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 CLUB HEADQUARTERS - 62 EAST 2ND SOUTH, SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH  
 LODGE - BRIGHTON, UTAH  
 TELEPHONE EM 3-7150  
 DECEMBER 1957

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## TRIP SCHEDULE

DEC. 8 SKI AT ALTA

DEC. 11 ICE SKATING - HYGEA, AT 8:00 P.M.

DEC. 14 CHRISTMAS PARTY AT THE LODGE.

15 THE SKIING AT BRIGHTON ON SATURDAY AND SUNDAY WILL BE SUPERB, OF COURSE. BUT, MORE IMPORTANT - THAT SATURDAY NIGHT DINNER - WORDS ARE INADEQUATE.

THE MENU: (DINNER AT 8:00 P.M.)

TURKEY

HAM

CANDIED YAMS

DRESSING

VEGETABLES POTATOES & GRAVY

CRANBERRIES SALAD ROLLS

PUMPKIN PIE

ETC.

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AS IS NECESSARY, AND IN KEEPING WITH THE PRACTICE OF PREVIOUS YEARS, THIS DINNER PARTY MUST BE RESTRICTED TO MEMBERS ONLY (INCLUDING, OF COURSE, IMMEDIATE FAMILY.)

IN CHARGE: THE BOARD

PLEASE MAKE RESERVATIONS EARLY, BUT NOT LATER THAN WED., DECEMBER 11, AT 6:00 P.M.

EM 3-7150

COST: SATURDAY DINNER \$2.00

OVERNIGHT AND SUNDAY BREAKFAST \$1.00

AND BRING A 50¢ GIFT FOR THE CHRISTMAS TREE.

DEC. 22 OPEN

DEC. 29 SKI AT ALTA

DEC. 31 NEW YEAR'S EVE PARTY. AS WAS STATED LAST MONTH, "THE GOODROS, WHO MUST CONSIDER BOTH HOME AND HAROLD INDESTRUCTIBLE, AGAIN INVITE THE CLUB TO CELEBRATE AT THEIR HOUSE." COMMENT HAS BEEN MADE REGARDING THE OMISSION OF HELEN; THIS EDITOR ASSUMED THAT EVERYONE KNEW THAT, AT A PARTY, WIVES ARE MORE "INDESTRUCTIBLE" THAN THEIR RESPECTIVE HUSBANDS.

FOR DETAILS - WATCH FOR A SPECIAL NOTICE.

## NEXT MONTH

JAN. 5 SKI AT ALTA

JAN. 11 SKI AT BRIGHTON. THE LODGE WILL BE OPEN; DINNER SATURDAY AND BREAKFAST SUNDAY WILL BE SERVED. NO SUNDAY DINNER - ALL THE COOKS WANT TO SKI SUNDAY AFTERNOON, AND DINNER IS TOO LATE UNLESS PREPARATIONS START EARLY.

JAN. 15 ICE SKATING

- JAN. 19 SUN VALLEY. TAKE A "LEARN TO SKI" WEEK AT SUN VALLEY.  
 -26 THERE SHOULD BE SNOW BY MID-JANUARY. THERE WILL BE NO  
 FORMAL CLUB ARRANGING OF THIS TRIP. MAKE YOUR OWN RESER-  
 VATIONS AND TRANSPORTATION ARRANGEMENTS. BUT, GO THIS  
 WEEK, WHEN YOU WILL HAVE A GROUP OF FRIENDS THERE.
- JAN. 25 SKI AT BRIGHTON. LODGE OPEN - SINCE ALL WILL NOT BE ABLE  
 26 TO GO TO SUN VALLEY.
- JAN. 29 SKI AT LITTLE MOUNTAIN (WEDNESDAY EVE.)
- FEB. 1 SNAKE CREEK HUT AND ON DOWN TO HEBER.  
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- FEB. 8 SKI AT BRIGHTON. - LODGE OPEN.  
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BY MISTAKE, CARDS REQUESTING THE PAYMENT OF DUES WERE SENT  
 LAST MONTH TO OUR LIFE MEMBERS. ALSO, IT WAS NOT NOTED THAT  
 "EXTENSION MEMBERSHIPS" ARE AVAILABLE TO THOSE MEMBERS WHO HAVE  
 LEFT THE SALT LAKE CITY AREA (RESIDING MORE THAN 50 MILES FROM  
 SALT LAKE CITY.) DUES FOR EXTENSION MEMBERS ARE \$1.50 PER YEAR  
 AND ENTITLE ONE TO ALL THE RIGHTS OF MEMBERS, WITH THE EXCEPTION  
 OF VOTING PRIVILEGES. IF YOU ARE LIVING AWAY FROM THE AREA AND  
 WISH TO TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THE REDUCED DUES, JUST REPLACE THE  
 \$6.00 FIGURE ON THE DUES CARD WITH \$1.50 AND RETURN IT WITH YOUR  
 CHECK.

