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One Of Our Aircraft is Missing. Not long ago we suggested that walkie-talkic users might make good use of the Class C radio control channels which lie between the Class D CB channelsthereby avoiding harmful interference from their more powerful 5-watt brothers. Unfortunately we forgot to consider the possible effects on the radio controlled aircraft using these channels. A number of model fliers quickly brought this to our attention-mentioning several instances when a walkie-talkie became the instrument of destruction to a prized model aircraft; knocked it right out of the sky.

The aircraft folks will be moving to their new 70 MHz mc channels and perhaps we might hold off on invading their 27 MHz channels until they're all moved out.



## Retractable Slide Rule

Very-small-pocket-sized ( $13 / 4 \times 13 / 4 \times 1$ in.), this pocket slide rule extends to ten inches. The slide rule features $A, B, C$, and $D$ scales with $B$ and $C$ scales folded in $D^{2} p i$ and $D$ pi relationship to permit determination of circular areas and circumference by moving cursor only. Doublelength sliding

$B$ and C scales provide an endless feature formerly found on circular slide rules. Reverse side measures to 20 in . or its metric equivalent and lists basic equivalents, fan laws, power, trig and geometric formulas. Cost, \$8.50; manufacturer, CalTape, 1095 Kingston Park, Roann, Ind. 46974.

## 5-Band CB Receiver/Direction Finder

This transistor portable tunes all 23 CB channels on two separate bands, as well as police/marine/ shortwave band, $1.5-4.5 \mathrm{MHz}$; low frequency beacon/weather band, $200-400 \mathrm{kHz}$; standard $\AA M$ broadcast band. The "Nova CB" has an accurately calibrated rotating antenna and nall meter, and is also a precision radio direction finder for boats and light planes. Priced at $\$ 149.95$. Nova CB comes with leather carrying case. chrome mounting brackets, 3 telescoping whip antennas, batteries.

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## Bass Guitar Speaker Systems

These speakers, PMC-1 and PMC-2, have been engineered to obtain maximum performance from bass guitar amplifiers. The 12 -inch speakers have 2 -inch diameter voice coils and 2 -pound magnets. Both systems are about the size of $\alpha 2$-suiter suitcase. The PMC-1 (\$166.50) has a 12 -inch woofer and handles 60 watts; the PMC-2 (\$216.50) has two 12 -inch woofers and handles 120 watts. Speakers made by Utah Electronics, 1124 E. Franklin St., Huntington, Ind.


## For Hams What Am

The DR-30 Communications Receiver is a solidstate, dual conversion superhet unit using fieldeffect transistors. The use of FET's in the RF stages make for greater sensitivity, better image rejection and exceptional freedom from cross-modulation or overloading on strong signals. All the circuitry is on 9 plug-in, glass epoxy modules; chassis is $3 / 16$ inch thisk aluminum. Complete ham-band coverage, 80 through 10 meters plus a portion of six meters; $9.5-10.5 \mathrm{MHz}$ for WWV and 31 -meter SWL

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## Updated Second Op

Coincident with a rapid increase in good band conditions on most shortwave frequencies comes the revised, fourth edition of W91OP's Second Op. This is a simple DX computer on laminated card stock, giving beam headings to every country in the world from major geographic locations in the United States, immediate identification of prefixes including specific location of the prefix, time zone, continent, postage rates. Included on the periphery of the Second Op are provisions for logging contacts and receipt of confirmation. Send your name and address and $\$ 1.00$ to Electro-Voice, Inc., Dept. PR-4, Buchanan, Mich. 49107 (or visit your local Electro-Voice distributor).


## 2-New Receivers-2

Both these new Hallicrafters receivers are AM/ FM. The FM-66, shown on the right, has $\alpha$ handrubbed walnut cabinet, two builtin antennas, printed circuit chassis, and a 5 -inch permanent

magnet speaker. It measures $141 / 2 \times 71 / 2 \times 53 / 4$ inches, list price is $\$ 64.95$.


And on the left, Model S. 210 has 4 short wave bands as well as AM and FM. This one has "spread" tuning, accomplished by electronically spreading apart distant stations to relieve congestion, permitting highly selective tuning on 49,31 , 25 and 19 meters. Power supply is the same as the FM-66- 105.120 volt, 60 Hz AC. Has 3 dualpurpose and 3 single-purpose tubes. The vinylcovered metal cabinet is $141 / 2 \times 7 \frac{1}{2} \times 5 \frac{3}{6}$ inches, and the unit lists for $\$ 89.95$. If you don't have a Hallicralters distributor near you, their address is Hallicrafters Co., 4401 W. 5th Ave., Chicago. Ill. 60624.

## Lit-Up Base Antenna

The "Speakin' Beacon" Citizens Band base station antenna is a 27 MHz omnidirectional coaxial antenna with a permanent-circuit neon light built into its tip. Whenever the transmitter is keyed, the neon tube glows, visually verifying the RF power output and acting as a beacon to help guide mobiles. A Stati-Light ball surrounding the neon tube dissipates static electricity and helps eliminate
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## Switch Hi-Fi All Over the Place

If you want simul:cneous distribution of sound to more than one stereo speaker system-say family room, den, etc.-up to eight different areas in any combination at the same time. Model 642 Sound Control Center is for you. Offices, schools, would be other applications. Model 641, on the other hand, has a positive interlocking feature between switch stations which insures that only one system at a time can be selected. Frequency response through the internal switching network is

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## Be Your Own TV Producer

A new closed-circuit TV camera, model SS-310, using less space than a telephone, is priced in the hobbyist range. Resolution at center of picture is 350 horizontal lines or better with monitors, and 300 lines or better with conventional receivers. The

camera circuit contains 19 silicon transistors, 2 germanium transistors, and 14 diodes. A clear picture can be obtained with a minimum amount of illumination, using 11.4 lens supplied with the camera. The SS-310 has an automatic electronic circuit that instantly compensates for wide and sudden lighting changes, assuring a clear picture under virtually all light conditions. Plug-in modular circuit boards tacilitate replacements with a minimum of downtime. User price of the SS-310 with 11.4 lens, 25 feet of coaxial cable with connectors, is $\$ 289.95$. Maker is Squires-Sanders, Inc. Martinsville Rd., Millington, N. J. 07946.

## Transistorized Doorman

This pocket-sized garage-door controller, the Electro-Lift, opens, closes, locks the garage door
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against mishaps with both pushbultion and automatic stop features; handles single or double onepiece doors up to 20 feet wide and 8 feet high, sectional doors up to 10 feet wide. The complete Perma-Power Electro-Lift system sells for $\$ 179.95$, and is friction-driven (the Perma-Power model G-670 is a chain-drive unit). Availatle nationally, or write to Perma-Power Co., 5740 N. Tripp Ave., Chicago. Ill. 60647.

## Self-Service Technician

Mercury Electronics has dolled up their new self-service tube tester 204 Series in modern blue and grey cabinet designs. The new units have a panel designed to accommodate over 1,700 tube types including the latest nuvistors, novars, compactrons, magnovals and 10 pin types. They also test fuses, pilot lights, 6 and 12 -volt auto radio vibrators. Only two settings are required to test any tube, and a flip tube chart lists over 1,700
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Installed on the observation deck of the Seattle Space Needle some 550 feet above the city's rooftops, station WA7GBD is operated by the Space Needle Amateur Radio Club. And Bob, who is one of the club's 75 members, takes turns working Hams around the world from this strange Ham-station-in-a-needle.

Bob generally works 20-meter SSB, using a Drake TR-4 transceiver and a companion RV-4 remote VFO. Currently, the station is heard as far away as Japan, Brazil, and Rus-
sian Siberia. Even greater range and reliability are expected when the present $300-$ watt transmitter is joined by a kilowatt linear, which is now on order from Drake. When it arrives, Seatte's Ham-station-in-aneedle will be as powerful as any amateur station going.

In spite of the Club's extraordinary offerings, there are no membership dues or other fees. The Space Needle organization simply issues free elevator passes to all members so they can have ready access to the station at any time. And since nearly a million people visit the observation deck annually, the public relations value of the station is thought to be excellent. Most of the visitors see the station in operation, frequently handling traffic from U.S. servicemen on ships and at bases overseas.


## CW Monitor

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While you could build an audio tone gen－ erator and key it simultaneously with your transmitter，you will not be actually monitoring your transmitted signal．To do so，all you need

is a simple regenerative receiver，operated in an oscillating condition，a grid－dip meter or a heterodynetype frequency meter，such as the BC－221 which is available at military surplus outlets．

You can build a monitor using a circuit such as shown in the diagram．（The coil can be a plug in type so you can change zoils when switching your transmitter from one band to another．）Just place it near the transmitter and tune in its signal，with the key down，until you hear a beat note．You will then be able to


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## Q-multiplier vs: Crystal Filter

My shortwave set employs a $1650-\mathrm{kHz}$ IF. Would a Q-multiplier do any good, and where can I get one?
-R. N. K., Morton Grove, Ill.
A Q-multiplier is most effective at relatively low frequencies, 455 kHz and below. For 1650 kHz , a crystal filter can be used to improve selectivity. It is inserted at the input of the IF amplifier. They are made by several companies, primarily for equipment manufacturers. One company near you, Nieder-man-Sherold, Inc., 4302 Warren Avenue, Hillside, Illinois, makes a 1650 -kc crystal bandpass filter.

## QSL a Satellite

Is it possible to receive satellite signals from outer space on a shortwave set? If so, on what frequencies?
-C.B., Seattle, Wash.
Russian satellites transmit on around 20 MHz within the tuning range of most shortwave sets which usually tune up to 30 MHz . American satellites transmit on frequencies around 100 MHz . A special VHF receiver or a converter abead of a shortwave receiver is required.

## Mum's the Word

I have sent QSL cards to ship and marine coast stations I have heard, but have received no verification from them. Why don't they acknowledge my reports?
-A. R. T., Marysville, Wash.
You aren't supposed to send QSL cards to any but broadcast and amateur stations, un-

## Add Noise Limiter

Can you give me a circuit for adding a noise limiter to my National SW-54 receiver?
-J. L., Seattle, Wash.
The original circuit of the detector and firstaudio stage are shown in the upper diagram. Break the circuit at " $X$ " and add five resistors, three capacitors and a diode as shown in the lower diagram.

less you are requested to do so personally or by published invitation. An international treaty and the Communications Act make it unlawful for anyone to divulge the contents of any transmission, or even its very existence, from any class of station except broadcast or amateur.

## Manufacturers' Radio Service

$I$ recently read that 30 new low-power radio channels have been allocated in the 72-to $76-\mathrm{MHz}$ hand. Where can 1 get equipment for this hand?
-R. K., Passaic, N. J.
It has been reported that Femco, Inc., Irwin, Penna, and Union Switch \& Signal, Swissvale, Penna., will have equipment available for the $72-$ to $76-\mathrm{MHz}$ band. However, these channels are restricted to those eligible in the Manufacturers Radio Service and may not be used for hobby or personal purposes.

## Can or Will Earn?

How much can I carn as a radio-TV service technician? I have completed a correspondence course and have had experience building kits. -E. L., Edmonds. Wash.
In your part of the country, union scale for a technician is $\$ 3.60$ per hour and is supposed to rise to $\$ 3.75$ in 1967. Some non-unions shops pay less, some more for an experienced man. New York subway crews earn as much. But, electronics can be more fun.

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## Detector for FM, AM, CW and SSB

How can I modify a communications receiver to work on FM as well as AM, CW and SSB? -R. H., Seattle, Wash.
You can replace the AM detector and first AF stage with a gated-beam tube (such as 6 BN 6 ) using the circuit shown in the schematic diagram. The existing IF transformer feeds the control grid of the tube. When Sl is set to AM and S2 is set to $F$ (for fast AVC response) or $S$ (slow AVC response), the grid and cathode function as a grid leak or diode detector and the rest of the tube functions as an AF amplifier. AVC voltage is developed across R2-R3 and is tapped off at their junction. Diode D1 prevents AVC action until the signal reaches a satisfactory level. With S3 open, the positive bias on the quadrature grid can be varied with R1 for minimum audio distortion.

When S1 is set to SSB/CW, the signal from the receiver's BFO (beat frequency oscillator) is fed to the quadrature grid to form a product detector. AVC attack time can be selected by setting $S 2$ to $F$ or $S$.

For FM narrow band reception, S1 is set to FM and CI-L1 are connected to the quadrature grid to form a gated-beam discriminator. By setting S2 to the None position, AVC is cut out and the tube also functions as a limiter. Closing S3 makes it possible to vary the cathode bias on both the control and quadrature grids with R1 for maximum sound recovery and best limiter action. The quadrature coil (L1) is tuned to the same frequency as the receiver $1 F$ and trimmed for maximum FM audio recovery.

## High-Frequency Problem

I have a (Brand X) 4-tube superhet shortwave receiver which has good selectivity and sensitivity up to ahout 14 mc . But, from there up to 30 mc , it lacks the ability to pull in all but the very strongest signals. Would the addition of a preselector solve this problem?
-C. L., Brantford, Ontario
Have you had the tubes checked on a critical tube tester? Try new converter and IF-amplifier tubes. Also adjust the highest frequency band RF trimmer when tuned in to a CB or $10-m e t e r$ ham station and again when receiving the weakest signal you can tune in. If you have or can borrow a signal generator, realign the IF transformers. Be sure to use a proper outdoor antenna. A preamplifier (preselector) would help, but it doesn't sound as if you were getting all of the performance that was designed into your receiver.

## Sure Mike!

Can you give me the address of a company that produces a transceiver-type mike for ham transmitler use?
-L. Dec., Austin, Texas
Roanwell Corp., 180 Varick Street, New York, N. Y. 10014 makes mikes of this type. So do many others including Electro-Voice, Turner and Sonotone. Try your local elec-tronics-parts distributors who should have them in stock.


## A Hot Note

I recently read in Variety that a musician was killed as a result of electrocution while playing an electric guitar. How can this happer!? -H. H., Van Nuys, Calif.
He must have heen in a hathtub or standing on a wet floor when it happened. Alvino Rey and others have been playing electric guitars for years with no ill effects. The danger of electric shock can be great under some conditions. For example, a skindiver, who was testing an underwater TV camera in Al Ogilvie's swimming pool in California would have heen electrocuted when he took the camera into the pool if it hadn't been noted that the camera was "hot" to the touch when the camera was handled at poolside. Grounding the shield of the camera cable saved the skin diver's life. The camera was "hot" because of the line-filter capacitors in its power supply which put the case about 60 volts above ground potential. The same hazard exists with TV sets and hi-fi devices. Moral: Don't touch any appliance connected to the AC line when bathing.

## Crystal vs. Mechanical

Would you please tell me how to connect a mechanical filter to my communications receiver (diagram enclosed)?
-J. B., Topeka, Ḱansas
Your set already has an adjustable crystal filter whose bandpass or selectivity can be varied. You don't need a mechanical filter. Receiver design engineers are still arguing which is hetter, a crystal filter or a mechanical filter. They're both good. If I were you, I'd keep what you have.


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## Does it Pay?

How can I boost the input power of my 5 -natt, 2-meter transceiver to 75 watts?
-L. B., Morton Grove, Ill.
Get a linear amplifier. Connect its input to the output of your transceiver and the antenna to the output of the linear amplifier which should have internal antenna switching facilities. However. you can quadruple your effective radiated power by installing a 6 db gain antenna which costs less than a linear amplifier and won't increase your electric bill. Call AM 2-2903 in Chicago and ask for Griff. He's near you and can tell you what kind to use, where to get one and for how much.

## Just a Minute

In one of your articles about building a novice antenna loader, a B \& W Miniductor coil form was specified. Where can I get one?
-D. P., Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio.
It is made by Barker \& Williamson in Bristol, Penna. If you can't find it at your local radio parts store, write to Mr. A. Consalvi at B \& W.

## Carrier for Frequency Standard

How can I recover the unmodulated carrier from an $A M$ broadcast station so $I$ can use it as a frequency standard?
—J. T. H., Pittshurgh, Pa.
Rig up an oscillator using a circuit such as the one shown in the diagram. Place it near an AM broadcast receiver and tune in a station at the desired frequency. Then tune the oscillator close to the broadcast-station frequency so you will hear an audio beat (whistle). Carefully tune the oscillator for zero beat, the point where no whistle is heard. You'll have it set right if you get a whistle when you turn the tuning capacitor either way. When set to zero beat with a signal of known frequency, your oscillator will be within a few cycles of that frequency.


## 9-Volt Battery Eliminator

Can you give mu a circuit for an AC power supply for replacing a 9-1olt transistor battery? -P. C., Helena, Montana

Four IN1693 or similar diodes, a 6.3-volt filament transformer and an electrolytic capacitor, connected as shown in the diagram, should do the trick. The no-load voltage should be around 9.8 volts which will drop somewhat under load.


## Engineering Takes Years

I want to assemble a transistor radio capable of recciving radio signals in Canada from radio stations of Indo-Pak Subcontinent, especially the following: All India, Radio Delhi, Radio Pakistan Karachi, Radio Lahore (Pakistan), Radio Sirinagar (occupied Kashmir), Radio Jammu (occupied Kashmir), Radio Jallunder (Panjab, India), Rudio Ceylon (commercial station operated from Bombay, India), Radio Dacca (Pakistan) plus local longwave stations. If it is possible, could you please draw a diagram and advise equipment to be used to prodice a "perfect model."
-A. A., Vancowver. British Columbia
If it were possible to give you a diagram of an all-transistor, all-wave receiver meeting your requirements, we would do so gladly. There is such a receiver on the market (National) but it costs more than $\$ 1,000$. It probably cost the manufacturer more than $\$ 100,000$ and several man-years to design it. While we could dream up a diagram. there are countless other problems you would have to solve yourself. It would cost you a great deal in money and time with no assurance of satisfaction. As a compromise, you might consider Lafayette's 11-band portable at around $\$ 160$ or Zenith's Transoceanic, ready to use.

## Filter vs Crystal

Please don't make fun of the use of a mechanical filter with a "Q" multiplier. I have a Hammarlund HQ-100 with a Lafayelle mechanical filter and the results are excellent. Adjacent channel QRM is much reduced and stability is considerahly improved. For CW reception it cannot be heat for the price.
$-R$. C., Manchester, N. H.
Of course a mechanical filter is a good device. But, in a receiver which already has a crystal filter, why add another one? Since your receiver does not have a crystal filter, the addition of a mechanical filter makes sense.


## SWL Skywire

I am a beginner SW'L. What is the best antenna sctup for $10-160$ meters?
— M. B., Toronto, Ontario
Start out with a 50 -foot wire antenna. Allied Radio in Chicago offers a complete antenna kit for 98 cents. You should be able to get one in Toronto for not much more. I ater. as you get more experience. and if you have adequate space, you can use something more exotic.

## Dig for Tunnel Diode

I can't find a TD-I tumnel diode for nas in the TD-FM radio descrihed in a recelt is.me. What other sype can / mse."
—L.. A. R.. Derroit, Mich.
Get a GE IN3712. It sells for $\$ 3.75$.

## Don't, If You Don't Know

I hawe 3-phase, 3-wire. 220-wh power. I have a machine which operates from a $220-\mathrm{vol}$, 2 wire circuit and ground. Can I connect it to two wires of the three-phase circuit and rum a ground to the water main?
—W. O. S.. Niles. Mich.
If the ground lead is used only for grounding the frame of the machine and is not actually connected to the 220 -volt line. OK. Otherwise, you may need a star-to-wye transformer. Before you do anything, consult the power zompany.


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## VFO or Crystal?

How can 1 install a crystal in my 30 to 50 $M H z$ band FM receiver for receiving on 39.46 $\mathrm{MHz}^{\text {? }}$

- A reader, Someplace, USA

The first diagram is the circuit of the oscillator stage of your set. according to the schematic you sent. The second diagram is the modified circuit. Use the same oscillator coil tuned by a trimmer capacitor. Disconnect the oscillator section of the main tuning capacitor. You still use the tuning dial to tune the RF amplifier and mixer to 39.46 MHz . For that frequency, use a 28.76 MHz crystal.


## It's a Boo-Boo!

When watching $T V$ commercials $I$ have noticed that a commercial will come on for a second or two and then there is some kind of a switch. The commercial comes back on but at the beginning instead of at the point where it was interrupted. Do TV stations or networks run two films of the same program at the same time, with one as back-up?
-W. A. W., Huntington, West Va.
Checking with a major TV station in New York City, it was learned that no back-up film is used. In case of failure, the operator probably winds the film back up on the reel and reruns it. Thus. you will see it from the beginning. Even though film problems do sometimes arise, station and network executives of ten let operators know that "it will not happen here." . . . but it does-sometimes.

## OCR for ZIP

What is OCR and what is it used for? -N. K., Philadelphia, Penna.
One meaning of OCR is optical character recognition, a technique for reading printing and written matter electronically. In one system, each character is looked at quickly by a flying-spot scanner, a kind of TV camera. What the scańner "sees" is sent in the form of electrical signals to logic circuits which identify the character and send a digital signal to a computer. For example, the logic circuitry can determine the difference between a handwritten lower-case $E$ and a lower-case L. Both look alike but one is taller. OCR systems are used to read accounting forms and other documents as well as the ZIP code on letters.

Ceylon to a "T"
What make and model shortwave set might be capable of receiving Radio Ceylon on 11,800 kHz here in California?
-G. G., Davis, Calif.
Almost any sensitive superhet shortwave receiver that can be tuned to that frequency should be able to pickup the signal when it is bounced your way. However, the set should be equipped with a good outdoor antenna.

## B-plus and Filament Power

Is it possible to build a $A C$-power supply furnishing 22.5 to 30 volts $D C$ and 6.3 volts for a radio using a 3 AU6 tuhe?
-T. L., Springfield, Ohio
You can use the circuit shown. The transformer furnishes 3.15 and 6.3 volts AC. Plate voltage is obtained from the AC line through a voltage divider composed of four No. 327 pilot lamps. According to the RCA Receiving Tube Manual. a 3AU6 tube requires 3.15 volts, not 6.3 volts, for its filament, as does a 6AU6.


## Solid-State S-Meter

Can you tell me how' I can add an S-meter to a transistor shorth'ave receiver?
-A. D., Utuado, Puerto Rico
If your receiver has AGC. you can use the circuit shown in the first diagram. You will have to reverse the meter leads, depending upon whether the set uses $p n p$ or $n p n$ transistors. On the other hand, if your set does not have AGC. try the second circuit. Resistance values are approximate since it would be necessary to have a schematic of your set to determine exact values.


Now You Know!
In your White's Rudio Log, you don't list police. fire and other mon-broadrast stations. Why not?
-J. B., A von Lahe, Ohio
There are more than $1.500,000$ police, fire and other radio communications stations plus countless mobile units. It would require several books to list them all. They are listed in the several volumes of The Radio Registry published by Radio Magazines. Inc., Box 629, Mineola, N. Y.

## Skirling Got Ya' Whirling?

On my shortwave radio I hear tones which sound like bag pipes. What are they and what is their purpose?
-M. E., Brooklyn, N. Y.
They are undoubtedly tones used for remote control or telemetering. In what is known as tone multiplexing, two or more tones may be transmitted simultaneously, producing unusual sounds.

## How About That?

One of our local stations is on FM but still operates on AM even though it was told not to
operate on the $A M$ band by the FCC. Why doesn't its owner ohey the FCC?
-J. W., Cleveland, Ohio
Believe me, the station would not be operating in the $A M$ band if it didn't rave a license to do so. Many broadcasting companies use the same program material, simultaneously, on both AM and FM transmitters. The FCC now requires FM outlets to broadcast (a portion of their broadcast day) separate (different) programs.

## Van de Graaf Measurements

How can 1 measure the amperage and wattage of $m y$ Van de Craaf electrostatic generator? The instructions list only the voltage.

> -T. T., Iselin, N. J.

The current is infinitesimal. Otherwise, the device would be dangerous. While it might be possible to measure the current, it wouldn't be worth the requrred investment in instruments. Why not ask the manufacturer who may have made the measurements in a laberatory?

## Aero Bander Not for FM

How could I modify the Acro Bander to receive the l-M broadcast hand?
-11. A. F., San Antonio, Texas
Your AM radio would not demodulate the FM signals.

## That's an Iffy Question

If a spacecraft could be built that could go faster than radio waves, it could owertake and intercept radio waves from the past. Right? What would happen if the radio signal and the

receiver were both traveling at the same speed? -E. S., Garden City Park, N. Y.
I guess it would continue to receive the same thing like "Johnny One Note" or a pickup stylus stuck in a record groove.

## Needle Sticks?

I have an Armaco AR4 VOM with a 95microamp meter movement. Whenever the test Leads are shorted (for the resistance test), the needle moves to only a point somewhere between one-quarter and one-half scale position. Battery voltage and all resistors seem to be OK. What could be the problem?
—W. J. L., Toronto, Canada
Still sounds like resistor or battery trouble. Even if the resistors pass current and look OK, they could have changed in resistance value.

## TV or Not TV

How can 1 convert an old TV set into an oscilloscope?
-M. S., Amherst, N. Y.
It wouldn't be worth the trouble. You can buy a scope kit for about $\$ 80$ and you will get much more benefit from it.

## Swing it

1 have an old 0-1 milliammeter. The needle swings quite some time before it comes to rest. What can I do about it?
-H. W. B., Bonarlaw, Ontario
Sounds like it needs mechanical repair and adjustment, which could be expensive at today's skilled labor rates. Since a new meter costs so little, why don't you get a new one?

## RF Amplifier Doesn't

$I$ recently built a class-C RF amplifier which does not amplify. Diagram is enclosed. When $I$ feed 10 watts into it, I get about 5 watts out. Also, I get RF output at the input but not at the output of the pi network. Yet, the pi network still has a tuning effect. What is wrong?
-J. P., Ogden, Utah

## Try, Try Again

How can $/$ identify kind and rating of an assorment of semiconductors and transistors of assorted shapes and no marking?
-G. W. B., Lancaster, Calif.
Is it going to be a boy, girl or an it? That's the way it is with transistors. When they reach the end of the production line, they're tested and marked to indicate what they turned out to be. You could spend hours running tests on your diodes and transistors and trying to match them up with the specs on umpteen thousand types. Just try them in circuits. If one doesn't do what you expect, try another one.

## Brand X Does It Again

I have a noise problem with my two identical (Brand X, Model Y)CB transceivers. It is so had that it is almost impossible to receive anything except over very short distances. I have tried using them hoth as a mobile unit and a base station, hut both are just as noisy in either application. Can you give me a circuit for a noise limiter I can add?
-P. L. McG., Knoxville, Tenn.
Looking up the circuit of your sets we find that a noise limiter is included and the sets should be very sensitive, the latter accounting for the noise. You probably live near a busy street and pick up ignition noise from passing cars. Try moving your base antenna away from the street and. in your car, suppress the noise at the source with adequate suppression devices.

## Canadian Ham

Can yout tell me where I can get a radio amatcur license in Canada?

- R. M., Lacombe, Alberta

Write to the Department of Transport in Ottawa. They can furnish you the address of their nearest field office.
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Looking at your diagram, it appears that C6 is connected to the wrong side of RF choke L4. If actually connected as shown, the plate of the tube is bypassed to ground for RF. Connect C6 to the B+ side of L4.


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## Using SCR's

Can you tell me where I can set a schematic and parts list for a 1500-natt lisht dimmer using two SCR's back-to-back and for operation from a 115 -volt 60-cycle AC sonrce?

—J. A. W., Ridgeway, Omt.

Write to either General Electric, Rectifier Components Dept., Auhurn, N. Y. or Westinghouse Electric Corp., Semiconductor Division. Youngwood. Penna. Their application engineering departments should be able to suggest a circuit. Also you might get a copy of the (iE SC'R Manual or the Westinghouse SCR Designers Handhook. Both are available from the respective firms at $\$ 2.00$ each.

## Knee-High to a Brass-Pounder

What is the age limit for an amatetur radio operator license."

-C. S. C., Queens V'illage, N. Y.

There is no age limit. There are quite a few young hams. I got my general class ticket when I was 14, which was a long time ago.

