



WAMOC RAMBLER

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DUES ARE DUE

TRIPS - NOVEMBER 1953

- NOVEMBER 7
8 GERMANIA HUT - LATE FALL OR EARLY WINTER OVERNIGHT
TRIP TO THE HUT. MAY BE SKIING OR HIKING, DEPEND-
ING WHAT THE WEATHER MAN FURNISHES.
LEADER: HAROLD GOODRO
TRANSPORTATION: \$1.00
LEAVE: SATURDAY EVENING
- NOVEMBER 15 ICE SKATING AT HYGEIA ICELAND
ENJOY AN AFTERNOON ON THE ICE. MUSIC AND FUN.
LEADER: ELIZABETH LARSEN
TIME: 3:30 TO 5:30 P.M.
COST: \$0.50 IF YOU RENT SKATES: \$0.25
- NOVEMBER 21 SKI HOP - LODGE, BRIGHTON, UTAH
22 CELEBRATE THE COMING OF WINTER - POWDER SNOW AND
SKIING. AN EVENING TO BE REMEMBERED.
LEADER: TO BE ANNOUNCED
COST: PARTY ONLY \$1.00
 PARTY, OVER NIGHT, BREAKFAST, DINNER
 MEMBERS \$2.75
 GUESTS 3.00
TRANSPORTATION: \$1.00
TIME: 8:00 P.M.
REGISTER BY 5 P.M. FRIDAY
- NOVEMBER 29 SKIING AT ALTA - WITH THE WEATHERMAN'S COOPERATION
A DAY ON NEW POWDERED SNOW IS PROMISED.
LEADER: JIM SHANE
TRANSPORTATION: \$1.00
LEAVE: 8:00 SUNDAY MORNING
REGISTER BY 5 P.M. FRIDAY
- DECEMBER 6 TO BE ANNOUNCED.

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NOVEMBER 1 IS THE BEGINNING OF THE CLUB YEAR. DUES ARE
DUE. SEND THEM TO YOUR CLUB SECRETARY - WENONAH MCGHAN.
DUES ARE STILL \$5.00.

THE BETWEEN SEASON EFFECT MUST BE TAKING PLACE. THE LULL BEFORE THE STORM - SKIING. THE WEATHERMAN REFUSES TO DEVULGE WHEN THE SKIING WILL BEGIN - YET GIVES US TOO MUCH SNOW FOR HIKING. MAKES IT DIFFICULT ON THE TRIPS AND OUTINGS DIRECTOR.

THE RAMBLER WORKS THE SAME WAY. TAKE A LOOK - MISS SOMETHING, NO? LOOK AGAIN - NO TRIP WRITEUPS. REASON - NO AMBITION. HAD A GOOD CROWD FULL OF AMBITION ON THE LAKE DESOLATION TRIP THIS FALL, AMID PIECES OF EIGHT AND INCIDENTLY THE FIRST FLURRIES OF THE WINTER - DELIGHTFUL. A WORK TRIP. SUCH AMBITION. LOTS ACCOMPLISHED AND THE LODGE PUT IN FIRST-CLASS SHAPE FOR THE WINTER STUFF. (WATER QUESTION STILL A QUESTION. HALLOWEEN WILL TELL) ANOTHER WORK TRIP - MORE WATER WORKS AND NO LIGHTS - DEER SEASON AND ONLY A FEW WERE THERE. ALL ATE HEARTILY, ENJOYED GOOD COMPANY, DID GET THE FINAL ITEMS FIXED UP.

OH YES - ALL WERE TO HAVE BEEN WRITTEN UP IN THE USUAL MOUNTAIN CLUB STYLE - BUT - NO AMBITION. OH YES - ONE WORK TRIP WAS COMPOSED ON PAPER IN FINE STYLE BY TOM CHAMBERLAIN - HE GAVE IT TO AARON - AARON PUT IN POCKET - NOW CAN'T FIND WHICH POCKET. OH WELL, SKIING IS COMING - HIKING IS ALAS OVER. ONE MORE SNOW SHOULD BRING THE SKIIS OUT FROM UNDER THE TRUNK IN THE BASEMENT FOR DUSTING OFF - SKIING WILL BE HERE.

