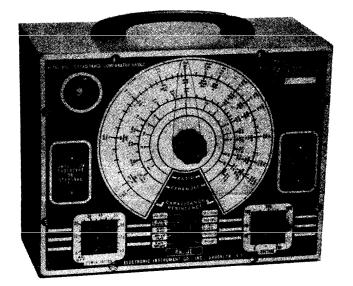
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## **Resistance-Capacitance**

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## **Comparator Bridge**

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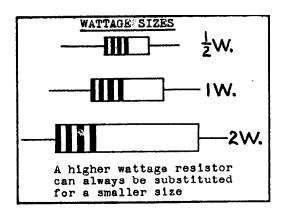


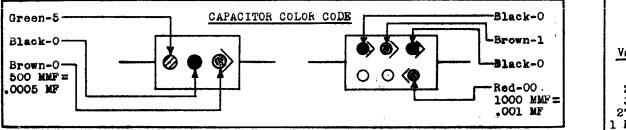




## RMA COLOR CODES

	<u>R.</u>	M.A.	RESIST	OR COLOR C	ODE
Black -0	Black	-0	Black	-	TOLERANCE
Brown -1	Brown	-1	Brown	0	Gold = ± 5%
Red -2	Red	-2	Red	00	Silver = ±10%
Orange -5	Orange	3	Orange	-000	No band=20%
Yellow -4	Yellow	-4	Yellow	-0000	
Green -5	Green	-5	Green	-00000	
Blue -6	Blue	-6	Blue	-000000	
Violet -7	Violet -	-7		-Multiply	
Gray -8	Gray	-8	Silver	-Multiply	by .01
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Value	First	Second	
	band	Band	Band S
47	Yellow	Violet	Black
270	Red	Violet	Brown
33K	Orange	Orange	Orange
270K	hed -	Violet	Orange
1 Meg	Brown	Black	Green

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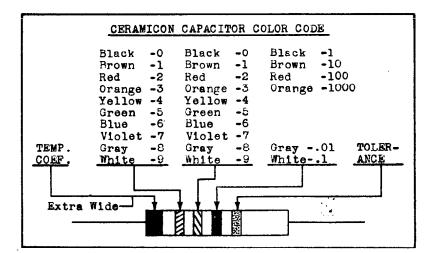
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#### CAPACITOR COLOR CODE

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Two codes are commonly used: those with three dots and those with two rows of three dots. In the three dot code, reading along the arrow, the first two dots are significant figures and the last dot is the decimal multiplier. For example; brown, black, orange is 10,000 Mmfd. or .01 Mfd.

In the six dot code, the upper row represents the first three significant figures and the lower right hand dot represents the multiplier. If the upper left dot is black, then the ether two dots represent the first two significant figures and the lower right dot is the multiplier.



SOME CO	MMONLY USE	D CAPAC	ITORS
<u>Mmfd. M</u>		Second Dot	Third Dot
20 .0 50 .0 100 .0 500 .0	0001 Brown 0002 Red 0005 Green 001 Brown 005 Green 01 Brown 1 Brown	Black Black Black Black Black	Black Black Black Brown Brown Ked Orange

#### CERAMICON CAPACITORS

These capacitors appear similar to resistors and can be distinguished from resistors in that they have five bands. The first band is extra wide and represents temperature coefficient. The next to bands represent the first two significant figu The fourth is the multiplier while the fifth and last band is the tolerance of the capacitor.

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## PARTS LIST - MODEL 950

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HK. PART NO.	SYMBOL	DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT
1234567890112345678901222222222222333567890122345678901	C1 C2 C3 C4 C5,6,7 C8 H1 H2 H3 H45 H6 H7 H8 H9 H10 H12 H14 H15 H16 H18 H9 H10 H12 H14 H15 H16 H17 H18 H9 H10 H12 H14 H14 H15 H16 H18 H10 H12 H12 H14 H15 H16 H18 H10 H11 H12 H14 H16 H16 H18 H16 H18 H16 H18 H16 H17 H16 H17 H17 H16 H17 H17 H17 H17 H17 H17 H17 H17 H17 H17	<pre>8 MFD Filter Condenser 200 MMFD Precision Condenser 2 MFD Precision Condenser 2 MFD Precision Condenser 3 MFD TUBULAR 25 MFD TUBULAR Panel Chassis Line Cord 3/8 Lock Washers 3/8 Panel Washers 3/8 Panel Washers 3/8 Hex Nuts #6 Machine Screws #6 Hex Nuts #6 Crounding Lug 3/8 Grommet 4 Grounding Lug 3/8 Grommet 4 Grommet 5 Cotal Socket, Wafer 0 Ctal Socket, Wafer 0 Self Tapping Screws Magic Eye Bracket Hook Up Wire, 8' Bare Wire - 2½' Speghetti - 2½' Cabinet Handle #10 Handle Screws Binding Posts 10K Bridge Potentiometer 1K Pot 1 Meg, - Voltage Control Power Transformer 500 Ohms 5W Resistor 250K 1%, ½ W Resistor 250K 1%, ½ W Resistor 20 Ohms 1%, ½ W Resistor 20 OK 1W Resistor 20 Cok 1% ½ W Re</pre>	

