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PeterD <peter2@xxxxxxxx> writes:

On Thu, 02 Oct 2008 07:44:23 -0500, "jimhigh66" <mounthighly@xxxxxxx> wrote:

Yes, there's a coil and a switch and also a light bulb and set of probes. The probes and light bulb are wired across the 120V line -- makes no sense and also dangerous! Suspect the probes should be connected to the bulb and have no connection to the line. Jim H.

Nope... Probalby not, I suspect there was little consideration for safety when that sucker was made. <g> It was used as a continuity tester.

Read Wikipedia:

[http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Growler_\(electrical_device\)](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Growler_(electrical_device))

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