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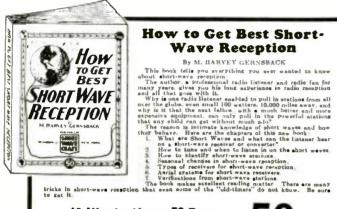
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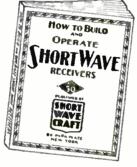
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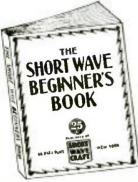
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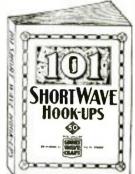
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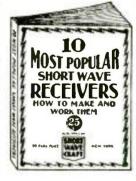
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• A few months ago the R.M.A. decided upon a set of standards to be applied to commercial television receivers. Among the requirements specified were those that the system should produce a 441-line picture with a picture frequency equivalent to 30 per second. These standards were accepted by the television engineering world with the utmost complacency.

If such a set of standards had been announced a few years ago it would have been instantly branded as quixotic idealism by almost every worker in the field. When it is realized that television research has been actively carried on for the past quarter of a century, this rapid advance in the last few years takes on real significance.

The cause of this extremely rapid advance which has changed television from a laboratory plaything into a practical engineering accomplishment was primarily a change from mechanical methods of nicture transmission and re-

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eption to cathode ray systems.

Pioneering work in the field of cathode ray television had been carried on by a few isolated workers for a number of years previous to its general recognition by the major research laboratories. The work of these men served to illustrate to the world that the basis of cathode ray television was sound, and that electronic methods offered a solution to such problems as those of obtaining sufficient illumination on the viewing screen, of inertialess scanning required to obtain high definition, and sufficient sensitivity for the successful transmission of pictures under ordinary conditions of illumination.

Once the way had been pointed out, number of the more farsighted of the television research laboratories initiated a program of intensive research along this line. This work has been going on for the past five years and has led not only to refining the basic principles advanced by the pioneers but also to the discovery and adaptation of a great number of new principles. As a consequence of this effort, both the television trans-

mitter and receiver have become a practical reality. The television receiver as it is today—using the Kinescope resembles, in appearance and size, a console radio receiver. The reproduced picture is sufficiently brilliant to watch with-The reproduced picture is sumciently brilliant to watch without strain in a moderately lighted room and is in size about a page of this magazine. Thus, while such a reproducing device is a long way from ideal, it nevertheless is capable of bringing to the observer a picture that has high entertainment value, one which is both pleasing and informative.

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Of course, it must be recognized that the problems of covering the country with a network of television transmitters, of manufacturing a reasonably priced receiver, and those involved in organizing and producing suitable programs are enormous. These problems are ones that must and will be

met by the manufacturer, the production engineer and the technician. This solution is only a matter of time.

Even if some inconceivable law should come into existence that prevented the application of any new principles or developments to the cathode ray television system as it stands today, I am convinced that it would still become a commercial reality, that the system is amply capable of producing a picture which would satisfy a real economic demand.

However, this is equivalent to saying that the automobile of 1910 was a commercial reality. Certainly it was a mode of transportation which met a definite demand, and if all development had ceased at that date the automobile would still be extensively used today. Just as the useful but crude vehicle of 1910 has evolved into the luxurious motor car of today, which in its turn will be sup-planted by an even better vehicle in the future, so the application of the labora-tory research which is going on today must inevitably lead to improvements in the cathode ray television system.

Of course, the statement that marked

advances in cathode ray television can be made is not proof that this progress is possible. However, research which is be-

ing carried out in the laboratory gives ample evidence of the improvements that may be expected as our knowledge increases. To give a concrete example, recent advances in electron optics makes it possible to produce an electron copy of a visible image and secondary emission, which has only just begun to be seriously studied, makes it possible to intensify this copy. These two new principles have been applied to laboratory models of the Iconoscope with a consequent many-fold increase in somitivity. quent many-fold increase in sensitivity. Another example that might be cited is that of the viewing tube. The size of the present television picture is limited because it is viewed directly on the fluorescent screen (Continued on page 759)



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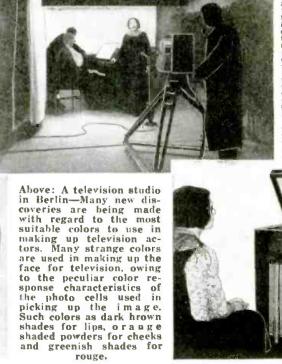
Left—Televising a cook in action for London television audiences. The lady holding the pie in front of the pick-up camera is Moira Meighn. Instruction in cooking will undoubtedly he very popular with television audiences everywhere, as the exact method of mixing the ingredients used in certain recipes will be clearly shown.

The two photos below show the famous television inventor, John Logie Baird. These pictures were taken in an English theatre where Mr. Baird's new system of projecting large television images were demonstrated. The images were shown on a screen measuring 8 feet wide, by 6 ft. 6 in. high. The center photo shows Mr. Baird in the television projector room. Photo below shows him in front of pick-up scanner. See page 782 for diagram.



Television in Germany—Photo below shows the newest model of German "direct pick-up" television camera. The camera is made of aluminum to reduce its weight to the minimum, and inside the aluminum box we find a German model of the iconoscope developed by Dr. Zworykin of RCA. This particular instrument as developed by the Telefunken Company, possesses an improved color sensitivity.

The definition is 360 lines.



A television Image as reproduced with 180 lines and 25 frames per second, in Berlin, by means of the new Television receiver. This apparatus uses a cathode ray tube and reproduces the images to be black and white. Technically their actual color is black. Camera 'fams' will be interested in knowing that the photo at the right was taken in 1/25th of a second.

A television enthusiast viewing the image on one of the latest model Telefunken receivers. one of the latest model Telefunken receivers. Three knobs only are used on the front of the set for tuning in voice and image. The cathode ray tube is mounted vertically, the image appearing on a metal mirror fitted on the lid of the cabinet. The center knob tunes the image and sound; right—so u n d volume control; left—i mage control.

rouge.



Taking the code test in the F.C.C. examination room in New York City. Note particularly that single earphones are used.

Here are some frequently-asked questions about the amateur ra-dio license, with the correct an-

Q. How old do you have to be to

get a license?

A. Only old enough to read and write. There is no limitation whatsoever as to age, or to sex for that matter. There are plenty of girl

Q. How much does the license cost?

A. Not a cent.
Q. Can you ask for certain call letters? For instance, your initials?
A. No. It's a waste of time even to ask. You just take what you get.
Q. How long do the licenses run?
A. All amateur licenses are now

good for three years.

# 'HAM" LICENSE TEST EASY-

Says Robert Hertzberg

# Who Took the Examination

 A GOOD MANY would-be radio amateurs fail to obtain their licenses merely because they are nervous or apprehensive when they take the government examination in an office of the Federal Communications Commission.



This motor-keyed audio oscillator, operated here by Charles T. Manning of the F.C.C. staff in New York, is accurately adjusted for 13 words per minute for the "code test" for amateur license applicants.

They may have "boned up" on the technical questions and practiced the code diligently for months in advance, but they apparently lose their self-confidence when they enter a room with several dozen other applicants and find themselves in unfamiliar surroundings.

There would be fewer failures for this reason if embryo "hams" realized in advance how simple the procedure is. Let us visit the large and busy office of the F.C.C. at 641 Washington Street, in New York City, and see if we can't get some valuable pointers.

The applicant's first step is to fill out Form 610, a four-page sheet entitled "Application for Amateur Operator and or Station License." This merely calls for statistical information. The really important questions which must be answered satisfactorily are 7, 8 and 9, which deal with the citizenship of the applicant. If you are not a citizen of the United States you simply cannot become a licensed radio amateur.

The applicant is required to swear to the truth of the statements he makes on Form 610 and to execute the oath of secrecy. Then he goes into the main examination room, which is furnished with a row (Continued on page 765)



Charles Mencher (left) of the F.C.C. staff n New York, giving the oath of secrecy to an applicant for an amateur license.

# AMATEUR RADIO AND THE FLOOD

• HAM radio stations have again distinguished themselves by carrying on a tremendous amount of important traffic throughout the flood area. Among other things the Federal Communications Commission ordered the 75-meter phone band cleared of all traffic so that designated stations could proceed to transmit important messages. Accord-ing to the press, the A.R.R.L. maintained a continuous watch on this channel to see that it was kept clear for important traffic.

The NBC mobile transmitting and receiving unit distinguished itself by serving as an emergency police unit. When the radio facilities of the police department of one of the larger cities in the flood area was put out of commission by the rising waters, the mobile unit bridged the gap in fine shape, thanks to the very elaborate short-wave transmitting and receiving equipment aboard. At the request of harrassed amateur

radio operators struggling to maintain disrupted communication services in the flooded Ohio and Mississippi River val-leys, the Federal Communications Commission at once intervened to re-strict all amateur operation in certain bands to flood relief traffic.

The order, inspired by congestion on the crowded amateur frequencies which often blotted out the weak signals from emergency stations, frequently operating with battery power under the most adverse conditions, banned all communi-cations not directly involving emergency messages from the amateur 3500-4000 kilocycle and 1715-2000 kilocycle bands.

Although wire services, both telegraph and telephone, have been maintained in the larger cities through heroic efforts by the public utilities companies, numerous smaller towns are completely without communication of any sort except that provided by the volunteer amateur operators. These operators, working with networks organized by the Army, Navy, Coast Guard and the American Radio Relay League's Emergency Corps, have been severely handi-capped by interference caused by the large number of stations working in the

limited territory available.

The text of the Commission's order, circulated by the official broadcasting network of the American Radio Relay League, follows:

To All Amateur Licensecs:
The Federal Communications Commission has been advised that the only contact with many flooded areas is by amateur radio, and since it is of vital importance that communication with flooded areas be (Continued on page 758)

# When members of the Washington Radio Club called at the White House to present Inaugural congratulatory messages from governors of 39 states and territories, sent to the President via "amateur radio," the Chief Executive took occasion to heartily thank them and their fellow "hams" for the vallant service they had rendered in maintaining communication with the flood-atricken areas. Left to right, James L. Holmes, W3GKW; Miss Elizabeth Zandonini, W3CDQ, of the U. S. Bureau of Standards; C. M. Godfrey, W3CYO; Eppa Darne, W3BWT, of the Army amateur network; Lieut, J. H. Nicholson, N3EE, of the Navy network; R. E. Macomber, W3CZE, and Roy C. Corderman, W3ZD, of the A. T. & T. Co., who presented the messages to The President.

# President Thanks HAMS for Flood Work

# Short Waves Cover Inauguration



Portable short-wave transmitters and receivers mounted on motor-boats and aboard trucks, so that they could move about quickly, proved extremely valuable during the flood. Above—one of the mobile units in operation at Memphis, Tennessee. This station kept in touch with the stricken areas and served as a guide for relief workers. Robert Keily of New Orleans, La., is seen operating, while John Wilmot of Mobile, Ala., looks on.

Below—One of the CBS Radio Cars used in picking up "spot news" at the inauguration in Washington, D.C. Note the special antenna mast mounted on the rear bumper, as well as the telescopic antenna.



Radio Amateurs certainly covered themselves with glory again during the flood. Here we see a shortwave transceiver being operated by an amateur, while a fair refugee "listens in." The batteries for operating the transceiver are in the box at the right of the photo; the antenna used is a telescopic affair which can be opened up like a fish-pole. This particular short-wave "set-up" in action was snapped by our photographer at Portsmouth, Ohio.



Left—This "shot" shows the special CBS master control booth located just beneath the inaugural stand on the capitol steps. Paul White and Henry Grossman of CBS are seen directing the activities of 18 announcers, 20 engineers, and a "raft" of mobile stations.

Right — N B C covered the inauguration with a whole battery of announcers, and engineers; one of their portable short-wave transmitters, carried on the back of the announcer, is shown in this picture taken during tests.

# **TELEVISION COURSE**

"Electronic Television" Lesson 3

By George H. Eckhardt.

Author, "Electronic Television"

Photo at left shows, in en-larged portion, how half-tone image is composed of dots of various sizes, sim-ilar to television image

Right—the Iconoscope, the special vacuum tube which forms the heart of the RCA television system. Note deflecting coils at right of photo.

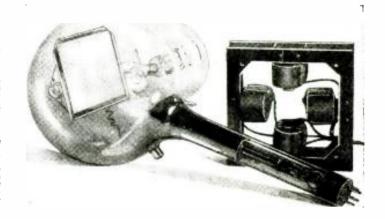
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Below—for the first time a drawing is here present-ed showing the construc-tion of the Philro televi-sion camera tube. The image is picked up by a lens and flashed on to the signal plate of the tube.

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DEFLECTING

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 IN reading this page will be found a good example of the basic principle of SCANNING. Each line is read from left to right, then the eye quickly goes back to the left again, and follows slowly the following line from left to right. Printed text is already broken up into consecutive lines.

And again the printed illustrations in this magazine give a good example of another basic principle of television. In the half-tone reproductions each picture is broken up into a number of elements, or dots, of varying intensity of light and shade, and the result is a reproduc-tion of the picture. The greater the number of dots, or elements, per square inch, the better the picture reproduc-

The Standard proposed for electronic television in the United States is 441 lines of definition per complete picture frame.

The Standard Aspect Ratio, the height to the breadth, is three to four. This has been set simply because this ratio gives a pleasing picture.

Now in looking at Fig. 1, it will be seen that if there are 441 lines as shown,

then there must be 586 divisions across the top of the picture, in order to divide it into squares. (441 is to "x" as 3 is

This will mean that each picture frame is divided into 258,426 squares. The signal denoting the degree of light

or shade of each of these squares must be picked up in the television camera, amplified, and reassembled at the re-

ANODE

SIGNAL PLATE

COLLECTOR

TO GRID OF

RESISTOR

ceiver, thirty times per second!

Interlaced scanning will be used, and this means that each picture will be scanned twice, each time with half the number of lines. Thus each complete frame will be scanned 60 times a second, using a half picture, or 220 ½ lines each time. The result is of course the same as 441 lines thirty times a second. The

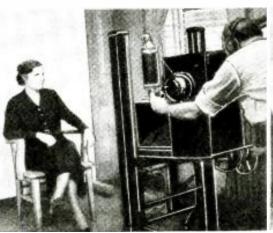
lines of the second half-picture fall between the lines of the first half-picture. Now again looking at Figure 1. Each

element varies through all of the shades, from complete white to complete black. Assume that the elements across the top line, from left to right, were alternately completely black and completely white.

It is necessary to transmit the signal denoting the shade of each element from the pick-up to the receiver. If an element of the picture at the pick-up is completely black, then to reproduce this at the receiver, the cathode ray must be extinguished for that element; and if an extinguished for that element; and if an element at the pick-up is completely white, then the cathode ray at the receiver should be its brightest. From A to B is one complete cycle. In this cycle it will be seen that from A to C the ray would be extinguished at the receiver to give a black element, and from ceiver to give a black element, and from C to B it would be brightest to give a white element. Thus it will be seen that the number of cycles required for each picture frame is one-half the number of elements, or about 120,000 cycles for each complete picture frame.

But each complete picture frame is scanned thirty (Continued on page 771)







Left-hand photo shows expert mak-ing a television tube in the Phil-co Laboratory.

Center — A view of the Philos tele-vision studio. The image is focused in a similar man-ner to that used with a camera

Right — Several Philes Television engineers with a Philes camera Left to right, A. F. Murray, F. J. Bingley, P. J. Kankle.

# S-W's AID MOVIE DIRECTORS

### FRONT COVER FEATURE

Movie directors have found short-wave phone sets very useful for inter-communication in taking big scenes spread over large areas.



perative. Short-wave transceivers, or in some cases separate transmitters and receivers, have frequently been used, even as long as 10 years ago, in Hollywood for just this purpose.

Before the days of light-weight portable short-ways sets capable of talking

able short-wave sets, capable of talking several miles and which can, if necessary, be carried as a pack set on a man's back so that he can walk about man's back so that he can walk about while dispatching orders or receiving them, telephone wires were frequently strewn across the field. But in such a picture as *The Charge of the Light Brigade*, where hundreds of mounted men are charging toward the camera stands and passing beyond them during the action, telephone wives are frequently ing the action, telephone wires are fre-

quently disrupted.

Short-wave phone sets which are self-contained, with (Continued on page 766)

Left—Scene taken "on location" during filming
The Charge of the Light Brigade. Short-wave
"phone" can be of inestimable value in linking
camera units and assistant directors about the
lot with the chief director.

IN photographing such gigantic spectacles as The Charge of the Light Brigade, which was filmed by Warner Brothers, some means of instant communication between the chief director and his assistants located at spots about the movie lot is practically im-



The diagram above shows the great value of short-wave "phone" sets in directing a big movie scene, such as that shown on our front cover and taken from The Charge of the Light Brigade. Not only are the various "camera groups" kept in constant touch with the director-in-chief by short-wave phone, but his aids stationed at various points about the movie lot can be given orders to diminish or increase smoke effects, etc.



The photo herewith shows one of the thrilling scenes from The Charge of the Light Brigade. Short-wave "phone" sets are a wonderful help in establishing instant communication between the director and his assistants, particularly when they are scattered over such a great area as occurs when taking such a battle scene as this.

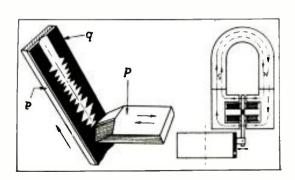
### PCJ. Eindhoven. Has Novel Voice Recorder



The photo shows the two-unit recorder of short wave station PCJ, Eindhoven, Holland, which operates with an interesting method of recording and reproduction.

 THE photos show one of the recording units of the Philips-Miller system, as used in Holland for an entirely new type of sound recording. We see at the right the celluloid ribbon, coated with an opaque layer. The ribbon passes through the cutter-head, right-side center and is led at once through the photo-electric pick-up (left side, box in front) to make instantaneous check-ups possible, and finally is reeled on the storage reel at the left.

This apparatus has not only the advantage that all recordings may be checked up during





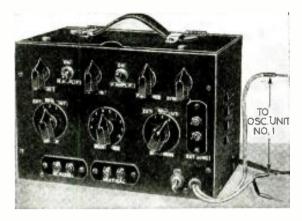
-PCJ's unusual sound-record-Aboveing system with amplifier, etc. Left—Flat Knife Cutter which re-cords sound tracks of varying width into moving ribbon.

the recording and that no developing, etc., is required, but it also has the advantage that the "engraved" sound recordings are less noisy than photographically reproduced ones, and, last but not least, the opaque coat(Continued on page 774)

# Low-Cost Oscilloscope—

Part II-By Howard G. McEntee, W2FHP





How to build a "companion unit" to use with the Oscilloscope described in the last issue, which used a 913 cathode ray tube.

case if the original instrument was rebuilt, we have designed a companion unit to work in conjunction with the original, the two units together being as versatile as the expensive commercial oscilloscopes and being able to do all the large ones can. In addition, this second unit may be used in conjunction with any of the socalled basic oscilloscopes, that is, those having no sweep circuits or amplifiers, just as our first unit had none.

Besides this it may be used as a straight high-gain two-channel amplifier, as may be required for pre-amplifier use, although this may require the addition of large cathode by-pass condensers on the 6J7 tube. In a pinch, the unit can be used as a source of audio tone, although the note from the sawtooth oscillator is rather harsh.

The equipment is contained in a case of the same size as the oscilloscope proper, and connections are made the latter through a 3 wire cable, the shield serving as the third wire. Since both units have (Continued on page 762)

Wouldn't you like to own a good cathode-ray oscilloscope? The present article tells how you can build a complete companion unit for the home-made oscilloscope described in the last issue. The two units permit all sorts uf measurements to be made.

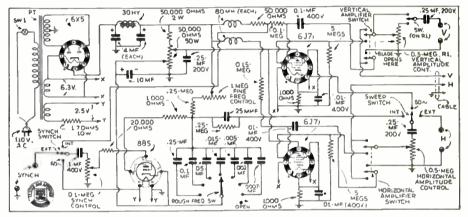
At right—diagram of the auxiliary oscilloscope unit here described by Mr. McEntee.

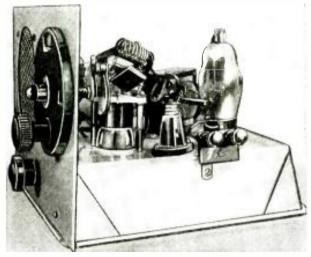
McEntee.

 THOSE who built the baby oscilloscope described in last month's issue will probably by now be ready to use something a little more advanced, and with which more complete measurements may be made.

In order to make it unnecessary to

discard any parts, which would be the





A hread-pan serves as a chassis for this 5-meter A.C.-D.C. Receiver. It wurks a loud-speaker, yes sir!

HERE is a five meter receiver for the Ham or HERE is a five meter receiver for the Ham or SWL who wishes to look into the possibilities of the 56 megacycle band at little expense, but who wants a receiver capable of giving reasonably satisfactory performance. The circuit is not new. It is the now well known "Minute Man." famous for its sensitivity and selectivity. Its adaptation to a two tube A.C.-D.C. circuit is new. It has been in use here at W3GHO for several months

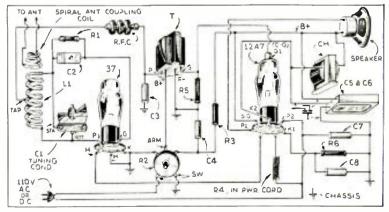
there at W3GHQ for several months.

The use of the popular 12A7 permits reasonable volume on the tiny speaker. On some signals it can be heard all over a medium-sized apartment—much to the disgust of the ex-YL. The set is very simple to construct. The hum level on AC is quite low. In fact it is not audible when the set is in regeneration, or on a signal.

### A 5-Meter A.C.-D.C. Receiver Jack Barnette, W3GHO

The panel is 7 x 12 inches or made to fit your particular chassis. The chassis may be almost anything you have handy. The set shown is built on a tin bread-pan from the 5 and 10.

The 37 tube is mounted in an inverted position to permit the The 37 tube is mounted in an inverted position to permit the shortest possible leads to grid and plate. The coil should be soldered directly to the plate prong contact on the isolantite socket, as should one lug of the tuning condenser. The other end of the coil—and the other tuning condenser connection—should be soldered to one lug of the tiny variable grid condenser. This in turn has the remaining lug soldered to the socket grid contact. The 10 megohm grid-leak is connected (Continued on page 773)



Simple to build? We'll say so! Look at the diagram—and it furnishes its own plate supply current too!

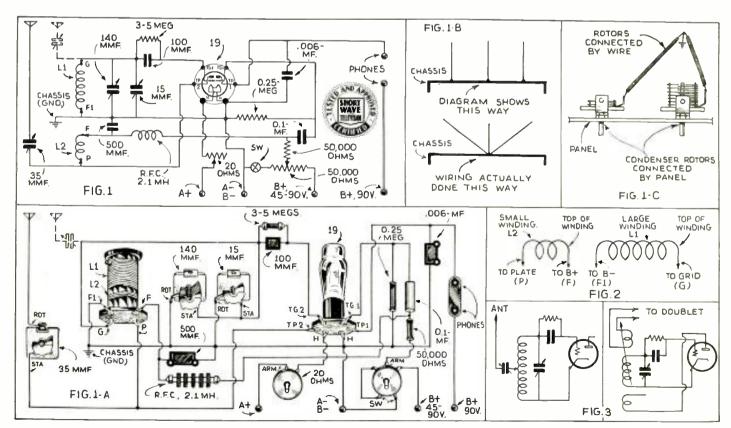
# SHORT-WAVE BEGINNER



• THIS is the first of the series of articles devoted especially to the Short-Wave Beginner. We will endeavor to point out in clear language the most prominent factors in successfully getting started in short-wave radio.

