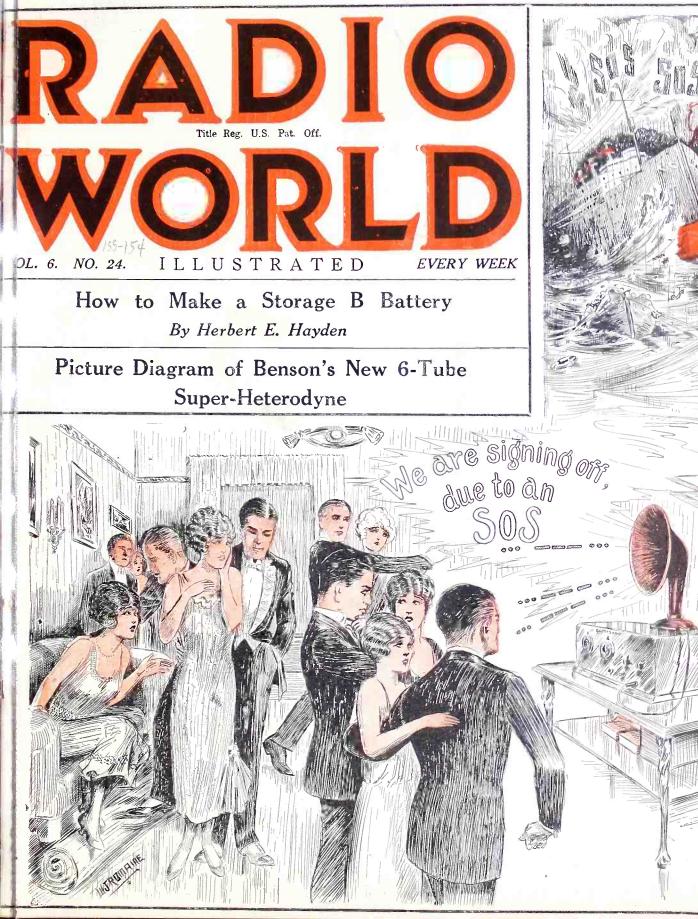
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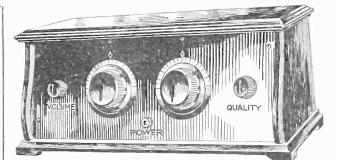


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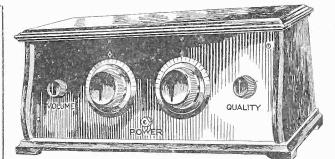


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How to Wind Nearly Ideal Coils for the Best Circuits

Directions for Making the Most Efficient Radio-Frequency Transformer to Be Tuned By a .0005 Mfd. Variable Condenser—What Turns Ratio to Use—Data for Winding Other Coils.

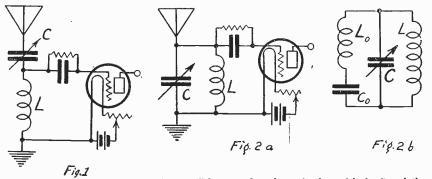
[Many are the considerations that affect the determination of what approaches "the ideal coil." J. E. Anderson, noted consulting engineer, has very sancly and expertly analyzed the conditions and presents here-with his directions for winding the preferred coils for given circuits. Where variable fac-tors had to be considered, Mr. Anderson made a definite choice, carefully explaining how a different choice would require a different coil. For instance, as the .0005 mfd. variable condenser is most popular, and it is not always safe to use one of less capacity (for fear of not tuning in the entire broad-cast belt) Mr. Anderson took a .0005 mfd. variable condenser for granted. Another consideration was the ratio of coil diameter to axial length. Roughly, the coil diameter may be identified by the outside diameter of the tubing on which it is wound. The axial length is the number of inches taken up by the coil when the sum total of turns and space between are measured, from one end of the coil to the other. The Burcau of Standards' finding that a diameter equal to 2.3 times the axial length was as near to ideal as was practical has governed Mr. Anderson's choice. Resistance was consid-ered, too, and high-resistance wire (smaller than No. 26) was not used in the experiments.

It will be a surprise to many when they learn that No. 20 double silk covered wire was chosen for the "nearly ideal" radiofrequency transformer, if only because double cotton covered has been the ruling favorite with home constructors, due to the spacing afforded by the insulation and the air between turns. Mr. Anderson's choice was made because—

(1) An inductance of between 160 and 170 microhenries was found necessary to reach 550 meters with the condenser, and 167.4 readily presented itself when one wound 41 turns of No. 20 DSC wire on a $3\frac{1}{2}$ -in. diameter tubing;

(2) The ratio of diameter to axial length was exactly 2.3; and

(3) No other combination came so close to satisfying the three requisites of inductance, diameter-to-length-ratio and resistance.]



A SERIES condenser tuning the aerial, a parallel-connected condenser in the aerial circuit and the antenna capacity effect (left to right).

By J. E. Anderson Consulting Engineer PART I

T HE most common form of inductance coil in radio reception is the singlelayer solenoid. The reasons for its prevalence are that it is the simplest to wind, it is about as efficient as any type, it is easy to design to have a predetermined value of inductance, and it is of rugged construction. It will be considered, therefore, that cardboard, bakelite or similar tubing is used, but if basketweave windings are employed the same winding directions may be adopted for the same mean diameter. The spider-web winding does not readily lend itself to calculation by standard formulae and as it is no better than the Lorenz (basketweave) type, it is not considered in this article.

A formula as devised by Nagaoka was used in the computations.

Two Great Requisites

In designing a coil for radio purposes two things are of great importance: making the resistance the least possible and keeping the distributed capacity down to a minimum. Investigation has shown that for a given length of wire the inductance will be greatest, and hence the low-frequency resistance will be least, when the shape ratio is equal to 2.46, that is, when the diameter of the coil is 2.46 times the axial length of the winding. This is the condition that should be sought in designing a coil, except as this may be modified by other factors.

The Bureau of Standards considers a coil having a shape ratio of 2.3 to be near the ideal when the several factors are taken into consideration. This is the ratio I followed in determining the nearest approach to the ideal.

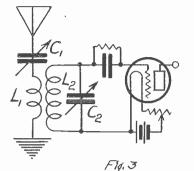
There are many radio fans who desire to wind their own coils but who do not care to perform the necessary calculations. They wish to know directly how many turns of a given kind of wire they should use on a given size of tubing to give the desired inductance. Some of them do not even care what the inductance is; they want to know how to wind the coil to cover a given wavelength range with the particular tuning condenser they have. To their needs and preferences I have paid particular regard.

The Condenser Choice

Fortunately, many of the factors involved have been more or less standardized. The sizes of wire have also become standardized. Only the even numbers 26, 24, 22, 20, and 18 are universally carried in radio stores, and of these enamel, double silk, single silk, double cotton, and single cotton are most common. There is rarely any advantage in using finer wire than No. 26, and the advantage of using heavier wire than No. 18 is doubtful. Condensers also are more or less standardized. The so-called 23-plate, or .0005 mfd., variable condenser is universally available, and the various makes of these do not vary greatly from their rated capacity. A smaller condenser than one of .0005 mfd. is not always satisfactory when it is desired to cover the entire broadcast range without taps and switches in the tuned circuit. I took for granted that a .0005 mfd. variable condenser was to be used.

The distributed capacity of the coil and the capacities of the associated parts also affect the tuning range. So does the manner in which the coil is coupled to other parts, or the position in which it is used. But these points will be taken up separately. If the circuit is properly designed the effect of coupling on the effective inductance of the coil may be neglected, and the distributed capacities may be allowed for in fixing the value of inductance of the coil.

In designing a tuned circuit for the broadcast range it is not necessary to provide for wavelengths much in excess of 550 meters. But it is always well to allow a margin of safety in case some of the factors vary appreciably in an unfavorable direction. If the tuning coil be chosen so that the upper limit of the tuning range is 560 meters when the Anderson's Scientific Coil Data



tuning condenser is of the rated value of .0005 mfd., then it is probable that no condenser will be so greatly overrated that the circuit will not tune up to at least 550 meters. In case the condenser has been underrated, that is, if its actual capacity is a little higher than .0005, the circuit will tune above the 560 mark.

Let us assume then that the condenser has a capacity of .0005 mfd. and that the upper tuning limit of the circuit is to be 560 meters. For purposes of design it may be assumed that the distributed capacity is 50 micromicrofarads. This is about the correct value in an average circuit when the zero setting capacity of the condenser (plates all out) is added to the distributed capacity of the coil and the capacity of the associated parts. With these assumptions the maximum capacity in the tuned circuit is 550 micromicrofarads. It is required to determine what value the inductance coil must have to tune up to 560 meters. have to tune up to 560 meters. An application of the formula con-necting wavelength, capacity, and inductance gives the required inductance as 160 microhenries. It is best to work on the safe side, and hence any value of inductance lying be-tween 160 and 170 microhenries may be considered satisfactory and 167.4 is a likely choice.

Sizes of Tubings Used

The sizes of lubings Used The sizes of tubings used in the tests were $2\frac{1}{2}$ ", 3", $3\frac{1}{2}$ " and 4" in diameter, because these are the usual available sizes. For the $2\frac{1}{2}$ " diameter tubing the wire sizes used were No. 24 DCC, DSC, SCC, SSC and No. 26 DCC and DSC. For the larger sizes of tubing only double silk and cotton insulations have been used but the cotton insulations have been used but the three sizes of wire (No. 24, No. 22, and No. 20) were used for all. Wire sizes not con-sidered suitable for a given size of tubing have not been included.

The inductance required in a circuit depends on the position and manner of use of the coil and also on the coupling between

Tuned RF Is Best Form of Coupling

THE most satisfactory form of coupling between two high-frequency tubes is a tuned radio-frequency transformer. The number of turns on the primary is of no importance, except that it must be at least half the number on the secondary, for voltage step-up. A good rule is to have $\frac{1}{4}$ the number of turns on the primary as is on the secondary .---Anderson.

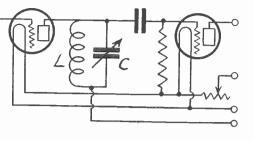


Fig.4 TUNED primary and secondary (left) and impedance coupling.

How to Wind RF Transformer

F^{or} radio-frequency а I transformer, to be tuned by a .0005 mfd. variable con-denser, wind 10 turns of No. 20 double silk covered wire on a $3\frac{1}{2}$ " diameter tubing, terminate; leave $\frac{1}{4}$ space and wind 41 turns of the same kind of wire in the same direction. The tubing should be about 4" high. The inductance of the secondary is 167.4 microhenries, which is just right. The diameter is 2.3 times the axial length of the winding. The Bureau of Standards considers a coil having a shape ratio of 2.3 to be near the ideal."-Anderson.

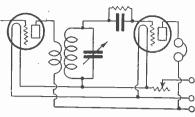
the primary and secondary circuits in a tuned radio-frequency transformer. Let us consider some of the more common cases.

In Fig. 1 is shown a single-circuit tuner in which the detector is coupled directly across the tuning coil and the tuning condenser is connected in series with the antenna lead. The capacity of the antenna depends on the condenser's size and position. This type of circuit should not be used unless a very large antenna is used, and then only if taps and switches in the tuned cir-cuit are not objectional. While this circuit gives very loud signals, it is so broad of tuning as to render it useless in most cases, hence it was ruled out of consideration,

Impedance Coupling

Another type of coupling is shown in Fig. 2, sometimes known as the tuned impedance coupling of the antenna. It is involved because the capacity and inductance of the antenna are effectively connected in series, while the tuning coil L and the tuning condenser C are both in parallel with the seriesconnected antenna values. Fig. 2b gives an idea of what the circuit really looks like. Suppose that the inductance Lo of the antenna is neglected. The circuit then is a simple series-tuned circuit in which the capacity is the sum of the two capacities Co and C and the inductance is that of the coil

L. Suppose a large antenna is used, one which has a capacity of .0005 microfarad. Also suppose that the desired tuning condenser has the same maximum value. The total capacity in the circuit then is .001 microfarad. This requires an inductance of



TUNED transformer coupling is best (Fig. 5).

about 90 microhenries so that the wavelength 560 meters be reached. The minimum capacity in this circuit cannot be less than the capacity of the antenna, in fact it will always be greater than that. But with a capacity of .0005 mfd. and an inductance of 90 microhenries the circuit will tune to about 400 meters. The circuit will not even reach this wave as a minimum. Hence it is impracticable. If the antenna had been smaller, a larger coil could have been employed and the variation in capacity that could have been effected with a 23-plate condenser would have been a larger per-centage of the total. This would have widened the tuning range.

