

Response to (Journal, 13827,)

Ken, I have been planning for some time to modify update file so that it propagates the protection (access) of the file. Propagating the ARCHIVE status is also a good idea. Are there some other properties that should also get propagated while we are at it? Could you get me the info necessary to propagate the archive status? Thanks. -- Charles.

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CHI 16-JAN-73 21:39 13832

Response to (Journal, 13827,)

(J13832) 16-JAN-73 21:39; Title: Author(s): Irby, Charles H./CHI;
Distribution: Victor, Kenneth E. (Ken)/KEV; Sub-Collections: SRI-ARC;
Clerk: CHI;

CHI 16-JAN-73 21:42 13833

test

this is another damn test

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CHI 16-JAN-73 21:42 13833

test

(J13833) 16-JAN-73 21:42; Title: Author(s): Irby, Charles H./CHI;
Distribution: Victor, Kenneth E. (Ken)/KEV; Sub-Collections: SRI-ARC;
Clerk: CHI;

test (test)

this is another test

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CHI 16-JAN-73 21:43 13834

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(J13834) 16-JAN-73 21:43; Title: Author(s): Irby, Charles H./CHI;
Distribution: Victor, Kenneth E. (Ken)/KEV; Sub-Collections: SRI-ARC;
Clerk: CHI;

Response to (Journal, 13810,), Output Device Teletype page
numbering

Journal documents have Output Processor directives embedded in
them which cause the origin statement to be printed on one page
and the rest of the document on the following pages, starting
page-numbering at 1. -- Charles Irby

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CHI 16-JAN-73 22:00 13835

Response to (Journal, 13810,), Output Device Teletype page
numbering

(J13835) 16-JAN-73 22:00; Title: Author(s): Irby, Charles H./CHI;
Distribution: McKenzie, Alex A./AAM; Sub-Collections: SRI-ARC; Clerk:
CHI;

Response to (Journal, 13811,), Quotation Marks in Journal Title

It is indeed prohibited to put quotation marks in journal titles. The title gets embedded in an Output Processor directive that is terminated by a quotation mark. If you put them in the title the directive terminates prematurely. -- Charles Irby.

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CHI 16-JAN-73 22:04 13836

Response to (Journal, 13811,), Quotation Marks in Journal Title

(J13836) 16-JAN-73 22:04; Title: Author(s): Irby, Charles H./CHI;
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JDH MFA; Sub-Collections: SRI-ARC; Clerk: CHI;

Simple NLS. Training in General, SNDMSG, Who's Responsible

The bug that screws your NLS if you use "print journal" is known and is fixed in the experimental system or something and will be patched in soon.

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Jim White wrote to command if you want some one to pin it on.

1a

Mike Kudlick is thinking about your (and other's) suggestions about simple NLS. It is not simple to do and don't hope for anything soon.

2

In the mean time I am supposed, when I get through with something else, to do a survey/plan of the whole training scene including Novice modes, documentation etc etc. I will probably ask for your thoughts when I have a draft.

2a

One thing I will recommend is training by shared images as screens get available on the net more.

2a1

Thoughts on DHL are coming under separat cover.

3

I tried sending most of the above information to Neigus @ BBN-TENEX twice and it replied "Neigus BBN-TENEX " can't"

4

No comment.

4a

Consider also abominable snowpersons.

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Assuming something a man if abominable is certainly sexist and probably spcieist/eous.

5a

DVN 16-JAN-73 20:30 13837

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(J13837) 16-JAN-73 20:30; Title: Author(s): Van Nouhuys, Dirk
H./DVN; Distribution: Neigus, Nancy J./njn ; Sub-Collections: SRI-ARC;
Clerk: DVN;

DVN 17-JAN-73 9:26 13838

DRAFT Spec for Regular Report to Rome on System Use

This is a draft. If no one tells me about changes he wants by 1/23, I will deem it the spec and ask BAH to do it.

DRAFT Spec for Regular Report to Rome on System Use

We are now in a position to give RADC more detailed information on the user of our system by their personnel.

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Beau Hardeman (BAH) has recently begun to report use of the system to ARC (13660,), both in absolute numbers and in percent of the system. I propose that Beau transmit to RADC via the Journal, on the last Thursday day of every month a report on the time every user (RADC and all others) is connected to the system, the cpu time he (she or it) have used, the various ratios as now reported to ARC, and, in addition, the use of storage space by each RADC user as a percentage of the system.

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DVN 17-JAN-73 9:26 13838

DRAFT Spec for Regular Report to Rome on System Use

(J13838) 17-JAN-73 9:26; Title: Author(s): Van Nouhuys, Dirk H./DVN;
Distribution: Lawrence, Thomas F., Stone, Duane L., Bair, James H.,
Hardeman, Beauregard A., Rech, Paul, Norton, James C./tfl dls jhb bah
pr jcn ; Sub-Collections: RADC ; Clerk: DVN;
Origin: <LANE>DIRKSPECS.NLS;2, 16-JAN-73 14:52 LLL ;

blah

just testing, ho ho

JDH 17-JAN-73 12:43 13839

blah

(J13839) 17-JAN-73 12:43; Title: Author(s): Hopper, J. D./JDH;
Distribution: Kaye, Diane S./DSK; Sub-Collections: SRI-ARC; Clerk: JDH;

JHB 17-JAN-73 7:20 13840

Feedback File (reactions to AHI)

For your action.

