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"MORNING AFTER THE NIGHT BEFORE"

FRANK BROWN GIVES THE TITLE FOR THIS CLASSIC OLD PHOTO. IT WAS TAKEN BY A ROVING PHOTOGRAPHER IN THE YEAR 1918. THE GROUP OF "BUDDIES" ASSEMBLED THEMSELVES FOR THE PICTURE IN FRONT OF THE CORNER DRUG STORE—WHERE C. B. S. STANDS TODAY. MANY FOLKS WILL RECOGNIZE THESE FELLOWS TO BE. (TOP ROW L TO R) CHARLIE LOVELL, FRANK BROWN, FRED CRABTREE AND DEAN BENNETT. (CENTER ROW L TO R) JIM "SPRINGY" HASTINGS, JINKS FELJZ AND JESS GREGORY. (BOTTOM ROW L TO R) GEORGE SHORT, ED BETTS AND AL WANT.

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THE HIGHEST TEMPERATURE WAS 76 DEGREES ON THE 12TH OF APRIL AND THE LOWEST WAS 29 ON THE 15TH. INCOME TAX DAY: THE SKY GAVE FORTH WITH HAIL-LIKE LITTLE SNOWBALLS, BOUNCING BACK UP LIKE POPCORN, HERALDING A THIN COAT OF SNOW. NEXT DAY, RAIN CLOUDS LOOMING, SPRINGFLOWERS BLOOMING, JACK'S DRIVE-IN BOOMING... EARN YOUR LONG HOT SUMMER WITH A ROUGH SPRING. AND, AS WE GO TO PRESS, THAT GRAYSILK COVELO SOFT RAIN EASES US.

FIRE DISTRICT BRUSH REMOVAL PROJECT TO BEGIN MAY 1ST

THE COVELO FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT'S BRUSH AND FIRE HAZARD REMOVAL PROJECT FUNDED BY CETA TITLE VI IS SET TO BEGIN THE FIRST WEEK OF MAY.

PROPERTY OWNERS WITHIN THE COVELO FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT WISHING ASSISTANCE IN ELIMINATING FIRE HAZARDS SUCH AS BRUSH, GRASS, OR UNWANTED BUILDINGS SHOULD CONTACT THE CFPD OFFICE ON WEEKDAYS FROM 8 AM TO 5 PM OR PHONE 983-4401.

CATTLEMEN'S MEETING

SPRING MEETING OF THE MENDOCINO COUNTY CATTLEMEN'S ASSOCIATION WAS HELD APRIL 12 IN THE GOVERNOR'S ROOM OF THE ROUND VALLEY INN FROM 10-3. THERE WERE 70 PEOPLE PRESENT FOR THE LUNCHEON.

PRESIDENT JACK MITCHELL OPENED THE MEETING, AND MR. COONS OF THE BEEF COUNCIL SPOKE ON THE PROMOTION OF BEEF. A REPRESENTATIVE FROM BARRY KEENE'S OFFICE STATED THAT KEENE IS INTERESTED IN HEARING COMMENTS OR QUESTIONS ABOUT BRUSH CONTROL, FIRE, AND WATER DEVELOPMENT. THE MAIN TOPIC FOR BOTH SPEAKERS WAS THE NEED FOR UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN THE PRODUCERS AND THE CONSUMERS.

R.V.H.S. FIELD DAY-MAY 10 & 11

THE STUDENTS OF R. V. H. S. ARE BUSY PLANNING THE 3RD ANNUAL FIELD DAY TO BE HELD AT THE RESERVATION RODEO GROUNDS. THE TWO-DAY SHOW WILL BEGIN ON SATURDAY MORNING AT 11 WITH THE PARADE IN DOWNTOWN COVELO.

THE SATURDAY GYMKHANA WILL BEGIN WITH THE GRAND ENTRY AT 1:30 P.M. SATURDAY'S SHOW WILL INCLUDE FUN EVENTS SUCH AS THE BATON RACE, RIBBON RACE, RESCUE RACE, PONY EVENTS, AND THE SENIOR BARREL RACE (30 YRS. AND OVER). THE ROUND VALLEY ROUND-UP CLUB IS SPONSORING A WESTERN DANCE SATURDAY NIGHT FROM 9 TIL 2.

SUNDAY WILL BEGIN AT 8 AM WITH THE HORSE SHOW CLASSES, WITH THE BEEF SHOWMANSHIP CLASSES AND THE LADIES NAIL DRIVING CONTEST TO FOLLOW. THE WESTERN BARBEQUE WILL BE AT 12 NOON. THE SUNDAY GRAND ENTRY IS AT 1 PM. ALONG WITH THE GYMKHANA EVENTS THERE WILL BE STEER DOBBING, GIRLS GOAT TYING, COW RIDING, CALF RIDING, MYSTERY SCRAMBLE, ETC. FOR ENTRY BLANKS WRITE TO KAREN CLARKE OR MARTY HOLZHAUSER AT ROUND VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL, P.O. Box 276, COVELO, OR CALL 983-2301.

FOR PARADE ENTRY BLANKS CONTACT SHERRI SERGEANT AT ROUND VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL, P.O. 276, COVELO.

FINE ENTERTAINMENT AND ENJOYABLE EDUCATION WILL BE THE KEY WORDS FOR THIS YEAR'S VOC. ED. FAIR AT THE MENDOCINO COUNTY FAIR GROUNDS. FROM THE RIBBON CUTTING CEREMONY AT 9 A.M. UNTIL THE LAST DEMONSTRATION IS FINISHED AT 9 AT NIGHT, THERE WILL BE FUN THINGS TO SEE AND DO. BANDS FROM LAKE AND MENDOCINO COUNTY HIGH SCHOOLS WILL PLAY THROUGHOUT THE DAY AND ON INTO THE EVENING FOR YOUR ENJOYMENT.

PHOTOGRAPHY AND GRAPHICS WILL BE AMONG THE 58 INDOOR BOOTHS OF DISPLAYS AND DEMONSTRATIONS OF VOCATIONALLY ORIENTED EDUCATION. YOU CAN HAVE YOUR BLOOD PRESSURE TAKEN, WATCH COSMOTOLOGY STUDENTS STYLE HAIR, BUY CRAFTS ITEMS, WATCH UPHOLSTERY OR WELDING DEMONSTRATIONS BY STUDENTS WHO REALLY KNOW WHAT THEY ARE DOING. OR, JUST LOOK IN ON THE COMMERCIAL AND ARMED SERVICES BOOTHS SET UP TO SHOW JOB OPPORTUNITIES IN THEIR FIELDS.

ADD TO THESE THE ACTION IN THE CARPENTRY CONSTRUCTION, AUTO TROUBLESHOOTING AND TYPING COMPETITIONS. THE STUDENTS IN THE COMPETITIONS WILL BE JUDGED ON THEIR SKILLS WHILE THEY DISPLAY SKILLS THAT CAN SUSTAIN THEM IN THE JOB MARKET.

A LAMB BARBEQUE WILL BE SPONSORED BY THE ROC-AG AND MENDOCINO WOOL GROWERS AT BOTH THE LUNCH AND DINNER HOURS. THESE MEALS WILL COMPLIMENT THE FOOD BOOTHS WHICH WILL OFFER HAMBURGERS AND SNACK ITEMS ALL DAY.

AFTER DINNER HOW ABOUT SEEING THE FASHION SHOW. DURING THE INTERMISSION OF THE FASHION SHOW, AWARDS AND PRIZES WILL BE GIVEN TO COMPETITORS, BOOTHS AND DEMONSTRATIONS JUDGED EARLIER IN THE DAY.

ADMISSION TO THE FAIR IS FREE, DOOR PRIZE REGISTRATION IS FREE, SO COME ON OUT TO THE FAIR GROUNDS AND SEE THE VOCATIONAL EDUCATION OF THE LAKE AND MENDOCINO COUNTY SCHOOLS IN ACTION.

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COVELO CLEAN SWEEP **Round Valley News**

A TOWN CLEAN UP IN PREPARATION FOR FIELD DAY WEEKEND IS SCHEDULED FOR MAY 3 AND 4. ALTHOUGH YOUNGSTERS FROM THE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL HAVE ALREADY BEEN SEEN CLEANING UP THE ROADSIDES, HERE AND THERE, VOLUNTEERS FROM THE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE AND THE LI-ONS CLUB WILL MEET AT 10 A.M. SATURDAY, MAY 3RD, TO FINISH OFF THE PROJECT.

RENTERS AND PROPERTY OWNERS IN THE DOWNTOWN AREA CAN LEAVE TRASH THEY'VE COLLECTED IN NEAT PILES FOR COLLECTION ON THOSE TWO DAYS. RAY POLSLEY IS SUPPLYING A DUMP TRUCK AND A LOADER AND OTHER VOLUNTEERS WILL MAKE AVAILABLE PICK-UP TRUCKS. FURTHER INFORMATION CAN BE OBTAINED BY CONTACTING CHAMBER PRESIDENT DAN SHIPLEY.

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JOB OPENING WITH WATER DISTRICT

THE COVELO WATER DISTRICT REQUIRES A RELIABLE FOREMAN FOR THE CLEANING OF SECONDARY STREAMS IN THE AREA. HE WILL BE FOREMAN FOR 5 OR 6 WORKERS.

