

Ghostly Indian pictographs on a Utah canyon wall.


Cleveland - Lloyd Dinosaur Quarry visitor center.


Goblin Valley, Utah - the handiwork of erosion.


Kiger Gorge, near Oregon's Steens Mountain, provides spectacular views.


Alkali Ridge, Utah, was an area of extensive Indian settlements from 800 A.D.

## The GREAT BASIN

DESERT WONDERLAND. Picture a seemingly endless desert, surrounded by mountain ranges and branching into six States. This is the Great Basin, a sunken desert with no outlet to the sea. It appears isolated and desolate. But is it? Look closely

The desert comes to life even in the driest seasons. With very little moisture, it can produce a floral carpet, dotted with the brightest colors. Look for the Joshua tree, the strange yucca, or the little scurrying desert animals whose strange forms and habits are shaped by their harsh environment.

But the Great Basin also belongs to man. Ancient Indians inscribed petroglyphs - rock writings - and painted their pictographs on lonely cliffs, depicting their hunting exploits. Later, settlers built mining towns and wore wellknown trails further westward.

This country, perhaps at first uninviting, has much to offer the visitor. Its mountains, canyons, and trails are scenic attractions. Modern facilities for fishing, camping, boating, and other sports are available and there is recreation for every taste and interest.

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POINTS OF INTEREST
(Keyed to map on pages 16, 17)

