### **GUARANTEE**

This SINGER television set is guaranteed for ninety (90) days and the picture tube for one full year against defective workmanship or material from date of purchase as new from Th Singer Company or any SINGER Approved Dealer. This guarantee does not apply to parts requiring replacement through accident, misuse or neglect, or in the event this set is serviced by someone other than an authorized SINGER serviceman or with parts other than supplied by The Singer Company. Technical adjustments for picture quality, which must be performed by TV repairmen, are not included in this guarantee.

Any defective part must be returned within the guarantee period to the nearest SINGER center where, at the option of the Company, it wi be repaired or replaced free of charge.

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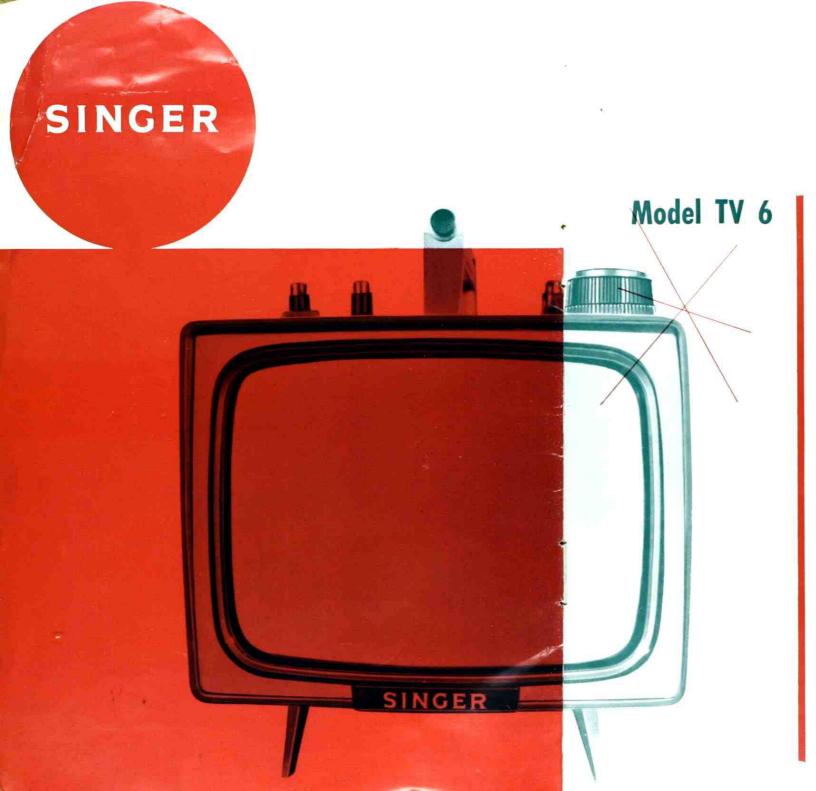
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INSTRUCTION BOOKLET FOR SINGER personal portable TELEVISION SINGER

MODEL TV6

Here is just about the smallest, lightest, most versatile TV set you would ever want. A masterpiece of modern electronic design, its beautifully detailed 6" picture can be enjoyed both indoors and out!

THE SINGER COMPANY



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## INTRODUCTION

This amazing television set is being offered by THE SINGER COMPANY in order to bring to its customers a beautifully made, compact television receiver of exceptional lightness for your viewing pleasure. By using superbly efficient transistors and diodes, and precision miniature parts wherever possible, complete portability with a comparatively large 6 inch diagonal picture is obtained. The picture quality is far superior to most others in both sharpness and contrast. So good, in fact, that you—or a group of friends—can enjoy the show from a considerable distance in complete comfort.

