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NEW OFFICERS TAKE OVER AT CHAMBER OF COMMERCE MEETING



In the above photo are your new officers of the Lake Berryessa Chamber of Commerce - with one exception. Left to right: Steve Hanson, Treasurer; Jim Mello, Sergeant-At-Arms; and the one exception, Leonard Ross, whose wife, Nadine, is Secretary, so he was taking her place because she was ill and could not attend; President, Bill Barta; and Vice-President, Bob White. They all had a "free dinner" from the outgoing officer they were replacing.

A large, and very happy, jovial crowd attended the regular monthly meeting of the Chamber last Wednesday evening at Putah Creek Park Restaurant and Lounge. Following a delicious dinner, the business meeting was held.

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LABOR DAY WEEKEND WENT FAIRLY WELL ...

Thanks again to the excellent efforts of the California Highway Patrol and the Napa County Sheriff's Office, there were no serious accidents on the roadways around the lake area, although the crowds were not as great as they might have been on a big three-day weekend at one of the few lakes with lots of water to offer.

Probably the worst incident occurred Saturday night, when a young woman from San Francisco, 22-years-old, claimed she was kidnapped by eight members of a Sacramento Valley motorcycle club, who forced her to perform sex acts with all of them, and then threw her down a 50-foot cliff near Turtle Rock.

This followed after members of "The Misfits," as the club is known by, allegedly beat up her boyfriend with a pipe, and he was taken by ambulance to Queen of the Valley Hospital in Napa, where he was treated and released.

The nude young girl managed to crawl up the bank to the road, put on her boyfriend's shirt, and went to Napa, where she asked a service station attendant to call for help. She was also taken to Queen of the Valley Hospital.

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WIER OUT

OF LAKE BERRYESSA MANAGEMENT !!!

Announcement was made last Tuesday, September 6, 1977 that Robert Wier, Recreation Manager of Lake Berryessa for the Bureau of Reclamation has been "re-assigned," temporarily, to the Sacramento Regional office of the Bureau. He will be replaced, also temporarily, by Mr. Brown, who is Chief of Operations and Maintenance, Department of Land and Water Division of the Bureau. He will serve until a "highly qualified" permanent replacement can be brought in.

Needless to say, the majority of the people in the lake area, especially the business people and mobilehome owners were jubilant - and that is really putting it mildly . . . !!!

A big, big, huge "THANK YOU" goes to Congressman Leo J. Ryan of the 11th District, Chairman of the Subcommittee on Conservation Energy and Natural Resources. He really took the "bull by the horns," following his recent visit to the lake, where he also took a complete tour.

Also deserving of much credit for the action is Commissioner Higginson from the Washington D. C. office of the Department of the Interior, who also took the time out of his busy schedule to visit the lake recently.

And now it can be told - here is what, in addition to personal tours, was presented to them, and to others. Under cover of a letter to B. E. Martin, Regional Director, in Sacramento, this is what the Lake Berryessa Council and United Concessioners charged Wier with, and offered absolute proof to back it up, on all charges:

"AREAS IN WHICH THE RECREATIONAL MANAGER HAS WORKED COUNTER TO BUREAU OF RECLAMATION POLICIES"

Limited Public Access to Lake Berryessa.

1. Closed minimally-developed campsites at Steele Park Resort and Berryessa Marina Resort. Total campsites closed - - - 584.

2. Closed fully-developed campsites at Steele Park, Spanish Flat, Berryessa Marina, Putah Creek, South Shore and Markley Cove. Total campsites closed - - - 277.

3. Violated the Public Use Plan De-
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WEATHER REPORT

The top elevation of the spillway (Glory Hole) at Monticello Dam is 440 feet. The water is now 49.14 feet below the top of the spillway.