## Brass-Pounders Delight

Can you tell me who, if anyone. is interested in old Morse telegraph equipment?
-C. A. N., New York City
The Toledo Morse Chapter is collecting antique telegraph equipment. Leon (C. W. Kettring. 1118 Clymena Drive, Toledo, Ohio, is head of the organization's procurement committee.

## Biggest KW?

What is a Califormia kilowatr?
-D. W., Palo Alto, Calif.
A California kilowatt is a ham expression for transmitters allegedly employed by some hams in California that operate at much higher power than the legal one-kilowatt limit. Such operation is illegal, but it is said that it is practiced by some. Since everything is supposed to be bigger in California than elsewhere, so are some ham rigs, they say.


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By K.C. Kirkbride



- It all started with a pill, a pill that was a radio station, a radio station that could transmit "news" direct from a human stomach. The pill was followed by a camera, a camera so small it could be swallowed and photograph a man's stomach in living color.

At first, no one took these tiny pioneers very seriously. For at the time medicine appeared to be in one corner, electronics in another, and the two weren't going to pull off any full-fledged marriage for a long time-if ever. But that was before man began to seriously consider the fact that his brain, nervous, and muscular systems are all electrical. And if man himself is electrical, why not his repair and diagnostic systems?
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This realization led to a new science called biomedical engineering, a discipline that combines electronic with medical techniques, sometimes borrowing from space and military research to create new diagnostic wonders. One day soon such marvels may rule out the hit-or-miss human error that has characterized medicine up to our time. Come that happy hour and current medical techniques may seem as medieval as when man applied leeches to cure his aches and pains.

All One. Now being introduced in major hospitals is a master six-unit electronic medical internist built by Honeywell. Its big claim to fame is the fact that it can instantancously record eight types of information about a patient and show them on a $17-\mathrm{in}$. screen.

ECG, EEG, EMG, PCG, and other electrodes sensing surface and below-skin changes show heart, brain action, and skin temperatures on a television screen to a doctor as he operates. This new system's sharpfocus screen is so bright it can be seen 20 feet away. And the device promises to elimi-
nate much of the hazard in surgery as well as store vital information for later consultation and record.

Life Savers. Not as comprehensive but already a veteran of 250 neurological operations is an IBM-Mayo Clinic system on duty at St. Mary's Hospital in Rochester, Minnesota.

To monitor patients, electrical detector signals are converted to digital coding, processed and printed out on a special typewriter to be scanned by a closed-circuit TV camera. The machine will show a patient's heart and breathing rates, arterial pressures, and body temperatures on a $14-\mathrm{in}$. screen while an operation is in progress. Meanwhile, a $5-\mathrm{in}$. satellite oscillograph set up near the patient will give automatic electrocardiograph readings.

Warnings. Another team of Advanced Systems engineers borrow techniques used to analyze missile status before test firing. Their purpose: to have "early warning" of changes in a patient's condition before clinical signs appear.

Sensors relay information to an IBM 1800 computer, report on an operating room screen warning of changes that could bring on an emergency in the seriously ill.

Nuclear. Still another biomedical life-

New medical tool developed at General Electric Research Laboratory is switchable magnet that can be turned on and off at will. Inserted gently down patient's throat (left), device is steered under fluoroscopic guidance to spring of open safely pin, then switched on. Pin can now be furned around and cautiously removed blunt end first.


Both permanent and electromagnets are represented in GE's new devices for retrieving swallowed ferrous objects. When permanent-magnet instrument being held by Miss Betty J. Drumond won't suffice, "steerable'' magnet held by Dr. Fred E. Luborsky is called on to recover objects from previously inaccessible regions of the stomach.

Some advances in medical elecfronics fall in the evolutionary (rather than revolutionary) category, with recent improvements in X-ray equipment a prime example. X-ray installation at right dates from the late ' 20 s and consists of a vertical fluoroscope in conjunction with a radiographic table, with the same power source being used for each.

Note that over-table tube is still of the non-shockproof type, with exposed high-tension leads.


Modern X-ray installation (af left) conceals $X$-ray tube in rayproof body of enclosed iable, while image is now made thousands of times brighter by means of image intensifier on deck extending across table. Further, over-table X-ray tube is supported on telescoping column, in furn suspended from overhead carriage traveling on ceiling racks. Resulting arrangement permits rapid positioning and angulation of $X$-ray fube.
saver supplying emergency information is nuclear. A surgeon may need to know before an operation if a patient needs a transfusion. what kind of anesthetic may be best. and whether or not the heart is getting enough blood.

To answer these questions. Picker X-Ray built a machine it calls a "Hemolitre." This unit shows just how much blood is circulating in a patient, information that can mean the difference between life and death in heart cases. serious surgery, or an automohile accident emergency.

Picker does it by tagging a small amount of serum with a radioactive substance such as Iodine 1.31 which is then injected into a patient's bloodstream. A few minutes later, a small sample of blood is withdrawn. The Hemolitre then calculates the radioactive potency of the blood before and after the injection, as well as the radioactivity of the serum itself.

This information is then fed into a computer which spins its electronic gears and ultimately reveals what the doctors want to know on its front panel.

Chair Is Examiner. Philco isn't that formal. Their engineers at Western Development Laboratories division at Palo Alto, California, have developed a diagnostic chair. Once a patient is comfortahly seated. the chair picks up respiration rate, pulse rate. heart sounds, and electrocardiograph readings, then records the data on graph paperall without the patient's knowledge!

While the Philco sensor chair horrows its tricks from space research, a new development at RCA was once in the Army. The image amplifier, adding amplification and TV skills to the already powerful electron microscope. is a direct descendant of the World War II "Snooperscope." Combined with an image orthicor, it gives 50,000 times the light gain of the conventional studio camera.

The very intense intensiticr can now see and record images too faint to be seen by an electron microscope alone, and it will even record them for TV tape or film playback. Honorary RCA Vice President Dr. Alfred N . Goldsmith calls the new amplifier "among the most powerful and useful electronic de-

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Electronic medical system devised by Honeywell (right) can simulianeously measure, record, and display a wide range of functional changes that can occur in any patient. Main elements of sysiem are KP-731 multi-
channel oscilloscope (top right), 1508 Visicorder (middle right), and 8100-1I FM pariable tape recorder/ reproducer (fop left). Also recording data for later playback is the Mayo Clinic-1BM radiation scanner (below,
right). Unlike ordinary scanners which produce a paper chart or film image, the Mayo-IBM system records all data on magnetic tape for computer processing, thus giving doctors a clearer view of images painted by radioactivity.

vices for biomedical applications known." Dr. Goldsmith is so enthusiastic about the amplifier he hopes we will one day improve electron-optical pouers to the point where sequences of nucleic acids will be seen, classified, and their significance visually decoded.

Living Color. Probing even more deeply into human body secrets is the Picker MagnaScanner, a new machine that will scan inner organs and glands in both black-and-white and color. Mounted on the end of a beam on a scanner that can be rolled across the room and wheeled right up to a patient's bedside. the machine scans radioactive material invide the body.

A photorecorder picks up a black-andwhite picture of the organ or gland involved at the same time a multicolor dot recorder pictures the same areas in eight colors. The two systems, black-and-white and color, are designed to supplement each other, showing different versions of the same organ to the diagnosing doctor.

Already in use at Cedars of Lebanon Hospital in Los Angeles, the scanner pictures a patient's liver, spleen, pancreas, parathyroid, brain, heart, lungs, thyroid, kicineys or spine.

Sound Tells. Sound waves can diagnose, too. Doctors at the Albert Einstein Medical (Center in Philadelphia say a good many elderly patients cannot take prolonged X-ray examination, so a medical-engineering team

built a machine that scans people with sound waves. High-frequency sound cites vascular disease, particularly hardening of the arteries, by photographing an artery blocked by deposits or harned by an aneurysm.

Ultrasonic waves at a frequency of about 2 MHz reffect from body tissues, register an image on an oscilloscope, and are then photographed for future records.

Skin Changes. Even a more revolutionary diagnostic tool is one that spots disease by skin-temperature changes.

Called thermography, the technique hinges


Device above records knee motion, passes findings on to computer for analysis. Knee in photo is model.
on the theory that the average internal temperature of the body remains pretty much unchanged if a person is healthy. Skin temperature, in contrast, fluctuates, depending on both internal and external factors.

At the Einstein Medical Center, physicians scan skin surfaces with infrared radiometers to cite internal disturbances. The method calls for rapid, high-resolution infrared scanners and very basic scientific know-how to be able to accurately analyze. But in spite of the revolutionary aspects of the new technique, it has already won its colors by early detection of some types of cancer and vascular troubles.

Model Organs. For the new electronic internists to completely rule out diagnostic error, the modern doctor applying the techniques must know more about the workings of the human body, still enigmatic in many respects. This information IBM and University of Mississippi School of Medicine engineers and physicians try to supply. Borrowing from space science they successfully simulate body organs with a computer.

Feeding all known information along with mathematical descriptions of body organ and systems into analog and digital computers, they simulate such organs as the human lung, kidney, and heart.

One model of a kidney has already afforded doctors a clearer comprehension of the relationship between kidney function and high blood pressure. And they hope to learn more about arterial blowd pressure, blood flow, and blood composition through a mathematical model of the circulatory systen.

For years, doctors have tried to discover how kidneys control rates at which substances are eliminated or reabsorbed into the body. To date, they have only theories, but they now hope to solve their problem by building a mathematical model. The computer can then show which theory best simulates actual function.

The Body A System. Dr. Arthur C. Buyton of the Mississippi School explains the work by saying he believes the body the best engineered and most complicated system known. Since it is controlled by several hundred patterns, only a computer, he thinks, can aid in understanding its workings.

To discover why eiderly women fall and break a hip more often than men, Moss Rehabilitation Hospital in Philadelphia has carried out another study. Two hundred women clad in shorts and wired to an electronic machine, walk across a "copper" carpet. Six muscular movements are recorded: the angle of each hip, knee, and ankle joint. plus muscular potentials during five walking positions.

Ea二h of the motions is then measured electronically with the thought that if the doctors can find why the women fall they may Jiscover a preventive.

Pain Cure. For the study, analysis, and diagnosis of the human body and its complaints, the new biomedical engineering has already proved revolutionary in its promise to rule out human error. But so far it has come up with few cures.

One, however, seems so extraordinary it may well eclipse any medical process yet known! While not exactly a cure, it promises to relieve severe pain. the kind associated with diseases such as cancer and serious injury to the nervous system.

A Dime Helps. Smaller than a dime, the miniature device can te implanted near the spinal cord. Here, a mild, non-painful stim-
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## It takes only a few hours to install a modern radio in the case of an antique telephone, but you'll end

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Time was when telephones came in wooden boxes with cranks and earpieces. Mounted on the wall at some level or other, the then new-fangled creations could be utilized only with a preposterous amount of stretching or stooping-and only if the party line wasn't engaged.

Today, most of these phones have gone the way of the Stanley Steamer, though a few still lurk in altics and antique shops (the one in the photos was picked up at a country sale for a five-dollar bill). And though their days as telephones are over, such oldies can be returned to service in a way grandpop would never have dreamed of -as a conversation-inspiring cabinet for a table radio.

Strip Treatment. The old oak wall telephone in the photos took its first steps toward its new role when it was dusted, then given the strip treatment. All of the old wiring and small parts were removed from the inside of the main case, leaving only the box and the exterior paraphernalia.

The front-hinged lid of the telephone came off when we removed the screws from
one side of the three brass hinges. We then cleaned up the main cabinet and the wooden back, removing a variety of grease, pencil marks, and stains. What we didn't touch, of course, were the dents and scratches (remember, we wanted this to be an antique!).

Almost any long and narrow radio chassis could have gone into the telephone cabinet. The type or age of the radio really made precious little difference as long as the radio worked and would fit in the main compartment. Though we were tempted at one point to use a small, battery-powered transistor job, we eventually settled on a new G-E T1220A AM/FM table model (which, incidentally, uses an AC/DC circuit).
Trial Run. Once the etched circuit board had been removed from the radio's plastic case, we temporarily lined up the chassis and marked the mounting holes for its controls. Since we wanted to mount the dial plate separately, we cut it free from the cabinet with a hacksaw blade. Having smoothed off the rough edges, we laid the dial on the side of the telephone case, carefully traced around it , then slid the radio chassis into


Slide-rule dial in radio author used was permanently affixed to plastic cabinet, so author carefully sawed it out with hacksaw blade. Dial could then be fitted info cutout in telephone box.

up with plenty to talk about and a lot to listen to.


Photos above show how radio was positioned in telephone box; view at lef! shows $3 / 8$-in. holes in one end of box for speaker grille and line card. Varnish was later applied to telephone box to spruce up its appearance.
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position. Fortunately, we found there would be plenty of roon to mount the chassis in the telephone compartment and also to fasten it to the dial.

Masking tape was placed on the marked edge of the antique cabinet to serve as a guide line for the dial cutout and to protect the case against possible mars and scratches. We then drilled two $1 / 2-\mathrm{in}$. holes on opposite ends of the masked area to start a small saber saw. Since the oak case was very hard, we were careful not to feed the power saw too fast.

Plastic Grille. We mounted a 4 -in. speaker at the bottom of the telephone case. having first drilled several $3 / 8-\mathrm{in}$. holes and then covered them with a snall piece of plastic screening. The line cord was passed through another $3 / 8-\mathrm{in}$. hole at the speaker end of the cabinet, and a knot was tied in the cord at a point just inside the cabinet to secure it against accidental stress.

Next, we replaced the circuit board in the cabinet and marked the chassis mounting holes on the wooden base. This done, we removed the chassis and drilled two $1 / 8-\mathrm{in}$.
mounting holes. Wood screws and spacers were used to fasten the chassis to the telephone base.

With the plastic dial in the new opening, we drilled two mounting holes at either end so the dial could be fastened to the telephone cabinet. The dial was mounted in place and the radio chassis was then bolted to the dial itself.

Finishing Touches. With the project almost completed, we then soldered the wires from the output transformer to the speaker voice-coil terminals and taped the FM antenna wire to the inside of the telephone cabinet. After the radio had been mounted and tested, we sealed the dial in place by squirting rubber seal around the dial.

Later, we removed the telephone bells, front mouthpiece, and hand phone hanger from the cabinet and spray-painted then with black enamel. When they were dry, we remounted them in position, then touched up the telephone cabinet proper with two coats of varnish. And last of all, we sat back for some real modern-time Party Line Listening!


why fumble around in your photo darkroom trying to read the markings on an enlarger lens or a print timer? The time you spend in your darkroom will be much pleasanter if you install a very simple lighting systent using a few inexpensive parts, most of which can be salvaged from an experimenter's "junk box." Even if bought new they cost little.

The actual sources of illumination are a couple of pilot-light assemblies with red jewels and No. 47 miniature bayonet-base lamps.

These fit neatly inside $35-\mathrm{mm}$ film cans. The holes for them are made in the can with an ordinary penknife, the metal being very soft aluminum. One can iṣ mounted on the pivoted safe-light arm of the enlarger by a short piece of brass or aluminum, which is bent to throw the light upward to the rim of the lens. The usefulness of the filter is not impaired at all; the whole assembly swings back and forth smoothly. The other can is mounted over the face of the print timer, pointing downward.


The lamps are powered by a 6.3 -volt filament transformer which is enclosed in a small wooden box at one end of a board used for a base-the front portion of the base supports the timer itself. The various dimensions of the box are adjusted to suit the size of the timer. The top of the box holds a line switch and four binding posts; the right side, a single AC outlet-for the timer's AC plug.

The light for the timer dial connects to one pair of binding posts, the enlarger-lens light to the other. Lamp cord is fine for the
purpose. A single pair of posts would serve just as well, since the lamps are in parallel, but the extra pair is handy if still another light is wanted, perhaps to illuminate a clock face or a paper safe. There is absolutely no shock danger from the low-voltage wiring powered by the filament transformer.

Placed next to the enlarger, the timertransformer unit is very convenient to operate. The bright red jewels end all squinting, yet do not fog the fastest black-and-white enlarging papers.


## The shocking truth about the bitter battles that may determine the future of every Ham and CB operator in the United States

- "It's war!" The words of a militant professional protest leader? Hardly. Fact is, they were grumbled only recently by a fellow radio operator-a normally quiet and bookwormish chap who probably thinks twice before he swats a fly. But this time he had good reason to be infuriated. And his sentiments are typical of those being muttered in radio circles throughout the country.

Several factors precipitated his declaration: first, the seemingly hostile attitude towards Hams and CBers by the Federal Conmunications Commission; second. the strained relations between the American Ra dio Relay League and Hams: third, the growing realization among operators that they might well have to fight to defend their operating rights and privileges!

The battle lines are most definitely drawn; wits are being sharpened right this minute! But what are the issues? What is at stake, and what brought on this unusual battle royal? Many of the facts have never been re-vealed-until now, that is.

Down The River. It is believed by some that the Ham radio situation began at a
private meeting in New York between the FCC and the executives of the ARRL and QST (the ARRL's official publication). With a major international radio frequency allocation conference looming on the horizon, the FCC regretfully reported that some of the new African nations were complaining about the lack of radio frequencies for their use: possibly they would try to steal the Han frequencies. If such a thing actually came to pass, Hams throughout the world would blame the FCC because it permits U.S. citizens to get Ham licenses with a minimum of red tape exams, and waiting time. As a result the U.S. has amassed a tremendous number of Hams per capita-many of them rotten operators who have carned (for American Hams in general) an international reputation as obnoxious loudmouths running far more power than is necessary.

The FCC was on a spot and felt that something would have to be done to show the rest of the world that U.S. Hams weren't so bad as to cause the loss of Ham radio frequencies. The ARRL was quick to accept the challenge of coming up with some sort of

solution to save face for the Commission.
The ARRI brass itself had long been unhappy with many of the new breed of Hams and said it had "increasing concern . . . as to whether the basic purposes and objectives of the amateur radio service, particularly those relating to technical qualifications and proficiency," were being achieved. The League claimed that many Hams "just go out and buy their equipment, plug it into the light socket, connect an antenna and operate."

All of this was far below the dignity of the pompous and tradition-steeped League executives, many of whom still live in the days when operators wound their coils on oatmeal boxes and put India ink on crystals to change frequency. It seemed to them that this would be the right time to weed out these new rascals by either kicking them off the air altogether or at least openly branding them as second-class operators.

The Plan. Back the ARRL folks went to Connecticut and into the conference room for secret talks. The result of the brainpicking session was a mish-mash of ideas which had been previously rejected by the ARRL and the FCC, only now the plan was rearranged and dubbed with the new title of "Incentive Licensing." Worded in fancy legal terms, it was rushed down to the FCC on a silver platter for prompt approval. QST, having the uneasy feeling that the plan might not sit too well with some ARRL. members, gingerly tried to explain Incentive Licensing to its 105,000 reader/members. The result was an upheat explanation intended to sell
an idea which had few selling points (no mention was made of the FCC's inspirational role in its creation).

Stripped of the fancy frills, the plan suggests creation of a new "elite" class of Ham license to be called the "Amateur First Class License." This license would be available only to those Hams who had held an Advanced, General, or Conditional Class License for at least one year.

To get the new license, the Ham would have to take a new written exam which would be harder than his previously taken test; he would also have to pass a 16 -wpm code test (existing General Class tests call for 13 wpm ). Only operators of this new license class (or those who held the coveted "Extra Class" license, which is harder to obtain) would be allowed to operate a phone station on the prime DX frequencies below 50 MHz ( 160 through 10 meters). Those Hams who couldn't pass the exam would be forced to jam into a small band of phone trequencies or use CW (which, for all practical purposes, is now obsolete).
In addition, all phone privileges, for Novice operators (the 2-meter band) would be withdrawn. To round the plan off, the FCC was asked by the ARRL to devise "distinctive" call-signs for each particular class of license so that Hams would immediately be able to ascertain the prowess of fellow amateur operators.

The Prospects. The FCC's acceptance of these ideas would see thousands of long-time DX phone operators uncerem:oniously evicted from their operating haunts until (and un-

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less) they could pass a rougher exam than they had ever before taken. (Fact of the matter is that many Hams couldn't pass the very exam they took to get their original license if a year or so had elapsed.) Their only hope would be to cram for the new exam and, failing that, squeeze onto the few remaining frequencies or pack their DX gear in mothballs and migrate to the local-coverage VHF bands-where the FCC was to reserve them some "exclusive" frequencies.

The regular VHF operator, already plagued with split-up bands and class distinction between General, Technician and Novice class operators, would then be faced with the prospect of slicing up the pie for yet another group. For new inmigrants from the lower bands would be now joining the VHF fraternity by taking away the regular VHF operators' best frequencies. The idea, of course, was to force the Technician class VHF operator to get the incentive to step up his code speed and pass a General Class license which would permit him to again operate on his old frequencies.

Not On Your Life. The grass roots reaction was instantaneous and rather violent. Enraged Hams flooded both the ARRL and FCC offices with highly impassioned messages, all carrying the same theme, namely, that they weren't buying even one little bit of this proposal. CQ magazine, an independent Ham publication, offered its own plan for upgrading the American Ham, but the damage had already been done. The ARRL plan had been formally submitted to the FCC. And Wayne Green, Ham radio's angry young man (and publisher of another Ham publication, 73, promptly sailed into the ARRL with one of his famous tirades over that one.
"With cannon bombarding it from all sides, the ARRL found itself in a rather embarrassing situation, especially since the FCC unexpectedly decided to play it cool and not rubber-stamp Incentive Licensing into the law of the land. The League was simply left to hang by its thumbs while the folks in Washington pigeon-holed the idea and announced that they were "thinking over" the plan's alleged merits.
The League landed out in the cold with many Hams, too. In fact, when mid-1965
membership stood at 105.000 , the League had confidently predicted that mid-1966 rolls would fatten up to about 108,000 to 110,000 menbers. In actuality, membership had shriveled to less than 80,000 by mid-1966!

Panic Button. Not only had Hans stopped renewing their memberships in the League, but the proposal had triggered one of the most horrendous business slumps Ham radio had ever known. The proposal was also the best explanation for one of the most severe drops in license applications for years.

The ARRL hastily engaged a public relations firm to find out what had gone wrong and what had happened to its membership. The poll-takers in turn announced that the "crux of the situation" was that "if the people are indeed representative, then too many Hams just do not feel the sense of personal relationship with the League they want to feel." In other words, most Hams just couldn't understand why their good Han buddies at the League would have officially proposed Incentive Licensing without having taken the minor courtesy of asking members for their opinion beforehand.

Meanwhile, the League itself explained causes of non-renewal thisaway: that the League was "out-of-touch" with the operators' interests; the operator simply "had not gotten around to renewing;" and the operator was "just not active" any longer.

By the fall of 1966, things had gotten so desperate at the League that $Q S T$ announced what appeared to many to be an almost pathetic last-gap measure to recapture the badly fumbled ball; a panacea for regaining its composure, lost prestige, and members. The new idea, "Ham Quest 67," had the League pleading (in $Q S T$ ), "Strength through unity-that's what is needed."

Carefully skirting any mention of the dreaded Incentive Licensing plan, the ARRL rehashed all of the reasons why it's really pretty wonderful to have the kindly ARRL folks lending their prestige to Ham radio and watching out for the interests of the operators. Part of "Ham Quest 67" included sending out "ammunition to be used in convincing non-members that they ought to join the League . . .," offering prizes for the member or affiliated local club bringing in the largest number of new members.

The FCC? Yes, it's still thinking over the proposal. But it also offers no inkling as to when (if ever) a decision will issue forth.

The way things stand now. Ham radio has been shaken to its foundations. Operators are angry and confused. The industry is pulling in its belt a few notches. And the FCC (still meditating the Incentive Licensing plan and seemingly unaware that Ham radio has been hurt badly) has managed to find the time to turn its helping hand towards yet another radio service.

The CB Scene. In September of 1966, the FCC sent a letter to all CB manufacturers expressing the FCC's unhappiness with the CB service. The letter innocently hoped that the manufacturers (who have a $\$ 50$ million per year thing going in CB) "will assuredly agree . . . that . . . a healthy state of affairs" hardly exists. Manufacturers were told that unless things got better the FCC might consider putting a temporary freeze on new CB licenses.

Established with the best of intentions and the worst of planning, the CB service was

created by the FCC on a frequency band long regarded as useless for communications because of the fantastic noises generated there by industrial, scientific. and medical electronic gadgets. Even Hams, some of whom can turn almost anything into a useful communications tool, had precious little use for it. The band was "given" to CBers much as a useless scrap of meat is tossed to a dog, except that the FCC made it clear that the meat could be eaten only in certain ways, and only without enjoyment. The Commission announced that CB communications could not consist of "hobby type communications" or "idle chit chat."

Biting The Hand. As had been feared, the CB operator picked $u_{1}$ ) on the CB service as a great way to be a "sort of" ham operator, using CB sets as telephones in a gigantic party-line gossip and bull-throwing festival. This sent the FCC into apoplectic convulsions and brought forth upon the users a number of purges which saw new rules
added. old ones strengthened. fines invoked, licenses revoked, and even the old ogre of the Federal Trade Commission trotted out to firighten manufacturers. Despite these efforts some 20,000 new license applications still arrive at the FCC each month, and the present license records show about 800,000 citizens licensed and using about $2^{1 / 2}$-million transceivers (most of them incorrectly, one can presume).

But what gives? Wasn't the FCC created to control radio communications in the United States-a task that includes issuing licenses and making and enforcing laws in the public "interest. convenience and necessity"? True. But to enforce those laws it receives a grubby little pittance with which it must also run a huge nonitoring network to tune in on hams, CBers, commercial broadcasters, business-band operators, police, ships, aircraft, and dozens of other radio stations.

Although the FCC doesn't admit it openly, some officials have privately confessed that the money available for enforcement purpeses simply isn"t enough to adequately foot its monitoring network. Nor is it sufficient for the Commission to even attempt to enforce most of the rules which it grinds out in an almost endless procession. And therein lies the rub.

CB is not only a newcomer to the family of radio services, it's a difficult one to handle at hest. Worse yet, it's considered to be nonessential (for the protection of life or property or for informing the public, that is). The FCC perhaps feels that if it can't get more money, maybe it would be better off with less radio services-and guess which is at the uppermost tip of the totem?

It's a pity that the FCC can't keep some of the money it takes in on fines and licenses. CBers alone toss Uncle Sam about $\$ 160.000$ per month in license fees. 'The money comes into the FC' alright, but it goes right out for placement in the government's kitty where it is doled out in support of European junkets for VIP's, insect research, and programs to lull farmers into not growing wheat. Maybe a little of this money pumped into anemic FCC veins would give it stomach enough to carry on in the traditions of the Great Society.

The most ludicrous thing about the whole CB "dilemma" has yet to be mentioned. For in spite of all the FCC"s bellyaching. nobody would be any the worse if CBers were simply left alone to talk themselves blue

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wouldn't this be in the public "interest, convenience and necessity"?

Holding The Bag. Yet the FCC, staffed by political appointees and public servants, insists that it is acting in the best interests of the American public. And despite the abject poverty under which the FCC must exist, when the COMSAT communications satellite arrived on the scene an Act of Congress was rushed through to establish a new FCC division just to handle the single satellite. (They probably haven't been too busy in the new division since the rates are so high that even the TV networks don't use it very often.)

In the meantime, the American public has watched the FCC give token interest to the rigged quiz shows which duped 190 -million citizens (threats to put a freeze on broadcast station licenses were not heard). Users of essential communications services are crowding each other off the air due to lack of sufficient channels, yet the FCC insists on reserving 470 MHz worth of UHF-TV space for a mere 250 broadcasters. And on the marine bands, casual listening discloses opulent yachtsmen broadcasting language so salty it would bring a blush to the face of even the crustiest old navy Chief.

Are these problems of a lesser nature than those facing CB or Ham radio? Are the broadcasters truly the "darlings" of the FCC (as has been suggested for years)? Or is it that the FCC is so understaffed that they just haven't seen these problems or so underfinanced that they can't afford to do anything about them?

