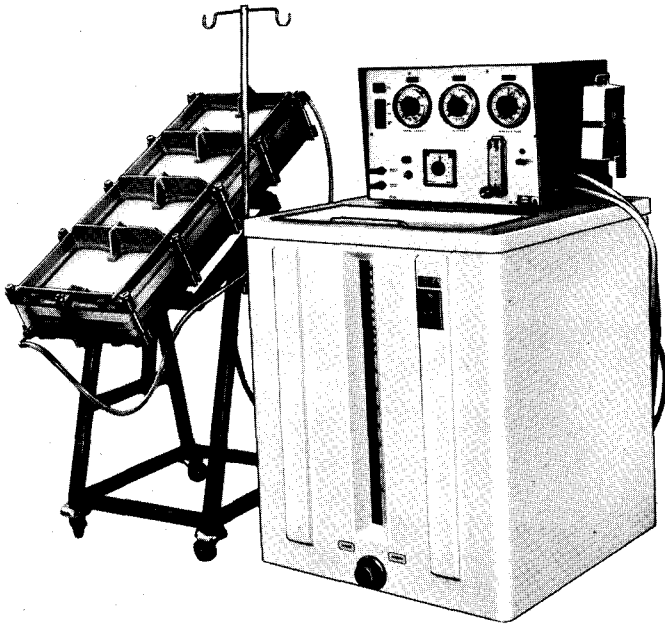
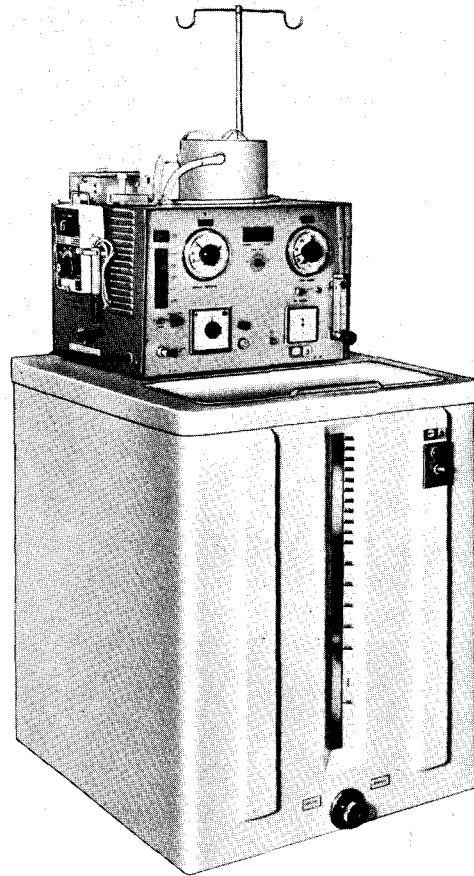


NEW PRODUCT NEWS



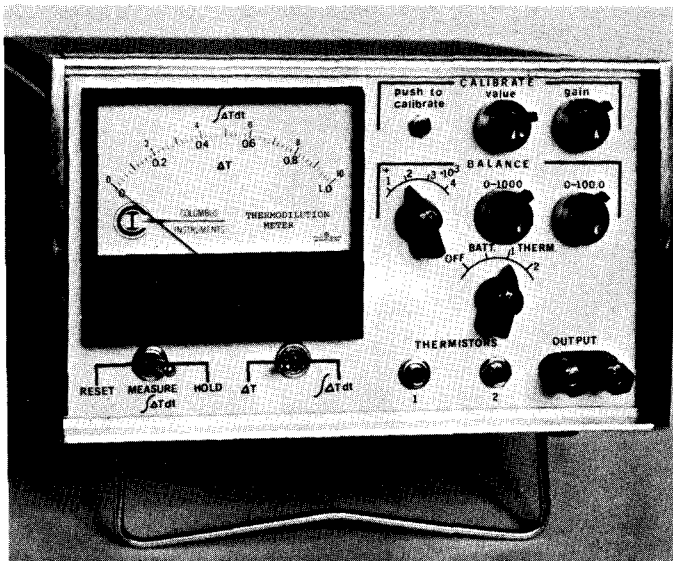
Dasco of Mirandola, Italy, a division of Sandoz, announces the development of a SINGLE-PATIENT BEDSIDE SYSTEM with semi-automatic delivery unit. The DAS 217/C is built to be used with the DAS 205/AK monitor for Kolff dialyzers or the DAS 205/A monitor for Kiil dialyzers. For an



interesting look at the Italian concept of dialysis equipment, circle number 50 on the Reader Service Card. And please be patient. It may take a few months for the delivery of information to you from Mirandola.

In April, the Chilton Company's publication, *MEDICAL ELECTRONIC NEWS*, will present its newly revised *Dictionary/Buyer's Guide, 1972*. The publication lists all known commercially available medical instruments, defines their functions briefly, names the manufacturers who supply them as well as listing the firm's address, phone number, and a summary of its product lines. If you do not receive *MEDICAL ELECTRONIC NEWS*, you will not automatically receive the *Guide*. But Chilton has promised to send copies to everyone who circles number 52 on the Reader Service Card.