His first and greatest problem is of course, choosing the receiver with which to start. Many beginners will, or have purchased their receivers ready-made, while many others will construct their own, for we all admit there is a certain satisfaction in obtaining results with a set constructed with one's own hands. The beginner who has purchased his receiver will find many valuable hints in this series of articles, and we believe that he should follow them

as closely as the man who wishes to construct his own. We have chosen the famous "19 Twin-Plex" with a few modifications, as the first example in the line of amateur construction. This receiver is extremely simple to construct, and at the same time produces excellent results. The "19" tube, as our tube chart tells us, is a twin-triode; that is, two, three-element tubes are contained within a single glass envelope. In the receiver to be described, one set of elements in this tube acts as a regenerative detector, and the other set of elements as a stage of audio amplification. We have presented both schematic and physical diagrams of the receiver in order that there will be no



Both physical and schematic diagrams of the 1-tube beginner's receiver.

By George W. Shuart, W2AMN

• The department started with this first article is to be devoted entirely to the "beginner." The receiver described is a modification of the famous "19 Twin-Plex" it was chosen as the first attempt in the line of construction. Complete details for building this receiver are given in the article, together with much other valuable information on subjects which have frequently been a source of trouble to the beginner.

Also read the box below, wherein your chance to win a \$25.00 prize for the best

"log" obtained with a duplicate of this set, is fully explained,

# Receiver Using Dual 19 Detector and Audio Amplifier



danger of the beginner not being able to follow the diagram.

#### What Diagrams Show

One word about diagrams: Diagrams merely serve to indicate what terminals are connected together, and this may be done in several ways, usually in diagrams such as ours, the connections are drawn in a manner most convenient to the draftsman and also to lend symmetry to the diagram, enabling it to be clearly read. Where two or three terminals are connected together along a single line, the proper procedure is to make the leads as short and direct as possible. For instance, the draftsman may have carried one lead over three or four other leads and through a certain course in the diagram. Of course, this should not be done in the construction of the receiver. The leads should be run directly to the points concerned. In figure 1, we have endeavored to show what we mean by running the wires in a direct fashion rather than as the usual diagram indicates. In many cases, and particularly with this receiver, the chassis and panel is made of wetal and sarves as the low potential or grounded portion of metal and serves as the low potential or grounded portion of the circuit.

For instance, the rotors of the two tuning condensers are not insulated from the chassis, and therefore are connected together electrically through the metal panel. However we recommend that a separate connection be made with hook-up The condensers do not have to be insulated from the panel, but they should be treated as though they were, and the necessary connections indicated in the diagram should be carried out with hook-up wires.

The reason this is done is to eliminate the use of the panel as the sole connecting agent for the simple reason that there may be radio frequency currents flowing in the panel, due to its serving as an electrical connection, and therefore when the operator's hand or body comes near, or in contact with the panel, a serious de-tuning effect will be noticed, just the same as though the operator's hand were brought in close proximity to the coil, although perhaps not so pronounced. So much for diagrams.

### Follow Values of Parts Specified

The values of the various parts indicated in the diagram

# \$25.00 Prize for Best "Log" Obtained With This 1-Tube Set

● The editors are offering a \$25.00 cash prize for the best "Log" of short-wave stations heard with this 1-tube receiver. The closing date for entries in this contest is May 25th, and the announcement of the award of the winner's name will be given in the August number, which comes on the newsstand laby.

### RULES

RULES

1—Verification cards must be submitted for each station heard, and all veris must be foreign. The stations to be verified and entered in this contest are short-wave broadcast stations only, no amateur or commercial code stations. The cards must specifically verify the exact date of reception.

2—The listener must build this 1-tube set himself, and send a clear photograph.

3—A notarized affidavit must be submitted with the entry, testifying that the entrant was the sole participant and heard the stations listed on a duplicate of this 1-tube receiver, which he built himself.

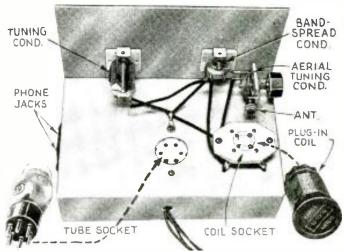
he built himself.

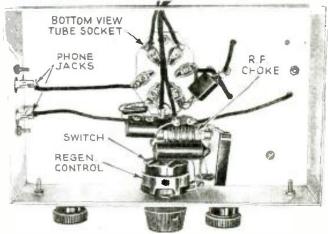
The cards must be submitted in order, to conform with itemized list submitted, so as to simplify checking by the

-In a case of a tie, duplicate prizes will be awarded.

should be followed exactly if proper results are to be obtained. Slight deviation from the values shown is possible in many cases without serious effect, but it is not recommended that the beginner make these changes until he is thoroughly familiar with the particular values which are not critical.

The power-supply for this receiver consists of two 45 volt "B" batteries, and two 1½-volt dry cells. The 19 tube requires two volts for the filament, therefore it is necessary to use a rheostat in order to reduce the voltage supplied by the three-volt battery unit. No voltmeter is required for measuring the voltage applied to the tube if the operator always remembers to operate the filament with the lowest voltage consistent with good reception. In the schematic diagram, figure 1, we have shown alternate methods of connecting the antenna to the receiver. The solid connections shown connect the antenna to the plate side of (Continued on page 767)





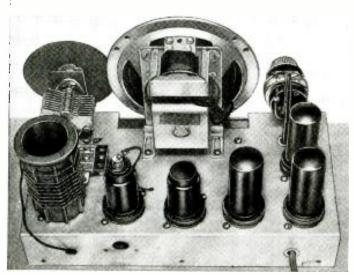
Rear and bottom views, showing the various parts and their respective positions.

### 1937 Senior

# SPACE-EXPLORER

By H. G. Cisin, M. E.

This 5-tube receiver uses plug-in coils to cover the bands from 17 to 560 meters. It uses a regenerative circuit, which makes it much simpler for the beginner to build than the superhet type of circuit. Maximum results for the number of tubes used are assured.

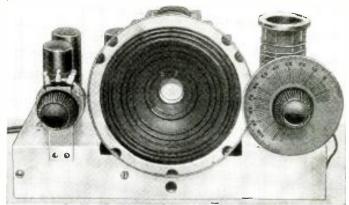


Rear view of the 5-tuhe receiver, which has its own platesupply huilt in.

• IN describing the construction of various radio receivers the writer has carefully kept in mind the desirability of producing a series of articles, progressively graded so as to permit the novice to augment his radio knowledge with each successive set he constructs.

The December, 1936, issue of Short Wave Craft carried an article by the writer explaining how to construct the Junior Space-Explorer. This receiver employed a combination of metal and glass tubes in a simplified regenerative circuit, producing power sufficient to energize a small magnetic speaker.

The Senior Space-Explorer, with only slight added expense for parts, is a more powerful receiver, capable of excellent



Front view of the Sr. Space-Explorer; it works on 110 Volts, A.C. or D.C.

volume and tone quality using a standard dynamic speaker. This set was designed especially to meet the requirements of the advanced novice.

In addition to the simple regenerative detector, there are two resistance coupled audio stages. Further simplification is attained through the use of the A.C.-D.C. circuit, which eliminates the power transformer.

#### Metal Tubes Employed

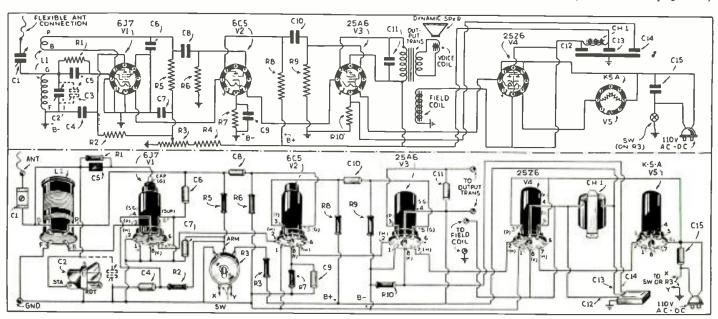
Metal tubes are used throughout this receiver. The triple grid 6J7 is employed as a regenerative detector. The 6C5, a triode, is used in that first audio stage, while the 25A6, a power amplifier pentode is the output tube. For A.C.-D.C. service, this latter tube has a power output of .9 watt. The rectifier tube is a 25Z6, used as a half-wave rectifier.

The K-5-A ballast tube employed is a worth while innovation, undoubtedly destined to supersede resistance-type line cords. This new ballast tube serves several useful functions. First of all, it reduces line voltage to the correct value for heating the tube filaments. In addition, it prevents line surges from affecting the other tubes, thus protecting them and increasing their useful life. It also acts as a fuse in case of a short-circuit and since it can be replaced without fuss or soldering, this convenient feature alone, gives it a big advantage over the old-style resistor line cord.

### 5 Plug-in Coils Cover 17 to 560 Meters

Five plug-in Hammarlund coils are used to cover the band from 17 to 560 meters. These are tuned by a .00014 mf. variable condenser. By connecting a 15 mmf. variable condenser in parallel with the tuning condenser, as shown on the diagram in dotted lines, it is possible to obtain band-spreading.

Those who wish to add an extra tube to this set can do so by using two 25A6 tubes in push-pull in the output stage. In this case, of course, a push-pull input transformer will be needed in place of the resistance-coupled stage and the dynamic (Continued on page 764)



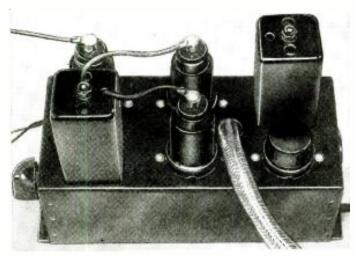
Wiring diagram of the Sr. Space-Explorer which employs a regenerative detector circuit. The new Ballast tube is used to reduce the 110 volt potential to a suitable value for the tube heater circuit.

# Is YOUR Receiver Top-Notch?

# Make It "De Luxe" by Adding

By Clifford E. Denton

### NOISE-SILENCER and BEAT-OSCILLATOR



Neat appearance, plus sterling performance, mark this Noise-Silencer. It can be used with "any" Super-Het.

EVERY short-wave "fan" has a pet

set. But every fan does not want to take the set apart to incorporate improvements. Many of the keenest listeners have a desire to add units or circuits, but have factory-built receivers that cost plenty of money and hesitate to make changes. Here is a simple way to incorporate worth-while changes, without taking your present set apart or the necessity of radical alterations, and one that will appeal to the experimenter and the listener-in as well.

### Noise-Silencer for Any Set

First, here is a Noise-Silencer Unit that will work with any set, even though the set has but one I.F. stage. Most of the silencer units developed could not be used with receivers having one I.F. stage, due to the losses introduced by the silencer unit. A study of the diagram, Fig. 1, shows that an additional I.F. stage is incorporated in the silencer unit to compensate for the normal loss which is to be expected. In fact the use of the silencer unit with receivers having one I.F. stage will result in slightly greater sensitivity when the threshold control is in the minimum

It will be remembered that silencers of this type are the only units that permit operation in sections that are known to have high noise-levels caused by manmade interference, such as vacuum cleaners, oil burners, battery chargers,

etc.
This silencer will operate with any type of superheterodyne receiver, regardless of the number of I.F. stages and has enough "gain" in the built-in and has enough "gain" in the built-in I.F. stage to compensate for any losses. It supplies its own power for the tube heaters and draws a very small amount of current from the plate supply of the

receiver.
So, if you want freedom from manmade interference add a silencer unit and the next time you show off your

Complete constructional details are given for huilding and using very latest model Noise-Silencer and Beat-Oscillator.

S.W. set, give your friends more signal and less noise! you will like it and they will be amazed. That's Deluxe No. 1.

### Adding a Beat-Note Oscillator

Deluxe Item No. 2 is a Beat-Note Oscillator. This handy unit should be incorporated in every short-wave and all-wave receiver. Many cus-

tom-built sets feature a built-in oscillator, but there are hundreds of allwave receiver owners with factory-built jobs that need the advantages of the beat note to simplify tuning. Especially those sets having a low tuning ratio on the tuning dial. Fast dial speeds tend to make the listener-in pass over many stations that would other-wise prove to be good "catches." A study of the circuit diagram Fig. 2

A study of the circuit diagram Fig. 2 shows that the unit has its own built-in power supply. Thus, does not throw an additional load on the receiver with which it is used. No unbalancing or change in the tuning or I.F. transformers of the radio set is necessary at the time of installation, which is a point well worth mentioning.

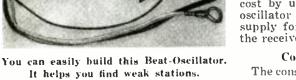
The output of the oscillator is readily

The output of the oscillator is readily controlled by means of potentiometer R3, and the effect of the loading of the tube on the tuned circuits of the receiver can be compensated for hy means of the midget variable coupling condenser C1. These two components simplify the preliminary adjustments made at the time

of installation.

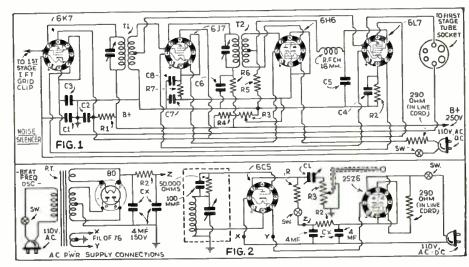
Three models of the Beat Frequency Oscillator can be built. A.C.-D.C. using a 6C5 oscillator and a 25Z6 rectifier as shown in Fig. 2; A.C. operated by using the small power transformer specified, and using a type 76 tuhe as the oscillator and an 80 as the rectifier. A batlator and an 80 as the rectifier. A bat-tery model can be made at still lower cost by using a single type 30 as the oscillator tube. In that case the powersupply for the unit can be taken from

the receiver.



### Construction and Wiring

The construct (Continued on page 768)



Diagrams of Noise-Silencer and Beat-Oscillator. (No. 609)



# ONE METER WAVES



### How to Build "Long Lines" Xmitter

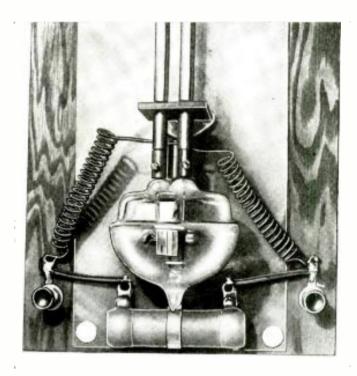
• THE amateur has done little experimenting on the real ultra-high frequencies for the simple reason that proper equipment has only recently become available. It is a well-known fact that it is almost impossible to get any appreciable power from the conventional type of vacuum tube at wavelengths as short as 1 meter.

With the advent of the new Western Electric 316A tube, there is no reason why the amateur who can afford it should not carry on experiments in the ½ to 1½-meter regions. This new tube can be operated at fairly high efficiency at ½-meter, and has a power output of from five to eight watts. There are many advantages in working on frequencies in the neighborhood of 300 megacycles or higher; principally the entire lack of outside interference.

### No Interference Noticed

For instance, during the several months of experimental work, we did not hear a single automobile ignition system, or for that matter, any other type of electrical disturbance; in fact we heard nothing save our own signals and we believe that this real ultra-high frequency business offers the amateur an excellent opportunity for short-range direct communication. We further believe that a successful amateur band could be organized in these regions, and probably produce more interesting results than the present 5-meter band. Of course, the transmission range is more limited as the frequency increases and the higher we go, the more it seems to take on the optical effect.

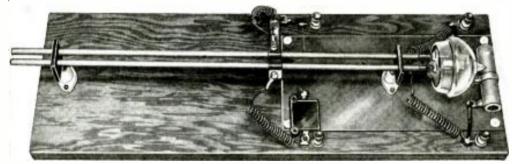
In other words, in wavelengths around 1-meter, distances of around 25 miles would seem to be "DX," unless we ex-



† Close-up of the tube showing how it's fastened to the copper rods.

← Complete 1-meter oscillator.

quency at which you wish to transmit. The over-all length of the external circuit from the tube to the far end of the copper tubing is 15½-inches, and the frequency of oscillation is approximately 275 megacycles. The frequency may be increased by shortening the length of the two



perience some unusual conditions similar to those now current on the five meter band, where atmospheric conditions play a prominent part. Before any definite opinions can be reached, it will be necessary for the amateurs to occupy these high frequency regions in large numbers and thereby prove whether or not present theories and findings are definitely correct. In any event, we believe it affords an excellent opportunity for intra-city communication.

The transmitter employed during our experiments was a single 316A, plate-modulated with about 400-volts on the plate. In the photographs you see the actual transmitter that operated in the neighborhood of 275 megacycles. The circuit is exactly the same as that described by the author in the November 1934 issue of Short Wave Craft, and this circuit seems to be the only logical one at the present time for 1-meter operation.

### Constructional Details

The general constructional details can be learned by referring to the photograph. Here we see that the tube is fastened to the ends of a pair of copper tubes. These tubes are ¼-in. in diameter, and the spacing between them is slightly over a ¼-inch. The spacing in fact is identical to the spacing of the plate and grid prongs of the tube. The length of these copper rods of course, depend upon the fre-

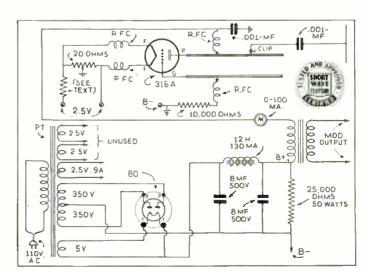


Diagram showing the transmitter connections.

# for "Short Haul" QSO's

# Using WE-316A Tube; Also Receiver By George W. Shuart, W2AMN





copper electrodes. The plate and grid re-turn leads are taken from a point of zero R.F. voltage on this oscillatory line. R.F. chokes are used at this point and they consist of 20 turns of No. 18 or 20 wire, wound on ¼-inch dowel stick. After the winding form is removed the turns are spaced so that the over-all length is approximately 2-inches. Similar chokes are also used in series with each leg of the filament circuit.

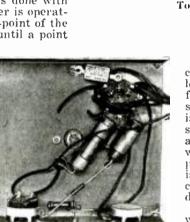
● The ultra short-waves around 1-meter offer the amateur an exceptional opportunity for interference-free communication. Of course, the distance to be covered is not great, but if a large number of amateurs should migrate to the real short-waves, unbelievable developments may take place. Complete information is given on the construction of the Transmitter and Receiver in this article.

### Adjusting Transmitter

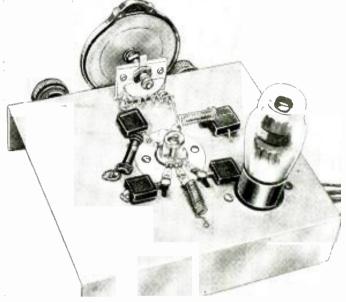
If the directions given are followed the oscillator will work the first try and no tricky adjustments will be necessary. The one and only adjustment is the placing of the grid and plate connections on the copper rods, and this is done with the aid of a small neon bulb, after the transmitter is operating and the two clips connected to about the mid-point of the copper rods. Slide the neon bulb along the rods until a point

is reached where no glow is apparent. This is the point where the two clips should be attached.

The antenna used in our experiments consisted of a single copper rod one-half wavelength long. Its length was determined by the standing wave on the linear circuit of the oscillator. The distance from the free end of the copper tubes to the point where the neon bulb went out may be roughly considered as ¼-wave, and the length of the half-wave antenna will be twice this length. The antenna feeder consisted of a single wire, tapped on to the antenna a short distance from the center. This distance is equal to approximately 14% of the total length of the antenna.



Bottom view of receiver.



Top view of 1-meter receiver.

### 1-Meter Receiver

No directional antennas were tried because the receiver was most of the time located in a moving automobile and therefore a directional antenna would not have served our purpose. The receiver employed is also shown in the photograph, and consisted of an Acorn 955 triode, and a 41 audio amplifier. The tuning condenser was a two plate Trim-air with the stator plate split in the center. Complete data is also given in the diagram covering the construction of the choke coils and the inductance for the grid circuit.

The power supply for the transmitter was a very simple affair and the diagram explains it in detail. As 2½ volt windings are the nearest obtainable, in the average power transformer, a resistance is necessary in order to reduce it to 2 volts for the filament. (Continued on page 758)

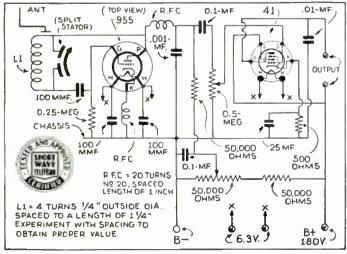


Diagram of the 1-meter experimental receiver.



The 400-volt power-supply used with the oscillator.

#### **VIENNA**

OER2 at Vienna, Austria, has rebuilt its station and now operates daily on 11,800 kc. from 10 a.m.-5 p.m. and Saturdays till 5:30 p.m. The power is about 2 kw.

### S. AMERICA

The 31 meter band is now jammed with South Americans. Almost any evening it is possible to tune in Spanish-speaking S.A.'s in the 9,500 kc.

ish-speaking S.A.'s in the 9,500 kc. band. In addition to the more familiar "standbys" we find there now the following "newcomers."

XEFT of Vera Cruz, Mexico, on 9,490 kc. XEDQ of Guadalajara, Mex., on 9,470, HH2R of Port-au-Prince, Haiti, on 9,440 kc. and an "unknown" on about 9,445 kc. Reference to the station list will show that erence to the station list will show that there are about 19 Spanish-American stations between 9,670 and 9,428 kc!

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# Short Wave Craque

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This is the handsome certificate that is presented FREE to all members of the SHORT WAVE LEAGUE. The full size is 71/4"x91/2". (See page 781)

### CHILE

There is a new broadcaster in Santiago on about 12,300 kc. It is heard almost nightly as late as 11 p.m. Call letters are unknown but are most likely CB123, as the Chilean broadcast stations calls are made up of the stations' operating frequency in mega-cycles, prefaced by the letters CB. (A most logical arrangement.)

### VENEZUELA

All Venezuelan call letters underwent a drastic change on January first. Under the new "set-up" the various important cities are assigned certain numbers and all stations in a given city must have calls beginning with the number assigned to that city. All the new calls are not yet known, so some call-letter spaces in the station list have been left blank. The princi-

pal cities have been assigned the following numerals. 1: Maracaibo, Valera and Bocono. San Cristobal and Merida. Barquismeto and San S: Barquismeto and San Felipe. 4: Valencia and Maracay. 5: Caracas. For example YV2RC in Ca-racas on 5800 kc. is now YV5RC. YV5RMO on 5850 is now YV1RR 5850 is now YV1RB.

### CZECHOSLOVAKIA

OLR at Prague has been operating on another new frequency—9,550 kc. between DJA and DJN. It is heard "signing off" on this frequency at 10 p.m. on Mon. and Thurs.

### THANKS

Thanks to the following contributors for information in compiling this column and the station list this month.
J. Rudolph, Wis.; R. Harvey, Jamaica,
B.W.I.; Theodore Smith, Ogdensburg,

# WHEN TO LISTEN IN

By M. Harvey Gernsback

### PANAMA

A new station is supposed to be in operation from January 15th according to information received from the operators. It is HP5L at David, Chiriqui, Panama, on 11,740 kc. Address is Apartado 129. Another Panama station is being heard irregularly on 11,-795 kc. during the evening hours. It is located

at Aguadulce.