THE FOREMAN POSITION PAYS \$700 PER MONTH AND INVOLVES MAPPING OUT THE WORK AND SUPERVISING THE PROGRAM. HE SHOULD BE UNDEREMPLOYED OR UNEMPLOYED NOW. FOR AN INTERVIEW CONTACT ROLLIE HURT AT 983-4524 OR ALTA MOORE AT 983-4331.

FLEA MARKET

AN ALL-DAY FLEA MARKET IS SCHEDULED FOR SATURDAY, MAY 3RD AT THE RESERVATION RECREATION (YOUTH) CENTER LOT AREA.

ANY PARTY OR INDIVIDUAL WISHING TO OBTAIN A SPACE FOR SELLING SHOULD DO SO NOW BEFORE SPACES BECOME COMPLETELY RESERVED. ANY ITEM CAN BE SOLD - JUNK, ANTIQUES, OLD CLOTHES, TOOLS, ARTS AND CRAFTS, FOOD AND BAKED GOODS ARE JUST SOME OF THE POSSIBILITIES.

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NOTICE - VEGETABLE AND BEDDING PLANTS WILL BE AVAILABLE SOON.



COVELO'S NEW SEWER PLANT-QUESTIONS & ANSWERS A NEWS ANALYSIS

THE CONSTRUCTION OF COVELO'S NEW SEWER PLANT HAS BECOME AN IMPORTANT ISSUE IN THE TOWN. MOST PEOPLE ARE AWARE THAT A NEW PLANT IS PLANNED. MANY KNOW THAT THE COST WILL BE HIGH. AND FRIENDS OF THE BRUSH FAMILY MAY HAVE HEARD THAT THE CURRENTLY PROPOSED PLANT DESIGN WILL REQUIRE THAT THE COMMUNITY SERVICES DISTRICT PURCHASE OR CONDEMN 18 ACRES OF THEIR RANCH FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A HOLDING POND SYSTEM.

BUT FEW PEOPLE KNOW WHY THE PLANT IS BEING RENOVATED, WHO WILL PAY, OR WHAT THE ALTERNATIVES ARE. IN ORDER TO PROVIDE BACKGROUND FOR THE COMMUNITY DEBATE THAT SHOULD TAKE PLACE IN THE NEXT FEW WEEKS, HERE ARE SOME ANSWERS TO THE MOST FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS ABOUT THE SEWER PLANT.

WHY RENOVATE THE PLANT AT ALL?

UNDER THE TERMS OF THE FEDERAL WATER POLLUTION CONTROL ACT AMENDMENTS OF 1972, ALL COMMUNITY-OWNED SEWER PLANTS ARE REQUIRED TO PROVIDE SECONDARY TREATMENT FOR ALL SEWAGE EFFLUENT BY NO LATER THAN JULY 1, 1977. IN CALIFORNIA, SECONDARY TREATMENT HAS BEEN DEFINED TO REQUIRE THAT EFFLUENT MUST NOT CONTAIN MORE THAN 30 PARTS PER MILLION OF SUSPENDED SOLIDS OR 30 PARTS PER MILLION OF BIOLOGICAL OXYGEN DEMAND (I.E. BACTERIA AND ALGAE). A SECOND ASPECT OF THE POLLUTION CONTROL PROGRAM REQUIRES THAT NO DISCHARGE SHALL BE MADE INTO A RIVER OR STREAM WHEN TOTAL STREAMFLOW IS LESS THAN ONE HUNDRED TIMES THE FLOW OF TREATED SEWAGE EFFLUENT.

COVELO'S SEWER FAILS TO MEET BOTH OF THOSE STANDARDS. IN THE WINTER, HUMAN WASTE PASSES THROUGH THE SYSTEM WITHOUT RECEIVING ANY TREATMENT TO SPEAK OF. THE EFFLUENT, ALTHOUGH DILUTED BY GROUND WATER INFILTRATION, IS ESSENTIALLY RAW SEWAGE. IN SUMMER, THE PLANT DISCHARGES SUBSTANTIAL QUANTITIES OF EFFLUENT INTO TOWN CREEK EACH DAY, DESPITE THE FACT THAT BY MIDSUMMER THERE IS ALMOST NO CREEK FLOW AT ALL. FOR BOTH THESE REASONS, THE STATE WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD HAS RULED THAT THE DISTRICT IS IN VIOLATION OF WATER QUALITY STANDARDS AND MUST UPGRADE ITS TREATMENT FACILITIES.

WHAT IMPROVEMENTS WILL BE REQUIRED?

DISCHARGE INTO TOWN CREEK DURING SUMMER MONTHS MUST BE ELIMINATED. THIS WILL REQUIRE EITHER AN EXPANSION OF THE PRESENT HOLDING PONDS OR AN IRRIGATION SYSTEM TO DISPOSE OF TREATED WASTE. SECOND, THE PLANT'S TREATMENT EQUIPMENT MUST BE SUBSTANTIALLY UPGRADED TO ADEQUATELY PURIFY AND DISINFECT BOTH SUMMER AND WINTER FLOWS.

WHAT ALTERNATIVES WERE CONSIDERED?

THREE BASIC ALTERNATIVES WERE CONSIDERED. ALL INCLUDED MAJOR CHANGES IN THE PLANT'S EQUIPMENT, COSTING TENS OF THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS. THE MAJOR DIFFERENCES WERE IN THE STORAGE AND DISPOSAL SYSTEMS. HERE THE THREE APPROACHES WERE:

- DEEP AERATED LAGOONS. THIS ALTERNATIVE WOULD MINIMIZE THE AREA REQUIRED FOR PONDS, BUT WOULD HAVE BEEN THE MOST COSTLY TO OPERATE BECAUSE OF THE ELECTRICITY NEEDED TO POWER THE AERATION PUMPS.
- A SOMEWHAT LARGER POND AREA (NOT AERATED) COMBINED WITH DISPOSAL OF TREATED EFFLUENT BY SPRAY IRRIGATION.

- A STILL LARGER AREA OF SHALLOWER PONDS, WITH NO AERATION OR IRRIGATION.

UNTIL THE MEETING OF APRIL 17, THE SEWER DISTRICT BOARD HAD BEEN LEANING TOWARD THE FIRST OR SECOND ALTERNATIVE BECAUSE OF THEIR RELUCTANCE TO PURCHASE OR CONDEMN THE LAND REQUIRED FOR THE THIRD. HOWEVER, AT THE APR. 17 MEETING THE BOARD WAS INFORMED BY ITS CONSULTING ENGINEER, MIKE MAGGI, OF BARRETT AND ASSOCIATES, THAT THE AERATED LAGOON ALTERNATIVE HAD BEEN JUDGED TO BE "NOT COST EFFECTIVE" BY THE STATE WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD, AND WOULD THEREFORE BE INELIGIBLE FOR STATE OR FEDERAL FUNDING.

THE DISTRICT ALSO DROPPED THE SPRAY IRRIGATION ALTERNATIVE FROM CONSIDERATION WHEN IT WAS LEARNED THAT THE COST WOULD BE FIVE TO TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS GREATER, THAT THE SMALLER POND AREA WOULD REDUCE THE DISTRICT'S CAPACITY TO DEAL WITH HEAVY WINTER FLOWS, AND THAT DAVE LONG OF THE COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT HAD EXPRESSED HIS INFORMAL OPPOSITION TO THE IRRIGATION APPROACH, STATING THAT PREVIOUS ATTEMPTS AT IRRIGATION DISPOSAL IN COVELO HAD FAILED.

THAT LEFT PLAN NO. 5, WHICH WOULD RELY ON AN 18 ACRE SYSTEM OF SHALLOW HOLDING PONDS, BUT WOULD REQUIRE THE BRUSH PURCHASE. THE ADVANTAGES OF THE SYSTEM ARE ITS LOWER INITIAL AND OPERATING COSTS AND ITS EASE OF MAINTENANCE. THIS WAS THE ALTERNATIVE FOR WHICH THE BOARD INSTRUCTED MR. MAGGI TO PREPARE PLANS.

WHAT WILL THE PLANT COST AND WHO WILL PAY?

EIGHT MONTHS AGO, THE COST OF THE PROJECT WAS ESTIMATED TO BE \$310,000, AND THAT IS THE COST THAT THE STATE HAS AGREED TO FUND. THREE-QUARTERS OF THE COST WILL BE PAID BY THE FEDERAL ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY, THE STATE AND THE COMMUNITY SERVICES DISTRICT WILL EACH PAY ONE-EIGHTH, OR ABOUT \$40,000. THE DISTRICT'S SHARE OF THE FUNDS WILL BE BACKED BY A \$35,000 BOND ISSUE, WHICH WILL BE PAID OFF BY A COMBINATION OF INCREASED HOOK-UP FEES, HIGHER MONTHLY SERVICE CHARGES, AND, PERHAPS, AN INCREASE IN TAXES.

IS A COST OVER-RUN LIKELY? IF SO, WHO PAYS?