· Impedance Difficulty

Suppose a small indoor open circuit an-Suppose a small indoor open circuit an-tenna is used with this type of coupling, one that has a capacity of only 30 micro-microfarads. Suppose further that the dis-tributed capacity of the coil and the zero capacity of the condenser add up to 70 mmfd, so that the total minimum capacity is 100 mmfd. The maximum capacity may be taken as 580 mmfd. This value requires that the inductance of the coil be 152 micro-henries. With this inductance and 100 henries. With this inductance and 100 mmfd. as the minimum capacity, the minimum wavelength of the circuit will be 230 meters. This is at least near the lower end of the broadcast range, and it is possible that the distributed capacities may be reduced so that the lower limit may be reached. A coil having an inductance of about 160 microhenries may be taken for this purpose.

The Impedance Coil

The nearest approach to the ideal for a coil used in this circuit (Figs. 2a and 2b) is one wound with No. 24 DCC wire, 43 turns being put on a 3" diameter tubing, the shape factor then being 2.37, the inductance 160.1.

[Part II, the conclusion of J. E. Anderson's valuable contribution to coil literature. will be published next week, issue of March 14. Inductance tables and other ready reference data will be published in that instalment.]

The Tuned Impedance Coil

F OR ar impedance-tuned circuit, using a .0005 mfd. variable condenser, use a 3" diameter tubing about 3" high and wind thereon 43 turns of No. 24 double cotton covered wire. The shape factor is 2.37, or only .07 above the requirement, and the nearest possible. The inductance is 160.1, or .1 microhenry above the requirement, the nearest possible inductance where full turns are used.-Anderson.



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How the Number of Turns Affects Coupling

THE effect of loose coupling, or a wide separation between the primary and secondary coil of a regenerative tuner is to increase the distance range, make the set more selective, decrease distortion and diminish radiation.

When the primary is wound close to the secondary the regenerative effect cannot rise beyond a point limited by the absorption of the aerial. In this way much of the energy that should go to produce a signal in the telephones is fed back into the aerial and is wasted. The energy that returns to the aerial is radiated in the form of a feeble wave which causes interference to nearby receivers.

Loose couplings must be obtained by periment. The space separation of the experiment. coils is not in itself a standard, because the length of the aerial and the number of turns in the primary and also in the secondary are governing factors.

Much unsatisfactory operation of re-ceivers is due to this failure to recognize the factors that determine coupling. To say that a separation of one-half inch between the coils produces tight or loose coupling is not correct, because of the other limiting conditions.

Two tuners, one having a twenty-turn primary and another a ten-turn primary, separated one-half inch, have different coupling. The former has a tight and the latter a loose coupling. One tuner using a fifty-turn secondary

and another a seventy-turn secondary will also have different coupling at the primary, assuming that the distances and number of turns are equal on the primary side.

Increasing the number of turns in one of the linking coils has the effect of tightening the coupling. Another feature of coupling not gen-

erally recognized by the amateur builder

is the difference that occurs with a change of wavelength. If the primary coil is small it will have greater effective coupling to the secondary on the shorter waves. This condition is that is frequently reported from stations below four hundred meters.

, How to Improve Set

The set building trend toward simplicity has caused the elimination of some controls that are essential to efficient tuning, among which are the vario-coupler and tapped primary. The tapped primary, of five turns each, is a simple solution of much of the trouble, and is a compromise between unwise simplicity and the other extreme of the too many controls.

Any set that produces interference can from the secondary. The coil should be moved until the signal drops, when a new adjustment should be made on the secondary condenser; then the coil is moved again, and another adjustment made, continuing this until a point is reached just before where the signal becomes weak.

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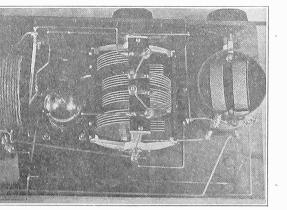
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A FRIEND and I each have completed a 1925 Model Superdyne and with sets proving satisfactory beyond our expecta-tions. I have built several circuits but this one beats them all for selectivity, volume and distance. I would recommend this set highly to any one who wants real results.

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"1925 Model Superdyne My Favorite," Says Another Fan



SECTION photo of the 1925 Model Superdyne con-structed by Ber-tram Reinitz, of 127 A Woodruff Avenue, Brook-lyn, N. Y. He incorporated a few personal prefer-ences, but stuck to the hookup published in the January 10, IT and 24 issues. "It's my favorite re-ceiver," he writes. He used an ARC coupling Bruno condenser a nd wound his own BFT wound his RFT. own

and there is not a better set in town. NICHOLAS F. HABELKA. Watertown, Conn. * SUPERDYNE EDITOR: $M^{\rm Y}$ Radio World Superdyne is my fa-vorite receiver. CYRIL C. HALL,

Benson's Super-Heterodyne

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By Thomas W. Benson Noted Radio Engineer PART II

THE wiring of the 6-tube reflexed Super-Heterodyne is simple enough, if a system is used, as I pointed out in last week's instalment. Many novices may be tempted to construct this circuit, because of the successful combination of the Super-Heterodyne with the reflex principle and the consequent economy of tubes. Therefore, the wiring diagram is presented this week in picture form and also the wiring directions are given textually.

I have not specified the location of the second single-circuit jack (J2), which may be placed on the panel at any point found most convenient. This is the jack for plugging in the speaker. There is another single-circuit jack used for connecting the loop to the .0005 mfd. variable condenser tuning the loop. In Fig. 1, published last week, the loop jack was shown, and the third audio output was shown, and the third audio output was shown, and the third audio output was used by most constructors for the audio output and may be placed to the right of the last rheostat in Fig. 2 of last week's issue, that is, under the panel-mounted crystal detector.

The use of a switch to cut off the A battery current is optional. It may be placed either in the negative or positive A lead, but I prefer the positive, and the switch so appears in Fig. 4, the picture diagram of the wiring.

Theory of the Circuit

As explained last week, this circuit uses the plate modulation system, in Ultradyne fashion, the heterodyned note being at 600 meters, which enables successful reflexing because a higher intermediate wavelength would cause a feedback of audio currents through the intermediate transformers, due to the large windings. In the present case the intermediate transformers are of a type used in broadcast reception, as part of a combination of short-wave RFT whose peaks are at varying wavelengths. However, only the one type of RFT is used whose peak is at the highest of this combination, and the efficiency of the Super-Heterodyne principle is preserved. The list of parts identifies these.

Wiring Directions

Most of the wiring is done before the baseboard is affixed to the panel. Such connections as are to be made from baseboard-mounted parts to panel parts are provided with bus bar leads which may be soldered to the panel parts after panel and baseboard are joined.

1. CONNECT the positive A battery to one side of the switch S, the other side of the switch to the filament plus posts of all six sockets, also to one side of the potentiometer and to B minus. The negative A battery is joined to one side of each of the two rheostats (R2 and R3 in Fig. 4) and to the remaining terminal of the potentiometer. This leaves the movable arm of the potentiometer still unconnected. One of the rheostats controls the amplifier tubes and has a resistance of 6 ohms (R3). The remaining unconnected side of this rheostat goes to the filament minus posts of the five tubes other than the oscillator. The tubes to which this connection is made are numbered 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 in Fig. 4. The remaining unconnected side of the oscillator rheostat goes to the filament minus post of the oscillator tube socket, No. 1 in Fig. 4. The oscillator rheostat is 30 ohms, if UV199 or C299 tubes are used, as in the original model. This completes the filament wiring. It will be noted that most of this wiring is done on the baseboard, but that actually the connections to where made from the terminal block to the rheostat and from the baseboard filament leads to the rheostat are completed after the panel is mounted to the baseboard.

2. The positive B connection is now made. There is only one B plus lead, 90 volts. This goes to the right angle of the single-circuit jack J, in Fig. 4, also to the B posts of two of the audio transformers, AFT2 and AFT3, to the B post of the one of the RFT (No. 2 in Fig. 4), to the end of L2, the small plate coil of the oscillator, and to one side of Cl, a .001 mfd. fixed condenser.

3. The C battery is mounted inside the set and requires no binding posts. C plus connects to the F minus post of the oscillator tube (No. 1 in Fig. 4), while C minus goes to the B post of the first audio transformer (AFT1), to the F post of the same audio transformer, to one side of the .00025 mfd. fixed grid condenser, on which the gridleak is mounted. This same C minus lead is connected further to the F post of the AFT2, one side of the .00025 mfd. fixed condenser (2, and to the F posts of RFT4 and AFT3.

The loop terminals are inserted in a 4. The loop terminais are more than 1 and the state of th loop jack connects to the stator plates of the modulator tuning condenser and to the grid of the modulator tube socket, No. 2. The jack spring connects to the and to F—. The plate of this variable condenser and to F—. The plate of the modulator tube connects to the P post of RFTI, whose B post goes to the grid of the oscillator tube and to the END of LI, the grid coil of the oscillator. Actually this grid coil is on top of the form or tubing on which the two coils are wound, but for physical convenience and clarity it is shown on bottom in Fig. 4. The lead common to the B post, grid and end of L1 also goes to the stator plates of the oscillator tuning condenser. The other side of that condenser (rotor plates) con-nects to the negative filament lead, also to the beginning of the grid coil L1, and to the remaining unconnected side of the fixed condenser C1, whose other side went to the beginning of the plate coil, Again, for convenience, the place site is shown on top of the form in Fig. 4, is shown on top the bottom. The although actually it is on bottom. The BOTTOM terminal of the plate coil, you will please verify, goes to the plate of the oscillator tube and the TOP terminal to B plus and to one side of the fixed con-denser C1 whose other side has been joined to the filament minus.

5. F on RFT1 goes to the midpoint or movable arm of the potentiometer, hitherto unconnected and G on RFT1 goes to the grid of tube No. 3. The plate of this tube is connected to the P THIS set is extremely selective and gives tremendous volume, due to the great audio-frequency amplification, while the range is all that could be wished for.—Benson.

post of RFT2, whose B post already was joined to B plus. The F post of RFT2 goes to the remaining unconnected side of the grid condenser and leak and to the G post of AFT1. The plate of tube No. 4 joins the P post of RFT3, whose B post goes to P of AFT2. The end or B of AFT2 goes to B+. The F post of RFT3 is connected to the G post of AFT2 and to the remaining side of C2, the .00025mfd. fixed condenser bridging the secondary (G and F) of AFT2. The grid of tube No. 5 joins the G post of RFT3. The plate of this tube goes to thk P post of RFT4, whose B post is connected to P on AFT3 and to one side of C3, a .002 mfd. fixed condenser. The other side of this fixed condenser goes to the B plus lead, which was connected to B of AFT3. The F of RFT4 goes to C minus, and also goes to one side of a fixed condenser, C3, .002 mfd. The G of RFT4 connects to one side of the Brownlie crystal detector, the other side of tube RFT4 and F of AFT1. C3, fixed .002 mfd. condenser, connects between F of RFT4 and F of AFT1. The G post of socket 6 goes to G on AFT3, whose F goes to C minus. The plate of tube No. 6 goes to minus. The plate of tube No. 6 goes to conside of the single-circuit jack used in the output (J2 in Fig. 4) and the right angle of the jack, as explained, was connected to B plus. The fixed condenser C4, .005 mfd., bridges the jack, that is, one side of the condenser goes to one side of the jack, the other side of the jack. As will be seen, this is a bypass condenser between the plate of the last tube and B plus.

