

# SEEBURG

## STEREO HIGH FIDELITY AMPLIFIER, Type SHFA3

This is a dual channel stereo, low distortion, wide frequency range, constant voltage type amplifier. It is part of the Seeburg stereophonic sound system that also includes the Seeburg stereo pickup, one or more pairs of Seeburg twin stereo speakers, two speakers and a speaker network in the phonograph.

The two output signals of the low impedance magnetic pickup of the Select-O-Matic mechanism are connected to the amplifier through the input socket and have a nominal signal level for each channel of five millivolts. Both signals are independently amplified, one in the left channel, one in the right channel. Each channel is complete with the tone controls and the volume control mechanically linked to provide equal and simultaneous positioning.

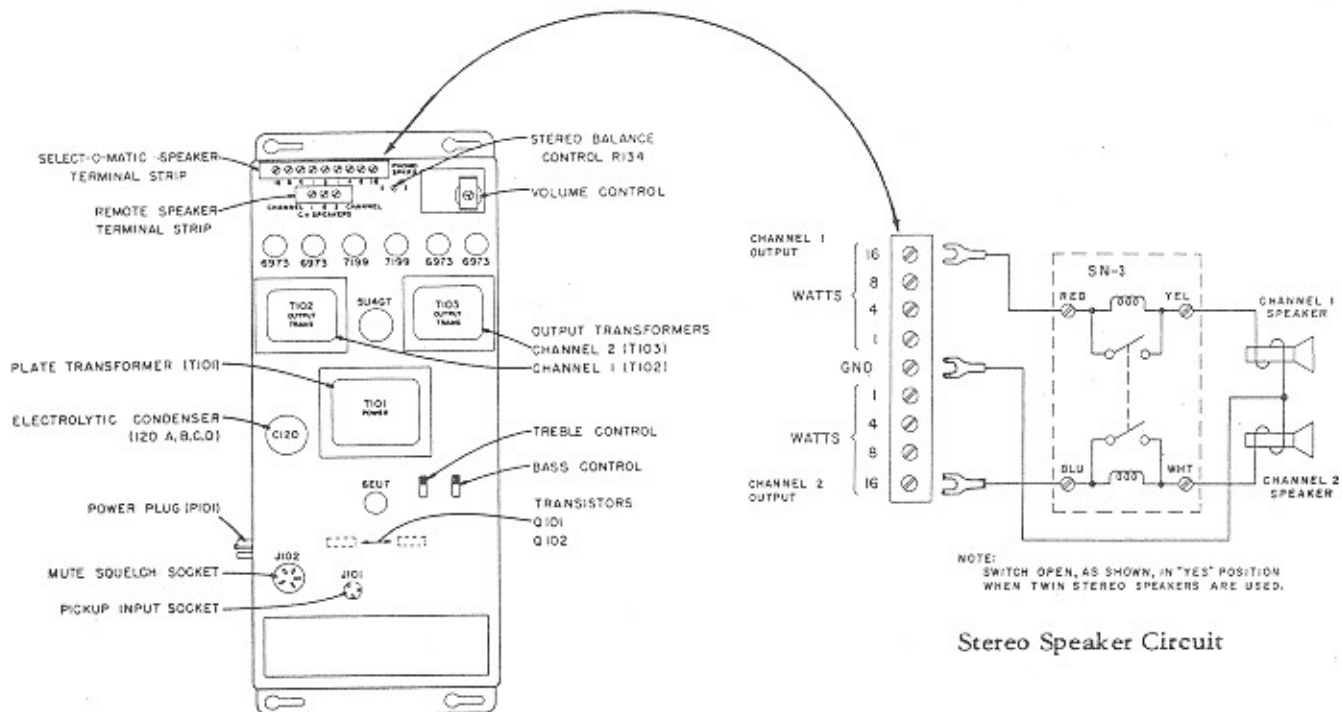
The output transformers of each channel have low and high impedance terminals. The low impedance windings drive a 16 ohm phonograph speaker to which they are connected through a network. Connections to this load are through the speaker terminal board, TB101. The high impedance terminals are 70 volt, C.V. outputs that terminate at channel 1 and channel 2 of the re-

mote speaker terminal strip, TB102. These outputs drive the side channels of one or more external stereo speakers that have, in their cabinets, a high-pass network.

