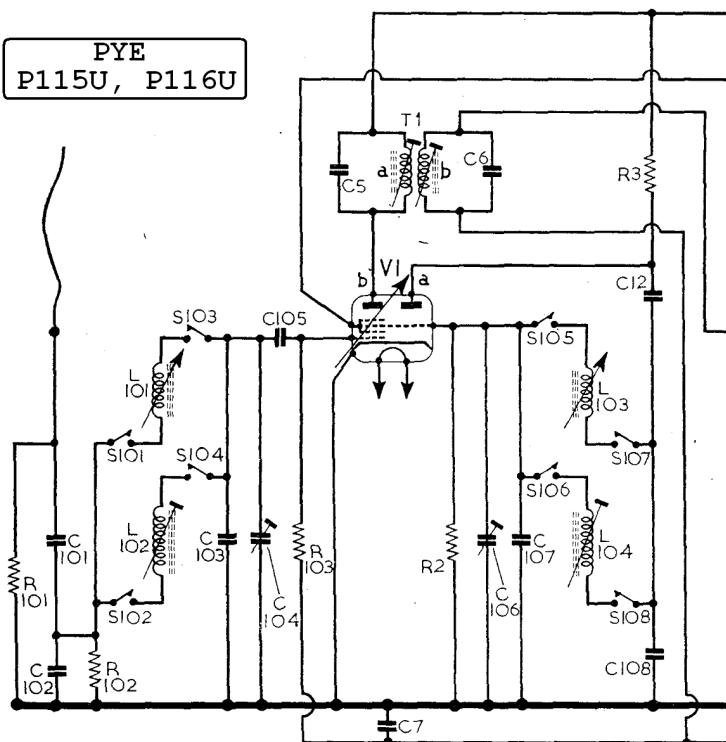


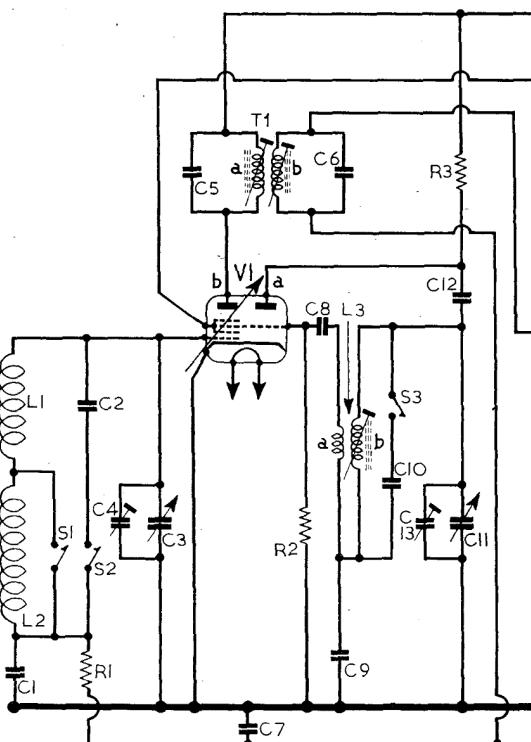
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|   |         |             |   |   |         |     |  |
|---|---------|-------------|---|---|---------|-----|--|
| C | I01 I02 | I03 I04 I05 | 5 | 7 | I06 I07 | I08 |  |
| R | I01 I02 | I03         |   | 2 |         |     |  |
| L | I01,I02 | T1          |   |   | I03,I04 |     |  |