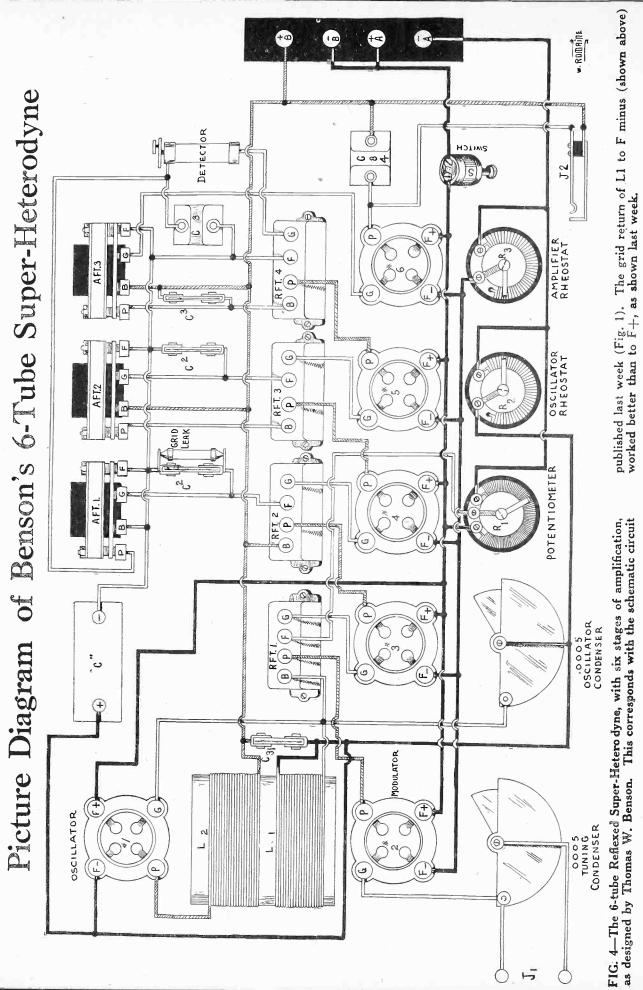
The directions for making the terminal block, so that it will fit over two of the audio transformers, were given in last week's installment.

Tubes

The set is designed for dry-cell operation. UV199 or C299 tubes should be used throughout. Six $4\frac{1}{2}$ -volt C batteries are connected in parallel to constitute the A battery. In other words, seven C batteries are needed, one of which is used as a C battery, the others as the A battery. UV201A or C301A tubes, fed by a storage battery, may be used, but in that case both rheostats would be 6 ohms.

When everything appears clear the tubes may be inserted and the batteries connected up, connecting the phones to the two right-hand posts of the terminal strip. Switch on the tubes, turn the potentiometer all the way to negative and with the catwhisker of the detector touching the crystal rotate the oscillator condenser. A series of whistles should be heard indicating the oscillator is working. Turn back on the potentiometer until the whistles stop and plug in the loop. Try to tune in locals.

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Making a Storage B Battery



HOW the cardboard pattern is made for the lead or tin plate that is to be drilled is shown in Fig. 1, top, where the measurements have been made and the shape of the plate determined. The card-board is cut (Fig. 2, middle photo), and next a scriber is used to scratch the design on the plate (Fig. 3, bottom photo).

By Herbert E. Hayden Illustrations by the Author

STORAGE B battery that I made my-A STOKAGE D battery that a shown by the accompanying photographs, is working so well in my laboratory that I believe



oratory that I believe that many another fan would like to make one of these B bat-teries. The battery has to be recharged, of course, like any other storage battery, but if you do not send it out for recharging you can use one of it out for recharging you can use one of the devices on the market that enables the use of the same charger that replen-ishes the storage A batterv.

How to Cut the Pattern

To begin operations, draw a $1\frac{1}{4}$ " square, as shown in Fig. 1, with a strip extending therefrom. The extra strip is $\frac{1}{4} \ge 1\frac{1}{2}$ ". For this purpose cardboard is used. The cardboard, when cut, will be a pattern for cutting $\frac{1}{4}$ " thick the sheet lead plates. The resulting pattern is then placed on the piece of sheet lead (Fig. 3). The pattern is then removed (but kept safe for future use) and sixteen holes are drilled. I used a $\frac{1}{4}$ " drill.



THE pattern is removed and siteen holes are drilled (Fig. 4, top). Fig. 5 is the middle photo. Fig. 6 the bottom one.



FOR the positive plates a paste is prepared of the ingredients shown in Fig. 7, top photo, and a knife is used (Fig. 8, lower) to press the paste into the drilled holes.

Fig. 4 shows how these holes were arranged by dividing the square into four equal parts on each side and drawing the intersecting lines. The centers for drill holes were determined by tri-square measurement. A pair of snips are used, or old scissors, for cutting the sheet lead plate accordingly (Fig. 5). The net result is depicted in Fig. 6. The drill holes have rough edges. Let them stay rough. They serve a purpose that way, as I shall show presently.

Preparation of Paste

Preparation of Paste Next a paste is prepared, using red lead and a very dilute, say 20-to-1, solution of sulphuric acid. This paste is for the posi-tive plates. The ingredients are shown in their respective bottles in Fig. 7, while Fig. 8 shows how the paste is to be spread over the plate. A springy knife serves the pur-pose very handily. The rough edges of the drill holes are thus put to advantageous use, since they facilitate the adhesion of the paste to the lead (Fig. 8). The plate with the paste on it is shown in the close-up photo, Fig. 9. photo, Fig. 9.

Different Chemical for Negative

Now that the making of the positive plate is understood, let us consider the negative plate. It is made in exactly the same way. But when it comes to spreading a paste over the negative plate a different chemical is used. It is known as litharge, and comes in powdered form, purchasable in a drug store. The powdered litharge is grey. It is substituted for the red lead used in makis substituted for the red lead used in mak-ing the positive plate paste. Do not forget, however, that the dilute solution of sul-phuric acid plays an equal part in making the paste for both positive and negative plates. The alternative chemicals are, red lead for positive, litharge for negative.

How to Cut the Wood

Thin wood is now cut into $1\frac{1}{2}$ " squares. Such wood is easily obtainable. It is the kind used for berry boxes, egg crates and the like. One piece of wood. cut to size, is placed between the two plates, that is, the wood is like the meat in a sandwich, with the plates representing the two pieces of bread. The pasty side faces the wood. Two more similar squares are used, to constitute the cover on the outside. Fig. 10 shows one piece of wood in center, another on outside, in back, and the third one lying on the table,

A piece of soft rubber is cut to fit the glass container into which the product is to be put. Although the actual glass container I used is not visible in the photo, Fig. 11, the rubber can gives a good idea of the the rubber cap gives a good idea of the form and shape of the top of the container,

How to Use Jar or Tumbler

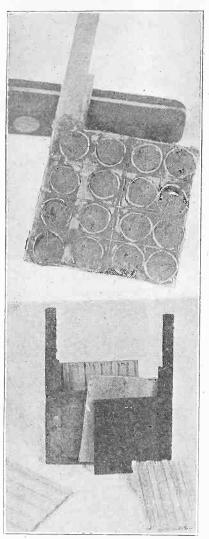


FIG. 9, top, shows a close-up of the plate holes plugged up with the paste. Small pieces of thin wood are cut and placed between the plates. These pieces of wood are shown in the lower photo, Fig. 10.

and Fig. 12 gives the proportions, with the resilient wood on the outside, bound with rubber bands. Figs. 13 and 14 show a glass container used for mixing the solutions.

Fig. 12 in particular shows the risers from Fig. 12 in particular shows the risers from the plates. These are the protrusions pro-vided in cutting the plates, and the two side holes in the rubber cap permit these poles of the cell to protrude. Mark the positive, preferably red, so you will easily know which is which. The center hole is a vent, left open during the "charging" oper-ation. A small rubber cork is fitted into this hole after the "charging" is completed. Fig. 12 shows the completed elements, rubber top, plate separators and rubber

rubber top, plate separators and rubber bands.

Preparation of Solution

The solution is now prepared. Use dis-The solution is now prepared. Use dis-tilled water. Just ordinary water will not do. Distilled water is purchasable in a drug store. Chemically pure sulphuric acid is mixed with the water. Using a hydrom-eter, the reading should be 1.210 when just enough acid has been added. If there is a garage handy you probably will be able to buy there a bottle of standard electrolytic, which is the correct acid and water combiwhich is the correct acid and water combi-nation. If you prepare your own electrolytic, always pour the acid into the water. Never pour the water into the acid.

The plates and rubber top are placed in

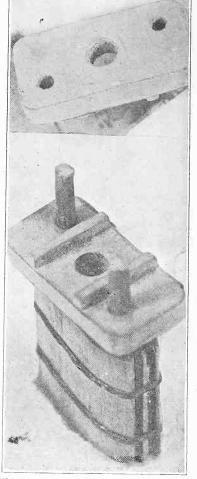


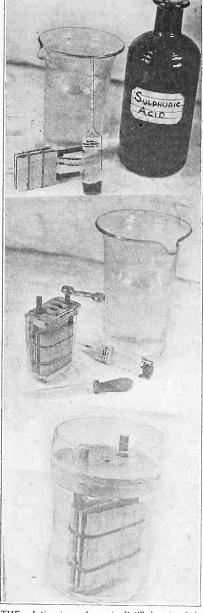
FIG. 11 (top) shows a piece of soft rubber, cut to fit the outside container. Details of the con-tainer are shown in subsequent photos. Fig. 12, lower, shows a close-up of the completed elements.

the jar and the solution added through the vent hole. Use a medicine dropper and be sure not to get any of the solution on your clothes or on the floor or carpet. The solution will cause a blue-pink stain difficult if not impossible to remove. If you spill some acid on your clothes, etc., neutralize the acid at once. A solution of ammonia and baking powder serves this purpose very nicely.

Fig. 14 shows the medicine dropper and the assembled elements. Note that a con-necting rod is included. I used this to facilitate series connection of the cells to form the battery.

If a tumbler or the like is used, having a round top, he sure to cut the soft rubber round, snugly to fit this top. The cell will furnish a 4-volt current sup-

ply. Therefore, by series connection, that is, joining the positive of one cell to the negative of another, the voltage is brought up to the desired amount, and of course taps may be taken for intermediate voltages in units of 2 volts. The cells in B batteries



THE solution is made next, distilled water being one ingredient, sulphuric acid the other (Fig. 13, top). The plates and rubber top are shown next to the jar in which they are to be placed (Fig. 14, middle photo). The bottom photo shows an ordinary tumbler used as the outside container (Fig. 15). In such a case the soft rubber cap would have to be cut to fit the top of the tumbler. An elliptical jar was used by the author, as shown in Fig. 12 in the column to the left of this one. There the rubber cap has the three holes in it, two for the positive and negative poles, the other for access to the electrolyte. The electrolyte hole should be provided with a cork. The two rods fit snugly into the other holes, requiring no extra scaling.

normally have 2 volts or so. You continue making cells until you have just the requisite number for your demands.

Controversy Between WLW and WMH Settled

WASHINGTON. WASHINGTON. OFFICIALS of the Department of Com-merce are very much gratified at the settlement of the controversy which devel-oped at Cincinnati when stations WLW and WMH went on the air simultaneously on the compared with an different very settlement. the same wave length on different evenings. Commissioner Carson and Chief Radio

Supervisor Terrell went to Cincinnati and

succeeded in having the participants sign an agreement in regard to a division of time which, it is believed, will prevent future outbreaks.