The total output power for each channel 1 can be divided between the phonograph speaker and the external stereo speakers by positioning the phonograph speaker terminals and the loading taps on the external speakers. The phonograph speaker terminals are calibrated in watts with reference to the power delivered at full output by each output transformer to the 16 ohm phonograph speaker load.

The total load of the phonograph speakers as indicated on the speaker terminals and the load of external speakers must not be greater than 20 watts for each channel.

Automatic volume compensation may be incorporated in this amplifier by addition of a Type AVCU10, Automatic Volume Control unit. It compensates for variations in the average volume levels of different records and makes possible a volume control setting for normal records without danger of "blasting" or high



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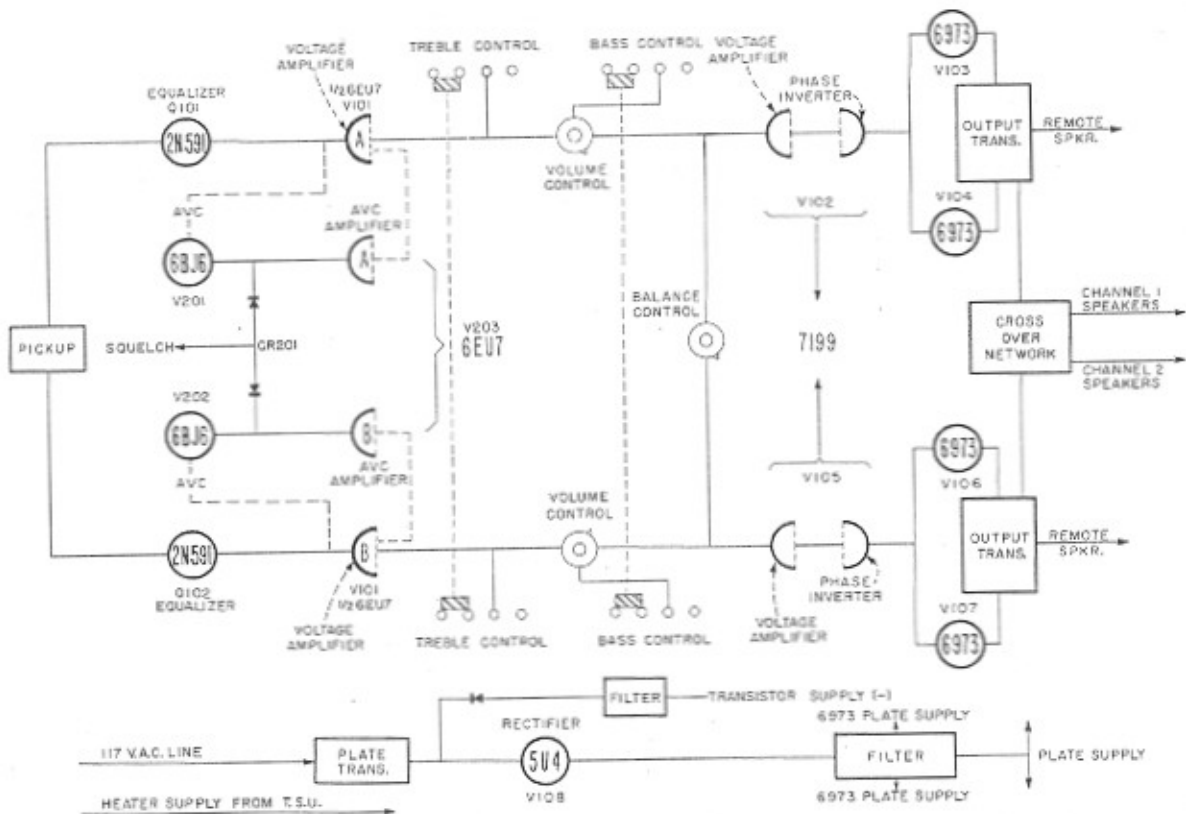
volume due to exceptionally loud records.