Regardless of the answer, one gets the impression that the FCC might perhaps have had a master plan right along which would explain some of its activities. A hint of this was perhaps dropped when FCC Commissioner Kenneth A. Cox recently stated that if all other alternatives fail to sufficiently relieve the present congestion, additional frequencies would have to be given to needy services. This, he said, would be accomplished by a complete reorganization of the radio spectrum (Cox likened it to "unscrambling an egg"). Obviously, new frequencies can't be created by a wave of the FCC's magic wand. They would necessarily have to be taken away from "non-essential" radio service.

It's Warl Yes, it really is a war, still a cold one at this point but warming up by the minute! Hams are thoroughly disgusted at being made fools of by the ARRL, and even more annoyed with the FCC which (for reasons unknown to the operators) is still fumbling with the Incentive Licensing scheme. The ARRL is wobbling around on a shaky pair of legs. Ham and CB manufacturers are wondering where they go from here, and CB operators are still trying to figure out the justice in their paying $\$ 8$ for a CB license only to be divested of their rights to freedom of speech and the pursuit of happiness.

One guess is as good as another as to where the next battle will be fought. If the FCC would ever attempt to shut down these services, it would undoubtedly be faced with the specter of three million bootleg operators jamming the reallocated frequencies. And could the rumor be true that three million CBers and Hams intend marching on Washington, right up to the FCC's Ham/CB office (above a supermarket, by the way) to sing "We Shall Over-modulate!"?

## Bushing for TV Line

To bring TV twin-leads into the house with low-loss and without letting cold air in, make sealed feed-through bushings from polystyrene tubing. For 300 -ohm line, bore a $1 / 2$ in. dia. hole through window frame and push a length of $1 / 2-\mathrm{in}$. O.D. polystyrene tubing through the hole, allowing about $11 / 2 \mathrm{in}$. of tubing to project on each side of frame. Push line through tubing. Seal tube ends by heating with matches or a cigarette lighter, and, wearing a glove to protect the fingers, pinch the tube ends firmly together. Hold until plastic sets. Works fine for long-wire antenna lead-ins.


- Privacy is almost a thing of the past. Nearly every day the papers detail some new horizons in eavesdropping, from the phone company listening in to subscriber's conversations to executives hugging the rank-and-file employee's washroom. And of course, in this modern era of recording tape and the scissors, even the most innocuous of conversations can be rearranged into the most damning of evidence. What to do? Nothing. You can scream and the most you'll get is a few sympathetic words from your Congressman, but not much else; for the poletzi you complain to are up to their ears in wiretaps and bugs, the Feds have a sorry record of eavesdropping

prosecutions, the phone company has been getting away with it for at least 30 years, and your Congressman's indignation dies with yesterday's headlines.

About the only thing your can do is fight to protect the truth; make certain that what's used against you isn't the result of some brilliant tape editing. Make certain that when you tell your neighbor "I need some money for termite poison" it doesn't come out "J poison for money."

And you can easily protect yourself with the Tie-Spy-known in the trade as an 007 FM mike. Just clip on the Tie-Spy and your words are broadcast to a nearby FM receiver,

where it can be transferred to tape in an uncedited version of what was said.

As shown in the photographs, the Tie-Spy consists of an miniature, very-short-range FM transmitter and a microphone that appears to be a high-class dianond-studded tie-pin. You simply clip the mike to your tie ( naturally you're out of luck if you wear bow ties), place a battery in the transmitter, and you're on the air. A nearby confederate can monitor your conversation on an FM portable and handle the recording.

Construction. The unit shown is housed in a plastic case approximately $21 / 8 \times 11 / 4 \times$ $13 / 4$ inches. Actually it can be made smaller by using subminiature components. But to keep the price down to rock bottom, we have used standard components available from Allied and Lafayette Radio (among others). If you want to squeeze it into an olive by all means do so, just use the equiv-


While the tie-bar may not be the most in men's jewelry it does the job-it's the microphone that counts the most right here.
alent miniature values-nothing is really critical except the coil.

In a similar vein, the sound quality is exceptionally "tinny"-readable but "tinny." This is due to the low-impedance loading of the high-impedance crystal tie-clip mike we used to keep costs down. If you want to go for a few extra bucks get a better mike, a low impedance job-say a dynamic type from 500 to 500 ohms. You can even try a small transistor radio speaker, or might even add a matching transformer. As we said, nothing is really critical.

The electronics is assembled on a $15 / 8 \mathrm{x}$ $21 / 16$ inch section of perf-board. If you slightly round-off the corners the perf-board will just fit into the plastic case.

Start assembly by mounting tuning capacitor C5 and oscillator/antenna loading coil L1. L1 is made as follows: Cut off a three foot section of AWG-18 solid enameled wire and tensilize it by clamping one end in a vise and pulling on the free end until the wire goes "dead slack"-unless this is done
the coil will unwind when you release tension.

Using a $3 / 8$-inch drill bit as the form, wind seven closewound, tight turns. Remove the coil from the form and stretch the first three turns so the distance from the "start" to the third turn is exactly $3 / 8$ inch. Scrape a smali bit of insulation from the start of the third turn (actually what we call the second turn), and solder about an inch of wire to this


Coil is quite critical since if determines the transmitting
frequency. It must be right on the button.
tap. As shown in the schematic, the tap connects to the "top" of C5 while the "start" of the coil connects to Q2's collector. The free end of the coil will be connected later to the antenna.

Flea clips or Vector T28 push-in terminals are used for tie points and supports. To mount the C5-L1 assembly, push in a set of terminals directly under C5's solder tabs and install a very short support lead from C5's tabs to the terminals.

To insure frequency stability C6 should be the silver mica type or its equivalent. Space gets a little tight on top of the board so miniature resistors ( $1 / 10$ or $1 / 8$ watt) and capacitors are suggested. The components on the bottom of the board can be "standard" size ( $1 / 4-$ watt resistors, etc.).

We can only be certain the project will work with the transistors specified in the parts list, do not substitute another type for the specified Q1 and Q2.

Battery Power. The power supply has no


Either $1 / 10$ or $1 / 2$-watt resistors can be used here on under side of perf-board.

## PARTS LIST

Bl-7-volt mercury battery, Mallory (Allied 55J886 or equiv.l
Cl-2-mf, @ 6-volt DC
C2- $10-\mathrm{mf}$, @ 12 -volt DC
C3, C4- 500 - mmf ceramic disc
C5—2.7-30 mmf, trimmer capacitor (Arco 46 ) or equiv.)
C6- 5 - mmf silver mica
Ll-see text
MI-Tie-Clasp Microphone, (Lofoyetle 99C4567 or equiv.)
Q1—Tronsistor, Motorola HEP 251 (from Allied)
Q2-Transistor, Motorolo HEP 52 (from Allied)
RI- 4700 -ohm, $1 / 10$-watl resistor
R2— 330,000 -ohm, $1 / 10$-watl resisfor
R3- 10,000 -ohm, $1 / 10$-wall resistor
R4-47-ohm, 1/10-wat resistor
R5- 100,000 -ohm, $1 / 10$-wott resisto:
R6-470-ohm, $1 / 10$-wolt resistor
Misc.-Plastic cobinel, (Lofoyette 13C3801); perf-boord; terminals, wire, solder, Lbrockets, machine screws. nuts, etc.

Estimated cost: $\$ 7.00$
Construction time: $\mathbf{2}$ hours
on-off switch. To start the transmitter you simply clip in the hattery. To turn the unit off you remove the battery. The specified battery will give an average of 35 hours service. depending on the "freshness" and frequency of use. Since there is no standard battery holder you have to make your own. The battery holder is simply two L-brackets fashioned from scrap aluminum (an old Minibox) or copper. The I.-brackets are mounted to the board with 2-56 machine screws. Connection is made to the clips by soldering directly to the head and nut. Note



Circuit is simple but you must remember that wiring at 100 MHz is critical-all leads to Q2 and Ll-C5 must be kept short to $g \in t$ proper operation on the FM band.
that the negative clip has a hook at the end. The battery's negative terminal is slightly recessed into its case, so to insure connection you must form an $1 / 8$-inch "hook" which will bite into the negative battery terminal.

The Mike and Antenna. The mike is supplied with a mini-plug. Cut off the plug, unhraid the shield-forming a tinned twisted lead with no free strands-and solder the mike cable directly to a ground terminal and the input to Cl . The antenna consists of 12 inches of very-thin stranded wire-AWG-22 or thinner-soldered to III's free end.

Drop the unit into the plastic case, leaving the hinged cover open. Mark the points where the mike and antenna leads will pass through the case. Remove the transmitter and quickly press a hot soldering tip into the edge of the case at marks for the mike and antenna leads. The case will melt under the iron, forming the openings for the two leads. Don't press down hard or you'll go (Continued on page 114)

Tight-wound partion of tI is a loading cail for the short antenna-the spread portion funes with C5. Leads that connect to the base, emitter and collector of Q2 should be kept as short as possible (a normal VHF wiring technique). Those to Q1 aren't as critical. Transparent plastic box protects delicate parts-specially LI and C5-from damage.


## Personal Hi-fi

A complete tonearm, preamp, earphone-amp combo, this setup is ideal for stereo on the private side.

By Art Trauffer

E Build this novel amplifier-in-miniature and you'll no longer have to fire up a highpowered stereo amplifier just to drive a pair of headphones. This little stereo-headphone driver will cost under $\$ 3.00$. entail less than an hour's work. and yet give you beautiful. clean. wide-range headphone reproduction. Utilizing the Euphonics Miniconic semiconductor stereo phono cartridge, the TA- 15 tonearm and the PS- 15 power source, this simple setup is perfect for personal hi-fi.

The photo below gives some idea of how
easy this little amplifier is to put together, and the schematic diagram reveals how few parts are involved. No volume controls are used because headphone volume is just right for persons with normal hearing, and the stereo balance is good.

Construction. Note that the two aluminum panels, screw-fastened to the wooden base, act as a battery holder for the size-D flashlight cell and automatically connect the cell to the circuit. Phono-input jacks JI and
(Continued on page 116)


Aluminum panels attached to wooden base

Flat amplifiers are great but you must have a flat in. put signal. Here's how to match that pickup.


One of the problems with home-made phono amplifiers is that they are invariably flat-good circuit design can make even the cheapest transistor audio amplifier flat to within $\pm 3 \mathrm{db}$ throughout the usable portion of its frequency curve. You would think this feature would be desirable, but it's not necessarily so when you take a hard look at the signal supplied by the phono pickup. The unequalized output voltage curve for a typical ceramic cartridge extends from 50 to $10,000 \mathrm{cps}$. peaks at about 300 cps , and falls about 6 db per octave at 50 cps and 15 db per octave at $10,000 \mathrm{cps}$. Also, the impedance of a ceramic pickup decreases as the frequency is increased. On top of this non-linear characteristic the signal is
further complicated by the record manufacturers. Recordings are delibarately made with reduced amplitudes at low frequencies. a relatively flat middle frequency range, and increased amplitudes at high frequencies due to manufacturing difficulties in the preparation of plastic platters. Therefore, a carefully designed preamplifier sircuit is needed to hoost the low-frequency signals, reduce the highs and match the ceramic pickup's impedance hefore passing an equalized audio signal to the frequency-flat amplifier.

Fortunately, the recording industry had decided on a recording equalization standard (R.I.A.A.) and the characteristics of ceramic pickups are almost universally identical with respect to frequency lesponse and im-

## PARTS LIST FOR EQUALIZING PREAMP

C1-. 01 -mf. disc capacitor (voltage not critical)
C2-.0033-mf. disc capacitor lvoltoge nol critical)
C3-10-mf., 6-WVDC electrolytic copacitor
Q1-2N1091 npn transistor, RCA (Alternates ore 2N440, 440A, 635, 636, 636A, 1005, 1006)

R1—220,000-ohm, $1 / 2$-watt resistor $5 \%$
R2—33,000-ohm, $1 / 2$-watt resistor $5 \%$
R3-10,000-ohm, $1 / 2$-watt resistor $5 \%$
R4-4,700-ohm, $1 / 2$-watt resistor $10 \%$
1 —Perf-board cut to $21 / 4^{\prime \prime} \times 21 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ approx.
Mise.-Flea clips, bare and insulated wire, solder, etc.
Estimated cost: \$3.50
Construction time: $11 / 2$ hours.

> Layout of the components on the perforated circuit board is not at all critical-but watch ground connections if you take power from amplifier.
pedance output. Now. a preamplifier can be designed to straighten the frequency-output curve from a ceramic pickup's signal prior to being fed to a flat amplifier.

How it works. The schematic diagram for the ceramic-pickup preanılifier appears to be a basic common-emitter type using an $n p n$ small-signal transistor-except for the collector-base network (resistor R2 and capacitors C1 and C2). Resistors R1 and R3 provide fixed base bias. The amplifier's input impedance is made smaller than the pickup's impedance and Q1's current gain is made to vary inversely to the velocity response of the R.I.A.A. recording characteristics.

The negative feedback characteristics of the collector-base network does the equaliz-ing- Cl is the effective circuit element for frequencies between 30 and 500 Hz (cps); R2 between 500 and 2000 Hz ; and C2 above 2000 Hz .

The large amount of negative feedback reduces distortion and permits the use of low operating current in the collector circuit. This is essential for a low-noise output signal. The fact that no equalizing network is connected in series with the base also helps reduce noise.

The low input impedance of the preamplifier permits hookup to all available ceramic pickups on the market today. Remember, unlike a vacuum-tube amplifier circuit, this transistor preamplifier depends on

the apparent input impedance mismatch for proper audio equalization.

Putting It Together. Parts layout, shown in photo, closely matches the schematic diagram. All resistor, capacitor and transistor leads terminate at flea clips. If you prefer not to use flea clips, make all connections by passing leads through perf-board holes and soldering underneath perf-board. Twisted wire leads can be used to connect to ceramic pickup and amplifier input terminals. Shielded cables should be substituted if hum level is high. Also, it may be necessary to connect a 10 -mif. 6 -volt electrolytic capacitor across the power supply leads (watch polarity) if preamp taps power from phono's power supply.

Installation is not critical. Keep leads short and locate perf-board away from heat. A classical recording (with violins) can serve as a test record. Play the recording before and after modification-use your amp's $A U X$ input.

## A Safe Connection

- When making a wire connection for your projects. cut two one-inch pieces from a halfinch rubber tube. Split these and put one around

each wire at the connection point. Then wrap some plastic electrical tape over all, and it makes a neat, safe job. This idea is not suitable for power or lamp cords.


## Polystyrene Tubing Insulates Chokes

- To protect the metal ends of an RF choke from accidental contacts in a crowd-
 ed radio chassis saw a lengthwise slot on one side of a length of polystyrene tubing. and slip it over the RF choke. For straight-wound chokes, $1 / 2 \mathrm{in}$. O.D. tubing is about right. but for pie-wound chokes use larger tubing. Coildope or speaker-cement applied to wire leads where they enter tubing keeps tubing from slipping off choke. Or, heat the ends of the tubing and pinch them shut. Use color code to indicate value.


## HMEMLABCHECK

INTERNATIONAL CRYSTAL MODEL C-12B

## CB Frequency Meter

- It should be evident to every CBer that the FCC is hent on a real crackdown, for the monthly list of fines and forfeitures now runs several pages rather than several lines. And a quick perusal of the list shows that next to transmitted obscenities, off-frequency operation ranks near the top of the pinkticket list.

But there is really no reason why any CBer should risk losing his license because of off-frequency operation. For the truth of the matter is that any communications service shop or CB club shop should te equipped with a frequency meter.

A frequency check is difficult? Nonsense. With a frequency meter specifically designed for CB, such as International Crystal's model C-12B, it takes but ten seconds to check each channel. Equally important, operation is so simple the check could be performed by a child.

Twenty-three Plus. The C-12B is a hybrid (tube and transistor), battery-powered frequency meter specifically designed for the Citizen's Band. It has 23 switch-selected frequencies plus a spare (the 24th position). In addition to checking frequency with a claimed accuracy of $.0015 \%$, the meter will also measure percent modulation and the transceiver's RF power output.

The meter is supplied with a separate pickup box (called the PK) that provides a dummy load for the transmitter and acts as an attenuator when the frequency meter is used as a precision signal generator. The meter's direct output provides an unmodulated signal (for alignment, say) of 100 microvolts; with the PK box in the circuit, the output at the end of the PK's test cable is one microvolt.


Block diagram shows frequency measurement system. PK box samples RF signal fed "into the ${ }^{\text {® }}$ dummy load-feeds it to mixer. ${ }^{\text {a }}$

a special mark at the maximum permitted deviation of 1350 Hz .

The Acid Test. Is the $\mathrm{C}-12 \mathrm{~B}$ reliable? Is it really a secondary frequency standard the CBer and the service shop can depend on? To find out, we checked the C-12B against a Hewlett-Packard counter with a known accuracy of 1 Hz . The results are shown in the table. Column 1 shows the channel, col-

| Channel | Frequency in Hz | C-128 Output | Error in Hz |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | 26965000 | 26964971 | 29 |
| 2 | 26975000 | 26974990 | 10 |
| 3 | 26985000 | 26985002 | 2 |
| 4 | 27005000 | 27004992 | 8 |
| 5 | 27015000 | 27014992 | 8 |
| 6 | 27025000 | 27024995 | 5 |
| 7 | 27035000 | 27035002 | 2 |
| 8 | 27055000 | 27054986 | 14 |
| 9 | 27065000 | 27065014 | 14 |
| 10 | 27075000 | 27075004 | 4 |
| 11 | 27085000 | 27085018 | 18 |
| 12 | 27105000 | 27104979 | 21 |
| 13 | 27115000 | 27114984 | 16 |
| 14 | 27125000 | 27125000 | 1 |
| 15 | 27135000 | 27134951 | 49 |
| 16 | 27155000 | 27155002 | 2 |
| 17 | 27165000 | 27165009 | 9 |
| 18 | 27175000 | 27175002 | 2 |
| 19 | 27185000 | 27185004 | 4 |
| 20 | 27205000 | 27205016 | 16 |
| 21 | 27215000 | 27215003 | 3 |
| 22 | 27225000 | 27225019 | 19 |
| 23 | 27255000 | 27255037 | 37 |
| 24 | No crystal provided (spare) |  |  |



Operating panel of the International Crystal C-12B (left) and internal layout (above) shows the major portions of this accurate ( $\pm 100 \mathrm{~Hz}$ ) frequency meter for CB.
umn 2 the assigned frequency, column 3 the actual reference frequency of the $\mathrm{C}-12 \mathrm{~B}$, and column 4 the $\mathrm{C}-12 \mathrm{~B}$ 's error in Hz . Note that the error is less than the specified 100 Hz and in many instances less than 10 Hz .

Allowing for interpolation of the meter scale (which is calibrated in units of 60 Hz ), the maximum error of the model we obtained would be considerably less than 100 Hz . Frequency drift from the moment of throwing the power switch to the moment of measurement (a few seconds) was less than 10 Hz , again keeping total error well within the claimed 100 Hz .

As far as the mechanical operation is concerned, things couldn't be easier. You feed in the transmitter's signal, set the mode switch to $R F$, adjust the level control until the meter pointer lines up with a scale mark, then switch to deviation. The meter then indicates frequency deviation instantly; total measurement time is less than 10 seconds.

Other Functions. To use the $\mathrm{C}-12 \mathrm{~B}$ as a power meter, you simply set the mode switch to $R F$ and turn the level control full clockwise. The $\mathrm{C}-12 \mathrm{~B}$ then indicates the transmitter's output power, and in the unit we tested it does so with an accuracy better than the claimed $1 / 4$ watt. For example, when the actual power fed into the unit was 3.0 watts, the C-12B indicated an input of 3.2 watts.

Since the C-12B's meter is damped, a sustained word rather than a string of words must be used for modulation tests in order to permit the meter to rise to peak value. For example, when the speech input was a long
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You can add a Beat-Frequency Oscillator to just about any all-band receiver without digging into the chassis. All connections are external but you can get better shortwave reception with a direct connection.

by C. M. Stanbury II

Many receivers for the general public have a short wave band but no BFO (beatfrequency oscillator). Most hams today use either Morse code (CW) or single-sideband (SSB) voice (both of which require a BFO), and cannot be tuned in on receivers without a BFO circuit. But there is a solution. Go to a war-surplus dealer, purchase the lowest priced longwave receiver he has at hand, and you're in business.

Mere's How. Just about all modern receivers, especially those which are intended for the general public, are put together using a superheterodyne circuit (not that there is anything necessarily "super" about the homeentertainment version of it). The signal from the antenna is picked up by the RF stage of the receiver-at the station's actual frequency. In the type of set we're dealing with here, little amplification takes place in the RF (radio frequency) stage. Instead it is immediately converted to a fixed intermediate frequency (1F), and usually centers on $455 \mathrm{kHz}(\mathrm{kc})$. Because this narrow band of frequencies is fixed, tuned-amplifier circuits can be built much more economically.

Now if you had a receiver intended for anateur or communications listening, it would have a beat-frequency oscillator oper-
ating very near the intermediate frequency. The BFO is actually a miniature transmitter (oscillator) built into the receiver and putting out a microvolt signal. For example. in Lafayette's brand new HA-700 the BFO operates at either 452.5 or 457.5 kHz (and if necessary can be adjusted for any value in between). When a CW carrier is tuned dead on, it appears in the IF stage at exactly 455 kHz , beats with that BFO just 2.5 kHz away and in turn produces an audio note of 2500 Hz (cps). ( 1 kHz equals 1000 Hz , of course.) The dots and dashes are then easily readable (heard as dots and dashes).

What To Do? But we're forgettingyou've inherited a SW receiver without a beat-frequency oscillator. So obviously what you must do is add a BFO to your present receiver. And because you are just a beginner, this must be accomplished in the simplest way possible. Which brings us back to that war-surplus longwave receiver. Most of these are blessed with a BFO which operates at the LW sets' own IF (somewhere below 200 kHz ) and all will tune the SW rigs' IF. (Be carcful-some were regenerative circuits not superhets.) By now I'm sure the idea is begimning to dawn on you. If not then consider this little experiment.

Put the two receivers side by side on a table. Pick out a station on the SW dial, then turn the set's volume down to nil but not far enough to turn the power off. Now tune the LW receiver to 455 . Lo and behold-there is your SW station.

Why? Well, because every inexpensive shortwave rig radiates slightly at its intermediate frequency. Whatever it picks up is rebroadcast at 455 kHz and your longwave receiver will pick this up. Of course youll want maximum IF pickup. To ohtain this, the two receivers should be connected to a common antenna. And if this still doesn't provide enough pickup, have a qualified technician hitch the SW IF's output directly into the LW's RF circuit. But we emphasize the person who does this must be fuliy qualified. If you try it yourself. the results could be "shocking." Anyuay, in most cases the common antenna will do the trick.

Pitfalls. Now in setting up this system there are a few pitfalls to avoid. First be sure the I.W receiver does tune to the IF-

that is, it must have a band covering the 400 through 500 kHz range. Next, he sure the LW rig you buy is war surplus and not a new one, otherwise you could wind up paying more than a regular Ham receiver would have cost. Sometimes the hand switches on these old rigs act up, however. for amateur purposes. once the receiver is on that 455 kHz band, you shouldn't care less. On the other hand, this should knock down that price still further. For more exact details on price, pick out the appropriate dealers from their ads in this issue (and literature I.ibrary), then write them.

There is one more thing to look out for. We said that the two receivers should be connected to a common antenna. But sometimes connecting the SW receiver on the hookup will badly detune the I.W antenna circuit. If this does happen. simply place a very small capacitor (not bigger than $50 \mu \mu \mathrm{f}$ but the value is net critical) between the longwave lead and main antenna which in turn is attached directly to the SW rig. This effectively isolates the two tuning circuits. This is a must if you decide to connect into the IF amplifier directly.

All Set. So now youre all set for (W reception. You're also ready to receive single-sidehand transmissions but these will require much more careful tuning. A SSB signal is just like one using standard AM (arrplitude modulation) except that one side. hand (which you won't miss) and the car. rier have been removed. In order to hear single-sideband voice transmissions in an intelligitle manner you must produce your own carrier within the IF. The BFO, of course, makes this possible. (Turn pase)

Military-surplus longwave receiver (above) picks up the IF radiation and gives added selectivity for those crowded bands devoted to brass pounding. BFO in longwave receiver puts the dits and dahs back into the Morse code messages.
Short wire from antenna post (right) is wrapped around outdoor antenna lead for capacitive coupling. Direct connection to last IF stage, through very-small-value capacitor, is befter.


Using The BFO. However, in order for your BFO to act successfully as a substitute carrier two conditions must be met. First, it must appear in the IF, frequency-wise, exactly where the station's own carrier, if it had one, would be. Second, strength of modulation and artificial carrier must be the same in that IF stage. Both problems are considerably simplified in this instance because the living-room type of all-band (SW) receiver you are now being forced to use


The 5- to $10-\mathrm{mmf}$ capacitor reduces detuning of If amplifier to a minimum but after the connection is made last stage should be repeaked. If signal goes to longwave receiver through a short length of coaxial lead.
is not very selective, which means a range of signals at least 10 kHz wide $(5 \mathrm{kHz}$ on each side of the tuned frequency) will be passed on to the LW receiver with their comparative strengths unaltered. Then because just about all superheterodyne sets are blessed with AVC (automatic volume control), you merely have to tune the LW receiver up and down those IF signals until the desired modulation becomes readable. However, because of the military rig's own high degree of selectivity, the amateur station's modulation level will probably be weaker than normal. To compensate for this, push the LW's audio gain (volume) well up.

How Good? Now before anybody gets delusions of grandeur, we'll level with you. This system will not work as ivell as a regular Ham receiver. It is intended strictly for those who have inherited (gratis) one of those highly polished, so-called hi-fi sets, or even one of the many transistorized portables whose shortwave band has been added just "for luck." On the other hand, when you consider that such rare amateur loggings as FK8AB New Caledonia, CR5SP Sao Tome, a number of Antarctic stations, etc. (who use almost nothing but single sideband), we think you'll agree that the effort involved in using this inexpensive converter combination is well spent.

## Doorbell Silencer

Here's a simple way of silencing that doorbell or buzzer so that it won't wake Junior taking his afternoon nap.

Pick up a smiall twist switch with threaded shaft and nut for panel mounting from your hardware store or "five-and-dime." Remove the cover or housing from your doorbell and drill a hole through it large enough to pass the threaded shaft on the switch. Make sure the switch body inside the housing won't interfere with the bell mechanism.
Remove the wire conling from the bell transformer from its terminal and connect one of the pigtail wires on the switch to the transformer terminal. Then connect the transformer wire to the other pigtail wire on the switch by twisting then together and taping.

You don't have to turn off the house current for this job-house bell circuits carry

only 6 volts. However, it is wise to do so if you must stand on a chair or stepladder.

Replace bell housing, and have someone press doorbell button so you will know if the switch is in the "on" or "off" position.

# THE" "NEW MOD"SOIDIER GOES EIEETRONIC 

Yesterday's science fiction has become today's fact
By K.C. KIRKBRIDE


- Come a day soon the lowly foot-slogger will become a one-man division, complete with his oun missile and missile launcher, landing apparatus. communications equipment. And he'll carry his gear wherever he goes.

A soldier turned packhorse'? Hardly. For much of the new weaponry emerging from maior research today rivals tiny Alice for uonder. Fantastic though it seems. the foot soldier of tomorrow will carry whole systems on his back. weapons that draw from astronomy and space and molecular electronics, and shame the crude armaments of the past.

Was a time man warred with sticks and stones, bows and arrows, and lances and swords. He rode off to hattle resplendent on a white horse, with metal vest and gleaming sword and flowing cape. But for all his splendid heauty he was a pretty vulnerable target for the guy who didn't like him. So as time went on and he sharpened up a bit he fashioned more skillful weapons: the rifle, the machine-gun, the grenade. But never in his history, with all his advancing lechnology. has man designed instruments of war as sophisticated as the ones he tests today.

