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## 11-21 STURT STREET, SOUTH MELBOURNE TECHNICAL BULLETIN

**Bulletin DKL-1** 

File: Receivers A/c.

Date: 1/10/46

SUBJECT-

Type DKL Mantel Model
4 Tube Broadcast Superheterodyne
Receiver.

For operation from:-

200-250 Volt 50 Cycle A/c. Mains.

This Bulletin contains:-

- 1. Technical Specifications.
- 2. General Description.
- 3. Alignment Procedure.
- 4. Circuit Diagram.
- 5. Voltage Table.
- 6. Component Parts List.
- 7. Coil and IF. Transformer Connections.
- 8. Photographic Illustrations.



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SUBJECT-Technical Specifications-Receiver Type DKL

TUBE COMPLEMENT:

6A8G Converter.

6B8G IF. Amplifier, AVC., Detector, 1st Audio.

6V6GT Beam Power Amplifier. 5Y3G Full Wave Rectifier.

INTERMEDIATE FREQUENCY: 455 Kcs.

TUNING RANGE:

535 Kcs. (Kilocycles) to 1640 Kcs.

565 M. (Meters) to 182.9 M.

CALIBRATION:

Straight Line Frequency.

POWER CONSUMPTION:

40 Watts (Approx.).

#### GENERAL DESCRIPTION:

The type DKL Mantel Model is a 4 tube reflexed superheterodyne receiver.

The circuit which is of unusual design has overcome the usual disadvantages of reflexed circuits, i.e., low volume distortion and failure of the volume control to cut off.

The tube line up consists of a 6A8G pentagrid converter followed by a type 6B8G diode pentode used as a combined IF. amplifier, diode detector and A.V.C. bias source and 1st audio amplifier.

A.V.C. is applied to the 6A8G only. Volume is controlled by varying the reflexed audio signal applied to the 6B8G tube. The audio output of this tube is fed directly to the 6V6GT output tube. Degenerative feedback is taken from the secondary of the output transformer and applied to the bottom of the volume control. A second circuit providing bass boost is connected to the tap on the volume control.

Bias (back bias) for the 6V6GT cutput tube is obtained from the voltage drop across the 250 chm resistor circuit number 36.

High tension is supplied from full wave rectifier 5Y3G and filtered by resistance capacitive filter comprising 24MFD. electrolytic 400 ohm resistor and 16MFD. electrolytic condenser circuit numbers 17, 37 and 18.



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SUBJECT-Alignment Procedure-Receiver Type DKL

- EQUIPMENT:-Signal Generator.

Dummy Antenna:-

.01MFD. Mica Capacitor. 200MMFD. Mica Capacitor.

Output Meter.
Alignment Tool.

ALIGNMENT CONDITIONS:-

Load Impedance-5,000 Ohms. Output Level-50 Milliwatts.

Volume Control-Maximum Volume (Fully Clockwise).

ALIGNMENT:-(Chassis removed from cabinet).

Intermediate Frequency-455 Kcs.

Do not use a screwdriver or alignment tool with an iron point for aligning IF. transformers. A special tool part number PM581 is available from the factory, or failing this an insulated rod with a small brass blade may be used.

Operation Generator		Dummy			
No.	Connection	Frequency	y Antenna	Instructions	
1.	To grid of 6B8G tube.	455Kcs.	.OlMFD. mica capacitor in series with generator.	Gang plates full out. Leave grid cap on tube. Peak 2nd IF. transformer primary and secondary.	
2.	To grid of 6A8G tube.	455Kcs.	.01MFD. mica capacitor in series with generator.	Gang plates full out. Leave grid cap on tube. Peak lst IF. transformer primary and secondary.	
3.	·				
4.	To antenna lead	600Kcs.	200MMFD. mica capacitor in series with generator.	Turn dial pointer to 600 Kcs. dial mark. Peak oscillator coil inductance trimmer (iron core) for maximum output rocking gang to and fro while adjusting.	
5.	To antenna lead	1400Kcs.	200MMFD. mica capacitor in series with generator.	Turn dial pointer to 1400 Kcs. dial mark. Adjust oscillator trimmer for logging and peak aerial coil trimmer.	
6.	Repeat operations	Nos. 4 and	5.		