A 6BJ6 tube is used for compensation control in each channel. Use of AVC is optional and may be suspended by removal of both 6BJ6 tubes. The back-to-back selenium rectifier, CR201, has two functions. They rectify the output of the AVC amplifiers of each channel for variable grid bias for the 6BJ6 control tubes and also rectify 20 volts supplied from the control circuits of the Select-O-Matic mechanism for squelch operation. The squelch voltage from the mechanism is applied only when a record is not being played.

The volume control adjusts the level of sound from the Select-O-Matic speaker and the

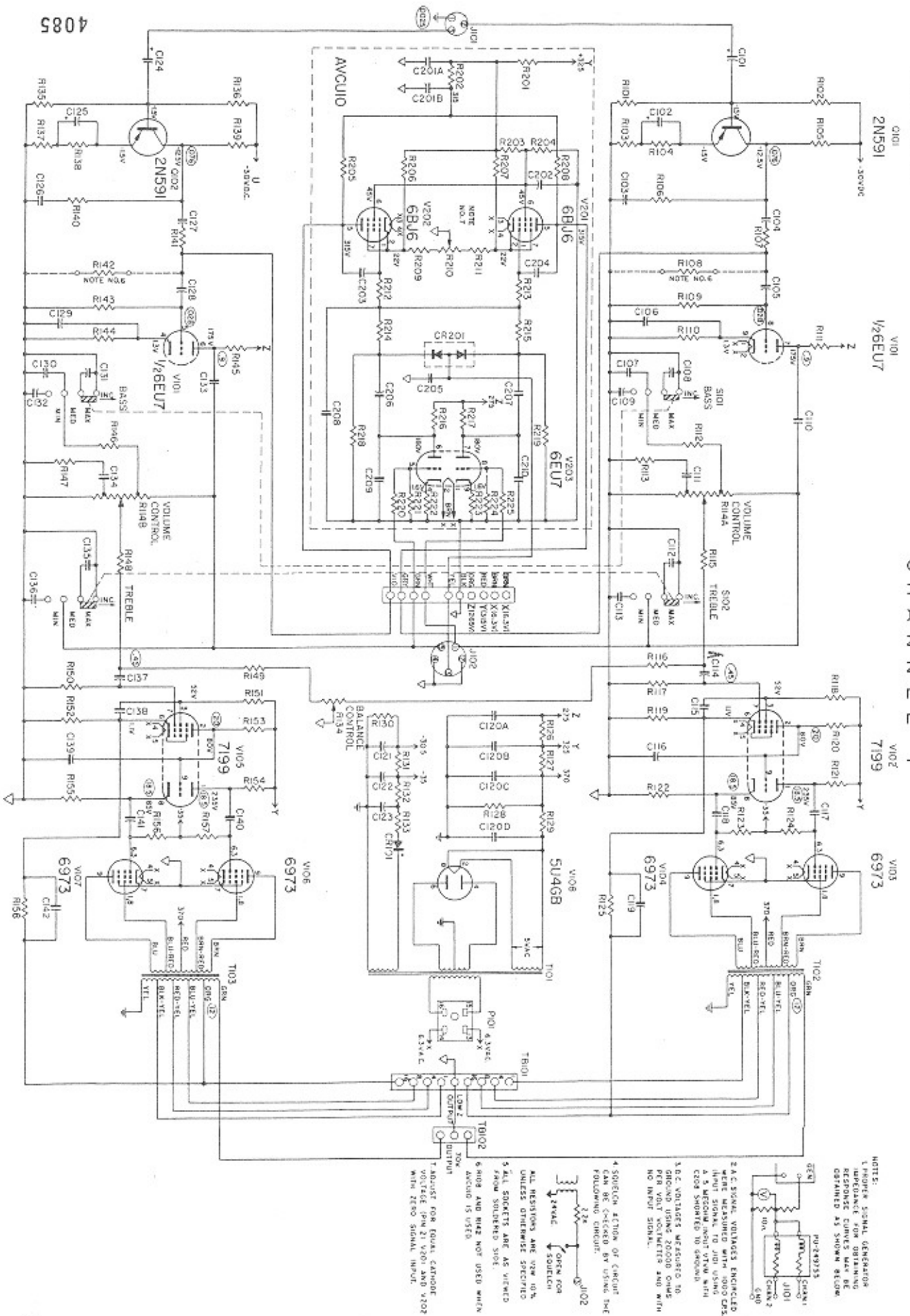
remote speakers. It is located on the amplifier so it is accessible from the back of the cabinet. A powered remote volume control, Type PRVC2, may be used by the installation of a motor on the amplifier volume control. The motor is remotely controlled to increase or decrease the phonograph volume.