Jack Brown, of Bentley Laboratories showed this writer a new product soon to undergo clinical trials. It is a DISPOSABLE, ATRAUMATIC CARDIOTOMY SUCTION TIP that features smooth, straight-through flow without the sudden changes in internal diameter that rupture cells. The external design of the tip is expected to reduce "jamming" caused by the sucking in of tissue. If you will circle number 53 on the Reader Service Card, Jack will send you the information on this item as soon as it is available.

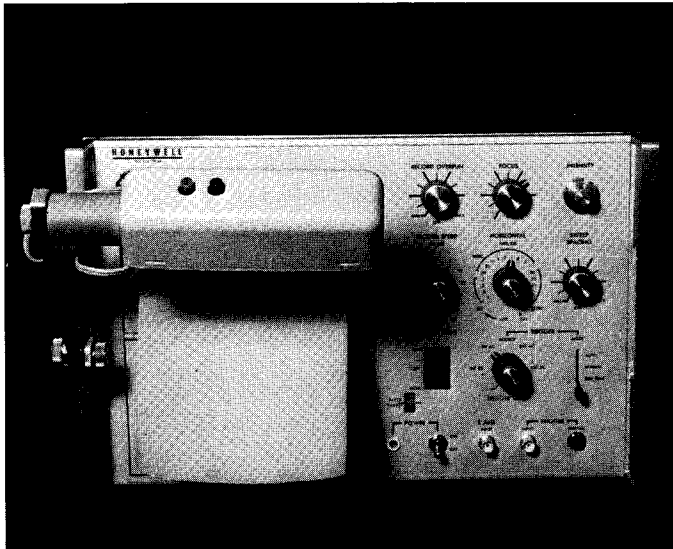


Dr. Jan Czekajewski, President of Columbus Instruments, announces the development of their THERMODILUTION CARDIAC OUTPUT METER. This instrument combines the thermistor bridge with an electronic integrator, utilizes Edwards or Yellow Springs thermistor catheters, and is battery-operated to reduce the electrical hazard. Dr. Czekajewski will provide you with a complete dossier—just circle number 51 on the Reader Service Card.

A recent letter from MAURICE ROBERTSON in Australia mentions his acquisition of a Pemco model 6501P accelerated-roller-type pulsatile pump. He bemoans the fact that he has no one in Australia with whom he can "compare notes". If you should like to correspond with Maurice about this unit or about pulsatile pumping in general, he can be reached at Saint Vincent's Hospital, Darlinghurst, N.S.W. 2010, Australia. Or, if you prefer, you may contact him through the Journal office—just mark the letter to the attention of the Editor at the usual Journal address.

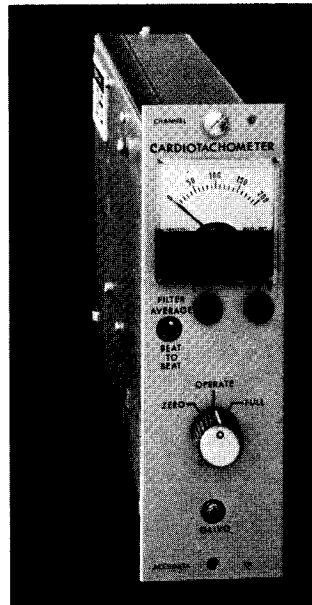
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Dr. Duane Sutfin and his colleagues, Robert Hawn and Lloyd Moyer, of HONEYWELL INC., have announced the availability of several new instruments for diagnosis of intensive monitoring since our last issue.



Model 1508B Visicorder direct writing oscillograph is available in 12 or 24 channel models. Circle number 54 on the Reader Service Card.

Accudatas 131 and 139 cardiometers convert the

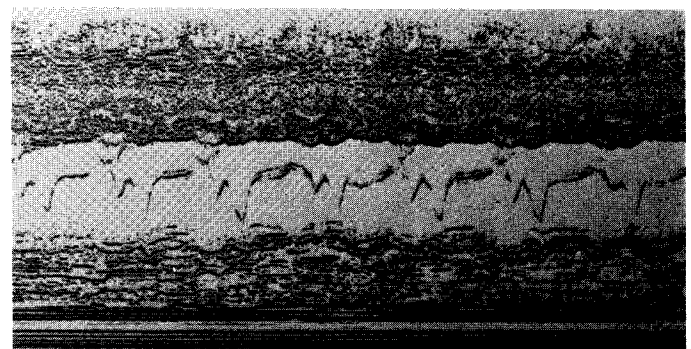


"R" wave interval into a voltage proportional to heart rate. Circle number 55 on the Reader Service Card.

Accudata 137 measures respiration rate and waveform for recording or display purposes. Circle number 56 on the Reader Service Card.



Honeywell Model 1856 Line Scan Visicorder records the outputs of echocardiographic equipment and is compatible with all existing diagnostic ultrasonic systems. Circle number 57 on the Reader Service Card.



The action of the Mitral Valve is displayed on this echocardiogram recorded by Honeywell's hard-copy line scan recorder.