THE \$310,000 COST ESTIMATE IS EXTREMELY MODEST. IN THE EIGHT MONTHS SINCE THE ESTIMATE WAS MADE, INFLATION HAS PUSHED UP THE PRICE OF EVERYTHING. OTHER PROJECTS IN MENDOCINO COUNTY HAVE COME IN AT FAR HIGHER THAN THEIR PROJECTED COST. COVELO CAN EXPECT THEIR PLANT TO COST AS MUCH AS 25-30 PERCENT MORE THAN THE PRELIMINARY ESTIMATE.

IF A COST OVER-RUN DOES OCCUR, THE STATE WILL MEET IT, PROVIDING IT IS NO MORE THAN 10-15 PERCENT OF THE TOTAL PROJECT COST. IF THE OVER-RUN IS GREATER THAN THAT, THE DISTRICT MUST LOOK ELSEWHERE FOR FUNDS. IN RECENT YEARS, MENDOCINO AND HOPLAND HAVE MADE UP MAJOR COST OVER-RUNS BY APPLYING TO THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS FOR REVENUE-SHARING MONIES TO HELP IN FINANCING CONSTRUCTION. COVELO MAY HAVE TO TAKE SIMILAR ACTION TO AVOID A CRUSHING COST BURDEN.

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ASSEMBLY PASSES DRUG SUBSTITUTION MEASURE

THE STATE ASSEMBLY, ON A 67-10 VOTE PASSED AND SENT TO THE SENATE, LEGISLATION TO PERMIT PHARMACISTS TO SUBSTITUTE LESS EXPENSIVE DRUGS FOR HIGH PRICED BRAND-NAME MEDICATION. ASSEMBLYMAN BARRY KEENE, AUTHOR OF THE MEASURE, STATED, "THE OVERWHELMING SUPPORT OF THIS MEASURE DEMONSTRATES THE LACK OF WISDOM BEHIND OUR CURRENT LAWS PROHIBITING SUBSTITUTION. ENACTMENT OF MY BILL CAN SAVE CONSUMERS UP TO \$45 MILLION A YEAR WITHOUT DECREASING THE QUALITY OF THEIR HEALTH CARE."

KEENE'S BILL, AB193, PROVIDES THAT A PHARMACIST MAY FILL A DRUG ORDER WITH EQUIVALENT MEDICATION UNLESS THE PHYSICIAN INDICATES OTHERWISE ON A PRESCRIPTION. THE COST DIFFERENCE BETWEEN THE TWO DRUGS MUST BE PASSED ON IN FULL TO THE CONSUMER.

IN DEBATING THE BILL ON THE FLOOR, KEENE, CHAIRMAN OF THE ASSEMBLY HEALTH COMMITTEE, ARGUED THAT THE COST OF FILLING BRAND-NAME PRESCRIPTIONS WHERE LESS EXPENSIVE EQUIVALENT MEDICATION IS AVAILABLE IS A \$45 MILLION SUBSIDY TO THE PHARMACEUTICAL MANUFACTURERS, THE 2ND MOST PROFITABLE INDUSTRY IN THE U.S. KEENE STATED THAT RATHER THAN USING THIS MONEY FOR RESEARCH, DRUG COMPANIES POUR MOST OF IT INTO PROMOTION THAT TAXES THE CONSUMERS AND RAISES PROFIT LEVELS.

KEENE CONCLUDED, "I WOULD RATHER SEE THIS \$45 MILLION SUBSIDY PUT INTO THE CONSUMER'S POCKETS RATHER THAN THOSE OF THE PHARMACEUTICAL MANUFACTURERS. THIS WILL ESPECIALLY AID OUR ELDERLY WHO PURCHASE 25 PER CENT OF ALL DRUGS."

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THINGS TO MAKE ROUND VALLEY MORE LIVEABLE

- 1) GROW BLACKBERRIES ALONG ALL THE ROADS AND PROMOTE A BLACKBERRY FESTIVAL.
- 2) PROMOTE A YEARLY BICYCLE RACE ALONG THE COVELO ROAD.
- 3) USE THE FOREST FOR ECOLOGICAL STUDIES AND GROUP ORGANIZATION CAMPS. SET UP DUDE RANCH TYPE ATTRACTIONS. IN SHORT, DO MORE WITH OUR SCENERY-SURROUNDINGS THAN PROMOTE THEM AS A PLACE TO KILL DEER.
- 4) MAKE DISPOSAL AT THE DUMP FREE SO FOLKS WILL BE ENCOURAGED TO CLEAN UP THEIR ACT. THIS WILL DISCOURAGE DUMPING OF REFUSE ALONG THE ROADS. USE THE DUMP AS A POINT FOR ALUMINUM, IRON SCRAP AND WOOD AND OTHER BURNABLE SCRAP.
- 5) BUILD A PARK AND COMMUNITY CENTER IN TOWN. FIX UP OUR DELAPIDATED SCHOOL GROUNDS TO MAKE A NICE ENVIRONMENT FOR OUR CHILDREN. MOVE THE YOUTH CENTER INTO TOWN. FIND CONSTRUCTIVE THINGS FOR YOUTHS TO GET INVOLVED WITH. WITH THE EXCEPTION OF FFA, WHAT ORGANIZATIONS ARE THERE FOR KIDS TO JOIN.
- 6) PRESSURE THE MILL TO SELL WOOD (ONE DAY A WEEK PERHAPS) AT WHOLESALE PLUS THE COST OF PAPERWORK. THIS IS THE LEAST THEY CAN DO FOR THE PRIVILEGE OF MAKING CORPORATE PROFITS FROM ROUND VALLEY.
- 7) USE THIS WOOD TO BUILD DECENT HOUSES IN ROUND VALLEY. GET RID OF THOSE LARGE BREAD BOXES THAT PEOPLE LIVE IN. RECRUIT SKILLED WORKERS TO APPRENTICE OUR UNEMPLOYED AND YOUNG FOLKS INTO BUILDING TRADES. ALL OUR HOUSING MONEY IS CURRENTLY GOING TO FINANCE COMPANIES FOR THOSE UGLY METAL BOXES INSTEAD OF STAYING IN THE VALLEY.
- 8) RIDE BICYCLES INSTEAD OF CRUISING IN CARS. (PERHAPS THE PRICE OF GASOLINE ISN'T HIGH ENOUGH YET.)
- 9) WITH THE WONDERFUL QUALITY OF COVELO WATER, WE SHOULD DO FEASIBILITY STUDIES ON SETTING UP A BREWERY IN THE VALLEY. BARLEY WOULD PROBABLY GROW VERY WELL HERE, ALSO HOPS. SINCE ALL OF CALIFORNIA, AND COVELO NO EXCEPTION, DRINKS BEER LIKE IT'S GOING OUT OF STYLE, THERE SHOULD BE A READY MARKET. IF COORS CAN BE SHIPPED FROM COLORADO AT COMPETITIVE PRICES, ROUND VALLEY CAN'T FAIL. LOOK WHAT OLYMPIA DID FOR TUMWATER.
- 10) LIGHT INDUSTRY FEASIBLE FOR ROUND VALLEY IS WOOD PRODUCTS, NOT ELECTRONICS OR SUCH. WE SHOULD DETERMINE WHAT TYPE OF FINISHED WOOD PRODUCT COULD BE PROFITABLY MANUFACTURED, ASSEMBLED HERE.
- 11) BREED VALUABLE LIVESTOCK, SHOW AND RACE HORSES, MULES, GOOD CATTLE STOCK.
- 12) SET UP AN IRRIGATION DISTRICT FOR TRUCK CROPS AND GRAIN FARMING, GROW SEED. COMPOST OUR LEAVES IN THE FALL INSTEAD OF BURNING THEM.
- 13) THE COVELO GARDEN PROJECT SHOULD BE RECOGNIZED FOR WHAT IT IS - OUR MOST VALUABLE RESOURCE AVAILABLE TO TURN THIS ABUSED LACKLUSTER VALLEY TRULY INTO NATURE'S HIDEAWAY.

T. SCHUESSLER

EDITOR -
DEAR INDIVIDUALS,

WE ARE WAY OFF COURSE. SO . . . STEADY AS SHE GOES . . . SHOULD BE OUR DIRECTION AND SPEED WHILE MINDS MEET TO RESET OUR COURSE ACROSS A SEA OF CONFLICTS OF INTEREST TO OUR DESTINATION . . . THE WHICH I THINK SHOULD BE SELF-SUFFICIENCY FOR EVERYONE.

CHRIST ONLY BEGAN THE STORY OF THE ACTUALIZATION OF OUR HUMAN POTENTIAL. ADAM AND EVE FAILED AND WE ARE STILL FLAILING, THROUGH THE FIRST GREAT STAGE OF OUR SPIRITUALIZATION ACCORDING TO THE LOGOS. ASTROLOGICALLY WE ARE ONLY NOW ENTERING THE AGE AND STAGE OF SUBSTANTIATION . . . AND LIKE ANY SEEDLING THAT PUTS ITS FIRST LEAVES OUT TO CATCH LIGHT, EVERYONE WHO HAS THE STRENGTH OF WILL, THE COURAGE, AND THE WISDOM TO STEP ONTO THE PATH TO SPIRITUALIZATION, WILL DO SO. INDEED, OUR CHERISHED IDEAL OF RUGGED INDIVIDUALISM IS VERY YOUNG . . . AND THE PATH IS STILL A HARD JOURNEY TO GO. SO.

