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NOMINATION DINNER SATURDAY, MARCH 20

TRIPS - MARCH 1954

- MARCH 7 HOW ABOUT A LITTLE CHANGE.
LOGAN SKI AREA AND A NEW SKI LIFT. INTERESTING AND
VARIED SKIING FOR PACKED AND POWDER SKIER ALIKE.
LEADER: JACK WHITE 7-2915
COST: \$3.00 (BUS FARE)
LEAVE: SUNDAY MORNING 7:30 A.M. FROM
29 WEST SOUTH TEMPLE
BRING YOUR LUNCH AND CAMERA.
REGISTER BY 5 P.M. FRIDAY.
- MARCH 10. WEDNESDAY NIGHT ICE SKATING AT HYGEIA ICELAND.
HAVE YOU HEARD ABOUT THE HIGHLY ATTENDED MID-WEEK
GET-TOGETHERS? COME AND BRING THE FAMILY. NO
REGISTRATION NECESSARY.
- MARCH 14. OPEN
- MARCH 20 NOMINATION DINNER
AGAIN THIS YEAR WE ARE FORTUNATE TO BE ABLE TO HOLD
IT AT THE MEADOWBROOK GOLF COURSE. AN EVENING OF
DANCING WILL FOLLOW THE DINNER AND NOMINATIONS.
4197 SOUTH 1300 WEST.
PRICE: \$2.50 PER PLATE.
TIME: 7:30 P.M.
REGISTRATION CLOSSES WEDNESDAY EVENING MARCH 17.
CALL ANY BOARD MEMBER OR RECREATION DIRECTOR,
O'DELL PETERSEN 5-7216.
TRANSPORTATION: SHIRLEY WASSMER 84-5886
- MARCH 21 SKI ALTA. ENJOY THE WONDERFUL SLOPES OF ALTA.
THE IDES OF MARCH CAN MEAN ONLY ONE THING - A DAY
OF BRIGHT SUNSHINE AND EXCELLENT SKIING.
FOR TRANSPORTATION CALL: SHIRLEY WASSMER 84-5886
TRANSPORTATION: \$1.00.
- MARCH 24 SWIM NIGHT - AT Y.W.C.A.
TIME: 9 - 10 P.M. COST 50¢
JOIN IN THE WEDNESDAY EVENING "DIP". FUN FOR
EVERYONE.
- MARCH 28 OPEN
- APRIL 4 SKI CIRCUS - CIRCLE THIS DATE AS YOUR "MUST" FOR FUN
AND LAUGHTER. A REAL THREE-RING CIRCUS OF HILARITY
AT THE LODGE. WATCH FOR DETAILS. SPRING SKIING AND
A BARREL OF FUN.

PARRY TROPHY

CLARENCE R. PARRY, WHO IS A CHARTER MEMBER OF OUR MOUNTAIN CLUB AND ONE OF OUR ORGANIZERS, IS ESTABLISHING THE PARRY TROPHY. THIS TROPHY IS TO GIVE SPECIAL RECOGNITION TO A MEMBER EACH YEAR FOR OUTSTANDING MOUNTAINEERING ACTIVITY. THE COVETED TROPHY WILL BE PRESENTED AT THE NOMINATION DINNER EACH YEAR. THE RECIPIENT OF THIS AWARD WILL BE DETERMINED BY A COMMITTEE OF THREE. THIS YEAR THE COMMITTEE WILL BE O'DELL PETERSEN, CHAIRMAN; JACK WHITE, PRESIDENT; AND AARON FILLER, MEMBER.

AS WE ARE PRINCIPALLY A MOUNTAINEERING CLUB, THIS WILL BE A VERY WORTHWHILE AND HIGHLY PRIZED AWARD AND OUR SINCERE APPRECIATION FOR RECOGNIZING OUR NEED FOR SUCH AN AWARD GOES TO "PA" AND HIS GENEROSITY IN MAKING THE "PARRY TROPHY" POSSIBLE.

WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY WEEKEND BY CARL BAUER

AS THE VALIANT OF OTHER WINTERS LANGUISH, OR SUCCUMB TO THE SEASONAL LURE OF ALTA'S SUPERB POWDER, ANY PLANNED DIVERSION SEEMS DOOMED, AT THE OUTSET, TO CONCELLATION; BUT IN THIS CASE, THANKS TO NEW FRIENDS - AND OLD, SUCH WAS NOT TO BE.

