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"His Master's Voice" SERVICE MANUAL

for

FIVE-VALVE

A.C. DUAL-WAVE RECEIVER

CONSOLE MODEL C43D

THE GRAMOPHONE COMPANY LTD.

(Incorporated in England)

HOMEBUSH - - N.S.W.

TECHNICAL SPECIFICATION

POWER SUPPLY:

200 to 250 volts, 40 to 50 c.p.s.

CONSUMPTION:

50 watts.

FREOUENCY RANGE:

Broadcast: 540 Kc/s — 1600 Kc/s. Shortwave: 16.5 Metres — 51 Metres.

INTERMEDIATE FREQUENCY:

457.5 Kc/s.

VALVE COMPLEMENT:

6AN7 Frequency Changer

6AR7GT I.F. Amp.,-Demod.,-A.V.C.

6U7G Audio Amplifier 6V6GT Power Output

5Y3GT Rectifier.

CIRCUIT DESCRIPTION

This model incorporates a 5-valve A.C. mains-operated superheterodyne receiver for broadcast and shortwave reception.

FREQUENCY CHANGER

The aerial on the broadcast band is coupled to the signal frequency circuit by means of the iron dust core aerial transformer L1-L2. For shortwave reception a shortwave aerial transformer, L5-L6, is switched into circuit.

A triode hexode V1 is employed as frequency changer. Fixed padding capacitors are used on both bands. A variable padding adjustment is provided on the broadcast band by means of an iron dust bolt in the broadcast oscillator coil L3-L4.

I.F. AMPLIFIER, -DEMODULATOR, -AVC.

The frequency changer valve is transformer coupled to a duo-diode-super-control-pentode, V2. AVC potential for the pentode section of this valve and converter is obtained from one of the diodes, which is capacity coupled to the primary of the 2nd I.F. transformer; a fraction of the AVC potential is also applied to the audio amplifier valve, V3. Standing bias and AVC delay voltage is obtained from a potential dividing network across the high tension filter choke CK1. Demodulation of the I.F. signal is affected by the remaining diode of V2.

A.F. AMPLIFIER

DIAL LAMPS:

LOUDSPEAKER:

DIMENSIONS:

WEIGHT:

6.3 volt, 0.15 to 0.3 Amp.

12-inch Permagnetic.

Gross 70 lbs.

The input circuit of this valve may be switched to either the demodulator diode load R9 or to the external pick-up terminals. Tone control is effected at this stage by means of switch S2, which gives bass or treble cut as required by switching appropriate condensers. The output circuit of this valve is resistance capacity coupled to the grid of the beam power output valve V4.

Voice coil impedance: 2.7 ohms at 400 cycles.

Width 32 inches

Height 29½ inches

Depth 12 inches

Nett 61 lbs.

POWER STAGE

The output of the beam power valve is coupled to the speaker by transformer T2. Negative feedback voltage is taken from the secondary of the transformer and fed into the tap of the volume control VR1 through a resistor. This arrangement provides negative feedback over the whole of the audio frequency system. By advancing the volume control setting for higher gain, the feedback factor is reduced. A phasing network comprising C34, R24 is connected across the transformer primary. The speaker is connected to the chassis by means of a 2-pin plug.

