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COUPLING METHODS Familiar and Unfamiliar Designs and Their Objects

By J. E. Anderson



FIG. 1

A so-called high-gain coupler consisting of a plate choke, a plate to grid condenser, and a tuned grid impedance. At right is the equivalent circuit.

OUPLERS between amplifiers are of many different types. Some are familiar while others are not. To understand what the various couplers do and why they do it, one must reduce them to equivalent circuits which show the various components in familiar relationships.

In many modern sets so-called high-gain couplers are used. The primary object gain couplers are used. The primary object of them is to increase the amplification on the lower frequencies in a given tun-ing range without losing the gain at the higher frequencies. In Fig. 1 is shown one of these couplers. At the left is the diagram as it appears on regular circuit drawings and at right is the equivalent circuit. In this r_P is the internal plate resistance of the tube, Co is the plate to cathode capacity, Cl is the capacity be-tween the plate of the first tube and the grid of the second, L is the tuning in-ductance, C is the tuning capacity, and Ch a coupling choke. Ch a coupling choke.

The capacity Cl is that between an open turn or two of heavy wire over the grid end of the tuning inductance L. The value may be of the order of 10 mmfd. The equivalent circuit shows that this which Cl is the stopping condenser, LC in parallel the grid impedance, and ChCo in parallel the plate impedance.

Why It Works

Why should this be effective on the lower frequencies when an ordinary

transformer, secondary tuned, is not? The L/C ratio enters in the same way in the two cases and the smaller C is, that is, the higher the frequency, the greater is the value of L/C, and there-fore the higher the voltage impressed on the grid of the second tube

fore the higher the voltage impressed on the grid of the second tube. Moreover, Cl is in series with the line and therefore it will stop the lower fre-quencies more than it will the higher. We must look for some other effect to account for the higher gain on the lower frequencies. Co the plate to exthed ac account for the higher gain on the lower frequencies. Co, the plate to cathode ca-pacity of the tube, is across the line. It will therefore shunt the higher fre-quencies more than the lower. But this is a loss and not a gain. That is, the gain is cut down on the high frequencies rather than built up on the low. Ch is a radio frequency choke across the line. Its impedance is lower the lower the fre-quency and therefore that works exactly the opposite to the capacity Co. If we take the two together there is not much take the two together there is not much in favor of any frequency within the tuning band.

Yet the two taken together account for If Ch is chosen so that it forms a resonant circuit with Co at the low end of the tuning range, or just below, the plate impedance at the low frequency end plate impedance at the low frequency end is very high, and therefore the gain will be high. It will be built up actually rather than relatively. As the frequency is increased Co becomes more and more effective in shunting the high frequencies, but the rate of decrease is not error be but the rate of decrease is not great, be-cause the capacity is very small. The cause the capacity is very small. The impedance is kept up even off resonance



This coupler is similar to that in Fig. 1, but the choke coil now is coupled inductively to the coil of the tuned circuit. The equvaleint circuit is shown at right.

> by the fact that Ch is so large and the capacity so small.

It is clear that in order that the coupler in Fig. 1 be effective at the lower fre-quencies of the tuning range the induct-ance of the choke coil Ch must be chosen so that it forms a resonant circuit with the plate to cathode capacity of the tube just below the lowest frequency to be tuned in.

Inductive and Direct Coupling

Another coupler that is frequently seen Another coupler that is frequently seen in receivers is shown in Fig. 2. This is the same as that in Fig. 1 with the ex-ception that the coupling choke is in-ductively related to the coil in the tuned circuit. The equivalent circuit of this arrangement is shown at the right of Fig. 2. Note that optional signs of M are indicated. As far as the coupler alone is concerned it makes no difference which sign is chosen but if the coupler is to be considered in conjunction with other couplers of similar design, then the sign must be taken into account. The performance of the coupler in Fig.

The performance of the coupler in Fig. 2 is practically the same as that of the coupler in Fig. 1, with the exception that the mutual M makes the coupler some-what more effective at the higher fre-guencies. The circuit CoL1 should be resonant at a frequency just below the range of the L2C tuner. At left, Fig. 3, is a typical tuned grid coupler consisting of a primary L1, a secondary L2, a tuning condenser C, and mutual inductance M between L1 and (Continued on next page) The performance of the coupler in Fig.



A tuned grid coupler with its equivalent circuit. The plate to cathode capacity of the tube is represented by Co. This coupler is most effective on

high frequencies.

(Continued from preceding page) L2. The equivalent circuit is shown at right in the same figure, Co having been added to represent the plate to cathode capacity of the tube. The voltage that appears across the grid is proportional to the impedance of Co, to that of M, and to that of C.

In this coupler L2C is the tuned circuit. Since the signal voltage is induced in this circuit by mutual inductance the transfer is directly proportional to frequency and the frequencies at the high end are amplified much more than those at the low end. The distributed capacity Co, being across the line, tends to keep the gain on the high frequencies from increasing but it is so small that it has little effect.

Tuned Plate Coupler

In Fig. 4 is the tune plate coupler, which is practically the same as the tuned grid except that the two capacities have been reversed. The tuning capacity is now in the plate circuit and the distributed capacity Co is on the grid side. The gain when this coupler is used increases as the frequency goes up or as the tuning capacity goes down. The amplification at resonance is uM/(L + RrC), in which u is the amplification constant of the tube, M the mutual inductance between the primary and secondary coils, L the inductance of the primary or tuned circuit, R the resistance of the primary coil, r the internal resistance of the tube, and C the tuning capacity across L. This neglects the effect of Co. If the tube in question is a 58 the

If the tube in question is a 58 the value of the amplification constant is 1,-280 and the plate resistance is 800,000 ohms. The resistance of the tuning coil may be taken at 20 ohms and the inductance of the tuned circuit at 250 microhenries. Let us assume that the mutual inductance between the two windings is 25 microhenries. With these values the formula for the amplification reduces to 128/(1 + 0.064 C), in which C is measured in micromicrofarads. This shows clearly that the amplification varies with the frequency, for C varies with frequency.

farads. This shows clearly that the amplification varies with the frequency, for C varies with frequency. At 550 kc the value of C is 335 mmfd., assuming that the inductance is 250 microhenries. With this value of C in the formula the amplification is 5.7 times. At 1,500 kc the value of C is 45 mmfd. With this value of C in the formula the amplification turns out to be 33. The ratio of the amplification at 1,500 kc to that at 550 kc is 5.8 to 1.

No Criterion

The actual values of amplification obtained above should not be taken as figures of merit for this particular coupler because they depend on the assumed mutual inductance. It is quite possible to have a mutual inductance 10 times larger than that assumed, and then the amplification would be 10 times greater at all frequencies. But the ratio is true for all values of M. This shows that this type of coupler is not well suited to variable frequency receivers and also that in a fixed frequency receiver the condenser should be small and the inductance large. Further, the formula shows that the resistance of the tuned circuit should be small if the gain is to be high and fairly uniform, or that the plate resistance of the tube should be small.

The capacity Co between the grid and the cathode reduces the gain on the high frequencies a little so that the ratio is not quite so high as that obtained, but that it is far from unity is evident on every receiver equipped with this kind of coupler.

Tuned Plate, Tuned Grid

The tuned plate, tuned grid, or simply doubly tuned coupler is shown in Fig. 5. This is frequently used in intermediate frequency tuners and sometimes in radio frequency tuners. It is more adaptable to fixed frequency couplers and for that reason is almost standard in intermediate amplifiers. The circuit arrangement is given at left and the equivalent circuit at right in the figure. If the two circuits L1C1 and L2C2 are tuned independently to the same frequency, that is, when one is not affected by the other, then there will in general be two frequencies at which the amplification is maximum, the distance between the two depending on the degree of coupling between the two coils, that is, on the value of M. The ratio of the two frequencies will be (1+k)/(1-k), in which k is the coefficient of coupling. Because there are two maxima the coupler is usually rated as a band pass filter.

filter. It is clear that the coefficient of coupling must be very small or the maxima will be far apart and the effectiveness of the coupler will be very low. Let us suppose that the frequency to be received is 175 kc and let the coupling be adjusted so that the two maxima fall at 170 and 180 kc. The (1 + k)/(1 - k)= 180/170, or k should be 1/35, or nearly 0.03.

Frequency Discrimination

While this coupler has two maxima the selectivity is excellent. The broadness is confined to the region immediately about the natural frequency of either circuit. Far off resonance the discrimination is high. Of course, this assumes that the coefficient of coupling has been made suitably low.

Even though the coupling must be loose, the gain with a circuit like this is usually very high as compared with the gain in the simpler couplers. Indeed, the coupling must be loose if the gain is to be high, to a certain point at least.

Constant Gain Couplers

By taking advantage of the fact that inductive and capacitive couplings work in opposite directions it is possible to make couplers with nearly constant gain over a given tuning band. For a given value of coupling inductance, whether

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A tuned plate coupler with its equivalent circuit. Here the grid to cathode capacity is represented by Co. This also is most effective on high frequencies.

mutual or self, the effectiveness of the coupling is directly proportional to the frequency. And for a given capacity coupling the effectiveness is inversely proportional to the frequency. In constant gain couplers mutual and

In constant gain couplers mutual and inductance capacity are used. One way is illustrated in Fig. 6. Here the tuned circuit is composed of L1, C, and Cm. The coupling between the secondary and the primary circuits is by the rautual between L1 and L2 and by Cm. The equivalent circuit is given at the right. It will be noticed that no choice of sign is offered in this instance. The mutual must be negative, for the reactance of Cm is negative and that of the mutual must have the same sense if the effects of the two are to operate in the same direction. The condenser Cm will be the main coupler on the lower frequencies and the mutual M will be the main coupler on the higher frequencies. At some frequency between the extremes the coil and the condenser will be equally effect-

and the condenser will be equally effective. This frequency is usually the geometric mean of the two extreme frequencies. For example, if the broadcast band extend from 540 to 1,500 kc, the geometric mean would be 900 kc.

Computation of Gain

The gain at resonance of the circuit in Fig. 6 is given by $u(C_mM + CL)/C_m$ (CrR + L), in which u is the amplification of the tube, C_m the coupling capacity, M the mutual inductance between the two coils, C the tuning capacity, L the tuning inductance, r the internal resistance of the tube, and R is the resistance of the tuning coil. The capacity Co is neglected.

In order to make the gain practically constant it is necessary to choose C_m and M properly. It is noticed that if C_mM $= L^2/rR$, the expression for amplification reduces to uL/rRC_m and it actually is independent of frequency. If u = 1,280, L = 250 microhenries, r = 800,000 ohms, and R = 20 ohms, the amplification reduces to $20,000/C_m$, the capacity being expressed in micromicrofarads. Therefore the gain depends on the coupling capacity.

capacity. If we are to retain selectivity we cannot make the capacity small and therefore we must be content with a moderate gain. In view of the small gain when the coupling capacity is large, it would seem that this constant gain coupler is of little practical use unless the resistance of the coil or the internal resistance of the tube, or both, can be made much smaller without at the same time making the amplification constant small. The resistance of the coil can be made smaller without trouble. Suppose that instead of 20 ohms it is only 2 ohms. In that case the gain becomes $200.000/C_m$ and the gain will be 200 even if we use a 1.000 mmfd. coupling condenser.

Tuned Grid Constant Coupler

The constant gain coupler may also be used in the tuned grid form. The circuit diagram and the equivalent circuit are the same as those in Fig. 6 except



FIG. 5

A doubly tuned coupler in which both the plate and the grid coils of the transformer are tuned.

Coupling must be loose for selectivity.

that C and Co are interchanged. The transmission characteristic is not greatly different from that of the tuned plate circuit.

The fact the tuning condenser may be put either on the plate or the grid side of the coil suggests the possibility of putting a tuning condenser on each side. The coupler would then become doubly tuned and would be like that in Fig. 5, except that in series with minus M would be a condenser C_m. Loose coupling would then not be inconsistent with high gain.

gain. In the constant gain coupler the mutual inductance was negative. What will happen if we make it positive? Referring to Fig. 6 we note that M and C_m are in series across the line. If M is positive it is possible to have a zero impedance shunt, which would occur when $M_W = 1/C_m w$. That, of course, would not do if the gain is to be constant. However, there are certain cases where a tuned shunt is useful. For example, suppose it is desired to suppress a certain frequency among many that are wanted. It would only be necessary to make the nutual positive and to adjust the values of M and Cm until the two resonated at the frequency to be suppressed. Such shunts are often used but in most cases the inductance is an actual coil instead of the mutual between two coils. The coupling arrangement just dis-

The coupling arrangement just discussed has been used for the measurement of frequency. Mutual inductance is easily measured accurately and capacity is also measured without much trouble. Hence the shunt M and C_m in Fig. 6 can be used for determining frequency. It is said to be more accurate because there is no resistance involved in the effective tuned circuit. Such circuits are popular.



FIG. 6

A constant gain coupler in which mutual inductance and capacity coupling are combined. Under certain conditions the coupling is entirely independent of frequency.

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The use of these air variables practically eliminates the variations in gain and selectivity inherent in intermediate transformers in which the coils are tuned by means of adjustable condensers of the compression type using mica as dielectric. Even when such condensers are built on Isolantite bases and the highest grade mica is used, variations in temperature and relative humidity cause changes in both the capacity and power factor sufficient to render them unsuitable for use in precision equipment. The change in

Frequency Stability

and the frequency would be equal to the natural frequency of the circuit. That is, there is no deviation. We may assume that when the circuit starts oscillating, the resistance is still so high that R/4rmay be neglected. Now when the tube has settled down to steady operation, the plate resistance r may be 7,500 ohms. Then if the resistance of the oscillating coil is 10 ohms, the value of R/4r is 1/3,000. Therefore, we may expect a change of frequency of one part in 3,000. If the oscillator generates a frequency of capacity is especially troublesome in transformers operating at the higher intermediate frequencies where a given percentage change in capacity causes a relatively great change of intermediate frequency, when expressed in kilocycles.

Frequency Variation Corrected

For instance, variations in capacity of as much as 3% between the six compression type mica condensers used in a twostage (three-transformer) intermediate amplifier are not uncommon during a spell of high relative humidity. Since the percentage change of resonant frequency of a circuit is equal to one-half the percentage of capacity, for small changes only, this represents a frequency drift of $1\frac{1}{2}$ % or 7 kc in the case of a 465 kc amplifier such as is used in the "Pro." A large increase in losses invariably accompanies this capacity change due to moisture absorption. The mistuning plus the increase in power factor causes a marked decrease in both selectivity and amplification.

in both selectivity and amplification. Accordingly, these air condensers provide increased selectivity and sensitivity since the peak setting is constant regardless of temperature or atmospheric conditions. Their use in the "Pro" provides a sensitivity better than ¼ microvolt per meter and high selectivity.

1,000 kc, the total possible variation in frequency would be 3,333 cycles. In practice, of course, the variation will be less. If the grid current had not been negligible to total variation might have been as high as 30,000 cycles, which is equivalent to 3 per cent. That the instability of the ordinary oscillator is more nearly of the order of 3 per cent. than one part in 3,000 is obvious when a test is made. Suppose two oscillators are tuned to zero beat. Then one of them is turned off by cutting off the heater current only. While the fifth heater is cooling, the beat note rapidly changes from zero to one above audibility. Therefore, the total change amounts to more than 10,000 cycles.

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Modulator-Oscillator Tube Utilizes Electron Coupling

By Frank C. Raleigh



FIG. 1

A mixer circuit utilizing the new pentagrid tube in which one part acts as oscillator and another part as detector, the coupling between the two being electronic.

HAT electron coupling for frequency changers in superheterodynes and converters should come was inevitable. But it was a long time coming, a long time after it was first suggested and

long time after it was first suggested and after the superheterodyne was invented. Van der Bijl reports in his book written in 1920 that Heising has used vacuum tubes with two and more grids for the purpose of modulation. One signal was put in at one grid and the other at the other. Both grids affected the plate cur-rent in such a way that the output of the tube was modulated. This idea of modu-lation by means of two grids has been applied to tubes already available. Thus when the oscillation from a local oscil-lator is applied to the screen grid of a screen grid tube and the signal is im-pressed on the regular control grid, the double grid method of modulation is used. In this case, however, the screen grid takes some current.

takes some current. The same idea was applied to pentodes with accessible suppressor grid. Thus the 57 and the 58 were used for mixing by putting the oscillation in at the suppres-sor grid and the signal at the control grid. This had the advantage that the suppres-sor grid could be biased so that it would not draw any current.

Variable Emission

The application of electron coupling to

The application of electron coupling to mixing now has been carried a step far-ther by modulating the oscillator by means of an extra grid. This idea is also applicable to tubes having a plurality of grids. The tube can be used as oscillator in any one of several well-known oscil-lator circuits and the radio signal can be applied to one of the grids, for example, the suppressor grid in the 58. No longer is there any need for such makeshifts, for special tubes have been developed for the dual function of oscil-lation and frequency changing. These tubes have many more grids than the ordinary tubes. Indeed, one tube has five grids and is called a pentagrid. It is a seven-element tube and for that reason should be called a heptode. The tube is first of all an oscillator and then it is a modulator. modulator.

The development of this tube is parallel

to the development of the duplex diode triode. It will be recalled that a leaky condenser type of triode detector is a diode rectifier plus an audio amplifier. However, the flexibility of this device as a detector and amplifier was limited by the fact that the grid acted both as recti-fier anode and as amplifier control grid. The duplex diode triode separated the functions of the grid-anode. One element was used for control grid in the audio amplifier and two other elements were used as anode in the rectifier. The sepa-ration permitted the operation of each under optimum conditions. This was a noteworthy advance. to the development of the duplex diode. noteworthy advance.

Autodynes

Autodynes Paralleling the old leaky condenser de-tector was the autodyne oscillator. It served first as an oscillator and then as a frequency changer. The dynatron was used for this purpose, but lately the 58 and the 57 have been used with better success. Similar tubes like the 239, 236 and the 224 have also been used. When and the 224 have also been used. When these are used as autodynes electron coupling is not employed.

Now we have the next development in which the same tube is used as oscillator and frequency changer with electron coupling. There are, in a sense, two independent tubes except that they have the same cathode, just as the diodes and the triode in the detector share the same cathode.

The action of one of these frequency changers can be understood by consider-ing the electron stream from the cathode. ing the electron stream from the cathode. Suppose the tube were hooked up as an oscillator and then the cathode tempera-ture were changed periodically. The out-put of the oscillator would then be modu-lated. The method of modulation would work all right if the modulating frequency were slow enough. For higher modulat-ing frequencies it would be necessary to find some other means of controlling the find some other means of controlling the cathode stream.

Explanation of Operation

Suppose we have a tube structure in which there are two grids close to the cathode, the closer one being used as control grid and the other as anode in an oscillating circuit. Also suppose there

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FIG. 2 A modified mixer circuit using the pentagrid tube. More uniform oscillator output is the advantage. The tickler here carries the current from both anodes.

are other elements outside of these ele-ments, a shielded control grid, a screen grid, and a plate. If the inner circuit were not oscillating the outer elements would act as an amplifier or bias detector, depending on the bias. Without any oscil-lation there would be a steady stream of electrons to the plate through the various grids. When the inner structure is oscil-lating the stream would be modulated by the frequency of oscillation. In other words, the cathode and two inner grids could be regarded as a complex cathode in which the emission varied with the frequency of oscillation. This variable emission can be controlled

frequency of oscillation. This variable emission can be controlled with another grid on which a radio frequency signal impressed, just as a steady stream of electrons can be con-trolled by means of a grid. The coupling is primarily potential for only the poten-tial of the control grid varies.

Typical Circuits

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may be regarded as fixing the minimum bias.

In the anode circuit of the tube is the intermediate frequency load impedance, which consists of a regular doubly tuned r-f transformer. The frequency conversion efficiency may be varied by varying the bias on the control grid. By conversion efficiency is meant the ratio of i-f voltage output to the r-f input voltage.

Circuit Modification

Fig. 2 shows a modification of the same circuit, and an improvement. It differs from the first only in the connection of the plate to the voltage source. In Fig. 1 the connection is direct whereas in Fig. 2 the plate return is connected so that the r-f and oscillating currents that reach the plate are passed through the tickler. There is also a voltage dropping resis-tance of 20,000 ohms in series with the oscillator anode lead. This circuit is supposed to have a more uniform output than that in Fig. 1. It should be noticed that when the con-

nection in Fig. 2 is used the arrangement is about the same as if the 58 were used as previously suggested. That is, the control grid would be used for control grid of the signal and the suppressor would be used as oscillator control grid. The plate would be the common anode for the oscillator and the mixer and it would also contain the i-f transformer just as in Fig. 2. This similarity of arrangement does not mean that the new tube is not superior as an oscillatormixer. It should be kept in mind that it has been designed especially for this ser-vice whereas the other tube was designed especially to perform a different function.

Voltages on Elements

The new tube has been built both for 2.5-volt and 6-volt service so that it can be applied to automobile, a-c operated, and d-c operated receivers. The maxi-mum voltage on the plate and grid No. 2 is 250 volts and the maximum on the screen, or on grids Nos. 3 and 5, is 100 volts. If the voltage on the anodes is lower that on the screen is almost pro-portionately lower. If the anode voltage is 100 volts, as it might be in a d-c operated receiver, the screen voltage should be 50 volts. The grid leak resistance also depends on the voltages applied to the anode and the screen. It varies from about 100,000 ohms to 10,000 ohms, the

lower values being used with the lower voltages.

The 2A7 and 6A7

The new tube, called the 2A7 for 2.5 volts and 6A7 for 6.3 volts heaters, will require seven-contact sockets and a grid clip. Grid No. 4, which is the control grid of the radio frequency signal in a mixer circuit, is brought out at the top, while all the other elements are brought out in the base. Grids Nos. 3 and 5 are joined inside the tube and are brought out at the same prong in the base.

LONG-LINE TRANSMISSION



If a long transmission line is to be used, the effect of the length can be virtually eradicated by matching impedances. Hence (above) the secondary at left should be the same as the primary represented at right. Suitable housing may be provided for the impedance-matching coupler.



How F. M. Tibbitts gets good noise-suppression results. He uses a 1,000ohm-potentiometer to vary the suppression practically from zero to total blanking of all reception.

I HAVE BUILT a set consisting of a 58 r-f, a 57 first detector, a 56 oscillator, two stages of 175 kc intermediates (58 tubes), a 55 full-wave second detector, a 57 noise suppressor and output audio, with 280 as rectifier. Automatic volume control is tied to the r-f and i-f tubes.

I have found by experience that a cir-cuit modification brings better results. First, to avoid oscillation in the inter-mediate stages I put a 20,000-ohm re-sistor from plate B plus of the second intermediate tube, that is, across the

primary of the last intermediate trans-former. This seems better than increas-ing the cathode resistors. I am using a 300-ohm resistor in the cathode of the r-f stage and a 200-ohm resistor common to the cathodes of the intermediates, both of course by-passed.