Feedback File (reactions to AHI)

Hi There is a file called FEEDBK in which you may enter any comments, reactions, complaints, etc. that you wish. These will be read by the appropriate people at SRI as well as here at RADC. Action will be taken if possible. INSTRUCTIONS: Load File <BAIR>FEEDBK and then enter your comment by Insert Statement at .0. Your item will then be added to the top of the file. THEN Update Old so that the read/write permissions stay open for everyone. If you get a message, "PC Open Fail" or "file busy", it probably means the file is in use. Enter anything--vent your spleen. Thanks, Jim Bair

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Feedback File (reactions to AHI)

(J13840) 17-JAN-73 7:20; Title: Author(s): Bair, James H./JHB;
Distribution: Rzepka, William E., Blanc, Robert P., Stone, Duane L.,
Lawrence, Thomas F., LaMonica, Frank S., Cavano, Joel P., Iuorno, Rocco
F., Petell, Marcelle D., Bethke, William P., Rome Air Development Center
(ISIM), Sliwa, Frank P., McNamara, John L./WER RPB DLS TFL FSL JPC RFI
MDP WPB RADC FPS JLM; Sub-Collections: RADC; Clerk: JHB;

jeanne:

As you may recall, we do not have full access to Exec and subsummed commands; thus, 'CHANGE PASSWORD.' is denied to us. There are at least three possible solutions: (1) grant us restricted full access to exec (restricted here implies we would only use the capabilities of the full Exec for such exigencies), (2) make the command available at our Exec access level, or (3) assist us in making the desired change.

Any of these solutions is acceptable. We would very much appreciate your assistance in this matter.

Thank you for your consideration.....jean iseli

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JI 17-JAN-73 6:58 13841

(J13841) 17-JAN-73 6:58; Author(s): Iseli, John/JI; Distribution:
North, Jeanne B./JBN; Sub-Collections: NIC; Clerk: JI;

MEMORANDUM

TO: NETWORK LIAISON GROUP

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SUBJECT: INFORMATION REQUEST

DATE: 17 JANUARY 1973

RESPOND TO: (1) ABOVE ADDRESS, OR (2) TO (JI) VIA 'NIC'.

ON BEHALF OF POTENTIAL ARPANET USERS (LIBRARY OF CONGRESS IN PARTICULAR) MITRE REQUESTS YOUR COOPERATION IN SUPPLYING THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION RELATIVE TO YOUR HOST:

(1) WHAT DATA BASES (SCIENCE INFORMATION) DO YOU HAVE RESIDENT AND AVAILABLE TO NETWORK USERS. EXAMPLES OF DESIRABLE DATA BASES INCLUDE:

- O BIOLOGICAL ABSTRACTS
- O CHEMICAL ABSTRACTS
- O PHYSICS ABSTRACTS
- O ERIC FILES
- O CENSUS INFORMATION

(2) WHAT ACCESS MECHANISM(S) ARE AVAILABLE (ISSR SYSTEMS, DATA MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS, ETC.) AND WHAT MODE OF OPERATION (RJE, INTERACTIVE) IS AVAILABLE.

(3) AVAILABILITY AND COST ATTRIBUTES FOR THE ABOVE (IF APPLICABLE.)

(4) AVAILABILITY OF DOCUMENTATION, SAMPLES IF POSSIBLE, AND

TECHNICAL

POINT OF CONTACT AS WELL AS ADMINISTRATIVE POINT OF CONTACT.

(5) CAN THIS INFORMATION BE SUBMITTED TO THE NIC?

YOUR PROMPT CONSIDERATION AND REPLY WOULD BE APPRECIATED.

(J13842) 17-JAN-73 8:03; Author(s): Iseli, John/JI; Distribution: Martin, Reg E., Leichner, Gene, Falk, Gil, Iseli, John, Donnelley, Jed E., Kantrowitz, William, Wolfberg, Michael S., Feinroth, Yeshiah S., Hurt, James, Hearn, Anthony C., Stein, James H., Shoshani, Arie, Harslem, Eric F., Metcalfe, Robert M. (Bob), Reussow, Bradley A., Reins, E. R. (Dick), Kadunce, Daniel L., McCutchen, Samuel P., Petregal, George N., Madden, James M., Young, Michael B., Padlipsky, Michael A., Stevenson, Schuyler, Deutsch, L. Peter, Davidson, John, O'Sullivan, Thomas, Seroussi, Sol F., Bradner, Scott, Thomas, Robert H., Thomas, John C., Romanelli, Michael J., Stoughton, Ronald M., Owen, A. D. (Buz), Fink, Robert L., Meir, Jaacov, North, Jeanne B., Crocker, Steve D., Lawrence, Thomas F., McConnell, John W., Ollikainen, Ari A. J., White, James E. (Jim), Hathaway, A. Wayne, Foulk, Patrick W., Winter, Richard A., Van Zoeren, Harold R., McKenzie, Alex A., Winett, Joel M., Bhushan, Abhay K., Pyke, Thomas N., Wilber, B. Michael, Feigenbaum, Edward A., Braden, Robert T., Pepin, James M., Wessler, Barry D., Melvin, John T./NLG; Sub-Collections: NIC NLG; Clerk: JI;

john, look at your newsbriefs file please. (from Deane).

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JRS 17-JAN-73 11:01 13843

(J13843) 17-JAN-73 11:01; Author(s): Stellato, Josephine R./JRS;
Distribution: McNamara, John L./JLM; Sub-Collections: RADDC; Clerk: JRS;

Disk Space Allocation Study: Errata

In my Jan 16 note on disk space allocation (HJOURNAL, 13820, 1:w), I made a semantic error in using the word "allocation". This note corrects that error.

