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We apologize for the appearance of our paper over the past month. We, too, have been hit by the paper strike. Our major supply company is Zellerbach, and we are having great difficulty obtaining paper.

Our machine and the grade of paper we are using at present do not produce satisfactory results. We will continue to print the paper and do the best we can until things are back to normal.

We ask that you please be tolerant until the strike is settled and we do thank you for your patience up to this point.

COMMUNITY MEETING TONIGHT!

By: Skip Clark

Tonight, November 2nd, our community meeting will be held, and everyone is invited to attend. We will continue discussing the proposed by-laws and constitution to our association.

At the last meeting the word "transients" was used several times, used as opposed to landowners. Our association must continue to be part of a unified response if it's to work. The idea behind forming our group is: Hey - look, we're growing really fast. Maybe we should organize a group that can have an influence on how our area develops.

Whether someone owns land or rents, we all still feel concern for what will happen in the future. We either develop a plan that everyone can agree on, or find ourselves within the Paradise City limits some day.

The community meeting will begin at 8 P.M. at Concow School.

CALENDAR OF COMING EVENTS

November 7 - ELECTION DAY.
Voting Precinct - Concow
School. Pools open at 7 A.M.
BE SURE TO VOTE.

November 8 - 7:30 P.M. is the
date and time for the Golden
Feather Volunteer Fire Company
Board of Directors meeting at
Concow School. Open to the
public.

Regular meeting of the Golden
Feather Governing Board of
Trustees at Concow School at
8 P.M. on Thursday, November
9th.

November 11, Concow Grange
will host a Turkey Dinner at
the Grange Hall on Big Bend
Road. Dinner will be served
from 6 - 7:30 P.M. This will
be the last Grange dinner for
the year.

November 13, at 2 P.M. is the
regular monthly meeting of
the Concow Parents Club at
Concow School.

November 14 - Yankee Hill Ladies
Club regular monthly meeting at
the home of Rose Hunt on Big
Bend Road. Meeting begins at
1:30 P.M.

HALLOWEEN PARTY LAST SATURDAY

The Halloween Party held at Concow School on Saturday, October
28th, was fairly well attended. The Concow Parents Club and
the Concow Student Council planned the events and the Parents
Club tried to oversee the entire procedure.

It was clearly evident that Paradise Recreation District
recreation leaders, who are well accustomed to planning and
supervising these events, were greatly missed.

There were too few parents in on the actual planning and
working end to make sure that things flowed continuously and
smoothly.

The Yankee Hill Ladies Club judged the costume contest and
generously volunteered to work in the kitchen to allow parents
free time to supervise the other activities.

There were six places in the costume contests. They were
broken down into four categories from pre-school to adult.
The pumpkin decorating contest was also judged by the Yankee
Hill Ladies Club. With first place going to the eighth grade,
second place going to the sixth grade and third place went
to the second grade class.

The haunted house drew the largest crowds with a continuous
flow of young and old going through until the dance started
outside in the courtyard. The evening came to a close at
10 P.M.

PARK HILL GROCERY

NOTICE! NOTICE! NOTICE! --
Beginning on November 6, 1978,
the new store hours will be:

8 A.M. TO 6 P.M. DAILY
SEVEN DAYS WEEKLY
Call
533-2086

CONCOW LAKE NOW REPAIRED

Thermalito Irrigation District has completed repairs to the dam, and the lake will begin to fill with the coming of the rains.

T.I.D. has stated that the Department of Fish and Game will restock the lake in the spring with fish of like species.

It is hard to estimate just how many fish were killed in the draining process. A great many were caught in smaller puddles and perished slowly as the water evaporated, or they fell prey to birds and animals. The mud has made it hazardous to collect the fish. Even though a hard crust forms over the mud, it is still dangerous underneath.

If you have questions about the restocking you may contact the Department of Fish and Game Regional Office in Sacramento at 445-0376.

WOMEN OF THE COMMUNITY MEET

The Women in Support of the Golden Feather Volunteer Fire Company met on Monday afternoon at the home of Malena Ellsmore on Faith Road. During the meeting the group worked on projects to be sold for the benefit of the fire company and discussed plans for the December 9th fire company dinner.

The next meeting will be on Monday, November 6th, at 1 P.M. at the home of Ann Royal on Yankee Hill Road. All women of the community are urged to bring their projects and ideas to the meeting. Call 534-0130 or 533-3743 for further information or pickup of items.

