

SCRA INCOME AND EXPENSE
STATEMENT as of 7/15/96

BEGINNING BALANCE	
CHECKING	\$2,892.98
SAVINGS	\$926.58
CASH ON HAND	\$70.51
INCOME	
ARRL Income	\$73.00
Dues	\$53.50
Initiation	\$12.00
Monthly Raffle	\$30.00
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Refreshment	\$28.40
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EXPENSES	
ACTIVITIES	
Field Day	(\$32.19)
Mini-DXpedition	(\$150.00)
ARRL Membership	(\$66.00)
Newsline Phone	(\$26.96)
OVERHEAD	
Refreshments	(\$15.00)
Officer's Expenses	(\$12.80)
REPEATER	
Phone	(\$20.67)
SHORTSKIP	(\$252.01)
TOTAL EXPENSES	(\$575.63)
Transfer to Cash on Hand	(\$2.40)
Interest Income	\$3.75
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CHECKING	\$2,694.85
SAVINGS	\$930.33
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When: August 25, 1996 -
Starting about 16:30 UTC
(9:30 AM Local) continuing
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40m CW 7.120 MHz
20m SSB 14.270 MHz
20m CW 14.075 MHz
15m SSB 21.400 MHz
15m CW 21.140 MHz
2m FM 146.520 MHz
70cm FM 446.000 MHz (?)
2m/70cm SSB (?)
6m CW/SSB/FM (?)
(all freqs. +/- and all are tentative.)

What: We seem to have most of the equipment nailed down but feel free to bring your own key or keyer / bug and make any suggestions to Larry Gustafson at kdvum@sonic.net.
Misc: We will have to bring our own food and water/drinks. There is a Porta-potty. SCRA will be picking up the \$150 usage fee but we may, as individuals, have to pay upwards of about \$13 each for the boat ride out to the Rock. (Larry is checking into this.)
If you are interested in going, please contact Larry via email at kdvum@sonic.net or by telephone at 523-0266. Being hams, we *could* contact him on 146.73 during the day but he is usually driving from here to there and can't take notes. He would surely appreciate talking about it, though, as the more people that hear about it, the better!
Updates can be found on the club web pages at <http://www.cs.sonoma.edu/~ken/scra.html>.

Hope to see you / work you! 73, Ken N6MHG

AMATEUR RADIO
AWARENESS DAY IS
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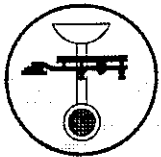
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What can you do? Well, you can write and distribute news release about Amateur Radio Awareness Day and invite the public to a ham radio demonstration. Set up your equipment in a classroom or on the town green or local shopping mall for maximum visibility. Press kits and other aids to help you promote ham radio for Awareness Day in your community are available from ARRL's Public Relations Office. Contact Jennifer Gagne, N1TDY, Media Relations Assistant, 860-594-0328; e-mail jgagne@arrl.org.

Goodbye Bertha



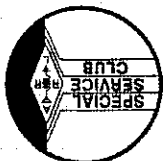
Ham radio's efforts were recognized by North Carolina Governor James B. Hunt Jr, who sent this message: "Thank you for volunteering your time, equipment and expertise helping in the Bertha emergency. Your devotion to public service exemplifies the ideals that make this state *great." --Gary Pearce, KN4AQ, NC Section Public Information Coordinator
The ARRL Letter (*and this hobby - ed.)