Heater current for the amplifier tubes is supplied at 6.3 volts from the Format Selector Unit. Plate current for the tubes is from an included plate supply transformer and 5U4GB rectifier. Current for the transistors and bias for the 6973 output tubes is supplied through the rectifier, CR102, and a three-section filter.



Block Diagram.

CHANNEL 1

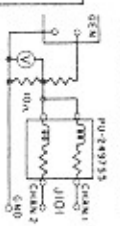


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CHANNEL 2

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NOTES:  
1. PHONES SIGNAL GENERATOR  
REQUIRED FOR OBTAINING  
MEASUREMENTS. CONNECTIONS  
SHOWN AS SHOWN BELOW.



2. A.C. SIGNAL VOLTAGES ENCIRCLED  
IN THIS SCHEMATIC ARE TO BE USED  
AS A 5 WATT SIGNAL SOURCE WITH  
C208 SHORTED TO GROUND.

3. D.C. VOLTAGES MEASURED TO  
DETERMINE TUBE CONNECTIONS AND  
PER-VOLT RESISTANCES AND WITH  
NO INPUT SIGNAL.

4. SWITCH ACTION OF CIRCUIT  
CAN BE CHECKED BY USING THE  
FOLLOWING CIRCUIT:

A small circuit diagram for checking switch action. It shows a transformer with a 22k resistor in series with the primary and a 220k resistor in series with the secondary. A switch labeled J102 is connected across the secondary.

5. ALL RESISTORS ARE 1/2W 10%  
UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED.

6. ALL SOCKETS ARE AS VIEWED  
FROM SHADDED SIDE.

7. 6K08 AND 6W8 NOT USED WITH  
RECORD IS USED.