## EICO MODEL 950K RESISTANCE-CAPACITANCE-COMPARATOR-BRIDGE

The assembly of the Model 950K RC Comparator Bridge is not difficult; on the contrary, it is a simple and straight-forward series of steps.' Each of these steps is geared to aid you in the rapid and intelligent completion of your instrument. Before starting the actual construction, study the schematic and pictorial wiring thoroughly getting all of the steps clear in your mind. Do not rush the assembly. Care will pay dividends. It is suggested, because of stray pickup and increased capacity by leads improperly run, etc. that you place your wiring exactly as shown on diagrams.

Note: Use a Good grade on rosin core Solder, UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES USE ACID CORE SOLDER OR ACID FLUX inasmuch as this can cause serious corrosion. Before soldering, make certain there is a good mechanical connection. The solder must flow before you remove the soldering iron. This will prevent rosin joints which are poor electrical conductors. If you are soldering close to a part, hold the ends of a pair of longnose pliers between the part and the solder joint. The pliers will conduct the heat away and prevent the component from being unduly overheated.

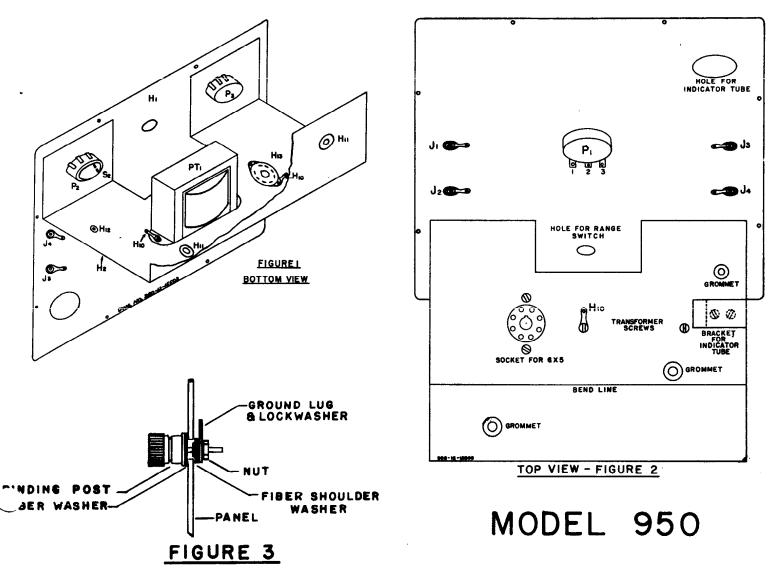
### COMPONENTS

Carefully unwrap all the parts and check them in the space provided on the parts list. Note:- In order to insure the supply of kits and prompt delivery, we are forced to order from several sources; standard manufacturers' parts are interchangeable. You may also find that a value will vary within the permissible circuit tolerance, e.g., a resistance of 470,000 ohms may be substituted for, or may measure 510,000 ohms, etc. All parts supplied will work just as well as the part for which it was substituted. Most parts have a tolerance rating of 20% and the circuit is designed to take this variation into account. No substitutions will be made on precision components unless they are within permissable tolerance.