SPECIAL SCHOOL BOARD MEETING ON MONDAY OCTOBER 30

The Golden Feather Governing Board of Trustees met to review the letters of those stating an interest in serving in the vacant seat on the school board. This vacancy was created by the resignation of Tobe Moak on October 14, 1978.

The Board reviewed the letters and briefly interviewed each of the applicants in open session. They voted to provisionally appoint Joyce Clark to the Board. This appointment will not be confirmed for 30 days. During this time anyone in the district may petition for a special election to fill the seat. Notices were posted at Concow School, Park Hill Grocery and Spring Valley School.

FIRE STATION PROGRESS REPORT

Work progress at the fire station was slowed down considerably last Saturday because there were too few helpers to assist the men laying the shingles on the roof. The shape of the dome building requires some of the shingles be trimmed at an angle. So, without helpers, much time was lost climbing up and down the scaffolding ladders. The need for skilled and unskilled help alike on this project was clearly demonstrated. Try to make it to the fire station next Saturday, weather permitting so that the rest of the shingles can be placed. Then, with the installation of the 10 foot high by 16 foot wide, roll-up door, the fire station will be secure from inclement weather.

Exciting things are happening in the Golden Feather community to make our fire and rescue capability one of the best: a new application for membership in the fire company has been received and will be announced soon; the Public Relations and Social Activities Committee reports a tremendous response by the ladies of the community to make our December 9, 1978 ham dinner a wholesome repast and a financial success; raffles, opportunity tables and door prizes of hand crafted gifts are planned; ideas and suggestions are coming in thick and fast showing that everyone in the community wishes to be involved; one particularly good idea seems to be the establishment of a Boosters Club or some similar designation, organizes solely to provide bumper stickers or decals to individuals supporting the Golden Feather Volunteer Fire Company, thus for a minimum donation, and not necessarily living in the area, one may be identified and recognized as a friend and share in a most worthy cause.

Plan to attend the Directors meeting, 7:30 P.M., November 8, 1978, at Concow School and become active in this effort.

The above report was submitted by Mr. Hendricks, Chairman of the Board of Directors.

YANKEE HILL LADIES CLUB

Members of the Yankee Hill Ladies Club are reminded of their meeting to be held on November 14th at the home of Rose Hunt on Big Bend Road.

This will be the last club meeting prior to the December 9th Fire Company dinner, at which they will assist. Final details will be discussed.

****That some good can be derived from every event is a better proposition than that everything happens for the best, which it assuredly does not.***** - James K. Feibleman.

OROVILLE HIGH VARSITY

The Oroville High Varsity Football team is 8 and 0, with only two games left for the championship.

Friday night's game is against Chico at Chico High.

RECIPE OF THE WEEK

Wild Grape Jelly by Klara Baker a GPE reader from Ramona, California.

First locate the vines, inevitably attaining heights of 60 feet or more with the most luscious fruit growing at the last 20 foot levels.

Second requirement, a husband and son-in-law, one old used axe, and here, time is of the essence. A free hour or two - felling the dead tree, holding the ropey stems and branches too high for the old wood ladder, and twisting the tight vines over to pick off the lovely purple prize ("Was that poison ivy - those reddish leaves?")

A full pail now to carry down through the star-thistled meadow to the cabin, along the narrow, stone filled path, "Tennies" aren't for hiking in the country! Ah! Shade invites the weary, sun-burned body. But away! To the barn to rummage through dusty bins to salvage old jars and wash them to sparkling cleanliness. "Spider webs? Don't be silly - the spider probably has left that corner - oops - there it is above your head!"

At last the fruit is crushed, cooked and strained. The amethyst juice is through its process and poured in rich streams into the crystal jars, to sit on the pantry shelf in jeweled array.

That poet sings best
Who dons the buckled shield
And goes arrayed for battle
To the midst, nor space to yield.

(To flying axe-head, to scratched legs, to spider or blistered thumb!)

People who emphatically protest that they are putting all their cards on the table usually put them there face down.
- Frederick B. Wilcox.

Art-Anteeks
& Junque!!!

5 FAMILY YARD SALE.....

Follow the signs to
GRANNY'S North end
Concow Lake.

NOVEMBER 4 and 5

RODGERS FLAT FIRE

The fire in the canyon started just before noon on Monday, near the derailed train. The cause of the fire was listed by the Forestry as an escaped campfire.

High winds, steep canyons and lack of roads proved to be a problem in containing the blaze.

Air tankers were used periodically whenever the north winds subsided. Heavy smoke also hampered efforts of the air tankers.

