

MOUNTS ON GARAGE ROOF

Wind Sock Keeps Tab Of Wind Velocity, Direction

Mount an attractive wind sock on the roof of your garage or other building and you can tell at a glance which way the wind's blowing and its velocity.

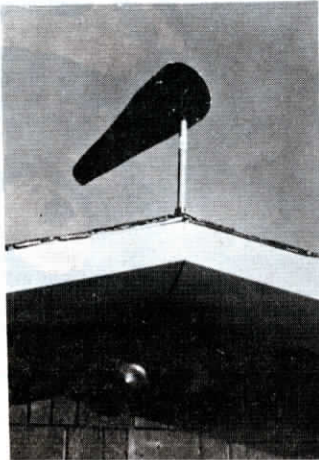
An extended frame allows the nylon sock to extend and turn in the slightest breeze. Mounts on any roof or pole in minutes.

The sock itself (9 in. in dia. and 26 in. long) is made of bright orange nylon, treated to resist ultra violet rays of the sun. It attaches to a 9 in. dia. hoop with nylon ties.

"Makes a great gift for Christmas, birthdays, father's day or whatever," the manufacturer points out.

Sells for \$27.90, plus \$2.50 shipping. Kit includes bracket and 16 in. long stub mast for mounting on any roof, free-swivel extended frame, and the wind sock itself.

For more information, contact: FARM SHOW Followup, Behrens Construction, Rt. 6, Box 227, Minot, N. Dak. 58701 (ph 701 839-5643).



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"PUNISHES DOG" WITH HIGH FREQUENCY SOUND

Electronic Dog Collar Stops "Nuisance" Barking

A pair of veterinarians at Texas A & M University have developed an electronic dog collar that combines high technology with "Pavlovian" conditioning to keep barking dogs from creating a nuisance.

The device was developed by veterinarians Jon Hunter and Bonnie Beaver. A microphone on the inner side of the collar "hears" the dog barking and triggers an intense burst of high-frequency sound after the barking stops. Dogs can hear the high-frequency sound but humans can't.

The deterrent noise mimics the sound of a bullwhip cracking or the snap of a nearby lightning strike, says Ben Brown of Humane Technology, manufacturer of the unit. "The only sound a person hears is a 'click' confirming that the collar is functioning.

The high-frequency sound is enough of an irritation to the dog that it stops nuisance barking. But it's not enough of an irritation to keep the dog from barking at intruders."

It seems to work. One dog that barked virtually 24 hours a day (even while eating or drinking water) stopped barking "within a matter of hours" after it started wearing the collar, says Brown, who adds that at least a million dogs end up in pounds and animal shelters across the country each year because they have barking behavior problems.

Sells for \$64.95.

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New Products Especially For Women And The Farm, Ranch Home.



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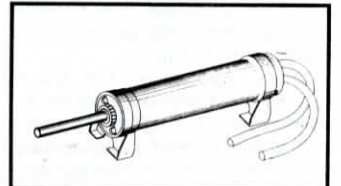
NORMAL HOUSEHOLD WATER PRESSURE TIGHTLY PACKS MEAT

Water-Powered Sausage Stuffer

"I used to be in the meat-packing business and we'd hear from people all the time who wanted an easy-to-use sausage stuffer. I started to work on this unit over 8 years ago and finally perfected and patented the idea this past year," says Chuck Wills, inventor-manufacturer of a new water-powered sausage stuffer that uses normal water pressure to compact sausage meat for stuffing into casings.

The 20-in. long cylinder handles 8 to 10 lbs. of meat at a time. It has an inlet hose that simply connects to a garden hose, and a drain hose. When you open the valve on the unit, water compresses the piston at center, compacting the meat. Once packed, you simply release the valve.

Operates on 20 to 100 psi. Sells for \$99



and includes spices for 25 lbs. of pork and summer sausage as well as sausage casings and how-to directions. Wills plans to introduce a "slim jim" size stuffer for making snack meats soon.

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