World's First. Using advanced radar techniques. RCA engineers have built a canny system that will mount on the barrel of a rifle, an M-79 grenade launcher, or an M-60 automatic. It function: to spot mowing enemy targets, whether walking or running, man or animal, large or small, jeep or ten-ton truch. (Contimued Overleaf)


## THE"NEW MOD"SOLDIER



When tomorrow's soldier wants to spot a target in an area, he will simply switch a control on the back of his weapon. The world's smallest radar will then look over the situation, let its soldier boss know when it spots a target by emitting a series of eerie sounds. Ranging all the way from a low groan to a high-pitching squeal, such noises will reveal whether the radar has spotted a walking man, a crawling man, a man who is running. or a speeding vehicle.

Doppler Squeals. In essence, the radar -like any other-is simply applying Doppler know-how, the principle that says a sound or radio wave shortens as the emitting object moves toward the listener, lengthens as the object moves away. And the Doppler effect in this 2-16. radar wonder results from the frequency- or pitch-change in the radar's $9-\mathrm{gHz}$ signals, which, converted to sound frequencies in a headset, can tell the soldier which type of target he has spotted and where it is.

In battlefield operation, the Doppler return will sound much like an off-key siren winding up when the vehicle it spots is moving away. Since the up and down and lateral vibrations of a truck all show different rates from those of a small vehicle such as a jeep, the characteristic differences between targets are distinctly discernibleeven when pickup targets are traveling at the
same rate of speed over a particular terrain.
The new radar spots almost anything that moves and at almost any speed-from 2 feet per second to over 45 miles per hour. And while performing its duties it puts up with no nonsense from the enemy. In fact, it is virtually immune to jamming, and a scrambler turns the radar beam into radio noise for enemy detectors.

Over Yonder. Should Mr. Radar miss the enemy lurking over the horizon, Lockheed's clever "Ping Pong" will spot him. For L.ockheed engineers have just tested the world's first round-trip missile, a lightweight fellow that scouts the enemy, takes his picture, and return-trips on its own.

All the future soldier will have to do is aim and shoot, then wait for "Ping Pong" to return, guided by its programmed sensors and sliding fins. Already flight-tested near l.ockhed's Burhank plant in California, the first-of-its-kind carries a rocket on each end. And in spite of all its propulsion power, Ping Pong makes little noise except for a brief "sput" when fired. After that it is as mum as any other cloak-and-dagger agent.

Spot The Sneak. But what if the enemy hides his tank or jeep under a camouflage net? Fairchild Space and Defense Systems has built a see-through-everything camera that will spot the sneak in its hiding place. Applying spectograph technique, the camera

filters densities of light by wavelength, detects minute differences in living. dying, and dead foliage by chlorophyll content so that a photointerpreter can see tiny shadows that may reveal a tank's hiding place.

Four rotating lenses of 3 -in. focal length record images of the target through filters of different wavelengths side by side on $91 / 2-$ in. infrared roll film. The blue, green, red, and near-intrared filters show up as black-and-white densities proportioned to the brightness of the filtered light.

To the person inexperienced in interpreting the finer points of photos, these gradations indicate changes in terrain unspottable in conventional photography. When advanced color techniques are added, the Fairchild picture may show the terrain in blue, the hiding tank in shocking pink.

Calling Centers. With all these electronic aids, tomorrow's soldier won't need worry too much about enemy surprise attack. But speeding information to command centers will call for split-second communications.

To this end, Litton Industries has built a microminiature radio transmitter that weighs only four pounds, complete with batteries. Formally named the "Digital Message Entry Device," it will sped messages in digital form in less than half a second. The sender-soldier need only set one of 22 "thumbwheel" switches in position and press
the transmitting switch. Instantly, the digital message will burst over the airwaves to be picked up at a command center by a standard receiver.

Each of the 22 numbers represent a prearranged message. And when the sender hears a responsive hum in his helmet he knows his message has been decoded. Inımune to jamming, the "entry" will be especially valuable for future allied soldiers who speak different languages. since they will be able to communicate in code.

Tiny TV. Though digital messages cannot show tactical situations as they happen on the battlefield, the television picture can. To send pictures to field commanders behind the front lines, Westinghouse has devised the world's tiniest TV camera. Even today the smallest space camera weighs up to four pounds, calls for 100 to 200 cubic inches of space and 9 to 30 watts of power. But not this tiny viewer.

The Westinghouse molecularized wonder weighs only $1 \mathrm{lb} ., 7 \mathrm{oz}$. and is believed to be the lightest and smallest TV camera ever built. With a l-in. vidicon camera tube. the unit is about as long as a two-cell tlashlight. Without lens, it measures $71 / 2 \mathrm{in}$. long. 2 in . wide, $31 / 4 \mathrm{in}$. deep, occupies only 50 cu . in. and runs on 4 watts of power.

Asked how they can make a camera that dainty. Westinghouse engineers say they owe

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all to a special electrostatic tuhe that includes a binary countdown synchronizing generator capsule of producing standard interlaced 525 -line scanning at 30 frames per second. Its 197 miniature componentscompared to 582 in conventional circuitryinclude 36 molecular blocks, giving the camera its sync generation, amplification, and scanning. And the midget even manages picture quality comparable to its grown-up TV-studio sisters.

To match the tiny camera, Westinghouse offers a receiver mate. $31 / 2 \mathrm{in}$. high, $11 / 2 \mathrm{in}$. wide, $4^{1 / 2} \mathrm{in}$. deep, adding up to 21 cu . in. in all. Truly microelectronic, the VHF receiver midget gets its gumption from rechargeable silver-cadimum batteries.

Soft Touchdowns. As important to the New Mod soldier as intelligence and communications will be the ability to land on his feet in the new helicopter warfare. To fashion "shoes" for the foot soldier forced to parachute-land or drop onto a tree-top landing mat from a helicopter, lockheed borrowed from its moon-landing know-how.

Originally designed to cushion the lunar excursion modules (IEM) when they land on the moon. the DynaSorb "shoes" are fashioned of metal tuhing slotted at one end. Under stress the metal curls in upon itself, much in the manner of a party noisemaker. In this way, the new shoes will absorh energy impact on landing.

In lockheed's design, a cylindrical tube is notched at measured intervals around its tase. On impact a cone rises within the tube and extends the splits which have a natural tendeney to coil. A control ring on the outside of the tube will govern the splitting rate and the tightness of the coils which bear the impact. The "shoes" come in a variety of hardy metals that can withstand Superman stresses.

Red-Eye. But probably the most amazing of all the new-day small-wonder weaponry is an anti-aircraft missile a soldier can fire from his shoulder, giving him for the first time an effective weapon to protect himself against low-flying aircraft. (ieneral Dy-


DynaSorb footwear, originally intended to cushion moon landings, may also come in handy for parachute jumps and helicopter exitings. Design of device is such that it automatically absorbs stress of impact.
namics has already tested a 4 -ft., solid-fuel, infrared-nosed weapon weighing only 28 lhs . Not only will it fire from the shoulder, but the device also is designed to home onto any low-flying craft and blast it with a highexplosive narhead.

Tomorrou's soldier will simply point the fiher-glass launcher toward the target. And when the missile signals audibly or visually that it's sighted the target, the gunner will uncage the seeker. let the red-nosed wonder soar toward the heat of the enemy's engine.

A two-stage job, the first stage will thrust 20 ft . after firing, sufficient distance to safeguard the soldier. The second stage will then soar on target, with the missile's control taking in continuous target information and signalling the fin wings just what to do to speed toward enemy rendezvous.

With its microelectronic circuits all on tiny silicon chips, the amazing small-wonder missile will form part of the harness tomorrow's soldier will carry. Significantly, a pack including all the new weapons systems just described will weigh no more than a portable television set. But it will give tomorrow's soldier the most sophisticated weaponry man has ever known.

## HEATHKIT MODEL AD-16

Solid-State
Stereo Tape Recorder

- It's not uncommon these days to run into people who automatically assume that anything offered as professional equipment is pure junk. And they do have a point, since anyone exposed to "professional recorders" at $\$ 29.95$ and "professional amplifiers" at $\$ 19.95$ could hardly believe otherwise.

This makes it all the more unusual to find a really professional recorder that isn't touted as such. Yet the Heath AD-16 is just thata professional recorder of the type you could very well find in a broadcast or recording studio. What makes the Heath a professional recorder is that it originally started out as a professional machine-a Magnecord.

It appears that Heath took an already existing "professional" recorder, reduced it to its component parts, and eliminated some tricky equalization adjustments that could give the nontechnical user some headaches.


Heath then added a construction manual, packed the unit in a shipping carton, and offered it at a savings of aimost $\$ 2(0)$ below the wired (Magnecord) price. As far as we can determine, the major difference between the Heath AD-16 and the original Magnecord lies in the elimination of the adjustable frequency equalization-the Heath model provides only fixed equalization for a basic "flat" response.

Sound interesting? You bet it is. And there are some other surprises. Unlike some other recorders that are jam-packed with almost useless features and accessories, the Heath is as straightforward as a sunny day in June. There are no slide-projector control circuits, no automatic echo, no automatic sound-on-sound; in fact, no automatic anything to run up the cost. The price of the Heath AD-16 represents only the transport


Fig. 1. Record-play response of Heath AD-16 at $33 / 4 \mathrm{ips}$ was in keeping with company's claim of $\pm 3 \mathrm{db}$, 30 to $10,000 \mathrm{~Hz}$. Note that both channels offer approximately the same response.

Fig. 2. Overall record-play response of Heath AD-16 at $71 / 2$ ips again was generally in line with manufacturer's specifications. Two channels differ by factor of only 1 db .

and electronics necessary for straight four track stereo recording.

Focus On Feotures. Among the many features of the AD-16 are three heads-for simultaneous playback (monitoring) while recording; an L-Stereo-R mode switch that permits recording on either the $L$ or $R$ track or both: pilot lamps to indicate the track(s) in the record mode; a built-in mixer that pernits mixing the signals from the microphone and auxiliary input jacks; independent, friction-clutched controls for microphone, auxiliary, and output level; two stereo (or mono) headphone jacks that can accommodate any headphone inpedance; two amplified VU meters that monitor the input and playback levels. In short, the AD-16 boasts every feature you would expect to find in any truly professional (broadcastquality) recorder.

The tape transport is a three-motor affair, with one for the capstan, one for the supply reel, and one for the take-up reel. Pushbut-ton-operated solenoids, rather than complex mechanical levers, activate the appropriate drive mechanisms. In addition to the usual play, fast forward, fast rewind, record, and interlock buttons, there is a cue button that is perfect for locating a specific spot on a recording and for doing professional-style editing.

Putting It Together. Except for the head assembly. the entire AD-16 is user-assembled. Building the electronic side of the AD-16 consists primarily of pushing components into a printed circuit board and soldering. And putting the transport together is not notably difficult since solenoid operation sharply reduces the number of mechanical components and simplifies adjustment of those which remain. The all-important head assembly is pre-mounted at the factory to insure that tracks are properly positioned on


Bottom view of recorder reveals input and output jacks mounted on access plate, which also contains posts for storing line cord.
the tape, although the builder must make final head-azimuth alignments. A full set of height and positioning adjustments is provided for each head should the need arise for head replacement or repair. The instruction manual goes into detail on this.

Pushbutton controls are part of the transport deck, as is a belt-driven, resettable revolutions counter. A "tape gate" is also part of the transport and is pulled in by a solenoid in the play, record, and cue modes. A builtin tape-break switch (auto-stop) doubles as a supply-reel compliance arm, and a compliance arm is also provided for the take-up reel.

The deck is completely operative upon completion of assembly except for the minor spring tension adjustments. Only setting the bias current and aligning the heads remain, and Heath provides a special tape for these two adjustments. The tape provides
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Top view of unit shows location of heads, VU meters, and pushbutton controls. Use of pushon terminals on leads to and from head and between transport and printed-circuit board obviates need for soldering.

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## KNIGHT-KIT SAFARI III

## 23-Channel Portable

## CB Transceiver

- The latest addition to Knight's line of CB transceivers really offers something different and unusual, which, although it may not appeal to all, will certainly find a home with some.

The Safari Ill looks much the same as any other solid-state rig, with the usual PTT microphone. But the difference is that the mike is in reality a speaker/mike; release the PTT switch, and the sound is right out there in front of your face. Ambient noise too high? Just move the mike next to your ear and literally pour the sound down the canal.

Priced al $\$ 84.50$, the Safari III is available only as a semi-kit. To insure that the transmitter meets FCC regulations, the entire transmitter section is factory-wired, tuned, and adjusted. The builder makes absolutely no adjustments to the transmitter section during or after construction. Building the kit consists, essentially, of mounting the receiver and modulator components on the printed circuit board (the transmitter and receiver utilize the same board). And


Since output jack is part of printed-circuit assembly, entire transceiver can be removed as unit for service and adjustment.

with the exception of the front panel controls and power-cord socket, there are few components which are not mounted on the PC board.

Push And Solder. Construction is not difficult since most of the work consists of pushing the components through the matching holes and soldering. Typical of Knightkits utilizing printed-circuit wiring, the printed wiring in this unit has an "anti-run" coating that exposes the copper foil only at the point to be soldered. Even if you use excessive heat or solder, the solder will be confined to the exposed copper (a good feature for beginners and olctimers alike).

The unly point at which extreme care must be taken is with the crystal-socket-to-selectorswitch wiring. Although the transceiver is normally supplied with but one set of crystals. there are sockets for full 23-channel operation. That means 46 crystals, and, therefore, 46 leads running to the selector switch. While the selector switch wires are color-coded, the same color is used several times. As a result, extra care must be used to insure that the right socket lead goes to the right selector terminal (yep. we goofed).

Ready To Go. When the kit assembly is completed you're in for a real surprise. For with the exception of the three second-uscillator coil adjustments, all receive coils are pre-aligned. Even a carefal instrument alignment made absolutely no improvement in performance!

The finished transceiver line-up is one stage of RF, two stages of overload-protected IF amplitication, a noise limiter, an S-meter amplifier. and the usual audio section. The transmitter uses three transisturs.

Performance is just about what you would expect from this line-up. Power output at

Although it looks like any other microphone, this one doubles as the Safari III's speaker.

13.6 V (battery supply) was 4.6 watts into a 50 -ohm load. Modulation, under the best conditions, peaked at $80 \%$, running about $50 \%$ on an average voice level (if there is such a thing as an average voice level).

Receiver sensitivity checked out at $1.8 u \mathrm{v}$ for a $10 \mathrm{db} \mathrm{S}+\mathrm{N} / \mathrm{N}$ (signal plus noise to noise) ratio. AGC action, that is, the variation in audio output for a 94 db variation in RF input signal, was 23 db . Adjacent channel rejection was slightly better than 35 db -not super-selective by any means but adequate in all but the most heavily congested CB areas and certainly adequate for straight family and business communications.

Talk And Listen. Because of the speaker
arrangement we could not use the standard test for audio power output as it would be meaningless. Subjectively, the signal reproduction is quite good if you favor having the speaker in the microphone. Unlike very early CB transceivers which utilized speaker/mikes and delivered a mulfled, "hollow" sound, the Safari III delivers a notably intelligible signal from the speaker/mike.

To us, response appeared devoid of all highs and lows-it was all mid-range, such as you'd expect from a very good quality intercom. While it was a bit unusual to have the sound coming from the mike, under high ambient noise levels it proved advantageous to be able to direct the sound directly into the ear. But it might prove a bit cumbersome to utilize this system in a quiet office.

Many options are available for the Safari III. You may purchase individual crystals at $\$ 2.50$ each, or a full set at $\$ 69.95$. There is a portable battery pack that accepts $D$ cells or rechargeable alkalines, and an AC power pack that also doubles as a battery charger. For field use there is a canvas carrying bag and a portable antenna specially designed to be used with the battery pack.

For additional information on the Safari III, write Dept. 20, Allied Radio Corp., 100 N. Western Ave., Chicago, III. 60680.

##  <br> Shrunken Antenna

Limited in antenna space? Here is a lowcost three-band system that will fit the average backyard and is ideal for the novice amateur operator since it's designed for 80 , 40 and 15 meters.

The system is constructed with 300 -ohm television twin lead and consists of a 40-and 80 -meter dipole with the same feed line at the center. The entire system is "shrunk" to 100 ft . by bending the 80 -meter section back 12 ft . at each end. There is no noticeable sacrifice in performance.

Construct the antenna to the dimensions in the diagram, using copper-clad steel TV twin lead. Start by cutting two $50-\mathrm{ft}$. lengths of twin lead and attaching an egg insulator to a single insulator to form the center feed point.

From each outer end, measure back 12 ft . toward the center, then remove a $5-\mathrm{ft}$. section of conductor from one side of the twin lead. Attach the feed line and the system is ready to go on the air.

## for Expanded DX

Either 72 -ohm coax or twin lead may be used for feeding the system. A 72 -ohm twin lead reduces the weight which the antenna must support and keeps the system electrically balanced.

You should obtain adequate results with this antenna system of 80,40 , and 15 , and it will also work fairly well on 20 and 10 meters. But for the best overall performance. use an antenna tuner, if available.



by James A. Fred

Measuring the current drawn by an AC-powered circuit will often pinpoint those obscure defects in power transformers and other parts.

One of the benchmarks that separates the tinkerer from the serious electronic experimenter is an AC ammeter. Everyone has a VOM or a VTVM, but very few tinkerers ever measure AC amperes. There are many times when the ability to measure current will save the day on a repair job or an electronic design project.

To keep from draining the bank account an ammeter should be a multi-range job. I started with a (0-50 AC milliammeter simply because 1 had acquired one in a trade. You can usually pick up a good used one from Bigelow Electronics, P. O. Box 71, Bluftion, Ohio 45817 or buy an inexpensive new one. There are two general types of AC milliameters in use today. One is called an iron vane type while the other is simply a DC movement with a rectifier to change the AC circuit current to DC-meter current. The second is referred to as a rectifier-type ammeter. For the experimenters the inexpensive ironvane type is preferred and is the one used here.

Since the meter has a full-scale reading of 50 ma it is best to make it read three different values of current beginning with a five.

The selected ranges were: $0-50 \mathrm{AC}$ ma., 0 500 AC ma.. and 0-5 AC amperes.

It's The Shunt. You can make any range current meter that you need by following these directions. To make a milliameter read higher values of current it is necessary to put a shunt across the meter-you put a lower value resistance in parallel with the metercoil resistance. To make the 0.50 ma meter indicate 500 ma select the shunt so that 50 ma goes through the meter and 450 ma goes through the shunt. On the 5 ampere range there will be 50 ma flowing through the meter and 4.950 amperes through the shunt.

Internal Resistance. To find the resistance of the shunt you must know the internal resistance of the meter. To find this value connect the unknown meter in series with a battery and a rheostat. Adjust the series rheostat until the meter reads full scale. Connect a second rheostat in shunt (across the meter) and adjust the shunt until the meter reads half scale. See the drawing for this circuit. Disconnect the rheostat from across the meter and carefully measure its resistance. This value of resistance is equal to the resistance of the meter.

Shunt-Resistance Value. Using the following formula with the meter resistance just found you can determine the values of the shunt resistors.

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R=\frac{R m}{(n-l)}
$$

In this formula $R$ equals the shunt resistance, $R m$ is the meter resistance and $n$ is the scale multiplication factor. For example let's convert the ()-50 ma meter to read 0-5 amperes. The scale multiplying factor is 100 . If the meter resistance is 100 ohms then:

$$
R=(100-1)=1.01 \mathrm{ohms}
$$

The 1.01 -ohm shunt will have to carry 4.950 amperes at the full scale reading. By using the power equation

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P=1 * R
$$

we find that we need a 27 -watt resistor. A 50 watt adjustable resistor will work nicely here-if you actually intend to measure 5 amperes. (If all your work will be in the 2 ampere neighborhood a 25 -watt, 1 -ohm resistor will be adequate.) If the shunt resist-


To find internal resistance of meter set series rheostat for full scale on MI then connect shunt rheostat and set it for a half-scale indication on MI. Next measure resistance of shunt rheostat-it equals meter resistance. Schematic diagram below is a practical multirange ammeter-sircuit is for AC or DC meter.

ance figures oun to less than one ohm it may be necessary to make it from copper or nichrome wire. Kemember it will be necessary to multiply the scale readings by 100 when using this shunt. You can use the same formula to figure other values of shunts.

Calibration. When you get ready to check the calibration of your meter it would be wise to have another meter to use as a standard. Connect the standard anmeter. your meter, and a load of the proper size in series. (See the circuit diagram for this step.) Adjust the load for 2.5 amperes through the standard meter and adjust the shunt's resistance until your meter reads 2.5 amperes. Recheck the meter with a 5 -ampere load. A four-position single-pole switch is wired, as shown, to select the different meter ranges. A meter short-circuit position is included because it is good practice to always short out the meter until you are sure of your circuit. A phenolic board is used to mount the switch and resistor. The meter is mounted first in the aluminum box and then the phenolic board is mounted to the meter by the meter studs. The photographs show how everything goes together.

Easier Testing. Not only is an ammeter useful to an electronics experimenter, but many radio-TV repairmen are finding set

[^2]troubles with an AC ammeter. The ammeter described above will work on most radios, audio amplifiers, and TV sets. Do not use it on irons, toasters, or other high current devices. To make this meter more useful in checking line-cord powered devices an adapter (shown in the photographs) was developed.

Since there was no room in the meter box for an AC receptacle or fuse holder I decided to make an additional box that could be easily fastened to the meter box. The end dimension of the meter box was 4 -inches wide by 3 -inches high. A box 2 -inches deep that would match this would be great. but none are available. The nearest standard-size box is $4 \times 23 / 4 \times 2$-inches or you could cut down a $3 \times 4 \times 5$-inch box to match the meter case. An AC socket and plug are mounted on the front of the hox-on the top is a fuse holder and two 5 -way binding posts. The back of this box has two banana plugs that mate with two banana jacks mounted in the meter box. These banana plugs and jacks just hold the two boxes together and do not carry the meter current. Be sure and use an instrument fuse to pro-


You don't need to resort to a lot of figuring if you use the cut-and-try method of shunt design. Just connect the two meters in series and increase the resistance of the shunt until meters indicate the scme. Refer to the text.
tect the meter-they are faster than a conventional fuse.

How It Works. The device to be tested is plugged into the AC socket. A jumper cord, with banana plugs, connects the adapter and ammeter through the 5 -way binding posts on each box. This connection puts the meter circuitry in series with the fuse and AC plug. An $A C$ cord with a male plug on one


All circuitry inside meter case (left) is on phenolic board that mounts directly on meter terminals. Tapered end of phenolic board is to give better clearance for leads to Jl and 12. If you start with a larger case, adapter can be built in, eliminating J3, J4, J5 and J6 as well as P1 and P2. The 5 -amp fuse will not protect M1 if shunt resistor should open up.
end and a female socket on the other end is used to connect the ammeter adapter to a wall outlet.

One Use. I had no sooner finished the ammeter adapter than an opportunity came to use it. A two-cabinet stereo set came into my shop with the complaint that it was popping fuses. When I checked the units I found both fuses popped. I connected each unit to the ammeter adapter and found that each unit alone drew approximately one ampere. Tapping the tubes in the changer cabinet showed up a bad 5 Y3GT tube that caused the am-


Adapter circuit is simple to add to any ammeter. Fuse protects instrument but it will not prevent meter overload if a shunt should burn out-use meter fuse (see ammeter schematic) of meter rating.
meter to read 3 amperes. Since each unit should have had a 1.5 ampere fuse to start with, it was easy to figure why the fuse had gone. Further examination showed that the blown fuse in the other cabinet was only a


Bottom of adapter shows male and female connectors. Chassis-mount male plug lon left) is mounted in a shell to recess it below surface of adapter box to protect pins from damage. Fuse and 16 at top.
$3 / 4$ ampere size. Proper ( $11 / 2$ ampere) fuses were put into both amplifiers along with a new 5Y3GT tube and no more trouble was found. Monitoring the current for short intervals over a period of several days showed no change.

Many defects in electronic equipment can be detected with an AC ammeter. Some of these are: shorted or partially-shorted power transformers, bad tubes, and bad or leaky filter capacitors. It also makes it easy to decide what size fuse to put into newly designed (and built) electronic equipment. A safe rule-of-thumb is to install a fuse rated about one and a half times higher than the operating current.

## Desk Lamp Mike Stand

## Record that tall story using the desk lamp reflector to increase pickup range



A microphone stand for hand mikes (such as those that come with less expensive tape recorders) can be improvised from a flexible neck desk lamp with its cord removed (or at least disconnected), a plug to fit the lamp's socket, and a $1 / 8 \times 3 / 8 \mathrm{in}$. metal strip. Bend the metal strip to the size
necessary for the mike in question, and use as shown. To pick up faint sounds attach the lamp's bowl-type reflector to the lamp's socket to "funnel" or focus the sound into the mike. Face the mike toward the inside of the reflector. Position mike closer or further from the bowl for best pickup.



Constructing a unit with no springs to adjust and no relay contacts to pit or stick is possible if you switch with a regular unilateral SCR wired across a diode bridge.
n Just think about it! The nest time you show color slides of your last vacation you can sit on your dutf and enjoy a cool. mixed drink while your tape recorder does the work. A rich, clear narration prepared in advance patters out in step with changing slides without any effort on your part. Your guests will be entertained as well as curious about that gadget you call the Tape-Slide Synchronizer.

The Tape-Siade Symbluronizer is an electromechanical device which automatically actuates the slide-changer mechanism at the exact insiant dictated hy the commentary on the magnetic recording tape-thus assuring perfect synchronization of commentary and slides at all times. A taped slide-show commentary has a nunber of advantages over live, off-the-cuff commentary. One advantage is that important facts (that are hard to come by) will not be forgotten on successive showings as time goes by. Another advantage is that the show need not be postponed if your voice goes had the night of the performance. You can sit back. relax and enjoy yourself. IDon't forget that drink!!

[^3]Fiarly units were difficult to use. Some requared conductive m.ark, to he placed on the tape, others used a high-level atudio signal in the round track (which was ohjectionahle as it could be heard). In order to overcone the objection of the noise from the sync ignal. one unit operated on the complete absence of sound on the tape. A four-second (or longer) silent period would activate the slide-changer mechanism. This yintem was workahle with monaural tapes but it was difficult to record the commentary without patasing. thu, catlsing unwanted slide changes. Some success was also had using inatudible (ultrasonic) sync signals.

For Stereo Tape Recorders. With the advent of the two-and four-track stereo-tape record and playback equipment the disadvantages of the early units were automatically eliminated as the commentary could he recorded on one channel and the sync signal on the other. On playback the syne signal would operate the slide changer via the switch in the synchronizer. But even with this there were relay contact problems.

A Unique Circuir. This Tape-Slide Synchrenizer is solid state. Using the unilateral SCR (silicon-controlled rectifer) alone will pars only one half of the $A C^{\prime}$ (sine wave) power-still requiring a relay to switch on

and off the AC to the shaded-pole induction motor-which normally powers the semiautomatic slide changers. By using the SCR with a diode bridge circuit both halves of the $60-\mathrm{cycle}(\mathrm{Hz})$ power are passed and the relay can be eliminated. Another way to eliminate the relay is to use two SCRs in inverse parallel but this is more expensive.

Originally this Tape-Slide Synchronizer was used with a stereo record-playback tape deck with only one power amplifier and speaker-for the commentary channel.

The three-stage transistor amplifier operates the SCR circuit. It provides plenty of gain for use with the tape deck and even a small crystal microphone can be used to operate the slide changer and put a sync signal on the tape.

SCR-Diode Bridge Switch. The heart of this unit is the SCR-diode bridge switchthe basic switch circuit is shown top right. The SCR has high resistance between anode (A) and cathode (C) when there is no signal on the gate (G), and no AC can flow through the diode bridge to power the motor -it is off.

When the gate of SCRI is made positive (by a positive-going signal between gate and cathode) the resistance of SCR1 becomes very low between anode and cathode (it conducts) and the motor runs.

