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

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## TRIP SCHEDULE

- SKI CARNIVAL - LISTED IN THE PREVIOUS RAMBLER FOR JANUARY 4 - 6, HAS BEEN POSTPONED, PERHAPS TO JANUARY 11 - 13, BUT MORE LIKELY FOR A FAR LONGER TIME.
- JAN. 13 ALTA TO BIG COTTONWOOD VIA CARDIFF PASS AND MILL D - DOWN THE CARDIFF MINE ROAD. THIS TOUR IS SHORTER AND MUCH EASIER THAN THE CARDIFF PASS-LAKE BLANCHE-MILL B TRIP.
- LEADER: JIM SHANE EL 5-7151  
MEET: AT 9:00 A.M., AT ALTA - ON ROAD ABOVE THE ALTA LODGE.  
REGISTER: BY 5:00 P.M. FRIDAY, JANUARY 11 EM 3-7150  
TRANSPORTATION MIGHT BE A PROBLEM, SO REGISTER AS EARLY AS POSSIBLE.
- JAN. 20 BROAD FORK. A WINTER EXCURSION PART WAY UP THE MOST POPULAR SUMMER ROUTE TO TWIN PEAKS. CLIMB AND RETURN VIA SAME ROUTE, SO IT WILL BE SAFE FOR THE NON-VERY-ENERGETIC TO STOP (TELL THE LEADER!) AND HAVE THEIR LUNCH BELOW THE UPPER BASINS - WHICH WILL BE REACHED BY THE AMBITIOUS.
- LEADER: CAINE ALDER CR 7-6349  
MEET: AT S-CURVE, BIG COTTONWOOD CANYON, AT 9:00 A.M.  
REGISTER: BY 6:00 P.M. FRIDAY, JANUARY 18 EM 3-7150
- JAN. 27 RED PINE CANYON - ALPINE. THIS IS A RATHER LONG TRIP, NOT FOR BEGINNERS. THE DESCENT DOWN TO ALPINE IS SAID TO BE MOST MARVELOUS IF THERE IS ENOUGH SNOW AT THE LOWER ELEVATIONS.
- LEADER: LEE STEORTS HU 5-0073  
IF THERE IS INSUFFICIENT SNOW, DESCENT WILL BE BACK DOWN RED PINE CANYON. CHECK WITH THE LEADER FOR DETAILS.

## NEXT MONTH

- FEB. 2 BRIGHTON LODGE. SKI AT BRIGHTON ON SATURDAY, THEN HAVE  
3 DINNER AND A PLEASANT EVENING AT THE LODGE.  
DINNER: AT 8:00 P.M. - \$1.25 (\$1.75 FOR NON-MEMBERS)  
OVERNIGHT AND BREAKFAST SUNDAY - \$0.75 - \$1.00 NON-MEMBERS.  
REGISTER: BY 6:00 P.M. THURSDAY, JAN. 31. EM 3-7150.  
THEN, ON -
- FEB. 3 BRIGHTON -ALTA - BRIGHTON. RIDE UP THE MT. MILLICENT LIFT AND IT IS ONLY A SHORT CLIMB BEFORE THE RUN DOWN TO ALTA.

IF ENERGETIC, SKI AT ALTA. ANYWAY, HAVE LUNCH THERE, THEN RIDE TO THE TOP OF GERMAINIA. FROM THERE IT IS A SHORT DOWNHILL RUN, A LEVEL WALK AND THEN A MODERATE CLIMB TO THE RUN DOWN PAST LAKES CATHERINE, MARTHA AND MARY TO THE LODGE.

MEET: AT BRIGHTON LODGE, 9:30 A.M.

LEADER: CARL BAUER

EL 5-6036

FEB. 10 SNOW BASIN - NOT THAT THE SKIING WILL BE BETTER THAN THAT AT ALTA, BUT MANY OF US LIKE AN OCCASIONAL CHANGE OF SCENERY.

WE HOPE TO HAVE ENOUGH TO MAKE THIS A BUS TRIP.

LEADER: BARNEY LEE

CR 7-4651

FEB. 17 CARDIFF PASS - LAKE BLANCHE. ONE OF THE BEST TRIPS FOR THE BETTER SKIERS.

LEADER: CAL GIDDINGS

EL 5-4164

MEET: AT ALTA, AT 9:00 A.M., ON ROAD ABOVE THE ALTA LODGE.

FEB. 22 PARK CITY - SCOTTS PASS - BRIGHTON. IF YOU ARE RICH OR  
- 24 LUCKY OR BOTH, GO AHEAD AND PLAN THAT TRIP TO ASPEN OR SUN VALLEY. OTHERWISE, REMEMBER, THIS IS THE PLACE FOR SKIING, AND THE LODGE WILL BE OPEN.

MAR. 3 SKI AT ALTA

MAR. 9 BRIGHTON LODGE - SKI CIRCUS.

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### DUES ARE NOW PAST DUE

THE MOUNTAIN CLUB YEAR DTARTED NOVEMBER 1. THE CLUB BY-LAWS REQUIRE THAT THOSE WHO DO NOT PAY THEIR DUES ON TIME BE CHARGED AN ADDITIONAL REINSTATEMENT FEE OF \$3.00. PLEASE, IF YOU HAVE NOT DONE SO, SEND YOUR CHECK FOR \$6.00 TO TREASURER WENONAH MCGHAN, 655 DOWNINGTON AVE. BEFORE JANUARY 31. OTHERWISE IT WILL BE NECESSARY TO CHARGE THE REINSTATEMENT FEE.

