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TRIP SCHEDULE

- Nov. 3 THE ARCHES - DEAD HORSE POINT - FISHER TOWERS.
4 WE HAVE HAD OUR FIRST STORM; NOW THE WEATHER SHOULD
CLEAR UP AND BE IDEAL FOR THIS TRIP - PERHAPS A BIT
CRISP AT NIGHT, BUT FINE DURING THE DAY.
LEADERS: CARL BAUER EL 4-6036
ELIZABETH LARSON IN 7-0300
LEAVE EARLY SATURDAY MORNING - CONSULT LEADER FOR
DETAILS - REGISTER NOT LATER THAN THURSDAY, NOV. 1.
COST: COMMISSARY \$2.50 (FOR MEALS)
TRANSPORTATION \$9.00 (600 MILES +)
- Nov. 7 BOWLING - UNLESS YOU LIKE TO PRACTICE ROCK CLIMBING
IN THE DARK, SWITCH YOUR MID-WEEK MEETINGS WITH THE
CLUB FROM PETE'S ROCK TO THE TEMPLE BOWLING ALLEYS,
15 EAST NORTH TEMPLE.
LEADER: VIRGINIA PARMALEE EL 9-9680
TIME: 9:00 TO 11:00 P.M.
REGISTER: NOT LATER THAN TUESDAY, NOV. 6, 6:00 P.M.
- Nov. 11 LAKE DESOLATION. - THIS IS USUALLY A PLEASANT LATE
FALL WALK, MEDIUM LONG, BUT NOT MUCH CLIMBING AND
VERY EASY. THIS YEAR - ? - CHECK WITH THE LEADER.
THE SNOW MIGHT MELT FOR WALKING, BUT WITH ANOTHER
STORM WE WILL BE SKIING INSTEAD.
LEADER: JANET CHRISTENSEN EM 4-9835
MEET: 8:30 A.M., AT OLD MILL, BIG COTTONWOOD
CANYON, BUT CHECK WITH JANET OR WITH PETE,
FIRST EM 3-7150
REGISTER: NOT LATER THAN FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 9.
- Nov. 14 AN EVENING OF SLIDES - THE BEST (AND ONLY THE BEST)
TAKEN ON RECENT CLUB TRIPS: WIND RIVER RANGE, ZION
NARROWS, ETC. SEE WHAT YOU MISSED, OR BE REMINDED
AGAIN OF HOW MUCH YOU ENJOYED THE TRIP. AND BRING A
FEW SLIDES OF YOUR OWN TO SHOW THE REST OF US.
PLACE: UTAH POWER & LIGHT CO. AUDITORIUM
625 EAST 6TH SOUTH
TIME: 8:00 P.M.
LEADER: CAINE ALDER CR 7-6349
- Nov. 17 SNAKE CREEK HUT - AN EASY CLIMB FROM BRIGHTON. WALK
IF NECESSARY, BUT THERE SHOULD BE SUFFICIENT SNOW TO
MAKE THIS THE FIRST SKI TRIP OF THE SEASON.

LEADER: DENNIS MCSHARRY IN 6-0347
MEET: SATURDAY, NOV. 17, AT BRIGHTON LODGE, AT
4:15 P.M.; DEPARTURE TIME: 4:30 P.M.
TAKE SLEEPING BAG, FOOD FOR DINNER AND BREAK-
FAST.

REGISTER - NOT LATER THAN THURSDAY, NOV. 15.

Nov. 24 ICE SKATING - WE HOPE TO TRY OUT THE NEW RINK AT
BRIGHTON ON SATURDAY AFTERNOON. DETAILS NOT YET
ARRANGED - CONSULT THE LEADER.

LEADER: DON PEARSON

CR 7-4612

Nov. 24 SNEAUBAUER - BRIGHTON LODGE.

25 THE FORMAL OPENING OF THE WASATCH MOUNTAIN CLUB WINTER
SEASON.

DINNER: SATURDAY NIGHT - PARTY

SKI: SUNDAY - SKI

COME TO SKI OR ICE SKATE SATURDAY AFTERNOON, THEN DINE
AT THE LODGE.

ON SUNDAY - WELL - THOSE WHO REALLY DO NOT WANT TO SKI
CAN STAY IN THE LODGE IN FRONT OF THE FIRE.