HIGH TENSION SUPPLY

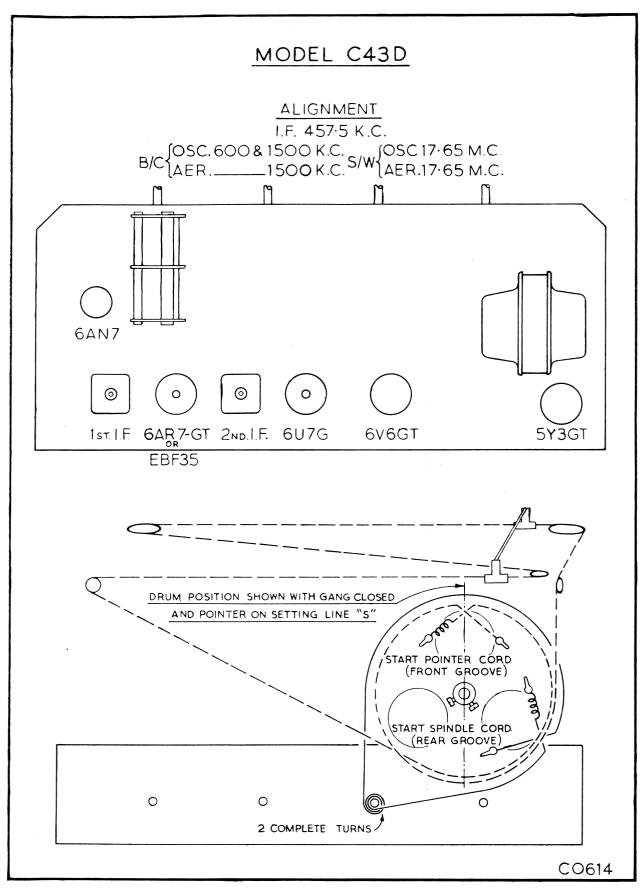
The power supply employs a directly heated type high vacuum rectifier V5. The filter circuit consists of an iron cored choke, CK1, and two electrolytic condensers, C16 and C17. Both poles of the mains supply are switched by S3, which is incorporated with the volume control.

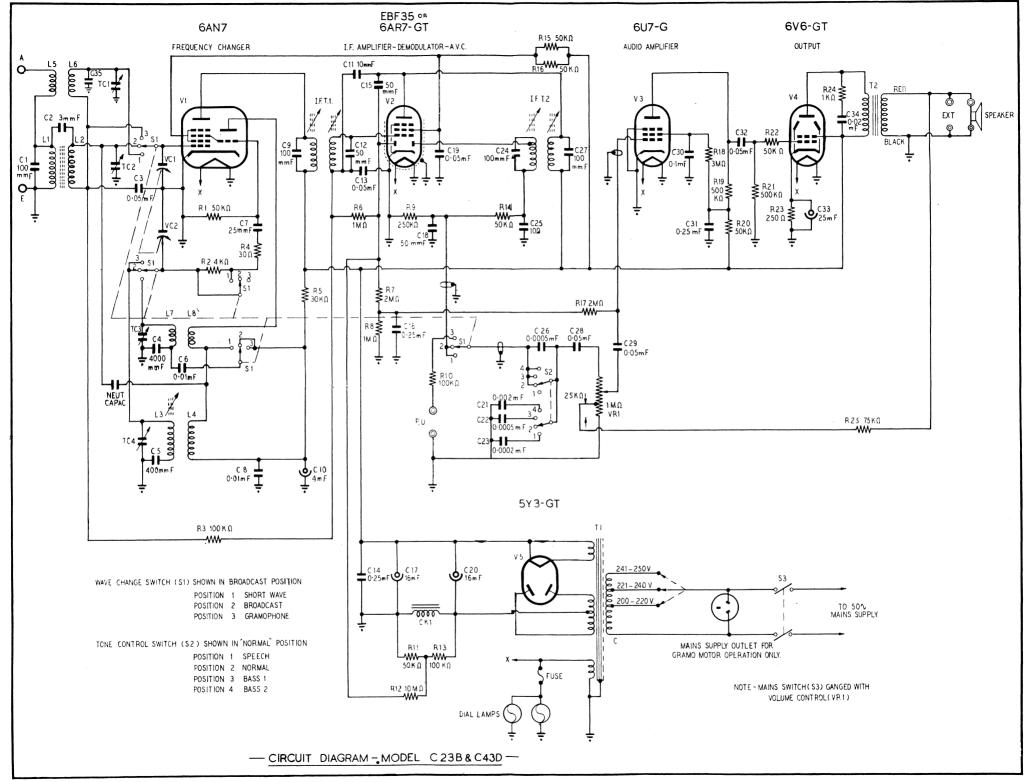
DISMANTLING

REMOVAL OF CHASSIS

- (1) Disconnect power plug from supply mains.
- (2) Disconnect aerial and earth wires.

- (3) Remove knobs.
- (4) Remove two chassis fixing screws at rear of cabinet.
- (5) Withdraw chassis from cabinet.