8. ADJUST FOR EQUAL CATHODE  
VOLTAGE (PIN 2) V201 AND V102  
WITH ZERO SIGNAL INPUT.

## PARTS LIST

| Item Part No. | Description                         | Item Part No. | Description                      | Item Part No. | Description              | Item Part No. | Description                 |
|---------------|-------------------------------------|---------------|----------------------------------|---------------|--------------------------|---------------|-----------------------------|
| C101          | 87697 9 Mfd. 6 V. Lytic             | C141          | 86146 0.05 Mfd. 10% 600 V. Paper | R120          | 82452 220,000 Ohm        | R205          | 82698 150,000 Ohm 5%        |
| C102          | 87696 50 Mfd. 6 V. Lytic            | C142          | 86243 150 Mfd. 500 V. Ceramic    | R121          | 82811 15,000 Ohm 2 W. 5% | R206          | 82847 60,000 Ohm 2 W. 5%    |
| C103          | 86327 0.047 Mfd. 10% 50 V. Mylar    | C201A         | 50 Mfd. 400 V. Lytic             | R122          | 82811 15,000 Ohm 2 W. 5% | R207          | 82847 60,000 Ohm 2 W. 5%    |
| C104          | 86140 0.05 Mfd. 10% 400 V. Paper    | C201B         | 87688 50 Mfd. 400 V. Lytic       | R123          | 82696 220,000 Ohm 5%     | R208          | 82698 150,000 Ohm 5%        |
| C105          | 86212 0.01 Mfd. 10% 400 V. Paper    | C202          | 86140 0.05 Mfd. 10% 400 V. Paper | R124          | 82696 220,000 Ohm 5%     | R209          | 82999 4,300 Ohm 5%          |
| C106          | 86334 0.1 Mfd. 10% 50 V. Mylar      | C203          | 86212 0.01 Mfd. 10% 400 V. Paper | R125          | * 82638 18,000 Ohm 5%    | R210          | 305674 1500 Balance Cont.   |
| C107          | 86332 0.0068 Mfd. 10% 50 V. Mylar   | C204          | 86212 0.01 Mfd. 10% 400 V. Paper | R126          | 82801 12,000 Ohm 2 W.    | R211          | 82999 4,300 Ohm 5%          |
| C108          | 86326 0.01 Mfd. 100 V. Mylar        | C205          | 86313 0.01 Mfd. 500 V. Ceramic   | R127          | 81213 2,000 Ohm 3 W.     | R212          | 82470 6.8 Meg Ohm           |
| C109          | 86327 0.047 Mfd. 10% 50 V. Mylar    | C206          | 86212 0.01 Mfd. 10% 400 V. Paper | R128          | 81199 2% 000 Ohm 10 W.   | R213          | 82470 6.8 Meg Ohm           |
| C110          | 86140 0.05 Mfd. 10% 400 V. Paper    | C207          | 86212 0.01 Mfd. 10% 400 V. Paper | R129          | 81173 100 Ohm 7 W.       | R214          | 82470 6.8 Meg Ohm           |
| C111          | 86332 0.0068 Mfd. 10% 50 V. Mylar   | C208          | 86342 1.5 Mfd. 200 V. Mylar      | R130          | 82634 10,000 Ohm 5%      | R215          | 82470 6.8 Meg Ohm           |
| C112          | 86309 0.001 Mfd. 10% 500 V. Ceramic | C209          | 86270 680 Mfd. 500 V. Ceramic    | R131          | 82620 1,000 Ohm 5%       | R216          | 82675 82,000 Ohm 5%         |
| C113          | 86340 0.003 Mfd. 10% 500 V. Ceramic | C210          | 86270 680 Mfd. 500 V. Ceramic    | R132          | 82626 3,900 Ohm 5%       | R217          | 82675 82,000 Ohm 5%         |
| C114          | 86212 0.01 Mfd. 10% 400 V. Paper    | CR101         | 309390 Selenium Diode            | R133          | 82418 330 Ohm            | R218          | 82506 22 Meg Ohm            |
| C115          | 86140 0.05 Mfd. 10% 400 V. Paper    | CR201         | 309391 Full Wave Selenium        | R134          | 305833 Balance Control   | R219          | 82506 22 Meg Ohm            |
| C116          | 86289 3.3 Mfd. 500 V. Ceramic       | J101          | 12034 Input Socket               | R135          | 82635 12,000 Ohm 5%      | R220          | 82666 100,000 Ohm 5%        |
| C117          | 86146 0.05 Mfd. 10% 600 V. Paper    | J102          | 84283 Mate Squelch 5 Pin         | R136          | 82616 220,000 Ohm 5%     | R221          | 82460 1 Meg Ohm             |
| C118          | 86146 0.05 Mfd. 10% 600 V. Paper    | P101          | 300007 Power Input               | R137          | 82617 47 Ohm 5%          | R222          | 82663 1,500 Ohm             |
| C119          | 86243 150 Mfd. 500 V. Ceramic       | Q101          | 309404 2N591 Transistor          | R138          | 82626 3,900 Ohm 5%       | R223          | 82663 1,500 Ohm             |
| C120A         | 20 Mfd. 400 V. Lytic                | Q102          | 309404 2N591 Transistor          | R139          | 82626 3,900 Ohm 5%       | R224          | 82460 1 Meg Ohm             |