1. ABERT RIM (Ore.). North of Lakeview on U.S. Hwy. 395. Fault block formed when one section of earth raised as adjacent section lowered. Lake across highway from the cliff which is 10 miles long.
2. PAGE SPRING CAMPGROUND (Ore.). El. 4250 ft . Mountain stream 62 mi . southeast of Burns on Donner and Blitzen River; fishing, hunting, scenery, camping; 15 camping units with 15 trailer space accommodations; water June-Sept.
3. BLITZEN CROSSING CAMPGROUND (Ore.) El. 5000 ft . Mountain stream 25 mi . south of Frenchglen on south leg of BLM Steens Mt. loop road; fishing, hunting, scenery, camping,
hiking; 5 camping units with trailer space; hiking; 5 camping units with
water (boil before use); July-Nov.
4. JACKMAN PARK CAMPGROUND (Ore.). El. 8000 ft .17 mi . east of Frenchglen on BLM Steens Mt. road; fishing, hunting, scenery, camping, geologic formations; 4 camping units with trailer space; water; July-Oct.
5. STEENS MOUNTAIN (Ore.). Overlooks on east escarpment provide view a mile down and a hundred miles away. From Frenchglen, a BLM road passes Page Spring recreation site 9500 ft . Then the road loops back along the Little Blitzen River to Frenchglen. Fishing and hunting are popular in the Steens.
6. FISH LAKE RECREATION SITE (Ore.). El. 7000 ft . Mountain lake and aspen groves 10 mi. east of Frenchglen on BLM Steens Mt. road; 20 camping units accommodating trailers, mountain scenery; water. July-Oct.
7. JORDAN CRATER AND OWYHEE RIVER (Ore.). From its origin near the mutual boun daries of Oregon, Idaho, and Nevada, the Owyhee River flows in an arc around Jordan Crater lava beds to the Owyhee Reservoir. Colorful geologic formations and recent lava flows provide a backdrop for rockhounds, fish ermen, white-water boaters and campers.
8. COW LAKES CAMPGROUND (Ore.). El. 4500 ft . Desert lake 31 mi . northwest of Jordan Valley on county road; boating, fishing, hunt ing, camping, scenery, geologic formations; 10 camping units with trailer space; boil water before use; April-Dec.
9. SILVER CITY (Idaho). Owyhee County, 25 mi . south of Murphy via dirt county road. Historic old gold and silver mining town, with many buildings intact. One of the last towns of this size located on Federal land. Wagon road to Ft. McDermitt passed through it.
10. COVE (Idaho). Owyhee County. El. 3000 ft . Be tween Bruneau and Grandview, off State Hwy. $51,20 \mathrm{mi}$. south of Mountain Home. 26 camp sites. Fishing, hunting, hiking, rockhounding, year-round.
11. BRUNEAU SAND DUNES (Idaho). Owyhee County, 15 mi . south of Mountain Home. Sand dunes 425 ft . high adjacent to a 200 acre fresh water lake. Fishing, dune activity.
12. BRUNEAU-JARBRIDGE CANYONS (Idaho). Owyhee County, southeast of Bruneau. 15 mi . on Clover Three Creek Road to dirt access road turnoff. One of the deepest, narrowest canyons in the world. 67 mi . long, with sheer, almost in the world. 67 mi . long, with sheer, almost
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ward to the river bed. Good fishing in Jarbridge ward to the river bed. Good fishing in Jarbridge
River. Jarbridge Columns is a unique area with rock formations up to 100 ft . high.
13. THREE-ISLAND CROSSING (Idaho). Elmore County on the Snake River at Glenns Ferry. County on the Snake River at Glenns Ferry.
The main ford of the Snake River during low The main ford of the Sna
water on the Oregon Trail.
14. BALANCED ROCK (Idaho). Twin Falls County, west of Buhl, via county road. Carved by ero-
sion. A balloon-shaped rock that rises 40 ft . into the air resting on a small block of stone $1^{\prime} \times 11 / 2^{\prime} \times 3^{\prime}$.
15. BIG WOOD RIVER NARROWS (Idaho). 3 mi . below Magic Dam. 30 mi . north of Shoshone. West on county road to Magic Reservoir.
16. SILENT CITY OF ROCKS (Idaho). Cassia County, near Almo. 24 square mi. With a variety of massive and weird rock forms carved by erosion from a mountain of granite. Lander Trail, Emigrant Trail, and later stage routes passed through here.
17. BLACK LAVAS (Idaho). In the vicinity of Craters of the Moon Ice Caves. Major highway from Shoshone to Arco goes through it.
18. KING'S BOWL AREA (Idaho). West of Aberdeen, turn off Interstate Hwy. 15 W at either E or $\mathbf{W}$ interchange at American Falls. Follow State Hwy. 39 across the dam. 6 mi. from AmerState Hwy. 39 across the dam. 6 mi. from Amer-
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Road. Last 6 mi . is dirt road. Rolling desert Road. Last 6 mi is dirt road. Rolling desert
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and other geologic formations such as Crystal and other geologic formations such as Crystal