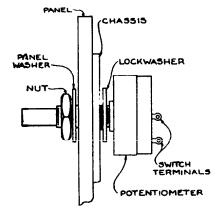
### GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

CONSTRUCTION TEST AND CALIBRATION: - The construction of your instrument consists of the following steps:

- (1) <u>MOUNTING</u>: The chassis and panel components, per ASSEMBLY PRINT #1, aremounted.
- (2) <u>SWITCH AND MAGIC EYE SOCKET PREWIRING:</u> The RANGE switch is prewired per ASSEMBLY PRINT #2, FIGURE 1. The MAGIC EYE SOCKET is prewired according to ASSEMBLY PRINT #2, FIGURE 2.
- (3) <u>FINAL ASSEMBLY AND WIRING:</u>-The prewired switch and the magic eye socket are mounted and wired onto the panel and chassis. The final wiring is completed and the instrument made ready for final test per ASSEMBLY PRINTS #3 AND #4
- (4) <u>FINAL STEPS:</u>- The tubes and knobs are inserted and tests made to ascertain proper wiring. The instrument is turned on and if operating properly, it is inserted into the cabinet.



# ASSEMBLY PRINT NO.I



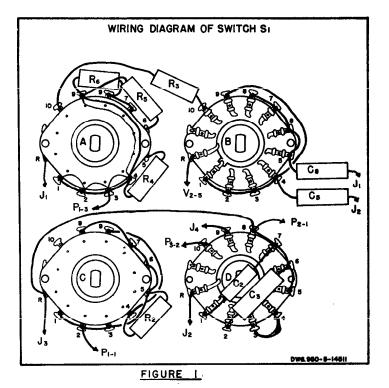
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	PANEL AND CHASSIS MOUNTING INSTRUCTIONS					
CK.	SYMBOL	DESCRIPTION	MOUNTED WITH	LOCATION	REMARKS	
	P2 P3 PT1 H13 H11	l meg. pot. Power trans. Octal socket (2) 3/8	1#H4,1#H5,1#H6 1#H4,1#H5,1#H6 2#H7,2#H8,1#H9, 2#H10 2#H7,2#H8,1#H9, 1#H10	P.F. pot. Voltage Under the chassis Under the chassis	See fig. 184 See fig. 184 See fig. 182 See fig. 1 See fig. 1 See fig. 2	
	H12 J1-2 J3-4 P1 H20	grommets grommet Binding posts Binding 10K pot. Bracket	1#H8,1#H10, 1#H16,1#H17 1#H8,1#H10 1#H16,1#H17 1#H16,1#H17 1#H4,1#H5,1#H6 2#H7,2#H8,2#H9	Test pos. Comparator position Bridge pot.	See fig. 2 See fig. 2&3 See fig. 2&3 See fig. 2&4 See fig. 2	

Note: Figure 4 pertains to P2 only, P1 & P3 do not have switches.



HK.	SYMBOL	DESCRIPTION	FROM	TO	REMARKS
	R6 R5 R4 R3 R2 C2 C3 H23 C6 C5	Bare wire Bare wire "" "" "" "" "" "" "" "" "" "	(S)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)AA##1223 (C)C)AA##1223 (C)C)AA##123 (C)C)AA##123 (C)C)AA##123 (C)C)AA##123 (C)C)AA##123 (C)C)AA##123 (C)C)AA##123 (C)C)AA##123 (C)C)AA##123 (C)C)AA##123 (C)C)AA##123 (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C)C (C)C	(C) A # 2 (C) A # 4 (C) A # 4 (C) A # 4 (C) B # 8 (C) B # 8 (C) B B # # 4 (C) C C C # 4 (C) C C # 4 (C) C C # 4 (C) C C # 4 (C) C A A # 7 (C) A A A A A A A A A A A A A A A A A A A	Spaghetti Spaghetti Spaghetti Spaghetti Spaghetti Spaghetti Spaghetti Spaghetti G" length 6 <sup>2</sup> length 2 <sup>2</sup> " 5 <sup>2</sup> " 5 <sup>3</sup> " 5 <sup>3</sup> "
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RANGE SWITCH WIRING - S1

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Pass wire through terminals indicated, (S) means solder, (C) means connect, Use spaghetti where suggested.

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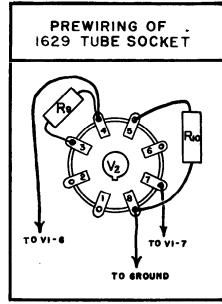


