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This sheet notes changes which should be made in instruction leaflet 41-775.1 dated April 1978.

- 1. On page 1, first column, fourth paragraph, second sentence should read: "This involves the failure of one or more poles to close during a breaker close operation, not involving a fault."
- 2. On page 1, second column, third paragraph, last sentence should read: "The I<sub>L</sub> calibration range is 18 to 60mA and the I<sub>H</sub> range is 40 to 200mA."
- 3. Add "Fig. 15. Outline and Drilling Plan for Type SLB Relay in Type FT-42 Case."

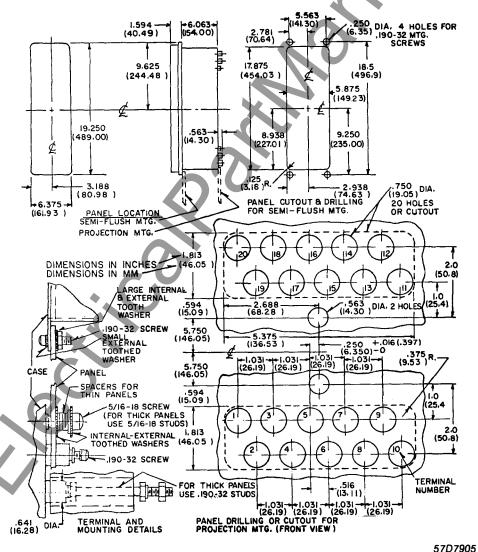


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CAUTION: It is recommended that the user of this equipment become acquainted with the information in this instruction leaflet before energizing the equipment. Failure to observe this precaution may result in damage to the equipment. Printed circuit modules should not be removed or inserted while the relay is energized unless specific instructions elsewhere in this instruction leaflet state that such action is permissible. Failure to observe this precaution can result in an undersired tripping output and cause component damage.

#### **APPLICATION**

The SLB pole failure relay protects against breaker pole failure, i.e. "pole disagreement". Pole failure is here defined as having one or more breaker poles open while one or more poles are closed during non fault conditions.

#### Types of Breaker Pole Disagreement

- 1) Pole disagreement during the attempted clearing of a fault. This "breaker failure" condition is detected by conventional breaker failure relay and is cleared by tripping adjacent breakers in normal manner.
- 2) Pole failure during a breaker closure. This involves the failure of one or more poles to close duriung a breaker close operation, not involving a fault. This is detected by the SLB current comparison logic which trips the protected breaker after time delay, T2.
- Pole failure during a breaker opening operation. This involves the failure of one or two

poles to interrupt current during a breaker trip operation, not involving a fault. This is detected by the SLB current comparison logic, which calls for another attempt at tripping the protected breaker after delay T2. This attempt will probably not successfully interrupt the stuck pole(s). Therefore, the current comparison logic will continue to operate and ultimately time-out T3 which either operates 86BF to clear the adjacent breakers or alarms the operator.

The SLB outputs are connected as shown in the external schematic diagram, figure 5.

As explained in the Operation section of this leaflet, the current comparison logic of the SLB has an output whenever one or more phase (s) carries current above the I<sub>H</sub> level (65mA) while one or more phase (s) carries current below the I<sub>L</sub> level (20mA). Though these I<sub>L</sub> and I<sub>H</sub> settings are factory calibrations and not intended to be changed by the user, other levels can be set in the field if necessary. The I<sub>L</sub> calibration range is 18 to 16mA and the I<sub>H</sub> range is 40 to 200mA.

#### Optional Relay Application - Alarm Only

In some instances it may be desirable to alarm-only for the pole failure condition. This is illustrated in Fig. 5A, the external schematic for the SLB with one timer. A suggested setting for T2 is approximately one second.

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#### **CONSTRUCTION & OPERATION**

The type SLB relay is a solid state package mounted in FT42 case (See I.L. 41-076). Referring to Fig. 3, the circuitry consists of 3 current to voltage transformers, 3 varistors, 3 sets fo full wave rectifiers, 3 filters, 3 sensing circuits, 1 level detector, and a standard output circuit. It contains a 20-volt zener supply that energizes the relay logic. It also self-contains one or two timers for adjustable time delay applications. In addition, a telephone relay circuit (TR1) is included to keep the timer(s) deenergized until the level logic produces a "pole disagreement" output. This eliminates standby power dissipation in the timer power supply circuitry, keeping heat buildup inside the relay case to a minimum. All 3 transformers, TA, TB, TC have a centertapped secondary which is connected to dc negative for a common ground. The transformer secondaries are connected to individual varistors to keep the secondary voltages at a safe level.