THE RESPONSE TO THE FIRST REQUEST FOR THE PAYMENT OF DUES  
 HAS BEEN BETTER THAN USUAL, FORTUNATELY, FOR THE CLUB TREASURY  
 NEEDED THE MONTH. IF YOU HAVE FORGOTTEN - WELL - WE HOPE THAT  
 THE ENCLOSED NOTICE SERVES AS A REMINDER - AND THAT WE DON'T  
 MAKE TOO MANY MISTAKES IN SENDING IT TO MEMBERS WHO HAVE PAID.

### LOST

ONE AIR MATTRESS, FULL LENGTH, RUBBERIZED CANVAS, ON ZION  
 NARROWS TRIP. IF IT SOMEHOW STRAYED YOUR WAY IN THE HURRIED  
 UNLOADING OF THE BUS, PLEASE NOTIFY ELLIE LEPAGE, DA 2-4153.

### SOCIETY (?) NOTES

THE SO-CALLED SOCIETY EDITOR WISHES TO APOLOGIZE FOR THE  
 LACK OF SCINTILLATING COPY IN RECENT PUBLICATIONS. WILL MAKE AN  
 EFFORT TO HAVE MORE INFORMATION IN THE FUTURE. IF ANYONE HAS  
 ANY NEWS OF MEMBERS AND FORMER MEMBERS (PRINTABLE, OF COURSE,)   
 PLEASE SEND IT TO THE WRITER OR PHONE, CR 7-4944 - MARILYN WHITE.

OFFICIALLY, JENNIFER KAREN LEE, ARRIVED OCTOBER 25, 1957,

AT 8:20 A.M., WEIGHING 6 LBS. 1 OZ. HELEN AND BURR LEE ARE PARENTS, OF COURSE. A REAL LITTLE SWEETHEART.

MR. & MRS. LEE (BEV. ALLEN) WOOD ARE IN THEIR NEW HOME AT 3737 LEE MAUR STREET, GRANGER (3737 SOUTH, 2700 WEST.) IF YOU HAVE THE CHANCE, STOP IN AND SAY HELLO, EITHER AT THEIR NEW HOME, OR AT THE PILOT CAFE, WHICH LEE IS MANAGING. MAYBE YOU CAN TALK THEM INTO PAYING THEIR DUES.

HELEN GOODRO HAS RETURNED TO HER STUDIES AT THE U - NOT TOO MUCH LONGER AND SHE'LL BE TEACHING LITTLE ONES THEIR ABC'S. WONDER HOW SHE DOES IT.

AM APOLOGIZING TO ALL THAT AARON FILLER'S NEW ADDRESS HASN'T BEEN REPORTED YET. SEEMS IT GOT LOST IN OUR "HANDY" DESK. HOPE TO HEAR FROM HIM SOON AND WILL PASS THE INFO ALONG. SAID HE PLANS TO COME OUT FOR THE HOLIDAYS, IF WE HAVE ANY SNOW. AARON HAS TAKEN UP FLYING. SEEMS HE IS LOCATED IN UPPER STATE NEW YORK AND ITS ONLY 400 MILES FROM HIS HOME - HE CAN VISIT HIS FAMILY MORE BY FLYING BACK AND FORTH.

SAW BOB GOODWIN (MINUS FUR CHIN) AT THE RECENT WARREN MILLER MOVIE. EVERYTIME WE SEE HIM HE IS JUST LEAVING FOR SOME OTHER OUT-OF-THE-WAY LOCALE. THIS TIME HE'S OFF TO THE ANTARCTICA FOR 18 MONTHS TO WORK ON SCIENTIFIC STUDIES FOR THE INTERNATIONAL GEOPHYSICAL YEAR. BOB HAS CERTAINLY HAD SOME INTERESTING VOCATIONS AND VISITED MANY PLACES. WE SURE WISH HIM GOOD LUCK ON THIS VENTURE.

CLARE SUNDWALL JUST RETURNED FROM A VACATION TRIP TO MEXICO. SAID SHE HAD A WONDERFUL TIME.

GUESS SID AND NADENE ALDERMANN ARE BACK BY NOW. SID HAS BEEN IN FRENCH GUIANA FOR SEVERAL WEEKS. MADENE FLEW BACK TO NEW YORK TO MEET HIM. SID IS ONE OF OUR MEMBERS WHO REALLY GETS AROUND.