SPIRITUALIZATION PRESUPPOSES EVERYONE'S SELF-SUFFICIENCY OR SELF-SUSTAINMENT IN TERMS OF THE BASIC NEEDS. BUT NINE-TENTHS OF OUR DIFFICULTY IS EGO ACTION. EGO IS THE BONES AND THE TEETH AND THE HIDE OF PERSONALITY AND SOCIETY. IT CLOUDS ONE'S THINKING, ONE'S LOVE, AND ONE'S LIFE IN GENERAL. IT FOULS ACTION, MUDDIES OUR SOCIAL LIFE, AND OUR CIVILIZED WAYS ARE THE COLLECTIVE CALCIFICATION OF LIFE IN OUR PAST AND HOLD AND CONTAINS OUR LIFE NOW. EGO IS EASILY THE MOST DOMINANT LIFE FUNCTION . . . THAT OF SELF PROTECTION. IT IS ROOTED IN FEAR, IT KEEPS US IN THE DARK, AND ONLY THE SPIRITUALIZATION CAN CUT IT . . . CAN BUILD THE STRENGTH AND THE COURAGE AND THE WISDOM TO OVERCOME OR TRANSCEND IT WHEN WE NEED TO MOST.

I BELIEVE WE MUST DO BOTH . . . SIMULTANEOUSLY. SPIRITUALIZE INDIVIDUALLY THRU THE HARD, PURIFYING PRACTICE OF SITTING MEDITATION AND MAKE OURSELVES INDIVIDUALLY SELF-SUFFICIENT: FIRST BY GRADUAL BUT RATHER DIRECT SIMPLIFICATION OF ONE'S WAYS . . . LIKE GETTING RID OF SOMETHING EXTRA EVERY DAY OR WEEK OR MONTH IF IT'S TOO HARD . . . AND APPLICATION OF THE "SCIENCE OF HORTICULTURE." WITHIN AND WITHOUT IT TENDS TO GOD'S GARDEN.

AND AS THE PROCESS OF SPIRITUALIZATION SUBSTANTIATES IN THESE NEXT FEW YEARS THE WORLD WILL WITNESS THE BEGINNING OF A BROTHERHOOD OF STARS, ON EARTH IN SKY, AND VERY TOGETHER. So.

ON COURSE SOON
OR SUN KEY LUKE
(LUKE HINMAN)

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BLAZE RAZES HOUSE

AT 7:30 P.M. ON APR. 15, THE COVELO VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPT. WAS CALLED TO A BLAZE IN A DWELLING OWNED BY T. A. BENTON, LOCATED ON HWY. 162 WEST OF THE L.P. MILL. THE HOME WAS OCCUPIED BY RACHEL LOGAN AND TOMMY REEVES AND FAMILY. FROM INVESTIGATION IT WAS DETERMINED THAT THE FIRE WAS CAUSED BY ELECTRICAL MALFUNCTION.

ASSISTED BY THE CAL. DIV. OF FORESTRY, UNDER A MUTUAL AID AGREEMENT, THE VOLUNTEER FIREMEN TOOK OVER 2 HOURS TO PUT OUT THE FIRE. THEY PUMPED 2400 GALLONS OF WATER ON IT BUT, UNFORTUNATELY, THE HOUSE AND ALL OF THE PERSONAL PROPERTY INSIDE WAS DESTROYED. IT WAS VALUED AT \$13,000 IN LOSS. A DOG TRAPPED INSIDE WAS THE ONLY CASUALTY.

THIS YEAR THE COVELO VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPT. HAS HAD 4 CALLS TO DATE. THREE WERE IN JANUARY, ONE DWELLING, ONE VEHICLE AND ONE OFFICE BUILDING, AND THIS ONE DWELLING IN APRIL.

HOME FOR SALE?

IF YOU HAVE A HOME FOR SALE, OR WOULD LIKE TO SELL YOUR HOME, OR, IF YOU ARE A REAL ESTATE BROKER WHO HAS LISTINGS THAT MIGHT QUALIFY FOR A FARMERS HOME ADMINISTRATION LOAN, PLEASE CALL CAROLYN TAPPIN, HOUSING OUT-REACH WORKER AT NORTH COAST OPPORTUNITIES IN UKIAH AT 462-1954, IN FT. BRAGG AT 964-5101, IN LAKE PORT AT 263-4218.

NORTH COAST OPPORTUNITIES HAS MANY APPLICANTS WHO ARE LOOKING FOR HOMES THAT WOULD QUALIFY UNDER FARMERS HOME ADMINISTRATION "502" HOME PURCHASE PROGRAM.

MED CLINIC OUTLINED AT CHAMBER MEET

THERE WAS A DISAPPOINTINGLY SMALL TURNOUT AT THE ROUND VALLEY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE MEETING LAST MONDAY. SEVERAL OF THE POINTS ON THE AGENDA WERE OF COMMUNITY-WIDE IMPACT.

NORMAN AND ANNABELLE WHIPPLE PRESENTED PLANS FOR A PERMANENT MEDICAL DENTAL CLINIC TO BE CONSTRUCTED NORTH OF COVELO HOPEFULLY IN 1976. IN THE MEANTIME A 30' X 60' MOBILE CLINIC WILL BE INSTALLED NEXT TO THE BIA FORESTRY OFFICE, ALSO NORTH OF TOWN. THIS MOBILE FACILITY WILL BE MOVED TO ANOTHER RURAL RESERVATION AFTER THE PERMANENT CLINIC IS COMPLETED.

AFTER OUTLINING THE HISTORY AND LOCAL EFFORTS INVOLVED IN THE ROUND VALLEY HEALTH CLINIC PROJECT, MR. AND MRS. WHIPPLE REQUESTED THE CHAMBER'S ENDORSEMENT OF THE PROPOSED PROJECT, WHICH WILL BE ADMINISTERED BY A RECENTLY FORMED LOCAL NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATION THAT IS INDEPENDENT FROM THE COVELO INDIAN COMMUNITY COUNCIL AND THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT.

THE PERMANENT FACILITY OF 3675 SQUARE FEET WILL BE CONSTRUCTED ON FIVE ACRES ALREADY PURCHASED AND LOCATED ON THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF BIGGAR LANE AND HIGHWAY 162. THE BUILDING WILL FEATURE MEDICAL, X-RAY AND DENTAL CLINICS. 24 HOUR EMERGENCY CARE MAY ALSO BE REALIZED IF THERE IS A COMBINED EFFORT FROM THE COMMUNITY AND GRANTS CAN BE SUCCESSFULLY SECURED.

"IN ORDER TO GET A DOCTOR IN A SMALL COMMUNITY LIKE THIS, THERE MUST BE A COMMITMENT FROM THE COMMUNITY FOR SUPPORT," STRESSED MRS. WHIPPLE. SHE EXPLAINED THAT AN ONGOING MEDICAL FACILITY CAN REDUCE A DOCTOR'S EXPENSES AND THE TWO PRESENT FAMILY NURSE PRACTITIONERS WILL ELIMINATE MUCH OF THE DOCTOR'S WORK LOAD. SEVERAL DENTISTS HAVE ALREADY EXPRESSED INTEREST IN BEING ASSOCIATED WITH THE CLINIC.

IN OTHER BUSINESS AT THE MEETING, PLANS WERE SET FOR A TOWN CLEAN-UP BY CHAMBER AND LIONS CLUB VOLUNTEERS. THE COVELO "CLEAN-UP" IS SET TO BEGIN AT 10 AM ON SATURDAY, MAY 3 AND WILL CONTINUE THROUGH SUNDAY.

THE CHAMBER VOTED TO FORWARD TO PROPER

AUTHORITIES A COMPLAINT CONCERNING THE UNSIGHTLY COLLECTION OF WRECKED VEHICLES ON THE HUSTON PROPERTY IN COVELO.

CHAMBER CORRESPONDENCE INCLUDED A LETTER FROM JIM HASKINS WHO IS EMPLOYED BY THE U. S. FOREST SERVICE AND WILL SOON BE TRANSFERRED TO ROUND VALLEY. HE REQUESTED INFORMATION ON AVAILABLE HOUSING.

AMERICAN LEGION AUXILLIARY NEWS

ABOUT HALF OF THE MEMBERS OF THE AMERICAN LEGION LADIES AUX. GATHERED FOR A LUNCHEON AT THE R.V. INN ON THURS., APR. 17, IN HONOR OF THE ANNUAL VISIT OF THE DISTRICT 1 PRESIDENT, MILLICENT GOFF, OF FERNDALE.

FOLLOWING THE LUNCH, THE LADIES DISCUSSED VARIOUS AM. LEG. PROJECTS. GIRLS STATE AND BOYS STATE, AN OPPORTUNITY FOR A REPRESENTATIVE STUDENT TO VISIT THE STATE CAPITOL AND WITNESS THE WORKINGS OF DEMOCRACY IN ACTION, WILL BE SEEING MARSHA PHILLIPS AND GUY O' FERRALL AS THE COVELO REPRESENTATIVES. ALTERNATES ARE DIANE PETSCH AND RICHARD APARICIO.