### **FEATURES**

- \* Because of space age electronic discoveries and skillful miniaturization, this SINGER personal portable measures less than 6" wide by 7" high by 8" deep (with A.C. power unit attached).
- Weight is only 5.7 lbs. (7.5 lbs. with A.C. power unit attached.)
- \* Long life is assured through fine engineering and painstaking construction, plus the use of 26 new type transistors and 20 diodes.
- \* A sharp picture with excellent contrast is obtained by using a newly developed miniature, highly sensitive turret-type tuner and a metal backed picture tube face.
- \* To insure a perfect picture free from troublesome disturbances under difficult reception conditions, special automatic control devices are incorporated into the circuitry.
- \* Under all but the worst reception conditions (where a tall outdoor antenna is required), this SINGER set can be operated almost as easily as a portable radio—with results many times more enjoyable.
- \* It is so portable you will be using the set almost everywhere around the house—even out in the back yard. With the A.C. power unit attached, you just plug it into any regular electrical outlet.
- \* For maximum portability—in the back yard, on a picnic, at the beach, on a boat—you will need the SINGER Battery Pack (optional at moderate extra cost). You can even operate the set in the back seat of your car using the SINGER Car Antenna and Car Battery Cord sets (extra cost option), if permitted by local regulations. Check with your motor vehicle bureau on this.

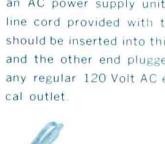


The SINGER TV receiver uses regular AC house current, or is connected to a special battery for outdoor use

## **ANTENNAS**

#### Indoor Use

At the back of the receiver is an AC power supply unit. The line cord provided with the set should be inserted into this unit. and the other end plugged into any regular 120 Volt AC electri-





#### **Outdoor Use**

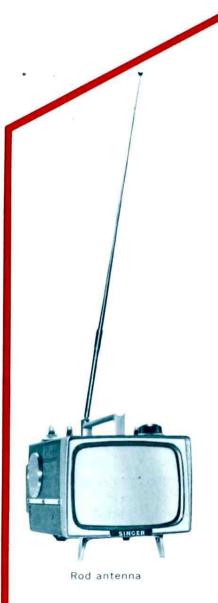






Battery connected to set

A special SINGER Battery Pack (optional at moderate extra cost) lets you use your set anywhere within range of a TV signal. It consists of a Battery Case with built-in Battery Charger and Battery, Line cord that plugs into the back of the TV set, and into a house outlet (for recharging) are also built into the case.



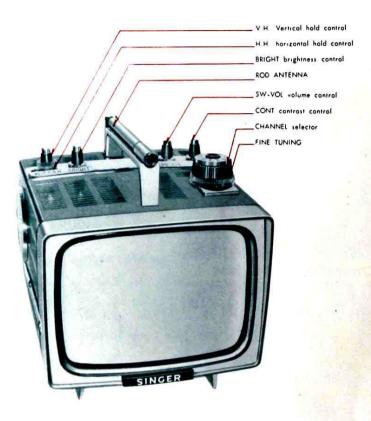
Almost anywher you take your SINGER personal portable you can be sure of clear reception through connect use of antennas.

#### **Built-in Antenna**

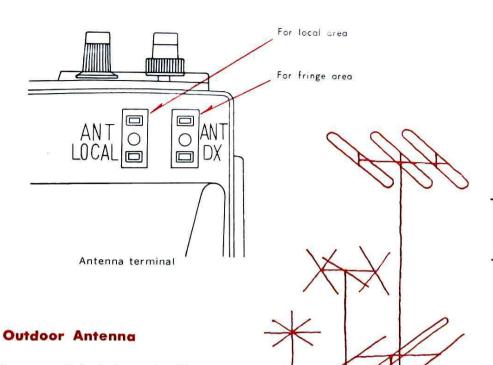
Near the TV station, or in other areas where the signal is strong, the built-in antenna should be used. Point the telescopic antenna, located in the handle of the receiver, upward and pull out the rounded tip to extend its length. To change the position of the extended antenna, hold the base section and move the antenna through various angles until a perfect picture is obtained. For channels 2 to 6 a fully extended antenna is usually best; above 6. try shortening its length by 1/3 to 1/2. Also, reception is often improved if the antenna is angled down instead of straight up, with the antenna at a right angle to the source of the TV signal.

Caution: This antenna is fragile and should never be forced.