Conduction of both halves of the ACpower sine wave is brought about as follows: when the $A C$ cycle is positive at $W$, current


Unique basic circuit is heart of Slide Synchronizer. Power-line AC flows through motor M1 but DC flows through SCRI by way of diode bridge-simple and inexpensive.
flows through motor M1, then through D5 from A to B, through SCR1 to D2 (from D to $C$ ) back to the other side of the line (Y).

When the positive cycle of the AC line is at Y , current flows through D3 (from C to B), through SCR1 to D4 (from D to A), then back through motor M1 to the other side of the line ( $W$ ).

In like manner, the sync signal from the output of the tape recorder, when rectified and applied as a positive ( + ) pulse to the gate of the SCR-diode bridge, switches the slide-changer motor.

Solid-State Synchronizer. The complete schematic wiring diagram, including that for the slide changer, is shown below. Remote pushbution S2 is used to operate the slide changer. An Airquipt (model Y) semiautomatic slide changer is used here. However, practically any remote-pushbutton operated unit could be used. The slide changer is shown attached to a TDC



Complete sefup, ready for an automated slide show, has Tape-Slide Synchronizer between slide projector and tape machine. Use any automatic projector, stereo unit.
(model D) slide projector.
Current flows through the motor when S3 is pressed. (Numbers 1 through 4 shown on the slide-changer portion of the schematic are the actual contact numbers molded into the Cinch-Jones 4 -contact chassis socket in the slide changer.)

When the motor starts it operates the motor-driven cam switch (S4-wired in parallel with S3) keeping current flowing when S3 is released. After the changer has completed its cycle the cam switch opens, the motor stops-and everything is ready for another slide change when S3 is pressed again.

The Tape-Slide Synchronizer is connected electrically to the slide changer through the 4-contact plug and operates as follows:

Depressing SI connects the collector of the last stage of the three-transistor audio amplifier (through C1) to the input of the previous (second) stage converting it into a $1000-\mathrm{Hz}$ feedback oscillator. The $1000-\mathrm{Hz}$
signal from the ungrounded secondary of the output transformer is rectified by D1, passed through the RC filter ( R 2 and C4) to the gate of SCR 1. The $1(100-\mathrm{Hz}$ signal appears at the gate of SCR1 as a positive-going pulse-activating the solid-state switch which in turn powers the slide-changer motor as

## PARTS LIST

Cl -. 01 -mf, 200 volt, capacitor (miniature)
C2-.002-mf, 200 valf, capacitor (miniature)
C3- $1000-\mathrm{mf}$, 15 -vol!, electrolytic capacitor
C4- 15 -mf, 15 -volt, electrolytic capacitor
D1-IN540 silicon diode
F1-2-amp 3AG fuse
$11-6.3$-volt miniature pilat lamp
JI, J3-Phone jack, miniature open circuit
J2-Phone jack, miniature closed-circuit
P1-4-contact plug (Cinch-Jones P-304-CCT to fit slide-changer sockel)
R1- 5000 -ohm miniature potentiometer
R2, R3- $50-\mathrm{ohm}(47-o h m)$, 1 -watt resistor
S1-S.p.s.t. normally-open pushbutton (Grayhill $30-1$ s.p.s.t. or equiv. 1
S2-S.p.s.t. slide switch (Wirt or equiv.)
SCF1- 117 -volt, 4.7 -amp silicon controlled reclifier (GE-Z) or equiv.)
T1-Filament transformer, 117 -volt to 6.3 -volit, 0.6 amp Stancor P-6465 or equiv.

21-500-valt, 1-amp (Mallory FW-500 fullwove silicon bridge or equiv. 1
22-200-volt, 1-amp (Mallory FW-200 fullwave silicon bridge or equiv.)
1-3-transistor, miniature audio amplifer thafayelte PK-522 99 C90き9 or equiv.)
1-Chassis box, $6 \times 5 \times 21 / 2-\mathrm{in}$. Leut down from $91 / 2 \times 5 \times 2 \frac{1}{2}$; Bud AC403 or equiv. 1
Misc.-Phenolic board, terminals, machine screws, nuls, wire, solder, fuse holder, plastic (spaghetti) tubing, plugs, etc.

Estimated cost: \$14.00
Construction time: 3 hours


Large shaded areas show ariginal circuitry of prewired units used in Tape-Slide Synchronizer. Added circuitry is outside of shaded boxes.

## TAPF-SLIDE STMRPMZTR

previously explained. R2 limits the current through the gate circuit of SCRI to a safe value. C4 is the filter capacitor.

The output of the oscillator is also fed to the stereo-recorder input (from J3) and it is recorded as the sync signal on the control channel of the tape. The commentary is recorded in the usuat manner on the other channel of the tape at the same time.

During playback the output of the control channel of the recorder is connected (via J2) to the input of the second stage of the audio amplifier where it is amplified. rectified by DI and applied to the gutte of SCR1 -the solid-state switch powers the slidechanger motor.

Microphone Sync. A small crystal microphone can he plugged into JI and when the word "change" is spoken into the mike there is adequate amplification to operate the slide changer mechanism and record a sync signal on the control channel of the tape.
Tope Deck. If only a stereo tape deck (without power amplifier) is available, there is ample amplification for both recording and playback of the syne signal on the control channel using either the microphone or SI. On playback, the output of the tapedeck preamp (which contains the sync signal) should he connected to Jl for the necessary amplification. During recording the sync signal from jack J3 is connected


This ver.ion of Tape-Slide Synchronizer has top-of-the-cabinet lettering facing operator. Cables come out of unit on the side of cabinet away from the operator.
to the input of the tape-deck preamp. Using Stereo Recorder. Extremely smooth operation has heen obtained using the Tape-Slide Symehronizer with a Wollensak T 1580 stereo recorder. With this recorder the sync signal can he taken off at J2 (instead of J3) and applied to the input of the control channel to record the sync signal. On playback the output of the control channel can he taken from the external speaker jack and fed to J 2 where it is amplified and operates the solid-state switch.

With this setup, output jack J3 is never used and the recorder cable need not be changed from J3 to J2 (in the Tape-Slide Synchronizer) when going from record to playhack. (Comtinued on page //8)

Inside view of the Tape-Slide Synchronizer shows most of circuitry is contained on circuit boards mounted vertically on skirts of metal chassis box. Ready-made plafe covers bottom when finished.

 Ora because on the air he came. Darn it!
"Unit 1, CQ Unit 1." His carrier cut out briefly. "This is Unit 3 with emergency traffic." He sounded breathless and all that.

I pretended not to hear and speeded up a little more.

"Unit I, come back. We've been invaded. l'm driving from Cometland toward Ora's. They're only a mile or so behind me on the highway." Nat paused for breath and assumed his most desperate tone. "Do you read me?',

Cometland is a resort about 20 miles up the coast. With one hand on the wheel and the other on my transceiver, I decided to play along. I put myself on the air. "Unit 1 to Unit 3, invaded by what? Dragons from Mercury or gnomes from who knows where?"
"Giants in spaceships. A whole army of them. They've completely taken over Cometland." His signal inched up a little on the S-meter.

Ora broke in. "With this fog, how can you tell?"

Unit 3, undaunted. "Unit 1, you'd better turn back. I'll pick up Ora and meet you further south."

Yours truly pushed a little harder on that accelerator. "Sure you will."

She, sweetly, "Whoever gets here first
Nat kept it up. "l'n not fooling, Unit 1. They've turned Cometland into a base and more spaceships are landing right now. You can hear them coming in from here." There was a loud hum in the background.

I yawned a little. "So you brought your shaver with you. And don't forget the last CB'er who sent a phony distress got two years in the pen."

It was her turn. "Maybe he's not worried because the license is in your name. Anyway, man, you'd better make it here within five minutes."
"Just passed the lighthouse. Ora. That makes it less than a mile." The fog horn was really blowing up a storm and now the visibility had dropped to absolute zero. I slowed down, thought about that license bit, and began to sweat a little. "'nit 3, this is Unit 1. As licensee l've just cancelled your operating privileges."

A moment of quiet and then he returned. But now that hum was really tremendous. "One of their ships is right overhead. I think it's after me. The thing is draining power from my batteries." His signal dipped appropriately. "Now my car has stalled and I can't move." With the most tremendous panic you ever heard come out of a CB receiver. "They're landing on the road in front of me." He faded out completely.

Ora took over the channel. "Hey, Unit 1 , it's now $8: 45$. Do you figure those astronauts out there in the fog would treat me better than you guys do?"

I inched around a final curve by following the shoulder of the road. "Wouldn't het on it."
"Well, I may get the chance to find out hecause there's a big bright light coming up over the northern horizon."

I put myself back on the air quick. "If Nat's arrived there first, both your operating privileges are cancelled."

Thirty seconds of dead air.
"Nobody here except me, yet. But if he's kidding, how come we're the only two people on the air?" She laughed ever so slightly, almost nervous. "Anywhere, any band."

Enough! Between the fog and Nat's phony distress, I was really hung up. "All right, girl, if you really want to play, standby." I switched on my general coverage converter and began working down through the international SWBC bands. 16 and 19 meters were absolutely dead but on $15,016 \mathrm{kHz}$ some bird with a phony accent and a madeup language was sending messages. I returned to CB and hit the airwaves again. "Nat, it's also illegal to transmit off the Citizen's Band. Do you read me?"

Silence.
On 15.016 those weird messages continued to flow. I moved on down through 25 and 31 meters which were also blank. Static showed up around 6 MHz but still no stations. A funny feeling crept into the pit of my stomach.

The AM broadcast band was also silent.
I put my CB transmitter on in a hurry. "Ora, do you read me?"

Her signals were so weak I couldn't make out what she said hut now I was close enough to see her house through the fog. In front of it-a spaceship and astronauts. Giants, most of them six feet tall, well over 175 pounds, no tails at all. And that's how in the year $X / 4000$ Venus was conquered by invaders from the planet Earth.

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Starting this issue we have made our propagation forecasts even easier for shortwave listeners to use. If you are DXing at a certain hour, simply run down the left-hand column in the Forecast table until you find the appropriate time slot, then look across to the right and determine what is available on which bands for each major area in the world. Bands in brackets are promising second choices. Time intervals are for your local standard time. If you live in the Central Standard Time (CST) zone then the Time column in our Forecast table is CST.

On the other hand, if you are listening for one particular part of the world only, check

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the Peak DX Periods table first to see what time the best DX is available from that area. Follow this time slot across in Forecast table to determine the best bands. If you live in the CST zone, use the Eastern column but deduct I hour.

Peak DX Periods

| Area | Eastern (EST) | Western (PST) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Asia (except Near East) | 0000-0900 | 1800.0900 |
| Europe, Near East \& Africa (N. of the Sahara) | 1200.2400 | $1200 \cdot 2400$ |
| Affrica (S. of the Sahara) | 1500-1800 | 1900-2300 |
|  | 2200.0200 |  |
| South Pacific | 0300.0600 | 0000.0600 |
| Latin America | 1800-0600 | 1630-0500 |

## RADIO-TV EXPERIMENTER PROPAGATION FORZECAST

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\hline Feb. March 1967

LISTENER'S
STANDARD
TIME \& ASIA (except Near East) \& EUROPE, NEAR EAST \& AFRICA ( N . of the Sahara) \& AFRICA (S. of the Sahara) \& SOUTH PACIFIC \& LATIN AMERICA <br>

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\hline 0600.0900 \& 25,19 \& 19 \& nil \& 31 \& 49,31 <br>

\hline 0900-1200 \& 19,16 \& 16,19 \& 16,19 \& $$
\underset{(\text { poor })}{25}
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\] \& 31,49 <br>

\hline $1800 \cdot 2100$ \& 16,19 \& $$
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\end{gathered}
$$ \& 31, 25 \& (poor) \& 90, 60, 49 <br>

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\] \& 25 \& 90,60,49 <br>

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To use the table put your finger on the region you want to hear and log, move your finger down until it is along side the local standard time at which you will be listening and lift your finger. Underneath your pointing digit will be the shortwave band or bands that will give the best DX results. The time in the above propagation prediction table is given in standard time at the listener's location which effectively compen. sates for differences in propagation characteristics between the east and west coasts of North América. However. Asia and the South Pacific stations will generally be received stronger in the West while Europe and Africa will be easier to tune on the east coast. The shortwave bands in brackets are given as second choices. Refer to White's Radio Log for World-Wide Shortwave Broadcast Stations list.

on what we define as hi-fi and which particular highway hi-fi is under discussion. For the fact is that at the moment, there's not one but three major and several minor systems for putting stereo tape in your car. The majors include the Fidelipac system, developed in 1956 by George Eash: the Lear-Jet system, introduced in 1965 and espoused by Ford and RCA Victor: and the Norelco system, introduced in 1964 but only recently adapted for automotive use.

Also clouding the picture is a major battle-of-the-systems. At the moment, the industry is going through a set-to reminiscent of the one between RCA Victor (with its 45s) and Columbia (with its then-new LPs) over a decade ago. Significantly enough, no system

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scems to have a clear technical superiority. Instead, each seems able to provide satisfactory sound reproduction in the car, and at least two of the three have plenty of music available to match most tastes. All three can move from car to home, so you can play the identical cartridge in your car or your living room. And all three, in large part, became possible as the result of the development of reliable, low-cost transistors.

Fidelipac. The Fidelipac cartridge features an endless loop of tape wound around a hub inside a plastic shell. The tape feeds from the pack's center, travels past notches cut in the plastic to accommodate a playback head and pinch roller, then rewinds at the outside of the tape pack. The cartridges are recorded at $33 / 4$ ips in four-track stereo and sell at prices ranging from $\$ 2.95$ for about 15 minutes' playing time to $\$ 9.95$ for over an hour's worth of music. Prices for players run from about $\$ 70$ to $\$ 140$.

Fidelipac players are sold by such manufacturers as Craig Panorama; SJB, Inc.; Telepro Industries; Trans-World, Inc.; Midland International; Viking of Minneapolis; Muntz Stereo-Pak; Auto-Sonic; Nu-Vox; Audio Stereo; and Metra Electronics. These and other manufacturers provide a wide range of music from the libraries of MGM,

Command, Verve, ABC Paramount, Westminster, Pickwick, Audio Fidelity, Mercury, Dot, Elektra, and a host of other record companies. Prices for the players themselves vary, depending on whether speakers are included, whether the unit plays back through an existing car radio, whether AM or FM radio is included, and so on.

In view of Fidelipac's lead time over the other systems, it's hardly surprising that an estimated 70 per cent of the car-cartridge players now in use utilize this system. All of these units were bought for cars already on the road. At the moment, Fidelipac also accounts for better than 60 per cent of cartridge sales.

Lear-Jet. Lear-Jet units are to be found mainly in current-model Fords, Mustangs, Thunderbirds, some Mercurys and Lincolns. The cartridge is about the same size and shape as the Fidelipac, and it is also recorded at $33 / 4 \mathrm{ips}$. However, recordings are in eighttrack rather than four-track stereo. Further, unlike the Fidelipac four-track units, a pinch roller is included in each cartridge. Prices for recorded cartridges are comparable to Fidelipac's, and the catalogs include many of the same titles plus albums from RCA Victor, London, Decca, and Capitol. Player prices are comparable to Fidelipac's.

In addition to the units Ford is installing in its new cars, players are available from Lear-Jet and Soundex Corporation for cars already on the road. And Lear hopes to entice General Motors into joining Ford and Chrysler into putting its players in their new cars. "With the auto industry turning out over nine million cars a year," a Lear spokesman said recently, "it looks like something between 15 and 20 per cent of these new

With inputs for mike, tuner, and phonograph, in-home tape-cartridge recorder (below) by Craig Panorama makes perfect mate for Craig's in-car tape player (at right).

cars will have stereo tape playing systems."
Norelco. With all this activity, another cartridge system would seem to have little chance of gaining a foothold. Nevertheless, Norelco last year introduced a dashboard harness for its battery-operated portable tape-cartridge recorder and thus made a bid to capture part of the growing market. And the real breakthrough came when Norelco managed to persuade Mercury Records, Minnesota Mining, General Electric, Sony, Aiwa, Concord, Panasonic, and 31 other firms to adopt its system. Norelco-type players now cost from $\$ 70$ to $\$ 100$ and, unlike the others, are powered by self-contained flashlight batteries.

The Norelco system centers around a twohub cartridge roughly a fifth the size of the other two. Similar to a design that was introduced by RCA in 1959, the Norelco model utilizes $1 / 8-\mathrm{in}$. tape recorded at $17 / 8 \mathrm{ips}$. At the moment, recording is twin-track mono only-but the developers plan to introduce compatible four-track stereo soon. Blank cartridges, which cost from $\$ 2.65$ to $\$ 3.25$, hold 45 minutes of uninterrupted recording and are available from Norelco, Mercury, and Minnesota Mining. Prerecorded cartridges will cost about $\$ 4.95$ for 32 minutes (about the same price as a stereo LP).

Among the machines which now fill the Norelco car harness are the Norelco CarryCorder (\$89.95), the Mercury TS8000 ( $\$ 89.95$ ). the Wollensak 4100 ( $\$ 89.95$ ), and the General Electric M8300 Lively Set (about $\$ 90$ ). Both Norelco and Mercury project four-track stereo models using $1 / 8$-in. tape at prices around $\$ 150$.

The versatility of a $3-\mathrm{lb}$. recorder that
operates equally well in a living room, at the beach, or under the dashboard-plus the fact that the owner can record his own fare -are the major assets of the Norelco system. Of course, given the know-how, it is possible to record Fidelipac tapes on a conventional four-track recorder, then load the tape into a cartridge. And Soundex now offers a Lear-Jet record/playback deck. while Roberts has introduced eight-track cartridge record/playback as an extra feature on its model 1725-8L recorder.

But for the most part, Fidelipac and Lear users are limited to commercially-recorded cartridges. At press time, there were only 50 prerecorded Norelco-type cartridges-all monaural, and all from the Mercury, Philips, Smash, Wing, and Limelight catalogs. But more were promised.
SJB, Tenna. For those who can't make up their minds as to which of the three major systems they prefer, there are a numher of hybrid compatible units on the market. SJB's line, for example, includes six models, ranging in price from $\$ 100$ to $\$ 170$. The model ST308, at the bottom of the scale, comes with indicator light. For $\$ 130$ you have a choice of model ST408, with indicalor light and automatic light or model $603 \mathrm{M} / 48$, an all-chrome unit with speakers, adjustable bracket, cigarette lighter plug, and carrying handle. Another $\$ 10$ adds FM radio to the ST308. Shell out $\$ 170$, and you have a choice of two compatible tape-FM units, models ST408/FM and $603 \mathrm{M} / 48 / \mathrm{FM}$.

Still another compatible unit comes from Tenna Corporation. Said to be the least expensive on the market, it sells for $\$ 69.95$ and features automatic sensing of cartridge,


Mark 8 player by RCA Victor permits use of 8 -track car-cartridge tapes anywhere in the home. Device comes in two models: unit af left contains built-in speakers, while model below must be attached to stereo system.


## tape sings the soing of the open road

automatic switch-on, a reject bar, and optional foot switch control.

Homeward Bound. With most of the cartridge problems licked, manufacturers are beginning to design players for the living room (and a few models which can be connected directly to a component hi-fi system). Accepting Lear-Jet cartridges are Soundex's $\$ 80$ player. RCA's Mark 8, and models from Lear-Jet, Roberts, and General Electric. Fidelipac units are available from Muntz Stereo-Pak, Telepro, SJB, and others.

Among the four-track home players are Telepro's Satellite II; and Muntz's A-HW-I, AR-300 and AR-400. The latter two are complete home-entertainment centers with record changer, amplifier and tape-cartridge handler. The AR-400, mounted in a cabinet, also contains two speaker systems, while the AR-300 is the heart of a stereo compact system.

Installation. In theory, some of the prices quoted by manufacturers include installation of the player in your car. In practice, you can save money on virtually any model by installing the unit yourself. Just how much work is involved depends on the type of unit you buy. The Norelco models, for example. simply slip into their harness with no additional work required. Those
which operate through an existing car radio fit in a bracket mounted below the dashboard. (You'll also have to connect the player output to the radio amplifier-often merely a matter of inserting a jack.)

The most complicated to mount are the stereo models with speakers, since you'll have to cut holes for the speakers in your door panels. Which tools you'll need depends on the type of padding your car has inside the door. Speaker brackets and protectors usually are supplied with the do-ityourself kits. Wiring from the player to the speakers is fairly simple, and consists of tucking the wire up under the dash, then running it through the panelling to the point where it meets the door frame.

Sound-Box-On-Wheels. Where does it all lead? Surely eight-track tape must have a significantly higher tape hiss than fourtrack? And isn't it logical to expect $33 / 4$-ips or $17 / 8-\mathrm{ips}$ recordings to sound inferior to $71 / 2$ ips? Actually, there's an aural trick involved. Tapes that sound very ordinary in a living room sound very good (if not excellent) in a car. The trick is similar to the one which permits $31 / 2-\mathrm{in}$. speakers in stereo headphones to produce such startling bass tones.

In short, much of the system's success stems from the setup itself; you're enclosed in a relatively small space with two speakers and are in effect smack in the middle of a veritable sound-box-on-wheels. At the same time, road and traffic noises mask any imperfections in the recording or the equipment so that you hear-or think you hearstrikingly good sound.

In the living room, however, it can be
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Unlike both Fidelipac and Lear-Jet systems, Norelco's cartridge contains two separate reel hubs that unwind and wind in standard fashion. Cassette (seen in hand in photo at right) can be used with carplayer (below) or even AM/FM/SW portable.



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# An up-fo-date Broadcasting Directory of North American AM, FM and TV Stations. Including a <br> Special Section on World-Wide Shortwave Stations 

In this issue of White's Radio Log we have included the following listings: U.S. AM Stations by Frequency, Canadian AM Stations by Frequency, U.S. Commercial Television Stations by States, U.S. Educational Television Stations by States, Canadian Television Stations by Cities, and the WorldWide Shortwave Stations.

In Our Next Issue, April-May, 1967, the Log will contain the following listings: U.S. AM Stations by Location, U.S. FM Stations by States, Canadian AM Stations by Location, Canadian FM Stations by Location, and the expanded Shortwave Section. The shortwave listings will always be completely revised in each issue of $\log$ to insure 100 percent up-to-date information.

In the June-July, 1967, issue of RadioTV Experimenter, the Log will contain the
following listings: U.S. AM Stations by Call Letters, U.S. FM Stations by Call Letters, Canadian AM Stations by Call Letters, Canadian FM Stations by Call Letters, and the expanded World-Wide Shortwave Section.

Therefore, in any three consecutive 1967 issues of Radio-TV Experimenter magazines, you will have a complete cross-reference listings of White's Radio Log that is always up-to-date. The three consecutive issues are a complete volume of White's Radio Log that offers up to the minute listings that can not be offered in any other magazine or book. If you are a broadcast band DX'er, FM station logger, like to photograph distant TV test patterns, or tune the short-wave bands, you will find the new White's Radio Log format an unbeatable reference.

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## U.S. AM Stations by Frequency

U. S. sfations listed alphabetically by states within groups. Abbreviations: kHz , frequeney in kilocyeles: W.P.. powar in watc; d, operates daytime only: $n$, operates nighttime only. Wave length is given in moters.

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|  |  |  |  | 630-475.9 |  | 710-422.3 |  |
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WKBRK Boca Raton. Fla.
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WYHR Cambridge, Mass. KPBM Carisbad. N.Mex. KPBM Carishad. N. Wax. WMPL Morehead Clty N.C 5000 d WPAQ Mount Airy, N.C. 10000 d KRMG Tulse okla. KVCH Chester Ps. WIAC San Juan. P, Rleo WIAC San Juani, P. RIe WBAW Barnweil, 8.C WJIG Tullahoma. Tenn. KTRH Houston. Tex. WBCI willarkana, $\quad$.
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KFQD Anchorage, Alaska WSB Atlanta. Ga, WBMD Baltimore, Md. KMMJ Grand Island, Neb WHEB Portsmouth, N.H. KSEO Durant. Okla. KXL Portland, oreg.
WPDX Clarksburg. W. WHA Madison. Wis

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KFMB San Diogo, Cal.
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WORA Mayaguez, P.R

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WBBO Forest city. N.C. KSPI Stillwater, Okla.
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790-379.5 WTUG Tusealoosa, Ala. KCEE Tucson, Ariz.
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KDAN Eureka. Calif. Calif.
KABC Los Angeles, WFUN Mlami Beach, Fle WYNR Brunswick, Ga. WGRA Cairo. Ga.
KONA Kealaikekua, Hawail KE8T Boise, Idaho WRMS Boardstown. KXXX Colby, Kans
WAKY Loulsville, Ky.
WRUM Rumford, Me.
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WGJC Nages, Killings, Mont WWNY Watertown N.Y. WTNC Werlsvilitile N.C KFGO Faroo. N.D.
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WMC Memphis. Tenn.
KTHT Houston, Tex.
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WDUX Waupaca. Wis. $810-370.2$
KGO San Franelseo, Callf.
WATI Indianapolis. Ind. WYRE Annapolis. Md. WJPW Rockford. Hich. WSJC Mages, Miss. KAFE Santa Fe, N.M. WGY Seheneetady. N.Y.
WKBC N. Wilkesboro. N.C. WKBC N. Whkeshoro، N.C. 1000 d WCEC Rocky Mount. N.C. 1000 d WKVM San Juan. P.R. 25000 820-365.6 WAIT Chicago, Ill. WIKY Evansville, Ind. WOSA Columbut. Ohilas. Tox. WBAP Ft. Worth. Tex 830-361.2 KIKI Honolulu, Hawall KOFI Kallspell. Mont. Minn. 50000 KBOA Kennett. Mo. WNYC New Yort, N.Y. 1000 840-356.9

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850-352.7
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KOA Danver, Colo. WEAT W, Palm Beash. Fla, KIMO Hilo, Hawail
WCLR Crystal Lake, III.
WHDH Baston. Mass. WKBZ Muskepon, Mic KFUO Clayton. Mo WKIX Raloligh, N.C.
WJW cleveland, Dhio WJAC Johnstown. Pa. WEEU Roading Pa. WIVK Knoxville, Tenn.
WRAP Norfolk, Ya. KTAC Tacoma
$860-348.6$

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KOAM PIttshurg, Kans WSON Henderson. Ky. WAYE Baltimore, Md.

WSBS Gt. Barrington. Mass. | K |
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WFMO Fair. WSTH Taymersville. N. C. WTEL Philsburth, Pa, lo00d
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& \text { WERD Atlanta, Ga, } \\
& \text { WOMG Doudlas, Ga. } \\
& \text { wMRI Marlon, ind. }
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WHOA San Juan. P.R.
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WFLO Farmvill, Va. $\quad 1000 \mathrm{~d}$
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WLs Chleago, III.
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WATV BIrmintham. Ale.
WGOK Moble, Ala.
WOZK Ozark. Ala.
KPRB Fairbanks, Alasta
KHOZ Harrison, Ark.
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KGRB West Covins, Cal.
WJWL Georgetown, Del.
WSWN Belle Glade, Fla.
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WMOP Ocala, Fla.
WCGA Calhoun, Ga.
WCRY Maton, Ga.
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KREH Oakdale, La.
WCME Brunswick,
WLMD Laurel, Md.
WATC Gaylord. Mich.
KTIS Ginneapolis, Minn.
WDDT Greenville,
KFAL Fulton. Mo.
KJSK Columbus.
WOTW Nashua, N.H.
WBRY Boonvilie, N.Y.
WBRY Boenvilio, N.Y.
WKAJ Saratoga Springs.
WAYN Rockingham. N.C.
WIAM Williamston, N.C
KFNW Fargo, N.Dak.
WCN\& Canton, Ohis
WFRG Fremont. Ohis
WCPA Clearfield, Pa.
WFLA Philadelphia. Pa
WKXy Knoxville. Tenn.
WCOR Lebanon. Tenn.
KALT Atlanta. Tex.
KMCO Conroe. Tex.
KFLD Floydada. Tez.
KCLW Hamilton, Tex
WODY Basseft, Va.
WAFC Staunton, Va.
KUEN Wenatehee, Wash.
WATK Antigo, Wis.
$910-329.5$
WDVC Dadeville, Ala.
KPHD Phoenix, Arlz.
KLCN Blythoville, Ark.
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KDEO EI Cajon, Calif.
KNEW Oakland, Calif
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1000 KPO Oxnard, Cal.
KPOF Denver, Colo.
WRCH Naw Britain, Con
wPLA Plant City. FIa.
WPLA Plant City, Fla,
WGAF Valdosta, Ga.
WGAF Valdosta. Ga.
KBGN Caldwell, Ida.
WAKO Lawrenceville, Ill.
WSUI lowa Clity. lowa
KISI Salina, Kan.
WLCS Baton Roufe, La.
WABI Bangor Malne
WFDF Fllnt. Mich.
WCOC Meridian, Miss.
KOVN Blliniss, Mont
KYsS
KB'M Roswell. N. M.
WRKL Now City, N. Y.
WLAS jeksonvilie. N.C.
KCJB Minct. N.Dak.
WBRJ Marietta. 0.
WPFB Middletown, Ohio
KURY Brookines Or
WAYL Apollo Ps Ore
WAVL Apollo, Pa.
WGRI Seranton. Pa
250 d WPRP Pence, P.R.

