

CABLE SPLICING - GENERAL C & D SPLICE COVERS

1. GENERAL

1.001 This addendum provides an alternate method for placing "C" and "D" splice covers.

1.002 The following headings and paragraphs will not replace or cancel those in the main section, but will be followed only when the alternate method is being employed.

1.003 Make use of the main section where it applies.

2. MATERIALS

2.01.1 The following materials will be needed:

Cord, Rubber, Pure Gum, 1/8"

Cover, Splice, C or D

Tape, Friction, 3/4"

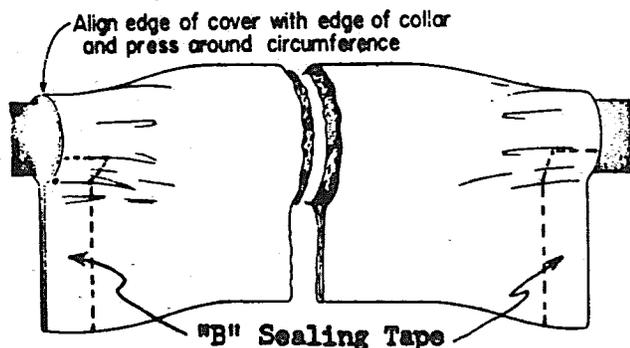
Tape, Sealing, B, 2"

4. APPLICATION OF "C" SPLICE COVER

4.05.1 Place two wraps of 2" "B" sealing tape around each cable instead of DR tape.

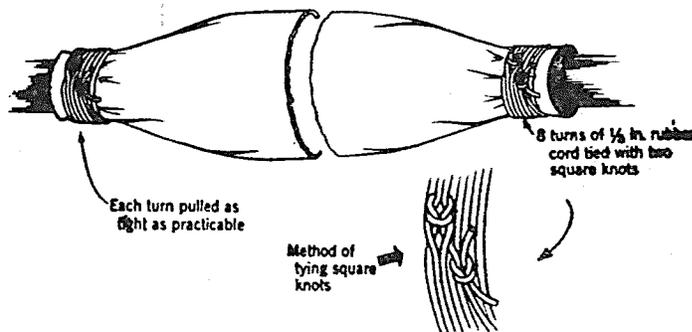
4.06.1 Remove the valve cap and core. Slide splice cover into place.

4.07.1 Press the cover around the sealing tape collar, avoiding wrinkles. Then place a strip of 2" "B" sealing tape between the edges of the excess part of the cover, overlapping the collar about 1/2".



4.08.1 Wrap excess portion of cover around collar. If desired, it may be held in place with friction tape which will be removed when rubber tie is completed.

4.10.1 Use the rubber cord method for sealing the ends. Length of the unstretched cord should be about five times the circumference of the collar. Wrap the rubber cord in the same direction as the excess portion of the splice cover.



Cover the tie with two half lapped layers of 3/4" friction tape.

6. PRESSURE TESTING SPLICE COVERS

6.01.1 Replace the valve core and admit gas not exceeding one-half pound per square inch. Then test with the appropriate pressure testing solution. A leak at the end seals can usually be stopped by placing another rubber cord tie.

8. REUSE OF SPLICE COVERS

8.04.1 In reusing the cover, add one layer of "B" sealing tape to the collar and place a new strip in the seam. Then follow instructions for placing a new cover.