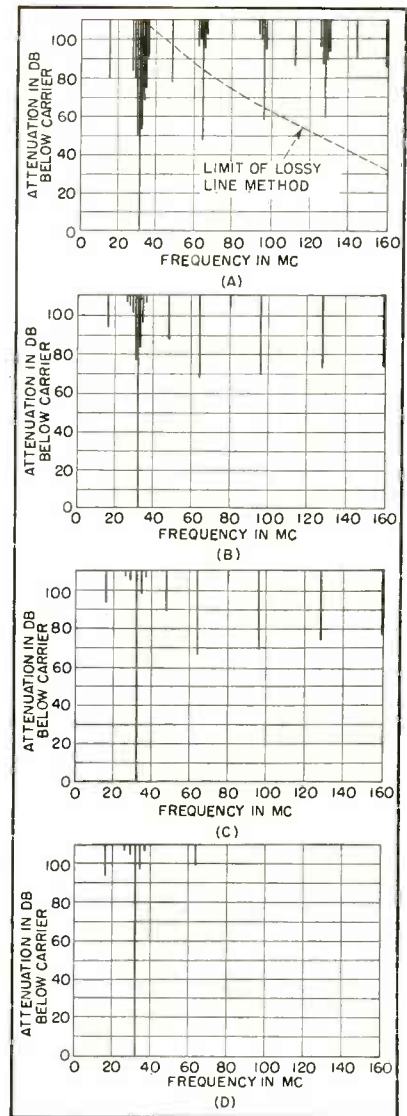


FIG. 1—Characteristics of typical transmitters for 32 mc in 1948 (A); an improved transmitter (B); spurious radiations further reduced (C); transmitter with narrow band filter (4)

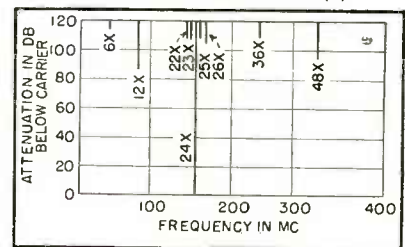


FIG. 2—Spectrum of transmitter radiation with crystal frequency X equal to 6,333.3 kc and fundamental radiation at 152 mc

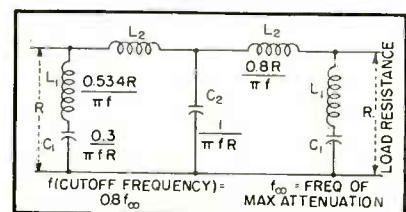


FIG. 3—Low-pass filter used to limit harmonics

## The Interference Problem

Manufacturers serving the increasingly lucrative field of mobile radio have shown commendable awareness of interference problems in which harmonics and spurious radiations are a part.

Under the most adverse operating conditions, interference may exist if the spurious radiation has a greater intensity than 125 dbw (db below 1 watt). However, design to meet this goal would be costly. Other methods, such as geographical separation, slightly different crystal frequency or multiplication factor will probably suffice for transmitters meeting the minimum FCC requirements listed below:

Maximum authorized plate power input to final r-f stage	Attenuation in db of maximum spurious or harmonic radiation
3 watts or less.....	40
Over 3 watts; including 150 watts.....	60
Over 150 watts; including 600 watts.....	70
Over 600 watts.....	80

harmonic attenuation of at least 35 db for transmitters operating in their respective bands. One of these having a cutoff of 62 mc is illustrated.

These filters consist of two  $m$ -derived sections and one constant- $k$  section. The simplified relations given on Fig. 3 may be used to calculate the values of the circuit elements for the value  $m=0.6$ .

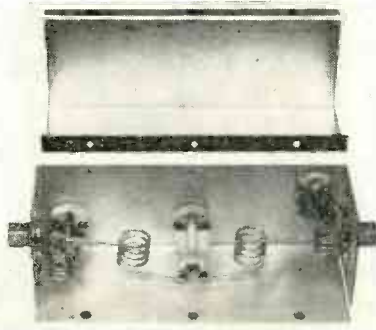
### Conventional Measurements

Spurious radiations and harmonics are customarily determined with the transmitter loaded into its normal antenna, and the field strengths of the various frequencies measured and compared. This method has objectionable features. The results cannot be readily duplicated and do not give a figure of merit for the transmitter alone that is usable in specifying performance.

The most objectionable feature of this method is that the antenna pattern is not the same for all frequencies and thus the ratio of the spurious field strength to the carrier field strength will vary greatly with the location at which the measurements are made. Because the input impedance of the antenna varies greatly with frequency the results obtained are both a function

of the antenna design and also of the length of transmission line connecting the transmitter to the antenna.

The lossy-line method currently specified for making these measurements, although simple in theory, is not satisfactory in practice. The primary difficulty results from the fact that the attenuation of lossy line rises with frequency so that it



Model 4KY4A4 antenna filter used to attenuate harmonics

becomes difficult to detect harmonics at high frequencies. Suppose a length of RG-21/U lossy line is used to connect the transmitter to the field strength measuring equipment. This line has an attenuation of 60 db at the fundamental fre-

quency of 32 mc; it will therefore have an attenuation of 137 db at the fifth harmonic at 160 mc. Thus, if the 60-db attenuation reduces the fundamental to 100,000 microvolts at the field strength measuring equipment and this equipment is capable of detecting a 0.3-microvolt signal at the fifth harmonic (160 mc), it will be possible to measure a 110-db difference. However, due to the 77-db correction necessary to take care of the difference in attenuation of the lossy line at the two frequencies, it is only possible to measure a 33-db difference. It is clear from this that if the fifth harmonic is only 35 db below the carrier, it will not be detected. Actually, for a satisfactory method of measurement, it must be possible to measure any spurious radiations that are not more than 100 db below the carrier level.

The limitation of the lossy-line method is shown graphically in Fig. 1A. This spectrum of transmitter radiation was measured by the method to be described, and all of those spurious radiations lying completely above the dashed line would not have been found had the lossy-line method been used.

Another problem inherent in all measurements of this type is accentuated in using lossy line. This is the problem of eliminating undesired coupling between the transmitter under test and the measuring apparatus. The voltage being measured between the inner and outer conductor of the lossy line is often small and unless adequate shielding is provided, the amount of signal obtained by undesired paths such as by direct radiation and by conduction along the outer conductor of the line may give readings that are in error by many decibels.

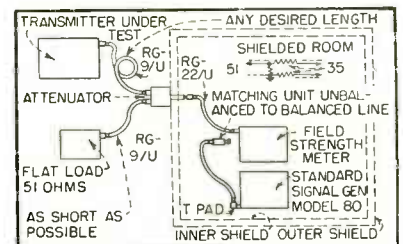


FIG. 4—Test setup for making measurements of spurious radiation



The method to be described substitutes for the lossy line an attenuator that has slightly less attenuation at the higher frequencies than at the fundamental. This attenuator is so constructed that it can be mounted in the wall of a double-shielded room. Figure 4 shows how the equipment is connected for making measurements.

### Improved Measurements

The transmitter under test is connected to the attenuator by means of a length of RG-9/U double-shielded coaxial cable and from there to a flat load or wattmeter that has a constant impedance over the range of frequencies in which measurements are being made. The attenuator construction illustrated in Fig. 5 shows that it will insert only a slight discontinuity into the line as a very short length of the center conductor is used inside the cavity of the attenuator. The secondary (coupling coil) couples to this length of the center conductor and thus a voltage is obtained proportional to the current flowing in the transmission line. The output of the attenuator is connected to the field-strength meter or receiver by a length of RG-22/U balanced, shielded transmission line.

After each measurement, the field-strength meter is calibrated by substituting the standard signal generator for the line coming from the attenuator. Since most generators now available have an unbalanced output, a matching unit is



Pipeline control and dispatching of mobile units is possible with two-way radio

used between the signal generator and field strength meter as illustrated.

### Attenuator Adjustment

Adjustment of the amount of attenuation provided by the attenuator

is made by moving the secondary coil relative to the short input loop. The plunger of the secondary coil assembly is marked to indicate positions of the coil for approximately 6-db steps. These various positions are calibrated against frequency by means of a standard signal generator. Calibration curves for the attenuator are shown in Fig. 6, giving the attenuation between the transmitter end of the RG-9/U and the field-strength meter.

Attenuation decreases with frequency, as would be expected from the nature of the device, making it possible to detect the higher harmonics more easily than the spurious radiations near the carrier frequency.

In addition to the attenuation position marks on the plunger of the secondary coil assembly, the plunger has a mark parallel to the axis so that the proper orientation between the coplanar primary and secondary coils can be retained. To improve the impedance match to the 95-ohm balanced output, an H-pad is inserted between the secondary coil and the plunger output.

Results using the method described above have been entirely satisfactory. With only reasonable care, it has been possible for different personnel to duplicate data within 2 or 3 db, on dates that are months apart and even for spurious radiations that are more than 100 db below the carrier.

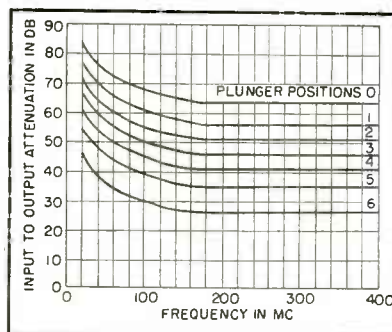


FIG. 6—Characteristics of attenuator shown in Fig. 5

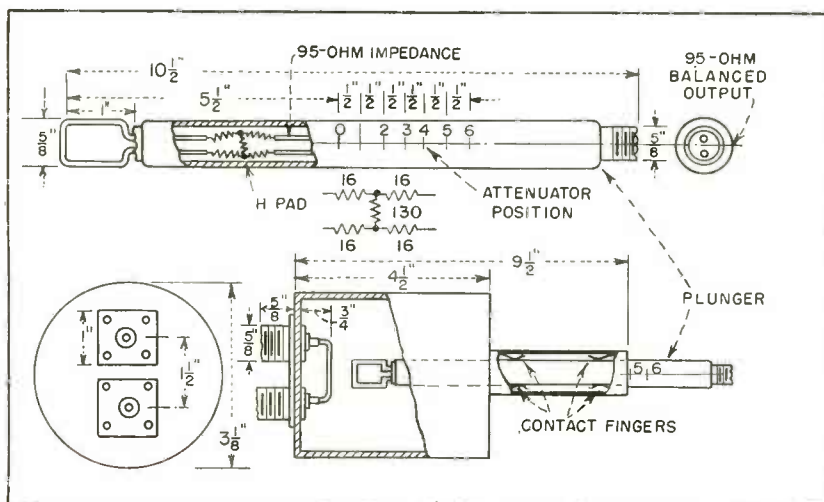


FIG. 5—Mutual-inductance attenuator with coplanar coils and 95-ohm output

# CITIZENS BAND Regulations

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**S**INCE the announcement on June 1, 1949 that the FCC would license stations for operation in the citizens band the commission's offices have been flooded with requests for more information. It is the purpose of this article to answer questions that are most often brought up.

It seems that many people long to own a radio station. They ask, "Will I be able to get a license even though I know nothing about radio?" The answer is, "Yes, if you are a citizen of the United States and 18 years of age or older."

The next question is usually, "How do I go about getting a license?" You write to the Federal Communications Commission, Washington 25, D.C., or to any of its Engineering Field Offices, and request a copy of Form 505. At the same time, send ten cents in coin (not stamps) to the Superintendent of Documents, U. S. Government Printing Office, Washington 25, D. C., and request a copy of the "Rules and Regulations Governing Citizens Radio Service."

Form 505 requires no special information so long as the equipment you are going to use has been type approved by the FCC. If the equipment has been approved then you need only fill in the information that is on the nameplate. This must include the type approval number.

Beware of transmitters offered as "suitable for use in the Citizens Band" that do not have type approval. One example of such a transmitter is the BC-645, available on the surplus market. This set is

not type approved and the FCC has not to date issued a license for its use in the citizens band.

One of the reasons the BC-645 gained early popularity was that the FCC did at one time license some of these sets as Class 2 experimental transmitters in order to get some activity started on the citizens band and obtain technical data before the band was officially opened to the general public. However, all Class 2 licenses for this type of service expired November 1, 1949 and none of them will be renewed.

The next inevitable question is, "Has type approval been issued for any set?" The answer is, "Yes". Type approval CR401 was issued to Citizens Radio Corporation of Cleveland, Ohio, for a camera-type portable set, and many pictures of this set appeared in trade journals. However, none were offered to the general public. Then, early in July, this firm sold their assets to Stewart-Warner Electric Corporation, Chicago, and this firm is making modifications and planning production. The FCC has already issued a new type approval, CR402, for a modified set. However, if the set is further changed or modified before it is released to the public an entirely new type approval will be needed.

### Transmitter Requirements

Delay in the sale of manufactured sets brings up a natural question, "Will the FCC license non-type-approved transmitting equipment?" Again the answer is, "Yes, provided it meets the standards set up for equipment in this band." To meet the standards you must file, with your application for license, information that proves that the equipment is capable of operating as set out in the regulations. If the station is to be operated at a fixed

location, then the frequency band 460 to 462 mc may be used by Class A stations. A Class A station may use up to 50 watts plate power input to the radio-frequency stage supplying power to the antenna and must be capable of maintaining a frequency tolerance of 0.02 percent. The communication bandwidth may not exceed 200 kc.

If the transmitter is to be operated in the frequency band 462 to 468 mc, the plate power input must be limited to 10 watts. This frequency band is also allocated for Class B stations which are authorized to use a plate power input to the radio-frequency stage supplying power to the antenna of 10 watts and are all adjusted to operate on the frequency of 465 mc. All operations (including frequency tolerance and communication band) must be confined to within plus or minus 0.4 percent of 465 mc.

For operation in the section 468 to 470 mc the transmitter may be designed for use at fixed locations or as a mobile unit using up to 50 watts power but must have the same frequency tolerance as for units operating in the 460 to 462 mc section of the band.

Since the FCC will not usually test composite units, information must be submitted to show that the transmitter meets the specifications. However, the Commission may require that the equipment or a prototype be made available for tests. Then users of such equipment must forward it to the Commission Laboratory, Laurel, Maryland, for tests. The transportation to and from the laboratory must be at no expense to the Government and all pertinent information must be sent with the equipment.

If you want to use composite equipment you must have a second-class radiotelephone or radiotelegraph license, or better, or have the



This interpretation of FCC rules answers such questions as: "Do I have to be a technician to get a license?" "What manufactured transmitters have been given type approval?"

"What must be done to obtain permission to operate homemade equipment?"

adjustments made by the holder of such license or under the supervision of such an operator who will be responsible for the proper functioning of the station. You must also have a commercial operator's license to service sets. An amateur license is no good for this.

### Operating Rules

The permissible communications for stations in the citizens band are set out in the regulations as follows:

"(a) Each station in the Citizens Radio Service is authorized to communicate with other stations in this service. Communications with stations licensed under other parts of the Commission's rules or with United States Government or foreign stations is prohibited." This means that, for example, an amateur owning both an amateur station and citizens band station can not use the citizens band station to work his own or another amateur station.

"(b) All communications in the Citizens Band shall be limited to the minimum practicable transmission time." You cannot give long-winded descriptions of the sights as you drive down the road.

"(c) Stations in this band may not be used for any purpose contrary to Federal, State or Local law; or to carry program material of any kind either directly or indirectly to the public through public address systems or by any other means." In other words, you cannot use your citizens radio service equipment to relay race results for rebroadcast over a p-a system outside the track, you cannot charge Mrs. Jones for relaying a message to her husband, and you cannot have little Mary sing for the neighbors.

"(d) A Citizens Radio Station used for radio control of devices or

objects shall not be used where its operation involves continuous radiation of energy by the station for operational control of such apparatus." This means that if a tone-modulated signal is used to provide separate control functions for model planes, boats or other similar devices, the carrier cannot be left running. It must be started and stopped with the tone.

"(e) A Citizens Radio Station used for the purpose of communication by radio telephone shall not emit a carrier wave unless modulated for the purpose of communication, and when using telegraphy, radiation of energy shall not occur except when telegraphic signals are being transmitted, excepting for brief tests or when adjustments are being made on the transmitter." In other words, you cannot leave the carrier on while you talk on the telephone or to let the neighbors hear the brawl you are staging.

An unusual method will be used to identify stations of the citizens radio class. The registered serial number appearing on each citizens radio station license will be the call signal assigned to the station. A station must transmit its call signal at the beginning and at the end of each communication as well as once each ten minutes during communications of more than ten minutes duration. Stations being used solely for the control of devices or objects are not required to identify transmissions.

When Mr. Conner's article was received the editors of ELECTRONICS relayed it posthaste to the Commission for comment.

Back it came with just a few additions and changes, which have been included here

The frequencies used in this service are available on a shared basis only, which means that in areas where a number of sets are operating there may be some heavy interference. The users of the service are expected to cooperate in obtaining the most effective use of the frequencies. The transmitters must be under control of the licensee at all times. This does not mean that the wife, husband or children of a licensee cannot operate the equipment when the licensee is not physically present. In the case of other members of the family or employees of the licensee operating the equipment it must be under the control of the licensee.

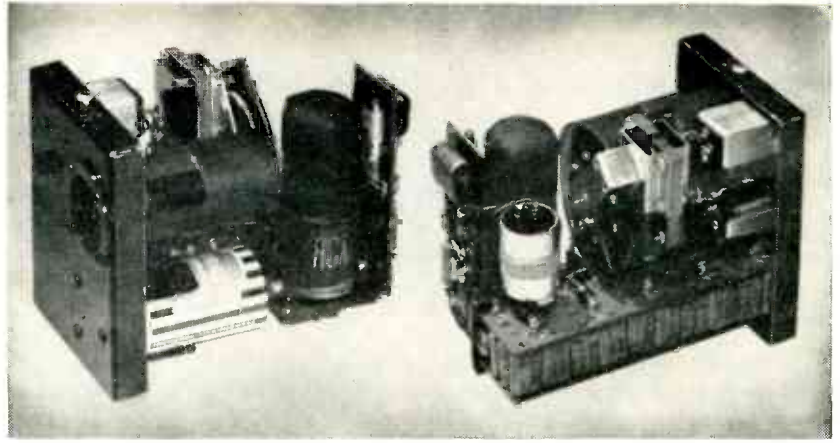
### Intended Uses

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At first glance the requirements look rather stiff but the transmitter described in ELECTRONICS for November, 1947, is a good starting point if you want an f-m transmitter. Another idea is to use a-m, starting with a crystal oscillator and multiplying to 460-470 using tubes of the 6J6 type as push-pull triplers or push-push doublers. Amateurs using similar equipment and high-gain arrays have worked distances in excess of 200 miles using 420 mc. Activity on the citizens band may show similar results.



External view of optar guidance device for the blind



Two internal views of the guidance equipment. Size is indicated by the flashlight cell view at left. Stack of voltage-multiplier elements appears at bottom right

# OPTAR—A New System of —Optical Ranging—

Photoelectric exploration of images formed by lens reveals location of objects over short ranges. Applications include a wide range of optical controls, including automatic camera focusing, infrared "radar", and devices to guide the blind

**A**N ingenious combination of optical and electronic principles was described recently before the New York section of the IRE by H. E. Kallmann. The system, known as optar ("optical automatic ranging"), makes use of a lens, a light-chopper, and a high-sensitivity phototube to explore space for illuminated objects, such as radar explores space for reflecting objects. Unlike radar, however, the optar principle is suited for exploration over short ranges, from a few inches to a few hundred feet, depending on the focal length of the lens.

The applications include optical controls, such as an automatic focussing attachment for movie and television cameras, short-range radar detection using infrared radiation, and guidance for the blind. The latter use was the first to be developed in detail by Dr. Kallmann, who demonstrated a portable ranging device which locates the posi-

tion of illuminated objects and translated their positions into audible signals

## The Optar Principle

The basic principle of the optar system is shown in Fig. 1, which illustrates the conventional action of a lens. The objects in front of the lens,  $h_1, h_2$  occupy positions at distances  $a_1, a_2$  from the center of the lens system. Corresponding to the objects are images  $i_1, i_2$ , at image distances  $b_1, b_2$ . So long as the objects are located further from the lens than the focal length  $f$ , a separate real image is formed for each object  $h$ . It is possible, therefore, by exploring the space on the image side of the lens, to locate the image and to translate the image distances into the corresponding object distances.

The translation process is illustrated in Fig. 2, in which the image distance is shown for corresponding object distances, each expressed

as a multiple of the focal length. This figure reveals that the separation of the images decreases roughly in proportion to the square of the object distances. It follows that ranging by this system is most accurate at short distances, i.e., within 200 times the focal length of the lens. At greater object distances the images fall so close together (near the focus of the lens) that it is difficult to separate them.

The essential problems are: (1) to determine the position of a single image, and (2) to explore the image space systematically for all the images it contains. These problems are solved by an ingenious light-chopping technique. The process consists of moving a series of parallel opaque bars (like the teeth of a comb) across the image space of a wide aperture lens. In consequence of the motion, the light passing through the teeth is modulated at a frequency equal to the number of bars per second



## Power consumption: 90 milliwatts

In the extraordinary blind-guidance device developed by Dr. Kallmann as his first application of the optar principle, the following items are included: A wide-aperture lens, a light chopper driven by a 1350-rpm motor, a 931-A photomultiplier tube operating at 1,000 volts. The only power source is a single standard flashlight cell operating at 60 ma, good for 100 hours continuous use!

passing a given point in the image. If the plane of the comb and the image plane coincide, the modulation percentage is a maximum. However, as the planes of the image and comb move apart, the percentage modulation decreases rapidly and falls substantially to zero when the two planes are separated by a small fraction of the focal length. A phototube views the light passing through the teeth, and the a-c component of the phototube current is an indication of the presence or absence of an image.

To explore the image space systematically, the comb may be moved through the space repeatedly in planes successively further removed from the focus of the lens. The phototube current then indicates, by the magnitude of its a-c component, each position at which the comb coincides with an image, and all the images are thus successively indicated. By noting the position of the comb when an a-c component appears and reaches a maximum, reference to a chart like Fig. 2 (or a similar calibrating device) indicates the corresponding object distance. The arrangement of the system is shown in Fig. 3. The curve at the bottom illustrates the manner in which the magnitude of the a-c component varies as the plane of the comb is displaced from the image plane.

Thus far we have considered a sharply defined image of an object occupying a small part of the field of view. When an extended object is viewed, the optar device operates on the differences in the brightness of various parts of the object. No modulation whatever occurs when an area of uniform brightness occupies the whole field of view, except the random noise component of the steady photoelectric current.

The more details are present in the image analyzed by the chopper, the more likely will be the modulation components, caused by each, to cancel each other. For random distribution of object details, the extent of the mutual cancellation must be studied by statistics, complete cancellation being the most probable result. But the fact that the probability curve has a definite width, indicates that incomplete cancellation also has a definite probability. At present, optar devices utilize only the incompletely cancelled modulation signals, which are necessarily of small amplitude.

Since the modulation signals are weak, it is necessary to maximize the signal-to-noise ratio, and this brings up the question of how large a portion of the total field of view should be intercepted by the phototube. Analysis shows that the

signal-to-noise ratio of the device is independent of the interception area. This follows from the fact that both the signal and noise component increase as the square root of the number of small dark and bright areas comprising the image.

## Differential System For High Precision

The precision with which the optar system can measure distance depends on the shape of the curve shown at the bottom of Fig. 3. For precise range measurements a differential form of the system, shown in Fig. 4, may be used. In this case, two combs are used. These occupy parallel planes and are separated a small distance along the optic axis. When centered, one comb passes slightly behind the image, and the other thereafter passes an equal distance in front of the image. The two successive a-c components are effectively subtracted, by rectification and passage through a d-c meter whose polarity is reversed as the back and front combs interchange positions. Thus two curves, like that in Fig. 3, are subtracted and a differential curve, identical in principle to that of the discriminator detector, results.

When the two combs are positioned an equal distance in front of and behind the image, the net re-

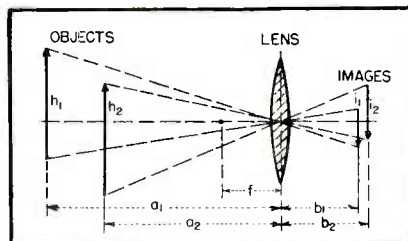


FIG. 1—The optar system measures the distance to an object by locating its image

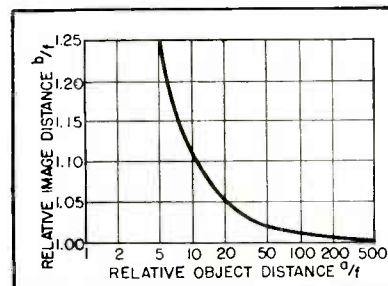


FIG. 2—Relation between object distance and image distance, expressed in terms of the focal length

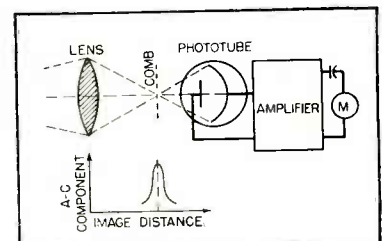


FIG. 3—Fundamental optar system. The curve shows variation in a-c component as comb is displaced

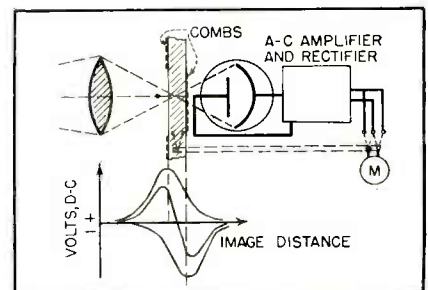


FIG. 4—Differential arrangement for high precision. Subtraction of components permits null measurement

sponse of the d-c meter is zero. Thus, the broad maximum measurement is replaced by a null measurement, and correspondingly high precision can be obtained. The disadvantage of the differential scheme is that the range of image position over which the device can operate is limited to the straight slope in the middle of the discriminator curve.

The differential system can be used for precise optical control, as in automatic focusing of cameras, by the circuit shown in Fig. 5. Here two disks, carrying the comb segments, are rotated by a motor through the image space. The resulting a-c components are separated into two paths, by a gating signal synchronized with the motor. The two separated a-c components, corresponding with the respective comb segments, are rectified and applied to opposed field coils of a servo motor. The motor then rotates whenever the pair of comb segments is not centered about the image plane, and the rotation may

be used to control the position of the lens until the centered condition is regained. Thereafter, the motor moves to follow any change in the position of the object. This is precisely the action required for automatic focusing of motion picture or tv cameras.

The device may also be used to control machine tools in terms of the changing position of an illuminated surface or index mark.

### Optar For Guidance of the Blind

The first device built by Dr. Kallmann on the optar principle is the guidance device illustrated in the accompanying photographs. In order to operate the device as one would use a flashlight, it must be small, both in size and in power consumption. Economy in power consumption is a prime requisite for such a guidance device. Dr. Kallmann has succeeded in reducing the power supply to a single flashlight cell, operating at a current drain of 60 ma, or a total

power output of 90 milliwatts. The fact that a photomultiplier, motor and audio stage can be operated from this minute energy source is one of the noteworthy achievements of the design. Simplified mechanical and circuit schematic diagrams are shown in Fig. 6. Included in the device are the lens, a push-button which opens the lens aperture and operates the power switch simultaneously, and a motor driving a disk on the periphery of which is carried a film printed with comb segments as shown in Fig. 7. The film is fitted to the disk in spiral fashion, so that, during each revolution of the disk, the plane of the comb travels once throughout the image space of the lens.

The light passing through the comb is collected by a 931-A multiplier phototube. The ten stages are operated at 80-120 volts per stage. With increasing illumination, the current drain on the power supply causes all voltages to drop. This reduces the amplification so the output increases approximately as the logarithm of the ambient illumination. It follows that the amplitude of the modulation at the output is a measure only of image detail, but independent of ambient illumination. Therefore, no gain control is needed. The background noise, decreasing with the square root of ambient illumination, determines the minimum light requirement. The present model will operate with less than one footcandle of ambient illumination,

Any tone heard in the headphone indicates the presence of an illuminated object possessing some degree of optical contrast. The spacing of the opaque bars on the film is decreased in 8 steps, as shown in Fig. 7, and the frequency of the modulation increases correspondingly. As a result, the pitch of the tone heard indicates the range of the object, in 8 zones covering a total distance range of 1.5 to 20 feet. The shape of the curve in Fig. 2 causes the depth of each zone to become smaller, the closer the zone is to the lens. Thus, the sightless person is given more precise range on nearby objects, as required for his convenience and protection. The construction of the device is shown in the photographs. The current

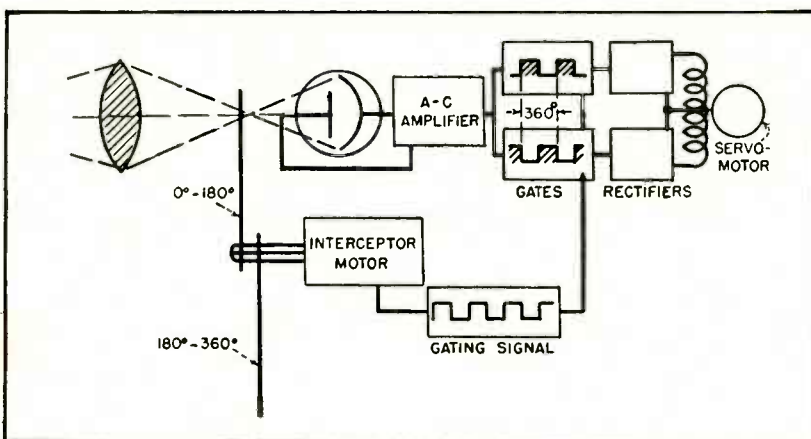


FIG. 5—Practical setup of differential ranging device, arranged to control motor and suitable for automatic camera focusing

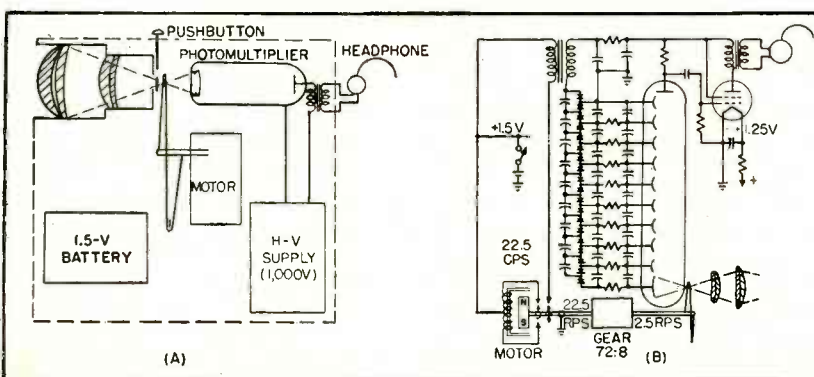


FIG. 6—(A) Mechanical arrangement of blind-guidance device. (B) Simplified schematic. This circuit operates with 90 milliwatts of primary power



model weighs two pounds and measures 3 by 4 by 5 inches. Dr. Kallmann states that a model weighing only three-quarters of a pound measuring about 1½ by 2 by 4 inches can be built.

The motor is a split-field commutator type, having a two-pole armature of alnico. It operates at 22.5 revolutions per second at 1.5 volts, 15 ma, and has very good speed regulation, as is required to provide constancy of pitch in the audible signals. Carried on the shaft of the motor is an interrupter which operates at 22.5 cps. This applies a pulsating current to a miniature power transformer which develops about 100 volts a-c across its secondary. The high-voltage power is developed by a ten-stage voltage multiplier, consisting of a stack of miniature selenium rectifiers and appropriate capacitors and resistors, as shown in Fig. 6. The first stage of this multiplier also feeds into the audio output stage, the filament of which is connected to the flashlight cell. An a-c power output of about 0.2 milliwatt is fed to the headphone. The rotating drum carrying the comb segments is driven by the motor through a 72 to 8 gear reduction, so the drum speed is 2.5 revolutions per second. The comb segments are laid out (Fig. 7) in eight 45-degree sectors. The frequency of the a-c component (the rate of passage of the bars) varies from 600 to 2,000 cps. The comb is so arranged that the highest pitch is produced in the nearest zone.

The person using the guidance device quickly learns to associate a given series of tones with a corresponding arrangement of objects in front of him. Since the device scans only in depth, it is desirable to move the instrument slowly from left to right, to distinguish the lateral edges of the objects detected.

The choice of the number of zones, the frequencies of each, and the rate at which the tone sequence repeats itself, have been chosen as compromises between precision of ranging on the one hand and flexibility of use on the other.

Figure 8 illustrates an optar device which explores the image space in the manner just described and is

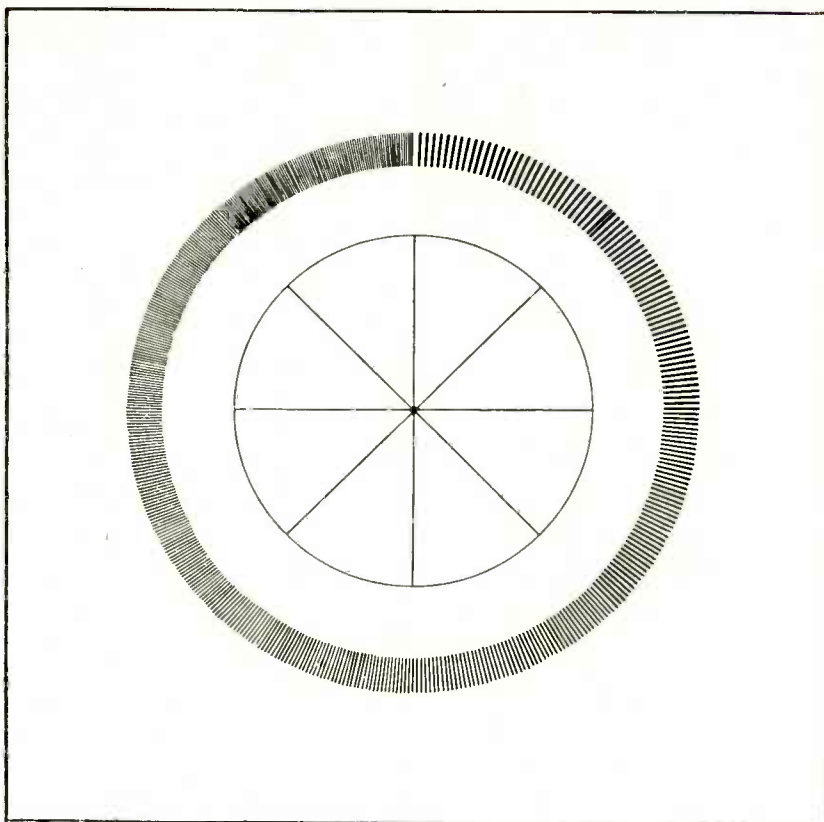


FIG. 7—Arrangement of comb teeth, as seen end-on along axis of drive motor. The eight zones produce tones varying from 600 to 2,000 cps

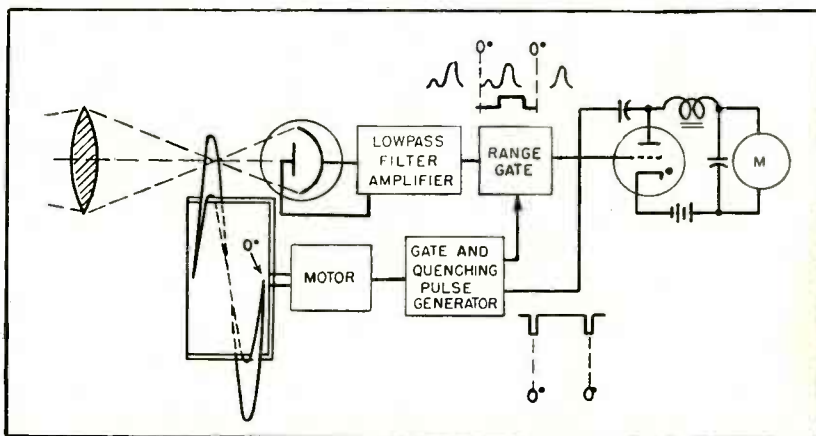


FIG. 8—Ranging device for indicating presence of objects at a pre-set range, selected by shifting the range gate

intended to provide an indication of distance together with power for actuating a control. In this case the comb segments are equally spaced, and a fixed "carrier" frequency is produced as each image is passed through. A low-pass filter passes the envelope of the carrier frequency only. Synchronized with the motor drive is a "range gate" generator which allows the envelope to pass only if it occurs within a given time (caused by an object at a given distance). Thus,

unwanted signals, such as arise from a face in the foreground, may be excluded. The envelope passed triggers a thyatron which actuates a control and an indicator calibrated in distance. A quenching pulse causes the thyatron to cease conduction and it remains inactive until the next signal envelope passes the gate circuit. Since, in this case, the ear is not the frequency limiting factor, complete ranging may be repeated as often as a thousand times per second.—D.G.F.

# Simplified Intercarrier

Reduction in number of tubes and tuned circuits is provided by application of the gated beam 6BN6 to the intercarrier sound system of a receiver. Suppression of a-m compares favorably with other f-m detectors as does suppression of ignition interference

**I**NTERCARRIER SOUND claims a few advantages over the conventional system in the overall operation of the receiver as well as in the initial design.

The most important benefit of the system is the oscillator stability requirement. The sound subcarrier is dependent only upon the beat between the sound and picture carriers and not the local oscillator frequency, excessive drift of which cannot be tolerated in the conventional system. The trend toward the use of 40-mc i-f makes intercarrier sound extremely attractive since 4.5-mc is far easier to handle than 40-mc, especially in the design of the discriminator or ratio detector transformers.

Keen competition in the manufacture of television receivers demands the utmost in economy and simplicity. With the development of the 6BN6 gated beam tube by Robert Adler<sup>1</sup> of Zenith and its subsequent mass production by the General Electric Company, an intercarrier sound system embodying increased simplicity and economy can be realized.

In the typical intercarrier receiver, the sound and picture carriers are amplified in a common i-f amplifier. The 4.5-mc beatnote between sound and picture carriers is detected at the second detector and usually amplified, either in the video stages or separately, before it is separated and fed into an f-m detector. Since the frequency of the beatnote varies directly as the sound carrier, the output of the f-m detector contains the audio modulation of the sound carrier. The audio signal is then fed to a conventional audio amplifier system.

The biggest design problem is to minimize the incidental amplitude

modulation of the 4.5-mc beatnote. This problem arises because even the best f-m detector circuits do not suppress a-m entirely. The most important step in this direction was taught by L. W. Parker<sup>2</sup> and R. B. Dome<sup>3</sup>. Through the video i-f channel the bandpass must be shaped so that the level of the sound carrier is approximately 20 db below the peak picture carrier level at the second detector.

A video i-f bandpass characteristic to accomplish this desired sound-to-picture ratio is shown in Fig. 1. The 6-db bandwidth is about 3 mc. It would be desirable to have a narrow shelf in the i-f bandpass at the sound carrier so that no slope

detection of the sound carrier would occur. This is indicated by the dashed-line curve. The shelf costs an extra tuned circuit, however, and it has been found unnecessary if the slope of the i-f curve is not too steep.

If the sound carrier level is 6 db below the minimum picture carrier level, the amplitude of the beatnote in a linear detector is substantially unaffected by picture carrier amplitude. However, at low levels where the detector is operating according to a square law, the beatnote amplitude varies greatly with sync and video modulation. Therefore, it is desirable to operate the detector at a high enough level so that detection is substantially linear. The detector output level varies from approximately 1.5 to 5 volts between various makes of receivers, assuming a signal strong enough to produce a picture of reasonable entertainment value. For marginal and submarginal reception, the detector level is frequently only a fraction of one volt.

Obtaining the proper sound-to-picture carrier ratio at the second detector is just the starting point in reducing the amplitude modula-

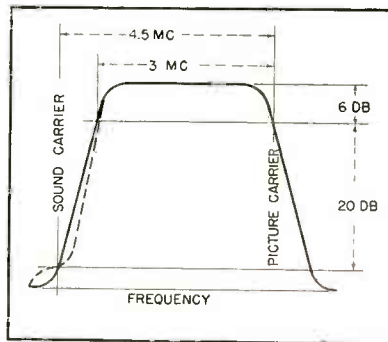


FIG. 1—Required overall response of video i-f stages

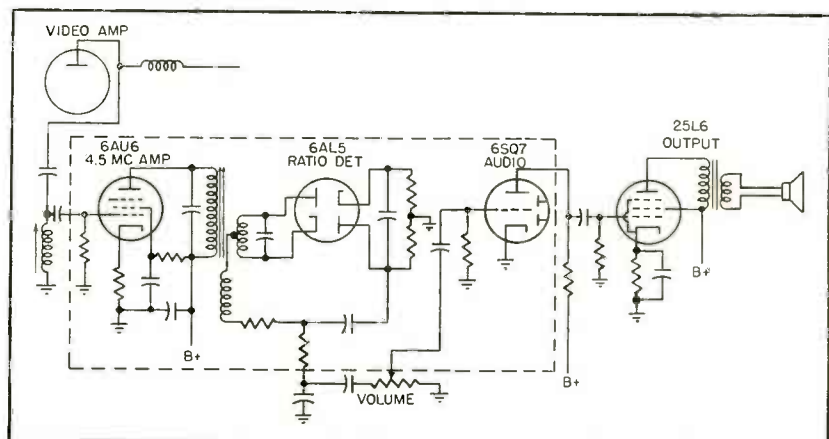


FIG. 2—Circuit most often used for intercarrier sound takes 4.5-mc beat at plate of video amplifier



# Sound

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Subassembly chassis of the sound channel having the simplified circuit arrangement

tion. Any nonlinear amplification or overload in the i-f stages or in the video stage will introduce an a-m component on the 4.5-mc beatnote. In the video i-f chain, the last stage is most likely to overload. When overload occurs, the gain of the sound carrier varies with video modulation. To reduce overload possibilities, the last transformer in a stagger-tuned i-f system should be tuned to the picture carrier side, and all the damping of the stage should be produced by the diode. In so doing, the grid swing required of the last i-f is minimized.

Another place for incidental amplitude modulation to occur is in the video amplifier stage. The video amplifier is a high-level amplifier and must operate with a large grid swing. The transconductance of the stage as a 4.5-mc amplifier will vary with video and sync modulation, especially when the grid is driven hard. This variation causes amplitude modulation of the 4.5-mc beatnote.

If the envelope of the 4.5-mc signal is observed, one would notice that indentations in the 4.5-mc envelope occur during the vertical sync pulse periods. The shape of

the indentation would look exactly like the vertical blank and sync pulse.

The depth of the indentation or the percentage of downward modulation is determined by the degree of transconductance change of the video amplifier as the sync pulse drives the grid toward cutoff. For example, in some intercarrier receivers a raspy buzz is produced in the sound when the contrast control is advanced. In these receivers the contrast control is located ahead of the grid of the video amplifier and overload of the amplifier has occurred as a result of being overdriven.

## Intercarrier Buzz

Even though all the proper precautions to minimize amplitude modulation of the 4.5-mc beatnote have been taken in the design of the intercarrier receiver, it is subject to buzzy sound due to transmitter operation. If a transmitter is 100-percent modulated during the white portions of the picture, there will be frequent intervals in which the

picture carrier level at the second detector will be zero; and, hence, the 4.5-mc beatnote amplitude drops to zero. The result, of course, is 100-percent amplitude modulation of the 4.5-mc signal, causing what is termed intercarrier buzz.

With a conventional sound system, 100-percent modulation of the picture transmitter does not affect the sound. It is hoped that the broadcasters will soon realize that intercarrier type receivers are becoming a substantial portion of the total number of sets in use, and that they will govern their operation accordingly by limiting the modulation percentage of the picture carrier to 85 or 90 percent.