There are 2 sets of full wave rectifiers for each phase. The odd numbered diodes are used to rectify the quantities related to the I<sub>H</sub> or high current. These quantities will be compared to a reference at the level detector. The even numbered diodes rectify quantities that will provide a signal for phase current detection. Rectified quantities are then filtered by a capacitor and the input to the current sensors is then kept at a safe value by means of zener diodes.

The level detector is adjusted by means of R45 & R46 to provide a 20-volt output whenever one or more phase current is equal or greater than 65mA. This produces an output at TP9 if at least one of the phase currents drops below 20mA as detected by the related current sensing circuit. The basic current sensing circuit consists of a transistor that is biased into a normally on condition for a phase current equal or greater than 20mA. This biasing is performed through adjustments of R39, R40, and R41. If any phase current drops below 20mA the related transistor (Q1, Q2, or Q3) will turn off allowing any output from the level detector to deliver power to the output circuit and thus producing a relay output.

The level detector output is delayed by about 15 ms to avoid undersired tripping due to normal breaker unsymmetries. This delay circuit consists of an R-C circuit, a zener diode, and an output transistor. The output of this time delay circuit is used as the B+ supply for the current sensing circuits. Figures 5, 6, and 7 show some of the basic circuits described above. The SLB Relay produces telephone relay output which is delayed by means of the timer logic. Standard time delay ranges are 0.1 to 1.0 sec. asnd 0.2 to 4 seconds. Operation of the timer begins when an input signal to the starting transistors Q3 and Q11 is present at TP9 and an internal telephone relay contact (TR1) in series with the dc control voltage closes. The capacitor (C1) in the RC timing circuit begins to increase in voltage until it is greater than the voltage setting on the brush of the R48 potentiometer. At this point current will flow into the gate of the silicon controlled rectifier (Q2) which will conduct similar to the closing of a switch. This actuates the telephone relay (TR2) in the time set on the front dial.

The output contact (TR2) normally energizes a trip circuit, actuating the ICS contact as shown in the external connection diagram.

The rate at which the capacitor charges is determined by the rheostat setting. The charging rate is not a linear function of rheostat setting, since R6 gives a parallel resistive path. This has the effect of expanding the scale for short times and thereby permitting more accurate settings.

#### **CHARACTERISTICS**

#### A. Current Rating

Continuous 10 Amperes per phase One Second 200 Amperes per phase

#### B. Operating Time \*

Time Equal to Timer Settings

\* Level Logic Time Delay & TRI Relay
Time Delay Included In Timer Calibration.

#### C. Current Burden Per Phase

90 mA .05 VA 5 A 11.5 VA

#### D. DC Burden

Timers Deenergized 0.10 Amps. continuous One timer - 48 Vdc 0.20 Amps. additional  $\theta$  Two timer - 48 Vdc 0.40 Amps. additional  $\theta$  One timer - 125 Vdc 0.15 Amps. additional  $\theta$  Two timer - 125 Vdc 0.30 Amps. additional  $\theta$ 

 $\theta$  = only during SLB relay operation.

#### E. Tripping Condition

At least one phase conducting 0.065 ampere or more while at least one phase is conducting less than 0.020 amperes.

#### F. Restraining Conditions

- 1) Sudden increase of current from 0.0 ampere to any value greater than 0.065 ampere in all phases, whether balanced or not.
- Any sudden change in current, increase or decrease, balanced or not, as long as the minimum current is greater than 0.065 ampere in all three phases.
- 3) Simultaneous interruption of three currents, balanced or not.

#### G. Time Delay Range and Voltage Rating

Time Delay	Voltage Rating
Range (Seconds)	(Volts dc)
10.1.0	40
.10-1.0	48
. 10-1 .0	125
.10-1.0	250
0.2-4.0	48
0.2-4.0	125
0.2-4.0	250

#### H. Timer Reset Time

TR drop-out time = 0.1 sec. or less.

Discharge of timing capacitor; C1 is essentially instantaneous, the R-C time constant through R48 being less than 20 milliseconds, in most cases. However, the discharge path through R48 is limited by silicon voltage drops through Q2 and D7, totalling approxi-

mately through R48 down to about one volt and then more slowly through R6 down to zero volts.

#### I. Timer Accuracy

The accuracy of the time delay depends upon the repetition rate of consecutive timings, the supply voltage, and the ambient temperature. Self-heating has a neglibible effect on the time accuracy.

#### (1) Nominal Setting

The first time delay, as measured with the test circuit shown in Figure 13, taken at  $25^{\circ}$ C. and rated voltage, will be within  $\pm 5\%$  of its setting for settings of 0.2 seconds or less. For settings above 0.2 seconds, this accuracy will be  $\pm 3\%$ .