# **OPERATING CONTROLS**

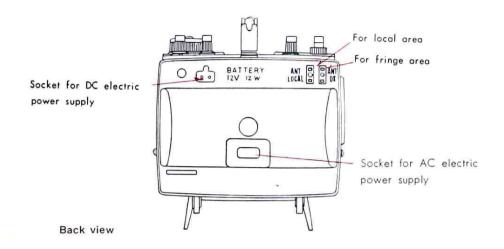


Upper surface controlling points



In areas distant from the TV station, behind a hin, or in other places where the signal is weak, it may not be possible to get a clear picture using the built-in antenna. In such cases the use of an outdoor antenna is recommended. The special antenna plug (packed of the neceiver) should be secured to the end of the antenna cable of the outdoor antenna, and then plugged into one of the two Antenna Terminals (ANT), located on the back of the receiver (See pg. 8). The built-in antenna disconnects automatically. Under normal conditions the antenna plug should be inserted in the socket marked "ANT DX". However, if the picture should be unstable, or fails to synchronize, or when interference is caused by cross modulation, the antenna plug should be inserted into the "ANT LOCAL" socket.

## INPUT CONNECTIONS



#### **Operating Procedure**

ON: Turn the second knob from the right on top of the set (SW-VOL) in a clockwise direction. This knob turns on the set with a click, and the red channel indicator arrow lights up. To shut off, turn knob counter-clockwise.

SELECTION: The large knob on the right is for Channel Selection. The red arrow indicates the selected channel number.

ANTENNA: The built-in antenna can be adjusted for direction, length and angle to obtain the best possible picture.

SOUND: To increase volume, turn the (SW-VOL) further in a clockwise direction.

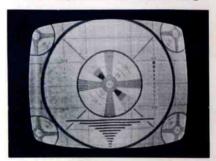
ADJUSTMENTS: If the picture is not stable, the following adjustments may be made:

# PICTURE ADJUSTMENTS

- When picture is blurred or glittering, or when streaks are produced by sound, Fine Tuning Knob (lower part of Channel Selector Knob) should be slowly turned—first to the right, then to the left—until both sound and picture quality are perfect.
- When picture is too bright or too dark, Brightness Control Knob (BRIGHT), should be turned to the right to make picture brighter and to the left to make it darker.
- When black and white contrast of picture is exaggerated, Contrast Controlling Knob (CONT) should be turned counter-clockwise to reduce contrast; clockwise to increase contrast.
- When vertical jitter or overlapping in the picture occurs, the Vertical Hold Controlling Knob (V.H.), should be slowly turned until the picture becomes stable.



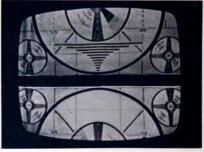
Poor adjustment of fine tuning



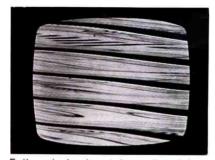
Insufficient brightness



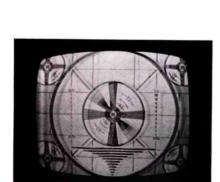
Too much contrast



Failure in vertical synchronizing



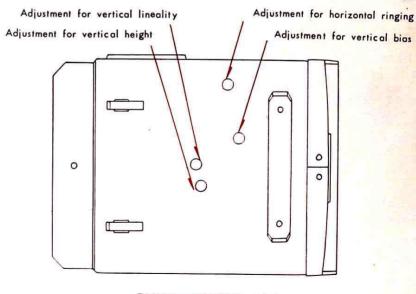
Failure in horizontal synchronizing



Electric wave reflections

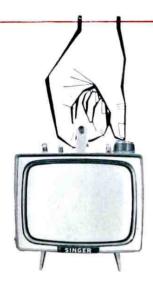
- 5. When jitter with streaks or partial stretching of picture occurs, Horizontal Hold Control Knob (H.H.) should be turned to obtain correct synchronization. Once a clear, stable picture is obtained, there is usually no need to touch the adjustment knobs again. Thereafter, changeover to other television stations is made merely by turning the channel selector knob. However, better reception may possibly be obtained by slight adjustments of the fine tuning and contrast controlling knobs.
- 6. Sometimes the picture appears doubled or tripled (reflections or ghost images). This is because of the simultaneous reception at the television antenna of a TV signal directly from a television station, and the same signal reflected by a mountain or a building near the location of the television receiver. If the built-in antenna is being used, change the length, direction and angle of the antenna, or change the location of the television receiver to obtain good picture quality. When an outdoor antenna is being used, change the place or direction of the antenna, or use an antenna with sharper directivity. This SINGER television receiver also has the adjusting points shown on the next page, but these should be touched only by expert servicemen. Once these points have been adjusted, they generally need no further readjustments.





