

## NO MIST NETS IN MARCH OR APRIL

I expect to be away from late March to late April, 1972. Unfortunately NEBBA has never found a way to have someone handle net sales during my absence, particularly in view of the great bulk of the stock of nets on hand.

Therefore we regret that NEBBA will be unable to ship any nets (or to enter into any correspondence about them) from about March 20, 1972 until about the end of April.

This is normally a very active time for net sales, for spring use. It is particularly important this year to anticipate your needs well in advance, and we will make every effort to ship all orders received prior to March 20th. Our success will depend partly on how much orders are concentrated just before this date. Also, as this issue goes to press we are still feeling some effects of the dock strikes, and it appears possible that the strikes will be resumed.

Note also that the nets we are currently ordering in Japan reflect the recent devaluation of the U.S. dollar compared to the yen. We will have to charge substantially more for these nets compared with current prices. If you know your 1972 needs for nets in advance, it will be economical for you to order early in the year rather than later.

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