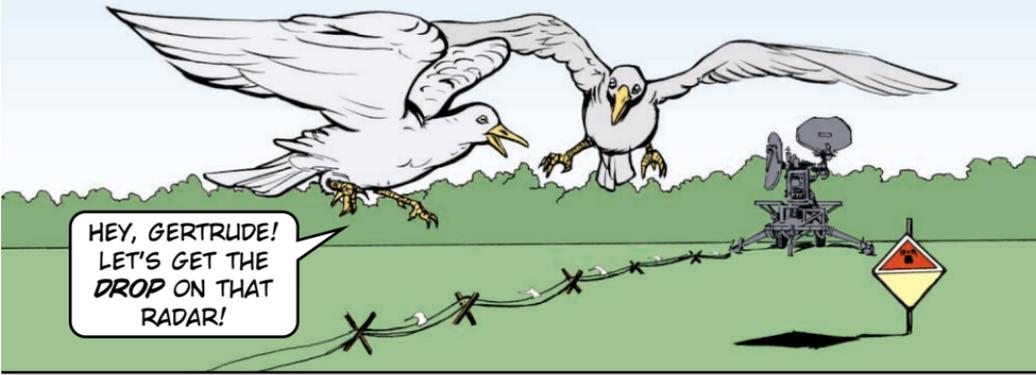


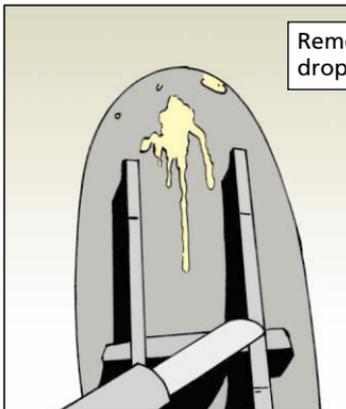
Remove Bird Droppings



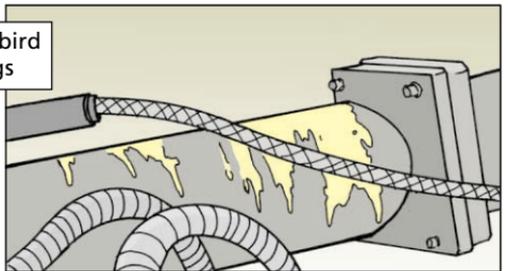
Air traffic control operators, have the birds gotten the drop on your AN/TPN-18A again? Your radar set sits outside, exposed to heat, snow, rain, wind and ice. So check your equipment daily for peeling paint, corrosion, fungus and damaged or missing cables or connectors. But don't forget those highly corrosive and messy bird droppings. They can eat through paint, wiring, and insulation and corrode metal. That can really do a number on delicate electronic equipment.

That's why PM is the best way to keep radar equipment clean and running no matter what drops out of the sky.

If you operate your equipment daily, clean and inspect it daily, like it says in Para 3-3 of TM 11-5840-281-12-1. Otherwise, do it before and after each use, or at least weekly, if not in use.



Remove bird droppings



Bird droppings? Clean them off with a dampened lint-free cloth, NSN 8305-00-267-3015, using mild soap and water. Wear gloves and a respirator.