Date	Elev.	Evap.	High	Low	Precipitation
8/31/77	391.36	.36	97	58	.0
9/1/77	391.26	.29	89	51	.0
9/2/77	391.17	.26	89	51	.0
9/3/77	391.08	.28	90	51	.0
9/4/77	391.00	.27	92	52	.0
9/5/77	390.94	.36	98	60	.0
9/6/77	390.86	.34	102	60	.0

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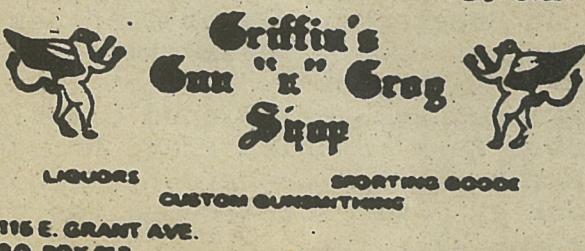
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WIER OUT OF LAKE BERRYESSA MANAGEMENT !!
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velopment Standards at page 38, No. 2
(5) which states: "Picnic and camp sites
may be interchangeable for peak loads."

This practice was curtailed by the
Recreation Manager on April 1, 1976.

4. Forced removal of picnic tables
from Rancho Monticello, Big Flat picnic
area, July 15, 1975.

5. Closed Lake Berryessa to house
boats on December 31, 1975.

6. Closed Pope Creek to public ac-
cess. Installed barrier and signs on west
end of Pope Creek in the spring of 1977.

7. Refused to allow low water launch
ramps during drought at Steele Park and
Markley Cove Resorts.

8. Refused to allow relocation of
marina facilities during drought at
South Shore Resort.

9. Turned down permits for temporary
campsites on peak weekends in 1977.

10. Closed original slalom ski
course in 1977.

11. Demanded removal of relocated
slalom ski course in 1977.

The above actions are contrary to
Amendment #2 to the Public Use Plan
which states:

Policies A. General

1. The management objective at Lake
Berryessa will be to provide the greatest
good for the greatest number of the
public at large for the largest period
of time.

Civil Rights

Refused to recognize the civil rights
of tenants and concessionaires.

1. California Civil Code 789.5 pro-
vides for one year's notice prior to
eviction for change or use of a mobile
home site.

Mr. Wier ordered evictions at Rancho
Monticello and Markley Cove in 60 days,
based on change use.

2. California Civil Code 789.3 pro-
hibits the disconnection of utilities
to mobile homes in order to force evi-
ction.

Mr. Wier ordered disconnection of
utilities of mobile home sites at Mar-
kley Cove.

3. California Civil Code 789.3 and
California Administrative Code Title
25, section 5070 . . . prohibits the
blocking of access to a mobile home
space.

Mr. Wier ordered the access road to
Markley Cove mobile home sites per-
manently blocked.

4. In December 1975, Bob Wier, per-
sonally, illegally confiscated 8 docks
owned by Rancho Monticello Resort (re-
nted to Berryessa Park homeowners).

5. Mr. Wier demanded immediate evi-
ctions at Markley Cove in disregard of
an order of the court, issued by Judge
Conti, U. S. District Court, San
Francisco.

Intimidating Tactics

1. Refused permission for improve-
ments to existing facilities unless con-
cessionaires would agree to elimination
or change of unrelated facilities.

a. Would not approve berthing facil-
ties unless Berryessa Marina agreed to
remove 4 trailer spaces.

LABOR DAY WEEKEND
WENT FAIRLY WELL . . .

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treated, and re-
leased.

About 30 law-en-
forcement officers
went to Recreation
Beach, an area on
the other side of
the dam, where about
40 members of the
motorcycle club were
camped. Officers from
the counties of
Napa, Solano and
Yolo, from Winters,
and the California
Highway Patrol parti-
cipated in the ar-
rest of the six of
the eight accused.

Bail of \$5,000 was
posted, and the six
were immediately
released, pending a
hearing on Sept-
ember 15th in Napa
Municipal Court.