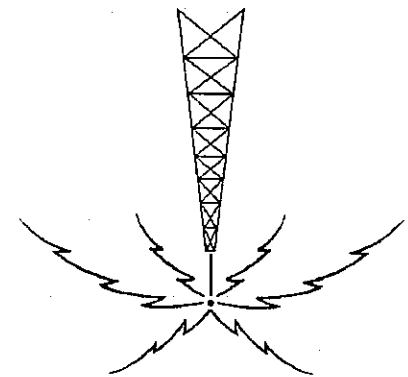


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SCRA Dues: The renewal date for SCRA dues is March 1st. Dues are \$18/year for individual and \$27/year for families.
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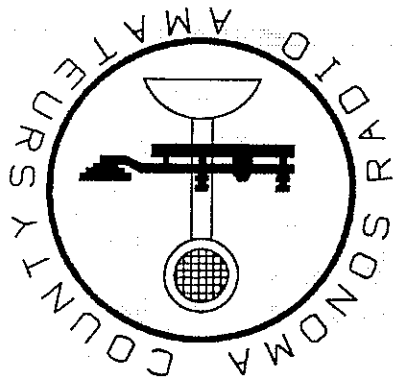
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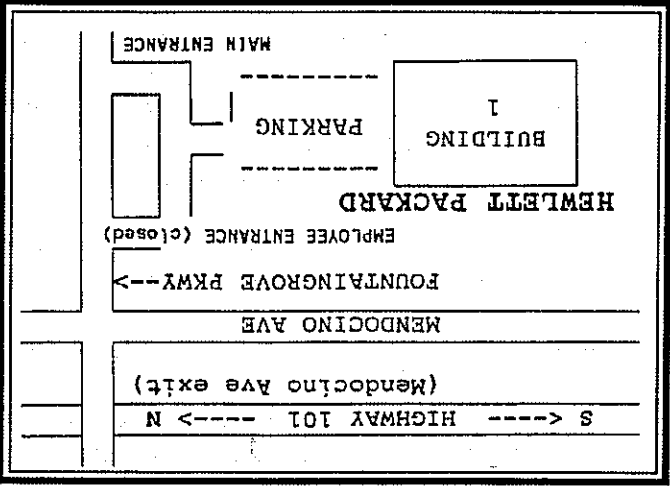
Club Meetings

7:30 pm, 1st Wednesday each month at the Hewlett-Packard plant in Santa Rosa. (See map below) All are welcome.

ARE YOU AN SCRA MEMBER?
If not, then this is a complimentary copy of *Short Skip*. Our club is involved with almost every area of Amateur Radio: Repeaters (146.73), Field Day, License classes (Novice through Extra), Volunteer exams, RACES, DX programs, Packet radio, Hidden transmitter hunts -- you name it.

We invite you to attend our next monthly meeting (see below) or check into the Tuesday night SCRA net on the 146.73 repeater at 7PM. You will hear the latest Amateur Radio Newline broadcasts, announcements of SCRA activities and a Swap Shop. Membership in SCRA is open to anyone interested in Amateur Radio. If you would like to join, there is a membership application in this issue. Hope we can have an "eyeball" QSO with you at the next meeting! 73 ...

Next Meeting: August 7, 1996



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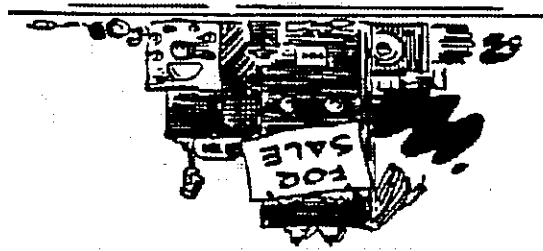
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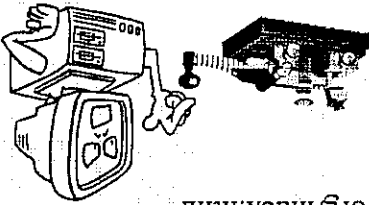
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FYI...

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SCRAPS

SCRA PUBLIC SERVICE

By Marie Mappus KI6QY



It's the middle of June and it looks like Public Service is in full swing. The Mini Vineman is now behind us. The weather was beautiful. The event started in Guerneville at 8:00 AM beginning with the swim part. After a mile and a half swim, the entrants came out of the water, changed clothes and continued with the 24 mile bike segment. Next came the run portion, 6.2 miles. At about 9:20 AM the first runner was past the turnaround and headed toward the finish line. He crossed the finish line about 9:35 AM. He completed the event in a little more than an hour and a half. The Mini Vineman was finished by noon. There were no serious mishaps for which we were thankful.