#### (2) Consecutive Timings

Incomplete capacitor discharge will cause changes in time delay. These changes are a function of discharge rate. Timing accuracy for slow repetitions will be per Table I.

Table I

Relay Rating	Delay Between Readings	Accuracy as Percent of Setting
0.1-1.0 seconds 0.2-4.0 seconds	at least 3 seconds at least 5 seconds	±3% ±3%

Timing accuracy for fast repetitions will be per Table II.

Table II

Relay Rating	Delay Between Readings	Accuracy as Percent of Setting
0.1-1.0 seconds	instantaneous	±5%
0.2-4.0 seconds	instantaneous	±5%

#### (3) Supply Voltage

Changes in supply voltage, between 80% and 110% of nominal, cause time delay variation of no more than  $\pm 3$  milliseconds for settings of 0.3 seconds or less, and no more than  $\pm 1\%$  for settings above 0.3 seconds.

#### (4) Ambient Temperature

Changes in ambient temperature cause changes in time delay. This variation in time delay is a direct function of capacitance change with temperature. Typical variation of time delay with temperature is shown in Figure 10.

#### **SETTINGS**

#### A. Current Levels

The I<sub>H</sub> level (65mA) is the lowest typical charging current expected on a transmission line. A low level is selected in order to permit the logic to detect a pole disagreement condition during line charging. The I<sub>L</sub> level (20mA) is determined by the minimum current level that the relay can reliably detect. Much lower than 20mA will cause the relay to be overly sensitive and subject to pick up on extraneous signals (noise) even though the breaker is open. Of course, the I<sub>L</sub> level must not be close to I<sub>H</sub> in order to prevent incorrect current comparison outputs due to phase dissymmetries.

#### B. Timer Settings

A current comparison output condition could occur during a "breaker failure" in which case it is imperative that adjacent breakers be quickly cleared in order to maintain system stability. This is achieved through conventional breaker failure protection which incorporates a timer, device 62, which is set as fast as is required to maintain stability. This is very often a low setting (12 cycles or less) and is sometimes as low as nine cycles. The pole failure timers (T2 and T3) can be set considerably higher than the breaker failure timer, since system stability is not endangered. A suggested setting for T2 is one second.

The T3 timer, which either trips adjacent breakers via 86BF or optionally alarms to notify the operator that one of the breaker poles is stuck closed, should be set to coordinate with T2 with a comfortable margin. A suggested setting for T3 is two seconds.

Proper time delay is selected by turning the knob of potentiometers R47 and R50 (dialed).

#### C. Indicating Contactor Switch (ICS)

The only setting required on the ICS unit is the selection of the 0.2 or 2.0 ampere tap. This selection is made by connecting the lead located in front of the tap block to the desired setting by means of the connecting screw. The tap should be chosen to be compatible with the trip current that will flow through the coil. The ICS unit contacts will close and the operation indicator target will drop for any current above tap value.

#### **EXTERNAL CONNECTIONS**

Fig. 4 shows the external connections for the type SLB relay.

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Make a visual inspection to make sure that there are no loose connections, broken resistors, or broken resistor wires.

#### Relay Check

- A. Refer to figures 3 or 4.
- B. Connect per test figure 14 and apply rated do voltage.
- C. Apply  $I_A = 15\text{mA}$ ,  $I_B = I_C = 100\text{mA}$ . 18-20 volts peak output should be observed at logic PCB terminal #19, and telephone relay TR2 (and TR3 for 2 timer relays) should operate.
- D. Apply  $I_B = 15mA$ ,  $I_A = I_C = 100mA$ , and check relay output per step C.
- E. Apply  $I_C = 15\text{mA}$ ,  $I_A = I_B = 100\text{mA}$ , and check relay output per part C.

#### **Timing Check**

SLB timers and their dials are calibrated and set at the factory and should not be disturbed in the field. However, the maximum calibration point on the timer dial(s) may be checked to insure that the timers are operating properly.

The recommended test circuit for this check is shown in figure 13.

- A. Connect per test figure 13 and apply rated dc voltage. Switch (S1) should be in the closed position.
- B. Set  $I_A$ ,  $I_B$ , &  $I_C = 1.0$  amperes. Reset the electronic timer to zero.
- C. Set SLB timer dial at the maximum calibration mark and open switch (S1). The electronic timer should display the time set on the SLB timer dial to within +3%.
- D. Allow a minimum of 10 seconds between repeat readings.
- E. Return setting to value desired for the application.