THE WINNERS OF THE AMERICANISM ESSAY CONTEST WERE ANNOUNCED. IN GROUP I, SCOTT HIXON WON 1ST PLACE AND WILL BE AWARDED A BRONZE MEDAL. TOD WILKINS WAS SECOND AND JULIA PARKER WAS THIRD AND THEY WILL RECEIVE CERTIFICATES OF AWARD. THEY ARE ALL IN 5TH GRADE. THERE WAS NO PARTICIPATION IN GROUP II, BUT IN GROUP III, LEIGH ROCKEY WON 1ST PLACE AND WILL RECEIVE A \$25 SAVINGS BOND. JIM NUNN AND MARK PETERSON PLACED 2ND AND 3RD AND WILL RECEIVE CERTIFICATES OF AWARD.

MRS. GOFF STATED THAT, "IN THESE TIMES OF ECONOMIC INSTABILITY AND POLITICAL UNREST, THE PENDULUM IS SWINGING BACK TOWARD GROWING MEMBERSHIPS IN PATRIOTIC AND FRATERNAL ORGANIZATIONS SUCH AS THE AM. LEGION."

THE COVELO CHAPTER OF THE LEGION WELCOMES THE MEMBERSHIP OF ANY WAR VETERAN AND IN THE WOMEN'S AUXILIARY ANY MEMBER OF THE VETERAN'S FAMILY IS ENCOURAGED TO JOIN. THERE ARE PRESENTLY OVER 40,000 MEMBERS IN THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

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AT THE CATTLEMEN'S MEETING, SUSAN AND RICHARD WILSON, PROPRIETORS OF THE INN, PRESENTED LOIS AND ROLLIE HURT WITH A BOTTLE OF CHAMPAGNE HONORING THEIR 44TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY.

NEXT TUESDAY, APRIL 29, THE ACTING WORKSHOP WILL BE GETTING TOGETHER AT THE MULTI-PURPOSE ROOM AT 7:30 P.M. TO READ ONE ACT PLAYS. EVERYBODY WHO WANTS TO SPEND ON ENJOYABLE EVENING IS WELCOME TO COME.



THE R. V. LIONS PLAYED EASTER BUNNY FOR THE CHILDREN OF THE COMMUNITY, HIDING 360 EGGS AT THE AIRPORT. ADDED TO THIS TRADITIONAL EASTER FROLIC WERE AIRPLANE RIDES GIVEN 59 CHILDREN BY LEO MOORE AND ARNOLD ENGE. BLOOM AND BLOOM LOGGING PAID FOR THE GASOLINE REQUIRED FOR THE PLANE RIDES.

WAYNE HURT AND LOU SPENCE WERE CALLED UPON TO BE MIDWIVES IN DELIVERING A CALF.

FOR GIVING HER THANKS, THE COW NAMED THE CALF WAYNEE LOU.

THE APRIL 5TH WEDDING OF CHANDA SCHULTZ TO DON REDDING IN RENO BROUGHT MANY FROM ROUND VALLEY TO THAT FAMOUS RESORT TOWN. WITNESSING THE CEREMONIES AND ENJOYING THE WEEKEND AT THE CASINOS WERE BUELAH REED, CLIFFORD AND LOUELLA THOMSON, DAN AND SHIRLEY THOMSON AND CHILDREN, KENNY AND RODNEY SCHULTZ, GINA COMALLI, PERCY, YVONNE AND SUZIE LEIGHTON, MURRAY WATSON AND MR. AND MRS. FRANK REDDING. CHANDA AND DON RESIDE IN PLACERVILLE WHERE HE IS EMPLOYED BY HIS FATHER—IN—LAW, PERCY LEIGHTON.

THE WOMEN'S EXERCISE CLASS IS OVER FOR THIS SEASON BUT IF THERE IS INTEREST THIS COMING FALL, IT WILL RESUME.



FOND FAREWELL TO HAROLD ROSE

MR. HAROLD ROSE, THE OWNER AND CHIEF OF COVELO MOTORS, IS GOING TO LEAVE ROUND VALLEY THIS WEEK. HE AND HIS WIFE LEONA ARE MOVING TO COTTONWOOD, ARIZONA.

MACHINE DEVELOPED BY MRS. ROSE'S SON ANDY ANDERSON. ANDY WORKS FOR THE FOREST SERVICE IN ARIZONA. HE HAS DEVELOPED A MACHINE THAT WILL CLEAR AND PULVERIZE BRUSH, THEREBY ELIMINATING THE NEED FOR BURNING IT. MR. ROSE WILL BE ADDING HIS TALENTS TO THE PROJECT.

MR. ROSE CAME TO COVELO 8 YEARS AGO WHERE HE MET AND LATER MARRIED MRS. ROSE. THEY ARE ACTIVE MEMBERS OF THE 7TH DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH. MR. ROSE HAS BEEN 1ST ELDER OF THE CHURCH FOR MANY YEARS AND HIS WIFE, LEONA, HAS BEEN A SABBATH SCHOOL TEACHER.

IVAN ROSS, PRESENTLY EMPLOYED AT COVELO MOTORS, WILL BE TAKING OVER THE BUSINESS. HE HOPES TO ESTABLISH HIMSELF IN THIS BUSINESS AND BUILD UP HIS COLLECTION OF TOOLS AND MACHINES.

MR. ROSE HAS BEEN A MECHANIC AND MACHINIST FOR ABOUT 50 YEARS. HE WILL USE THESE TALENTS WHEN HE MOVES BECAUSE HE INTENDS TO HELP PERFECT A BRUSH CLEARING

WILL MISS THE VALLEY, MR. ROSE SAID HE WOULD. HE HAS ENJOYED WORKING WITH THE MANY FOLKS HERE AND HE WAS JUST BEGINNING TO FEEL HIMSELF A REAL PART OF IT.

MENDO COLLEGE SEEKS COORDINATOR

THE MENDOCINO COLLEGE BOARD OF TRUSTEES HAVE GIVEN THE GREEN LIGHT TO THE ADMINISTRATION TO BEGIN ADVERTISING FOR CANDIDATES TO FILL A FULL-TIME POSITION AS COORDINATOR-INSTRUCTOR FOR THE COAST. CURRENTLY THIS POSITION IS BEING HELD BY AN INTERIM COORDINATOR AND, SINCE THIS SYSTEM HAS PROVEN SO EFFECTIVE, THE BOARD TOOK THE POSITION TO CONTINUE EXPANDING SERVICES ON THE COAST WITH A FULL-TIME PERMANENT COORDINATOR. THE POSITION WILL INVOLVE THE OPENING OF A PERMANENT BRANCH OFFICE ON THE COAST, STAFFED WITH

CLERICAL ASSISTANCE. THIS WILL PROVIDE RESIDENTS AND STUDENTS A DIRECT LINE TO COLLEGE AFFAIRS.

THE COORDINATOR-INSTRUCTOR SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR SUPERVISING COURSES AT SATELLITE CENTERS THROUGHOUT MENDOCINO COUNTY, TO DETERMINE COURSE OFFERINGS, AND TO COORDINATE THE COLLEGE PROGRAM WITH THE NEEDS AND INTEREST OF LOCAL HIGH SCHOOL PROGRAMS. HE WILL BE INSTRUMENTAL IN DETERMINING CERTIFICATED PERSONNEL NEEDS, RECRUITING, INTERVIEWING, AND RECOMMENDING INSTRUCTORS FOR COURSE OFFERINGS THROUGHOUT MENDOCINO

COUNTY. HE WILL ASSIST THE COLLEGE COUNSELING STAFF IN THE ADVISING OF STUDENTS AND ASSIST IN REGISTRATION. ALSO, THE COORDINATOR WILL VISIT THE MAIN CAMPUS WEEKLY TO ATTEND PLANNING MEETINGS OF THE ENTIRE COLLEGE STAFF.

AN ANNOUNCEMENT FOR THIS POSITION WILL BE DISTRIBUTED THROUGHOUT THE COUNTY WITH THE HOPES OF FINDING A QUALIFIED PERSON FROM THE AREA FAMILIAR WITH MENDOCINO COUNTY.

INTERESTED PERSONS ARE INVITED TO CALL THE DEAN OF INSTRUCTION'S OFFICE AT THE MAIN CAMPUS 462-0571 FOR AN APPLICATION.

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SNOW MOUNTAIN WILDERNESS

CONGRESSMAN DON CLAUSEN (R-CALIF.) PRIOR TO THE CONGRESSIONAL RECESS RE-INTRODUCED TWO MEASURES TO CREATE THE SNOW MOUNTAIN WILDERNESS AREA IN NORTHERN CALIFORNIA

CLAUSEN INTRODUCED A BILL TO CREATE THE SNOW MOUNTAIN WILDERNESS AREA, AND JOINED TWO OTHER NORTHERN CALIFORNIA CONGRESSMEN, HAROLD T. "BIZZ" JOHNSON AND ROBERT L. LEGGETT IN CO-SPONSORING A BILL TO MANAGE THE AREA AS A WILDERNESS FOR TWO YEARS WHILE THE FOREST SERVICE COMPLETES ITS STUDIES FOR THE WILDERNESS QUALITIES OF THE AREA.