Figure 2 shows the schematic diagram of an intercarrier sound system of a typical receiver.

The 4.5-mc beatnote is selected from the plate of the video stage by a resonant circuit and is fed to a ratio detector driver tube. The amplified signal is fed into a conventional ratio detector circuit using a 6AL5. The audio output is fed to an amplifier stage and then to a power output stage driving the loudspeaker. The portion of the circuit enclosed by the dotted line can be replaced by one tube, the 6BN6, and two single-tuned circuits.

The circuit of Fig. 3 is used in a few commercial receivers. Here the beatnote is taken off at the second detector. The 4.5-mc signal is amplified in two driver stages to make up for the gain lost by not utilizing the video amplifier.

The signal is demodulated in the conventional ratio detector and the audio output amplified in the conventional manner. Again the portion of the circuit enclosed by

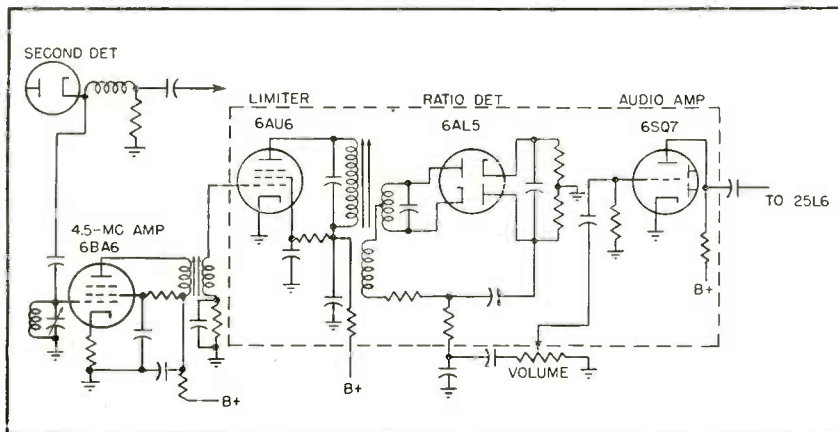


FIG. 3—Alternative circuit takes beat at video detector, requires additional amplifier

dotted lines can be replaced by a single 6BN6 tube.

Figure 4 is a block diagram of an intercarrier sound system utilizing a 6BN6 tube. For a tube to perform in this circuit arrangement, it must be a good limiter with a high limiting sensitivity, and it must be an f-m detector with sufficiently high audio output to drive a power stage directly. The 6BN6 gated beam tube fulfills the above requirements.

The schematic of Fig. 5 shows the 6BN6 in an intercarrier receiver performing the functions of a limiter and a discriminator.

The 4.5-mc beatnote from the plate of the first video stage is selected by a transformer whose primary is tuned to resonance at 4.5 mc and whose secondary is untuned and closely coupled to the primary. The first video stage is safe to utilize as an extra gain stage in this circuit because it is operating as a linear amplifier. Also the maximum output of the second detector is limited by agc circuits and the contrast control is located in the second video stage. Therefore the possibility of the first video being driven into an overload condition is eliminated.

The 4.5-mc signal is coupled to the grid of the triode amplifier stage through a small capacitor. This triode amplifier is not neutralized and is highly degenerative by virtue of the voltage feedback ratio determined by the grid-plate capacitance and the 10- $\mu$ f coupling capacitor. Its gain is approximately six. In the plate circuit of the triode is a single-tuned step-up transformer tuned to 4.5 mc. The step-up transformer is placed in the grid circuit so that the grid has a low d-c resistance to ground as

required by the 6BN6. The B+ choke has a high impedance at 4.5 mc.

The amplified 4.5-mc signal is fed to the limiter grid of the 6BN6 at a level of approximately 5 volts rms. The exact level depends upon the output from the detector, the sound-to-picture amplitude ratio of the transmitted signals, the attenuation of the sound carrier in the i-f amplifier and upon the gain factor of the amplifier stages.

The gain required in the amplifier stage or stages between the detector and the limiter grid of the 6BN6 depends not only upon these factors but also upon the weakest signal or minimum detector output for which satisfactory sound is expected. For instance, assume 0.5 volt for this minimum level. With the sound carrier 20 db farther down, it has an amplitude of about 18 millivolts rms; to bring this up to the limiting level of 1 volt rms requires a gain of 55 times or 35 db.

The circuit shown in Fig. 5 provides a gain of 43 to 46 db. A number of circuit arrangements is possible. Utilizing the video stage should be done with caution, guarding against possible downward modulation. A single pentode amplifier stage between the second detector and the limiter grid might be preferred and would provide sufficient gain.

### A-M Suppression

One of the most important characteristics of an f-m detector is its ability to suppress amplitude modulation. In this limiter-discriminator circuit using the 6BN6 the audio output is taken directly from the anode so that amplitude modulation may slip through as a result

of spurious plate-bend detection. This tendency is minimized by careful adjustment of the limiter grid bias.

The plate current-grid voltage curve of the 6BN6 resembles a step-function characteristic having an upper and lower knee. If the grid is biased too highly negative, plate-bend detection occurs at the lower knee and the average plate current tends to rise with increased signal. If the grid bias is not negative enough, plate-bend detection of the reverse kind occurs at the upper knee and the average plate current drops with increased signal.

There is an optimum grid bias at which the plate current will stay constant with increased signal. This grid bias point coincides with best a-m rejection. An adjustable control rather than a fixed resistor is placed in the cathode of the 6BN6 to obtain optimum bias because of tube tolerance variations. When the circuit is properly adjusted, the a-m suppression compares favorably with other f-m detectors in commercial use, and the gated beam detector appears to have the edge in suppression of ignition interference where other circuits are burdened by time constants.

The circuit does not contain a balanced transformer that requires critical adjustment. If the signal impressed upon the limiter grid were 30 percent a-m and 30 percent f-m, modulated simultaneously, the a-m audio component appearing in the audio circuit would be at least 20 db below the f-m component. This holds true for levels of input signal above approximately 1 volt, well below normal.

As a result of the quadrature voltage developed across the tuned circuit in the second grid, f-m detection takes place and the audio information is developed across the 220,000-ohm load resistor.

### Discriminator Bandwidth

Figure 6 shows typical discriminator response produced by the 6BN6 with a 4.5-mc center frequency. The most conspicuous difference between this curve and the one for a conventional discriminator is the absence of any sharp curvature beyond the range of

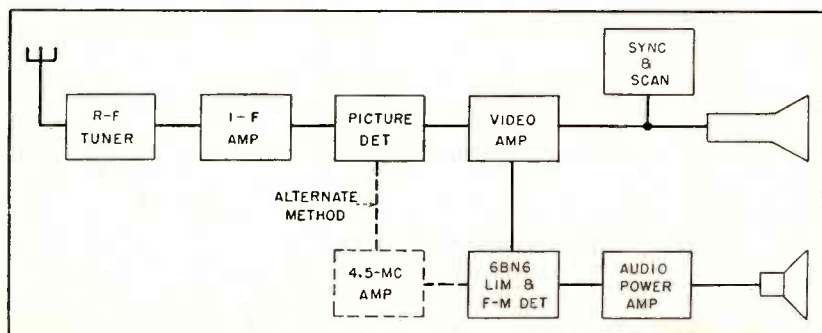


FIG. 4—Block diagram of intercarrier sound system using the 6BN6 gated beam tube



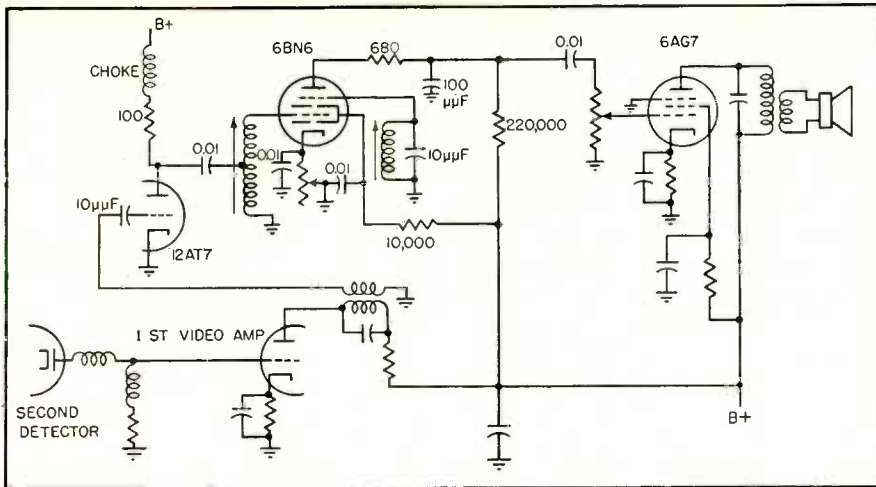


FIG. 5—Schematic of intercarrier sound system with 6BN6 functioning as limiter and f-m detector

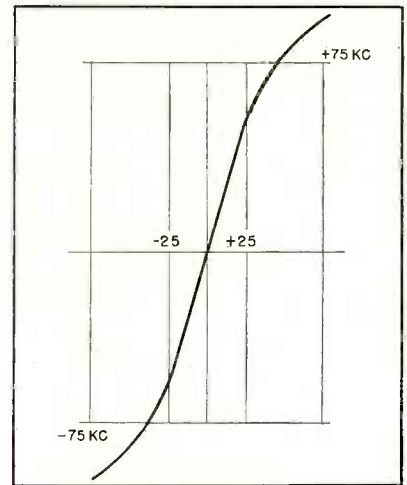


FIG. 6—Typical discriminator response for the gated beam tube

normal signal deviations. The harmonic distortion for 25-kc deviation is approximately 2.5 percent.

The bandwidth of the usable portion of the discriminator curve is proportional to the bandwidth of the quadrature circuit. Higher L-C ratio in this circuit results in a broader curve. Further broadening can be obtained by damping the quadrature circuit with a resistor but this results in impaired audio output and poorer a-m suppression.

The bandwidth can be increased by a better method used in this circuit. A small resistor (680 ohms) is inserted between the anode and the bypass capacitor. The insertion of this resistor has two effects: it damps the quadrature circuit but also supplies more energy to it. As a result, the voltage across the quadrature circuit will stay constant or even rise while the bandwidth is increased. Good audio output and improved a-m suppression result.

The plate bypass capacitor provides the correct amount of de-emphasis.

The stability of the quadrature circuit is important. It should not have excessive frequency drift with temperature and humidity changes. The fixed tuning capacitor across the quadrature circuit, therefore, has a specified temperature coefficient.

### Output

The audio output which can be obtained with low distortion is largely a function of the plate sup-

ply voltage. In this circuit there is 160 to 170 volts available, and with full 25-kc deviation 15 volts rms audio output is normal with approximately 2-percent distortion. With higher plate voltage and a smaller damping resistor, it is possible to obtain 20 to 25 volts rms audio output with a harmonic distortion of 3 to 5 percent for 25-kc deviation.

With this level of audio output, the usual audio amplifier stage can be omitted and the detector output fed directly into the power tube.

If the transmitting stations could be counted upon to maintain their audio modulation percentage above 30 percent of 25 kc, a 6K6 power tube could be driven to practically full output. But to take care of those times when the percentage modulation of the sound carrier is extremely low, we have chosen to use a 6AG7 power output tube because of its high power sensitivity. A 6V6 or a 25L6 would be sufficient in most cases.

Only three adjustments are necessary. The step-up transformer is tuned for maximum 4.5-mc signal at the limiter grid. The quadrature circuit is tuned for maximum undistorted audio output, and the bias control in the cathode of the 6BN6 is adjusted for maximum a-m rejection.

The intercarrier sound system described has been designed for use in a receiver of highest quality with performance comparable to conventional sound type sets. For receivers where cost is a major con-

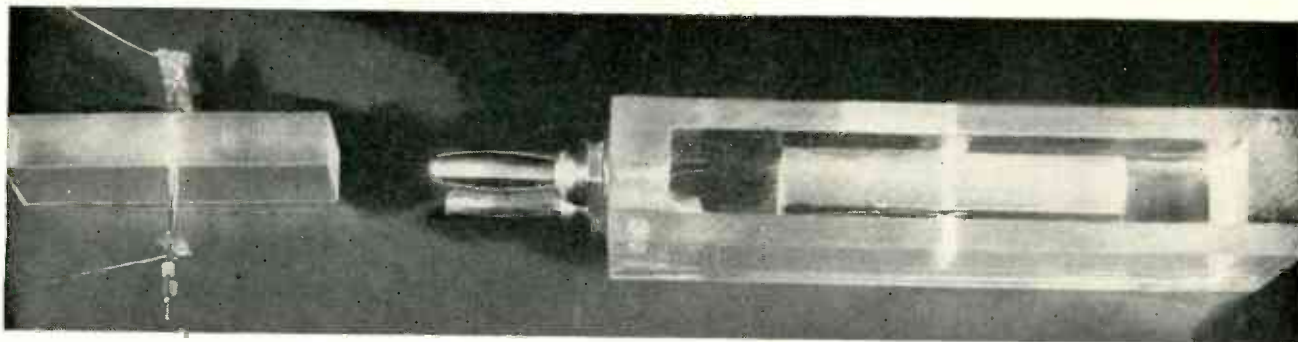
sideration, the triode 4.5-mc amplifier may be eliminated by extracting the beatnote from the video amplifier and applying the signal directly to the limiter grid of the 6BN6 through a suitable coupling transformer.

The exact amount of intercarrier gain required between the video detector and the limiter grid of the 6BN6 depends, as has been pointed out, on the sound-to-picture carrier ratio produced in the i-f channel, and on the lowest video signal level at which satisfactory sound is expected. We have found that it is not at all hard to obtain gains of 35 db at 4.5-mc in a pentode video stage by using good circuitry to separate the intercarrier signal from the video frequency band. The main problem remaining in such a circuit is the necessity of avoiding a-m modulation of the 4.5-mc beatnote by the video signals due to overload in the video stage. This is most easily taken care of if the maximum video level is limited by automatic gain control circuits.

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ADP and RS crystal mountings of this type provide highest Q (up to 30,000) and greatest mechanical stability. Holes can be drilled in crystals with ordinary twist drill

# Synthetic Crystals at Ultrasonic Frequencies

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**S**YNTHETIC CRYSTALS possess characteristics that compare favorably with quartz, particularly in the frequency range of 10 to 150 kc. Their greatest limitation, dependence of operating frequency on temperature, is often counter-balanced by their softness and ease of handling. Relatively few experimental applications require stability greater than that offered by either the ammonium dihydrogen phosphate or Rochelle salt synthetic types.

Little has been published on the handling and in-use characteristics of these valuable circuit elements. This paper is intended to present a picture of recent developments and techniques, and to acquaint the reader with the inherent limitations and advantages of synthetic crystals.

Many of the problems encountered in quartz crystal work are

paralleled in dealing with synthetic crystals. In both cases, the ratio of physical length to width must be considered. To reduce the effects of width resonance and side loading, the thickness should be  $\frac{1}{2}$  to  $\frac{1}{4}$  the width, the larger ratio being used for the higher frequencies.

### Physical Dimensions

Figure 1 is a graph for computing the physical dimensions of ADP and RS crystals for specified frequencies. The width-to-length ratios are plotted against an arbitrary  $X$  that can be used in the formula  $L = X/f_r$ , where  $L$  is the length of the crystal in inches,  $X$  is determined from Fig. 1, and  $f_r$  is the resonant frequency of the crystal in kc.

A synthetic crystal bar larger than that required can be reduced to the desired dimensions by sanding the ends and sides with ordinary fine sandpaper. It is advisable to polish the sanded edges with clean cloth moistened with some solvent such as benzene to insure the removal of oil, moisture and crystal dust. Water should not be used, since synthetic crystals are

water soluble. A satisfactorily cleaned crystal will measure better than  $10^6$  ohms d-c resistance.

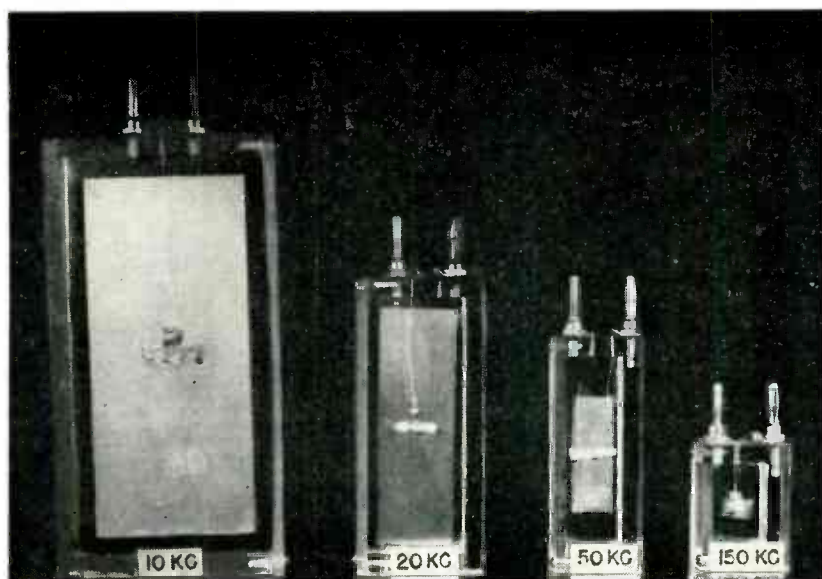
The contacts consist of a 0.0005-in. silver foil bonded with a 0.0005-in. thick joint of Bakelite cement. Electrical contact is most satisfactorily made by pressing a foil tab against the crystal foil at the node.

The attachment of the crystal to the mount is critical in determining whether the crystal will oscillate or not. It is the mounting technique that enables the high Q of the crystal to be realized.

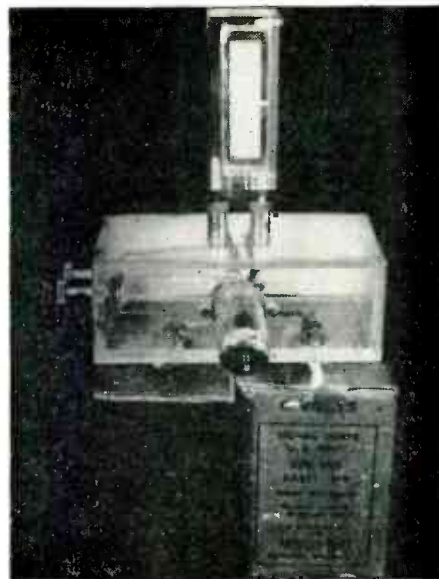
Several types of suspension have been tried. Comparative results indicate that the type shown in the accompanying photographs not only permits the highest Q, but also affords the greatest mechanical strength. Holes are drilled through the crystal along the nodal line, which runs across the center of the crystal bar at the point of minimum mechanical motion.

If the crystal is less than  $\frac{3}{8}$  inch in width, only one hole in the geometric center of the foil is required. When the width is from  $\frac{3}{8}$  to  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch, two holes should be spaced from  $\frac{1}{8}$





Several synthetic crystals are shown here approximately half their actual size



Simple oscillator produces up to 15 volts

Properly prepared ammonium dihydrogen phosphate and Rochelle salt crystals offer certain advantages over quartz in some applications in the frequency range from 10 to 150 kc. Softness and ease of handling frequently offset their comparatively large, but predictable, dependence on temperature

to  $\frac{1}{4}$  inch apart, and crystals wider than  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch should have three or more holes spaced  $\frac{1}{4}$  inch apart. Several sizes are shown in the photographs.

Synthetic crystals are soft enough that holes may be drilled through the crystal with an ordinary twist drill. Proper clearance is maintained if the hole is about 0.001 inch larger than the rod used for supporting the crystal. Nylon rods 0.025 inch in diameter have proved quite satisfactory in that they form a secure yet compliant support. A plastic tubing should be placed on the rods and mounted against the crystal to serve as a spacer between crystal and case. The rods then run through corresponding holes in the case. These holes serve both to center and support the crystals as shown in the closeup photograph. The electrical contact foil is secured by mounting it on the plastic rod between the crystal foil and the plastic spacer.

#### Crystal Circuits

Several tuned series-resonant oscillator circuits are shown in Fig. 2. From these circuits, one might

expect a very good wave form. The distortion level as measured on a General Radio distortion and noise meter is below 0.3 percent and is within the error range of the measuring instrument. The disadvantage in a tuned circuit is the change of circuit constants required for each crystal.

A series-resonant circuit suitable for wide-band application is shown in Fig. 3. This circuit will oscillate with any high-Q crystal whose resonant frequency lies between 10 kc and 150 kc. By balancing the d-c properly through the two tubes, it is possible to regulate the gain in such a manner that changes in B voltage cause negligible change in frequency. By reducing the gain of the system, it is possible to reduce the mechanical motion of the crystal to the point where oscillation is just maintained. This process reduces internal heating of the crystal and is very important in maintaining constant frequency.

The simplicity of a resistance-coupled circuit, using a synthetic crystal, is illustrated in the small photograph. Ordinarily the batteries will be replaced by a power

supply. From this circuit, an output voltage of 1 volt rms can be expected when a light drive is used. With heavier drives, it is possible to obtain as much as 15 volts of clean signal.

The maximum safe current that can be handled by the crystal is limited to the maximum elongation possible before rupture. This current  $I$  can be calculated for any bar expander since  $I = e b V Y$  where  $e$  is the piezo-stress constant,  $b$  the breadth of the crystal expressed in centimeters,  $V$  the phase velocity of sound,  $Y$  the breaking strain in the direction of elongation, and  $I$  is expressed in electrostatic units.

Crystal	$I$ (ma)
X-cut quartz	24 b
Y-cut RS	3.5 b
Z-cut ADP	10 b

The preceding tabulation gives a comparison of current between several crystals in terms of the width of the crystal. Again the thickness is not a factor in determining crystal parameters.

#### Frequency Stability

Experimental information on Rochelle salt and ammonium dihydro-

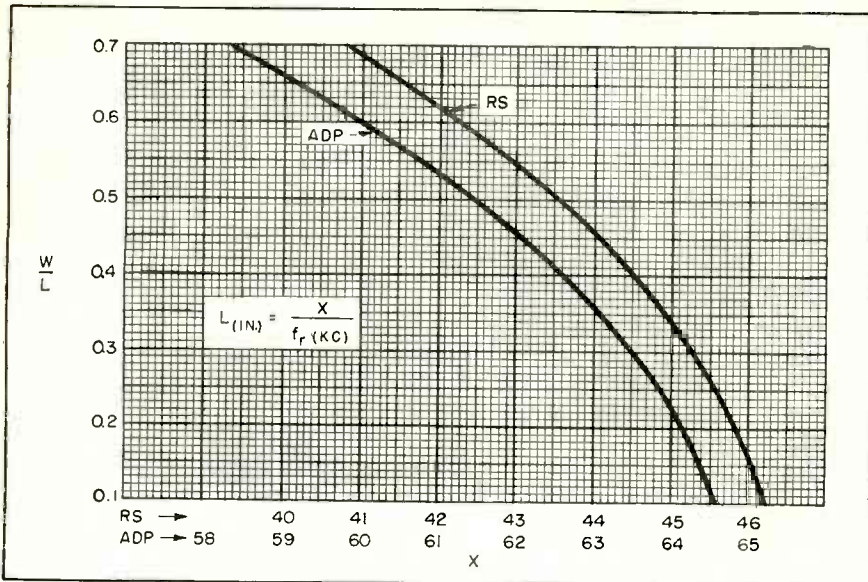


FIG. 1—Curves for determining physical dimensions of synthetic crystals must be read with extreme accuracy. Over-sized bars may be reduced with fine sandpaper

gen phosphate crystals indicates temperature is the greatest influencing factor in frequency stability. Variation in frequency with respect to temperature is linear in the range 25 C to 35 C. On the basis of the experimental figures and curve fitting, a formula was derived to permit the determination of change in frequency with change in temperature for both types in the range 10 to 150 kc. Results for both ADP and RS crystals are represented satisfactorily by

$$F = (0.0286 f_r + 1.8)^2$$

where  $F$  is the change in frequency in cycles per degree centigrade, and  $f_r$  is the resonant frequency in kilocycles. The data indicate one can expect a frequency stability within  $\pm 1$  cycle when the temperature is maintained within 0.1 C in the range below 50 kc. The greatest instability occurs at 150 kc where the resonance might be expected to change about  $3\frac{1}{2}$  cycles per 0.1 C change in temperature.

The next important factor limiting stability is the oscillator to which the crystal is attached. Experimental data have shown that when the circuit in Fig. 3 is balanced for d-c, it is possible to change the B voltage over a range of 2 to 1 with a corresponding change in frequency of less than one cycle per second. Change in filament voltage of 16 percent will cause a frequency shift of about

one cycle per second on a high frequency crystal.

From the information given here, it is possible to predict any frequency in the range 10 kc to 150 kc within  $\pm 10$  cycles at 24 C.

#### Typical Example

Suppose, for example, that we wish to design an ammonium dihydrogen phosphate crystal for a 30,000-cps oscillator, and we choose a width-to-length ratio of  $\frac{1}{3}$ . Interpolating on Fig. 1, for  $W/L = 0.333$ , we find  $X = 63.27$ . Then  $L = X/f_r = 63.27/30(\text{kc}) = 2.109$  inches, and  $W = L/3 = 2.109/3 = 0.703$  inch.

To determine the temperature stability we use the formula,  $F = (0.0286 f_r + 1.8)^2 = 7.1$  cycles per deg C.

An error of 0.01 in reading  $X$  will shift the resonance 4 cycles and an error of 0.001 in cutting the crystal to length can shift the resonance as much as 15 cycles. When the crystal is cut to the dimension calculated, its resonance at 24 C can be expected to lie between 29,990 and 30,010, and have a stability within  $7\frac{1}{2}$  cycles per degree temperature change.

Final adjustment is made by sanding and testing each crystal. Removing material from the end raises the frequency and cutting on the sides lowers the resonant frequency.

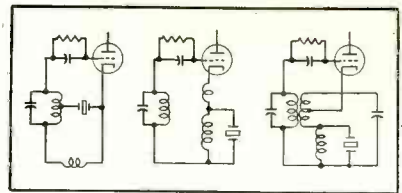


FIG. 2—Distortion level of output of these synthetic crystal oscillator circuits is below 0.3 percent

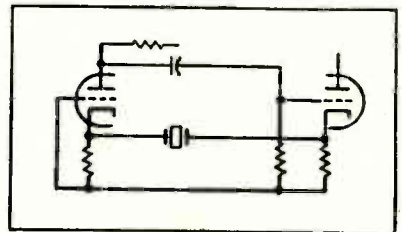


FIG. 3—This wide-band circuit will oscillate with any high-Q crystal from 10 to 150 kc

It is also important that the crystal have a high Q since the resonant frequency shifts as the crystal is loaded. A Q of 6,000 can be obtained when cemented foils are used and a Q of 15,000 is possible when evaporated foils are used. Evacuating the crystal holder thereby unloading the crystal will permit easily a Q of 30,000.

The electrical power required to drive these crystals is very small and it is recommended to keep this as low as practical for the reasons mentioned above. A good high-Q crystal will require about 80 microamperes at 200 millivolts or about 1.6 microwatts of crystal power.

When comparing synthetic crystals with quartz in the 10 to 150 kc range, each has its advantages depending upon the requirements of the problem. Aside from the softness and ease of handling advantages, synthetic crystals offer very favorable Q's in this range, with stability which is often more than sufficient. As to cost, Rochelle salt crystals cost from \$1.00 to \$1.50 each, and ammonium dihydrogen phosphate from \$2.00 to \$2.50 each. Gold plated foils will add about \$1.00 to the price of each crystal.

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# Equalizer Design Chart

Bass and treble attenuation or accentuation of two types of R-C equalizers for audio-frequency circuits are easily determined from the graph. Curves sketched from the chart resemble those computed laboriously point by point

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**F**OUR USES OF THE GRAPH are demonstrated by the examples. The entire range of characteristics is related to the quantity  $a$ , which is defined for each type of equalizer in Fig. 1 and 2.

An equalizer is to provide a treble drop of 3 db per octave beginning at 1,000 cps, operates

from a source resistance of 33,000 ohms.

**Solution.** For 3 db per octave,  $a = 0.33$ .  $R(1 - a) = 33,000$  whence  $R = 49,300$  and  $aR = 16,300$ . From the graph,  $f_1'/f_1 = 1.72$  so that  $f_1' = 1,720$  cps. At this frequency  $X_C = 49,300$  ohms, or  $C = 0.0019 \mu\text{f}$ . The high-frequency turnover is  $1000/0.111 = 9,000$  cps and the high-frequency level is down 9.6 db.

Find characteristics of equalizer consisting of series resistance of 48,000 ohms followed by

shunt of 18,000 ohms and a 0.001  $\mu\text{f}$  capacitor in series.

**Solution.** Total  $R = 66,000$  ohms. At  $f_1'$ ,  $X_C = 66,000$  ohms, or  $f_1' = 2,400$  cps;  $a = 0.273$  for which the graph shows a treble attenuation of 3.4 db per octave with  $f_1'/f_1 = 1.63$ ;  $f_1 = 1,470$  cps. Other data from the graph are the high-frequency turnover (14,200 cps) and the high-frequency level (down 11.3 db).

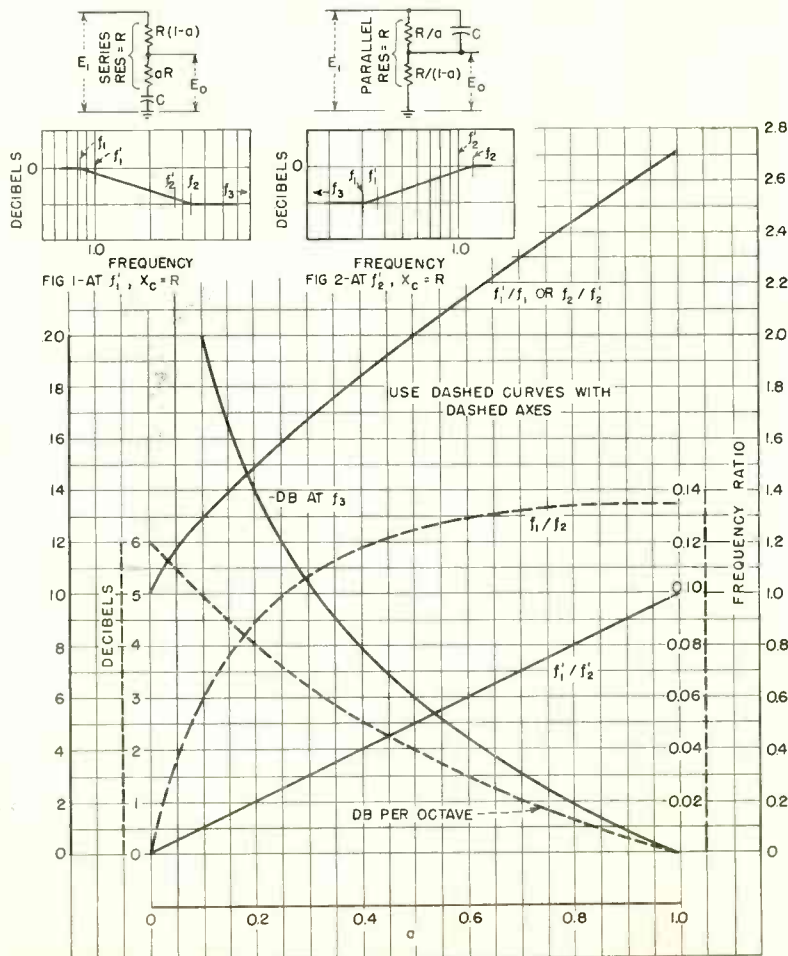
An equalizer for treble accentuation of 4 db per octave beginning at 5,000 cps is terminated by a 100,000-ohm grid resistor.

**Solution.** For 4 db per octave,  $a = 0.20$ .  $R/(1 - a) = 100,000$  whence  $R = 80,000$  ohms and  $R/a = 400,000$  ohms;  $f_1 = 5,000$  cps so  $f_1' = 7,450$  cps and  $f_2' = 37,250$  cps. Capacitor  $C$  has a reactance of 80,000 ohms at 37,250 cps;  $C = 53 \mu\text{f}$ .

Find the characteristics of an equalizer consisting of a series impedance of a 250- $\mu\text{f}$  capacitor paralleled by 1.5-megohms, this series impedance being followed by a shunt resistance of 222,000 ohms. This equalizer has been recommended for use with crystal pickups for commercial constant-velocity pressings.

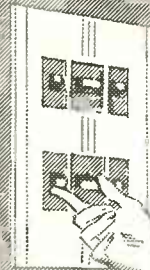
**Solution.** Parallel resistance  $R$  is 193,000 ohms;  $f_2'$  is then 3,250 cps. Furthermore,  $193,000/(1 - a) = 222,000$  whence  $1 - a = 0.87$  and  $a = 0.13$ . The equalizer provides 4.7 db per octave treble boost with  $f_1'$  at 422 cps and  $f_1$  (the turnover frequency) at 313 cps. The low-frequency drop is 17.7 db.

As attenuation in db per octave decreases, the frequency range over which the equalizer is effective narrows.





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## Navy Exhibits at IRE Engineering Show

LATEST unclassified electronic equipment comprised the exhibit of the U. S. Navy prepared for the IRE winter meeting and shown to the press a few days before the show. Such gear is the joint responsibility of three bureaus of the Navy, the Bureau of Ships, Bureau of Aeronautics and the Bureau of Ordnance.

One of the toughest problems in modern radar design is how to keep the wave fronts accurately focused by the antenna. A secondary problem is how to make the radar waves visible for study. To help solve these problems, an electronically driven ripple tank was exhibited by the Naval Research Laboratory.

Water ripples are used for the

qualitative and semi-quantitative study of phase fronts near two-dimensional models of antenna structures. Electronically driven probe-vibrators are used to excite the water surface of a glass ripple tank. Synchronously chopped light is directed through the tank to a ground-glass screen where the phase front shadow patterns appear stationary. Thus, it is possible to view the changes in phase-front patterns brought about by changes in feed point position and in reflector configuration, as well as by changes of as much as several hundred percent in exciting frequency.

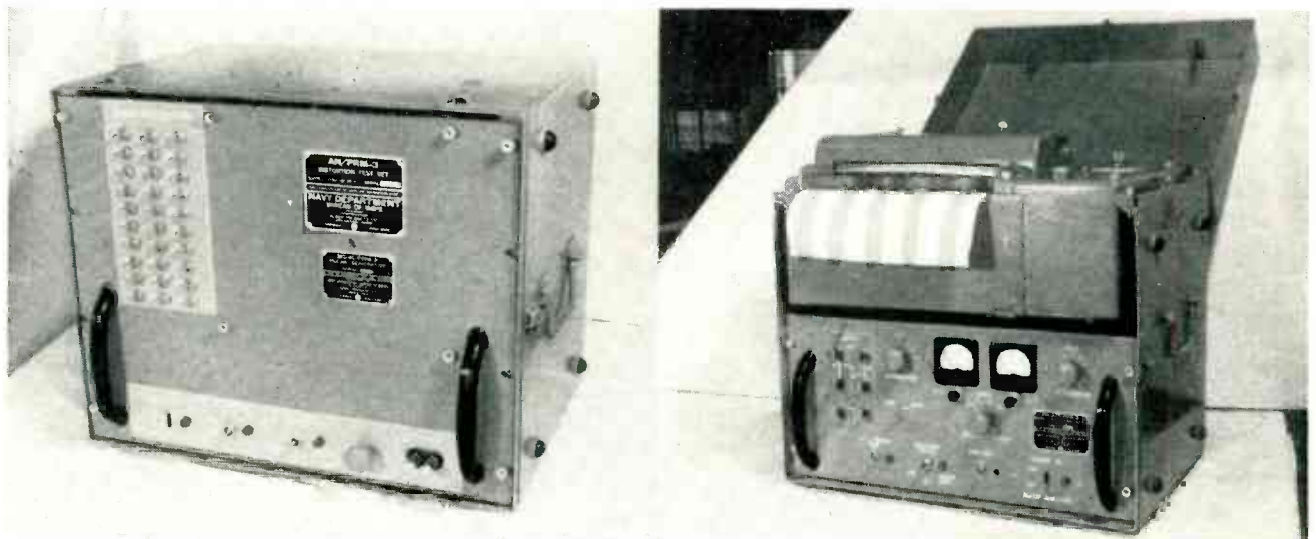
The Naval Ordnance Laboratory displayed a new type of magnetic material called orthonol. This ma-

terial, developed by Naval Observatory Laboratory, is used for making coils for a magnetic amplifier on display.

The magnetic servo amplifier contains only coils wound on orthonol and metallic rectifiers. For purposes of demonstration it points a toy gun mount at a submarine whenever it exposes itself at the surface of a table simulating water. When the submarine surfaces, an impulse is supplied to the magnetic servo amplifier. The amplifier magnetically magnifies this impulse one-million times (power) and this output signal aims the gun at the surfaced submarine. The power output of the magnetic amplifier is 20 watts.

A telegraph test set was shown which is used for testing telegraph equipment and telegraph communications circuits. Its precision is such that any differential in the received and transmitted signals provides an indication of the quality and character of the equipment or circuit under test. The gear consists of a photoelectric signal generator, a recorder and a power supply for the recorder.

The signal generator originates precise square waves which are applied to the telegraph equipment or communications circuit under test. The recorder simultaneously receives the telegraph signal from the equipment or circuit under test. The test signal generated is repetitive in character, each repetitive



Pulse generator, left, and recorder, right, of the telegraph distortion test set. Time signals or bauds are set up on the 30 switches of the generator which control lights of a photoelectric commutator. Any 10 consecutive bauds appear on the recorder at right as dark areas for mark and light areas for space signals





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### Wind-Tunnel Strain Gage

Many tests in supersonic wind tunnels at the Naval Ordnance Laboratory require the measurement of the aerodynamic forces and moments on a model subjected to the wind-tunnel air flow. It is desirable that the transducer have rapid response and give a force reading in a second or two after the tunnel has been turned on.

Because some of the NOL tunnels are of the intermittent type, a short blowing time allows more runs to be made per hour, leading to a greater tunnel efficiency. The intermittent feature lends itself well to the use of strain gages as sensitive elements since a zero reading can be obtained before and after the force measurement has been made, and within a few seconds of it.

The equipment on exhibit has been designed to be used with internal strain-gage balances. It consists essentially of a balancing and calibrating circuit, an amplifier, an output circuit, an oscillator, and a cathode-ray null indicator. Commercially available units are used wherever possible. Two channels are provided in a single console, but a number of consoles may be connected together when additional channels are required.

The oscillator frequency may be set at either 400 or 2,000 cycles per second, and the voltage applied to the strain-gage bridge may be adjusted between 1 and 5 volts. The

smallest measurable strain is approximately 0.1 microinch per inch when used with four active gages in a full bridge circuit.

The latest development in Navy teletypewriter equipment is an electronic time-division multiplex telegraph terminal consisting of two sets, a telegraph transmitting unit, and a telegraph receiving unit.

The teletype transmitting unit accepts on-off d-c start-stop signals from local transmitting circuits, converts them to multiplex signals and applies these in sequential order, channel-by-channel, to the telegraph circuit. The signals are then delivered to the distant receiving group which accepts similar multiplex signals and converts them to start-stop signals and then transmits the start-stop signals in their original on-off d-c form to the proper local receiving circuit.

The set is capable of supplying a maximum of four channels from any one telegraph circuit at a speed of either 60 or 75 wpm. The transmitting and receiving groups, cycling at identical rates of speed, operate in synchronism at all times and are held in synchronism by a crystal-controlled oscillator.

This equipment has many features which make it highly desirable for Navy use. Once the transmitter and receiver have been synchronized they will remain so from one to one and one-half hours with the telegraph circuit disconnected. If either the receiving or transmitting circuit is inadvertently broken, there is both a visual and an audible warning signal.

The Naval Air Development Center at Johnsville, Pennsylvania, exhibited several subminiature assemblies. One of these is an eight-stage video amplifier having a bandwidth of 2.5 megacycles. The



Shadow patterns of phase fronts near tiny models of antenna structures are shown on ground glass screen of this ripple tank

voltage gain of the amplifier is approximately 50,000 and the output is a 30-volt pulse 2 microseconds wide, with a rise time of about 0.15 microsecond.

Also exhibited by the Navy were the latest in ultra-high-frequency transmitting and receiving equipment; a tilting table to demonstrate the action of radar antenna stabilization under actual operation; one of the standard fleet-installed ppi units for remote presentation of information received on various shipboard radars; a setup of microwave oscillators and horn antennas like that in a shooting gallery to show the reflection of the waves from certain types of dielectric radomes; an infrared telephone transmitter and receiver and a radar beacon circuit that adds only four pounds to the normal radar equipment of a fighter aircraft.

## Tachometer for Small Motors

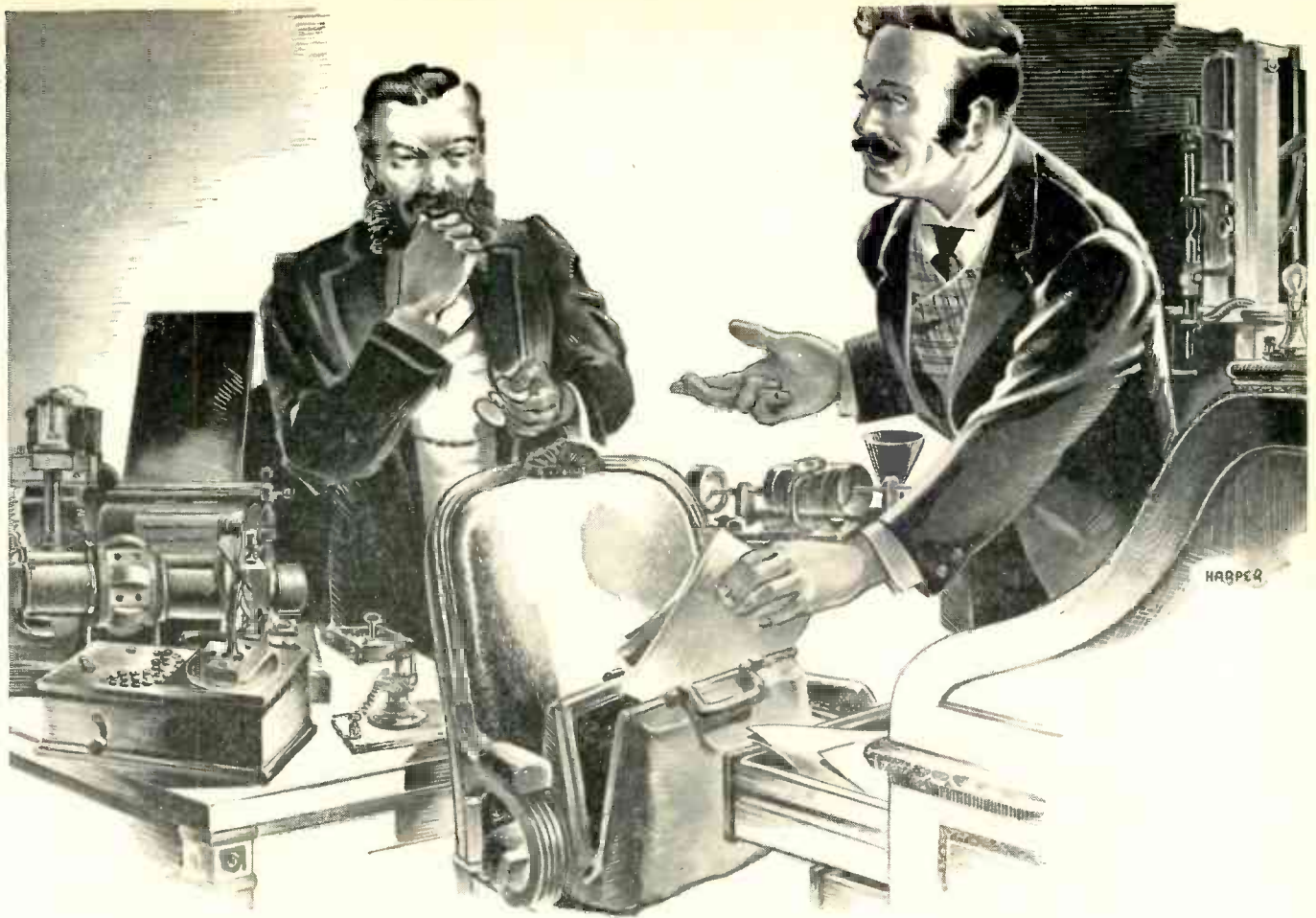
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## Clocking Meteors by C-W Radar

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A CONTINUOUS-WAVE radar technique for measuring meteor speeds has been developed at Stanford University, California. A c-w transmitter located on the campus radiates a signal directed vertically upward. Reflections from ionization columns created by the passage of meteors through the E region of the ionosphere are received on standard communications receivers located in a shielded valley about 4 miles away.