Ice Caves, located in a volcanic rift 40 mi . southeast of Craters of the Moon National Monument. Only ice caves in the world open to the public.
19. MASSACRE ROCKS (Idaho). Power County, 10 mi. southwest of American Falls. On U.S. Hwy. 30N. Rocky hill on the south side of the Oregon Trail used as an observation point for Indians raiding horse and mule trains.
20. LANDER CUT-OFF SELF-GUIDING AUTO ROUTE (Wyo. and Idaho). Follow the path of the emigrants as they took the newly constructed Lander wagon road in 1858. This Oregon Trail cut-off can be traveled or closely paralleled in an ordinary vehicle from South Pass, Wyoming, all the way to Fort Hall, Idaho. Concrete and bronze markers along the route keep you on the trail. A tourist self-guiding brochure can be obtained from adjacent BLM or Forest Service offices.
21. WARREN BRIDGE CAMPGROUND (Wyo.). Sublette County. El. 7500 ft . 17 mi . north of Pinedale on U.S. Hwy. 187. 23 camp and picnic sites. Drinking water, trailer sanitation station. Fishing close by on Green River. May-Oct.
22. PACIFIC SPRINGS INTERPRETIVE SITE (Wyo.). 30 mi . northeast of Farson on State Hwy. 28. Display shows the route of the Oregon trail from South Pass City. Historical markers commemorate the trail and the Pony Express route.
23. EDEN VALLEY PETRIFIED CANE AND WOOD AREAS (Wyo.). Sweetwater County. Near Farson. Outstanding agatized wood and petrified cane. Eden Valley wood is highly prized for its beautiful casts of blacks and browns. Specimens weighing five pounds or more can still be found. The wood is scattered over a wide area. Northeast on Wyoming State Hwy. 28 for $15-20 \mathrm{mi}$., southeast on a gravel road for 20 mi . The petrified cane deposits are for northeast of Big Sandy Reservoir and Eden Reservoir. They can be reached by traveling north on a graveled road that starts approximately 3 mi . east of Farson on State Hwy. 28.
24. BLUE FOPEST PETRIFIED WOOD, (Wyo.). Petrified wood from the Blue Forest is beautiful clear blue chalcedony surrounding black or natural color petrified wood. To reach the site drive 7 mi . west of Green River to the oiled road. Turn right and cross the bridge. 6 mi . east of the bridge, turn left and follow the road going northeast to the Blue Forest area. Wood shows up
in eroded areas and along the sides of the hills.
25. 14-MILE ROADSIDE RESTSTOP (Wyo.). Sweetwater County. El. $6800 \mathrm{ft} ., 14 \mathrm{mi}$. north of Rock Springs on U.S. Hwy. 187. 6 picnic tables, drinking water, rest area, hiking, children's fish pond. May-Oct.
26. SAND DUNES (Wyo.). Sweetwater County. Approximately 60,000 acres of public domain containing some of the largest active sand containing some of the largest active sand
dunes in North America. Located 34 mi . north of Rock Springs, off U.S. Hwy. 187. Area can be traversed by foot or horseback.
27. WHITE MOUNTAIN SKYLINE DRIVE (WYo.). Access from Green River or from U.S. Hwy. 187, 14 mi . north of Rock Springs. A wide variety of unique and contrasting country.
Elevations to 7400 ft . Parallels the rim of Elevations to 7400 ft . Pa
White Mountain for 22 mi.
28. THREE PATCHES PICNIC AREA (Wyo.). Sweetwater County, el. $8400 \mathrm{ft} ., 15 \mathrm{mi}$. southeast of Rock Springs via State Hwy. 430 and 11 mi . county road C-4-27. 12 picnic sites, no water, no trailers. Hiking, scenic view, June Sept.
29. EAST SIDE HIGHWAY SCENIC DRIVE (Wyo.). Access from U.S. Hwy. 30, 4 mi . west of Rock Springs. The drive traverses picturesque canyons and countryside adjacent to Flaming Gorge Reservoir.
30. DEVIL'S RACEWAY (Wyo.). Sweetwater County, Mesaverde sandstone formations. North of Linwood, Utah.
31. GREEN RIVER BOAT TRIP (Utah). Near Flaming Gorge Dam. A 14 mi boat trip from below the dam to Brown's Park, including some rapids. From Vernal, take State Hwy. 44 north for 42 miles.
32. IRISH CANYON AREA (Colo.). Undeveloped. Approximately 80 mi northwest of Craig on State Hwy. 318 and a county road. Many interesting geologic formations and Indian petroglyphs. Some wildlife.
33. VERMILLION BLUFFS (Colo.). Multicolored cliffs along a high ridge. Moffat County, northwest Colorado, 30 mi . northwest of Maybell on back country roads; four-wheel drive vehicle recommended.
34. CROSS MOUNTAIN CANYON (Colo.). Moffat County, 12 mi . west of Maybell on U.S. Hwy. 40 and 3 mi . north of highway by jeep or pickup truck. Impressive vertical-walled canyon through which Yampa River flows.
35. POINT OF PINES (Utah). From Vernal take U.S. Hwy. 40, 12 mi . southeast across the Green River at Jensen; 300 ft . east of the bridge, take a county road for 20 mi . north. Scenic view.