Disk Space Allocation Study: Errata

In my Jan 16 note on disk space allocation (HJOURNAL, 13820, 1:w), I made a semantic error in the branch on "statistics". In that branch, the word "allocation" is used incorrectly. Please substitute the word "usage" when reading.

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In particular, in statement 2A the phrase "actual disk allocation" should read "actual disk usage";

1a

in statement 2B the phrase "SR = File Space Allocation Range" should read "SR = File Space Usage Range".

1b

Disk Space Allocation Study: Errata

(J13844) 17-JAN-73 9:59; Title: Author(s): Kudlick, Michael D./MDK
; Distribution: Hoffman, Carol B., Lee, Susan R., Michael, Elizabeth K.,
Dornbush, Charles F., ARC, Guest O., Feinler, Elizabeth J. (Jake),
Handbook, Augmentation Research, Kelley, Kirk E., Meyer, N. Dean, Byrd,
Kay F., Prather, Ralph, White, James E. (Jim), Vallee, Jacques F., Kaye,
Diane S., Rech, Paul, Kudlick, Michael D., Ferguson, Ferg R., Lane,
Linda L., Auerbach, Marilyn F., Bass, Walt, Engelbart, Douglas C.,
Hardeman, Beauregard A., Hardy, Martin E., Hopper, J. D., Irby, Charles
H., Jernigan, Mil E., Lehtman, Harvey G., North, Jeanne B., Norton,
James C., Page, Cindy, Paxton, William H., Peters, Jeffrey C., Ratliff,
Jake, Van De Riet, Edwin K. (Ed), Van Nouhuys, Dirk H., Victor, Kenneth
E. (Ken), Wallace, Donald C. (Smokey), Watson, Richard W., Andrews, Don
I./sri-arc ; Sub-Collections: SRI-ARC; Clerk: MDK;
Origin: <KUDLICK>ERRATA.NLS;1, 17-JAN-73 9:27 MDK ;

DM-1 Meeting 10 January 73

DM-1 Meeting

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The following areas were discussed at the DM-1 testing team meeting on 10 January 1973. 1a

1. The DM-1 Report on the initial phase of testing has been completed and is ready for publication as a TM. Copies of this report will be made available to internal personnel. However, before any outside agencies receive copies the final review should be made by Dr. Crocetti. 1b

2. The DM-1 documentation should be published as TR's. This should be accomplished as soon as possible to alleviate the need for us to act as distributors for DM-1 documentation. 1c

3. The testing team will proceed testing the DM-1 system along two fronts: 1d

a. The functional testing of modules of DM-1 will continue on the installation file. The national is that this particular file has been loaded and can immediately be used to exercise DM-1 data commands. 1d1

In addition, processes will be written using this file as a vehicle to functionally test the Jole Command System. 1d2

b. Large files with indexed fields tend to require excessive loading and have become extremely difficult to work with. In addition, many of the current data files are flat in nature without any hierarchy. Therefore the DM-1 team has agreed to begin work with the Personnel and Contracts File designed for IDS. This file has the hierarchy necessary to exploit the design features of DM-1. In addition, scenarios have been developed against this file which can neatly be incorporated into the Job Library. 1d3

The basic problem with the approach selected by the test team is that the lack of large files may negate any results found. However, this may not necessarily be true since: 1e

1. Additional records can be added to the data base if required. 1e1
2. The testing team has worked with large files previously. 1e2

What really needs to be done is to parameterize figures on loading terms of these large fills (these figures should be available) in a graph form for inspection. 1f

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An advantage of this approach is that it takes advantage of the work done on the IDS data base design. It also will give the testing team a viable data base to work with. This should give answers to questions concerning the operationability of DM-1 with real problems. It should also give a comparison of DM-1 with IDS capabilities. 1f1

4. Bob Walden has agree to support the testing teams activities. However, concurrence from I&F must be established because of his heavy workload. 1g

5. The problem of one removable spindle on the GCOS system will hinder testing of DM-1. The lack of a backup system will affect reliability. The fact that all team members will be working with a smaller number of files will help in overburdering the GCOS System. 1h

6. Training courses for DM-1 begins the week of 29 January 1973. These courses will run two weeks. These courses should be limited to internal personnel initially. 1i

7. The problem of JOVIAL compilers on the GCOS system has caused serious concern over which JOVIAL should be used for future DM-1 work. The basic problem is: 1j

(a) Should DM-1 be recompiled under one of the new JOVIAL compiler? If so which one? 1j1

(b) How do we reconcile differences between compiled code under new compiler verses the object code generatted by the old compiler. 1j2

(c) Should we take advantage of features offered by new compiler such as Compool? 1j3

8. The Software Reliability Contract is not functioning as a relibility contract. Syracuse University is no longer working with Auerback to discover bugs in the DM-1 system. Serious consideration should be given as to the future of this contract now. Just what is Auerback expending time against this Contract doing. 1k

From Raymond Luizzi 1l

Copies To: 1m

RADC J. MacNamara R. Iuorno J. Cavano D. VanAlstine D. Calicchia M. Landes 1m1

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(J13845) 17-JAN-73 6:39; Title: Author(s): Rome Air Development Center (ISIM)/RADC; Distribution: Rome Air Development Center (ISIM), McNamara, John L., Iuorno, Rocco F., Cavano, Joel P./RADC JLM RFI JPC; Sub-Collections: RADC; Clerk: MDP; Origin: <PETELL>DM-1MEETING.NLS;1, 17-JAN-73 6:25 MDP ;

Thanks for the info. on tenex's net handling. To clarify one point, though:

I understand that having a fixed time parameter leads to a trade-off. Therefore, there should be a variable time parameter. Short intervals for highly interactive (e.g. echoing) transmissions and longer intervals for things like Print and Output Device commands. Don't know if Tenex allows such user-process control, tho.