#### **INSTALLATION**

The relays should be mounted on switchboard panels or their equivalent in a location free from dirt, moisture, excessive vibration and heat. Mount the relay vetically by means of the rear mounting stud or studs for the type FT projection case or by means of the four mounting holes on the flange for the semi-flush type FT case. Either the stud or the mounting screws may be utilized for grounding the relay. External toothed washers are provided for use in the locations shown on the outline and drilling plan to facilitate making a good electrical connection between the relay case, its mounting screws or studs, and the relay panel. Ground wires are affixed to the mounting screws or studs as required for poorly grounded or insulating panels. Other electrical connections may be made direcly to the terminals by means of screws for steel panel mounting or to the terminal stud furnished with the relay for thick panel mounting. The

terminal stud may be easily removed or inserted by locking two nuts on the stud and then turning the proper nut with a wrench.

For detail information on the FT case refer to I.L. 41-076.

# **ROUTINE MAINTENANCE**

All relays should be checked at least once every year at such time intervals as may be dictated by experience to be suitable to the particular application.

#### **CALIBRATION**

Use the following procedure for calibrating the relay if the relay adjustments have been changed or disturbed. This procedure should not be used unless it is apparent the relay is not in proper working order.

#### A. Level Detector (Refer to Fig. 12)

- 1. Connect per test diagram Fig. 14 and apply rated dc voltage.
- 2. Apply  $I_A = 65mA$ ,  $I_B = I = 0$
- 3. Monitor relay output at TP9 (current board Fig. 12-top left) and adjust R45 (trim-pot same board) until full relay output (18-20 volts) each is *just* observed on an oscilloscope.
- 4. Reduce I<sub>A</sub> to about 63mA and adjust R46 (same board top right), until output just drops to zero.
- 5. Increase I<sub>A</sub> and relay output should be observed as current reaches 65mA.
- 6. Reduce I<sub>A</sub> and recheck per step 4.
- In general adjust R45 for pickup, and R46 for drop out until relay produces an output (full output) as current approaches 65mA and drops out quickly if current is, then, reduced.

#### B. Current Sensors (Refer to Fig. 12).

- 1. Connect per test diagram Fig. 14 and apply rated dc voltage.
- 2. Apply  $I_A = 20 \text{mA}$ ,  $I_B = I_C = 1 \text{ Amp}$ . Monitor relay output at TP9 (circuit board Fig. 12-top left).
- 3. Adjust R39 (circuit board bottom left) until the first output indication (18-20 volts peak), is *just* observed on a scope. If relay was already picked up, adjust R39 until it drops out, and then adjust it again as specified above.
- 4. Reduce current  $I_A$ , observing the relay output. Complete relay output (Vo = 20) should be observed within 3mA. Recheck first output indication at 20mA.

- 5. Adjust R40 (bottom center) per steps 3 and 4, this time setting  $I_A = I_C = I$  Amp,  $I_B = 20$ mA.
- 6. Adjust R41 (Bottom right) per steps 3 and 4, this time setting  $I_A = I_B = 1$  Amp,  $I_C = 20$ mA.

### C. Timing Check

Check timers using procedure given under RECEIVING ACCEPTANCE.

# **RENEWAL PARTS**

Repair work can be done most satisfactorily at the factory. However, interchangeable parts can be furnished to customers who are equipped for doing repair work. When ordering parts, always give the complete nameplate data.