36. RED HILL OVERLOOK (Colo.). Moffat County, 7 mi . north of Artesia on road leading from U.S. Hwy. 40 to canyon sections of Dinosaur National Monument. Panoramic down-country vista of vast area on public lands lying adjacent to Hwy. 40 in Colorado and Utah.
37. CATHEDRAL BLUFFS (Colo.). Long, high ridge with excellent panoramic vista. About 18 mi. southeast of Rangley in Rio Blanco County, northwest Colorado, on back country roads; four-wheel drive vehicle recommended.
38. ANVIL POINTS IN NAVAL OIL SHALE LAND (Colo.). Garfield County, about 6 mi . west of Rifle, along U.S. Hwy. 6 and 24. Spectacular Rife, along U.S. Hwy. 6 and 24 . Spectacular
view of oil shale cliffs, part of the vast deposits view of oil shale cliffs,
of northwest Colorado.
39. GYPSUM RECREATION SITE (Colo.). El. 6000 ft., 1.5 mi . west of Gypsum on U.S. Hwy. 6-24 and Eagle River. Hiking, fishing, hunting. Lava beds, extinct volcano. Near Glenwood Canyon, ski resorts, Colorado River, natural
caves. 10 trailer campsites, 10 picnic sites, 18 fareplace grills, water, rest rooms. Year round.
40. INSPIRATION POINT (Colo.). Overlook of the Colorado River in a deep gorge. 7 mi . southwest of Kremmling, on State Hwy. 131.
41. OLD STAGE ROAD TO LEADVILLE (Colo.). Partly on public land.
42: HANGING FLUME OF THE DOLORES (Colo.). Montrose County, just off State Hwy. 141, 3 mi . from Uravan. Mining flume clings high along a canyon wall as a relic of a day when fortunes in gold were being wrested from the
Rockies. Apparently constructed in the 1890 's to carry water for placer mining.
42. MUD SPRINGS RECREATION SITE (Colo.). Mesa County, el. 8100 ft ., 20 mi . southwest of Mesa County, el. 8100 ft ., 20 mi . Southwest of
Grand Junction ( 6 mi . south of Glade Park on Grand Junction ( 6 mi . south of Glade Park on rock hunting, in aspen covered area. 10 campsites ( 8 trailer), 15 picnic sites, eight fireplace grills, 9 charcoal grills, water, rest rooms. May-Oct.
43. MIRACLE ROCK RECREATION SITE (Colo.). Mesa County, el. 6600 ft ., 25 mi . southwest of Grand Junction on a county road ( 10 mi . southwest of Glade Park) near Colorado National Monument. Rough, rocky, pinon-juniper can-
yon country with large rock balanced on 12 yon country with large rock balanced on 12 waterfalls in Little Dolores River. Picnicking, camping, scenic views, hiking, rock hunting. 13 campsites ( 7 trailer), 10 picnic sites, 13 13 campsites ( 7 trailer), 10 picnic sites, 13
fireplace grills, 10 charcoal grills, water, rest fireplace grills, 10
rooms. Year round.
44. FISHER TOWERS (Utah). Eroded formations. From Moab, 25 mi . northeast on State Hwy. 128 (paved-dirt) or south on State Hwy. 128 from Cisco (at U.S. Hwy. 6-50) 20 mi . Then, from either, go 2 mi . east of 128.
45. ALKALI RIDGE (Utah). Archeological landmark. From State Hwy. 47, 5 mi. north of Blanding, take a dirt road east for 5 mi . to another dirt road, then southeast for 5 mi .
46. CANYONLANDS OVERLOOK (Utah). Two campsites. From Monticello go 22 mi . north on U.S. Hwy. 160, or 32 mi . south from Moab on 160 to a BLM road to the overlook. On BLM road go 22 mi . and take the left fork to the Needles Overlook or 33 mi . on the right fork to Anticline Overlook, a) Hatch Point Campground. Plateau, canyon views; 10 camping units with trailer space; water. b) Wind Whistle Campground. 20 camping units with 13 trailer space accommodations; water.
47. HOG SPRING (Utah). El. 4000 ft . Walled canyon 36 mi . southeast of Hanksville via scenic State Hwy. 95. Archeological site, picnicking; no trailer space; water; year-round.
48. SAN RAFAEL REEF AND SAN RAFAEL SWELL (Utah). a) Reef: from Green River take U.S. Hwy. $6-505 \mathrm{mi}$. west to State Hwy. 24, then go for 15 mi . to where it parallels the reef to the west; b) Swell: from State Hwy. 10 at Moore ( 70 mi . north of Emery), southeast for 30 mi . on a gravel-dirt road.
49. CATHEDRAL VALLEY (Utah). Highly eroded sandstone area with massive rock formations From Loa on State Hwy. 24, 4 mi. to Fremont via State Hwy. 72, then 29 mi . east across Thousand Lake Mountain.
50. HENRY MOUNTAIN (Utah). Forested area where approximately 100 -head of buffalo roam free. Several historical sites such as Wolverton' Mill. Take State Hwy. 24 to Hanksville, then south on a gravel road for 15 mi . Is rough steep road. a) McMillan Spring campground: 25 mi . south of Hanksville off State Hwy. 95 then 2.5 mi . west of Trachite Junction via dirt road; 10 camping units. b) Lonesome Beaver campground is 2 mi . further on. Primitive road, not recommended for passenger cars hauling trailers; 5 camping units; water.
51. WATER POCKET FOLD (Utah). National Landmark. Part of formation that includes Capitol Reef National Monument. Burr Trai runs through it. From Boulder go east for 43 mi. on a graded dirt road to the fold. The fold is 80 mi . long and it runs along the west side of Hall's Creek. Also parallels dirt road south from State Hwy. 24.