Now we begin anticipating the Vineman on July 27. This is a big event and takes a full day. Last year they requested help until 11:00 PM. About forty to fifty hams are needed. Last year forty-six participated. This year they are requesting additional locations so we will need more help. If you haven't volunteered to help give me a call at 664-1978. You really are needed.

The Terrible Two was on the twenty second of June, Field Day. There were about two hundred entrants and while some did not show and others were unable to complete the ride, the majority did finish the race. The ride begins in Santa Rosa, goes to the Geysers, Warm Springs Dam for lunch and then out on Scaggs Spring road to Stewart's Point down to Fort Ross, Cazadero, Monte Rio, Occidental and back to Santa Rosa. Looking at the route you can see that depending on the weather, temperatures can vary from the 50's at the ocean to 100 degrees inland. It is a grueling ride. The riders leave about 5:30 AM and can complete the ride anywhere from 4:30 PM on for the fastest riders to 10:30 PM for the slowest. Riders who can not finish in this time frame are sagged back to the finish line.

This year's winner completed the ride in eleven hours and twenty eight minutes. He was just eight minutes short of the all time record. It was the third fastest time. One hundred and eighty four riders began the race and one hundred forty seven completed it.

I spoke to Bill Ottlinger and he asked me to convey his thanks and appreciation to all the hams who helped in the Terrible Two. He always includes us in the cycling club's newsletter when he thanks all the volunteers who helped during the race. He is looking forward to our help again next year. My thanks to Lee KE6BAQ, Doug KC6RHA, Nadine KC6WUI, Dave KD6KWM, Larry AA6RD, Steve N6WMW, Rudy N6KLU, Bob K6GEV, Steve KC6NOB

HAM RADIO HAS MOVIE ROLES



Brookwood and Hope and another as a rover and relief person. Andrew KE6HMD received a letter from the Santa Rosa Chamber of Commerce expressing thanks from the Police Department for all the help the ham gave them. Saturday July 20 is the date of the Healdsburg Harvest Century Bike Tour. Will write about it in the next issue of Short Skip. Thanks to the volunteers we have all the slots filled.

Ham radio plays a part in two recently released movies. One is in the hugely popular sci-fi thriller Independence Day, reports Bob Inderbitzen, NQIR, of ARRL's Educational Activities Department. "Briefly, and without spoiling the plot, the US Space Command uses Armatour Radio to disseminate instructions for a worldwide offensive against the bad aliens," Inderbitzen explained. Commercial communication links are in a shambles in the wake of the aliens' destructive path, and their huge orbiting spacecraft have disabled or destroyed satellites. Hams spread the word using none other than Morse code. "And, straight keys and keyers were prevalently shown," he said. Inderbitzen points out that additional information about the movie can be found at <http://www.id4.com> on the World Wide Web.

MAJOR SOLAR FLARES NOTED; FLUX UP TEN POINTS

Solar seer Tad Cook, KT7H, in Seattle, Washington reports major solar flares on July 8 and 9. There was no impact on the K index as of July 12 at 0900 UTC. "Sometimes there is a visible flare that isn't aimed at the Earth, so the effect isn't as great as one aimed right at us," he said.

Meanwhile, Cook reports the solar flux jumped 10 points in one day. "This was not predicted because it's from a new event on the Sun, not an old area that we could expect to recur in 27.5 days," he explained. "The solar flux has been steady at 68 to 70 for a long time. A jump to 82 is quite an event." An earlier forecast from NOAA Space Environment Service Center had indicated that no geomagnetic disturbances were expected over the next month, and the solar flux had been predicted to remain right around 70. Likely effects, Cook says, are increased absorption and enhancement of north-south paths. VHFers also were hoping to take advantage of auroral propagation.