The fire had to be fought by hand crews. The Forestry Department accepted only qualified fire fighters to fight the blaze because of the dangerous terrain.

On Wednesday the Forestry estimated that containment of the fire on the west side of the canyon would come sometime on Thursday morning. The east side was still burning out of control.

There were no structures in the area, and it was thought for a time that the P.G.&E. tower lines were in danger, this proved to be untrue.

As of Wednesday noon the Forestry had estimated some 1800 acres had been involved in the fire, and there were approximately 800 men fighting the blaze.

RESPONSE OF ENGINE #37 FOR OCTOBER

Call-outs were light for the month of October, with only two being logged.

October 15 - medical response, Highway 70 auto accident.

October 28 - motorcycle accident on Concow Road.

POETRY CORNER

The First Season by Cynthia

It comes every year
And covers the earth in a
Beautiful array of green.

Making the flowers bloom
In all of their glory
It brings forth a song
To sing

Arriving slowly
Upon the heavy laden wheels
Of time
It breaks its chains and
Flies swiftly off into the horizon

Never does it say farwell
For it knows
That it shan't be missed
Until
The new winter season is borne.

It only gives you
A long cheerful greeting
And brings you
A warm thawing sun to melt
Away the old winter-s gloom.

CALIFORNIA STATE ASSEMBLY NOW ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS FOR FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM

The California State Assembly is accepting applications for the Fellowship Program for 1979-80.

Completed applications must be submitted no later than January 31, 1979. Program announcements, brochures and application forms have been mailed to all universities and colleges in California and should be picked up at these schools.

Candidates for the Fellowship must have completed requirements for a four year degree by September 1, 1979. A degree from an accredited institution, regardless of the academic major is acceptable.

FREE DANCE SLATED FOR NOVEMBER 30TH

A special "Holiday Hat Dance" has been scheduled for Thursday, November 30, 1978 at Paradise Veterans Memorial Hall, Skyway and Elliott.

All adults are invited to attend this free dance which begins at 7:30 P.M. Music will be provided by Bud Royer's Band (the Sunday night dance band in Paradise) through the cooperation of the American Federation of Musicians, local #508.

Participants are invited to wear some type of creative holiday hat if they would like to get into the holiday spirit. Refreshments will be available.

This program is sponsored by the Adult Activity Center of the Paradise Recreation & Park District.

GOLDEN FEATHER CAFETERIA MENU FOR 11-6 to 11-10

Monday -	Chicken & Noodles Spinach - carrot sticks Cranberry sauce BB / milk Fruit cocktail	Thursday -	Hot dogs Corn Finger foods Peaches
Tuesday -	Enchiladas Tossed green salad BB / milk Pears	Friday -	Chili beans Coleslaw BB / milk Fruit salad
Wednesday -	Meat loaf/ mashed potatoes Green beans BB / milk Apples		

REMINDER OF MINIMUM DAYS FOR GOLDEN FEATHER

The following are all minimum days for proficiency standards meetings. Dismissal will be 1:50 at Spring Valley and 2:10 at

Concow. Wednesday - November 8; Monday - Friday - November 13
- 17; Wednesday - November 29; Wednesday - December 6 and
Wednesday - December 13.

PASTORS CORNER

By: Rev. Steve Lamkin

"GOD GIVES INSTRUCTION".

The Living Bible does a beautiful job in translating two portions of Paul's letters to Timothy that I offer them to you without comment! They are II Tim. 4:1-4, and I Tim. 4: 1-10.

"And so I solemnly urge you before God and before Christ Jesus... who will some day judge the living and the dead when He appears to set up His Kingdom, to preach the WORD OF GOD urgently at all times, whenever you get the chance, in season and out, when it is convenient and when it is not. Correct and rebuke your people when they need it, encourage them to do right, and all the time be FEEDING them patiently with GOD'S WORD. For there is going to come a time when people won't listen to the truth, but will go around looking for teachers who will tell them just what they want to hear. They won't listen to what the Bible says but will blithely follow their own misguided ideas."

"But the Holy Spirit tells us clearly that in the last times some in the church will turn away from Christ and become eager followers of teachers with devil-inspired ideas. These teachers will tell lies with straight faces and do it so often that their consciences won't even bother them. They will say it is wrong to be married and wrong to eat meat, even though God gave these things to well taught Christians to enjoy and be thankful for. For everything God has made is good, and we may eat it gladly if we are thankful for it, and if we ask God to bless it, for it is made by the word OF GOD AND PRAYER. If you explain this to others you will be doing your duty as a worthy pastor who is fed by faith and by the true teachings you have followed. Don't waste time arguing over foolish ideas and silly myths and legends. Spend your time and energy in the exercise of keeping spiritually fit. Bodily exercise is alright, but spiritual exercise is much more important and is a tonic for all you do. So exercise yourself spiritually and practice being a better Christian, because that will help you not only now in this life but in the next life too. This is the truth and everyone should accept it. We work hard and suffer much in order that people will believe it, for our hope is in the living God who died for all, and particularly for those who have accepted His salvation". Amen.

