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# BURGOYNE 'BATTERY FURY'

# 3-VALVE RECEIVER

♥HE Burgoyne Battery Fury receiver employs a straight 3-valve circuit with valves in the usual H.F. (pentode), detector (triode), and output (pentode) sequence. Iron-cored coils are used in the two tuned stages, and a Droitwich rejector is provided for use when necessary. Grid-bias potentials are obtained automatically.

## CIRCUIT DESCRIPTION

Two · alternative aerial input connections via choke coils **L2** (L.W. only) and **L3** to coupling coils **L4**, **L5**. **A1**, for normal use, has series condenser C1, while A2, with tuned rejector L1, C10, is for use when interference from Droitwich is experienced.

Single tuned circuit **L6, L7, C11** recedes variable-mu pentode H.F. variable-mu pentode H.F. (V1, Tungsram metallised precedes amplifier HP211 or Mullard VP2). Gain control by variable potentiometer R2 which varies

G.B. applied.

Tuned-secondary transformer coupling by L8, L9, L11, L12, C14 between V1 and triode detector valve (V2, Tungsram LD210 or Mullard PM1HL) which operates on grid leak system with **C4** and **R3**. Reaction is applied from anode by coil **L10** and controlled by variable condenser **C13**. Anode H.F. filtering by choke L13 and by-pass condenser C5.
Provision for connection of gramophone pick-up in C.G. circuit.

Parallel fed auto-transformer coupling by R4, C6, T1 between V2 and pentode output valve (V3, Tungsram PP222 or Mullard PM22A). Tone correction by fixed condenser C8 in anode circuit.

G.B. potentials for **V1** and **V3** are obtained from drops along resistances R6, R7 in common H.T. negative line.

## COMPONENTS AND VALUES

	RESISTANCES	Values (ohms)
R1 R2 R3 R4 R5 R6 R7	VI C.G. decoupling VI gain control V2 grid leak V2 anode load V3 C.G. circuit shunt Automatic G.B. resistances	500,000 5,000 2,000,000 30,000 250,000 150 400*

<sup>\*</sup> May be 700 O.

	CONDENSERS				
Cr	Aerial series condenser		0.0003		
C2	Vi C.G. decoupling		0.1		
C <sub>3</sub>	H.T. supply by-pass		0.1		
C <sub>4</sub>	V2 C.G. condenser		0.0003		
C <sub>5</sub>	V2 anode H.F. by-pass		0.0003		
C6	L.F. coupling to T <sub>1</sub>		0.1		
C7*	V <sub>3</sub> G.B. circuit by-pass		20.0		
C8	Tone corrector		0.002		
C <sub>9</sub>	Vi G.B. circuit by-pass		0.1		
Cro‡	Droitwich rejector tuning				
Crit	Aerial circuit tuning	• • •	0.0001		
C12‡	Aerial circuit trimmer		0.0002		

CONDENSERS (Continued)	:	Values (uF)
C13† Reaction control C14† H F. transformer tuning C15‡ H.F. transformer trimmer		0·0005 0·0005

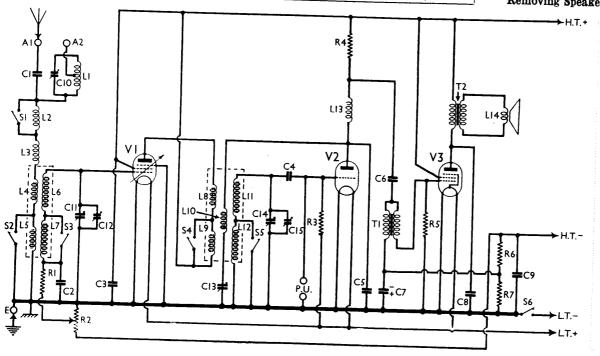
\* Electrolytic. † Variable. ‡ Pre-set.

	OTHER COMPONENTS	Approx. Values (ohms)
L1 L2 L3 L4 L5 L6 L7 L8 L9 L10 L11 L12 L13 L14	Droitwich rejector coil, total Aerial choke coil (L.W.) Aerial choke coil Aerial coupling coils  H.F. transformer primary Reaction coil H.F. transformer secondary V2 anode H.F. choke Speaker speech coil Intervalve trans. (Pri	32.0 24.0 8.7 0.6 4.7 2.5 10.5 1.2 4.6 2.1 2.0 10.0 200.0 . 2.4 1800.0
T2	Speaker input trans	4000·0 700·0
S1-S5 S6	Waveband switches L.T. circuit switch	 0·3

### DISMANTLING THE SET

Removing Chassis .- Remove the three control knobs from their spindles (recessed grub screws) and the nut which clamps the front of the chassis by means of the switch assembly bush. The chassis is now held in place only by three wood screws in a flange at the rear, and once these have been removed normal repairs can be carried out without unsoldering the speaker leads.