## HANDLING





Your SINGER portable will give you long and reliable service if some care is excercised in handling it. Here are some recommendations:

- Do not operate the set in a small enclosed space, or cover its top, sides or bottom. Under these conditions the heat created while the set is in operation cannot dissipate.
- Do not stand the set on a cushion
- or operate it in its carry case
- or place it near a radiator or other heat source.
- To prevent water corrosion the set should not be placed in damp places, such as a bathroom, and special care should be taken to protect it from rain when being used outdoors.
- Also protect from water spray or dew when being used on a boat.
- To avoid corrosion, and to prevent any possibility of electrical shock, it is recommended that the set not be operated by anyone while their hands are wet.



Your SINGER TV set can be connected to either AC or DC power supplies. It should be noted, however, that the only rated voltage for AC power is AC 120 V, and for DC power only DC 12 V.

When the picture appears larger than usual or is extremely bright, it may be because the voltage is higher than normal.

On the other hand, if the picture is dark or unusually small, or when the contrast is below the normal standard the voltage may be too low.

In a locality where the AC power supply voltage fluctuates widely, use a voltage regulator to maintain the voltage at 120 V. In this case, the capacity of the voltage regulator should be over 50 W.

NOTE: The spare fuses supplied with your TV set are for installation by a repairman in case he is out of stock.

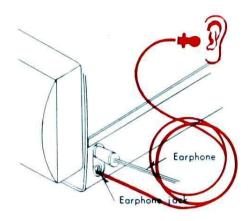


AC power supply unit removed

#### Removing the AC Power Supply Unit

Located at the back of the set, this unit is for use with normal indoor electric out ets only. To remove it, turn the large screw in the center of the unit in a counter-clockwise direction with a coin. Removing the AC power supply unit lightens the set's weight by 1.8 lbs. for out-of-doors use.

## EARPHONES



Earphone jack

and private listening through an earphone (one per TV set) accomplished by plugging the earphone into the upper of the two earphone jacks (EARPHONE). If it is plugged into the lower jack, sound comes through both the speaker and the earphone simultaneously. If earphones are plugged into both jacks, the sound can only be heard through the earphones.

Sound from the speaker can be shut off

#### **Adjusting Viewing Angle**

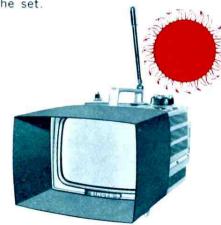
The back legs of the SINGER TV receiver can be pivoted forward or backward to raise or lower the back of the set for comfortable viewing.



Back legs folded

#### Attaching Sun Visor

Glare-proof reception in bright electric light or sunlight is enhanced through the use of a hood, which can be attached to the front of the set.



Sun visor attached

## **ACCESSORIES**

for your SINGER personal portable television set.

#### TV Carrying Case Model TVC 6

Smartly designed, and made of SUR-V-LON, a high quality, mildew resistant artificial leather, the case holds your SINGER set, its power supply cord and hood.



Carrying case

# TV Car Saddle Stand Model TVS 6

If permitted in your State, the stand can be used to support your SINGER portable inside an automobile. It fits on the back of the front seat, for viewing by rear set passengers. (extra cost option.)



Car saddle stand

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# BATTERY PACK ACCESSORIES

(extra cost option)





Battery case with built-in charger

Battery

# **Battery Model TVB 6**

A recently developed DC storage battery, it provides a light-weight source of power to make your SINGER TV receiver truly portable. Rechargeable for long life, it helps insure perfect outdoor reception.

# Battery Case With Built-In Carger Model TVBC 6

To make the storage battery convenient to carry, recharge and plug in, this carrying case and a battery charger are included in the SINGER Battery Pack set.

