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User prompt....................ATTD#12 <cr>
   Delay value..................20 Sec.
   Positive response.............CONN
User prompt.......................<cr>
   Delay value...................4 Sec.
   Positive response..............#
User prompt.....................C <cr>
   Delay value...................4 Sec.
   Positive response.............CENT
User prompt.....................CPS <cr>
   Delay value...................3 Sec.
   Positive response.............HOST
User prompt.....................#13 <cr>
   Delay value...................4 Sec.
   Positive response.............CONN
   Global Delay..................4 Sec.
   Null command....................
   Null command....................
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Canadian users who formerly used Data Pac will receive no change in data access rates with the above procedure. However, other foreign users in Europe, Australia, New Zealand, South Africa, etc., who are now paying a separate charge to your local PTT, may access CSI directly with Compunet at slightly increased rates. Such users will pay the "800 number rural rates", but you will avoid the expensive PTT charges.

If you are a foreign user you may want to reread the previous paragraph. The new simplicity of the sign on procedure offered to you through Compunet should greatly simplify access to CSI and save you the sometimes exorbitant charges of your local PTT.

The above domestic and international dialog files introduce certain delay values that are necessitated to make the procedure work for all accessing points. The delay values may, in many cases be shortened. If you wish to save time in getting connected, you may experiment by shortening the delay values.

Thank you for giving us the opportunity to save you some time and for helping us to reduce costs. We know you will be happy with this new and faster procedure.

NEW QUICKTRIEVE RELEASE

The existing version of QUICKTRIEVE now has an automated procedure to address Compunet. Unless you have not ordered a new copy of QUICKTRIEVE in the last few months,

this single addition may not be worth the new disk fee. We continue to add new capability to QUICKTRIEVE, however, so perhaps a short wait will produce enough additional benefit to justify the $20 fee.

QUICKMONEY UPDATE

We haven't said much lately about QUICK-MONEY, because the project has been proceeding a bit more slowly than I had personally hoped it would. Although I still do not have a definite target date, I can report that the procedure we are busy programming is as firm as it could be at this stage of development and that we are reviewing output and graphic displays that stimulate our confidence in the effort.

The technique we employed is novel and original, and since no one has attempted such a pioneer effort, we cannot learn from the mistakes of others.

QUICKMONEY combines several ideas into one system of programs. The user may employ a Random Gradient Optimization algorithm that manages the various operational modes of QUICKMONEY and retains the best solution found by individual commodity or inter-market commodity pair.

The intermarket straddling capability of QUICKMONEY will, more than likely, be the feature in greatest demand, but other operational modes will also be significant and may contribute to an improved insight into market direction. We look forward to providing this elaborate tool to our users in the near future.

MARTINGALE TRADING METHOD

Faced with the holiday season and the management of many projects, we have neglected preparing informative articles in the past couple of months that may be of general interest. Next month we plan to resume with an article about Martingale, the gentle progression that gamblers sometimes turn to when playing gambling games.

We will attempt to show you what your winning odds would be if you use this method when speculating in the markets.