JDW- Sorry about the poorer than usual earbons if any interests you. I think now that it is not the carbon paper. Rather the new platen, which is soft and thus does not make good surface for carbons. I've just realized that the poor copies coincide with the completion of the overhaul of the Hermes. We've had five days of rain after a dry period. Kept me in. his reminded mr of your garage or carport project. Hope you have it it safely completed. Best, HM 10/3/76