SKIING IS COMING AND AMBITION WILL RISE. WHEN THE SKIING GETS GOOD - BOOTS SHOULD BE TAKEN TO PETE FOR REPAIRS - WELL THE DAY BEFORE NEEDED ANYWAY. THEN ALL WILL HAVE AMBITION ONCE AGAIN.

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CLUB MEMBERS HAROLD GOODRO, LEE JENSEN, AND CAINE ALDER MADE A FIRST DESCENT RECENTLY, INSTEAD OF A FIRST ASCENT AS IS THEIR USUAL ACHIEVEMENT, WHEN THEY EXPLORED NEFF'S CAVE FROM TOP TO BOTTOM. MEMBERS MAY RECALL THAT MOUNTAIN CLUB MEMBERS PLAYED AN IMPORTANT PART IN THE EXPLORATION AND OPENING OF TIMPANOGAS CAVE. IT WAS LARGELY THROUGH THE EFFORTS OF THE CLUB THAT THE CAVE WAS MADE A NATIONAL MONUMENT.

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PLAN NOW TO BOWL THIS WINTER

THE CLUB WILL BE BOWLING AGAIN THIS WINTER. O'DELL PETERSON IS BUSY MAKING ARRANGEMENTS. WATCH FOR NOTICE IN THE NEAR FUTURE. WILL PROBABLY BE ON EVERY OTHER WEDNESDAY.

NEW MEMBERS

VERA VAN TONGEL
440 EAST 300 SOUTH
PHONE 9-0021

GENE HIGGINBOTHAM
111 HILLSIDE AVENUE
PHONE 5-7762

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BOB AND DORDY WRIGHT ARE THE PROUD PARENTS OF A BEAUTIFUL LITTLE GIRL - LAUREL LYNN, BORN OCTOBER 10, 1953. CONGRATULATIONS.

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CLUB MEMBERS ARE SORRY TO HEAR THAT TOM CHAMBERLAIN HAS MOVED TO SAN FRANCISCO TO WORK FOR AN ENGINEERING FIRM. TOM HAS DONE AN OUTSTANDING JOB OF PUTTING THE LODGE IN ORDER THIS PAST YEAR, A PIECE OF WORK HARD TO DO BUT SOMEHOW EVERYONE ENJOYED WORKING UNDER HIS DIRECTION. HAROLD GOODRO WILL TAKE OVER HIS DUTIES AS LODGE DIRECTOR.

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AT A RECENT DIRECTORS' MEETING, HELD AT HAROLD GOODRO'S HOME, THE MEMBERS ENJOYED SEEING SOME OF THE FIRST PICTURES TAKEN OF WASATCH MOUNTAIN HIKEs AND SOCIAL EVENTS. THEY WERE FURNISHED BY GEORGE YOUNG, ONE OF THE ORIGINAL MEMBERS OF THE CLUB. FROM THE POSES, THE 1921 DOINGS SEEM TO BE JUST ABOUT AS MERRY AND FULL OF NON-SENSE AS THE PRESENT ACTIVITIES.

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RUMOR HAS IT THAT SOME OF THE GALS HAVE THEIR SKIING RIDES TO ALTA ALL LINED UP FOR THE SEASON. ALL THAT IS REQUIRED IS SNOW.

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ON THE SUBJECT OF SNOW - IT HAS BEEN SUGGESTED THAT THE SKI HOP BE TURNED INTO A SNOW MAKERS' WAKE TO TRY FOR IMMEDIATE RESULTS.

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IT IS WITH REGRET THAT MEMBER HEAR OF THE DEATH OF BILL WASSMER'S SISTER VERA. OUR DEEPEST SYMPATHY GOES TO BILL AND HIS FAMILY IN THEIR SORROW.

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