NEGOTIATIONS ARE PRESENTLY UNDER WAY TO OBTAIN A CHEF OF
EXTRAORDINARY TALENTS FOR THE SATURDAY EVENING DINNER.

LEADER: CLARE SUNDWALL

EL 5-1190

COST: MEMBERS

NON-MEMBERS

SAT. DINNER & PARTY \$ 1.25

\$1.75

OVERNIGHT &

BREAKFAST .75

.75

REGISTER: NOT LATER THAN 12:00 NOON, FRIDAY, NOV. 23

EM 3-7150

Nov. 28 SWIMMING - AT THE DESERET GYM.

LEADER: VERA VAN TONGEL

EL 9-0021

TIME: 7:00 TO 8:30 P.M. MEET IN THE POOL.

COST: 75¢ INCLUDED TOWEL AND SUIT.

NEXT MONTH

DEC. 2 SKI AT ALTA

LEADER: JACK WHITE

CR 7-4944

LEAVE AT 9:00 A.M., TRANSPORTATION \$ 1.00

DEC. 9 SKI AT ALTA

LEADER: HAROLD GOODRO

CR 7-1247

NEXT MONTH, CONT'D.

DEC. 15 CHRISTMAS PARTY - BRIGHTON LODGE.

16 LEADERS: THE BOARD - WHICH WILL ATTEMPT TO PROVE THAT
TOO MANY COOKS DO NOT NECESSARILY SPOIL.

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NEW MEMBERS

HERBERT SCHWARTZ	1055 FIRST AVE.	EM 3-9103
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CHANGES OF ADDRESS

MAX EGLY	834 5TH AVE.	EM 4-6950
ROBERT W. KING	527 EAST 1ST SOUTH	EM 3-1152
CALVIN GIDDINGS	408 SOUTH 13TH EAST	EL 5-4164
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DUES

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AS WAS STATED IN THE RAMBLERS FOR AUGUST AND SEPTEMBER, THE BOARD HAS FELT THE PINCH OF RISING COSTS WHICH HAD HAD TO BE MET IN LARGE PART BY DUES WHICH HAVE REMAINED AT A CONSTANT \$5.00 A YEAR FOR MANY, MANY YEARS. AT THE BOARD MEETING ON OCTOBER 17, IT WAS DECIDED TO INCREASE THE DUES ONLY SLIGHTLY, TO \$6.00. IT IS HOPED THAT THIS RATE, WITH THE MODERATE INCREASE IN MEMBERSHIP THAT NOW SEEMS POSSIBLE, WILL PERMIT THE BUDGET TO BE BALANCED.

--- DUES ARE NOW DUE ---

PLEASE SEND YOU \$6.00 (FOR THE YEAR STARTING NOVEMBER 1, 1956) TO TREASURER WENONAH MCGHAN, 655 DOWNINGTON AVE., SALT LAKE CITY.

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LAKE BLANCHE - SEPTEMBER 23

THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLICATIONS HAS A VAGUE RECOLLECTION OF HAVING ASKED SOMEONE TO WRITE UP AN ACCOUNT OF THIS TRIP. IF HE DID, THAT PERSON FORGOT - MORE LIKELY, THE PUBLICATIONS DIRECTOR FORGOT. ANYWAY, HE WAS ON THE TRIP; THAT HE DOES REMEMBER.

THERE WERE A NUMBER ON THE TRIP. ALL FOUND THE TRAIL. NONE BECAME LOST. IT DID NOT RAIN, NEITHER DID IT SNOW. NO ONE WAS AMBITIOUS ENOUGH TO CLIMB TO THE TOP OF SUNDIAL.

EVERYONE WAS BACK TO THE HIGHWAY LONG BEFORE DARK. ALL IN ALL, IT COULD BE CONSIDERED A MOST UNUSUAL MOUNTAIN CLUB TRIP.

DINOSAUR NATIONAL MONUMENT - SEPTEMBER 29-30

BY CARL BAUER

A GOODLY CREW INCLUDING SIX SAN JUAN RIVER RUNNERS MET BELOW THE BRONZE COUGAR AT HOGLE ZOO FOR A PRE-DAWN TAKE-OFF FOR THE LAND OF THE BRONTOSAURUS. WE BREAKFASTED AT CURRANT CREEK, PAUSED BRIEFLY AT VERNAL AND SPLIT MOUNTAIN, AND ARRIVED AT HARPER'S CORNERS FOR AN AWESOME LATE AFTERNOON VIEW OF THE MUTILATED YAMPA PLATEAU.