### JAPAN

The new Japanese short-wave broad-The new Japanese short-wave broad-cast service is supposed to go into op-eration on April 1st. New transmit-ters employing 50 kw. power will be put in service. At present tests are being carried out with 20 kw. trans-mitters, Programs for America are broadcast daily from 12 m.-1 a.m. on either IZI (41, 800 kg.) or IZK (15. either JZJ ((11,800 kc.) or JZK (15,160 kc.) from 4-5 p.m. on JZJ and either JZK or JVN. For Europe programs are transmitted on Tues, and Fri. from 2:30-3:30 p.m. on JZI, 9535 and either JVP or JZJ. Programs for Australia and New Zealand are broadcast from 9-10 a.m. on JZI and JVM or JZJ. In addition the regular Japanese long-wave program is relayed daily from 4-8 a.m. by JVN and at various intervals during other parts of the day. either JZJ ((11,800 kc.) or JZK (15,vals during other parts of the day.

N.Y.; R. B. Oxrieder, Pa.; D. J. Centanino, Pa.; C. Walter, Pa.; B. Sawada, Cal.; F. W. Hartman, N. J.; R. Havens, Mont.; C. Dye, Cal.; and Archer in far-off Johannesburg, S. Africa. Again, many thanks.

### HONOLULU?

I wish to report the reception of a station in the Hawaiian Islands that has been broadcasting quite frequently in the past few months. I believe the station to be located in Honolulu, Hawaii. The station is identified by the call KKP. They are on the air every Sunday evening from 8:30 to 9 p.m. on 16.030 mc.—C. O. Downing, Dayton, O.

### Here's Your Button

The illustration herewith shows the beautiful design of the "Official" Short Wave League button, which is available to everyone who becomes a member of the Short Wave League.

The requirements for joining the League are explained in a booklet, copies of which will be mailed upon request. The button measures 34 inch in diameter and is inlaid in enamel—3 colors—red, white, and blue.

Please note that you can order your button AT ONCE—SHORT WAVE LEAGUE supplies it at cost, the price, including the mailing, being 35 cents. A solid gold button is furnished for \$2.00 prepaid. Address all communications to SHORT WAVE LEAGUE, 99:101 Hudson St., New York.

# WORLD-WIDE SHORT-WAVE REVIEW

-Edited By C. W. PALMER

### The "Septimetre" Receiver

• THE advancement of television in England to the point where receivers are being sold by all the larger manufacturers of radio equipment, has created a flurry of excitement among all radio listeners in

that country.

For those who cannot afford one of the relatively expensive television sets, Practical and Amateur Wireless (London) recently featured a small receiver for pick-



Appearance of the "Septimetre" Receiver

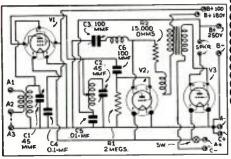


Diagram of U. H. F. receiver.

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ing up the music and sounds which accompany the video (picture) programs.

Since radio fans in the U.S. may be interested in this simple little U.H.F. set, we give the circuit and constants here.

The set consists of a stage of R.F. (mainly for stability) followed by a regenerative detector and a transformer-coupled triode A.F. amplifier. The set is battery-operated. The values of parts are indicated in the diagram and can be readily duplicated in American parts.

The coils are arranged to plug into ceranic bases with tip-jacks inserted. For the 7 meter band, the coils consist of 6 turn grid coils, wound with No. 14 bare copper wire, wound to \(^{5}\kappa\$-in. diameter and spaced slightly more than the diameter of the wire. The aerial and tickler coils are wound with 4 turns of the same size wire and wound to the same diameter and spacing. spacing.

#### An Australian "Champion" 3 W. Phone Xmitter

 THE Australasian Radio World (Sydney) featured in the past two issues details of VK2CP's phone transmitter which tails of VK2CIP's phone transmitter which has worked 17 American stations on phone and over 100 American stations on C.W., operating on the 20 meter band.

For those "hams" who might be interested in the rig which VK2CP used, we are reprinting the circuit here.

A 40 meter crystal is used, giving operation on the 40 and 20 meter bands. One section of the type 53 tube is used as a

### \$25.00 FOR GOOD 1-TUBE SET

 TILE editors know that our shortwave set-builders and experimenters must have developed some extra fine 1tube circuits-possibly for receiving sets, short-wave converters, etc.

We are therefore offering \$25.00 for good 1-tube set, either in the form of short-wave receiver or a converter. Please note that there is little use in sending in an ordinary hook-up for a 3element tube as most of the circuits possible with these tubes have been published.

What the editors want is a new circuit, designed around one of the latest type tubes having a multiplicity of grids. Refer to the March issue, page 675, where a very ingenious 1-tube S-W converter circuit is given. This will give you some idea of what we are after.

As a preliminary, you may send in a diagram and a description of the set and a good clear photo or two of it. A list of parts should accompany the description and the editors, who will act as the judges, and whose opinion will be final, reserve the privilege of requiring the set to be sent to them for inspection and test if they so desire. With the dual purpose tubes now available many ideas will suggest themselves. For example— Receivers with R. F. and Detector Stages; Detector and A.F. stage; Detector and Plate-Supply Rectifier; 1-tube Super-het; Reflex set, etc.

crystal oscillator and the other as a frequency doubler. The power-amplifier stage uses a type 6P6—a high-frequency pentode. (This tube can be replaced by a 59 or other critical accordance) suitable type.)

suitable type.)

Link coupling is used between the 53 and the power tube. When the bands are being changed, the link coupling is automatically coupled over to the required output of the 53, when the grid coil of the power tube is changed. This is accomplished by using two 6-pin coil forms, with the connections made in the correct manner for changing from one coupling to the other by using different pins for the two coupling link circuits.

The coils are wound as follows:

40 Meters 20 Meters L1-19 T L3-14 T -10 T - 8 T -12 T L4-22 T

Link coils in all cases—2 T. L1, L2, L3 are wound with No. 20 D.C.C. L4 is wound

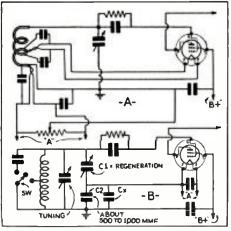
with No. 8 bare copper wire. The modulator system is a high-gain affair using a type 57 resistance-coupled to a 56, which is also resistance-coupled to the modulator—a type 53 connected as a triode. Coupling to the power stage of the xmitter is through a 1:1 class B trans-

The power-supply (not shown) delivers to V. at 150 ma. This is reduced through a potential dropping resistor to 250 V. for the modulator system.

### Electron-Coupling With Battery Tubes

 DIFFICULTY is sometimes encountered in obtaining satisfactory oscillation with electron-coupled oscillators on wavelengths below 30 meters, when battery type tubes are employed.

The reason for this difficulty according to an article in Funk Magazine (Berlin) recently is due to "stray capacities" between the filament circuits and ground. At the

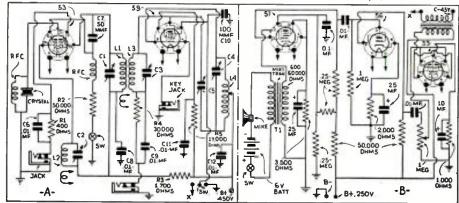


Circuit for improved oscillator on ultra short wavelengths.

very high frequencies this capacity affects the phase relation between the signals in the tuned circuit and those fed back to it. The result is that instead of aiding the currents in the tuned circuit these feed-back currents tend to oppose or reduce them duce them.

duce them.

The circuit detail at -A- shows a method of reducing this trouble by the use of hollow tubing for the tuning coil with the filament wires carried in a twisted pair through the lower portion of the coil from the point where the ordinary "cathode tap" is usually made. These leads are then (Continued on page 777)



An interesting short-wave phone transmitter and modulator.



# SHORT WAVE . SCOUTS

### THIRTY-SEVENTH TROPHY

Presented to

SHORT WAVE SCOUT

### WALTER J. KULECK

57 E. Parker Street Scranton, Pa.

For his contribution toward the advancement of the art of Radio bv



Magazine

ON this page is illustrated the handsome trophy which was designed by one of New York's leading silversmiths. It is made of neval throughout, except the base, which is made of handsome black Bakelite. The metal itself is quadruple silver-plated, in the usual manner of all trophies today.

It is a most imposing piece of work, and stands from tip to base 22½". The diameter of the base is 7½". The diameter of the globe is 5½". The work throughout is first-class, and no money has been spared in its execution. It will enhance any home, and will be admired by everyone who sees it. The trophy will be awarded every month, and the winner will be announced in the following issue of SHORT WAVE & TELEVISION. The winner's name will be hand engraved on the trophy.

The purpose of this contest is to advance the art of radio by "logging" as many short-wave phone stations, amateurs excluded, in a period not exceeding 30 days, as possible by any one contestant. The trophy will be awarded to that SHORT WAVE SCOUT who has logged the greatest number of short-wave stations during any 30-day period.

### 88 Stations-76 Foreign

• WE take pleasure in awarding the thirty-seventh trophy to Walter J. Kuleck, Scranton, Pa., for his efforts in DXing. Mr. Kuleck rolled up an excellent list of stations, 88 in all, and all of them came within the scope of the contest rules. The receiver employed

### Honorable Mention

(NONE)

was a 1936 model, 660X All-Wave 10tube Philco superheterodyne. This, to-gether with the 65 foot, one-wire antenna. 25 ft. high, was used for receiving.

This month was just the opposite from last month, insofar as Mr. Kuleck was the only entrant. Read the new "Continent" contest rules below, which the editors believe will make this department more interesting. Read the rules carefully and make sure that your entry complies with them.

We might offer a suggestion in sending in your entry, and that is list the stations and number them. For instance, from 1 to 75, if you have that many. Then stack the cards in the same order so that the judges can quickly and accurately check the list, without having to delve through a large number of cards.

Good luck, and see you next month!

#### Mr. Kuleck's List of Stations

United States

United States
Call Freq. Sched. Location
W2XE—11,830 kc.—Relays WABC. Atlantic
Broadcast. Corp.. N.Y.C.
W3XAL—16,873 kc.—Relays WJZ. Nat. Broadcasting Co.. Bound Brook, N.J.
W9XAA—11,830 kc.—Relays WCFL. Chicago
Fed. Labor. Chicago, Ill.
W9XF—6,100 kc.—Relays WENR. Nat. Broadcasting Co.. Chicago, Ill.
W2XAF—9,530 kc.—4-12 p.m., ex. Sun., 4:15-12 p.m., General Electric Co., Schenectady, N.Y.
W2XAD—15,330 kc.—2-3 p.m.; ex. Sun., 10:30
a.m.-4 p.m. General Electric Co., Schenectady, N.Y.
W3XAU—9,590 kc.—Relays WCAU. Newtown
Square, Pa.
W3XAU—6,060 kc.—Relays WCAU. Newtown
Square, Pa.
W3XAU—6,060 kc.—Relays WCAU. Newtown
Square, Pa.

W3XAU-6,060 kc.—Relays WUAU, Newtown Square, Pa.
W1XAL-6,040 kc.—World Wide Broadcasting Corp., Univ. Club. Boston, Mass.
W1XAL-11,790 kc.—World Wide Broadcasting Corp. Univ. Club. Boston. Mass.
W8XAL-6,060 kc.—Relays WLW. Crosley Radio Corp., Cincinnati, Ohio.
W3XAL-6,100 kc.—(Same as above.)
(Continued on page 770)

### **New "Continent" Scout Trophy Contest**

• MANY of our readers have suggested that we offer a new type of contest for the Short-Wave Scout Silver Trophy. We have therefore decided to begin a new series of contests and you can start "listening in," and writing for veris at once.

This new series of contest will be confined to reception from stations at one continent at a time. The first of these contests will be for the greatest number of verified stations heard in Asia. You may "listen in" from now until June 25th, but you will have to allow time for veris to reach you.

The same general rules as given previously apply. That is, a notarized affidavit must be sent with the veri cards and, of course, all of the veris will have to be for the continent assigned for each particular contest. The Asia "listening in" contest will close June 25th, and the trophy award will be announced in the September number which goes on the newsstands August 1st.

A—By midnight June 25th, all entries for the Asia contest must therefore be in the hands of the Editors, together with veris and the notarized oath that the contestant personally listened to all of the stations listed.

B—For the next four issues, the May, Junc, July and August numbers, trophies will be awarded on the basis of the old rules, which require that 50% of the stations heard and verified be foreign, and also that the listening time may be any 30-day period. In either contest, and in the event of a tie between two or more contestants, each listing the same number of stations, the judges will award a similar trophy to each contestant so tying.

C—Bear in mind that the veri cards should be absolute verifications, and not simply an acknowledgment that you notified a station that you heard them. The B.B.C. and several other stations do not verify, but simply send an acknowledgment card. Note that in either contest that only experimental phone or broadcast stations should be entered in your list. No amateur transmitters or commercial code stations can be entered. For the May, June, July and August contests, which follow our regular rules, the entries must be in the Editors' hands by midnight of the 25th day of the month for the next succeeding issue. The contest for the May issue will close in New York City March 25th, etc.

D—Please note once more, that only letters

cards which specifically verify reception

or cards which specifically verify reception of a given station on a given wavelength and on a given date will be accepted! Don't forget to send International Postal Reply Coupon, costing 9 cents at your P.O. with requests for foreign veris.

E—Any type of short or all-wave receiver may be used by the listener. Please specify type and make of set, how many tubes, type of aerial and its dimensions in a brief statement accompanying the veri cards. All veri cards will be returned prepaid after judging each conte t. The judges in each contest will be the Editors of Short Wave & Television and the opinions of the judges will be final.

F—When sending in entries, type your list.

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F-When sending in entries, type your list, or write in ink, and give the total number of stations both Foreign and Domestic. Send veri cards with your letter and oath certificate all in one package. Use a single line for each station and list them in a regular order, such as: frequency, schedule. (All time should be reduced to E.S.T., which is five hours behind Greenwich Meridian Time.) Name of station, city, country; musical identification signal if any.

# WHAT'S NEW

The short-wave apparatus here shown has been carefully selected for description by the editors after a rigid investigation of its merits.

# In Short-Wave Apparatus

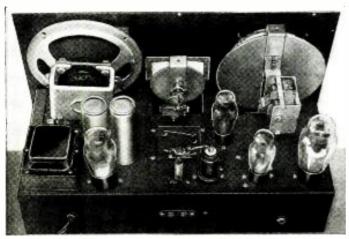
# RSR CLIPPER

### **Communications Receiver** Tunes from 3.5 to 555 Meters

By A. J. Haynes

A Combination Regenerative and Super-Regenerative Circuit is Employed. Band-switch is "built-in," also special band-spread feature. 5-tube set, works on 110 Vts. A.C.

• COMPROMISES are unavoidable in the design of an all-wave receiver. The problems of efficiency over the receiver's tuning range; simplicity and ease of operation; cost of production; choice of circuit and tubes and appearance of the finished set are only a few of the points the designer must consider and balance against each other



Rear view of the RSR receiver, showing the well-spaced arrangement of the parts. This set showed excellent DX-getting ability.

The receiver illustrated herewith was designed primarily for short-wave reception so that when any compromises had to be made they were decided in favor of the higher frequencies.

Thus, while the broadcast band is included and gives a good account of itself ever a nus, while the broadcast band is included and gives a good account of itself over a reasonable distance range, by virtue of the large dynamic speaker and beam power-output tube, the receiver is most efficient on the long-distance, short-wave bands.

### Circuit of High Efficiency Used

The circuit used is a modern adaptation of the electron-coupled regenerative and super-regenerative circuits combined in the same detector tube. This type of circuit was chosen in preference to the superheterodyne, because it provides a tremendous amount of amplification in proportion to the number of tubes and parts used, thus permitting excellent long-distance recep-tion at a minimum cost. High quality component parts can be used and still keep the cost low, for they are few in number. Moreover as a minimum of tubes and parts are employed the noise-level in the receiver itself is extremely low.



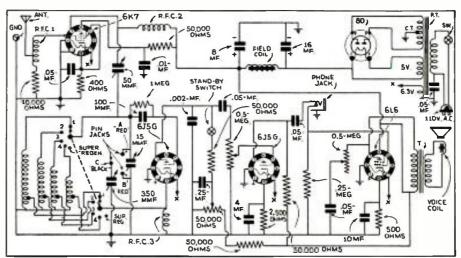
The RSR Clipper gives surprising results with a relatively small number of tubes. The selectivity is sharp and the set has good output. (No. 605)

Three of the five tubes used in this new receiver deserve special mention: Two of these tubes are the new Sylvania 6J5G high frequency Super-Triodes which are employed in the detector and first audio amplifier. Beside being an unusually fine amplifier this tube's unique characteristics make it an ideal regenerative and super-regenerative detector for the high and ultra-high frequencies. The third new tube used is the 6L6 beam power-output tube, which deserves all the praise it has received since its introduction. This tube, as used here, is held down to about four watts output, as this is more than adequate, even for the heavy duty six-inch dynamic speaker being used. At this power output the 6L6 just loafs along and consequently produces excellent quality with low harmonic content.

### Combination Regen. and Super-Regen. Principles Used

A combination regenerative and super-regenerative circuit is A combination regenerative and super-regenerative circuit is used, employing a form of electron-coupling in the detector. This reactive circuit is so stable and its regenerative control has so little effect on the grid circuit tuning, that it can be successfully calibrated from the top of the broadcast band down to 13½ meters. This is done in four separate bands on the main tuning dial. The smaller center dial, which tunes a three-plate, Isolantite insulated condenser, acts as band-spread over this whole tuning range. Beside this electrical band-spread, both dials have mechanical reduction drives. This combination gives really adequate band-spread, even for twenty meter CW work.

As indicated on the schematic diagram (Continued on page 769)



Wiring diagram of the RSR receiver.

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### The "Sky-Challenger"-Range 38.1 mc. to 545 kc.

• DESIGNED by one of the leading manufacturers of communications receivers in the connunications receivers in the country, this receiver—the Sky-Challenger—has every feature desirable in a receiver of its type plus broadcast reception of startling quality. The frequency range (changed by band-switch) of this new unit is from 28 10 range (changed by band-switch) of this new unit is from 38.10 mc. to 545 kc, in five bands. It seems the Hallicrafters sounded the needs of the listener more deeply than by merely turning out a radio receiver capable of bringing them in from all over the world; here is a receiver which appeals to the taste and principally the pocketbook of not only the discriminating amateur but the more advanced short-wave listener.

To afford the listener as im-

age-free performance as possi-ble, a tuned stage of radio freble, a tuned stage of radio frequency amplification is used on all bands. On the higher frequency ranges of the receiver this stage, normally found only in the more expensive all-wave receivers, justifies itself by giving gains in the order of 3 to 1.

A separate oscillator tube is used in all ranges rather than sacrifice performance by using harmonics. The superior over-all per-

fice performance hy using harmonics. The superior over-all performance obtained by using separate coil and tube would allow no substitution in a receiver which was to economically fill every

no substitution in a receiver which was to economically fill every listener requirement.

Iron-core intermediates which had so definitely demonstrated their superiority in the more expensive models of this line of receivers couldn't be left out. To get that high order of selectivity so necessary in communications receivers, two LF. stages are used, both of them iron-core. For the QRM ridden ear of the active amateur, the 465 kc. crystal filter model is available, while for the short-wave listener satisfied with nothing but the last word in performance, the conventional model—less the crystal—is optional. Under test it is surprising how the crystal model



The new 9-tuhe Superheterodyne Receiver has five bands, all "switch-controlled." Excellent for "Fan" or "Ham" purposes. Available with or without crystal filter. For complete diagram see page 756. (No. 602)

sets them up like sore thumbs with no interference to bother a perfect QSO. One very necessary requirement has not been neglected—a separate band-spread control. It proved to be a pleasure to comb across the band in a few effortless turns of this control, and still be able to resonate accurately and comfortable on any one signal. It was found that more than normal caution had to be taken with the crystal in the circuit; a little careful tuning uncovered signals which had previously been completely overlooked—that might give you an idea into the procession of the control that might give you an idea just how selective this new set really is.

As indicated in the diagram,

As indicated in the diagram, the tube line-up is as follows: a 6K7 R.F. amplifier or preselector, a 6L7 first detector mixer, a 6C5 signal frequency oscillator, 6K7 1st I.F. amplifier, 6K7 2nd I.F. amplifier, 6Q7G 2nd detector. AVC 1st stage of audio, 6F6G 2nd stage of audio, 6K7 beat oscillator, and an 80 rectifier.

(No. 602)

of audio, but beat oscillator, and an 80 rectifier.

One thing about this receiver that appealed to us was that the speaker is not a portion of the power supply. The permanent magnet speaker provided remarkably good quality when used, but we preferred headphones when putting the receiver through its paces on DX.

#### Technical Description

The new 1937 Sky-Challenger is a 5 band, 9 tube superhetero-dyne receiver covering the following frequency ranges:

		Band-									meters.)	
No.	2	** — 1	1.18 MC	to	2.85	M	C	254	to	105	meters.)	
No.	3					M	C	109	to	4.4	meters.)	
No.						M	C	45	to	18.3	meters.)	
No.	5	" —15	5.40 M (	to	38.10	M	C	19.5	to	7.85	meters.)	
No.	1	Band co	vers t	ne A	Americai	n	$(C_{\iota}$	ntin	ied	on	page 763	()

## New Devices for the S-W Experimenter

Sensitive Circuit-Breaker Safeguards Tubes



(No. 603)

COSTLY tubes, transformers and condensers need no longer be junked through accidental overloads or short-circuits. The ingenious fully-magnetic, non-thermal circuit-breaker available in capacities ranging from 50 milliamperes up to 35 amperes, fully safeguards the fully safeguards the radio amateur's ma-

jor investment at insignificant cost. jor investment at insignificant cost.

The circuit-breaker has a tumbler handle, switching current on and off under normal circuit conditions. There are two types: instantaneous trip and time-delay action. The latter is provided with a hermetically-scaled magnetic trip which ruptures the circuit in from 5 seconds up to 8 minutes on a 125% load, or correspond-



Interior mechanism of new circuit-breaker.

ingly faster on greater overloads, depending on which of four-time-overload curves is selected. On short-circuits, it trips within ½ cycle on A.C., or 1/100 second on D.C. The instantaneous trip type may be adjusted for plus or minus 20% of rating.

Precise operating characteristics insure real protection for delicate tube filaments and associated equipment. Being fully magnetic and thereby free from usual bimetallic strips or solder ratchets, the operation is accurate and lightning fast. It is unaffected by ambient temperature and reasonable vibration. Also, the circuit-breaker can be immediately closed after tripping on any overload or short-circuit, providing the abnormal condition no longer exists. The switch handle is simply thrown back to the "on" position.

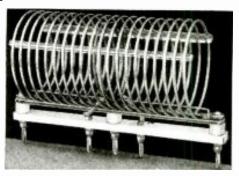
For typical radio work, the bakelite enclosed, exposed-mounting type is offered, measuring 4½ x 258 x 3% inches. It mounts on switchboard, panel, control desk or other equipment. A behind-the-panel mounting unit is likewise available. Also two and three-pole units in steel safety cabinets. These units are relatively inexpensive, and soon pay for themselves in the equipment they guard against burnouts.

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### **Low-Loss Inductors**

● IN the accompanying illustration we find a new Low-Loss Inductor. This offers the amateur an opportunity to purchase his air-wound coils ready made. The coils are wound with bright copper wire protected from oxidation by a coating of colorless baked enamel. This wire is cemented in slots in narrow strips of cellulose acetate. The choice of clear enamel



Latest design of Low-Loss Inductance.

enhances the appearance of the coil to a considerable extent. The base of the coil is low loss steatite and GR type plugs are employed to permit quick changing of the coils. The receptacle into which this coil is mounted is also shown in the photograph. These coils are available in various sizes and in six styles ranging from 160-meters down to 10.

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Support for Low-Loss Inductance, fitted with pin-jacks. (No. 604)

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# Hams Will Find These New Tubes Useful

### New Raytheon 6V6G Beam Tube



"Beam" tube. No. 606

● THE 6V6G is a lined-up grid beam type tube similar in principle to the 6L6 and 6L6G. Its filament current has been kept down to .45 amperes; its power sensitivity is nearly double that of conventional pentode, and its overall tode, and its overall plate efficiency about 30% greater than a pentode. Added to high power and efficiency, the 6V6G has been designed to keen a chiestionable keep objectionable odd harmonic distortion down to a very low value.