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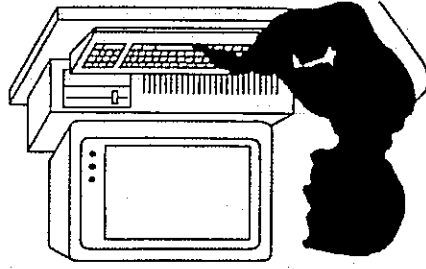
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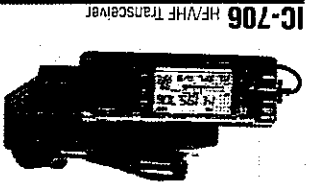
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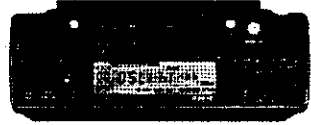
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RACES report by Merl N6VUC
A Red Cross sponsored First Aid and CPR class will be held in late Aug. or Sept. for RACES members.

Lee KE6EAQ covered issues related to the County Ant. Ordinance. He let s know about a Supervisors meeting to be held July 23.
Larry KD6VUM discussed the Alcatraz trip planned for Aug. 25. Insurance cert. has been requested. Needs \$150 to obtain a Day Use Permit. Power should be available but batteries suggested. There is a \$9.00 fee for transportation to the island per person. Need at least 10 people to make trip feasible. Moved the club authorize \$150 to pay the use fee KD6VUM. Seconded AB6OL. Additional discussion ensued. Motion carried by unanimous voice response.

Net control for Aug. is Greg KE6FXK. Regarding the Net Procedure, Need to add statement requesting announcements from general membership after call for announcements by club officers.
Steve KD6CJR related demographics related to amateur classes held by club members. See information published elsewhere in the newsletter.
Steve AC6FR asked if anyone could help him defray the cost of a radio purchased to replace a radio damaged by a Mike N6WRM that the parties involved would be grateful. Steve's address is 114 VERONDA WAY, COTATI 94931-5368.

The program for the evening was by Tim AB6FL. He discussed ways to listen to and contact space vehicles, mainly the Shuttles.
The raffle was conducted by Greg KE6FXK. Prizes were provided by ARDCO and HSC. Please patronize these fine establishments to show our thanks for this support.
There was not a membership lottery.
The meeting was adjourned at about 10:00 PM.
Respectfully submitted by Steven Feil KD6CJR



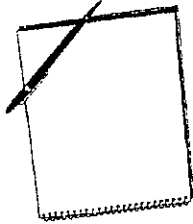
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SCRA MINUTES

July 3, 1996

Submitted by Secretary
Steven Feil KD6CJR



The July 1996 meeting was called to order by President Steve Carniglia KK6VY at 7:40 PM at the Fountain Grove HP site. Other officers present were: Vice President Rick Reiner K6ZWB, Secretary Steve Feil KD6CJR, Treasurer Joel Nadler KJ6LF, Public Service Chairman Marie Mappus KJ6QY, Member-at-Large Claude Jones AB6OL. Visitors: We had 3 visitors

New Calls/Upgrades: KE6WYT upgraded to Extra, AC6VJ.
The minutes for the previous monthly meeting were approved as published in Short Skip.

The Treasurers report by Joel Nader KJ6LF is as published in Short Skip.

Bill Hillendahl KH6GJV was announced as the new Activities Committee Chairman.
Steve KK6VY recounted some highlights from field day and let us know that we tentatively earned 2833 points, about 800 more than last year. We are considering a new sight for field day next year. Potential sights should take into consideration to generally stay away from urban areas but not too far out of town either.
The time normally appointed for the SCRA campout is quickly approaching. Anyone interested in heading up this event should call Bill.

Education Report:
On Summer hiatus. There is still a General Theory class planned for the fall. Call the club info line and leave a message of interest. 579-9608
Claude AB6OL reports that the Aug. VE session will be in Sonoma. Call Claude of VOMARC for more information on place and time.