The six were: Greg
Duffy, 27, of Chi-
co; Richard Van Dy-
ke, 38 Charles Ben-
nett, 35, and Lanny
Kammerer, 29, all
of Sacramento; Wil-
liam Anselmi, 29,
of Manteca; and
Carl Coleman of
Chico.

In another inci-
dent, Mary Ann Out-
law, of Pinole, in
her early twenties,
was seriously in-
jured when she fell
and hit her head
inside of a boat.
She was admitted to
Queen of the Valley
Hospital, after being
taken there by
ambulance.

Three other per-
sons, all from the
Bay Area, were in-
jured on Sunday af-
ternoon when two
boats had a colli-
sion on the lake.
Details were not all
clear on this one.

Otherwise, things
were fairly quite,
and almost normal -
whatever that is !!

Silver Lining

Our children have grown and
left us now:
We've an "empty nest," as
they call it -
Somewhat compensated, of
course.
By a fuller wallet!
-Mary Lee Sauermann.

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WIER OUT OF LAKE BERRYESSA MANAGEMENT !!

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b. Would not approve enlargement of campground restrooms unless Berryessa Marina agreed to widen roads in the mobile home park area.

c. Refused to permit Marina and Campground upgrading at Putah Creek Park unless mobile home park roads were made larger.

2. Threatened to put in free launch ramp unless resorts lowered rates.

This is contrary to Amendment #2 of the Public Use Plan. See section B, paragraph 4.

3. Constantly threatens the resort owners with default.

Health and Safety

The Bureau of Reclamation, since 1958, has continually required compliance with Health and Safety codes.

Mr. Wier has violated this policy by:

1. Removed garbage collection points from shoreline of the lake.

2. Removed garbage cans along Highway 128 from the Monticello Dam to Moskowitz Corner, from January 1976 to August 1976.

3. Allowed campers on Bureau land to drop sewage from recreational vehicles on ground. 1976.

4. Put no restraint on persons building fires in unauthorized and undeveloped areas. 1976.

5. Hindered the upgrading of water and sewage systems in the resorts.

6. There are no established written policies concerning the Bureau lands outside the resorts.

False and Misleading Statements

1. 1976 Press releases (prior to 4th of July) that misled the public. Resorts were not full, but the Bureau staff was telling families that all resorts were full.

2. 1976 July 4th had roads signs placed on Highway 121 saying resorts were full . . . when they were not full.

Outcome: a. Many people were denied access to the lake.

b. Business loss for the entire Berryessa area.

Codes and Standards

1. Interfered with the issuance of operating permits.

2. Conducts inspections using untrained and unqualified personnel as inspectors.

3. Interfered with the issuance of occupancy permits.

4. Refuses to rely on the enforcement powers of Napa County.

5. Refuses to acknowledge past agreements concerning development standards.

General

1. Mr. Wier has stated publicly and privately that he is personally opposed to Amendments #2 and #3 to the Public Use Plan.

2. Mr. Wier has shown that he is opposed to the developments standards of the Public Use Plan concerning campsites, picnic sites, and roads.

3. Mr. Wier does not seek out and meet with the public or the concessionaires prior to formulating new policies or making decisions which affect them.

4. Mr. Wier uses his office to oppose development on private land.

Okay readers, NOW you know why the

latest development has come to pass. It was long, long overdue, and we were asked not to print this for awhile, which we did not do - but now it is time for the facts to be known!

NEW OFFICERS TAKE OVER AT CHAMBER OF COMMERCE MEETING

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Ex-President Dick Schwab introduced the new President Bill Barta, who then took over the meeting. He asked outgoing Treasurer Wes Plunkett for his final report, and asked outgoing Secretary Dick Hanson for his "last minutes." He then introduced the other new officers.

Although it was difficult for the celebrating group to settle down to business, they did manage to get to some serious discussion, some of which concerned the January Boat Show at the Cow Palace, and the new brochures for it.