WSFA Natesdothes, Tex. W.P. ONO San Antonle. Te
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KBYE Okla. City. Okia. WJCW Johnson City, Tenn. 5000
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Verment 10000 $\begin{array}{lr}\text { WRNL Rithmond. Va. } & 5000 \\ \text { WPXI Roanoke. Va. } & 1000 \mathrm{~d} \\ \text { KOKD Pasco. Wash. } & 1000 \mathrm{~d} \\ \text { KIXI Seattle. Wash. } & 1000 \\ \text { KIS }\end{array}$ | KISN Vancouver. What. 5000 |
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| WHSM Hayward. Wis. 5000 d | WDOR Sturgeon Bey, WIs. lo00d

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KLMR Lamar. Coio.
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WGST Atlanta, Ga.
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WVOH Hazelhurst. Ga,
WGNU Granite City, Ill,
WMOK Metropolis, III.
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KFMF Shenandoah. Ia.

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WJOR South Haven, Mioh
WCPC Houston, Miss.
KSWM Aurora, Mo.
WFNC F ayetteville. N.O WCND Shelbyville, N.Y. KCIT Limia, Ohio KWRC Woodburn. Oro. WESA Charleroi, Pa. WIPR San Juan P.R.
KIXZ Amarjito
KTON Belton, Tex.
KATQ Texarkand, Tex
WFAW Ft. Atkinson, Wis.
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WRMA Montgomery, Ala.
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KAMI Auburn, Calif.
KIMN Denver. Colo.
WGTA Summervilie, Ga.
WGOV Valdosta, Ga
KLER Orofino, Idaho
WAAF Chicago, Ill.
WXLW Indianapolis, Ind.
KOEL Oelwin, la.
WAGM Presque Isle, Malno
WXLN Potomac-Cabin John,
WRYT Boston, Mass.
WWJ Detroit, Mieh
WWJ Detroit. Mieh. WBKM Matticshurg. Miss. WHVW Hyde Park, N.Y.
WBBF Rochester. N
WIBX Uties. N.Y.
WPET Greensboro, N.C.
KYES Reseburg, Oren.
KYES Roseburg, Oreg.
WPEN Philadelphia. Pa. WBER Montks Lorner, S. WAGG Frankin. Tenn. KPRC Houston. Tex.
WXGI Richmond, Va.
WERL Easle River. Wis
WKAZ Charleston. W.Va. IOUUd
WKTS Sheboyman. Wis. 5000 d
KMER Kommerer, Wyo.
960-312.3
$\begin{array}{ll}\text { WBRC Birmingham. Ala. } & 5000 \\ \text { WMOZ Mobilo. Ala. } & 1000 \\ \text { KOOL Phoenix. Ariz. } & 5000\end{array}$
KAVR Appie Valley. Callf. 5000 d
KNEZ Lompoc, Calif.
KABL Oakland. Galif.
WELI New Haven. Conn
WGRO Lake City. Fian
WJCM Sebring. Fla.
WRFC Athens, Ge
KSRA Salmon, Idaho
WDLM E. Moline, III.
WSBT South Bend, Ind.
WPRT Prestonsbury, Ky
KROF Ableville. La.
WBOC Salishury. Mid.
WFGM Fitchburg Me
WHAK Rogers City. Mieh. 5000 d
KLTF Little Falis. Minn. 500d
WABG Greanwood. Miss.
KFVS Cape Girardeau. Mo. $\quad 5000$
KFLN Baker, Mont.
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$1080-277.6$
WKAC Athens, Ala. KSCO Santa Cruz, Call WTIC Hartiord. Conn. 10000 WVCG Coral Gables, F WBIE Hariotta, Ga. WJBG Pontiac, Ill. WNWI Valparaiso, Ind. WKLO Loulsville, Ky KGCL East Pralrie, Mo. KGCL East Pralrie, Mo
WUFO Amherst. N.Y. WEWO Laurlnburg. N.C.
WWOR Mutireesboro, N.C. WMVR Sidney, O, WEEP Pitisburgh. P: WLEY Cayey. P.R. KGFX Plerre, S. D. KRLBY Chatham, Va.

## 1090-275.1

KAAY Little Roek, Ark.
WQIK Jaeksonville. Fla. WWIK atksonvilio, Fla. WBAF Barnesville. Ga. WCRA Emnoham, III. KHAI Honolulu, Hawail KNWS Waterloo. Jowa WBAL Baltimore. Md WBAL Baltimore. Mis. WMUS Muskegon. Mieh WTAK Garden City Hiem 1000 d WKTE King. N,C.
WB2B Seima. N. C
WJKM H Trtevill $T$.
KING Seattle. Wash.
1100-272.6
KFAX San Francised, Calif. 50000 WLBB Carrotlton, Ga. $\quad 1000 \mathrm{~d}$
WHLI Hempstead. N.Y. 10000 d WHLI Hempstead, N.Y. $\quad 10000 \mathrm{~d}$
WKYC Cleveland, O.
$\mathbf{5 0 0 0 0}$ WGPA Bethlehem, Pa.
1110—270.1
WBCA Bay Minette, Ala. I0000d WBIB Centroville. Ala. $\quad 1000 \mathrm{~d}$ KRLA Pasadena, Cal. KIPA Hilo. Hawali WMBI Chieage IIf. WFCG Frankiliton. La WUST Bothesda, Md.
WUNN Mason. Mieh. WKRA Holly Springs, Miss KFAB Omaha, Nobr. WBT Charlotto. N.C KEOR Atoka, Okla. KBND Bend, Oren. 5000 WNAR Norristown. Penn. 50000d WVJP Caguas, P.R. $\quad 1000 \mathrm{~d}$ WPHC Waverly. Tenn.
KDRY Alamo Heights. Tex. 1000 d
1120-267.7
WUST Bethesda. Md. KMOX St. Louis, Mo WWOL Buffalo. N.
KEED Springfeld-Eu
KCLE Cloburne. Tex.

## $1130-265.3$

KROU Dinuba. Calif. KSOO San Diego, Cal, KLEE Kallua, Hawali KLEY Wallindton, Kans KWKH Shrevepert, Le $\begin{array}{ll}\text { WCAR Detroit, Mish. } & 50000 \\ \text { WDGY Minneapolis. Minn } & 50000\end{array}$ WDGY Minneapolis. Minn. 50000
WNEW New York. N, Y. 50000 WAMG Gallatin. Tenn.
KBGH Memphis. Tex.
WISN Mllwaukec. Wis, 50000
1140—263.0
KRAK Saeramento, Callf. 50000
WMIE Miami, Fla.
WSIV Pekin, III.
WAWK Kendallville, Ind.
KPWE Piedment, Mo.
WCLW Mansheld, 0 . 250 d KLPR Oklahoma City, Okla, 1000 d WITA Smn Juan, P.R. KSOO Sloux Falls, S. Dak. 10000 KORC Mineral Weils. Tex. 2500
WRVA Riehmond. Va. 50000 1150—260.7
WBCA Bay Hinette, Ala. $\begin{aligned} & \text { lo00d } \\ & \text { lo00d }\end{aligned}$
$\begin{array}{ll}\text { WGEA Geneva. Ala. } & 1000 \mathrm{~d} \\ \text { WIRD Tuscaloosa. Ala. } & 5000\end{array}$

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WOAI San Antonio.

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K200 Henolulu. Hawall WCNT Centralia, III. WADE Wadesboro, N.C. WAVi Dayton, Ohio WCAU Philadolphia. Pa.
$1220-245.8$
WAQY Birmineham. Ald. WPRN Butler, Ala.
WABF Fairhope, Ala. WABF Fairhope, Ala.
KVSA MeGehes. Ark. KLIP Fowler, Callf.
KIBE Palo Alto. Cal. K KKAR Pomena, Calif.
$1180-254.1$
WLDS Jaeksonville. III.

## 1190-252.0

KRDS Tolleson. Ariz KEZY Anahoim, Callif
KNBA Vallojo. Calif. WOWO Ft. Wayne. Ind. WANN Annapolls, Md, WLIB Mew York. N. Y. WLIB New York. N. KEX, Portiand, Ores. KLIF Dallas. Tex. $1200-249.9$ 50000
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KCKY Coolidge, Ariz. $\quad 1000$ WDEE Hzmden. Conn. KXLR No. Little Roek, Ark. 5000 WDC. Arlington, Fia. KRKD Los Angoles, Calli. 5000 WJPB Klisimmes. Fis KJAX Santa Rosa, Callf." 5000 KGMC Englewood, Colo. l000d WCNX Middletown, Conn. lo00d WOEL Wilmingfon. Del. $\quad 5000$ WNDB Daytone Beh., Fle. 1000 WTMP Tampa, Fla. WFPM Fort Valley. Ga. WJEM Valdosta. Ga.
WGGH Marion, III. WGGH Marion, III. KYED Burlington, Ia KWKY Oes Moines, Iowa KSAL Salina, Kans. WMST Mt. Sterling. WLOC mumfordvilie, Ky.
WJBO Baton Rouge. La. WJBO Baton Rouge. La. 5000 WSME Sanford, Maine WBYN Stllwater. Minn. WMDC Hazlehurst. Miss. KZYM Cape Girardeau. KBHM Branson. Mo. WGNY Newburgh, N.Y.
WSOQ N. Syracuse, N.Y. WSOQ N. Syracust, N.Y.
 K W WGAR Cleveland. Ohio WEAT Van Wert, Ohio KBLY Goldbeach. Orea KAPT Salem. Or. WRIB Providenee. WFWL Camden, Tenn. WCPH Etowah. Tenn. KVLL Livingston. Tex. WLSD Big Stone Gap, Va. WFAX Falls Chureh, Va KASY Auburn. Wash.
KO21 Chalan. Wash. WRNE Wis. Raplds. Wis. 1230-243.8
WAUD Auburn. Ala. WJBB Haloyville, Ala. WBHP Huntsville, Ala WNUZ Tallodena, AIA.
WTBC Tusealoosa, Ala. WTBC Tusealoosa, Ala
Kifw Sitka. Alaska KiFW Sitka. Alaska
KSUM Bisbee, Ariz. KAAA Kingman, Ariz. KRIZ Phoenix, Ariz,
KATC Safford, Ariz. KATC Safiord. Ariz.
KINO Winslow, Ariz. KCON Conway, Ark. KFPW Ft. Smith. Ark.
KBTM jonesboro. Ark. KCOM Conway. Ark. KCOE Conway. Ark. Calif.
WCOV Montgomery. Ala. KCBQ San Diego. Calit KLOK San Jose, Calif. WLBH Mattoon, Ill. KSTT Davenport. Iow KVOO Tulsa, Okla. KPUG Bellingham. Wash. WWVA Whoeling. W.Va
 WOAH NIami. Fia. WSAF Sarasota, Fla, WCLB Camilit. Ga
WPLK Roekmart, Ga. WSFT Thomaston, Ga. WLPO LaSalle, IU.
WKRS Waukegan, III, WSLM Salem. Ind.
KJAN Atlantie. Iowa KOUR Irdependenes, Iowa KOFO Ottawa, Kans, WFKN Frankin, Ky. KBCL Shreveport. La. WLBI Danham Springs, La. KIBS Bishop. Callf. $K$
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$K$ KOAC Ft Bracs. Calif KGFJ Los Anqeles, Calif.
KPRL Paso Robles, Callf. KPRL Paso Robles, Ca
KRDG Redding. Calif. KWG Stockton, Calif $\begin{array}{lr}\text { KEXO Grand Junetion, Colo, } & 1000 \\ \text { KBRR Ledville. Colo. } & 250 \\ \text { KB Pr }\end{array}$ KDZA Pueble, Colo.
KGEK Sterline, Colo. WIMF Manchester. Conn. WGGG Gainesville, FIa. WONN Lakeland, Fla 250
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$10000 d$ WNYY Pensecol Fis Florid
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Fla. WCNH Quincy, Fla. 1000 d WBIA Augusta, Ga. WBLJ Dalton, Ga. WFOM Marietta, Ga. WSOK Savannah, Ga.
WAYX Wayeross, Ga. KBAR Burley. Idaho KORT Grangeville. Idaho KRXK Rexburs. Idaho WQUA Moline, Ill. WHCO Sparta. II. WJOB Hammond. Ind. WSAL Lagansport. Ind. WBOW Terre Maute. Ind. WHIR Danville. Ky. WHOP Hopkinsville, K WMLF Pineville, Ky. Ky.
$\begin{aligned} 1000 & \text { WSHO New Orleans. La } \\ 1000 \mathrm{~d} & \text { KSLO Opelousas. La. }\end{aligned}$ WBME Bolfast. Mo.
WSJR Madawaska. Me
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VCUM Cumberland, Md. 100 $\begin{array}{lr}\text { WMNB No. Adams, Mass. } & 1000 \mathrm{~d} \\ \text { WESX Salem, Mass. } & 1000 \\ \text { WNEB Wors. } & 1000\end{array}$ WJEF Grand Rapids, Mieh.
WMPC Lapeer. Mich. 1000
1000 WMPC Lapeer. Mich. Mich 250 WSOO SIt. Ste. Mario, wich. 1000 d WKLK Cloquot, MInn. 1000
KGHS Internat'I Falls, Minn, 250 KGHS Internat'I Falls, Mian, 250
KYSM Mankato. Minn. 1000 $\begin{array}{lr}\text { KYSM Mankato, Winn. } 1000 \\ \text { KMRS Morrls, Minn. } & 250\end{array}$ KTRF Thiof Riv. Falls, Minn. 1000 $\begin{array}{ll}\text { KWNO Winona. Minm. } & 1000 \mathrm{~d} \\ \text { WCMA Corinth. Miss. } & 1000 \\ \text { WHSY Mattisburn. Miss. } & 1000\end{array}$ $\begin{array}{ll}\text { WHSY Hatticsburf, Miss. } & 1000 \\ \text { WSSO Starkville, Miss. } & 1000\end{array}$ $\begin{array}{lr}\text { WAZF Yazoo City. Miss. } & 1000 \\ \text { KODE Joplln. Mo. } & 1000 \\ \text { KOWT } & 250\end{array}$ KNCM Lebanon, Mo. $1000 \mathrm{~d}, \mathrm{KBMN}$ Bozeman. Mont. 1000 d $\begin{array}{ll}\text { KBMN Bozeman. Wont. } & 1000 \\ \text { KXLO Lowlin. Mont. } & 1000 \\ \text { KLCB Mont. } & 1000\end{array}$

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WCBT Roanoke Rap., N. C. KDIX Diekinson. N.Dak. WCPO Cincinnati, Ohio WIRO Ironton. 0. WADA N. of Ada. okl WBBZ Pones Cify.
KVAS Astoria, Ore. KRNS Burns, Ore. KOOS Coos Bay, Ore.
KRDR Gresham. Ores. KYJC Medford. Orea.
Kolk Lakeviow, Ore. KQDK Toledo, Ore. WBYP Eeaver Falls
WEEX Easton. Pa.
WKBO Harrisbury, WKBO Harrisburg,
WCRO Johnstown, WCRO Johnstown, Pa.
WBPZ Look Haven, Pa. WTIV Titusville.
WERI Westerly, R.'.
WAIM Andersom, 8.C. WAOK Columbia, S.C.
WOLS Florence. S.C. KISD Sieux Fails. S.Dak.
WAKI Me innvilie. Tenn. $\begin{array}{ll}\text { KSIX Corpus Christi. Tex. } & 1000 \\ & 1000\end{array}$

## KDLK Del Rio, Tex. KNUZ Houston. Tex.

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& \text { KERV Levelland, Tex. } \\
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& \text { KEEE Natoodoches. } \\
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\text { KOSA Odessa, Tex. } & 1000 \\
\text { KHMH Pampa. Tex. } & 250 \\
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\text { KREW Sunnyside, Wash. } & 1000 \\
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& \text { KVOC Casper. Wye. }
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## 1240-241.8






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1460-205.4
WFMH Cullman, Ala. WPNX Phenix City, Ala, KCCL Paris. Art
KTYM Inglewood, Calif. KDON Salinas. Callif. KVRE Santa Rose, Callf. KY8N Colo. Spres,
WZEP DoFunlak Sprinas,
WMBR Jacksonvllie. Fia. WDYX Buford, Ga. WPNX Columbus, Gs WROY Carmi, li. WIXN DInen, III. WRTL Rantoul, III. WOCH North Vornon. Ind. KSO Des Molnos. Lowa KCRB Chanute, Kans. WRVK Mi. Vernon, Ky. WXOK Baton Rouge. L WEMD Easton. Md. WBET Brockton, Mass WBRN Big Rapids. Mieh. WPON Pontias, mleh. KOWA Hastings, Minn. KDMA Montevideo, Mi
WELZ Belzoni, Miss. WELZ Belzoni, Miss. WACY Moss Point, Miss. KADY St. Charles, Mo. KRNY Kearney, Nebr. WOKO Albany, N. Y. WVOX New Rochaile, N. WHEC Rochestor. N.Y. WRKB Kannapolis. N.C. WMMH Marshall. N.C. WBNS Columbus, Ohio KRVL Palnesvilio, 0.
KROW Dalias, Oreo. KELR EI Reno. Okia WMBA Ambridge, Pa. WCMB Harrisburg, Pa WFBA San Sobastian, P.
WOG Allendale, $S$. C.

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KUTY Palinga. Callf.
KXOA Sacramento, Cellif.
WMMW Meriden, Conn.
WMMW Meriden, Conn.
WR80 Pompano Beach, Fla. 5000
WCWR Tarpon Springs, Fla, 5000 d
WDAG Adel, Ga.
WCLA Claxton, Ga,
WRGA Roms,
WMPP Chicago Heiphts, III.
WMPD Chicago Heioht
WHMD Peoria, III.
KHUT Anderson, Ind.
KTR Sioux City, lowa
KWYY Waverly, Iowa
KARE Atchison, Kans.
KLIE Liberal, Kans.
KTDL Farmersvilie,
KPLC Lake Charles, La.
wJoy Salishury, Maine
WTTR Westminster, Md.
WSRD Mariborough, Mass.
WKMF Flint, Mich.
WKLZ Kalamazeo, Mieh
KANO Anoka, Minn.
WNAU New Albany, Miss.
KGHM Brookfield. Mo.
KTCB Malden, Mo.
WPOM Potsdam. N.Y.
WBIG Greenshoro. N.C
WTOE Spruce Pins, N.C
WOHO Toledo, ohlo
KVIN Vinita, Okia,
WRAF Resdsport, Oreg.
WSAN Allentown. P
WWML Portape, Pa路


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| WYNG Warwi | 1000d | WKTX | Atlantie Beach. | 1000d |  |  |  |
| WABY Abbevllio. S.C. | 1000 d | WKWF | Kay Wast. Fla. | 500 | W | Troy. | d |
| WACA Camden. S | 1000d |  | Riviera Beach. Fla. | 1000 |  |  |  |
| CR Plarre, | 250 | W | Wauchula. Fia | 500d | WGIV |  |  |
| IP Colliervillo, To | 500 d | WOK日 | Winter Garden, Fla. | 5000 d | WIDU | Fayelter | 1000 d |
| 50 Jonesboro. Tenn | 5000 d | WGKA | Atlanta, lia. | 1000d | WHVL | Henders |  |
| WDBL Springfold, T | 1000 d | WNGA | Nashulile, Gin. | 1000 d |  | Relds | dobod |
| AS Carthage. Tex. | 1000d | WRBN | Warner Robins, | 1000d | WKSK | W, Jeffors | 050d |
| Eastland, | 500 d | WCGO | Chicasg Hgts., lll. | 1000d | KDAK | Carringto |  |
| NT El Paso, Tex. | 1000d | WMC | Harvard, Ill. | 500 d | WAQI | Ashtabula. Ohio | 1000d |
| OK Houston, Tex | 5000 | WBTO | Linten, Ind. | 500 | WBLY | Springfleld, Ohi | 1000 |
| CBD Lubbock. Tex. | 1000 | wARU | Peru. ind | 1000d | WT | Tiffin, Ohio |  |
| BUS Mexim, Tex. | 500d | KLGA | Algona, lowa | 5000d | KUSH | Cushing. Okia. | 00 |
| KTOD Sinton, Tex. | 1000 | KCRG | Cedar faplds, lowa | 5000 | KASH | Eupene, Orea. | 5000 |
| WISZ Gien Burnie, Md. | 500 |  | Scott. Kans, | 500 d |  | St. Heliens, Oro. | 000 d |
| RGM Richmond, Va. | 5000d | WSTL | Eminence. Ky. | 500 d |  | Allentown. Pa, | 510 |
| Seattle, Wash | $5000 d$ |  | Groenvilie | 50 |  | Elizabethtown. |  |
| K New Richmond. W | 5000 d | KFNV | Ferriday, La. | 1000d |  | Bayamo | 1000 |
|  | 5000 | KLEB | Golden Meadow, La. | 1000d | WFIS | Fountain inn | 000d |
| WTRW Two Rivers, Wis, | 1000d | KNCB | Vivian, La | 500d |  | No. Augusta, S. | 500 d |
| WAWA West Allis, Wis. | 1000d |  | Rockville, Md. | 1000 |  | Harriman, Tenn. | 000 |
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| 1600-187.5 |  | WTYM | ast Lonomeadow |  | KBBB | Borger, Tex. | 500d |
| WEUP | 5000d |  | Ann | 5000 | KWEL | Brownsvilie, Midiand, dex | 000 |
| APX montgomery | 1000 | WTR | Muskegon | 5000 | KCFH | Cu | 500 d |
| KV10 Cotionwood, | 1000d |  | Clarksdale. Miss | 1000 d | KYAL | Mckinney, T | 000 |
| Tueson, Ap | 1000 | WFFF | Columbia, Miss. | 300 d | KOGT | Orange, Te | 1000 |
| ST Fresno, Cal. | 5000d |  | St. Louis, Mo. | 5000 |  | chervile | 1000 |
| Pomona, Cal | 5000 | KTTN | Trenton, Mo. | $500 d$ | WSJT | Chesapoake, Va. | 000d |
| HER Santa Marla, UUBA Yuba City, | 500 d | KNCY | Nebraska City, Nobr. | 500d | WHLL | Wheeling. W.Va. | $3000$ |

## Canadian AM Stations by Frequency

Canadian statlons listed alphabetically by call totters within groups. Abbreviations: $k H z$, frequency in kilocycles: W.P.. power in watts:

| kHz | Wave Length | W.P. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 540-555.5 |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & \text { CBK } \\ & \text { CBT } \end{aligned}$ | Repina, Sask. Grand Falls. Nfld. | $\begin{aligned} & 50,000 \\ & 10,000 \end{aligned}$ |
| 550-545.1 |  |  |
|  | Sudbury, 0nt. Frederleton, N. Trois-Rivlitres, | 1.000 d 50,000 <br> 5.000 |

CKPG Prinoe Gearge, B.C. 10,000
560-525.4
CFOS Owen Sound, Ont. $\quad 1.000$
CHCM Marystown. Nfld. 1.000 d
CHTK Prines Rupert, B.C. 1.000 d
CJKL Kirkland Lake, Ont. $\quad 5.000$
CKCN Sept-Iles, Que. $\quad 10.000 \mathrm{~d}$
CKNL fort St. John. B.C. $\quad \begin{aligned} & \mathbf{5 0 0 0} \\ & 1.000\end{aligned}$
570-526.0
CFCB Corner Brook, Nfid.
ckea quesnel, b.c.
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CKEK Cranbrook, B.C
CFWH Whitehorse, Y.T.
580-516.9
CFRA Ottawa, Ont.
CHLC Hauterive, Que.
CJFX Antigonish, N. S. CKAP Kapuskasing. ont. CKPR Port Arthur, ont.
CKUA Edmonton, Alta.
CKWW Windsor, Ont.
KXR Salmon Arm, B $\quad 500$
cky Winmipeg. Man.
590-508.2
cFAR flin flon, Man.
CKEY Toronto, Ont.
CKRS Jonquiers, Que. CFTK Terrace, B.c. VDCM St. John's, Nifd.

600-499.7
CFCF Montreal, Que.
CFCH Callander, Ont.
CFOC Saskatoon, Sask.
CJOR Vaneouver. B.C.
CKCL Trupe, N.S.