Overloading of the receivers by the local transmitter is prevented by a ground-wave cancellation system in which a strong signal from

the transmitter is picked up in a directive antenna located outside the valley, attenuated, shifted in phase, and fed to the receivers through a coaxial cable. This reference signal is substantially free of superimposed meteoric reflections because it is picked up in an antenna having very low sensitivity to signals arriving at vertical angles appreciably above the horizontal. Ground-wave leakage at the receiving site can be reduced by 20 decibels with good stability by this means.

In practice, a small amount of ground wave is allowed to leak



Continuous-wave meteor recording apparatus permits study of swarms of meteors too small for photographic recording

through in order to beat with meteor-reflected signals. These reflections are Doppler-shifted in frequency due to the speed of the meteor relative to the observer. Owing to the beat with the ground wave, meteors announce themselves by audible whistles of descending pitch, not unlike the whine of a falling bomb. A recording of the whistle, together with a measurement of the slant range to the ion column when it crosses the perpendicular with respect to the observer when the whistle falls to zero pitch yields the speed of the meteor to a high degree of accuracy. Meteor showers provide a means for checking the accuracy of radio detection methods, since shower meteors travel at virtually a constant speed which is known to a high degree of precision in the case of the major annual showers.

It has been found that the ion columns form at a rate equal to the speed of the meteors, and not at a lower rate, as had been suspected. This conclusion has been confirmed at radio frequencies as low as 6 megacycles, and suggests that at least part of the mechanism by which columns are formed is akin to radiation—perhaps ultraviolet light—emanating from the tiny (pea-sized) meteoric particles themselves.

The continuous-wave radio speed-measuring technique is vastly more sensitive than the photographic methods previously available to astronomers. During a typical



Receiving station for continuous-wave meteor clocking setup developed at Stanford University. Receiver overloading is prevented by a ground-wave cancellation system



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**MODULATION CONTROLS:** Separate potentiometers are provided for continuous control of FM and AM levels.

**MODULATING OSCILLATOR:** The internal AF oscillator may be switched to provide either frequency or amplitude modulation.

It may also be switched off. Eight fixed frequencies between 50 cycles and 15 kilocycles are available, any one of which may be selected by a rotary type switch.

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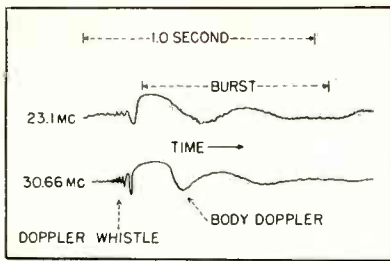
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night, on which a visual observer might see perhaps 100 meteors, 500 to 1,000 meteor speeds may be ob-

tained with a radiated power of the order of one kilowatt. A shower may be expected to increase this number several-fold. Estimated to be 10,000 times as sensitive as the best astronomical cameras available in the past, and considerably more sensitive (owing to bandwidth and average power considerations) than radio speed-measuring techniques depending on pulsed transmissions, the continuous-wave method makes possible study of the speed characteristics of swarms of meteors too small to register on a photographic plate.

The results of a large-scale investigation using this method, now being carried out by the National

Research Council in Canada, should settle a question long current in astronomical circles, whether certain of the meteors originate outside our solar system, and thus might be expected to provide a clue to the makeup of other solar systems. Visual observations made in the past, admittedly less accurate than electronic measurements, seemed to support such a conclusion. The radio method will provide the answer for meteors down to the 8th or 9th visual magnitudes.

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## Strip Chart Recording with An Autoscaler

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GEIGER COUNTERS are usually employed in combination with counting circuits which register either the number of counts accumulated in a given time or the time required to accumulate a predetermined count, or with rate meter circuits which present the integrated counting rate continuously as a meter deflection. The latter method has the advantage that it can be used with strip-chart recording. Depending on the counting rate and its rate of variation, experience has shown that it is ordinarily preferable to use either one or the other type of counting.

The method of count interval recording described here is an attempt to combine the desirable features of both the direct counting method and the rate meter strip chart type of recording. It also provides a simple means of obtaining reciprocal, logarithmic, or other compressed scales to cover a wide range of counting rates.

#### Count Interval System

The method consists of controlling the current through a recording meter by means of a synchronous motor-driven potentiometer.

The running time of the motor is controlled by a scaling circuit arranged to stop automatically after a predetermined count. The motor begins to drive the potentiometer at the inception of counting and runs for the duration of the counting interval. When the specified count is reached, the potentiometer is restored rapidly to its zero position. A relay then restarts the scaling circuit and initiates a new counting interval.

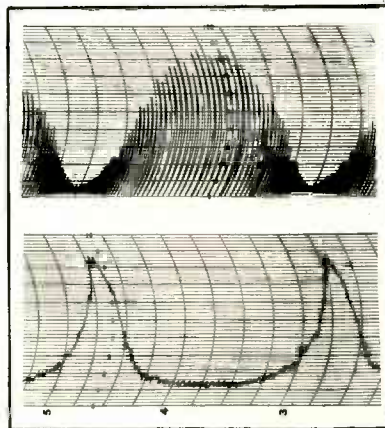


FIG. 1—At top, the recording meter measures voltage, and the envelope of the end points varies inversely as the counting rate meter curve below. Charting speed is 12 inches per hour

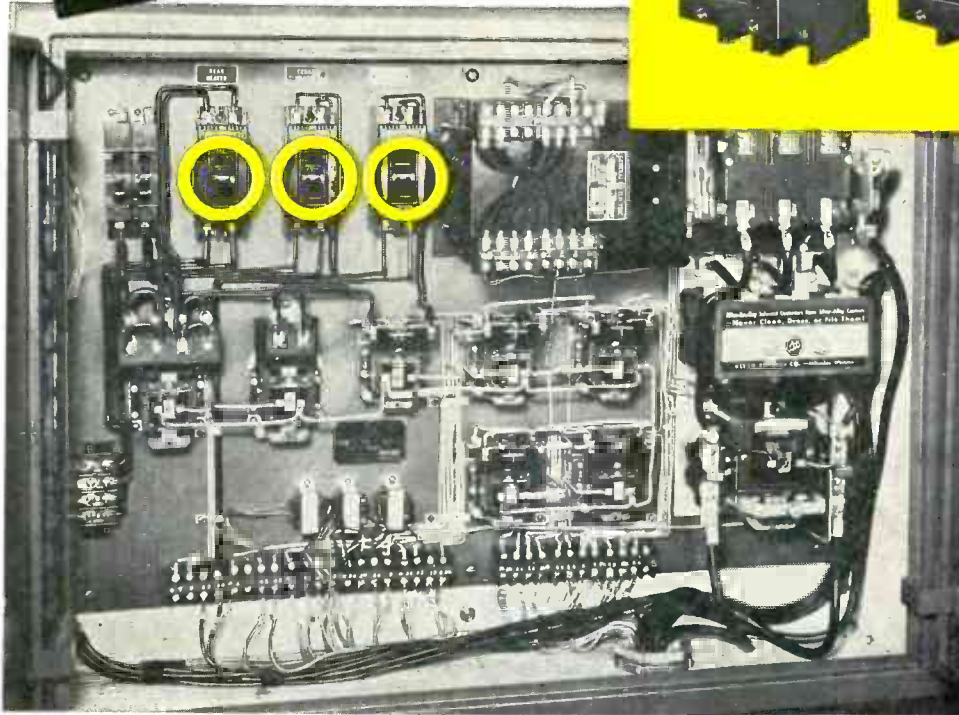
If the recording meter measures the voltage output of the potentiometer, the envelope of the end points varies inversely as the counting rate, as in Fig. 1. Alternatively, if the meter is inserted in series with the variable resistor element and a constant source of voltage, the envelope of the end points traced will vary directly with the counting rate. Either a linear or a compressed deflection versus time is obtained by selecting a linear potentiometer or one with a suitable taper, such as a logarithmic potentiometer.

One type of clock-driven potentiometer assembly is shown in the photograph of Fig. 2. It comprises a synchronous clock motor with a spiral restoring spring, geared to the control potentiometer. Also shown in the photograph is a snap-switch mounted directly above the gearing. The switch is normally opened, but is closed momentarily at the end of the fly-back period by means of a cam attached to the drive shaft, thereby restarting the scaling circuit. The particular unit of Fig. 2 produced a full rotation in

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KAY ELECTRIC Co., Pine Brook, N. J. The Rotalyzer measures average rotational speed of a shaft and indicates variations in speed vs time. A high-frequency magnetic

disc and pickup are employed on the shaft to be measured. The equipment, as supplied, includes the necessary pickup devices, a cabinet containing the electronic amplifier and analyzer elements and an oscilloscope. Standard speed range of the Rotalyzer is 900 to 7,200 rpm. Accuracy of 0.1 percent is available over the speed range.



## Smaller Paper Tubulars

AEROVOX CORP., New Bedford, Mass., have introduced type P85 miniature paper tubular capacitors. The paper section is Aerolene-impregnated and the capacitor is sealed with Duranite. The new units can be used at 212 F without drips. Dielectric strength is maintained at elevated temperatures.



## Laboratory Power Supply

HEWLETT-PACKARD Co., 395 Page Mill Rd., Palo Alto, Calif. The

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## Self-Excited Chopper

STEVENS-ARNOLD INC., 22 Elkins St., South Boston, Mass., has developed a self-excited chopper which will operate from d-c. It offers modulation and demodulation in the one unit. Nominal ratings are 10 volts, 0.001 ampere d-c, but these may be exceeded, on an intermittent basis, as required in servomechanism applications. The chopper is particularly well suited for use in aircraft where there is a d-c as well as an a-c power source to choose from.



## High-Voltage Probe

ELECTRONICS INSTRUMENT Co., 276 Newport St., Brooklyn, N. Y. Model HVP-1 high-voltage probe for television servicing measures up to 30,000 volts. It uses a special helical film, steatite rod type, removable multiplier resistor. The probe



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				Volts	Ma.			Plate	Ma.	Screen	Ma.	
<b>HEATER CATHODE TYPES</b>												
CK5702/CK605CX	Characteristics of 6AK5	0.400	1.5	6.3	200	5000		120	7.5	120	2.5	0
CK5703/CK608CX	Triode, UHF Oscillator, 3/4 watts at 500 Mc	0.400	1.5	6.3	200	5000		120	9.0			Rk = 220
CK5704/CK6068X	Diode, equivalent to one-half 6AL5	0.315	1.5	6.3	150			150ac	9.0			
CK5744/CK619CX	Triode, High mu.	0.400	1.5	6.3	200	4000		250	4.0			Rk = 500
CK5784	Characteristics of 6AS6	0.400	1.5	6.3	200	3200		120	5.2	120	3.5	-2.0
CK5829	Similar to 6AL5	0.300x0.400	1.5	6.3	150			117ac	5.0 per section			
<b>FILAMENT TYPES</b>												
1AD4	Shielded RF Pentode — High Gm	0.300x0.400	1.5	1.25	100	2000		45.0	3.0	45.0	0.8	0
CK571AX	10 ma. Filament electrometer tube, I <sub>g</sub> = 2x10 <sup>-11</sup> amps.	0.265x0.400	1.5	1.25	10	1.61		10.5	0.20			-3.0
CK573AX	Triode, high frequency output	0.300x0.400	1.5	1.25	200	2000		90.0	11.0			-4.0
CK574AX	Shielded Pentode RF Amplifier	0.290x0.390	1.25	0.625	20	37†		22.5	0.125	22.5	0.04	-0.625
CK5672	Output Pentode	0.285x0.385	1.5	1.25	50	625	60.0	67.5	2.75	67.5	1.1	-6.25
CK5676/CK556AX	Triode, UHF Oscillator for radio use	0.300x0.400	1.5	1.25	120	1600		135.0	4.0			-5.0
CK5677/CK568AX	Triode, UHF Oscillator for radio use	0.300x0.400	1.5	1.25	60	650		135.0	1.9			-6.0
CK5678/CK569AX	RF Pentode	0.300x0.400	1.5	1.25	50	1100		67.5	1.8	67.5	0.48	0
CK5697/CK570AX	Electrometer Triode Max. grid current 5x10 <sup>-12</sup> amps.	0.285x0.400	1.25	0.625	20	1.5†		12	0.22			-3.0
CK5785	High voltage rectifier	0.285x0.400	1.5	1.25	15				0.1			Inverse peak 3500 volts
<b>VOLTAGE REGULATORS</b>												
CK5783	Voltage reference tube — like 5651	0.400	1.63									
CK5787	Voltage regulator	0.400	2.06									

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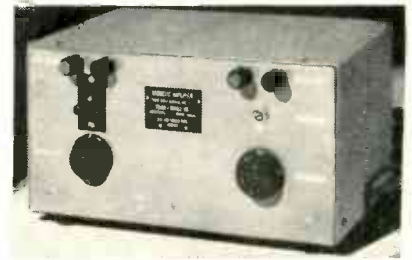
volt will produce one-inch deflection on vertical and horizontal axes, respectively. The instrument's gas-triode linear time-base generator provides recurrent sweep frequencies from 8 to 30,000 cps, synchronized with either the vertical amplifier or some external source.



### Rectangular Picture Tube

HYTRON RADIO & ELECTRONICS CORP., Salem, Mass. Type 16RP4 is a direct-view all-glass, 16-in. picture tube with a rectangular screen. It takes approximately the same cabinet space as a round 12-inch picture tube. The picture, with standard 3 by 4 aspect ratio, has a usable screen area of 138.7 sq in. A neutral gray face increases the contrast ratio.

low impedance at high-frequencies. Overall dimensions including mounting foot are 1 1/4 in. x 7/8 in.



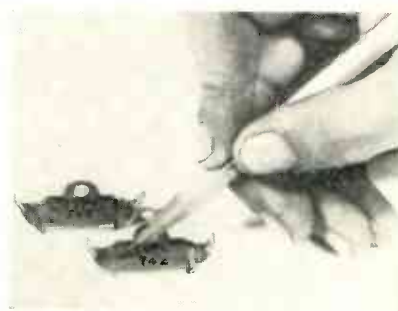
### Magnetic Amplifier

TRANS-SONICS, INC., Bedford Airport, Bedford, Mass. Type 63-1 magnetic amplifier is intended for use in measurements and control and, when used with thermocouples or strain gage pickups, makes possible the recording of temperature, pressure and accelerations on standard recording millimeters. Gain is constant to  $\pm \frac{1}{2}$  percent with a  $\pm 10$ -percent change in line voltage, and zero drift over a period of several weeks is less than  $\pm 50 \mu\text{v}$  referred to the input terminals. Power line is 117 volts, 60 cycles. Maximum output current is 300 ma.



### Portable Oscilloscope

ALLEN B. DU MONT LABORATORIES, INC., 1000 Main Ave., Clifton, N. J. Type 292 three-inch c-r oscilloscope weighs only 21 pounds. Input signals of 0.4 rms volt and 0.56 rms



### Mica Capacitors

CORNELL-DUBILIER ELECTRIC CORP., South Plainfield, N. J. Type 742 series of feedthrough mica capacitors was designed for use in auto-radio receivers for radio noise bypass. They are also useful in f-m and tv equipment because their feedthrough construction provides



### Ionization Gage Control Circuit

DISTILLATION PRODUCTS INDUSTRIES, Ridge Road West, Rochester 3, N. Y. The DPA-38 ionization gage control circuit was designed for measuring the highest vacua attainable. It is particularly useful in determining the difficult ranges below  $10^{-7}$  mm Hg. The lowest scale division represents  $2 \times 10^{-9}$  mm Hg. The new circuit features a direct-reading scale where the negative exponent of the number of milli-

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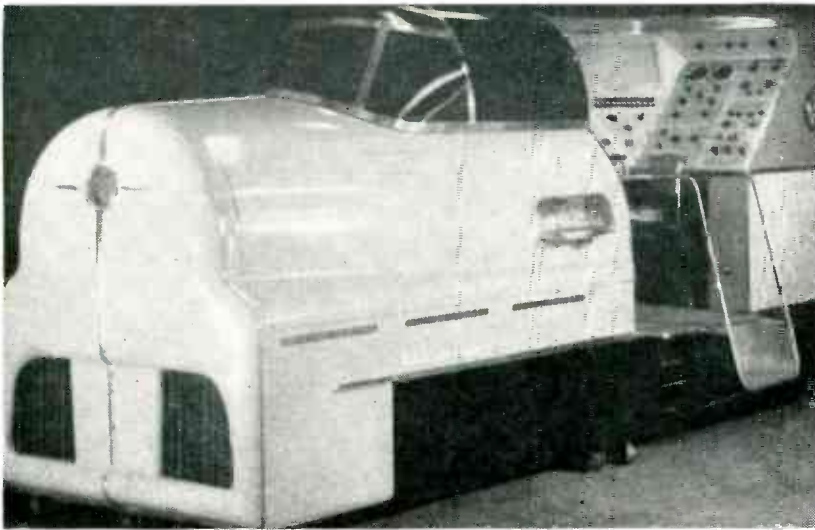
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# NEWS OF THE INDUSTRY

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## New Trainer for High-Speed Flight



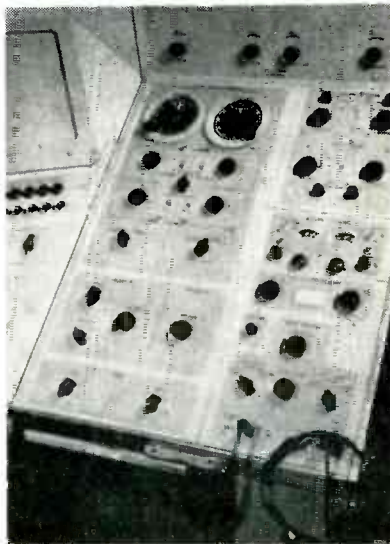
The electronic jet trainer combines pilot and instructor positions in one unit. Record of the pilot's ground track is drawn on aeronautical chart

A JET pilot-trainer recently delivered to the U. S. Air Force by Link Aviation Corp. simulates new problems introduced in actual flight by increased aircraft speeds and improved electronic aids to air navigation.

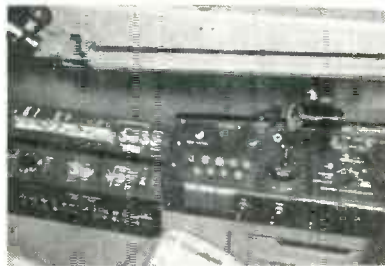
The unit combining flight, engine and navigation problems is self-contained for both pilot and instructor, but can be separated into four sections for transportation or movement through standard doorways.

Besides standard communications and navigation simulators, the new trainer includes GCA, ILS, omnirange, offset course computer and similar facilities just coming into use under the ANDB interim program (see *ELECTRONICS*, p 66, Feb. 1950).

The instructor checks every aspect of flight from engine starting to landing, with a system of colored lights indicating the success or failure of pilot reaction. He can at any point throw in problems such as fuel-tank puncture, lightning flashes (with accompanying static), inoperative wing flaps or turbulence. If the pilot becomes too hopelessly confused, the instructor can press the "angelic switch" (pilot failure override) and thus clear the board entirely of all troubles which might possibly arise in flight.



Voice communication and navigational facilities are simulated on the control board at the instructor's right. Fuel tank controls are above



The right side of the pilot's cockpit contains controls for various electrical functions as well as vhf communication and navigation equipment

The trainer is essentially electronic, even to the solution of aerodynamic equations upon which the flight is based. Twenty-four computers comprising servo systems and amplifiers present to the pilot even the different feeling of controls with varying airspeed.

## IRE Convention 1950

CREDITED as the world's largest international engineering body, The Institute of Radio Engineers held its thirty-ninth annual conference in New York at the Hotel Commodore and Grand Central Palace March 6-9, 1950.

During the four-day engineering convention and show, 18,100 members and guests attended from all parts of the United States and some thirty other countries. A total of 169 papers was presented at thirty-six special technical sessions on topics ranging from theory to the finished products in radio broadcasting, television, computing machines, sound recording, circuit theory; uhf transmitter and receiver design and operation.

The accompanying radio show in Grand Central Palace consisted of 253 separate exhibits on three floors. The exhibits included complete radio and television stations in full operation—from electronic pickup to monitoring studio kinescope to subminiature components.

The convention opened March 6 in the Commodore's grand ballroom when the meeting was addressed by Dr. Ralph Bown of the Bell Telephone Laboratories, a past-president of IRE.

On Tuesday, Raymond F. Guy, new IRE president, was the guest of honor at a luncheon. The roster of speakers included Major-Gen. F. L. Ankenbrandt, director of communications, Department of the Air Force, and Sir Robert Watson-Watt of England, the new IRE vice-president. Stuart Bailey, the outgoing IRE president, was toastmaster.

The annual dinner was held at the hotel on Wednesday with H. B. Richmond, chairman of the board of the General Radio Co., Cambridge, Mass., as speaker, and D. G. Fink, editor of *ELECTRONICS*, as toastmaster. The Institute's annual awards for merit in the radio-electric





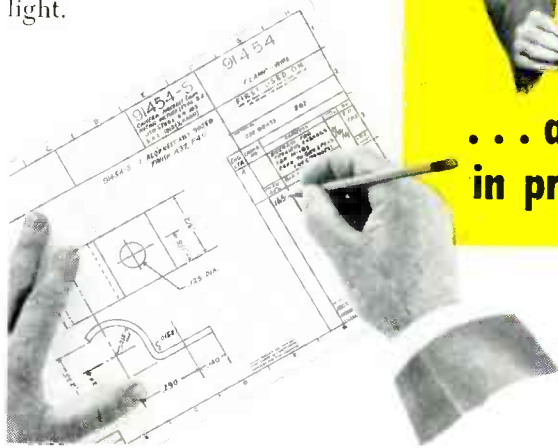
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tronic field were presented at the dinner. The awards include the 1950 Medal of Honor to Prof. F. E. Terman, dean of the school of engineering of Stanford University; the Browder J. Thompson Memorial Prize to J. F. Hull and A. W. Randalis of the U. S. Army Signal Corps civilian staff; the Editor's Award to E. J. Barlow, of the Sperry Gyroscope Co. research laboratories; the Morris Liebmann Memorial Prize to O. H. Schade, research engineer of the RCA Victor Division, and the Harry Diamond Memorial Award to A. V. Haeff, consultant with the Naval Research Laboratory, Washington, D. C.

Thirty fellowship awards of the IRE were presented at the annual dinner. Simon Ramo responded for the group.

### New Radio Propagation Laboratory

APPROVAL has been given for the development of a new 210-acre site at Boulder, Colorado, for a National Bureau of Standards radio propagation laboratory. Actual construction work on the \$4,500,000 project will begin during the summer of 1951. When the laboratory is completed it will employ a research staff of about 300 people, most of whom will be transferred from the present staff in Washington.

The radio division of the Bureau is the central Federal group for the coordination of research on the propagation of radio waves. It is also responsible for development and maintenance of the national primary standards of electric quantities at frequencies above 10 kc. Comprehensive basic and applied research programs are administered by the radio division in radio physics and the associated geophysical phenomena of the atmosphere. Extensive laboratory investigations are being conducted on the properties of matter at radio and microwave frequencies, as well as on ways of making more precise measurements in the r-f region. In addition to its research function, the laboratory renders many advisory and consulting services to other agencies of the government.

Selection of Boulder, Colorado, as

### MEETINGS

<p>APRIL 5-7: Twelfth Annual Midwest Power Conference, Sherman Hotel, Chicago, Ill.</p> <p>APRIL 12-15: Fourth Annual NAB Engineering Conference, Stevens Hotel, Chicago, Ill.</p> <p>APRIL 19-22: Annual Meeting of the Electrochemical Society, Hotel Statler, Cleveland, Ohio.</p> <p>MAY 3-5: 1950 Dayton IRE Technical Conference, Dayton Biltmore Hotel, Dayton, Ohio.</p> <p>MAY 9-11: Conference on Improved Quality Electronic Components, 1317 F Street N W, Washington, D. C.</p> <p>MAY 12-13: Fourth annual meeting of the Armed Forces Communications Association, Hotel Commodore, N. Y., and Fort Monmouth, N. J.</p> <p>MAY 22-25: Parts Distributors Show, Hotel Stevens, Chicago.</p> <p>JUNE 12-16: AIEE Summer and Pacific General Meeting,</p>	<p>Huntington Hotel, Pasadena, Calif.</p> <p>JUNE 26-30: Annual Meeting and 9th Exhibit of Testing Apparatus and Related Equipment, Hotel Chalfonte-Haddon Hall, Atlantic City, N. J.</p> <p>AUG. 23-26: AIEE Pacific General Meeting, Fairmont Hotel, San Francisco, Calif.</p> <p>AUG. 28-31: APCO National Conference, Hotel Hollenden, Cleveland, Ohio.</p> <p>SEPT. 13-15: Sixth Annual Pacific Electronic Exhibit, Municipal Auditorium Long Beach, Calif.</p> <p>SEPT. 18-22: Fifth National Instrument Conference and Exhibit, Memorial Auditorium, Buffalo, N. Y.</p> <p>SEPT. 25-27: National Electronics Conference, Edgewater Beach Hotel, Chicago, Ill.</p> <p>OCT. 17-21: AIEE Midwest General Meeting, Netherland Plaza Hotel, Cincinnati, Ohio.</p>
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the site for the new laboratory was based on the following reasons: (1) It is uncongested by electrical and radio facilities; (2) it is near enough to a large city for equipment and service needs; (3) technical factors call for moderate climate and diversity of terrain; (4) it is near a major university and also close to a major center of air and rail traffic.

### National Tele System Committee Formed

TO ATTAIN industry-wide agreement on technical developments needed for the expansion of television to all sections of the country and to establish basic standards which will bring color television to reality, the RMA has created the National Television System Committee. (Plans for formation of the unit were announced in *ELECTRONICS*, February 1950, p 130).

Chairman of the group is W.R.G. Baker, vice-president of GE and director of the RMA engineering department. Vice-chairmen are Donald G. Fink, editor of *ELECTRONICS*, and David B. Smith, vice-president

of Philco Corp. Leading authorities from qualified technical societies, from broadcasting companies, and from member and non-member firms in the manufacturing industry are invited to participate.

### Communications Policy Board

PRESIDENT TRUMAN recently named a temporary Communications Policy Board, consisting of five members, to study and to make recommendations to him on the policies and practices which should be followed by the government in this field in order best to meet the broad requirements of the public interest. Chairman of the Board is Irvin L. Stewart of the U. of West Virginia. Other members are Lee A. DuBridge of California Institute of Technology, David H. O'Brien of Hackettstown, N. J., William L. Everitt of the U. of Illinois, and James R. Killian of MIT.

The Board's function is to study the present and potential use of radio and wire communications

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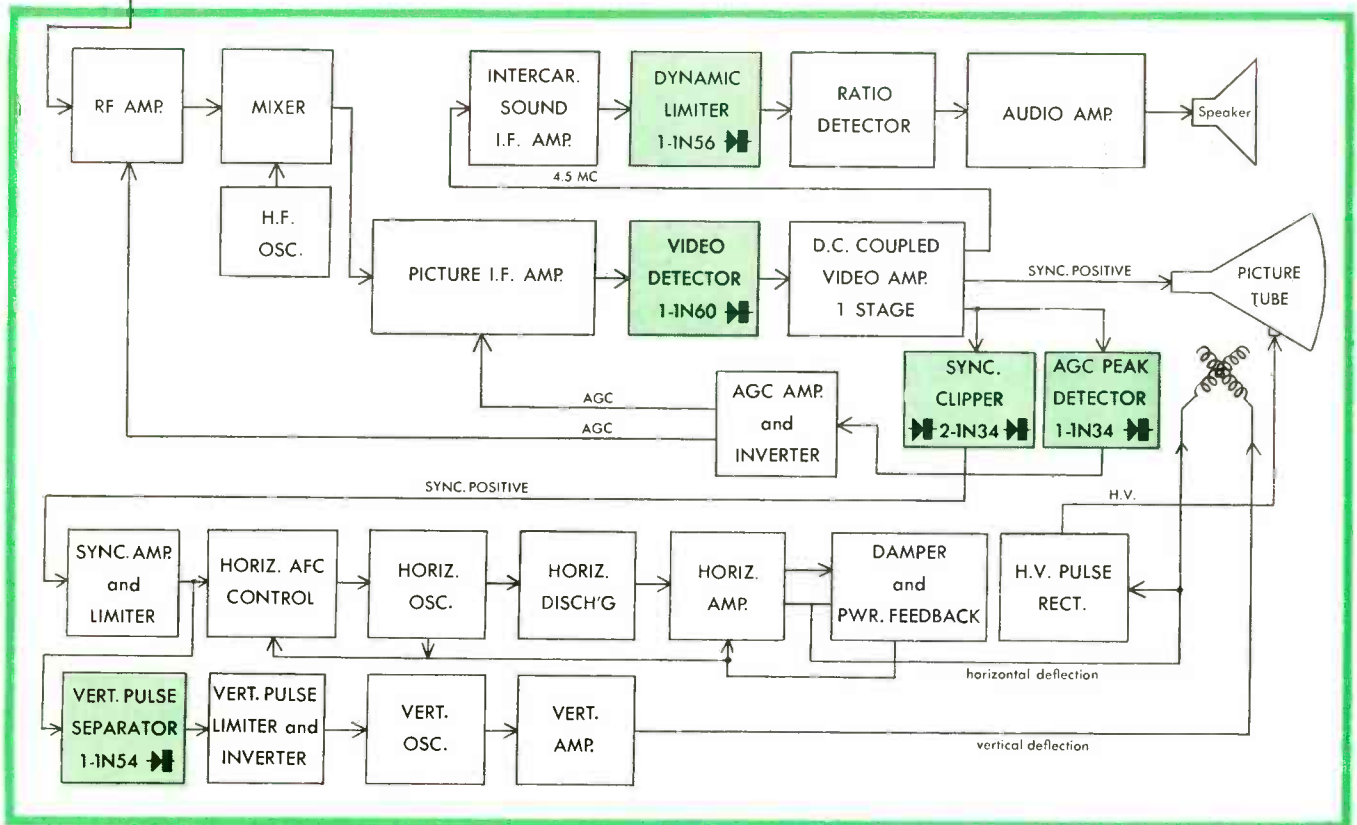


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## Practical Spectroscopy

BY G. R. HARRISON, R. C. LORD, AND J. R. LOOFBROUROW, *all of the Spectroscopy Laboratory, MIT. Prentice-Hall, Inc., New York, 1948, 605 pages, \$6.65.*

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The book should be interesting to readers of ELECTRONICS because it deals both with methods that they may wish to employ in the microwave region and with equipment for which they can provide special features and automatic instrumentation.—F. H. ROCKETT, JR., *Airborne Instruments Laboratory, Inc., Mineola, N. Y.*

## Electronic Time Measurements

*Volume 20 of the MIT Radiation Laboratory Series. EDITED BY B. CHANCE, R. I. HUGHES, E. F. MACNICHOL, AND F. C. WILLIAMS. McGraw-Hill Book Co., New York, 1949, 538 pages, \$7.00.*

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# BACKTALK

This Department is Operated as an Open Forum Where Readers may Discuss Problems of the Electronics Industry or Comment Upon Articles which ELECTRONICS has published

The article, in any event, was interesting and thought-provoking.

WILLIAM C. SCHUMACHER  
*Brooklyn, New York*

## VHF from Incandescent Lamps

DEAR SIRs:

IN YOUR December 1949 "Tubes at Work" I was interested to see an article called "TV Interference from Incandescent Lamps."

My earliest encounter with vhf radiation of this type took place about twenty years ago when I was amateur 9BBH operating a mobile 5 meter station around the streets of Cedar Rapids, Iowa. It was noticed one day that a high-pitched tone was received at a certain street intersection. This tone came in on the superregenerative receiver only occasionally and was finally traced to the operation of street cars. Finally it was determined that a trolley-operated light signal (used to indicate to another street car several blocks away that the block was occupied) was the cause. Closer examination showed that the

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## Please Pass the Salary

DEAR SIRs:

THE ITEM on salaries in January Crosstalk contained interesting and (very likely) accurate information with respect to the earnings of various types of engineers, but it contained also an implication of the type that was long ago responsible for two old saws. "Figures don't lie, but liars figure" and "There are three degrees of prevaricators: liars, damn liars, and statisticians." (Pardon the language; and please do not infer that the editorial writer is aptly encompassed by either of the quotations.)

The passage at the end of the second paragraph of the article almost comes right out and says that

electrical engineers can expect, after thirty-seven years, to experience declining earnings, else why the remark that they "are due for a rude shock"? It should be pointed out that perhaps the men who had enjoyed above-average earnings would have retired by the time they worked thirty-seven years, leaving the field to those whose earnings had been below average. It might even be found that the "per-individual" earnings in all brackets increased indefinitely up to the point at which each individual left his professional duties by retiring or otherwise. This would be in no way inconsistent with the statistics quoted in your article, and I for one hope that this is the actual situation.





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**TUBES AT WORK**  
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of a fractional-horsepower electric motor.

Because of space limitations, an ordinary generator-type tachometer could not be used. The necessity of knowing the angular velocity of this varying motor at any instant made it inconvenient to use a revolution counter. The additional criterion of physically small, low-friction contacts on the motor shaft had to be considered also. The problem was that of devising an accurate tachometer which could be operated by small electrical contacts on the motor shaft and at the same time present a negligible load to the motor. Electrical means had to be employed because the motor in question was located inside a high-pressure steel bomb.

The solution was found in a square-wave generator-frequency meter circuit. The essential components of the instrument are shown schematically in Fig. 1. A d-c current is chopped into square waves by means of the rotor *A* which is mounted on the motor shaft and which contains a nonconductor *E* acting as a current interrupter. This square wave is then fed to capacitor *B* which becomes charged. During the period when the current is interrupted, the capacitor discharges through resistance *C* and causes ammeter *D* to indicate a current flow. The relation of the magnitude of the current indicated by the meter to the rate of interruption of the current in resistance *C* is a function of the capacitance and the potential applied to resistance *C*.

Several changes were necessary in this simple circuit in order that reproducible and consistent results

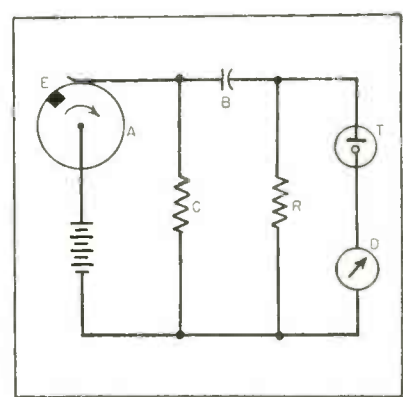


FIG. 1—Schematic circuit of tachometer



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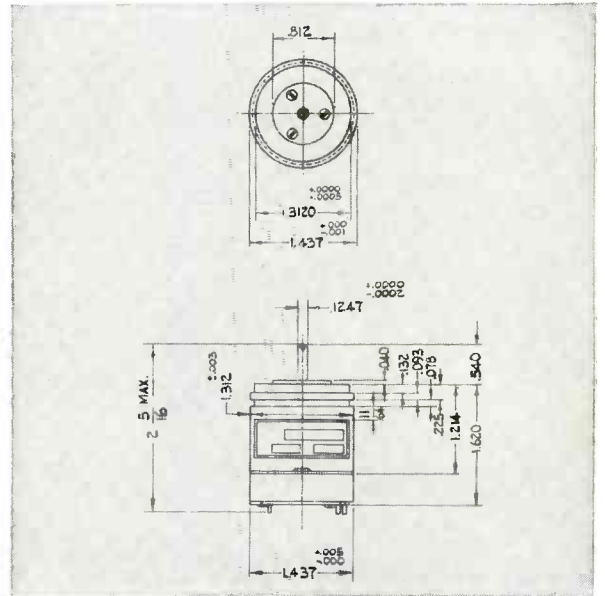
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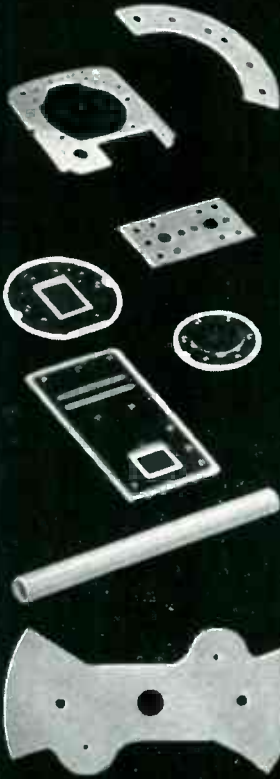
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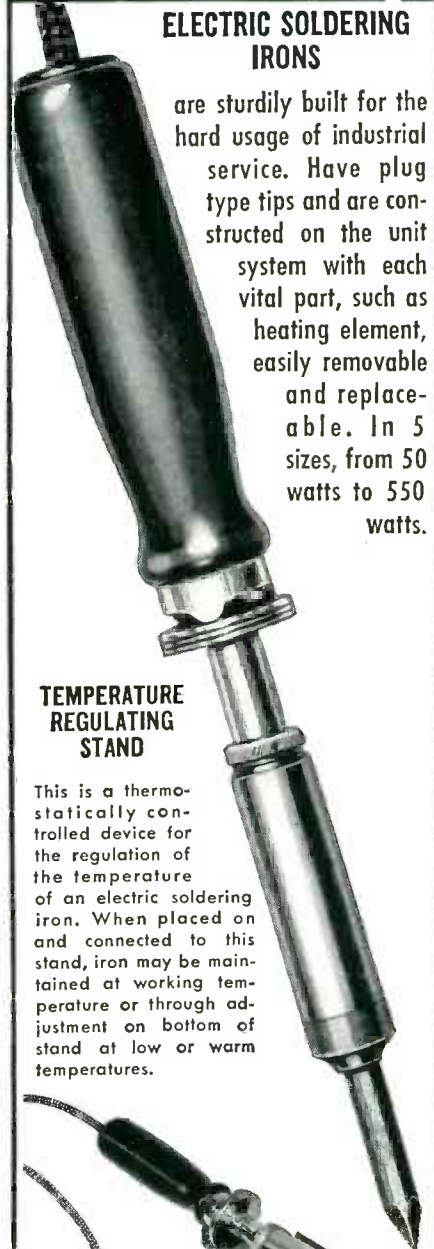


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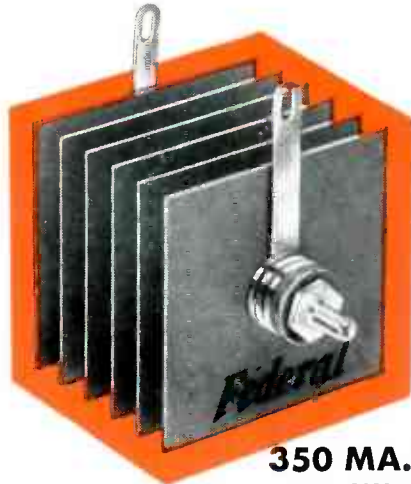
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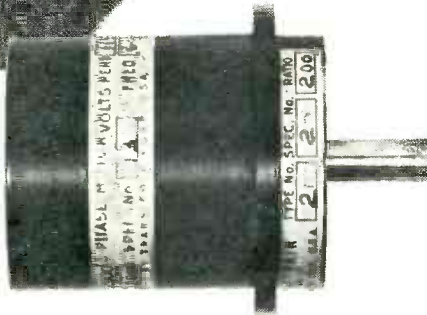
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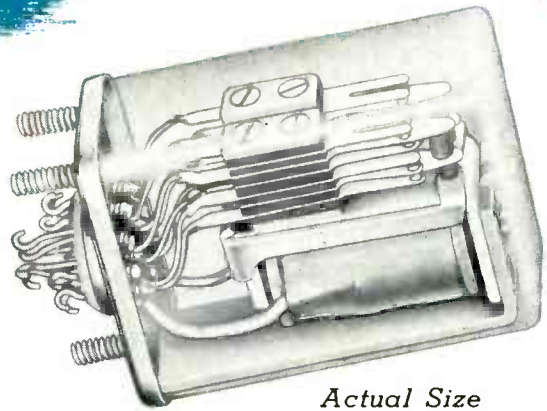
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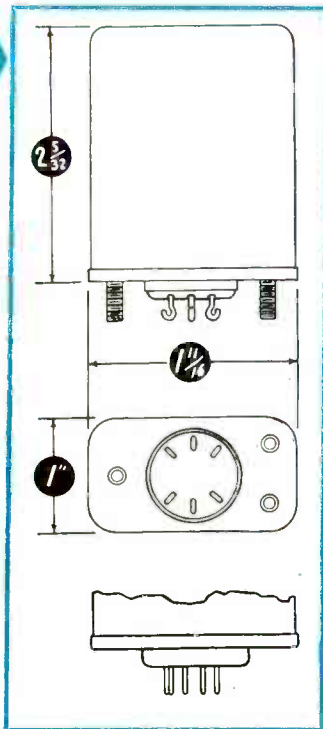
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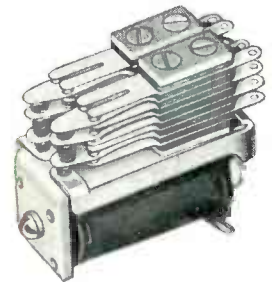
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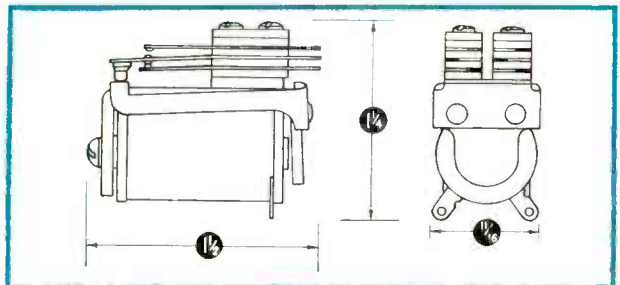


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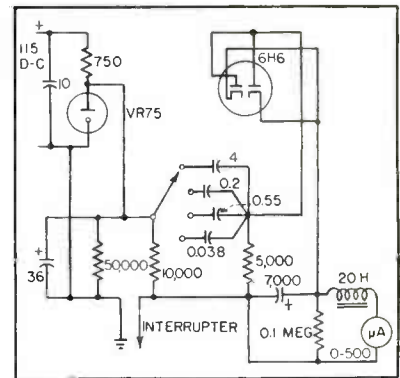


