

At 1110, 7 March, 1968, John L. Burdick, 18236, UnLicJrEngr was working on the #1 Emergency Diesel Fire pump engine. A Canadian 3rd Asst Enginner ~~xxxxx~~ connecting the battery cable to the terminal and in doing so there was an arc causing an explosion of an accumulation of Hydrogen gas that blew a hole in the top of the battery. I ~~spr~~ was sprayed in the face with electrolyte from the battery. Some of the electrolyte went into my right eye. I washed my face & eye with fresh water and then reported to the Medical Clinic in Building 310 for treatment.