# **AUTOMOBILE ACCESSORIES**

(extra cost option)

## Car Antenna Models TVA 1 and TVA 2

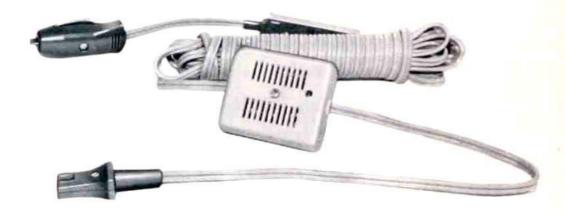
In areas where you are permitted to operate a television receiver in an automobile, a very satisfactory picture can be obtained on your SINGER portable by using this Car Antenna. It is readily attached to or removed from metal car tops, and there in no danger of scratching the car finish.



Car antenna, disassembled

# Car Battery Cord Model TVA 3

This special cord lets you connect your SINGER TV to any 12 vt. battery by simply plugging it into the cigarette lighter socket. The other end is inserted into the 12 vt. DC input at the back of the set. If the set does not go on, just reverse the two-pronged connector on the plug line. A spare fuse is included with your car battery cord. Unscrew cover of voltage regulator to check for blown fuse.



Car battery cord



# SPECIFICATIONS

Receiver system

Intercarrier system (Channel 2-13)

Sensitivity

Suitable for fringe reception, adjustable for

local reception

Antenna input

300

Power supply

AC 120 V 60 cycles

DC 12V Special battery (3.5 A.H.) or car

battery

Power consumption

AC 26 Watts

DC 12 Watts (1 A)

Speaker

2-12 inch, permanent magnet dynamic

speaker. Voice coil impedance 8 ohms.

**Automatic** frequency control

Balanced saw tooth system

Automatic gain control

Improved keyed AGC system

Video carrier IF

26.75 Mc 4 stages

Sound carrier IF

22.25 Mc 2 stages

Inter carrier IF

4.5 Mc

Sound output

Maximum 200 mmW

Cabinet

Super-compact portable type

Width 5.7/8", Height 4.5/16" including legs and handle 6-11/16", Depth 6-11/16" (When

AC power supply unit mounted, 7-7.8")

Weight

5.7 lbs. (When AC power supply unit is

mounted 7.5 lbs.)

Picture tube

Type 150AB4, 6 inch 90° deflection, metal

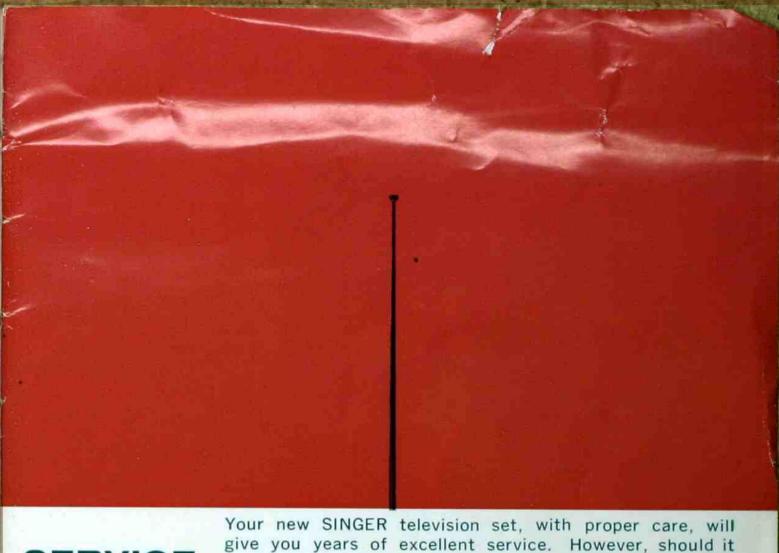
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netic deflection