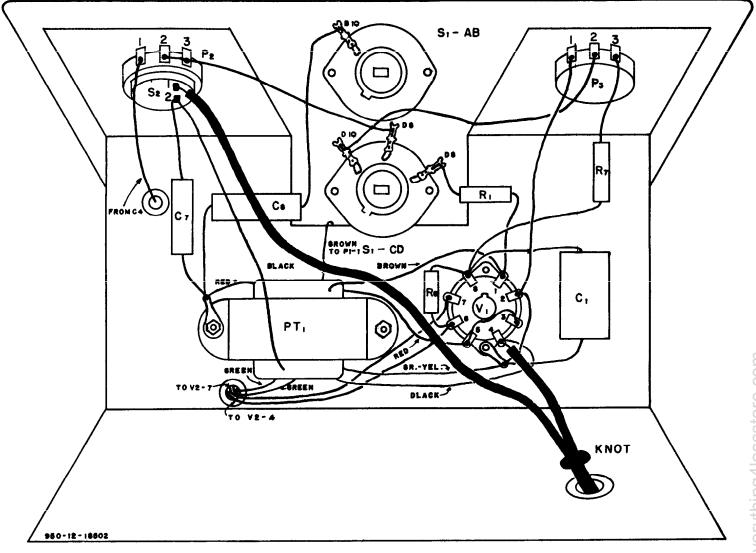
FIGURE 2

# ASSEMBLY PRINT NO.2

			<u>1629 TUBE SO</u>	CKET WIRIN	<u>1G</u>	
•	CHK.	SYMBOL	DESCRIPTION	FROM	TO	REMARKS
		R9 R10	270K ŻW res. Wire 10M ŻW res. Wire Wire	(s)V2#3 (s)V2#4 (c)V2#5 (s)V2#8 (c)V2#7	(c)v2#4 (c)v2#8	11" 7" 11"



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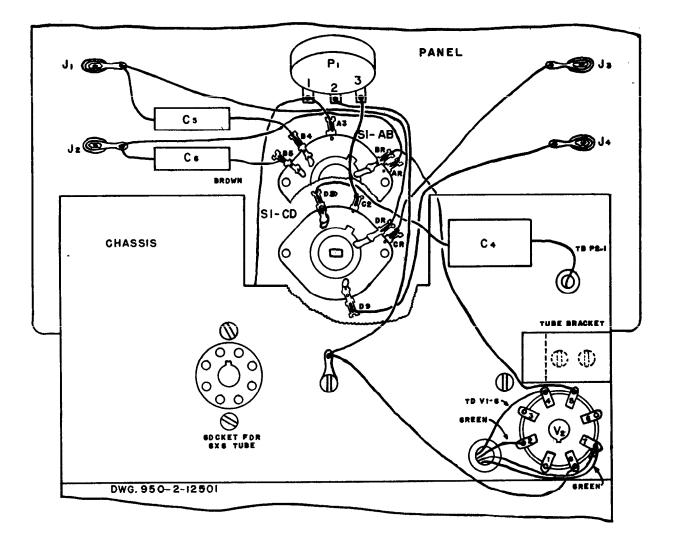
NO. 3



#### MOUNTING SWITCH

Mount prewired Range Switch Sl using one H4, one H5 and one H6. Position switch as shown in Assembly Print #3.

PT1 Power trans. Red wire V1#5(C)   Bare Wire (S)V1#5 V1#3(S) Sp   PT1 Power trans. Red Wire Lug (C) On   Wire (S)P3#1 V1#2(C) V1#2(C) V1#3(S) Sp	
Bare Wire (S)V1#5 V1#3(S) Sp   PT1 Power trans. Red Wire Lug (C) On   Wire (S)P3#1 V1#2(C) V1#2(C)	emarks
PT1 Power trans. Red Wire Lug (C) On Wire (S)P3#1 V1#2(C)	paghetti
	n PT1
R7 30K 1 W res (S) P3#3 V1#8(C) Sp	n Vl paghetti
R8 100K ½ W res (S)V1#8 V1#6(C)	n Vl Spaghetti
C8 .25 MFD cond. (S)S1#B10 Lug (C) On   C7 .01 MFD cond. (S) lug S2#2(C)	n Vl n PT1 Spaghett
Wire-already attached to S1#D8 P2#2(S) Th	hru P2#3(S)
R1 500 ohms 5W res. (S)V1#1 31#D6(S)   H3 Line cord 32#1(S) Kn	not
H3 Line cord PT1 Power trans. Black V1推4(C) Wire-already	
attached to S1#D10 P3#2(S)	