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Tuning Range: 535-1640 Kcs. 2



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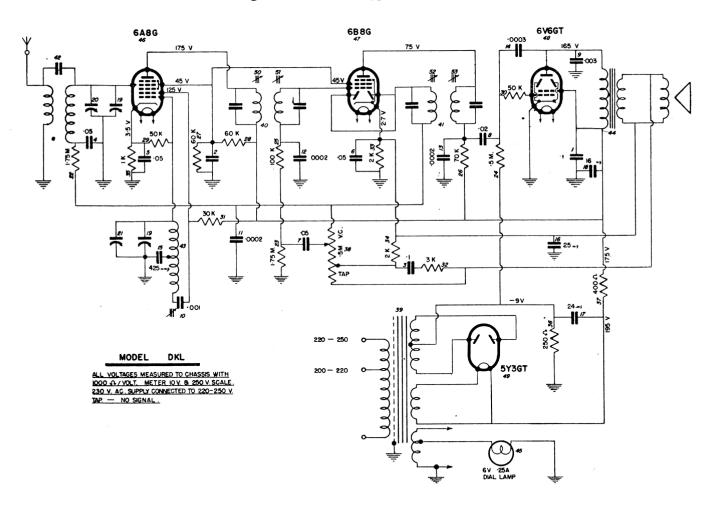
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SUBJECT-Schematic Circuit Diagram-Receiver Type DKL





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SUBJECT-Voltage Table-Receiver Type DKL

#### EQUIPMENT:-

Volt Meter:-

1,000 ohms per volt with 0-250 volt and 0-10 volt scales.

#### Conditions of test:-

All voltages measured from tube socket contacts to chassis. 230 volts 50 cycle A/c. input, receiver tuned to 1,000 Kcs., volume control at maximum volume (fully clockwise) no signal.

TUBE	FIL.	PLATE	SCREEN	GRID	CATHODE	OSCL. PLATE
6A8G	6.3V.	175V.	44.5V.	_	3.5V.	115V.
6B8G	6.3V.	75V.	44.5V.	_	2.77.	<u>~</u>
6V6GT	6.3V.	165V.	175V.	9.00.	_	<b>_</b>
5 <b>Y3</b> G	5V.	first el volts dr	ectrolytic opping to n	condenser ormal oper	circuit N) rating valu	age across the o. 17) is 255 he of 196 volts. for is 16 volts.



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SUBJECT-Component Parts List-Electrical-Receiver Type DKL

Circuit						
No.	Part	Name	Rating	Tol.	Part No.	
1. 2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. 8. 9. 10. 11. 12. 13. 14. 15. 16. 17. 18. 19. 20. 21.	.1 mfd05 mfd1 mfd05 mfd05 mfd05 mfd05 mfd05 mfd05 mfd02 mfd02 mfd003 mfd0002 mfd0002 mfd0002 mfd0002 mfd0002 mfd000425mfd .25 mfd .24 mfd .25 mfd .25 mfd .24 mfd .25 mfd .25 mfd .25 mfd .25 mfd .25 mfd .25 mfd .27 mfd .28 mfd .29 mmfd .29 mmfd .20 mmfd	Paper Condenser Mica Condenser Mica Condenser Mica Condenser Mica Condenser Mica Condenser Electrolytic Condenser Electrolytic Condenser Electrolytic Condenser Variable Condenser Trimmer Condenser Wire Wound	400V 400V 200V 200V 200V 200V 200V 400V 600V 1000V 1000V 1000V 1000V 1000V 350PV	20% 20% 20% 20% 20% 20% 20% 20% 10% 10% 10% 21% 20% 20%	PC103 PC109 PC218 PC102 PC102 PC102 PC102 PC111 PC274 PC108 PC124 PC124 PC124 PC124 PC124 PC212 PC683 PC660 PC276 PC283 PC635 PC634 PC663	
22. 23. 24. 25. 26. 27. 28. 29. 30. 31. 32.	1.75 megohm 1.75 megohm .5 megohm 100,000 ohm 70,000 ohm 60,000 ohm 60,000 ohm 50,000 ohm 30,000 ohm 30,000 ohm 3,000 ohm 2,000 ohm	Carbon Resistor	Watt tutt tutt tutt tutt tutt tutt tutt	10% 10% 10% 10% 10% 10% 10% 10%	PR248 PR245 PR103 PR256 PR125 PR125 PR160 PR160 PR161 PR185 PR253	