The tube offers distinct advantages used single ended or a pair in auto receivers, and will also fill the long stand-ing gab between the

6F6G and 6L6G in home receivers.

This new Raytheon 6V6G is suitable for This new Raytheon 6V6G is suitable for class B audio amplifiers in the same manner as the 6L6, only, of course, the outputs would be considerably lower. Complete class B characteristics are not available at this writing. However, we have had an opportunity of using this tube as a crystal oscillator and find it's exceptionally well suited to this purpose with 300- to 350-volts to a plate. The output was considerably greater with the conventional pentode such as the 2A5, 42, 47, and other convents.

Operating Conditions—Amplifier—Class A l'late 250 volt Screen 250 volt

Grid	-12.5	volt
Peak Signal	12.5	volt
Plate ('urrent (no signal)	4.5	ma.
Plate Current (max, signal)	47	ma.
Screen Current (no signal)	4.5	ma.
Screen Current (max. signal)	6.5	ma.
Load Resistance	5000	ohms.
Power Output	4.25	watt
Second Harmonic	4.5	C'
Third Harmonic	3.5	77
Heater Voltage 6.3 volts		
Mantin Comment 0.45 universe		

This article has been prepared from data supplied by courtesy of Raythcon Production Corp.

### "A Word to the Wise is Sufficient"

MANY of the newer tubes on the mar-MANY of the newer tubes on the market have their plate terminals coming out of the glass envelope in the form of a thin wire and do not employ the metal cap such as we find on some of the older type tubes. The reason this cap is not employed is because the terrific heat following through the plate connection which usually supports the plate, melts the solder with which these caps are secured unless they are equipped with large metal plates in order to dissipate the heat.

plates in order to dissipate the heat.

It is quite possible using one of these tubes to actually melt the glass if the tube is overlnaded to a point where the plate hecomes excessively hot or when tuning one might have an off-resonant conditinn causing the plate to become hot enough to melt the glass (tuning should be done with reduced voltage). Once this glass hecomes softened the tube will collapse because of the extremely high vacuum and thus the tube is ruined. uum and thus the tuhe is ruined.

This can all be avoided if the following

precautions are taken:

Use a heavy metal connecter to the plate pin and preferably the connection between the plate terminal, and the tank (Continued on page 760)

### EIMAC 35-T

THIS new EIMAC 35-T is excellently suited for R.F. and audio purposes. As can be seen from the accompanying table outputs from 112 watts R.F. are obtainable from a single tube and 140 watts are obtainable from a class B push-pull audio amplifier. Also due to the design of these tubes they are exceptionally useful at high frequencies. The plate and grid are constructed from tantalum, an excellent metal for the purpose, and the use of which entirely eliminates the necessity of a "getter" in order to maintain the proper vacuum.

ElMAC 35-T-Characteristics

Filament voltage

Filament current 4 amperes

Amplification factor

Maximum plate current 125-150 milliamperes

Plate voltage 200-1500 volts

Plate dissipation 35-70 watts on cw.

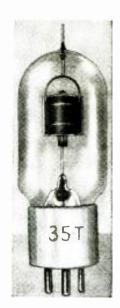
Gride-plate capacity

Standard UX-1 prong

Height-Overall 5 4 inches

Maximum diameter 134 inches (Cont'd on page 760)

This 35-T tube is very useful for high frequencies. (No. 607)





### A close-up of one of the tuning coils.

SINCE the publication of new "Super Pro" articles in the February and March issues of Short Wave & Television, I have received so many letters requesting further data on design and constructional physics that I am structional phases that I am devoting most of this discussion to the answering of these inquiries and I am including, too, other details that I believe will prove interesting.

that I believe will prove interesting.

Many asked me to further describe the cam knife-switch that is used in the "Super Pro," particularly requesting of the start of the st Pro," particularly requesting details on its actual operation. Each section of this

# Additional Features in New SUPER PRO

By Donald Lewis

switch constitutes a two-pole five-position unit. switch constitutes a two-pole inve-position unit. The silver-plated knives which are mounted on bakelite panels sliding in guides and raised and lowered by cams on the switch shaft, eliminate the necessity for pigtails, wiping rotary contacts and even the pivot of the knife blade, the chief source of trouble in the standard knife switch switch.

switch.

In the illustration, the various components of this switch are clearly shown; viz, the brass cam, bakelite knife with its silver-plated edge, the sturdy switch housing and the silver-plated contacts which, as will be noted, are split to provide triple contact. It will be noted, too, that the rotating rod is a square design affording a most positive grip for the knob and preventing slipping of any kind. Silver-plated short-circuting springs automatically short the four open contacts at all times, thus further eliminating all losses.

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The timing of the cams and arrang-111 11111 HH

Cam and switch unit. (No. 608)

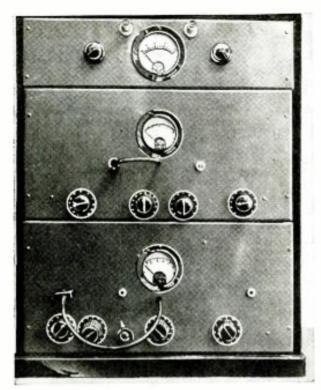
cams and arranging of the contacts is such that the circuit through one setting of knives is not broken until contact is made with another set. This avoids sparking in the set. This avoids sparking in the sections which han-die plate current and also

Second detector output coil unit.

also prevents open grid circuits when the switch is

Another letter I received asked for the capacity of each section of the tuning condenser and a few mechanical details involving its construction. Each section of this condenser has a capacity of 180 mmf. The rotor plates are the Midline type affording a very uniform frequency scale for the two to one range used in the receiver. The rotor shaft is of stainless steel. The stators are mounted in isolantite blocks. The rear bearing is a single steel ball between a cupped adjusting screw and a cupped depression, located in the end of a rotor shaft. (Continued on page 761)





Front view of the 5 and 10-meter transmitter.

• UNTIL recently the use of crystal control for the higher amateur frequencies was almost unheard of. The power losses in a series of frequency multipliers so reduced the efficiency of the driver stages that we usually ended up by attempting to build a stable oscil-

# A CRYSTAL-CONTROLLED

### By Maurice E. Kennedy, W6KQ-W6BGC

Radio Engineer, Los Angeles County Flood Control District

lator or M.O.P.A. with the oscillator and amplifier operating on the

same frequency.
With the recent development of pentode transmitting tubes and the use of regeneration in multiplier amplifiers, the driver unit for a high frequency transmitter becomes quite simple.

For the transmitter described the author chose the 6A6 as oscillator-multiplier, the pentode 802 as intermediate amplifier, and a pair of 210s as the final "push-pull" amplifier. One of the triode sections in the 6A6 acts as a crystal-

controlled oscillator operating on the 40 meter band. The other triode in the same tube acts as a frequency multiplier and will operate on any of the oscillator's harmonics, depending on the number of turns used for its plate inductance. It is true that the higher har-

monics of the oscillator are quite weak, but the use of regeneration on the multiplier increases the output, even at 56 mc, (5 meters), to adequately drive the 802 intermediate to full output.

If the bakelite base type of 210s are used in the final amplifier, it is advisable to saw slots between the prongs as the bakelite offers considerable dielectric loss at the higher frequencies and will blister around the plate prong. Care should be taken in sawing the bases not to cut the vacuum seal just below the center of the base.

Hold the tube upside down in a vise, and with a sharp hack-saw carefully cut down between each prong at the outside edge of the base. Once through the bakelite at the edges the glass seal-stem may be seen and the saw held horizontal to slowly cut the center out to complete the cross or "x" slit between prongs.

The two chassis shown were bent to shape from sheet aluminum with the aid of a brake at a local tin shop. The dimensions of the chassis are 17" long x 10" wide x 4" high.

### Construction Simple

The actual construction of the transmitter is quite simple. All variable condensers should be well insulated from the metal chassis, and the usual care should be taken to keep all R.F. leads as short as possible. Where lack of space prevents the use of small stand-off insulators the use of hard-rubber strips is preferable to bakelite. Saw-slots were even cut in the hard-rubber to further reduce losses.

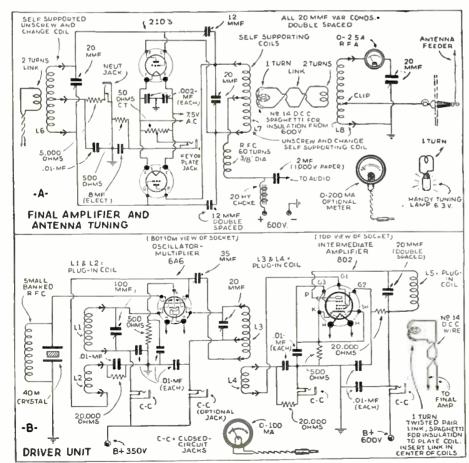
It will be noted in the circuits shown that all tubes are supplied with gridbias by the voltage drop across both cathode resistors and grid-leak resistors. The cathode resistors are fairly small in value and serve mainly to protect the tubes in the event of an excitation failure during the process of tuning.

The 802 should be thoroughly shielded above and below the chassis from other parts of the driver unit. The small aluminum shield bent around the 802's socket may be seen in the photograph of the under side of the driver unit. This shield serves to isolate the socket grid connections from the plate tuning condenser and wiring of the plate circuit. When wiring the 802's socket be sure the connections are correct, as the socket view shown in the information sheets supplied by the manufacturer is the top view, contrary to other tube types.

### Final Amplifier

The final amplifier uses single-ended plate and grid tuning condensers, as this arrangement is much easier to excite at the higher frequencies than an amplifier using split-stator tuning condensers.

A single 0-100 m.a. meter with cord and plug attached is used on the driver



Wiring diagrams of the oscillator-multiplier, intermediate and final amplifier stages of the 5 and 10-meter transmitter.

# 5 & 10-Meter Transmitter

This crystal-controlled high frequency transmitter will appeal to many "Hams," and it may be built at a very nominal cost. The tubes used are as follows: 6A6 as oscillator-multiplier; 802 as intermediate amplifier; a pair of 210's as the final push-pull amplifier. Excellent operating results were obtained by the author with this transmitter, including contacts with countries across the Pacific.

unit to read all plate values. Closedcircuit jacks were wired in series with

each tube plate.

One milliammeter could very easily be used to read all circuits but the author had several meters available and meters add to the appearance of the transmitter, so a 0-200 m.a. meter was mounted on the final amplifier panel to read the grid and plate values of the two 210s.

### Panels-How Made

The panels were cut from quarter inch hard-tempered masonite obtainable at lumber yards. The driver and final amplifier panels measure 19" x 9". The front surfaces should be sanded with fine sand paper, the edges beveled, and after cutting the hole for the meter give the panels three coats of gray enamel. Each coat of paint should be given ample time to dry and rubbed down with oil and fine sand paper before applying the next coat. The finished panels have the appearance of gray lacquered metal.

The coils for the exciter unit are all wound on Hammarlund, 1 and ½ inch diameter, coil forms. The exact winding information is given in the coil table.

A single 600 volt power supply with a tap at 350 and 450 volts is used to supply power to all tubes in this R. F. unit.

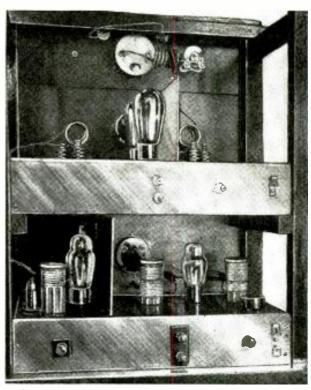
When operating on the 5-meter band it is advisable to reduce the plate voltage on the 802 to 450 volts.

The transmitter described uses an X-cut crystal operating at 7114 K.C.

Tuning Procedure

It is advisable to first tune the transmitter for the 10-meter band. With all 10-meter coils in place and filament-heater voltage on, apply the 350 volts to the crystal oscillator and multiplier (6A6) plates. With the meter plug in the oscillator jack and with the aid of a small single-turn coil and 6.3 volt lamp near the top of the oscillator's plate coil, tune to resonance as indicated by a maximum peak of the meter to about 20 m.a. and a maximum brilliance of the small lamp. The regeneration condenser on the multiplier should be set at about a

quarter of the way in and with the meter plug in the second or multiplier jack and the small lamp and coil on top the multiplier coil tune the multiplier plate condenser for resonance as indicated by maximum brilliance of the small lamp and a minimum reading on the meter. With the meter and lamp still set for the multiplier, go back over the oscillator and regeneration condensers for a better setting as indicated by greater brilliance of the lamp. The 802 is now ready to drive so add plate voltage and with the meter plug in the 802's plate jack and the lamp and coil near the 802's plate coil, tune



The rear view of the 5 and 10-meter transmitter.

for resonance as indicated by a minimum dip of the meter to about 40 m.a. and lots of light on the small lamp. The plate coil may require slight changes as I have the dial set at almost minimum on the plate tuning condenser.

### Neutralizing "Final" Stage

With the link to the final amplifier in place, the final stage is ready to neutralize. Plug one of the meter plugs in the grid jack of the final and with the grid coil and condenser set at resonance (use small lamp and condenser near grid coil) tune the plate coil and condenser through (Continued on page 766)

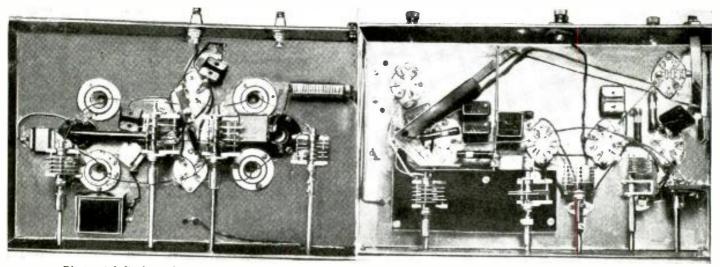


Photo at left shows bottom of the final amplifier, and illustration at right shows bottom view of the "driver."

### "Movie Dial" Projects Call Letters on Screen



Appearance of the Movie Dial mechanism which projects greatly enlarged call-letters and frequency on a screen in the front of the radio cahinet.

• IN the Movic Dial, a mid-western radio set manufacturer presents an entirely new and unique method of indicating the tuning of a radio receiver.

The method is to project onto a groundglass screen the image of the figures on the dial. The figures are printed photographically on a motion picture film, and projected and enlarged in a manner similar in principle to motion picture projection.

This permits enlarging the dial so that the call letters and cities of 130 broadcast stations in the United States and Canada may be shown, each call letter being about \%" long.

The stations are divided into three groups, East, Central, and West, so that the dial may be used in any part of the country.

The dial scale is printed on a strip of motion picture film and is mounted on a drum which rotates in synchronism with the tuning condenser. A special projector lamp is mounted in the center of the drum. The light from the lamp passes successively through a condenser lens, the dial film, a color filter, and a projector lens, and is then reflected from a mirror onto the screen. The optical magnification of this system is about 10 times. If the entire length of the enlarged scale were visible at once, it would be more than seven feet long!

When the band change switch is rotated the entire film drum is moved vertically, so that a new scale is projected on the screen. At the same time the color filter is changed

to provide green and amber coloring on the two short-wave bands.

The short-wave bands contain a wealth of interesting information on the services available in these portions of the frequency spectrum. A large number of the principal short-wave stations are listed, together with their call letters and country. The location of (Continued on page 770)

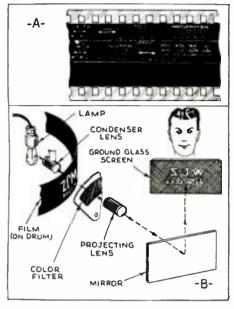


Diagram showing optical system used in the Movie Dial call-letter indicator. (No. 601)

# How To Build A VOLUME EXPANDER That Works L. A. de Rosa, E.E.

• WITH the advent of high fidelity receivers, engineers have worked along every road, no matter how narrow, as long as it led to a more natural and higher quality reproduction.

quality reproduction.

One of the most noticeable faults with radio reception and one which radio engineers have attempted to remedy for some time, is that variations in loudness as they occur in the broadcast studios, are not faithfully reproduced at the receiving end. An orchestra, when it goes from a very soft passage to one in which

every instrument is playing as loudly as possible, certainly is a disappointment to the critical listener. Instead of the thrill which a sudden increase or crescendo should give, the reproduction sounds as

if the main portion of the power were being absorbed somewhere, and, while the listener senses from the strained quality





Front and "inside" views of "Volume Expander." (No. 600)

of the music that every instrument is playing as loudly as possible, there is but little change in volume. It is amazing to note that an orchestra, when it passes from a very soft to a very loud passage, increases its power about ten million times, that is, a change of 70 db.

a change of 70 db.

Even a man in ordinary conversation may change the level of his voice 500,000 times, from about .01 microwatts to 5,000 microwatts, a difference of 57 db. There is no evidence of these differences in level in radio or phonographic reproduction. The leveling off of the dynamic peaks of both radio and phonograph reproduction is the work of the operator in the control booth at the transmitting or recording end, a well-meaning fellow who is more or less a necessary evil.

well-meaning fellow who is more or less a necessary evil.

It is evident that in the broadcasting station if the transmitter were adjusted so that it would not overload on the loudest parts of the program, then, when the softer passages were being transmitted the modulation would be so small that static and other noise interference would drown out the program. (Continued on page 779)

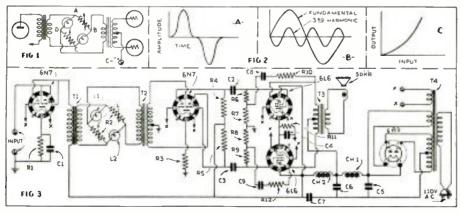


Diagram showing how "Volume Expander" is connected in audio amplifier circuit. Figure 2 shows the distortion introduced by an expander circuit having an insufficient time lag. Fig. 1 shows simplified expander circuit.

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# World S-WStation List

### Complete List of Broadcast, and Telephone Stations

All the stations in this list use telephone transmission of some kind. Note: Stations marked with a star \* are the most active and easily heard stations and transmit at fairly regular times.

Please write to us about any new sta-

tions or other important data that you learn through announcements over the air or correspondence with the stations.

or correspondence with the stations.
Stations are classified as follows: C—
Commercial phone. B—Broadcast service. X-Experimental transmissions.

### Around-the-Clock Listening Guide

It is a good idea to follow a general schedule as far as wavelength in relation to the time of the day is concerned. The observance of these simple rules will save time.

To the east of the listener from about 11 a.m. (After dark, results above 35 meters to 15800 kc.)

To the east of the listener will be found very productive. To the west of the listener this same of the listener this same of the listener this same.

## Short-Wave Broadcasting, Experimental and Commercial Radiophone Stations

NOTE: To convert kc. to megacycles (mc.) shift decimal point 3 places to left: Thus, read 21540 kc. as 21.540 mc.

31600 kc. W2XDU 20700 kc. LSY 19020 kc. HS8PJ 17785 kc JZL | 16270 kc. WOG -BX- 9.494 maters ATLANTIC BROADCASTING CO.. 485 MADISON AVE.. N.Y.C. Relays WABC daily 5-10 p.m.. Sat. Sun. 12:30-5, 6-9 p.m. 14.49 meters
MONTE GRANDE
ARGENTINA
Tests irregularly 15.77 meters BANGKOK, SIAM Mon. 8-10 a.m. 16.87 meters TOKIO, JAPAN Tests irregularly :- 18.44 meters
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Calls England,
merning and early afternoon 18970 kc. GAQ 17780 kc ★W3XAL 20380 kc. 16240 kc. - 15.81 maters RUGBY, ENGLAND Calls 8. Africa, marnings -B. 16.87 meters
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BOUND BROOK, N. J.
Relays WJZ. Dally exc. Sun.
9 a.m. 5 p.m. **KTO** 14.72 meters RUGBY, ENGLAND Calls Argentina, Brazi 31600 kc. W4XCA C- 18.47 meters MANILA, P. I. Calls Cal., Toklo and ships 8-11:30 a.m. genting, Brazil, 9.494 meters MEMPHIS, TENN. Relays WMC daily ZSS 18890 kc. C- 15.88 meters KLIPHEUVEL. S. AFRICA Works Rugby 9-10 a.m. 20040 kc. 17775 kc. 16233 kc. 31600 kc. W8XAI -C- 14.97 meters LEOPOLDVILLE, BELGIAN CONGO Works with ORG in morning BX. 9.494 meters
STROMBERG CARLSON CD.
ROCHESTER. N.Y.
Relays WHAM daily 7:30 a.m.12.05 a.m. -B- 16.88 meters HUIZEN, HOLLAND Daily exe. Tues, Wed. and Thur. 7:30-9:30 a.m. Sun. from 6:30 a.m. -C- 18.48 meters SAIGON, INDO-CHINA Calls Paris and Pacific Islos 18830 kc. C- 15.93 meters BANDOENG, JAVA Calls Helland, early a. 20020 kc. 16030 kc. KKP C- 14.99 meters NAUEN, GERMANY Works S. America, mornings 18.71 meters KAHUKU, HAWAII Phones KWU 3-10 p.m 18680 kc. 17760 kc. ★W2XE 31600 kc. W8XWJ OCI -C. 16.06 meters
LIMA, PERU
Works various S.A. stations
daytime -B. 16.89 meters
ATLANTIC BROADCASTING
CORP.
485 Madison Ave., N.Y.C. -BX- 9.494 meters PENOBSCOT TOWER DETROIT, MICH. Dally 8 a.m.-12:30 a.m. Sun. 8 a.m.-12 M. 15880 kc. 19900 kc. FTK 18.90 maters ST. ASSISE, FRANCE Phones Saigen, morning 15.68 meters Monte Grande, Argentina 18620 kc. 17760 kc. GAU Tests irregularly, daytime 31600 kc. W6XKG IG. II meters RUGBY, ENGLAND Calls N. Y., daytime -B- 16.89 meters
BROADCASTING HOUSE
BERLIN, GERMANY
12:05-5:15, 5:55-11 a.m. 15865 kc. 19820 kc. -BX- 9.494 meters LOS ANGELES, CAL. Relays KGFJ Mon. 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. WKN -C- 18.91 meters
SANTIAGD, CHILE
Works other S.A. stations
afternoons 15.14 meters
LAWRENCEVILLE, N. J.
Calle England, daytime 18480 kc. HBH X- 16.23 meters
RADIO NATIONS
GENEVA, SWITZERLAND
Broadcasts special events
irregularly 17760 kc. IAC 31600 kc. W9XPD 15810 kc. 19680 kc. -C- 16:89 meters PISA, 1TALY Calls ships, 6:30-7:30 a. m. 9.494 meters ST. LOUIS. MO. Relays KSD daily -C- 18.98 meters HURLINGHAM, ARGENTINA Cails Brazil and Europe, daytima -C- 15.24 meters
SANTIAGO. CHILE
Works Buenes Aires and Colombia daytime 18345 kc. 17755 kc. ZBW5 16.35 meters
SAIGON, INDO-CHINA
hones Paris, early moraing 21540 kc. W8XK -B- 16.9 meters P.O. Bex 200 HONGKONG, CHINA Irregular II:30 p.m.-I:15 a.m., 4-10 a.m. 19650 kc. 15760 kc. LSN5 B- 13.93 maters
WESTINGHOUSE ELECTRIC
PITTSBURGH, PA.
7-9 a.m.; relays KDKA X- 19.04 meters
KEMIKWA-CHO, CHIBAKEN, JAPAN
Irregular in late afternoos
and early morning -C. (5.27 meters HURLINGHAM, ARGENTINA Calls Europe, daytime 18340 kc. C- 16.36 meters LAWRENCEVILLE, N. J. Calle England, daytime 19620 kc. VQG4 21530 kc. 17741 kc. -C- 15.28 meters NAIROBI, KENYA, AFRICA Calls London 7:30-8 a.m. 16.91 meters BANGKOK, SIAM Works Germany 4-7 a.m. 15660 kc. JVE 13.93 meters DAVENTRY 18310 kc. GAS -C- 19.16 maters NAZAKI, JAPAN Phones Java 3-5 a.m. B.B.C., BROADCASTING HOUSE, LONDON, ENGLAND 16.38 matera RUGBY, ENGLAND Calla N. Y., daytime 19600 kc. 17650 kc. LSF 21520 kc. W2XE -C- 15.31 meters
MONTE GRANDE,
ARGENTINA
Tests irregularly, daytima 15620 kc. 17 meters SHANGHA1, CHINA Works London 7-9 a.m. JVF 18299 kc. -B- 13.94 meters
ATLANTIC BROADCASTING
CORP.
485 Madison Avs., N.Y.C.
Relays WABC 7:30 a.m.-1 p.m. -C- 19.2 meters
NAZAKI, JAPAN
Phones U.S., 5 s.m. & 4 p.m. -C- 16.39 meters MARACAY, VENEZUELA Works Germany, mornings 17520 kc. 19480 kc. -C- 17.12 meters NAUEN, GERMANY Works S. America near 9:15 s.m. 15460 kc. KKR 18250 kc. -C- 15.4 meters
RUGBY, ENGLAND
Works with Kenya, Africa, early
morning -C- 19.4 meters RCA COMMUNICATIONS, BOLINAS, CAL. Tests irregularly -C- 16.43 meters ST. ASSISE, FRANCE Calls S. America, daytime 21470 kc. ★GSH B. B.C., BROADCASTING
HOUSE, LONDON, ENGLAND
6-8-45 a.m., 9 a.m.-12 n. 17480 kc. C- (7.16 meters KIRKEE, INDIA Works Rugby 7:30-8:15 a.m. 19355 kc. 18200 kc. GAW 15450 kc. 16.48 meters RUGBY, ENGLAND Calls N. Y., daytime 15.50 meters
ST. ASSISE. FRANCE
Calls Argentine, mernings -C- 19.41 meters ADDIS ABABA, ETHIOPIA Calls IAC 9:15-10:30 a.m. 17310 kc. 21420 kc. 18135 kc. PMC -C- 14.01 meters
AMER. TEL. & TEL. CD..
LAWRENCEVILLE, N. J.
Calls S. America 8 a.m.-4 p.m. 19345 kc. -X. 17.33 meters
NATIONAL BROAD, CO.
BOUND BROOK, N. J.
Tests Irregularly -C- 16.54 meters
BANDOENG, JAVA
Phones Holland, early a. m. 15415 kc. KWO BANDOENG, JAVA
Calls Holland early a.m.
Broadcasts Tues. Thur. Sat.,
10:00-10:30 a.m. Irregular 19.46 meters DIXON, CAL. Phones Hawaii 2-7 p.m. 17120 kc. 18115 kc. LSY3 21080 kc. 15370 kc. HAS3