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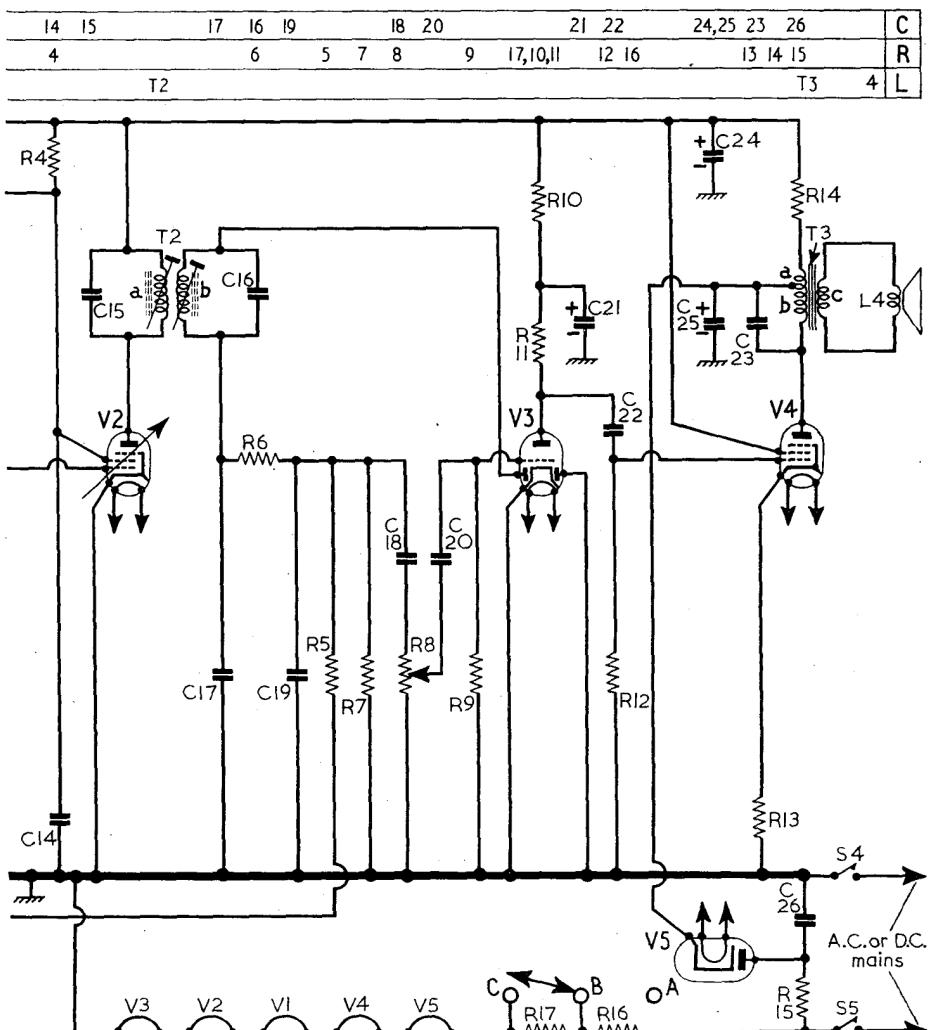
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|-----|---|---|---|---|---|-------|----|----|-------|
| I   | 2 | 4 | 3 | 5 | 7 | 8,9,6 | 10 | 13 | 11,12 |
| I,2 |   |   |   |   | 2 |       |    | 3  |       |



Circuit diagram of the Pye P116U and P115U "Piper" A.M. receivers. On the right is the diagram of the I.F., A.F. and power stages, which is common to both versions of the A.M. "Piper," and at the centre is the diagram of the aerial and oscillator stages of the P116U version, upon which this "Service Sheet" is based. The component numbers used there are the same as those in the manufacturers' diagram, and most of them are printed on the circuit board. The diagram on the left is that of the aerial and oscillator stages of the P115U version.