Removing Speaker.—Four bolts hold the



Circuit diagram of the Burgoyne " Battery Fury 3-valve battery receiver. Note the Droitwich rejector L1, C10. All the tuning coils are ironcored. Automatic grid bias is incorp o rated, thus simplifying the battery connections.

speaker chassis on a sub-baffle, and when the nuts have been removed, the speaker can be taken from the cabinet. When replacing, the input transformer should be at the bottom.

#### VALVE ANALYSIS

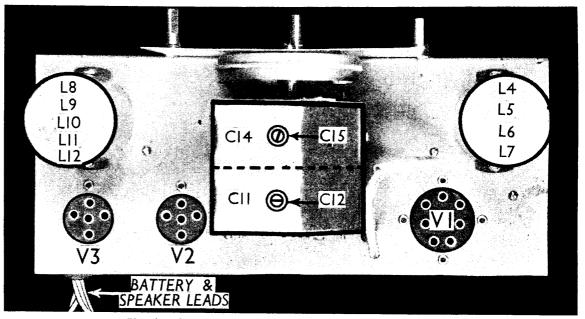
Voltage and current figures listed in the table below were obtained from a representative chassis operating with an H.T. battery reading 120 V. The gain control **R2** was at maximum (reaction condenser plates slightly in mesh) and there was no signal input. All voltage readings were taken on the t,200 V scale of an Avometer, chassis being negative.

Valve	Anode Voltage (V)		Screen Voltage (V)	Screen Current (mA)
HP211 LD 210 PP 222	 112 60 110	2·5 1·6 5·8	115	I·0 — I·2

#### **GENERAL NOTES**

Switches.—S1-S5 are the waveband switches, and S6 the L.T. switch. They are all ganged together in a single unit beneath the chassis, and are indicated in our under-chassis view. The table below gives the switch positions for the various control settings.

Switch	Off	M.W.	L.W.
S1 S2 S3 S4 S5 S6	0 0 0 0 0 0	C C C C	0 0 0 0 0 0



Plan view of the chassis. All the tuning coils are in the two units shown.

Coils.—L1 and L2 are in an unscreened unit beneath the chassis, L2 being nearer to the chassis. L1 in our receiver is centre tapped. L3 is also unscreened and beneath the chassis, as is also choke L13.

L4-L7 and L8-L12 are in two screened units on the chassis deck.

**External Speaker.**—There is no provision made for this, but a high resistance type could be connected across the primary of **T2**, that is, across the two tags on the internal speaker panel to which the leads from the chassis are connected.

**Batteries.**—A 2 V L.T. cell of at least 10 A.H. is recommended, while the H.T. battery should have a voltage of 120 V. Automatic G.B. is fitted.

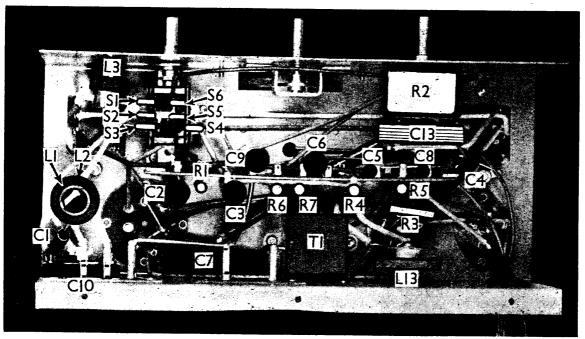
Battery Leads and Voltages.—Black spade tag, L.T. negative; Red spade tag, L.T. positive 2 V; Black plug, H.T. negative; Red plug, H.T. positive 120 V.

**Condenser C7.**—This is a tubular dry electrolytic  $(20\mu F)$ , peak volts 6 V). Note that owing to its position in the G.B. circuit its *positive* connection goes to chassis, not the negative, as is more usual.

Transformer T1.—I.P. and I.S. on this transformer are joined, and go to one end of C6. O.P. goes to the negative of C7 and R6 and R7. O.S. goes to R5 and the grid of V3.

**Condenser C10.** The Droitwich rejector tuning condenser is adjustable through a hole on the rear of the chassis.

Chassis Divergencies.—C1 may be 0.0001  $\mu F$  instead of 0.0002  $\mu F$ . L1 may not be centre-tapped in some chassis, the whole of the coil being in series with the aerial lead to L2. L3 may not occur in early chassis. R7 may be 700 O in some chassis, instead of 400 O.



Under - chassis view. The switches are clearly marked. R2 and C 13 are ganged together. L1 and L2 are on a single former, L1 being uppermost. C10 is a djustable through a hole in the rear of the chassis.