

COMING EVENTS

The Golden Feather Chapter of the Golden State Mobile Homeowners Association meeting has been changed from December 16th to December 9th. Meeting time is 7:30 P.M. at the Concow Grange Hall. Open to all persons living in mobile homes on their own property, and to anyone interested in future mobile home living.

A new L-H group is starting for the area. Mrs. Bonnie Jones of Pentz Road is the Community Leader. The Community Meeting is held the first Monday of each month at 7:30 P.M. at Concow School. So far they have beef, sheep and swine projects. Everyone is welcome. For further information contact Mrs. Bonnie Jones in Pentz at 533-7793.

Mrs. Betty Bruner of Yankee Hill is the Girls Leader in knitting and other home arts. Their next meeting will be Tuesday, November 30 at 1:15 P.M. in Mrs. Bruner's home, her phone number is 533-3047. Age limits on both groups is 9 years old or fourth grade through high school senior. All of you parents who have children eligible, try to attend the meetings and support this worthwhile project.

The next Concow Parents Club meeting will be December 7, at 10:15 A.M. in the multi purpose room at Concow School.

Topics under discussion will be: The Spring Carnival, assistance to teachers with costumes for the coming Christmas plays, and the controversial unification of Concow and Spring Valley schools.

Mrs. Wright, the reading teacher, has a program at each meeting, they are always interesting and informative.

Meetings are held each month, and EVERYONE is invited to attend. They would like to have more grandparents and senior citizens participate. So if you have been unaware of this group until now, this is the time to attend.

COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

On November 16, 1971, the Concow Grange CWA elected new officers, listed as follows:

Chairman	Virginia Kirsch
Vice Chairman	Shirley Check
Secretary	Ronnie Bush
Treasurer	Reta Cates

On Sunday, November 21, the first Homespun Fair was held at the Grange Hall. It was an attempt to draw the community together in some common bond, and to stir interest in an event we had hoped would become a monthly affair.

The CWA opportunity table had a beautiful display, the items are all hand made and any item from pillow to doll to pin cushion would have made a lovely and welcome gift. Hand made candles, old bottles, macrame, drift wood accessories, throw pillows, Christmas decorations, leather work, jewelry, and all forms of hand sewn items were featured. Refreshments were served, there was no charge for admittance or refreshments, people were free to browse and look and buy or not at will. All it required was to get in ones car and drive to the Grange Hall sometime between 10:00 A.M. and 3:00 P.M.

Still the interest was not there, to the ones who did come, our heartfelt thanks for showing an interest and taking time to drop by.

Next month we had people who had asked to be allowed to bring their crafts from Oroville, Paradise and the Bay area. It is not fair to let these people come all that way to a community event, when the community has no more interest and enthusiasm than this one. If all the residents or even half of them, had the interest of the people who came, there would be a meeting held each month, since this is impossible, the

first and last Homespun Fair was held last Sunday.

Monday evening the Pop Warner Football Awards Banquet was held at the Eagles Hall in Oroville for the boys. Sheriff Gillick prepared the spaghetti and it was served by the city and county officials.

Four boys attended from our area, Pete and Rodney Jones of Pentz, and Heini and Henry Gramps of Pulga.

Charlie Krueger, first string defense, of the San Francisco 49'ers was the guest speaker. He presented an official autographed football from the 49'ers to Ken Shaner, president of Pop Warner. Mr. Shaner in turn presented Krueger with a pair of antique pistols.

It was an enjoyable event and Charlie Krueger endeared himself to all those present with his warm and friendly nature.

PEOPLE AND PLACES

Marian and Paul Nelson were home over the weekend to visit Mrs. Marian Driscoll, Mrs. Nelsons grandmother. Paul Nelson is stationed at the base in San Diego, where he and Marian are making their home.

The Pentz Store is under new ownership. Bert and Vera Pratt have taken it over. Mrs. Pratt has been a local resident for approximately 25 years, and has operated several businesses in Oroville.

We wish them great success. Stop in and get acquainted with Mr. and Mrs. Pratt on your way to or from Paradise, or just any old time at all.

HOROSCOPES

Weekly Horoscopes of November 26 to December 3, 1971.