RECEIVER ALIGNMENT PROCEDURE

In any case where a component replacement has been made in either the tuned I.F. or R.F. circuits of a receiver, all circuits must be realigned, and even if only one coil has been serviced, the whole of the realignment should be done in the order given. An output meter should always be connected across the voice coil terminals of the speaker to indicate when the circuits are tuned to resonance. In carrying out the following operations, it is important that the input to the receiver from the signal generator should be kept low and progressively reduced as the circuits are brought into line, so that the output meter reading does not exceed about 1 volt.

I.F. ALIGNMENT

- (1) Rotate the volume control fully clockwise, set the wave-change switch to "Broadcast" (centre) position and fully enmesh the tuning condenser vanes. Connect the output leads of signal generator to the grid of the 6AN7 converter valve, through a 0.1 mF. condenser; do not remove grid lead of the converter valve.
- (2) Tune signal generator to exactly 457.5 Kc/s.
- (3) Adjust the I.F. transformer trimmer screws for maximum reading on output meter, commencing with the second I.F. transformer and following with the first.
- (4) Continue this alignment on each transformer in turn until no greater output can be obtained. It is necessary to repeat this procedure twice to ensure good alignment.

Note: If trimmer screws are screwed too far in, it may be possible to obtain a false peak due to coupling effects between the iron cores. Start alignment of each individual transformer by first screwing its core well out, and then advancing core into the coil until resonance is obtained.

R.F. ALIGNMENT (BROADCAST)

- (1) With controls set as for I.F. alignment, connect signal generator output leads in series with a 200 mmF. condenser to the aerial and earth terminals of the receiver.
- (2) Check that when the gang condenser is fully meshed the pointer coincides with

the setting line, marked "S," on the extreme right of the dial scale. If necessary, the pointer may be adjusted to this position by softening the wax securing the drive cord to the pointer carrier.

- (3) Tune signal generator to 600 Kc/s.
- (4) Rotate tuning knob until the pointer is exactly over 600 Kc/s. calibration mark and adjust the oscillator padder screw for maximum response.
- (5) Tune signal generator to 1500 Kc/s.
- (6) Rotate tuning knob until the pointer coincides with the 1500 Kc/s. calibration mark and adjust the oscillator trimmer and aerial trimmer in turn for maximum response.
- (7) Repeat operations (3) to (6) inclusive for proper alignment.

R.F. ALIGNMENT (SHORT-WAVE)

- (1) Set wave-change switch to "Short-Wave" (clockwise) position. Remove the 200 mmF. condenser from the output lead of the signal generator and replace with a 400 ohm non-inductive resistor; connect to the aerial terminals as before.
- (2) Rotate tuning knob until the pointer coincides with the 17 metres calibration mark.
- (3) Tune signal generator to 17 metres (17.65 Mc/s.).
- (4) Adjust S-W oscillator trimmer for maximum output. Two settings will be found at which this trimmer will peak; care must be taken that the setting finally selected is that which gives the lower capacity. Failure to select the correct position of the two will cause serious tracking error and loss of sensitivity.
- (5) Adjust S-W aerial trimmer for maximum output whilst "rocking" the gang condenser slightly to obtain the true resonance point.
- (6) Note that the signal is still tuned in correctly on the dial; if not, readjust S-W oscillator trimmer slightly until dial reads correctly, and repeat operation (5).

ADDITIONAL DATA

Any further service information desired may be obtained by addressing an enquiry to the "Service Department, The Gramophone Co. Ltd., 2 Parramatta Road, Homebush, N.S.W."

(The Company reserves the right to make any modification without notice).

--- VOLTAGE TABLE ----

(MODEL C23B&C43D)

- VOLTAGES AND CURRENTS ARE WITH THE RECEIVER OPERATING ON AVERAGE MAINS VOLTAGE, AND TUNED TO A POINT OF NO RECEPTION ON THE BROADCAST BAND.
- VOLTAGE READINGS TAKEN WITH METER RESISTANCE OF 1.000 OHMS PER VOLT.
- VOLTAGE AND CURRENT READINGS WITHIN ±15%
- RESISTANCE READINGS ARE APPROXIMATE .