52. WOLVERINE PETRIFIED WOOD AREA (Utah). Take a dirt road 12 mi . east from Boulder to junction to a sign saying "Horse Canyon." Follow directions 9 mi . to a fenced area. Carry water and gas.
53. CALF CREEK RECREATION SITE (Utah). El 5500 ft . Canyon stream 15 mi . northeast of Escalante, adjacent to State Hwy. 54; hiking scenery; 10 camping units with trailer space March-Oct.
54. PAROWAN GAP PETROGLYPHS (Utah). On improved road, 7 mi . west of Parowan. Also nearby is Little Salt Lake.
55. PANACA CHARCOAL KILNS (Nev.). 12 mi east of Panaca and north off of State Hwy. 25, Lincoln County.
56. MEADOW VALLEY CAMP (Nev.). 17 mi east of Pioche off U.S. Hwy. 93, gravel road. Fishing and hunting in season, and 4 camping units.
57. WHITE RIVER PETROGLYPHS (Nev.). 25 mi west of Caliente, north off U.S. Hwy. 93, Lincoln County.
58. GOLDEN GATE INDIAN CAVES (Nev.). 29 mi. southeast of Adaven, south off State Hwy. 83 (dirt road), Lincoln County.
59. REVEILLE (Nev.). Mining. 25 mi . east of Warm Springs, south off State Hwy. 83, Nye County.
60. LUNAR CRATERS (Nev.). 25 mi east on U.S. Hwy. 6 and 7 mi . south on dirt road. Many craters in the area, Nye County.
61. TYBO CHARCOAL KILNS (Nev.). 6 mi. north of Warm Springs, north off U.S. Hwy. 6 onto a connecting road, Nye County.
62. MCINTYRE CHARCOAL KILNS (Nev.). 5 mi northeast of Warm Springs, north off of U.S Hwy. 6, Nye County.
63. OPHIR CITY (Nev.). Mining ruins. About 31 mi. north of Belmont, west off State Hwy. 82 (graded road) on a connecting road, Nye County.
64. MANHATTAN (Nev.). Ghost town. 9 mi . southwest of Belmont, west on State Hwy. 69 southwest of Belmont, west on
(improved road), Nye County.
65. ORIENTAL (Nev.). Old mining camp. 11 mi. south of Gold Pt., east off of State Hwy. 71, Nye County.
66. "THE SUMP" FISH LAKE VALLEY (Nev.). 17.5 mi . north of Dyer on State Hwy. 3A Geodes, petrified wood and other rockhound treasures, Esmeralda County.
67. MONTGOMERY PASS AREA (Nev.). 5 mi . south on State Hwy. 10 from Basalt near Montsouth on State Hwy. 10 from Basalt near Mont-
gomery Summit. Excellent rockhound area, gomery Summit.
Mineral County.
68. CANDELARIA (Nev.). Mining town ruins. 9 mi. northwest of Coaldale, 7 mi . west off Interstate Hwy. 95, Esmeralda County.
69. AURORA Ghost town (Nev.). About 3 mi north of the ghost town of Bodie, California; east off of State Hwy. 30 (dirt road), Mineral County.
70. TAMARACK POINT (Nev.). An improved lakeside camp 17 mi . north of Hawthorne on U.S. Hwy. 95 and Walker Lake. Drinking water, fishing in season, swimming, and 20 camping units.
71. SPORTSMAN'S BEACH (Nev.). 18 mi. north of Hawthorne on U.S. Hwy. 395 at Walker Lake. Drinking water, boat launching facilities, fish ing in season, swimming. 17 picnicking units with ramadas; limited overnight camping.
72. COMO (Nev.). Indian caves, petroglyphs, mining area. About 6 mi . northeast of Dayton, south of U.S. Hwy. 50, Lyon County.
73. RAMHORN SPRING (Calif.). Lassen County El. 6000 ft . 1.6 mi . east from U.S. Hwy. 395 , 42 mi . north of Susanville. Hunting, 3 camping units, 2 picnic units.
74. BUTTON MOUNTAIN BITTERBRUSH (Calif.). Lassen County. 640 acres east of Hwy. 395, northeast of Susanville. 20 mi . east of Ravendale.
75. EAGLE LAKE (Calif.). 33 mi . north of Susanville on State Hwy. 139. Fishing, boating, hunting, 17 camping units. June-Oct.
76. DODGE RESERVOIR (Calif.). Lassen County, E1. $5500 \mathrm{ft} ., 73 \mathrm{mi}$. northeast of Susanville, 22 mi. east of Ravendale off U.S. Hwy. 395. Fishing and hunting. 6 camping units and 2 picnic units. May-Oct.
77. 49'ERS CAMP (Nev.). 49'ers rest stop. About 8 mi . west of Vya on State Hwy. 8A, Washoe County.
78. GEORGE W. LUND PETRIFIED FOREST (Nev.). 57 mi . north of Gerlach on gravel county road 34, Washoe County.
79. LEADVILLE (Nev.). Mill building and ruins. 40 mi . north of Gerlach on gravel county road 34, Washoe County.
80. HIGH ROCK CANYON (Nev.). 60 airline mi. north of Gerlach, via Nevada State Hwy. 34. At the Swingle Ranch, a dirt road leads into the canyon via High Rock Lake about 10 mi . to the north. A primitive road leads several miles into the lower canyon, currently passable only to 4wheel drive vehicles and subject to substantial changes in condition and routing from year to year because of occasional heavy runoff. 9 mi . of canyons, together with the upland regions in which these canyons are etched. Characterized by sheer vertical walls frequently 300 ft . or more in height made up of dark basalts and brightly colored rhyolites and other volcanic rocks.