CAPRICORN December 21 to January 21

Proceed with a new venture or a change of employment. This is the week for you to get your finances lined out. Make allowances in your budget for unexpected expenditures in the first month of 1972.

AQUARIUS January 22 to February 18

Time to catch your breath after the Thanksgiving holiday before your next busy week begins. Be cautious with electrical machinery this week, your eyes are particularly vulnerable.

PISCES February 19 to March 20

Friends from far away may surprise you with an act of kindness this week. A good time for you to get some of those routine chores out of the way too.

ARIES March 21 to April 20

Stick to pursuing the absolute essentials this week, unexpected problems may cause you some anxiety and put an extra work load on you. Do not let these difficulties make you cross with your family.

TAURUS April 21 to May 20

Machinery will probably be a headache for you most of the week. Anything with a motor can be a problem. If you can't conquer it, let someone else deal with it, the labor bill will be better than the acquisition of an ulcer for yourself.

GEMINI May 21 to June 20

A bad week for Geminis, everything you do will seem to go wrong. Be careful, this is a bad time to get careless. Grin and try to muddle through, the week won't last forever, though it may seem to.

CANCER June 21 to July 20

Get out and take in some new scenery, a drive or a long hike. Enjoy nature, the fresh air may give you a whole new perspective on your feelings of an uneventful life.

LEO July 21 to August 21

Also time for Leo's to be extra careful in all that you do. Accidents are more likely for you now than at any other time. Keep a close eye on your health.

VIRGO August 22 to September 22

Take some time and enjoy yourself, get away by yourself if possible. Do what pleases you, don't listen to critical words of others.

LIBRA September 23 to October 22

Take time for your creative and artistic fancies, you will find it the best therapy for your over worked frame of mind. If these interests require spending some money, go ahead and spend, and don't feel guilty about it.

SCORPIO October 23 to November 22

This should be a better week for those of your sign, do not hesitate to accept the help of your friends at this time. Take time to rest as much as possible.

SAGITTARIUS November 23 to December 20

Attempt to start making some of your dreams come true. Try to remain realistic, and do not expect too much of people you are involved with.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Dear Editors,

A suggestion comes to mind regarding your column "Outstanding Residents". This small but unique and endearing community has been in a natural process of growth for the past twenty years. Certain individuals have particularly contributed to the betterment of the community. It is humbly suggested therefore, that a bit of research be done to single these people out and give worthy praise for their labors otherwise little recognized.

It was the initiative of Mr. Warren Peck who stimulated and pushed thru the telephone into the area. Mr. & Mrs. George Hopkins gave of their own time and substance to put a new spirit and progressiveness to the 92 pupils ONE room school. Loren Balsley and Jack Lockridge worked for many weeks with but little aid to get the construction of the Grange building to a good and substantial start. Mrs. Margaret Tucker put fire and vigor into the Grange building program that previously simply

failed to manifest more than just a lick and a promise. Mrs. Alberts Balsley never failed to respond to any call for help at her own expense, willing always to forgo her personal chores. Grace Watson and Marie Hopkins almost alone managed to conduct the Grange barbecue dinners for years at the Watson Lakefront property. Mr. James Moak has served the school board without compensation for well over 16 years.

These are given merely for a few token examples whose works and records could be spelled out with greater detail to the enlightenment and interest of our newer residents.

Yours for success,
A resident.

Dear Editor,

I attended the Homespun Fair on Sunday and was really surprised at the lack of attendance. There were very few people there that day and when I talked to one of the ladies there, she said that it had been that way all day. It really surprised me that such a fine thing was appreciated by so few. I sincerely hope that if one of these fairs is ever put on again, or any other community activity for that matter, that the residents of this area will make an effort to support it. We need more action!

S.L.

***OUTSTANDING COMMUNITY RESIDENT
OF THE MONTH***

George and Marie Hopkins were chosen this month, they are fine people and many people in this area have very fond memories of both George and Marie Hopkins. We pay tribute to them with pride and pleasure.

George and Marie Hopkins moved to Concow in July of 1947, from Oakland, California. They taught school at Concow for six years. At one time during construction of the Poe Power Project, they had 83 students enrolled and attending school in the one room school, they had to turn four little