-B- 19.52 meters

BUDAPEST, HUNGARY

Broadcasts Sundays, 9-10 a.m. 17.52 meters A. T. & T. CO., DCEAN GATE, N. J. Calls ships 16.56 meters
MONTE GRANDE,
ARGENTINA
Tests irregularly -C- 14.23 meters R10 DE JANEIRD. BRAZIL Works WKK Daytime 19260 kc. C. 15.58 meters RIO de JANEIRO, BRAZIL Works with France mornings WKA 21060 kc. 18040 kc. 17080 kc. 15360 kc. 14.25 meters
LAWRENCEVILLE, N. J.
Calla England 16.63 meters
RUGBY, ENGLAND
Calls Canada,
morn. and early aftn. WKF 19220 kc. -C- 17.58 meters RUGBY, ENGLAND Calle Ships -X.C- 19.53 meters REICHSPOSTZENSTRALAMT, ZEESEN. GERMANY Tests irregularly -C- 15.60 matera LAWRENCEVILLE, N. J. Calle England, daytime 16385 kc. ITK 21020 kc. 17810 kc. LSN6 15355 kc. KWU 19200 kc. 14.27 meters
HURLINGHAM, ARG.
Calls N. Y. C.
8 a. m.-5 p. m. ORG 16.84 meters KOOTWIJK, HOLLAND Calle Java, 6-9 s. m. -C- 18.31 meters MOGADISCIO, ITAL, SOM-ALILAND Calls IAC around 9:30 a.m. C- 15.62 meters
RUYSSELEDE, BELGIUM
Works with DPL mornings -C- 19.53 meters
DIXDN. CAL.
Phones Pacific Isles and Japan 17790 kc. AGG

B- 16.86 meters
DAVENTRY
B.B.C.. BROADCASTING
HOUSE. LONDON. ENGLANO
2-4, 6-8:45 a.m. 16270 kc. WLK 15340 kc. ★DJR 20860 kc. EHY-EDM 19160 kc. B- 19.56 meters BRDADCASTING HOUSE, BERLIN, GERMANY 8-9 a.m. .C- 14.38 meters MADRID. SPAIN Works S. America, mornings. -C. IB.44 meters LAWRENCEVILLE, N. J.

(All Schedules Eastern Standard Time)

Phones Arg., Braz., Peru, daytime

C- 15.66 meters RUGBY, ENGLAND Calls Australia, early a.m.

15330kc. ★ W2XAD B. 19.56 maters BENERAL ELECTRIC CD. BCHENECTADY, N. Y. Relays WGY 10 a.m.-4:30 p.m. 3310 KC.
19.6 meters
DAVENTRY
B.B.C.. BROADCASTING
HOUSE.
LDNDON. ENGLAND
6-8 p.m.
LRU 15310 kc. ★GSP 15290 kc. B- 19.62 meters
"EL MUNDO"
BUENOS AIRES, ARGENTINA. S. A.
Daily 7 a.m.-6:30 p.m. -B-15280 kc. **★DJQ** -B- 19.63 meters
BROADCASTING HOUSE
BERLIN, GERMANY
6-8, 8:15-11 a.m. also Sundays 11:10 a.m.-12:20 P.M. 15270 kc. ★W2XE -B. 19.65 meters
ATLANTIC BROADCASTING
COPP.
485 Madisen Av., N.Y.C.
Relays
WABC daily, 1-6 p.m. 15260 kc. -B- 19.66 meters
DAVENTRY,
B.B.C., BROADCASTING
HOUSE, LONDON, ENGLAND
12:15-3:45 p.m. 15252 kc. 19.67 meters TACHKENT. U.S.S.R. Phones RKI near 7 a.m 15250 kc. W1XAL

19.67 meters
BOSTON, MASS.
Irregular, is mersing 15245 kc. ★TPA2 -B- 19.68 meters "RADIO COLONIAL" PARIS, FRANCE
Service de la Radiodiffusion
98, bis, Bivd, Haussmann
6-11:05 a.m. 15230 kc. HS8PJ 19,32 meters
 BANGKOK, SIAM
 Irregular, Mon. 8-10 a.m 15230 kc. OLR 19.70 meters PRAGUE CZECHOSLOVAKIA trregular **★PCJ** 15220 kc. 3- [9.71 meters N.V. PHILIPS' RADIO EINDHOVEN, HOLLAND Tues, 4:30-6 a.m. Wed, 8-11 a.m. 15210 kc. ★W8XK B- 19,72 meters
WESTINGHOUSE ELECTRIC
& MFG. CO.
PITTSBURGH, PA. 9 s.m.-7 p.m. Relays KDKA **★DJB** 15200 kc. B. 19.74 meters
BROADCASTING HOUSE
BERLIN, GERMANY
12:05-5:15, 5:55-11 a.m.
Sun, also 11:10 a.m.-12:25 p.m. ZBW4 15190 kc. -B- 19.75 meters HONGKONG, CHINA P. O. Box 200 11:30 p.m.-1:15 a.m., 4-10 p.m. 15180 kc. ★GSO B- 18.76 meters DAVENTRY B.B.C., BROADCASTING HOUSE, LONDON, ENGLAND 2-4 a.m. 15180 kc. **RW**96 -B- 19,76 meters MOSCOW, U.S.S.R-trregular JZK 15160 kc. -B- 19.79 meters TDKID, JAPAN 2:30-3:30 p.m. Tues, and Fri. Daily 12 m.-1 a.m., 4-5 p.m. \*YDC 15150 kc. B- 19.80 meters N1ROM BANDOENG, JAVA -7:30 p.m. 10:30 p.m.-2 a.m. Sat. 7:30 p.m.-2 a.m. (Sun.) 5:30-10:30 a.m. 14500 kc.

**★GSF** 15140 kc. -B- 19.82 meters
DAVENTRY.
B.B.C., BROADCASTING
HOUSE, LONDON, ENGLAND
9 a.m.-12 n. 4-5:45; 9-11 p.m. 15120 kc. B. 19.83 meters
VATICAN CITY
10:30 to 10:45 a.m., except
Sunday
Sat. 10-10:45 a.m. 15110 kc. ★DJL B. 19.85 meters
BROADCASTING HOUSE,
BERLIN, GERMANY
12-2, 8-9 a.m., 11:35 a.m.,
4:30 p.m. Also 6-8 a.m., Sun. RKI 15090 kc. -B, C- 19.88 meters MOSCOW, U.S.S.R. Phones Tashkent near 7 o.m. 15055 kc. -C- 19.82 meters HIALEAH, FLORIDA Calle Central America, daytime 14980 kc. KAY 20.05 meters MANILA, P. I. Phones Pasific Isles 14970 kc. B,C- 20,04 meters
RAD10 GARATA,
SOF1A, BULGARIA
Broadcasts Sun. 12:30-8 a.m..
10 a.m.. 4:30 p.m., Daily 5-6:30
a.m., 12 n-2:45 p.m. 14960 kc. C- 20.43 meters RiO de JANEIRO, BRAZIL Works with Buenes Aires daytime 14950 kc. 20.07 meters BOGOTA, COL. alls WNC, daytime 14940 kc. -C. 20.08 meters
GIUDAD TRUJILLO, D.R.
Phones WNC daytime 14940 kc. 20.08 meters BARRANQUILLA, COL. Werks WNC daytime 14845 kc. - 20.21 meters LIMA, PERU Works other S.A. stations daytime 14790 kc. C- 20.28 meters DMSK, SIBERIA, U.S.S.R. Works Moscow Irregularly 7-9 a.m. 14730 kc. IQA 20.37 meters ROME, ITALY Tests irregularly 14653 kc. **GBL** 20.47 meters RUGBY, ENGLAND Works JVH 1-7 a.m. 14640 kc. 20.49 meters
PARIS, FRANCE
rks Saigon and Cairo 3-7
a.m., 12 n.-2:30 p.m. 14600 kc. -B,C- 20.55 meters. NAZAKI, JAPAN Irregular 5-11:30 p.m. Phones Europe 4-8 a.m. WMN 14590 kc. -C- 20.56 meters
LAWRENCEVILLE, N. J.
Phones England
morning and afteracon 14535 kc. B- 20,64 meters RADIO NATIONS, GENEVA, SWITZERLAND Broadcasts Irregularly 14530 kc. LSN -C- 20.85 meters HURLINGHAM, ARGENTINA Calls N.Y.C. afterneens 14500 kc. -C- 20.69 meters ASMARA, ERITRIA, AFRICA Works Rome and Addis Ababa 6:30-7:30 a.m.

-C- 20.69 meters HURLINGHAM. ARGENTINA Calls Rie and Europe daytime

TIR 14485 kc. -C- 20.71 meters
CARTAGD. COSTA RICA
Phones Cen. Amer. & U.S.A.
Daytime 14485 kc. -C- 20.71 meters SAN SALVADOR, SALVADOR Phones WNC daytime 14485 kc. **HPF** 20.71 meters
PANAMA CITY, PAN.
Phones WNC daytime 14485 kc. TGF -C- 20.71 meters GUATEMALA CITY, GUAT. Phones WNC daytime 14485 kc. 20.71 meters
MANAGUA, NICARAGUA
Phones WNC daytims 14485 kc. -C- 20.71 meters NACAOME, HONDURAS Works WNC daytime 14485 kc. -C- 20.71 meters TEGUCIGALPA, HONOURAS Works WNC daytime 14470 kc. -C- 20.73 meters
LAWRENCEVILLE, N.
Phones England in dayti 14460 kc. DZH -C.X- 20.75 meters REICHSPOSTZENSTRALAMT, ZEESEN. GERMANY Irregular 14440 kc. 20.78 meters RUGBY, ENGLAND Calle U.S.A.. ofternee 14200 kc. EA9AH B- 21.13 meters TETUAN, SPAN, MOROCCO Broadcasts daily except Sun. 2:15-5, 7 and 9 p.m. 13990 kc. -C- 21.44 meters
RUGBY, ENGLAND
Cails Buenes Aires, late afternoon 13980 kc. PZ1AA 21.46 meters
PARAMIRABO,
DUTCH GUIANA, S.A.
Irregular evenings, 13820 kc.
C- 21.71 meters
ABOU ZABAL. EGYPT
Works with Europe II a.m.-2 p.m.
KKZ RCA COMMUNICATIONS, BOLINAS, CAL. Tests irregularly 13635 kc. B- WARSAW, POLAND
Mon., Wed., Fri. 12:30-1:30 p.m.
Irregular at other times
13610 kc. JYK -C- 22.04 meters KEMIKAWA-CHO, CHIBA-KEN, JAPAN Phones California till 11 p. m. 13585 kc. -C- 22.06 meters RUGBY, ENGLAND Cails Egypt&Canada, afternoons 13415 kc.
-C- 22.36 meters
RUGBY. ENGLAND
Calls Japan & Chias early
moraling
YSJ -C- 22.37 meters SAN SALVADOR, SALVADOR Phones WNC daytime 13390 kc. WMA -C. 22.40 msters
LAWRENCEVILLE, N. J.
Phones England
merning and afternoon 13380 kc. IDU -C- 22.42 meters ASMARA, ERITREA, AFRICA Works with Rome daytime 13345 kc. 22.48 meters
MARACAY, VENEZUELA
Calls Historh daytime 13285 kc. CGA3 -C- 22.58 maters
DRUMMONDVILLE, QUE..
CAN.
Works London and Ships
afterneons

13220 kC.
-C- 22.69 meters
RDME. ITALY
Phones Tokyo 5-9 a.m.
irregularly
VPD IRJ | 11875 kc. OLR -B- 25.24 meters PRAGUE, CZECHOSLDVAKIA Irregular Mornings 11870 kc. W8XK
-B. 25.26 meters
WESTINGHOUSE ELECTRIC
& MFG. CO.
PITTSBURGH. PA.
7-10:30 p.m. -X- 22.94 meters
SUVA, FIJI ISLANDS
Daily axe. Sun. 12:30-1:30 12840 kc.
-C- 0CEAN GATE, N. J. Calls ships Relays KDKA 11860 kc. YDR 12825 KC . CNi
-8, C. 23.39 meters
DIRECTOR GENERAL
Telegraph and Telephone
Stations, Rabat, Morece
Breadeasts, Sunday, 7:30-9 s. B. 25.29 meters N.I.R.O.M., SOERABAJA, JAVA Sat. 7:30 p.m.-2 a.m. (Sun.) Daily 10:30 p.m.-2 a.m. 11860 kc. 12800 KC.
-C- 23.45 meters
PISA, ITALY
Calle Italian ships, meralage - R-25,28 meters DAVENTRY. B.B.C.. BROADCASTING HOUSE, LONDON, ENGLAND 12780 kc. 11855 kc. GBC DJP -C- 23.47 meters RUGBY, ENGLAND Calls ships -B.X- 25.31 maters
BROADCASTING HOUSE,
BERLIN, GERMANY
Irregular, 11:35 a.m.-4:30 p.m. 12396 kc. CT1GO -8- 24,2 meters
PAREDE. PORTUGAL
Sun. 10-11:30 a.m... Tuec.,
Thur., Frl. 1:00-2:15 p.m.

12325 kc. DAF 11830 kc. W9XAA -B. 25.36 meters CHICAGO FEDERATION OF LABOR CHICAGO, ILL. Relays WCFL Irregular -C- 24.34 meters NORDDEICH, GERMANY Works German ships daytime 11830 kc. ★W2XE -B- 25.38 meters ATLANTIC BROADCASTING CORP. 485 MADISON AVE.. N. Y. C. Relays WABC 6-10 p.m. 12300 kc. -B- 24.39 meters SANTIAGO, CHILE, S.A Broadcasts evenings till 10 p 12290 kc. GBU 11820 kc. -C- 24.41 meters RUGBY, ENGLAND Calls N.Y.C., afterness -B- 25.38 motors
DAVENTRY
B.B.C.. BROADCASTING
HDUSE.
LONDON. ENGLAND
irregular 12250 kc. 24.49 meters PARIS, FRANCE Irregular 11810 kc. ★2RO -B- 25.4 meters
E.1.A.R.
Via Montello 5
ROME. 1TALY
Dally 6:43-10:30, 11:30 a.m.12:40 p.m.; Sun.
6:43-9, 11:30 a.m.- 12:40 p.m. 12235 kc. ★TFJ -B.C- 24.52 meters REYKJAVIK, ICELAND Phones England mernings, Broadcasts Sun. 1:40-2:30 p 12215 kc. -C. 24.56 meters
PARIS. FRANCE
Works French Ships in morning
and afternoon
GBS 11800 kc. -B- 25.42 meters TOKIO, JAPAN Daily, 4-5 p.m. Tues, and Fri, 2:30-3:30 p.m. Daily 12 m.-1 a.m.; 9-10 a.m. 12150 kc. 24.68 meters RUGBY, ENGLAND Calls N.Y.C., afternee 11800 kc. 25.42 meters VIENNA, AUSTRIA Daily 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Sat. till 5:30 p.m. 12130 kc. -C.X- 24.73 meters
REICHSPOSTZENSTRALAMT,
ZEESEN. GERMANY
Tests Irrapularly 11795 kc. HP5-12120 kc. -B- 25.43 meters
AGUADULCE, PANAMA
Broadcasts evenings irregularly -C- 24.75 meters ALGIERS, ALGERIA Calls Paris 12 m.-6:30 n.m DIO 11795 kc. 12060 kc-C24.88 meters
KOOTWIJK, HOLLANO
Tasts irregular
RNE -B,X- 25.43 meters BROADCASTING HOUSE, BERLIN, GERMANY Irresular 11790 kc. W1XAL 25 meters MOSCOW, U. S. S. R. Sun. 6-9, 10-11 a.m. Wed. 6-7 a.m. 25.45 meters BOSTON, MASS. Daily 5:15-6:15 p.m. Sun, 5-7 p.m. 11991 kc. 11770 kc. \*DJD BROADCASTING HOUSE, BERLIN, GERMANY 11:35 a.m.-4-30 p.m.; 4:50-10:55 p.m. -C- 25.02 meters SAIGON, INDO-CHINA Phones Paris, morning 11955 kc. C- 25.09 meters
ADDIS ABABA, ETHIOPIA
Calls IAC around 12 m. 11760 kc. 25.51 meters PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA 11950 kc. X. 25.10 meters
BOLINAS, CALIF.
Teets, irregularly, evenings 11750 kc. ★GSD
-B- 25.53 meters
DAVENTRY.
B.B.C., BROADCASTING
HOUSE, LONDON. ENGLAND
12:15-5:45 p.m.. 6-8, 9-11 p.m. 11940 kc. FTA 25.13 meters STE. ASSISE, FRANCE Phenes CNR morning. Hurlingham, Arge., nights 11730 kc. XEWI 11900 kc -B- 25.57 meters
"RADIO PHILCO"
SAIGDN, INDO-CHINA
Irregular 5:30-9:30 a.m. B- 25.21 meters
MEXICO CITY, MEX.
Mon., Wed., Fri. 3-4 p.m.,
9 p.m.-12 m.
Tues., Thurs, 7:30 p.m.-12 m.
Sat. 9 p.m.-12 m.;
Sun., 12:30-2 p.m. 11730 kc. P 11880 kc. ★TPA3 11720 kc. \*CJRX

-B. 25.6 meters
WINNIPEG, CANADA
Dally, 8 p. m.-12 m. 25.23 meters
"RADIO COLONIAL"
PARIS, FRANCE
2-5 a.m., 11:15-6 p.m.

11715 kc. ★TPA4 25,61 meters
"RADIO COLONIAL"
PARIS, FRANCE
6:15-8 p.m.
10 p.m.-1 a.m. 11710 kc. SM5SX . 25.63 meters STOCKHOLM. SWEDEN Daily II a.m.-5 p.m. Wed. till 6 p.m. 11680 kc. -C. X - 25.68 meters
KAHUKU. HAWAII
Broadcasts Tues. 12:30-1 a.m.
Irregular, Wed. 8-8:30 p.m. and
Thurs. 9:30-10 p.m. Sat. 1010:30 p.m. 11600 kc. ★COCX 25.86 meters
HAVANA. CUBA
Relays CMX
8 a.m.-1 a.m. 11595 kc. VRR4 -C- 25.87 meters STONY HILL, JAMAICA, B.W.I. Works WNC daytime 11560 kc. 11560 KG.

-X. 25.95 meters

AMALGAMATED WIRELESS

OF AUSTRALASIA

FISKVILLE. AUSTRALIA

Calls Canada evening and early
a.m.