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| RESISTORS | Values                     | Loca-tions |
|-----------|----------------------------|------------|
| R1        | V1b C.G. . .               | 470kΩ B1   |
| R2        | V1a osc. C.G. . .          | 47kΩ B2    |
| R3        | Osc. anode H.T. feed . . . | 22kΩ B2    |
| R4        | V1b and V2 S.G. . .        |            |
|           | H.T. feed . . .            | 22kΩ B1    |
| R5        | A.G.C. decoupling . . .    | 2.2MΩ C1   |
| R6        | I.F. stopper . . .         | 100kΩ C2   |
| R7        | Diode load . . .           | 470kΩ C2   |
| R8        | Volume control . . .       | 1MΩ D1     |
| R9        | V3 C.G. . .                | 10MΩ C2    |
| R10       | V3 H.T. decoupling . . .   | 47kΩ D1    |
| R11       | V3 anode load . . .        | 470kΩ C2   |
| R12       | V4 C.G. . .                | 1MΩ D2     |
| R13       | V4 G.B. . .                | 220Ω C2    |
| R14       | H.T. smoothing . . .       | 1.5kΩ D2   |
| R15       | V5 surge limiter . . .     | 180Ω D2    |
| R16       | Heater ballast . . .       | 930Ω D2    |
| R17       |                            | 300Ω D2    |



\* Swing value, min. to max.

| CAPACITORS | Values                     | Loca-tions |
|------------|----------------------------|------------|
| C1         | A.G.C. decoupling . . .    | 0.04μF B2  |
| C2         | L.W.R.F. tuning . . .      | 160pF B2   |
| C3         | Aerial tuning . . .        | 523pF* B1  |
| C4         | M.W. aerial trim . . .     | 30pF B1    |
| C5         | 1st I.F. trans. tun- . . . | 100pF B2   |
| C6         | ing . . .                  | 100pF B2   |
| C7         | A.G.C. decoupling . . .    | 0.02μF B2  |
| C8         | V1a C.G. . .               | 100pF B2   |
| C9         | Osc. tracker . . .         | 510pF A2   |
| C10        | L.W. osc. tuning . . .     | 470pF A2   |
| C11        | Osc. tuning . . .          | 523pF* B1  |
| C12        | V1a anode coup. . .        | 100pF B2   |
| C13        | Osc. trimmer . . .         | 30pF B1    |
| C14        | S.G. decoupling . . .      | 0.05μF B2  |
| C15        | 2nd I.F. trans. tun- . . . | 100pF C2   |
| C16        | ing . . .                  | 100pF C2   |
| C17        | I.F. by-pass . . .         | 100pF C2   |
| C18        | A.F. coupling . . .        | 0.01μF C1  |
| C19        | I.F. by-pass . . .         | 0.001μF D1 |
| C20        | A.F. coupling . . .        | 0.01μF D1  |
| C21        | H.T. decoupling . . .      | 4μF C1     |
| C22        | A.F. coupling . . .        | 0.01μF C2  |
| C23        | Tone correction . . .      | 0.01μF —   |
| C24        | H.T. smoothing . . .       | 50μF C1    |
| C25        |                            | 50μF C1    |
| C26        | Mains R.F. by-pass . . .   | 0.1μF D1   |

| OTHER COMPONENTS |                   | Approx. Values (ohms) | Locations |
|------------------|-------------------|-----------------------|-----------|
| L1               | Frame aerial      | 3.0                   | A2        |
| L2               | } windings ..     | 20.0                  | A2        |
| L3               | Osc. tuning coils | { a total } 2.0       | B2        |
| L4               | Speech coil       | 2.5                   | —         |
| T1               | 1st I.F. trans.   | { a 10.5              | B2        |
|                  | { b 10.5          |                       |           |
| T2               | 2nd I.F. trans.   | { a 10.5              | C2        |
|                  | { b 10.5          |                       |           |
| T3               | Output trans.     | { a total } 225.0     | —         |
| S1-S3            | Waveband switches | —                     | C1        |
| S4, S5           | Mains switches .. | —                     | D1        |

### CIRCUIT ALIGNMENT (PII6U)

**Equipment Required.**—An accurately calibrated signal generator; an output meter; a  $0.1\mu F$  isolating capacitor; an insulated non-metallic trimming tool.

