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ing speaker clamps. Slacken the outer screws and release the speaker.

Hold the carrying handle up and slide the chassis out.

General Notes.—The connections on the two block condensers are given in the special diagram, as are the dispositions of the resistances on the two assemblies underneath the condensers.

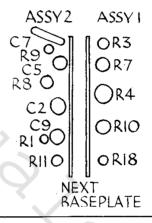
If it is necessary to reach any of the rear valve-holders undo the two screws holding the back panel and case the latter outwards to the extent of the leads.

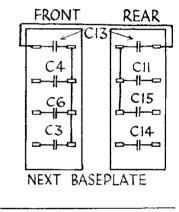
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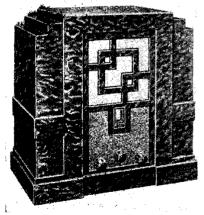
Replacing Chassis.—See that the switch lever is in the same relative position as the escutcheon. Hold carrying handle up and slide chassis into cabinet. Replace screws on speaker clamps, rear panel and underneath. Pull mains lead through the wooden block.

Above are the layouts of the AP48 five-valve plus rectifier receiver by Varley.

On the right are given the details of the two assemblies indicated in the main layout above, and the connections of the block condensers.







In all eight valves are used in the S.T. receiver by Zetavox.

Circuit.—The H.F. valve, VMS4 (V1), is preceded by a tuned secondary aerial transformer. Bias is applied to the grid from the A.V.C. system and from a resistance in the cathode lead. Coupling to the first detector is by tapped tuned anode coil, followed by a second tuned grid coil.

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The first detector valve, AC/S2 (V2), perates as a detector mixer with a separate illator. Coupling to the I.F. valve is by ped band-pass I.F. transformer (frequency

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The oscillator valve, MHL4 (V3), operates with a tuned grid, and reaction is applied from a coil directly in the anode lead. The H.T. potential is derived from the screen feed to the other valves.

Another tapped band-pass I.F. transformer couples the I.F. valve VMS4 (V4) to the second detector, the tapping on the primary being used to supply the grid of an extra A.V.C. valve.

The second detector, MSGLA (V5), operates as an anode bend detector, and provision is made for decreasing the bias by short circuiting a portion of the cathode biasing resist-

VALVE READINGS

(V.C. max., no signal. See special notes.) | Electrode. | Volts. | M.A. Valve. Type VMS4 (cat) ... anode .. screen .. 155 80 208 2 AC/82 .5 anode screen anode anode 80 80 208 MHIA ... VMS4 (cat) ... 80 screen 5 anode**
screen
anode** MSG/LA ... ,35 MPT4 (cat.) aux, grid 180 Anode bend detector, voltages are misleading. Test by current.

** See special notes, these readings are taken to

chassis.

For the correct valve readings add 80 volts to each.

ance for use on pick-up. Resistance capacity L.F. coupling is employed.

The output valve is an MPT4 (V6).

Mains equipment consists of transformer, full-wave rectifier UU120/350, with the speaker field in the positive H.T. lead with two electrolytic condensers for smoothing.

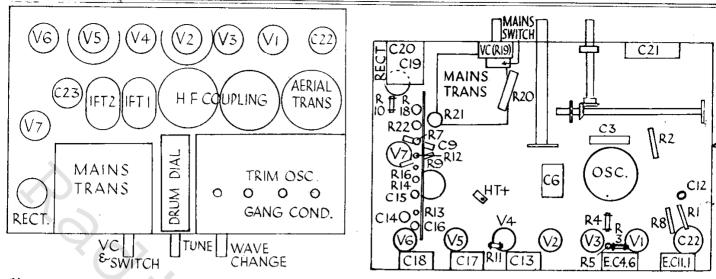
Special Notes.—In some models the cathodes of V1 and V4 are connected directly to chassis and the V6 auxiliary grid condenser (C19) is returned to cathode instead of H.T.—. In addition, the grid decoupling condenser (C18) may be connected across the bias resistor (R17) in the conventional manner. A .01 mfd. condenser may be connected as a tone compensator on V6.

Though the speaker field is in the positive H.T. lead, the chassis is not at H.T.—potential as the current for the first four valves passes through R19 and R20, and the voltage drop across these is registered between the cases of the electrolytic condensers (—)

and chassis (+).

There are two negative A.C. sections in the set—(1) for V1, V2, V3 and V4, and (2) V5, V6 and V7. As the latter have a separate filament winding to which the cathode returns are suitably connected (H.T.—), the difference in potential between H.T.— and chassis allows the screening grid of V5 to be connected to chassis, i.e., at 85 volts positive

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The compact arrangement above the Zetavox chassis (left) necessitates the mounting of the oscillator coil underneath (right). R15 is under R7 and R17 is under R14

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R18 may be 5,000 ohms, and a 100,000 ohm gram "volume control may be ganged with

the radio volume control.

