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FROM SPACE DISTURBANCE FORECAST CENTER ESSA BOULDER COLO

SDF NUMBER 591A ISSUED 0400Z 09 APR 1970

M FLARES ARE HIGHLY PROBABLE IN THE NEXT 13 HOURS.

A. THE FOLLOWING TWO M EVENTS WERE OBSERVED DURING THE PAST 24-HOUR PERIOD CLN AN IMPORTANCE SN, START TIME 09/1306UT, POSITION N17E19 AND AN IMPORTANCE IN BEGINNING ABOUT 09/1551Z NEAR N17E55. NO SIGNIFICANT RADIO NOR OPTICAL FEATURES WERE NOTED WITH THESE SMALL ERUPTIONS. FOR ITS SIZE THE E/100 REGION CENTERED ABOUT N17E50 HAS BEEN PRODUCING RELATIVELY LARGE X-RAY AND RADIO BURSTS IN ASSOCIATION WITH ITS FLARES. AT MESSAGE TIME ITS PLAGE IS THE BRIGHTEST ON THE DISK. FURTHERMORE ACTIVITY RECORDED DURING THE FIRST 4 HOURS OF TODAY HAS BEEN ALMOST WITHOUT EXCEPTION LOCATED THERE. THE LARGEST DISK FEATURE, AND ONE OF THE MORE INACTIVE, HAS ITS CENTER OF MASS NEAR S12E02. MT. WILSON MAGNETIC FIELD MEASUREMENTS, THE PROSPECT HILL 8.6MM MAP, AND STANFORD'S 9.1CM RADIO HELIOGRAMS ALL INDICATE A SLIGHT DECLINE FOR THIS IMPRESSIVE WHITE LIGHT STRUCTURE. THERE DOES NOT EXIST AS YET EVIDENCE OF MAJOR RIFTING WITHIN EITHER THE LARGE LEADER OR FOLLOWER PENUMBRAE.

B. THE TWO RAPIDLY EVOLVING REGIONS NEAR N17E50 AND N09W37 ARE CONSIDERED THE MOST LIKELY CANDIDATES FOR M-FLARE ACTIVITY IN THE NEXT 48 HOURS.

C. FLARE AND PROTON EVENT PROBABILITIES FOR THE NEXT THREE 24 HOUR PERIODS BEGINNING 09 APR/0400Z ENDING 12 APR/0400Z.

CLASS M OR GREATER 30/80/80

CLASS X 20/20/20

PROTON EVENTS 10/15/25

D. OTTAWA 10.7CM FLUXES FOR 08/1700 AND 2000Z WERE 210 AND 207 RESPECTIVELY.

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FROM SPACE DISTURBANCE FORECAST CENTER ESSA BOULDER COLO
SDF NUMBER 591B ISSUED 1700Z 09 APRIL 1970

CLASS M FLARES ARE EXPECTED DURING THE NEXT ELEVEN HOURS
A. SOLAR FLARE ACTIVITY HAS BEEN MODERATELY HIGH DURING
THE PAST 13 HOURS. MOST OF THE ACTIVITY HAS CONSISTED OF
FREQUENT ENERGETIC SUBFLARES AND ONE-NORMAL FLARES FROM THE
GROWING REGION NOW AT N17E43; THREE OF THE EVENTS FROM THAT
REGION ATTAINED CLASS M X-RAY INTENSITY. THE REGION AT
N17E43 APPEARS TO BE MAGNETICALLY AND STRUCTURALLY COMPLEX
AND MAY CONTAIN A DELTA CONFIGURATION. THE LARGE REGION AT
S12W05 HAS SHOWN AN ABSORPTION FEATURE SLIGHTLY NORTH OF THE
LARGE LEADER SPOT, THOUGH NO SIGNIFICANT ACTIVITY HAS OCCURRED
AT THIS SITE. THOUGH THE REGION AT S12W05 HAS PRODUCED REL-
ATIVELY LITTLE ACTIVITY DURING THE LAST 13 HOURS, IT STILL
APPEARS TO BE MAGNETICALLY COMPLEX; THIS SPOT GROUP IS
CURRENTLY CLASSIFIED AS A BETA-GAMMA. THE ACTIVE REGION AT
N11W08 HAS SHOWN SOME GROWTH, HAS PRODUCED A FEW SUB-
FLARES, AND IS APPARENTLY OF BETA-GAMMA MAGNETIC CLASSIFICATION.
SPOT GROWTH ALSO HAS OCCURRED IN THE REGION AT N09W43; THIS
REGION, WHICH HAS SHOWN CONSIDERABLE GROWTH IN THE PAST 24
HOURS, HAS PRODUCED OCCASIONAL SUBFLARES AND IS CLASSIFIED AS
A BETA-GAMMA SPOT GROUP. THE GEOMAGNETIC FIELD HAS BEEN
DISTURBED FOR THE PAST 13 HOURS.

B. CLASS M ACTIVITY IS VERY LIKELY DURING THE NEXT 24 HOURS;
THE REGIONS AT N17E43, S12W05, N11W08, AND N09W43 ARE ALL
CAPABLE OF PRODUCING ENERGETIC FLARES OF RELATIVELY SMALL
OPTICAL AREA. THE GEOMAGNETIC FIELD IS EXPECTED TO REMAIN
SOMEWHAT DISTURBED.

C. FLARE AND PROTON EVENT PROBABILITIES FOR THE NEXT THREE 24
HOUR PERIODS BEGINNING 09 APRIL/1700Z ENDING 12 APRIL/1700Z.

CLASS M OR GREATER 90/90/90

CLASS X 30/30/40

PROTON EVENTS 15/20/25

D. OTTAWA 10.7 CM FLUX AT 1400Z WAS 228. PREDICTED 215/218/220.

E. MAGNETIC A-FREDERICKSBURG FOR 08 APRIL WAS 11. FOR 09 APRIL
ABOUT 20. PREDICTED AP FOR 10-12 APRIL 12/10/15.

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