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| 9.8 |  | 3.8 |  | GB | 5.000 | 0 |  |
| BW Bridgewater, N.S. | 10,000 | CBDR Schatfervilte. | 250 | CKOY | 50,000 | enay, B. a, Ont. | $\begin{array}{r} 8.000 \\ 10.000 \end{array}$ |
|  |  |  | 50 |  |  | 450-206.8 |  |
|  |  | CFGR CFKL | $\begin{array}{r} 250 \mathrm{n} \\ 250 \\ \hline \end{array}$ | CHQM Vancouver, B.C. CISO Sorel, Que. | $\begin{aligned} & 10,000 \\ & 10.000 \mathrm{~d} \end{aligned}$ | 450-206.8 |  |
| CFRB Toronto, Ont. |  | CFPA Port Arthur. Ont. | 000d | CJSO Sorel, Que. | $\begin{array}{r} 10.000 \mathrm{~d} \\ 5.000 \mathrm{n} \end{array}$ |  | 250 |
| 1050-285.5 |  |  |  | CKEC New Glasgow. N.S. | 5.000 | C | 200d |
| Grande Pra | 10.000 50.000 |  |  | 1340-223.7 |  | CHEF Granby, Que. | .000d |
| Ic Sault Ste. Marie. Ont. | 50,000 | CKMP Midiand, Ontario CKTK Kitimat, B.C. | 250 |  |  |  | - |
|  | i0.000 |  | 000d | CFGB Goese Bay, | 1.00 | - | 1.000 d |
|  |  | CKVD Val d'Or. Que. | 250n |  |  |  | $250 n$ |
| North Batteford. Sas |  |  | $250 n$ | CFYK Yellowknife. N, w.T. 1,000 |  | 1460-205.4 |  |
| B | 10,000 | VOAR St. John's, Nfid. 100 |  | CHAD Amos, Que. <br> CHRO Drummondvillo, Que. $\quad 250$ <br> 250 |  | OY Guetph. Ont. $\begin{array}{r}10,000 \mathrm{~d} \\ 5,000 \mathrm{n}\end{array}$ |  |
| 60-282.8 |  | 1240-241.8 |  |  |  |  |  |
| CN |  | CFLM La Tuque, Que. 1, | 1.000 d | $\begin{array}{lll}\text { CKAR-I Parry Sound, Ont. } & 250 \\ \text { CKCR }\end{array}$ |  | CKRB ville st. Georges, Que.10.000 d <br> 5,000 a |  |
|  |  |  | 0 |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | 25 |  | .000d |  |  |
| 1070-280.2 |  | CJav Port Alberni, B.C. $\quad 1.000 \mathrm{~d}$ |  | 1350-222.1 |  | ire |  |
| CBA Sackville, N.B. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| HOK S |  | CJCS Strat | 500 d | CHOV Pembroke | 1.000 | OW Welland. | 1,000d |
| Hok Sa |  |  | $250 n$ 250 | CJDC Daw | 1.000 | CJQM Winnipeg. Man, | 5,000 |
| 1080-2 |  | CJWA Wawa, Ont. $\quad 1.000 \mathrm{~d}$ |  | CKEN Kentville, N.S. | 1.000 | 1490-201.2 |  |
|  |  | $\begin{array}{lr}\text { CKLB Oshawa, Ont. } & 10,000 \mathrm{~d} \\ 5,000 \mathrm{n}\end{array}$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| CKSA Lloydminste | 10.000 |  |  | $\begin{array}{ll}\text { CKWL Williams Lake, B.C. } & 250 \\ \text { CKBS St. Hyacinthe, Que. } & 250\end{array}$ |  |  |  |
| 1090-275.1 |  | CKLS Ls Sarre, Que. | $250$ | 60-220 |  |  |  |
|  |  | 1250-239.9 |  | BC Bathurst, N.B. |  | YYM Kitehener, Ont. $\begin{array}{r}10.000 \mathrm{~d} \\ 5.000 \mathrm{n}\end{array}$ |  |
| CHRS St. |  |  | 10.000 | 1370-218. |  | A Middloton, | 1.000 d 250 n |
| 10-272.6 |  | CHWO Oakville. Ont. |  | 1,000 |  | BM Montmagny, Que. ${ }^{250 \mathrm{n}}$ |  |
| CBD Saint John, N.B. CFML Cornwall, Ont. CFTJ Galt, Ont. |  | CKBL Matane, Que. 10.000 d <br> CKOM Saskateon, Sask. $5,000 \mathrm{n}$ <br> 10,000 |  | 1380-217.3 |  | B Camphell River, B.C. 250 |  |
|  |  |  |  | CFDA Victoriavilte, Que.CKLC Kingston, Ont. $\begin{array}{r}10,000 \\ 5,000 \mathrm{~d} \\ 5.000 \mathrm{n}\end{array}$ |  |  |  |
|  | 2500 |  |  | 0 |  |  |
| QT Edmonton, Alta. | ,0,0 | $1260-238.0$ |  |  |  | an, B.C. $\quad 1.000$ |  |
| 1130-265 |  | CFRN Edmonton. Alta. |  |  |  | Eantford, Ont. 10,000 |
| ckwx vaneouver, B.C. | 0.000 |  |  | 1390-215 |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1140-263.0 |  | $\begin{array}{lr}\text { CFGT Alma. Que. } & 1,000 \\ \text { CHAT Medicine Hat. Alta. } & 10,000 \\ \text { CHWK Chilliwack. B.C. } & 10,000 \\ \text { CJCB Sydnay, N.S. } & 10,000\end{array}$ |  | CKLN Nelson, B.C. | 1.000 |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | - |  | 40-195.0. |  |
| CKXL Calgary, Alta. | 10,000 |  |  | CFLD Burns Lako. |  |  | 50,000 |
|  |  | 1280-23 |  | CJFP RiviteroduLoun. Que. 10.000 d |  | 50-193. |  |
| S」 Saint John, |  | CHIQ Hamilton, Jnt. 10 |  | CB C.Ollingmood. Ont. | $250$ | CBE Windsor, Ont. | 10.00 |
|  |  | cims Montreal aue. 5 |  | CKRN Rouyn, Que. | 1.000d |  |  |
| CKOC Hamiton, Ont, |  | CJMS Montreal. Que. CJSL Estevan, Sask. CKCV Quebee, que. |  | CKSW Swift Current, Sask. $\begin{array}{r}1,000 \mathrm{~d} \\ \mathbf{2 5 0 m}\end{array}$ |  |  |  |
| and | $10,000 \mathrm{n}$ $10,000 \mathrm{~d}$ |  | d | $1410-212$ |  |  |  |
|  |  | 90-232. |  | CFMB Montreal, Que. 10.000 <br> CFUN Yancouver, B.C. 10.000 <br> CKSL London, Ont. 10.000 |  | 1570-191.1 |  |
| 170-256.3 |  |  |  | Ont. 10.000d |  |  |
| S Saskatoon, S | 1.000 | CFAM Altona, Man |  |  |  |  |  |
| -245.8 |  |  |  | 1420-211.1 | CHUB Namalmo, B.C. CKLM Montreal, Que. | 10,000 |
| hbridge, | 10.000 | 1300-230.6 |  |  |  | CJMT Chicoutimi, Que. CKPT Peterborough, ont. | $1,000 \mathrm{~d}$ |  |  |
| CJSS Cornwall, Ontario CJPL Kenora, Ont. CKDA Victoria, B.C. CKCW Moncton, N.B. CKSM Shawinigan, Que. | 5.000 n 1.000 |  | 5.000 1,000 | 8-189.2 |  |  |  |
|  | $\begin{array}{r} 1,000 \\ 1,000 \end{array}$ | 1310—228.9 <br> CFGM Riehmond Hill, Ont. $\begin{array}{r}10,000 \mathrm{~d} \\ 2,500 \mathrm{n}\end{array}$ |  |  |  | , Que | 10,00 |
|  | 10.0 |  |  | 1600-187.5 |  |  |
|  | 10. |  |  | CKFH Toronto, Ont. | $5.000$ | JRN Niagara Falls, 0 | 10, |

## U. S. Commercial Television Stations by States

U. 8. stations listed alphabetically by cities within state aroups. Territories and possessions follow states. Chan., ehannel: C.L., call letters.




# U. S. Educational Television Stations by States 

Includes Non-Commercial Stations. U. S. Stations listed alphabotiealiy by cities in state groups. Territories and possessions follow states.


| wHITEE | Location | C.L. Chan. | Location | C.L. Chan. | Location |  | C.l. Chan. |
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| D $\triangle$ D 0 | Rochoster | NYC.TV 31 | PENNSYL | LVANIA |  | UT |  |
| $\Omega \rightarrow$ | Steren |  | Allentown-Bethlehe | hem wLvt.ty 39 | Logan |  | KUSU.TV 12 |
| (0) | NORTH | CAROLINA | Clearfield Hershey | $\text { WITF:TV } 33$ |  |  | KBYUUETV 11 |
|  | Chapel Hill Charlotte | WUNC.TV 4 WTVI 42 | Philadelphia Pittsburgh | WUHY.TV 35 WQED 13 | Salt La |  | KUED 7 |
| Location C.L. Chan. | Columbia | wUNB.TV 2 | Scranton | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Wax } \\ & \text { vIA.TV } \\ & \hline 6 \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |
| URI | NORTH | DAKOTA | SOUTH CA | AROLINA | HamptonPortsmout |  | WHRO-TV 15 WYAH-TV 27 |
| Kansas City  <br> St, Louis KCSD.TV <br> KETC Ig <br> 9  |  | Hio KFmel3 | Chartaston Columbla | WITV WRLK.TV 35 |  | SHIN | GTON |
| NEBRASKA | A | UB.TV 20 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Alliance KTNE-TV 13 | ${ }_{\text {Bowling Gre }}^{\text {Cincinnati }}$ | BGU.TV 70 | SOUTH D | DAKOTA | Soattle Sokane |  | KSPS. |
| Lexington  <br> Lincoln KLNE.TV <br> KUON.TV 3 <br> 12  | Cleveland Columbus | WVIZ.TV 25 OSU.TV 34 | Vermillion | Kuso.tV 2 | Tacoma |  | KPECTV 56 |
| Platte KPNE.TV 9 |  |  | TENNE | ESSEE | Yakima |  | KYVE.TV |
| Omaha KYNE.TV 26 | Oxiord | WMUB.TV ${ }^{\text {WGTE.TV }} 30$ | Lex | WLJT.TV II |  |  |  |
| NEW HAMPSHIRE | Toled | WGE.TV 30 | Memphis | WKNO.TV ${ }^{10}$ |  | SCO | NSIN |
| Durham WENH ${ }^{\text {I }}$ |  | A | Sneedvilio | WSJK.tv 2 |  |  |  |
| NEW MEXICO | Oklahoma Cit | KETA 13 |  |  | Milwauke |  |  |
| Albuquerque KNME.TV | Tulsa | KOED.TV II | Dallas.Ft. Worth | A.TV ${ }^{\text {a }}$ |  |  |  |
| NEW YORK |  | GON |  |  |  | RTO | RICO |
| $\begin{array}{ll}\text { Buffalo } \\ \text { New York } & \text { WN ED-TV } \\ \text { WNOT } \\ \text { 13 }\end{array}$ | Corvallis Portland | $\begin{aligned} & \text { KOAC.TV } \\ & \text { KOAP.TV } \\ & \hline 10 \end{aligned}$ | Richardson San Antonio.Austin | tin $\begin{gathered}\text { KRET-TV } \\ \text { KLRN-TV } \\ \text { 23 }\end{gathered}$ | Mayanuez San Juan |  | WIPM.TV <br> WIPR.TV |

## Canadian Television Stations by Cities

| Locaiton C.L. | Location | Location C.L. Chan. | Losation C.L. Chan. |
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| Adams Hill, B.C. CFCR-TV-8 if | Drumheller, Alta, CHCT.TV-1 8 | Malartic, Que. CFCL-TV-5 5 | Prince Gearge, B.C. CKPG.TV |
| Altieane, Sask. CKBI-TV-I 10 | Dryden, Ontario CBWAT.1 9 | Manicourgan, Que.CKHQ-TV.1 10 | Prineten, B.C. CHGP.TV.I |
| Amherst. N.S. CJCH.TV. 38 | Eastend, Sask. CJFB-TV-1 2 | Marquis, Sask. CKMJ.TV 7 | Prince Rupert CFTK.TV.I 6 |
| Antlgonish, N.S. CJCB-TV. 29 | Edmonton, Alta. CBXT 5 | Marystown, Nfld. CRENT-3 5 | Promontory Mountain, B.C. |
| $\begin{array}{ll}\text { Argentia, Nfd. } \\ \text { Asheroft, B.C. } & \text { CFJOX-TV } \\ \text { A }\end{array}$ |  | $\begin{array}{lcl}\text { Matagaml, Que. } \\ \text { Matane, Que. } & \text { CKR -TV-4 } & 7 \\ \\ \text { M }\end{array}$ | Quebec, Que. CFCR-TV-12 |
| Ashmont, Alta. CFRN-TV.4 i2 | Edson. Alta. CFRN-TV-2 12 | Meadow Lake. Sask. | Quebe. Que. CFCM-TV |
| Atikokan, Ont. CBWCT.I 7 | Elliot Lake, Ont. CKSO.TV.I 3 | 12 | KMI-TV |
| Baldy Mountain, Man. | Enderby, B.C. CFEN-TV-1 5 | Medicine Hat, Alta. CHAT-TV 6 | Quesnel, B.C. CFCR-TV-II 7 |
| CKSS.TV 8 | Enderby, B.C. CHBC-TV-5 72 | Melita, Man. CKX-TV-2 9 | Quesnel, B.C. <br> CKCQ-TV-1 13 |
| Bale St. Paul. | Estcourt, Que. CJES.TV.I 70 Falkland, B.C CFWS.TV.I 50 | $\begin{array}{lll}\text { Merritt, B.C. CFCR-TV-3 } & 10 \\ \text { Midway, B.C. } & \text { CKMY.TV.1 } & 7\end{array}$ | Red Lake, Ont. CBWAT-3 10 Reqina, Sask. CHRE.TV 9 |
| Bancroft, Ont. CHEX-TV-1 2 | Flin Flon, Man. CFWWBT 10 | Moneton, N.B. CBAFT II | Regina, Sask. CKCK.TV |
| Banfi. Alta. CKRD-TV-2 10 | Fort Francis, Ont. CBWCT 5 | Moncton, N.B. CKCW-TV 2 | Rod Deer, Alta. CKRD.TV |
| CFCN-TV-2 | Fort Fraser, B.C. CKPG.TV. 3 |  | Rimouski, Que. CJBR-TV |
| Barrie, Ont, CKVR-TV 3 | Foxwarren, Man. CKX.TV.I 11 | MoFGW-TV. 28 | Riverhurst, Sask. CJFB.TV-3 10 |
| Bayview, N.S. CJCH.TV.2 6 | Gaspe, Que. CHAU-TV-6 10 | Mont | Riviere-au-Renard CHAU.TV.7 |
| Bon Aceord, N.B. CHSJ-TV.1 <br> Bonavista, 6 <br> fld. CJON.TV.2 | Gaspe West, Que. (Bechervaise | $\begin{array}{r} 11 \\ 3 \end{array}$ | Riviere du Loup, Que. |
| oston Bar, B.C. CFCR.TV.9 | Goose Bay, Nnd. CFLA-TV 8 |  |  |
| Bralorne, B.C. CFCR.TV-15 3 | Grand Bank, Nfid. CJOX-TV.I 10 | 5 | 3 |
| Brandon, Man. CKX-TV | Grand Falls, Nfd. CJCN.TV 4 | Hont Tremblant, Que. CBFT-1 II | Roberval, Que. CKRS-TV-3 |
| Brooks, Alta. CFCN-TV-3 9 | Grande Prairie, Alta. CBXAT 10 | Montreal, Que. CBFT 2 | Rouyn, Que. CKRN-TV 4 |
| Burmis, Alta. CJLH-TV-3 3 | Grande Vallee CKBL.TV. 3 li | Montreal. Que. CBMT 6 | Saint Jahn. N. B. CHSJ-TV |
| Burnaby, B.C. CHAN-TV 8 | Greenwater Lake, Sask. | Montreal, Que. CFCF.TV 12 | Salmon Arm, B.C. CHBC.TV-4 |
| Burns Lake. B.C. CFTK.TV. 32 | 34 | Montreal, Que. CFTM-TV 10 | Saskatoon, Sask. CFQC.TV |
| Calgary, Alta. CFCN-TV | Haliburton, Ont. CKVR-TV-3 | Moose Jaw, Sask. CHAB-TV 4 | Sault Ste. Marle, Ont. CJIC-TV |
| Calgary, Alta. CHCT-TV 2 | Halifax, N.S. CBHT | Moyle, B.C. CKVS.TV-I 5 | Savona, B.C. CFCR-TV-7 |
| Callander, Ont. CFCH.TV 10 | Halifax, N.S. CJCH.TV 5 | Murdochville. Que. | Schefferville, Que. CFKL.TV |
| Campbellton. N.B. CKCD.TV 7 | Hamilton, Ont. CHCH.TV II | CKBL-TV-2 6 | Senneterre, Que. CKRN-TV-I |
| Camp Woss, B.C. CFNV-TV-1 3 | Hearst, Ont. CBFOT. 27 | CKMU-TV-1 ${ }^{\text {S }}$ | Sheet Harbour, N.S. CBHT-4 11 |
| Canning. N.S. CJCH-TV.I 10 | CFCL-TV. 4 | Nakusp. B.C. CJNP.TV-1 2 | Shelburne, N.S. CBHT-2 |
| Canoe. B.C. CHBC.TV. 8 | High Prairie, Alta. CBXAT. 22 | Nakusp, B.C. CJNP.TV.2 4 | Sherbroake, Que. CHLT.TV 7 |
| Canoe Mountain. Near | Hixon, B.C. CKPG.TV.1 10 | Nass Camp (Near Lava Lake) | Sloux Lookout, Ont. CBWAT-2 12 |
| Valemont, B.C. CFCR-TV-14 8 | H | B.C. CFTK-TV-6 5 | Smithers. B.C. CFTK-TV-2 |
| arleton, Que. CHAU.TV 5 | 11 |  | Sointula, B.C. CFKB-TV-4 |
| arlyle Lake. | Huntsville, Ont. CKVR-TV-2 8 | Neweastle, N.B. CKAM-TV-1 7 | Squamish, B.C. CHAR.TV. 1 |
| t | $\begin{array}{lll}\text { Invermert, B.C. } & \text { CFWL-TV.1 } & 6 \\ \text { Invermess. N.S. } & \text { CJCB.TV.I } & 6\end{array}$ |  | St. John's, Nfld. <br> St. John's. Nfld. |
| , | Jonquiere, Que. CKRS.TV 12 | New Glasgow. N.S.CFCY-TV-1 7 | Ste. Warguerito-mari |
| Castlegar, B.C. CBUAT-2 3 | Juskatla, B.C. CFTK-TV.7 2 | Ninkish, B.C. CFNV-TV-2 6 | CHAU-TV.I 2 |
| Celista, B.C. CHBC-TV-6 6 | Kamloops, B.C. CFCR-TV 4 | Nipawin, Sask. CKBl-TV.4 2 | St, Quentin. N.B. CHAU-TV-2 10 |
| Chandler, Que. CHAU.TV. 47 | Kapuskasing, Ont. CBFOT.I 12 | North Battleford, Sask. |  |
| Charlottetown, P.E. | Kapuskasing, Ont. CFCL-TV-3 3 | CKBI-TV-2 7 |  |
| V 13 | Kearns, Ont. CFCL-TV-2 2 | Olalla CHKC.TV-2 II | Stephenville, Nild, CFSN.TV |
| Cherryville. B.C. CJWR-TV-1 10 | Kemano. B.C. CFTK.TV. 5 | Oliver, B.C. CHBC.TV-3 8 | Stranraer, Sask. CFQC-TV-I |
| Chitoutimi, P.Q. CJPM-TV 6 | Kelowna. B.C. CHBC-TV 2 | ottawa, ont. CBOFT 9 | Sturgeon Falls, Ont. CBFST |
| Chilliwack, B.C. CHAN.TV.I 11 | Kenora, Ont. CBWAT 8 | Ottawa. Ont. CBOT 4 | Sudbury. Ont. CBFST-1 13 |
| Cheticamp, N.S. CBFCT 10 | Keremeos, B.C. CHKC-TV-I 5 | Ottawa, Ont. CJOH.TV i3 | Sudbury, Ont. CKSO.TV 5 |
| Chicoutimi, Que. CKRS-TV-2 2 | Kildala. B.C. CFTK.TV. 4 5 | Outardes. Que. CKHQ-TV-2 12 | Swift Current, Sask. CJFB.TV |
| Churehill, Man. CHGH-TV 4 | Kingston, Ont. CKWS.TV II | Parry Sound. Ont. CKVR.TV-I II | Sydney, N.S. CJCB.TV |
| Clearwater, B.C. CFCR-TV-10 2 | Kitchener, Ont. CKCO.TV 13 | Passmore, B.C. CHiS.TV-2 2 | Temiscaming, Que, CBFST-2 12 |
| Clermont, Que. CFCV-TV.I 75 | Kokish. B.C. CFKB-TV. 29 | Peate River, Alta. CBXAT. 17 | Temiscaming, Que. CJTK-TV-I |
| Clinton, B.C. CFCR-TV-4 9 | Labrador City. NfId, CJCL.TV 13 | Peachland. B.C. CHPT.TV-1 5 | Terrate, B.C. CFTK-TV |
| Cloridorme, Que. CHAU-TV-8 6 | L'Anse a Valleau, Que. | Pembroke, Ont. CHOV.TV 5 | The Pas, Man. CBWBT.l |
| Corner Brook, Nid. CBYT 5 | CHAU.TV. 97 | Penticton. B.C. CHBC.TV.t is | Timmins, Ont. CFCL.TV |
| Carner Brook, Nfld. CJON-TV.I 10 | Lethbridge, Alta. CJLH.TV 7 | Peree, Que. CHAU-TV-5 2 | Timmins. Ont. CBFOT |
| Cornwall. Ont. CJSS-TV 8 | Lillooet. B.C. CFCR-TV-1 II | Perrys. B.C. CHMS-TV-3 5 | Toronto, Ont. CBLT |
| Coronation, Alta. CKRD-TV 10 | Liverpool. N.S. CBHT.I 12 | Poterborough, Ont. CHEX-TV 12 | Tomonto, Ont. CFTO.TV |
| Courtenay. B.C. CBUT.1 9 | Lloydminster. Alta. CKSA-TV | Pivot. Alta. CHAT.TV-1 4 | Trail. B.C. CBUAT \\| |
| Colgate. Saskatchewan | London. Ont. CFPL-TV 10 | Placentia. Nfld. CBNT-2 12 | Trois-Riviores, Que. CKTM.TV 13 |
| ranbrook, B.C. CKCK.TV-1 12 | Lookout Ridate, Near | Port Alfred, Que. | Upsalquitch Lake, N.B. |
| ranbrook, B.C. CBYBT 10 | illiwack, B.C. CBUT-2 | Port Alice. B.C. CKPA-TV-1 2 | CKAM-TV 12 |
| CHMS.TV.I | Mabol Lake, B.C. CHPP.TV.1 8 | Port Arthur, Dnt. CKPR-TV Port Daniel, Que. CHAU-TV-3 10 | $\begin{array}{lc} \text { Val O'Or, Que. } & \text { CKRN-TV-2 } \\ \text { Val Marie, Sask. } & \text { CJFB-TV-2 } \end{array}$ |
| Dawson Croek, B.C. CJDC.TV 5 | Magdalen Islands, Que. | Port Hardy, B.C. CFKB-TV-3 | Vancouver, B.C. CBUT |
| Deer Lake, Nfd. CBYAT 12 | CBFCT. 12 | Port Rexton. Nild. CBNT-1 13 | Vernon, B.C. CHBC.TV-2 |
| Drumholler, Alta, CFCN-TV-1 12 | Malakwa, B.C. CFFI-TV-1 5 | Prinee Altert. Sask. CKBI.TV | Vietoria. B.C. CHEK.TV |

## World-Wide Shorłwave Stations

With this copy of White's Radio Log at your operating desk you will be able to quickly identify and spot over 300 international broadcasting stations-the majority of the currently active stations being monitored by our readers and by the RadioTV Experimenter monitoring station, DX Central.

Each issue brings you a completely revised and updated version of the shortwave section which reflects new frequencies and schedule changes by the broadcasters. Our list may lack only one thing, that is your own personal listening experiences.

Yes, we find that the best way to compile a listing of active shortwave stations is to rely upon the latest reception loggings of our readers and, although we know that thousands of our readers make use of White's, only a handful of readers take the trouble to send us a copy of their loggings. Naturally we don't expect to hear from each and every reader for each and every issue, but we would like to hear from you at least once in a while. Why not let us know when you stumble upon particularly difficult station to log, or when you come upon a re-
vised troadcast schedule, you might even tell us if a regularly heard station has left the air.

In your report to us please indicate the name and/or call of the station, the location, the approximate frequency, and the time (in GMT) monitored. Send as many as yoc like. We will use as many as we can.

Victorio Rodriguez G., Mexicali, B. C., Mex. Floyd Damron, Anchorage, Alaska
John J. Deno, Coatesville, Pa.
David Anderson, Grace, Idaho
Sp/4 Richard Prudy, Union Lake, Mich.
Allan Levite, Chicago, Ill.
Jeff Miller, Beckley, W. Va.
Mike Fine, Poughkeepsie, N. Y.
Roger E. Melvin, Pocasset, Mass.
David Schoeller, Elmhurst, III.
Robert N. Platt. Elk Grove Village, Ill.
B. T. Nawrocki, Maywood, Calif.

Elwin F. Young, Dorchester, Mass.
Tom Kneitel, New York, N. Y.
Jack Cooper, Hutchinson. Kans.
Rick Slattery, Key West, Fla.
B. Glassberg, Brooklyn, N. Y.
B. E. Kinahan, Yonkers, N. Y.

Carl Durnavich, Riverdale, III.
Walter O'Brien, Jr., Clark, N. J.
Michael A. Oswald, Grand Island, N. Y.
Norman D. Meer, Richmond, Va.
Juliaa Sienkiewicz, Brooklyn, N. Y.

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| 3225 | ELWA | R. Village | Monrovid |  |
| 3230 | VRH8 | Fiii BC | Suva, Fiii ls. | 45 |
| 3240 |  | BC Seryice Rep. lrag | Baghdad, Iraq | 30 |
| 3245 | YVKT | R. Libertador | Caracas, Venezuelo | 2325 |
| 3275 | ZYR3I | Bauru F . Club | Bauru Brazil | 30 |
| 3284 | VRH9 | Fiii BC | Sura, Fiii ls. | 30 |
| 3300 | - | Brit. Hond. BC | Belize, Brit. | 0200 |
|  | YVKX | V. de lo Patrio | Caracas Venez | 0240 |
| 3315 |  | R. Martinique | Ft. de France, Martiniale | 0 |
| 3316 | - | Sierra Leone BC | Freetown. Sierra Leone |  |
| 3325 | YVRA | R. Monagas | Maturin Venezuela | 0240 |
| 3335 | VL9CD | R. Wewak | Wewak, Paupa | 1000 |
| 33.46 |  | R. Zambia | Lusaka Zambia | 2000 |
| 3350 |  | Ghana BC | Accra, Ghana | 0605 |
| 3375 | YVMI | V. de la Fe | Maracabo, |  |
| 3385 | HIDA | R. Mit Musical | nto Domin |  |
|  |  |  | Dom. Rep. | 10 |
| 3395 | HIAZ | R. Sontisgo | Santo Comingo, | 1100 |

## WMITE'S



| kHz | Call | Nome | Location | GMT |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 4926 | EAJ206 | R. Equatorial | Bata, Spanish |  |
| 4940 | - | R. Abidjan | Guinea bidian Ivory |  |
|  |  |  | Coast | 2300 |
| $\begin{aligned} & 4950 \\ & 4955 \end{aligned}$ | PRF7 | R. du Senegal | Dakar, Senega! | 30 |
|  | PRF7 | R. Cultura de Campos | Campos, Brazil | 1030 |
| 65 |  | R. Zambia | Lusaka, Zambia | 30 |
| 4985 | YYLK | R. Rumbos | Caracas, Venezuela | 25.30 |
| 5010 |  | R. Garicua | Goiana, Brazil | 0300 |
| 5041 | - | E. da Guine | Garoua, Cam | 2115 |
|  |  |  | Guineo | 2230 |
| 5050 | - | R. du Togo <br> R. Tanzania | Lome. Too | 2200 |
| 50 | HCPS5 |  | Tanzania | 1830 |
| 5260 |  | Ondas Cana | Azogues, Ecuador | 0250 |
| 5875 | HRN | V. de Honduras | Tequeigal USSR | 0410 |
|  | - |  | Honduras | 30 |
|  | - | R. | Prague, Crech. | 0100 |

## 49 Meter Band-5950 to $6200 \mathrm{Kc} / \mathrm{s}$



| kHz | Call | Name | Location | GMT |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 6190 | - | R-TV Morocio | Sebaa.Aio |  |
| 6175 | - | BBC | Morocco | 2130 |
| 6200 | - | R. Moscow | Moscow, USSR | 1830 0200 |
| 6234 | - | R. Budapest | Budapest. Hungary | 2200 |
| 6850 | - | R. Peking | Peking. China | 1500 |
|  |  | Rozglosnia Harcersko | Warsaw, Poland | 1130 |