VOLTS TO CHASSIS	CURRENT M A	RESISTANCE TO CHASSIS	VALVE ELECTRODE	BOTTOM VIEW OF VALVE SOCKET	VALVE ELECTRODE	VOLTS. TO CHASSIS	CURRENT M A	RESISTANCE TO CHASSIS
			V 1	6 A N 7	FREQUENCY	CHANGER		
					HEATER	NIL		NIL
6 • 3 A.C.	230		HEATER		INT. CONN.			
	11	NIL	CATHODE	H 3	HEX. PLATE	240	3.0	INFIN
		3 MEG Ω	CONTROL GRID		OSC. PLATE	5.5	6	INFIN
110	3.5	INFIN	SCREEN GRID		OSC. GRID			50 KΩ
			٧2 .	6AR7-GT → EBF35	I.F. AMPLIFIE	R — DEMODU	JL ATOR — A	V.C.
				Ω	GRID			3 ⋅ 3 MEG Ω
8 4	0.92	INFIN	SCREEN GRID		DIODE Nº 2			300 К Ω
241	4 • 2	INFIN	PLATE		DIODE Nº 1			2·3 MEG Ω
NIL		NIL	METAL SHELL	$\vdash \bullet \lor \bullet \vdash$	CATHODE	NIL	5 · 12	NIL
6 3 A C	300		HEATER		HEATER	NIL		NIL
			V 3	6U7 - G	AUDIO AMP	LIFIER		
				Ω	GRID			3 MEG Ω
10	0.08	INFIN	SCREEN GRID		SUPPRESSOR	NIL		NIL
3 4	0.34	INFIN	PLATE					
NIL		NIL	HEATER	$\vdash \bullet \lor \bullet \vdash$	HEATER	6 · 3 A.C.	300	
NIL		NIL	по сопп.		CATHODE	NIL	0 · 42	NIL
			V 4	6 V 6 - GT	OUTPUT			
241	3.0	INFIN	SCREEN GRID	•	GRID			550 K Ω
222	4 5	INFIN	PLATE	•				500 K Ω
NIL		NIL	HEATER	\leftarrow	HEATER	6 · 3 A.C.	450	
NIL		NIL	NO CONN		CATHODE	11	4 8	250 Ω
			V 5	5Y3 - GT	RECTIFIER			
280 A.C.		1030 Ω	PLATE Nº 1					
					PLATE Nº 2	280 A.C.		1030 Ω
241	2 AMP. A.C.	INFIN	HEATER	→ ✓)				
			NO CONN.		HEATER	241		INFIN

REMARKS:

UNFILTERED H.T VOLTAGE = 295 VOLTS
FILTERED H.T VOLTAGE = 241 VOLTS

TOTAL H.T. CURRENT = 67 M.A.