THE DESCENT TO ECHO PARK, NEAR BY BUT 2300 FT. BELOW, WAS OF NECESSITY RATHER ROUNDABOUT. CAMPING IN THE BALMY CANYON BOTTOM AFFORDED SUCH EMBELLISHMENTS AS A SPACIOUS SAND BAR BY "BEAUTY-REST", AND THE TOWERING WALL OF STEAMBOAT ROCK - A VERSATILE SOUNDING BOARD FOR CAMPFIRE YODLING.

THE GORGE OFFERED SUBSTANTIAL INDUCEMENT FOR COLOR PHOTOGRAPHY, BUT HERE TOO, THE SUMMER DOUGHT HAD MARKED THE COUNTRY-SIDE WITH LOW WATER AND MUD FLATS WHICH BOOBY-TRAPPED SEVERAL OF THE MORE VENTURESOME IN SHIN-DEEP OOZE.

WE WERE PLEASANTLY SURPRISED WITH THE ABSENCE OF BLEACHED CONSERVATIONIST BONES AT THIS, THE RECLAMATION BATTLEGROUND OF THE CENTURY. A DUST SETTLING SHOWER HAPPILY PRECEDED OUR RETURN TO THE CANYON RIM, WHERE MORE RAIN COULD HAVE PREVENTED THE ROUTINE TERMINATION OF OUR SAFARI.

(OVER)

THE ADVENTURERS TO DINOSAUR NATIONAL MONUMENT:

NORMA GERBER
GEORGE GERBER
RUTH FLETCHER
ROY FLETCHER

RUTH TAYLOR
MABLE KORN
STAN MURDOCK
SCOTT LITTLETON
CARL-BAUER

CLARE SUNDWALL
LAMAR PETERSON
AUSTIN WAHRHAFTIG
BOB KING

WOOD GATHERING - BRIGHTON - OCTOBER 6-7

A SMALL BUT SELECT GROUP OPENED THE LODGE SATURDAY EVENING, TO FIND THE WATER SUPPLY NOT WORKING EVEN EARLIER IN THE AUTUMN THAN USUAL. FILLED WITH FEAR AT THE LABORS TO BE PERFORMED ON SUNDAY, THEY ALL WENT TO BED EARLY!

SUNDAY PEOPLE IN QUANTITY (QUALITY TOO, OF COURSE, SINCE THEY WERE CLUB MEMBERS) ARRIVED. THE RESTORATION OF WATER TO THE LODGE TURNED OUT TO BE A RELATIVELY SIMPLE JOB. SOON TRUCKLOADS OF WOOD STARTED TO ARRIVE. WITH THE AID OF TED HANSELL AND HIS CHAIN SAW, THE CUTTING OF THE WOOD INTO FIREPLACE LENGTHS WENT RAPIDLY. THE PRESENT SUPPLY, WHILE NOT QUITE AS LARGE AS MIGHT BE DESIRABLE, SHOULD LAST OUT THE WINTER IF USED WITH A BIT OF DISCRETION.

AN EXCELLENT DINNER MARKED THE END OF THE LABORS OF THOSE ATTENDING.

ZION NARROWS - OCTOBER 12-14

NO ONE WRITE-UP COULD POSSIBLY DO JUSTICE TO THIS TRIP. HERE ARE TWO WHICH STILL ONLY BEGIN TO TELL OF THE "TRIP OF THE YEAR" FOR MOST OF US.