CLAUSEN SAID, "I EXPECT THE HOUSE INTERIOR COMMITTEE, OF WHICH I AM A MEMBER, TO TAKE FINAL ACTION ON ONE OF THESE BILLS IN THIS CONGRESS". HE ADDED, "THE BILL CREATING THE SNOW MOUNTAIN WILDERNESS AREA HAS THE FORMAL SUPPORT OF EACH OF THE BOARDS OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTIES IN WHICH THE WILDERNESS AREA WILL BE CREATED."

THE PROPOSED SNOW MOUNTAIN WILDERNESS AREA, LOCATED JUST WEST OF WILLOWS, IS THE LAST ROADLESS AREA IN THE MENDOCINO NATIONAL FOREST. SNOW MOUNTAIN PEAK REACHES

NEW BUSINESS
IN COVELO

THE ROUND VALLEY NEWS WELCOMES NEW BUSINESSES TO COVELO. ON THE CORNER OF WATTENBURG AND THE HIGHWAY IS THE GREEN ACRES BEAUTY MANOR. THELMA BRIGHTENSTEIN, THE OWNER, GROWS AND SELLS LOVELY POTTED PLANTS ALONG WITH A SELECTION OF FINE TURQUOISE AND GEMSTONE JEWELRY. THERE ARE A VARIETY OF LAPIDARY PIECES ON DISPLAY AS WELL.

JAN WISNER, MRS. BRIGHTENSTEIN'S NIECE, BRINGS US HER EXPERIENCE AS A COSMOTOLOGIST AND A BEAUTY OPERATOR. SHE HAS COME TO COVELO FROM PATTERSON, CA. A NORMAL WASH AND SET IS \$4 AND YOU CAN MAKE AN APPOINTMENT BY CALLING 983-5091 OR JUST STOPPING BY.

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IF THE BILL TO CREATE THE SNOW MOUNTAIN WILDERNESS AREA IS PASSED (WHICH HAS BEEN PROPOSED SINCE 1953) THEN IT WOULD BECOME LAW WHEN SIGNED BY THE PRESIDENT.

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MORE LOCAL HISTORY

COMANCHE

By. LT. A. G. TASSIN
FROM THE OVERLAND MONTHLY JUNE 1886

COMANCHE WAS A MULE, AND THE PROPERTY OF THE UNITED STATES.

SUCH, AT LEAST, WAS HIS STATUS ON THE RETURNS OF PUBLIC ANIMALS, FOR WHICH THE POST QUARTERMASTER AT CAMP WRIGHT, IN NORTHERN CALIFORNIA, WAS RESPONSIBLE: BUT HOWEVER POSITIVE I MAY BE AS TO HIS HAVING BEEN AN ARTICLE OF PUBLIC PROPERTY, MY EXPERIENCE WITH HIM WAS CALCULATED TO PRODUCE CONSIDERABLE DOUBT IN MY MIND AS TO THE FIRST PART OF THE ASSERTION, HENCE I QUALIFY IT WITH A RESERVATION.

CAMP WRIGHT WAS SITUATED IN ONE OF THE LARGEST OF MANY SMALL VALLEYS FORMED BY THE WINDINGS OF THE EEL RIVERS AMONG THE FOOTHILLS OF THE COAST RANGE IN MENDOCINO COUNTY, AND WITHIN A MILE OR SO OF THE OLD NOME-CULT INDIAN RESERVATION, OVER WHICH IT WAS EXPECTED TO KEEP WATCH AND WARD. IT WAS ABANDONED SOME THREE YEARS SINCE 1875, AND THE ECHOES OF MOUNT ETHEL, WHICH FORMED ITS WESTERN PEAK OF POONKINNY RIDGE BACKGROUND, AND BEHIND WHICH THE SUN SINKS TO HIS REST IN THE WATERS OF THE PACIFIC, ARE NO LONGER AWAKENED BY ITS BUGLES SOUNDING THE BRISK AND CHEERFUL REVEILLE IN THE EARLY MORNING, OR THE SWEETLY-SAD, HALF-SOLEMN NOTES OF TAPS AT EVENTIDE.

THE GOVERNMENT TRANSPORTATION AT THE DISPOSAL OF THE QUARTERMASTER, CONSISTED OF SOME TWENTY HYBRIDS, KNOWN FAR AND WIDE IN ALL THE COUNTRY THEREABOUTS, UNDER THE GENERIC DESIGNATION OF "THE HENLEY MULES", ALL OF WHICH WERE NOTED AMONG THE SETTLERS GENERALLY AS THE WORST SET OF BRONCHOS EVER PALMED OFF ON UNCLE SAM. THEY

WERE ALL BAD — MORALLY AND PHYSICALLY BAD — FOR, WITH BUT ONE EXCEPTION, THEY WERE ALL AS UGLY AS SIN INSIDE AND OUTSIDE.

THE EXCEPTION WAS COMANCHE. HE WAS BY FAR THE BEST LOOKING MULE I HAVE EVER SEEN, BEFORE OR SINCE, BUT IN ACCORDANCE WITH THAT LAW OF COMPENSATION WHICH RUNS THROUGHOUT NATURE, HIS GOOD LOOKS WERE MORE THAN COUNTERBALANCED BY HIS INNATE RASCALITY. COMMON REPORT QUOTED HIM AS A CASE OF TOTAL DEPRAVITY, AND HIS GENERAL REPUTATION AMONG THE SOLDIERS, SETTLERS, AND INDIANS WHO KNEW ANYTHING AT ALL ABOUT HIM, WAS THAT OF AN UNMITIGATED SCOUNDREL WITH WHOM THE LESS ONE HAD TO DO THE BETTER — A REPUTATION OF WHICH, UNTIL FATE IN THE SHAPE OF DUTY INTRODUCED HIM TO ME, I WAS IN BLISSFUL IGNORANCE.

I HAD BEEN SERVING FOR SOME MONTHS IN THE CAPACITY OF A SUBALTERN OFFICER IN THE COMPANY OF REGULAR INFANTRY STATIONED AT CAMP WRIGHT, WHEN I RECEIVED ORDERS FROM DIVISION HEADQUARTERS AT SAN FRANCISCO, TO PROCEED WITH A MOUNTED SQUAD TO UKIAH, THE COUNTY-SEAT OF MENDOCINO, SOME SIXTY MILES FURTHER SOUTH, TO MEET THE PAYMASTER WITH THE PUBLIC FUNDS IN HIS CHARGE FOR THE PAYMENT OF THE TROOPS IN HIS DISTRICT, AND ESCORT HIM THENCE TO THE CAMP, WITH SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS TO KEEP A SHARP LOOK-OUT FOR SOME ROAD-AGENTS SUPPOSED TO BE "LAYING OUT" FOR HIM AND HIS GREENBACKS AT SOME ONE OF THE MANY CROSSINGS OF TOMKYE CREEK, A LITTLE MORE THAN MID-WAY BETWEEN THE TWO PLACES.

CONTINUED NEXT ISSUE



Country
Kitchen
By Shirley
Marion

THE AROMA WHILE BAKING YOUR OWN BREAD IS WELL WORTH THE EFFORT, NOT ONLY SELF-SATISFACTION, BUT CHILDREN'S FONDEST MEMORIES OF HOT BREAD AND BUTTER AFTER SCHOOL. THIS RECIPE WAS GIVEN TO ME WHEN I HAD LUNCH WITH DEAR FRIENDS.

NUTRITIOUS WHEAT BREAD

1 CUP SEEDLESS RAISINS, 1 CUP GOLDEN RAISINS, 3 PKG. ACTIVE DRY YEAST, 4 CUPS WARM WATER, 3 EGGS, ONE HALF CUP SHORTENING, MELTED, THREE QUARTERS CUP OF HONEY, ONE AND A HALF CUPS CRACKED WHEAT, 7 CUPS UNSIFTED WHOLE WHEAT FLOUR, 3 CUPS SIFTED ALL PURPOSE FLOUR, ONE HALF CUP WHEAT GERM, 1 CUP NON FAT DRY MILK, 5 TSP. SALT, THREE QUARTERS CUP UNTOASTED SUN FLOWER SEEDS, 1 Tbsp. COLD WATER. COVER RAISINS WITH HOT WATER AND LET STAND UNTIL COOL, DRAIN, SPREAD ON PAPER TOWEL, BLOT DRY TO REMOVE EXCESS MOISTURE, SET ASIDE. DISSOLVE YEAST IN WARM WATER IN A 4 QT. BOWL. BEAT TWO WHOLE EGGS AND ONE YOLK (RESERVE ONE EGG WHITE FOR GLAZING TOP OF BREAD), STIR INTO YEAST ALONG WITH MELTED SHORTENING AND HONEY MIXING WELL. STIR IN CRACKED WHEAT, LET STAND WHILE MEASURING REMAINING INGREDIENTS. COMBINE WHOLE WHEAT AND ALL PURPOSE FLOURS WITH WHEAT GERM, DRY MILK AND SALT, MIXING WELL. STIR DRY INGREDIENTS INTO YEAST MIXTURE AND BLEND THOROUGHLY UNTIL DOUGH IS STIFF AND LEAVES SIDES OF BOWL. STIR IN RAISINS AND SUNFLOWER SEEDS. SPOON HALF OF DOUGH ONTO WELL-FLOURED BOARD AND KNEAD UNTIL SMOOTH, USING EXTRA FLOUR IF NECESSARY.