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DHC 17-JAN-73 13:06 13846

(J13846) 17-JAN-73 13:06; Title: Author(s): Crocker, David H./DHC;
Distribution: Irby, Charles H./CHI; Sub-Collections: NIC; Clerk: DHC;

remember partial copies

Dave-- Okay I concede. But if you want to see the latest version of your file, you must remember to update it. One of the first lessons of NLS is that you can't see someone else's partial copy. All the changes you made were in your partial copy. ... The first sentence here should read: if you want 'me' to see...etc. Excelsior. --Nancy

NJN 17-JAN-73 7:13 13847

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(J13847) 17-JAN-73 7:13; Title: Author(s): Neigus, Nancy J./NJN;
Distribution: Crocker, David H./DHC; Sub-Collections: NIC; Clerk: NJN;

Imlac loader

Larry-- Is your bootstrap loader a 4 bit byte or an 8 bit byte loader. This is important for how we set up the file and how (and from where) it gets sent. If you load at 10 cps you can one day and come back the next before anything happens. --Nancy

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NJN 17-JAN-73 8:20 13848

Imlac Loader

(J13848) 17-JAN-73 8:20; Title: Author(s): Neigus, Nancy J./NJN;
Distribution: Masinter, Larry M./LMM; Sub-Collections: NIC; Clerk: NJN;

SIR, I ACKNOWLEDGE MY CONFUSION ABOUT APL, BUT MUST CREDIT SOURCE WITH ERROR. WILL CHECK WITH UCSD. HAVE FINALLY GOTTEN THROUGH FIRST DRAFT OF DOCUMENT ABOUT DISTRIBUTED OP SYSTEM. WILL PUT A COPY IN MAIL FOR BOTH YOU AND RON. ANY REACTION TO SURVEY SPECS? ANY IDEA IF AND WHEN WILL BE AVAILABLE? THANKS FOR HELP. TAKE CARE.
BOB.

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RDB2 17-JAN-73 6:55 13849

(J13849) 17-JAN-73 6:55; Author(s): Bressler, Robert D. (Bob)/RDB2;
Distribution: Pickens, John R./JRP; Sub-Collections: NIC; Clerk: RDB2;

At 3:00 PM?

Dick, could you please include the times in your seminar announcements. Also, please try to send the journal notification of seminars about a week in advance if possible. I'm sorry to miss Harvey's seminar, but I didn't know when it was until your journal item came out today at 14:00. Likewise, I would like to know as soon as possible when they are canceled. I am putting out extra energy to make this remote-living thing work, and could use all the help I can get. (I spent 6.5 hours of driving yesterday to get to and from the MPS meeting - which wasn't).
Thanks.

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DIA 17-JAN-73 14:42 13851

At 3:00 PM?

(J13851) 17-JAN-73 14:42; Title: Author(s): Andrews, Don I./DIA;
Distribution: Watson, Richard W./RWW; Sub-Collections: SRI-ARC; Clerk:
DIA;

EHF 17-JAN-73 14:30 13852

JOHN, ARE YOU GETTING YOUR HOURNAL MAIL

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EHF 17-JAN-73 14:30 13852

(J13852) 17-JAN-73 14:30; Author(s): Forman, Ernest H./EHF;
Distribution: Iseli, John/JI; Sub-Collections: NIC; Clerk: EHF;

Demonstration

This is a demonstration only.

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JBN 17-JAN-73 14:21 13853

Demonstration

(J13853) 17-JAN-73 14:21; Title: Author(s): North, Jeanne B./JBN;
Distribution: North, Jeanne B./jbn ; Sub-Collections: SRI-ARC; Clerk:
JBN;

JBP 17-JAN-73 16:30 13854

supossedly = supposedly

careful, any processes which assign supposedly unique numbers to any documents, events or whatever must be synchronized or mutually excluded from assigning the same "next available number" to two different requestors, in this case the easiest thing is for one person to do it.

JBP 17-JAN-73 16:30 13854

(J13854) 17-JAN-73 16:30; Author(s): Postel, Jonathan B./JBP;
Distribution: Neigus, Nancy J./NJN; Sub-Collections: NIC; Clerk: JBP;

JEW 17-JAN-73 13:56 13855

SMFS Directory Command

Blue Sky

SMFS Directory Command

Mark--

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Who said you could say CONTINUE after a Q[uit] from SMFS anyway?

1a

Q[uit] means 'Go away, software, I'm finished with you'.

1a1

CONTINUE is normally used (as you know) to resume a subsystem after a control-C. It passes control back to the subsystem at the point at which it was interrupted. So what your doing is resuming SMFS at the top of whatever subroutine happens by chance to follow the Quit cmd processor in the code (guaranteed, in general, to do a job on you). It would, of course, be trivial to insert a branch to the top of the pgm after the instruction in the quit subroutine which passes control back to the EXEC (which I think I'll do next time I have occasion to make another pass through that code).

