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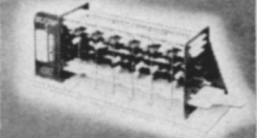
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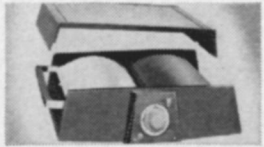
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**DEEP BAY TESTING BORINGS.** 16mm, color, sound, 29 min. A step-by-step history of underwater test borings to depths over 900 feet in 22 locations to determine the feasibility of an aqueduct tunnel in solid rock under New York harbor. Geological aspects and the operations and movements of three drilling platforms highlight drilling methods. Audience: engineering, universities, contractors, government. Free loan information from Film Library, Raymond International Inc., Two Pennsylvania Plaza, New York, N.Y. 10001.

**GROOVING FOR SAFETY.** 16mm, color, sound, 12 min. Skid accidents reportedly kill about 10,000 people every year, and injure another 300,000. The majority of these crashes happen in wet weather when visibility is limited and longer stopping distances are needed. The most perilous skid of all is caused by tire hydroplaning, a phenomenon first identified by studies which showed that as the moving tire contacts and displaces water on a road, hydrodynamic pressures build up a wedge of fluid at the point of contact between tire and pavement. As the vehicle speed increases, the wedge becomes sufficient to keep the tires from contacting the road. Film illustrates a new technique currently being employed to prevent tire hydroplaning, by putting narrow grooves in highways to provide an escape route for the water and improving tire traction. Audience: high school, university, general. Free loan from Ayer Public Relations, 1271 Avenue of the Americas, New York, N. Y. 10020.

**NEVER ALONE—M-1469-X.** 16mm, b&w, sound, 18 min. Portrays some of the ways in which chaplains in institutions for the mentally retarded work with other disciplines to meet the needs of the patients. Shows the chaplain at Parsons State Hospital and Training Center, the work which he does, the varied skills of the staff with which he works, and the interdisciplinary teamwork necessary for treatment, training and research. Audience: hospital staffs, professional organizations interested in mental retardation, church groups, schools, colleges, adult groups. Free loan National Medical Audio Visual Center (Annex), Chamblee, Ga. 30005, Attention: Film 3 Distribution.

**NOW IS THE TIME.** 16mm, b&w, sound, 36 min. A warning that there is no longer time for white establishment evocation, no more time for calls for patience, no more legal landlord loopholes. The black American is ready to move, militantly if he must, to first-class citizenship. Film reflects the dangerous mood of many Americans. Audience: high school, adults. Purchase \$200 from Carousel Films, 1501 Broadway, New York, N.Y. 10036.

**ONCE UPON A TIME THERE WAS A DOT.** 16mm, color, sound, 8 min. An animated film which traces the evolution of mechanical technology in which a dot becomes a circle, a wheel, and finally evolves into relatively complex machinery such as an airplane. Audience: school, college, adult. Purchase \$135 or rental \$12.50 from McGraw-Hill Films, Dept. DF, 330 W. 42nd St., New York, N.Y. 10036.

**SNAILS: BACKYARD SCIENCE.** 16mm, color or b&w, sound, 11 min. By looking closely at a common backyard snail, we discover for ourselves many interesting things about it. It moves slowly and will not harm us. It lives in damp and shady places. The snail has two pairs of stalks on its head with eyes at the ends of the longer pair. It has a shell that protects its soft, moist body from drying out. Audience: elementary. Purchase color \$120 or b&w \$60 from Film Associates, 11559 Santa Monica Blvd., Los Angeles, Calif. 90025.

**VD—NAME YOUR CONTACTS.** 16mm, color or b&w, sound, 22 min. Over 1,200 new cases of VD occur each day in the United States. Although a majority of victims are in the 20-24 age bracket, an alarming increase is occurring in the teen-age group. Presented are seven cases of people with venereal disease being convinced by public health authorities of the necessity to name in confidence their contacts. Only in this way, the victims learn, can they help to stop the spread of infection and give those infected a sure chance for a cure before irreparable damage takes place. Film soft pedals fear and moralizing. Audience: high school, college. Purchase color \$260 or b&w \$130 from Coronet Films, 65 East S. Water St., Chicago, Ill. 60601.

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