#### I.F. Stages

- 1.—Connect signal generator output via a  $0.1\mu F$  isolating capacitor to the control grid (pin 6) of V1 and the frame of the tuning gang. Connect output meter across T3 secondary winding.
- 2.—Switch receiver to M.W. and turn gang and volume control to maximum. Feed in a 470 kc/s signal and adjust the cores of T2b (C2), T2a (C2) and T1b (B2) and T1a (B2) for maximum output.

#### Intermediate frequency 470 kc/s.

50 cm from the M.W. frame aerial. With gang at maximum, the cursor on the tuning knob should be horizontal. Tune receiver to 500 m and feed in a 600 kc/s signal and adjust L3 (B2) for maximum output. 50 cm is approximately a distance of 20 inches.

- 4.—Tune receiver to 200 m, feed in a 1,500 kc/s signal and adjust C13 (B1) and C4 (B1) for maximum output.
- 5.—Repeat operations 3 and 4 until no further improvement in calibration can be obtained.
- 6.—Switch receiver to L.W. and feed in a 214 kc/s (1,400 m) signal. Tune receiver to signal and check sensitivity and calibration.

| Valve    | Anode               |      | Screen |     | Cath. |      |
|----------|---------------------|------|--------|-----|-------|------|
|          | V                   | mA   | V      | mA  | V     | mA   |
| V1 UCH42 | { a 90              | 3.9  | —      | —   | —     | —    |
|          | { b 175             | —    | 65     | 5.0 | —     | —    |
| V2 UF41  | .. 175              | —    | —      | —   | —     | —    |
| V3 UBC41 | .. 55               | 0.23 | —      | —   | —     | —    |
| V4 UL41  | .. 215              | 46.0 | 175    | —   | 11.7  | —    |
| V5 UY41  | .. 225 <sup>1</sup> | —    | —      | —   | 225   | 71.0 |

<sup>1</sup>A.C. reading.

### MODEL PII5U

The preceding information concerns the Model P116U and the following details concern the R.F. and oscillator stages of the P115U, which are different from those of the P116U. Complete component tables are given for the P115U, although in our service sheet those given below C100, R100, L100 and S100 are common to both models. Our component numbers for the P115U differ from those in the manufacturers' manual.

### Component Tables

| CAPACITORS |                        | Values  |
|------------|------------------------|---------|
| C5         | 1st I.F. trans. tuning | 100pF   |
| C6         | —                      | 100pF   |
| C7         | A.G.C. decoupling      | 0.02μF  |
| C12        | V1a anode coup.        | 0.001μF |
| C14        | S.G. decoupling        | 0.04μF  |
| C15        | 2nd I.F. trans.        | 100pF   |
| C16        | tuning                 | 100pF   |
| C17        | I.F. by-pass           | 100pF   |
| C18        | A.F. coupling          | 0.01μF  |
| C19        | I.F. by-pass           | 0.002μF |
| C20        | A.F. coupling          | 0.01μF  |
| C21        | H.T. decoupling        | 4μF     |
| C22        | A.F. coupling          | 0.01μF  |
| C23        | Tone correction        | 0.01μF  |
| C24        | —                      | 50μF    |
| C25        | H.T. smoothing         | 50μF    |
| C26        | Mains R.F. by-pass     | 0.1μF   |
| C101       | Aerial isolator        | 470pF   |
| C102       | Aerial coupling        | 0.001μF |
| C103       | Aerial tuning          | 33pF    |
| C104       | Aerial trim.           | 70pF    |
| C105       | V1b C.G.               | 100pF   |
| C106       | Osc. trim.             | 70pF    |
| C107       | Osc. tuning            | 100pF   |
| C108       | Tracker                | 0.001μF |