1a2

How about (here I go, dreaming again) an SMFS directory command which allows a user to request the following:

1b

Return to me a list of those file name(s) known to SMFS (i.e., on any of its pack(s) and stored by any user(s)) which fit the pattern (exclam mark substitutes for vert bar in the BNF which follows):

1b1

<pattern> := <field> <pattern> <field>

1b1a

<field> := " <string> " [<string>]

1b1b

-- If enclosed in quotes, the meaning is 'match this string beginning with the next character in the filename'.

1b1b1

-- If enclosed in brackets, the meaning is 'you may have to skip over and ignore some arbitrary number of chars in the filename to find a match, but that's OK'.

1b1b2

<string> := <char> <string> <char>

1b1c

<char> := <SP> A B ... Y Z 0 1 ...8 9
* .

1b1d

-- '*' means 'wild' and matches any char in the filename

1b1d1

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-- '.' matches any number (possibly null) of TRAILING
blanks (on the end of the filename). 1b1d2

Hence, the pattern '"ABC"' denotes all files
whose first three chars are 'ABC', but the pattern
'"ABC".' denotes the single file whose name is
'ABC'. 1b1d2a

Then I could implement some neat stuff in TENEX SMFS with
the following sorts of patterns: 1b2

(1) To generate a list of files archived from SRI: 1b2a

pattern: "AC"[][] 1b2a1

The checks for floating blanks simply force the
filename to be of the form: 1b2a1a

<dir> SP <name> SP <ext> SP <version> 1b2a1a1

That's not a foolproof check, of course, to assure
me that it was TENEX SMFS who put the file there,
but it's pretty good. In practice, I'd probably
change my code to prefix all filenames with
'TENEX' or something. 1b2a1b

(2) To generate a list of files archived by WHITE at
SRI: 1b2b

pattern: "ACWHITE"[][] 1b2b1

(3) To generate a list of all NLS files archived by
users at SRI: 1b2c

pattern: "AC"[][]"NLS " 1b2c1

etc. 1b2d

Given that one already knew how to scan a VTOC, it would be
simple (didn't say trivial) to implement a SMFS directory
command supporting the patterns defined above. 1b3

One simply has the main cmd processor cycle through the
DSCBs, and for each one that's a SMFS file (data-set
name starts with 'SMFS'):
1b3a

-- recover the SMFS filename (SMFS currently never

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has occasion to do that, so no subroutine exists at
the moment), 1b3a1

-- link to a subroutine which applies the pattern
(pretty simple) and returns true if a match and false
otherwise and, 1b3a2

-- echo the filename back to the user whenever a
match is found 1b3a3

Yeah, it would run pretty slow, reading all those DSCBs,
but it sure would be worth it from the user's standpoint,
and wouldn't require too much code (I claim) to implement 1b4

That's my blue-sky-ing for today. 1b5

--Jim 2

JEW 17-JAN-73 13:56 13855

SMFS Directory Command

(J13855) 17-JAN-73 13:56; Title: Author(s): White, James E.
(Jim)/JEW; Distribution: Krilanovich, Mark C./mck ; Sub-Collections:
SRI-ARC; Clerk: JEW;
Origin: <WHITE>MCKREPLY.NLS;3, 17-JAN-73 13:53 JEW ;

DVN MFA 17-JAN-73 17:11 13856

Modular TMLS Class Outline and Responsibilities

for the TMLS class, February 7 & 8

Modular TNLS Class Outline and Responsibilities

Modular TNLS Course	1
Block I	1a
1. Introduction - MDK	1a1
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To NIC	1a1b
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TENEX, Log in, Log out, CR,	1a2a
NLS login, quit, †A, †Q, †W, CA, †X, †T, †C	1a2b
Sending the message	1a2c
3. Block I TENEX - MFA	1a3
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Altmode, space	1a3c
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Update	1a4b
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Substitute, Cdot	1a5c
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6. Block I address (intrastatement) - DVN	1a6
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Address by character count	1a6b
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<1st day has often ended here>	1b
Block II	1c
1. NLS File Structure - MDK	1c1
2. Full Editing Matrix - MFA	1c2
3. Viewspecs - MFA	1c3
including assimilate	1c3a
4. Full Journal Entry - DVN	1c4
ALL S and SS commands	1c4a
., ?, ?[LIT]	1c4b
5. Partial Copies - MDK	1c5
Idea	1c5a
Output	1c5b
6. Locator - DVN	1c6
7. Query - MFA	1c7
<2nd day has often ended here>	1d
8. Block II address - Strucrels - MFA	1d1

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9. Control Character Redefinition - DVN	1d2
10. Print directives - MFA	1d3
Block III	1e
1. Go to Sort, etc. - MFA	1e1
2. Content analyses - MFA	1e2

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(J13856) 17-JAN-73 17:11; Title: Author(s): Van Nouhuys, Dirk H.,
Auerbach, Marilyn F./DVN MFA ; Distribution: Watson, Richard W.,
Norton, James C., Kudlick, Michael D./rww jcn mdk ; Sub-Collections:
SRI-ARC; Clerk: MFA;

NP for a Printer Escape Mechanism

A problem has arisen today which has been seen before, namely someone sends a very large file or large number of copies of a file to the printer and then realizes he made a mistake, in the meantime the printer is tied up for 20-30 minutes. Can an escape mechanism be put in the system so the the operator can tell the printer process to stop printing the current file and move on to the next on in the queue?