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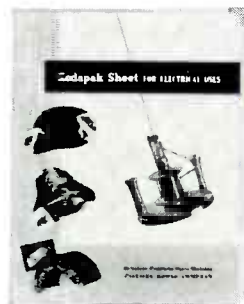
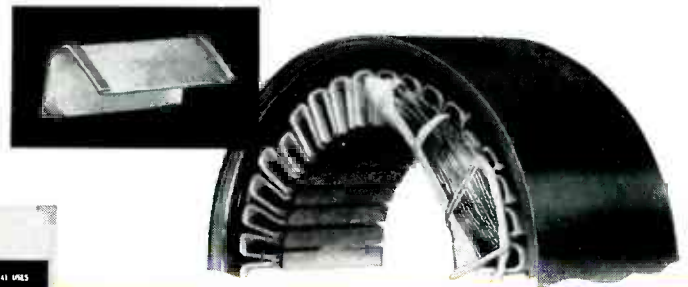


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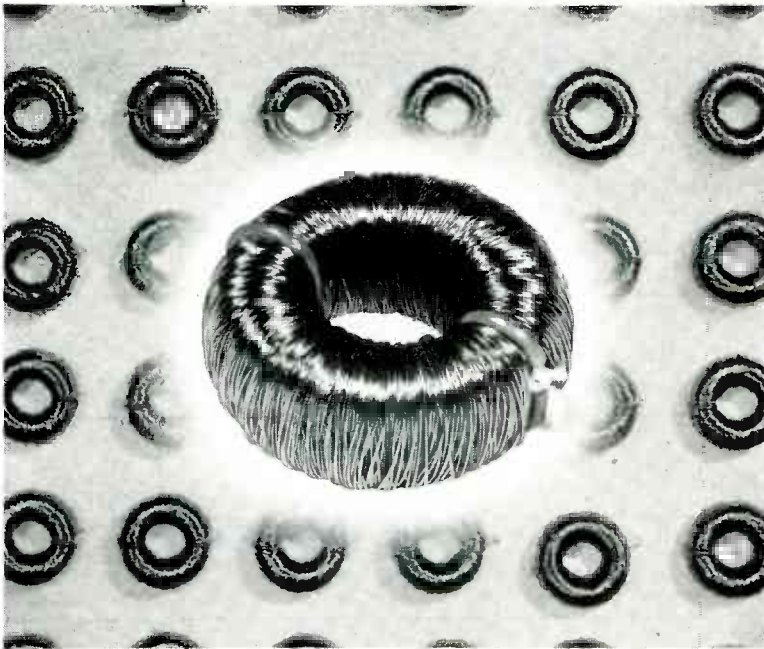
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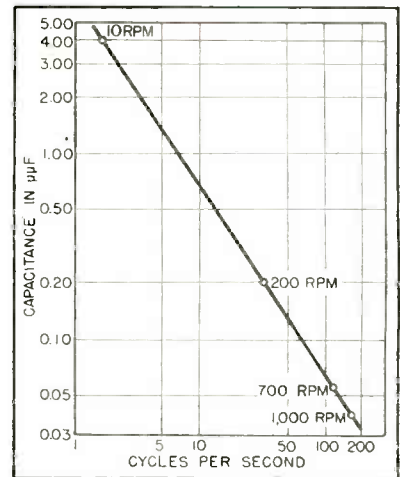


FIG. 3—Capacitance plotted against frequency

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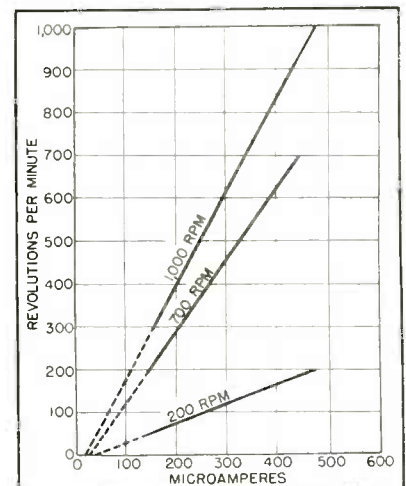


FIG. 4—Current and speed relations



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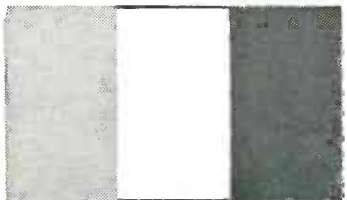
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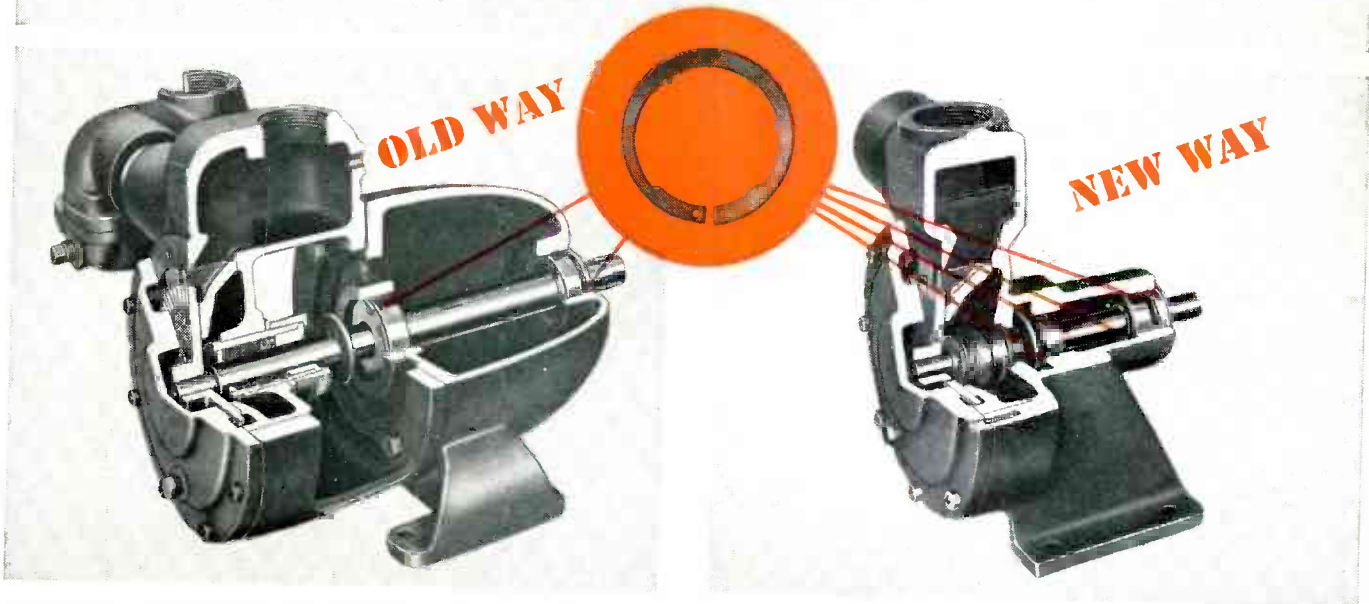
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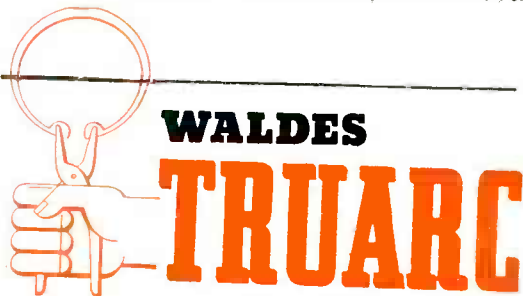
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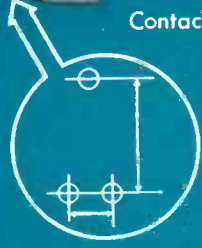
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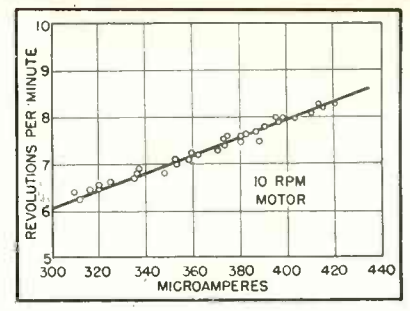


FIG. 5—Result of calibration run of tachometer

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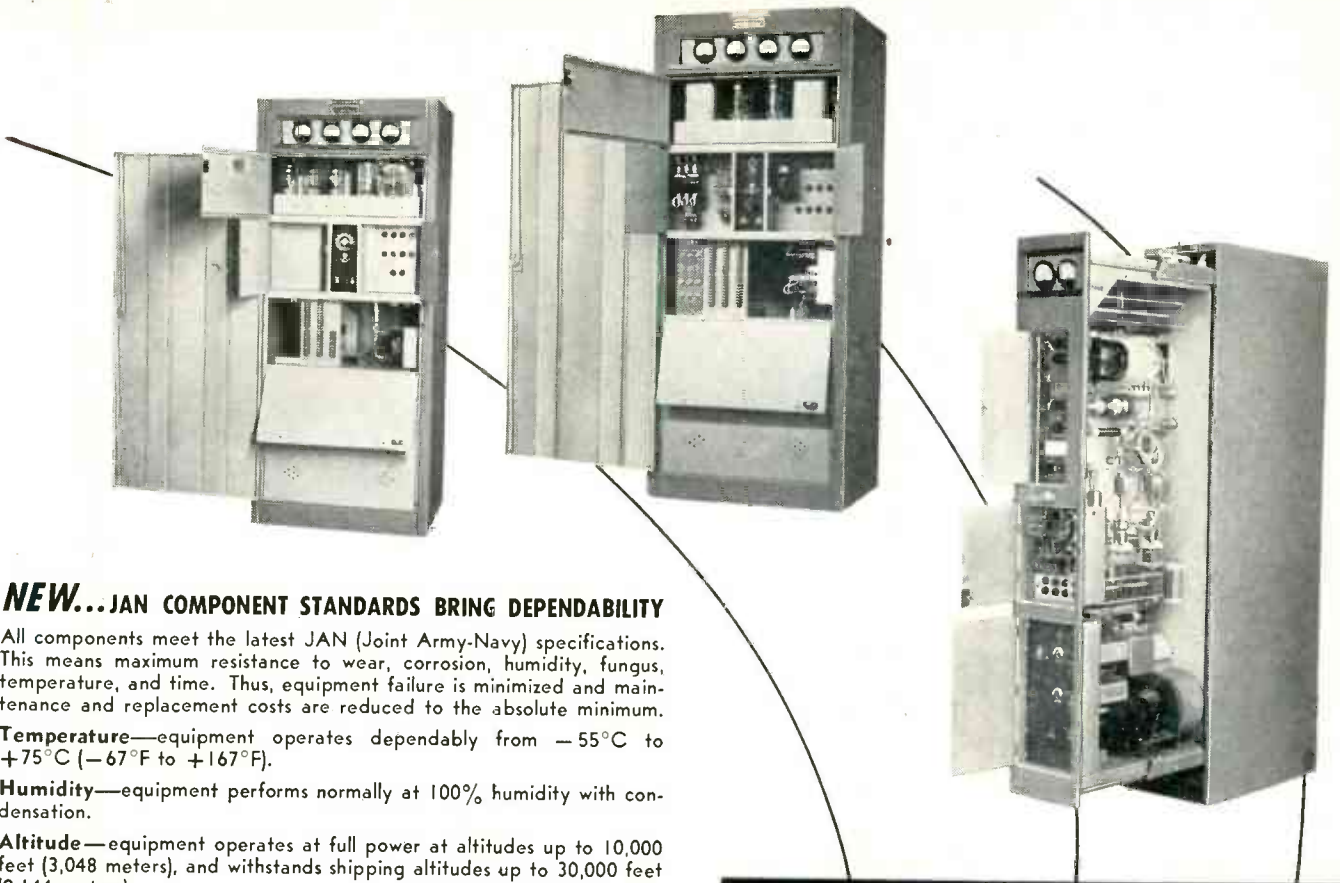
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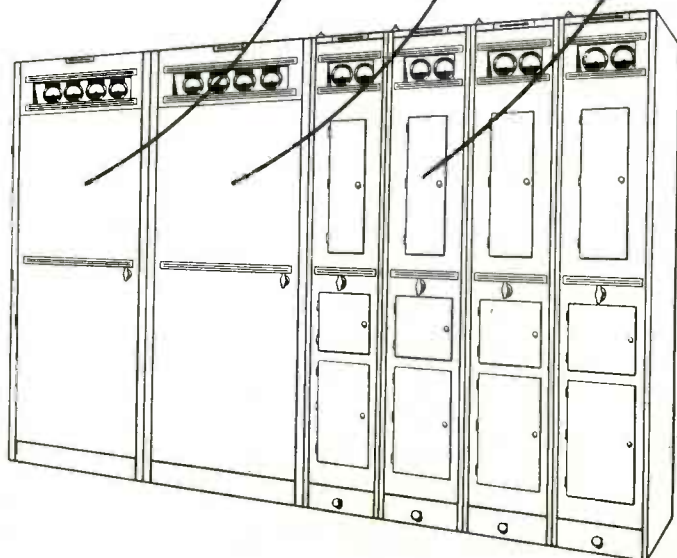
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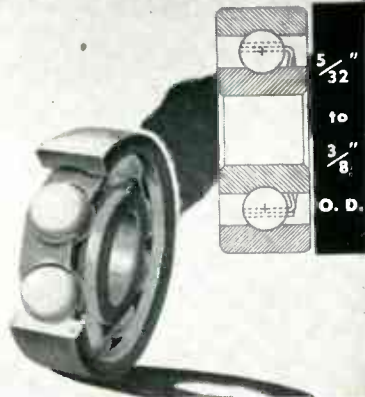
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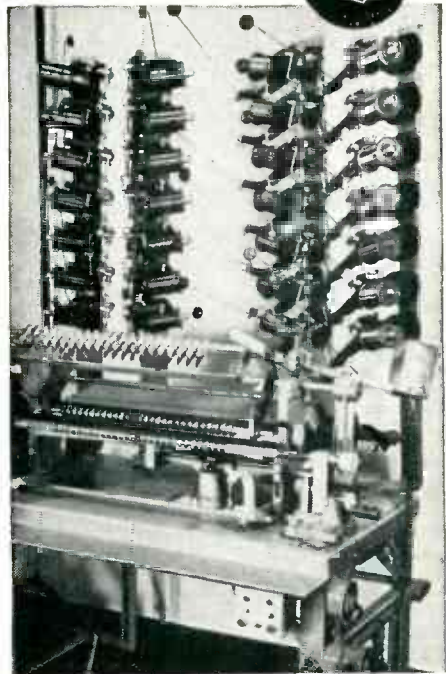
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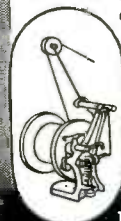


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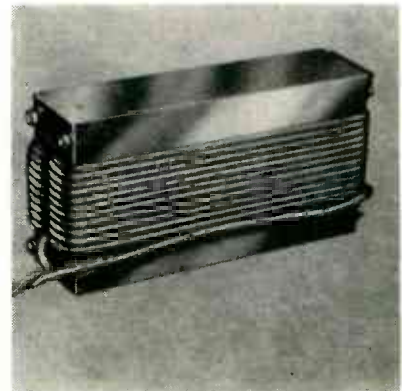
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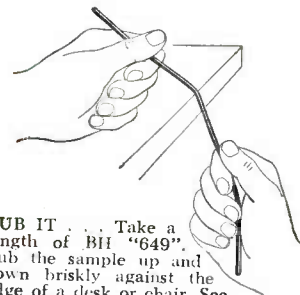
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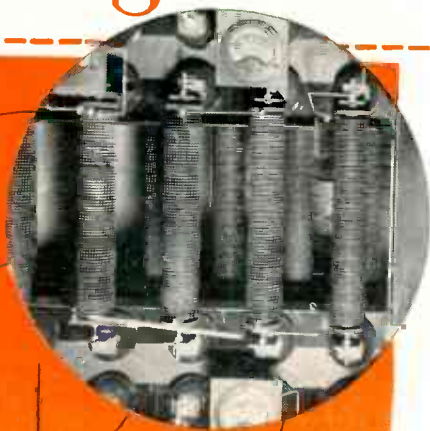
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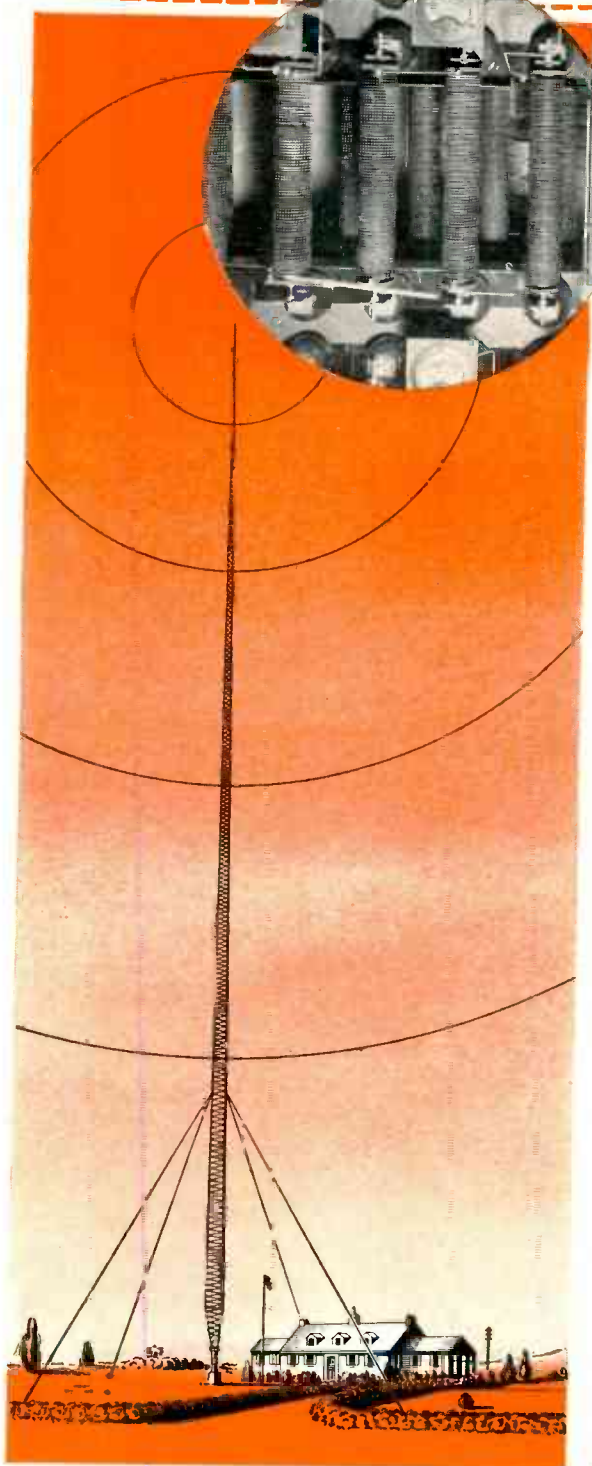
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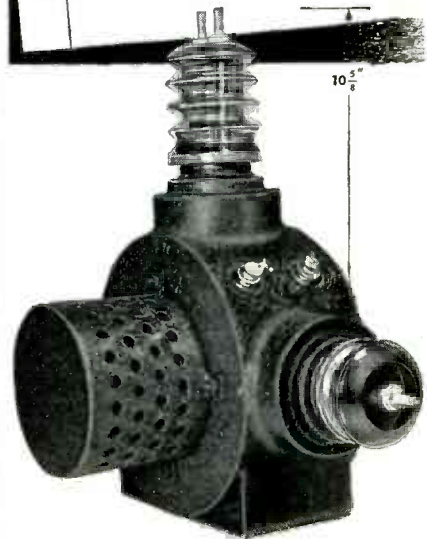
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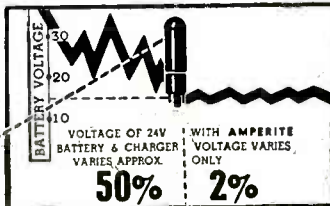


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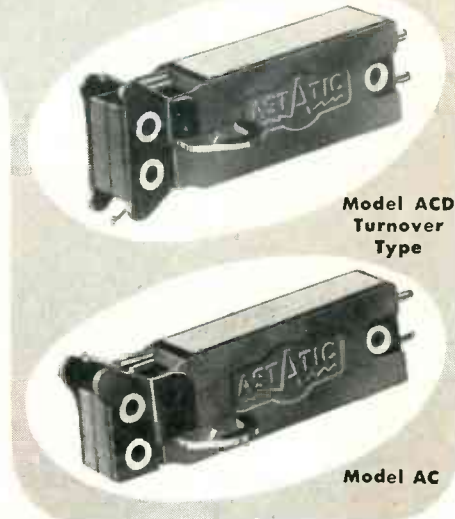
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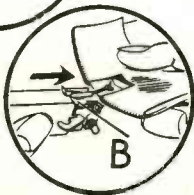
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consists of differentiating the audio-frequency wave, clipping the voltage peaks from that wave, and then integrating the clipped wave, as described in a recent article.<sup>1</sup>

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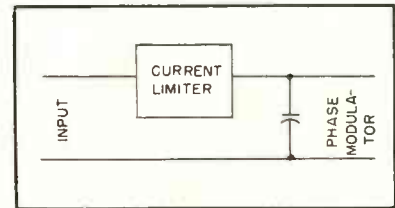


FIG. 1—Basic circuit for limiting current to a capacitor

the voltage wave are linearly related. Since the derivative of the voltage wave is the slope of the voltage wave, the maximum value of the slope may be limited by simply limiting the current flowing in the capacitance to an appropriate maximum value. This leads to a basic circuit as shown in Fig. 1.

A practical form of the circuit is shown in Fig. 2. The constants of the circuit are such that the twin diode is actually a current limiter; current limiters such as this are frequently used to produce a clipped voltage wave by passing the limited current through a resistive network and utilizing the voltage developed across a resistor by the limited current; however in this case it can be shown by means of an oscilloscope that clipped voltage waves do not exist in the circuit.

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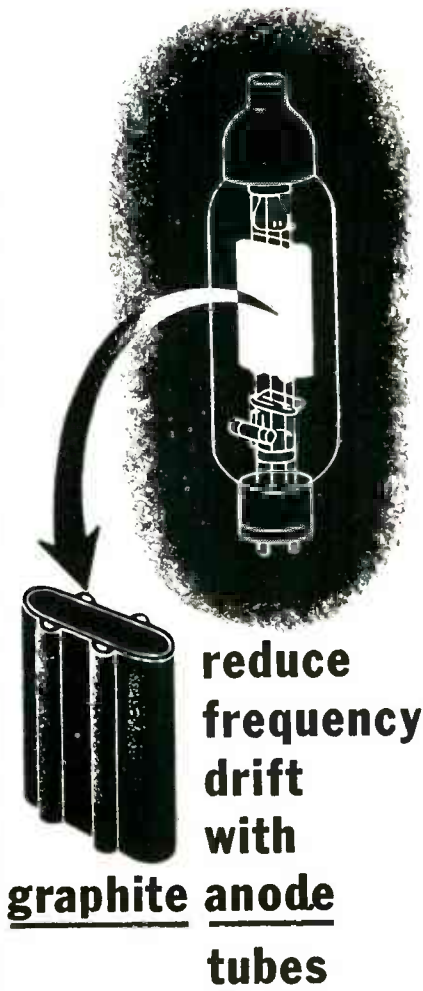
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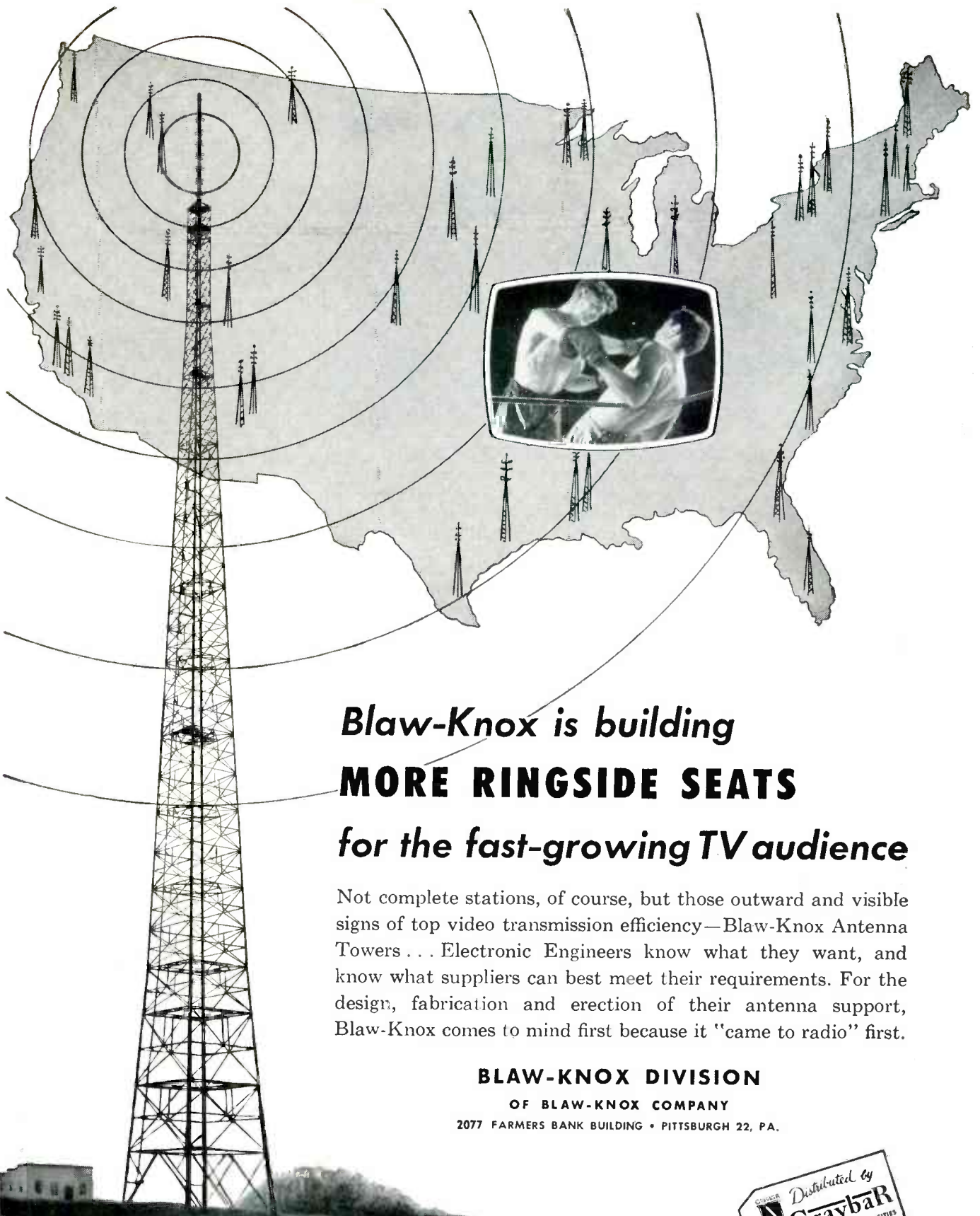
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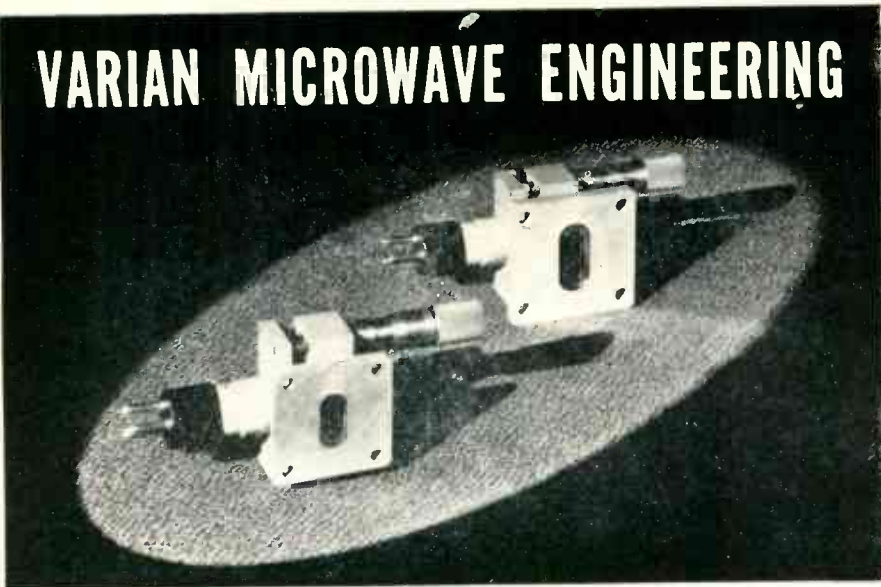
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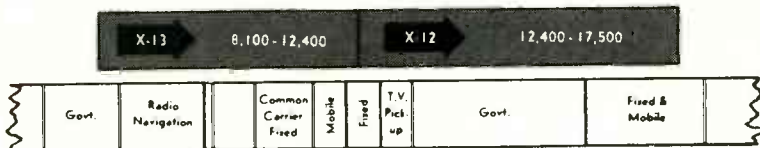
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Load VSWR	Less than 1.1	
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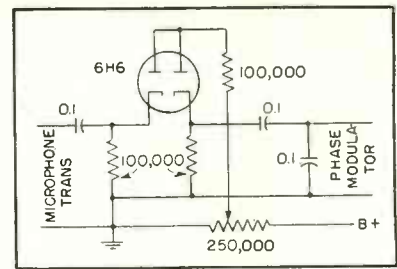


FIG. 2—Practical circuit of deviation limiter

factorily in limiting deviation in a phase-modulated transmitter of the type used for mobile radiotelephone service.

### REFERENCE

(1) Marion R. Winkler, Instantaneous Deviation Control, *ELECTRONICS*, p 97, Sept. 1949.

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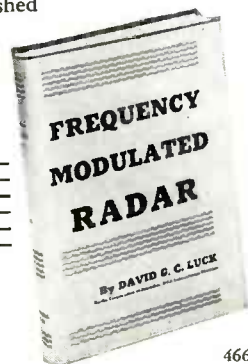
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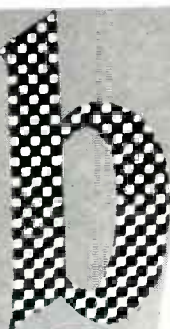
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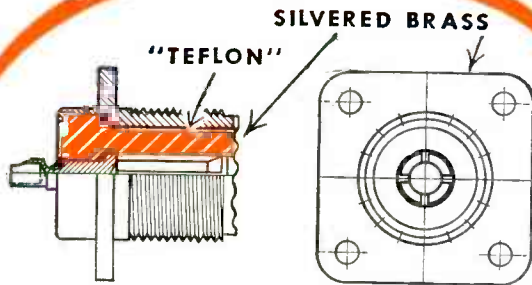


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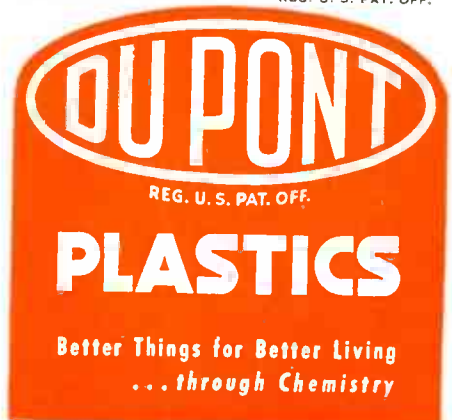
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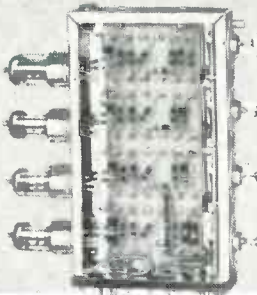
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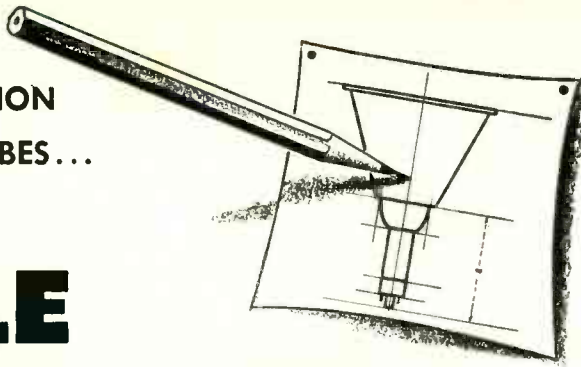
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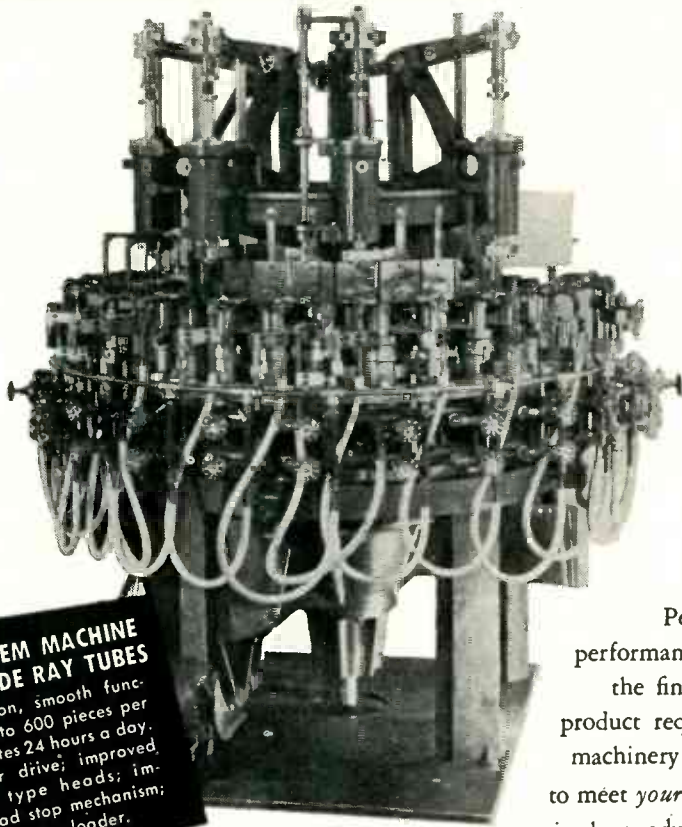


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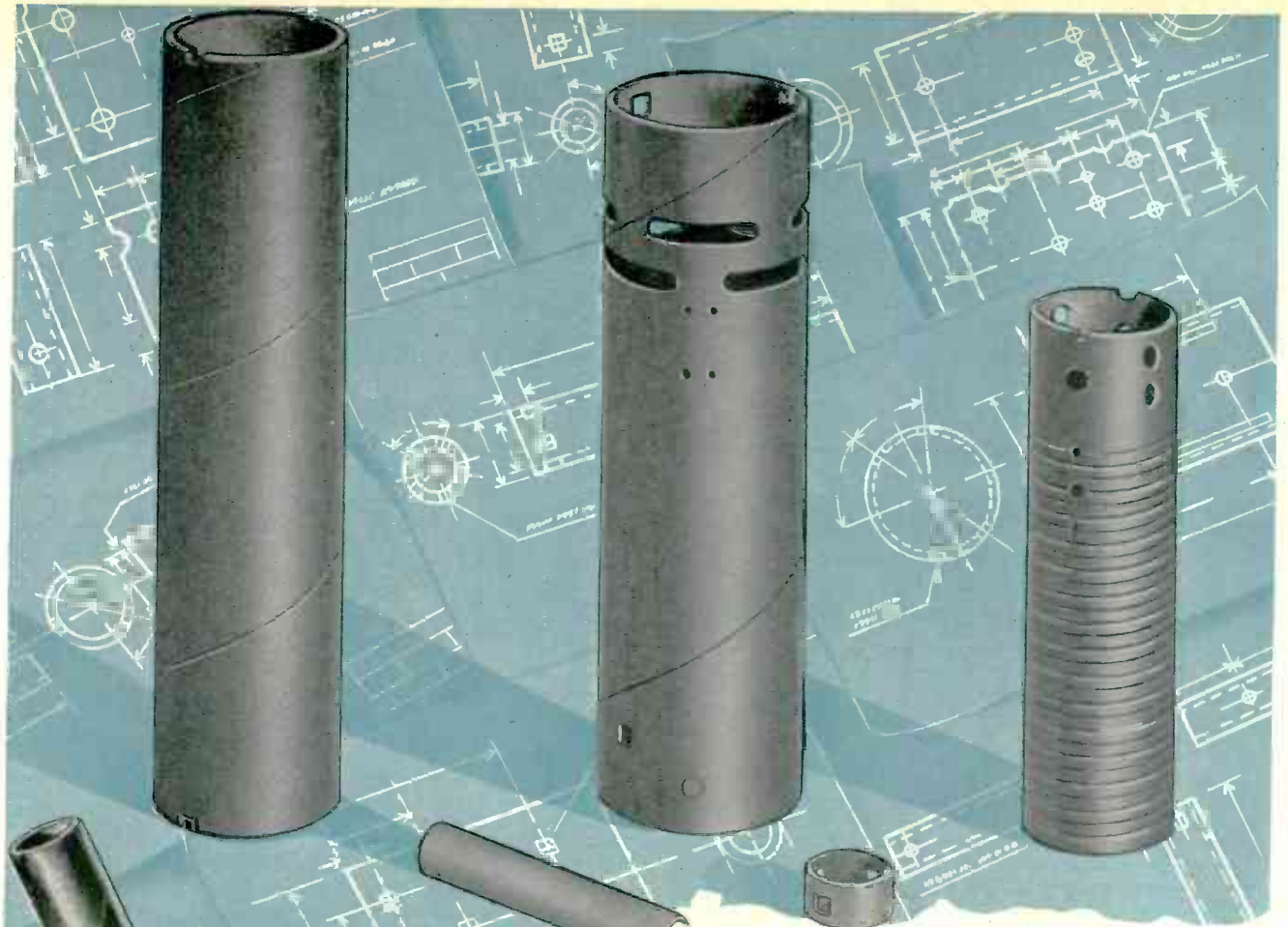
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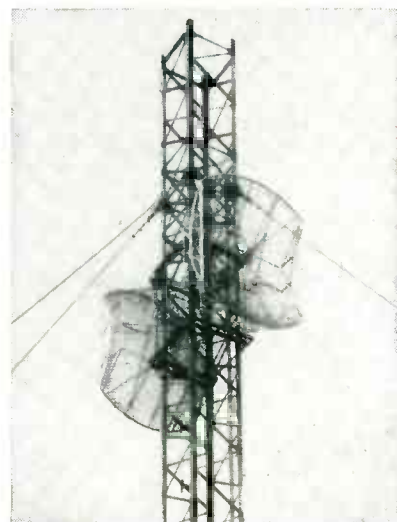
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### Repeater Circuits

At a repeater station the received signal is heterodyned by a local oscillator to give a difference frequency of 34 mc and the resultant intermediate frequency is amplified and the transmission process repeated. The fact that the carrier signal is not demodulated to video frequency until the end of the link is reached is very important since it obviates the difficulties in connection with amplifier design and operation at low video frequencies.

Because a repeater transmitter and receiver work at different frequencies the receiver local oscillator frequency cannot be the same as that of the oscillator in the transmitter master oscillator. At a re-



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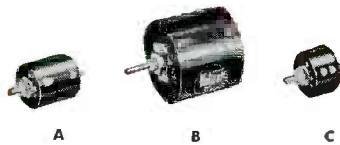
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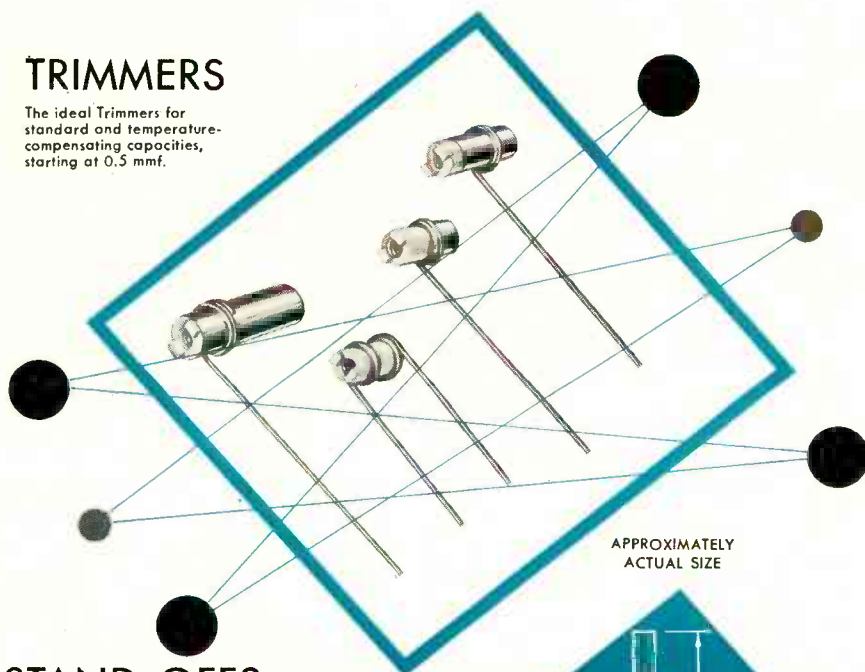
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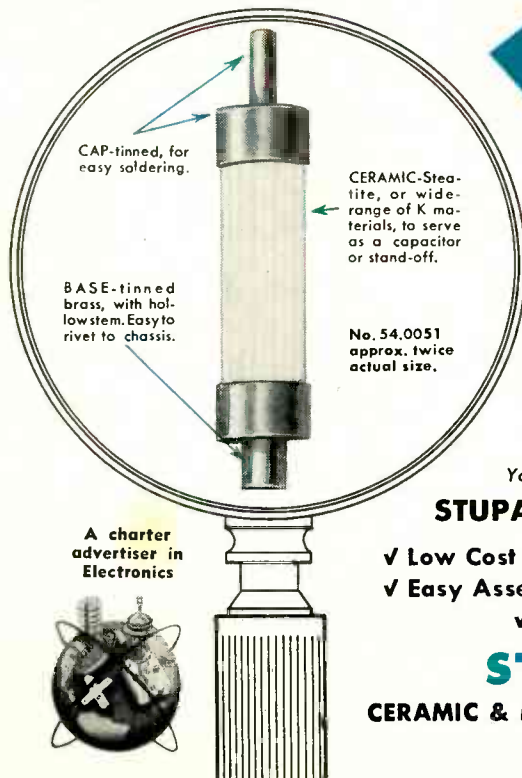
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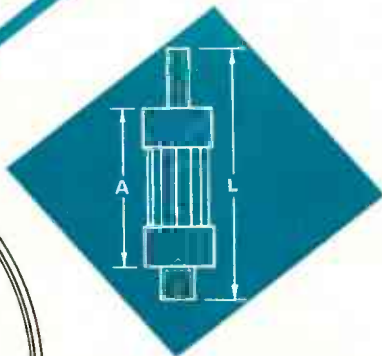
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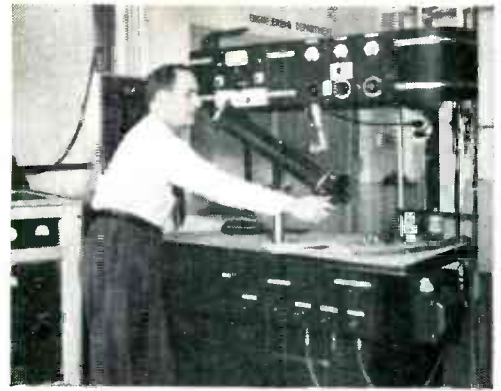
#### Tube Layout

The transmitter consists of a master oscillator (type DET. 24), a first r-f amplifier (type DET. 24), a second r-f amplifier (type ACT. 25) and a modulated (ACT. 25) or frequency-changer stage.

