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"Anthropos" <Anthropos@SWBell.net> wrote in message  
news:HF10e.469\$oy3.93@newssvr30.news.prodigy.com...  
When I run cvsup, I get the following message:

"Cannot get IP address of my own host --- is its hostname correct?"

Typing the 'hostname' command yields the correct hostname.

The NIC is identified as 'xl0'.

rc.conf contains the line:

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ifconfig_xl0="DHCP" <--- Correction
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Typing the 'ifconfig' command yields a correct 192.168.x.y IP address for 'xl0'.

What am I missing?...