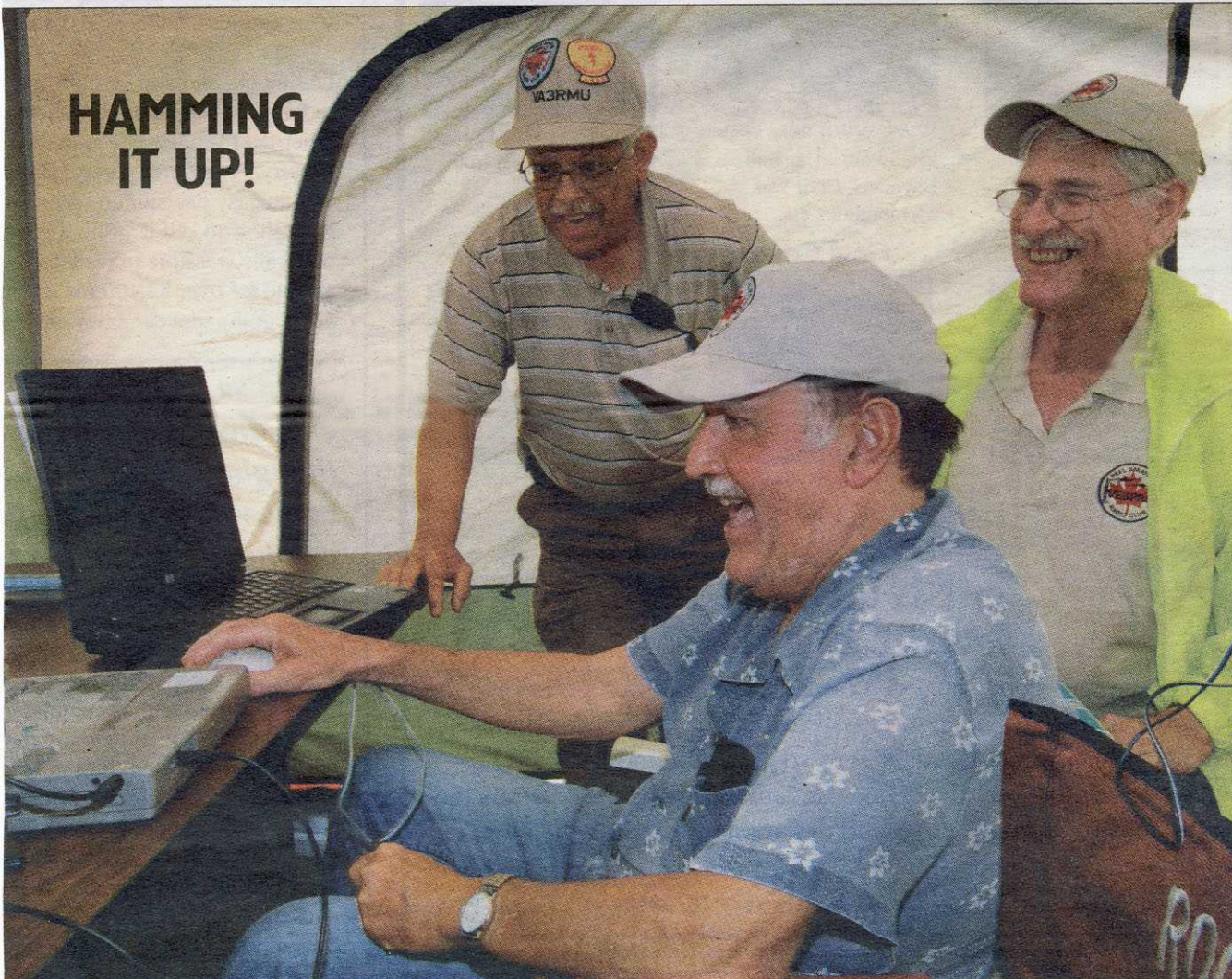


HAMMING IT UP!



After being up for almost 24 hours, from left, Richard Upfield, Paul Allen and Bryan Weaver man the digital station at the Ham Operators' recent field day. The digital station communicates with other ham operators via computers, the signal is coded for transmitting by ham radio then decoded for a computer at the other end.

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