Most diagrams show the cathode of the 55 connected to ground. I find that connecting it about 300 ohms from the grounded end of the voltage divider gives much better leveling of signals. I found that with the cathode of the

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55 grounded the noise suppression ad-justment would cut out weak stations along with the between-station noise. As n noise suppression adjustment I tried

n noise suppression adjustment I tried a variable resistor in the plate of the 55, also tried varying the voltage on the 55 plate. This gave fair results. The best solution I have found for good leveling of stations and good con-trol of noise suppression was to put a 1,000-ohm potentiometer between the low end of the voltage divider and ground, connecting the movable arm to ground and one side of potentiometer to voltage divider and to cathode of the 55

voltage divider and to cathode of the 55. On page 14 of the March 4th issue you show 1,000-ohm resistor so connected. I have simply made this variable and there-by adjust to get what signal level I want and thus choose the degree of noise

with no resistance in, WJZ, a strong local, will be cut out. At 200 ohms all the locals and very strong distance sta-tions will come in. With about 500 ohms every station substantially above the noise level as well as static and strong interference will come in. With much over 500 ohms there is no noise suppression

Obviously these values will vary, depending on the bleeder current in the voltage divider, the plate resistor of the voltage divider, the plate resistor of the 55 triode and the voltages applied. I am using 75.000 in this plate and about 30 volts. The voltage divider is about 15,-000 ohms with about 200 volts at the high end. Incidentally, I have found a filter in the triode grid absolutely necessary to get good manual volume control. F. M. TIBBITTS, 333 East Fifty-third Street.

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FIG. 1

This five-tube receiver is suitable for operation on batteries where a storage battery is available for the heater current. The use of B batteries is quite feasible.

LTHOUGH this receiver employs A ETHOUGH this receiver employs five automobile type tubes, it is not supposed to be an automobile set. It does not have sufficient gain for the possible pick-up in the average car. Neither has it automatic volume control, which is now practically a necessity in a car receiver. The circuit is designed for those who live in non-electrified re-gions and who want a receiver comfor those who live in non-electrified re-gions and who want a receiver com-parable to a-c receivers, that is, a re-ceiver that will put out considerably more sound power than sets using the small battery tubes, or even the larger battery tubes. The receiver has been receivered by many

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small current. The circuit may be operated with bat-teries throughout. Yet the design is such that it can also be operated on al-ternatin gcurrent, provided a, suitable heater and rectified plate voltage are available. No change whatsoever is needed when switching from a. c. to bat-teries, or vice versa. The heater circuit teries, or vice versa. The heater circuit H requires a six-volt storage battery or a six-volt transformer.

High Gain Couplers

The tuner contains through tuned cir-cuits, all controlled by a single dial. The first r-f transformer is of the type usually referred to as an antenna coupler, which is a plain r-f transformer with a large primary winding. The next two are what are known as high gain coup-These are not transformer at all by direct couplers, with a choke in the plate circuit o fthe first tube, a parallel tuned circuit o fthe first tube, a parallel tuned circuit in the grid circuit of the next tube, and a small condenser between the plate and the grid. This condenser is the capacity between a turn of large wire wound near the grid end of the tuned coil. The single turn is open so that it is just a simple form of a condenser. The high gain feature of these couplers arises from the fact that the choke coil is chosen so that it resonates with the

arises from the fact that the choke con is chosen so that it resonates with the plate to cathode capacity of the tube ahead of the coupler at a frequency just below the lowest frequency covered by the tuner. The rated plate to cathode capacity of the 239 tube is 10 mmfd. A

choke coil that would be suitable would have a capacity of about 5 mmfd., counting not only the capacity of about 5 mmid., count-ing not only the capacity of the coil but that of the leads used in wiring it into the set. Thus the total capacity would be 15 mmfd. The frequency of resonance of this capacity and the coil might be 500 kc. Then the inductance of the choke 500 kc. Then the inductance o should be 6.76 millihenries. The coils used have been determined experimentally to give the best results all around. Tt

LIST OF PARTS

Coils

One shielded antenna coupler for 350 mmfd. condenser. Two high gain r-f couplers for 350 mmfd.

condensers

One 10-millihenry choke coil. One a-f transformer.

Condensers

One gang of three 350 mmfd. tuning con-

densers. One 0.1 mfd. by-pass condenser. Three 0.25 mfd. by-pass condensers. One 2 mfd. condensers.

Two 20 mfd. electrolytic condensers, 30 volt rating. Two 0.00025 mfd. condensers. One 0.01 mfd. condenser.

Resistors

One 10,000-ohm volume control potentiometer.

One 300-ohm bias resistor. One 30,000-ohm bias resistor. One 800-ohm bias resistor.

One 2,000-ohm bias resistor.

One 250,000-ohm resistor.

One 0.5 megohm grid leak. One 1-megohm resistor.

Other Requirements

Four grid clips. Four five-contate sockets. One six-contact socket. One vernier dial . One dynami cspeaker with 6-volt field.

Two binding posts.

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One three-lead voltage supply cable.

so happens that for one tube of the pentode type will work with another, because these tubes have nearly the same plate to cathode capacity and the tuning is not The resonance point must fall critical. below the lowest frequency of the tuner for otherwise oscillation trouble might be encountered at the low end of the tuner.

Controlling Volume

Controlling the volume is done in this set exactly as it is done in regular a-c operated sets. A potentiometer of 10,000 ohms is connected between the antenna and the cathode returns of the two 239 r-f amplifiers, the slider being connected to ground. A common 300-ohm bias re-sistor is used for the two tubes to limit the minimum bias to about 3 volts. A condenser of 0.1 mfd. connects the ca-thodes to ground for radio frequency currents so the common bias resistance entails no appreciable coupling between

the two tubes. The 236 detector has been designed to give maximum sensitivity with good qual-ity. Correct grid bias is one essential for good detecting efficiency. The bias is provided by a 30,000-ohm resistor in the cathode lead, which has been found experimentally to give good results pro-

the cathode lead, which has been found experimentally to give good results, pro-vided that the plate and the screen volt-ages are properly adjusted. It is always good practice to have the highest available voltage in the plate cir-cuit of the detector and to prevent ex-cessive current by means of a high load consistence. In this case the voltage is resistance. In this case the voltage is 180 volts and the load resistance is 250,000 ohms. The high voltage prevents overloading on strong signals and the high resistance insures that a large proportion of the detected voltage is im-

pressed on the next tube. In order that there should be no dis-tortion in the detector, indeed, that there should be detection, it is necessary to in-sure that the screen voltage never ex-ceeds the effective plat voltag. Since the ceeds the effective plat voltage never ex-effective plat voltage falls as the signal increases, there should be a correspond-ing drop in the screen circuit. For that reason a one megohm resistor is con-(Continued on next page)

PUSH-PULL WIRING By Conrad Forbes

N wiring push-pull amplifiers it frequently occurs that the secondary leads are wired incorrectly. The reason is that the leads are not clearly marked and there is no visual way of telling which is the center tap and which are the two ex-treme terminals. Making this error makes a great deal of difference in the performance of the set.

Suppose one of the extreme terminals of the winding is mistaken for the center tap. Then one of the tubes gets the other extreme and the other gets the real cen-The voltage impressed on one tube ter. is twice that impressed on the other, and the two voltages are in phase. The fact they are in phase is more detrimental than the fact that the voltage is twice as great on one tube as that on the other.

What happens in the plate circuit when the input leads have been connected in this manner? Well, the output trans-former, let us assume, has been connected correctly. Then the output is differential. That is, the current in the secondary of the output transformer, which gives rise to sound, is due to the difference between the currents flowing in the two halves of the primary, or the difference between the two plate currents. This is true even if the secondary of the input transformer has been connected in the wrong way.

Differential Output

When the grid voltage of one tube is twice that of the other the change in the plate current will also be about twice. If the change in plate current in the tube with the double voltage is 2I then the change in the plate current of the other tube is I. The current in the secondary of the output transformer is proportional to the difference, or to I. This is the to the difference, or to I. This is the amount that one of the tubes is able to send through in opposition to the other tube, which itself sends through I. The current in the secondary of the output transformer is proportional to 2I-I. When the secondary of the input trans-

former has been wired correctly the input voltage to one tube is E and that to the other is -E, the two being exactly equal in value but opposite in direction. The current in the plate circuit of one tube is I and that in the other is -I. These two are equal and opposite. The current in the secondary of the output transformer the secondary of the output transformer is proportional to the difference between these currents, or to $I_{-}(-I)$, which is equal to 2I.

Thus when the transformer is connected correctly the output is twice as great as when it is connected incorrectly. One would suppose that this difference would hardly be noticeable since there is only a difference of about 6 decibels. But there is a greater difference than that. The distortion in one case amounts to a very large percentage of the total output whereas in the case of correct connection it amounts to very little. Therefore the wrong connection is first noticed by the fact that the signals are greatly distorted.

Error Detection

It is a simple matter to test the connections even if the secondary terminals are not clearly marked. If the center tap is accessible, measure the resistance between the center and each of the two ex-tremes. These extremes are usually available at the caps of the tubes. If not, they are accessible at the sockets if the tubes are removed. The two resistances should be very nearly equal. If there is a wide difference chances are that the terminals have been connected wrongly. As a check measure the resistance between the two grids, or between the two supposed extreme terminals of the terminals. The resistance between the grids should be twice as great as between either grid and the center tap.

The test may be made with a voltmeter just as well as with a resistance meter provided that the resistance in the meter is of about the same magnitude as the resistance of the transformer. If the vol-

tage of a battery is first measured directly and then measured through the resistance to be measured, an approximately value of the resistance can be obtained from the drop in the voltage. Indeed, if the only object is to discover the error in the winding it is only necessary to note be-tween what two points the drop is greatest. For example, we may have a 0-6 voltmeter and a 3 volt battery. If the grid-to-grid circuit is included in the meter circuit the reading will not be three there has been a drop of 2 volts. Now if the voltage between the center tap, supposedly, and either grid be measured the drop in the voltage should be only 1 volt. If it is one volt between the center tap and either grid and two volts between grid and grid, then we may be reasonably sure that the connections are correct.

Testing Plate Circuit

It is possible that the input terminals are connected correctly and that the trou-ble lies on the output side. Sometimes output transformers, even though they be built into loudspeakers, may not be marked clearly. The result will be about the same as if the input side were incor-rectly wired and the output side were correct. The test for this condition is the same as the test on the grid side. The highest resistance should now be between the two plates and the resistance should be only one half between either plate and the terminal that is connected to B plus. The resistance of the primary of the out-put transformer is likely to be much lower than that of the secondary of the input transformer, but the test may be made with the same meter. It is only necessary to observe deflections a little more closely to note the differences.

If there is any appreciable distortion in the output of the push-pull amplifier on moderately loud signals it is well to make the test of both the input and the output circuits, for if there is an error on either side the distortion will be severe.

A T-R-F Battery Receiver

(Continued from preceding page) nected between the creen and the 90 volt tap on the battery. A by-pass condenser of 0.25 mfd. across

the bias resistor removes the r-f ripple as well as most of the audio from the bias resistance. A condenser of like capacity is connected from the screen of the tube to ground to maintain the screen voltage steady.

The Audio Amplifier

Following the detector is a low pass filter consisting of two 250 mmfd. con-densers and one 10 millihenry choke coil. This helps not only to remove the radio frequency ripple but also to remove unwanted noises in the signal, noises hav-ing a frequency near the upper limit of audibility.

The coupling condenser between the plate and the grid is 0.01 mfd. and the grid leak of the first a-f tube is 0.5 meg-ohm. These values are ample to insure the amplification of the low audio notes

the amplification of the low audio notes and the leak is low enough to insure that blocking shall not occur. The 237 is biased by means of a 2,000 ohms resistor in the cathode lead. This resistor may be increased to 2,500 ohms, if desired. The result will be a greater

saving in current. However, the gain will be less and that more than offsets the other advantage. An electrolytic con-denser of 20 mfd. is put across the re-sistor to prevent reverse feedback. Transformer coupling is used between the 37 and the output tube in order to get a higher gain. A ratio of about 2.5 to one should be all right. saving in current. However, the gain will

Output Stage

The output amplifier is an 89 pentode, which, with 180 volts on the plate and the screen, is capable of putting out 1.5 watts with the usual low distortion. This supwith the usual low distortion. This sup-poses that the output transformer, which is usually built into the loudspeaker, has an impedance of 8,000 ohms. The signal voltage, peak value, required for this out-put is only 18 volts. There is no trouble getting this voltage on the grid even for very weak signal voltages at the antenna. In view of the fact that the filaments may be heated with a six-volt storage

may be heated with a six-volt storage battery, the field winding of the speaker should also be wound for six volts. It would be uneconomical to take the field power from the B battery. Of course, power from the B battery. Of course, if the speaker has a six volt field it can-not be used when the tubes are heated with a-c. But the set will be built for one supply or the other and the speaker should be selected to suit the supply available.

The grid bias on the power tube should be 1 8volts, approximately. It is obtained through an 800-ohm resistor in the ca-thode lead. If the resistance is only 750 ohms it is all right, for the nominal value comes between these two values. If plate current must be saved, and that is likely if the set is to be used in a place remote from sources of supply, then the higher values should be employed. Indeed, it might be increased a little.

By-passing

The condenser across the bias resistance in this case is also 20 mfd. electro-

lytic. A 0.25 mfd. condenser is put across the 90-volt supply to give the r-f currents a low impedance path to ground. A 2 mfd. by-pass is put across the high voltage as an aid against motorboating when the batteries near exhaustion. A much larger condenser would stave off motorboating a little longer, but if the batteries are so low as to require more by-passing, they are not worth keeping, for the sensi-tivity of the set will be low and the quality will be bad.

12 **Full-Wave Automatic Postal** ELIMINATOR By R. Epstein Postal Radio Corporation R-F --GROUND A.H. H.S. PRI ADY 4 6 INPUT (A) 5 INTERRUPTER TERMINAL STRIP 23 AUTOMATIC RELAY SECO 6 2 HOUSIN OUTPUT (B) C4 TERMINAL STRIP CHOK TUBE SOCKET CI RED RED BLAC 6 LOAD DELAY RELAY FILTER COMPARTMENT -TIN-HOUSING -- WITH -- BACKPLATE --GROUND GROUND INTERRUPTER A.F. CHOKE 00000 00000 TRANSFORMER

VOLTAGE 8+ BM B-R4 -----HS 0 0000 D AUTOMATIC RELAY CA 0 T 20 0 LOAD DELAY

FIG. 1

Upper, layout of the Postal Automatic B supply, showing the main wiring; lower left, the circuit diagram of the B supply; lower right, diagram illustrating the installation of the B supply.

ELL, here is what you have been W ELL, here is what you have been looking for, a B supply for auto-mobile receivers operating from the six-volt battery. This is the first of its kind that we have described, so it is fitting that the description of the device and the explanation of the principle of its functioning should be given in

detail. In Fig. 1 are three separate drawings. At the top is the layout of the device, showing most of the wiring, at bottom left is the circuit diagram, and at bottom right is a sketch showing how to install it. Let us confine our attention to the circuit diagram.

Let us start with the power trans-former. It appears to be a regular B supply transformer except that the primary winding is centertapped as well as the secondary. There is one wide difference not shown in the diagram; it has a very high step-up ratio. If we assume that there is an alternating current flowing in the primary of this transformer, it

follows that the plates of the rectifier tube will receive, alternately, high volt-

LIST OF PARTS

One full-wave transformer.

One full-wave transformer. One full-wave vibrator. One 15-milliampere load delay relay. One 1.5-ampere On-Off relay. One r-f "A" choke. One dual 8 mfd. electrolytic condenser. One 20 mfd. electrolytic condenser. Dual 0.02 mfd. condenser. One 7,500-ohm resistor. One variable voltage divider

- One variable voltage divider. One "B" terminal strip. terminal strip.
- One "A" terminal strip.
- One five-prong socket. Miscellaneous hardware.

Optional Components

Three-piece case and chassis. Mercury vapor rectifier.

age. There will be rectification just as in any other full-wave rectifier.

Buffer Condensers

Two condensers C2, each of 0.02 mfd., are connected across the secondary, one across each half. Such condensers are not used in ordinary B supplies, but we recall that they were used in gaseous type rectifiers. In this case they are used

type rectifiers. In this case they are used for two reasons; first, because the pecu-liar shape of the input voltage wave and second, because the rectifier tube is of the mercury vapor type. On the d-c side of the rectifier there is little unusual. There is first a filter consisting of an audio frequency choke and two large electrolytic condensers, CI, each of 20 mfd. There is also a voltage divider to provide an intermediate volt-age Bm and also to cause some bleeder current to flow. current to flow.

On the negative side of the line is a load delay relay, a special feature of this

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particular eliminator. The object of this relay is to delay the application of the full voltage on the tubes until the temperature of the cathodes have attained normal values. The feature is automatic in operation. This relay not only pro-tects the receiver from excessive voltages but it also protects the vibrator, the power transformer, and the mercury rectifier.

The Vibrator

Above we assumed that there was an alternating current flowing in the centertapped primary of the transformer. Actually there is only an interrupted current from a storage battery which flows through the primary, alternately in opo-site directions. That is, a current pulse flows in one direction through one-half of the primary one moment and then a similar pulse flows through the other half in the opposite direction a moment later. These pulses induce an alternating voltage in the secondary and produce the

same effect as if an alternating current were flowing in the primary. The rapid switching is performed by a vibrator or interrupter. A field coil carrying dc pulls the armature toward one of the contactors and a spring pulls it the other way. If the proper balance is established between the pull of the spring and the pull of the magnet, the armature will not stay in either position but will vibrate back and forth.

Examining the Circuit

By examining the interrupter it will be noticed that if the magnet pulls the armature so as to contact at the right, a current pulse is sent through the upper half of the primary, but at the same time the field coil is short circuited. Hence it ceases its pull on the armature and the spring, which pulls toward the left, gains the upper hand and the armature con-tacts at the left. A current pulse is sent But while this is going on the field coil is taking current again and the magnet takes charge of the armature. Thus the electro-magnet and the spring take turns pulling the armature over to its own con-tactor and thus they keep the current flowing in alternating pulses through the primary.

Severe sparking at the break points is prevented by the fact that the circuit is really never opened. When the short across the field coil opens, the field coil remains and the energy stored in the transformer core is dissipated in the field transformer core is dissipated in the field winding. When the other contactor opens the field coil is still able to take the dis-charge, for it is still in the circuit. This is due to the fact that there is only one core for the transformer. Although the magnetizing current flowed in one half of the primary the magnetic energy can of the primary, the magnetic energy can dissipate in the other half if that is in a close circuit.

Choking Interference

Where there is interruption of heavy current, there will be some sparking, and sparking signifies the presence of high frequency currents, harmonics of the spark frequency. If these were not pre-vented from escaping, they would give rise to interference, for they would be rise to interference, for they would be picked up by the receiver served by the B supply. In this case a radio frequency choke has been inserted in the lead to the centertap of the primary of the power transformer. It is called an r-f "A" choke because its inductance is chosen with reference to radio frequency currents but the wire of which it has been wound is chosen with the view that it must carry the heavy current that must flow to the device to supply the power. Being put in the common lead, it serves both break



FIG. 2

Three views of the Postal Automatic B supply. Upper, the top cover of case; middle, assembled unit with the cover removed; bottom, the completely assembled unit.

points, and of course it is put in the "hot" side.

The Automatic Relay

At the extreme left of the circuit diagram is an automatic relay. A relay is only a switch that is operated by an electromagnet. The relay is arranged so that when the filament current is turned on in the receiver, the power is automatically turned on the eliminator. That is, the power is turned on the interrupter and on the heater of the rectifier tube. The relay field is connected in series with the filament circuit in the receiver. HS should be connected to the "hot" battery lead on the receiver and AH should be con-nected to the "hot" terminal on the battery. That is, the relay field is merely cut into the "hot" line.

The automatic relay is rated at 1.5 amperes but it will stand more and it will operate on less, so that the device is adaptable to receivers of different re-quirements. It will be seen that the cur-rent taken by the B battery eliminator does not have to go through the relay field.

If it did, there would be no need of the relay.

No Polarity

No polarity need be observed, which is made possible by the special design of the interrupter and the primary of the power transformer. The device may be installed in any type of car, regardless of the side that is ground. It is only necessary to observe "hot" and grounded sides. The method of installation is clearly chown in the lower right drawing clearly shown in the lower right drawing of Fig. 1.

The layout of the B supply is shown in the upper portion of Fig. 1. Note that there are three shielded compartments. That to the left contains the rectifier tube, the automatic relay, and the input terminal strip. In the center compart-ment are the power transformer, the filter choke, and the by-pass condensers. In the right compartment are the interrupter, the load delay relay, the output terminal strip, and the voltage divider.

Thorough Shielding

The shielding is thorough. The interrupter, which might give rise to inter-ference, is separately shielded, and since the device as a whole is shielded, the interrupter is really doubly shielded. The

same applies to the parts contained in the center compartment. The entire device is smaller than a single 45-volt block of B battery, measur-ing only $2\frac{3}{4} \times 6 \times 7\frac{3}{4}$ inches. These dimensions are exclusive of mounting lugs necessary for bolting the unit to the car chassis.

Two rubber-grommeted holes are provided in the metal case for the input and output leads. Since these leads will be shielded, provision is made for grounding the metal sheath at the B supply end. Of course, the sheath will also be grounded at the set end.

The device can also be operated from a 32-volt farm lighting battery. In this case it is necessary to have a ballast resistor to cut the excess voltage down to about six volts. Just how high this re-sistance should be depends on the service the B supply is to render and it should be determined for each installation.

[Other Illustration on Front Cover]

AMPLIFICATION AUDIO

A-F with Screen Grid Tubes

IS IT possible to get good quality out of an amplifier using a screen grid tube in a resistance-coupled circuit? I have in a resistance-coupled circuit? I have tried many times and every time the dis-tortion has been terrific.—W. E. W., Trenton, N. J. Yes, it is as easy to get good quality out of such a circuit as out of a resis-tance coupled emplifier using three de-

tance-coupled amplifier using three-ele-ment tubes. It may be that you are over-loading th epower tube. You know, the gain in a screen grid tube is high and it does not take much of a signal on its grid to give the tube after much more than it can stand. One of the essentials for good quality from a screen grid tube resistance-coupled amplifier is that the screen voltage be low. It must never ex-ceed the actual plate voltage on the tube, and this voltage may be very low, due to the high drop in the coupling resistance. Experiment with the screen voltage to Experiment with the screen voltage to see what is required to give good amplifi-cation with good quality. Do not be sur-prised if the voltage needed is as low as 6 volts even though the applied plate voltage is of the order of 250 volts.

* Effective Amplification of Power Tube

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HOW IS the amplification in a power tube affected by the bias resistance in

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the tube in a single sided amplifier? Does

the bias resistance increase or decrease the output?—B. W. C., Madison, Wis. If m is the amplification constant of the tube, R the load resistance, rp the internal resistance, and r the bias resistance, then the output power for each volt input is $m^2R/(rp+r+R+mr)^2$. If the tube is a 245 the value of R should be 3,900 ohms, rp is 1,750 ohms, r is 1,500 ohms, and m is 3.5. Putting these values into the formula, we obtain 0.311 milliwatt. If the bias is obtained from a battery or some resistance in which no part of the plate current flows, or if there is an in-finite capacity across the grid bias re-sistance, then the output wattage per volt input is 1.5 milliwatts. The ratio of the first to the second is 0.207. Hence the output is only about 1/5 as great when the bias resistance is allowed to reduce it. Part of this drop is due to the fact that the bias resistance itself dissipates some power, uselessly, but most of the drop is due to the fact that there is reverse feedback.