It was decided at least three letters should be written to thank some of those who were responsible for the recent developments at the lake. (See the article on columns 4 and 5.)

Mike Crean reported that the planting of the willow tree sprouts will begin right after the first rain. It will require lots of help, and it is urged that you watch here for the exact date when it is set.

Secretary of the Lake Berryessa Anglers Club, Pat Cox, announced that the club is behind the lake "100%" and will cooperate and help the Chamber in any way possible.

Ray Elliott, speaking on behalf of John J Smith of El Dorado Realtors, and Steele Park Resort, advised the group that Smith would like to have a Derby, beginning as soon as possible, for the Bass, Trout and Catfish caught out of the lake through Thanksgiving Day. He personally would donate \$375.00, and would hope that all resorts, businesses, etc. would also donate money or prizes, making it more interesting. Upon learning of this, another Chamber member, Harold Shelly of Putah Creek Park, donated another \$100.00.

Subject to the approval of the Anglers Club, the derby, or tournament would be run by them, according to all of their rules, and they would be in charge of awarding the prizes. The Chamber also thought it was an excellent idea, and the Board of Directors would decide upon an amount to be donated. Watch for more on this as it develops.

Gerri Elliott, asked by the Bureau of Reclamation representative, Ron Brockman, to act as his spokesman, said he wished to thank all of the resorts for all of their support in handing out the litter bags for them, and for all of their cooperation. He also expressed thanks to the outside businesses, and to the Chamber for their support.

There was some discussion of updating of the membership plaques, and new ones for the future.

Steve Hanson of Lake Berryessa Marina Resort had a suggestion for the promotion of business. It was that when a phone call is received, requesting any type of information, the caller be

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asked where he is calling from, and why he called where he did. This could accomplish many things to establish guidelines for future advertising.

Next Chamber meeting will be held at Steele Park Resort, on Wednesday, October 5th. More on this later.

Bear

Berryessa

Betty:

DEAR L. B. NEWS:

I spent a wonderful weekend at Lake Berryessa! Really have not fully recovered at this point.

I met up with lots of nice people. Of course, always a few wild ones - but can't win them all!

This big weekend almost did to me what the elaborate wedding and reception did to the French groom - fell asleep the minute his feet hit the pillow!

I ran into one long haired group who were singing, "Jesus loves me, yeah, yeah, yeah!"

One party told about the preacher who was preaching on the subject of miracles. At the close of the sermon he looked at a young lad in the front row and said, "Sonny, if you have never kneeled beside your bed at night and said your prayers you should do so. It will give you a great feeling!" The little boy looked up and said, "You are so right! It would be a miracle - I sleep on the top bunk!"

Did you ever go on a blind date? John decided to get Abe a blind date and they would go to Lake Berryessa.

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SPANISH FLAT RESORT



SPANISH FLAT RESORT NEWS

Reported by John Blancq

"Now you see it, now you don't . . . that is the best way we can describe the very fast summer season! I suppose since much of our time was spent keeping up (or down) with the water level, and reminding people that Berryessa was still in full operation, we didn't take time to notice how time was flying by.

It's back to school for all of our younger staff members. Mary Plunkett is away at Santa Rosa Junior College. Ranger Ed York is majoring in Criminal Justice at Sacramento University. Ranger Craig Rouse is also a Criminal Justice major at West Valley College in San Jose. Others attending college include Sam and Tom Decato, and Don Simon and Joan Schornberg. We're quite proud that they all recognize the value in continuing their schooling.

Our neighbor at Sugarloaf, George Stephanson (or rather, his wife, Mary) gave birth to twin girls this week. Congratulations and good luck! It's a neat environment to raise youngsters in!

With the impending fishing season, we'll be leaving our Lake Store open to collect launch fees and provide fishermen with snacks, coffee and beverages. Of course, the Country Store will stay open on it's 8 A.M. to 6 P.M. schedule through the winter.

