A check of the battery condition and total current drain of the receiver should be made first. All current measurements are made at quiescence with

the receiver turned on, volume control at maximum, tuning gang closed, and with no signal conditions. The total receiver current drain is 15 to 20

mils. This is measured by inserting a milliammeter in series with the batteries.

If an excessive total current drain is recorded, the individual collector current readings of each transistor should be checked.

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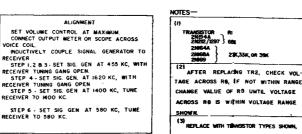
- 1. Check battery voltage and battery contacts.
- Check on-off switch.
- Check all antenna lead connections.
- Check coil L2.

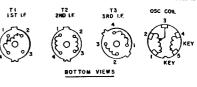
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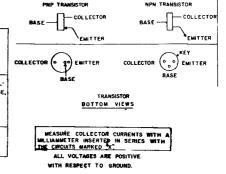
- Check battery voltage for 4.5 volts.
- Check battery current.
- Check transistor collector currents.
- Check alignment.

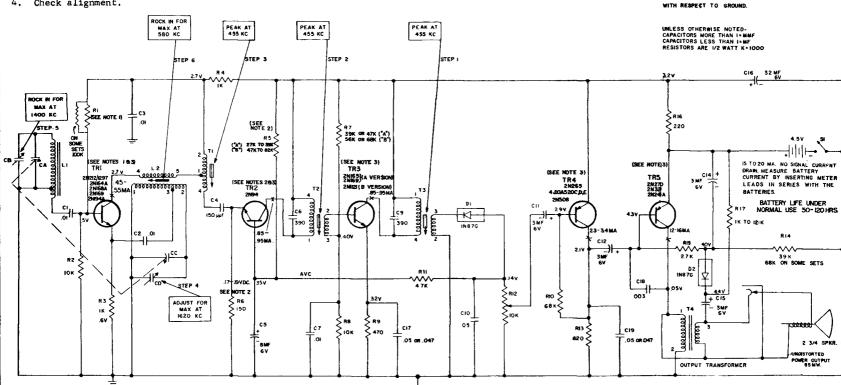
- INTERMITTENT:
- Check battery contacts for corrosion.
- 2. Check solder connections on dip-soldered side of circuit board.

Intermittent audio, motorboating, and poor reception is frequently caused by poor battery contact. The battery terminals should be cleaned to insure positive electrical contact.









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