Repeater Committee Report:
No report this month

Public Service Committee Report, by Chairperson Marie KJ6QY:

The Terrible Two event was the same day as Field Day but was handled well. Looking for members to fill Thursday Night Market positions for Aug. and Sept. Still need more help for the Vineman on July 27.

averaging 70-80 check ins. Steering committee has been rescheduled for Aug. 12. Reviewed the State certification in preparation for having Sonoma Co. RACES certified. Individuals responded to the tanker fire in Petaluma.

Jim N6PTM: Sebastopol Planning commission adopted an antenna ordinance with 2 items continued to 7/17. Will be presented to City Counsel soon. County field trip for Supervisors on 7/17. Board of Supervisors meeting on 7/23.

Respectfully submitted by Steven Feil, KD6CJR, Secretary.

Help Wanted - ARES



We need hams to help on Beach Clean-Up Day on 9/21/96. Local activities will take place at 26 Sonoma County beaches and at Lake Sonoma. This will be the first Statewide ARES exercise! We will use 2 Meters and HF for emergencies, coordination between beaches, health and welfare traffic and reporting results back to San Francisco from noon - 1:00 PM.

We know that day is the SCRA Ham Swap in Graton. Because of this, we will be very flexible: short shifts, roving patrols, home relay stations, and any other ideas you may have. MARS and NTS may participate and some districts will be using 1.2 GHz, linked systems, cross-band repeaters, FAX, Internet. Ammor/pactor/packet and Oscar, the sky's the limit!

The California Coastal Commission is the overall sponsor as well as the State Parks, Dept. of Conservation, SF Examiner, Marine World, So. CA Edison, etc. 72 counties are participating. Last year 35,000 volunteers picked up 410,133 lbs. of trash including a Coke bottle from Japan, a chandelier and a red wig. 11% was recycled.

We need YOU! If you can help, contact Marie at 664-1978 or Darlene at darlenehm@aol.com. Describe your radio capabilities, preferences + phone, FAX & E-mail address.



Board Meeting Minutes



July 10, 1996

The July Minutes of the Sonoma County Radio Amateurs board meeting held at the Bank of the West on Marlow Rd. Members of the board present were: President, Steve KK6VY, Vice President, Rick K6ZWB, Secretary, Steven KD6CJR, Treasurer, Joel KJ6LF, Repeater Chairman and Past President, Kelly KD6CJQ, Activities Chairman, Bill KH6GJV, Member-at-large, Claude AB6OL and Member-at-large, Joe KE6LNQ. There were also 5 other SCRA members present. The meeting was called to order at 5:40 PM by Vice President, Rick K6ZWB.

Steve KK6VY: Covered field day results, initial calculation was 2833. Steve also accepted appointment by the board as next years field day chairman. Many thanks were offered for this years effort.

Rick K6ZWB: ARRL sanction for the Swap Meet has been received. Some prizes have already been acquired.

Steve KD6CJR: Discussed when to make reservations for the Christmas dinner and where to hold it this year. If any member has an idea or preference please contact Steve or a board member. Some ideas were stay put, Los Robles, Green Mill and Flamingo.

Joel KJ6LF: Covered field day and other club expenses. There was some discussion regarding the plan to change location for 1997.

Kelly KD6CJQ: 441.375 machine MUST be in PL within 60 days. Several options to resolve the issue were discussed. Purchasing a less costly controller as a temporary measure to be sold and then replaced as planned. Going ahead of schedule with the major upgrade. Was resolved to present the various ideas to club membership at next meeting as this may drastically affect the budget.