Transistors		6 transistors	Germanium Diodes	14 diodes	
	TR-101	VHF RF Amplifier	CD201	IN60	AGC
	TR-102	Mixer	CD202	IN60	Video Damper
	TR-103	Local Oscillator	CD203	IN60	Video Detector
	TR-201	1st Video IF Amplifier	CD204	IN60	AGC
	TR-202	2nd Video IF Amplifier	CD205	IN60	<i>11</i>
	TR-203	3rd Video IF Amprifier	CD301	IN60	FM Detector
	TR-204	4th Video IF Amplifier	CD302	IN60	"
	TR-205	Video Amplifier	CD401	IN60	Vertical Oscillator
	TR-206	AGC Amplifier	CD402	IN60	Noise Limiter
	TR-207	Video Output	CD501	IN60	AFC Phase Detector
	TR-301	1st Sound IF Amplifier	CD502	IN60	<i>"</i>
	TR-302	2nd Sound IF Amplifier & Limiter	CD503	IN60	Horizontal Oscillator
	TR-303	Audio Amplifier	CD504	IS309	Damper
	TR-304	Audio Output	CD507	IN34A	Pulse Rectifier
	TR-305	<i>"</i>	Silicon Diodes	6 diodes	
	TR-401	Sync. Separator		IS315	Medium Voltage Rectifier
	TR-402	Sync. Amplifier	CD505	SD-1	wedium voitage Rectiner
	TR-403	Vertical Oscillator	CD506 CD601	HR13	Power Rectifier
	TR-404	Vertical Amplifier	CD601	HR13	
	TR-405	Vertical Output	CD602	HR13	<i>"</i>
	TR-501	Phase Splitter	CD604	HR13	"
	TR-502	AFC Amplifier	CD004	ПК13	"
я	TR-503 25677	Horizontal Oscillator	Thermister	1	
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	TR-505 2 5B 275				Compensator
	TR-601 25B 83	Power Filter		•	
Tube	1	l tube	Varistor	2	
IUDE	,		W-301	HV-15	Audio Output Temperature
		V 501 High Voltage Rectifier	5-401	C-605	Vert. Output Pulse Limiter

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#### SINGER TRANSISTOR TELEVISION MODEL TV 6 SCHEMATIC DIAGRAM AUDIO AMP AUDIO OUT (K. 303 2SB77@ TR-304,3052SB89 (X.2.) IST SIF AMP TR-301 2SA350@ 2ND SIF AMPLIMIT LOCAL OSC TR-302 2SA350A TUNER SE-9810/A2 CU-301 102 IN60 (XZ) TR-102 2SA289 TR-103 2SA288 TR-101 2SA290 COI6 1000P 3333 anono anono 000 DX 333 FINE TUNING CHANNEL SELECT. [PW - WOZ PC BOARD OF SOUND & DEF. CIRCUIT] IST VIF AMP IR 201 2SA235♠ 2ND VIF AMP 1R-202 2SA234® 3RD VIF AMP 1R-203 2SA234® VIDEO AMP 4TH VIF AMP AGC AMP. VIDEO OUT 18 206 2SA350@TR-207 2SA358 v-201150AB4 VIDEO DET All capacitance values of less than 1 are in MFD, unless otherwise specified. All resistance values are in OHMS ± 10% 1/2 WATT unless otherwise specified. Direction of arrow marks at va. iable resistors indicates clockwise rotation. All voltages and wave forms were measured to chassis using VTVM and synchroscope. Voltages were measured during "no signal" FOCUS condition. Areas enclosed by chain lines indicate PC PW- PO3 PC BO RD OF VIDEO CIRCUIT Boards and unit circuits. Numbers on chain lines indicate terminal BRIGHTNESS SYNC AMP VERT OSC numbers of individual PC Boards. TR-401 2SA15 TR-402 25C18O TR-403 2SB77@\_\_\_\_ All voltages should be held within ± 20% at specified line supply voltages. This is a basic diagram. The circuits may differ slightly from one another due to the circuit design. 0 4 2 V P.P DY- 501 Y-4331 ann S603 VERT.HOLD HE IGHT VERT LINEARITY VERT BIAS PHASE SPLIT AFC AMP TR-502 2SB770-HOR DRIV TR 504 25B80® HDR OSC -503 25B770 HOR OUT POWER FILTER TR-601 2SB83C HV RECT v-501 5642 TR-505 28B275 LS03 R501 - R572 125V P.P C510 02 DAMPER CD-506 POWER RECT CD-504 IS309 D.601.602.603.604 HRI3(X4) HOR FREQ. C516 PW-YO2 PC BOARD OF POWER RECT. CIRCUIT HORHOLD PW-W 02 PC BOARD OF SOUND & DEF. CIRCUIT PW-X02 PC BOARD OF MEDIUM VOLT. CIRCUIT



# SERVICE

Your new SINGER television set, with proper care, will give you years of excellent service. However, should it ever need repairs or adjustments, please contact the SINGER center from which you purchased the set, or any center that carries SINGER television.