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ASSEMBLY PRINT NO.4

CHK.	SYMBOL	DESCRIPTION	FROM	TO	REMARKS
	PT1	Power transformer	Green	V2#2(S)	Thru hole *
	PTI	Power transformer	Green	V2#7(S)	Thru hole
		Wire-already att.	01001	· = // ((0)	1
		to V2#7		V1#7(S)-	Thru hole
		Wire-already att.		// ((0))	
		to V2#4		V1#6(S)	Thru hole
		Wire-already att.			
		to Sl#AR		J2 (C)	
	C6	.01 MFD condenser			
		already att. to			
		S1#B5		J2 (S)	Spaghetti
	C5	.01 MFD condenser			
		already att. to		T1 (A)	Ownerbard
		Sl#B4 Wire-already att.		J1 (C)	Spaghetti
		to S1#A3	1	P1#1(C)	
	PT1	Power transformer	Brown	P1#1(S)	
		Wire-already att.	21002		
		to S1#C2	[	P1#3(S)	
		Wire-already att.			
		to Sl#DR		J1 (S)	
		Wire-already att.			
		to S1#CR		J <b>3</b> (S)	
		Wire-already att.			
		to S1#D9		J4 (S)	
		Wire	(S)P1#2	Lug (C)	On the
		Wire-already att.			chassis
		to S1#BR		<b>v</b> 2#5(s)	
		Wire-already att.		12// (0)	
		to V2#8		Lug (S)	On the
				U ( - /	chassis
	C4	2 MFD condenser	(S)S1#/D3	P2#1(S)	Thru grommet
	l .				spaghetti

WIRING\_INSTRUCTIONS CONTINUED

\* Mount 1629 tube in bracket and orient so that key WWW.everything is down. Insert tube in socket before wiring.

### FINAL STEPS

You have now completed the mechanical assembly of your instrument. A few more steps and simple precautions at this point and the instrument may be turned on.

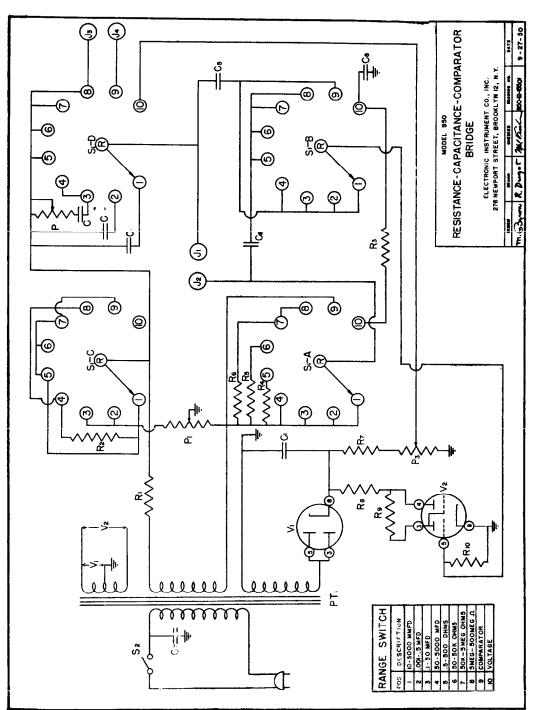
- Insert tubes in sockets; see Assembly Print #4 for tube locations. Rotate all potentiometers and switches to their maximum counter-clockwis positions. Place knobs on as follows:
  - (a) POWER FACTOR knob should line up with the "AC OFF" position. (Make certain the switch is in the OFF position when aligning knob)
  - (b) RANGE selector knob should line up with the "l0mmfd-5000mmfd" Position (When switch is rotated to its maximum counter clockwise position).
  - (c) MAIN DIAL knob should line up with the blue radial line starting the dial.
- 2) Measure the resistance from B+(Pin #8 of 6X5 to ground). This should be over 300,000 ohms. With the ohmmeter still connected, rotate the RANGE selector switch. There should be no change of resistance. If it is lower than 300,000 ohms, or changes as the switch is rotated, recheck B circuit before continuing, but under no circumstances apply power until the error has been located.
- 3) Insert line cord and turn set on by rotating POWER FACTOR SWITCH. The filaments should light immediately. If not turn set off and check the filament circuit. Do not leave power on as this could damage the power transformer. The magic eye tube should show a green hue within 30 seconds. If not, recheck B+circuit.
- 4) CABINET: Secure handle to cabinet by using the two handle screws. Slip line cord thru the elliptical hole in the cabinet and secure panel to cabinet with 8 self tapping screws. Bolt the cabinet to the chassis in back with one self tapping screw.

### IN THE EVENT OF TROUBLE:

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- 2) Check individual components for improper wiring or breakdown.
- 3) Recheck the wiring procedure. Nearly all of our cases of trouble in the past have improper wiring as their cause.
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