"We are very much pleased at the settlement of what might have been a very unpleasant situation," says Judge S. B. Davis. Acting Solicitor.

Others echoed his sentiment.

BROADCAST **PROGRAMS**

Thursday, March 5

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10:30, Frank W. Hodek, Jr., and his Nightingale orch.
WEEI, Boston, 303 (E. S. T.)-I P. M., assembly luncheon. 2, Eleanor Baldwin Cass, "Your Girl and the Movies." 3:15, Noah's Arkadians, Joe W. Rines, director. 6:30, Big Brother Club. 7:15, sport talk by Wm. E. Mullins. 7:25, program arranged by the Greater Boston Churches. 7:55, Pathe News flashes. 8, New York program, musical. 8:30, musical. 9, Atwater-Kent musical 10, musical.
WHAS, Louisville, Ky., 400 (C. S. T.)-4 P. M., selections from Conservatory of Music; police bulters, weather; readings; late news. 4:55, local livestock, produce and grain market reports. 5, time. 7:30, concert under the auspices of Mrs. Robert K. Van Pelt; four-minute digest of Sunday school lesson; four-minute talk; late news; official time.
KOA, Denver, Colo, 323 (M. S. T.)-12:20 P. M., Rialto organ recital. 1, N. Y. stock reports, live stock, fruit, vegetable report, and weather. 3, half hour matinee for housewives. 6, final reading, N. Y. stock reports, live stock, vegetables, and late news.

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WCAE, Pittsburgh, Pa., 462 (E. S. T.)-12:30
P. M., news; weather. 4:40, stock market; The Sunshine Girl. 6:30, dinner concert. 7:30, Uncle Kaybee. 7:45, special feature. 8, Mdore's radio review. 9, Atwater-Kent radio artists.
WCA, Memphis, Tenn, 500 (E. S. T.)-2:30, P. M., Ilarry O. Nichols at the console of the Scottish Rite Cathedral organ.
WDAF, Kamsas City, Mo., 365 (C. S. T.)-2:30, P. M., Harry O. Nichols at the console of the Scottish Rite Cathedral organ.
WDAF, Kamsas City, Mo., 365 (C. S. T.)--3:30
P. M., The Star's radio trio. 5:50, marketgram, weather, time and road. 6, Cecile Burton, from popular poems and essays; address, one of a series of book talks by Louis Mecker; The Tell-Me-a-Story Lady; music, Trianon ensemble. 11:45, Nighthawk Frolic.
WGN, Chicago, 370 (C. S. T.)-9:31 A. M., time. 9:35, stock and farm quotations. 10, wheat, 10:30, wheat and cable reports. 11, wheat, weather, dairy reports. 11:30, wheat, grain and livestock 12:10 P. M., board of trade quotations; hog sales. 12:35, Tea Room orch. 1, wheat. 10:50, Tea Room orch. 1:40, Drake concert ensemble and Blackstone string quintet. 2:30, Rusical recital. 3, miscellaneous entertainment. 5, stock exchange and market. 5:30, Skeezix time for shildren. 2:30 P. M., concert by Rose City trio. 5, children's program. 7:15, markets, weather, and news bulletins 8, Oregonian concert orsh.
MCW, Portland, Ore, 492 (P. S. T.)-11:30 A. M., tweather, stockman reports. 11:50, time. 12, weath, exister, and news bulleting 8, Oregonian concert orsh.
Mutomah Hotel Strollers.
KDKA, E. Pittsburgh, Pa., 326 (E. S. T.)-9:45 A. M., stockman reports. 12:20 P. M., Lenten services. 3:30, closing quotations on hay, grain and feed. 6:15, dinner concert by Brondy's orch. 7:15, stockman reports. 7:30, Daddy Winkum, th

KSD, St. Louis, Mo., 545 (C. S. T.)-8 P. M., recital by James R. Keyes, tenor; Paul Millstone, pianist. 10, special "request" program by Vin James, pianist.

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P. M., woman's hour, "The Popular Concert." 4, magazine hour, "In the Winter of War," by Her Majesty Marie. 5:30, children's hour, Mrs. Walter Stevens. 7, national program by Remote Control. 10, silent.
WEAF, New York City, 492 (E. S. T.)-11, A. M., musical program and talks to housewives, market and weather. 4, Helen Sherman Gue, controlic; dramatic readings by Beatrice Becker; "Needs of Our Youth," by Dr. Henry Newman. 6, dinner music; mid-week services; Art talk; James E. Phillips, basso; Paul Stoeving, violinist; lecture on English fiction; "Touring"; Atwater Kent Radio Artists; Vitali Koretsky, Russian tenor; Russian Ensemble; Vincent Lopez and his orch.
WGY, Screnectady, N. Y., 389 (E. S. T.)-2. P. M., music; one act play, "A Quiet Family." by William Suter. 2:30, organ recital by Stephen E. Boisclair. 6:30, dinner music by Hotel Ten Eyck trio. 7:30, "A Few Moments with New Books," by W. F. Jacob, librarian. 7:45, half hour of music by Stephen E. Boisclair.
KHJ, Los Angeles, Cal., 404 (P. S. T.)-12:30 P. M., program through Loew's State Theatre. 2:30, Jose Arias and his Mexican orch. 5, Art Hickman's concert orch. 6:30, children's program. 7:30, "Art" talk by Harold Swartz. 7:45, talk on "Care of the Body," by Dr. Philip M. Lowell. 8, program presented through the courtesy of the Western Auto Supply Co., arranged by J. Howard Johnson. 10, Art Hickman's dance orch.
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WOAW, Omaha, Neb., 526 (C. S. T.)-4 P. M., program transmitted from WOAW's remote control. 5:45, public news period. 6, story hour. 6:20, to be announced. 6:30, Harry Brader, violinist conductor, and Frank Strawn, pianist, of the Rialto Symphony orch. 7, to be announced. 7:15, current sport events by Ivan L. Gaddia. 9, program under auspices of Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad Co.; address, "Sceing by Radio Territory Covered by the Burlington Route." Dr. G. E. Condra. 10:30, orchestra at Brandeis.
KOA, Denver, Colo., 323 (M. S. T.)-12:30 P. M., Rialto organ recital; N. Y. stock reports, livestock, fruit, vegetable report, and weather. 3, half hour matinee for housewives. 6, final reading N. Y. stock reports, livestock, vegetables, late news. 6:40, book of knowledge program. 8, ten minutes of music. 8:10, studio program, courtesy the Tuesday musical club.
WHAS, Louisville, Ky., 400 (C. S. T.)-4 P. M., selections from Louisville Conservatory of Music; police bulletins; weather; readings; late news. 4:55, local livestock, produce and grain market. 5, time. 7:30, concert by Barney Rapp's orch.; thirty-minute concert.
WMC, Memphis, Tenn., 500 (E. S. T.)-8:30 P. M., to be announced. 11, midnight frolie.
WDAF, Kansas City, Mo, 365 (C. S. T.)-3:30 P. M., The Star's radio trio. 3:50, marketgram,

weather, time and road. 6, address, speaker from Children's Bureau; The Tell-Meta-Story Lady, Neghtawk Froha.
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WCCO, Minneapolis, Minn., 417 (C. S. T.)—10:45 A. M., Gold Medal Service Talk. 2:30 P. M., matinee musical. 8, "Fireside Philosophies," Rev. Roy L. Smith, pastor. 8:30, diversified program. 10, dance program; the Lowry Male Quartet.
WEAF, New York City, 420 (E. S. T.)—4 P. M., Bud Fisher's Happy Players; Middlebury College Glee Club. 6, dinner musical program to be announced; Vincent Lopez and his orch.
WGY, Schenectady, N. Y., 380 (E. S. T.)—7.
M., dance music by Phil Romano's orch.
WFred J. Turner; special musical program to be announced; Vincent Lopez and his orch.
WGY, Schenectady, N. Y., 380 (E. S. T.)—7.
A. M., "Daily Dozen," by Bernard Drury. 10:30, "Ye Towne Cryer" News Bulletins, 10:40, "What is Playing at the Local Theatres." I 1:50, market report. 12, time. 1 P.M., Rudv Seiger's Fairmont Hotel orch. 6:20, Garden hints. 6:30, "What is Playing at the Local theatres." 8, Art Weidner's Dance orch.
KHJ, Los Angeles, Cal., 404 (P. S. T.)—10 A. M.,

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Bori Ready to Repeat



LUCKEZ: A DOK, OTHER strate of the Mithopolitan Opera Induse, who suffered a little "microphone fright" at her radio debut on New Year's night, locks forward with pleasure to singing again for the radio audience. John McCormack, with whom she "duetted" that memorable holiday night, was first quoted as having said he sang for the first last time before the microphone, but later denial was made. Miss Bori is a Victor artist, by the way, and a charming beauty. She is shown wearing her pompously beautiful costume in "Tales of Hoffman."

Tales of urday Afternoon Frolic. 6, Art Hickman's concert orch. 6:30, children's program. 8, an evening of Chamber Music. 10, Art Hickman's Dance orch. 11, program presenting the Lost Angels.
WPG, Atlantic City, N. J., 295 (E. S. T.)-9 P. M., Governor Silzer banquet.
WIP, Phi'adelphia, 509 (E. S. T.)-1 P. M., organ recital by Karl Bonawitz. 1:30, weather. 3, Gerald O'Dell and his entertainers. 6, weather. 6:05 Charles Masters Hotel St. James orch. 6:45, U. S. Department of Agriculture, livestock and produce market reports. 7, Uncle Wip's bedtime stories and roll call; M. E. Junior Choir. 8, Lenten Meditations, E. A. E. Palmquist. 8:15, His Honor, Mayor W. Freeland Kendrick, presents a demonstration of "The Boy in Music." 10:05, organ recital by Karl Bonawitz.
KFOA, Seattle, Wash.. 455 (P. S. T.)-4 P. M., the Times, Wm. F. Hoffman's Concert orch. 6:45, Nucles. Studio program. 8:30, the Times program; Rainier Serenaders. 10, Eddie Harkness and his orch.
WNYC, New York City, S26 (E. S. T.)-6:30, P. M., Sam Wooding and his Club Alabam' orch. 7:30, police alarms. 7:35, The Chateau Four. 8:15, Arthur S. Tuttle, chief engineer, "Work of the Traffic Commission." 8:30, James Brennan, cornet solos. 8:45, Police quartet. 9:15, Fred Bensen's Society orch. 10:10, "Alaska," by Maurinus Hansome. 10:30, police alarms and weather.
WOR, Newark N. J., 405 (E. S. T.)-7 A. M., gym class. 2:30 P. M., Marion Estelle Adams, contraito. 3:45, Midred Frazee, soprano. 3, Dr. Gorgre Watson Little, canine specialist. 3:15, Midden Frazee, soprano. 3, Marion Estelle Adams, contraito. 3:45, Mabel Cowan, and her orch. 7:30, "The Commanders." 8, Horold Colonna, tenor. 8:15, Mabel Thum, soprano; Serge Glemeet, encor and violinist; Maurice LaFarge, Jamist, and Reba Dale Corder, dramatic soprano. 8, Rid Reba Dale Corder, dramatic soprano. 9, Robert Colema, Cittle Theatre governam. 9, Rid Reba Dale Corder, dramatic soprano. 8, Robert Colema, Cittle Theatre gorana, 9, Robert Colema, "Little Theatr

police reports. 4:45, grand organ and trumpets 9:55, time. 10:02, weather.

Sunday, March 8

KSD, St. Louis, Mo., 545 (C. S. T.)-8 P. M., concert by St. Louis Symphony orch. WEMC. Berrien Springs, Mich., 286 (C. S. T.)-11 A. M., sacred music by the Radio Light-house Choir. 11-40, sermon, Pastor W. R. French. 8:15 P. M., sacred music by the Radio Light-house Choir. KPO, San Francisco, Cal., 423 (P. S. T.)-10:30 A. M., "What is Playing at the Local The-atres." 11, undenominational church services. 6:30 P.M., "What is Playing at the Local The-atres." 8:30, concert by Rudy Seiger's Fairmont Horel orch.

