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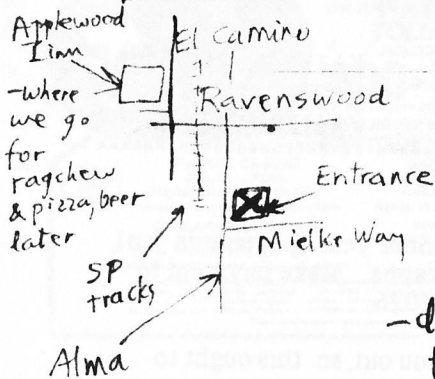
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Howard Nurse

WD6A (ex-W6LLO)

"Image Communications
with the APPLE II Computer"

-demo of "PHOTOCASTER" and
talk on application to ham
slow scan TV

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Sorry, Bill, I goofed last month and left you out, so this ought to make up for it -- Andy.

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Image Communications with the Apple II Computer

Howard Nurse WD6A , (ex W6LLO)

Howard will demonstrate his company's product

"PHOTOCASTER" , used for slow-scan tv

Herb, W6SAW, reports that he has a Kenwood TR-7850 2 meter FM transceiver, 40 watts, in perfect condition, never used mobile available available for sale. He also has a 12 volt DC supply and isopole antenna. He is asking \$195, and can be reached at 415-364-8538

To: All Packet Stations

Jeff Sue, WA6SLF, and Dave Pope, K6JKQ, both located in Stockton, CA, report success in linking into the Bay Area using a new high-level repeater put up by Rob Taylor, KA6NAN.

The new machine, KA6NAN-1, is located 2400' high in the foothills overlooking the city of Palo Alto, CA. The hardware in use is the GLB controller. At this elevation the KA6NAN repeater becomes the highest level repeater serving the Bay Area packet user community, and will undoubtedly bring packet access to some of the other major cities which are neighbors to San Francisco.

Presidents Corner

I would like to encourage all of the members to remember the Monday night net, 147.45 MHz at 8:30 pm local time. This is where you can learn the latest of what is happening in PAARA, and can become a more active part of it all. Checkins and activity on the net have been rather low, and I am sure the regulars would love to hear some new voices.

I look forward to seeing all of you at the next meeting.

Contest Corner

January brought us the January VHF sweepstakes, which had a major rule change this year that made it almost the same as the September VHF QSO Party. The big difference was that it was a LOT colder on the mountain.

Regardless of the temperature, Bob Gallagher, *KABIRT*, and Alan Larson *WABAZP*, joined a team to operate *NU6S* on a mountain south of San Jose. They definitely appreciated hearing from those PAARA members who were able to give them a call over the weekend. I am sure that a good time was had by all.

This February will include the North American Sprint, which Tom Schiller, *N6BT*, described in his talk to PAARA a couple of years ago. The CW version will be February 2nd, with Phone a week later on February 9th. The rules may be a bit hard to find, I found a copy on page 88 of the January 1984 (last year's) *QST*. It runs for just four hours, so it won't be a major disaster in the schedule. It also includes a special *QSY* rule, so read the rules carefully.

220-MHZ DIGIPEATERS

Scott Miles, *WB6PQM*, is establishing two new 220-MHz digipeaters in the San Francisco Bay area. The new simplex machines will be running on 223.58 MHz, and are intended to serve the needs of *RACES* in Contra Costa county. The digipeaters will be based on *GLB PK-1 TNCs*.

Rich Collins, *NT6U*, reports that he and David Bly, *WD6EUM*, have installed a digipeater on 220.58 MHz in San Leandro, CA. This site, made available by the Alameda County *RACES* group, provides good coverage of the Bay area.

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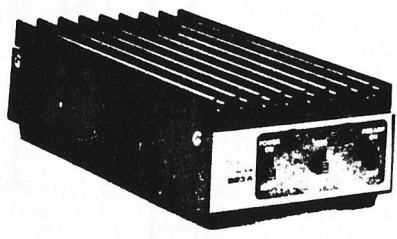
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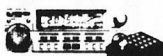
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