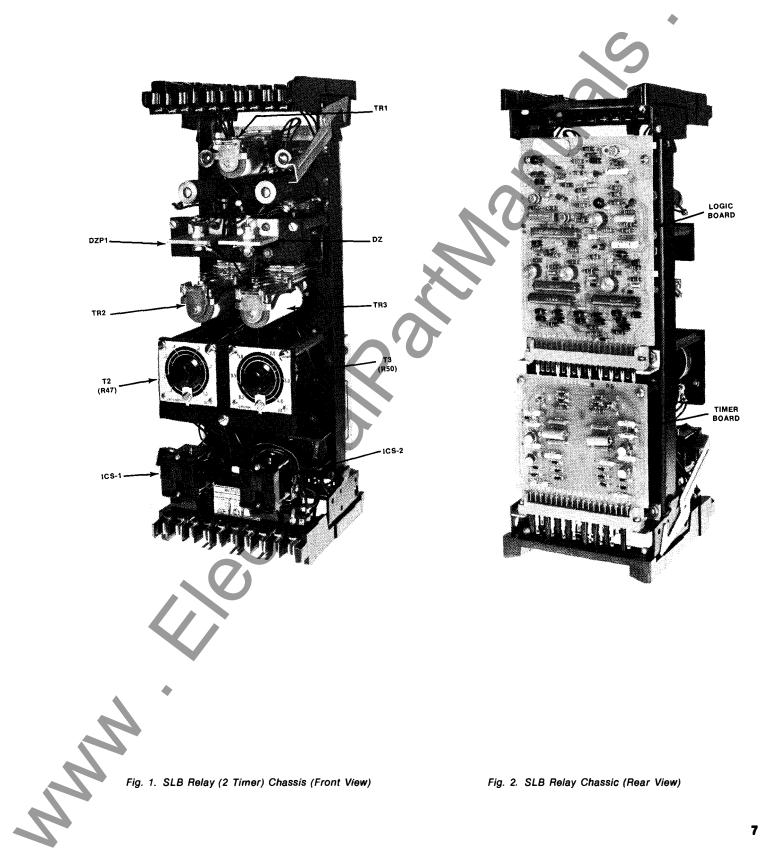


Fig. 2. SLB Relay Chassic (Rear View)

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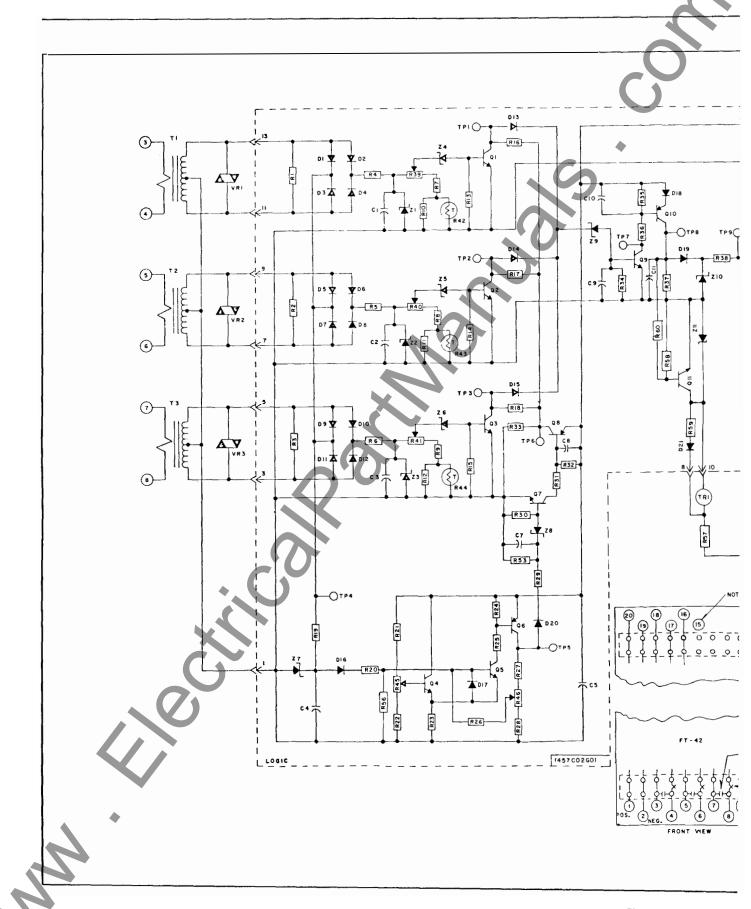
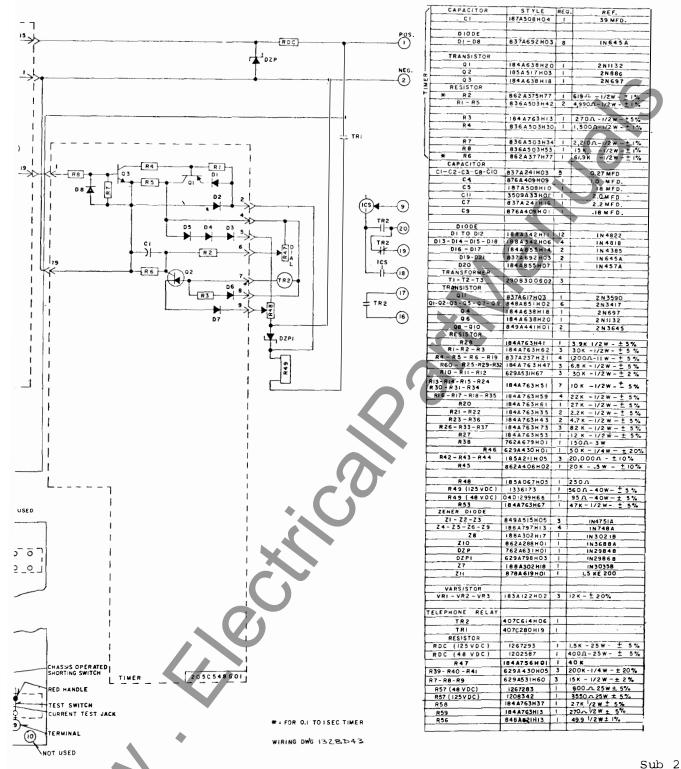