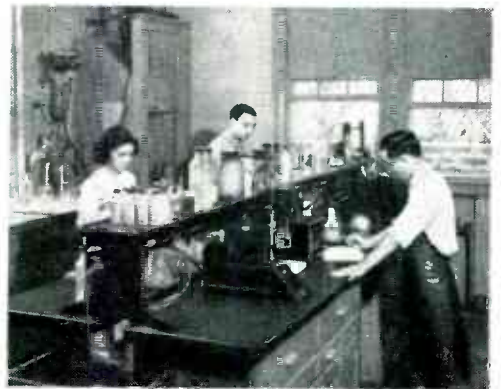
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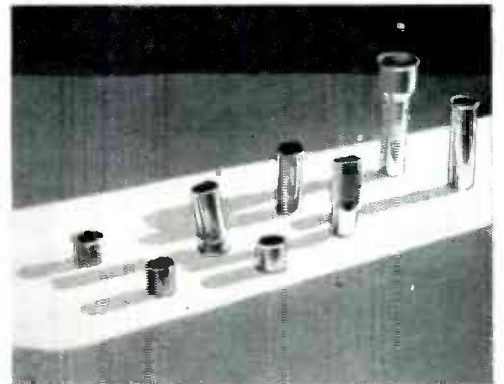


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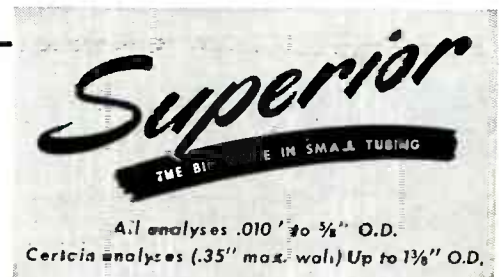


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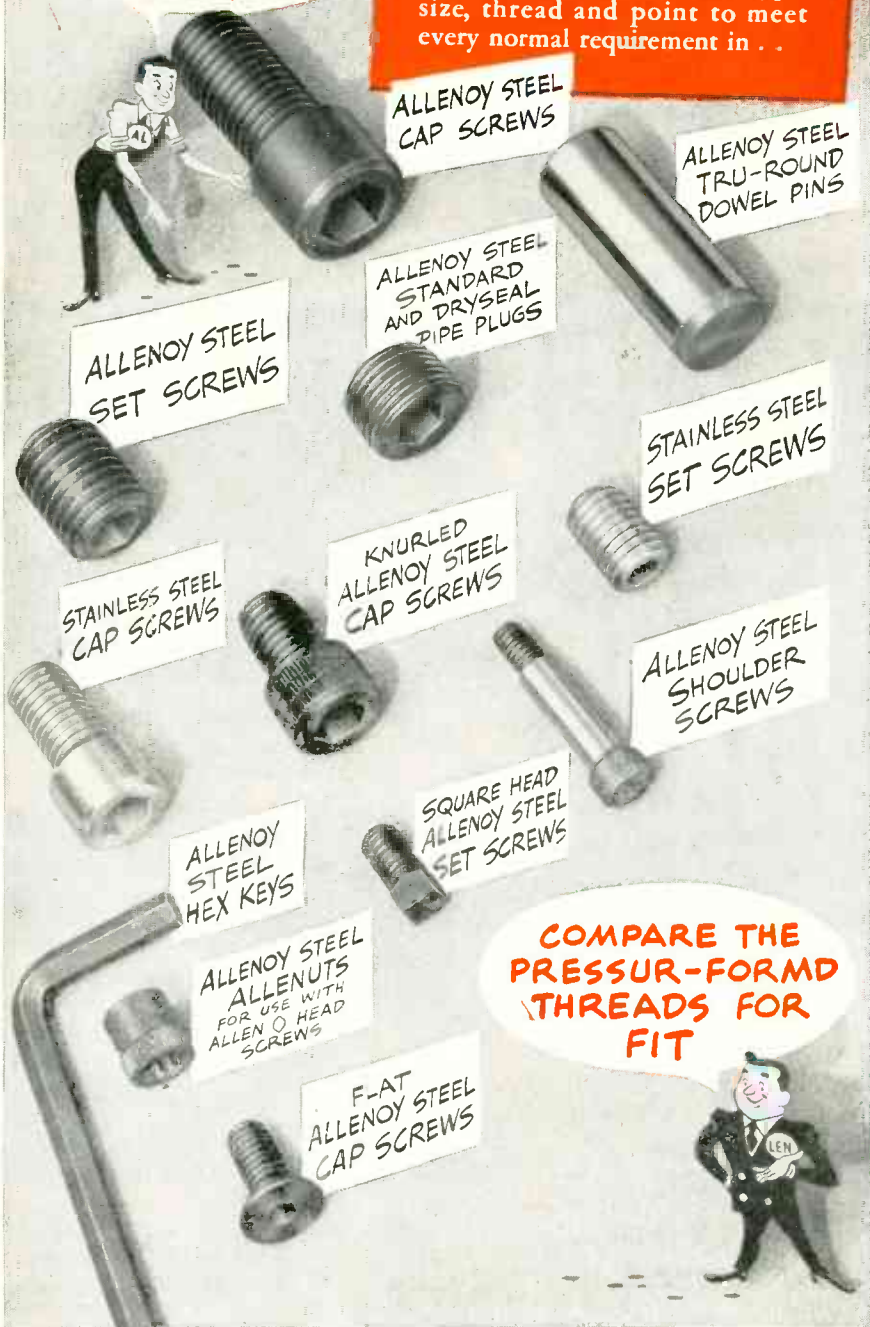


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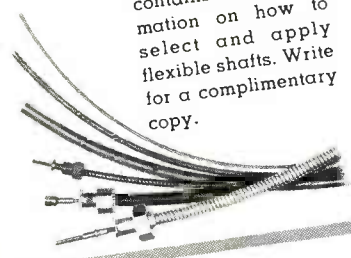
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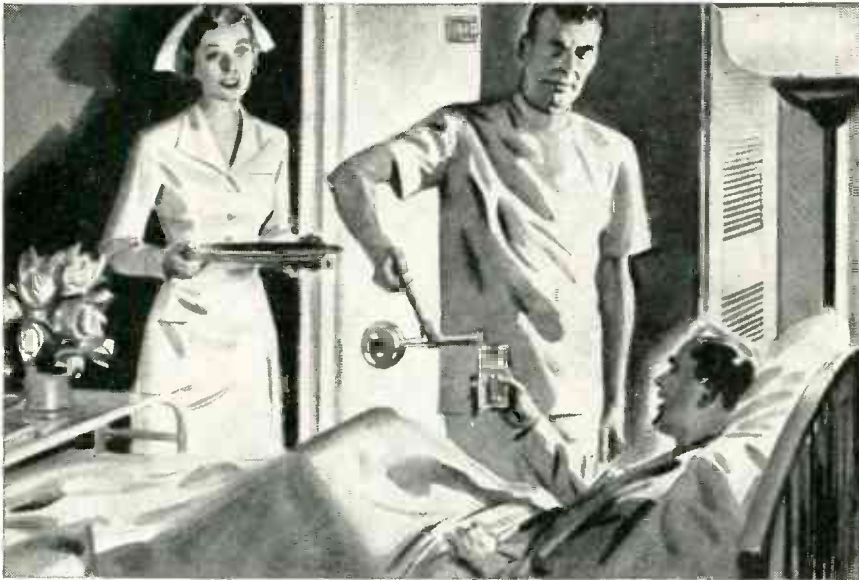
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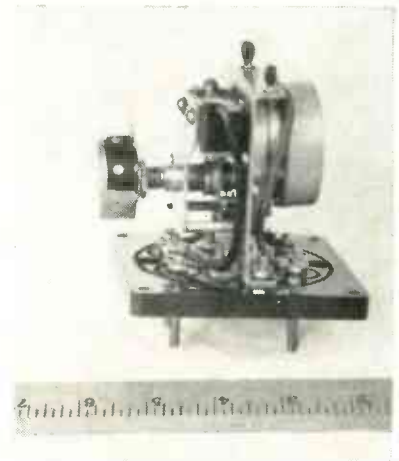


FIG. 2—Synchronous motor and spiral restoring spring are geared to control potentiometer. Snap-action switch, actuated by driveshaft cam, is closed at end of flyback

two minutes and restored the potentiometer to zero setting in approximately five seconds. In a newer unit, the flyback time is reduced to a fraction of a second by employing a magnetically controlled clutch coupling between the gear train and the restoring spring. During flyback, the gearing is decoupled from the potentiometer shaft.

The illustrated recordings indicate the essential features of the method. It offers considerable latitude in choice of motor speed and scale characteristic. An example of the type of problem to which this device may be applied is the measurement of the loss of radioactive sodium injected in tissue,<sup>1</sup> where the rate of decay is initially too rapid for direct counting with a scaling circuit and count register, and in the later stages, the radioactivity is too weak for its decay to be measured accurately with a rate meter.

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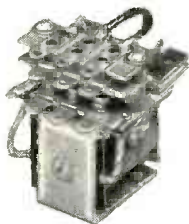
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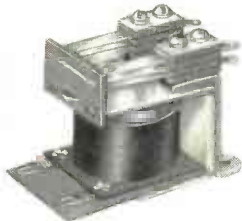
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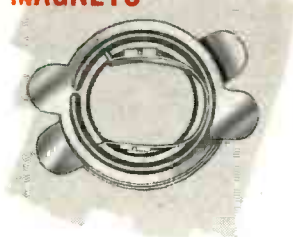
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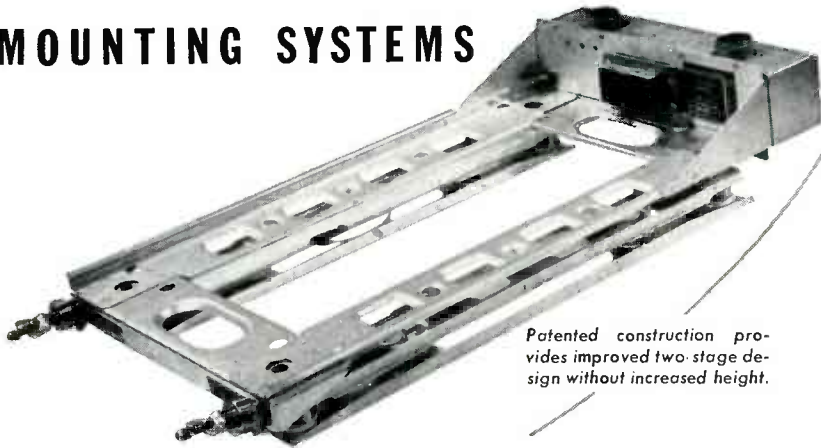
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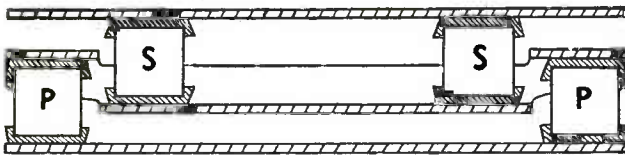
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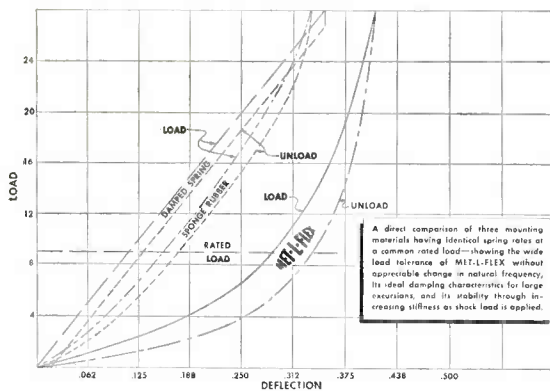


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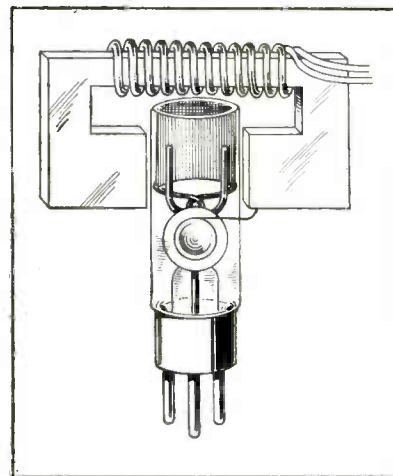


FIG. 1—Physical setup for magnetic modulation of phototube currents

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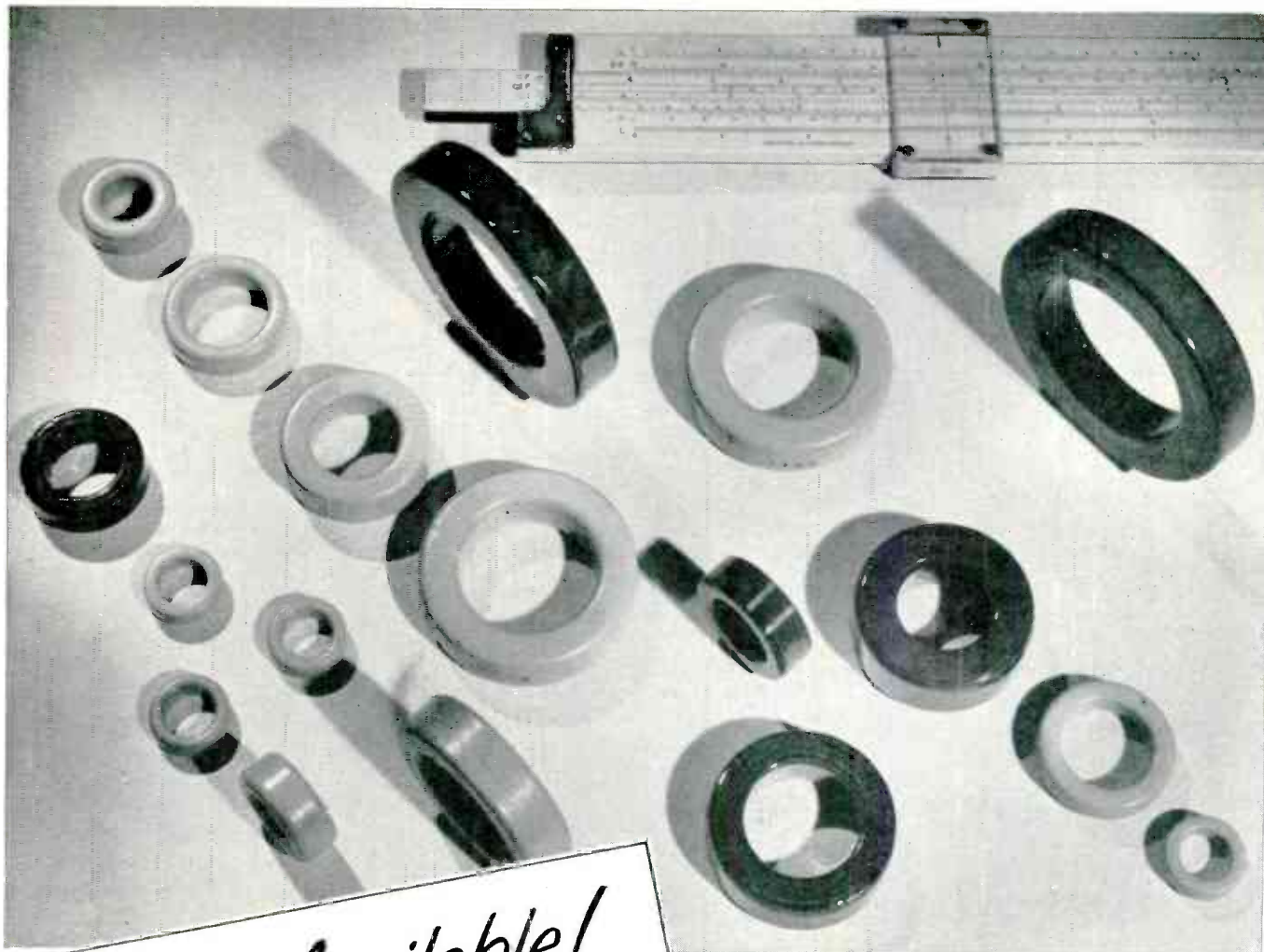
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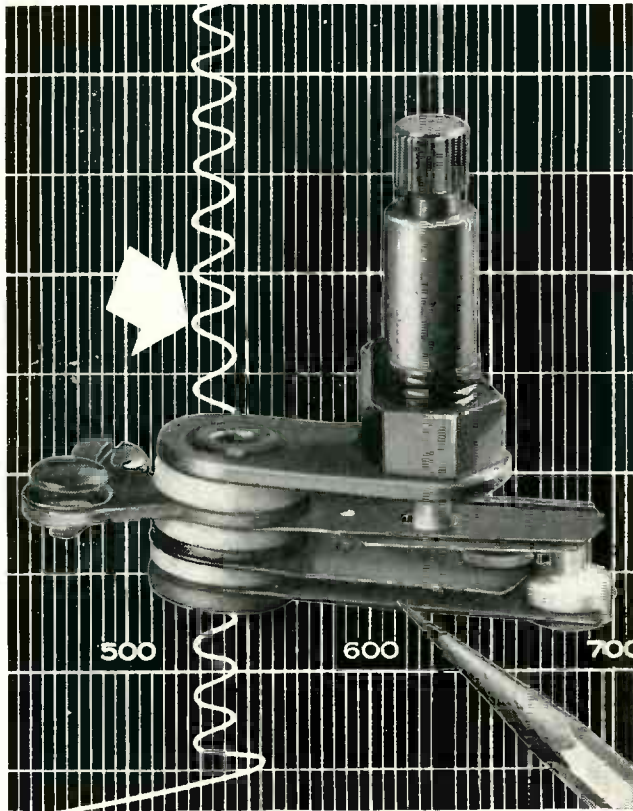
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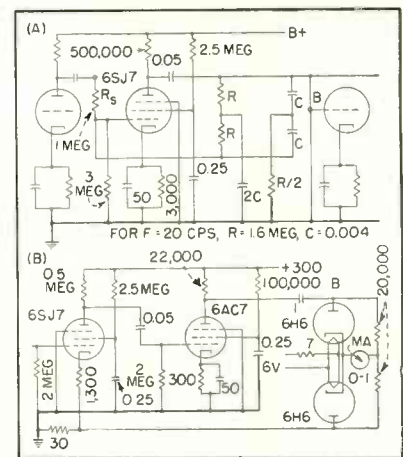


FIG. 2—Frequency-selective stage (A) and meter rectifier-amplifier stages (B) of the amplifier used in conjunction with a magnetically modulated phototube

meter with a light flux of 1 microlumen, a carrier frequency of 20 cps was chosen. The parallel-T circuit shown in Fig. 2A discriminates against all frequencies except 20 cps, at which there is a gain of 100, with a response characteristic as shown in Fig. 3. The rectifier circuit used is shown in Fig. 2B. A double-diode 6H6 is used as a full-wave averaging rectifier for the 70-ohm 1-ma meter. An effective voltage of 23 volts at the plate of the top half of the 6H6 will cause full meter deflection. Each diode is terminated by 20,000 ohms to avoid nonlinearity for small driving voltages. The filament voltage is reduced in order to minimize the zero reading.

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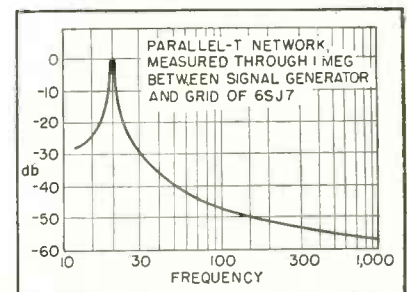


FIG. 3—Frequency response curve of the parallel-T circuit shown in Fig. 2A



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## Study of Skin Impedance

By ROBERT C. BURNS  
Stanford University  
Stanford, California\*

POTENTIALS generated by the contractions of muscles and muscle fibers are recorded and studied with the aid of electromyograph equipment. An attempt is then made to interpret the records in terms of absolute physical movement. In this interpretation there exist three major variables: frequency, phase, and amplitude. The frequency spectrum to be analyzed appears largely between 40 and 500 cycles per second, the signal amplitude generated by the muscle reaches a peak around 200 microvolts, and the phase of electrical measurement depends on the reactive elements acting in the entire measuring scheme.

These three interrelated factors can be fairly well controlled in the electrical amplifying device, but the question arising is, "What happens within the muscle, and what is actually measured between the two electrodes?" It follows then, "What source impedance does the muscle potential act through?"

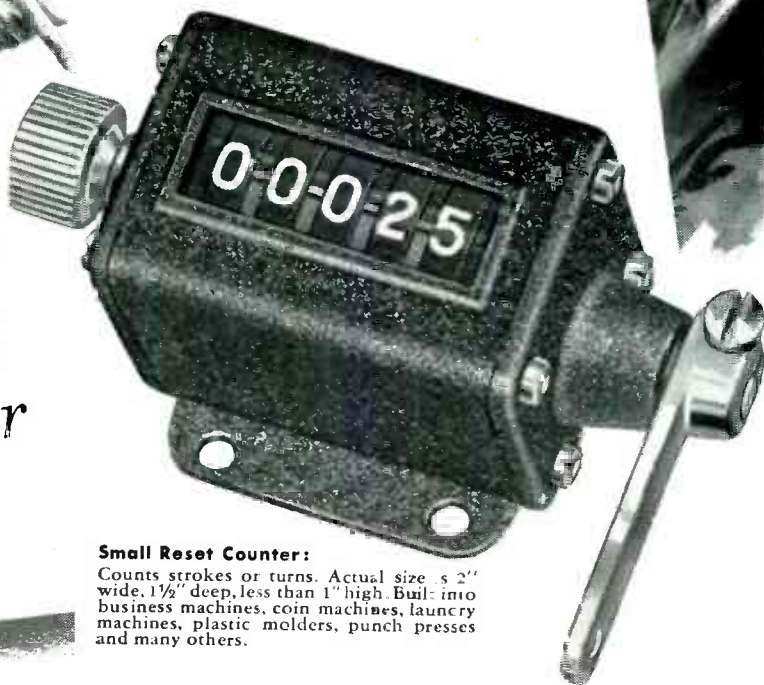
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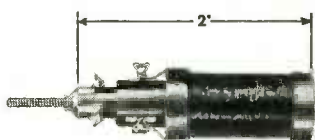
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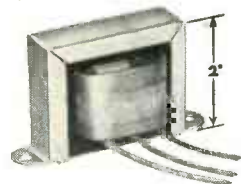
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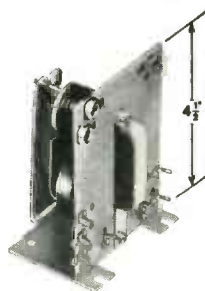
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that muscle source potentials may be more accurately determined.

#### Electrodes Used

There are two types of electrodes in use: the sub-dermal and the surface type. The former are simply needles which, inserted into the muscle, provide the potential measurement. The latter are metallic disks placed on the surface of the skin, in the vicinity of the muscle, with or without prior skin preparation. This paper will be largely concerned with the surface electrode. Size, shape, spacing and application of the electrodes are factors which enter into each impedance measurement. These will be discussed later. All measurements described herein were made on the skin of the pre-tibial area.

Four tests were made with three-fourths inch diameter copper electrodes separated one inch between edges under the following conditions: (1) shaved and dry skin, (2) shaved skin with electrode paste applied, (3) shaved skin with surface then sanded, and (4) shaved skin, sanded surface, and electrode paste applied. The graphical results obtained are presented in Fig. 1. The four curves represent the measurements made on one subject using the above-mentioned electrode applications in the order listed.

A study of the curves of Fig. 1 indicates a much higher impedance for application 1 than for application 4. This is quite outstanding at the lower frequencies. However, the most striking difference is the nearly constant impedance with application 4. This indicates an im-

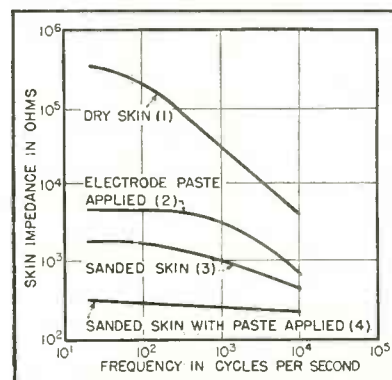
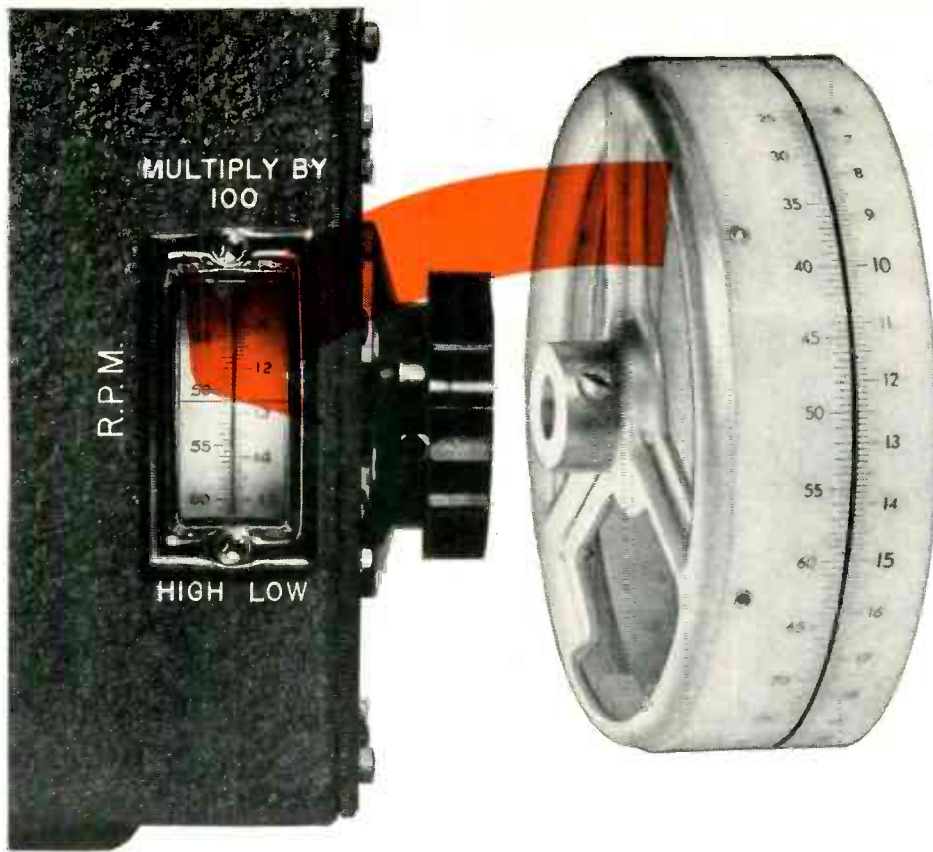


FIG. 1—Skin impedance, with  $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch electrodes applied to sanded skin with electrode paste, is almost entirely resistive, as indicated by constant impedance for changing frequency





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pedance which is nearly entirely resistive. With such an electrode application the output potential available at the electrodes is nearly independent of the period of the transient generated by the muscle contraction. This important factor makes many assumptions valid with small error.

*Detailed Study*

To study the internal impedance further a more extensive search was made; the results appear in Fig. 2. A flattening of the impedance curve at both the high and low

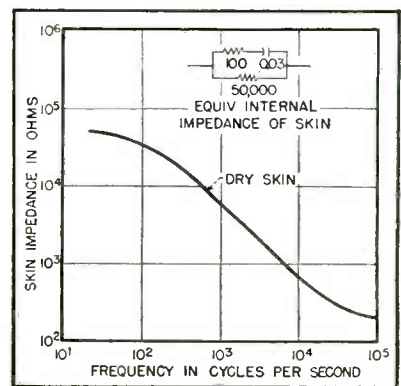


FIG. 2—Flattening of impedance curve at high and low frequencies indicates resistive component of the internal tissue structure of the muscle. Insert shows equivalent internal impedance of the skin

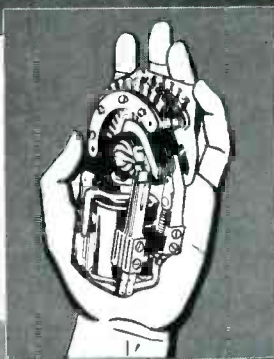
frequencies indicates an asymptotic resistive component of the internal tissue structure of the muscle. The curve may be divided into three major segments and the equivalent electrical behavior determined. A simplified version of the equivalent internal impedance of the skin is shown in the insert of Fig. 2.

*Equivalent Skin Impedance*

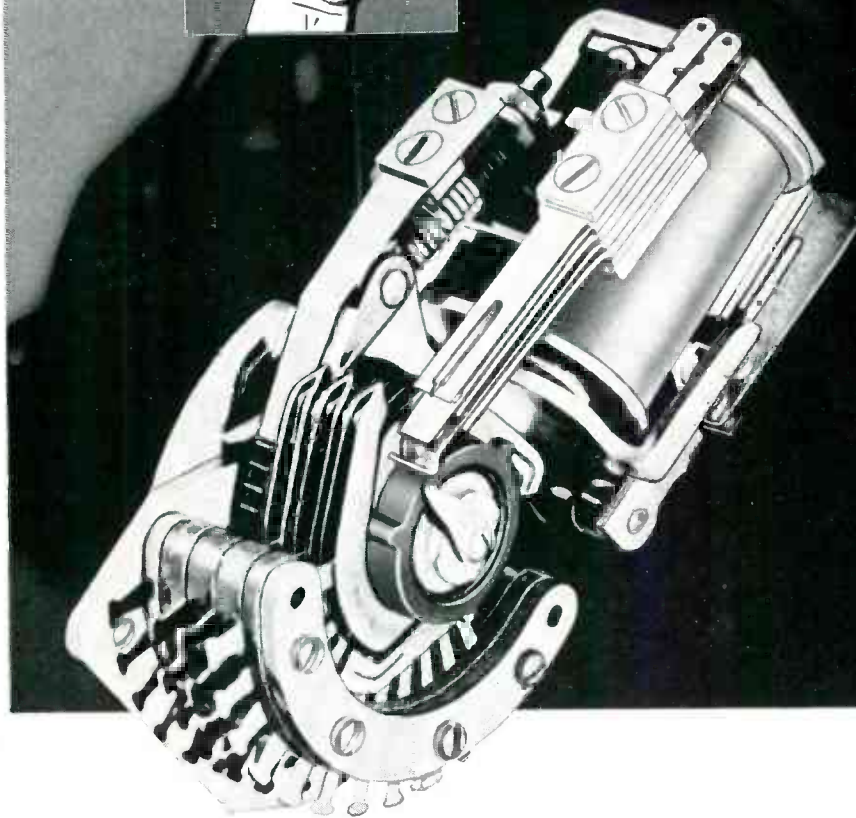
The values of these three parameters are affected by each electrode application. Nevertheless, the relative value of the parameters, especially the capacitor, are indicated. It might be expected, since there exists such a large difference between shunt and series resistors, that the slope of the impedance curve should be unity during a portion of the frequency-impedance graph. However, since the internal tissue is of quite complex nature,



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Measurements made on electrode separation showed no large variation after the separation exceeded one-half inch. The effect of electrode size was noticeable by a small increase in impedance with a decrease in electrode size. The diameter-to-spacing ratio was revealed as the most important relationship. This was reflected by measurements made with the subdermal electrodes. It was expected that the internal impedance would be quite low with the needles inserted in the muscle, but it was found that the impedance exceeded that of application 4 by a slight amount. It is believed that the small surface area of the needles contributed to this fact.

From the experimental data obtained the electrode application should consist of shaving the hair, sanding the surface, and the application of electrode paste for minimum skin impedance. With this type of application, variations in the resulting signal measured between electrodes, due to reactive effects, can be minimized. With further and more detailed study for each case, perhaps an absolute evaluation of muscle activity can be made. This knowledge of source potential should be useful in the study of isolated spastic muscles.

### Acknowledgement

The author is indebted to Marian Williams and Lucille Daniels, of Stanford University, for the opportunity to make this study. Also, many thanks to the many students of physical therapy at Stanford who contributed their time so patiently.

## Resistor Behavior at High Frequencies

VARIOUS types of resistors exhibit different characteristics when operating in the region above ten megacycles, depending on their physical size, nature of resistance element and physical location. The analysis of an isolated resistance element was first considered by Howe<sup>1</sup> and later by Hartshorn<sup>2</sup>. It has been





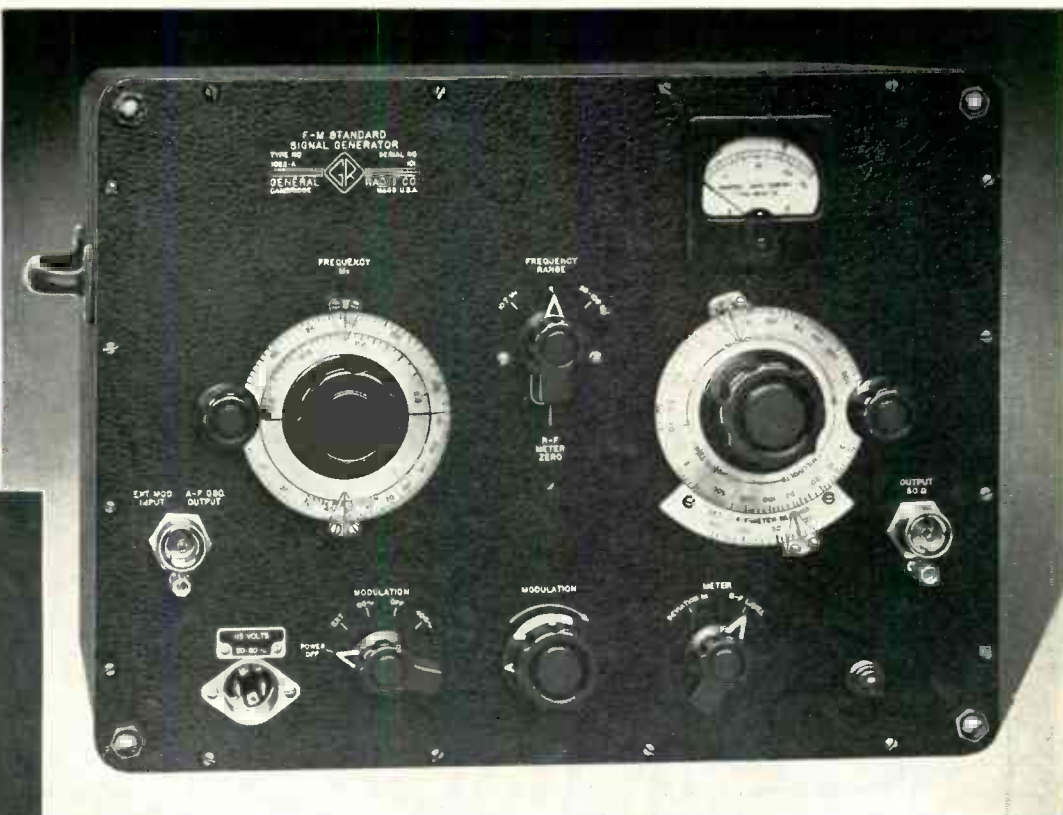
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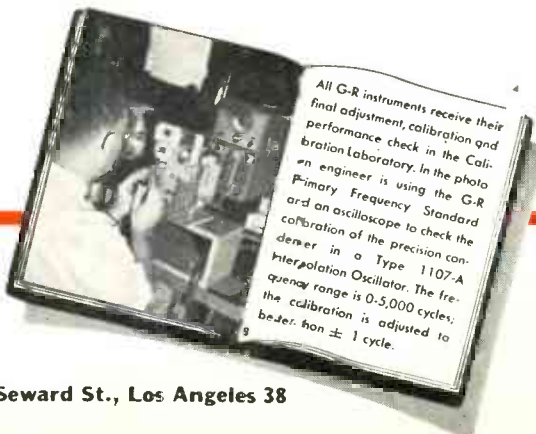
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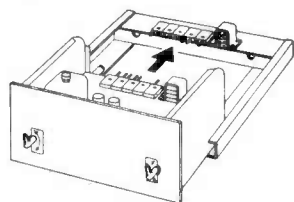
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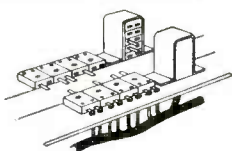
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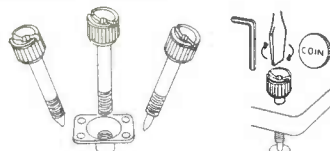
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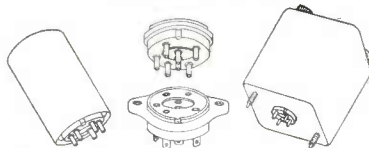


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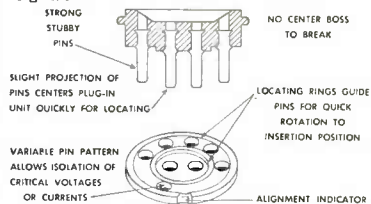
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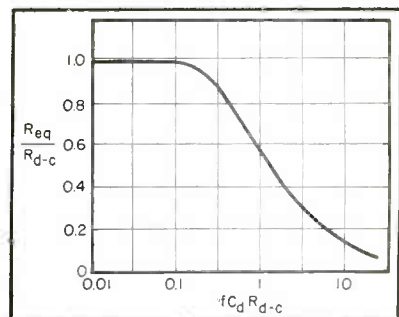


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found that experimental values compare quite well with theoretical values.

The experimental equipment used in determining the behavior of resistors at high frequencies includes two G-R resistance bridges, a Measurements Corp. signal generator, and a Hallicrafters SX-42 receiver which served as the detector. Various values of resistors between 50 and 77,000 ohms were measured, and their equivalent resistances calculated by Hartshorn's method.<sup>2</sup>

It was found that for standard types, the equivalent resistance of a resistor decreases more rapidly with frequency for high d-c value resistors than for low-value resistors. For the same value of d-c resistance, the smaller the physical



Hartshorn's curve for predicting the behavior of resistors at high frequencies. Distributed capacitance  $C_d$  is that of the isolated resistor plus the proximity effects

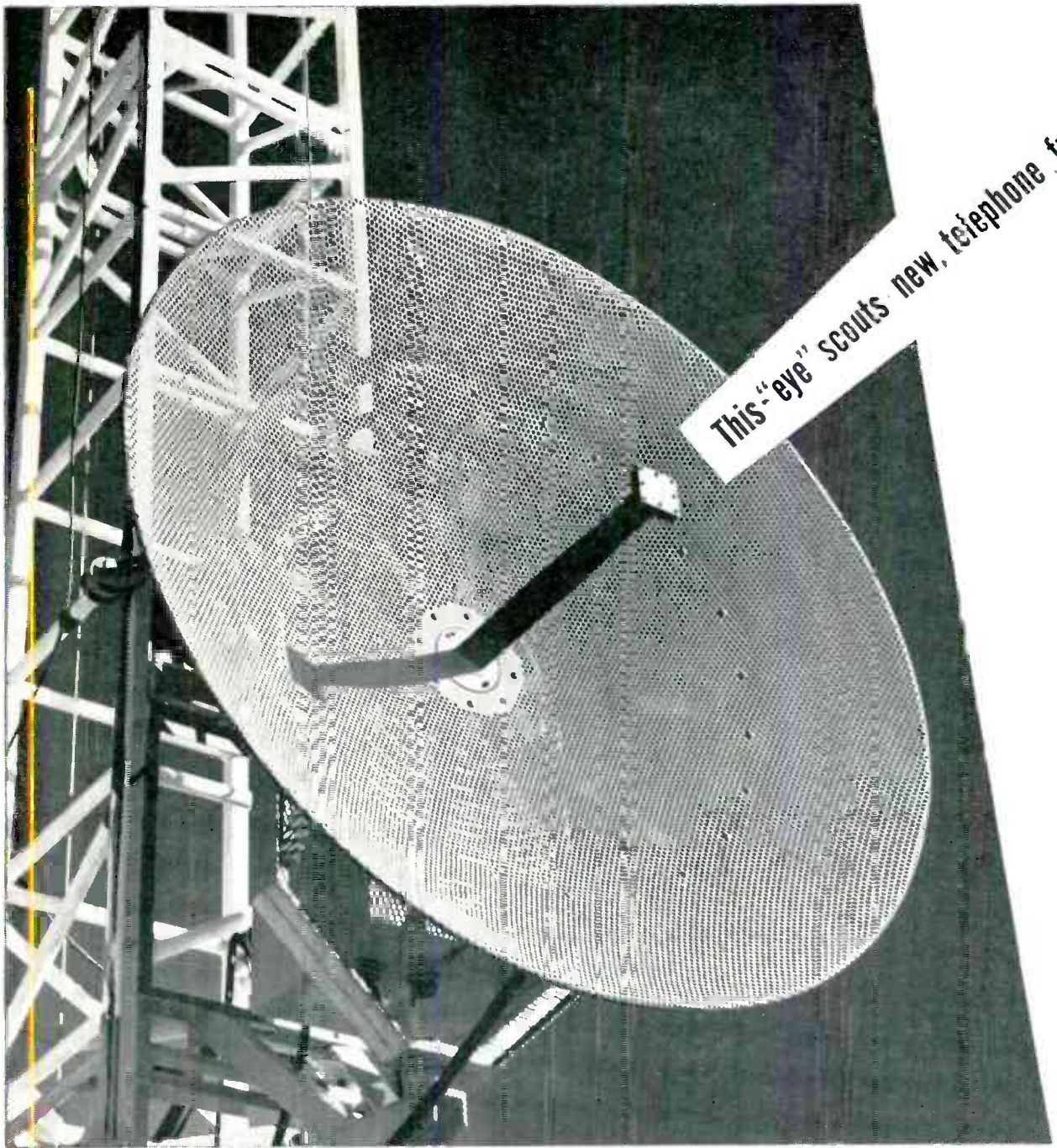
size of the resistor, the better are its high-frequency characteristics.

The carbon type proved to be superior to composition for high-frequency work, but both of these types are inferior to resistors made with a carbon coating on an insulator. Wire-wound resistors are too reactive for use as resistors above about 10 mc. For resistors whose construction permits analysis by Hartshorn's calculations, the experimental and calculated values conform within 10 percent. Thus it may be concluded that the equivalent resistance of almost any resistor under one megohm may be predicted with fair accuracy from Hartshorn's curve, shown above. The falling off of resistors of greater d-c value may be explained qualitatively by combining this and

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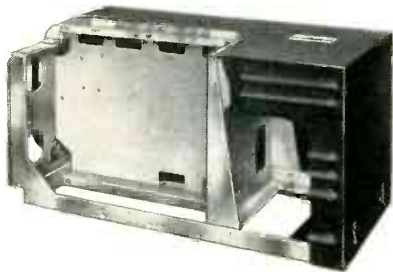
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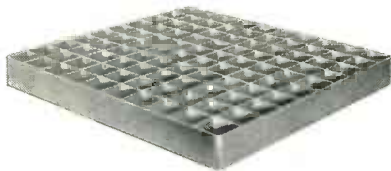
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This experimental verification of the theoretical characteristics of resistances at high frequencies was described by George R. Arthur and Samuel E. Church of Yale University in a research report for the U. S. Signal Corps and presented orally by H. L. Krauss, also of Yale, at the 1950 IRE National Convention.