CHURCH NEWS

Bible study is now held on Wednesday evenings in Steve Lamkin's home, beginning at 7 P.M., and youth bible study is held on the same evening at 7 P.M. next door at Bill Woods' home. For more

information, call 533-3024 or 533-3078.

Regular Sunday morning Bible study begins at 9:45 A.M. at Concow School and Worship Services begin at 11 A.M. Services at the Little Church on the Mountain are under the direction of Steve Lamkin. Youth Minister - Bill Wood, music minister - Kendall Thomas.

NOTICE TO DELIVERY CUSTOMERS

We have been having a good deal of trouble with the Concow delivery route and stolen papers. People are taking papers after they have been delivered to your boxes. If you do not receive your paper by Thursday at 4 P.M., be sure to call and we will get another one to you.

Those of you who live near your delivery points, please keep a close watch. We have had trouble with missing papers during the entire month of October.

PERSONAL NOTES FROM GFE

Mrs. Carol Pyle attended her 20 year High School Class reunion in Durham on Saturday, October 28th. Carol says that 18 classmates met at the Lambs Den in Chico and had a great time. They followed up Saturdays evening with an entire day spent with families at a private home in Durham, complete with picnic and football game by the children of the class of '58.

CONCOW GRANGE ELECTS NEW OFFICERS

The election of officers was held on Wednesday at the regular meeting. New officers are:

Master - Jim Galli	Gatekeeper - Glenn Moore
Overseer - Alyce Hendricks	Ceres - Jean Moore
Lecturer - Rita Moore	Pomona - Rosemary Bell
Steward - Bud Bell	Flora - Nina Argento
Asst. Steward - Vacant	Executive committee - Tony Argento
Lady Asst. Steward - Ruth Galli	
Chaplain - Morton Rose	
Treasurer - Dee Williams	
Secretary - Gertrude Strong	

The installation of new officers has tentatively been set for December 10, at 2 P.M. at the Grange Hall.

THANK YOU!

Jay Grieco extends her appreciation to the Van Tassles' for the time they spent delivering the Oroville Mercury each day, and she expresses her regret that ill health forced Mrs. Van Tassle to give up her route. Jay says she truly appreciates getting her paper delivered each day.

CLASSIFIED ADS

WORCESTERS DOZER SERVICE.
Cat - D-2 Dozer/rippers.
S.E. "Tanny" Worcester, call
533-7039.

FOR SALE: Concow Jade Shop.
Inventory of rough cutting
material and all saws and
equipment. \$2,000.00. Call
533-0974 - keep trying.

ELECTRONIC & ELECTRICAL
SERVICE AVAILABLE. Radio,
stereo, T.V. and C.B. repairs.
Antenna installation - C.B.
and T.V. Also electrical
wiring. Call Jim Pyle at
534-0430.

FOR SALE: Honda 90 Trail Bike;
Honda CL 100 motorcycle; two
twin size beds with mattresses
and matching dresser; one gold
colored hide-a-bed - newly
reupholstered; one 3 speed
bicycle; two accordians both
expensive Italian made - one
is student and one is ladies.
For more information, call
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Lovely gifts for family and
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Call 533-6455 and let her do
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or \$1.00 for four insertions. No limit on words and you may
combine more than one item in an ad. Call for low rates on
display advertising.

All letters, articles and contributions of material should be
mailed to Golden Feather Echoes, Route 1, Box 237-A, Oroville,
California, 95965. Telephone 534-7468, 533-2279 or 533-3743.

Subscriptions are \$1.25 per month mailed and \$1.00 per month
delivered. Subscriptions should be mailed to Joyce Clark,
Route 1, Box 237-A, Oroville, California, 95965.

All letters to the editor must be signed, names will be with-
held from the paper on request. Letters should be held to
500 words whenever possible. They must be legible, they need
not be typewritten.

All material for the following week must reach us by Wednesday
noon.

Papers can be purchased at Park Hill Grocery, Jarbo Gap Cafe
and the Rock House or by subscription.