Fig. 3. Internal Schem



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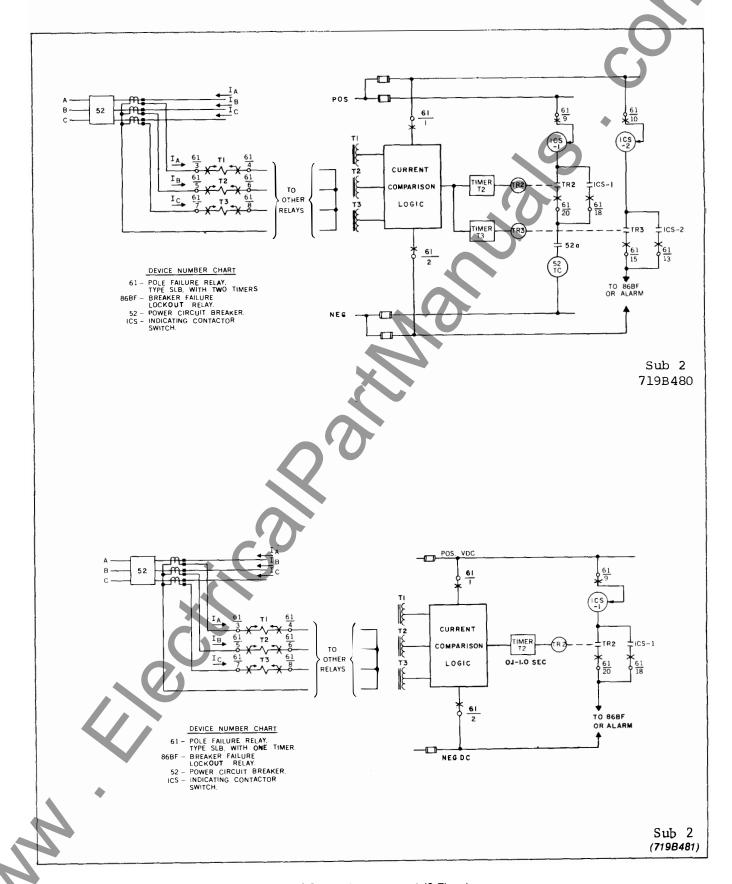


Fig. 5. External Connections (1 Timer) (2 Timer)

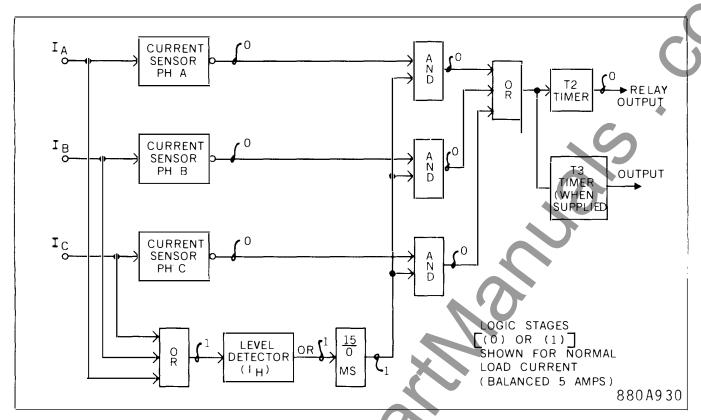


Fig. 6. Logic Block Diagram

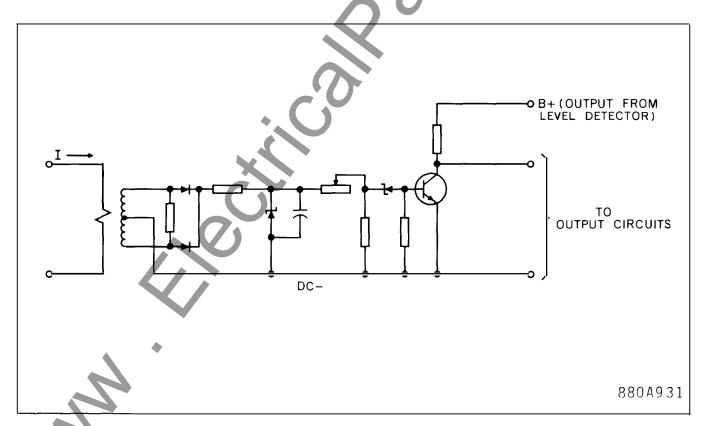


Fig. 7. Basic Current Sensor Circuit.