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KOA, Denver. Colo., 323 (M. S. T.)-11 A. M., services. 7:50 P. M., service.
WLW, Cincinnati, O., 423 (C. S. T.)-9:30 A. M., school by the editorial staff of Sunday School Publications 11, services, Dr. Frank Stevenson, minister; organist, J. Warren Ritchey; mixed quartet: soprano, Charlotte Sandman Angert; alto, Louise Koetter; tenor, Erwin Meyer; bass, Edwin Weidinger. 7:30 P. M., services, Dr. E. P. Dannenfeldt, pastor. 8:30, concert by the Western and Southern orch; William Kopp, director; Bess Hall, soprano; Norma Maienchein, con-

Programs

(Sunday, March 8, continued) tralto; Edward Durr, tenor; Charles Button, bass; Hazel Barnes, accompanist. WOO, Philadelphia, 508 (E. S. T.)-2:30 P. M., musical exercises and Sunday school. 6, sacred recital on the Wanamaker grand organ, Clarence K. Bawden at the console. 7:30, evening services. WGR, Buffalo, N. Y., 319 (E. S. T.)-3 P. M., Vesper services. 4, Randolph Maynard, organist. 7:15, pre-service organ recital. 7:30, evening serv-ice. ice.

Monday, March 9

WEMC, Berrien Springs, Mich., 286 (C. S. T.)-8:15 P. M., "The Collegian String Trio" or Em-manuel College. WHAS, Louisville, Ky., 400 (C. S. T.)-4 P.M., selections from the Louisville Conservatory of Music; selections played on the Alamo theatre organ; police bulletins; weather; readings; late news. 4:55, local livestock, produce and grain market

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WWJ, Detroit, Mich., 353 (C. S. T.)--8. A. M., setting-up exercises. 9:30, "Tonight's Dinner" and a special talk. 9:45, public health service bulletins. 10:25, weather, 11:55, time. 12:05 P. M., Jules Klein"s Hotel Statler orch. 3, news orch. 3:50, weather, 3:55, market reports. 6, dinner concert. 8, News orch.; Stellar Quartet.
KPO, San Francisco, Cal., 423 (P. S. T.)-0:30 A. M., "Ye Towne Cryer" News Bulletins, 10:40, "What is Playing at the Local Theatres." 12, time. 1 P. M., Rudy Seiger's Fairmont Hotel orch. 5:30, children's hour stories by Big Brother of KPO. 7, Rudy Seiger's Fairmont Hotel orch. 8, organ recital by Theodore J. Irwin, official organist. 9, Pearl Hassock Whitcomb, soprano. 10, Gene James's Rose Room Bowl orch.
WPG, Atlantic City, N. J., 296 (E. S. T.)-3:15 P. M., organ recital. 10, studio concert by Galen Hall trio; Phyllis Herbine, violinist; Vera Chadsey, pianist; Adine Barrozzi, cellist; assisted by Madame Blanche Mazet, soprano; E. F. Gallapher, baritone; Alice Warren Sachse, pianist.
KGW, Portland, Ore, 422 (P. S. T.)--11:30 A. M., weather. 12:30 P. M., Rose City Trio. 5, children's program. 7:15, markets, weather, news bulletins and police reports.
KTHS, Hot Springs, Ark., 375 (C. S. T.)-8:30 P. M., selections by members of the Conservator of Music. 9, selections by the Meyer Davis Ensemble. 9:30, selections by the Meyer Davis Ense

9. Robertson musical program. 10, concert by H. G. Boice. WGN, Chicago, 370 (C. S. T.)—9:31 A. M., time. 9:35, stock and farm quotations. 10, wheat. 10:30, wheat and cable reports. 11, wheat, weather, dairy reports. 11:30, wheat, grain and livestock receipts. 11:56, time. 12, wheat, board of trade. 12:10 P. M., board of trade quotations; hog sales. 12:35, Tea Room orch. 1, wheat. 1:05, Tea Room orch. 1:35, readings, 1:40, Drake concert ensemble and Blackstone string quintet. 2:30, musical re-cital. 3, miscellaneous entertainment. 5, stock exchange and market. 5:30, Skeezix time for children. 5:57, time.

Tuesday, March 10

Iuesday, March 10 WHAS, Louisville, Ky., 400 (C. S. T.)--4 P. M., selections from the Louisville Conservatory of Music; selections played on the Alamo Theatre organ; police bulletins; weather; readings; late news. 4:55, local livestock, produce and grain market reports. 5, time. 7:30, concert by Eddi Rosson and his orch; a chapter of the "Billy and Jane" stories; late news; time. WWJ, Detroit, Mich., 353 (C. S. T.)-8 A. M., setting-up exercises. 9:30, "Tonight's Dinner" and a special talk. 10:25, weather. 11:55, time. 12:05 P. M., Jules Klein"s Hotel Statler orch. 3, News orch. 3:50, weather. 3:55, market re-ports. 6, dinner concert. 8, concert from New York.

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KPO, San Francisco, Cal., 423 (P. S. T.)-7
A. M., "Daily Dozen" by Bernard Drury. 10, chat for the housewives on "Home Making." J0:30, "Ye Towne Cryer" News Bulletins. 10:40, "What is Playing at the Local Theatres." 11:50, market report. 12 P. M., time. 1, Rudy Seiger's Fairmont Hotel orch. 2:30, matine by Pavo Real orch. 4:30, Rudy Seiger's Fairmont Hotel orch. 5:30, children's hour stories. 6:30, garden hints; "What is Playing at the Local Theatres." 7, Rudy Seiger's Fairmont Hotel orch. 8, program

by the San Francisco Music Society. 10, Gene james's Rose Room Bowl orch. KTHS, Hot Springs, Ark., 375 (C. S. T.)-8:30 P. M., Old Southern Melodies Night. 9:45, Meyer Davis-New Arlington orch. WREO, Lansing, Mich., 286 (C. S. T.)-8:15 P. M., musical program; Reo Broadcasting band; Reo Male Glee Club; local artists. 10, weather. KOA, Denver, Colo., 323 (M. S. T.)-12:20 P. M., Rialto organ recital. 1, N. Y. stock re-ports (2 o'clock quotations); live stock; fruit and vegetable report and weather. 3, half hour matinee for housewives. 6, dinner music. 6:30, inal reading, N. Y. stock reports; live stock; vegetables and late news bulletins. WPG, Atlantic City, N. J., 296 (E. S. T.)-7 P. M., Hotel Ambassador dinner music. 9, Hotel Traymore Ensemble. 10, A. C. Kiwanis Club Night.

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WPG, Atlantic City, N. J., 296 (E. S. T.)-7
P. M., Hotel Ambassador dinner music. 9, Hotel Traymore Ensemble. 10, A. C. Kiwanis Club Night.
KGW, Portland, Ore., 492 (P. S. T.)-11:30
A. M., weather. 12:30 P. M., Rose City Trio. 5, children's program. 7:15, markets, weather, news bulletins and police reports. 8, Oregon Agricultural College Extension Service. 8:30, concert. 10, Multhomah Hotel Strollers.
WLW, Cincinnati, O., 423 (C. S. T.)-10:45
A. M., weather and business reports. 11:55, time. 12, setting-up exercises. 12:15 P. M., Delta Omicron Sorority program. 1:30, business reports. 3, market reports. 4, "Mah Jong" by Lucy Blackburn. 6, Selinsky Instrumental Quintet. 8, concert program; selections by Quartet of Brass; instrumental trio. 8:30, R. G. (Gregg) Henkle in "O'Gooferty and Goofus"; Adelaide Apfel, pianist; Earl Derpis, violinist; Edith MacDonald Taube Trio; violin, Edith MacDonald Taube; cello, Winiifred Hazelwood; piano, Olive Terry. 9, entertainment by Higgin-botton's orch.; popular piano numbers by Missouri Kenney; old time fiddlin' by Jale Rutz.
WEEI, Boston, 303 (E. S. T.)-1 P. M., Civitan elub. 2, Napoli Fourt 4, Shawmut Juvenile Syncopators. 6:30, Big Brother club, Uke band. 7:15, Did-Eisenbourg and his Sinfonians. 8, musicale 3:30, Gold Dust Twins. 9, Eveready hour. 10, Godrich Cord orch.
WMAQ, Chicago, 448 (C. S. T.)-12 P. M., Illimots Manufacturers' association program. 4, American Red Cross talk by Dr. H. W. Gentles. 4:30, U. Godrich, Cord orch.
WGR, Buffalo, N. Y., 319 (E. S. T.)-11 A. M., Mrs. Katherine Norton Britt. 6 P. M., Halpryd string trio. 8, 103, Jane Fitch, soprano. 9:15, program by Reform Church.
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KPO, San Francisco, Cal., 423 (P. S. T.)-7 A. M., "Daily Dozen" by Bernard Drury. 10:30, "Ye Towne Cryer." 10:40, "What is Playing at the Local Theatres. 11:50, market reports. 12 P. M., time. 1, Rudy Seiger's Fairmont Hotel orch. 5:30, and character being of the corch. 7:30, program by the Conn Band Instrument Co.
KGW, Portland, Ore., 492 (P. S. T.)-11:30
A. M., weather. 12:30 P. M., Rose City Trio. 5, children's program. 7:15, markets, weather, arranged by Mrs. L. W. Waldorf. 10, Colburn's Melody Men of the Hotel Portland, and intermission numbers by Shefler's Novelty String Quartet.

Mustell, Hanbers by Chentr's Horency Otting (KTHS, Hot Springs, Ark., 375 (C. S. T.)-8:30
P. M., Meyer Davis Trio. 9, concert by the Meyer Davis Ensemble. 10, dance frolic by Chas.
L. Fischer's orch.
KOA, Denver, Colo., 323 (M. S. T.)-12:20
P. M., Rialto organ recital. 1, N. Y. stock reports (2 o'clock quotations); live stock; fruit and ports (2 o'clock quotations); live stock; fruit and his orch. 8:10, Men's Glee club; "The Florist Shop," KOA Studio players. 10, Joe Mann and his Rainbow-Lane orch.
WLW, Cincinnati, O., 423 (C. S. T.)-10:45

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Ine Oregonian Concert orch. 10, Multnomah Hotel Strollers.
WREO, Lansing, Mich., 286 (C. S. T.)--8:15
P. M., musical program; Reo Broadcasting orch.; Reo Male Quartet; soloist. 10, weather.
KTHS, Hot Springs, Ark., 375 (C. S. T.)--8:30 P. M., organ concert by Lawson Reid. 12 midnight, Owl concert and dance frolic by the Meyer Davis orch.
WKAQ, Porto Rico, 341 (E. S. T.)--8:30 P. M., musical concert from restaurant "La Cafetera."
KFDY, Brookings, S. D., 273 '(C. S. T.)--P. M., clarinet and saxophone solos by R. M. Endresen. 8:10, "Increased Returns Through Seed Treatment," by A. T. Evans. 8:20, vocal solos by Mrs. James Milne, soprano. 8:30, news and farm facts. 8:35, "Spring Care of Orchard" by G. T. Gilbertson. 8:45, Clarinet and saxo-phone solos. 8:50, soprano solos with guitar ac-companiment. ", NOA, Denver, Colo., 323 (M. S. T.)-12:20 P. M.,

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 WLW, Cincinnati, O., 423 (C. S. T.)-10:45 A. M., weather and business reports. 11:55, time. 12, physical exercises; William Stradtman, instructor. 12:15 P. M., noonday concert. 1:30, business reports. 3, market reports; 6, French lesson; piano recital by Adelaide Apfel. 6 P. M., Selinsky Instrumental Quintet. 10, three-minute message. 10:03, Cooper Corporation; Cooper Concert orch. and Male Quartet; Larry Grueter, piano accordian solos; Doherty Melody Boys.
 WGN, Chicago, 370 (C. S. T.)-9:31 A. M., time suscordian solos; Doherty Melody Boys.
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 WMAQ, Chicago, 448 (C. S. T.)-4 P. M., house-hold hour. 4:30, Illinois Federation. 6, organ recital. 6:25, Hotel LaSalle orch. 6:50, 'Daddy.'', garden talk, James H. Burdett. 8:15, Western Railways Commission. 8:30, Jane Fitch, soprano, 8:45, income tax. 8:30, University of Chicago, 4:57 (Continued on page 26)

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Grebe, Being Sued, Challenges Hazeltine's Right to Neutrodyne Patent

A SUIT charging infringement of patent has been brought in the Brooklyn Federal Court by the Hazeltine Corporation and the Independent Radio Manufacturers against A. H. Grebe & Co. The defendant company contends that the question of the validity of the Hazeltine patents is one for legal interpretation. During the war Prof. Louis Hazeltine, of Stevens Institute of Technology, in the employ of the Navy Department, developed the Neutrodyne, for which a patent was granted. At that time, the Grebe company stated, the dedication act, which provided that the patent became public property, was effective.

provided that the patent became public property, was effective. Later, the defendant company claims, Hazeltine was allowed by the Patent Office to cancel the dedication clause, It is held that the question to be decided by the court is whether Hazeltine had the legal right to withdraw his dedication.