TWO-TUBE S-W SET

A two-tube battery-operated short-waveset will be described in next week's issue,. March 25th.



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Push-Pull Super Diamond Construction, Trouble Shooting and PICTURE DIAGRAM By Herman Bernard

UITE some leeway is provided for constructors of the Push-Pull Super Diamond as to the speaker requirements, assuming a dynamic speaker with field coil used for B filtration. As diagramed, a speaker of 2,800 ohms would be used, tapped at 700 ohms. Thus there are two sections are to 2,200 there are two sections, one of 2,100 ohms, the other of 700 ohms, to constitute the 2,800 ohms. The power actually expended in the 2,100 ohm section in 2.2 2,800 ohms. The power actually expended in the 2,100-ohm section is 3.36 watts, and in the 700-ohm section 4.48 watts, and fields with commercial ratings of 5 watts are often used in such circumstances, although it would be better to have 10-watt fields. The special speakers for the cir-cuit are in the 10-watt field class. It can be seen, therefore, that the speaker comes under the heavy-duty

classification, and, of course, so does the power transformer. The heater type tubes require 15 watts for their heaters, the power tubes' filaments require 12.5 watts, the rectifier filament requires 15 watts, the B supply uses 45 watts, the pilot light takes nearly a watt, and there you have 88.5 watts. Add 20 per cent. for loss in the power transformer and you get 96 the power transformer and you get 96 watts. So a 100-watt primary is needed. This rating is usually actual, and that is, commercially it is equal to the amount of power used, whereas resistors and field windings are usually overestimated com-mercially, and one adds something to the actual power to obtain the value of com-mercial rating to be used.

One Cent an Hour for Juice

Assuming 10c a kilowatt-hour, although in some locations electricity costs con-siderably less, while in other locations it costs more, the juice consumed by the

costs more, the juice consumed by the set would cost one cent an hour. So, though the wattage sounds high, and is high, the expense of running the set is not very large, especially as one considers the number of tubes, and par-ticularly the heavy-duty power tubes and rectifier. The necessity of having ade-quate power transformer and speaker field windings, however, becomes more obvious, if anything. The circuit does not require just the type of speaker recommended, as it is immaterial to the performance, if the windings are a separate choke of around 700 ohms, 100 ma rating, and a 2,100-ohm field of an existing speaker. However, the output transformer must be for push-

the output transformer must be for pushpull and moreover the impedance of the primary should be around 5,000 ohms, plate to plate. A somewhat different im-pedance may be used at lower power output rating, which is not serious, since the 15 watts need not be realized fully, most listening being at under 3 watts, the extra reserve being to support loud passages of low notes in orchestral rendisages of low notes in orchestral rendi-tions, or the louder passages of energetic speech. So, a speaker designed for 245's in push-pull <u>at</u> optimum operating volt-ages, may be used, as the impedance, if correct for this condition, would be around 3,900 chms. So, too, a speaker with a 500, 600, 700 or 800-ohm field may be used in the other position, with the field between rectifier filament center and center of the primary of the output-transcenter of the primary of the output-trans-

LIST OF PARTS

Coils

- Coils
 One antenna coupler, primary wound over secondary; enclosed in an aluminum shield, for
 0.0041 mid.; tapped for 70-200 meters.
 One interstage r-f coupler, primary wound over
 secondary; enclosed in an aluminum shield, for
 0.0041 mid.; tapped for 70-200 meters.
 One combination oscillator coupler for padded
 transformer, both enclosed in one high aluminum
 shield; oscillator tapped for 70-200 meters.
 One 175 kc intermediate transformer enclosed in
 aluminum shield.
 One tapped 20-millihenty r-f choke.
 One tapped and five-pin plug attached.
 One tapped 20-millihenty r-f schoke.
 One heav-duty power transformer (5,000 ohms,
 singe reversed, output transformer (5,000 ohms,
 so-ch chole and five-pin plug attached.
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 volts, 50-60 cycles: secondaries: 2.5 volts at 8
 amperes center tapped (H): 2.5 volts at 2 amperes,
 c.t. high voltage at 375 volts d-c between recetfor filment and ground at 120 ma.
 One push-pull input transformer.

Condensers

- One three-gang 0.00041 mid. tuning condenser with compensators built in and with attached screws for mounting purposes; high shield walls be-tween sections. (Note: the condensers across primaries and sec-ondaries of intermediate coils are built into these transformers)

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 Four 0.00005 mid. fixed condensers.
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 These to mid. electrolytic condensers.
 One dry 20 mid. electrolytic condenser. isolantite base: brass plates.
 One shelded block containing nine 0.1 mid. con-densers and two 0.25 mid. condensers. Equipped with mounting lugs. Shield is to be grounded.
 Black lead goes to ground. Two outleads col-ored differently than others are the 0.25 mid.
 Rest are 0.1 mid. Block to be fitted on chassis front wall.
 One separate 0.5 mid.

Resistors

Three 800-ohm pigtail resistors. One 1,200-ohm pigtail resistors. Two 2,700-ohm pigtail resistors. Three 10,000-ohm pigtail resistors. One 0.02 meg. pigtail resistors. Three 0.025 meg. pigtail resistors. Two 2.0 meg. pigtail resistors. One 0.02 meg. pigtail resistor. One 0.025 meg. potentiometer, insulated shaft type; tapered; a-c switch attached. One 775-ohm 5-watt resistor.

Other Requirements

- One chassis, 13.5 x 3 x 8.75 inches overall, drilled for sockets, coils, tuning condenser, for elec-trolytics and for power transformer. One steel front panel, finished in walnut color. 12 insulated bushings, ends tapped for 6/32 ma-chine screws, so that bushings may be used as if nuts on socket mounting screws, and main-tain insulation for parts mounted on top of bushings by means of lugs held by short 6/32 screws.

- bushings by means of lugs held by short 6/32 screws. One frequency-calibrated dial with pilot lamp, and extension bushing. One dozen lugs. Two dozen 6/32 machine screws. One roll of hookup wire. Six aluminum tube shields. Five grid clips. One foot of shielded wire to be used hetween an-tenna post of set and antenna lug of antenna coupler; overall diameter ½-inch due to thick cotton insulation to prevent loss of signal to ground. Five six-prong sockets, two UY sockets and three four-prong sockets (the extra UY is for speaker plug).

former, and the 2,100 ohms consist of a choke or a choke and a resistor in series, to make up the d-c resistance require-Thus, a 2,000-ohm heavy-duty rement. sistor may be used in series with the usual choke of 200 or 300 ohms d-c re-sistance, and almost any such choke would do, since the current here is only 40 ma. Besides, if twin speakers are to be used (not standard for the circuit) the tapped field (diagramed as if it were two fields) may actually be two fields, one on each speaker, at d-c values not far removed from those specified.

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Overload Produces Hum

The reason for stressing the capacity of power transformer and speaker is not just because they should not get too hot, for one doesn't keep his hands on them, but because when they are overloaded they set up very large magnetic fields, and these fields carry the second harmonic of the 60-cycle line frequency as well as the fundamental. So there would be con-siderable hum with overloaded speaker and power transformer windings.

Particularly is it undesirable to have any coupling between such a field and the audio transformer or the output trans-former in the speaker. Not much could be done about the output transformer, as that is permanently in place on the speaker, and its relationship to the field coil that is also in the speaker is fixed, although the audio transformer may be turned experimentally until it is at minimum or zero coupling in respect to the source of trouble, which then most likely would be the power transformer. This remedy is suggested to those who will

remedy is suggested to those who will use an undersized power transformer any-way, as alwavs some will at least take a chance with a transformer of lower ca-pacity transformer they have. The common return of the grids of the audio transformer is made through a re-sistor of 25,000 ohms, bypassed by a condenser of 0.5 mfd., and this is in-tended as a phase shifter, to reduce the amount of hum, but in some small per-centage of instances the phases will be right for minimum hum originally, and right for minimum hum originally, and the addition of this filter will merely introduce hum where perhaps none was formerly. Therefore, though the filter is helpful in most instances, short it out experimentally. If the hum is less in the short test, omit the filter.

Test of Overloaded Field

A test as to whether the 700-ohm section is overloaded may be made by short-ing it out, too. The voltage will not rise seriously, and besides the current increase will raise the negative bias voltage. If this winding is overloaded the set will hum, and when the winding is shorted, the hum will be reduced. That proves the hum will be reduced. That proves the choke is doing just the opposite to what was intended. Instead of reducing the ripple voltage in the output, the choke then would be increasing it, because of the large hum-laden field it introduces. An extra 8 mfd. is suggested, the fourth (Continued on page 18),

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(Continued from page 15) one, and may be placed next to the rec-tifier, in parallel with another 8 mfd., or in parallel with the one from center of output transformer primary to ground. The 775-ohm resistor will dissipate 5 watts, and if constituted of a conserva-tively-rated resistor may be of a 5-watt

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tively-rated resistor may be of a 5-watt rating, but if there is any doubt, use a 10-watt rating. The special resistor for this position is rated conservatively at 5 watts and does not get too hot.

The purpose of this resistor is to bias the output tubes. The standard recom-mendations are 300 volts on the plate, 62 volts, negative bias, at whereupon about 40 ma will flow in each tube, or 80 ma through the biasing resistor. However, the voltage much becomended and 200 the voltage may be somewhat under 300, as measured between the center of F and the center of the output transformer's primary, that is, between (57) and (50). The number (57) is not plain on the cir-cuit diagram, but is between (56) and (58).

Summary of Features

The various features of the circuit have been discussed in connection with pre-vious models, if not stated in last week's issue, but a brief summary will be given for the benefit of those who have not read what has gone before.

The sensitivity of the circuit with volume control full-on is better than 0.5

The selectivity is adequate to enable the enjoyment of a weak, distant station without interference from a local that is on a channel 10 kc removed from the distant station, though the input voltage at antenna post is 100 times greater for the local than for the distant station. The tone quality is excellent through-

out the useful range of frequencies, the response measured from 50 cycles to 7,500 cycles. The sibilants are as strong as highest intelligibility of speech requires,

while the reserve power is all-sufficient for the loudest low-note passages. The volume control will cut out any signal completely, and permit increase of volume from barest audibility to 400,000 times barest audibility.

Has Automatic Volume Control

The two intermediate frequency ampli-fiers are automatically volume-controlled,

so that fading is minimized, if not completely eradicated, and the a. v. c. is such that weakest signals obtain fullest amplification and strongest signals least am-plification, so that the a. v. c. is not of the type that eliminates the reception of very weak signals.

Full-Wave Detector

The second detector is of the full-wave type, for best quality and largest voltage-handling capability without distortion, and the a. v. c is derived from the second detector tube so that unity relationship exists between the a. v. c. action and the detector requirements.

The second detector is a 55, of which the two diode plates are used for full-wave detection, and the triode unit or amplifier of this tube is direct-coupled from the detector load (250,000-ohm po-tentiometer). Therefore, at no signal there is no bias on the tube, and no amplification, no matter where the volume control is set, and particularly if it is set at zero resistance or a few hundred ohms resistance, for then there is a virtual short of input to the triode unit.

Noise Suppression

This situation results in noise suppression control, which does not mean elimination of interference caused by static, electric machines, etc., but suppression of noise at between-channel positions of the dial, which otherwise would be heard because not kept out of the audio amplifier. This type of noise, the origin of which is in the set, as distinguished from the excepted interference which arises outside the set, would be associated with any type of a. c., unless squelched. Systems of squelching, using an extra tube, are effective, but the present method does not require an extra tube. However, at no bias at all there would be grid current, causing a noise at all set-tings for any no-carrier position, or for weak carriers, and therefore some threshold voltage must be introduced, and this is done by using an antenna of at least 10 feet, but of course better results will be obtained with an outdoor aerial.

Lining Up

For purposes of lining up, the proce-dure may be as follows: Adjust the in-

Two-Stage Intermediate Raises Selectivity Much

In the construction of superheterodynes excellent results may be obtained with only one stage, if a screen grid tube is used as the amplifier. Then two coils would be required, one to connect the modulator output to the intermediate input, the other to connect the inter-mediate output to the second detector input. There is therefore always one more transformer than amplifier stage.

Some systems have been tried that omit the amplifier stage entirely, that is, a transformer connects the first detector to the second detector. In such a circumstance the second detector is made regenerative, and fair results are obtained, but since beats will result with carriers, the system is not the best.

Better Selectivity

The single amplifier tube has been successfully used in many circuits, and the results in selectivity have been much better than with tuned radio frequency systems.

When a second intermediate stage is used there is a great increase in selectivity, and also perhaps in amplification, although the principal concern is selec-tivity. The amplification may be only a little more than from the single stage, due to the necessity of working the channel well below the oscillation point.

Oscillation Cures

The danger of oscillation at the intermediate level is always present, and may mediate level is always present, and may be overcome by putting the coils at right angles to each other, considering respec-tive stages, or any coils that are closest together; by reducing the screen voltage; or by putting a fixed resistor from plate to B plus of the primary of the trans-former in the plate circuit of the oscil-lating tube. This resistor should be as high as practical, consistent with elimi-nation of oscillation, and while 20,000 ohms usually does the trick, it may do it too well, and 30,000 or 50,000 ohms should be tried, though usually higher values are be tried, though usually higher values are not helpful.

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termediate frequency to 175 kc by connecting the output of a modulated test oscillator to the plate of the first detector. If necessary, remove the first detector and insert the test oscillator's output wire into the plate prong of the socket. Use a screwdriver on the r-f condensers. Next restore the tube, put the oscillator trim-mer half way in, have the set working in its entirety, and feed 600 kc to the antenna post from a test oscillator, or use a station of 600 kc, or as close thereto as possible, and adjust the padding con-denser until response is maximum. The r-f level need not be calibrated, because the dial is frequency-calibrated, and the 600 kc setting is the one that reads 60 on the dial.

Final Check-up

Next tentatively set the trimmers on the r-f and autodyne input (two front sections of tuning condenser) but do not adjust the oscillation trimmer (rear sec-tion). Then turn the set to 145 on the dial, feed 1,450 kc from test oscillator to dial, feed 1,450 kc from test oscillator to antenna post, or use a station, and adjust the oscillator trimmer for maximum re-sponse, or greatest needle deflection if an output meter is used. The r-f and autor dyne input trimmers (front two) should be readjusted then for maximum response. Then return to 600 kc, feed that frequency to the set, and make any padding con-denser readjustment necessitated by the change, if any, in the oscillator trimmer.

Too Sensitive?

The rest of the frequencies also will come in as registered on the dial, except come in as registered on the dial, except that at some points there may be an un-avoidable deviation of 10 kc, and at the lowest frequency portion, from 570 to 530 kc, there will be a little more devia-tion, but this part of the tuning spectrum is unimportant from the viewpoint of accuracy of frequency representation on a calibrated dial

a calibrated dial. It may be found that the receiver is so sensitive that virtually all the stations you desire to listen to come in with too much volume, unless the volume control is near minimum position. In that case you may use a shorter aerial, or put a series condenser of 0.00005 mfd. between aerial and antenna post of receiver, or put a resistor between the extreme of potentiometer shown to ground, and the actual ground. The value of resistor will depend on the desired value of reduction of working sensitivity, and around 50,000 to 100,000 ohms is suggested.

Intermediate Oscillation

The only trouble that may be expected possists of hum and of oscillation. The consists of hum and of oscillation. hum question has been discussed. The intermediate amplifier is the place where oscillation may exist, although the filter resistors, 10,000 ohms, are high enough to render peril of oscillation scant. Yet line voltages may differ, resistance values be somewhat other than specified, and the result is at least the possibility of oscillaresult is at least the possibility of oscilla-tion. This may be cured by finding out which intermediate tube oscillates, for pinching the control grid wire will stop the oscillation. Put a 20,000-ohm resistor or more across the primary in the plate circuit of the tube or tubes that oscillate. Do not detune to cure oscillation, al-though this will do it, as it has too serious an effect on selectivity.

Cabinet

It is assumed that a high-powered receiver like this will be used in a console, and usually the builder has the console, yet the chassis is small enough to fit in a mantel type cabinet, and such a cabinet is commercially obtainable. However, an 8-inch speaker would have to be used then, while the 12-inch speaker for console use is preferable.

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Hiss in Receivers

MANY MODERN receivers develop a very strong hiss. Superheterodynes, apparently, are worse offenders than t-r-f sets. Just why are modern sets worse in this respect than older sets, and why are superheterodynes worse than t-r-f sets?-W. E. W., New York, N. Y. It appears to be a matter of sensitivity.

It appears to be a matter of sensitivity. The older sets were not sensitive enough to bring out the hiss. Neither are many t-r-f sets sensitive enough to do it. However, most superheterodynes are. Most of the noise comes from the tubes and those tubes having a high gas residue are worse than high vacuum tubes. It is customary now to suppress the hiss by means of audio filtering. This is quite feasible because the hiss contains mostly high frequencies that are not essential to music and speech. Objectionable hiss was first noticed in circuits utilizing the 200A tube, which was a gassy tube and at the same time had a high gain.

Filter Cut-off

A LOW PASS filter having a 10 millihenry choke in series and two 250 mmfd. condensers in shunt cuts off at what frequency, assuming that it is working between the proper impedances? Is such a filter to be regarded as having mid shunt or mid-series termination?—T. E. W., Chicago, Ill.

The cut-off frequency is 142,000 cycles per second. The filter is mid-shunt terminated. If you are to use a filter of this type to reduce hiss and other noises the cut-off frequency should be put at about 10,000 cycles. This would require considerably higher by-pass capacities and series inductance than values ordinarily used.

Different Types of Blocking

IN PLAYING with oscillators I have noticed that there are different kinds of blocking. In some cases there is a high pitch note, in other cases a low pitch note, in still others a gradual choking up and letting go, and in still others there is a terrific roar. Will you please explain why there should be these differences?—D. T. F., Detroit, Mich.

F., Detroit, Mich. The different ways in which blocking manifests itself depends largely on the degree of blocking, and that in turn depends on the time constant of the grid leak and the stopping condenser, on the ratio of the inductance to capacity, on the plate, grid, and filament voltages, and on the excellence of the coil. The frequency of the note heard, when it is a clear note, is determined almost entirely by the time constant of the grid leak and the stopping condenser, that is, on the product CR, where C is in farads and R is in ohms. If this product is large the frequency of blocking will be low. If it is small the frequency will be high. The roar that is often heard is usually due to overloading and it may happen independently of the blocking.

* * * Wattless Power

WHAT is meant by wattless power in electrical engineering and in radio? If there is electrical power can it not be measured in watts and if it is how can it be wattless unless it is zero?—T. N. J., Memphis, Tenn.

By wattless power is meant the power that is associated with current that flows in quadrature with the voltage. It is all right to call it wattless even though expressible in watts as long as we have no more appropriate term for it. Most of the power involved in a resonant circuit is wattless, and the more it is wattless the better the resonant circuit. In a power circuit the reverse is the case. If the wattless component is large, that is, if the power factor is low, there is a great deal of useless current flowing in the line, current that does no work because it is out of step with the voltage. The extra current increases the losses in the line because they are proportional to the square of the current. While the losses are not wattless they are just losses.

* * * Behavior of Push-pull Amplifier

THERE is a stage of push-pull audio in my automobile receiver, with two 238 tubes. I have noticed that if I remove either tube the signal level goes up but the remaining tube overloads quickly. If I merely remove a grid clip it behaves the other way but not as much as expected. Can you give an explanation? -W. E. C., Omaha, Neb.

When a tube is removed the bias becomes less, assuming that the tubes are self-biased, in whole or in part, and it may be that the single tube will work better with a lower bias. That is conceivable if the bias on the two tubes is much too great. When you remove a grid one tube is removed, as before, in so far as the amplification is concerned, but the plate current in that tube continues to flow. Indeed, it may be nuch higher than it was before and the bias on the remaining tube is higher than it originally was. That would account why the signal level drops. That is, not only is a tube removed in effect but the remaining tube is given a higher bias, which may have been too high before.

Function of Noise Eliminator

HAVING been bothered a great deal by noise in my receiver I decided to instal a noise suppressor. I did so, following a circuit that was supposed to have been tried out. Well, I am still bothered with noise. Now, why are such devices recommended if they don't work, and if they do work why are circuits published purporting to be noise suppressors?—J. H., Greenwich, Conn.

There are no static eliminators. A noise suppressor is not supposed to eliminate static or similar noises. Its only function is to prevent the amplification of any noise when the receiver is not tuned to a carrier. They have no meaning unless they are used on sets equipped with automatic volume control. These devices work but they are not intended to be static eliminators nor do they eliminate it, except so far as they eliminate everything when there is no carrier present to keep the circuit in proper working condition.

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The Multivibrator

WHAT is a multivibrator and for what purpose is it used? You have never described one as far as I know. If it is a radio oscillator or measuring device, let us have a description of it.—F. W. J., Milwaukee, Wis.

A multivibrator is a special type of oscillator used as a generator of harmonics. Its principle use is the measurement of frequency. Two tubes are required and the frequency of oscillation is determined by the time constant of certain resistors and condensers. The wave it generates is characterized by sharp pulses. Such a wave is extremely rich in harmonics and it is for that reason that the multivibrator has found a place in all radio laboratories. Devices similar to the multivibrator have been used as driven harmonic producers. That is, they have been driven by a generator of accurately known and highly constant frequency. The device may be driven in this way if a harmonic of its lowest frequency.

Receiver Hums

WHEN a loudspeaker field of high inductance is used for filter choke in the B supply could a strong hum in the output be attributed to it? I have a set that has been very carefully put together out of the best parts, but for all the care the receiver hums entirely too much. I am sure, from various tests and comparisons, that the circuit is all right with the possible exception of the speaker field. -T. R. B., Troy, N. Y.

If the plate current is so heavy that the field core is strongly saturated, its inductance, in so far as the ripple in the B supply is concerned, may be practically nothing even though the inductance on low current may be very high. If the saturation has gone far enough, the field becomes no more effective to the a- $c_{\rm r}$ ripple than an equivalent air core coil would be. In other words, the permeability has fallen to practically unity.