THE NARROWS

BY HERB SCHWARTZ

DESPITE A DAY OF RAIN, AND IN THE MIDST OF A FREAK SNOW STORM, THE USUAL HETEROGENEOUS GROUP OF W.M. CLUBBERS (THE VIGOROUS, THE NON-VIGOROUS, AND THE "ET ALS"), DEPARTED FRIDAY EVENING FOR NAVAHOE LAKE. THE MAJORITY STOICALLY ACCEPTED THE BUS ACCOMODATIONS; HOWEVER, A SMALL BAND IN THE REAR OF THE BUS, DISAPPOINTED BY THE ABSENCE OF PULLMAN BIRTHS, IMPROVISED ACCORDINGLY - CAIN SLEPT IN THE

BAGGAGE RACK, ALEXIS ON THE FLOOR, VIRGINIA WAS SPRAWLED ACROSS ACROSS TWO SEATS, AND AUSTIN SWEATED OUT AN UNDER-THE-SEAT HEATER. ACROSS THE BACK SEAT WAS A MASS OF PERSONS DISTRIBUTED IN UN-IDENTIFIABLE POSITIONS.

THE 5 A.M. ARRIVAL AT HAVAHOE LIMITED US TO A THREE-HOUR NAP AND IT WAS NOT LONG BEFORE WE WERE CHEERILY ON OUR WAY. WE KEPT DRY WITH THE HELP OF WELL CHOSEN STEPPING STONES; HOWEVER, BY LATE AFTERNOON OUR PRICE BECAME APPARENT. THE "LAKE" PROVED TO BE ONLY PASSABLE THROUGH THE MIDDLE OF ITS HIP-DEEP WATERS. IT WAS EVEN MORE "REFRIGERATING" FOR THOSE WHO WERE BEHIND, SINCE THE "VIGOROUS" (ALWAYS FIRST TO ARRIVE) HAD CHOSEN TO LIGHTEN THEIR PACKS BY DUMPING THE BLOCKS OF ICE THEY HAD BEEN CARRYING INTO THE LAKE AND LEAVING "LESS THAN 3.2%" ICE WATER. THE SUBSEQUENT TWO HOURS WERE A STRUGGLE AGAINST THE COLD, THE WET, AND THE OVERBEARING WEARINESS WHICH THE TOWERING AND DARKENED SIDE WALLS CAST UPON US. HOWEVER, THE FIRST AND FOOD OF SATURDAY NIGHT'S CAMP SOON HAD EVERYONE REHABILITATED.

THE SAGES OF THE GROUP TURNED IN IMMEDIATELY AFTER DINNER. HOWEVER, THOSE WHO HAD OCCUPIED THE BACK SEAT OF THE BUS (THOSE ROWDIES) REFUSED TO DEPRIVE THEMSELVES OF AN AFTER DINNER TEA HOUR AND, AS THEY FOUGHT OFF THE SOMNOLENT EFFECTS OF THIS ELIXIR, THEY ALONE WERE TREATED TO THE FEW MOMENTS OF SILVERY BEAUTY WHEN THE MOON CAST UPON THIS CANYON DELTA. THE NIGHT WAS WITHOUT INCIDENT, THOUGH BUD TEMPLE AWAKENED WITH A SCRATCHED FACE - HE HAD WALKED INTO A TREE?

SUNDAY WAS MAGNIFICENT. EACH TURN DOWN THE CANYON REVEALED AN EVER-CHANGING, SPECTACULAR SPLENDOR. THE WARM SPRINGS, FEEDING THE VIRGIN RIVER, MADE WADING THE RAPIDS MORE TOLERABLE AND THE DELIGHTED AND SATISFIED GROUP DERIVED ENDLESS ENJOYMENT.

SPECIAL RECOGNITION GOES TO FRANCIS TATE, WHOSE EXPERIENCE AND ENCOURAGING WIT MADE THE TRIP A SUCCESS; TO HARRY, WHO DID AN EXCELLENT JOB OF DRIVING AND HUGGING THE CURVES DESPITE THE VERY DISTRACTING GAME OF "WHO HID THE MARTINI" WHICH ENSUED; AND TO KURT, WHO TOOK TOP PRIZE FOR SITTING OUT THE MOST RAPIDS.

SUMMARY: VIGOROUS - "WHEN DO WE GO AGAIN?"

NON-VIGOROUS - "IT'S A ONCE-IN-A-LIFETIME TREAT!"

"ET ALS" - "IT WAS ALMOST WORTH IT?"