We're still curtailing open fires in our campground in an effort to prevent fire accidents. Hopefully, we'll be getting some rain soon, and then can relax this rule.

In the meantime, the fishing will be getting better. The Lake Berryessa Anglers Club has an active fall program going, so everyone should consider some relaxing fishing trips to Berryessa this fall. Launching is 'still' good, and we're looking forward to seeing all of our fall fishermen.

WHO WERE THOSE UNIFORMED RANGERS AT SPANISH FLAT?

Throughout the summer, many people were curious why Spanish Flat had uniformed young men, calling themselves "Rangers," working the gate, patrolling the camp, and showing up at all of the accidents and fires.

In a nutshell, they were (are?) Spanish Flat Camp Rangers. A Camp Ranger at Spanish Flat handles a multitude of assignments. All four of them were college trained for their positions, and were certified by the State in law enforcement training. Additionally, they were all trained in First Aid, two as Emergency Medical Technicians, and all were trained in 'CPR'.

They boasted of having the most complete emergency equipment actually located on the lake, and consisted of the Spanish Flat resuscitator-inhalor-Aspirator, certified E.M.T. First Aid kits, major trauma kits, stretchers and blankets.

From Memorial Day weekend through the Labor Day weekend they responded and handled a total of 68 First Aid emergencies in and around Spanish Flat. Additionally, they worked closely with the Resident Deputy, Don Stanley, on a number of crime related problems. Throughout the summer they handled a multitude of other assignments, ranging from re-uniting lost youngsters with parents, aiding stranded motorists, and answering questions about the lake in general.

Their value proved itself in other ways as well. Spanish Flat saw a decrease in their petty crimes in and around the resort, thanks to patrol saturation, experienced no major incidents to speak of, and finally, felt secure in knowing that medically trained young men were only minutes away, day or night, all summer long.

By Any Other Name
Bad check writers serve time in the pen,
It's jail for those who jape a jeweler;
Chronic drunks end up in the jug,
Hotheads cool off in the cooler.
It's labeled, "In stir, up the river"
(Very graphic, though short on grammar)
But regardless of how the sentence reads,
There's no glamor inside a slammer.
—George O. Ludcke.



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It Works Both Ways
It's the early bird that gets the worm,
But here is a horrible thought:
It's the early worm,
First out on the squirm,
That is caught.
—Richard Armour.

Wrong Number
In bygone days, they had to crank
Those phones upon the walls:
Today we have push-button ease—
And the cranks are making the calls.
—Rosemarie Williamson.

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ADVANCEMENT,
HIGHLIGHTS SCOUTS
SUMMER
Reported by

John Blancq
Throughout the summer, members of the Lake Berryessa Scout Troop Five stayed busy, concentrating on skills that are valuable in our lake environment.

Most of the scouts completed requirements for their First Aid Merit Badges. All of them completed their Swimming Merit Badges, and a number of them also completed their Life-saving Merit Badge. The entire summer program centered around the aquatic activities, thanks to Leonard and Nadine Ross, who allowed the troop to use the Napa Valley Ranch Club pool.

The fall scout program promises to be equally busy. Soon, there will be a Court of Honor, where the boys will receive all of the awards they earned this summer. Additionally, they will be embarking upon their fall camping program, where they will continue to use the skills they've gained in living outdoors.

While the troop meets at Spanish Flat, all boys on the lake are welcome to join if they are eleven-years-old, or in the Sixth Grade. Just call Spanish Flat, and ask for "John".

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—Robert Fuoss

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Backyard weeds: The plot thickens.
—Raymond J. Cvikota.