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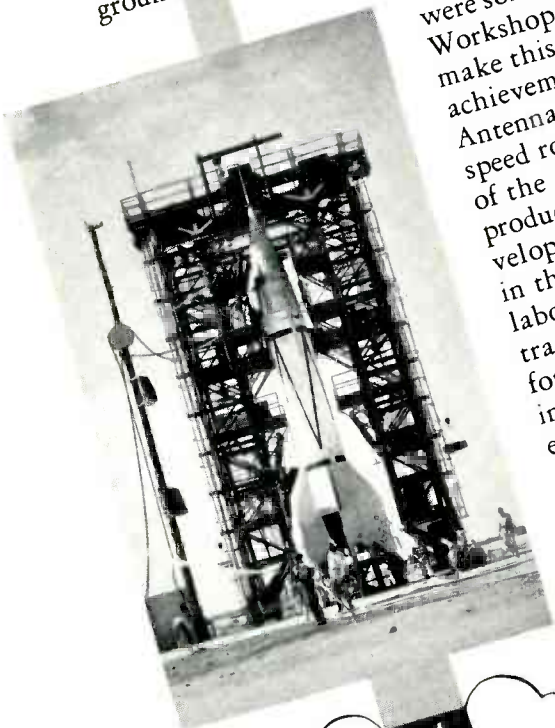
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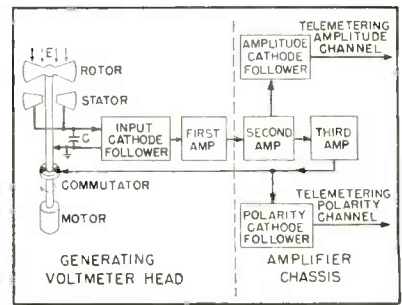


FIG. 1—Electrostatic generating voltmeter setup for covering a dynamic range of from 1 to 10,000 volts per meter

stationary but similarly shaped.

In describing the theory of operation in *Instruments*, November, 1949, John F. Clark, Jr., points out that the peak-to-peak value of voltage developed across the input capacitance  $C$ , as the uncovered stator area varies from zero to  $A$ , is  $K_0 AE/C$ , where  $K_0$  is the permittivity of free space ( $8.84 \times 10^{-12}$  farads per meter),  $A$  is the total stator area ( $6.0 \times 10^{-3}$  square meters),  $C$  is the input capacitance ( $1.0 \times 10^{-20}$  farads), and  $E$  is the incident electric field intensity in volts per meter.

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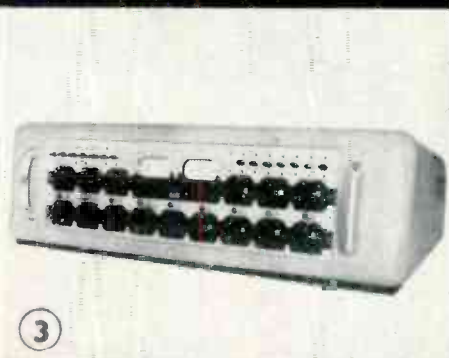
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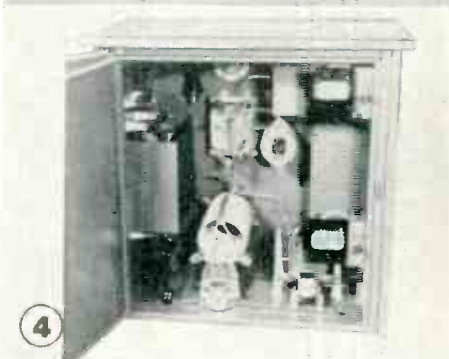
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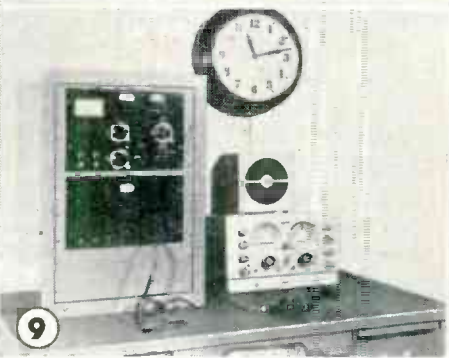
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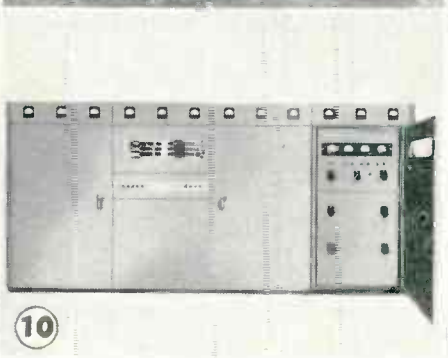
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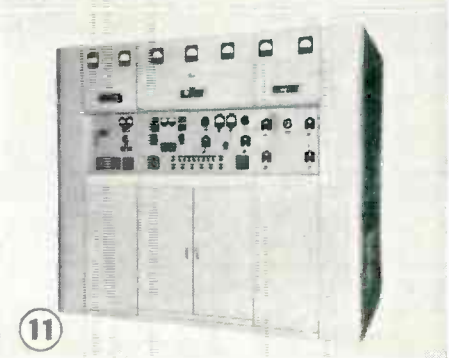
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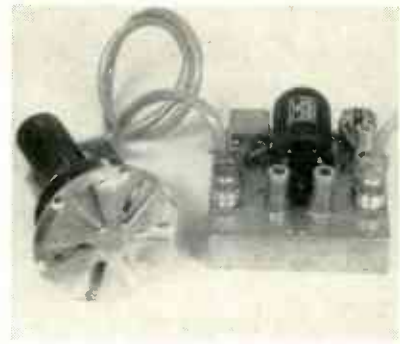


FIG. 2—Generating voltmeter head, amplifier and power supply weigh 17 pounds and require 100 watts from a 24-volt battery

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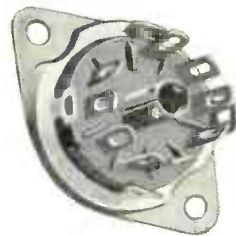
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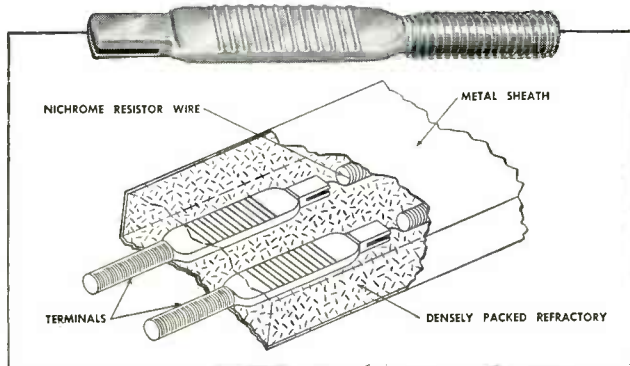
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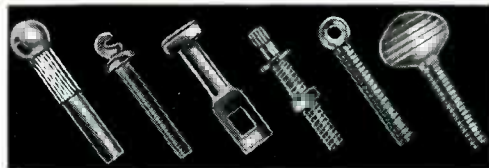
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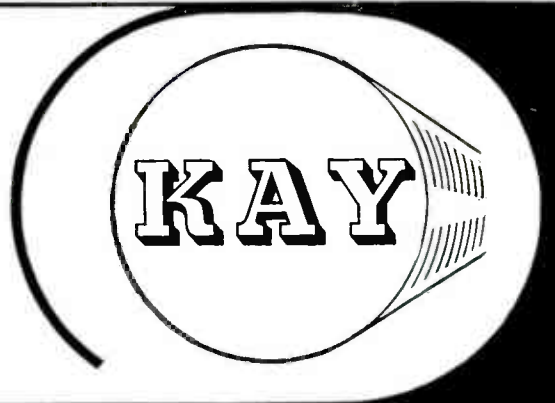


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and the thin steel core would ordinarily cause failure of the aluminum-to-steel bond. To prevent this, the aluminum muff is cooled in such a way as to pre-load the steel in compression so that the bond can withstand the severe thermal cycles experienced in normal use.

Additional field tests are necessary before aluminum radiator tubes can be made commercially available.

## Voice-Operated Busy Signal

CERTAIN special types of telephone networks use voice calling over a single speaker for a multiplicity of lines. The circuit shown in Fig. 1 enables the party at the called end to identify the particular line on which the voice call is being heard. The system is voice operated, and its sensitivity is such that low-level talking will light an appropriate lamp, but noise will not.

Since voice talking levels rarely exceed + 10 vu (10 milliwatts), and are often as low as - 30 vu (1 microwatt), an amplifier is required; and since line noise will also be amplified, some kind of frequency discrimination is required to prevent false operation. Another design factor is adjustment of release delay time, so that the busy signal will not flash between words or short pauses.

Input resistors  $R_1$  and  $R_2$  assist in providing high input impedance so that the transmission loss caused by bridging the busy signal across the line is small. With no input signal  $V_2$  is biased almost to cutoff by the voltage drop across  $R_3$ , and the relay is non-operated. When speech appears on the line, it is amplified by  $V_1$  and  $V_2$ . The output signal current of  $V_2$  flows mostly

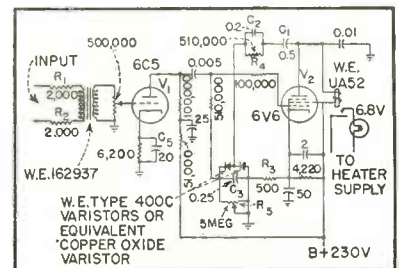


FIG. 1—Voice-operated busy signal operates on low-level speech, but ignores line noise



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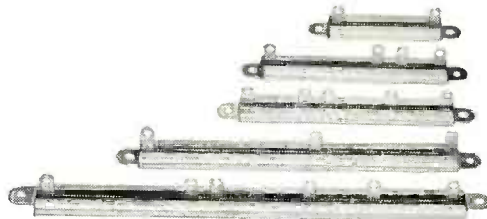
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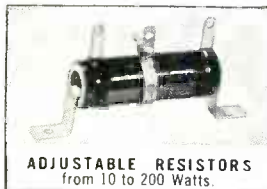
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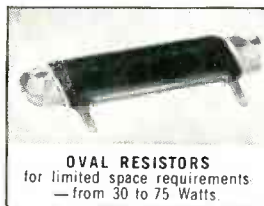
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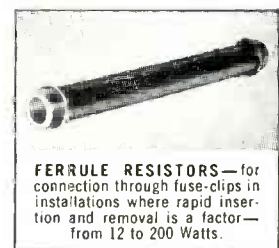
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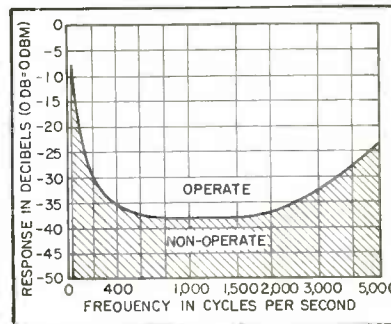


FIG. 2—Frequency response of the voice-operated busy signal

through the combination of  $C_1$ ,  $C_2$ , and  $R_1$ , since the relay winding has a very high impedance. The signal is rectified by the copper-oxide varistors and appears as a positive charge on the left side of  $C_3$ . This charge drives the control grid positive and the resultant increase in plate current operates the relay whose contacts are used to control a lamp or other indicator.

When speech ceases, the charge across  $C_3$  will leak off to ground through the back resistance of the rectifiers and  $R_5$ . When the plate current has decreased to the value of current at which the relay releases, the lamp or indicator is extinguished.

The release or holdover time of the relay is governed by the rate of discharge of  $C_3$ , which depends primarily on  $R_5$  and the back resistance of the rectifiers. By adjusting  $R_5$ , the release time may be varied from approximately three to ten seconds.

Discrimination between noise and signal is obtained by frequency weighting. This is accomplished in the voice-operated busy signal circuit by attenuating the frequencies below about 300 cycles in the input transformer, and by attenuating frequencies above about 3,000 cycles by by-passing them to ground through a 0.01- $\mu$ f capacitor. The input transformer is wound on the core of a G-type relay, and has a sufficiently low mutual inductance to suppress the low frequencies and yet have a satisfactory response in the middle voice-frequency range. The frequency response of the voice-operated busy signal is illustrated in Fig. 2.

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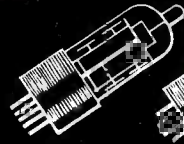
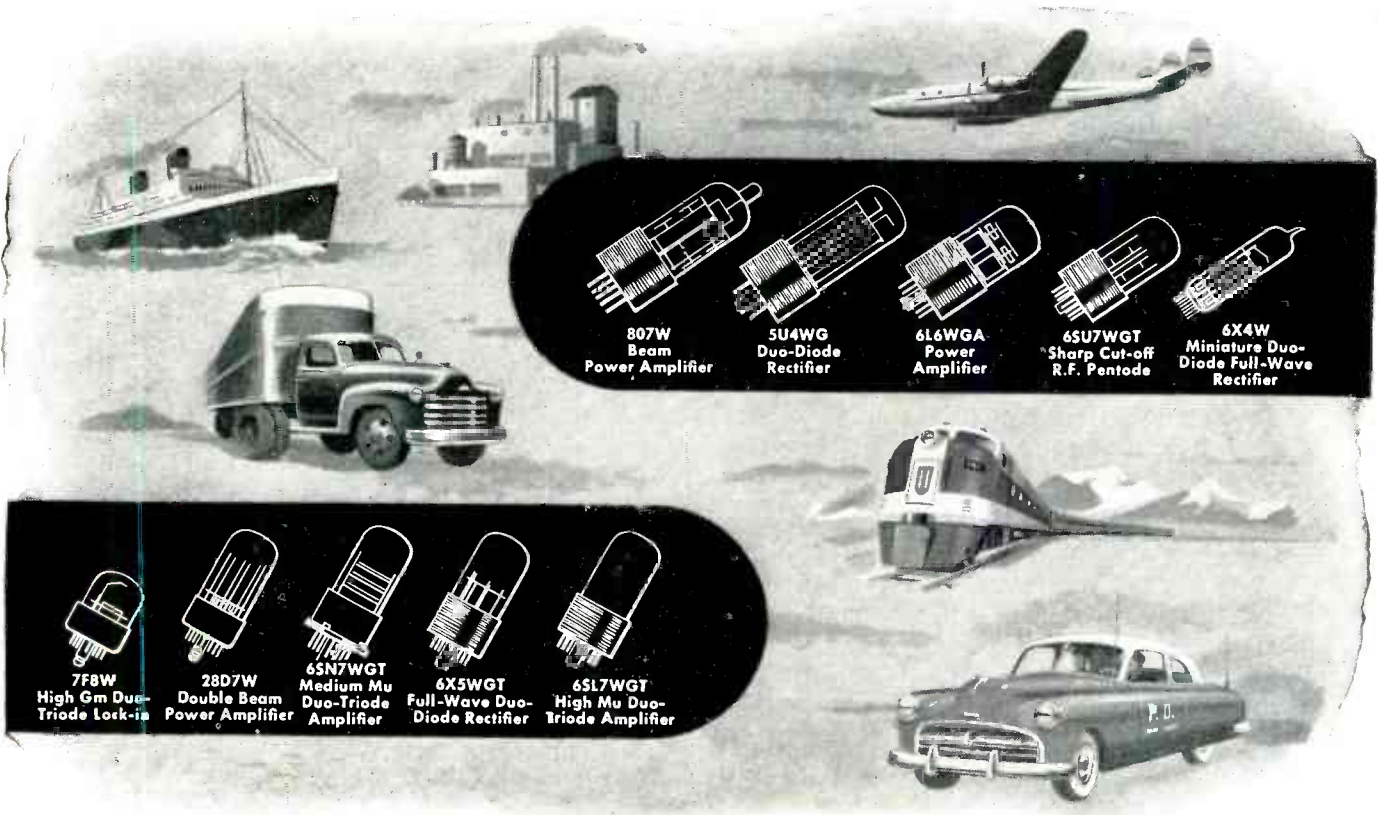
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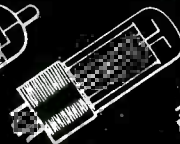


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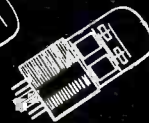
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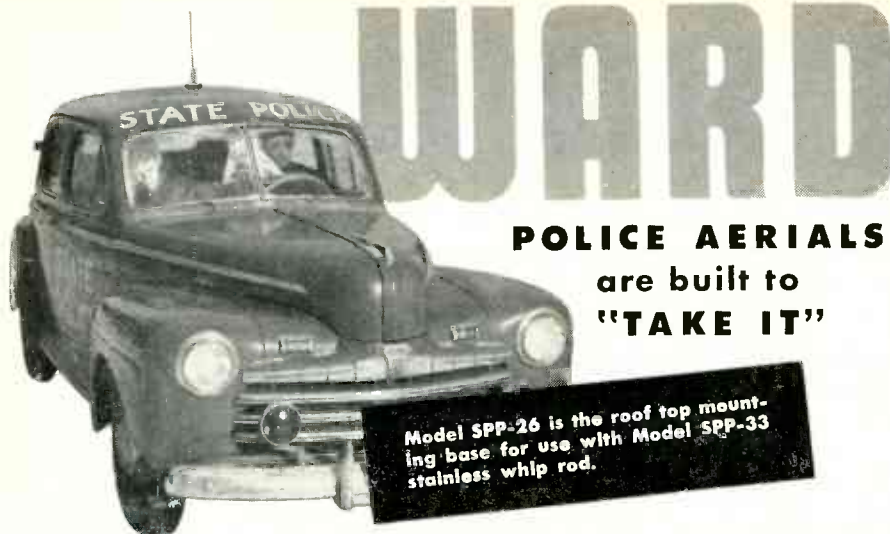
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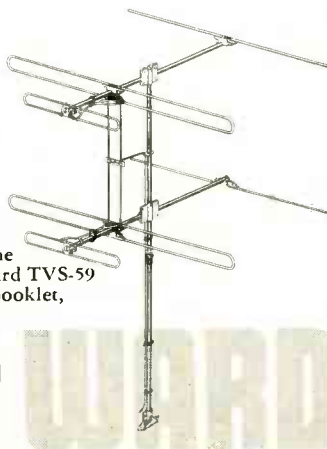
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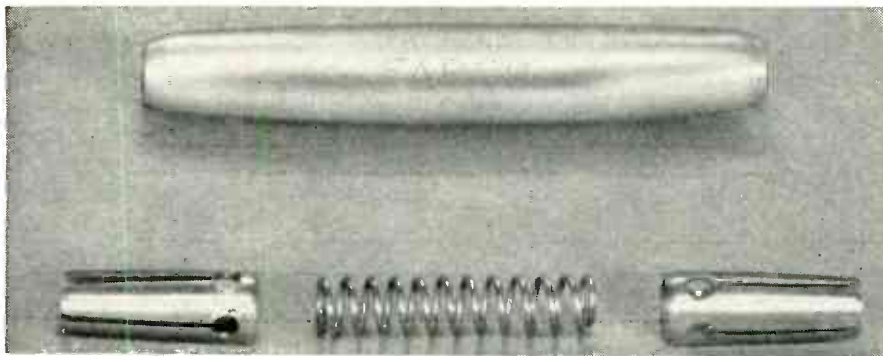
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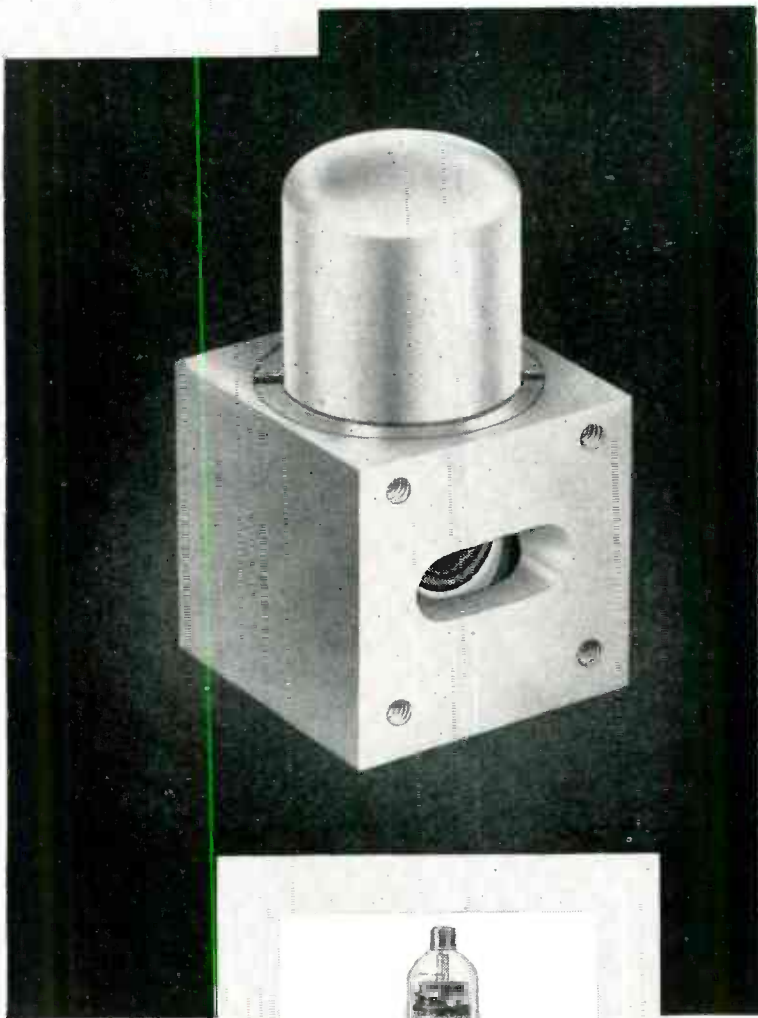
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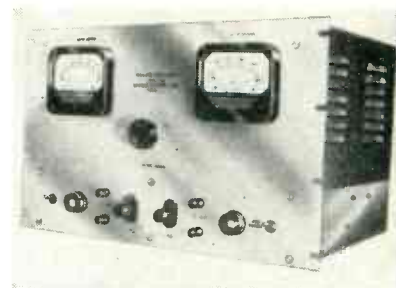
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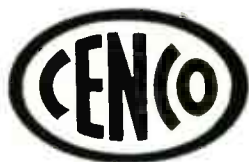
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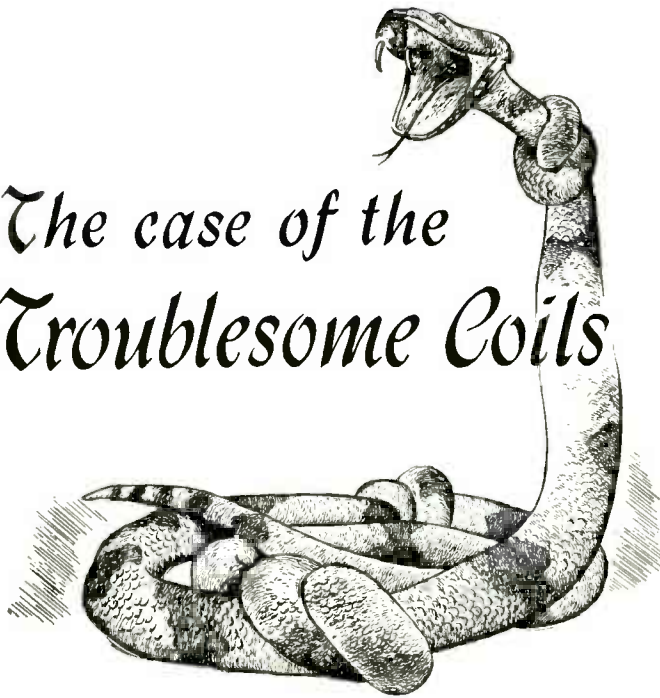
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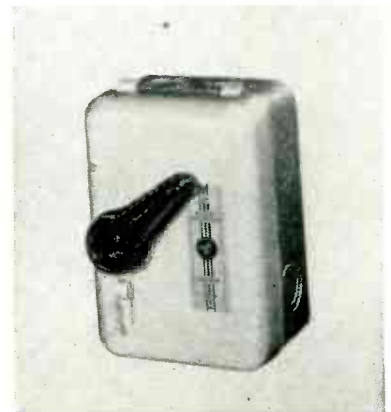
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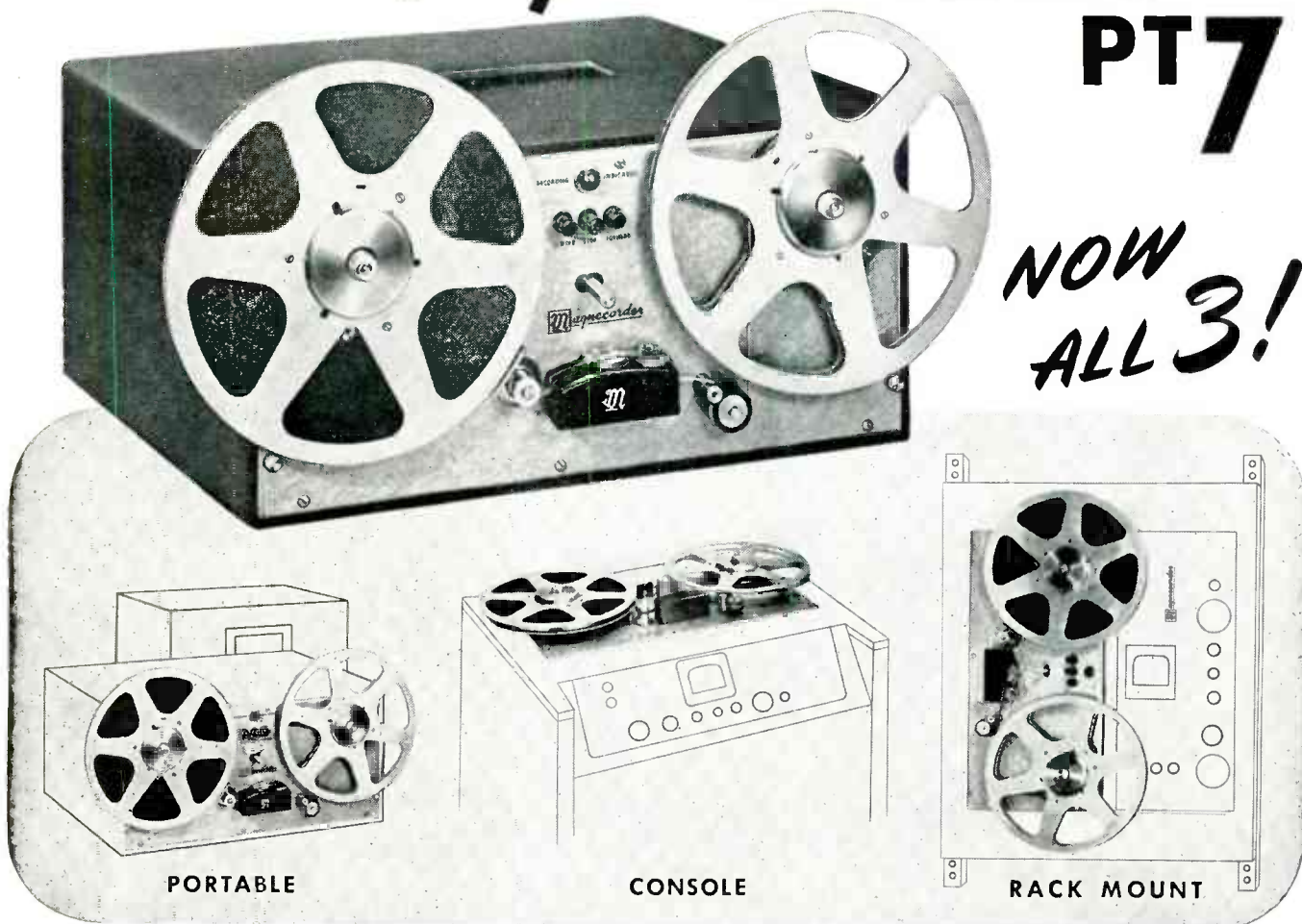
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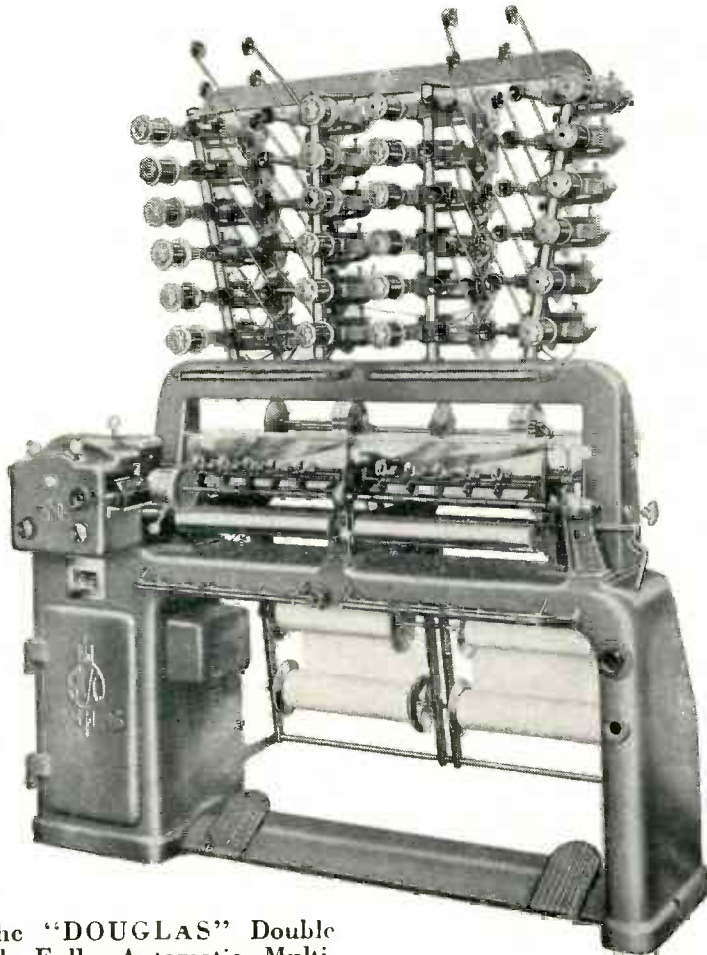
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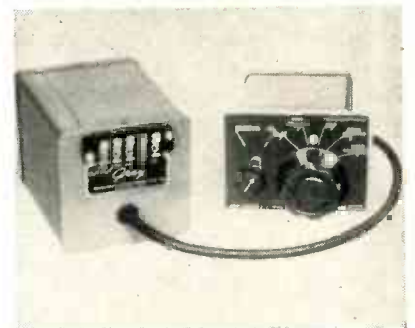
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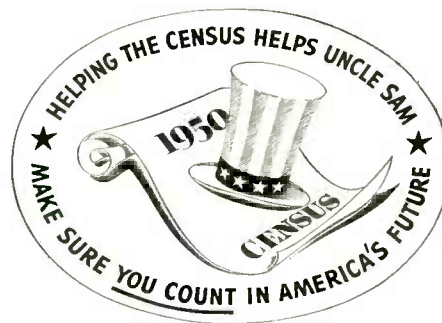
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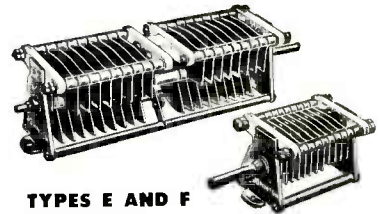
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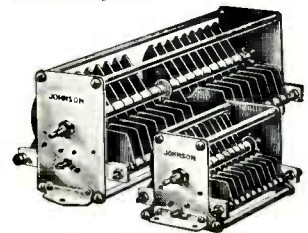
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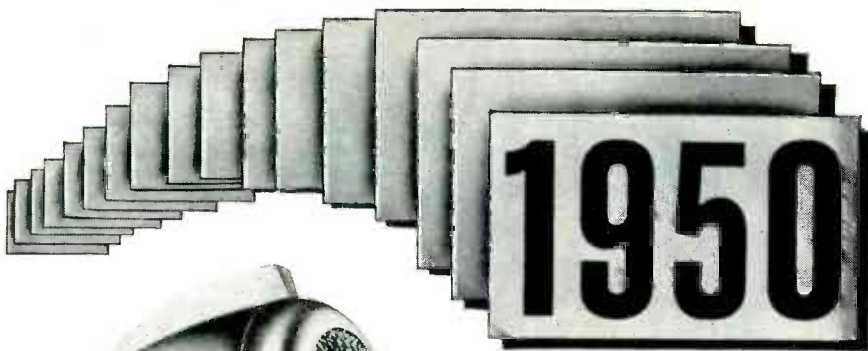
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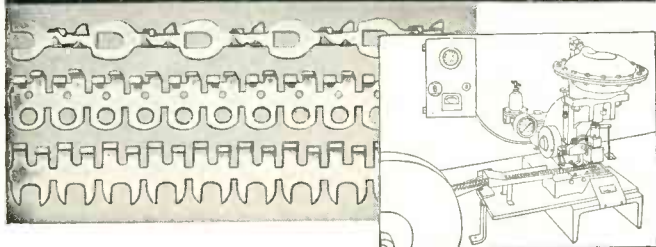
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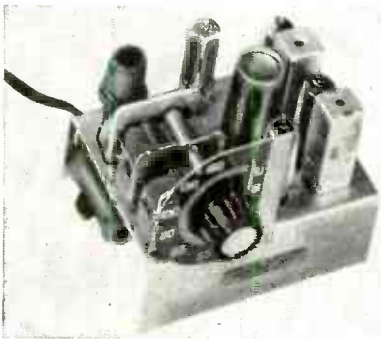
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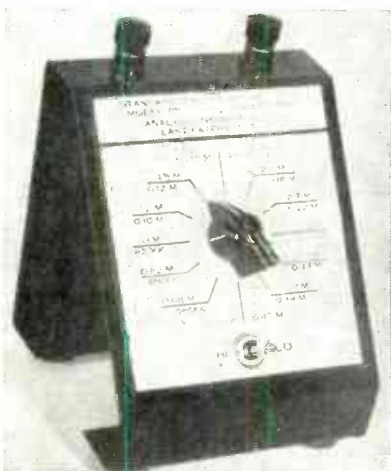


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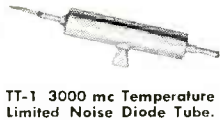
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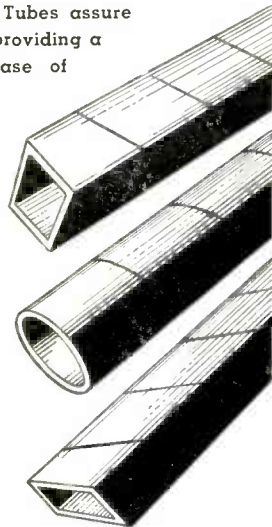
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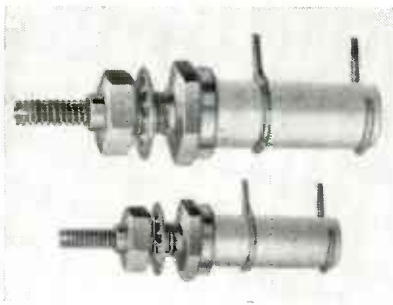


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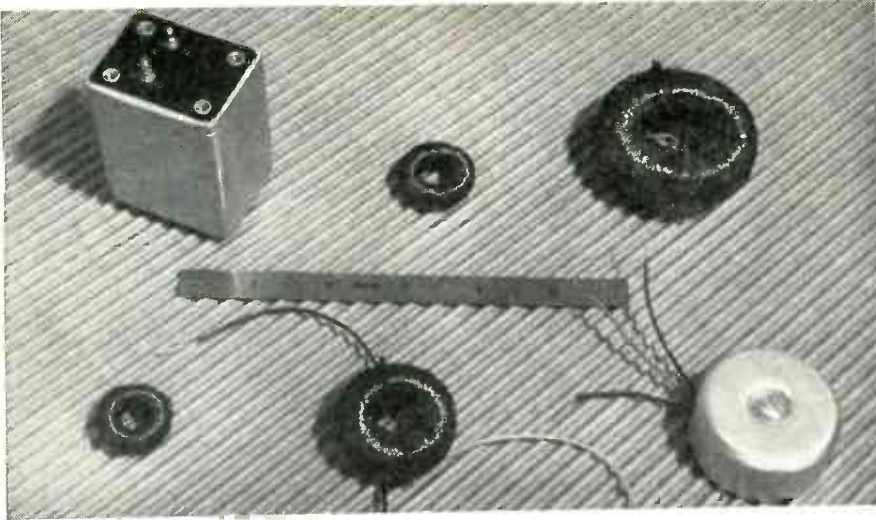
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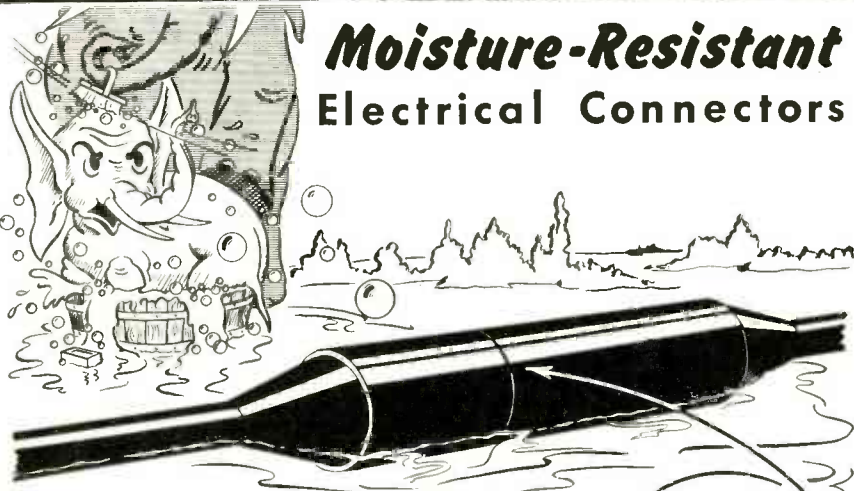
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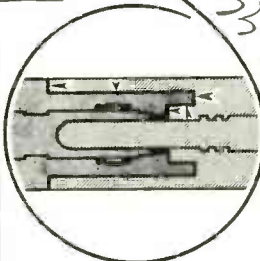
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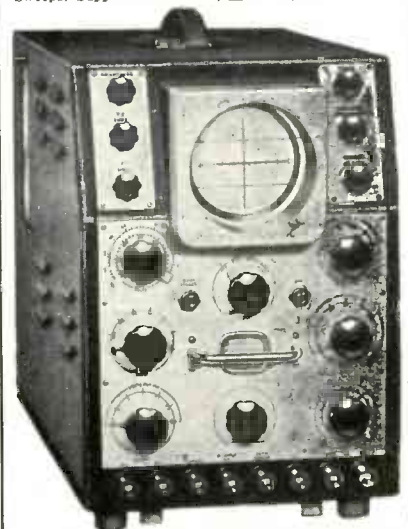
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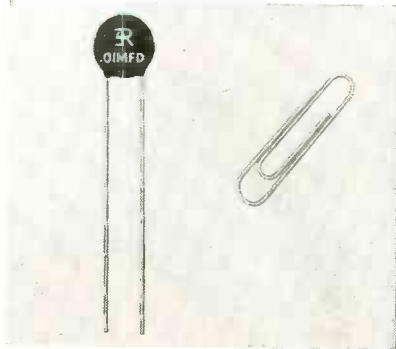
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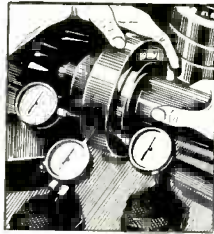
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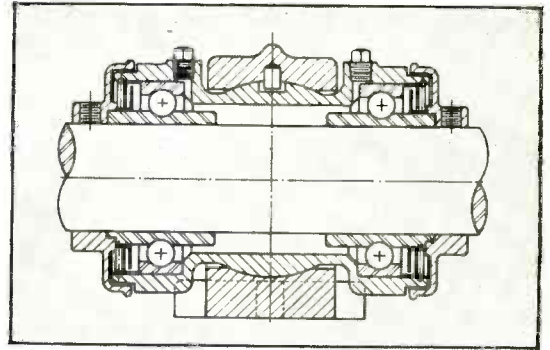
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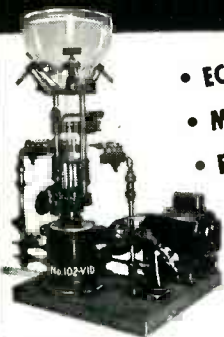
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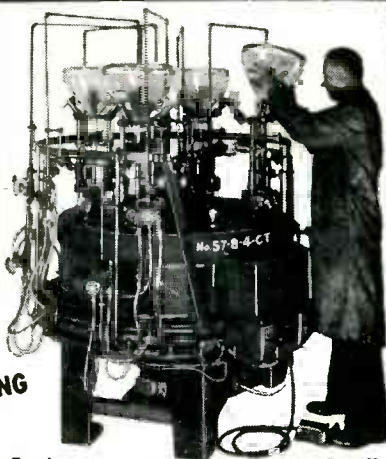
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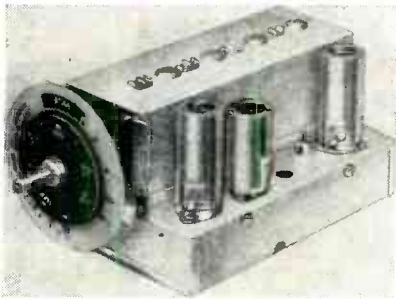
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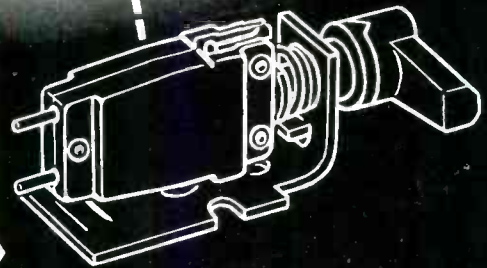
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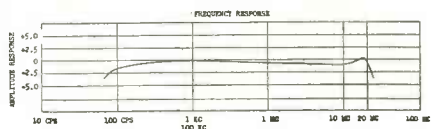
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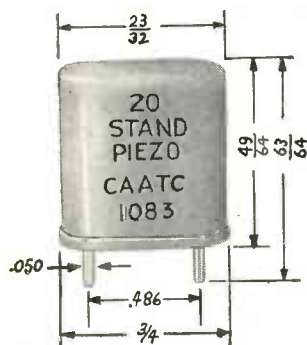
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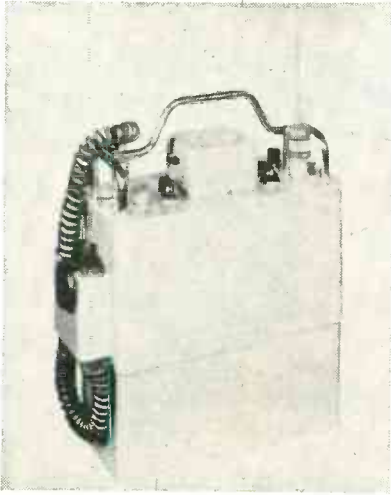
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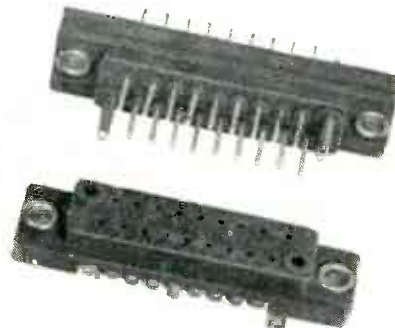


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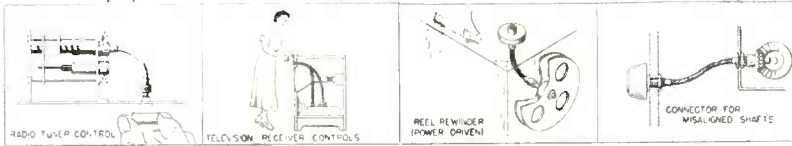
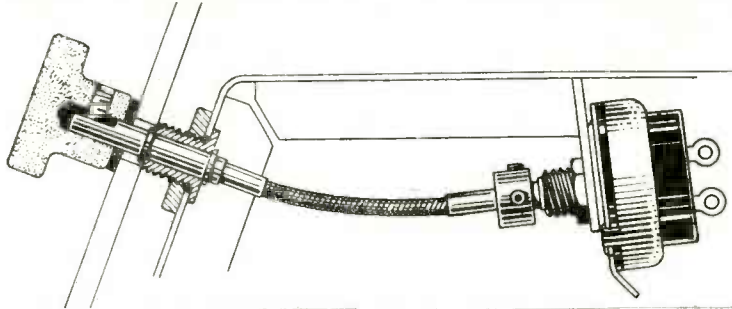


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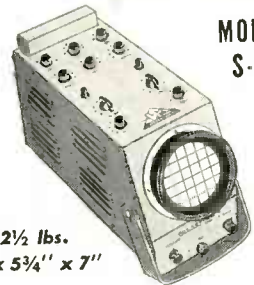
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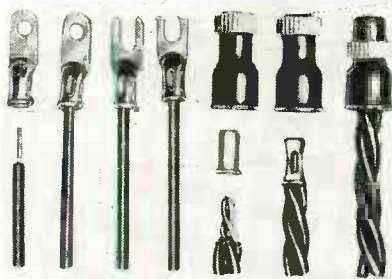
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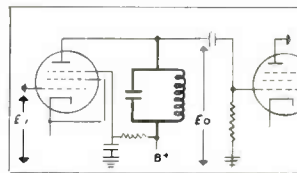
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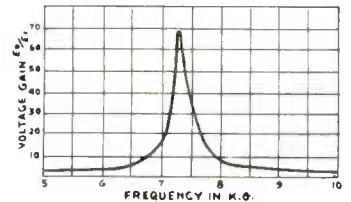


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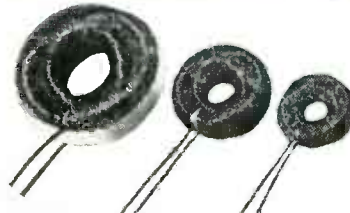
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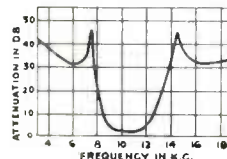


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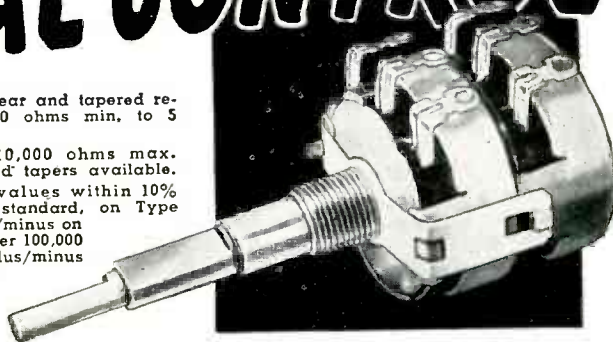
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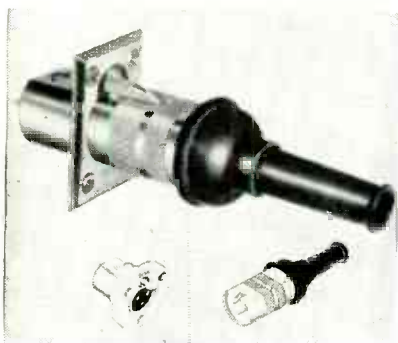
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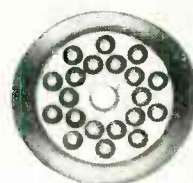


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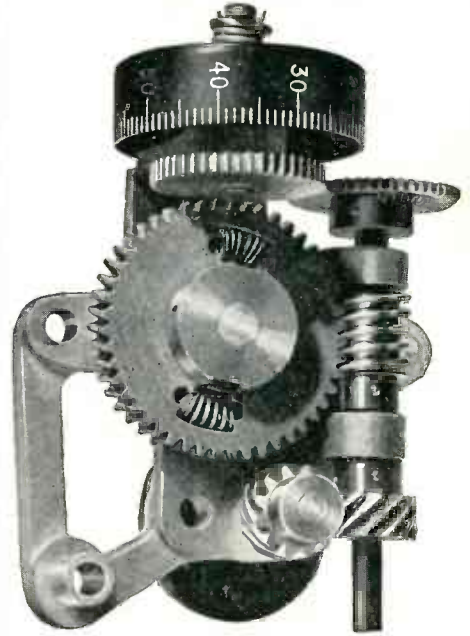
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**Ignitron Substations.** Westinghouse Electric Corp., P. O. Box 2099, Pittsburgh 30, Pa. A 16-page booklet, B-4239, treats of ignitron unit substations. The substations described provide a source of d-c power near the load directly within the mine or factory building and are being applied to

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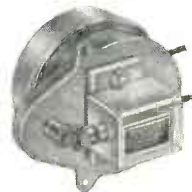
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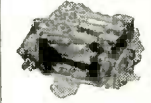
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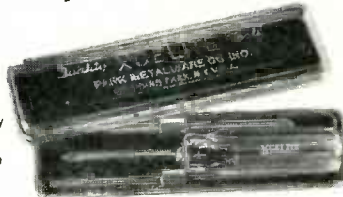
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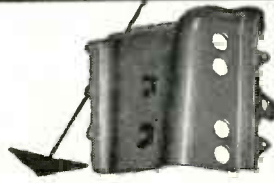
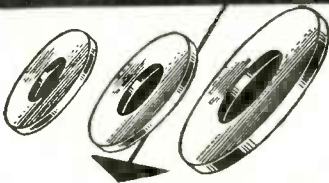
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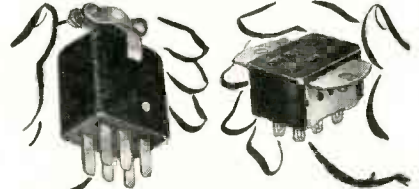
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**Capacitors.** The Allen D. Cardwell Mfg. Corp., Plainville, Conn. Catalog No. 50 is a 24-page treatment of a wide line of variable and fixed air capacitors. Illustrations, general specifications and dimensional drawings for all are given. An insert is also included giving list prices for the various types.