6-FOLD SALES INCREASE IN A YEAR IN SOUTH AFRICA WASHINGTON.

IMPORTS of radio equipment in South Africa were more than six times greater during 1924 than the previous year, according to reports reaching the Department of Commerce. It is estimated that the 1924 imports were \$820,390, compared to \$137,352 for 1923.

UNITED SCIENTIFIC LABORATORIES REDUCES PRICES

REDUCES PRICES DUE to the nation-wide demand for United Scientific Laboratory products, David Wald, president, has ordered a price reduction amounting in some instances to 25% on the famous line of Scientific low-loss condensers, rhoestats and potentiometers. Increased facilities have also helped in the saving which is passed on to the consumer. This concern has also just brought out the new Scientific low-loss tuned radio-frequency kit which has made a hit with the set-builder on account of its distance-getting qualities.

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Coming Events

MARCH 7-End of Fifth Annual Radio Show and Convention, Hotel Pennsylvania, New York City. Executive Radio Council, Second District. MARCH 7-End of Kansas City Radio Show, Convention Hall, Kansas City, Mo. MARCH 4-Broadcasting of President Coolidge's incurging speech

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Show. SEPT. 23 TO Oct. 4—International Wireless Ex-hibition. Geneva, Switzerland. NOV. 9 TO IS—Milwaukee Radio Exposition.

NOV. 9 10 IS-MIWAUKCE RAUIO Exposition. Civic Auditorium. NOV. 17 TO 22-Fourth Annual Chicago Radio Exposition; Coliseum. DEC. 1 TO 6-Boston Radio Show, Mechanic's

Date not set yet for exposition, also to be held in Chicago, direction of Harold Bolster.

Canadian Business \$7,000,000 in Year

REPORTS reaching the Department of Com-merce indicate that 1924 will prove to lave been the biggest year yet for radio in Canada. In 1924, it is estimated, the sales of sets, loudspeakers, tubes and other radio apparatus in Canada totaled \$7,000,000. A large part of it was American make.

SCHWAB UPHELD IN RIGHT TO USE THE NAME OF BRUNSWICK RADIO

NAME OF BRUNSWICK RADIO SUPREME COURT JUSTICE BIJUR in New York City denied the application of the Brunswick Balke Collender Co., manufacturers of phonographs, to restrain Harold M. Schwab, manufacturer of Brunswick De Luxe Radio Re-ceiving Sets, from manufacturing, advertising and merchandising radio sets and parts under the Brunswick De Luxe trade mark. Justice Bijur desided radio and phonographs were two separate industries and .here was no intent to deceive or misrepresent or the part of Mr. Schwab in using the name of Brunswick De Luxe.

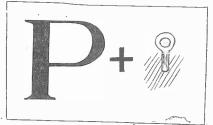
New Corporations

Heteroplex Radio Corp., apparatus, \$1,500,000. F. Vondorn, Raymond G. Penglase, New York; E. C. Ballantyne, Jersey City, N. J. (Capital Trust Co., C. Delouraco).

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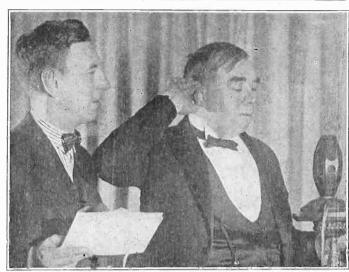
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13th New York Station



KUBE GOLDBERG, left, and Irwin S. Cobb at WMCA opening. (Foto Topics.) By Sidney E. Finkelstein

HIRTEEN! Do you consider it unlucky? Anyway, Greater New York, as a radio entity, doesn't seem to think so. Its thirteenth station is on the air-WMCA, 428.6 meters, 500 watts,



the air—WMCA, 428.6 meters, 500 watts, atop the Hotel McAlpin. On the opening night stars were introduced by four masters of ceremony, Irvin S. Cobb, journalist and author; Walter Catlett, star of "Lady Be Good"; Harry Hersch-field, cartoonist, and Ed Squires, "the globe-trotting announcer." Among the famous persons on the program were Cliff Edwards, comedian; Counters Peggy Hopkins Joyce Morner;

Countess Peggy Hopkins Joyce Morner; Nilton Sills and Madge Kennedy, screen stars; Rube Goldberg, cartoonist; Earl Carroll, theatrical producer, and Hol-brook Rline, screen brook Blinn, actor.

SIDNEY E. FINKELSTEIN chief of the announcers. He was formerly at WDAP, of Chi-cago: WLAG, of Minneapolis, and KDKA, of Pittsburgh. Ralph C. Powell, Jr., chief of the engineering staff, was operator and announcer at WAAM and later chief engineer at WGBS. Mr. Powell formerly was a contributor to RADIO WORLD. Storage batteries are to be used almost exclusively in order to eliminate foreign noises from the wave 428.6 meters which has been assigned to the station. The antenna is one of the highest in the country, approximately 430 feet above the ground. The transmitter employs the Meissner inductive coupled type of circuit, with Heising modulation. Power can be obtained from either storage battery or generator equipment. There are

from either storage battery or generator equipment. There are two 250-watt oscillator and two 250-watt modulator tubes, with all extra tubes and other equipment that may be needed to insure continuity of program.

Storage batteries will be used almost exclusively as the source

of power, to eliminate hum or ripple. The antenna is 430 feet from the ground. This extreme height, and the freedom of the antenna from the effects of surround-ing structures, is doubtless responsible for the good results that ing structures, is doubless responsible for the good results that have attended the test programs broadcast for the few weeks before the opening. The signals travel equally well in all direc-tions, according to reports. The station during its testing period was heard regularly in the region extending from Iowa and North Dakota as far West as the Pacific Coast, with occasional weather from Northwater and courses.

reports from Northwestern Canada. The antenna is of the sloping type, has four wires and is sup-ported above the roof of the hotel by steel masts, with a lead connecting it to the transmitter on the top floor of the hotel.

The hotel being of steel construction, serves as the ground. WMCA will also be equipped to broadcast from numerous outside points.

Manager Director Arthur L. Lee is having his telephone engineer experiment with a plan to link up every room in the Mc-Alpin and Martinique Hotels with the radio station on the roof, whereby any guest who wishes to hear the program may simply listen in at the telephone. Many hundreds of the guest rooms are already equipped with radio receiving sets, as almost every "permanent" guest of the hotels has such an outfit.

Mary Garden's Air Perso



MARY GARDEN'S only radio appearance this season was at WGN, Ch Drake Hotel. The picturesque and gifted operatic character charmed he has an "air personality."



A DEVICE to prevent radiating receiving sets from sending their squeals neighbors has been just perfected, says Roy A. Weagant, vice-president am Forest Co. The device is very small. A choke coil is placed in series wit circuit of the audio-frequency amplifier. A small condenser connects the pl tube to the grid of the regenerative tube. The condenser is made similar to of neutrodyne sets. The photo shows the interior and exterior views of the



GRAHAM MCNAMEE, guest; Eddie Squires, announcer; J. Andrew Whit guest, at WMCA.

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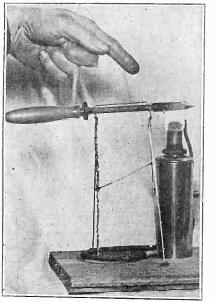


whe air to annoy the clif engineer of the De telephones and plate the audio-frequency sutralizing condensers anti-radiating device.



Two Lucky Girls

MISS RUTH BILGER (left) and Miss Margaret Butterfield won first honors by solving the crossword puzzle of the Ponce de Leon Celebration Committee of St. Augustine, Fla. The problem of the puzzle w.s radioed from the committee's headquarters and as it came over the wire from the receiver was solved by the young women. (Underwood & Underwood)

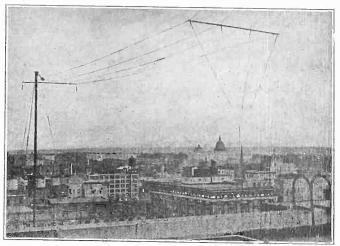


A STAND that provides a convenient rest for a soldering iron can be very easily made out of bus bar. It can be used for either electric or other type iron, but is especially convenient for the iron that has to be heated by some external means, as for instance an alcohol lamp. (Kadel & Herbert)

Inaugural Broadcast



MILLIONS heard President Coolidge's Insugural address, thanks to multiple broadcasting. WCAP, Washington, D. C., broadcast it direct, by remote control, from Washington. Other stations rebroadcast it. Loudspeakers placed on the steps of the Capitol enabled the huge personal audience to catch every word that the President said. (Kadel & Herbert).



HERE'S the aerial of WCAP. Washington, D. C. This station that picked up the President's address, broadcast it on its own wave from this antenna and simultaneously transmitted via the land lines to WEAF, which in turn transmitted it to a net-work of broadcasting stations throughout the United States by its own land lines. (Kadel & Herbert).



YOUNG People's Choir, First M. E. Church, Atlantic City, N. J., broadcasting from WPG. (Foto Topics.)



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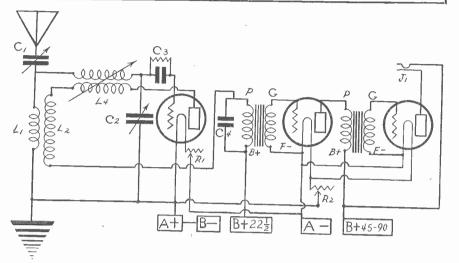


FIG. 100-A 3-tube regenerative set of excellent selectivity and very sensitive. On one spiderweb form having a core diameter of approximately 1" first wind the primary L1 of 40 turns with No. 22 DCC wire. Then wind the secondary L2 with the same gauge wire 60 turns. L4 is the split variometer, the rotor being in the plate lead. C1 is 23 plates, C2, 23 plates; C3, a .00025 mfd. grid condenser; C4, a .002 mfd. phone condenser.

HOW can I add a stage of fixed RF to my present regenerative set?—Harry Rose, 201 W. 79th St., New York City. Fig. 100 is the circuit you request. The output is connected to the present aerial and ground posts of the set. New aerial ground connections are made as shown.

WHAT do you consider the best 3-tube set for DX using not more than three tubes? (2) Will the circuit operate a loudspeaker?-L. E. Bates, 3020 Louisiana St., Houston, Tex. The circuit regenerative receiver using two stages of AF amplification. (2) Yes.