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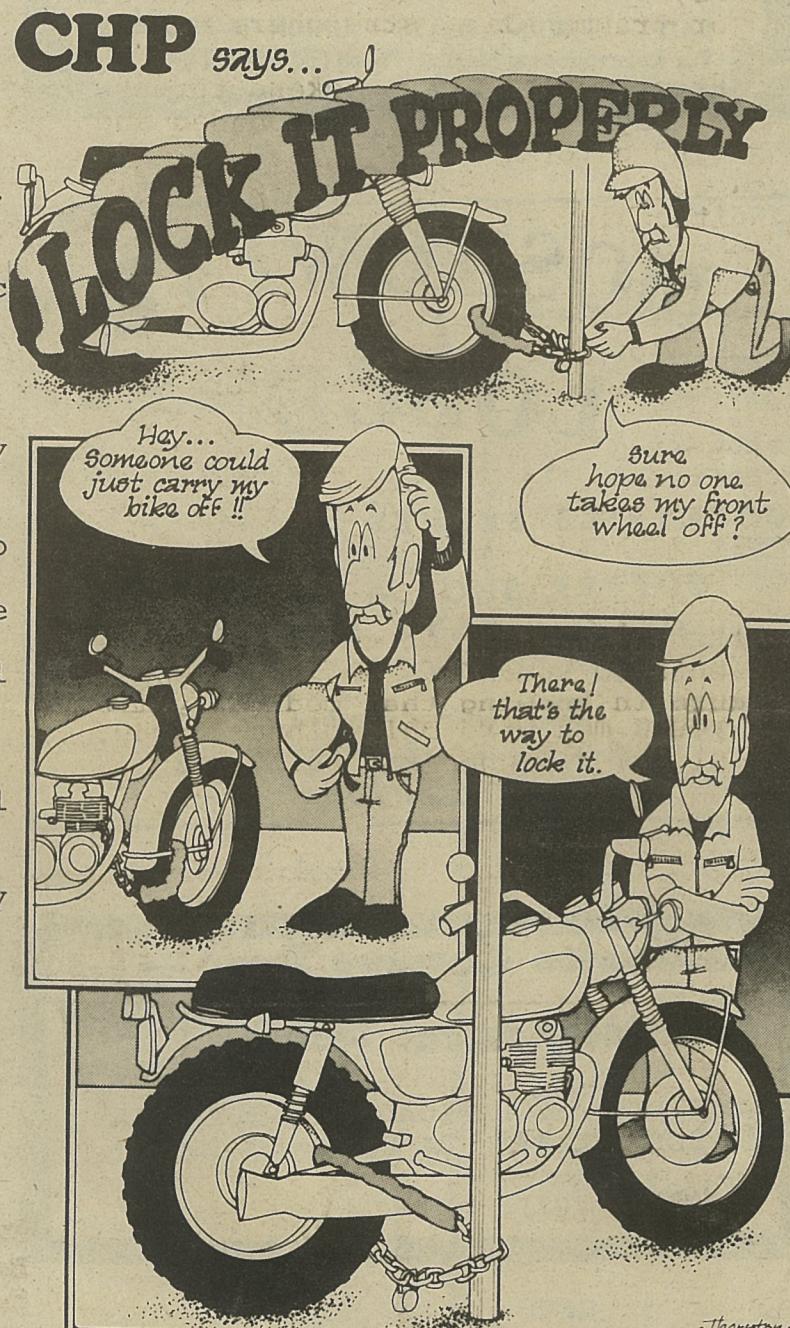
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Markley CoveWritten by
CLAUDE DAVIS**Resort**

Not many fishing, but from now on the fishermen will show, and a pleasant surprise will greet them.

The fish are ready, eager, fat and sassy. You will cull unhurt Trout, and should end up with good sized Trout.

Catfish are everywhere, and fat as can be.

Trout are mostly 50 feet down, some as near as 25 feet. Every day you will find variations. The Abalone Demon, Chromaglow Demon and a variety of lures will do a good job for you. The dam area is packed with Trout. You must be there when the bite is on. This may change from day to day. So, if you start early you will be sure and get in on the bite.