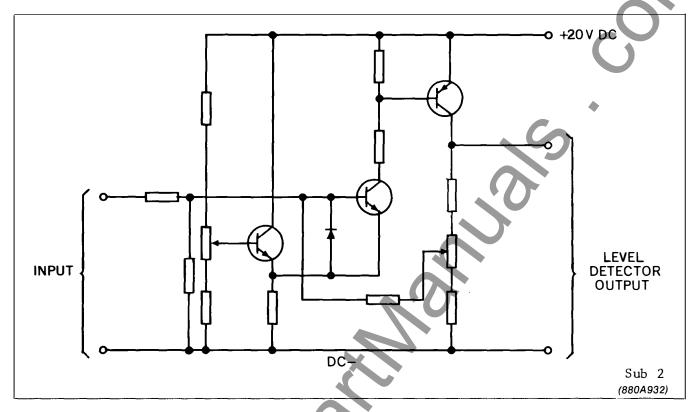


Fig. 8. Level Detector.

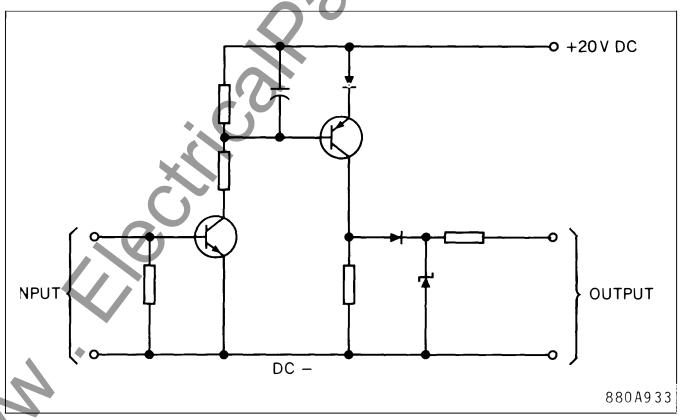


Fig. 9. Standard Output Circuit.

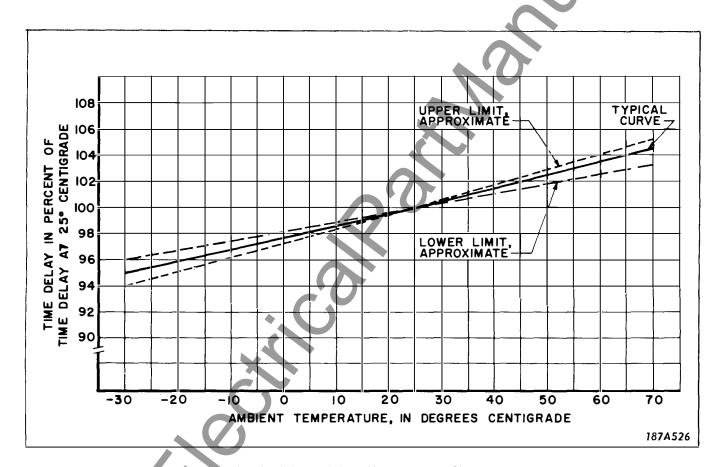


Fig. 10. Timing Variation with Temperature Changes.

Fig. 11. Component Location (Timer Board)

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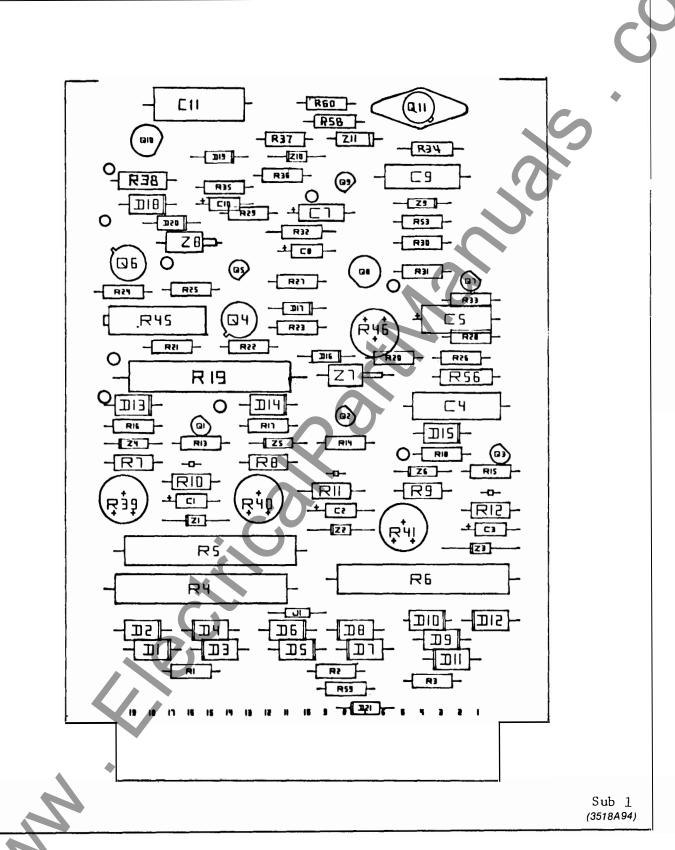