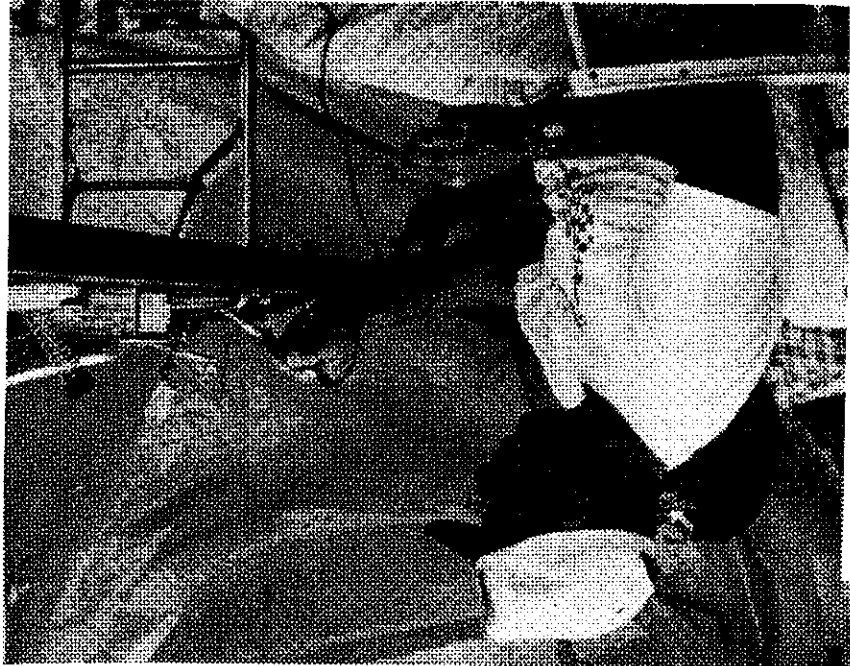
Bill KH6GJV: There will be a meeting of the activities committee prior to the next club meeting at 6:00. ALL club members are invited to participate. This will be a planning meeting for the remainder of 1996. PACIFICON is coming!

Joe KE6LNQ: Congratulations to Ken on his fine job on the Web Page.

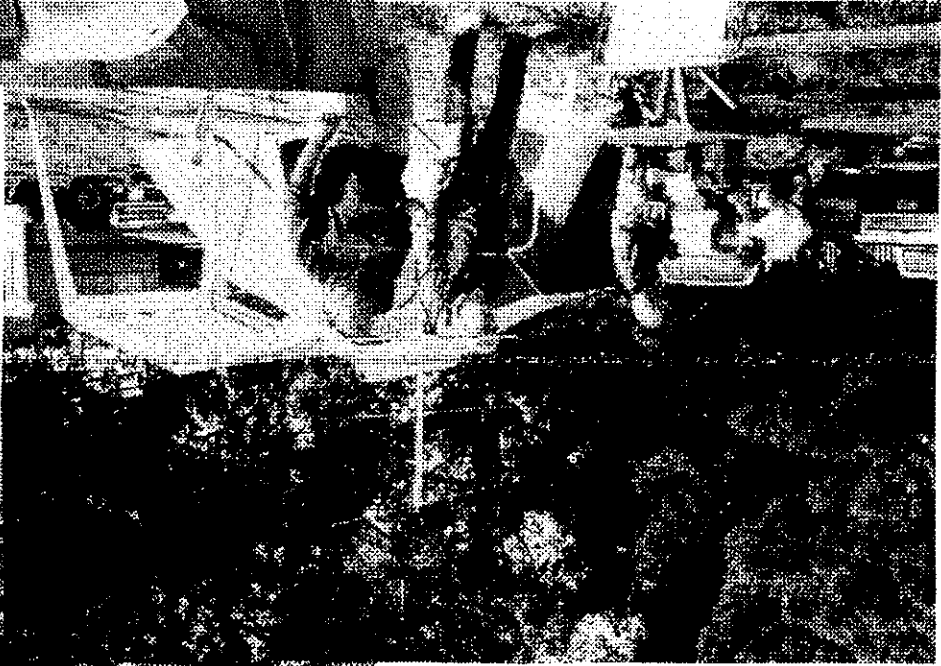
Claude AB6OL: Still looking for a VE liaison to take over. PLEASE call Claude so he can get you trained properly.