**UHF Impedance Measurements.** Hewlett-Packard Co., 395 Page Mill Road, Palo Alto, Calif. Volume 1, No. 5 of the Journal devotes its 4 pages to a description of how an accurate slotted line section is an effective aid in the determination of impedance or investigation of impedance mismatch and power wastage at ultrahigh frequencies. Specifications for two models of slotted lines and one standing-wave indicator are given.

**Speakers.** Oxford Electric Corp., 3911 S. Michigan Ave., Chicago, Ill. A new 4-page catalog gives complete listings and pertinent data on a line of speakers, along with illustrations of several types. The line described includes the following types: electrodynamic, permanent magnet, television, public address, auto, intercom and weather proof speakers.

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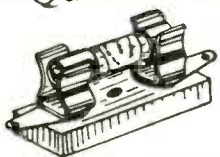
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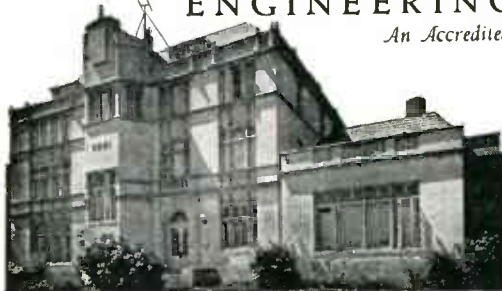
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**Ovens for Electronic Industry.** Steiner-Ives Co., 8-16 Ave. L, Newark 5, N. J., recently issued a four-page folder dealing with ovens for the processing of c-r and vacuum tubes for the electronic industry. It illustrates units designed for special jobs, concerning which further information is available.

**Mass Spectrometer Leak Detector.** Vacuum-Electronic Engineering Co., 316 37th St., Brooklyn 32, N. Y. Bulletin LD-6 describes typical applications of the model MS-2 mass spectrometer leak detector for use wherever a vacuum, fixed pressure or special atmosphere must be maintained for extended periods of time. Principle of operation, features and pertinent data pertaining to vacuum testing and pressure testing are given with explanatory illustrations.

**Magnetic Amplifier Design.** Vickers Electric Division, 1815 Locust St., St. Louis 3, Mo., has issued a collection of bulletins in a loose-leaf bound handbook dealing with magnetic amplifier design. Applications, technical data, performance characteristics and ratings are given in 44 well-illustrated pages.

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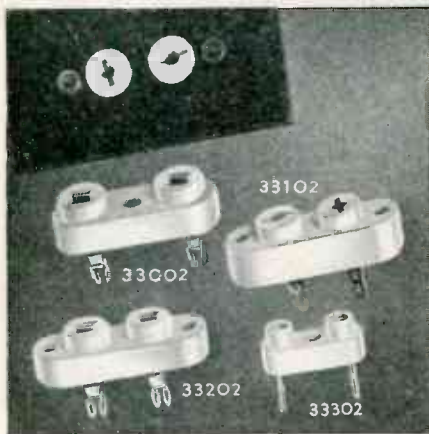
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**House Organ.** Measurements Corp., Boonton, N. J. The first issue of Measurements Notes is a 4-page illustrated brochure describing the use of the model 59 megacycle meter in the design and construction of traps and filters for the elimination of television interference.

**Timing Devices.** Muirhead & Co., Ltd., Beckenham, Kent, England. Four types of phonic motor timing devices are covered in the single-sheet bulletin B-601-C. An illustrated description and overall dimensions of each unit are given. More minute details of the motors may be found in bulletin B-615.

**Transformer Catalog.** Peerless Electrical Products Division, Altec Lansing Corp., 161 Sixth Ave., New York 13, N. Y., has published a new transformer catalog containing new models and including a complete line of transformers for broadcasting and other professional applications as well as for amplifier constructors, audio enthusiasts, the replacement field and hams. The line includes output, input, interstage, plate and filament, power smoothing and swinging chokes, modulation and replacement types.

**Electrical Insulation Price Catalog.** Insulation Manufacturers Corp., 565 West Washington Blvd., Chicago 6, Ill., is offering the 128-page price catalog No. 14, giving complete price information on electrical insulating materials. Divided into 13 sections for quick reference, it covers a variety of materials including tapes, tubings and sleeveings, varnished cloths, mica, papers, wedges, plastics, vulcanized fibre, cordage, varnishes and numerous other products.

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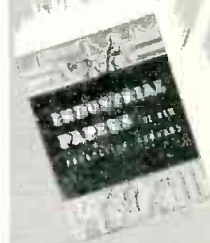
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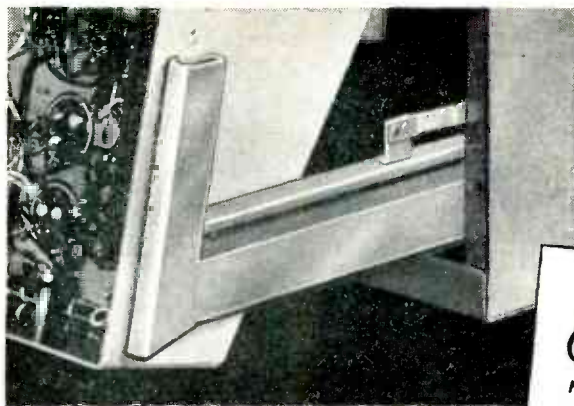
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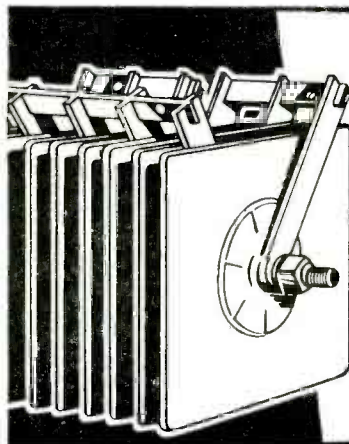


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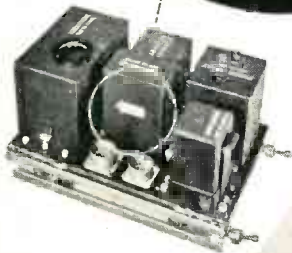
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**Antenna Stacking Information.** Technical Appliance Corp., Sherburne, N. Y. Explanation and detailed drawings of the proper procedure in stacking highband antennas are found in engineering bulletin No. 58. Dimensions and proper phasing of antennas are given for providing maximum signal strength with both the two-stacked arrays and four-stacked arrays.

**Slotted Line.** Federal Telecommunication Laboratories, Inc., 500 Washington Ave., Nutley 10, N. J. The FTL-30A slotted line, a precision device designed for making impedance and wave length measurements in the 60 to 1,000-mc range, is covered in a single-sheet bulletin. General description, special design features, characteristics and accessories required are outlined.

**Resistor Catalog.** Cinema Engineering Co., Burbank, Calif., has issued catalog 11AX in three colors, 36 pages, with charts, tables, photographs, diagrams and schematic drawings of precision wire wound resistors, resistive devices and sound equipment. It is supplementary to the general catalog and includes more than a score of new items with description and prices.

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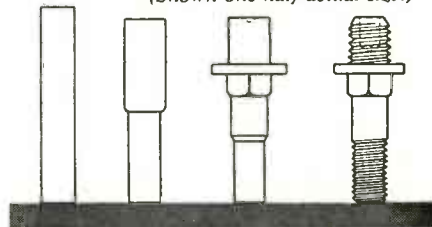


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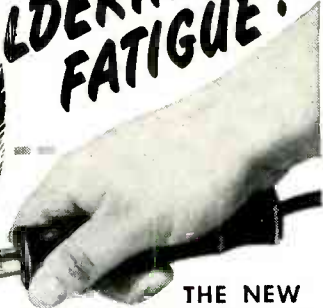
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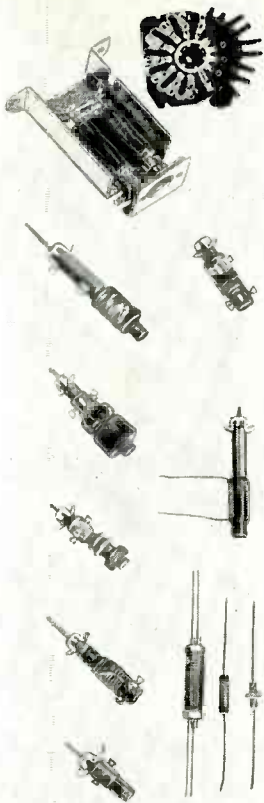
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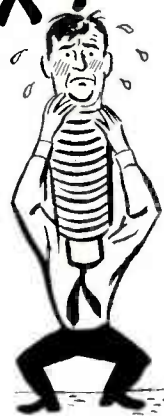
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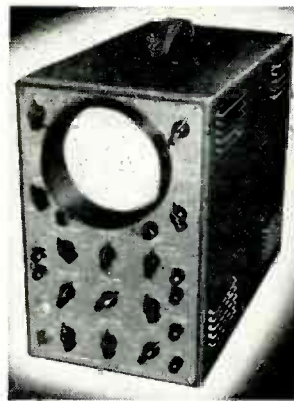
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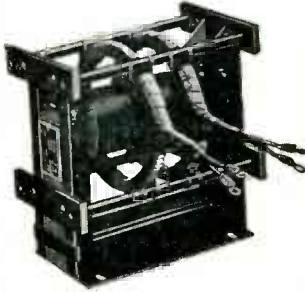
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**Resistance Percentage Bridge.** Specialties, Inc., Skunks Misery Road, Syosset, N. Y. Brochure S142 illustrates and describes operation of a resistance percentage bridge having an accuracy of 0.01 percent throughout its range of indication. The instrument described is used for quick, accurate calibration of high-precision potentiometers.

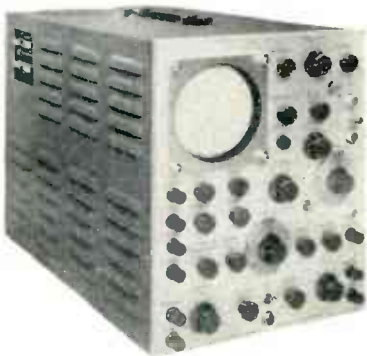
**High-Temperature Capacitor.** Pyramid Electric Co., 155 Oxford St., Paterson, N. J. A recent catalog sheet announces the new Humidi-Seal type 85TOC capacitor for high-temperature applications. Outstanding features and specifications are given.

**Circuit Panel.** Kepco Laboratories, Inc., 149-14 41st Ave., Flushing, N. Y. A four-page folder contains complete information on the model 104 circuit panel for experimental electronics. The unit described consists of the panel, 27 keyed circuit diagrams, 3 keyed master charts, 12 blank keyed sheets and one keyed protective diagram cover.

**Vibration Test Stands.** L. A. B. Corp., 31 Union Pl., Summit, N. J. Types RVCG and RVCA two-dimensional, reaction-type vibration test stands are covered in a four-page bulletin. An illustrated description, dimensions and specifications are included.

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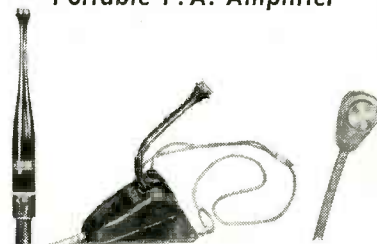
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**High-Frequency Tweeter.** Mark Simpson Mfg. Co., Inc., 32-28 49th St., Long Island City, N. Y. Catalog HF950 gives an illustrated description of the HFT-100 high-frequency tweeter. The unit described eliminates distortion, cumbersome horns and the need for crossover networks.

**Television Transmitter.** Federal Telecommunication Laboratories, Inc., 500 Washington Ave., Nutley 10, N. J., has available a bulletin dealing with the FTL-17A five-kilowatt air-cooled television transmitter. General description, design features and technical characteristics are included.

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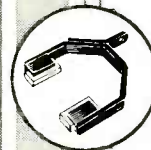
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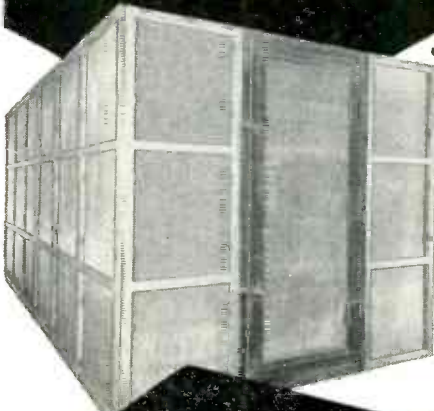
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### BUSINESS NEWS

KUPFRIAN MFG. Co., Binghamton, N. Y., is a new firm established for the manufacture of flexible-shaft couplings and wire shielding particularly for the electronics and instrumentation fields.

VULCAN ELECTRIC Co., manufacturers of electric soldering tools, has purchased the business of Jackson Electro Corp., New York City, and transferred the latter's manufacturing operations to Danvers, Mass.

AMERICAN TRANSFORMER Co., manufacturer of transformers and allied products, recently completed



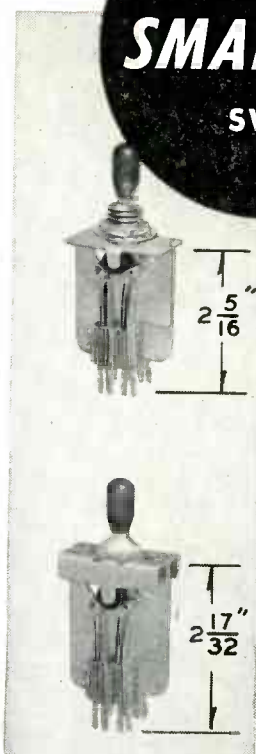
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EMERSON RADIO & PHONOGRAPH CORP. has purchased the Continental Can Building in Jersey City, N. J., to provide about 450,000 additional sq ft of space to set up production lines for tv and radio receivers.

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**PERSONNEL**

MERLE M. ANDREW, formerly engaged in operational research with the Naval Operations Evaluation Group, has joined the staff of the machine development section of the National Bureau of Standards' applied mathematics laboratories, where he will supervise the preparation of mathematical problems to be solved by the Bureau's electronic computers.

PHILIP J. FREED has been promoted from project engineer to business manager of Haller, Raymond and Brown, Inc., State College, Pa., an electronic research and engineering organization.

TITUS G. LECLAIR, assistant chief electrical engineer at Commonwealth Edison Co., Chicago, Ill., was recently elected president of the AIEE for the term beginning Aug. 1, 1950.

CLARE C. FISHER, formerly associated with Magnavox Co., is now chief engineer with Utah, Inc., Huntington, Ind.



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R. L. GROVE, previously with the Centralab Division of Globe Union, Inc., Milwaukee, Wisc., has been appointed chief engineer of Cornell-Dubilier's Ceramic Division in New Bedford, Mass.



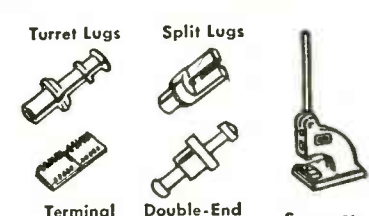
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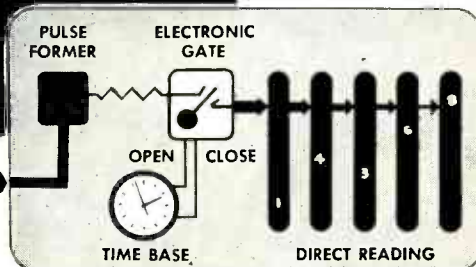
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implies, it deals with the measurement of the important quantity, time, both in an absolute sense (total time elapsed between two events) and in a relative sense (the difference between two elapsed times of almost equal—but not predetermined—values.) In the latter case, the term electronic in the title is a bit misleading, as the only means considered is that of the ultrasonic delay line.

The good as well as the bad features of Volume 19 are retained in Volume 20, which is really a companion book to the preceding work. Every circuit discussed is shown in schematic form, with most containing component values and special component type numbers. If anything, this volume leans a little more heavily on descriptions of the methods of operation of existing equipments. The typography is excellent and the style amazingly consistent considering the large number of contributors. (It is interesting to note that practically every reviewer of a Radiation Laboratory Series volume has included the above comments on style).

As before, however, this reviewer feels that the terminology employed is unnecessarily elegant and is not that which is familiar to the engineer. The value of the book would be enhanced if an effort had been made to adapt the technical language to that of the ultimate user, the engineer.

Although some mention is made of phase and frequency-modulation methods of measuring time, the major part of the work is devoted to methods employing pulse techniques. Methods of pulse-time measurements and the generation of both fixed and movable indices are discussed. Measurements of time by both manual and automatic means are described, with special emphasis on some of the well-known systems which were products of wartime requirements for accurate bombing and gun laying. The last portion of the book deals with the special problems of data transmission (essentially the reproduction of the time intervals between a series of events) and the measurement of relative time intervals by delay and cancellation methods.

This reviewer finds himself in



the peculiar position of heartily recommending this volume for the tremendous amount of valuable information it presents, and at the same time criticizing the language which was used in its presentation. —MATTHEW T. LEBENBAUM, Receiver Section, Airborne Instruments Laboratory, Mineola, N. Y.

### Saturating Core Devices

BY LEONARD R. CROW. *The Scientific Book Publishing Co., Vincennes, Indiana*, 1949, 373 pages, \$4.95.

A RATHER COMPLETE work giving explanations and numerous illustrations showing most of the basic saturating core devices. It describes, theoretically, several basic modes of operation and shows their applications to practical devices such as relays, controllers, regulators, amplifiers, field measuring devices and servomechanisms.

The book is written for the student who may not be well founded in mathematics or in alternating current theory. As in most other works, the explanations are mainly based on the steady-state a-c characteristics of saturating core devices.

This reviewer feels that more space should have been devoted to giving the reader a physical understanding of the reactor as an instantaneously nonlinear device.

The book contains a good list of references and is recommended for the novice as well as a refresher for the experienced electrical engineer. —F. H. SHEPARD, JR., Consulting Engineer, Summit, N. J.

### Books Received for Review

**CLINICAL ELECTROENCEPHALOGRAPHY.** By Robert Cohn, Director of Neurological Research, U. S. Naval Hospital, Bethesda, Md. McGraw-Hill Book Co., New York, 1949, 639 pages, \$14.00. Interpretation of human electroencephalograms as obtained with a six-channel electroencephalograph fed by electrodes positioned to pick up brain potential variations. The 273 EEG tracings shown, each with case histories, statistical data and diagnostic data on facing pages, are appropriately chosen from studies of approximately 10,000 patients. Technical introduction analyzes wave phenomena encountered and gives performance requirements of amplifying and recording equipment required.

**THE RADIO AMATEUR'S HANDBOOK.** American Radio Relay League, West Hartford, Conn., 27th edition (1950), 736 pages including catalog section, \$2.00. Revised and restyled, with increased emphasis on high-frequency equipment.

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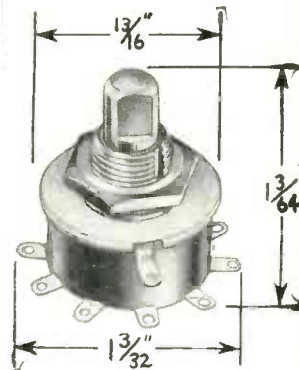
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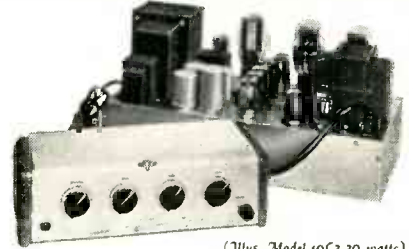
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Several diode oscillators are patented which come close to the subject; however, I believe that Bruce (Bell Telephone, 2,254,264), comes closer to making a practical thing out of it than anyone. The earliest reference I can find is British 258,989 dated October 1926. Fritz, 2,197,338 and Hollman 1,978,021 describe a similar device.

Possibly some day a citizens band transmitter will be made using specially made tubes working on this principle.

LEO J. HRUSKA  
Lutherville, Maryland

**L and k**

DEAR SIRs:

I WAS PLEASED to see the *Tubes at Work* article, "Simplified Measurement of L and k", by V. A. Sheridan, in the August, 1949 issue of **ELECTRONICS**. Sheridan's work corroborates my own conclusions that this is a very practical method of measuring the coefficient of coupling between two coils, and is far superior to the usually described methods.

The effect of coil Q on the measurement is also interesting. It is easy to show (see my article "Note on Measuring Coupling Coefficient", *Radio*, Feb. 1945), the primary coil Q<sub>1</sub> does not enter the equation.

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FT-308A	MT-62/ARC5
FT-282A	
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FT-141	

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926B-16	926C-23
926A-14	926-K2
926A	
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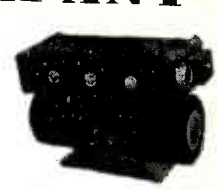
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3.6Mchy	.10
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20Mchy	.10
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3PDT 24-28 vdc	175		GECR2791G	75c
4PST 24 vdc	18			



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Bulk Head Feed Through, choke to cover	12.00
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Right Angle Bend 2 1/2" Radius, choke to cover	12.00
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SF-1 Shipboard 10 CM, Compl.	Used	2800
SJ-1 Submarine 10 CM, Compl.	Used	1500
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SQ Portable 10 CM, Compl.	Used	650
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SO-8 Shipboard 10 CM, Compl.	Used	1500
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Less Rack	New	1500
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2137			\$45.00
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706	AY, BY, DY, EY, FY, GY		\$50.00
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W/Cavity			
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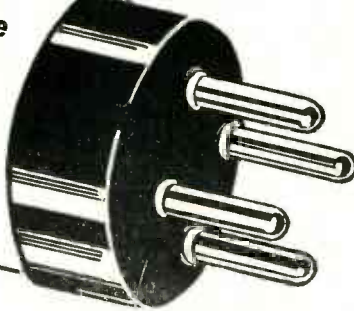
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1F5G	.75	6J5	.47	12SL7	.59
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1H6GT	.87	6K6GT	.44	14A7	.52
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1LE3	.69	6N7	.75	19A	.49
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1L7A	.79	6R7	.79	25Z5	.44
1LN5	.67	6S7G	.79	25Z5G	.43
1N5GT	.59	6S8GT	.77	25Z6GT	.43
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1Q5GT	.67	6SC7	.59	27	.42
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1R5	.49	6SF5	.49	30	.37
1S4	.59	6SF7	.59	31	.59
1S5	.49	6SG7	.59	32	.85
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5U4G	.49	6Z5G	.59	47	.69
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5W4	.67	7A6	.59	50	1.39
5X4G	.57	7A7	.53	50A5	.69
5Y3GT	.39	7AG7	.72	50B5	.53
5Y4G	.49	7B4	.53	50L6GT	.52
5Z3	.52	7B5	.67	50Y6	.57
5Z4	.77	7B6	.56	53	.87
6A3	.92	7B7	.59	56	.45
6A4LA	1.09	7C4	.34	57	.45
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6	mfd	600v	.97	.1	mfd	3000v	1.39
8	mfd	600v	1.05	.25	mfd	3000v	1.49
10	mfd	600v	1.15	.5	mfd	3000v	1.69
3x.1	mfd	1000v	.59	1	mfd	3000v	2.19
.25	mfd	1000v	.29	2	mfd	3000v	3.47
.5	mfd	1000v	.39	4	mfd	3000v	4.45
1	mfd	1000v	.49	1	mfd	3600v	2.39
2	mfd	1000v	.69	.25	mfd	4000v	1.98
4	mfd	1000v	1.29	.5	mfd	4000v	2.49
8	mfd	1000v	1.89	1	mfd	4000v	2.79
10	mfd	1000v	2.07	2	mfd	4000v	3.10
20	mfd	1000v	3.29	3	mfd	4000v	4.95
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1	mfd	1500v	.97	.25	mfd	5000v	2.29
2	mfd	1500v	1.19	1	mfd	5000v	2.98
4	mfd	1500v	1.98	1	mfd	7000v	1.49
24	mfd	1500v	4.98	.01	mfd	7500v	1.79
1	mfd	2000v	.69	.02	mfd	7500v	1.79
.25	mfd	2000v	.89	.03	mfd	7500v	1.79
1	mfd	2000v	.97	.05	mfd	7500v	1.79
1	mfd	2000v	1.19	1	mfd	7500v	1.79
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18J1	17.5	11.95	
18K2	26.0	17.95	
18K3	39.0	24.95	
18K4	52.0	29.95	
18K5	65.0	35.95	

Input: 0-40v AC		Output: 0-34v DC	
Type #	Max. DC Current	Price	
40D1	0.6	\$2.95	
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40F1	3.2	7.99	
40K1	6.0	9.95	
40J1	9.0	12.95	
40K2	12.0	18.95	
40J2	18.0	22.45	
40K4	24.0	32.50	
40K5	30.0	37.95	
40J4	36.0	42.50	

Input: 0-120v AC		Output: 0-100v DC	
Type #	Max. DC Current	Price	
40D1	.6	\$7.85	
40E1	1.2	10.76	
40F1	3.2	16.65	
40K1	6.0	27.47	
40J1	9.0	34.35	

### SINGLE PHASE FULL WAVE—Center Tapped

Input: 10-0-10v AC		Output 8v DC	
Type #	Max. DC Current	Price	
20E1	1.2	\$1.89	
20F1	2.4	2.25	
20K1	6.4	3.87	
20J1	12.0	4.95	
20K2	16.0	7.95	
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Input: 120v AC		Output: 150v DC	
Type #	Max. DC Current	Price	
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HS—Herm. Sealed		FS—Full Shell	
OF—Open Frame		FE—Fully Enclosed	
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HS	2500v @ 15 ma	13 1/2	5 1/2
FS	2700v @ 2 ma; 6.3v @ 6A; 2.5v @ 2A	3	3
HS	1600v @ 4 ma; 350-0-350v @ 150 ma; 6.3v @ 9A	9 1/2	5 1/2
HS	1540v @ 5 ma; 340-0-340v @ 300 ma	10	5 1/2
FS	1120-0-1120v @ 500 ma; 12v CT @ 14A; 2.5v @ 10A; 17v @ 2.5A; 32v @ 25 ma 115/230 pri.	45	7 1/2
HS	925v @ 10 ma; 525-0-525v @ 60 ma; 2x5v @ 3A; 6.3v CT @ 3.6A; 6.3v @ 2A;	14 1/2	5 1/2
FE	700-0-700v @ 300 ma	34	5 1/2
FE	500-0-500v @ 175 ma	16 1/2	5 1/2
FS	430-0-430v @ 340 ma; 6.3v CT @ 6.3A; 5v @ 6A	14	5 1/2
HS	425-0-425v @ 75 ma; 6.3v @ 1.5A; 5v @ 3A	8 1/2	5 1/2
FE	415-0-415v @ 60 ma; 5v CT @ 2A 115/230 dual pri	7 1/2	5 1/2
HS	405-0-405v @ 150 ma; 6.3v CT @ 2 1/2A; 5v @ 3A; 2.5v CT @ 5A	7 1/2	4 1/2
HS	400-315-0-100-315v @ 20 ma; 2x5.3v @ 9A; 5v @ 3A; 2.5v @ 2A	12 1/2	6 1/2
HS	500-385-0-385v @ 200 ma; 3x6.3v @ 6A; 5v @ 3A; 2.5v @ 2A	15	6 1/2
FE	325-0-325v @ 12 ma; 255-0-255v @ 240 ma	15 1/2	5 1/2
HS	300-0-300v @ 65 ma; 6.3v @ 2.5A; 6.3v @ 1A; 2x5v @ 2A	6 1/2	3 1/2
HS	120-0-120v @ 50 ma	3 1/2	4 1/2
HS	80-0-80v @ 225 ma; 5v @ 2A; 5v @ 4A	6 1/2	4 1/2
FE	0-17.4/21.6/25.2v @ 400 ma; 6.3v @ 5A; 2.6v CT @ 2.5A pri 115.230.	7	5 1/2
SECONDARIES			
OF	18 or 36v @ 15A	Wgt	Ht
FS	13.5v CT @ 3.25A	5 1/2	4 1/2
FE	12.6v CT @ 10A; 11v CT @ 6.5A	12 1/2	6 1/2
FS	3x10.3v CT @ 7A	17 1/2	4 1/2
HS	115v @ 1A; 6.3v @ 2A;	9 1/2	5 1/2
HS	6.4v @ 10A; 6.3v @ 6A;	7 1/2	5 1/2
OF	6.5v @ 8A; 6.5v @ 6A; 2.5v @ 1.75A	9 1/2	4 1/2
TRANSFORMERS—220v 60 CYC			
FE	512.5-0-512.5 @ 427 ma.	24 1/2	6 1/2
FE	3x5v @ 12A; 4v @ 25A	10	5 1/2
FE	3x6.3v CT @ 3A; 6.3v CT @ 1.6A	9 1/2	5 1/2
FE	10v CT @ 6.5A; 6.3v CT @ 2.5A; 6.3v CT @ 1.8A 220/440 pri.	13	5 1/2
FE	Step up/down 110/220 500 watt	25	6 1/2
FE	Step up/down 110/220/220/440 600 watt	39	5 1/2
FILTER CHOKES—HI V INS			
HS	600 hy @ 1 ma/5000 ohms	1	2 1/2
HS	325 hy @ 2 ma/4500 ohms	1	2 1/2
HS	200 hy @ 10 ma/5260 ohms	1 1/2	3 1/2
FE	30 hy @ 60 ma/240 ohms	6	4 1/2
HS	10 hy @ 25 ma/870 ohms	1	2 1/2
HS	15 hy @ 70 ma/500 ohms	1	2 1/2
FS	10 hy @ 200 ma/85 ohms	3 1/2	3 1/2
FS	3 30 hy @ 250 ma/70 ohms	6 1/2	4 1/2
FS	10/20 hy @ 85 ma/2000 ohms	2 1/2	3 1/2
FE	14/3.5 hy @ 40/400 ma	17	4 1/2
FE	3 hy @ 50 ma/300 ohms	1 1/2	1 1/2
FE	2 hy @ 175 ma/60 ohms	1 1/2	2 1/2
FE	5 hy @ 70 ma/100 ohms 2 dual	5	3 1/2
FE	hy @ 350 ma/6 ohms	12	6 1/2
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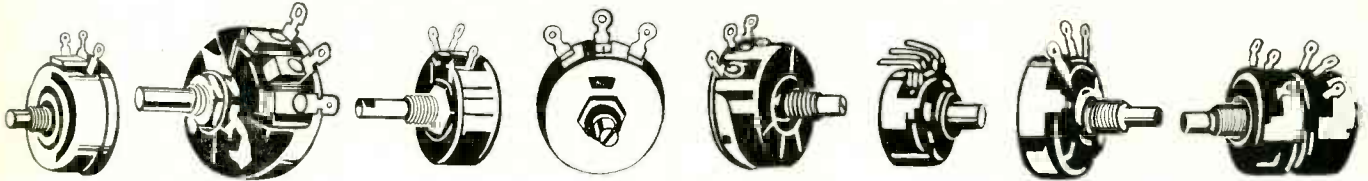
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360-281	10	MY	1 1/2	RHE.	WW	4	.27	360-138	1K	CTS	1 1/2 SD	LIN.	WW	5	.27	360-427	15K	CTS	SD	LIN.	WW	3	.30
360-2	10	MY	1 1/2 SD	LIN.	WW	4	.25	360-481	1K	IRC	1 1/2	AUD.	CA	1 1/2	.34	360-472	15K	CTS	SD	LIN.	WW	3	.30
360-386	15	MY	1 1/2	RHE.	WW	4	.27	360-212	1K	IRC	2 1/2	LIN.	WW	3	.23	360-223	15K	UTA	SD	LIN.	WW	3	.30
360-510	20	UTA	SD	LIN.	WW	—	.20	360-500	1K	MY	1 1/2 SD	LIN.	WW	4	.27	360-460	20K	CLA	3/4 SD	LIN.	CA	2	.26
360-518	50	CTS	1 1/2 SD	LIN.	WW	5	.29	360-313	1K	MY	3/4 knob	LIN.	WW	4	.30	360-187	20K	CRL	SD-M	LIN.	CA	1 1/2	.24
360-415	75	CTS	1 1/2 Flat	RHE.	WW	3	.25	360-377	1K	UTA	1 1/2	LIN.	CA	2	.24	360-342	20K	CRL	LIN.	LIN.	WW	3	.32
360-3	75	CTS	2 1/2	LIN.	WW	5	.29	360-22	1.2K	CTS	1 1/2	LIN.	CA	1	.24	360-305	20K	CTS	2 1/2	LIN.	CA	1 1/2	.26
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360-80	100	CTS	SD	LIN.	WW	5	.27	360-28	1.5K	CTS	SD	LIN.	WW	5	.30	360-154	20K	CTS	SD	LIN.	WW	3	.30
360-6	100	CTS	SD	LIN.	WW	5	.27	360-372	2K	CRL	1 1/2	LIN.	CA	1 1/2	.22	360-340	20K	DeJ	3/8	LIN.	WW	6	.85
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360-384	150	CLA	1 1/2 S	LIN.	WW	4	.40	360-295	2K	WIR	1 1/2 mil	LIN.	WW	3	.30	360-50	20K	SP	3/8	LIN.	CA	3	.32
360-141	150	CTS	1 1/2	LIN.	CA	1	.22	360-105	2K	IRC	SD	LIN.	WW	3	.27	360-452	25K	CLA	3/8 SD	AUD.	WW	3	.30
360-492	150	IRC	SD	LIN.	WW	3	.23	360-459	2K	IRC	SD	LIN.	WW	3	.35	360-328	25K	CLA	3/8 SD	LIN.	WW	3	.30
360-390	200	CRL	SD	LIN.	WW	3	.23	360-116	2.5K	CRL	SD-M	RHE.	CA	1 1/2	.22	360-235	25K	CLA	3/8 mil	LIN.	WW	3	.32
360-391	200	CTS	1 1/2	RHE.	WW	3	.25	360-307	2.5K	CTS	2 1/2	LIN.	CA	1	.24	360-65	25K	CTS	SD	LIN.	CA	1	.30
360-487	200	CTS	1 1/2	LIN.	CA	1	.22	360-107	2.5K	CTS	SD	LIN.	CA	1	.22	360-353	25K	CTS	SD	LIN.	CA	2	.32
360-145	200	CTS	1 1/2 SD	LIN.	WW	5	.27	360-441	2.5K	CTS	1 1/2	LOG.	CA	2	.22	360-127	25K	CTS	1 1/2 SD	LIN.	CA	2	.34
360-502	200	CTS	1 1/2	LIN.	WW	5	.29	360-462	2.5K	CTS	1 1/2 mil	LIN.	WW	3	.29	360-499	25K	CTS	1 1/2	LIN.	CA	2	.32
360-473	200	CTS	2 1/2	LIN.	WW	5	.29	360-108	2.5K	CTS	SD	LIN.	WW	3	.27	360-336	25K	IRC	1 1/2	LIN.	CA	1 1/2	.30
360-89	200	CTS	SD	LIN.	WW	5	.27	360-468	3K	CLA	3/8 SD	LIN.	WW	3	.27	360-332	25K	MY	SD	LIN.	WW	4	.36
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360-397	200	MY	1 1/2	LIN.	WW	4	.27	360-411	3K	CTS	1 1/2 SD	LIN.	CA	2	.24	360-329	25K	WIR	1 1/2	LIN.	WW	4	.38
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360-291	500	CLA	1 1/2	LIN.	WW	3	.25	360-371	3K	MY	3/8	LIN.	WW	4	.30	360-51	50K	CTS	SD	AUD.	CA	1	.34
360-387	500	CLA	1	LIN.	CA	1	.22	360-451	3K	MY	3/8 SD	LIN.	WW	4	.29	360-517	50K	WIR	1 1/2	LIN.	WW	4	.38
360-512	500	CRL	1 1/2	LIN.	WW	3	.25	360-400	3K	MY	3/8	LOG.	WW	—	.30	360-261	50K	SP	3/8	AUD.	CA	1	.34
360-99	500	CTS	SD	LIN.	WW	3	.23	360-240	3.5K	CRL	1 1/2 SD	RHE.	CA	2	.24	360-237	50K	WIR	SD	LIN.	WW	4	.36
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360-101	500	CTS	SD	LIN.	WW	5	.27	360-34	5K	CLA	1 1/2	LIN.	WW	3	.29	360-327	70K	WIR	1 1/2	LIN.	WW	4	.38
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360-139	500	CTS	1 1/2 SD	LIN.	WW	5	.27	360-514	5K	CTS	SD	LIN.	CA	2	.25	360-518	100K	CTS	SD	LIN.	CA	1	.36
360-92	500	CTS	1 1/2 SD	LIN.	WW	5	.27	360-303	5K	CTS	SD	RHE.	CA	2	.25	360-64	100K	IRC	2 1/2 H	LIN.	CA	2	.34
360-478	500	CLA	1	LIN.	CA	2	.27	360-494	5K	IRC	3/8	LIN.	WW	3	.30	360-54	100K	SP	SD-M	LIN.	CA	1 1/2	.45
360-476	500	CLA	1 1/2	LIN.	WW	3	.24	360-288	5K	MY	1 1/2 SD	LIN.	CA	2	.27	360-322	100K	WIR	1 1/2 SD	LIN.	WW	4	.36
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360-7	600	CRL	1 1/2	AUD.	WW	3	.25	360-357	5K	SP	3/8	LIN.	WW	3	.30	360-56	150K	CTS	3/8	RHE.	CA	2	.36
360-614	600	CRL	1 1/2	LIN.	CA	3	.22	360-20	6K	SP	3/8	LIN.	CA	3	.32	360-66	150K	CTS	2 1/2 H	LIN.	CA	2	.36
360-21	600	IRC	SD	LIN.	WW	1 1/2	.25	360-298	7K	IRG	1	LIN.	WW	3	.34	360-205	150K	CTS	SD	LIN.	CA	2	.34
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360-102	750	CTS	1 1/2 SD	LIN.	WW	3	.23	360-396	10K	CLA	3/8	LIN.	WW	4	.38	360-530	150K	IRC	SD	AUD.	CA	2	.34
360-374	750	UTA	1 1/2	LIN.	CA	2	.22	360-43	10K	CLA	SD	LIN.	WW	3	.30	360-287	200K	CTS	2 1/2 SD	LIN.	CA	2	.36
360-111	950	CLA	1 1/2 SD	LIN.	WW	3	.23	360-185	10K	CRL	1 1/2	LIN.	CA	1 1/2	.28	360-516	200K	SP	LIN.	LIN.	CA	3	.38
360-11	1K	CLA	1 1/2	LIN.	WW	3	.25	360-304	10K	CTS	1 1/2	LIN.	CA	1 1/2	.28	360-483	250K	SP	1 1/2	AUD.	CA	2	.36
360-455	1K	CRL	1 1/2	LIN.	WW	3	.25	360-258	10K	CTS	3/4	RHE.	CA	2	.30	360-441	1M	CRL	SD	LIN.	CA	1 1/2	.40
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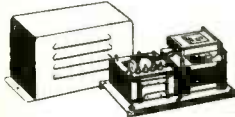
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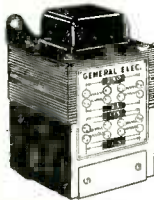


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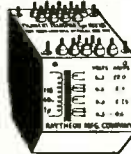


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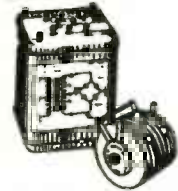
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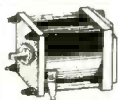


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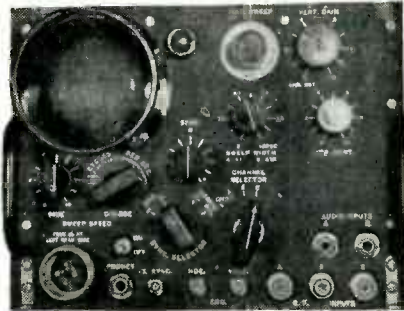


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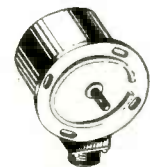


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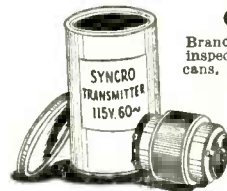
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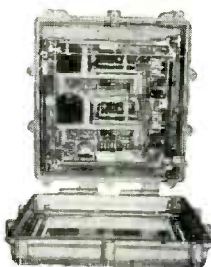
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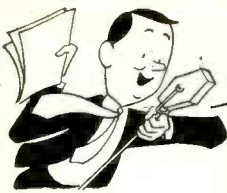
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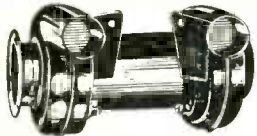
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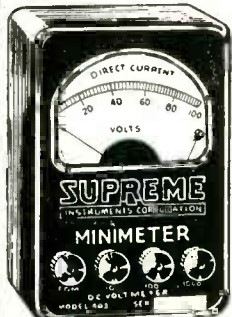


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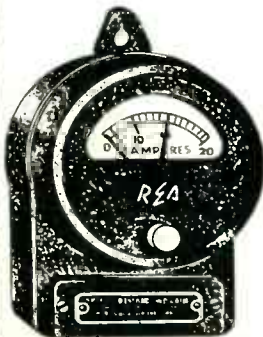


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Model 430, DC microamps: 50-0-50 500-0-500, 5000-0-5000, designed esp for alignment of FM receivers:	14.50	7.95
Model 440 DC ohms, 0-2000-20000-200000, center scale low range 25 ohms, complete with battery.	11.50	6.95

## Stewart-Warner DEMAND INDICATOR ONLY \$2.49, Worth 5-10 Times More!

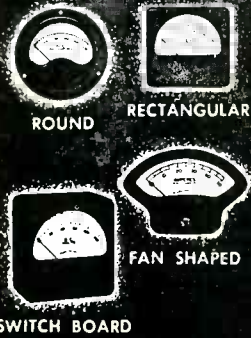


CUT current costs. INCREASE equipment life with 20 amp range, thermally operated Model 748A (Type RD) demand indicators for 600 volts or less. These 2-wire instruments are a "must" for Electrical Contractors, production lines, labs, colleges, electric sub stations. Accurately check transformer loading, load distribution! Determine proper current distribution! 6 watts at full indication. Crackle-finish metal case 4 1/2" W. 5 1/2" H. 2 3/4" D. 1 1/2 lbs. Brand NEW! Individually packed with data Only \$2.49 each!