I CAN GET distant stations only by holding my hand around the leadin. As soon as I remove my hand I get only local stations. Can you tell me what I can do to equal the effect of my hand on the aerial? I have a 3-circuit regenerative set.—F. J. Van Derwerken, 497 7th Ave., No. Troy, N. Y. Indications point to your having a poor ground connection. See that there are no breaks in the primary wire.

I BUILT the 1-tube set by Peter V. O'Rourke, in the issue of Jan. 24, but cannot get it to oscillate. I tried all sizes of grid leaks and condensers, but to no avail. Can you suggest any-thing that will clear up this trouble?—P. M. H., Harrichurg Pe

thing that will clear up this trouble?--r. M. R., Harrisburg, Pa. You state in your letter that you hear, faintly, the carrier waves of the various stations. This indicates that the set is oscillating. Couple the tickler with the secondary, inductively, leaving the condenser across the tickler. This will make it oscillate and regenerate more powerfully. The

condenser will control the oscillations. condenser will control the oscillations. Should you fiud, after coupling, that the tube ospillates to the extent of being uncontrollable, increase the spacing between the plate coil and the secondary, with the condenser plates partly engaged, until oscillation ceases. This is the correct oscillating point. Then, by increasing the capacity of the condenser, you will find that oscillation will in-crease and can be controlled. Should

crease and can be controlled. **I BUILT** the Superflex, as described by Abner J. Gelula in the issue of Dec. 27. I am using an indoor aerial in the attic of my home. The set is very selective, but I have not been able to get out-of-town on the loudspeaker. I have re-ceived Denver, Beaumont, Tex., Pittsburgh and Buffalo on the headphones. How can I operate this set on the loudspeaker? (2) What is meant by the beginning and end of a ccil? Which is which? (3) Can another condenser be used to better control regeneration?-W. C. Unverfeith, 4812 Concord Pl., Chicago, Ill. Considering that you are using an indoor aerial, it certainly proves the sensitivity of the set if you can get distance at all. You will be sur-prised over the additional DX this set can bring in if you can install an outdoor aerial, or you may add another step of audio. (2) The beginning of the coll is the terminal of the furn wound first, the end is the terminal of the furn wound first, the use as acother control, although it is not necessary. A 23-plate variable condenser may be used across the plate coll. HOW do you match interfrequency transformers

HOW do you match interfrequency transformers for the Super-Heterodyne?--W. S. Henderson, 5455 N. 11th St., Philadelphia, Pa. The apparatus used is complicated. However,

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Name Street City and State the following instructions will allow you to match the transformers fairly well. A high-fre-quency buzzer is connected to the primary of one of the transformers. Then each of the trans-formers to be matched is closely coupled with the connected coil and a pair of phones connected to the secondary of the transformer to be matched. You may connect the primary of the untested transformer to the secondary of the IFT con-nected to the buzzer. If you hear the high-pitched note, that transformer is all right. The proper procedure, however, is to use a 5-watt oscillator. . . .

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WHAT is the highest and lowest wavelength: that can be reached by the Freshman Master piece? (2) Would a C battery be of benefit i, cutting down the drain on the B battery? (2). How is the C battery inserted in the circuit? (4' How does the tuned RF compare with the Net trodyne in tone, volume and DX?--M. M. She ard, Adel, Ga. (1) 200 to 550 meters, approximately. (2) If (3) Take off the leads on the F posts of the AF transformers. Connect the two F posts together. The minus A. (4) About the same, if the tuned RF is successfully balanced.

It is successinily outlanced. *** I HAVE a 3-tube Reinartz regenerative set equipped with the finest instruments obtainable. When using all three tubes I get a continual howl and whistle. This is not audible except when two tubes are used.—E. N. Sheldon, 120 Brown St., Pittsfield, Mass. Probably interaction between the AF trans-formers is the cause. Reverse the primary con-nections of both AFT and mount AFT at right angles and away from tuning coils. A C battery in circuit may stop the noise. If the trans-formers have a shielded casing, ground the casings, or the iron cores. casings, or the iron cores.

IN reference to Bernard's Superdyne, can it we operated on a loop in an attic 25 feet from the ground? (2) Would I be able to get WTAM, WEBH and WGY, 100 miles from Cleveland? (3) Does this set possess greater selectivity than the Neutrodyne and tuned RF sets? (4) If this set can be purchased in kit form, will you tell me where — Martin Diefenlaugh, 303 E. 10th St., Dover, O.

I AM interested in the set, Fig. 80, page 12, issue of Jan. 31. Can one amperite serve both AF tubes and which number of same should I use? (2) What size panel is required for this set? (3) What is meant by "L5 is a 50-turn coil in fixed inductive relationship to L3L4?"-Geo. M. Dunmire, Scotland, S. D. (1) Yes; type D11. (2) 7x21". (3) If you in-tend using three honeycombs, L5 is the center fixed coil while L3L4 are two coils whose position is variable.

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Is variable. *** IN answer to a previous question of mine, I was instructed to wind 5 or 6 turns around my present plate coil to make the Anderson Super-dyne coupling transformer. Should they be spread out or close together? (2) My second audio stage has a loud whistle and a tapping noise in the phones. When I place my finger on the secondary terminal this stops. I tried resistances across the secondary, tried shielding, etc., but to no avail.—Sol Michael. 842 Whitlock Ave., New York City. (1) Either way will work; preferably spread them out. (2) Try placing lead from plus B to core of AF transformer; placing a lead from the ground on the secondary terminal. Before you do this be sure that the ground does not go to the filament from the aerial and ground coil. (primary).

IN reference to the Byit Caldwell circuit in the issue of Nov. 15: Which side of the variable con-denser goes to the grid? (2) Can the coils be low-loss?—John Rivers, 202 19th St: E. Moline, 11

(1) Stator plates. (2) Yes.

I HAVE always associated reflex circuit with crystals, i.e., that reflex circuits require a crystal detector. I note that in Tim Turkey's 3-tube reflex as described in the issue of Feb. 14 three is no crystal. Will you kindly tell me whether one is required or not2-Frank Taylor, care Dallas Gas Co., 2016 Jackson Ave., Dallas, Tex. No. A tube may be used for detector, as Mr. Turkey outlined.

DOES it make any difference in constructing the low-loss coils for the Superdyne that in the first tuner or grid circuit the primary winding (Continued on page 28)

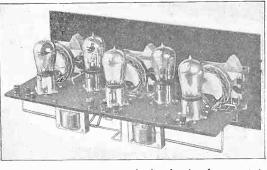
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Care Necessary in Adding **RF** Stage

NLESS a radio-frequency amplifier is ĽŤ built correctly the signal delivered from the detector will be less in volume than if a detector alone were used.

Some five-tube sets, using two stages of radio-frequency, deliver a signal of little volume because of this condition. Because of the extra tuning condensers and coils such a set may be selective, but it is not as efficient as a good three-tube set.

Scrambled Like Eggs, Signals From Europe Are Renaturalized

THE fight against static and atmospheric disturbances has led to the building of a central receiving station at Riverhead, L. I., with a receiving system consisting of two antennae ten miles long.

This system, known as the Beverage-Rice method of reception, eliminates practically all static and intercepts on one antenna the signals from all the European stations. These waves are then automatically separated in more than a dozen receiving sets and sent by wire lines to the operating room in New York.

In an address before the American Insti-tute of Electrical Engineers at Cleveland, E. F. W. Alexanderson, chief consulting en-gineer of the Radio Corporation of America. said: "There is only one kind of disturbance

that this system does not practically elim-inate, and that is a thunderstorm in the neighborhood of the station right on the line from which the signals come. To insure service even in this contingency, a similar service even in this contingency, a similar large antenna system has been built at Bel-fast, Me., which would be immune to a thunderstorm on Long Island, whereas a station on Long Island would be only slight-ly affected by a thunderstorm in Maine. But the problem was, how to get the signal down from Maine to Long Island. "The signals from Europe are picked out of the ether in Maine, scrambled together

of the ether in Maine, scrambled together and sent out by a single transmitter. This

composite signal is then received on Long Island and unscrambled into a dozen signals, which are fed into the long-wave receiving sets, where they go through the usual process of detection and transmission to New York. The signals so reproduced are exact replicas of the original signals, so that the operators in New York do not know whether they have received the original sig-nals or the scrambled and unscrambled sig-nals via Belfast. Me" nals via Belfast, Me.

Battery Voltage Drop Causes Fading

ADING of distant stations may be **F** ADING of distant stations may be caused at the receiving end through a slight drop in the voltage of the A or B battery. This condition may be recognized by tuning when the signal begins to fail, indicating battery trouble if the signal can be brought back immediately. There are other causes of fading, many of them not understood. understood.

A Tip About the Aerial

I N erecting an outdoor aerial it is im-portant to keep the wire well away from other wires carrying current. It is dangerous to attach an aerial to a pole on which lightning transformers are mounted, or to run it over or under elec-. tric wires.

Radio Helps the Theatres

B ROADCASTING parts of perform-ances from theatres in England has prompted the British Broadcasting Com-pany to make an official statement of policy in regard to theatrical programs sent into the air.

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eye. "It follows, therefore, that the proportion of theatrical performances which can be or theatrical performances which can be broadcast as integral items of our program is extremely small. The bulk of our dra-matic work involves the creation of a new technique, and one which we believe will in no way prejudice the interests of the theatre industry. "On the other hand, however, we have found is peculia, without dislocating our

found it possible, without dislocating our programs, to introduce listeners to the-atrical performances of merit. We are doing this by broadcasting from theatres single acts or selections. Judging from the correspondence we have received, there is no doubt whatever that listeners welcome these introductions to theatrical performances. Nor is there any doubt that the plays themselves have benefited very considerably from our efforts. It was proved that at least a thousand bookings were definitely due to the broadcasting of one act of a play. A musical comedy, selections from which were broadcast, has been playing to full houses ever since—a marked improvement on the pre-broadcast position.

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the secondary and the grid of the detector tube, replacing the variable condenser. Using another variometer in the plate lead

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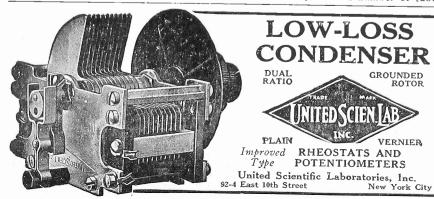
The course will be given in the laboratories of the National Radio Voice Service at University Heights. One feature of the laboratory equipment is a voice recording outfit, which sends back to the student his voice as it sounds to his radio audience. Students will spend much of their time speaking over the unicrophone under normal studio conditions.

Benson's Super-Heterodyne

(Concluded from page 8) similar to the usual two-control Super-Heterodyne. The dial on the left controls the oscillator the other the wavelength selector. They will read very nearly alike but there will be two points at which any station can be heard on the oscillator dial. One point is usually clearer than the other and should be used.

There are several tests to determine if the set is working properly. The set will howl or whistle when the catwhisker is removed from the crystal. This is correct, but occasionally the signals will come in louder with the catswhisker raised. In this case reduce the biasing on the tubes. If an audio howl is noticed it may be due to an open grid return wire or capacity coupling between transformers. Try grounding the negative battery terminal and shunting the audio-transformer primaries with .001 mfd. fixed condensers. Radio-frequency howls that change when the radio-frequency transformers are touched may be eliminated by reversing leads on the transformers.