I look for lots of 4 pound Trout by the time the Trout come to the surface, which will be in mid-October. Until then, 50 to 55 feet will be the best guess. You must try each time out for depth.

Thank you for the kind words John J. Smith. I am sure you are a Trout catching expert, and would stack you at the top with the best fish catchers at Lake Berryessa.

By the way, if any of you readers wish to get in on the good life, call John J. Smith at Steele Park. John will sell you a mobilehome, or some property on which you can build, etc.

John has semi-retired, and is trying to fish a lot, but will drop a fishing trip to show you a beautiful buy. Just call him at (707) 966-0188. They are in radio contact at all times.

John's Bass boat will take only about 20 minutes from one end of Lake Berryessa to the other. You won't have to wait long for him to arrive.

John can also tell you how to catch Trout, while on a peaceful boat ride. It is like taking a leisure boat ride, and the fish catching is a bonus.

One easy lesson with a Big Jon Downrigger is all that is necessary. Catching Trout in the summer is very, very easy to do, if you have the right gear, and a short lesson.

I sell downriggers, and give lessons with each downrigger. Ask at Markley Cove Resort.

I will soon have a phone at my new home in Esparto, only 23 miles from Markley Cove Resort.

I will also teach you how to use a downrigger, if you have one, and need a few tips on the use of it.

I am now retired, and can fish any day of the week. It gives me great pleasure to help a beginner. I'm not the best fisherman in the country, but am a qualified journeyman lake fisherman. With a few tips, and a little luck, anyone can catch more fish than the law allows. It is real easy!

P.S. Lake Berryessa is noted for smog free air, clean water, and good eating fish. The resort operators are also very courteous. Send your friends so they can also have a good time.

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John finally came up with one that his girlfriend recommended very highly. When they finally met, at a lounge, in a resort, to have a get-acquainted drink, poor Abe was horrified! He called his buddy John aside, and said in a low voice, "Man John, she is really homely! Her teeth are bad, her complexion is lousy, and her hair is falling out!" John said, "You can talk louder - she's deaf too!"

How about the poor guy who was overseas for only a few months, and when he returned home he found his wife with a new-born baby. Really astonished, he said, "My God! Was it my best friend, Sam?" His wife said, "No." Well, was it my friend Willie? My friend Artie or Harry or Jack?" His wife said, "No, no, no!" "Well then who in the h--- was it?" His wife looked at him, very perky, and said, "Don't you think I've got any friends of my own?"

Going to the doctor nowadays is quite a racket! The drunk went in to see the doc, and all the doc could say was, "I can't find anything too much wrong with you. I think it's due to drinking."

"Okay," said the drunk. "I'll come back when you're sober!"

Did you hear about the two rabbits, being chased by two dogs? Finally, one looked over at the other rabbit and said, "Let's stop just for a minute, and out number them!"

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STEELE PARK RESORT FISHING NEWS
Reported by John J. Smith

We didn't do a great deal of fishing this Labor Day weekend - just sat back and enjoyed watching the "pilgrims".

Also got our office open here in Steele Park. If we can be of assistance to anyone, please call El Dorado Realtors at (707) 966-0188.

We did sneak off each night and did some Catfishing at the dock. While we caught a bunch of fish, there definitely wasn't any size to them.

One fellow caught a 7 pound Cat at the Steele Park Marina on anchovies. Didn't get a picture, or a name, so, anyone who likes can say they caught it and we won't know the difference.

Talked to the boat Casper II on the CB and he advised that some good sized Cats were being taken from Pope Creek. We went on up there and we did see a monster Catfish being boated by the Casper II. Don't know how much it weighed as I don't believe they weighed it.

Went out Tuesday morning and wormed around the dam. Caught several small Bass.

At 8 A.M. we started Trout fishing at 45 feet, with Triple Teasers and Abalone Demons. Caught six Trout, to about 3 pounds. Kept two German Browns, 1-1/2 and 3 pounds. Fished Trout for about 2 hours. They are still there for the patient fisherman.