81. HIGH ROCK MAHOGANY CANYON (Nev.). About 37 mi . east of Vya, north on jeep road off State Hwy. 8A, Washoe County.
83 HARDIN CITY (Nev.). Mining town ruins. 41 mi . north of Gerlach, east off dirt county road 34 , Pershing County.
82. INDIAN CAVE DWELLINGS (Nev.). 8 mi . south of Gerlach, west off county road 34, Washoe County.
83. RABBIT HOLE (Nev.). Old mining area. About 4 mi . southwest of Sulphur, south off State Hwy. 49, Pershing County.
84. SCOSSA (Nev.). Mining. About 40 mi . due north of Seven Troughs on State Hwy. 50 (graded road), Pershing County.
85. SEVEN TROUGHS (Nev.). Mining. About 40 mi. due south of Scossa on State Hwy. 50 (graded road), Pershing County.
86. AMERICAN CANYON (Nev.). Mining area. 5 mi . south of Unionville, east off State Hwy. 50 (graded road), Pershing County.
87. GRIMES POINT (Nev.). Petroglyph site. About 10 mi . southeast of Fallon; east $1 / 8 \mathrm{mi}$. off U.S. Hwy. 50, Churchill County.
88. CARSON SINK PONY EXPRESS STATION (Nev.). 25 mi . east of Fallon on Interstate Hwy. 95, Churchill County.
89. WYAMAHA CAVES (Nev.). 10 mi southeast of Fallon and 1 mi . east of Grimes Point, off U.S. Hwy. 50, Churchill County.
90. SINGING SAND MOUNTAIN (Nev.). 25 mi . east of Fallon on Interstate $50 ;$ b) SAND
SPRINGS PONY EXPRESS STATION (Nev.). SPRINGS PONY EXPRESS STATION (Nev.).
10 mi . east of Salt Wells off U.S. Hwy. 50, 10 mi . east of Sa
Churchill County.
91. RAWHIDE (Nev.). Ghost town. About 2 mi . north and 10 mi . east of Schurz off U.S. Hwy. 395, Mineral County.
92. LOOKOUT SITE (Nev.). Chippage grounds. About 9 mi . east of Eastgate and south off U.S. Hwy. 50, Churchill County.
93. COLD SPRINGS PONY EXPRESS STATION (Nev.). 13 mi . northeast of Eastgate off U.S. Hwy. 50 on new highway (under construction) Churchill County.
94. NEW PASS STAGE STOP (Nev.). 32 mi . east of Eastgate on new highway cut-off (under construction) north of U.S. Hwy. 50, Lander County.
95. BERLIN (Nev.). Ghost town and old borax mines. 1 mi. south of Ione off State Hwy. 21 (graded road), Nye County.
96. MT. AIRY STAGE STATION (Nev.). 13 mi northwest of Austin off U.S. Hwy. 50 on new highway (under construction), Lander County.
97. JACOBSVILLE (Nev.). Stage stop. 5 mi. east of Austin, north off of U.S. Hwy. 50 on new highway cut-off (under construction). Lander highway
County.
98. HICKERSON PETROGLYPH CAMPGROUND. (Nev.). 24 mi . east of Austin on U.S. Hwy. 50. Scenery, hiking, sightseeing. 16 camping, 5 picnic units; trailers, toilets.
99. MINERAL HILL (Nev.). Ghost town. About 50 mi . north of Austin, east off State Hwy. 21, Eureka County.
100. CORTEZ (Nev.). Mining camp. North on Hwy. 21, 58 mi . northeast of Austin, Eureka County.
101. CORTEZ LIME KILN (Nev.). Mining town, ruins. 7 mi north of Cortez, east off of State Hwy. 21 (dirt road), Eureka County.
102. TUSCARORA (Nev.). Mining camp. 7 mi . west on State Hwy. 11, and 44 mi north of Elko, Elko County.
103. WILDHORSE RESERVOIR CAMP (Nev.). 74 mi. north of Elko on State Hwy. 51. Open May 1-January 1. Drinking water, boat launch ing, fishing in season. 30 camping units.
104. BRISTLECONE NATURAL AREA (Nev.). About $151 / 2 \mathrm{mi}$. northwest of Ely on Butte Valley Road. $3 / 4 \mathrm{mi}$. hike from end of trail. Outstanding scenic area.
105. GREAT SALT LAKE DESERT (Utah). Deposits from the receding Great Salt Lake. One point of interest to tourists is the Bonneville Salt Flats just east of Wendover and adjacent to Flats just eas
U.S. Hwy. 40.
106. TOPAZ MOUNTAIN (Utah). Rockhounding. U.S. Hwy. 6-50 from Tintic to Jericho, then a gravel road west for 45 mi . Or from Delta on 6-50, take State Hwy. 99 to Sugarville, then a gravel road 20 mi . northwest. An unimproved dirt road circles Topaz Mountain. On State land nearby there is a dry undeveloped campground.
107. LITTLE SAHARA SAND DUNES (Utah). Receiving increasing use by sand buggies; area near U.S. Hwy. 6-50, southwest of Jericho.
108. PAUL BUNYAN'S WOODPILE (Utah). 12.5 mi. south from Tintic on U.S. Hwy. 6-50; take an unimproved dirt road 3.5 mi . east. Access in wet weather inadvisable.
109. PRICE CANYON (Utah). El. 7500 ft . Mountain canyon 15 mi north of Price, 2.5 mi . southwest off U.S. Hwy. 6-50; hiking, hunting, camping, scenery; 18 camping units with trailer camping, scenery; accommodations; water; May-Oct.
110. CLEVELAND-LLOYD DINOSAUR QUARRY (Utah). From Price take State Hwy. 10 south for 21 mi to $1 / 2 \mathrm{mi}$. north of Huntington; east east on a county road. Interpretive and picnic facilities; May-Oct.
111. CEDAR MOUNTAIN RECREATION SITE (Utah). From Price take State Hwy. 10 south for 21 mi . to the road to Cleveland, then 20 mi . southeast on a dirt road. Developed picnic site. No water.