XAM -X- 26.09 meters MERIDA. YUCATAN Irregular 1-7:30 p.m. PMK 11500 kc. -B-C- 26.09 meters BANDOENG, JAVA 11413 kc. CJA4 -C- 26.28 meters
DRUMMONDVILLE,
CAN. DRUMMUND.
QUE.. CAN
Tests with Australia irregularly
in evening
HBO 11405 kc. X- 26:30 meters RADIO NATIONS GENEVA, SWITZERLAND Broadcasts irregularly 11280 kc. B- 26 meters
LA VOZ DEL PARTIDO
DOMINICAND, CIUDAD
TRUJILLO, D.R.
4:40-5:40 p.m. 11200 kc. XBJQ 26.79 meters BOX 2825. MEXICO CITY. MEX. Irregular 11050 kc. ZLT4 11050 NC.
-C. 27.15 meters
WELLINGTON. N. ZEALAND
Phones Australia and Ensiand
early a.m.
PLP -B, C- 27.27 meters
BANDOENG, JAVA
Relays YDB 5:30-10:30 or 11
a.m., Sat. till 11:30 a.m. 10970 kc. C- 27.35 meters LTMA, PERU Works with Bogota, Col., 10840 kc. KWV -C- 27.68 meters DIXON. CAL. Works with Hawaii evenings. 10770 kc. GBP -C- 27.85 meters RUGBY, ENGLAND Calls Sydney, Austral, early a. m. 10740 kc. -B.C- 27.93 meters
NAZAKI. JAPAN
Phones U.S. 2-7 a.m.
Broadcasting daily 9-10 a.m 10675 kc. WNB -C- 28.1 meters LAWRENCEVILLE, N. J. Calls Bermuda, daytime 10670 kc. **★CEC** C- 28.12 meters SANTIAGO. CHILE Broadcasts Daily 7-7:15 p.m. 10660 kc. -B.C- 28.14 meters NAZAKI, JAPAN Breadcasts daily 2-8 a.m. 10550 kc. -C- 28.44 meters LAWRENCEVILLE, N. J. Phones Arse., Braz., Peru, nighte

10535 kc. 10420 kc. 10230 kc. 10220 kc. -C- 29.59 meters LEOPOLDVILLE. BELGIAN CONGO Phones around 3 a.m. and 1-4 p.m. 10080 kc. 29.76 meters
TIFLIS, U.S.S.R.
Works with Moseow early
morning. 10070 kc. EDM-EHY .G. 29.79 meters MADRID, SPAIN Works with S. America ev

JIB 1 9950 kc. -C- 28.48 meters TAIWAN, FORMOSA Phones around 6:25 a.m. 10520 kc. 9930 kc. 28.51 meters SYDNEY, AUSTRALIA Calls Rugby, early a.m. **YBG** 10430 kc. -C- 28.78 meters MEDAN, SUMATRA 5:30-6:30 a. m., 7:30-8:30 p. m. 9890 kc. C- 28.79 motors 8HANGHAI. CHINA Calls Japan 12 m.-3 a.m. and California late evening 10410 kc. PDK C- 28.60 meters KDOTWIJK, HOLLAND Calle Java 7:30-9:40 a. m 10410 kc. KES 28.80 meters BOLINAS, CALI Tests evenings CALIF. 10370 kc. -C.-B- 28.93 meters TENERIFFE, CANARY ISL. Relays EAJ43. 2-4. 6-7 or 9 p.m. 10350 kc. LSX C- 28.98 meters
MONTE GRANDE,
ARGENTINA
Tests irregularly 8 p.m.-12 midnight. Broadeasts Mon. and Fri.
5-6 p.m. 10330 kc. XORK

-B, C- 29.04 meters
RUYSSELEDE, BELGIUM
Brondcasts 2:30-4 p.m. 10300 kc. -C- 29.13 meters HURLINGHAM, ARGENTINA Calls Europe, evanings 10290 kc. DZC -X- 29.16 meters
REICHSPOSTZENTRALAMPT,
ZEESEN, GERMANY
Broadcasts irregularly 10260 kc. -B, C- 29.24 meters
BANDOENG. JAVA
Relays YDB 5:30-10:30 or 11
a.m. 10250 kc. -C- 29.27 meters
HURLINGHAM, ARGENTINA
Calls Europe and U. S., afternoon and evening X- 29.33 meters ANTOFAGASTAN, CHILE Tests 7-9:30 p.m. -C- 29.35 meters RIO DE JANEIRO. BRAZIL 10170 kc. RIO 29.5 meters BAKOU, U.S.S.R. Works with Moseow 10 p.m.-5 a.m. 10140 kc. OPM

10065 KC. January 29.81 meters SHINKYO, MANCHUKUO Phones Tokyo 6:30-7 a.m. C. 29.84 meters
HAMILTON, BERMUDA
Phones N. Y. C. daytime 9650 kc. SUV -C- 29.84 meters
ABOU ZABAL. EGYPT
Works with Europe 1-8 p.m DZB -X- 29.87 meters ZEESEN, GERMANY Irregular

10055 kc.

10042 kc.

9990 kc.

-C- 30.03 meters
MANILLA, P.I.
Works with Java, Cal. and ships
early morning

GCU | 9635 kc. 30.15 meters RUGBY, ENGLAND Cails N.Y.C. evening HKB C- 30.21 meters
BOGOTA, COL.
Phones Rio de Janeiro evenings 9930 kc. ★CSW 30.21 meters ATL. BROAD. STATION LISBON, PORTUGAL 4-6 or 7 p.m.

-C- 30.33 meters HURLINGHAM. ARGENTINA Calls New York. evenings 9615 kc. 9870 kc. -C- 30.4 maters
LAWRENCEVILLE, N. J.
Phones England, evening 9860 kc. ★EAQ

-B- 30.43 meters
P. D. Box 951
MADRID. SPAIN
Dally 5:15-9:30 p.m.;
Saturday alsa 12 n.-2 p.m 9840 kc. JYS

X- 30.49 meters KEMIKAWA-CHO, CHIBA-KEN, JAPAN Irregular, II:30 p.m.-3 a.m. 9830 kc. IRM

-C- 30.52 meters ROME. ITALY Phones Egypt in the afternoon 9800 kc.

30.61 meters
MONTE GRANDE,
ARGENTINA
Tests irregularly

9790 kc. 30.64 matera
RUGBY, ENGLAND
Calls N.Y.C., evening

9760 kc. VLJ-VLZ2 -CAMALGAMATED WIRELESS
OF AUSTRALIA
SYDNEY. AUSTRALIA
Phones Java and N. Zealand
early a.m.

9750 kc. -C- 30.77 maters LAWRENCEVILLE, N. J. Phonas England, evening 9740 kc. ★COCQ

30.78 meters HAVANA, CUBA 6:50 a.m.- 1 a.m. 9710 kc.

30.89 meters
RUGBY, ENGLAND
Arge. & Brazil, evenings 9680 kc. ★CT1AA

-B- 31 meters
"RADIO COLONIAL"
LISBON, PORTUGAL
Tues., Thurs., Sat. 4-7 p.m.

9675 kc.
31.01 meters
ZEESEN. GERMANY
Irregular 9670 kc. TI4NRH

AMANDO CESPEDES MARIN.
APARTADO 40,
HEREDIA, COSTA RICA
Daily 8:30-10. [1:30 p.m.-12 m.

9660 kc. ★LRX -B- 31.06 meters
"EL MUNDO"
BUENOS AIRES. ARGENTINA
7-11:30 p.m. or 12 m.

9650 kc. 8- 31.09 meters N.1.R.O.M. SOERABAJA, JAVA Dally exc. Sat. 6-7:30 p.m., 5:30-10:30 or 11 a.m., Sat. 5:30-11:30 a.m.

DGII

-B- 31.09 meters NAUEN, GERMANY Works with Egypt in afterno 9645 kc. HH3W -B- 31,1 meters P.O. BOX A117, PORT-AU-PRINCE, HAITI

1-2, 7-8 p.m

9645 kc. YNLF -B. 31.1 meters MANAGUA. NICARAGUA 8-9 a.m., 12:30-2:30, 6:30-10 p.m.

**★2R0** B- 31.13 meters E.I.A.R. ROME, ITALY Daily 12:40-5:30 p.m. Mon., Wed., Fri. 6-7:30 p.m. Tues., Thurs., Sat. 6-7:45 p.m. 9630 kc. HJ2ABD -B- 31.14 meters
BUCARAMANGA, COL.
7-10 p.m. irregular

9820 kc. HJ1ABP -B- 31.19 meters P.O. BOX 37. CARTAGENA, COL, II am.-1 p.m. 5-11 p.m. Sun. 10 a.m.-1 p.m. 3-6 p.m.

-B- 31.22 meters APARTADO 867, PANAMA CITY, PANAMA 12n-1:30 p.m., 6-10:30 p.m. 9600 kc.

-B- 31.25 meters MOSCOW, U.S.S.R. Daily 6-8 p.m.

9600 kc. CBS -B. 31.25 meters SANTIAGO, CHILE 9:30 P.m. on **CB960** 

9595 kc. \*HBL .8. 31.27 meters
LEAGUE OF NATIONS
GENEVA. SWITZERLAND
Saturdays, 5:30-6:15 s. m.
Mon. at 1:45 a.m.

9590 kc. **★PCJ** -B- 31.28 meters N. V. PHILIPS RADIO EINDHOVEN, HOLLAND Sun. 2-3, 7-8 p.m. Tues, 1:30-3 p.m. Wed. 7-10 p.m.

9590 kc. ★VK2ME AB- 31.28 meters
AMALGAMATED WIRELESS,
LTD. 47 YORK SY.
SYDNEY. AUSTRALIA
Sun. 1-3. 5-9, 9:30-11:30 a.m.

9590 kc. ★W3XAU 31.28 meters PHILADELPHIA, PA. Relays WCAU Relays WCAU Daily (2n-8 p.m.

9580 kc. ★ GSC -B- 31.32 meters
DAVENTRY,
B.B.C.. BROADCASTING
HOUSE. LONDON, ENGLAND
6-8, 9-11 p.m.

9580 kc. VK3LR

B. 31.32 meters.

Research Section,
Petmaster Gen'is. Dept.,
Bi Little Cellins St.,
Bi Little Cellins St.,
Si.5.8:30.8:45.9:45 a.m., except
Sun., aiso Fri. 10 p.m.-2 a.m.

9575 kc. HJ2ABC 31.34 meters CUCUTA, COL. 8 p.m.-12 n.

9570 kc. ★W1XK -B- 31.35 maters
WESTINGHOUSE ELECTRIC
& MFG. CO.
SPRINGFIELD, MASS.
Relays WBZ, 7 a.m.-1 a.m.
Sun, 8 a.m.-1 a.m.

9565 kc. B- 31.36 meters BOMBAY. INDIA II:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.. Tues.. Thurs.. Fri, ·B-

9560 kc. BROADCASTING HOUSE.
BERLIN
12:05-5:15 a.m.. 5:55-11 a.m..
4:50-10:45 p.m.

9555 kc. HJ1ABB -B- 31.36 meters BARRANQUILLA, COL., S.A. P. 0, BOX 715 11:30 a,m.-1 p.m., 4:30-10 p.m.

9540 kc. ★DJN -B- 31.45 meters BROADCASTING HOUSE BERLIN, GERMANY 12:05-5:15 a.m., 4:50-10:45 p.m. 9540 kc. VPD2

B- 31.45 meters SUVA. FIJI ISLANDS AMALGAMATED WIRELESS OF AUSTRALASIA Daily except Sun. 5:30-7 a.m. 9535 kc.

-B- 31.46 meters TOK10. JAPAN Tests 2:30-3:30 p.m., 9-10 a.m. -B-

9530 kc. \* W2XAF

-B- 31.48 meters
GENERAL ELECTRIC CO.
SCHENECTADY, N. V.
Relays WGY 4 s.m.-12 m.

9525 kc. ZBW3 -8- 31.49 meters HONGKONG, CHINA P.O. Box 200 II:30 p.m.-1:15 a.m., 4-10 a.m.

9525 kc. LKJ1 -B. 31.49 meters JELOY. NORWAY 5-8 a.n

9520 kc. HJ4ABH -B- 31.51 meters ARMENIA, COLOMBIA Irregular 5 p.m.-12 m.

9510 kc. ★VK3ME -B- 31.55 meters
AMALGAMATED WIRELESS,
Ltd,
(67 Queen St.,
MELBOURNE, AUSTRALIA
Daily exe. Sun. 4-7 e.m.

9510 kc. ★GSB

-B- 31.55 meters
DAVENTRY,
B.B.C.. BROADCASTING
HOUSE, LONDON, ENGLAND
2-4 a.m., 12:15-5:45 p.m.

9505 kc. HJ1ABE
-B. 31.57 meters
P.O. BOX 31.
CARTAGENA. COLOMBIA
Daily 7:30-9 p.m..
Mon. siso 9:30-10:30 p.m.

9500 kc. HJU
-B- 31.58 meters
NATIONAL RAILWAYS
BUENAVENTURA. COLOMBIA Mon. Wed. Fri. 8-11 p.m.

9500 kc. PRF5
-B. 31.58 meters
RIO DE JANEIRD, BRAZIL
Irregulariy 4:45-5:45 p.m.

9490 kc. 31.61 meters VERA CRUZ. MEXICO See 6120 ke.

9480 kc. **EAH** 31.65 meters MADRID, SPAIN 4-5 p.m.

9470 kc. **XEDQ** -B- 31.68 meters GUADALAJAR, GALISEO, MEXICO Irregular

9460 kc. -C. 31.71 meters TRIPOLI, N. AFRICA Calls Rome 5-30-7 a.m.

9450 kc. **TGWA** -B. 31.75 maters
MINISTRE de FOMENTO
GUATEMALA
Daily II a.m.-I p.m. 8 p.m. 12m.
Sat. 9 p.m.-5 a.m. (Sun).

9440 kc.

HH2R 31.78 meters
FORT DE FRANCE.
MARTINIQUE
Irregular in evening

9428 kc. COCH

-B31.8 meters
2 B ST VEDADO.
HAVANA, CUBA
Daily 7 a.m.-1 a.m.

9415 kc. -C- 31.87 meters
BANDOENG, JAVA
Phones Holland around 9:45 a.m.

9350 kc. HS8PJ

32.09 meters BANGKOK, SIAM Thur, 8-10 a.m. 9330 kc.

-C- 32.15 meters DRUMMONDVILLE, CANADA Phones England irregularly

9280 kc. -C- 32.33 meters RUGBY, ENGLAND Calis Can. & Egypt, evenings

9170 kc. -C- 32.72 meters
LAWRENCEVILLE, N. J.
Phones England, evening

9150 kc. **YVR** 

-C. 32.79 metere MARACAY, VENEZUELA Works with Europe afternoons.

TIGOW

XGOX

JYR I

6850 kc.

6850 kc.

B- 43.8 meters ONDAS del CARIBE PUERTO LIMON, COSTA RICA Daily 12 n.-1:30 p.m.

9125 kc. ★HAT4 32.88 meters
"RADIOLABOR."
GYALI-uT, 22
BUDAPEST, HUNGARY
Sunday 6-7 p.m. 9060 kc. - 33.11 meters
REYKJAVIK, ICELAND
Phones Landan afternoons
Broadcasts Irregularly. 9020 kc. -C- 33.26 meters
RUGBY, ENGLAND
Calls N.Y.C., evenings 9010 kc. -C- 33.3 meters
BDLINAS, CAL.
Relays NBC & CBS
Programs in evening progularly 8975 kc. -C- 33.43 meters
KIRKEE, INDIA
Works with England in marning 8960 kc. ALGIERS, ALGERIA

R950 KC. HCJB 8950 KC.
-B. 33.5 meters
QUITO, ECUADOR
7:30-9:30 p.m., except Monday
Sun. 11 a.m.-12 n.: 4-10 p.m.
-B. 34.09 meters
HKV 8950 kc. 8795 KC. HKV
BOGOTA, COLOMBIA
Mon. and Thurs. 7-7:30 P.m. 8775 KC. PN
.C. 34.19 meters
MAKASSER, CELEBES,
N.I.
Phones Java around 4 s. m. 8765 KC. DAF
C. 34.23 meters
NORDDEIGH. GERMANY
Works German Ships Irregularly 8760 kc. GCC
-C. 34.25 meters
RUGBY, ENGLAND
Calls S. Africa. afternoon GCQ .C. 34.29 meters
DJIBOUTI, FR. SOMALILAND
AFRICA
Calls Paris around 2:30 a.m. 8730 KC.
-C- 34.35 meters
RUGBY, ENGLAND
Calle India, 8 s. m. GCI 8680 KC. GI -C- 34.56 meters RUGBY, ENGLAND Calls ships **GBC** 8665 kc. CO9JQ X- 34.62 meters
4 GENERAL GOMEZ
CAMAGUEY, CUBA
5:30-6:30.8-9 p.m. daily
except Sat. and Sun. 8590 kc. YNVA 34.92 meters MANAGUA. NICARAGUA 7:30-9:30 p. m. YNVA 8560 kc. WO
-C- 35.05 meters
DCEAN GATE, N. J.
Calls ships irregular 8400 kc. HC2CW -B- 35.71 meters GUAYAQUIL, ECUADOR 11:30 s.m.-12:30 p.m., 8-11 p. 8380 kc.
-c- S5.8 meters
Pisa, Italy IAC 8190 kc. XEME B- 38.63 meters
CALLE 59. No. 517
MERIDA. YUCATAN
"LA VOZ de YUCATAN desde
10 s.m...12 n. 6 p.m..12 m. **PSK** 8185 kc. -C- 36,65 meters RIO DE JANEIRO, BRAZIL Irregulariy 8036 kc. -B. 37.33 meters RABAT, MOROCCO Sunday, 2:30-5 p. m. CNR 7975 kc. HC2TC

-B. 37.62 meters
QUITO, ECUADOR
Thurs., Sun. at 8 p.m. 6860 kc.

7901 kc.

-C- 37.97 Meters HURLINGHAM. ARGENTINA Calls Brazil, night

LSL

-X- 43.70 meters
BOLINAS, CALIF.
Tests irregularly
## a. m.-12 n.; 6-9 p. m.

6905 kc. GDS
-C- 43.45 meters
RUGBY, ENGLAND
Calls N.Y.C. evening

7880 kc.
-B. 30.07 meters
KEMIKAWA-CHO, CHIBA-KEN, JAPAN
4-7:40 B. M. -C- 38.17 meters
ABOU ZABAL, EGYPT
Works with Europe 4-6 p. 7854 kc. HC2JSB 7610 kc. 7520 kc. 7510 kc.

43.8 meters
NANKING, CHINA
Daily 6:40-8:40 a.m.
Sun. 4:40-6:05 a.m. -B. 38.2 meters
GUAYAQUIL, ECUADOR
Evenings HI7P 6800 kc. B. 44.12 meters
EMISORIA DIARIA de COMERCIO, CIUDAO TRUJILLO.
DOM, REP.
Dally exe. Sat. and Sun. 12:401:40, 6:40-8:40 p.m.; Sat. 12-401:40 p.m.; Sun. 10:40 a.m.11:40 a. m. 7799 KC. A HBE

38.47 meters

LEAGUE OF NATIONS,

GENEVA, SWITZERLAND

5:30-6:15 p. m., Saturday

KE **★**HBP 7715 KC. KEE
-C- 38.89 meters
BDLINAS. CAL.
Relays NBC & CBS
Programs in evening irregularly 6770 kc. B. 44.26 meters 8AN PEDRO de MACDRIS DOMINICAN REP. 12:10-1:40 p.m., 7:30-9 p.m., Sun, 3-4 a.m., 4:15-6 p.m., p.m.; 4:40-7:40 p.m. 7626 kc. RIM TACHKENT, U.S.S.R. Works with Moscow early with Moss-morning KWX 6755 kc. -C- 44.41 meters LAWRENCEVILLE, N. J. Phones England, evening -C- 39.42 meters DIXON. CAL. Works with Hawaii, Philip-pines, Java and Japan nights. JVT 6750 kc. -B,C- 44.44 maters NAZAKI, JAPAN KDKUSAI-DENWA KAISHA, LTD., TOKIO 7550 kc. T18W:
39.74 meters
"ECOS DEL PACIFICO"
P. 0. BOX 75 PUNTA
ARENAS. COSTA RICA
6 p.m.-12 m. TI8WS 6730 kc. HI3C B. 44.58 meters
"LA VOZ DE LA FERIA"
LA ROMANA, DOM, REP.
12:30-2 p.m. 5-6 p.m. KKH C- 39.89 maters
KAHUKU, HAWAII
Works with Dixon and bro
casts irregularly nights 6720 kc. PMH -B.C- 44.64 meters
BANDOENG, JAVA
Relays NIROM programs
5:30-10:30 or 11 a.m. -B.C. 39.95 meters NAZAKI, JAPAN 6710 kc. **★TIEP** 7500 kc. -C. 40 meters MOSCOW, U.S.S.R. Works RiM early a.m RKI -B- 44.71 meters
LAVOZ DEL TROPICO
SAN JOSE, COSTA RICA
APARTADO 257. Daily 7-10 7390 KC. ZLT2
-C. WELLINGTON. N.Z.
Works with Sydney 3-7 a.m. p.m. 6672 KC. YVO 6650 kc. IA 7281 kc. HJIABD

41.04 meters
CARTAGENA, COLO.
Irregularly, evenings

7100 kc. FOSAA 6635 kc. ★HC2RL .B. 45.21 meters P. O. BOX 759. GUAYAQUIL, ECUADOR, S. A. Sunday, 5:45-7:45 p. m. Tues., 8:15-11:15 p. m. -B- 42.25 meters PAPEETE, TAHITI Tues, and Fri. 11 p.m.-12 6630 kc. HIT

-B. 45.25 meters
"LA VOZ de la RCA VICTOR."

APARTADO 1105, CIUDAD

TRUJILLO. D.R.
Dally exc. Sun. 12:10-1:40 p.m..
5:40-8:40 p.m.. aiso Sat. 10:40
p.m.-12:40 a.m. (Sun.) 7100 kc. HKE
-B. 806DTA. COL.. 8. A.
Tus. and Sat. 8-9 p. m.: Mee.
4. Thurs. 6:30-7 p. m. 7074 kc. HJ1ABK B- 42.69 meters
CALLE, BOLIVIA,
PROGROSO-IGUALDAD
BARRANQUILLA, COLOMBIA
Sun. 3-6 p.m. 6625 kc. ★PRADO -B- 45.28 meters RIOBAMBA, ECUADOR Thurs, 9-11:45 p.m. 6558 KC. HI4D

-B- 45.74 meters
CIUDAD TRUJILLO. DOMINICAN REPUBLIC
Except Sun. II:55 a.m.-1:40 7030 kc. -B. 42.67 meters
SAN PEDRO SULA.
HONDURAS
Reported on this and other waves
irregularly in evening 6550 kc. -B- 45.8 meters VERA CRUZ, MEX. 8:15-9 a.m. 6996 kc. ### 42.88 meters ### 0.80 X 18, PARAMIRABO, DUTCH GUIANA Daily 6.06.836 a.m. Daily 5:36-8:36 a.m. 6550 kc. TIRCC A5.8 meters
RADIOEMISORA CATOLICA
COSTARRICENSE
SAN JOSE, COSTA RICA
Sun. 11 s.m.-2 p.m., 6-7, 8-9
pm., Dally 12 n.-2 p.m., 6-7
p.m. Thurs, 6-11 p.m. 6977 kc. XBA

B. 43 meters

TACUBAYA, D.F. MEX.
9:30 a.m.-1 p.m.. 7-8:30 p.m.

6976 kc. HCETC 6545 kc. -B- 45.84 meters
"ECOS de ORINOCO",
BOLIVAR, VENEZUELA
6-10:30 p.m. 43 meters
TEATRO BOLIVAR
QUITO. ECUADOR
Thurs. till 9:30 p.m.

6150 kc. HI4V CSL 6477 kc. -B- 46.32 meters CIUDAD TRUJILLO, D.R. LA VOZ de LA MARINA 11:40 a.m.-1:40 p.m., 5:10-9:40 48.78 meters LISBON, PORTUGAL Irregular 7-8:30 a.m., 2-7 p.m. 6150 kc. \*CJRO

-B. 48.78 meters
WINNIPEG, MAN., CANADA

8 p. m.-12 m.