Beat Note Oscillator

I WISH to construct a beat note oscillator that will cover the audio band up to 10,000 cycles. What frequency do you recommend for the fixed oscillator and what tuning capacity in the variable oscillator? I have planned to use Hartley oscillators, both stabilized for frequency, with heater type tubes so that I can ground the variable condensers. Is this all right? How would you provide a means for adjusting the oscillators so that the calibration will mean something? —T. C. J., Springfield, Ill. What frequency you use depends largely on the capacity of the variable condenser you have. About 100 kc should be all right. Make two equal oscillators. Put a tiny adjustable condenser across

What frequency you use depends largely on the capacity of the variable condenser you have. About 100 kc should be all right. Make two equal oscillators. Put a tiny adjustable condenser across the tuning condenser of the fixed-frequency oscillator and a larger variable condenser across a fixed condenser in the variable frequency oscillator. The small trimmer across the fixed frequency oscillator is used for adjusting the fixed frequency in case it drifts so as to upset the calabration. The check may always be done against some fixed known frequency, say the 60 cycle line frequency or the 120 cycle harmonic of it. The variable condenser across the fixed condenser is used for varying the audio frequency and its dial should be calibrated very carefully. If the fixed frequency is 100 kc and the uning condenser is 1,000 mmfd. the inductance should be very nearly 2.5 millihenries. If the variable frequency oscillator is to tune 10 kc lower, or to 90 kc, the variable condenser across the 1,000 mmfd, should be 234.6 mmfd. This is not a convenient value but it is always possible to adjust the inductance so that some convenient condenser is just right. This varies the frequency and there *(Continued on next page)*

(Continued from preceding page) should be a corresponding change in the frequency of the other oscillator. In the above case if the capacity is made 250 mmfd, the beat frequency is variable over a wider range. The reason for using two similar oscillators is that if there is any frequency drift the two will drift in the same direction and there will be a slight change in the beat frequency.

IF I HAPPEN to have an oscillator coil that is not of just the right inductance, and my intermediates can be tuned from 200 to 150 kc, is it practical to alter the intermediate frequency from 175 kc, and if so, in which direction should the alteration be made?—A. O. P., Ames, Ia.

If the oscillator coil of your superheterodyne has the incorrect inductance the intermediate frequency may be changed to meet the conditions imposed by the oscilmeet the conditions imposed by the oscil-lator winding, and this is an excellent procedure to follow, provided the coil is not so far off that you can not strike the right intermediate frequency for it. Just in which direction to move can not be stated without presentation of all the stated without presentation of all the facts by you, but if the oscillator induc-tance is too low, increase the interme-diate frequency, and if the oscillator in-ductance is too high, decrease the inter-mediate frequency. Of course, the ab-sence of tracking will evidence itself, and in general you may tell by dial observa-tion whether the oscillator has too much or too little inductance, for if it has too little it will tune to too high frequencies compared with the r-f, and if it has too much it will tune to too low frequencies, compared with the r-f. The observation should be made at some point from about 1,300 to 1,500 kc, that is, somewhere near or at the high frequency extreme. The many squeals attendant on poor tracking will disappear as soon as the intermediate frequency is matched to the oscillator coil, done at a high frequency as stated, whereas the circuit would have to be repadded at 600 kc, and if the inductance was too high at first, the padding capacity may have to be increased, and if the inductance was too low, the padding capacity may have to be increased.

Echoes in Short-Wave Reception

MANY times I have seen references signal echoes, some echoes requiring alf a minute, others about 1/7 second, to half and still others a shout 1/7 second, and still others a small fraction of a sec-ond to appear. If they are echoes they must be waves reflected from some sur-face. What could reflect the signals to account for these multiple responses?— R. E. B., Covington, Ky. While some of these signals are called

echoes, they are not such at all. The 1/7 second "echo" is due to the fact that the signals has traveled all the way around the world and comes to the receiver in That is, if the original signal came from the East, so does the second signal that has traveled around the earth. Other has traveled around the earth. Other multiple signals are due to the fact that any two points on the earth may be reached in two ways over great circle routes. Suppose the transmitter and re-ceiver are 7,000 miles apart. Then they are also 18,000 miles apart in the opposite direction. A signal will travel each way to the receiver. It will take it about 0.04 second for the signal to get to the re-ceiver by the shorter distance and about 0.1 second by the longer. Therefore, one signal will arrive 0.06 second later than the other. The cause of the long delay of some signals is not definitely under-stood. stood.

Stabilized Oscillator

IN YOUR February 18th issue you had a stabilized oscillator in which both plate circuit stabilization and automatic am-plitude control were used. Could this oscillator be used in a padded circuit of a superheterodyne? If so, what changes would be necessary?—R. V. L., Chicago, Ill. IN YOUR February 18th issue you had

Yes, it could be used in a superhetero-one. Condenser C2 which is now only dvne. a by-pass condenser could be used as the a by-pass condenser could be used as the series padding condenser. However, in order to use C2 for this purpose, it would be necessary to put a radio frequency choke in the B plus lead and to make the inductance of this choke so high that it would not change the tuned circuit ma-terially. Probably a 10 millihenry choke would be all right if C2 is a regular pad-ding condenser of about 900 mmfd. Of course, the padding condenser could also be put on the high side of the tuning con-denser. In that case C2 would be left as it is and the choke in the B lead would denser. In that case C2 would be left as it is and the choke in the B lead would not be necessary. L1 in the oscillating circuit would have to be adjusted to the value of C1 and the intermediate fre-quency used in the super. And whatever L1 in the tuned circuit is, L1 in the plate lead should have the same value. This lead should have the same value. This latter statement applies particularly to the case when the series condenser is put on the high side of the tuning condenser.

Detecting Slow Beats

TWO frequency-stable oscillators have been constructed and adjusted to very nearly the same frequency. The fre-quencies were so nearly equal that the beats cannot be heard. It is important to know how much one of these oscillators varies with respect to the other. Can you suggest a very sensitive method of measuring the beat?—W. R. M., Roches-

ter, N. Y. If the beat is so slow that it is away below audibility, the best way of detecting and measuring it is to employ visual means. Impress voltages from both oscil-lators on the grid of a vacuum tube volt-meter or a diode rectifier. Connect a suitable milliammeter in the plate or anode circuit and note the behavior of the meter pointer. If the beat is less than about 10 per second it can be followed and the number of beats per second can be counted. The slower the beat the more accurate will the measurement be. more accurate will the measurement be. It is possible to get a beat so slow that the needle will move back and forth once an hour. Of course, that requires highly stable oscillators. In case the beats are too slow to be measured comfortably, harmonics of the two oscillators may be selected, amplified, and then mixed. The beat will be multiplied by the order of the harmonic selected. Thus if the 20th harmonics are selected and beaten, a given comparison can be made in one minute what it would have required 20 minutes to do had the fundamentals been minutes to do had the fundamentals been compared directly.

Explanation of Blocking

WILL you kindly explain the phenome-

WILL you kindly explain the phenome-non of blocking in an oscillator? Just what happens to give the high pitched noise?—L. W. A., Atlanta, Ga. Blocking is a regular stopping and starting of oscillation. At a given bias, oscillation stops because the conditions for oscillation are not satisfied. The regular process is about as follows: Oscil-lation starts at a given bias and the amregular process is about as follows: Oscil-lation starts at a given bias and the am-plitude builds up rapidly. As the ampli-tude builds up a negative charge accu-mulates on the grid condenser because the grid leakage is not sufficient to drain the condenser. The bias on the grid, therefore, gradually builds up. Finally, a point is reached where oscillation can-not continue, and the circuit stops. As soon as oscillation has stopped the leak-age discharges the grid condenser, and soon as oscillation has stopped the leak-age discharges the grid condenser, and the grid voltage falls to a value where oscillation can start again. The process is repeated. The rate at which the stop-ping and starting occur depends on the leakage and on the capacity of the con-denser, mainly, but also on the plate volt-age, the filament voltage, the feedback and on the ratio of the inductance to the capacity in the tuned circuit. The time constant of the grid leak resistance and the grid stopping condenser practically the grid stopping condenser practically determine the rate. Thus if the time con-stant is 0.0001 second the frequency of

the squeal is 10,000 cycles. This checks approximately with practical circuits.

Parasitic Oscillation

WHAT are parasitic oscillations and how can they be recognized? Do they only occur in oscillators or do they also occur i namplifiers?—E. S., New York, N. Y.

Parasitic oscillations are undesired oscillations in either oscillators or amplifiers. Motorboating in audio amplifiers might be called parasitic. However, in most cases the term is applied to high frequen-cy oscillations in oscillators arising from chance resonance circuits. For example, there may be a short piece of wire in the plate circuit and a similar piece of wire in the grid circuit with a little stray capacity between them. The high frequency circuit thus formed might give rise to oscillation. Such oscillations might be discovered by tuning a wavemeter to them, or they might be discovered by the hum or distortion which they might cause, or by the heat developed on the grid or the plate. It all depends on their frequency and on their intensity. To stop such oscillations sometimes a very tiny choke is put in the grid lead, say a few turns of wire wrapped around a pencil.

Connections of the 239

IF THE 239 is a remote cut-off tube and a pentode, where is the fifth element? and a pentode, where is the fifth element f The tube has only six terminals, one on top and five in the base. Two of these are for the heater and do not count as far as the number of elements is con-cerned. Therefore, there are only four elements. Should not the tube be called a tetrode?—W. G. A., Stamford, Conn. The tube is a pentode, all right. The fifth element is permanently connected to the cathode inside the tube. It is a suppressor grid and corresponds to the extra grid in the 58. The 239 was the first of this type of tube.

Universal Set

IN YOUR February 25th issue you have a Universal receiver with the new 25Z5 rectifier. The cathodes are tied to-gether and so are the plates. Would it 2525 rectifier. The cathodes are field to-gether and so are the plates. Would it not be all right to use one of the cathodes for the field of the loudspeaker and the other for the B supply? What is against that scheme? Could you suggest any other way of energizing the field?—S. E., Baltimore, Md.

If the field is put on one of the cathodes and the set on the other, the rectifier providing the plate current will deliver so heavy a current that it would not be quite safe, whereas the rectifier serving the speaker would not deliver a greater deal. To equalize the load on the two deal. cathodes the connections may be left as they are and the speaker field may be connected in parallel with the filter. That is, one side of the field could be connected to the two cathodes and the other side of it to ground. This connection would have the other advantage that the field current would not help to saturate the 30-henry choke. Of course, the speaker field resistance would have to be high enough to make the connection safe.

Class B Amplifier

IS IT possible to have a Class B amplifier in which there is no grid current in the power tubes? Is not the opera-tion at zero bias the criterion for Class B amplification?—H. L. Y., Youngstown, Ohio.

The criterion for Class B is operation of the two tubes near the plate current cut-off points. Whether this is at zero cut-off points. Whether this is at zero bias or at a high negative bias, makes no difference. If it takes a high nega-tive bias to reach the point the grids of the tubes will not draw current, but the circuit is Class B just the same. There is one difference between Class B when a high bias is used and when no bias is used. When no bias is used it requires a power driver, but when a high bias is power driver, but when a high bias is used it only takes a voltage driver.

RCA INDORSES **ULTRA WAVES** FOR TELEVISION

Radio Corporation of America, in its 1932 annual report to stockholders, just issued, sets forth the following regarding television:

The attention and time devoted to experimental television transmission and reception in the laboratories of your corporation makes desirable a concise statement of the present status of this development.

Progressive experimentation and research have been conducted over a period of years with sight transmission by radio. This research has demonstrated the technical feasibility of television and has confirmed the hopes of your corpora-tion that a practical service of television broadcasting will be possible. Experi-mental television receiving sets have been constructed that give a type of recep-tion comparable to sound broadcasting reception in the early days of radio. A point was reached last year where the results of this research were demonstrated to the patent licensees of your corporation.

Unsolved Problems

Television transmission of a nature that will permit entertainment and in-formation broadcasting on a national scale still presents unsolved problems, although much progress in the technical development of program transmission was made during the year. Public in-terest in this promised phase of radio service has remained keen, but much adservice has remained keen, but much ad-ditional work must be done in the trans-mission and program field before this new art is suited for commercial use. Your corporation has adhered to the con-viction that the introduction of purely experimental equipment of more novelty. experimental equipment of mere novely interest would not provide a satisfactory source of general entertainment on the basis of a regular service to the public.

Television transmission, at the present stage of development, seems most prac-tical on ultra-short radio waves. Not only have these waves given best results in the quality of picture reception, but they also promise the opportunity of creating a new service without the fur-ther overcrowding of the already con-gested short, intermediate and long wave sections of the radio spectrum. For the sections of the radio spectrum. For that reason, an important phase of engineering and research work was directed in 1932 toward making ultra-short waves more serviceable. These waves were given their first practical, commercial function in the

developed in 1931 by RCA engineers. This system has since been in successful and continuous commercial operation. The service range of these waves has been limited sharply, however, because of their resemblance to light waves, which do not tend to follow the curvature of earth. Experimental stations have been operated by your corporation in the ultra-short wave band for a number of vears.

Automatic Repeater

An important new aspect was given to this work in 1932 by the successful operation of an automatic repeater or re-A1lay station for ultra-short waves. Al-though the practical results of these tests have not yet been confirmed, they appear at this stage to have overcome the limita-

TRADIOGRAMS W2XE RETURNS, By J. Marray Barron

Kay Radio opened at 179 Greenwich Street, N. Y. City. It will specialize in small parts, replacement parts and general radio merchandise. W. Kessler and associates are known to the downtown retail trade. * * *

The demand for the new "Pro" booklet as issued by Hammarlund Mfg. Co. has been very large and there will be a slight delay in filling booklet requests. In it is a description of the new air type tuned intermediate frequency transformer and oscillator units as well as the new 2A5 tube. It might be well to get your request in at once. Address The Hammarlund Mfg. Co., Inc., 424 West 33rd Street, N. Y. City.

As the Spring approaches an increased interest is shown in auto radios and essentials. Just now there is an added interest in a B battery eliminator for car use. Some of the retail stores have litera-ture. Postal Radio, 135 Liberty Street, N. Y. City, will send interesting literature about its new and unique B battery elim-inator. It is entirely different and ex-tremely efficient.

There has been on demonstration at Thor's, 167 Greenwich Street, N. Y. City, very clever short-wave converter. Downtown is considered a very poor location for short-wave reception, yet some very fine catches were recorded. When the neighborhood it's worth a call. Those out of town may receive information by mail. *

Hammarlund-Roberts Inc., 424 West 33rd Street, N. Y. City, is now extending a cordial invitation to those interested in a fine laboratory-built all wave receiver to visit their laboratories for an actual demonstration, 2 to 5 p. m. week days, 9 to noon Saturdays. It has also issued a guarantee of world-wide reception in your home on the Comet All-Wave Receiver.

Those who experiment in short-wave reception find that while stranded enamelcovered wire acts very efficiently for broadcast reception, the solid wire of larger size is more efficient for short-wave reception. This statement is not made to start any discussion, but only to give out the findings of many who have experimented along these lines.

tions of range that formerly seemed inherent in ultra-short wave communica-tion. Active engineering work is being continued in this field.

When the technical problems of tele-vision transmission are more nearly solved, there will remain the necessity of constructing transmission facilities, calling for vast capital outlay by those interested in promoting this new art, be-fore television receiving instruments can render service in homes throughout the country. Nevertheless so much of fundamental value is expected from this development that every effort is being directed toward the solution of the remaining technical problems. Your cor-poration believes that because of the in-tensive nature of its research into these ouestions, and because of its patent rights, it will have a strong position in this new and promising field.

A THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

T HE radio business in general instruction to see what the Roosevelt administration broblems THE radio business in general is waiting is going to do with the various problems that face the Radio Commission. Let's hope when it's all over everybody will be that satisfied. Several folk are getting their axes ready for the ever-revolving grind stone at Washington.

VARIES THREE WAVES DAILY

With completion of its new transmit-ter at Wayne, N. J., operating with double the former power, W2XE, the Columbia Broadcasting System's short-wave unit in New York, has returned to the air. Its signals were broadcast recently for the first time in several months and a special program by Nino Martini and the Columbia Symphony Or-Martini and the Columbia Symphony Or-

chestra was heard. Whereas the old transmitter operated on a frequency of 6,120 kilocycles (49.02 on a frequency of 0,120 kilocycles (49.02 meters), the new one will alternate be-tween three different frequencies each day. It will be on the air daily from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. on 15,270 kc (19.646 m); from 3:00 to 5:00 p.m. on 11,830 kc (25.36 m), and from 6:00 to 11:00 p.m. on 6,120 kc (49.02 m). This alternation of frequencies has been ar-ranged to give optimum results in transranged to give optimum results in trans-mission. The frequency of 15,270 kc mission. The frequency of 15,270 will be used on conjunction with special antenna directional to England. a

Union News Co. Takes Space in Radio City

The Union News Company, oldest and largest operator of newspaper and pe-riodical stands in the United States, and established in 1872, has taken sizeable ground floor space in the 31-story RKO Building in Rockefeller Center. The Union News Company will open late in March a modern soda-luncheon-

ette and a complete newspaper, magazine and book store on the Sixth Avenue front of the RKO Building. Special services offered by the shop will include out-of-town newspapers, new fiction, a lending library and a complete line of nationally advertised cigarettes, cigars, tobaccos, candies and confectionaries. A staff of ten persons will man the shop, which will be open from eight o'clock in the morning to one o'clock in the morning every

ing to one o'clock in the morning every day in the year. The new shop represents an expansion of the company's existing facilities, which already total approximately 2,300 retail stores and stands throughout the United States. The company is contemplating still further expansion, both in New York and the country at large, according to F. C. C. Boyd, advertising and merchan-dising manager, who is in charge of condising manager, who is in charge of contracts.

Several innovations in newsstand practice and display will be introduced in the RKO Building_shop.

Literature Wanted

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Frank Lange, 157 West 111th St., New York City.
Lee Alseth, 123 Pontius Ave., Seattle, Wash.
Louis Rossi, 291 E. Dom. St., Rome, N, Y.
Nile A. Tarbert, Box 245, Brilliant, Ohio.
Arthur Johnson, 1061 77th St., Jacksonville, Fla.
Louie W. Schick, R. 5, Box 94, Norwalk, Ohio.
John B. Sullivan, 264 Brunswick St., Rochester, N. Y.
Eduardo Coromina, Marquette Apartments, 965

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II. Edward A. Renz, 729 N. Washington Blvd., Fort Wayne, Ind.

STATION SPARKS By Alice Remsen

Orpheus

WLW; Tuesdays, 11:30 P. M. For "Vox Humana'

When Orpheus tuned his lovely lute, And Thracian hills and valleys filled With sound; he made the birds all mute,

So beautiful the songs he trilled. He charmed the furious forest beast,

And every tree bowed down its head; He moved the rocks. From west to east, And north and south his music spread.

Its echo wanders through the spheres,

A mighty everlasting strain; And evermore throughout the years His melody is heard again.

O Orpheus! Sweet Orpheus! Thy lute will never silent be! O Orpheus! Sweet Orpheus!

Thy music sounds eternally! -A. R. * *

A sweet half hour for music lovers is "Vox Humana," a period of restful organ music and vocal harmonization under the Raine. If you have not already heard this beautiful period, tune in by all means. I'm sure you'll like it. At this time of the evening, eleven-thirty, Eastern Stand-ard Time, it is very easy to get WLW almost anywhere east of the Rockies.

The Radio Rialto

First of all I must thank my Baltimore friend, Bissell Brooke, for thinking of me when she was in New York. Yes, dear Bissell; I am still in Cincinnati, and am enjoying it. Have taken a cute little flat and am cooking 'n' everything. I haven't forgotten you; just frightfully busy, that's all. One of these days I shall surprise Gene and you with a long let-ter... It looks as though spring, taking a leaf from prosperity is just around the a leaf from prosperity, is just around the corner. Quite warm here.... The action of the Cincinnati banks in calling a moratorium with a five per cent withdrawal plan, is merely a preventive measure, according to the bankers; people don't seem to be very much worried around here, anyhow.

See where another vaudeville act has See where another valueville act has joined the radio comedy ranks. Jack "Professor" McLallen, with Sara and Sasafrass, may now be heard over the NBC-WJZ network each Tuesday and Friday at 10.45 p. m., E. S. T. . . Frank Parker, the handsome A. and P. Gypsy tenor, will be twenty-seven on April 29th; Erank has purchased a new polo popu Frank has purchased a new polo pony, in readiness for a few chukkers this com-ing season... There is a rumor around the rialto that those heavy cigarette ac-counts will go off the air. Chesterfield may keep one night a week, at least durheard Willard Robison, the Evangelist of Rhythm, and his fine orchestra, over WJZ and network, on Tuesdays, at 9:30 p. m.? If not, you've missed a treat! p. m.r. It not, you ve missed will Willard has a good sense of humor; he told me a story once about a maestro who was famous for his ego; this man, who was famous for his ego; this man, summoned to court to give expert testi-mony in a law suit, described himself as "the greatest conductor in America"; later, a friend protested the extravagance of his claim. "It may have sounded con-ceited," said the conductor, "but, my dear fellow, you forget I was under oath!"... William H. Woodin, our new Secre-tary of the Treasury, wrote "The Fire

Chief March," which he dedicated to Ed Wynn; just heard it on the Fire Chief program; a fine, stirring piece of music; Mr. Woodin has written many excel-lent things, including those cute little children's tunes in the Raggedy Ann se-ries, and the lovely melody of "Spring Is in My Heart Again," a popular ballad, to which I had the pleasure of listening before publication when Mr. Woodin before publication, when Mr. Woodin kindly played it for me up at the Miller Music Company; even though Mr. Woodin is an artist to his finger tips, he is still a great business man; until recently he was the head of a big industry, and he is, I may add, one of the sweetest-natured men I ever met.

And speaking of songs, our own Wil-liam C. Stoess, the maestro of "Dance Nocturne," heard over an NBC-WJZ net-work, from WLW each Sunday at midwork, from WLW each Sunday at mid-night, had two of his own compositions on a recent program: "I've Got the Jig-saw Puzzle Blues," and "Save America Now"; what's more, the next day wires came in from New York for the songs; so you may hear them soon on other programs... The popularity of the Myrt and Marge program does not wave espeand Marge program does not wane, espe-cially out in the Middle West, where the cially out in the Middle West, where the girls are great favorites. . . In answer to quite a few inquiries: the "hot" gui-tarist, who strums each night on the Chesterfield series for Ruth Etting, Bing Crosby, and Jane Froman, is Eddie Lang; he was born in Philadelphia in 1902, and has served as featured instrumentalist in numerous noted orchestras; has dark hair and eyes, and a flashing smile; stands five feet, eight inches, and weighs one hundred and fifty-seven pounds; is the husband of Katherine Rasch, former 'Follies" girl.

The Four Eton Boys, Columbia's crack harmonizing quartet, are playing vaude-ville dates in and around New York and New Jersey; they also manage to sand-wich in broadcasts and a series of mo-tion picture shorts. . . One of Columbia's most versatile conductors is Victor Young, whose novel orchestra shares program honors with the Mills Brothers an excellent conductor, violinist and pianist Young specializes in arrangements which feature instrumental solos ments which feature instrumental solos and unusual orchestral coloring; above all, he is a prolific composer of popular song hits; some of his outstanding com-positions include "Street of Dreams," "Lord, You Made the Night Too Long," "Waltzing in a Dream," "Can't We Talk It Over," "South in My Soul," and his first song. "Sweet Sue." His latest num-ber is a foxtrot, "I Bring a Song.". Roy Atwell, whose word-scrambling has Roy Atwell, whose word-scrambling has been one of the most amusing features of Fred Allen's CBS Revue, is now making his customary hit with the new Broad-way production, "Strike Me Pink"; he is starring with such high lights of the amusement world as Jimmy Durante, Lupe Velez, Hal Le Roy and Hope Williams.