| C120B         | 40 Mfd. 400 V. Lytic                | R101          | 82635 12,000 Ohm 5%              | R140          | 82626 3,900 Ohm 5%       | R225          | 82666 100,000 Ohm 5%        |
| C120C         | 40 Mfd. 450 V. Lytic                | R102          | 82616 220,000 Ohm 5%             | R141          | 82698 150,000 Ohm 5%     | S101          | 305830 Bass Range 2P3T      |
| C121          | 87691 50 Mfd. 60 V. Lytic           | R103          | 82617 47 Ohm 5%                  | R142          | 82775 39,000 Ohm 5%      | S102          | 305830 Treble Range 2P3T    |
| C122          | 87691 50 Mfd. 60 V. Lytic           | R104          | 82626 3,900 Ohm 5%               | R143          | 82456 470,000 Ohm        | T101          | 305814 Power Transformer    |
| C123          | 87690 20 Mfd. 75 V. Lytic           | R105          | 82626 3,900 Ohm 5%               | R144          | 82671 1,300 Ohm 5%       | T102          | 305816 Audio Transformer    |
| C124          | 87697 9 Mfd. 6 V. Lytic             | R106          | 82625 3,600 Ohm 5%               | R145          | * 82666 100,000 Ohm 5%   | T103          | 305817 Audio Transformer    |
| C125          | 87696 50 Mfd. 6 V. Lytic            | R107          | 82698 150,000 Ohm 5%             | R146          | 82441 27,000 Ohm         | TB101         | 305832 Terminal Board 9 Lug |
| C126          | 86327 0.047 Mfd. 10% 50 V. Mylar    | R108          | 82775 39,000 Ohm 5%              | R147          | 82441 27,000 Ohm         | TB102         | 305831 Terminal Board 3 Lug |
| C127          | 86140 0.05 Mfd. 10% 400 V. Paper    | R109          | 82456 470,000 Ohm                | R148          | * 82616 220,000 Ohm      | V101          | 308646 6E U7                |
| C128          | 86212 0.01 Mfd. 10% 400 V. Paper    | R110          | 82671 1,300 Ohm 5%               | R149          | 82449 120,000 Ohm        | V102          | 308647 7199                 |
| C129          | 86334 0.01 Mfd. 10% 50 V. Mylar     | R111          | * 82666 100,000 Ohm 5%           | R150          | 82460 1 Meg Ohm          | V103          | 308026 6973                 |
| C130          | 86332 0.0068 Mfd. 10% 50 V. Mylar   | R112          | 82441 27,000 Ohm                 | R151          | 82454 330,000 Ohm        | V104          | 308026 6973                 |
| C131          | 86326 0.01 Mfd. 100 V. Mylar        | R113          | 82441 27,000 Ohm                 | R152          | 82696 270,000 Ohm 5%     | V105          | 308647 7199                 |
| C132          | 86327 0.047 Mfd. 50 V. Mylar        | R114          | 305821 Volume Control            | R153          | 82452 220,000 Ohm        | V106          | 308026 6973                 |
| C133          | 86140 0.05 Mfd. 10% 400 V. Paper    | R115          | * 82616 220,000 Ohm              | R154          | 82811 15,000 Ohm 2 W. 5% | V107          | 308026 6973                 |
| C134          | 86332 0.0068 Mfd. 10% 50 V. Mylar   | R116          | 82449 120,000 Ohm                | R155          | 82811 15,000 Ohm 2 W. 5% | V108          | 308506 5U4GB                |
| C135          | 86309 0.001 Mfd. 10% 500 V. Ceramic | R117          | 82460 1 Meg. Ohm                 | R156          | 82696 270,000 Ohm 5%     | V201          | 308603 68J6                 |
| C136          | 86340 0.003 Mfd. 10% 500 V. Ceramic | R118          | 82459 820,000 Ohm                | R157          | 82696 270,000 Ohm 5%     | V202          | 308603 68J6                 |
| C137          | 86212 0.01 Mfd. 10% 400 V. Paper    | R119          | 82423 820 Ohm                    | R158          | * 82638 18,000 Ohm 5%    | V203          | 308646 6E U7                |
| C138          | 86140 0.05 Mfd. 10% 400 V. Paper    |               |                                  |               |                          |               |                             |
| C139          | 86289 3.3 Mfd. 500 V. Ceramic       |               |                                  |               |                          |               |                             |
| C140          | 86146 0.05 Mfd. 10% 600 V. Paper    |               |                                  |               |                          |               |                             |

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\* R111 AND R148 SHOULD BE 100K; R115 AND R148 SHOULD BE 220K; R125 AND R158 SHOULD BE 18K.