HX-20 TROUBLESHOOTING TIPS

SYMPTOM	POSSIBLE SOLUTION/REASON
System displays garbage on the main menu, or a "trap" error is displayed.	Initialize the unit by pressing CTRL key and the "@" key, from the main menu. A DATE/TIME prompt should appear. The date and time has to be entered as shown (no "/" or ":" characters)
8148 printer RS-232 interface card, installed in an Epson printer prints "*" characters (framing errors).	The HX-20 RS-232 port signal rise time is slow. The 8148 tries to receive data too soon. Recommend using another I/F card, such as the 8145.
Skiwriter word processing ROM can not be used with the external display controller.	Skiwriter was not designed to operate with the display controller.