RWW 17-JAN-73 10:05 13857

NP for a Printer Escape Mechanism

(J13857) 17-JAN-73 10:05; Title: Author(s): Watson, Richard W./RWW;
Distribution: Irby, Charles H., Kelley, Kirk E., Victor, Kenneth E.
(Ken), Wallace, Donald C. (Smokey), Norton, James C./np kev dcw jcn
; Sub-Collections: SRI-ARC NP; Clerk: RWW;

TRANSMITTAL TO: Duane Stone

;TRANSMITTAL TO: Duane Stone
 Rome Air Development Center (ISIM)
 Griffiss Air Force Base
 Rome New York 13440

FROM: Susan Lee (NIC)
 Station Agent

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At your request we are sending the following documents:

1a

NIC 6527	COMPUTER ANALYSIS AND THRUPUT EVALUATION.	1a1
NIC 6528	ESTIMATING THE TIMING OF WORKLOAD ON ADP SYSTEMS: AN EVALUATION OF METHODS USED.	1a2
NIC 6529	SYSTEM PERFORMANCE EVALUATION: SURVEY AND APPRAISAL.	1a3
NIC 6531	ALTERNATIVES IN EVALUATION OF COMPUTER SYSTEMS.	1a4
NIC 6532	EVALUATING COMPUTER SYSTEMS THROUGH SIMULATION.	1a5
NIC 6534	CHANGES IN COMPUTER PERFORMANCE.	1a6
NIC 6535	EVOLVING COMPUTER PERFORMANCE 1963-1967.	1a7
NIC 6545	FURTHER ANALYSIS OF A COMPUTING CENTER ENVIRONMENT.	1a8
NIC 6547	SCERT: A COMPUTER EVALUATION TOOL.	1a9
NIC 6549	PERFORMANCE EVALUATION OF COMPUTING SYSTEMS WITH MEMORY HIERARCHIES.	1a10
NIC 6578	PERFORMANCE EVALUATION OF THIRD-GENERATION COMPUTING SYSTEMS.	1a11
NIC 6597	PERFORMANCE MONITORING IN A TIME-SHARING SYSTEM.	1a12
NIC 6601	SOME CRITERIA FOR TIME-SHARING SYSTEM PERFORMANCE.	1a13
NIC 6634	TWO APPROACHES FOR MEASURING THE PERFORMANCE OF TIME-SHARING SYSTEMS.	1a14
NIC 8633	COMPUTER CHANGES AT AMES.	1a15
NIC 9287	A GUIDE TO COMPUTER SYSTEM MASUREMENT.	1a16

SRL 26-JAN-73 20:41 13873

TRANSMITTAL TO: Duane Stone

(J13873) 26-JAN-73 20:41; Title: Author(s): Lee, Susan R./SRL ;
Distribution: Agent, Station/SA ; Sub-Collections: NIC ; Clerk: KIRK
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Online Group Membership Lists and Indexes to Notes Memo

ARPA Network Information Center
 Stanford Research Institute
 Menlo Park, California 94025

NIC 13875
 23 January 1973

To: Members of All Groups 1
 From: Jeanne North 2
 Information and Agent Coordinator 3
 Subject: Online Group Membership Lists and Indexes to Notes 4

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JBN 25-JAN-73 19:57 13875

Online Group Membership Lists and Indexes to Notes Memo

(J13875) 25-JAN-73 19:57; Title: Author(s): North, Jeanne B./JBN ;
Distribution: Agent, Station/sa ; Sub-Collections: SRI-ARC; Clerk:
KIRK;
Origin: <NORTH>GRPMEMO.NLS;5, 25-JAN-73 19:55 KIRK ;

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 13880
 Jeanne North
 29-JAN-73

NIC

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Enclosed:

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- NIC 13010 *NWG/RFC #425, "But my NCP costs \$500 a day...";
 Bob Bressler (BBN)

3a
- NIC 13632 PR Temporary Note 5, COMPARISON OF HOP-BY-HOP
 AND END-TO-END ACKNOWLEDGMENT SCHEMES; Network
 Analysis Corp.

3b
- NIC 13645 PR Temporary Note 11, Routing in Packet Radio
 Systems Controlled Flooding using Handover
 Numbers; L. Kleinrock and F. Tobagi (UCLA)

3c
- NIC 13771 *NWG/RFC #439, PARRY Encounters the DOCTOR
 V. Cerf (SU-ERL)

3d
- NIC 13863 PR Temporary Note 17, THE ALOHA RADIO MODULATION
 SCHEME; David W. Wax (ALOHA)

3e
- NIC 13869 *"Computing Networks from Minis through Maxis --
 Are They for Real?"

3f
- NIC 13899 *NWG/RFC #443, Traffic Statistics (December
 1972)
 A. McKenzie (BBN)

3g
- NIC 14028 *NWG/RFC #445, IMP/TIP Preventive Maintenance
 Schedule
 A. McKenzie (BBN)

3h
- NIC 14063 *Memorandum from Jean Iseli

3i
- NIC 14068 *NWG/RFC #446, Proposal to consider a Network

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Program Resource Notebook
L. Peter Deutsch (PARC-MAXC)

3J

*sent to Liaisons

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(J13880) 6-FEB-73 16:14; Title: Author(s): North, Jeanne B./JEN;
Distribution: Agent, Station/SA; Sub-Collections: SRI-ARC; Clerk: LLL;
Origin: <LANE>NIC13880.NLS;4, 6-FEB-73 16:10 LLL ;

TRANSMITTAL TO: D.L.A. Barber

To: D.L.A. Barber
Computer Science Division
National Physical Laboratory
Teddington, Middlesex, England

From: Jeanne North
Information and Station Agent Coordinator

Subject: NPL Reports Sent to NIC

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Thankyou for the NPL reports.