Merl N6VUC: Monday night RACES nets have been

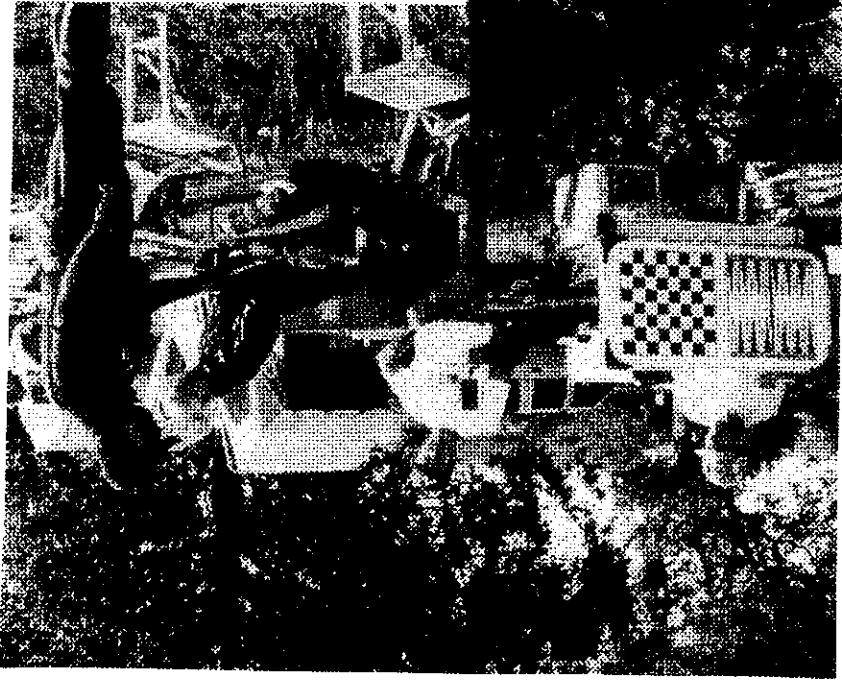
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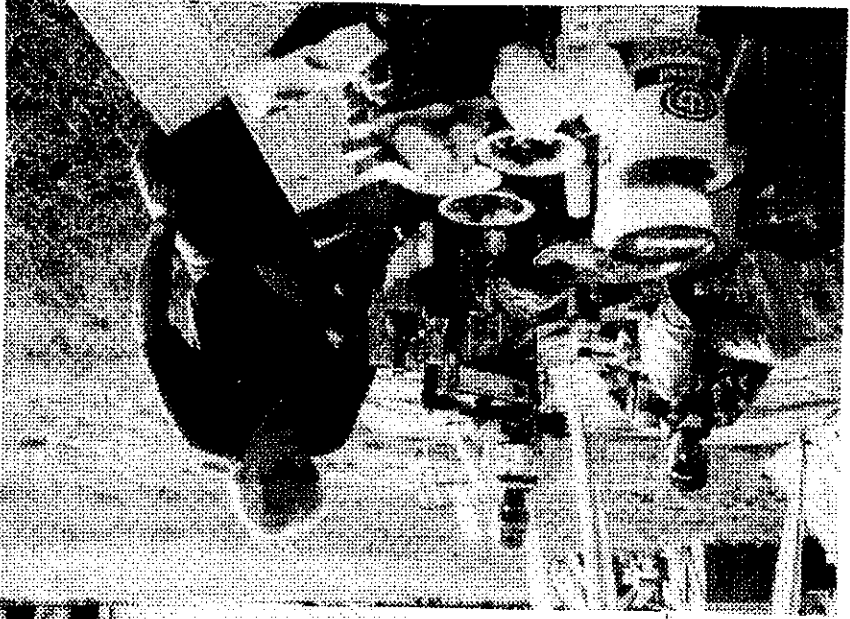