Among the clever CBS character actors are Carl Mathieu, top tenor of the Travellers Quartet, who enacts German roles, and Herb Rice, writer and director of the CBS Bobby Benson programs, who plays the roles of both Buck Mason and Wong Lee in that presentation; Mr. Rice also plays upwards of ten additional character roles in the course of a week's run of radio dramatizations, which certainly beats even the old stock company days. Many people have wondered if Fred Allen's wife, the featured comedienne of his program, used a fictitious name; no; Portland Hoffa is her real name, and

she was named after her native city, Portland, Oregon—and that's not the half of it; her brother was born in Lebanon, Pennsylvania, and hence was named Le-banon; a third child was christened Harlem, because Harlem, New York, was her birthplace; the fourth, who was expected to be the last, was named Lastone (Last One); but, there came a fifth—so he was given the name of Period; it's quite evi-dent that Portland's parents have a unique sense of humor. . . And now Dale Wimbrow has really gone into the humans of producing for profit. he has Dale Wimbrow has really gone into the business of producing for profit; he has opened a factory down on the Bowery (of all places) and is manufacturing his own invention, "Wimbrola," a novel gui-tar with six strings which features a harmonic bass. . . Did you know that the Dorsey Brothers, noted instrumental-ists of Leonard Hayton's Chesterfield Orchestra, are twins—at least, almost; born just about a year apart the sons of born just about a year apart, the sons of a Shenandoah, Pa., band master; they have been musical twins ever since they could handle an instrument; Jimmy, twenty-eight, plays the saxophone; Tom-

my, twenty-eight, plays the saxophone; fom-my, twenty-seven, plays the trombone... Station WHAM, Rochester, New York, has been given an increase in power, from 5,000 to 25,000 watts; their new transmitter is designed for 50,000 watt output, but will be used as 25,000, watts as specified by the Federal Radio Commission; the station is situated eighteen miles southeast of Rochester, in Victor Township; its old 5,000-watt transmitter has been retained intact for use in emergencies; uses 225-foot steel towers tric equipment; William Fay, who came to WHAM in 1928 from WMAK, Buffalo, is the manager of this growing station, which is owned by the Stromberg-Carlson Telephone Manufacturing Company; by the way, it was in 1927 that I made my air debut on the Stromberg-Carlson Hour over WJZ, with Rosario Bourdon as conductor; WHAM was built in 1922, by two Rochester newspapers, the Times-Union and The Democrat and Chronicle, and was taken over hy its present own and was taken over by its present own-

ers in 1927. Well, it's time for me to put on the stew; am keeping house for myself now and trying my best to emulate Octavia —but shouldn't be surprised if I had to send for her in a hurry.

Biographical Brevities ABOUT LEONARD HAYTON

In the public eye (or should I say "ear"?) at the moment, is the youthful "ear"?) at the moment, is the youthful Chesterfield maestro, Leonard Hayton. Born in New York City, on February 13th, 1908, the son of a Manhattan res-taurateur. Developed a penchant for the taurateur. Developed a penchant for the piano when six years old. Left high school to become pianist with Cass Ha-gen's orchestra. Graduated from there to Paul Whiteman's, was with him for two and a half years. Met Bing Crosby during this time and they struck up a friendship, which remained intact when Bing leaped to radio fame. This resulted in Hayton being engaged as one of the pianists for the Crosby radio and stage unit, which in turn resulted in Hayton planists for the Crosby radio and stage unit, which in turn resulted in Hayton emerging, at the age of twenty-four, not only as arranger and conductor for the popular baritone, but as musical direc-tor for the entire Chesterfield series. Is known as "Lennie" to his friends. Is slender... of medium height; has dark hair and a trim little mustache. Likes a real game of ping-pong and is a foot-

a real game of ping-pong and is a foot-ball enthusiast; isn't superstitious and believes that everything happens for the best; hopes some day to write a serious symphony; believes that popular arrangements should faithfully represent the original melodies; lives in a bachelor apartment; divides his spare time between sports, symphonic concerts and the movies, especially the news reels.

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RADIO WORLD

Short-Wave Broadcast Stations

(We are indebted to the International Short-Wave Club, with headquarters at Klondyke, Ohio, U. S. A., for permission to publish this list, which includes stations authentically reported active.) All times are given in Eastern Standard Time add five hours for G.M.T. Wavelength only i given.

(Note-The following group of stations broad-casts musical programs. Commercial stations we listed separately.)

Wave	
Length Call	Location
14.47-LSY	Buenos Aires, Argentina. Near 4 P.M. Sundays.
15.93—PLE	Bandoeng, Java. Tuesdays 8:40- 10:40 A.M.
16.87—W3XAL	Boundbrook, N. J. Week days. 7 A M to 3 P.M
19.57—W2XAD	Schenectady, N. Y. 3 to 6 P. M. daily. Sat. & Sun. 1 to 6 P.
19. 68	Pontoise, France. 7 A.M. to 10
19.73—DJB	Zeesen, Germany. 8 A.M. to 12
19.84—HVJ	Vatican City. Broadcasts daily
19.90—T14•NRH	Heredia, Costa Rica. Saturday 11 A.M. to noon, 4-5 P.M. and 10-11 P.M. Sun, and Mon., 11
	A.M. to noon and 4-5 P.M.
20.60 · HBJ	Geneva, Switzerland. Testing.
20.95G2NM	Sundays.
23.38-	Rabat, Morocco. Broadcasts Sunday, 7:30 to 9 A.M.
25.20-	Pontoise, France. 10.30 A.M. to 1:30 P.M. daily.
25.25-W8XK	Pittsburgh, Pa. 3 P.M. to 9 P.M. Daily.
25.34-W9XAA	Chicago, Ill. Relays WCFL, irregularly.
25.40-12RO	Rome, Italy. Broadcasts 11 A. M. to 12:30 and 3 to 5:30 P.M.
25.42-W1XAL	Boston, Mass. testing, irregu-
25.53-G5SW	Chelmsford, England. Monday to Friday, 6:45 A.M. to 7:30
	A.M. and 12:30 to 6:10 P.M. Sat. 7-8 A.M. and 12:30 to 6:10 P.M.
<u>25.60</u> —	Pontoise, France. 3 P.M. till 6
25.60—VE9JR	Winnipeg, Canada. Daily exc. Sat. and Sun., 11:45 A.M. to
26.83-CT3AQ	Funchal, Madeira. Tues Thurs., 5 to 6:30 P.M.; Sun.
28.98—LSX	Buenos Aires, Argentina. Daily,
29.26D1Q	Zeesen Germany. Used irregu-

Wave Length Call 30-40-EAQ 31.00-T14NRH 31.25-CT1AA 31.28-VK2ME 31.30-HBL 31.36-W1XAZ 31.38-DIA 31.40-VK3ME 31.48-W2XAF 31.51-OXY 31.58-PRBA 32.26---33.50-TGX 34.68-VE9BY 38.60—HBP 39.40—HJ3ABF 40.50-HJ3ABD 41.00-CM5RY 41.60-EARS 42.00-HI4AAB 42.20-HKN 45.31-PRADO 46.60-REN 46.67-VE9BY 46.96-W3XL 47.00-HKS 47.00-HCIDR 47.50-TITR 48.00-HKA 48.85-VE9CL

Location Madrid, Spain. 6:30 to 8 P.M. daily. Sat. 1 to 3 P.M. Heredia, Costa Rica. Daily exc. Sunday 9 to 10 P.M. Lisbon, Portugal. Heard Tues., Thurs., Fri., 4 to 7 P.M. Sydney, Australia. Saturday midnight to Sunday 2 A.M., 4:30 to 8:30 A.M. and 1:30 to 3:30 P.M. Praquins, Switzerland. Testing near 4 P.M. Springfield, Mass. 3:30 P.M. to 11:30 P.M. Daily. Zeesen, Germany. 2 P.M. to 6:30 P.M. daily. Melbourne, Australia. Wed. 5 till 6:30 A.M., Sat. 5-7 A.M. Schenectady, N. 4: Relays WGY daily 5 P.M. to 11 P.M. Skamleback, Denmark. Broad-casts 2 to 6:30 P.M. Rabat, Morocco, broadcasts, Sundays, 3 to 5 P.M. Guatemala City, Guatemala. Surdays 10 P.M. till mid-night. Londor, Canada. Mondays 3 to Location Saturdays 10 P.M. till mid-night. London, Canada. Mondays 3 to 4 P.M. and irregular times. Geneva, Switzerland. Testing. Bogota, Columbia. 7 P.M. to 11 P.M. Bogota, Columbia. Tres., Thur., Sat., 8 to 11 P.M. Matanzas, Cuba. Saturdays 10:45 to 11:30 P.M. Teneriffe, Sat. and Sun., 4:30 P.M. to 6:00 P.M. Manizales, Colombia. Thur. and Sat. 7-9 P.M. and 11-12 P.M. Medellin, Colombia. 8 P.M. till 10 P.M. 9:20:10:20 P.M. Faciliar Sur. Medellin, Colombia. 8 P.M. till 10 P.M. 8:30-10:30 P.M. Earlier Sun. Riobamba, Ecuador. Thursdays, 9 P.M. till 11 P.M. Moscow, U. S. S. R. Relays Moscow, I P.M. to 6 P.M. London, Canada. Wednesday 8:30-9:30 P.M. Friday 7:00-7:55 A.M. and Saturdays 8-11 P.M. Boundbrook, N. J. No regular schedule. Schedule, Cali, Colombia. Irregular, near 10 P.M. Quito, Ecuador. 8 P.M. till 10 P.M. P.M. San Jose, Costa Rica. 10 to 12 A.M., 4 to 9:30 P.M. Barranquilla, Col. 8 P.M. to 10 P.M. Daily. Winnipeg, Canada. Daily ex-cept Sun., 6 P.M. till 8:30 P.M.

Wave Length Call 48.86-W8XK 48.95-YV11BMO 49.18-W9XF 49.18-W3XAL 49.20—**JB** 49.22—VE9GW 49.29—VE9BJ 49.34-W9XAA 49.42-VE9CS 49.50-W8XAL 49.50-VQ7LO 49.50-CMCI 49.51-ZL2ZX 49.59-VE9HX 49.96-VE9DR 50.00-RW59 50.00-HKD 50.26-HVJ 50.60--HKO 51.00-HKB 51.72-VK3LR 52.70-FIUI 58.00-PMY 62.50-W2XV 62.56-VE9BY 70.1-RV15 109.60-VE9CT

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Location Pittsburgh, Pa. 4 P.M. to 11 P.M., daily. Late Saturdays. Maracaibo, Venezuela. Broad-casts, 8 to 11 P.M. Chicago, Ill. 3:30 P.M. to 1 A.M. daily. Boundbrook, N. J. Saturday 4 P.M. Jo midnight. Johannesburg, South Africa. Bownanville, Can. Week days, 3-9 P.M., Sun. 11 A.M.-7 P.M. St. John, N. B. Near 5 P.M. and 11 P.M. Chicago, Ill. Relays WCFL, Sun. 11 A.M.-9 P.M.; Wed., St. John, N. B. Near 5 P.M. and 11 P.M. Chicago, Ill. Relays WCFL, Sun. 11 A.M.-9 P.M.; Wed., St. John, N. B. C. Sun. 3:30 P.M. to 8 P.M. Vancouver, B.C. Sun. 3:30 P.M. to Midnight. Fri, at 0 to 1:30 A.M. Cincinnati, Ohio. 5 A.M.-9:30 A.M., 12:30-2:30 P.M. and 6 P.M. to 12:30 midnight. Nairobi, Kenya, Africa. Daily 11 A.M.-3:30 P.M. Tues. 3 A.M.-4 A.M. Thursday 8 A.M. to 9 A.M. Haifag, N.S. Mon, Tues., 6 10 P.M. Other days 6-7 P.M. Drummodville, Can. Relays. CFCF, 7 P.M. to 12 Midnight. March, 2.S.S.R. 9 A.M.-11 M. M. Staile, Col. Daily 8-10 M. M. Staile, S.S.R. 9 A.M.-11 M.M., Sun. 5-5:30 A.M. Medellin, Colombia. Mon., Wed, Fri. 8 to 10 P.M., Tues., Tunja, Colombia. Irregular near 10 P.M. Location Tunja, Colombia. Irregular near 10 P.M. 10 P.M. Victoria, Australia. Heard 2 A.M. to 6:30 A.M. Tananarive, Madagascar. Sat., Sun. 1-3 P.M. Other days 9:15-11:15 A.M. Bandoeng, Java. 12:40 to 2:40 A.M. and 6:40 to 9:40 A.M. Long Island City, N. Y. Wed. and Fri. 8 till 10 P.M. London, Canada. Saturday midnight on. Khabarovsk, U.S.S.R., 3 A.M.-9 A.M. London, Ontario. Daily 9 to 11 P.M. Sun. 11 A.M.-7 P.M.

Short-Wave Commercial Stations

(Note—These stations are used for relaying tele-phone messages between countries, ships at sea and shore stations, and aircraft and airport sta-tions. These stations oftimes may be on the air for hours without anything taking place on them, with the exception of the aircraft stations which come on the air and back off again in an instant, or as soon as a message is delivered. They are also sometimes rented to relay radio programs. Wavelength only is given.

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1.01W	KK	Lawrenceville, N. J. Phones 8 A.M. till 4 P.M. LSN.
4.19—LS	SM	Buenos Aires, Arg. Phones Europe, mornings.
4.24W	KA	Lawrenceville, N. J. Phones England 8 A.M. till 4 P.M.
4.27—LS	SN	WLO, 8 A.M4 P.M.
4.47—LS	SY	A.M. to 2 P.M., irregular.
4.55—PI	MB	Bandoeng, Java. 3:10 A.M. 4:40 A.M. and 8-9:20 A.M., PCK.
4.70—GI	BA	ships and LSN, irregular.
4.97—D	HO	LSG., 7 A.M11 A.M., Irreg.
4.97— O	PL	Phones ORG mornings.
5.07—L	SG	FTM 10:30 A.M3:30 P.M.
5.13—W	KN	England 8 A.M. till 4 P.M.
5.23—E	AQ	7-11 A.M., Irreg.
5.24—C	EC	Santiago, Chile. Phones LSR HJY near 11 A.M. and 4 P.M.
5.50-F	TM	St. Assise, France, 10 A.M2 P.M. LSG.
<mark>.5.5</mark> 7—P	PU	Rio de Janeiro, Brazil. Phone to FTM, 10:30 A.M3 P.M.
5.58—D	FA	Nauen, Germany. Phone to XDA, Irreg., 10 A.M. 2 P.M.
5.61—W	KF	Lawrenceville, N. J. Phones England 8 A.M. till 4 P.M.
5.62-0	RG	Brussels, Belgium. Testing phone, 11 A.M11:30 A.M.

Wave Length Call 15.77-WKW W2XBJ 15.82-LSR 15.90-ZSB 15.93-PLE 16.06-OCI 16.11-GBU 16.25-HJY 16.35-WLA 16.35-ZLW 16.38-GBS 16.39-YVO 16.44-FTE 16.50-PMC 16.54-GBW 16.57—GBK 16.67—KOJ 16.82—PCV 17.05-Ships 17.52-WOO 18.06-DAN 18.44-WLK 18.56-GBX

Location Rocky Point, N. Y. Testing, mornings. Buenos Aires, Arg. Phones HJY, CEC, 11 A.M. and 4 Buenos Aires, Arg. Phones HJY, CEC, 11 A.M. and 4 P.M. Cape Town, South Africa, 3 A.M. to 8 A.M. GAA. Bandoeng, Java. Tues., Fri., 5:40-10:40 A.M. PCK. Lima, Peru. Testing with HJY near 2 P.M. Rugby, England. 6 A.M.-2 P.M. WMI. Bogota, Col. Phones CEC, LSR, 11 A.M. and 4 P.M. Lawrenceville, N. J. Phones England 8 A.M. till 4 P.M. Wellington, New Zealand. Phones VK2ME irregularly. Rugby, England, 6 A.M.-2 P.M. WND. Maracay, Venezuela. Testing, near 10 A.M., irregular. St. Assise, France. Phones to FZR, 5 to 9 A.M. Bandoeng, Java. Phones PCV, 3:10-9:20 A.M. Rugby, England, 6 A.M.-2 P.M. WNC. Rugby, England, 6 A.M.-2 P.M. WNC. Bodmin, England, 6 A.M.-2 P.M. CGA. Bolinas, California. Testing. Kootwijk, Holland, 6 A.M.-9 A.M. Java. Majestic (GFWV), Olympic (GLSQ), Belgenland (GMJQ). Homeric (GDLJ), Leviathan (WSBN), Monarch of Bermuda (GTSD), Minnetonka (GKFY), Empress of Britain (GMBJ). Ocean Gate, N. J. Phones ships, irregularly. Norden, Germany. Testing with ships, 9 A.M.-12 noon. Lawrenceville, N. J. Phones England. Rugby, England, 4 P.M.-11 P.M. VK2ME.

Wave Length Call	Location
	Vaurulu Hanaii Phones
18.71—KKP	KWO, 2 P.M7 P.M.
18.90—FTK	St. Assise, France. Phones to FZS. 9 to 10 A M.
19.03—J1AA	Kemikawa-Cho, Japan. Experi-
19.46-KWO	Dixon, California, Phones Ha-
	waii 2:00 till 7:00 P.M.
19.54—KWU	Dixon, California. Phones Ha-
20.27-WKU	Rocky Point, N. Y. Testing in
W2XBJ	daytime.
20.42—PSS	Rio de Janeiro, Brazil. Testing
20.56 WMN	Lawrenceville N I Phones
20.30	England, davlight.
20.70-LSN	Buenos Aires, Argentina.
	Phone WLO, afternoons.
20.73—WMF	Lawrenceville, N. J. Phones
an ar ann	England, daylight.
20.75—GBW	6 A M 6 P M
20.07-21.26	Amateur phones heard in day.
20.97-21.20	light.
21.63-WIY	Rocky Point, N. Y. Testing ir-
W2XBJ	regular.
21.70—SUZ	Cairo, Egypt, Phones GAA 7
21 77_KKW	Bolinas, Calif Used for ex-
21,77- 1818 17	perimenting.
21.90—KKZ	Bolinas, Cal., testing irregular-
	ly.
22.06-GBB-GBC	Rugby, England. Phones CGA
	and ships, afternoons.
22.26-WAJ	Rocky Point, N. Y. R. C. A.
	test station.
	Lawrenceville, N. J. Phones
22.40 XXXX	England, daylight, Drummondville Canada Phones
22.40-W MIA	CDC a A M A: 2 D M
22.55-CGA	Majestic (GFWV), Olympic
22.68-Ships	(GLSO), Belgenland (GMIO)
anoo ompa	Homeric (GDLJ), Leviathan
	(WSBN), Monarch of Bermuda
	(GTSD), Minnetonka (GKFY),
	Empress of Britain (GMBI).

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Length Call	Location	31.74-WES
22.93-JIAA	Kemikawa-Cho, Japan, Experi-	W2XBJ
	mental tests, irregularly.	AL OF DELL
23.00-German	11:15 A.M. and 1:30 P.M.	31.86—PLV
ships	Oran Cata N I Bharra	
23.30-1100	shing irregularly	32.1-CGA
23.38-CNR	Rabat, Morocco. Phones St.	
	Assise, 5 A.M., 8 A.M.	32.21-GBC
23.45—IAC	Coltana, Italy. Tests irregu-	32.4-6BA
24.00-DAN	Norden Germany Phones	32.72-WNA
Dillo Dilli	ships, noon to 3 P.M.	
24.40-PLM	Bandoeng, Java. Phones	33.25-GBS
24 40 71 11	VK2ME near 6:30 A.M.	33 27-KEI
24.40-2LVV	Phone VK2ME 3 to 8 A M	00.27 - KLJ
24.41-GBU	Rugby, England, 2 P.M7	33.52-WEL
There are a second and a second a	P.M. WMI.	W2XBJ
24.46—FTN	St. Assise, France. Testing	33./0-2.61
	larly	33.95-Ships
24.60-GBX	Rugby, England, 4 A.M9	
	A.M. VK2ME-VLK.	
24.6—GBS	Rugby, England, 2 P.M7	
25'05-KKO	Bolinas California Testing it.	
	regularly.	3502-WOO
25.50—XDA	Mexico City. Testing with	76.00 DAN
ALCE VIO	XAM near 1 and 6 P.M.	30.00-DAN
25.05-KIU	KES. 2 to 8 P M Irregular	36.00-German
25.67-YVQ	Maracay, Venezuela. Testing	ships
AL #4 DDO	with Germany, 5-7 P.M.	36.65—PSK
25.75-PPQ	Rio de Janeiro, Brazil. Testing	37.76-VK2ME
26.80-XAM	Merida, Yucatan, test with	
	XDA, near noon and 6 P.M.	38.07—J1AA
27.35—OCI	Lima, Peru. Phone HJY eve-	38.86 KEE
27.68-KWV	Dixon, California, Phones Ha-	00.00 - KISE
	waii, irregularly	39.42—KWX
27.80—GBP	Rugby, England. Phones VLK	20 65 KINV
28.09-WNB	and JIAA, 9 P.M. and o A.M.	35105-K W 1
10.02 · · · · · D	Bermuda, daytime.	39.89—KDK
28.09—GBP	Rugby, England. Testing with	KKH
28 12 CEC	JIAA and others.	W2XBI
20.12020	HIY, evenings, irreg.	42.9-GBS
28.44-WOK	Lawrenceville, N. J. Phones	
OF VERME	LSN, evenings.	43.54—KEQ
20.3-V K21VIE	A.M. GBX.	44.41—WOA
28.80-KEZ	Bolinas, California, Testing.	
28.80-PKP	Medan, Sumatra. Phones Java	44.41—WOB
20 04OPK	and VLA, 3 A.M. to 8 A.M. Brussels Belgium Phones	44.54-WEI
	OPM 2-4, 9-11 A.M. and 3-6	W2XBJ
an ar DOTT	P.M.	44.91—DGK
29.35—PSH	Rio de Janeiro, Brazil. Testing	45 10-TAC
29.58-OPM	Leopoldville, Belgian Congo.	10.10 - 1110
	Phones ORK 9-11 A.M., 3-6	51.00—XDA
20.80-VRT	P.M. Hamilton Bermuda Phones	
ZFB	WNB in daytime.	51.09-WNB
29.83—SUV	Cairo, Egypt. Phones GAA	TO OD WAR
10 10_T ST	aiter 3:30 P.M. Buence Aires Arr Works in	52.00-XAM
30.10-L3L	reguarly.	58.30-PMY
30.15—GBU	Rugby, England, 5 P.M 11	
20.20 HIV	P.M. WMI.	59.42-VRT
30.20	irreguarly evenings	60.26-GBC
30.3-LSN	Buenos Aires. Argentina, 6	
	P.M6 A.M. WLO.	62.70—CGA
30.40 - W UIN	England evenings.	63.13-WOO
30.60—GCW	Rugby, England. Phones	
20 TE MUNEE	America, evenings.	/1.82-Ships
VIK	Java 4 A M .8 A M	
30.77-WOF	Lawrenceville, N. J. Phones	
	England, evenings.	
JI.00-WEF W2RT	ROCKY Point, N. Y. Testing ir-	
31.63-PLW	Bandoeng, Java. Phones Aus-	75-75.8-Amateurs
	tralia, 3 A.M8 A.M., irregu-	118.06-WOX
	lar.	