# SALE

BELOW WHOLESALE

## Burlington Panel Instruments



### DC VOLTMETERS

RANGE	DESCRIPTION	MODEL	PRICE
0-1	3 1/2" rd.	431	3.95
0-1	2 1/2" sq.	521	2.95
0-5	4 1/2" rd.	441	3.95
0-5	2 1/2" sq.	521	2.95
0-5	2 1/2" rd.	421	2.95
0-5	3 1/2" rd.	431	3.95
0-5	4 1/2" sw. board	441	3.95
0-10	3 1/2" rd.	431	3.95
0-10	4 1/2" rd.	441	3.95
0-15	3 1/2" rd.	431	3.95
0-15	4 1/2" rd.	441	3.95
0-15	3 1/2" rd.	431	3.95
0-15	4 1/2" rd.	441	3.95
0-20	4 1/2" sw. board	441	3.95
0-100	2 1/2" sq.	521	2.95
0-100	3 1/2" rd.	431	3.95
0-100	4 1/2" rd.	441	3.95
0-100	4 1/2" sw. board	441	3.95
0-100	3 1/2" rd.	431	3.95
0-100	4 1/2" rd.	441	3.95
0-100	4 1/2" sw. board	441	3.95
0-200	2 1/2" sq.	521	2.95
0-200	3 1/2" rd.	431	3.95
0-200	4 1/2" rd.	441	3.95
0-300	3 1/2" rd.	431	3.95
0-300	4 1/2" rd.	441	3.95
0-300	4 1/2" sw. board	441	3.95
0-500	3 1/2" rd.	431	3.95
0-500	4 1/2" rd.	441	3.95
0-500	4 1/2" sw. board	441	3.95
0-1000	4 1/2" sw. board	441	3.95

### DC MILLIAMMETERS

RANGE	DESCRIPTION	MODEL	PRICE
0-1	3 1/2" rd.	431	3.95
0-1	4 1/2" rd.	441	3.95
0-1	3" sq.	531	4.25
0-1	4 1/2" rd. (right hand zero)	441	4.50
0-5	2 1/2" rd.	421	2.95
0-5	2 1/2" sq.	521	2.95
0-5	3" sq.	531	3.50
0-5	4 1/2" sw. board	441	3.95
0-10	3 1/2" rd.	431	3.95
0-10	4 1/2" rd.	441	3.95
0-15	3" sq.	531	3.50
0-15	2 1/2" sq.	521	2.95
0-15	3" sq.	531	3.50
0-25	3 1/2" rd.	431	3.95
0-25	4 1/2" rd.	441	3.95
0-25	4 1/2" sw. board	441	3.95
0-50	3" sq. mod.	531	3.50
0-50	3 1/2" rd. mod.	431	3.50
0-100	2 1/2" sq.	521	2.95
0-100	3" sq.	531	3.50
0-100	4 1/2" sw. board	441	3.95
0-100	4 1/2" rd. (kentic edge pointer)	441	3.95
0-100	4 1/2" rd.	441	3.95
0-100	3" sq.	531	3.50
0-150	3 1/2" rd.	431	3.95
0-200	2 1/2" rd.	421	2.95
0-200	3" sq.	531	3.50
0-300	3" sq.	531	3.50
0-300	3 1/2" rd.	431	3.95
0-500	4 1/2" sw. board	441	3.95
0-500	4 1/2" rd.	441	3.95
0-750	2 1/2" sq.	521	2.95
0-750	4 1/2" sw. board	441	3.95
0-1000	2 1/2" rd.	421	2.95
0-1000	2 1/2" sq.	521	2.95
0-1000	3" sq.	531	3.50
0-1000	3 1/2" rd.	431	3.95
0-1000	4 1/2" rd.	441	3.95

### DC MICROAMMETERS

0-100	4 1/2" sw. board	441	4.50
0-200	3" sq.	531	3.50
0-200	3 1/2" rd.	431	3.95

### AC VOLTMETERS

RANGE	DESCRIPTION	MODEL	PRICE
0-1	2 1/2" sq.	522	2.95
0-1	3" sq.	532	3.50
0-1	3 1/2" rd.	432	3.95
0-1	4 1/2" sw. board	442	3.95
0-3	4 1/2" rd.	742	3.50
0-5	2 1/2" sq.	522	2.95
0-5	3" sq.	532	3.50
0-5	3 1/2" rd.	432	3.95
0-5	4 1/2" sw. board	442	3.95
0-10	2 1/2" sq.	522	2.95
0-10	3" sq.	532	3.50
0-10	3 1/2" rd.	432	3.95
0-10	4 1/2" rect.	742	3.50
0-15	2 1/2" sq.	522	2.95
0-15	3" sq.	532	3.50
0-15	3 1/2" rd.	432	3.95
0-15	4 1/2" sw. board	442	3.95
0-25	2 1/2" sq.	522	2.95
0-25	3" sq.	532	3.50
0-25	3 1/2" rd.	432	3.95
0-25	4 1/2" sw. board	442	3.95
0-25	4 1/2" rect.	742	3.50
0-30	2 1/2" sq.	522	2.95
0-30	3" sq.	532	3.50
0-30	3 1/2" rd.	432	3.95
0-30	4 1/2" sw. board	442	3.95
0-30	4 1/2" rd.	442	3.95
0-30	4 1/2" sw. board	442	3.95
0-50	2 1/2" sq.	522	2.95
0-50	3" sq.	532	3.50
0-50	3 1/2" rd.	432	3.95
0-50	4 1/2" sw. board	442	3.95
0-50	4 1/2" rect.	742	3.50
0-75	3 1/2" rd.	432	3.95
0-100	2 1/2" sq.	522	2.95
0-100	3" sq.	532	3.50
0-100	3 1/2" rd.	432	3.95
0-100	4 1/2" sw. board	442	3.95
0-100	4 1/2" rd.	442	3.95
0-100	4 1/2" sw. board	442	3.95
0-150	2 1/2" sq.	522	2.95
0-150	3" sq.	532	3.50
0-150	3 1/2" rd.	432	3.95
0-150	4 1/2" sw. board	442	3.95
0-150	4 1/2" rect.	742	3.50
0-200	2 1/2" sq.	522	2.95
0-200	3" sq.	532	3.50
0-200	3 1/2" rd.	432	3.95
0-200	4 1/2" sw. board	442	3.95
0-200	4 1/2" rect.	742	3.50
0-250	2 1/2" sq.	522	2.95
0-250	3" sq.	532	3.50
0-250	3 1/2" rd.	432	3.95
0-250	4 1/2" sw. board	442	3.95
0-250	4 1/2" rect.	742	3.50
0-300	2 1/2" sq.	522	2.95
0-300	3" sq.	532	3.50
0-300	3 1/2" rd.	432	3.95
0-300	4 1/2" sw. board	442	3.95
0-300	4 1/2" rect.	742	3.50
0-300	4 1/2" fan shaped	842	4.95
0-600	3 1/2" rd. (300v. mov't) w/res.	432	4.50
0-600	4 1/2" rect.	742	4.95
0-600	4 1/2" rd.	442	4.95

### AC AMMETERS

RANGE	DESCRIPTION	MODEL	PRICE
0-1	3" sq.	532	\$3.95
0-1	3 1/2" rd.	432	4.25
0-1	4 1/2" sw. board	442	4.25
0-1	4 1/2" rect.	742	4.25
0-1.5	2 1/2" rd.	422	3.25
0-1.5	2 1/2" sq.	522	3.25
0-1.5	3" sq.	532	3.25
0-1.5	3 1/2" rd.	432	4.25
0-1.5	4 1/2" rect.	742	4.25
0-1.5	2 1/2" sq.	522	3.25
0-1.5	3" sq.	532	3.25
0-1.5	3 1/2" rd.	432	3.95
0-1.5	4 1/2" sw. board	442	4.50
0-1.5	4 1/2" rect.	742	4.50
0-1.5	3" sq.	532	3.50
0-10	3 1/2" rd.	432	3.50
0-10	4 1/2" sw. board	442	3.50
0-10	4 1/2" rd.	442	3.50
0-10	4 1/2" rect.	742	3.50
0-10	2 1/2" sq.	522	2.95
0-10	3" sq.	532	2.95
0-10	3 1/2" rd.	432	2.95
0-10	4 1/2" sw. board	442	2.95
0-10	4 1/2" rect.	742	2.95
0-10	4 1/2" fan shaped	842	2.95
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# Reliance Specials

## RG 8/U 52 OHM

\$50.00 per 1,000 feet  
OTHER COAXIAL CABLE  
ALL BRAND NEW

	Price per 1,000 ft.		Price per 1,000 ft.
RG 5/U	53.5	RG 27/U	48
RG 7/U	97.5	RG 29/U	53.5
RG 8/U	52	RG 31/U	71
RG 9/U	51	RG 39/U	75
RG 10/U	52	RG 41/U	57.5
RG 11/U	75	RG 54/U	58
RG 12/U	75	RG 54/AU	58
RG 13/U	75	RG 55/AU	53.5
RG 18/U	52	RG 57/U	95
RG 19/U	52	RG 58/U	53.5
RG 20/U	52	RG 59/U	73
RG 22/U	95	RG 62/U	93
RG 24/U	125	RG 74/U	52
RG 25/U	48		

POSTAGE STAMP MICAS				CAPACITORS				OIL FILLED	
MMF	MMF	MMF	MFD	SILVER MICA				MFD	V. D. C.
8.2	56	240	600	MMF	MMF	MMF	MFD	.375@	16,000 and
10	60	250	620	24	150	370	680	.75@	8,000 (dual)
15	62	300	650	25	180	390	700	.4	10,000
20	68	350	680	30	200	400	750	.5	7,500
22	70	370	700	40	208	430	820	.1	7,500
24	75	390	750	60	225	466	MFD .0047	-.1	7,000
25	82	400	800	62	240	470	.005	.02-.02	7,000
30	90	430	820	66	250	488	.0013	1	6,000
39	100	470	910	68	300	500	.0015	.25	4,000
40	110	500	MFD .0068	75	325	510	.002	2	3,000
47	150	610	.001	110	525	.0022	.01	4	2,000
50	160	650	.0012	120	560	.0024		4	1,000
51	220	680	.0013					3	1,000
Price Schedule				Price Schedule					
8.2	MMF to	.001	MFD... 5¢	10	MMF to	.001	MFD... 10¢	10	1,000
.012	MFD to	.002	MFD... 7¢	.0012	MFD to	.0027	MFD... 20¢	10	600
.0026	MFD to	.0082	MFD... 12¢	.003	MFD to	.0082	MFD... 50¢	4	600
.01	MFD		18¢	.01	MFD		65¢	2	600

## COAXIAL CABLE CONNECTORS

Angle-Adapter	Plug	Socket	Hood
15c	28c	28c	9c
M-359	PL-259A	SO-239	83-IH
83-IAP	83-ISPN	83-IR	

Adapter for PL-259 A for use on small coax.  
12c each. \$10.00 per 100

83-ISIP	\$.28	83-22SP	.48	UG 27/U	.60
83-IJ	1.00	83-2	1.50	UG 59/U	.60
83-IT	1.12	UG 13/U	.60	UG 61/U	.60
83-IF	1.12	UG 21/U	.60	UG 85/U	.60
83-22AP	.85	UG 22/U	.60	UG 87/U	.50
83-22J	.85	UG 24/U	.60	UG 167/U	2.00
83-22R	.48	UG 25/U	.60	UG 281/U	.60

### SELSYNS

115 V., 60 Cyc.  
#C78248  
3 3/8" dia. x 5 3/8" long  
\$7.95 pair

Mounting Brackets — (Bakelite) for selsyns, and differentials shown above ..... 25¢ pair

### DIFFERENTIAL

115 V., 60 Cyc.  
#C78249  
3 3/8" dia. x 5 3/8" long  
\$2.25 ea.

Used between two #C78248's as dampener. Can be converted to 3600 RPM Motor in 10 minutes. Conversion sheet supplied. (Converted—\$3.00)

### WW PRECISION RESISTORS, 1% OR BETTER

1/4 WATT—25c			
6.68Ω	12.32Ω	16.37Ω	123.8Ω
10.48	13.02	20	147.5
10.84	13.52	62.54	270.4
11.25	13.89	79.81	301.8
11.74	14.98	106.8	366.6

1/2 WATT—25c			
.250Ω	11.10	210Ω	3,427Ω
.334	13.15	235	4,000
.502	46	260	4,451
.557	52	270	5,000
.627	55.1	298.3	5,900
.76	73	340	6,500
1.01	97.8	723.1	7,000
1.53	125	2,500	7,500
2.04	180	2,850	8,000

1 WATT—30c			
1.01Ω	5.21Ω	1,250Ω	9,000Ω
2.58	10.1	3,300	18,000
3.39	10.9	7,000	70,000
5.05	270		

1 WATT—40c			
100,000Ω	128,000Ω	180,000Ω	522,000Ω
120,000	130,000	320,000	600,000
125,000	160,000	470,000	700,000

1 Megohm—1 Watt 1%—65c; 5%—40c  
100 pieces—10% off; 1,000 pieces—20% off.

## CARBON RESISTOR ASSORTMENT

Color coded, insulated. 100 only \$1.29

### PULSE TRANSFORMERS

X 124, T2, UTAH, marked 9262, small gray case. Ratio 1:1.1, hypersil core. .... \$1.50  
D16110, 50 Kc to 4 Mc. 1 3/4" dia. x 1 1/2" high. 120 to 250 ohms. .... \$1.50  
352-7178—Spec. 10. 111 Chicago Trans. equivalent to 9262 (above) ..... \$1.00  
D166638 W.E. Permalloy core. Semi-toroidal windings \$1.25  
K98900, Ratio, 1:1.1, 2:1, Freq. range 380 to 520 C.P.S. .... \$3.50  
D106173, W.E. Freq. resp. 10KC to 2 MC. .... \$9.80  
300 KVA GE K 2468B, 50 ohm pulse cable connection; 3,350 V. in., 17,300 V. out (250 KVA @ 1/2 microsecond) ..... \$13.75  
800 KVA GE K2731., 28000 Volt pk. output; Bifilar; one-microsecond pulse width ..... \$14.50

### UNIVERSAL JOINT

3/16" hole x 3/8" O.D.  
1 1/8" long  
Steel or Aluminum  
50¢

### FILAMENT TRANSFORMER

Amertran Type WS  
For High Voltage Rectifiers.  
PRI. 115V., 50/60 Cycle.  
SEC. 5V., C/T @ 10 Amp.  
35 KV R.M.S. Test 12 KV D.C.  
Operating. Uses 872A Tube or other tubes.  
NEW OVERSEAS PACKED \$10.95  
872-A ..... \$1.88

### JONES BARRIER STRIPS

Type	Price	Type	Price	Type	Price
2-140Y	\$.05	4-141 1/2 W	\$.22	6-141 1/2 W	\$.47
2-140W	.10	4-141Y	.22	9-141Y	.47
3-140 1/2 W	.13	5-141	.20	10-141 1/2 W	.52
4-140	.13	5-141Y	.27	12-141	.44
8-140	.23	5-141 1/2 W	.27	17-141Y	.87
8-140W	.23	6-141	.23	3-142	.15
10-140 1/2 W	.40	7-141	.27	5-142	.24
13-140	.37	7-141 1/2 W	.37	6-142	.28
3-141 1/2 W	.17	7-141Y	.37	10-142 1/2 W	.44
3-141W	.17	8-141	.30	2-150	.28
4-141Y	.22	8-141 1/2 W	.42	4-150	.52

### TOGGLE SWITCHES

Bat Handle, S.P.S.T. 6A, 125V. Off-On plate. .... 24¢  
Bat Handle, S.P.D.T. 6A, 125 V. .... 24¢  
Bat Handle D. P. S. T. 6A, 125V. .... 29¢

### DRY DISC RECTIFIERS

117 V.A.C. in, 110 V.D.C. out @ 75 Ma. .... \$ .49  
117 V.A.C. in, 110 V.D.C. out @ 100 Ma. .... .72  
117 V.A.C. in, 110 V.D.C. out @ 400 Ma. .... 1.51

### DELAY NETWORK—ALL 1400 Ω

T 113—Approx. 1.2 micro sec. delay. .... 85¢  
T 114—Approx. 2.2 micro sec. delay. .... 85¢  
T 115—Similar to T 114 with tap brought out. .... 85¢

Telephone Field Wire—W110B, 1/2 mile reels. .... \$6.95

### TRANSMITTING MICAS UPRIGHT BAKELITE CASE

MFD	V. D. C.	Amps	KC	Price
.00032	5,000	2.5	1,000	\$1.19
.0005	5,000	4	1,000	1.19
.0011	5,000	6	1,000	1.24
.002	5,000	4	300	1.29
.015	2,000	12	300	1.34
.024	1,500	15	1,000	1.39
.033	1,500	15	1,000	1.39
.05	1,500	13	300	1.59
.062	1,000	18	1,000	1.49
.075	1,000	18	1,000	1.49

### ALLEN SET SCREWS

4-40 x 1 1/4	8-32 x 1/2	8-32 x 5/16
4-40 x 3/16	8-32 x 3/16	8-32 x 3/8

ALL SIZES (Cup Point) ..... \$1.50 per 100  
GLYPHTAL CEMENT 1 qt. .... 75¢ 1 gal. .... \$2.50

### VERNIER DIAL (From BC-221)

Marked 0-100 in 360°. Black with silver marks. 2 5/8" Dia. Has thumblock. .... 85¢

### Wrapped—BALL BEARINGS—New

Mfg	ID	OD	Width	Price
Fafnir 33K5	3/16"	7/32"	5/32"	.25
N.D. 38	5/16"	7/8"	9/32"	.45
Fafnir K8A	1/2"	1 1/8"	5/16"	.60
N.D. 5202C13M	1/2"	1 3/8"	1/8"	1.00
Fafnir 7308W	1 37/64"	3 9/16"	5/16"	2.00
SKF 466430	6"	6"	7/16"	5.00
SKF170545	3 11/32"	4 1/8"	7/16"	1.50
Fafnir 545	2 1/16"	2 5/8"	15/32"	1.00

### GEAR ASSORTMENT

Experimenters dream, 100 pieces, many stainless steel. .... \$6.50

3AG	FUSES	3AG
1/2 Amp \$4.00 per 100	2 Amp \$2.50 per 100	
1/4 Amp 4.00 100	3 2.50 100	
1/8 4.00 100	4 2.75 100	
1 2.50 100	5 3.00 100	
1 1/2 2.50 100	15 3.00 100	

Fuse Holder—Littlefuse #442001 for 3AG fuse. .... 18¢

### TIME DELAY RELAY

Raytheon CPX 24166 KS 10193-80 Sec.  
• 115 V., 60 Cycle • Adj. 50-70 Seconds •  
• 2 1/2 second cycling time—spring return •  
• Micro-switch contact, 10A. • Holds ON as long as power is applied • Fully cased ONLY ..... \$6.50

### NEEDLE BEARINGS

B108 1/2" wide	5/8"	13/16"	30¢
GB34X 1/4" wide	3/16"	11/32"	25¢

### PRECISION CONTROLS

6 WATT		4 WATT	
20,000 Muter 314A	\$1.70	500Ω Centralab 48-501	\$9.00
20,000 GR 314A	2.50	50 De jur 292	.75
6,000 De jur 260	1.70	50 GR 301	1.10
6,000 Muter 314A	1.70	25 GR 301	1.10
5,000 Muter 314A	2.50	20 De jur 292	.75
5,000 GR 214A	1.40	12 GR 301	1.10
2,000 De jur 260	1.70		

25 WATT		12 WATT	
10,000 Muter 471A	\$2.00	10,000 Muter 271T	2.00
10,000 De jur 271T	2.00	5,000 De jur 271T	2.00

7 Terminal Bakelite tie point. .... 35 for \$1.00

### O-15A BASIC MOVE DC AMMETER

5" x 4" METAL CASE MIRROR SCALE  
Lots of 10—\$34  
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400 MA  
12 Hy.  
90 OHM  
6,000 V. D. C. TEST  
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Brand New! T5-10  
Includes 6 ft. cord & spring clips  
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Navy type, for Sound Powered Phones (Shown above) ..... \$1.00 each

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2/3 R.P.M., 115 V., 60 Cycle. 2 motors connected on one shaft to make unit reversible. ONLY ..... \$1.95

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### POWER RHEOSTATS STANDARD BRANDS

25 WATT		25 WATT		90Ω 1/2"	
Resist. Shaft		3,000Ω	1 1/2"	123	1 1/2"
10Ω	1 1/2"	5,000	S.D.* 69	1,250	1 1/2"
15	1 1/2"			2,000	1 1/2"
25	1 1/2"			3,500	1 1/2"
145	1 1/2"	50 WATT		150 WATT	
		2Ω	1 1/2"	8Ω	1 1/2"
		8	S.D.* 79	75	1 1/2"
		12	1 1/2"		
		20	1 1/2"		

\*S.D. Screw Driver Slot

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# Portable (Chronometric) TACHOMETER

Jaeger Watch Co. Model #43A-6

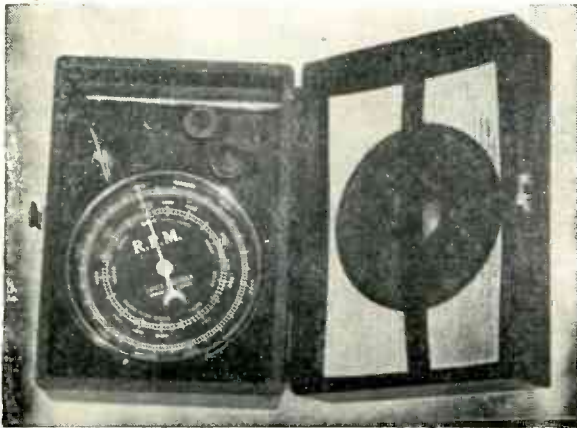
- Can be used for speeds up to 20,000 R.P.M.
- Can be used for lineal speed measurements to 10,000 F.P.M.
- Ideally suited for testing the speeds of motors, particularly of fractional horse power, generators, turbines, centrifugals, fans, etc.
- Very small Torque—requires practically no power to drive.
- Unequaled Readability 2" Open face dial—each division on large dial equals 10 R.P.M.; each division on small dial equals 1,000 R.P.M.
- Greatest Accuracy—meets Navy specifications—guaranteed to be within 1/2 of 1%.
- Results of test reading remain on dial until next test taken.
- Push button for automatic resetting.
- Complete with the following accessories:
  - 1—Large pointed rubber tip
  - 1—Large hollow rubber tip
  - 1—6" circumference wheel tip
  - 1—Operating Instructions
  - 1—Temperature Correction chart

The combination of the above features will give accurately, within a few seconds, by direct reading, the R.P.M. of shafts or the lineal speeds of surfaces without any accessories or timing of any kind. Each unit comes complete in a red velvet lined carrying case 5" x 3 1/4" x 1 1/2" (case and accessories not illustrated). **Net List Price, \$75.00**—Surplus—New—Guaranteed.

**Your Cost \$24.50 fob, N. Y.**



## Multiple Range Continuous Indicating PORTABLE TACHOMETER



This unit is of the centrifugal mechanical type and is designed to show **INSTANTANEOUSLY and CONTINUOUSLY THE SPEED OR CHANGE IN SPEED** of any revolving shaft or surface. No stop watch or other mechanism required.

- Three ranges in R.P.M., and three ranges in F.P.M.
- Low Range... 300-1,200 (Each division equals 10 R.P.M.)
- Medium Range 1,000-4,000 (Each division equals 20 R.P.M.)
- High Range 3,000-12,000 (Each division equals 100 R.P.M.)
- Large open dial 4" diameter.
- Ruggedly constructed for heavy duty service.

- 1—Peripheral Rubber wheel 1 ft. in circumference
- 1—Extension Rod
- 1—Small size convex rubber tip, metal mounted

1—Operating instruction  
Made by Jones Motrola, Stamford, Connecticut. Comes complete in blue velvet lined carrying case: 7 1/4" L x 4" H x 5" W. **List Price \$75.00**—Surplus—New—Guaranteed.

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- Ball bearing and oilless bearings—require no lubrication whatsoever.
- Readily portable—Fits neatly into palm of hand.
- Gear shift for selecting low, medium and high ranges.
- Greatest accuracy—meets Navy specifications 18-T-22, Type B, Class A.
- Complete with the following accessories:
  - 1—Steel tip
  - 1—Conical Rubber tip metal mounted
  - 1—Rubber lined metal cone tip

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150 to 210 Megacycles. Operates off 115 volt 60 cycle Power supply. Inductance tuning for R.F., Antenna, detector and oscillator. With a few modifications this unit makes an ideal F.M. Receiver. Each set complete with circuit diagram and the 14 following tubes: 1—6SN7 Cathode Follower; 1—6H6 second Detector; 2—6SH7 1st and 2nd R.F. Amp.; 1—6SH7 Video Amp.; 3—6AC7/1852 1st, 2nd, 3rd IF Amp.; 2—6AB7/1853 4th, 5th IF Amp.; 1—9006 Mod.; 1—6J5 Osc.; 1—5U4G Rect.; 1—6E5 Tuning Indicator.  
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### ROLLER-SMITH, Type G-1

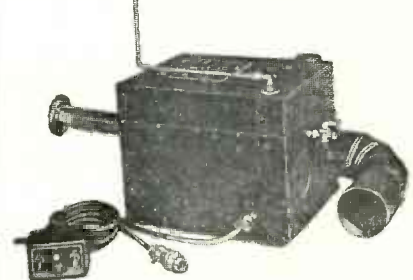
1.25 M.A.; 500 M.V. movement, 1 3/4" Square flush Bakelite case, 1 1/2" Barrel Diameter, 1 3/8" overall @ \$4.50



### Weston 433 PORTABLE A.C. VOLTMETER

FREQUENCY RANGE 25 to 2400 CYCLES 0-150 Volts, Weston 433, Accuracy within 3/4 of 1% on A.C. from 25 to 1000 Cycles and within 1 1/4% up to 2400 Cycles. Knife edge pointer; hand calibrated mirror scale; shielded moving iron vane movement; Resistance approximately 2800 Ohms. Scale length 4.04", in case 5" x 6" x 3 1/4". Similar to illustration. **Your Cost Only \$35.00**

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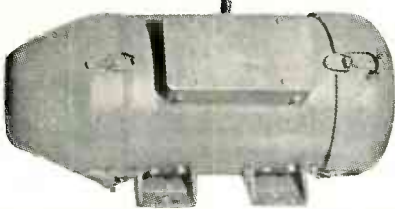
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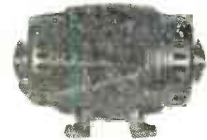


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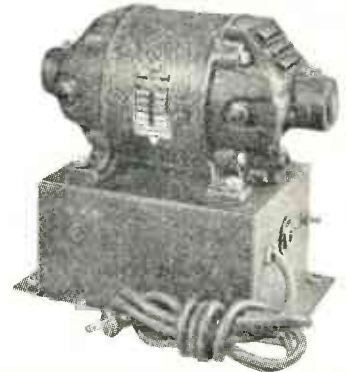
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MARATHON MOTOR GENERATORS

## MARATHON MOTOR GENERATORS

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7½" D. (R.S.) Standoff type. 0-50 Amps D.C. Single pole to needle normally closed. Pole adjustable over complete scale. Relay terminals on back. Less shunt. Brand New. \$7.95

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## METERS

### A.C. MILLIAMETER 3"

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200 Amps. .005 Ohms. Leece-Neville, mounted on Asbestos Base with perforated metal cover. New. 75c each.

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Two rubber covered colored leads in rubber jacket with lugs on ends. 6½" Long. 100 for \$3.95

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A sturdy and beautifully built RF Osc. variable: 125 to 210 Mc. (Approx.) pulse modulated at 4098 C.P.S. Uses 1-955, 2-637, 1-616 and 1-5W4. Operates at 115 V. 60 Cyc. May be modified for T. V. Generator, etc. New with tubes. Shpg. Wt. Approx. 45 Lbs. \$12.50

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3 Cm. Fine milled and silver plated inside. Slate Gray Exterior. 5' lengths with flange fittings and hardware. New and sealed. Each \$3.35

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## SPECIAL VARIABLE CONDENSER

5 gang, 15 to 400 Mmf. per section. Ceramic insulation and ceramic shaft isolates each Rotor. Phosphor bronze rotor contact wipers. ¾" x ¾" shaft. Ball bearings. Gangs individually shielded. Split rotor end plates for tracking. Overall Size: 2½" x 3½" x 7". Cadmium plated. New. Each \$3.75

## H. V. MICA CONDENSERS

Cap. mfd.	Test	Working	Price
.000025	2500 V.	1200 V.	19¢
.00003	5000 V.	2500 V.	23¢
.0005	2500 V.	1200 V.	29¢
.0005		3000 V.	55¢
.001	1000 V.	600 V.	15¢
.002	2500 V.	1200 V.	35¢
.005	5000 V.	2500 V.	45¢
.01	5000 V.	2500 V.	59¢
.01	2500 V.	1200 V.	49¢
.01		800 V. EIT. @	
		3 Mc. 16 Amps.	\$3.75

## PRECISION MICA

500 V. Wkg. Silver 1% Size: ½" x 1"  
1000 Mmf. } 15c ea.  
2000 Mmf. }

## OIL FILLED CONDENSERS

.1 Mfd.	1250 V.D.C.	10 for \$1.29
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1.0 Mfd.	1000 V.D.C.	3 for \$1.00
2.0 Mfd.	600 V.D.C.	3 for \$1.00
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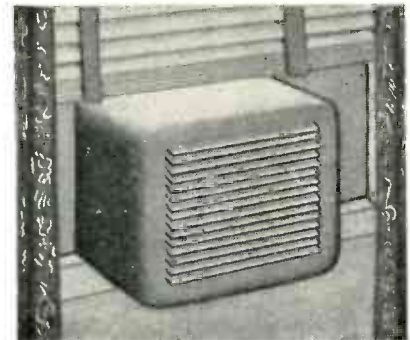
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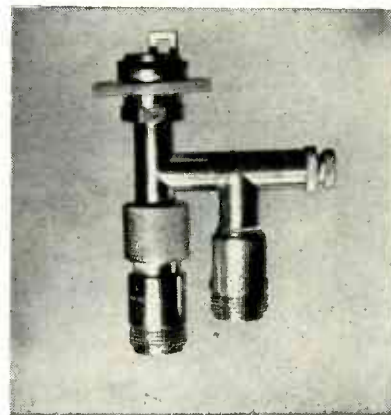
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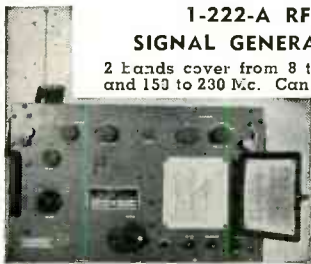


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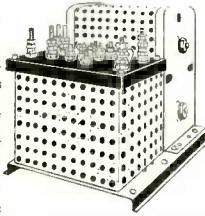
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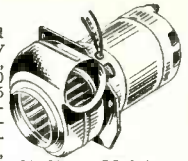
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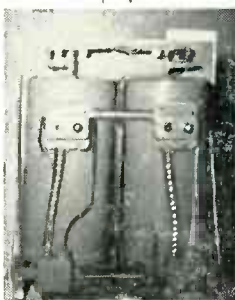
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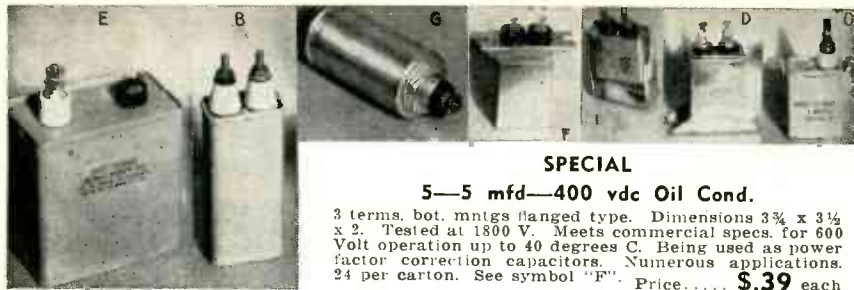
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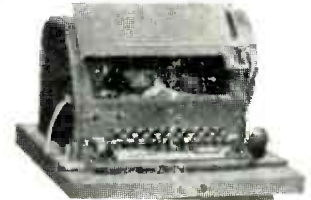
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1	600	.35
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500-500	150K-150K
600-600	200K-200K
1500-1500	250K-250K
2000-2000	300K-300K
5000-5000	350K-500K
10K-10K	350K-25K
20K-200K	500K-500K
25K-10K	800K-75K
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50K-50K	5meg-5meg

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mfd	vdew	each
.033	400	.17
.05	200	.17
.05	400	.19
.05	600	.21
.1	400	.22
.1	600	.22
.1	1000	.32
.15	600	.22
.25	200	.19
.25	600	.23
.35	400	.22
.5	400	.23
.5	600	.25
.5	1000	.35
1	200	.29
1	600	.35
1	1000	.44
2	600	.59
4	50	.25
8	500	.59
25	50	.28
25	75	.30
40	25	.27
50	25	.28
200	12	.35
300	6	.39
.05-.05	600	.29
.05-.05	1500	.45
1-.05	200	.25
1-.1	400	.26
1-.1	600	.28
16-.16	600	.28
2-.2	600	.29
25-.25	600	.30
5-.5	600	.35
10-.1	300	.29
200-200	9	.49
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3x 1	400	.42
3x 1	600	.45
3x .25	600	.50
3x 1.0	100	.40

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.00003	600	4	.18	.002	600	4	.20
.00005	600	4	.18	.002	1200	4	.48
.00005	2500	9	.31	.0022	2500	9	.78
.0001	600	4	.18	.0025	600	4	.23
.0001	2500	9	.31	.003	600	4	.25
.000152	600	4	.18	.0039	600	4	.25
.0002	600	4	.18	.005	600	4	.25
.00025	600	4	.18	.005	1200	9	.60
.0005	600	4	.18	.005	2500	9	1.18
.00051	2500	4	.43	.0062	600	4	.30
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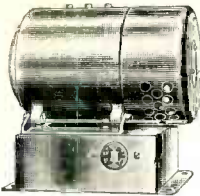
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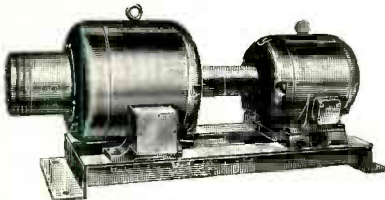
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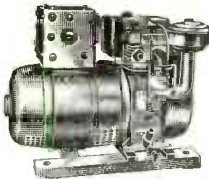


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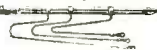


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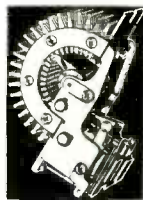
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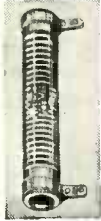
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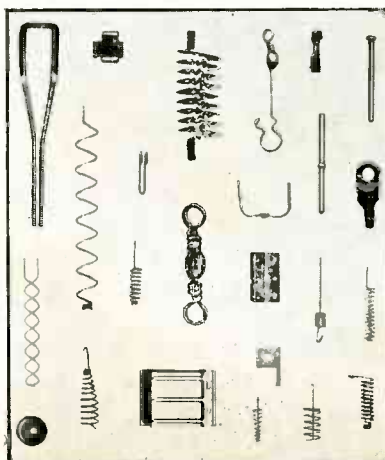
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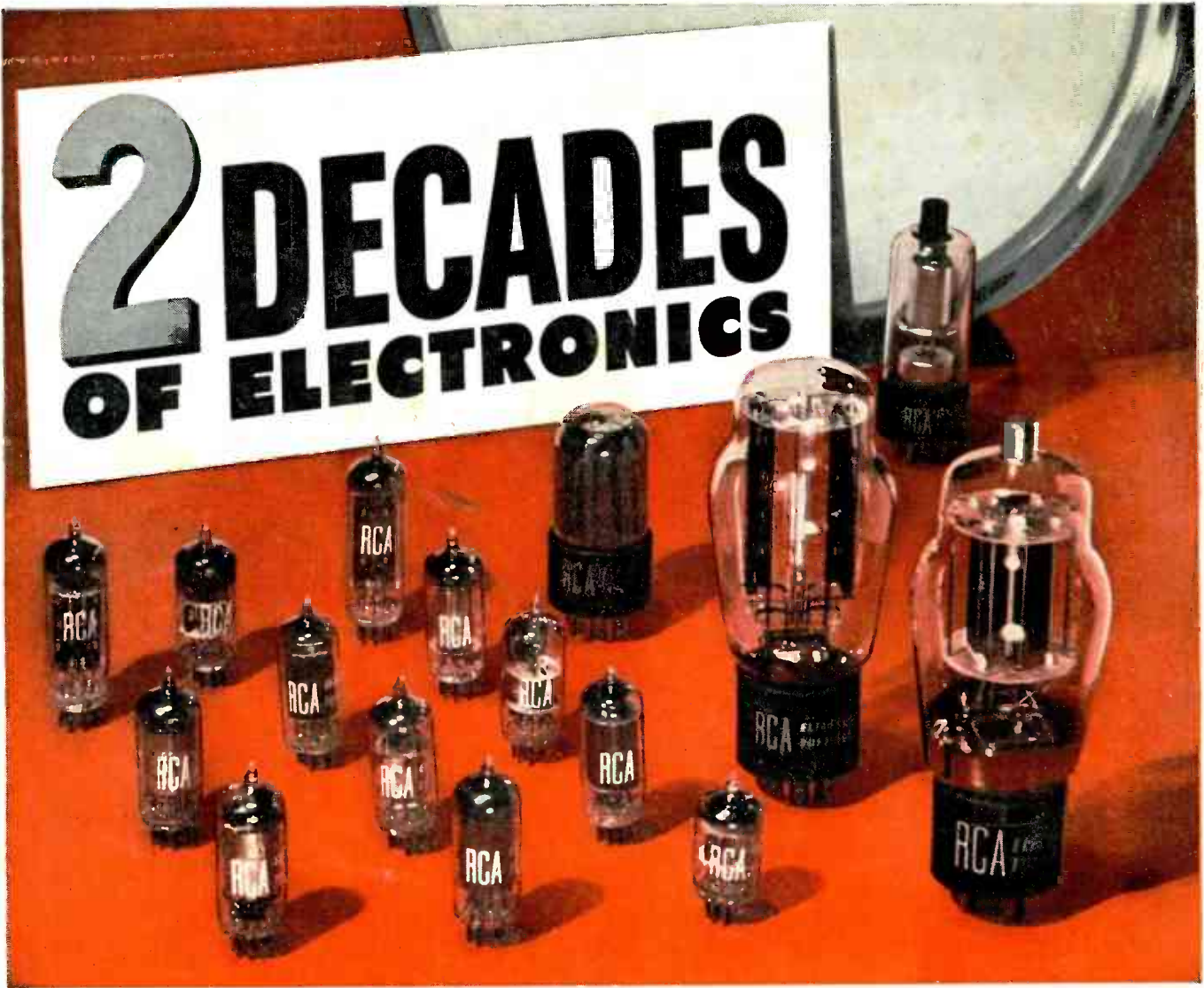


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