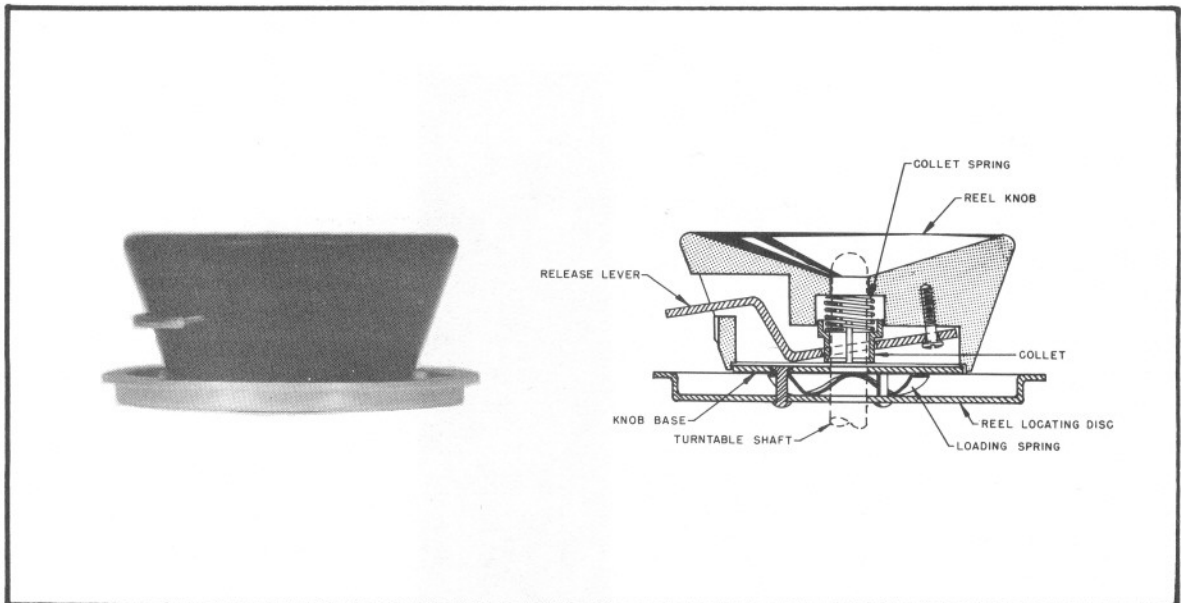


#9093 REEL HOLD DOWN KNOB

All rack mounted Recorders require Hold Down Knobs on the turntable shafts to keep the reels from slipping off. For this purpose the #9093 Reel Hold Down Knob is supplied with rack mounted machines. This knob replaces the #4402 Knob.



The #9093 Knob has a simple, positive action. It is slipped on the turntable shaft with the concave side facing outward, and is pressed down firmly so that the reel locating disc is engaged in the center of the reel. A spring loaded collet within the knob engages the turntable shaft. The Knob is self-centering, as the knob base is mechanically coupled to the reel locating disc through a loading spring.

The Hold Down Knob must be taken off the shaft in order for the reels to be removed. To release the Knob, press the lever forward. This action releases the collet, and the Knob can then be pulled off the shaft. The reel should be held in position as the Knob is being removed, so that it will not slip off.