PLACE IN WELL-GREASED GLASS OR CROCKERY BOWL. TURN ONCE TO BRING GREASED SIDE UP.

REPEAT WITH REMAINING DOUGH AND PLACE IN SECOND 4 QT. BOWL. COVER AND LET RISE IN WARM, DRAFT-FREE SPOT FOR ABOUT 2 AND A HALF HOURS, OR UNTIL DOUBLE IN BULK. (PRESS TWO FINGERS IN CENTER OF DOUGH. IT WILL LEAVE INDENTATION WHEN DOUGH IS DOUBLED)

PUNCH DOWN, SHAPE INTO LOAVES AND PLACE IN WELL-GREASED BREAD PANS. COMBINE RESERVED EGG WHITE AND WATER, BRUSH OVER TOP OF LOAVES. COVER WITH DAMP CLOTH AND LET RISE UNTIL DOUBLE IN BULK, ABOUT 1 HOUR.

BAKE IN PREHEATED 375 DEGREE OVEN FOR ABOUT 30 TO 50 MINUTES, DEPENDING UPON SIZE OF PAN. MAKES 4 LARGE 9 X 5 X 3 INCH LOAVES.

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PHOTO EXHIBIT, "AN AMERICAN EXODUS"

"AN AMERICAN EXODUS", THE PHOTOGRAPHIC RECORD OF HUMAN EROSION RESULTING IN THE WESTWARD MOVEMENT OF THOUSANDS OF JOBLESS PEOPLE IN THE THIRTIES, WILL OPEN AT THE MENDOCINO COUNTY MUSEUM IN WILLITS ON MAY 3 AND WILL CONTINUE THROUGH JUNE 1, 1975.

THE STARKLY BEAUTIFUL PHOTOGRAPHY OF THE LATE DOROTHEA LANGE CHRONICLES THE MISERABLE CHAPTER OF AMERICAN ECONOMIC HISTORY DURING THE 1930'S. THE DEPRESSION AND DROUGHT COMBINED TO FORCE DISHEARTENED FARMERS TO MOVE TO CALIFORNIA SEEKING AGRICULTURAL WORK ON THE IRRIGATED LANDS.

THE FARM SECURITY ADMINISTRATION HIRED A CORPS OF PHOTOGRAPHERS DURING THE DEPRESSION TO RECORD THE PLIGHT OF FARMERS DRIVEN FROM THEIR LAND. BECAUSE OF HER COMPASSIONATE HUMAN PORTRAYALS, DOROTHEA LANGE WAS AMONG THE FIRST PHOTOGRAPHERS TO BE HIRED AND THE PHOTOGRAPHS SHE TOOK BECAME CLASSICS.

THE EARLY PHOTOGRAPHS IN THIS SPECIAL EXHIBITION WERE FIRST PUBLISHED IN 1939 BY DOROTHEA LANGE AND HER HUSBAND, PAUL TAYLOR. AFTER MISS LANGE'S DEATH, THE BOOK AN AMERICAN EXODUS WAS REPUBLISHED IN 1969 AND UPDATED THROUGH THE 1950'S, TERMED "END OF THE ROAD - THE CITY."

THE DOROTHEA LANGE PHOTOGRAPH COLLECTION HAS BEEN GIVEN TO THE OAKLAND MUSEUM AND THIS "AN AMERICAN EXODUS" EXHIBITION WAS ARRANGED FOR THE OPENING OF THE NEW OAKLAND MUSEUM IN 1969. THE PHOTOGRAPHS ARE TOURING MUSEUMS AND GALLERIES THROUGHOUT THE U.S. AND CANADA UNDER THE AUSPICES OF THE SMITHSONIAN INSTITUTION TRAVELING EXHIBITION SERVICE AND WILL BE ON THE WEST COAST AGAIN FOR THEIR SHOWING AT THE MENDOCINO COUNTY MUSEUM. LOCATED AT 400 EAST COMMERCIAL STREET IN WILLITS, THE MENDOCINO COUNTY MUSEUM IS OPEN DAILY FROM 10 TO 5.



LOYAL L. SIMMONS

FUNERAL SERVICES WERE HELD APRIL 22ND, AT FAITH TABERNACLE CHURCH FOR LOYAL L. SIMMONS. THE 17-YR-OLD INVALID, A COVELO RESIDENT FOR THE PAST 15 YEARS, DIED SATURDAY NIGHT, APRIL 19, AT HIS HOME.

A NATIVE OF ST. LOUIS, MO., HE IS SURVIVED BY HIS PARENTS, MR. AND MRS. LEWIS SIMMONS; A BROTHER, GENE, AND SISTER, LAURIE, AND BY HIS GRANDPARENTS, MR. AND MRS. SYLVESTER SIMMONS, ALL OF COVELO.

OFFICIATING AT THE CEREMONY WAS REV. WILLIAM STRICKLAND. BURIAL WAS AT HEAD-QUARTERS CEMETERY, WITH ANKER-LUCIER MORTUARY IN CHARGE.

SPRING CLEANING

ON FRIDAY, APR. 18, THERE WERE 6TH GRADE STUDENTS ENTHUSIASTICALLY RUNNING ABOUT TOWN PICKING UP LITTER. THE SPRING CLEANING PROJECT, AN IDEA OF MR. NUNNEMAKER, WAS AIDED BY VOLUNTEER PARENTS, INCLUDING BOB PHILLIPS, JEANNE BROWN AND MRS. LESLIE STEWART. ANGIE TUTTLE, TEACHER'S AIDE, ALSO CHAUFFEURED THE STUDENTS AROUND THE VALLEY.

THE GROUP PICTURED HAS ALREADY FILLED 5 BURLAP BAGS WITH LITTER AND THEY WERE STILL GOING STRONG.

WHEN THE CHILDREN

WERE UP BY INSPIRATION POINT AN ANONYMOUS GENTLEMAN CAME BY AND, SEEING WHAT THEY WERE UP TO, HE AWARDED THE 32 6TH GRADERS WITH \$32. THE CHILDREN WOULD ALL LIKE TO THANK THIS GENEROUS STRANGER - THEY ALL WERE ABLE TO FEAST OVER AT JACK'S DRIVE-IN TO WRAP UP THEIR GIFT TO THE TOWN.

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INFORMATION REGARDING APPLICATION PROCEDURE HAS BEEN SENT TO ALL THE HIGH SCHOOLS IN LAKE AND MENDOCINO COUNTIES. SCHOLARSHIPS WILL BE AWARDED ON THE BASIS OF NEED, SCHOLASTIC ACHIEVEMENT AND CITIZENSHIP AND NO RESTRICTION IS PLACED ON TYPE OF FUTURE EDUCATION TO BE PURSUED BY THE STUDENT. APPLICATIONS ARE DUE BY MAY 15, 1975.

IN 1974 AWARDS WERE MADE TO PETER LAND OF FORT BRAGG AND MICHEL SANDS OF BOONVILLE.

INFORMATION CAN BE OBTAINED BY WRITING KONOCTI CHAPTER NO. 19 OF THE CALIFORNIA EMPLOYEES ASSOCIATION, P. O. BOX 772, UKIAH, CA. 95482 OR BY CALLING MRS. E. J. FRONEBERGER, CHAIRPERSON, AT 462-1911 OR 462-9142.

THE MOUSETRAP

"THE MOUSETRAP", WHICH IS THE SPRING PRODUCTION OF MENDOCINO COLLEGE, HAS BEGUN REHEARSALS. BOTH COMMUNITY MEMBERS AS WELL AS STUDENTS WILL BE INVOLVED IN THE PRODUCTION WHICH WILL PREMIERE ON APRIL 25.

THERE WILL BE SIX PERFORMANCES WITH A SPECIAL MATINEE ON SUNDAY, APRIL 27.

"THE MOUSETRAP" IS A MYSTERY-DRAMA AND AT PRESENT IS THE LONGEST RUNNING SHOW IN THEATRE HISTORY - NOW IN ITS 23RD YEAR OF PRODUCTION IN LONDON.

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TICKETS FOR THE PLAY WILL GO ON SALE AT THE BOOK REVUE BEGINNING APRIL 7 AND WILL COST \$2.00 EACH. PRODUCTION DATES WILL BE APRIL 25, 26, AND 27 AND MAY 1, 2, AND 3.