## Historic Trails

CALIFORNIA. Settlers were first attracted to California by trappers'tales. Bartleson, in 1841 , led the first emigrant group over this northern route. Joe Walker led another migration in 1843, establishing across the northwestern corner of Utah what became the more widely
traveled California Trail.
FREMONT. John Charles Fremont, an Army topographical engineer, began his own explorations of the West in 1843. The trail marked is his 1845 route.

OGDEN. Peter Skene Ogden made many trapping expeditions through the Great Basin in the $1820^{\circ} \mathrm{s}$. The route traced his $1828-29$ trail.

OREGON. The Oregon Trail branched off from the original SantaFe Trail and pushed northward to the Rockies until it reached the Pacific Coast. Trappers and settlers carved out this famous trail so well that many areas of it can still be followed. Fort Bridger was established as a
trail post in 1843 .
OVERLAND MAIL PONY EXPRESS. The Pony Express line was opened from St. Joseph, Missouri, to Sacramento. California- 1950 miles. It took 500 ponies, 80 expert riders, and 200 station men, but the mail got through in record time. It was in use from 1860-62.

DEATH VALLEY 49'ERS. Using the California Trail out of Independence, Missouri, the $49^{\circ}$ ers went from Fort Bridger, Wyoming, to Salt Lake City, then southwestward across Utah and Nevada, into California to the north end of Death Valley.

DONNER PARTY. The hazards of frontier travel are best exemplified in the disaster which overtook the Donner Party. They started late and were caught in the mountains by a blizzard 34 of 79 died before rescue.


Misty mornings are common in the Douglas fir forests of the Coast Range


Exploring the tidal pools on a Pacific beach, with King Range in the distance.


There's winter adventure in the Northwest.


Fishermen's Bend, Oregon.


All in a day's catch.


Fishing and boating are popular on the Rogue River in Oregon.

## The NORTHWEST

THE TALL TIMBER COUNTRY. Along the coast the Pacific sends powerful waves crashing against rocky cliffs, and jagged peaks dominate much of the skyline. But there are peaceful vistas too: wide beaches, where the waves are gentler, and a morning of digging clams is a special treat; serene lakes surrounded by the tall spires of pines and firs; shady glens deep in a majestic redwood forest.