HEAR DICK SAVILLE HAS JOINED THE SKI PATROL AT ALTA AND THAT BOB WRIGHT HAS RETIRED TO ENJOY THE SKIING.

GUESS WHO'S HAVING A BOBY? WONDER IF WE'LL BE HAVING ANOTHER WEDDING SOON? (JUST SOMETHING TO THINK ABOUT.)

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THE LAST RAMBLER REPORTED THAT BOB GOODWIN LEFT FOR THE ANT-ARTIC ON OCTOBER 16; STRANGE THAT HE WAS AT THE WARREN MILLER MOVIE ON NOVEMBER 21. COULD BE THAT THE RAMBLER CONTAINED AN

ERROR LAST MONTH?

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## THIS MONTH'S PERSONALITY

GEORGE UNSELD

BY CAINE ALDER

GEORGE GREW UP IN SHEPPARD'S TOWN, WEST VIRGINIA, WHERE HE WAS BORN IN 1881.

AT AGE 29 HE WENT WEST TO COLORADO WHERE HE JOINED A MOUNTAIN CLUB IN BOULDER. WHILE THERE HE RECEIVED HIS MASTERS DEGREE IN MATHEMATICS.

GEORGE TAUGHT SCHOOL AT VARIOUS LOCATIONS IN COLORADO, INCLUDING ASPEN, AND WHEN HE LEFT FOR SALT LAKE CITY, WAS PRINCIPAL OF A HIGH SCHOOL AT TELLURIDE.

HE CAME TO SALT LAKE TO TEACH PHYSICS AT WEST HIGH, AND REMAINED IN THIS CAPACITY FOR THIRTY-THREE YEARS.

SOON AFTER HIS ARRIVAL HERE, GEORGE JOINED THE WASATCH MOUNTAIN CLUB AND HAS SINCE TAKEN PART IN MANY OF ITS ACTIVITIES, CLIMBING THE MAJORITY OF THE PEAKS IN THE WASATCH.

A FAVORITE HOBBY OF HIS IS PAINTING. ANYONE WHO HAS SEEN ANYTHING OF HIS WORK CAN ATTEST TO HIS ABILITY IN THIS FIELD.

IN JUNE, 1952, GEORGE RETIRED FROM TEACHING. AT ABOUT THIS SAME TIME IT WAS NOTHING UNUSUAL FOR HIM TO HIKE UP PAST LAKES MARY, MARTHA AND CATHERINE, TO CATHERINE PASS, THEN OVER THE TOPS OF TUSCARORA AND WOLVERINE TO TWIN LAKES PASS AND THEN BACK TO THE LODGE.

SINCE HIS RETIREMENT, GEORGE HAS BEEN KEPT VERY BUSY. BESIDES HIS ACTIVITIES IN THE CLUB, HIS PAINTING, HIS SINGING IN A CHOIR, AND HIS BEING PRESIDENT OF THE SONS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION, GEORGE HAS FOUND TIME FOR CLASSES IN MATHEMATICS AT THE UNIVERSITY OF UTAH WHERE HE IS NOW TAKING A CLASS IN STATISTICAL MECHANICS FROM DEAN EYRING.

CONTINUED SUCCESS TO YOU, GEORGE, IN ALL OF YOUR FIELDS OF INTEREST.

## ALSO NOTED

IF THE BACHELOR MEMBERS OF THE WASATCH MT. CLUB CONTINUE TO GET MARRIED, THERE WILL BE NO REASON FOR GIRLS TO JOIN THE CLUB (EXCEPT FOR THE 90% WHO LIKE MOUNTAINS - Ed.) THE LATEST - LAMAR DEKORVER, WHO TOOK LAURA LEE LERDAHL AS HIS BRIDE ON NOVEMBER 27. THEY HAD THEIR HONEYMOON IN LAS VEGAS, AND ARE NOW LIVING IN SALT LAKE CITY WHILE LAMAR FINISHES HIS STUDIES AT THE UNIVERSITY.

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LAST SUNDAY, AFTER FOUR YEARS OF SKIING, I FINALLY SAW THE SURE AND STABLE HAROLD GOODRO TAKE A SPILL. I THINK THAT THIS LITTLE INCIDENT WILL HELP MY SKIING GREATLY.

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THE LAST RAMBLER WAS WRITTEN THE LAST WEEK IN OCTOBER. THE WEATHER HAD BEEN BEAUTIFUL FOR OVER A WEEK; EVERYTHING SEEMED PERFECT FOR A DELIGHTFUL AUTUMN HIKE. THE RESULT: SO MUCH SNOW FELL THAT NEXT FEW DAYS THAT THE NEXT TWO TRIPS, BOX ELDER PEAK (NOV. 3) AND MT. OLYMPUS VIA THE NORTH FACE (NOV. 10) HAD TO BE CANCELLED.