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Circui No.	.t Part	Name	Rating	Tol.	Eclipse Part No.
34.	2,000 ohm	Carbon Resistor	½ Watt	10%	PR253
35.	1,000 ohm	Carbon Resistor	🗓 Watt	10%	PR252
36.	250 ohm	Wire Wound Resistor	$\frac{1}{2}$ Watt	10%	PR259
37.	400 ohm	Wire Wound Resistor	ī Wa <b>tt</b>	10%	PR <b>14</b> 8
38.	.5 megohm	Volume Control		, 0	PR377
	Tapped at 40,	,000 ohms			•
39.		Power Transformer			PT794
40.	lst I.F.	Transformer	÷		PT753
41.	2nd I.F.	Transformer			PT387
42.	Antenna	Transformer			PT787
43.	Oscillator	Coil			PT793
44.	Permag Speake	er			
	5,000 ohm Inp			* .	K 109
45.	6-8V .25A	Pilot Lamp			PM678
46.	Type 6A8G	Tube			
47.	Type 6B8G	Tube			
48.	Type $6V6G/GT$	Tube			
49.	Type $5Y3G/GT$				
50.	1st I.F. Prim				
51.	1st I.F. Sec				
52.	2nd I.F. Prim	ary Adjusting Screw			
53.	2nd I.F. Secon	ndary Adjusting Screw			
<b>54.</b>	Tuning Contro	1 .			



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 ${\tt Subject-Component\ Parts\ List-Mechanical-Receiver\ Type\ DKL}$ 

Part Name	Eclipse Part No.
Pointer and carrier Assy.	A105/E246
Pulley	4/501-2
Pulley lever Assy.	A104/E233
Spring-(Lever Assy.)	21/E233
Dial Drum	15/E233
Circlip-Drive spindle	. 11/E246
Pilot Light Assy.	A130/30C
Valve shield earth contact	22/30C
Control Knob	4/E252
Control Knob Insert (Steel)	86/71
Speed Nuts (dial clamp)	227/250
Dial Glass	15/ <b>E24</b> 6
Light Diffuser	10/E246
Grid Clips	873/495
Trim Plate	12/E246

#### CABINET FITTINGS

CABINET		KNOBS		FELT WASHERS		
Colour	Part No.	Colour	Part No.	Colour	Part No.	
Walnut	D-1	Walnut	4/E252	To match	124/74-1	
Cream	D-1	Cream	4/E252	• •		
Green	D-1	Green	4/E252	• •	• •	
Blue	D-1	Blue	4/E252	• •	• •	
Champagne	D-1	Champagne	4/E252	• •	• •	



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A.V.C.

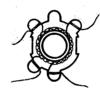
Earth

(Outside secondary) Grid

Antenna. (Inside Primary)

ANT. TRANSFORMER

Grid

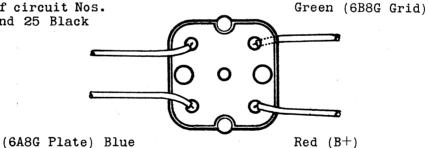


6A8G Oscl. Plate cond.

Series pad Series pad

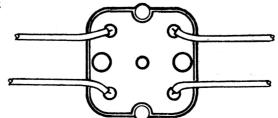
OSCL. COIL

(Junction of circuit Nos. 12 and 25 Black



1st IF. TRANS.

(Junction of circuit Nos. 11, 22 and 38 Black



(6B8G plate) Blue

Red(Junction of Nos. 8, 13 and 26

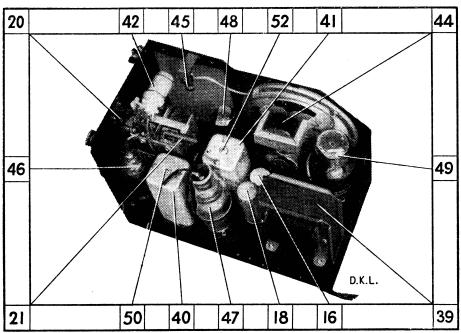
Green (6B8G Diode)

2nd IF. TRANS.

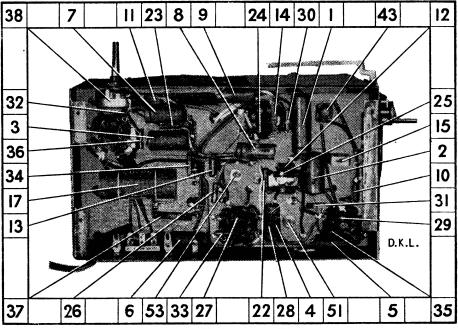
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SUBJECT: CHASSIS TOP AND BOTTOM VIEWS

Receiver Type DKL.



Model DKL Top View.



Model DKL Bottom View.