Location Rocky Point, N. Y. Testing ir-regularly, evenings. Bandoeng, Java. Phones Aus-tralia and Sumatra, 4 A.M.-8

tralia and Sumatte, T.A.A.-O.A.M.
Drummondville, Can., 6 P.M.-6
A.M. GBK.
Rugby, England. Phones to ships, irregularly.
Bodmin, England, 6 P.M.-6
A.M. CGA.
Lawrenceville, N. J. Phones
England, evenings.
Rugby, England, 6 P.M.-6
A.M. WND.
Bolinas, California. Testing irregularly.
Rocky Point, N. Y. Testing irregularly.
Rocky Point, N. W. Zealand.
Phones VLK 1 A.M.-9 A.M.
Majestic (GFWV). Olympic
(GLSQ), Belgenland (GMJQ),
Homeric (GDLJ). Leviathan
(WSBN), Monarch of Bermuda
(GTSD), Minnetonka (GKFV),
Empress of Britain (GMBJ).
Occan Gate, N. J. Phones ships 2-4 A.M. and 3-9 A.M.
2:30 A.M., 4:45 P.M. and 9:30 P.M.
Rio de Janeiro, Brazil Heard phoning WOK.
Sydney, Australia, tests, 3:00.
7:00 A.M. GBX.
Kemikawa-Cho, Japan testing with KEL irregularly.
Bolinas, California. Phones Hawaii, nights.
Dixon, California. Phones Hawaii inghts.
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Lawrenceville, N. J. Phones
KWO 9 P.M.-2 A.M.
Rocky Point, N. Y. Testing irregularly, evenings.
Rugby. England, 6 P.M.-6
A.M. WND.
Kauhuku, Hawaii, Phones California. Phones California.
Kocky Point, N. Y. Testing irregularly, evenings.
Rugby, England, 6 P.M.-6
A.M. WND.
Kauhuku, Hawaii, Phones California, Germany, Heard testing with WEJ near 9 P.M.
Coltano, Italy. Testing irregularly, evenings.

Mexico City, Mexico. Testing with XAM, 10 A.M.-8 P.M.,

with XAM, 10 A.M. o Law, irr. Lawrenceville, N. J. Phones Bermuda nights. Merida, Yucatan. Testing with XDA, 10 A.M. 8 P.M., irreg. Bandoeng, Java. Phones Aus-tralia, near 11 A.M. Hamilton, Bermuda. Phones WNB and GMBJ, nights. Rugby, England. Phones to ships, irregularly. Drummondville, Canada. Phones

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Bell Telephone test station. Ir-regularly.

March 18, 1933

Aircraft Stations

(Note-This group of stations is used to relay messages to and from airplanes, such as location of a plane, storms coming and other things. They come on the air suddenly, deliver a message and go right off again. Airplanes in flight may be found on the same wavelength. They will be found between \$3.00 and \$4.00).

Police Stations

(Note—These stations are used by police depart-ments to relay messages to police cars that patrol the cities. They come on the air, deliver their message and go right off again. When one is tuned in, just keep the dials at the same place and ofttimes many others may be heard. They will be found between 119.71 and 124.27 also be-tween 175.23 and 192.55.)

Identifying Stations

Here are a few tips on identifying stations that may be heard on a short wave receiver. The call letters of each station are given and then the identification signal. PLE-Announces in English, Dutch, and French as "Bandoeng Radio." Pontoise-Plays "Marseillaise" at start and close of program. DJA and DJB-Announces all stations in chain broadcast like "Berlin, Dresden, Hamburg, Stutt-gart."

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gart." HVJ-Announces "Hillo, Hillo, Radio Vaticano. RABAT-Announces "Radio Rabat." Uses bea

RABAT—Announces "Radio Rabat." Uses beat of Mentronome.
2RO—Lady announces "Radio Roma" or "Radio Roma Napoli." GSSW—Announces "London Calling" or GSSW, Chelmsford."
EAQ—Announces "Hillo, Ay ah, coo., Transradio, Madrid."
Ti4-NRH—Bugle Call or Tic-Tac between selections.

VK2ME-Laughing notes of Kookaburra Bird open

VK2ME-Laughing notes of Kookaburra Bird open and close programs.
CTIAA-Six Cuckoo calls between selections.
VK3ME-Broadcasts 9:00 o'clock chimes at 6 A.M., E. S. T.
OXY-Broadcasts midnight chimes at 6 P.M., E. S. T.
TGX-Announces "Tay, hay, aykis, Guatemala." HKF-Announces "Achay, kah, effay, Bogota." HKF-Announces "Estacion El Prado, Rio Bamba, Ecuador."
HSP2-Strikes six notes on piano between selec-tions.

tions. HKM—Announces "Achay, kah, emmie, Bogota,

Colombia." HKA—Announces "Achay, kah, ah, Barranquilla."

HKT-Announces in Spanish and English.
 HCB-Announces in Spanish and English.
 HCB-Announces in Spanish and English.
 HKD-Announces "Achay, kah, day, Barranquilla, Colombia."

HKD—Announces "Achay, kah, day, Barranquilla, Colombia."
HKO—Announces "Achay, kah, oh, Medellin, Colombia."
LSG—Calls "Allo, Allo, Paree, ici Burnos Aires." FTM—Calls "Allo, Allo, Buenos Aires, ici Paree."
IAC—Calls "Pronto, Pronto, heir is Roma."
LSX—Announces "Ellie, essie aykiss, Transradio Buenos Aires."
YVI1BMO—Announces "La Vox de Lago."
GENEVA—Announces "Radio Club de Brazil."
American Stations—Identified by the stations they relay.

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Most telephone stations can be identified by the station or city they are heard calling and judging the wavelength it is heard on. For example, if you hear a station near 17 meters calling "Hillo Bandoeng" you are almost certain it is PCV, Kootwijk, Holland, who works with the Bandoeng telephone stations on 16.82 meters.

Precautions Against Hum in Heavy-Duty Receivers

When building a circuit that is a-c operated and has three stages of audio, special precautions must be taken for prevention of hum. As likely there will be numerous tubes, it is necessary to have a power transformer that can handle the power adequately, for if that transformer is overloaded it sets up a terrific field, which carries the hum frequency. Thus there could be easy but undesirable coupling to an audio transformer, and besides static coupling may result in other directions.

Also, the filtration should be better than is often provided. Since the effectiveness of a choke is approximately inversely proportional to the current, the induc-tance should be high enough for the pur-pose, since large current is passing through the choke. An expedient is to use two chokes, wherein the power tubes'

current passes through one, and the cur-rent for the other tubes through the other.

In a multi-stage set of this type no doubt a push-pull output stage would be used, and the input transformer should be accurately center-tapped at its secondary. The output transformer is no doubt built into the speaker, and the accuracy has to be as good here as in the input.

Then, the filter capacities should be adequate, although it will be found that after a certain value has been attained, higher values may increase the hum, in-stead of decreasing it. Usually 8 mfd. at any filter capacity position is sufficient, although if more capacity is available it may be used to the following effect: If added next to the rectifier (filament of rectifier to B minus or ground), the d-c

voltage will increase somewhat, and the hum will go down, but there is an enlarged starting drain on the rectifier tube; if added at the B plus feed to the power tubes, it increases the low-note power-handling capacity, or rather, builds up a greater reservoir of power, so that sudden drains will be taken care of, but these usually have to do with powerful passages with large low-note accentuation in orchestral renditions.

Besides, hum filters of the resistorcapacity type may be tried. They are not always effective. They shift phases, and if the shift is right, the result is good. In the power tube grid circuit the resis-tance should be small, due to grid current tance should be small, due to grid current possibilities, the capacity large, e.g., 25,000 ohms and 0.5 mfd. may be used. In earlier audio grid circuits or in plate circuits the resistors may be larger, for resistance-coupled audio, and the capacities smaller, except that in triode or guardrode detecexcept that in triode or quardrode detec-tor circuits the capacity may be 1 mfd. The connection is to interrupt the lead to B plus or grid return with the extra resistor and put the condenser from juncture of the two impedances to ground. Try different condenser values.

STATIONS BY FREQUENCIES United States, Canadian, Newfoundland, Cuban and Mexican Transmitters Listed

Corrected to March 8th, 1933

The stations listed herewith are in the order of frequencies, with equivalent wavelengths given. The call, location, owner, and power are stated. The location is that of the main studio, for United States stations. If the transmitter is located elsewhere it is indicated additionally, preceded by T. The power given is

540 KILOCYCLES-555.6 METERS

CKWO-Windsor, Ont., Can.; Essex Bdcsters Lmt. 5 KW.

558 KILOCYCLES-545.1 METERS

558 KILOCYCLES-545.1 METERS WGR-Buffalo, N. Y.; T--Amherst, N. Y.; Buffalo Broadcasting Corporation; 1 KW. WKRC-Cincinnati, Ohio; WKRC (Inc.); 1 KW. KFUO-St. Louis, Mo.; Concordia Theo. Sem.; 1 KW.* KSD-St. Louis, Mo.; Pulitzer Publishing Co.; 500 W. KFDY, Broakings, S. Dak.; South Dakota State College, 1 KW.* KFYR-Bismarck, N. Dak.; Meyer Broadcasting Co., 2/4 KW.* KOAC--Corvallis, Oreg.; Oregon State Agricultural College, 1 KW. 560 KILOCYCLES-535.4 METERS WI IT Bhildelakie, Bet Lie Dave Budge Suster Fact 500 W

560 KILOCYCLES-535.4 METERS WLIT-Philadelphia, Pa.; Lit Bros. Bdcg. System, Inc.; 500 W. WFI-Philadelphia, Pa.; WFI Bdcg. Co.; 500 W. WQAM-Miami, Fla.; Miami Broadcasting Co.; 1 KW. KFDM-Beaumont, Tex.; Sabine Bdcg. Co., Inc.; 1 KW.* WNOX-Knoxville, Tenn.; WNOX, Inc.; 2 KW.* WHO-Chicago, Ill.; T-Des Plaines, Ill.; Nelson Bros. Bond & Mortgage Co.; 1 / KW.* WPCC-Chicago, Ill.; North Shore Church; 500 W. KLZ-Denver, Colo.; Reynolds Radio Co. (Inc.), 1 KW. KTAB-San Francisco, Calif.; T-Oakland, Calif.; The Associated Broad-casters (Inc.), 1 KW. 578 KILOCYCLES-526. METERS

578 KILOCYCLES-526.8 METERS

570 KILOCYCLES-526.0 METERS WNYC-New York N. Y.; City o. N. Y.; 500 W. WMCA-New York, N. Y.; T-Hoboken, N. J.; Knickerbocker Broadcasting Ca. (Inc.); 500 W. WSPR-WAAC-Syracuse N. Y.; Clive B. Meredith; 250 W. WKBN-Youngstown, Ohio; WKBN Broadcasting Corp.; 500 W. WEAO-Columbus, Ohio; Ohio State University; 750 W. WWAC-Asheville, N. C.; Citizen Broadcasting Co.; 1 KW. KGKO-Wichita Falls. Tex.; Wichita Falls Broadcasting Co., Inc.; 500 W.* WNAX-Yankton, S. Dak.; The House of Gurney (Inc.); 2.5 KW (CP). KMTR-Los Angeles, Calif.; KMTR Radio Corporation; 500 W. S80 KILOCYCLES-516.9 METERS WDBO-Orlando Bla; Orlando Blag, Co. 250 W.

530 KILOCYCLES-516.9 METERS WDBO-Orlando, Fla.; Orlando Bldg. Co., 250 W. WTAG-Worcester, Mass.; Worcester Telegram Publishing Co. (Inc.), 250 W. WOBU-Charleston, W. Va.; WOBU (Inc.), 250 W. WSAZ-Huntington, W. Va.; WSAZ (Inc.); 250 W. WIBW-Topeka, Kans.; Topeka Broadcasting Association (Inc.), 1 KW. KSAC-Manhattan, Kans.; Kansas State Agricultural College; 1 KW.* KMJ-Fresno, Calif.; Jas. McClatchy Co.; 500 W. CFCY-Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island, Canada; Island Broadcasting Co., Ltd.; 500 W. CHMA-Edmonton, Alberta, Can.; Christian & Missionary Alliance, 250 W. CKCL-Toronto, Ontario, Can.; Dominion Battery Co., Ltd.; 500 W. (Uses call CFCL on Sundays), 500 W.

598 KILOCYCLES-508.2 METERS

WGCM-Gulfport, Miss.; T-Mississippi City, Miss.; Great Southern Land WGCM-Gulfoort, Miss.; T-Mississippi City, Miss.; Great Southern Land Co.; 1 KW. WEEL-Boston, Mass.; T-Weymouth, Mass.; Edison Electric Illuminating Co. of Boston; 1 KW. WKZO-Berrien Springs, Mich.; WKZO (Inc.); 1 KW. WCAJ-Lincoln, Nebr.; Nebraska Wesleyan University; 500 W. WOW-Omaha, Nebr.; Woodmen of the World Life Insurance Association; 1 KW. KHQ-Spokane, Wash.; Louis Wasmer (Inc.), 2 KW.^o CMW-Havana Cuba; Columbus Commercial & Radio Co.; 1400 W.

595 KILOCYCLES-503.9 METERS

CJGC-London, Ontario, Can.; T-Strathburn, Ontario, Can.; London Free Press & Ptg. Co., Ltd.; 5 KW. CNRL-London. Ontario, Can.; T-Strathburn, Ontario. Can. (Uses Trans-mitter of CJGC); Canadian National Railways; 5 KW.

600 KILOCYCLES-499.7 METERS

mitter of CJGC); Canadian National Railways; 5 KW. 600 KILOCYCLES-499.7 METERS WICC-Bridgeport, Conn.; T-Easton, Conn.; Bridgeport Broadcasting Sta-tion (Inc.); 250 W. WCAC-Baltimore, Md.; Monumental Radio (Inc.), 250 W. WREC-Memphis, Tenn.; T-Whitehaven, Tenn.; WREC (Inc.), 1 KW.* WMT-Waterloo, Iowa; Waterloo Broadcasting Co.; 500 W. KFSD-San Diego, Calif.; Airfan Radio Corporation (Ltd.); 1 KW.* CNRO-Ottawa, Ontario, Can.; Canadian National Railways; 500 W. **16** KILOCYCLES-491.5 METERS WJAY-Cleveland, Omo: Cleveland Radio Broadcasting Corporation; 500 W. WTD-Philadelphia, Pa.; Penna. Bdeg. Co., Inc.; 500 W. WTD-Philadelphia, Pa.; Con Lee (Inc.); 1 KW. KFRC-San Francisco, Calif.; Don Lee (Inc.); 1 KW. WFAN-Philadelphia, Pa.; Keystone Broadcasting Co.; 500 W. XETR-Mexico, D. F.; Cia Difusora Mexicana, S. A.; 2½ KW. **60** KILOCYCLES-483.6 METERS WLBZ-Bangor, Me.; Maine Broadcasting Co. (Inc.); 500 W. WFLA-WSUN-Clearwater, Fla.; Clearwater Chamber of Commerce and St. Petersburg Chamber of Commerce; 2% KW.* WTMJ-Milwaukee. Wis.; T-Brookfield, Wis.; The Journal Co. (Milwaukee Journal), 2½ KW.* **60** KILOCYCLES-475.9 METERS KGFX-Pierre, S. D.; Dana McNeil; 200 W. WMAL-Washington, D. C.; M. A. Leese Radio Corp.; 500 W.* WMAL-Washington, D. C.; M. A. Leese Radio Corp.; 500 W.* WMAL-Washington, D. C.; M. A. Leese Radio Corp.; 500 W.* WMAL-Washington, D. C.; M. A. Leese Radio Corp.; 500 W.* WGS-Jefferson City, Mo.; Missouri State Marketing Bureau, 500 W.* WGBF-Evansville, Ind.; Evansville on the Air (Inc.); 500 W.*

the licensed maximum. Some stations use maximum power in day-time only. These are identified by an asterisk after the power figure (*). Usually in such cases the night power is half the day power. CP means construction permit, license awaited.

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630 KILOCYCLES-475.9 METERS (Continued)

630 KILOCYCLES-475.9 METERS (Continued) CFCT--Victoria, British Columbia: Victoria Broadcasting Asso..; 50 W. CJGX--Winnipeg, Manitoba; T--Yorkton, Saskatchewan; Winnipeg Grain Exchange; 500 W. CHCS--Hamilton, Ont., Can.; T--Fruitland; Spectator; 1 KW.* CKOC--Hamilton, Ont., Can.; T--Fruitland; Wentworth Bdcg Co.; 1 KW.* CKTB-St. Catherine's, Ont.. Can.; T--Fruitland; Taylor & Bate, St.; 1 KW.* CNRA--Moneton, New Brunswick; Canadian National Railways; 500 W. CMCJ--Hawana, Cuba; Rafael Rodriquez; 250 W. XETA--Veracruz, Ver., Mex.; Manuel Angel Fernandez; 500 W. CMQ--Havana, Cuba; Iose Fernandez; 250 W. CMQ--Havana, Cuba; Iose Fernandez; 250 W.

640 KILOCYCLES-468.5 METERS

WAIU-Columbus, Ohio; Associated Radiocasting Corp.; 500 W. WOI-Ames, Iowa; Iowa State College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts; 5 KW.

KFI-Los Angeles, Calif.; Earle C. Anthony (Inc.), 50 KW.

645 KILOCYCLES-464.8 METERS

CHRC-Quebec, Quebec, Can.; CHRC, Ltd.; 100 W. CKCI-Quebec, Quebec, Can. (Uses transmitter of CHRC); Le Soleil, Inc.; 100 W. 100 W. CKCR-Waterloo, Ontario, Can.; Wm. C. Mitchel & Gilbert Liddle, 100 W.

658 KILOCYCLES-461.3 METERS

WSM-Nashville, Tenn.; National Life & Accident Insurance Co.; 50 KW. KPCB-Seattle, Wash.; Queen City Broadcasting Co.; 100 W.

660 KILOCYCLES-454.3 METERS WEAF-New York, N. Y.; T-Belmore, N. Y.; National Broadcasting Co. (Inc.); 50 KW. WAAW-Omaha, Nebr.; Omaha Grain Exchange; 500 W. CMCO-Havana, Cuba; J. L. Stowers; 250 W. CMDC-Havana, Cuba; Juan Fernandex de Castro; 500 W.

665 KILOCYCLES-450.9 METERS

665 KILOCYCLES-450.9 METERS CHWK-Chilliwack, British Columbia, Can.; Chilliwack Broadcasting Co., Ltd.; 100 W. CJRM-Moose Jaw, Saskatchewan; T-old city Moose Jaw, Can.; James Richardson & Sons, Ltd.; 500 W. CIRW-Winnipeg, Manitoba; T-Fleming, Saskatchewan, Can.; James Ricbardson & Sons, Ltd.; 500 W. 676 KILOCYCLES-447.5 METERS

WMAQ-Chicago, Ill.; T-Addison, Ill.; WMAQ (Inc.); 5 KW. 675 KILOCYCLES-444.2 METERS VOWR-St. John's, N. F.; Wesley United Church; 500 W. 638 KILOCYCLES-440.9 METERS

WPTF-Raleigh, N. C.; Durham Life Insurance Co.; 1 KW. KFEQ-St. Joseph, Mo.; Scroggin & Co. Bank; 2½ KW. KPO-San Francisco, Calif.; Natoinal Bdcg. Co.; 5 KW. XFG-Mexico City, Mex.; Sria de Guerra y Marina; 2 KW. 685 KILOCYCLES-437.7 METERS

VAS-Glace Bay, Nova Scotia. Can.; Canadian Marconi Co.; 2 KW. 690 KILOCYCLES-434.5 METERS

CFAC--Calgary, Alberta, Can.; The Calgary Herald; 500 W. CFRB-Toronto, Ontario, Can.; T-King, Ontario, Can.; Rogers Majestic Corp., Ltd.; 10 KW. CJCJ--Calgary, Alberta, Can.; Albertan Pub. Co., Ltd.; 500 W. CNRX-Toronto, Ontario, Can.; T-King, Ontario, Can. (Uses transmitter of CFRB); Canadian National Railways; 4 KW. XET-Monterrey, N. L., Mex.; Mexico Music Co., S. A.; 500 W.

700 KILOCYCLES-428.3 METERS WLW-Cincinnati, O.; T-Mason, Ohio; Crosley Radio Corporations; 50 KW. 710 KILOCYCLES-422.3 METERS

WOR-Newark, N. J.; T-Kearny, N. J.; Bamberger Broadcasting Service (Inc.); 5 KW. (50 KW. C. P.) KMPC-Los Angeles, Calif.; R. S. MacMillan; 500 W. XEN-Mexico City, Mex. (Actual frequency 711 KC., 421.9 Meters); Cer-veceria Modelo, S. A.; 1 KW.

720 KILOCYCLES-416.4 METERS

730 KILOCYCLES-410.7 METERS

T30 KILOCYCLES-410.7 METERS
 CHLS--Vancouver, British Columbia (Uses transmitter of CKCD); W. G. Hassell; 50 W.
 CHYC--Montreal, Quebec, Can.; T-St. Hyacinthe, Quebec, Can. (Uses transmitter of CKAC); Northern Elec. Co., Ltd.; & KW.
 CKAC--Montreal, Quebec, Can.; T-St. Hyacinthe, Quebec, Can.; LaPresse Pub. Co.; 5 KW.
 CKCD--Vancouver, British Columbia, Can.; Vancouver Daily Province; 100 W.
 CKFC--Vancouver, British Columbia, Can.; United Church of Canada; 50 W.
 CKCD-Vancouver, British Columbia, Can.; Western Broadcasting Co., Ltd.; 100 W.
 CKWX-Vancouver, British Columbia, Can.; Western Broadcasting Co., Ltd.; 100 W.
 CNRM-Montreal, Quebec, Can.; T-St. Hyacinthe, Quebec, Can. (Uses transmitter of CKAC); Canadian National Railway; 5 KW.
 XER-Villa Acuna, Cosh., Mex. (Actual frequency 735 KC., 408.1 Meters); Compania Radioditusora de Acuna, S. A.; 75 KW.
 CMK-Havana, Cuba; Cuban Bdcg. Co.; 3150 W.
 T40 KILOCYCLES-485.2 METERS
 WSB-Atlanta, Ga. Atlanta Journal Co.; 5 KW. (50 KW.-C. P.).
 KMMI-Clay Center, Nebr.; The M. M. Johnson Co.; 1 KW.
 WHEB-Portsmouth, N. H.; Granite State Bldg. Corp.; 250 W. C. P. (Continued on next page)

WGN-WLIB-Chicago, Ill.; T-Elgin, Ill.; WGN, Inc.; 25 KW.

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CJCA-Edmonton, Alta., Can.; Edmonton Journal; 500 W. 750 KILOCYCLES-399.8 METERS

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WJR-Detroit, Mich.; T-Sylvan Lake Village, Mich.; WJR, The Goodwill Station (Inc.), 10 KW. KGU-Honolulu, Hawaii; M. A. Mulroney and Advertiser Pub. Co., Ltd. XEQ-C. Jaurez, Coah., Mex.; Feliciano Lopez Islas; 5 KW. 760 KILOCYCLES-394.5 METERS

WJZ-New York, N. Y.; T-Boundbrook, N. J.; National Broadcasting Co.; Inc.); 30 KW. WEW-St. Louis, Mo.; St. Louis University; 1 KW.