ZION NARROWS BY DON PEARSON

"UP ALL NIGHT AND HIKE ALL DAY," "BOY IS THIS WATER COLD," "LOOK AT THE BEAUTIFUL COLORS," "WHAT VIVID YELLOWS AND REDS," "LOOK HOW NARROW THIS CANYON IS," "LONG WAY STRAIGHT UP ISN'T IT," "HOW MANY TIMES ARE WE GOING TO CROSS THIS CREEK," "WHERE IN THE WORLD IS THAT FIRST CAMP," "WHERE IS THE EXIT TO THIS PLACE."

THE ABOVE REMARKS AND MANY OTHERS WERE BROUGHT ABOUT BY SOMEONE SUGGESTING A HIKE DOWN THE NARROWS IN ZION'S PARK, SINCE WE HAD A MEMBER WHO WAS ACQUAINTED WITH THE CANYON. SO THE HIKE WAS SCHEDULED, PLANNED AND ORGANIZED BY O'DELL PETERSEN. A BUS FROM THE LAKESHORE LINES WAS USED TO PICK UP PEOPLE FROM THE SHOE SHOP TO THE STATE PRISON WHERE DICK BELL WAS THE LAST TO BOARD. SUPPER STOP WAS IN OREM AND COFFEE STOP ABOUT 2:30 A.M. SAT. HELPED KEEP THE BUS DRIVER GOING. PULLING IN AT NAVAJO LAKE AT 5:00 A.M. AND 301 MILES LATER WAS A RELIEF TO SOME AND AGONY TO OTHERS. THESE WERE THE ONES WHO BRAVED THE COLD TO UNROLL THEIR SLEEPING BAGS AND CRAWL IN FOR SOME SLEEP BEFORE BREAKFAST. OTHERS FLAKED OUT IN THE BUS AND OTHERS BUILT A FIRE AND GOT COFFEE GOING. BREAKFAST WAS COMPLETED AND EVERYONE RE-LOADED BY 9:00 A.M. AND WE PROCEEDED TO A PLACE SOME 19 MILES FROM THE LAKE WHERE THE HIKE BEGAN. AFTER CONSIDERABLE SHUFFLING OF GEAR, THROWING OUT HEAVY STUFF AND KEEPING THE LIGHT, AND SOME CHANGING INTO THEIR SHORTS, ALL WERE READY TO GO.

ABOUT 1/2 MILE FROM THE DEBARKATION POINT, I LOOKED BACK AND SAW THE BUS CLIMBING THE HILL, PULLING AWAY. REALIZATION HIT ME THEN THAT THE ONLY WAY AND CLOSEST WAY OUT WAS TO GO ON. THE SCENERY WAS BEAUTIFUL, COLORS BRIGHT AND GAY AND WALKING EASY FOR THE FIRST 4 MILES. WE ENTERED THE CANYON AT APPROXIMATELY 12:30 P.M. FROM THEN ON WE TRIED OUR BEST TO KEEP OUR FEET DRY HOPPING FROM ROCK TO ROCK WITH THE LEADER, FRANCIS TATE, COMING ALONG BEHIND SAYING WITH SARDONIC HUMOR, "MAKE IT EASY ON YOURSELVES AND GET IN THE WATER," KNOWING FULL WELL THAT WE WOULD NOT HAVE A CHOICE LATER. SO BE IT AND IT CAME TO PASS THAT ALL WERE WET FROM THEIR KNEES DOWN WHEN THE FIRST CAMP WAS REACHED.

SUPPER WAS COOKED, SOCKS WERE RINSED OUT AND DRIED, SHOES PROPPED UP TO DRY, SLEEPING BAGS UNROLLED, SOME MUSCLES MASSAGED, (BUD'S BOTTLE CONSUMED), (WHOSE BOTTLE - ED.) AND THE SACKS WERE HIT AND SNORES ENSUED FROM THE CONGREGATION AND THE CANYON WALLS REVERBERATED WITH THE MUSIC OF THE TIRED.

BREAKFAST WAS COOKED, CONSUMED, DIRTY DISHES PACKED (NOT WASHED) AND THE LAST LEG STARTED ABOUT 8:30 SUNDAY. MOST OF SUNDAY WAS SPENT IN

WATER AND A FEW DUNKINGS WERE HAD BY ALL. THE FIRST GROUP ARRIVED AT THE BUS ABOUT 3, NEXT GROUP ABOUT 3:30 AND THE LAST AROUND 4:15. EVERYONE CLEANED UP AND CHANGED BLOTHES, BOARDED THE BUS AND HOME WE HEADED. SUPPER AT RICHFIELD HELPED BOLSTER SOME MIGHTY POOPED PEOPLE. EVERYONE WALKED LIKE HE HAD EGG SHELLS IN HIS SHOES AND MUSCLES GROANED IN AGONY. ARRIVAL WAS MADE IN S. L. C. ABOUT 1 A.M. MONDAY AND EVERYONE HEADED HOME AND TO A NICE SOFT BED.