I was told that three nice Bass, to 3 pounds, were caught this weekend, bottom fishing for Catfish. They were cau-

ght on clams and cheese. This is a good sign. At least the Bass are beginning to show.

It seems that someone at the lake has located some "Crawdads". He won't tell me where he intends to get them, and it seems that the price keeps going up and up each time I talk to him.

I just wanted them for a scientific experiment. I think this good old boy is trying to blackmail me for some reason. Won't mention any names, but his initials are Ray Elliott. Come on Ray, get-um!

Surface water temperature remains at 73 degrees. Summer has departed, and the fall-winter and spring belong to the fishermen.

Oh yes! Several people have approached me about a Steele Park Duffers Golf Tournament. If enough people are interested, we might be able to get one going. If interested, please call (707) 966-0188. If anyone has ever set one up, sure would appreciate some help.

When you are fishing Lake Berryessa - you are fishing the best !!!

STEELE PARK
RESORT NEWS
Reported by
Nancy Courtney
Congratulations to
Cindy DeLacy and
Scott Ennis, who
announced their en-
gagement on August
13th.

They met here at Steele Park, as ch-
ildren, and really
grew up together.
Both parents are
original mobile-
home owners.

The wedding is
planned for the
near future.

With the summer
over, we can all
relax a little,
and make time to
visit all of our
friends around the
lake. Hope to see
all of you this
winter.

Who the hell
is JOHN SMITH?
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Kid Stuff
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These two beautiful Catfish weighed 8 pounds each, and were caught on anchovies, across from Lake Berryessa Marina docks. The fisherman is Alex Marquez from Suisun City. He had been there at the resort for a week, and caught a total of 50 Catfish. They are planning a big fish fry for family and relatives! (Photo is compliments of Lake Berryessa Marina Resort.)



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Weak Grounds

We suffer with bad backs. Many experts suspect, Because of the fact That we walk erect.

But this is one theory I can easily disprove: After weeding on all fours can hardly move.

- Arnold J. Zarett.

DEAR BERRYESSA BETTY
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Then there was the Italian who took his new girlfriend out in his new car, and decided to to to Lover's Lane. When he started to make love to her, she said, "You know lots of girls don't make love in parked cars." "I know," said the Italian, "the woods are full of them!"

The optometrist who had all the business he could handle and had a big sign in his window: "If you don't see what you want - you've come to the right place!"

Beach going time is about over, so over Labor Day, for closing: Getting just about dark, the drunk stumbled along the sand at the beach. He saw a young athlete, doing push-ups. He started to laugh and laugh. The athlete looked up and said, "What's so funny?" "Well," said the drunk, "if I were drunk, I'd swear someone stole your gal!"

Bye till next week!

BERRYESSA BETTY

Feather Report
On a cold, blustery winter day
When the birds are huddled together,
Do you think that by any chance
They could be discussing the weather?
- Maurice Seitter.

Positive Thinking
I can stand most jargon in annual reports
But I'm moved to exclaim,
"Come off it!"
When a firm's thumping loss is explained as
A "minor reverse profit."
- George O. Ludcke.

Porn Belt
Some cities are trying to zone all their adult movie houses into one district. This is like putting all your X in one basket.
- Arch Napier.

Mixed Meanings:
"Conglomerate: crazy mixture of dissimilar businesses.
Diversified Growth Company: conglomerate as described in the annual report.
- Roger Fuoss.

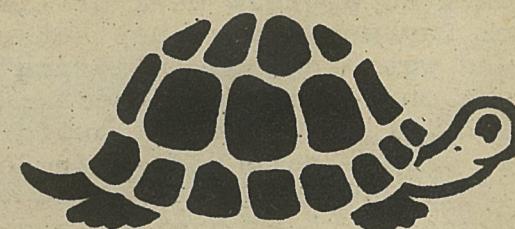
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