770 KILOCYCLES-389.4 METERS

KFAB—Lincoln, Neb.; KFAB Broadcasting Co.; 5 KW. (25 KW. C. P.). WBBM-WJBT—Chicago, Ill.; T—Glenview, Ill.; WBBM Broadcasting Corp. (Inc.); 25 KW.

780 KILOCYCLES-384.4 METERS

WEAN--Providence, R. I.; Shepard Broadcasting Service (Inc.); 500 W.
WTAR-WPOR--Norfolk, Va.; WTAR Radio Corporation; 500 W.
WMC--Memphis, Tenn.; T-Bartlett, Tenn.; Memphis Commercial Appeal, Inc.; 1 KW.*
KELW--Burbank, Calif.; Magnolia Park, Ltd.; 500 W.
KTM--Los Angeles, Calif.; T-Santa Monica, Calif.; Pickwick Broadcasting Corporation; 1 KW.*
CKY-Winnipeg, Manitoba, Can.; Manitoba Telephone System; 5 KW.
CNRW--Winnipeg, Manitoba, Can. (Uses Transmitter of CKY); Canadian National Railways; 5 KW.
XEZ-Mexico, D. F., Joaquin Capilla; 500 W.

790 KILOCYCLES-379.5 METERS

KILUCYCLES-3755 METERS
WGY-Schenectady, N. Y.; T-South Schenectady, N. Y.; General Electric Co.; 50 KW.
KGO-San Francisco, Calif.; T-Oakland, Calif.; National Broadcasting Co. (Inc.); 7% KW.
CMBT-Havana, Cuba; E. Perera; 500 W.
CMBS-Havana, Cuba; Enrique Artalejo; 150 W.
CMHC-Tuinucu, Cuba; Frank H. Jones; 250 W.

800 KILOCYCLES-374.8 METERS

WBAP-Fort Worth, Tex.; Carter Publications (Inc.); 10 KW. WFAA-Dallas, Tex.; T-Grapevine, Texas; Dallas News and Dallas Journal A. H. Belo Corporation; 50 KW.

810 KILOCYCLES-370.2 METERS

WPCH-New York, N. Y.; T-Hoboken, N. J.; Eastern Broadcasters (Inc.); 500 W. WCCO-Minneapolis, Minn.; T-Anoka, Minn.; Northwestern Broadcasting (Inc.); 5 KW. (50 KW. C. P.) VOAS-St. John's, N. F.; Ayre & Sons, Ltd.; 75 W. XFC-Aguascalientes, Ags., Mex.; Gobierno Edo. Aguascalientes; 350 W.

815 KILOCYCLES-367.9 METERS

CHNS-Halifax, N. S., Can.; Maritime Bdcg Co., Ltd.; 500 W. CNRA-Halifax, N. S., Can.; Can. Natl Railways; 500 W.

820 KILOCYCLES-365.6 METERS

WHAS-Louisville, Ky.; T-Jeffersontown, Ky.; The Courier Journal Co. and The Louisville Times Co.; 25 KW. XFI-Mexico City, Mex.; Sria Ind. Com. y Trabajo (Actual frequency 818.1 KC-366.7 Meters); 1 KW.

830 KILOCYCLES-361.2 METERS

WHDH-Saugus, Mass.; T.-Gloucester, Mass.; Matheson Radio Co. (Inc.); 1 KW. WRUF-Gainesville, Fla.; University of Florida; 5 KW. KOA-Denver, Colo.; National Broadcasting Co. (Inc.), 12½ KW. WEEU-Reading, Pa.; Berks Broadcasting Co.; 1 KW.

840 KILOCYCLES-356.9 METERS

840 KILOCYCLES-356.9 METERS CJBC-Toronto, Ontario, Can.; T-Bowmanville, Ontario, Can. (Uses trans-mitter of CKGW); Jarvis St. Baptist Church; 5 KW. CKGW-Toronto, Ontario, Can.; T-Bowmanville, Ontario, Can.; Gooderham & Worts; 10 KW. CKLC-Calgary, Alberta, Can.; T-Red Deer, Alberta, Can.; Alberta Pacific Grain Company; 1 KW. CNRD-Red Deer, Alberta, Can. (Uses transmitter of CKLC); Canadian National Railways; 1 KW. CPRY-Toronto, Ontario, Can.; T-Bowmanville, Ontario, Can. (Uses trans-mitter of CKGW); Canadian Pacific Railway Co.; 5 KW.

842 KILOCYCLES-356.1 METERS CMC-Havana, Cuba; Cuban Telephone Co.; 500 W. XEFD-Tiajuana, Mex.; Carlo de la Sierra; 300 W.

850 KILOCYCLES-352.7 METERS

KWKH-Shreveport, La.; T-Kennonwood, La.; Hello World Broadcasting Corporation; 10 KW.
 WWL-New Orleans, La.; Loyola University; 10 KW.

560 KILOCYCLES-348.6 METERS

WABC-WBOQ-New York, N. Y.; T-West of Cross Bay Blvd., Queens Co., N. Y.; Atlantic Broadcasting Corporation; 5 KW. WHB-Kansas City, Mo.; T-North Kansas City, Mo.; WHB Broadcasting Co.; 500 W. XFX-Mexico City, Mex.; Sria de Educacion Publica; 500 W.

870 KILOCYCLES-344.6 METERS

WLS-Chicago, Ill.; T-Crete, Ill.; Agricultural Broadcasting Co.; 50 KW. WENR-Chicago, Ill.; T-Downers Grove, Ill.; National Broadcasting Co., 50 KW. XFF-Chihuahua, Mex.; Estado de Chihuahua; 500 W.

880 KILOCYCLES-340.7 METERS

880 KILOCYCLES-340.7 METERS WGBI--Scranton, Pa.; Scranton Broadcasters (Inc.); 250 W. WQAN-Scranton, Pa.; E. J. Lynett, prop., The Scranton Times, 250 W. WCOC--Meridian, Miss.; Mississippi Broadcasting Co. (Inc.); 1 KW.* WSUI-Iowa City, Iowa; State University of Iowa; 500 W. KLX-Oakland, Calif.; The Tribune Publishing Co.; 500 W. KFOR-Denver, Colo.; Pillar of Fire; 500 W. KFKA-Greeley, Colo.; The Mid-Western Radio Corporation; 1 KW.* CHML-Mount Hamilton, Ontario, Can.; Maple Leaf Radio Co., Ltd.; 50 W. CKCV-Ouebec, Ouebec, Can.; N. Nathanson; 50 W. CKCV-Ouebec, Quebec, Can.; Vandry, Inc.; 50 W. CKPC-Preston, Ontario, Can., Cyrus Dolph; 100 W. CNRQ-Quebec, Quebec, Can. (Uses transmitter of CKCV); Canadian Na-tional Railways; 50 W.

690 KILOCYCLES-336.9 METERS

CMX-Havana, Cuba; Francisco Lavin; 1 KW. WIAR-Providence, R. I.; the Outlet Co.; 500 W. WKAQ-San Juan, P. R.; Radio Corporation of Porto Rico; 500 W. WMMN-Fairmount, W. Va.; Holt-Rowe Novelty Co.; 500 W. WGST-Atlanta, Ga.; Georgia School of Technology; 200 W night, 500 W day. KGJF-Little Rock, Ark.; First Church of the Nazarene; 250 W.

890 KILOCYCLES-336.9 METERS (Cont.)

WILL-Urbana, III.; University of Illinois; 500 W.* KARK-Little Rock, Ark.; Ark. Radio & Equip. Co.; 250 W. KFNF-Shenandoah, Iowa; Henry Field Co.; 500 W. KUSD-Vermillion, S. Dak.; University of South Dakota; 750 W.* KFNF-Shenandoah, Iowa; Henry Field Co.; 1 KW.* CFBO-St. John, New Brunswick, Can.; C. A. Munro, Ltd.; 500 W. CKCO-Ottawa, Ontario, Can.; Dr. G. M. Geldert; 100 W. CKPR-Port Arthur, Ontario, Can.; Dougall Motor Car Co., Ltd.; 50 W. XES-Tampico, Tams., Mex.; Difusoral Portena; 500 W.

900 KILOCYCLES-333.1 METERS

WBEN-Buffalo, N. Y.; T-Martinsville, N. Y.; WBEN, Inc.; 1 KW.
WKY-Oklahoma City, Okla.; WKY Radiophone Co.; 1 KW.
WIAX-Jacksonville, Fla.; City of Jacksonville; 1 KW.
WLBL-Stevens Point, Wis.; State of Wisconsin, Department of Agriculture and Markets, 2 KW.
KHJ-Los Angeles, Calif.; Don Lee (Inc.); 1 KW.
KSEI-Pocatello, Idabo; Radio Service Corp.; 250 W. C. P. 500 W.
KGBU-Ketchikan, Alaska; Alaska Radio and Service Co. (Inc.) 500 W.

910 KILOCYCLES-329.5 METERS

CFQC-Saskatoon, Saskatchewan, Can.; The Electric Shop, Ltd.; 500 W. CNRS-Saskatoon, Saskatchewan, Can. (Uses transmitter of CFQC); Can-adian National Railways; 500 W. XEW-Mexico City, Mex.; Mexico Music Co.; S. A.; 5 KW.

915 KILOCYCLES-327.7 METERS

CFLC-Prescott, Ontario, Can.; Radio Association of Prescott; 100 W

920 KILOCYCLES-325.9 METERS

WBSO-Needham, Mass.; Babson's Statistical Organization (Inc.); 500 W. WWJ--Detroit, Mich.; The Evening News Association (Inc.); 1 KW. KPRC-Houston, Tex.; T-Sugarland, Texas; Houston Printing Co.; 2% KW. WAAF-Chicago, Ill.; Drovers Journal Publishing Co.; 500 W. KOMO-Seattle, Wash.; Fisher's Blend Station (Inc.); 1 KW. SFEL-Denver, Colo.; Eugene P. O'Fallon (Inc.); 500 W. KFXF-Denver, Colo.; Colorado Radio Corporation; 500 W.

925 KILOCYCLES-324.1 METERS

CMCD-Havana, Cuba; Angel Bertematy; 250 W. CMCN-Havara, Cuba; Antonio Ginard; 250 W.

930 KILOCYCLES-322.4 METERS

WIBG-Glenside, Pa.; St. Paul's P. E. Church; 25 W. WDBJ-Roanoke, Va.; Times-Royal Corp.; 500 W.* WBRC-Birmingham, Ala.; Birmingham Broadcasting Co. (Inc.); 1 KW.* KGBZ-York, Nebr.; Dr. George R. Miller; 1 KW.* KMA-Shenandoah, Jowa; May Seed & Nursery Co.; 1 KW.* KFWI-San Francisco, Calif.; Radio Entertainments (Inc.); 500 W. KROW-Oakland, Calif.; T-Richmond, Calif.; Educational Broadcasting Corporation; 1 KW.* CKX-Brandon, Manitoba, Can.; Manitoba Telephone System; 500 W. CFCH-North Bay, Ontario, Can.; Northerm Supplies, Ltd.; 100 W. CFRC-Kingston, Ontario, Can.; Queens University; 250 W.* CMJF-Camaguey, Cuba; John L. Stowers; 225 W.

940 KILOCYCLES-319.0 METERS

WAAT-Jersey City, N. J.; Bremer Broadcasting Corporation; 300 W. WCSH-Portland, Me; T-Scarboro, Me; Congress Square Hotel Co.; 1 KW. WFIW-Hopkinsville, Ky.; WFIW (Inc.); 1 KW. WHA-Madison, Wis.; University of Wisconsin; 750 W. WDAY-Fargo, N. Dak: T-West Fargo, N. Dak:; WDAY (Inc.); 1 KW. KOIN-Portland, Oreg.; T-Sylvan, Oreg.; KOIN (Inc.); 1 KW. XEO-Mexico City, Mex.; Partido Nacional Rev.; 5 KW.

950 KILOCYCLES-315.6 METERS

WRC-Washington, D. C.; National Broadcasting Co. (Inc.); 500 W. KMBC-Kansas City, Mo.; T-Independence, Mo.; Midland Broadcasting Co.; 1 KW. KFWB-Hollywood, Calif.; Warner Bros. Broadcasting Corporation; 1 KW. KGHL-Billings, Mont.; Northwestern Auto Supply Co. (Inc.); 2½². VONA-St. Johns, N. F.; Lane, Gillard & Avery; 30 W. CMHD-Caibarien, Cuba; Manuel Alvarez; 250 W.

960 KILOCYCLES-312.3 METERS

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CHCK-Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island, Can.; W. E. Burke & J. A. Gesner; 100 W.
CHWC-Regina, Saskatchewan, Can.; T-Pilot Butte, Saskatchewan, Can.; R. H. Williams & Sons, Ltd.; 500 W.
CJBR-Regina, Saskatchewan, Can. (Uses transmitter of CKCK); Saskatchewan Co-operative Wheat Producers, Ltd.; 500 W.
CKCK-Regina, Saskatchewan, Can.; Leader Publishing Co., Ltd.; 500 W.
CKNC-Toronto, Ontario, Can.; Canadian National Carbon Co.; 500 W.
CNRR-Regina, Saskatchewan, Can. (Uses transmitter of CKCK); Canadian National Railways; 500 W.
XED-Repnosa, Tams., Mex. (Actual frequency 965 KC-310.8 Meters); Cia. Int. Dif. Reynosa, S. A.; 10 KW.

965 KILOCYCLES-310.7 METERS

970 KILOCYCLES-309.1 METERS

980 KILOCYCLES-305.9 METERS KA-Pittsburgh, Pa.; T-Saxonburg, Pa., Westinghouse Electric & Manufacturing Co.; 50 KW.

985 KILOCYCLES-304.4 METERS CFCN-Calgary, Alberta, Can.; T-Strathmore, Alta., Can.; W. W. Grant & H. G. Love; 10 KW. 987 KILOCYCLES-303.8 METERS

990 KILOCYCLES-302.8 METERS WBZ-Springfield, Mass.; T-East Springfield, Mass.; Westinghouse Electric & Manufacturing Co.; 25 KW. WBZA-Boston, Mass.; Westinghouse Electric & Manufacturing Co.; 1 KW. XEK-Mexico City, Mex.; Arturo Martinez; 100 W.

WCFL-Chicago, Ill.; Chicago Federation of Labor; 1½ KW. KJR-Seattle, Wash.; Northwest Broadcasting System (Inc.); 5 KW.

CMBC-Havana, Cuba; Domingo Fernandez; 150 W. CMBD-Havana, Cuba; Luis Perez Garcia; 150 W.

CMGF-Matanzas, Cuba; Bernabe R. de la Torre; 50 W.

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1800 KILOCYCLES-299.8 METERS

1000 KILOCYCLES-299.8 METERS WHO-Des Moines, Iowa; Central Broadcasting Co.; 5 KW. (C. P. 50 KW.). WOC-Davenport, Iowa; Central Broadcasting Co.; 5 KW. (C. P. 50 KW.). KFVD-Calver City, Calif.; Los Angeles Broadcasting Co.; 250 W. XEC-Tolcca, Mex.; Jesus R. Benavides; 50 W. XEE-Otaca, Mex.; Jesus R. Benavides; 50 W. XEE-Onaraca, Oax., Mex.; Alberto Palos Sanza; 100 W. XEFE-On Laredo, Tama., Mex.; Alfonso Zorrilla B.; 105 W. XEFF-Chihuahua, Chih., Mex.; Feliciano Lopez Islas; 100 W. XEFF-Oueretaro, Quer., Mex., Salvador Sanchez, 40 W. XET-Orolia, Mich., Mex.; Carlos Gutierrez; 100 W. XEI-C. Juarez, Chih., Mex.; Juan G. Buttner; 100 W. XETC-Jalapa, Ver., Mex.; Juventino Canchez; 100 W. XETC-Torreon, Coah., Antonio Garza Castro; 25 W. XETC-Torreon, Coah., Mex.; Feliciano Lopez Islas; 100 W. XETC-Torreon, Coah., Mex.; Feliciano Lopez Islas; 100 W. XEU-Veracruz, Ver., Mex.; Juventino Canchez; 100 W. XEU-Veracruz, Ver., Mex.; Feliciano Lopez Islas; 100 W. XEU-Neracruz, Ver., Mex.; Feliciano Lopez Islas; 100 W. XEU-Neracruz, Ver., Mex.; Feliciano Lopez Islas; 100 W. XEU-Neracruz, Ver., Mex.; Feliciano Ione Socialista S. E.; 105 W. Hold KLI OCYCI ES-298 & METERS

1010 KILOCYCLES-296.8 METERS

1010 KILOCYCLES-296.8 METERS WORK-York, Pa.; York Bdcg. Co.; 1 KW. WQAO-New York, N. Y.; T-Cliffside, N. J.; Marcus Loew Booking Agency; 250 W. WHN-New York, N. Y.; Marcus Loew Booking Agency; 250 W. WPAP-New York (Ity; Palisades Amusement Park; 250 W. WPAP-New York, N. Y.; T-Coytesville, N. J.; Aviation Radio Station (Inc.); 250 W. WRNY-New York, N. Y.; T-Coytesville, N. J.; Aviation Radio Station (Inc.); 250 W. WRAD-Norman, Okla; Hugh J. Powell and Stanley Platz, doing business as Powell & Platz; 500 W. WNAD-Norman, Okla; University of Oklahoma; 500 W. WIS-Columbia, S. C.; Station WIS, Inc., 1 KW.* KQW-San Jose, Calif.; Pacific Agricultural Foundation Ltd.; 500 W. CHCS-Hamilton, Ontario; T-Fruitland, Ontario (Uses transmitter of CKOC-G30 KC temporarily); Hamilton Spectator; 1 KW.* CKIC-Wolfville, Nova Scotia; Acadia University; 59 W. CKOC-Hamilton, Ontario; T-Fruitland, Ontario (Uses 630 KC temporarily); Wentworth Radio Broadcasting Co., Ltd.; 1 KW.* CKTB-St. Catharines, Ontario; T-Fruitland, Ontario. (Uses transmitter of CKOC-G30 KC, temporarily); Taylor & Bates, Ltd.; 1 KW.* CMBZ-Havana, Cuba; Manuel y G. Salas; 150 W. 1017 KILOCYCLES-293.73 METERS

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CMJH-Ciego de Avila, Cuba; Luis Marauri; 15 W.

1020 KILOCYCLES-293.9 METERS

WRAX-Philadelphia, Pa.; WRAX Broadcasting Co.; 250 W. KYW-KFKX-Chicago, III.; T-Bloomingdale Township, III.; Westinghouse Electric & Manufacturing Co.; 10 KW. XEFD-Tijuana, B. C., Mex.; Carlos de la Sierra, 300 W.

1830 KILOCYCLES-291.1 METERS

CFCF-Montreal, Quebec, Can.; Canadian Marconi Co.; 500 W. CNRV-Vancouver, British Columbia, Can.; T-Lulu Island, British Colum-bia, Car.; Canadian National Railways; 500 W. CMHI-Santa Clara, Cuba; Lavis y Paz; 30 W.

1034 KILOCYCLES-290 METERS

CMKC-Santiago de Cuba; M. P. Martinez; 150 W

1,040 KILOCYCLES-288.3 METERS

WMAK-Buffalo, N. Y.; T-Grand Island, Buffalo, N. Y.; Buffalo Broad-casting Corporation; 1 KW. WKAR-East Lansing, Mich.; Michigan State College; 1 KW. KTHS-Hot Springs National Park, Ark.; Hot Springs Chamber of Com-merce; 10 KW. KRLD-Dallas, Tex.; KRLD Radio Corporation; 10 KW, CMGH-Matanzas, Cuba.

1050 KILOCYCLES-2855 METERS KFBI-Albilene, Kans.; Farmers & Bankers Life Insurance Co.; 5 KW. KNX-Hollywood, Calif.; T-Los Angeles, Calif.; Western Broadcast Co.; 5KW. XEFC-Merida, Yuc., Mex.; Hugo Molina Font.; 10 W. CMJG-Camaguey, Cuba; Pedro Nogueras; 50 W.

1060 KILOCYCLES-282.8 METERS

WBAL-Baltimore, Md.; T-Glen Morris, Md.; Consolidated Gas, Electric Light & Power Company of Baltimore; 10 KW. WTIC-Hartford, Conn.; T-Avon, Conn.; Travelers Broadcasting Service Corporation; 50 KW. WJAG-Norfolk, Nebr.; Norfolk Daily News; 1 KW. KWJJ-Portland, Ore.; KWJJ Broadcast Co. (Inc.); 500 W.

NWJJ-FORMAR, OTC.; NWJJ Droadcast Co. (Inc.); 500 W. 1078 KILOCYCLES-258.2 METERS WTAM-Cleveland, Ohio; T-Brecksville Village, Ohio; National Broadcast-ing Co. (Inc.); 50 KW. WCAZ-Carthage, III.; Superior Broadcasting Service (Inc.); 50 W. WDZ-Tuscola, III.; James L. Bush; 100 W. KJBS-San Francisco, Calif.; Julius Brunton & Sons Co.; 100 W. XEG-Mexico, D. F.; Miguel Yarza; 250 W. CMBG-Havana, Cuba; Francisco Garrigo; 225 W. CMCB-Havana, Cuba; Antonio Capablanca; 150 W.

1880 KILOCYCLES_277.6 METERS WBT_Charlotte, N. C.; Station WBT (Inc.); 5 KW. WCBD_Zion, Ill.; Wilbur Glenn Voliva; 5 KW. WMBL-Chicago, Ill.; T_Addison, Ill.; The Moody Bible Institute Radio Station; 5 KW.

1090 KILOCYCLES-275.1 METERS

KMOX-St. Louis, Mo.; Voice of St. Louis (Inc.); 50 KW. 1100 KILOCYCLES-272.6 METERS

WPG-Atlantic City, N. J.; WPG Broadcasting Corporation; 5 KW. WLWL-New York, N. Y.; T-Kearny, N. J.; Missionary Society of St. Paul the Apostle; 5 KW. KGDM-Stockton, Calif.; E. F. Peffer; 250 W. 1110 KILOCYCLES-270.1 METERS

WRVA-Richmond, Va.; T-Mechanicsville, Va.; Larus & Brother Co. (Inc.); 5 KW. KSOO-Sioux Falls, S. Dak.; Sioux Falls Broadcast Association (Inc.); 2½ KW.

1128 KILOCYCLES-267.7 METERS

1128 KILOCYCLES-267.7 METERS WDEL-Wilmington, Del.; WDEL (Inc.); 350 W.* WTAW-College Station, Tex.; Agricultural and Mechanics College of Texas; 500 W. WTSN-Milwaukee, Wis.; American Radio News Corp.; 250 W. WHAD-Milwaukee, Wis.; American Radio News Corp.; 250 W. WHAD-Milwaukee, Wis.; Marquette University; 250 W. KFSG-Los Angeles, Calif.; Echo Park Evangelistic Association; 500 W. KRKD-Inglewood, Calif.; Fireside Bdeg. Co.; 500 W. (1 KW. C.P.) KRSC-Seattle, Wash.; Radio Sales Corporation; 100 W. KFIO-Spokane, Wash.; Spokane Broadcasting Corporation (00 W. CFCA-Toronto, Ontario, Can.; Star Publishing & Printing Co.; 500 W. CFJC-Kamloops, British Columbia, Can.; S. D. Dalgleish & Sons, Ltd.; 100 W.