Quick Tests.—Between the terminals on speaker transformer and chassis (counting from top) :--

(1) H.T. + unsmoothed by L.S. field, 290

(2) V6, anode, 190 volts.
(4 and 5) Joined H.T.+ smoothed, 210 volts.
Between casing of electrolytic condensers
(-) and chassis (+) 90 volts neg.
Full H.T. unsmoothed between (1) and condense assing 320 volts.

denser casing, 380 volts.

Removing Chassis.—Undo knobs (grub screw). Remove four bolts underneath and lift chassis out. (Speaker leads are sufficiently

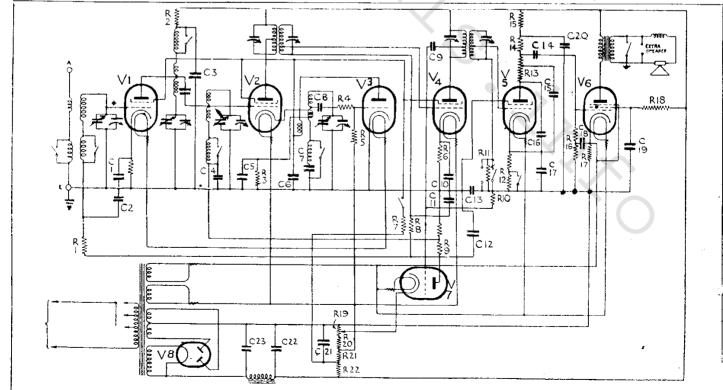
General Notes. — Though differently there is no coding.

braided wires are used, there is no coding.

Replacing Chassis.—Lay chassis inside cabinet. Replace bolts and knobs.

RESISTANCES			
R.	Purpose.	Ohms,	
1_	Decoupling A.V.C. to V 1	5,000	
2	Decoupling V 1 anode	5,000	
3	V 2 cathode bias	7,000	
2 3 4 5	V 3 grid stabiliser	2,000	
	V 3 grid leak	100,000	
- 6	V 4 cathode*	300	
7	Decoupling H.T. to screens	2,000	
8	Decoupling A.V.C. to V 4	5,000	
9	A.V.C. ptr. V 7 (tapped)	.25 + .15 meg	
10	V 7 grid leak	2 meg.	
11	Across P.V. connections	.25 meg.	
12	V 5 cathode bias (tapped)	7,000 + 3,000	
13	V 5 anode H.F. filter (tapped)	5,000 + 5,000	
14	V 5 anode L.F. coupling	100,000	
15	V 5 anode L.F. decoupling	50,000	
16	V 6 grid leak and decoupler	,	
	(tapped)	.3 + .2 meg.	
17	V 6 cathode bias	300	
18	V. 6 aux. grid decoupling	13,500	
19	Volume control part of H.T.	,	
	ptr	450	
20	Part of H.T. ptr	1,000	
21	Part of H.T. ptr	2,700	
22	Part of H.T. ptr,	3,000	
İ	L.S. field Magnavox 144	1,000	
	Output transformer primary	675	
* Omitted in some models.			

CONDENSERS			
C.	Purpose.	Mfd.	
1	*V 1 cathode	.1	
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9	Decoupling A.V.C. to V 1	.1	
3	V1 anode decoupling	.1	
4	Decoupling A.V.C. to V 2	.1	
5	V 2 cathode	.1	
6	Decoupling V 3 anode	.5	
7	l.W. pad on osc	.001	
- 8	Feed to V 3 grid	.00075	
	I.F. Feed to A.V.C. valve	.0001	
10	*V 4 cathode	1	
11 12	Decoupling A.V.C. to V 4	.01	
13	H.F. by-pass from A.V.C. anode	.01	
14	Between H.T. and chassis	.5	
15	L.F. coupling V 5 to V 6	.01	
16	H.F. by-pass anode V 5	.0015	
	Additional by-pass anode V 5	•.0003	
17	V 5 cathode	.5	
18	Decoupling grid V 6**	.5	
19	V 6 aux. grid**	,5	
20	V 5 anode decoupling	.5	
21	Decoupling H.T. to screens	4 el.	
22	H.T. smoothing	8 el.	
23	H.T. smoothing	7 el.	
* Omitted on some models. ** See special notes.			



The standard circuit of the Zetavox S.T. receiver. Modifications are dealt with under "Special Notes."