Sun. 3-10:30 p. m. p.m. 6450 kc. HJ4ABC 46.51 meters
APARTADO 39
IBAQUE, COLOMBIA
a.m.-12 n., 8-11 p.m. 6147 kc.
-B. 48.8 meters
BOX 137, SANTIAGO, CUBA
9-10 a.m. 11:30 a.m. 1:30 p.m.,
3-4:30 p.m., 10-11 p.m., 12 m,
2 a.m. 6450 kc. HI8A -B. 46.51 meters CIUDAD TRUJILLO, DOM. REP. 8:40-10:40 a.m.. 2:40-4:10 p.m., Sat. 9:40-10:40 p.m., Sun 2:40-4:40 p.m. 6145 kc. HJ4ABU 6425 kc. W9XE

-X. 46.7 meters
NATL. BROAD. CO,
CHICAGO, ILL.
Relays WMAQ. irregular 48.8 meters PEREIRA, CDL, 11 a.m., 7.8 p.m 6140 kc. ★W8XK -B. 48.86 meters
WESTINGHOUSE ELECTRIC
4. MFG, CO.
PITTSBURGH, PA.
Relays KDKA
9 p.m.-i a.m. 6420 kc. -B- 46.73 meters PUERTO PLATA. DOM. REP. 11:40 a.m.-1:40 p.m., 5:40-7:40, 9:40-11:40 p.m. 6135 kc. HJ1ABB 6410 kc. TIPG B. 46.8 meters APARTADO 225. SAN JOSE, COSTA RICA "LA VOZ DE LA VICTOR" 12 n.2 p.m., 6-11:30 p.m. -B. 48.9 meters
BARRANQUILLA. COL., \$. A.
P. 0. BOX 715.
II:30 a.m.-1 p.m.; 4:30-10 p.m. 6135 kc. ★HI5N 48.9 meters SANTIAGO, D.R. 6:40-9:10 p.m. YV5RH 6400 kc. 46.88 meters CARACAS, VENEZUELA 7-11 p.m. 6132 kc. HIX -B- 48.93 meters CIUDAD TRUJILLO, OOMINICAN REP. Sun. 7:40-10:10; Daily 12:40 1:10 p.m. 4:40-5:40 p.m.; Tues, and Fri. 8:10-10:10 p.m. 6355 kc . YV1RH -B- 47.2 meters
"ONDAS DEL LAGO."
MARACAIBO. VENEZUELA
8-11 p.m. 6350 kc. YV1RG 6130 kc. **TGXA** -B- 47.21 meters
VALERA, VENEZUELA
5:30-6:30 p.m. B. 48.94 meters
GIORNAL LIBERAL PROGRESSISTA. GAUTEMALA
CITY. GUAT.
Heard in the evening. 6316 kc. -8- 47.5 maters CIUDAD TRUJILLO DOMINICAN REPUBLIC Dally except Sat, and Sun. 11:10 a.m.-2:25 p.m., 5:10-8:40 p.m.; Sat, 5:10-11:10 p.m.; Sun., 11:40 a.m.-1:40 p.m. 6130 kc. COCD 0130 KC.

8- 48.94 meters

"LA VOZ DEL AIRE"

CALLE G y 25. VEDADO,

HAVANA, CUBA

Relays CMCD II s.m.-12 n., 710 pm., 8un. 12 n., 4 pm. 6300 kc. YV4RG 6130 kc. **ZGE** -B. 47.62 meters MARACAY, VENEZUELA 8-10:30 p.m. 48.94 meters
KUALA LUMPUR.
FED. MALAY STATES
Sus., Tue., and Fri.,
6:40-8:40 a. m. 6290 kc. B· 47.69 meters CARACAS, VEN. LA VOZ DE LA PHILCO irregular 6130 kc. ★VE9HX

-B- 48.94 meters
P.O. BOX 998

HALIFAX. N.S.. CANADA
Mon.-Fri., 9 a.m.-1 p.m.,
5-11 p.m., 2-11 p.m.
Fri. 1-3 p.m.; Sat.. Sun. 9 a.m.p.m., 2-11 p.m.
6122 kc. HJ3ABX
-B. 49 meters 6282 kc. -B- 47.76 meters P.O. BOX 85, SANCTI SPIRITUS, CUBA 4-6, 9-11 D.m. 6280 kc. -B. 49 meters
LA VOZ de COLOMBIA
Apartado 2663
BOGOTA. COLOMBIA
Daily 10:30 a.m.-2 p.m., 5:3011 a.m., Sun, 6-11 p.m. -B- 47.77 meters CIUDAD TRUJILLO, D.R. 7:10-8:40 a.m., 12:40-2:10, 8:10-9:40 p.m. 6243 kc. B. CIUDAD TRUJILLO, D.R. LA VOZ DEL PARTIDO DOMINICANO 12 n.-2 p.m., 7:30-9:30 p.m. 6235 kc. HRD -B. 48.12 meters
LA VOZ DE ATLANTIDA
LA CEIBA, HONDURAS
8-11 p.m., Sat. 8 p.m.-1 a.m.
(Sun.); Sun. 4-6 p.m. 6230 kc. OAX4G 48.15 meters Apartado 1242 LIMA, PERU Daily 7-10:30 p.m.

6120 KC. XWXXE

B. 48.02 meters

ATLANTIC BROADCASTING

CORP. N. Y. C.

Relays WABC, 11 p.m.-12 m. 6120 kc. XEFT -B- 49.02 meters AV. INDEPDENCIA 28, VERA CRUZ. MEX. 11 a.m.-4 p.m.. 7:30 p.m.-12 m. Sat, also 6:30-7:30 p.m. Sun. (1 a.m.-4 p.m.. 9 p.m.-12 m. Relays XEYF 6115 kc. -B- 49.05 meters PRAGUE CZECHOŚLOVAKIA 6185 KC.
B. 48.5 meters
P. D. BOX 423, SANTIAGO,
DOMINICAN REP.
140 a. m. 130 p. m. HI1A trregular 6110 kc. ★GSL

B. 49.1 meters
DAVENTRY
B. B. C. BROADCASTING
HOUSE, LONDON, ENGLAND
trrequiar XEXA Irregular 6110 kc. VUC
-B: CALCUTTA, INDIA
Daily 3-5:30 a.m., 9:30 a.m.noon, Sun. 7:30 a.m.-12n. HJ3ABF 6105 kc. HJ4ABB B- 49.14 meters
MANIZALES, COL., S. A.
P. O. Box 175
Men. to Fri. 12:15-1 p. m.;
Tues. & Fri. 7:30-10 p. m.;
Sun. 2:30-5 p. m.

(All Schodules Eastern Standard Time)

B- 46.15 meters APARTADO 623 CIUDAD TRUJILLO. D.R. 12:10-1:40 p.m.. 5:40-7:40 p.m.

6520 kc. XV4RB

-B. 46.01 meters
VALENCIA, VENEZUELA
II a.m.-2 p.m.. 5-10 p.m.

6500 kc.

6185 kc.

6171 kc.

6170 kc.

11:40 a. m.-1:40 p. m. 7:40-9:40 p. m. Wed. 6-10:30 p.m.

48.61 meters
DEPT. OF EOUCATION
MEXICO CITY, MEX.
7-11 p.m.

BOGOTA, COLOMBIA

6160 kc. \* YV5RD

-B. 48.7 meters
CARACAS. VENEZUELA
## a.m.-2 p.m., 4-10:30 p.m.

6100 kc. ★W3XAL -B- 49.18 meters
NATIONAL BROADCASTING
CO.
BOUND BROOK, N. J.
Relays WJZ
Monday, Wednesday, Saturday,
5-6 p.m., Sun, 12 m.-1 a.m.

6100 kc. ★W9XF 49.18 meters
NATL. BROAD. CO.
CHICAGO, ILL.
Tues.. Thurs., Frl. 12 m.1 a.m.. 8 p.m.-11.59 p.m.
M., W., Sat.. 12 m-1 a.m.
Relays WENR

6097 kc. ZTJ -B. 49.2 meters
AFRICAN BROADCASTING JOHANNESBURG, SOUTH AFRICA. Sun.-FI. (1:45 pm. 12:30 a.m. (next day) Mon.-Sat. 3:30-7 a.m. 9 a.m.-4 pm. Sun. 8-10:15 a m.; (2:30-3 p.m.

6095 kc. 49.22 meters TOKIO, JAPAN Irregular

6092 kc. HJ4ABE -B- 49.25 meters
MEDELLIN, COLO.
Daily II a.m.-12 n., 6-10:30 p.m.

6090 kc. ★CRCX 49.26 meters TORONTO, CANADA Daily 5:30-11:30 p.m. Sun. 5-11:30 p.m.

6090 kc. VE9BJ -B- 49.28 maters SAINT JOHN, N. B., CAN. 7-8:30 p. m.

6090 kc. ZBW2 B- 49.26 meters
P. 0. BOX 200
HONGKONG. CHINA
Irregular 11:30 p.m.-1:15 a.m.,
4-10 a.m.

6085 kc. HJ5ABD

-B- 49.3 meters
"LA VOZ DE VALLE"
CALI, COLOMBIA
12 n.-1:30 p.m.. 5:10-9.40 p.m.

6083 kc. VQ7LO -B- 49.31 meters NAIROBI, KENYA AFRICA Mon-Fri, 5:45-6:15 a.m., 1:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m. Also 8:30-9:30 a.m. on Tues, and Thurs.; Sat. 11:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m.; Sun. 11 a.m.-2 p.m.

6080 kc. ZHJ -B- 49.34 meters
PENANG, MALAYA
Daily exc. Sun. 6:40-8:40 a.m.
also Sat. II p.m.-I A.M. (Sun.)

6080 kc. 49.34 meters LAPAZ. BOLIVIA 7-10:30 p. m.

HP5F 6080 kc. -B- 49.34 meters CARLTON HOTEL COLON, PANAMA II:45 a.m.-I:15 pm., 7:45-10 p.m.

W9XAA 6080 kc. B- 48.34 meters
CHICAGO FEDERATION OF
LABOR
CHICAGO. ILL.
Relays WCFL
Sunday 11:30 a. m.-9 p. m. and
Tues., Thurs., Sat., 4 p. m.-12 m. DJM 6079 kc.

BROADCASTING HOUSE.
BERLIN, GERMANY

6070 kc. YV1RD

-B- 49.42 meters MARACAIBO, VENEZUELA 6-11 p.m. 6070 kc. HJ4ABC

B- 49.42 meters PERIERA, COL. 9-11 a.m., 7-8 or 9 p. 6070 kc. VE9CS

-B- 48.42 meters VANCOUVER, B. C., CANADA Sun, 1:45-9 p. m., 10:30 p. m., 1 a. m.; Tues, 6-7:30 p. m., 11:30 p. m.-1:30 a. m., Dally 6-7:30 p. m.

6065 kc. HJ4ABL -B- 49.46 meters MANIZALES, COL. Daily 11 a.m.-12 n., 5:30-7:30 p.m. 8at. 5:30-10:30 p.m.

6060 kc. ★W8XAL .B- 49.50 meters CROSLEY RADIO CORP. CINCINNATI, OHIO 5:30 a.m., 8 p.m.; II p.m.-I a.m. Relays WLW

6060 kc. W3XAU B. 49.50 meters
PHILADELPHIA, PA.
Relays WCAU

Relays WCAU 6 p.m.-II p.m. 6060 kc. OXY -B- 49.50 meters SKAMLEBOAEK. DENMARK 1-6:30 p.m.

6050 kc. -B- 49.59 meters
DAVENTRY
B. B. C., BROADCASTING
HOUSE, LONDON, ENGLAND
Irregular

6050 kc. HJ3ABD -B- 49.59 meters
COLOMBIA BROADCASTING,
BOX 509. BOGOTA. COL.
12 n.-2 p.m.. 7-11 p.m., Sun.
5-9 p.m.

6045 kc. HI9B

- 49.63 meters SANTIAGO DOM, REP. Irregular 6 p.m.-ii p.m. 6042 kc. HJ1ABG

B- 49.65 meters
EMISORA ATLANTICO
BARRANQUILLA. COLO.
ij a.m.. ij p.m..
Sun. Ii a.m.. 8 p.m.

6040 kc. W4XB -B- 49.67 meters MIAMI BEACH, FLA. Relays WIOD 12 n.-2 p.m.. 5:30 p.m.-12 m.

6040 kc. ★W1XAL
-B. 49.67 maters
BOSTON. MASS.
Tues., Thurs. 7:15-9:15 p.m.
Sun 5-7 p.m.

6040 kc. -B- 49.67 meters N.I.R.O.M. TANDJONGPRIOK, JAVA 10:30 p.m.-2 a.m. Sat. 7:30 p.m., 2 a.m. (Sun.)

6030 kc. HJ4ABP -B- 49.75 meters MEDELLIN, COL. Relaya HJ4ABQ 8-11 p.m.

6030 kc. ★HP5B
-B. 48.73 meters
P. 0. BOX 910
PANAMA CITY, PAN.
12 n.- 19.m., 7-10:30 p.m.

6030 kc. VE9CA -B- 49.75 maters CALGARY, ALBERTA, CAN. Thurs. 9 a.m.-2 a.m. (Fri.); Sun. 12 m.-12 m. Irresularly en ether days from 9 a.m.-12 m.

6030 kc. **★OLR** -B- 49.75 meters PRAGUE. CZECHOSLOVAKIA Daily 2:45-4:30 p.m.

6025 kc. HJ1ABJ -B- 49.79 meters SANTA MARTA, COLO, 5:30-10:30 p.m. except Wed

6020 kc. ★DJC -B- 49.83 meters BROADCASTING HOUSE, BERLIN 11:35 a.m.-4:30 p.m.,

6020 kc. XEUW B- 49.82 meters AV. INDEPENDENCIA, 98, VERA CRUZ, MEX. 6 p.m.-12:30 a.m.

6018 kc. -B. 49.85 meters
RADIO SERVICE CO.,
20 ORCHARD RO.,
SINGAPORE, MALAYA
Mon., Wed. and Thurs 5:40-8:10
a.m. 8at. 10:40 p.m.-1:10 a.m.
(Sun.) Every other Sunday 5:10-6:40 a.m.

6015 kc. HI3U -B- 49.88 meters 8ANTIAGO de los CABAL-LEROS. DOM. REP. 7:30-9 a.m., 12 n.- 2 pm., 5-7 p.m., 8-9:30 p.m., Sun 12:30-2, 5-6 p.m.

6012 kc. HJ3ABH -B- 49.91 meters
B0G0TA. COLO.
APARTADO 565
6-11 p.m.
8un. 12 n.-2 p.m.. 4-11 p.m.

6010 kc. VP3MR
-B. 49.9 meters
GEORGETOWN, BRI. GUIANA. S.A.
Sun. 7:45-10:15 a.m.
Daily 4:45-8:45 p.m.

6010 kc. ★COCO

-B. 48.92 meters
P.O. BOX 98

Dally 9:30 a.m.-1 p.m., 4-7 p.m.,
Sat. also 11:30 p.m.-2 a.m.

6005 kc. HP5K -B- 49.96 meters BOX 33, COLON, PANAMA 7:30-9 a.m.. 12 n.-1 p.m., 5-9 p.m.

6005 kc. ★CFCX

-B. 49.98 meters
CANADIAN MARCONI CO.,
MONTREAL, QUE.,
CAN.
Relays CFCF 6 a.m.-11:15 p.m.
Sun. 9 a.m.-11:15 p.m.

6000 kc. HJ1ABC

-B. 50 meters
QUIBDO, COLOMBIA
5-6 p.m., Sun. 9-11 p.m. 6000 kc. RV59

50 meters MOSCOW, U.S.S.R. Dally 12:30-6 p.m.

5990 kc. ★XEBT 50.00 meters
MEXICO CITY, MEX.
P. 0, Bex 79-44
8 s.m.-1 s.m.

5988 kc. HJ2ABD -B- 50.10 meters BUCARAMANGA, COL. II:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m., 5:30-5:30, 7:30-10:30 p.m.

5968 kc. ·B· 50.27 meters VATICAN CITY 2-2:18 p. m., delly. Sun., 5-5:30 S. m. 5950 kc. HJN I 50.42 meters BOGOTA, COL, 6-11 p.m,

5940 kc. TG2X -B- 50.5 meters GUATEMALA CITY, GUAT. 4-6, 9-11 p.m., Sun. 2-5 m.m.

5930 kc. HJ4ABD -B- 50.51 meters
LA VOZ CATIA.
MEDELLIN. COLOMBIA
8-11:30 p.m.

5915 kc. HH2S B- 50.72 melers PORT AU PRINCE, HAITI BOX A103. 7-9:45 p.m.

5910 kc. YV4--B- 50.76 meters MARACAY, VENEZUELA Irregular

5898 kc. YV3RB 50.86 meters
"LA VOZ de LARA"
BARQUISIMETO.
VENEZUELA
12 n.- 1p.m.. 6-10 p.m.

5890 kc. 50.93 meters TAIHOKU, FORMOSA Phones Tokyo 6-9 a.m.

Phones

5885 kc.

50.98 meters
QUITO. ECUADOR. 8. A.
8-11 p.m.

HRN

-B- 51.06 meters TEGUCIGALPA, HONDURAS 1:15-2:15, 8:30-10 p.m., Sun, 3:30-5:30, 8:30-9:30 p.m.

5865 kc. HI1J B- 51.15 meters BOX 204, SAN PEORO de MACORIS, DOM. REP. 12 n.-2. 6:30-9 p.m. -B-

5853 kc. C- 51.26 meters LAWRENCEVILLE, N. J. Calls Bermuda, nights

5850 kc. ★YV1RB B. 51.28 motors
CALLE REGISTRO. LAS DE-LICIAS APARTADD da CDR-RES 214
MARACAIBO. VENEZUELA
8:45-9:45 a.m., 11:15 a.m.-12:15
p.m., 4:45-9:45 p.m. Sun. 11:45
a.m.-12:45 p.m.

5830 kc. -C- 51.46 meters SHINKYO, MANCHUKUO Phones Tokyo 6-9 a.m.

5830 kc. ★TIGPH

-B51.5 meters
ALMA TICA,
APARTADO 800,
8AN JOSE. COSTA RICA
11 a.m.-1 p.m., 6-10 p.m.,
Relays TIX 9-10 p.m.

5800 kc. YV5RC

-B. 51.72 maters
RADIO CARACAS
CARACAS. VENEZUELA
Sun. 8:30 a,m.-0:30 p.m.
Dally II a.m.-1:30 p.m.. 4-9:30
p.m.

5790 kc. JVU 51.81 maters NAZAKI, JAPAN -C-

5780 kc. OAX4D -B- 51.9 meters P.O. Bex 253 LIMA, PERU Mon. Wed. & Sat. 9-11:30 p.m. 5720 kc. YV2RSC

-B. 52.45 meters
"LA VOZ de TACHIRA,"
SAN CRISTOBAL,
VENEZUELA
6-11:30 p.m.

5713 kc. **TGS** -B- 52.51 meters GUATEMALA CITY, GUAT. Wed., Thurs. and Sun. 6-9 p.m. 5500 kc. TI5HH -B- 54.55 meters SAN RAMON, COSTA RICA Irregularly 3:30-4, 8-11:30 p.m.

5145 kc. **PMY** -B- 58.31 meters BANDOENG, JAVA 5:30-11 a.m.

5077 kc. WCN C- 59.08 meters LAWRENCEVILLE, N. J. Phones England irregularly

5025 kc. ZF/ -C- 59.7 meters HAMILTON, BERMUDA Calls U.S.A., nights ZFA

5000 kc.

-C- 60 meters
REYKJAVIK, ICELAND
Calls London at night.
Also broadcasts irregularly

4975 kc. 60.30 meters
RUGBY, ENGLAND
Calls Ships, late at night

4820 kc. -C- 62.24 meters RUGBY, ENGLAND Calls N.Y.C., late at night

4790 kc. VE9BK -BX- 62.63 meters RADIO SALES SERVICE. LTD.. 780 BEATTY ST.. VAN-COUVER. B.C., CAN. Daily exe. Sun. It 130-11/45 a. m., 3-3:15, 8-8:15 p.m.

4752 kc. 63.1 meters OCEAN GATE, N. J. Calls ships irregularly

4600 kc. HC2ET -B- 65.22 meters Apartado 249 GUAYAQUIL, ECUADOR Wed., Sat., 9:15-11 p.m.

4320 kc. GDB -C- 69.44 meters RUGBY, ENGLAND Tests, 8-11 p. m.

4272 kc. 70.22 meters
OCEAN GATE, N. J.
Calls ships irregularly

4250 kc. -B- 70.42 meters KHABAROVSK, SIBERIA, U. S. S. R. Dally, 1-10 a.m.

4098 kc. -C- 73.21 maters HIALEAH, FLORIDA Calls Bahama Islee

4002 kc. CT2AJ 74.95 meters
PONTA DELGADA,
8AO MIGUEL, AZORES
Wed. and Sat. 5-7 p. m. 3040 kc. YDA

-B- 98.88 meters N.I.R.O.M. TANDJONGPRIOK, JAVA Delly exc. Sat. 6-7:30 p.m., 5:30-10:30 or II a.m., Sat. 5:30-II:30 a.m.

### WIXAL to Broadcast Astronomical Data

GROUPS of scientists and research workers in all parts of the world will now be able to receive daily broadcasts of cosmic data, sunspots and magnetic disturbances via short wave from WIXAL in Boston Mass. President Walter S. Lemmon (WIXAL) inaugurated the new radio service starting February 1st. At 4:55 p.m. EST each weekday, bulletins known as URSI-grams are to be broadcast over WIXAL on 11.79 Mc (25.45 meters) and will be picked up by laboratories equipped with radio receiving sets not only in all parts of the North American continent but also in Europe, South Africa, and Australia as well. Weekly summaries of this data will be given each Monday evening at 8:30 p.m. on 6.04 Mc (49.67 meters).

Science Service at Washington is cooperating with WIXAL in this work. They have been com-

piling this scientific data daily for several years. Previously these bulletins have been mailed to selected lists of research workers and also transmitted in telegraph code from NAA. the Naval Radio Station in Arlington, Va., to a limited number of points. Now through the worldwide facilities of W1XAL this broadcast service will enable many thousands of scientific observers and amateur astronomers to receive up-to-the-minute information to assist them in their local observations. Through the cooperation of the Harvard Observatory reports of any unusual celestial phenomena will also be added to the broadcast as part of this scientific service.

The name URSIgram attached to these bulletins is derived from the initials of the Union Radio Scientifique Internationale (URSI) which formulated the original plan for gathering

cosmic data. The scientist who had much to do with the formulation of this idea is Professor A. E. Kennelly, of the Electrical Engineering Department of Harvard University, and codiscoverer of the Kennelly-Heavyside Layer which makes short-wave transmission possible.

Appearing with Professor Kennelly in this in-Appearing with Professor Kennelly in this inaugural broadcast were Dr. Harlow Shapley, Director of the Harvard College Observatory, and Trustee of the World-Wide Broadcasting Foundation (W1XAL); and Dr. Loring B. Andrews. prominent Harvard astronomer and Chairman of the WIXAL Program Committee.
Mr. Watson Davis of Science Service had his address broadcast by electrical transcription as he could not be present personally.

# LET'S "Listen In"

With

Joe Miller

• AS this article comes out, we can look forward to the DX cycle again swinging 'round, as, in mid-March, approximately, the 20 meter band begins to "open up," and Australians, Europeans, and a little sprinkling of Asiatics begin to push through on 20.

For the rest of the band, in general, we can expect signals to be heard with more volume, although with a bit more "background" noise than in the quiet winter season now waning.

New worlds are opened to the ardent DXer, to be conquered as conditions



SM5SX—The world-renowned S-W station at Stockholm, Sweden, heard by many American listeners.

for real DX improve. Spring reception really does help one get the hard ones, as we heard ZTJ in April, '35, with such a signal we did not believe we had such a signal we did not believe we had heard this rare catch till we had received a veri, signed by Station Director, and congratulating us "upon our achievement." We would advise that all you seekers of the near impossible try for the African SW-BC stations, ZTJ, CR7AA, and VQ7LO, etc., as one can never tell when they may push through to the U.S., and conditions will be quite favorable especially tions will be quite favorable, especially in late March, and April.

A certificate for VAC is being worked

out and we hope to give full details as to how to obtain it in our May article. The certificate will be very handsome, and almost every DXer will be eligible for it. Watch for details, it'll be well worth your while!

Now to DX:

### Welcome Martinique!

Radio Fort de France, on 9.44mc., and located at Fort de France, Martinique, in the West Indies, is being heard with a fine signal nearly daily

from 8-9 p.m.

French announcements are made;
program is made up of all sorts of music, from rhumbas to jazz, and English is spoken at the "sign-off."