SATURDAY EVENING WAS SPENT BEFORE THE FIREPLACE, WITH THE PLEASURABLE DIVERSIONS OF REFRESHMENTS AND TROUBADOR FILLER'S GUITAR. AN OPTIMISTIC MEMBER WITH MEMORIES OF FOLK-DANCING OF OTHER YEARS, MADE A SEARCH OF OUR IMPOSING STACKS OF RECORDINGS, AND WAS REWARDED WITH AVALANCHES OF AFRICAN RHYTHM, THE AGONIZING VOCALS AND ACCOMPANYING PANDEMONIUM, MIGHT POSSIBLY, IN CASE OF ADVANCED ALCOHOLISM, GIVE RISE TO AN AMBULATORY SUBSTITUTE FOR DANCING. BUT IT IS OFTEN "DARKEST JUST BEFORE DAWN," WHICH CAME WITH THE FINDING OF "LILI MARLENE" AND STRAUSS' "VOICES OF SPRING". EVEN OUR RAM-SCHACKLED PIANO SHARED IN THE EXALTATION BENEATH THE ARTISTIC FINGERS OF ALBERT BACHMAN.

BREAKFAST FOUND THE TRADITIONAL VIAND HOTLY CONTESTING FOR FAVOR WITH CHEF FILLER'S HOT CAKES, WITH RESULTS WHICH SAPPED AMBITION, BUT PERMITTED A LIESURELY TREK TO THE SNAKE CREEK DIVIDE. LUNCH BENEATH AN APRIL SUN WAS FOLLOWED BY THE ECSTASY OF A HOMING FLIGHT SUCH AS WAS GRANTED ONLY TO MERCURY, MOST FAVORED OF THE GODS.

WE HAVE RESERVED THESE GLADES AND RIDGES FOR A MOONLIGHT RUN NOT MANY WEEKS HENCE.

BRIGHTON, WE LOVE THEE!

SHERRIE DUNHAM
ALBERT BACHMAN
KURT ROSENFELD
DICK WOODFORD
JEAN TURNQUIST
DON BENNION

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HAVE YOU EVER TRIED BROUSING AROUND THE LIBRARY? IT CAN BRING MANY INTERESTING BITS - HERE IS AN EXERPT FROM A BOOK WRITTEN BY DR. C.P. FORDYCE IN 1916 ENTITLED TOURING AFOOT - THE RESULT OF ONE OF COLEEN COX'S VISITS TO THE LIBRARY.

TAKEN FROM CHAPTER ENTITLED "WINTER TRAVEL AFOOT"

"THE SKI (PRONOUNCED 'SKEE') IS USED FOR WALKING (REALLY TOBAGANNING OR SKATING) OVER THE DEEP SNOW, PROTECTING THE WALKER FROM BREAKING THROUGH AND BECOMING IMMERSSED IN A FLEECY BATH. IN REGIONS WHERE THE SNOW GETS TO A DEPTH OF 5 TO 7 FEET THE SKI IS INTENSELY UTILITARIAN, BEING A REAL NECESSITY FOR TRAVEL AS OTHERWISE TRAVELERS WOULD BECOME HOPELESSLY BURIED IN THE DRIFTS AND PERHAPS PERISH. IN THIS COUNTRY IT IS BECOMING MORE POPULAR EACH YEAR AND IN MANY SECTIONS IT IS REPLACING THE SNOWSHOE FOR WINTER TRAVEL."

"IF SPORTIVELY INCLINED AND TRAINED HE CAN SPEED DOWNHILL SO FAST THAT THE SENSE OF MOTION IS LOST AND SCENERY IS VERILY 'SNATCHED' PAST IN RAPID PANORAMA."

BITS FROM HERE AND THERE

NEWS COMES FROM ALASKA THAT CHECK DUNHAM (BROTHER OF OUR NEWEST MEMBER) IS BUSY ON THE ANCHORAGE SKI PATROL...THE ZILONKA'S SPENT WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY CUTTING UP THE SLOPES OF SUN VALLEY. LOIS SAYS IT'S FABULOUS...AFTER A DAY OF SKIING, CARL BAUER'S COMMENT IS "MOVE OVER, HERE COMES WOLF BAUER..."...HAVE YOU SEEN JANET C'S FROST PICTURE AND PETE'S 3D'S TAKEN ON THEIR RECENT CLIMB OF MT. OLYMPUS ABOVE THE FOG, REALLY SOMETHING...EAGER BEAVERS COLEEN COX AND JANET R. ARRIVED AT THE ALTA LIFT 20 MINUTES EARLY, TO BE FIRST. YOU GUESSED IT, A HIGH SCHOOL LAD DID SOME FANCY MANEUVERING...BILLIE AND JACK WOLFE RECENTLY ENJOYED A WEEK OF SKIING AT ALTA AND CHIC'S FINE ALTA LODGE HOSPITALITY...WITH LIFT LINES THE WAY THEY ARE TODAY, IF YOU SEE A FRIEND AT THE OTHER END OF THE LINE, YOU CAN BE SURE YOUR ONLY COMMUNICATION WILL BE WAVING...JACK WHITE, AND JIM AND ELFREDE SHANE HAVE MADE SO MANY TRIPS TO GREELEY BOWL THAT WE BIGIN TO SUSPECT THAT THE RIDE MUST BE PRETTY GOOD...