1a

We would like to announce these reports as available, and supply copies on request. In addition, V. Cerf suggests we distribute the following to all INWG members.

1b

- TM 56
- TM 57
- TM 58
- Comp Sci 58
- Tm 59

1b1

Ok to do these things?

1c

JBN 22-FEB-73 19:31 13881

TRANSMITTAL TO: D.L.A. Barber

(J13881) 22-FEB-73 19:31; Title: Author(s): North, Jeanne B. /JBN ;
Distribution: /SA JBN ; Sub-Collections: NIC ; Clerk: KIRK ;

Letter to Holders of Resource Notebook

ARPA Network Information
Stanford Research Institute
Menlo Park, California 94025

NIC 13882
31-JAN-72

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TO: Holders of Resource Notebooks

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FROM: Jake Feinler

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SUBJECT: Resource Notebook Updates

4

Recently the NIC Resource Notebook has been undergoing a complete revision of format and content. This revision is designed to provide easier access to online information and to provide added information which was not included in the earlier versions of the Resource Notebook. The content revision should give users a better picture of each site and a better understanding of how to use the facilities available on the ARPAnet. The format revision will allow a wider range of questions to be answered online and will provide easier access to online files as well as to offline hardcopy.

5

The revision will continue during the next several months. In the interim the material you have sent us will be sent out to sites and requestors in DRAFT form. At the same time, we will be asking site personnel to approve the content of the material included in the DRAFT copy, and to provide us with missing information.

6

We hope you will continue to bear with us until we can gather and massage the large amount of data that is needed to produce a useable document. When all the information is gathered, approved, and edited, we will send out a new version of the Resource Notebook to all of you.

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Letter to Holders of Resource Notebook

(J13882) 31-JAN-73 10:19; Title: Author(s): Feinler, Elizabeth J.
(Jake)/JAKE; Distribution: Agent, Station/SA; Sub-Collections: SRI-ARC;
Clerk: LLL;
Origin: <LANE>NIC-13882.NLS;6, 31-JAN-73 10:16 LLL ;

TRANSMITTAL TO: Dave Walden

TRANSMITTAL TO: Dave Walden
Bolt Beranek and Newman Inc.
50 Moulton Street
Cambridge, Massachusetts 02138

FROM: Susan Lee (NIC)
Station Agent

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At your request we are sending the following document:

1a

NIC 10703 DNLS PRELIMINARY REFERENCE GUIDE

1a1

SRL 8-FEB-73 21:59 13883

TRANSMITTAL TO: Dave Walden

(J13883) 8-FEB-73 21:59; Title: Author(s): Lee, Susan R./SRL ;
Distribution: Agent, Station/SA ; Sub-Collections: NIC ; Clerk: KIRK
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TRANSMITTAL TO: Dan Kearns

TRANSMITTAL TO: Dan Kearns
Division of Computer Center
Oregon Research Institute
Box 3196
Eugene, Oregon 97403.GCR=1

FROM: Susan Lee (NIC)
Station Agent

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At your request we are sending the following documents:

1a

- NIC 5145 NIC Catalog
- NIC 10916 TIP User's Guide
- NIC 10508 Network Logical Map
- NIC 13490 The Terminal IMP for the ARPA Computer Network

1a1

The Resource Notebook, NIC 6740, is in the process of being updated, and a copy will be sent to you when updated versions are available.

1b

SRL 8-FEB-73 22:23 13884

TRANSMITTAL TO: Dan Kearns

(J13884) 8-FEB-73 22:23; Title: Author(s): Lee, Susan R./SRL ;
Distribution: Agent, Station/SA ; Sub-Collections: NIC ; Clerk: KIRK
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SRL 8-FEB-73 23:03 13885

TRANSMITTAL TO: Jake Garrison

TRANSMITTAL TO: Jake Garrison (CMD)
Defense Mapping Agency
Bldg. 56
U.S. Naval Observatory
Washington, D.C. 20305

FROM: Susan Lee (NIC)
Station Agent

documents, one with dividers and notebook and three without:

1a

NIC 7104 Current Network Protocols

1a1

SRL 8-FEB-73 23:03 13885

TRANSMITTAL TO: Jake Garrison

(J13885) 8-FEB-73 23:03; Title: Author(s): Lee, Susan R./SRL ;
Distribution: Agent, Station/SA ; Sub-Collections: NIC ; Clerk: KIRK
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TRANSMITTAL TO: Odd Meland

TRANSMITTAL TO: Odd Meland
SINTEF Computing Centre
N.7034 Trondheim - NTH
NORWAY

FROM: Susan Lee (NIC)
Station Agent

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At your request we are sending the following documents:

1a

- NIC 7958 INTERFACE MESSAGE PROCESSOR
- NIC 9348 TELNET Protocol
- NIC 8246 HOST/HOST Protocol
- NIC 7101 Official Connection Protocol (ICP)
- NIC 11626 IMPROVEMENTS IN THE DESIGN AND PERFORMANCE OF THE
ARPA NETWORK

1a1

In order to get the information you requested about the "ANTS"
program, please contact

1b

Gary Grossman
University of Illinois
Advanced Computation Building
Urbana, Illinois 61801

His phone is (217) 333-8150.