This "catch" will add a new country

to all DXer's logs, so we urge all to "log" them at once, and write for a veri

### **Our Short-Wave** "DX" Editor

Winner of 30th "S.-W. Scout" Trophy

Joe tells you about the new "VAC" certificate, also "how" and "when" to listen in and "catch" DX stations in China, India, Africa, Japan and Asia!

to be prized! A sure identification of this catch, which is heard just to the HF side of COCH, is the heavy hum apparent on station's carrier wave. The only QRA we have is mentioned in first two lines of this DX tip. Thanks to friend John De Myer for this FB tip!

### XGOX Well Heard

The Nanking, China, station on 6.85 mc. came through consistently during January, although the terrific CW QRM near XGOX made reception on our SW58 regenerative set hopeless, so we had to resort to one of our "supers" to pull it through OK. A picture of XGOX's studio appeared in a previous issue.
Program "fare" consisted mainly of



"ZUIT" has a handsome and effective layout, you'll agree.

the native Chinese music, rather monotonous and gentle, played for as much as 20 minutes without a pause. Reports on XGOX should be addressed to Mr. P. F. Woo, Radio XGOX, Central Broadcasting Administration, Nanking, China.

### Poona. India

VWY, Poona, the Indian commercial used by British Gov't for communica-

Australians on 20-meter phone will begin to come through around the first week in March. The best time to tune for "VK" Hams is from 12:30 to 3:30 a.m., with the peak period at 2 a.m., also try from 6 to 7:30 a.m.

This marks the beginning of conditions that will hold through the balance of the summer.

summer.

tion with the home Isles, was heard once just after 3 a.m., phoning Rugby.

However, although the station is listed near 8.98 mc. by several publications, a letter we have direct from the station states that VWY operates on 9037.5 kc., and that is where we heard this nice DX catch, just to the HF side of TYA2, the French commercial, often heard phoning and broadcasting in early a.m.'s on 9.04 mc.

Mr. N. Stahevitch, Hollywood, Cal., supports our reception on 9.037 mc., having heard VWY several times during the month. VWY contacts and phones GCI, Rugby, on 8.73 mc., often between 1:30 and 3:30 a.m.

### Chinese Commercials

XOJ, Shanghai, 15.80 mc., is being heard quite well, between 9:30-11:30 p.m., usually phoning JVF, 15.61 mc., and at times JVE, 15.66 mc., both at Tokyo. Usually, XOJ phones in introduced speech but calls and makes converted speech, but calls and makes contacts in clear speech. Watch for this

tacts in clear speech. Watch for this one, it is really easy to get now! XGW, 10.42 mc., Shanghai, is coming in almost daily, with good strength, near 6:30-7 a.m. Another pair lately heard are XPC, 9.285 mc., and XGU, listed at 9.28 mc., but heard a bit lower in freq. (about 0.25 mc.)

in freq. (about 9.25 mc.)

As there has been much confusion as to wavelengths and locations of the many new Chinese stations reported, we cannot guarantee accuracy on any new station's listings, but have written the Chinese Government for a complete listing, which we hope will clear up everything.

9.285 mc., calling Hangkow at 7:30 a.m.; also XTV, 9.49 mc. heard R9, 9:30-11 a.m. FB DX, Ed!
Our old reliable Ach!

Our old reliable, Ashley Walcott of San Francisco adds: Shanghai now phones daily, except Sundays, from 9 to 11 a.m., using freq. of 7.41 mc., with a call sounding like XGB. This station phones KWY on 7.56 mc., at Dixon, California. Also, Hangkow, 5.48 mc., phones Shanghai on either 5.74 or on 9.285 mc.

To obtain reports on all of these commercials, write to Mr. T. C. Loo, Chinese Government, Radio Administration, Sassoon House, Jinkee Road, Shanghai, China.

### Canary Islands

EAJ43, 10.38 mc., at Tenerife, is (Continued on page 775)



1T-This gorgeous card from South Africa is in green, yellow and red.

### SHORT WAVE **UESTION BOX** EDITED BY G.W. SHUART. W2AMN

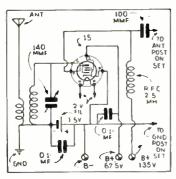
Because the amount of work involved in the drawing of diagrams and the compilation of data, we are forced to charge 25c each for let-ters that are answered directly through the mail. This fee includes only hand-drawn schematic drawings. We cannot furnish "picture-layouts"

or "full-sized" working drawings. Letters not ac-companied by 25c will be answered in turn on this page. The 25c remittance may be made in the form of stamps, coin or money order. Special problem involving considerable re-

search will be quoted upon request. We cannot

offer opinions as to the relative merits of com-mercial instruments.

Correspondents are requested to write or print their names and addresses clearly. Hundreds of letters remain unanswered because of incomplete or illegible addresses.



1-Tube Booster (1053)

#### SIMPLE BOOSTER

Roman Weza, Sobieski, Wisc.
(Q) Will you please print a diagram of a simple booster which appeared in the August 34 issue of Short Wave Craft, but for battery

operation.

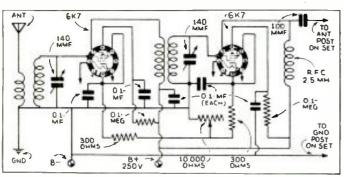
(A) We have shown the diagram you requested and have employed the type 15-tube. This should give excellent results when used in conjunction with a short-wave receiver. Standard 4-prong coils, data for which can be found in the February 1937 Question Box.

of a standard converter employing a 57 pentode as the detector and a 56 triode as an oscillator. The two output terminals of the converter should be connected to the antenna and kround posts of the receiver as indicated in the diagram. For best results the broadcast receiver should be tuned to a portion of the broadcast band which is comparatively clear of local interference, if such a thing is possible. In other words, do not tune on a strong station. It may be advisable to tune relatively close to one so that, should you desire the effect of a beat oscillator in this receiver, you can tune closer to one side of the station so that it heterodynes the same as a beat oscillator. Of course this method of heterodyning is only useful for code reception, where it is an easy matter to distinguish the voice of the weak broadcast station. We say weak broadcast station, because the antenna not being directly connected to the broadcast set, will reduce pick-up at the frequency to which the BC set is tuned.

2-STAGE BOOSTER

#### 2-STAGE BOOSTER

James R. Love, Harrisburg, Pa.
(Q) 1 have an All-Star Senior receiver which has kiven excellent results, however, I would like to add a 2-stage pre-selector employing 6K7 tubes. Kindly show the diagram in the Question Box giving all values



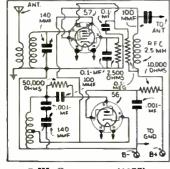
Two Stage Pre-Amplifier or Pre-Selector (1054)

### S-W CONVERTER

Alex Brown, Tacoma, Wash.

(Q) I have an excellent broadcast receiver which does not cover the short-wave bands. Would you be kind enough to publish a diagram and explanation of a converter circuit which would give satisfactory results. This should not be too complicated. complicated.

(A) The diagram shown is one



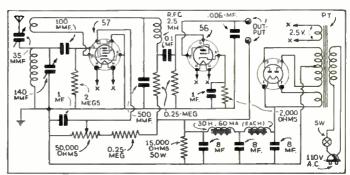
S-W Converter (1055)

and coil data tokether with information as to how it may be connected to my receiver. Also what advantage and improvements will I experience with this addition?

(A) We have shown the diagram as you requested. Standard 4-prong pluk-in coils are employed, data of which has been kiven in the February Question Box. The two output terminals marked antenna-pround position connect to the antenna and kround positions of the receiver. The antenna and ground will then be connected to the front of the converter as shown in the diagram. These two stake boosters should increase the sensitivity of your receiver considerably, also it should climinate or nearly so, the images which you are bound to experience where no pre-selection is employed. All in all, we believe it would be a worth-while improvement.

### 57, 56, 80 SHORT-WAVE RECEIVER

Abel Martinez, New Orleans, La. (Q) I would be very much obliged if you would print a diagram in the next issue of the Question Box consisting of a 2-tube receiver employing a 57, 56 and type 80. I would



A.C. Operated 2-Tuber (1056)

like to build an all-electric receiver and believe this would be the best to start with.

(A) The complete diagram is shown and you should have no trouble in getting it to operate perfectly at the first try, if diagrams and connections are followed. This power-supply shown may also be used with a 56-2A5 amplifier shown elsewhere on this page.

### A. F. AMPLIFIER

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F. G. Fong, Sacramento, Calif.

(Q) I would like to build an audio amplifier employing a 56-2A5 resistance-coupled combination. Will you please show the diagram and the necessary parts and their values in the Question Box. I would also appreciate a power-supply diagram for this amplifier. The power-supply should use a type 80-tube.

(A) We have shown the diagram requested and have carefully indicated all the values and shown all the connections. If care is used in laying out this amplifier, it should give excellent results. However crowded or "bunched" connections may result in serious feedback or motorboating. Lay out the parts so that wiring is as direct as possible. Also grid and plate leads should be kept short! The power-supply diagram connections will be the same as that shown for the 57, 56 receiver, elsewhere on this page.

### RESONANT ANTENNA FOR S W L

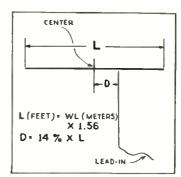
Arthur Squires, Paducah, Ky.

(Q) I would like to know if there is any way which I can design an antenna which would give satisfactory results on the 49-meter band, or in fact any short-wave band. If you can print such information in the Question Box, I believe a great

number of readers would be grate-

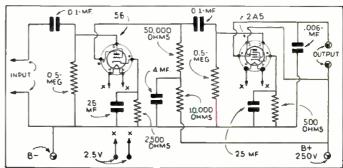
number of readers would be grateful for it.

(A) Most assuredly, any one can construct an antenna which is resonant at some particular frequency and one which will kive excellent results. The one shown in the diagram is a single wire Hertz antenna the length, of course, is equal to ½ wavelength. To find its length in feet, multiply the desired wavelength in meters by 1.56. The feeder is tapped on to the antenna a short distance from the center of the antenna. This distance D, is equal to 14% of the total length of the antenna. As an example the 49 meter antenna would be 76.44 feet long, and the distance, D, would be 10.7



Receiving Antenna (1057)

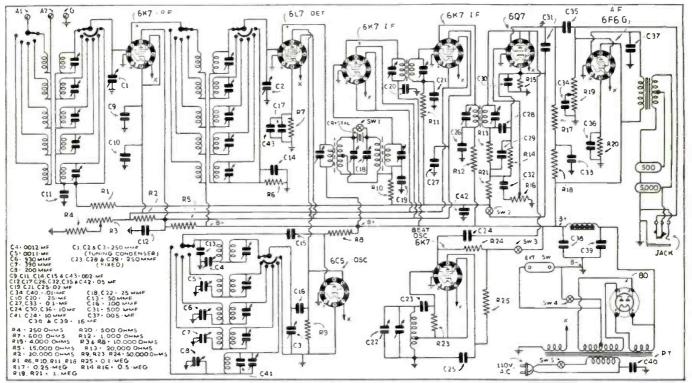
The directional effect of the feet. The directional effect of the antenna is at right-angles to its plane and it is bi-directional. The lead-in should be brought away from the antenna at right-angles to it, for a distance equal to 30% of the length of the antenna. For those who concentrate their activities on a single band, this antenna should provide excellent results.



This A.F. Amplifier Has Many Uses (1058)

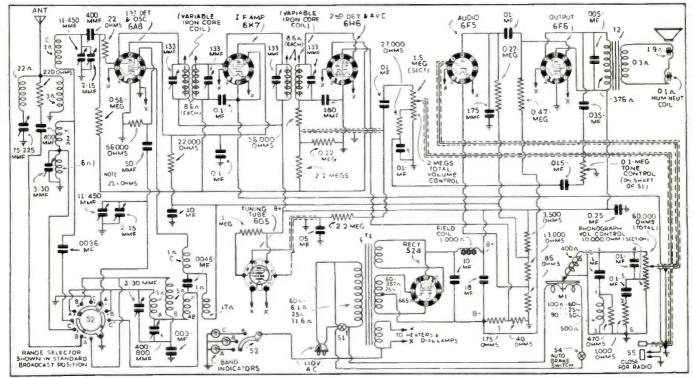
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# Diagrams of S-W Commercial Receivers Hallicrafter Model S-15 "Sky-Challenger"



Above—This 9-tube all-wave receiver covers the short-wave and broadcast bands with a ganged band-switch. This set is available with or without the crystal filter; the filter is shown in our diagram. This crystal filter feature is especially desirable for Ham use. A phone-jack is provided, as well as tone and volume controls and a beat oscillator.

### RCA Victor Model 7U2 Radio-Phonograph



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1-WE-316A tube

CORNELL DUBELIER

2-.001 mf. 1.000 volt condensers

ELECTRAD

 $\begin{array}{cccc} 1 - 10,000 & 10\text{-watt resistor} \\ 1 - 100 & \text{ohm center tapped resistor} \end{array}$ 

POWER SUPPLY 1-power transformer; see diagram for

ratings

Tachns 1-12 H. 130 ma. filter choke SPRAGUE 2-8 mf. 500 V. electrolytic condensers ELECTRAD

1-25,000 ohn; 50 watt resistor

RCA RADIOTRON

1-type 80 tube

RECEIVER RESISTORS-IRC

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1-Trint-Air 2-plate condenser with split stator (ZV-5-TS)

### HAMMARLUND

1-Acorn tube socket

### MISCELLANEOUS

1-6-prong wafer socket

### RCA RADIOTRON

1-955 Acorn tube 1-41 tube

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of the Kinescope and, consequently, is dependent on the physical size of the tube. Laboratory experiments indicate that there is every reason to believe that it will be possible to build tubes giving a small picture of sufficient brilliancy to be projected upon a large viewing screen. Experimental models of this type of projection tube have been made which very nearly meet the requirements of television. Continued improvements in the electron gun and in fluorescent material will unquestionably make this type of Kinescope entirely practical. of the Kinescope and, consequently, is detical.

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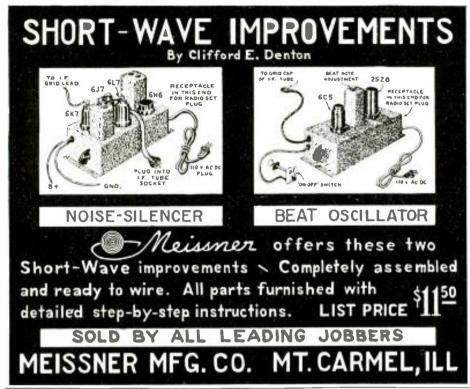
Every radio set-builder should have a copy of this informative bulletin on his study table, as complete data is given on various types of plug-in coil forms, sockets, R.F. chokes, and the very latest type of variable coupling I.F. transformers. A technical description of the new Super-Pro receiver is included. Ask for a copy of bulletin No. 902.

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Service Dept. SHORT WAVE & TELEVISION, 99 Hudson St., New York City, N.Y. today can produce a fairly satisfactory picture and that there is every reason to look for marked improvements in the near future, let us ask what will be required of television if it is to become popular in the sense that radio broadcast is popular.

Considering first the receiver, the entertainment supplied by the receiver must be such that it can be made incidental to words, television is not and should not be intended to take the place of the observer's going in person to see an event in which he is intensely interested. The sport fan will still go to the baseball field, the football geneen the bestern the bestern the televisions agence the theory. will still go to the baseball field, the football game or the boxing arena, the theatre lover will still go in person to see the plays in which he is interested, television or no television. However, to the individual who is not sufficiently interested in an event to expend the time and effort to become an eye witness, television will bring a summary of what is taking place. This means that the receiver must be small enough so that it will not be objectionable as a piece of furniture. It must be simple in operation and arranged so that it does

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not require setting up of viewing screens or any other elaborate preparation. The picture should be bright enough so that it can be readily seen in a moderately lighted room, and small enough not to be too obtrusive, perhaps one-and-a-half by two feet in size. In a sense, the receiver might be considered as a mind. in size. In a sense, the receiver might be considered as a window through which the individual may, in the course of conversation or reading, glance to see what is going on in the world around him.

on in the world around him.

The television pickup device, to be completely satisfactory, must be sufficiently sensitive not only to reproduce scenes of average illumination but should also be operative at very low light levels. Imagine the feelings of the spectators looking at a football game if the last few minutes' play cannot be transmitted due to insufficient light. The Iconoscope of today, while it will suffice for ordinary weather conditions, would not be operative in the semi-darkness of late afternoon in November. However, as was pointed out above, there However, as was pointed out above, there is every reason to expect a continuous improvement in the sensitivity of the Iconoscope as time goes by. Eventually, the Iconoscope may equal or even exceed the photographic appears in a continuous in the sensitivity of the photographic appears in the context of the cont

Iconoscope as time goes by. Eventually, the Iconoscope may equal or even exceed the photographic camera in sensitivity.

Perhaps the most difficult to attain is a satisfactory network of transmitters. At present, the range of an individual transmitter is limited to the visual horizon as seen from its antenna. This means that the area serviced by a transmitter is relatively small, and that each urban centermust have its own television transmitters. It is obviously necessary, in a completely satisfactory system, to be able to chain these transmitters in such a way that events can be broadcast nation-wide. These chains will be formed by inter-connecting the stations with means of concentricable and by the use of radio-relay links.

This ideal system will eventually exist, but only after years of television broadcasting experience. In the meantime, we will have to be content with a much less perfect system. All the units for satisfactory television are ready and now await commercialization by those responsible for the economic and production aspects of the problem. But, as warning to those who are unduly optimistic, the problem of assembling these elements is almost as formidable as that of developing cathole ray television. Universal television in the home will not be an accomplished fact for

ray television. Universal television in the home will not be an accomplished fact for a number of years to come but, on the other hand, it is absolutely assured that home reception of pictures will eventually be commonplace.

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### Hams Will Find These New Tubes Useful

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circuit should be solid copper ribbon about ¼-inch wide. This of course, should not be soldered to the connecter, but secured with a screw. This lead, together with the metal connecter at the top of the tube, will help dissipate the heat and avoid the condition mentioned above. Of course, the tank end of the ribbon may be soldered, insofar as the heat is concerned, but this should preferably be bolted in order to reduce R. F. losses to a minimum.—G. W. S.

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The front bearing is a long self-aligning brass bushing mounted in a circular spring bronze plate to take the thrust of the single ball bearing. These very special bearings afford low resistance contact to the rotor shaft, minimizing interstage coupling.

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Another inquiry concerned the input coils. In each band, the input circuit consists of two coils—an antenna or primary coil and a grid or secondary coil. These two coils are effectively shielded from each other electrostatically by a Faraday screen placed between them. Thus the transferred energy from the antenna to the grid is limited to pure electro-magnetic coupling. This particular coil design permits connection to a balanced transmission line having an impedance of 115 ohms. In addition to this coil, are the tuning coils. In the illustration, such a coil is shown and the construction of this as will be noted, is very unusual. A copper disc on an adjusting screw turning in a friction bushing and mounted at the top of each coil form, is used to adjust the inductance for low frequency alignment. High frequency alignment is accomplished by way of a condenser mounted beneath the isolantite base. All the coil forms are of bakelite, the coils for the lowest frequency range being four-bank Litz windings, while the others are space-wound.

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In another letter was a request for a detailed description of the crystal filter system. The crystal filter as used in the "Super Pro" provides not only extreme selectivity for C.W. code but when properly adjusted, affords added selectivity for voice and other modulated signals. The crystal holder itself is an isolantite block, ground on both sides to insure an accurate and uniform air-gap above the upper surfacing of the crystal. It is connected in a halanced link circuit coupling the plate circuit of the first detector to the grid circuit of the first detector to the grid circuit of the first LF, tube. This link circuit has a relatively low impedance to match the series resistance (at resonance) of the crystal. In the other leg of the balanced link circuit, a variable condenser serves to neutralize the capacitance of the crystal and its holder. The insulated shaft of this variable condenser extends through the front panel where a know and pointor. of this variable condenser extends through the front panel where a knob and pointer together with an engraved scale permit accurate adjustment to suit various operating requirements, Maximum selectivity suitable for single side band C.W. occurs suitable for single side band C.W. occurs at or very near the point of exact neutralization which falls at about one (1) on the dial. This setting remains unchanged once found on the particular receiver in operation, unless a new crystal is substituted. By turning the knob toward 10, the band is continuously widened until it is possible to receive voice reception which frequently under interference conditions would not be heard. would not be heard.

would not be heard.

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their own independent power supplies, a degree of versatility is possible which cannot be easily attained when all equipment is in one case.

Although the circuit is quite conventional, some of its features may need a bit of clarification. The two amplifiers are identical in connections, and are simply high-gain types; the use of a small cathode by-pass condenser and an 80 mh. ply high-gain types; the use of a small cathode by-pass condenser and an 80 mh. R.F. choke in the plate circuits aiding in attaining linear response over a wide range of frequencies. The vertical amplifier is used only for increasing the voltage of any input connected to the vertical input terminals. The Horizontal amplifier, however, by means of a three-position switch, will amplify either the input from the horizontal terminals, a 60-cycle input from the heater circuit, or the output of the 885 oscillator. Either amplifier can be instantly cut out of the circuit by means of a toggle switch.

The vertical gain control has a single-pole double-throw switch on the back which operates when the potentiometer is turned fully counter-clockwise or "off." It was found that this potentiometer overheats considerably when used for R.F. such as in transmitter measurement work, so it is best to cut it out entirely. It will be necessary to scrape a small portion of carbon from the element at the position occupied by the contact arm when in the full counter-clockwise position. This position may be seen on the circuit diagram

occupied by the contact arm when in the full counter-clockwise position. This position may be seen on the circuit diagram and is marked "open." The scraping is easily accomplished with a knife point. It will be noted that the two input potentiometers are always in circuit, whether the amplifiers are in use or not.

The frequency of the 885 oscillator has a fine and rough control enabling wide variation of its output. A synchronization control is also provided, enabling a pattern to be stopped and held indefinitely on the screen as desired. The input for synchronization may be either external, from the binding

from the binding posts, 60 cycle from posts, 60 cycle from the heater circuit, or internal, in which case a small portion of the vol-tage across the vertical amplifier plate resistor is tapped off. In prac-tice the synchronitice the synchronization control
should be run as
low as possible,
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The nower supply is quite conventional, using a com-pact, well-shielded transformer and choke. The power transformer has choke.

no 2.5 volt winding, so the 885 heater is run from the 5 volt winding. The neces-sary voltage drop is provided by a resistor of 1.7 ohms and 10 watt rating. A wire-wound, adjustable 2 ohm unit does the

The bleeder consists of a 50,000 ohm fixed carbon resistor and a wire-wound semi-adjustable unit of the same value. The latter has taps for variation of screen voltage for the 6J7's and cathode voltage for the 885. The former may be set at around 90 V, and the latter at 6 V.

The layout of parts may be seen from reference to the circuit diagram. When fastening the front panel to the chassis be sure to leave about 1/16" so that the bottom of the case can slip in between. Shielded wire should be used on the instantant and the leads to the other

put connections and the leads to the other unit. The latter terminate in phone tips

unit. The latter terminate in phone tips for ease of connection.

All condensers in the case, aside from the electrolytics are of the bakelite moulded type, and most of these are the new so-called "domino" condensers. These are really paper condensers moulded into bakelite and are exceptionally compact and handy to use. All parts such as resistors and fixed condensers should be tied down at each end either to socket or other terminals or to lugs on bakelite

tied down at each end either to socket or other terminals or to lugs on bakelite terminal strips.

If the unit has been wired correctly it must work, as there are no adjustments to make. No space will be taken here to give in detail the way the equipment may be used, as such a description needs a whole volume to do it justice.

It is suggested that the beginner connect a source of 60 cycle A.C. to the vertical posts; anything from 2 to 10 volts is useful. (It may be tapped off either heater circuit if necessary). Then the controls can be manipulated to find just how each affects the pattern. Do not be alarmed if the various controls have a certain degree of interlocking. This is