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# THE HALLOWEEN PARTY - OCT. 26

BY LOIS HINMAN

THE INTANGIBLE CHARM OF AUTUMN CAST A PERFECT BACKGROUND FOR THE HARBINGER OF THE FALL AND WINTER SEASON, THE GREAT HALLOWEEN PARTY!

WE DARE NOT DISCLOSE THE SECRETS OF THE CLIX BYRNE SPOOK ALLEY - - NEITHER CAN WE BE CONTENT TO SAY NOTHING. IT IS IMPOSSIBLE TO DESCRIBE THE EMOTIONS FELT EVEN BY THOSE WHO ARE OLD CLIX BYRNE FANS FROM PREVIOUS YEARS. FOR THE NEWCOMER, ESPECIALLY ONE WHO SEES THE MYSTERIOUS CRATES, BOXES AND ODD SHAPPED BUNDLES BEING TUGGED, TOSSED, AND CARRIED UP THE STEPS TO THE MEN'S DORM, SMELLING THE FUNERAL ODOR OF FORMALDEHYDE AND THE HEAVY SCENT OF WILTING FLOWERS, THE EXPERIENCE IS INCOMPARABLE TO ANY, PAST OR FUTURE.

ONE'S MOUTH BECOMES DRY AND EACH STEP UP TO THE ALLEY SEEMS TO TAKE HOURS TO COVER.

IT WAS ONE TIME WHEN HAVING TO WAIT IN LINE WAS AN ADVANTAGE. THE MOUNTING TENSION AS WE HEARD THE RASPY VOICES, THE WAILING CATS, AND THE RACOUS LAUGHTER FROM ABOVE, SAW THE GLASSY EYES, AND HEARD THE SLOW HISSING BREATH OF THE ONES WHO WERE SHUFFLING DOWN AFTER THEIR TOUR, GAVE US AN UNCONTROLLABLE URGE TO GIGGLE AND BOLT FROM THE LINE.

THANK GOODNESS WE STAYED FOR A VERY UNFORGETABLE EXPERIENCE. THANK YOU CLIX!

THERE WERE STACKS AND STACKS OF GOOD FOOD, THANKS TO COKE COX WHO WORKED FROM EARLY DAWN TO EARLY DAWN AND MAJOR MIKE BLANKENSHIP, WHO WAS ON KP DUTY PEELING APPLES AND POTATOES.

THERE WERE GAMES FOR ALL, INCLUDING DANCING FOR THE YOUNG IN HEART, AND COSTUMES TO DELIGHT THE MOST HARDENED CRITIC. DICK BELL IN A RED DRESS WITH HIKING BOOTS TOOK THE EYE OF THE JUDGES FOR THE FUNNIEST, GENE AND COLLENE CARROL AS UBANGIES WALKED AWAY WITH HONORS FOR THE BEST COUPLE, AND DON PEARSON DRESSED AS A BAR FLY BRAWL PATIENT WAS JUDGED THE MOST GRUSOME.

SEE YOU NEXT YEAR!

## WESTERN PARTY -- NOV. 16

BY DON PEARSON

ONCE AGAIN THE HILLS RANG TO THE STOMP OF FEET AND CALLS OF ALLEMANDE LEFT AND OTHER CHOICE PHRASES DESIGNED TO KEEP THE DANCERS ON THEIR TOES.

A GOOD CROWD GATHERED AT THE LODGE TO INDULGE IN THE DANCING AND THE GOOD FOOD THAT WAS SERVED. IT WAS A FULL DAY FOR MANY.

THE DAY WAS BEAUTIFUL AND SOME SKIED ALL DAY AND DANCED ALL NIGHT; THE REMAINDER JUST DANCED ALL NIGHT (AT LEAST, ALMOST ALL NIGHT.)

### THOSE PRESENT:

MONA MOELLER

MEL FLETCHER

ELLIE LEPAGE

CAINE ALDER

SHIRLEY OLSEN

BOB ANDERSON

JULIE ALDER

JANET CHRISTENSEN

DELBERT & JANET YERGENSEN

MAX & JOAN EGLY

DON & JEANNE PEARSON

CAL GIDDINGS & GUEST

CHARLIE & EMILY HALL

GARY LARSON & GUEST

AUSTIN & RUBY WAHRHAFTIG

KURT & LYNN ROSENFELD

ANNETTE MILLER

DOROTHY BUNTING

BOB & DORDE WRIGHT

COLLEEN COX

BOB GOODWIN

BUD TEMPLE

BEN PETERSON & GUEST