1b1

SRL 8-FEB-73 22:57 13886

TRANSMITTAL TO: Odd Meland

(J13886) 8-FEB-73 22:57; Title: Author(s): Lee, Susan R./SRL ;
Distribution: Agent, Station/sa ; Sub-Collections: NIC ; Clerk: KIRK
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13889
Jeanne North
1-FEB-73

NIC

Enclosed:

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NIC 13011	*NWG/RFC #426, Reconnection Protocol; Bob Thomas (BBN)	3a
NIC 13772	*NWG/RFC #440, Scheduled Network Software Maintenance; David C. Walden (BBN)	3b
NIC 13774	*NWG/RFC #442, The Current Flow-Control Scheme for IMPSYS; V. Cerf (SU-ERL)	3c
NIC 13866	*Meeting Calendar for February 1973 (NICSTA)	3d
NIC 13875	*Memorandum to Holder of Resource Notebooks; Jake Feinler (SRI-ARC)	3e
NIC 14104	*NWG/RFC #447, IMP/TIP Memory Retrofit Schedule; Alex A. McKezie (BBN)	3f
*sent to Liaisons		4

(J13889) 2-FEB-73 19:44; Title: Author(s): North, Jeanne B./JBN ;
Distribution: Agent, Station/sa ; Sub-Collections: SRI-ARC; Clerk:
KIRK;
Origin: <KELLEY>STA.NLS;1, 2-FEB-73 19:39 KIRK ;

TRANSMITTAL TO: Fouad Tobagi

TRANSMITTAL TO: Mr. Fouad Tobagi
37711D Boelter Hall
UCLA
School of Engineering and Applied Science
Los Angeles, California 90024

FROM: Susan Lee (NIC)
Station Agent

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At the request of Robert E. Kahn, your name has been placed on the Packet Radio distribution list.

1a

Enclosed are PRT Notes 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 9, 10, 11, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, and 19. The others in the series have not yet been issued, but you will receive these in regular distribution.

1b

SRL 8-FEB-73 23:10 13891

TRANSMITTAL TO: Fouad Tobagi

(J13891) 8-FEB-73 23:10; Title: Author(s): Lee, Susan R./SRL ;
Distribution: Agent, Station/SA ; Sub-Collections: NIC ; Clerk: KIRK
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TRANSMITTAL TO: Larry Hofman

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Flight Project Development N24414
Ames Research Center
Moffett Field, CA 94035

FROM: Susan Lee (NIC)
Station Agent

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At your request we are sending the following document:

1a

NIC 13630 Packet Radio -- Systems Considerations

1a1

SRL 8-FEB-73 23:09 13892

TRANSMITTAL TO: Larry Hofman

(J13892) 8-FEB-73 23:09; Title: Author(s): Lee, Susan R./SRL ;
Distribution: Agent, Station/SA ; Sub-Collections: NIC ; Clerk: KIRK
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TRANSMITTAL TO: Margaret M. Iwamoto

TRANSMITTAL TO: Margaret M. Iwamoto
Station Agent
The ALOHA SYSTEM
University of Hawaii
2540 Dole Street
Honolulu, Hawaii 96822

FROM: Susan Lee (NIC)
Station Agent

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At your request we are sending the following document:

1a

NIC 8345 gripes and bugs

1a1

Both of the documents you requested are journal messages, which you may not have realized. I was unable to find a copy of 8042, but if you want me to check, it should be archived on tape.

1b

SRL 8-FEB-73 23:05 13893

TRANSMITTAL TO: Margaret M. Iwamoto

(J13893) 8-FEB-73 23:05; Title: Author(s): Lee, Susan R./SRL ;
Distribution: Agent, Station/SA ; Sub-Collections: NIC ; Clerk: KIRK
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TRANSMITTAL TO: Dave Walden

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Bolt Beranek and Newman Inc.
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FROM: Susan Lee (NIC)
Station Agent

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1a

NIC 10814 TNLS BEGINNERS GUIDE

1a1

The TNLS User Guide, NIC 7580 is currently being updated and I'll
send you a copy in about a week.

1b

SRL 8-FEB-73 23:04 13894

TRANSMITTAL TO: Dave Walden

(J13894) 8-FEB-73 23:04; Title: Author(s): Lee, Susan R./SRL ;
Distribution: Agent, Station/SA ; Sub-Collections: NIC ; Clerk: KIRK
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TRANSMITTAL TO: Tom Ellis

To: Tom Ellis
Information Sciences Institute
University of Southern California
4675 Admiralty Way
Marina Del Ray, California 90291

From: Susan Lee (NIC)
Station Agent

Subject: Request #044 for BBN documents

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We currently do not keep a supply of these documents for people to purchase. Bolt Beranek and Newman Inc. also keeps a record of their document distribution so that updates can be sent to all holders of their documents.

1a

Nancy Neigus, Bolt Beranek and Newman Inc., 50 Moulton St. Cambridge Mass. 02138, should be able to fill this request.

1b

Thank you for contacting us. Sorry we couldn't have been of more assistance.

1c

SRL 8-FEB-73 23:10 13895

TRANSMITTAL TO: Tom Ellis

(J13895) 8-FEB-73 23:10; Title: Author(s): Lee, Susan R./SRL ;
Distribution: Agent, Station/SA ; Sub-Collections: NIC ; Clerk: KIRK
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Online Group Membership Lists and Indexes to Notes SUPERCEDES NIC
13875

ARPA Network Information Center
Stanford Research Institute
Menlo Park, California 94025

NIC 13846
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(J13896) 2-FEB-73 18:24; Title: Author(s): North, Jeanne B./JBN ;
Distribution: Agent, Station/sa ; Sub-Collections: SRI-ARC; Clerk:
KIRK;
Origin: <KELLEY>SUP.NLS;1, 2-FEB-73 18:20 KIRK ;