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WKAS, Louisville, K., 400 (С. S. T.)–4 P. M., selections from the Louisville Conservatory of wasic; selections played on the Alamo Theatre organ police bulletins; weather; readings; late market reports. 5, time. 7:30, concert under the auspices of Kingswood Holiness Colleg.
W, Detroit, Mich., 353 (C. S. T.)–6 A. M., setting-up exercises. 9:30, "Tonight's Dinner" and a special talk. 9:45, Public Health Service bulle-tin. 10:25, weather. 11:55, time. 12:05 P. M., Hotel Statler orch. 3, News orch. 3:50, weather, 3:55, market reports. 6, dinner concert. 8, con-cert from New York.
WG, Atlantic MC, M. J., 266 (E. S. T.)–7 Asador Hotel concert orch. 10:45, Tau Epsilom Choir Sorority dance.
KGW, Portland, Ore., 492 (P. S. T.)–11:30 A. M., weather. 11:55, market, weather, news bulletins, and police reports. 8, lecture by Uni-versity of Oregon. 10:30, Hoot Owls.
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WG, Chicago, 370 (C. S. T.)–12:20 P. M., fastor organ by the Ahaus Brunswick Shop otch.
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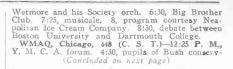
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Brugenian. 7:10, Indicat Program, and anter Tregillus.
 WGR, Buffalo, N. Y., 319 (E. S. T.)-10:45 A. M., Gold Medal home service. 6:30 P. M., Buffalo Trust hour. 8, recital by Doris Wetmore and Marjorie Freeman. 9, B., Fischer and Company's dance orch. 10, Larkin string orch.

Saturday, March 14

WHAS, Louisville, Ky., 400 (C. S. T.)-4 P. M., selections from the Louisville Conservatory of music; selections played on the Alamo organ; police bulletins; weather; readings; late news. 4:55, local livestock, produce and grain market. 5, time. 7:30, concert by the Sylvian trio; late news: time. time

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WPG, Atlantic City, N. J., 296 (E. S. T.)-9 P. M., concert Hotel Traymore Ensemble. 10:30, dance music Chalionte-Haddon Hall orch. KGW, Portland, Ore., 492 (P. S. T.)-11:30 A. M., weather. 12:30 P. M., Rose City Trio. 10, Colbura's Melody Men of the Hotel Portland, and solos.

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WLW, Cluchmath, O., 423 (C. S. T.)--10:45
A. M., weather and business reports. 11, time.
1;30 P. M., stock quotations and business reports. 2:30, Music Hall program. 6, Selinsky Instrumental Quintet.
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(Continued from page 18) of 15 turns was placed at the lower end of the combination and the secondary wound vertically above the winding; as a continuation of the prim-ary. Should the primary winding be placed at the top of the coil form, so that the tickler may rotate? (2) What is the best lead in which to connect the filament rheostal? (3) For 201A amplifiers and the 200 detectors, from which pole should the grid return be taken?-V. R. Schmidt, Palestine, Tex. (1) The tickler must be variable. Placement of primary is all right at lower end. (2) For 201A rheostat should be in the minus lead, grid return taken from the minus filament. For 200s, rheo-stat preferably in positive lead, grid return to the negative filament.

CONSIDERING in the tickler of the Super-dyne that A is the beginning of the tickler and B the end, which goes to the primary of the coupling transformer? (2) What should the dial read when the coils are running parallel? (3) Are condensers supposed to be at any certain

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angle for best results? (4) What should the condenser read dial when plates are all the way in? (5) What should be the distance between primary and secondary of the RF transformer? (6) In Anderson's Superdyne (Nov. 22 and 29 issues) he has but one negative post. Is this $A = 0^{-7}$ -Robert J. Berglund, Univ. No. 10,046, 1520 16th Ave., Rockford, III. (1) B, the end of the tickler, goes to the end of the RFT, (2) 100 or 180, according to the type dial you have. (5) As close as pos-sible. (6) Common minus (B- and A-).

THE Harkness Counterflex calls for: First coil, 10 and 60 turns; second, 25 and 55 turns, with 17-plate condenser. How should the coils be wound for a 23-plate condenser?—H. Q. Ten Eyck, 215 W. Goepp St., Bethlehem, Pa. First coil, 10 and 50 turns; second, 25 and 48 turns turns.

. . WHAT size honeycomb coil may I use to substitute for the coil in O'Rourke's 1-tube set of Dec. 13?-B. F. Goggan, Jr., Henderson, Tex. A 50-turn honeycomb coil.

I AM building the 2-tube Transcontinental set, issue of Jan. 31. Can I use the 2-stage amplifier described in the issue of Feb. 7? (2) Is a poten-tiometer used in place of a rheostat on the ampli-fier?—Ernest Palmer, 410 Elizabeth Ave., Linden,

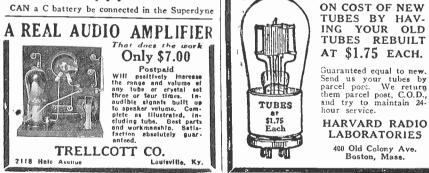
N. J. (1) Yes. (2) No potentiometer is used in the AF amplifier.

AF ampiner. IN reference to Charles H. M. White's article on "A Super-Sensitive Set," issue of Feb. 14: Why are no transformers used? (2) What kind of tubes are Sodion Tubes? (3) May 201A tubes be used throughout?-Chas. D. Dennish, 65 La-fayette Ave., Trenton, N. J. (1) There are two RF transformers in this circuit. Perhaps you have reference to AF trans-formers. You may add standard AF amplification to this set with very good results. (2) The Sodion tube is manufactured by the Connecticut Tel. & Tel. Co., of Meridan, Com. The tube may be used only for detection. It is a very good detector, draws 25 ampere and takes a negative grid return. (3) Yes. Wire the grid re-turn to the positive for this tube when used as detector.

I HAVE a Crosley 2-tube set. I cannot get below 280 meters. How can I get lower? (2) Where may I procure a transmitting license?— Arnold Austin, Milnor, N. Dak, (1) Shorten the aerial ground. If this is not convenient or possible, you may place a 43-plate variable condenser in series with the aerial or ground. (2) From the Radio Inspector of your district, care Custom House.

WHERE can I obtain literature on the Phusi-tormer Set?-Wm. Van Houte, Twisp, Wash. Write to the Cosmopolitan Radio Co., 15 W. 18th St., New York City.

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IS the plate co.l on the 1924 Superdyne wound in the same direction as the aperiodic primary? (2) Cau I use a 200 for detector and 201A for amplification?-J. Winn Smith, Box 12, Rockport, Ind. We it is provide a superformance of the second

Ind. (1) No, it is usually reverse-wound, (2) Yes; this is a fine combination. I HAVE a single-circuit varioccoupler whose rotor stands about half way out of the stator. If I rewind this instrument, could I use it for the Bernard Superdyne?-E. M. Cummings, Ohthe. Kan.

HOW can I use a loop for local reception on the Superdyne so that by a switching arrange-ment I may use either the loop or aerial and ground?-B. H. Corbin, 964 Ashbury St., San Francisco, Cal.

Francisco, Cal, You may use the loop on a plug and jack system. Place a double-circuit jack on the panel. The upper, outside prong of the jack goes to the grid of the first tube. The lower, outside prong goes to the negative filament. The upper inside prong goes to the beginning of the secondary. Of course, before you begin wiring the jack, the lead between the beginning of the secondary winding to the grid and the end of the secondary winding to the grid and the end of the secondary. . . .

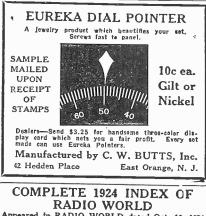
I HAVE a 2-tube receiving set that creates much annoyance as it operates by spells.—H. L. Fuller, Osseo, Mich. Indications point to too much voltage on the plate, an insufficient gridleak or poor tube.

IN the Superdyne if I use Acme transformers, what ratio should I use? (2) I have a 6-volt 90-amp. storage battery. Will this operate four tubes? (3) In the middle of the panel of one of the Superdynes there is a switch. Can you tell me what it is for?-Richard Nicholson, 2709 Mt. Elliot Ave., Detroit, Mich. (1) 3½-to-1 will work well for both stages. (2) Yes. (3) For cutting off filament current.

IN reference to the Superdyne circuit, I find that the set works as well, if not better, without a gridleak. Is this as it should be? (2) I get in-terference from KDKA on waves below 326, but not when operating above 326. Can you tell me why?-Jno. G. Hopkins, Coal Center, Pa. (1) Yes; this is often true when a UV200, C300 or Sodion D21 is used as detector. (2) To be correctly tuned to a station, you must be right in the middle of the wave. Considering this, stations of a high wavelength will cause more interference when you are on the higher side of this station to which you are listening, and vice versa. A wavetrap will help in eliminating undesirable reception.

I WISH to build a 5-tube Neutrodyne and will use Bremer-Tully low-loss neutroformers; 13-plate condensers are specified for these RFTs. Can I use 23-plate condensers that I now possess?-Fred W. Schoepf, 3433 Butler St., Pittsburch Pa. possess?-Fred w. Schoep., Pittsburgh, Pa. Not without taking turns off the RFT, which you should not attempt with B.-T. Coils.

IN reference to the 1-tube set described by Abner J. Gelula in the issue of Jan. 17, are both coils wound on at once or is L2 wound first and L1 over it? (2) What is meant by the two turns of cord intervening between turns?-C. K. Leslie, 2115 Ashby Avc., Berkely, Cal. (1) The coils are wound spiderweb, L1 is wound first, then wind two turns of cord, then L2. (2) After L1 has been wound, wind two turns of ordinary cord on the form as you would wind (Concluded on next page)



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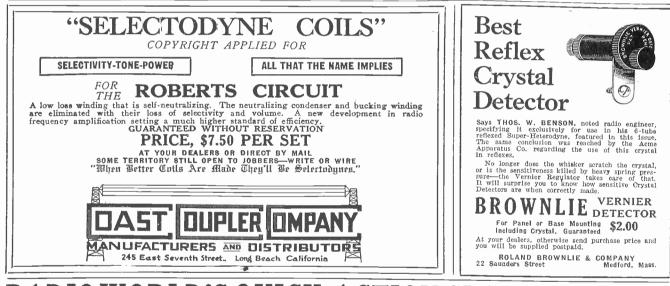
I HAVE a 3-circuit set with an untuned prim-ary of 15-turns, secondary 40 turns and 23-plate condenser across it. The above is wound on a 4" cylinder form, with No. 22 DCC wire. Can you tell me why I cannot tune out WOAX, 2 miles from my home?—Alfred H. Pick, 1204 Anderson St., Trenton, N. J. Remove 7 turns from the untuned primary winding. This may decrease volume slightly but increase selectivity. However, two miles is in-deed a short distance and the set itself may not be selective enough even with smaller primary.

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HOW can I improve the selectivity of the DX Wiz published in Nov. 29 issue, and also tune

below 326 meters?-L. F. Young, 434 23d Ave., Milwaukee, Wis. Take the coil Ll just as it is and where it is. The beginning (top) is connected to aerial. Tap at the fourth or fifth turn, by scraping off insula-tion, and connect A- and ground to this tap. This is the lead that goes to the condenser rotor. The end of the winding goes to grid and stator. Note that Ll is preserved as a continuous winding and merely tapped.

wHAT is the difference between two stages of tuned radio-frequency and two stages of trans-former radio-frequency? (2) Will two stages of radio frequency add much value to a set?-A. Oberender, 367 Seventy-fifth Street, Brooklyn, N. Y. The frequency involved in the different wave-lengths depends upon the length of the wave-length the speed with which it travels. A trans-former to work efficiently on all waves must be designed to meet the electrical requirements of all frequencies. Fixed radio-frequency trans-formers do not receive all wavelengths equally well. There is a peak with a narrow band on each side which favors stations operating on certain wavelengths. On either side of this band the efficiency is reduced. The advantage of tuned tradio-frequency transformers. They do not deal with high-frequency currents. By virtue of their posi-tion after the detector only currents rectified to low frequency reach the audio transformers. If an audio transformer is designed to handle fre-quencies within the audible band, roughly from 200 to 5,000 vibrations a second, it will work well with any set no matter how high or low the wave-length and the original frequency of the signal. (2) Yes; radio-frequency amplifiers intensify weak impulses from distant stations and give them power enough to actuate the detector, otherwise they would not be heard. Another ad-vantage of radio-frequency amplification is sharper tuning.



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