PADDLE CANOES
MENDO-LAKE YOUTH

A CONSORTIUM OF LEADERS OF YOUTH FROM LAKE AND MENDOCINO COUNTIES MET TUESDAY EVENING, APRIL 15, TO PLAN A CANOE OUTING FOR YOUNG PEOPLE IN GRADES 7 - 9. ACTING TOGETHER AS A MENDO-LAKE YOUTH CONSORTIUM FOR COOPERATIVE PLANNING, YOUTH LEADERS OF BOTH COUNTIES FROM CHURCHES, SCHOOLS, TEEN CENTERS, CAMP FIRE GIRLS, INDIAN ORGANIZATIONS, THE MENDO-LAKE YOUTH PROJECT, AND THE OUTDOOR CLUB LAID PLANS FOR AN ALL DAY CANOE OUTING ON THE ALBION AND BIG RIVERS UP FROM THE MENDOCINO COAST TO BE HELD SATURDAY, MAY 17, 1975.

THE GROUP PLANS FOR JUNIOR HIGH AGED YOUTH TO RIDE THE TIDE UP RIVER FROM THE COAST 3-4 MILES, PICNIC AND RIDE THE TIDE BACK FOR A DAY OF FRIENDSHIP, OUTDOOR RECREATION AND GOOD FUN. CONSORTIUM LEADERS INVITE OTHER YOUTH ORGANIZATIONS AND GROUPS TO JOIN THEM AS WELL AS INDIVIDUAL JUNIOR HIGH AGED YOUTH WHO WOULD LIKE TO COME ALONG. EXPERIENCED WATER SAFETY PERSONS AND CANOEISTS WILL BE LEADING THE EVENT. GROUPS WITH EIGHT OR MORE YOUTH ARE ASKED TO PROVIDE ONE SKILLED CHAPERONE. LIFE JACKETS AND FLOATING CANOES ARE TO BE USED.

AFFILIATING GROUPS MUST ARRANGE THEIR OWN TRANSPORTATION FROM HOME TO THE COASTAL CANOE BASINS AND BACK. EACH PERSON WILL BRING HIS-HER OWN LUNCH. THE COST WILL BE NO MORE THAN \$3.75 A PERSON.

SCHOLARSHIPS ARE BEING SOUGHT BY CONSORTIUM LEADERS TO HELP YOUTH WHO MAY NOT BE ABLE TO RAISE THE FULL AMOUNT, SO NO YOUNG PERSON WILL BE EXCLUDED BY FINANCES.

PERSONS WISHING TO DONATE SCHOLARSHIP AID, LEADERS WISHING TO ARRANGE FOR THEIR GROUPS TO ATTEND, PERSONS WANTING REGISTRATION INFORMATION OR FURTHER DETAILS SHOULD CALL THESE NUMBERS. IN MENDOCINO COUNTY EXT. 383

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SPOKESPERSON FOR YOUTH CONSORTIUM, DAVID PATTON OF THE MENDO-LAKE YOUTH PROJECT, STATES THAT THE DEADLINE FOR REGISTRATION IS 2 PM FRI., MAY 2. AFTER REGISTRATIONS ARE CLOSED, THOSE SIGNING UP WILL BE GIVEN EXACT INSTRUCTIONS ABOUT ASSEMBLING TIMES, SITES AND OTHER DETAILS.

R.V.H.S. SOFTBALL

THE GIRLS' SOFTBALL TEAM DEFEATED WILLITS HERE APRIL 1ST 22-7 IN THE FIRST PRACTICE GAME FOR BOTH TEAMS. THE MUSTANGS SCORED THEIR 22 RUNS ON 24 HITS, TAKING ADVANTAGE OF THE MANY WILLITS ERRORS BOTH PHYSICAL AND MENTAL.

MARILYN HORNE WAS THE WINNING PITCHER. THE FOLLOWING GIRLS PLAYED IN THE GAME:

PLAYER	BATTING AVERAGE (AFTER ONE GAME)
LEIGH ROCKEY	.400
DELEEN SMITH	.800
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MARILYN HORNE	1.000
DEBBIE ELLIS	.250
BETH BRINKERHOFF	.800
DONNA THOMAS	.333
KERRIE BRYANT	.000
VICKI COMALLI	1.000

FRIDAY'S LEAGUE OPENER WITH LEGGETT WAS RAINED OUT. WEATHER PERMITTING, THE MUSTANGS MEET ANDERSON VALLEY HERE AT 2.30 PM FRIDAY, APRIL 18TH AT THE LEAGUE FIELD IN THE NEXT LEAGUE GAME.

MUSTANGS SWEEP LEAGUE TRIANGULAR

THE COVELO TRACK SQUAD SPREAD THE WEALTH AROUND. OUT OF A POSSIBLE 40 EVENTS, THE MUSTANGS NAILED DOWN 28 FIRST PLACE FINISHES. THE JUNIOR VARSITY SQUAD HAD A FIELD DAY WINNING 13 OF 14 EVENTS, FAILING TO PLACE IN THE POLE VAULT IN WHICH THEY DO NOT COMPETE YET.

THE GIRLS SET THE TONE FOR THE WIND-WHIPPED CHILLY AFTERNOON IN GEYSERVILLE BY WINNING THE FIRST 5 EVENTS. DAWN COOK ANCHORED THE 44 RELAY TEAM TO VICTORY AS WELL AS WINNING THE 100 YD. DASH AND THE LONG JUMP. SLENDER RONNA THOMAS SHOWED A TREMENDOUS AMOUNT OF COURAGE AND DETERMINATION RUNNING HER HEART OUT IN THE 440 YD., THE 880 YD. (ONE HALF MI.) AND THE MILE EVENTS FOR STRONG FIRST PLACE FINISHES. SHERRI SERGEANT WON THE DISCUS THROW WITH A 60 FOOT 9 INCH EFFORT. LEIGH ROCKEY HAD 2 SECONDS, A THIRD AND A FOURTH FOR A FINE DAY. THE GIRLS SCORING WAS COVELO 69, LEGGETT 29, MENDOCINO 23 AND GEYSERVILLE 9.

THE JUNIOR VARSITY SHOWED WHERE A LITTLE WORK WILL BRING BIG DIVIDENDS. BUBBA DALSON ANCHORED THE 440 RELAY TEAM TO A STRONG WIN AS WELL AS WINNING THE 100 YD. DASH AND THE 220 YARD DASH HIMSELF. TERRY KLUNDT NAILED DOWN THE 330 LOW HURDLES, THE 440 YARD RUN AND PARTICIPATED ON THE WINNING 440 RELAY TEAM. MARK PETERSON CONTROLLED THE 70 YD. HIGH HURDLES AND THE 880 YARD RUN. DAVID BOYDEN SHOWED SOME TRUE GRIT WINNING BOTH THE MILE AND TWO MILE RUNS. KEVIN BRITTON WON THE SHOT PUT, DALE SMALLWOOD WON THE DISCUS THROW AND BOB BEYANT TOOK THE HIGH JUMP WITH A LEAP OF 4 FEET 8 INCHES. BRYANT HAD 3 SECOND PLACES FINISHES, LONZO FULWIDER HAD 2 SECONDS AND WAS A LEG ON THE 440 RELAY TEAM. KEVIN BRITTON CHALKED UP 2 SECONDS AND SMALLWOOD ADDED A SECOND AND A THIRD. THE SQUAD WAS CAUGHT IN A MIS-MATCH WINNING 130 AND A HALF TO GEYSERVILLE'S 23 AND A HALF AND LEGGETT'S 2.

THE VARSITY SCENE WAS SET BY GENE SIMMONS WINNING THE 330 LOWS, THE 220 YARD DASH AND RUNNING THE FIRST LEG OF THE WINNING 440 RELAY. RON HOWELL MUSCLED HIS WAY TO OVER-WHELMING WINS IN DISCUS AND SHOT PUT THROWS AS WELL AS RUNNING THE SECOND LEG OF THE 440 RELAY. JEFF SPIVEY CONTROLLED THE 100 YD. DASH AND GUY O'FERRALL SEWED UP THE 880 YARD RUN. THE SCORING WAS MORE COMPETITIVE WITH THE VARSITY SQUEEZING OUT 83 POINTS TO MENDOCINO'S 71, GEYSERVILLE'S 42 AND LEGGETT'S 8.

COACH NUNNEMAKER IS VERY CAUTIOUS AS THE SQUAD APPROACHES THE NORTHWESTERN LEAGUE FINALS IN GEYSERVILLE ON MAY 17TH. HE IS PARTICULARLY ENTHUSED THAT SO MANY PEOPLE HAVE GOTTEN BEHIND THE TRACK PROGRAM PHYSICALLY. THE CEMENT IS SCHEDULED TO BE POURED MONDAY FOR THE SHOT AND DISCUS PLATFORMS. JOHNNY ROHRBOUGH IS LOOKING TOWARDS GRADING A 440 TRACK AT THE GRADE SCHOOL AND SAND IS COMING FOR THE TRIPLE AND LONG JUMP PITS.

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MAURINE PETSCH

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CINDY KLEINHANS

I'D LIKE TO HAVE A ONCE OR TWICE A WEEK BUS TRIP OUT OF THE VALLEY, HAVE A SIGN-UP LIST TO MAKE SURE THE BUS WOULD BE FULL ENOUGH. IT DOESN'T HAVE TO BE A LARGE PUBLIC BUS OR ANYTHING - RATHER PEOPLE COULD CHECK ON A LIST AND GET TOGETHER A TRIP IN AND OUT.



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