SPECIAL MENTION MUST BE MADE OF TWO WHO DID NOT MAKE THE HIKE. PINKY AND O'DELL PETERSEN ANSWERED THE PHONE, ANSWERED QUESTIONS, HALF SOLED SHOES, SPIKED SAME, BOUGHT GRUB, GOT GEAR TOGETHER AND DID MANY OTHER THINGS NECESSARY FOR 27 PEOPLE TO GO ON A TRIP AND ENJOY THEMSELVES.

HIKERS PRESENT:

ALEXIS KELLNER
CAL CHRISTENSEN
ANNETTE CHRISTENSEN
AUSTIN WAHRHAFTIG
CLARE SUNDWALL
HERB SCHWARTZ
CARL BAUER
CAINE ALDER
JANET CHRISTENSEN
RONNIE PETERSEN
RUSSELL STRITE
KURT ROSENFELD
VERA VAN TONGEL

GEORGE UNSELD
VIRGINIA PARMALEE
LAMAR PETERSON
BUD TEMPLE
CLIX BYRNE
FRANCIS TATE
PEARL TATE
DICK BELL
JEANNE PEARSON
DON PEARSON
CHARLIE HALL
EMILY HALL
BOB WRIGHT
DORTY WRIGHT

CITY CREEK CLEAN-UP - OCTOBER 20

WHAT PROMISED AT THE OUTSET TO BECOME A HUMILIATING FIZZLE, TOOK A COUNT OF NINE AND THEN CAME BACK TO WIN. THE DAY SELECTED BY THE SALT LAKE COUNCIL, B.S.A., CLASHED HEAD-ON WITH THE OPENING DATE OF THE STOCKMEN'S ANNUAL TRIUMPH, THE BLOOD-LETTING OF AS GENTLE A CREATURE AS GRACES THE PLANET. STILL ALL SEEMED SECURE WITH YOUTHFUL ATTENDANCE PROMISED IN LARGE NUMBERS, BUT THE ILLUSION PASSED WITH THE MORNING HOURS.

FORTUNATELY PARK DEPARTMENT ASSISTANCE SOON ARRIVED IN FORCE, AND THE W.M.C. WAS VALIANTLY REPRESENTED BY JEANNE AND ALEXIS KELLNERS. A PRELIMINARY TIDYING WAS ACHIEVED BY A SMALL VAN-

GUARD OF SCOUTS, AND A GROUP OF GIRL SCOUTS WHO GRACIOUSLY SERVED REFRESHMENTS ALSO TARRIED TO RENDER HEARTENING ASSISTANCE.

EVIDENCE OF DESECRATION AND DECAY VANISHED AT A GRATIFYING RATE AND THE MAJOR EFFORT WAS CONCLUDED BY LATE AFTERNOON. FINISHING TOUCHES WERE COMPLETED BEFORE THE ARRIVAL OF THE SUNDAY AFTERNOON LITTER BRIGADE. ALTHOUGH SOME OF THE REHABILITATION WAS OF "SWEEPED UNDER THE RUG" VARIETY, A STROLL ALONG THE BEAUTIFUL STREAM IS AGAIN A PLEASANT EXPERIENCE.

BY CARL BAUER

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BRIGHTON LODGE - OCTOBER 21

THIS WAS THE DAY THAT ALMOST EVERYONE EITHER WENT HUNTING OR STAYED HOME IN PREPARATION FOR WINTER.

AT THE LODGE, A BIT MORE WORK WAS DONE ON THE WATER SUPPLY, AND THE INTERIOR OF THE LODGE WAS GIVEN A FINAL CLEANING IN PREPARATION FOR THE COMING HALLOWEEN PARTY.

WITH THREE INCHES OF SNOW ON THE GROUND, THE TALK WAS ALL OF SKIING.

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