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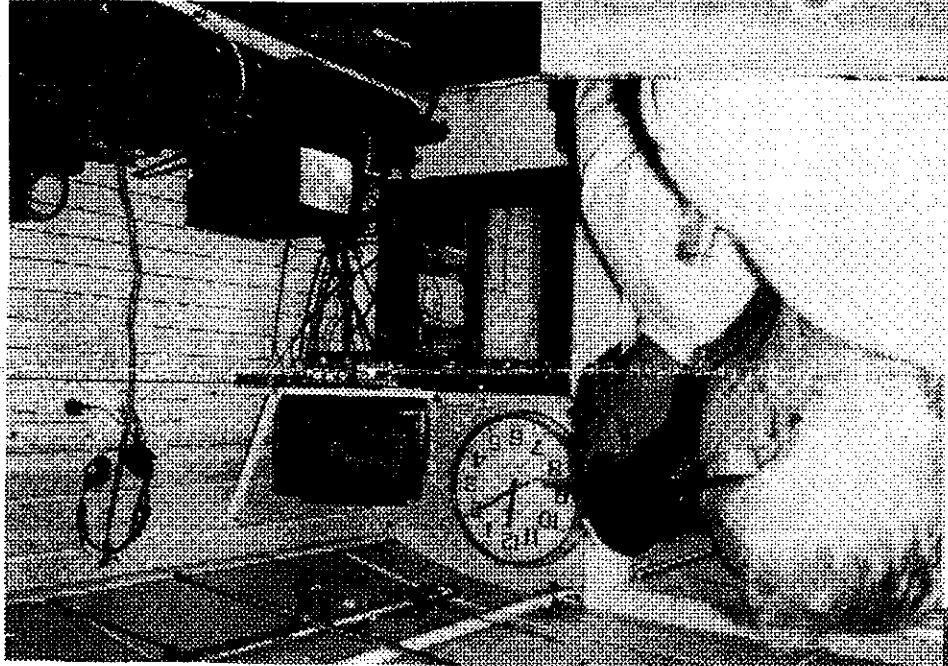
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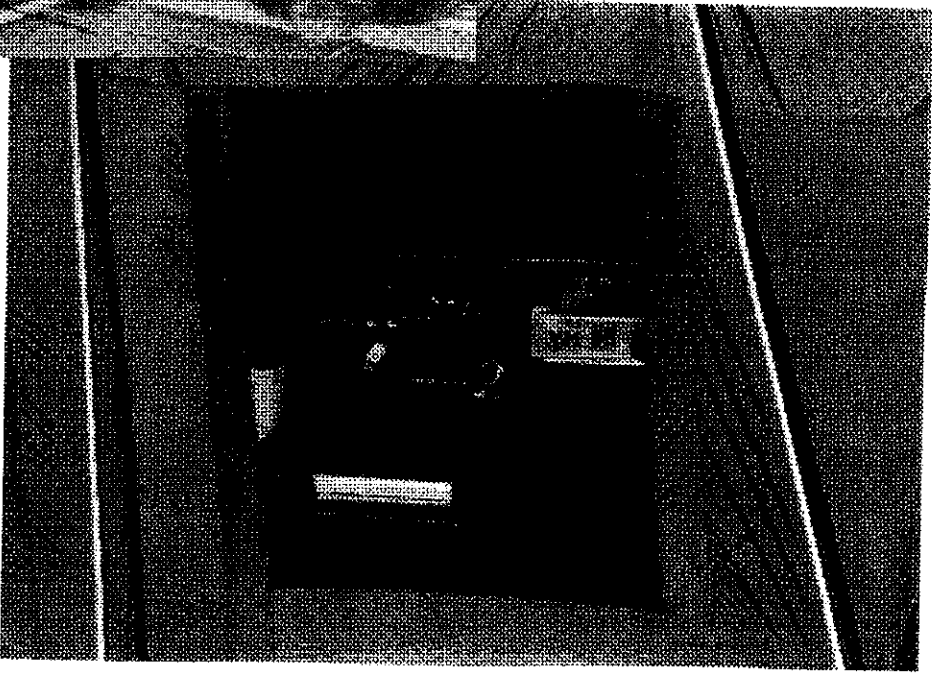
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