1120 KILOCYCLES-267.7 METERS (Cost.)

CJOC-Lethbridge, Alberta, Can.; H. R. Carson; 100 W. CNRT-Toronto, Ontario, Can.; (Uses transmitter of CFCA); Canadian National Railways; 300 W.

1125 KILOCYCLES-266.6 METERS CMHJ-Cienfuegos, Cuba; Arturo Hernandez; 40 W.

1130 KILOCYCLES-265.3 METERS

1130 KILOCYCLES-255.3 METERS WOV-New York City; T-Secaucus, N. J.; International Broadcasting Cor-poration; 1 KW. WJD-Moosehart, III.; WJJD, Inc.; 20 KW. KSL-Salt Lake City, Utah; Radio Service Corporation of Utah; 5 KW. (50 KW.-C. P.). XEH-Monterrey, N. L., Mex.; Constantino Tarnaca; 1 KW. (Actual frequency 1,132 KC.-265 Meters).

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1140 KILOCYCLES-263.0 METERS

WAPI-Birmingham, Ala.; WAPI Broadcasting Corp.; 5 KW. KVOO-Tulsa, Okla.; Southwestern Sales Corporation; 5 KW. (25 KW.-C.P.). CMBW-Havana, Cuba; Modesto Alvarez; 150 W. CMCO-Havana, Cuba; Andres Martinez; 1 KW. XETA-Mexico, D. F.; M. E. Taglo; 500 W.

1150 KILOCYCLES-260.7 METERS

WHAM-Rochester, N. Y.; T-Victor Township, N. Y.; Stromberg-Carlson Telephone Manufacturing Co.; 5 KW. CMGI-Colon, Cuba; Armando Lizama; 30 W.

1160 KILOCYCLES-258.5 METERS

WWVA-Wheeling, W. Va.; West Virginia Broadcasting Corporation; 5

WOWO-Fort Wayne, Ind.; Main Auto Supply Co.; 10 KW. 1178 KILOCYCLES-256.3 METERS

WCAU-Philadelphia, Pa.; T-Byberry; WCAU Broadcasting Co.; 10 KW. 1188 KILOCYCLES-254.1 METERS

1168 KILOCYCLES-254.1 METERS WINS-New York, N. Y.; T-Astoria, L. L, N. Y.; American Radio News Corp.; 500 W. WDGY-Minneapolis, Minn.; Dr. George W. Young; 1 KW. KEX-Portland, Ore.; Western Broadcasting Co.; 5 KW. KOB-State College, N. Mex.; New Mexico College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts, 20 KW. WMAZ-Macon, Ga.; Southern Broadcasting Co., Inc.; 500 W. CMJE-Camaguey, Cuba; Manuel Fernandez; 30 W.

1190 KILOCYCLES-Z52.0 METERS

WOAI-San Antonio, Tex.; T-Selma, Tex.; Southern Equipment Co.; 50 KW.

1200 KILOCYCLES-249.9 METERS

WOAI-San Antonio, Tex.; T-Selma, Tex.; Southern Equipment Co.; 30 KW.
I200 KILOCYCLES-249.9 METERS
WRBL-Columbus, Ga.; WRBL Radio Station Inc.; 100 W.
WNBL-Bangor, Mc.; Universalist Society of Bangor; 110 W.
WNBX-Springfield, Vt.; First Congregational Church Corporation; 10 W.
WCAX-Balmot, Mc.; Universalist Society of Bangor; 110 W.
WCAX-Balmot, Vt.; Burlington Daily News; 100 W.
WCRC-WEES-Worcester, Mass.; T-Auburn, Mass.; Albert Frank Kleindeins, 100 W.
WTBX-Ditas, N. Y.; WIEX (Inc.); 300 W.*
WTBZ-Cincinnati, Ohio; Post Publishing Co.; 200 W.*
WHBC-Canton, Ohio; St. John's Catholic Church; 10 W.
WNBO-Harrisburg, Pa.; Keystone Broadcasting Corporation; 100 W.
WNBW-Carbondale, Pa.; John Brownlee Spriggs; 100 W.
WNBW-Carbondale, Pa.; WNBW, Inc.; 10 W.
WMBC-Terbondale, Pa.; John Brownlee Spriggs; 100 W.
WNBW-Carbondale, Pa.; V. Liner; 100 W.
WMBZ-New Orleans, La.; C. Carlcon; 100 W.
WBBZ-Ponca City, Okla; C. L. Carrell; 100 W.
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WBBZ-Ponca City, Okla; C. L. Carrell; 100 W.
WBBC-La Salle, III.; Wayne Hummer & H. J. Dee, doing business as Kaskaskia Broadcasting Corporation; 100 W.
WUBC-La Salle, Min, Jaren Drug Co.; 250 W.*
WCAT-Rapid City, S. Dak.; South Dakota State School of Mines; 100 W.
KFW-GE-Fergus Falls, Minn, Jaren Drug Co.; 250 W.*
WCAT-Rapid City, S. Dak.; South Dakota State School of Mines; 100 W.
KFW-GE-Genen Bay, Wis; T-West De Pere, Wis; St. Norbert College; 100 W.
KGDE-Fergus Falls, Minn, Jaren Drug Co.; 250W.*
WCAT-Rapid City, S. Dak.; South Dakota State School of Mines; 100 W.
KFW-Genen Bay, Wis; T-West De Pere, Wis; St. Norbert College; 100 W.
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1205 KILOCYCLES-248.8 METERS

CMGB-Matanzas, Cuba; Jose Anorga; 30 W.

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CMGB-Matanzas, Cuba; Jose Anorga; 30 W. 1216 KILOCYCLES-247.8 METERS WMRJ-Jamaica, N. Y.; Peter J. Prinz; 100 W. WJBI-Redbank, N. J.; Monmouth Broadcasting Co.; 100 W. WGBB-Freeport, N. Y.; Harry H. Carman; 100 W. WCOH-Yonkers, N. Y.; T-Greenville, N. Y.; Westchester Broadcasting Corporation, 100 W. KGY-Olympia, Wash.; KGY Inc.; 100 W. WOCL-Jamestown, N. Y.; A. E. Newton; 50 W. WLCI-Ithaca, N. Y.; Lutheran Association of Ithaca, N. Y.; 50 W. WPAW-Pawtncket, R. I.; Shartenherg & Rohinson Co.; 100 W. WJSW-Mansfield, Ohio; Columbus Broadcasting Corporation; 100 W. WJAU-Mansfield, Ohio; John F. Weimer (owner Mansfield Broadcasting Association); 100 W. WBALR-Zanesville, Ohio; WALR Broadcasting Corp.; 100 W. WBBG-Richmond, Va.; Grace Covenant Presbyterian Church; 100 W. WMBG-Richmond, Va.; Havens & Martin (Inc.); 100 W. (Continued on next page)

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 1218 KILOCYCLES-247.8 METERS (Cont.)
 WSIX-Springfield, Tenn.; Jack M. and Louis R. Draughon, doing business as 638 Tire and Vuicanizing Co.; 100 W.
 WSOC-Gastonia, N. C.; WSOC (Inc.); 100 W.
 WIBY-Gadeden Ala; Gadsden Broadcasting Co. (Inc.); 100 W.
 WDY-Gadeden Ala; Gadsden Broadcasting Co. (Inc.); 100 W.
 WDY-Gadeden Ala; Gadsden Broadcasting Corporation; 100 W.
 WDY-Gadeden Ala; Gadsden Broadcasting Corporation; 100 W.
 WED-Greenville, Misa; J. Pat Scully; 250 W.*
 KWEA-Shreveport, La.; Hello World Broadcasting Corporation; 100 W.
 KDLR-Devils Lake, N. Dak.; KDLR (Inc.); 100 W.
 KFOR-Hacoba, Nebr.; Heward A. Shumani; 250 W.*
 WHBU-Aaderson, Ind.; Anderson Broadcasting Corp.; 100 W.
 WEBQ-Harrisburg, III.; Harrisburg Bdcstg Co.; 100 W.
 WEBQ-Chicago, III.; Clinton R. White; 100 W.
 WCRW-Chicago, III.; Clinton R. White; 100 W.
 WCRW-Chicago, III.; Emil Denemark (Inc.); 100 W.
 WCRW-Chicago, III.; Francis M. Kadow; 100 W.
 WTAX-Springfield, III.; UYAXX (Inc.); 100 W.
 WTAX-Springfield, III.; WAXX (Inc.); 100 W.
 WOMT-Manitowoc, Wis.; Francis M. Kadow; 100 W.
 WDMT-Manitowoc, Wis.; Francis M. Kadow; 100 W.
 WTBU-Poynette, Wis.; William C. Forrest; 100 W.
 KGRS-Amarillo, Tex.; E. B. Gish; 1 KW.
 KYM-San Bernardino, Calif.; J. C. & E. W. Lee (Lee Bros. Broadcasting Co.); 100 W.
 KFYS-Cape Girardeau, Mo.; Oacar C. Hirsch. trading as Hirsch Battery & Radio Co.; 100 W.
 KFPC-Passdena, Calif.; Pasadcas Presbyterian Church; 50 W.
 KFYS-Cape Girardeau, Mo.; Oacar C. Hirsch. trading as Hirsch Battery & Radio Co.; 100 W.
 KFYC-Providence, R. I.; Cherry & Webb Broadcasting Co.; 100 W.
 KFYC-Providence, R. I.; Cherry & Webb Broadcasting

1220 KILOCYCLES-245.8 METERS

- 1220 KILOCYCLES-24.8 METERS WCAD-Canton, N. Y.; St. Lawrence University; 500 W. WCAE-Pittsburgh, Pa.; WCAE, Inc.; 1 KW. WDAE-Tampa, Fla.; Tampa Publishing Co.; 1 KW. WREN-Tanganozie, Kans.; Jenny Wren Co.; 1 KW. KFKU-Lawrence, Kans.; University of Kansas; 500 W. KWSC-Pullman, Wash.; State College of Washington; 2 KTW-Seattle, Wash.; First Presbyterian Church; 1 KW. 1225 KILOCYCLES-244.8 METERS 2 KW.*
- CMBY-Havana, Cuba; Callejas-Cosculluela; 350 W.
- CMBY-Havana, Cuba; Callejas-Cosculluela; 350 W.
 1230 KILOCYCLES-23.8 METERS
 WNAC-WBIS-Boston, Mass.; T-Quincy, Mass.; Shepard Broadcasting Service (Inc.); 1 KW.
 WPSC-State College, Pa.; The Pennsylvania State College; 500 W.
 WSBT-Soutb Bend, Ind.; South Bend Tribune; 500 W.
 WFBM-Indianapolis, Ind.; Indianapolis Power & Light Co.; 1 KW.
 KGGM-Albuquerque, N. Mex.; New Mexico Broadcasting Co.; 500 W.*
 KYA-San Francisco, Calif.; Pacific Broadcasting Corporation; 1 KW.
 KFQD-Anchorage, Alaska; Anchorage Radio Club; 250 W.
 XETQ-Mexico City, Mex.; Carlos G. Caballero; 100 W.

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- KTSA-San Antonio, Tex.; Southwest Broadcasting Co.; 2 KW. KFUL-Galveston, Tex.; News Publishing Co.; 500 W. KLCN-Blytheville, Ark.; Charles Leo Lintzenich; 50 W. WEBC-Superior, Wisc.; Head of the Lakes Broadcasting Co.; 274 KC.* KDYL-Salt Lake City, Utah; Intermountain Broadcasting Corporation; 1 KW
- 1 KW.
 WFAB-New York, N. Y.; T--Carlstadt, N. J.; Defenders of Truth Society (Inc.); 1 KW.
 WEVD-New York, N. Y.; T--Forest Hills, N. Y.; Debs Memorial Radio Fund (Inc.); 500 W.
 WHAZ-Troy, N. Y.; Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute; 500 W.
 WHAZ-Troy, N. Y.; Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute; 500 W.
 WOD-WMBF-Miami, Fla.; T--Miami Beach, Fla.; Isle of Dreams Broad-casting Corporation; 1 KW.
 WOQ-Kansas City, Mo.; Unity School of Christianity; 1 KW.
 Corporation; 1KW.
 KFH-Wichita, Kans.; Radio Station KFH Co.; 1 KW.
 KFJR-Portland, Ore.; Ashley C. Dixon, trading as Ashley C. Dixon & Son; SOU W.

WDRC-Hartford, Conn.; T-Bloomfield, Conn.; WDRC (Inc.); 500 W.
WSAI-Cincinnati, O.; T-Mason, Ohio; Crosley Radio Corporation (lessee); 1 KW.
WTAQ-Eau Claire, Wis.; T-Township of Washington, Wis.; Gillette Rubber Co.; 1 KW.
KSCJ-Sioux City, Iowa; Perkins Brothers Co.; 2% KW.*
KGB-San Diego, Calif.; Dort Lee, Inc.; 500 W.
MSCD-Toledo, Chio; Toledo Eroadcasting Co.; 1 KW.
KGIR-Butte, Mont.; KGIR (Inc.); 500 W.
WSPD-Toledo, Ohio; Toledo Broadcasting Co.; 1 KW.
KFPW-Fort Smith, Ark.; Southwestern Hotel Co.; 50 W.
WCOA-Pensacola, Fla.; Pensacola Bdcg. Co.; 500 W. (CP).
I348 KLLOCYCLES-2221 METERS
CMCR-Havana, Cuba; Aurelio Hernandez: 150 W.
CMCY-Havana, Cuba; M. D. Autran: 250 W.
WMOZA-Zarephath, N. J.; Pillar of Fire: 250 W.
WMSDA-New York, N. Y.; T-Cliffside Park, N. J.; Italian Educational Broadcasting Co. (Inc.); 250 W.
WEDA-New York, N. Y.; Standard Cahill Co. (Inc.); 250 W.
WENX-New York, N. Y.; Standard Cahill Co. (Inc.); 250 W.
KILOCYCLES-2221 METERS (Cont.)
WSBNX-New York, N. Y.; Standard Cahill Co. (Inc.); 250 W.
WENX-New York, N. Y.; Conondaga Radio Broadcasting Corporation; 158 KILOCYCLES-222.1 METERS (Cont.)
WENC-Emory, V.A; Emory & Henry College; 500 W.
KIDO-Boise, Idaho: Roise Broadcasting Station: 1 KW.
WORC-Vicksburg, Miss; Delta Broadcasting Conporation; 1 KW.
WORC-Vicksburg, Miss; Delta Broadcasting Conporation; 1 KW.
WORC-Vicksburg, Miss; Delta Broadcasting Corporation; 1 KW.
WORC-Vicksburg, Miss; Delta Broadcasting Conporation; 1 KW.
WORC-Charleston, S. C.; South Carolina Broadcasting Corp.; 1 KW.*
KGER-Chicago, III.; Oak Leaves Broadcasting Corp.; 1 KW.*
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- - 1375 KILOYCLES-218 METERS
- CMAC-Pinar del Rio, Cuba; Oscar S. Mechoso; 30 W. CMGE-Cardenas, Cuba; Genaro Sebater; 30 W.

1380 KILOCYCLES-217.3 METERS

WSMK—Dayton, Ohio; Stanley M. Krohn, Jr.; 200 W. KQV—Pittsburgh, Pa.; KQV, Inc.; 500 W. KSO—Clarinda, Iowa; Iowa Broadcasting Co.; 100 W. night, 250 W. iocal sunset WKBH-LaCrosse, Wis.; WKBH (Inc.); 1 KW. KOH-Reno, Nev.; The Bee, Inc.; 500 W. KQV-Pittsburgh, Pa.; KQV Broadcasting Co.; 500 W. XETB-Torreon Coah., Mex.; Jose A. Berumen; 125 W.

1382 KILOCYCLES-217.25 METERS

CMJC-Camaguey, Cuba; Feliciano Isaac; 75 W.

1390 KILOCYCLES-215.7 METERS

WHK--Cleveland, Ohio; T-Severt Hills, Ohio; Radio Air Service Corpora-tion; 1 KW. KLRA-Little Rock, Ark.; Arkansas Broadcasting Co.; 1 KW. KUOA-Fayetteville, Ark.; Southwestern Hotel Co.; 1 KW. KOY-Phoenix, Ariz.; Nielsen Radio & Sporting Goods Co.; 500 W.

1395 KILOCYCLES-215 METERS

CMCG-Havana, Cuba; Jose Justo Moran; 30 W.

1400 KILOCYCLES-214.2 METERS

- 1400 KILOCYCLES-214.2 METERS CMCH-Havana, Cuba; Hernani Torralbas; 20 W. CMCM-Havana, Cuba; Martinez-Madicu; 15 W. WCGU-Brooklyn, N. Y.; United States Broadcasting Corporation; 500 W. WFOX-Brooklyn, N. Y.; Voice of Brooklyn (Inc.); 500 W. WBBC-Brooklyn, N. Y.; Brooklyn Broadcasting Corporation; 500 W. WBBC-Brooklyn, N. Y.; Brooklyn Broadcasting Corporation; 500 W. WBBC-Brooklyn, N. Y.; Brooklyn Broadcasting Corporation; 500 W. WCGW-Chickasha, Okla.; J. T. Griffin; 500 W. WCMA-Culver, Ind.; General Broadcasting Corporation; 500 W. WCMA-Culver, Ind.; General Broadcasting Corporation; 500 W. WKBF-Indiarapolis, Ind.; T-Clermont, Ind.; Indianapolis Broadcasting (Inc.); 500 W. WBAA-West Lafayette, Ind.; Purdue University; 1 KW.[•] KLO-Ogden, Utah; Peery Building Co.; 500 W. XEP-N. Laredo, Tams., Mex.; Asociacion Radiodifusora Latino-Americana. S. A.; 200 W.

1410 KILOCYCLES-212.6 METERS

- 1410 KILOCYCLES-212.0 METERS WRBX-Roanoke, Va.; Richmond Development Corporation; 250 W. WBCM-Bay City, Mich.; T-Hampton Township, Mich.; James E. David-son; 500 W. KGRS-Amarillo, Tex.; E. B. Gish (Gish Radio Service); 1 KW. WDAG-Amarillo, Tex.; National Radio and Broadcasting Corporation; 1 KW. WODX-Mobile, Ala.; T-Springhill, Ala.; Mobile Broadcasting Corporation; 500 W. WSFA-Montgomery, Ala.; Montgomery Broadcasting Co. (Inc.); 500 W. KFLV-Rockford, Ill.; Rockford Broadcasters (Inc.); 500 W. WHBL-Sheboygan, Wis.; Press Publishing Co.; 500 W. WAAB-Boston, Mass.; Bay State Broadcasting Corp.; 500 W. WHIS-Bluefield, W. Va.; Daily Telegraph; 250 W.

1420 KILOCYCLES-211.1 METERS

- Id20 KILOCYCLES-ZILI METERS
 WTBO-Cumberland, Md.; Associated Broadcasting Corporation; 210 W.*
 WILM-Wilmirgton, Del.; T-Edge Moor, Del.; Delaware Broadcasting Co. (Inc.); 100 W.
 WMAS-Springfield, Mass.; Albert S. Moffat; 100 W.
 WPAD-Paducah, Ky.; Paducah Broadcasting Co.. Inc.; 100 W.
 WJMS-Ironwood, Mich.; WJMS, Inc.; 100 W.
 WKCR-Cedar Rapids Bdcg Co.; Cedar Rapids, Ia.; 250 W.*
 WERE-Erie, Pa.; Erie Dispatch-Herald Broadcasting Corporation; 100 W.
 WMBC-Detroit, Mich.; Michigan Broadcasting Co.; 210 W.*
 WELL-Battle Creek, Mich.; Enquirer-News Co.; 50 W.
 WFDW-Anniston. Ala. T-Talladega, Ala.; Raymond C. Hammett; 100 W.
 WJBO-New Orleans, La.; Valdemar Jensert; 100 W.
 KGFF-Shawnee, Okla.; D. R. Wallace (owner KGFF Broadcasting Co.); 100 W.

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- KABC-San Antonio, Tex.; Alamo Broadcasting Co. (Inc.); 100 W.

WOKLD
WSPA-Spartanburg, S. C.; Virgil V. Evans, trading as The Voice of South Carolina; 250 W.*
KICK-Red Oak, Iowa; Red Oak Radio Corporation; 100 W.
WLBF-Kansas City, Kans.; The WLBF Broadcasting Co.; 100 W.
WMBH-Joplin, Mo.; Edwin Dudley Aber; 250 W.*
WEHS-Evanston, III.; WEHS (Inc.); 100 W.
WHFC-Cicero, III.; WHSC, Inc.; 100 W.
WKBI-Chicago, III.; WKBI, Inc.; 100 W.
KFIZ-Fond du Lac, Wis.; The Reporter Printing Co.; 100 W.
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KGIX-Los Vegas, Nev.; Los Vegas Radio Corp.; 100 W.
KGIX-Jos Vegas, Nev.; Los Vegas Radio Corp.; 100 W.
KGIX-Sandpoint, Idaho; Sandpoint Broadcasting Co.; 100 W.
KGCC-San Francisco, Calif.; The Golden Gate Broadcasting Co.; 100 W.
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KGCC-San Francisco, Calif.; The Golden Gate Broadcasting Co.; 100 W.
KBPS-Portland, Ore; KXL Broadcasters, Inc.; 100 W.
KBPS-Portland, Ore; Frank L Hill and C. G. Phillips, doing business as Eugene Broadcast Station; 100 W.
WDEV-Waterbury, Vermont; Harry C. Whitehall; 50 W.
WENC-Americus, Ga.; Americus Broadcasting Co.; 100 W.
WAGM-Presque Isle, Me.; Aroostock Broadcasting Corp.; 100 W.
WHDL-Tupper Lake, N. Y., Tupper Lake Bdeg. Co., Inc.; 100 W.

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1430 KILOCYCLES-209.7 METERS

WHP-Harrisburg, Pa.; T-Lemoyne, Pa.; WHP (Inc.); 1 KW.[®] WBAK-Harrisburg, Pa.; Pennsylvania State Police, Commonwealth of Permsylvania; 1 KW.[®] WCAH-Columbus, Ohio; Commercial Radio Service Co.; 500 W. WNBR-Memphis, Tenn.; Memphis Broadcasting Co.; 500 W. KGNF-North Platte, Nebr.; Great Plains Broadcasting Co.; 500 W. KECA-Los Angeles, Calif.; Earle C. Anthony, Inc.; 1 KW. WFEA-Manchester, N. H.; New Hampshire Broadcasting Co.; 500 W. WHEC-Rochester, N. Y.; WHEC, Inc.; 500 W. WHEC-Rochester, N. Y.; T-Mount Beacor, N. Y.; WOKO (Inc.); 500 W.

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