Fig. 12. Component Location (Logic Board)

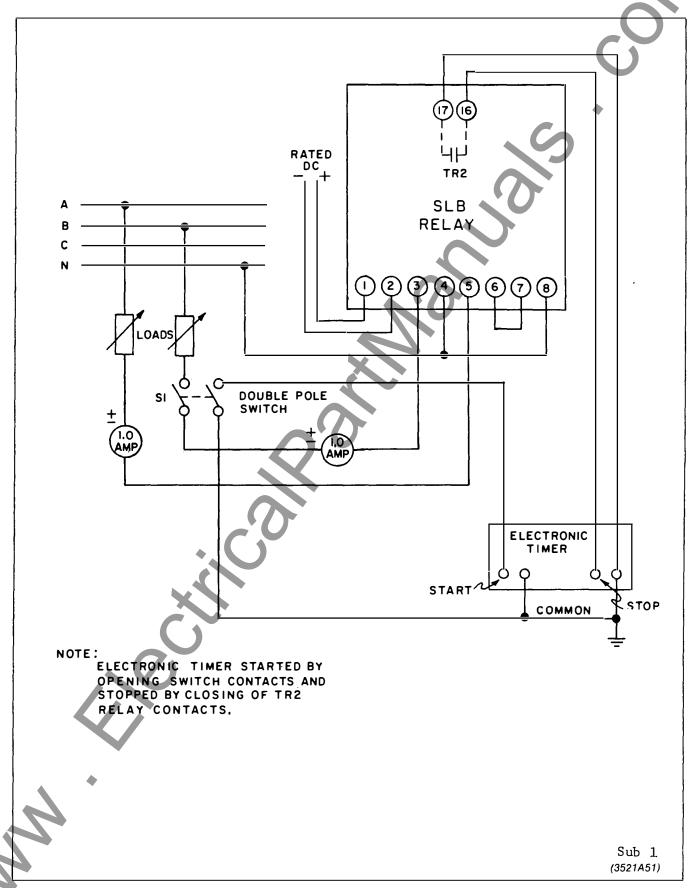


Fig. 13. Timer Test Circuit.

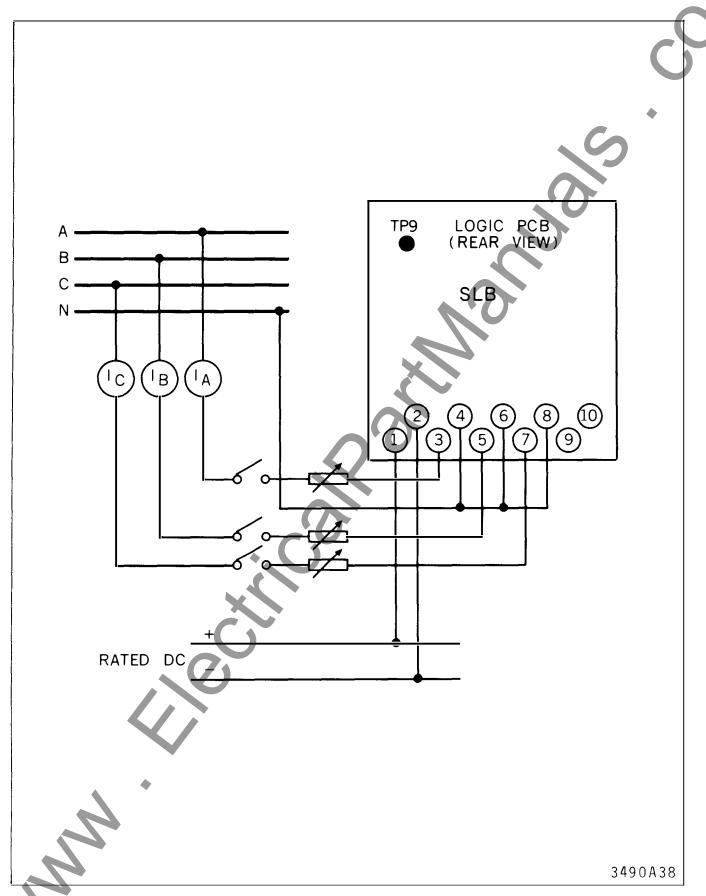


Fig. 14. Relay Test Circuit.

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