| RESISTORS |                           | Values |
|-----------|---------------------------|--------|
| R2        | V1a osc. C.G.             | 47kΩ   |
| R3        | Osc. anode H.T. feed      | 10kΩ   |
| R4        | V1b and V2 S.G. H.T. feed | 22kΩ   |
| R5        | A.G.C. decoupling         | 2.2MΩ  |
| R6        | I.F. stopper              | 100kΩ  |
| R7        | Diode load                | 470kΩ  |
| R8        | Volume control            | 1MΩ    |
| R9        | V3 C.G.                   | 10MΩ   |
| R10       | V3 H.T. decoupling        | 47kΩ   |
| R11       | V3 anode load             | 470kΩ  |
| R12       | V4 C.G.                   | 1MΩ    |
| R13       | V4 G.B.                   | 220Ω   |
| R14       | H.T. smoothing            | 1.5kΩ  |
| R15       | V5 surge limiter          | 180Ω   |
| R16       | Heater ballast            | 930Ω   |
| R17       | —                         | 300Ω   |
| R101      | Aerial shunts             | 470kΩ  |
| R102      | —                         | 22kΩ   |
| R103      | V1b C.G.                  | 1MΩ    |

| OTHER COMPONENTS |                   | Approx. Values (ohms) |
|------------------|-------------------|-----------------------|
| L4               | Speech coil       | 2.5                   |
| L101             | —                 | —                     |
| L102             | —                 | —                     |
| L103             | —                 | —                     |
| L104             | —                 | —                     |
| T1               | 1st I.F. trans.   | { a 10.5              |
|                  | { b 10.5          |                       |
| T2               | 2nd I.F. trans.   | { a 10.5              |
|                  | { b 10.5          |                       |
| T3               | Output trans.     | { a total } 225.0     |
|                  | { b —             |                       |
|                  | { c —             |                       |
| S101-S108        | Waveband switches | —                     |
| S4, S5           | Mains switches    | —                     |

### CIRCUIT ALIGNMENT (PII5U)

**Equipment Required.**—An accurately calibrated signal generator; an output meter; a non-metallic trimming tool.

The cores of the permeability tuned coils L101 and L103 are pre-set at the factory and should not be disturbed.

Ensure that with the permeability tuning unit set to the extreme high frequency end of the band, the cursor coincides with the dot on the scale.

#### I.F. Stages

- 1.—Switch receiver to M.W. and tune it to 560M. Turn volume control to maximum. Connect signal generator output via a  $0.1\mu F$  isolating capacitor to the control grid (pin 6) of V1b and the frame of the permeability tuning unit. Connect output meter across T3 secondary winding.
- 2.—Feed in a 470kc/s signal and adjust the cores of T2b (C2), T2a (C2) and T1b (B2) and T1a (B2) for maximum output.

#### R.F. and Oscillator Stages

- 3.—Disconnect aerial. Tune receiver to 300m, feed in a 1,000kc/s signal across R101 via a 75pF capacitor, and adjust C106, then C104, for maximum output.
- 4.—Tune receiver to 500M, feed in a 600kc/s signal and check calibration and sensitivity.
- 5.—Tune receiver to 200M, feed in a 1,500kc/s signal and check calibration and sensitivity.
- 6.—Switch receiver to L.W. Feed in a 200kc/s signal and adjust L104 and L102 for maximum output.

| Valve    | Anode               | Screen | Cath. |      |
|----------|---------------------|--------|-------|------|
|          | V                   | mA     | V     | mA   |
| V1 UCH42 | { a 119             | 5.6    | —     | —    |
|          | { b 173             | —      | 65    | —    |
| V2 UF41  | .. 173              | —      | 65    | 5.0  |
| V3 UBC41 | .. 55               | 0.23   | —     | —    |
| V4 UL41  | .. 215              | 46.0   | 173   | 11.7 |
| V5 UY41  | .. 225 <sup>1</sup> | —      | —     | 225  |
|          |                     |        |       | 72.5 |

<sup>1</sup>A.C. reading.

Model P115U differs from model P116U in that it employs permeability tuning on M.W. and pre-set selection of a station in the L.W. band. Both models are covered by separate circuit diagrams of the R.F. and oscillator circuits and other minor variations are covered under "Model P115U" overleaf.

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