## 41 Meter Band-7100 to $7300 \mathrm{Kc} / \mathrm{s}$



## 31-Meter Band-9500-9775 kHz

| 05 | - | R. Prague | h. | 00 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | R. Japon | Tokyo, Japan | 00 |
| 9508 | - | R. Omdurman | Omdurman, Sudan | 0420 |
| 9515 |  | BBC | London, Enjland | 13 |
| 9515 | TAT | R. Ankara | Ankara, Turkey | 1530 |
| 15 | CP6P7 | R. South Africa | Paradys. S. Africa | 2330 |
| $\begin{aligned} & 9535 \\ & 9540 \end{aligned}$ | CR6RZ <br> ETLF | R. Angola | Luanda, Angola | 1715 |
|  |  | ice of Gospel | Addis Ababa. Ethiopia | 00 |
| 9550 | LLD | R. Norway | Oslo, Norway | 0 |
| 9535 | $\mathrm{O} \times 2$ | R. Moscow | Mosçow, USSR | 12 |
|  | O | Finnish BC | Helsinki, Finland | 1600 |
|  | YSS | R. Nacional | Dama |  |
| 80 | - |  | El Solvador | 0200 |
|  |  |  | Dar es Salam. Tanzania | 1000 |
| 9570 | ETLF | R. Voice of Gospel | Addis Ababo. |  |
|  |  | R. Australia | Ethiop | 1715 |
|  |  |  | Australia | 0730 |
|  |  | van | Erevan, Armen |  |
| 9585 | YSV | V. del Corrercio | Sonta Ana El | 0800 |
|  |  |  | Salvadar | 1335 |
|  | - | R. Erevan | Erevan. Arm |  |
|  | - | Trans World R. | Boncire, Neth. | 0800 |
| 9595 |  |  | Antilles | 0130 |
|  | ZYN29 | Okiki | Tokyo. Japon | 0817 |
| 9600 |  |  | Bahia, Brazi! | 0200 |
|  | CE960 | R. Pres. Balmaceda | Monrovia, Liberia Santiago Chile | 0600 |


| $\mathrm{kHz}_{2}$ | Call | Name | Location | GMT |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 9610 | $\underset{\text { VLG }}{\text { VLX }}$ | R. Norway <br> R. Australio | Oslo, Norwey Melbourne, | 2300 |
|  |  |  | Australia' | 1100 |
| $\begin{aligned} & 9615 \\ & 9620 \end{aligned}$ | ORU4 | V. Friendship | Brussels, Belgium | 2200 |
|  | - | R. New Zealand | Wellington, N.2. | 0800 |
|  |  | VTVN | Saigon, S. Vietnd | 0800 |
|  | CXAb | S.O.D.R.E. | Montevideo, Uruguay | 0200 |
| $\begin{aligned} & 9640 \\ & 9660 \end{aligned}$ | HLK5 | V. Free Koreo | Seoul, S. Kores | 1030 |
|  |  | R. Hobono | Hovana, Cuba | 0700 |
|  | ETLF | R. Voice Gospel | Addis Abata. |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 9667 \\ & 9675 \\ & 9885 \\ & 9670 \end{aligned}$ | - | R. Ceylon | Colombo. Cerlon | 0130 |
|  | - | R. Warsaw | Warsow. Po and | 1530 |
|  |  | Vatican R. | Vatican City | 2200 |
|  | VUD | All India R. | New Delhi, Indis | 1945 |
|  | LRA32 | R. Nacional | Buenos Aires, |  |
|  |  |  | Arqenting | 0600 |
| $\begin{aligned} & 9700 \\ & 9705 \end{aligned}$ | - | R. Sofis | Sofia | 0000 |
|  |  | R. Sweden | Stockholm, Sweden | n 1100 |
|  | ETLF | R. Voice Gospel | Addis Abab | 1815 |
| 9710 | - | R. Malaysia | Kuals Lump |  |
|  |  |  | Malaysia | 1300 |
|  | - | R. Kiev | Kiev, USSR | 0030 |
|  |  | Mouritius BC | Forest Side, |  |
|  |  |  | Mauritios | 0230 2100 |
| 9720 | - | R. South Atrico Sowt of Istam | Riyadh, Soudi | 2100 |
|  |  |  | Arabio | 2200 |
| 9740 | WNYW | R. | New York, N.Y. | 2305 |
|  | LRSI | R. Splendid | Buenos Aires |  |
|  |  |  | Argentins | 2150 |
| 9745 | BEC62 | Air Force | Taipei, Fornosa | 1100 |
|  | TAP | R. Ankoro | Ankars, Tu-key | 1930 |
|  | HCJB | V. of Andes | Quito, Exuador | 0230 |
| 9760 | - | R. Hanoi | Hanoi, N. Vietnam | 1300 |
| 9765 |  | R. South Africa | Paradys. S. Africa | 2330 |
| 9810 | - | R. Kiev | Kiev, USSR | 0030 |
| 9833 |  | R. Budepest | Budapest, Hungary | 2200 |
| 9915 | VUD | All India R. | New Delhi. India | 2215 |
| 10530 |  | R. Alma Ata | Alma Atd, USSR | 0410 |
| 10865 |  | R. Peking | Peking. China | 0100 |
| 11440 | - | R. Peking | Peking, Chino | 2300 |
| 11610 | - | R. Peking | Peking, China | 2300 |
| 11672 |  | R. Pakiston | Karachi, Pakiston | 1500 |
| 11685 | CR6RR | R. Diamang | Lusaka, Angola | 1900 |


| $\mathrm{kHz}_{2}$ | Coll | Name | Location | GMT |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Rome, | 2230 |
|  | ETLF | R. Voice Gospel | Addis Ababa, Ethiopia | 0400 |
| 11895 | DMQ16 | Deutsche Welle |  |  |
| 11900 | - | R. South $A$ | Paradys, S. Africa | 2330 |
| 11905 |  | BBC Relay | Nicosio, Cyprus | 1130 |
|  | VUD | All India R. | New Delhi, India | 2222 |
| 11910 |  | Kol Zion | Tel Aviv, Isroel | 1000 |
|  | HSK9 | R. Thailond | Bongkok, Thailand | 0415 0230 |
| 11915 | HEJB | V. of Andes | Quito, Ecuador | 0230 |
| 11925 | ETLF | R. Voice Gospel | Addis Abobd, Ethiopia. | 0350 |
|  | ZYR78 | R. Bandeirantes | Sao Psula, Brs | 2110 |
|  | ELWA | R. Village | Monrovia, Liberia | 0500 |
|  |  | Sawt al islam | Acabia | 2200 |
| 11970 | WNYW | R. New | New York, N,Y | 2305 |
| 11975 | Elwa | R. Villoge | Manrovio, Liberia | 0500 |
| 11990 |  | R. Prague | Progue, Crech. | 0100 |
| 14345 |  | Heltenic BC | Athens, Greece | 30 |
| 14520 |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | N. Kores | 0100 |

19-Meter Band-IS100-15450 kHz

| 15100 | 二 | RH de Mexico R. Euzkadi | Mexico (clondestine) | 2300 2130 |
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| 15110 | 二 | R. Moscow | Moscow, USSR | 1430 |
| 15115 |  | R. Free Europe | Munich, Germany | 1300 |
|  | HCJB | V. of Andes | Quito, Eevador | 0230 |
| 15125 | HLK4 | $\checkmark$. Free Korea | Seoul, S. Korea | 0630 |
|  | EED60 | v. Free Chino | Taipei, Formosa | 1715 |
| 15145 |  | R. Free Europe | Munich, Germany | 1715 |
| 15148 | CE1515 | Corp. Chiteno BC | Santiago Chile | 0100 |
|  |  | R. Ankara | Ankoro, tarkey |  |
| 15165 | OZF7 | V. Denmark | Copenhagen. | 1330 |
| 15170 | - | Hoshemite | Amman, Jordan | 2350 |
| 15175 | LLM | R. Norwa | Oslo, Norway | 500 |
| 15185 | OlX4 | Finnish BC | Helsinki, Finlan | 0 |
|  | ETLF | R. Voice Gospel | Addis Ababo. Ethiopia | 000 |
| 15 | - | Jap | Tokyo, Jap | 0500 |
| 15205 |  | R. Cey | Colombo, Cey | 0 |
| 15210 | ETLF | R. Voice Gospel | Addis Ababo, |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | Australio | 2245 |
| 15230 |  | R. Ceyion | Colombo Cey | O |
|  | ETLF | R. Voice of Gospe | Addis Ababo |  |
| 15235 | - |  | London, Engla | 315 |
|  |  | R. | Tokyo, Jopan | 0 |
| 15245 | - | Trans World R. | Bona |  |
|  |  |  |  | 35 |
| 15285 | - | R. Prague | Progue. Czech. | 0330 |
|  |  | Ghana BC | Accra. Ghana | 1900 |
| 15295 | - | R. Club | Lourenco Marques, |  |
|  |  | Mozombiaue |  | 630 |
| 15315 | ETL | R. Voice Gospe | ddis Abo <br> Ethiopio |  |
|  | - | R. Co | Montreal | 1745 |
| 15340 | - | R. Habana | Mobana, Cub | 2200 |
| 15350 |  | BBC Relay | Ascension I. | 1745 |
| 15370 | ZYC9 | R. Tupi | Rio d |  |
| 15400 | ETLF | R. Voice Gospel | dis |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| 15410 | ETLF | R. Voice Gospel | dis A saba, |  |
|  |  | R. Club | Preto, Braz | 0045 |
| 15425 |  | R. Nederland | lve |  |
| 15440 | WNYW |  | New York, N.Y. |  |
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|  |  |  |  | 000 |
| $17697$ | - | R. Berlin $\operatorname{nt} t^{\prime} 1$. | Berlin, E. Germany | 000 |

16 Meter Band- 17700 to $17900 \mathrm{Kc} / \mathrm{s}$

| 17705 |  | V. America Relay | Honolulu, Hawaii | 2220 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 17730 | WNYW | R. New York Worldwide | New York, N.Y. |  |
| 17795 | - | R. Budapest | Buda |  |



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## CB-BUSINESS RADIO SHORTWAVE RADIO

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48. Hy-Gain's new CB antenna cata$\log$ is packed full of useful information and product data that every CB'er should know. Get a copy.
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111. Get the scoop on VersaTronics' Versa-Tenna with instant magnetic mounting. Antenna models available for CB'ers, hams and mobile units from 27 MHz to 1000 MHz .
49. Want to see the latest in communication receivers? National Radio Co. puts out a line of mighty fine ones and their catalog will tell you all about them!
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50. Make your connection with Amphenol-tune in to the latest on CB product news with specs and pics on new gear. Keep informed on Amphenol's new products.
100. You can get increased CB range and clarity using the "Cobra" transceiver with speech compressor-receiver sensitivity is excellent. Catalog sheet will be mailed by B\&K Division of Dynascan Corporation.
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96. If a rugged low cost business/ industrial two-way rudio is what you've been looking for, be sure to send for the brochure on E. F. Johnson Co.'s brand new Messenger "202."
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103. Squires-Sanders would like you to know about their CB transceivers, the " 23 'er" and the new "S5S." Also, CB accessories that add versatility to their 5-watters.

## ELECTRONIC PRODUCTS

66. Try instant lettering to mark control panels and component parts. Datak's booklets and sample show this easy dry transfer method.
67. Get the facts on Mercury's line of test equipment kits-designed to make troubleshooting easier, fastcr and more profitable.
68. "Get the most measurement value per dollar," says Electronics Measurements Corp. Send for their catalog and find out how!
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70. Seco offers a line of specialized and standard test equipment that's ideal for the home experimenter and pro. Get specs and prices today.

## HI-FI/AUDIO

+26. Always a leader, H. H. Scoll introduces a new concept in stereo console catalogs. "At Home With Stereo," offers decorating ideas, a complete explanation of the more technical aspects of stereo consoles. 85. Need a tuner? Preamp? Amp? Tape deck? Then inspect Dyna for kits or wired units. It's worthwhile looking at test reports Dyna sends your way.
110. Get the latest facts on sound columns. A merican Geloso Electronics Inc. offers a ten-page booklet giving the hows and whys plus method of installation and arrangement of sound columns.
15. A name well-known in audio circles is Acoustic Kesearch. Here's its booklet on the famous AR speakers and the new AR turntable.
16. Discover how Cueing Control, anti-scating and other Garrard features in the Lab 80 offer tops in audio listening. 32-page Garrard Comparator Guide will make you a wiser buyer-get it.
17. Build your own bass reffex enclosures from fool-proof plans offered by Electro-Voice. At the same time get the specs on EV's solid-state hi-fi line-a new pace setter for the audio industry.
19. Empire Scienrific's new 8-page. full color catalog is now available to our readers. Don't miss the sparkling decorating-with-sound ideas.
24. Need a hi-fi or PA mike? Untversity Sound has an interesting microphone booklet audio fans should read before making a purchase.
27. An assortment of high fidelity components and cabinets are described in the Sherwood brochure. The cabinets can almost be designed to your requirements, as they use modules.
95. Confused about stereo? Want to beat the high cost of hi-fi without compromising on the results? Then you need the new 24 -page catalog by Jensen Manufacturing.
99. Interested in learning about amplifier specifications as well as what's available in kit and wired form from Acoustech? Then get your copy of Acoustech's 8-page colorful brochure.
34. You can't pick the tape recorder you need without a program-and Sony Superscope has one. Full color 16-page booklet is as good as your dealer's showcase. Includes accessories.

## TAPE RECORDERS AND TAPE

113. Scotch is the product and it's made by Minnesota Mining and Mfg. Co. (3M). Get a packet full of facts and tape data from $3 M$ and learn all about your tape recorder and the tape it needs.
114. All the facts about Concord Electronics Corp. tape recorders are yours for the asking in a free booklet. Portable, battery operated to fourtrack, fully transistorized stereos cover every recording need.
115. "Everybody's Tape Recording Handbook" is the title of a booklet that Sarkes-Tarzian will send you It's 24 -pages jam-packed with info for the home recording enthusiast. Includes a valuable table of recording times for various tapes.
116. Become the first to learn about Norelco's complete Carry-Corder 150 portable tape recorder outfit. Fourcolor booklet describes this new car-Iridge-tape unit.
117. If you are a serious tape audiophile, you will be interested in the new Viking of Minneapolis line-they carry both reel and cartridge recorders you should know about.
118. Sound begins and ends with a Uher tape recorder. Write for this new 20 page catalog showing the entire line of Uher recorders and accessories. How to synchronize your slide projector, execute sound on sound, and many other exclusive features.

## HI-FI ACCESSORIES

112. Telex would like you to know about their improved Serenata Head-set-and their entire line of quality stereo headsets.
113. A 12-page catalog describing the audto accessories that make hi-fil living a bit easier is yours from Switchcraft, Inc. The cables, mike mixers, and junctions are essentials!
114. Swinging to hi-f stereo headsets? Then get your copy of Superex Electronics' 16 -page catalog featuring a large selection of quality headsets.
115. You can't hear FM stereo unless your FM antenna can pull 'em in. Learn more and discover what's available from Finco's 6-pager "Third Dimensional Sound."

## KITS

+42. Here's a colorful 108 -page catalog containing a wide assortment of electronic kits. You'll find something for any interest, any budget. And Heath Co. will happily send you a copy.
+44. EICO's new 48 -page 2 -color pocket-size short form catalog is just off the press. Over 250 products: Ham radio. CB, hi-fi-in kit and wired form-are illustrated. Also, discover EICO's new experimenter kit line.

## AMATEUR RADIO

46. A long-time builder of ham equipment, Hallicrafters will send you lots of info on the ham, CB and commercial radio-equipment.

## SCHOOLS AND EDUCATIONAL

-57. National Radio Institute, a pioneer in home-study technical training, has a new book describing your opportunities in all branches of electronics. Unique training methods make learning as close to being fun as any school can make it.
$\star$ 59. For a complete rundown on curriculum, lesson outlines, and full details from a leading electronic school, ask for this brochure from the Indiana Home Sfudy Instifufe.
61. ICS IInternational Correspondence Schools) offers 236 courses including many in the fields of radio. IV, and electronics. Send for free booklet "It's Your Future."
*74. How to get an F.C.C. license. plus a description of the complete electronic courses offered by Cleveland Institute of Electronics are in their free catalog.
105. Get the low-down on the latest in educational electronic kits from Trans-Tek. Build light dimmers. amplifiers, metronomes, and many more. Trans-Tek helps you to learn while building.

## TOOLS

+78. Learn about Xcelite's line of pliers and snips, specialized for radio, TV and electronic work. Xcelite's hand tools offer many advantages worth looking into. Bulletin N464 and N664.

## TELEVISION

*70. The Heath Co. now has a $19^{\prime \prime}$ color TV to complement their $21^{\prime \prime}$ and $25^{\prime \prime}$ models. A new B\&W portable model will be a hot seller for the mobile set. Get the facts today!
72. Get your 1967 catalog of Clstin's TV, radio, and hi-fi service books. Bonus-TV tube substitution guide and trouble-chaser chart is yours for the asking.
29. Install your own TV or FM antenna! Jefferson-King's exclusive free booklet reveals secrets of installation, orientation; how to get TV-FM transmission data.
97. Interesting, helpful brachures describing the TV antenna discovery of the decade-the log periodic antenna for UHF and UHF-TV, and FM stereo, From JFD Electronics Corporation.

## ELECTRONIC PARTS

*1. Allied's catalog is so widely used as a reference book, that it's regarded as a standard by people in the electronics industry. Don't you have the latest Allied Radio catalog? The surprising thing is that it's free!
t2. The new 1967 Edition of Lafayeffe's catalog features sections on stereo hi-fi, CB, ham gear, test equipment, cameras, optics, tools and much more. Get your copy today.
t3. Bargains galore! Parts, tools, test equipment, radios and many more specials at ultra-low prices. Progressive Edu-Kits will send latest catalog.
-14. Olson's catalog is a multicolored newspaper that's packed with more bargains than a phone book has names. Don't believe us? Get a copy.
+23. No electronics bargain hunter should be caught without the 1967 copy of Radio Shack's catalog. Some equipment and kit offers are so low, they look like misprints. Buying is believing.
$\dagger$ 5. Edmund Scientific's new catalog contains over 4000 products that embrace many interests and fields. It's the Buyers' Guide for Science Fair fans.
+106. With 70 million TV's and 240 million radios somebody somewhere will need a vacuum tube replacement at the rate of cine a second! Get Universal Tube Co.'s Troubleshooting Chart and facts on their \$1 fat rato per tube.
7. Whether you buy surplus or new, you will be interested in Fair Radio Sales Co.'s latest catalogchuck full of surplus buys for every experimenter.
*8. Want a colorful catalog of goodies? John Meshna, Jr. has one that covers everything from assemblies to zener diodes. Listed are government surplus radio, radar, parts, etc. All at urbelievable prices.
*6. Bargains galore, that's what's in store! Poly.Paks Co. will send you their latest eight-page flyer listing the latest in mershandise available, uncluding a gian $\$ 1$ special sale.
10. Burstein-Applebee offers a new giant catalog containing 100 's of big pages crammed with savings including hundreds of bargains on hi-fi kits, power tools, tabes, and parts.
11. Now available from ED) (Electronic Distributors. Inc.) a catalog containing hundreds of electronic jtems. $E D I$ will be happy to place you on their mailing list.
12. VHF listeners will want the latest catalog from Kuhn Electronics. All types and forms of complete receivers and converters.


# Heath AD-16 Recorder 

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sustained 400 Hz and 15 kHz tones for both azimuth and bias adjustments, using the built-in VU meters as indicators. For those who prefer it, an instrument alignment procedure is described. although it is neither easier nor better than that with the test tape.

How It Performed. The actual frequency response of the AD-16 is shown in Figs. 1 and 2. Although the response "wavers," it is well within Heath's specs which are given in the table. (The "waver," by the way, is normal with professional recorders that don't attempt to get a "ruler flat" frequency response by excess equalization at the expense of substantially higher high-frequency distortion.)

The 1 kHz THD (total harmonic distortion) was right on the button of Heath's claims. In fact, a record input level that exceeded 0 VU did not noticeably increase the reference distortion of $1.5 \%$ THD, even
with the pointer full into the "red region" at +3 VU . The noise level was a shade poorer than Heath's claims-at $71 / 2 \mathrm{ips}$ it measured -49 db on the right channel and -45 db on the left channel (referenced to $3 \%$ THD).

The AD-16's price of $\$ 399.50$ represents only the recorder; the walnut base is an optional extra at $\$ 19.95$. For additional information write to Dept. EB, Heath Co., Benton Harbor, Mich. 49023.


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right through the case. . . . If desired, melt a hole opposite the adjusting screw of C 5 -so you can change frequency without removing the transmitter from the case.

Checkout. Insert the battery into the clips -get the polarity right-close the case, place an FM receiver near the transmitter, and place the mike near the receiver's speaker. As you tune the receiver you can't miss the transmitter's frequency, the feedback will be unbearable. To change the transmitter's frequency, adjust C5 until there is no interference from strong FM-broadcast stations.

Protecting yourself. To use the Tie-Spy, clip the mike to your tie, place the transmitter in your trouser's side pocket, and run the antenna around your waist under your belt or under the back of your shirt, or wherever you prefer. The effective transmitter range will be about 25 to 50 feet. Don't try to speak directly into the mike as the gain is very high and the modulation will severely "pop"-the gain is designed to pick up voices from one to three feet. Naturally, the better the mike the better the reproduction.
A Note of Warning. The transmitter
must operate between 88 and 108 MHz ( mc ) and it must not interfere with a commercial broadcast signal. And the transmitter must be certified by an electronics technician that it has no spurious emissions and conforms to FCC requirements. For more details concerning wireless-mike FM transmitters we suggest you write to the FCC, Washington, D.C. 20554 and request Bulletins 11 and 12 concerning FCC rules pertaining to license-free, low-power transmitters.


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another story. Played through their own speakers most cartridge systems sound like table-model FM radios. Bass is not really adequate by audiophile standards, and treble has been boosted to provide a slightly unnatural sound. Played through a component system, Fidelipac. Lear, and Norelco cartridges all sound somewhat better-though none is the equal of a good $71 / 2$-ips reel-toreel tape.

The best sound comes from Fidelipac (we sampled some of International Tape Cartridge Corp.s Command titles), which provides generally good and full bass response through a big speaker system. Mid-range is accurately reproduced, as is treble. We found only a slight mellowing of the upper ranges, compared with a disc copy of the same music. The Lear-Jet system produces a similar frequency response (on the basis of RCA Victor recordings by Morton Gould, the Boston Pops, and Peter Nero), but there is a definite increase in tape hiss and a slight accentuation of treble response compared to Fidelipac.


This table-model player also accepts Norelco cassette. Lid exposes speaker grille.

Norelco's $17 / 8-\mathrm{ips}$ tape has slightly less audible tape hiss than Lear-Jet, but a slightly less natural treble sound as well. At the same time. Norelco's bass tones are not as clear or crisp as Fidelipac's (tests were made with cartridges recorded from Command discs).

Wow and flutter, however, which used to bedevil reel-to-reel slow-speed recordings, are inaudible on all these systems. And while none of these systems offers a hi-fi alternative to a good component disc- or tape-reproducing system, one significant fact remains. For the truth of the matter is that all can produce excellent results on the road.


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| 17805 | - | Deutsche Welle Relay | Kigali, Rwanda | 1745 |
| 17810 | PCJ | R. Nederland | Hilvers | 000 |
| 17815 |  | R. de Sao Paulo | Sao Paulo. Brazil | 2200 |
| 17820 | AV | R. Ankara. | Ankara, Turkey | 1415 |
|  |  | R. Australia | Melbourne. Australia | 30 |
|  |  | R. Canada | Montreal, P.Q. | 1745 |
| 17825 | LLN | R. Norway | Oslo, Norway | 1500 |
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J2 are mounted directly on one metal panel, and the stereo headphone jack (J3) is mounted directly on the other metal panelno insulating washers are necessary. Resistors R1 and R2, and transistors Q1 and Q 2 , are all mounted by their own leads, and no spaghetti (insulating tubing) is needed if you keep all leads well apart. When soldering the transistor leads, use a pair of longnose pliers as a heat sink.

How It Works. The PS-15 low-voltage DC source feeds a current through the piezoresistive elements in the phono cartridge. As the stylus rides in the stereo record grooves, the piezoresistive elements are flexed and stretched and act as rapidly varying resistances. The varying currents from the cartridge are given one stage of transistor AF amplification in the PS-15 unit.

The output from the PS-15 is fed into the input of our little headphone driver and given another stage of transistor AF amplification to drive the stereo headphones. The two 2.2 K ( 2200 ohms) resistors ( $\mathrm{R} 1, \mathrm{R} 2$ ) provide base biás for Q1 and Q2; you might experiment with other values for best results with your particular transistors.

The amplifier is turned off simply by pulling the headphone plug out of the jack.


Photo shows all necessary dimensions for duplicating author's unit. If you prefer, amplifer can be mounted in small Minibox.

## The Body's Ills

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ulus blocks pain stimuli coming from other parts of the body and prevents their traveling on to the brain. Still experimental, it promises to ease suffering now relieved only by narcotics or dangerous operations.

Another remedial operation that can be ruled out is the one often necessitated by accidental swallowing of a ferrous object. General Electric engineers have come up with a gadget that has already removed a padlock, a coffee-can key, coins, pins, dental burrs, hypodermic needles, and metal toys from innocent human tummies.

About 30 in . long and $1 / 4-\mathrm{in}$. in diameter, the new wizard consists of a stainless steel cable in a plastic tube and ends with an iron tip. When the magnet at the end of the control cable is slid forward until it touches the iron tip, the tip magnetizes. When the permanent magnet is retracted into a magnetic shield, the tip loses its magnetism.

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## Tape-Slide Synchronizer

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R1 and J2 are added to the PK-522 amplifier to make this simplification of operation possible. Volume control R1 is set to about its mid-range position for this setup.

Shock Mazard and Grounding. The yellow lead of the output transformer was grounded to the positive $(+)$ battery terminal in the original PK-522 circuit. To completely eliminate shock hazard the printed-circuit foil was cut leaving the secondary ungrounded as shown at $X$ in Fig. 2.

A separate transformer power supply (T2R2 and C3) provides DC for the amplifiereliminating possible shock hazards from this source. To prolong its life, R3 is used to reduce the light output of the pilot lamp. The value of C3 must be at least 1000 mf as it holds the power supply voltage on the amplifier for good operation, after the AC supply to T 2 has been cut off by the motordriven cam switch ( S 4 ) in the slide changer.

Construction Details. Placement of parts is not critical. And using subassemblies for the amplifier, SCR switch and the amplifier power supply makes for a neat and compact unit which should be easy to service if this should ever be necessary.

The photo of the under side of the chassis (Fig. 3) shows the location of parts. The PK-522 amplifier is shown fastened to the right side of the chassis box on $3 / 8$-inch stand-off insulators. These can easily be made from test-lead handles or banana-plug insulators.

The SCR-diode bridge switch (SCR1, Z1, D1, R2 and C4) is mounted on a phenolic panel and fastened to the left side of the cabinet with $1 / 2$-inch spacers. The power supply ( $\mathrm{Z2}$ and R3) is mounted on another small phenolic panel which is then attached to the bottom side of the chassis box with $1 / 2$-inch spacers. T2 is mounted direct to the lower side of chassis as shown.

Fig. 4 is a photograph of the Tape-Stide Synchronizer and shows, in conjunction with Fig. 3, the location of the other components.

Cablos. The two-wire power cable which connects the slide-changer unit to the TapeSlide Synchronizer has a 4 -contact plug number Jones P-304-CCT on one end which mates with the original Jones 4 -contact
socket S-304-AB on the slide changer. The other end of the power cable has a female Jones cable socket S-304-CCT which mates with a male chassis plug P-304-AB on the Tape-Slide Synchronizer.

The female Cinch-Jones chassis socket $\mathrm{S}-304-\mathrm{AB}$ shown on the chassis is not essential unless the original remote pushbutton cable operation is desired.

The shielded wire connecting the synchronizer unit with the recorder has a miniature phone plug on one end and whatever type fittings needed (on the other end) to mate with the input and output of the particular recorder used.

Conclusion. The Tape-Slide Synchronizer can be used with any stereo-tape record/ playback unit and practically any remote-pushbutton-operated semiautomatic slide changer. Adequate gain is available from the 3 -transistor amplifier to operate with the preamps of most stereo tape decks. Furthermore, if desired. a small crystal microphone can be plugged into the synchronizer's input for voice operation of the slide changer and simultaneous recording of the sync signal on the tape.

Since the Tape-Slide Synchronizer is all solid state there are no relays, contacts or moving parts to wear out. This unit has been in service for nearly a year and has required no service of any kind to date.

Perfect synchronization of commentary and slides is assured at all times because the sync pulse and commentary are recorded on a single 2 -track tape.

## International Crystal C-12B

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"wo-0-of." or "hello-o-0-o," the C-12B indicated somewhat in excess of $90 \%$ modulation. The actual scope value under these conditions was $100 \%$.
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