THE MAILING LIST FOR THE RAMBLER WILL BE REVISED IN FEBRUARY. THOSE WHO ARE THEN DELINQUENT IN THEIR DUES WILL BE DROPPED FROM THE LIST.

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CLUB MEMBER GLEN H. GREEN DIED UNEXPECTEDLY ON JANUARY 1, 1957. GLEN HAD BEEN ACTIVE IN THE CLUB FOR MANY YEARS. HE GREATLY ENJOYED THE LODGE AND HAD TAKEN A VERY ACTIVE PART IN THE LODGE WORK TRIPS THIS PAST SUMMER AND AUTUMN.

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### CHANGES OF ADDRESS

MRS. E.P. MERKES (JERRY CRAIG) 723 N. GUNNISON CHICAGO, ILLINOIS  
BOB KING P.O. Box 105, OGDEN TEL. 2-2682  
MATT NOALL 7738 1/2 JEROME, MAPLEWOOD 17, MISSOURI

AS CAN BE SEEN FROM THESE CHANGES OF ADDRESS, JERRY CRAIG, WHO HAD BEEN LIVING IN EUREKA, UTAH, HAS BECOME MRS. MERKES. WE SEND OUR BEST WISHES, TINGED WITH REGRETS AT THE THOUGHT OF HER MOVING TO CHICAGO.

THE MATT NOALLS NOW HAVE TWO CHILDREN, A BOY AND A GIRL.

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LOLA ASPELIN, COMMISSARY DIRECTOR EXTRAORDINARY, HAS INFORMED US THAT SHE WILL BE RETURNING TO KANSAS ABOUT JANUARY 15. WE ARE ALL VERY SORRY TO HAVE HER LEAVE AND NOT ONLY BECAUSE THE MEALS AT THE LODGE HAVE BEEN EXCELLENT. HER PRESENCE WILL BE GREATLY MISSED AT THE BEFORE-AND-AFTER DINNER FESTIVITIES.

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THE BOARD, AT ITS FIRST MEETING IN 1957, LOOKED AT ITS RECENT ACTIVITIES AND DECIDED THAT THE LAST TWO PARTIES AT THE LODGE WERE WELL ATTENDED AND WELL ENJOYED. TO ALL THOSE WHO ASSISTED IN MAKING THE SNEAUBAUER AND THE CHRISTMAS PARTY SUCH SUCCESSES - WE GIVE OUR THANKS.

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#### SPORTS NOTE:

GARY LARSEN TOOK FIRST PLACE (CLASS B) AT THE SKI JUMPING TOURNAMENT AT ENGEN HILL, BIG COTTONWOOD, SPONSORED BY THE NORSEMEN ON NEW YEAR'S DAY.

#### CHRISTMAS PARTY - DECEMBER 15

A CHRISTMAS DINNER, COMPLETE WITH TURKEY, HAM AND ALL THE TRIMMINGS, WAS PROMISED FOR 8:00 P.M. ON SATURDAY, DECEMBER 15. THE ACTUAL HOUR WAS A BIT LATER THAN 8:00, BUT OTHERWISE ALL PROMISES WERE KEPT, IF NOT SURPASSED.

RARELY HAS EVEN THE MOUNTAIN CLUB MADE SO MUCH FOOD DISAPPEAR SO RAPIDLY. FORTUNATELY, THERE WAS QUANTITY TO MATCH THE QUALITY, AND THERE MIGHT EVEN HAVE BEEN TWO VERY SMALL PIECES OF HAM (MOSTLY FAT) LEFT OVER. SEVERAL MEMBERS HAD TO EXERCISE GREAT RESTRAINT NOT TO CHEW UP A FEW TURKEY BONES. OF COURSE, THEY HAD ALREADY EATEN TOO MUCH, BUT IT HAD BEEN SO DELICIOUS -

THE LODGE WAS BEAUTIFULLY DECORATED FOR THE OCCASION. THERE WAS A CHRISTMAS TREE SURROUNDED BY A DEAF OF PRESENTS - THERE EVEN WAS HOT AND COLD RUNNING WATER!

AFTER DINNER, AND A REASONABLE PERIOD OF RELAXATION (SPENT IN A HORIZONTAL POSITION BY THOSE WHO WERE LUCKY ENOUGH TO GET SUITABLE LOCATIONS) THE PRESENTS WERE DISTRIBUTED BY SANTA CLAUS HAROLD GOODRO.

THE CLUB BUDGET DOESN'T PERMIT LISTING HERE THE NAMES OF ALL THOSE WHO ATTENDED. THERE WERE OVER FIFTY AT THE DINNER TABLE. IF THE CLUB DINNER PARTIES BECOME ANY MORE POPULAR, AN ADDITIONAL SUPPLY OF DISHES, ETC., WILL HAVE TO BE OBTAINED. THAT, TOO, MIGHT NOT BE A BAD IDEA.