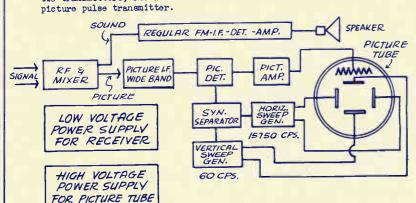


GETTING ACQUAINTED with TELEVISION

Television is really here and all of us in electronics must keep abreast with it or face the loss of a portion of our income shortly. To help understand it, the Heath FLYER will run a series of

articles explaining television in simple everyday language.

The Government has allotted 12 frequency channels to T.V. The lowest is 50 to 56 Mc. and the highest 210-216 Mc. Each channel is 6 Megacycles wide. The complete TV signal is actually broadcast by two transmitters, one an FM sound transmitter and the other an AM



These two signals are 4.5 Mc.apart but are received by one receiver whose band width must be wide enough to pass 4.5 Mc. Therefore, on one side of this wide signal is the FM sound and on the other the AM picture pulse. The receiver separates the two signals usually by the first IF stage supplying the two signals to separate receiver sections, the sound section being a conventional FM receiver.

The picture is formed by sweeping the trace of the cathode ray tube horizontally at 15750 cycles per second and vertically at 60 cycles per second. Each of two successive vertical cycles reproduces alternate lines and this is called interlaced scanning producing a complete picture 30 times a second. These sweep voltages are developed by sawtooth generators which are arranged to be synchronized with a portion of the picture pulse received from the transmitter. While the CR tube trace is being swept both vertically and horizontally (forming a rectangular pattern called a raster), the intensity or brightness of the trace is varied by another portion of the pulse received from the transmitting station. The transmitter picture signal, therefore, consists of three separate pulses, one the modulating pulse (controlling the light and dark portions of the raster), a synchronizing horizontal sweeping pulse and a synchronizing vertical sweeping pulse.

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The synchronizing pulses lock-in the receiver sweep generators with the scanning sweep of the transmitter camera. The three pulses are transmitted over one wave and are separated in the receiver by proper resistance capacity circuits.

A block diagram shows the main sections of a modern T.V. set.



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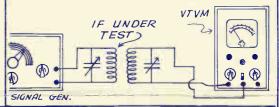
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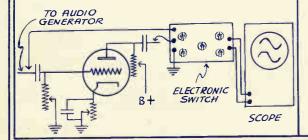


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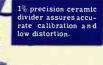
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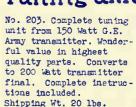
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