15 PERFORATOR

LUBRICATION

1. GENERAL

- 1.01 This section contains the lubrication instructions for the 15 perforator. This section and the section covering teletypewriter general lubrication provide the complete lubrication information for maintenance of the 15 perforator.
- 1.02 Because of varying conditions at each station, the 15 perforator should be lubricated as often as specified by local instructions.

2. PARTS TO BE LUBRICATED

Note 1: Oil both loops of all helical springs that exert a nominal tension of less than 2-1/2 pounds.

Note 2: Grease loops of all helical springs that exert a nominal tension of 2-1/2 pounds or more.

2.01 Underpart of Perforator

- (1) O-Keylevers: keylever shaft and rear comb slots.
- (2) O—Selector-bar guide slots.
- (3) O-Y lever: bearing slots and arms.
- (4) O-Y lever connecting links: connections with extensions and Y levers.
- (5) O-Selector levers.
- (6) O—Counter-control cam levers: at pivot point and points of engagement with keylevers.

2.02 Top of Perforator

- (1) O-Keylever front comb slots.
- (2) O—Spacer-bar loop: bearings and at point of engagement with keylever.
- (3) O-Y lever connecting-link extensions: left-end connections.
- (4) O—Selector fingers: at selector-lever connections, guide slots, and at points of engagements with punches and armature lever.

- (5) O-Armature lever: two oil holes.
- (6) O-Selector-lever retainer.
- (7) O—Antichatter contact lever: pivot and point of engagement.
- (8) O—Antichatter lever latch (if provided) at bearing and at point of engagement, with latch screw and punch-contact operating lever.
- (9) O-Punch-contact operating-lever backstop bracket slot (on units with slotted backstop bracket).
- (10) O—Punch block: rear oil hole, punches, and guide pins.
- (11) O—Feed roll: bearings, ratchet teeth, and star wheel.
- (12) O—Tape-tension lever bearings.
- (13) O-Back-space lever: shoulder-screw bearings.
- (14) O-Back-space-pawl bearing screw.
- (15) O—Feed-pawl release cam: bearing surface.
- (16) O-Feed-roll detent: roller and pivot.
- (17) O—Feed-pawl at bearing.
- (18) O-Feed-pawl bearing screw.
- (19) O-Feed-pawl lever: at pivot.

2.03 Counter Unit

Note: Care should be exercised to prevent oil from getting between the pole faces of the magnets and the armature.

- (1) O—Counter and release-magnet armature bearings.
- (2) O-Feed-pawl bearing screw.
- (3) O—Check-latch pawl: bearing screw and at point of engagement with adjusting screw.
- (4) O-Latch pawl: bearing screw and on latching surface.
- (5) O—Ratchet wheel: on teeth, outer bearings, and in drum.
- (6) O-Contact-lever bearing and cam.
- (7) O-Dashpot plunger.
- (8) GS-Counter-cam surface.
- (9) GS-End of dashpot plunger.