RECTIFIER HEATER VOLTAGE = 5.0 VOLTS

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PARTS LIST

1					2			
REF.	PART No.	DESCRIPTION	REF.	PART No.	DESCRIPTION	REF.	PART No.	DESCRIPTION
		,		CON	CONDENSERS		MISCE	MISCELLANEOUS
R1 R2	H2X F9VV	%05 + +	G1	D0243P	100 mmF. $\pm 10\%$	T2-6	D2321/2	S/W Aerial Coil
R3	12X	$\frac{2}{3}$ watt $\pm 10\%$	25 ا	D0243BU	$3 \text{ mmF.} \pm 1 \text{ mmF.}$	L7-8	D2320 D2357	S/W Oscillator Coil
R4	ČB1X	$\frac{2}{4}$ watt $\pm 10\%$	3 Z 4 Z	COOLSINI D0243CO	0.03 IIIF. 200 V. WKg. 4 000 mmF ± 100 mmF	1.V	D2337 D2358	H.1. CHOKE Mains Transformer
R5	W3X	I watt $\pm 10\%$	G2	D0243AM	400 mmF. ± 5 mmF.	Ţ.	D2685	Output Transformer
R6	P2X	$\frac{1}{2}$ watt $\pm 10\%$	90 00	C0013N	0.01 mF. 600V. wkg.	S_1	D2346	5-Pole 3-Position Switch
K7	DH2X	$\frac{1}{2}$ watt $\pm 10\%$	C7	D0243BE	25 mmF. $\pm 10\%$	S2	$\overline{D2351}$	2-Pole 4-Position Switch
K 8	P2X	$\frac{1}{2}$ watt $\pm 10\%$	C8	C0013N	0.01 mF. 600V, wkg.	S3,		
K9	X2X 2011	$\frac{1}{2}$ watt $\pm 10\%$	G9	D4405W	100 mmF. $\pm 5\%$	VR1	D2350	1 Meg. Potentiometer
R11	AR3X	$0.0000 \text{ onins } \frac{1}{2} \text{ watt } = 10\%$	C10	C0014AT	4 mF. 350P.V. Electro.			tapped at 25,000 ohms.
R12	12X	$\frac{1}{3}$ watt $\pm 10\%$	15	C00131	$0.02 \text{ mF} \cdot 400 \text{ V} \cdot \text{wkg}$.	91011		(Incorp. Mains Switch)
R13	J2X	½ watt ± 10%	717	D4403A C0013M	$0.05 \text{ mHF} \cdot \pm 0.\%$	8 CZ 8	C0159A	9 Gang Condenser
R14		$50,000 \text{ ohms } \frac{1}{2} \text{ watt } \pm 10\%$	G15	C0013C	0.25 mF. 400V. wkg.	IFT1	D2278	1st I.F. Transformer
R15		1 watt \pm 10%	G15	D0243O	50 mmF. $\pm 10\%$	IFT2	D2355	2nd I.F. Transformer
KI6	DH2X	ms $\frac{1}{2}$ watt $\pm 10\%$	C16	$C0013\widetilde{P}$	0.25 mF. 200V. wkg.	VI	6AN7	Valve
KI/	1,00		C17	C0014CB	16 mF. 525P.V. Electro.	V2	EBF35	Valve
K 13	ALSX	1 watt $\pm 10\%$	C18	D0243Q	50 mmF. $\pm 10\%$	V3	9109	Valve
KI9	O3X	1 watt $\pm 10\%$	C19	$C0013\vec{G}$	0.05 mF. 400V. wkg.	V4	159A9	Valve
R 20	757	$\frac{1}{2}$ watt $\pm 10\%$	C20	C0014BZ	16 mF. 525P.V. Electro.	V5	5Y3GT	Valve
N 21	770 H97	707 H	C21	C0013AO	$0.002 \text{ mF.} \pm 10\%$			Dial Lamps 6.3V, O.25A
R 93	77W7	2 watt = 10% 1ett + 10%	G22	D0243L	$0.0005 \text{ mF.} \pm 10\%$		D3129	12in. Permag. Speaker
C731	VCMN	1 watt ± 10 /5 BWI	C23	D0243CY	$0.0002 \text{ mF.} \pm 10\%$		C0559	Dial Glass
R24	D3X	+ 10°/	47.0	D4405W	100 mmF.		D2/04	Dial Pointer
R25	AN2X	10%	C25 C26	D0243F D0243L	$0.0005 \text{ mF} \pm 10\%$		D08/3	Dial Cord Spring H238 Lug (Dial Cord)
			G27	D4405W	100 mmF. $\pm 5\%$		D2394	Knob
Š	M	SCELLANEOUS	C28	C0013M	0.05 mF. 200V. wkg.		F1	5 Amp. Fuse Wire
5	D2393	1 rimmer Condenser	C29	C0013M	0.05 mF. 200V. wkg.		B0145	Dial Back Plate Assembly
TC_0	D990E	Z-28 mmr.	C30	C0013E	0.1 mf. 400V. wkg.		D2286	P.U. Panel
102	D2393	1 rinmer Condenser 2-28 mmF	C31	C0013C	0.25 mF. $400V$. wkg.			A. & E. Panel "Carr Eggeness, 733 9 10
TC3	D2395	Trimmer Condenser	C32	C0013AD	0.03 Inf. 600 V. wkg. 95 mF 40P V Flection			Fasiener 733-2-10 Dial Cond (white) 11'6"
) 		2-28 mmF.	C34 C34	C0013AK	.002 mF. 600V. wkg.		D2534	Dial Puley
TC4	D2395	Trimmer Condenser	C35	D0243BJ	$10 \text{ mmF.} \pm 10\%$		D2364	P.U. Plugs
1 1 0	D1614	2-28 mmF.		D2398	Neutralizing Capacitor		D2607	Extension Speaker Plug
L1-2 L3-4	$\frac{D1014D/2}{D2224}$	7/0					D2608	Speaker Socket
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