For the outdoor recreationist, opportunities are endless: rockhounding for petrified wood, exploring lava fields and
glacier-cut valleys, snow and waterskiing are just a few of the many sights and activities which beckon. For the hunter, the Northwest is home to deer and elk, and ducks and geese provide excellent sport. And for the fisherman, the chances of hooking a trout, steelhead or salmon are excellent.

So whether you seek adventure in the rugged terrain once crossed by the Oregon Trail, or relaxation amid restful views of forests and rivers, the Northwest offers a special brand of recreation.

THE NORTHWEST

POINTS OF INTEREST

## (Keyed to map on pages 22, 23)

1. CHOPAKA LAKE (Wash.). Okanogan County. El. 3000 ft .; 31 mi . west of Oroville off U.S Hwy. 97. Camping, hiking, fly fishing, views of mountain goats. Adjacent to developed State Park. May-Oct.
2. PALMER LAKE (Wash.). Okanogan County. Undeveloped. E1. 1200 ft .; 135 mi . north of Wenatchee off U.S. Hwy. 97. Camping, hiking, fishing, swimming, boat launching ramp. MayOct.
3. KETTLE FALLS OVERLOOK (Wash.). Ferry County, undeveloped. El. 2600 ft ., 90 mi . north of Spokane off U.S. Hwy. 395. Excellent view of the Columbia River. Hiking. May-Oct.
4. SPLITOFF MOUNTAIN (Wash.) Stevens County, undeveloped. El. $1500-2100 \mathrm{ft} ., 95 \mathrm{mi}$. northwest of Spokane off State Hwy. 25. Excellent view of Lake Roosevelt. Hiking, geological study, camping, swimming, fishing, boating, water skiing at Bradbury Beach operated by the National Park Service on Lake Roosevelt. AprilNov.
5. PEND OREILLE RECREATION AREA (Wash.). Pend Oreille County, undeveloped. El. 2000 ft., 90 mi . north of Spokane off State Hwy. 31. Swimming, fishing, hunting, spectacular sceSwimming, fishing, hunting, spectacular scenery. Adjacent to Gardner Caves geologic
Boundary Dam, and Z-Canyon. May-Oct.
6. METALINE FALLS OVERLOOK (Wash.) Pend Oreille County, undeveloped. El. 2600 ft ., 85 mi. north of Spokane off State Hwy. 31. Excellent view of Metaline Falls. Picnicking, hiking. May-Oct.
7. BOUNDARY DAM OVERLOOK (Wash.). Pend Oreille County, developed. El. $2264 \mathrm{ft} ., 90 \mathrm{mi}$. north of Spokane off State Hwy. 31. Excellent view of Boundary Dam. Picnicking, hiking, sightseeing. Mineral display, restrooms, parking lot operated by City of Seattle, Dept. of Lighting.
8. PACK RIVER VIEWPOINT (Idaho). El. 2300 ft. Lake overlook; 18 mi . east of Sandpoint on U.S. Hwy. 10A; fishing, hiking, hunting, camping, scenery. 5 camping units with 3 accoming, scenery.
9. MINERAL RIDGE SCENIC AREA (Idaho). Kootenai County. El. 3000 ft . Entrance on U.S. Hwy. 95A, 2 mi . south of Harrison exit, 7 mi . East of Coeur d'Alene on Interstate Hwy. 90. 3 -mi. vista - nature trail south side of a 152 acre tract. 8 overlooks, information center, water, rest rooms. April-Nov.
10. KILLARNEY LAKE (Idaho). El. 2125 ft . Mountain lake. Turn off State Hwy. 3, 2 mi. southwest of Rose Lake. Follow signs 4 mi . on county road, then $1 / 4 \mathrm{mi}$. by foot trail. Boat access to lake and site from Coeur d'Alene River. Boating, fishing, hiking, water sports, swimming, picnicking, scenery; no trailer space; boil water before use; May-Sept.
11. SHEEP SPRINGS PICNIC AREA (Idaho). Benewah County. El. 5400 ft .9 mi . east of St. Maries on St. Joe River Hwy., turn north on BLM Rocket Road 15 mi .; scenic overlook on major BLM access road. July-Sept.
12. CRYSTAL LAKE (Idaho). El. 5300 ft . Mountain lake off Alt. U.S. Hwy. $95,9 \mathrm{mi}$. east of St. Maries on Rochat Divide Road for 10 mi ., then 2 mi. by trail; 2 camping units, water.
13. MIRROR LAKE (Idaho). El. 5760 ft . Mountain Lake. Take Interstate Hwy. 90 east of Coeur d'Alene, south 9 mi . on Rochat Divide Road, east 5 mi . on Boise Peak Road, $1 / 2 \mathrm{mi}$. steep trail; 2 camping units; water.
14. TINGLEY SPRINGS (Idaho). El. 5200 ft . Valley overlook off Alt. U.S. Hwy, $95,6 \mathrm{mi}$. east of St. Maries on St. Joe River Road, then 9 mi . north on St. Joe Baldy Lookout Road; 5 camping units, water.
15. PETRIFIED WOOD AREA (Wash.). Along State Hwy. 10, 6 mi . west of Quincy.
16. COLOCKUM CAVES (Wash.). Kittitas County, undeveloped. El. 500 to 1400 ft ., 22 mi. east of Ellensburg. Access via boat on the Wannapum Dam Reservoir. Archeology, geology, boating. April-Oct.
17. YAKIMA RIVER (Wash.). El. 1300 ft . Kittitas County, 12 mi . north of Yakima along designated scenic U.S. Hwy. 97. Water skiing, hiknated scenic U.S. Hwy. 9 . Whing, hunting, swimming. Petrified wood ing, fishing, hunting, swimming. Perified 14 mi . collecting on the lands above the river. 14 mi .
float trip between 3 boat launch ramps and float trip between 3 boa
picnic areas. March-Nov.
18. SADDLE MOUNTAIN ROCKHOUND AREA. Jeep road across private property and also by improved powerline right-of-way road across private property.
19. PETRIFIED WOOD AREAS.
a. Access across private property, permission by landowners. Off Hanford Road 11 mi . northeast of Sunnyside.
b. Jeep road across private property. 11 mi . northwest of Sunnyside on Hanford Road.
c. Along paved Hanford Road 12 mi . northeast of Sunnyside.
20. PETRIFIED WOOD AND STEELHEAD AREAS. Steelhead fishing excellent in July, Aug.
a. Land along Klickitat River 6 mi . from Lyle on paved road.
b. On hillside along Klickitat River 2 mi . east of town of Klickitat along paved road.
21. PETRIFIED WOOD AREA. North of Roosevelt on steep hillside across Wood Gulch from county road.
22. LEWIS AND CLARK TRAIL (Wash.). Snake and Columbia River routes, southern Washing ton. State Hwys. 3, 395, and 410. No developed BLM campsites or other facilities. Fishing, hunting, sightseeing, hiking on lands along trail. Year round.
23. SCAPONIA (Ore.). 7 mi . northeast of VeroniaScappoose Co. Road; 27 picnicking units, 4 camping units with 3 trailer spaces; fishing, hiking, hunting along forest stream, water. May-Oct., used year round.
24. LITTLE BEND (Ore.). El. 600 ft . Forest stream 8 mi . north of Mountaindale on East Fork Dairy Creek county road; fishing, scenery, hiking, 9 pienic units; no trailer space; water, year round.
25. ALDER GLEN (Ore.). El. 250 ft . Forest stream 15 mi . northeast of Beaver via BLM Nestucca Road; fishing, hiking, hunting, swimming, picnicking; 6 camping units with trailer space, 2 picnic units; water; May-Oct.
26. WILDWOOD RECREATION SITE (Ore.). EI. 1500 ft . Forest park on Salmon Creek 1 mi . east of Zigzag on U.S. Hwy. 26; organization and family pienicking, fishing, hiking, group camping; water. Year round.
27. FAN CREEK RECREATION SITE (Ore.). EI 800 ft . Forest stream 14 mi . east of Blaine on BLM Nestucca road; picnicking, fishing, hiking, hunting; water. May-Oct.
28. DOVRE RECREATION SITE (Ore.). El. 1500 ft . Forest stream 17 mi . east of Blaine on BLM Nestucca road; 3 camping units, picnicking, shelter, fishing, hiking, hunting; water. MayOct.
29. ELK BEND RECREATION SITE (Ore.). EI. 1000 ft . Forest stream 11 mi . east of Blaine on BLM Nestucca road; 4 camping units, picnicking, fishing, hiking, hunting; water. May-Oct.
30. NESTUCCA ROAD (Ore.). Between Carlton and Beaver. Paved BLM road along Nestucca River provides scenic drive through intensively managed young Douglas-fir timber and access to steelhead fishing.
31. NORTH FORK EAGLE CREEK (Ore.) EL 600 ft . Mountain stream 8 mi . northeast of Estacada on North Fork Eagle Creek County Road; fishing, hunting, hiking, camping; 21 camping units with trailer space; 2 picnic units; water; May-Oct.
32. MILL CREEK (Ore.). El. 550 ft . Forest stream $21 / 2 \mathrm{mi}$. south of Buell on Mill Creek County Road; fishing, scenery, hiking, hunting, swimming, 17 picnic units; geologic formations; no trailer space; water; year round.
33. FISHERMEN'S BEND (Ore.). El. 800 ft . On river, $11 / 2 \mathrm{mi}$. west of Mill City on State Hwy. 22; fishing, swimming, scenery, hiking, camping, picnicking; 40 camping units with 20 trailer space; water; May-Oct. (9-day limit).
34. CANYON CREEK (Ore.). El. 1100 ft . Forest stream 17 mi . east of Stayton on Elkhorn County Road; fishing, swimming, scenery, picnicking; no trailer space; water; spring-summerfall.
35. ELKHORN VALLEY (Ore.). El. 975 ft . Canyon view 20 mi . east of Stayton on Elkhorn County Road; fishing, swimming, scenery, hiking, camping, hunting, picnicking; 20 camping units with ing, hunting, picnicking; 20 camping units with
trailer space; water; May-Oct. (May be used trailer space
36. Yellowbottom (Ore.). El. 1600 ft . Mountain stream 23 mi . northeast of Foster on BLM Quartzville Road; fishing, scenery, hiking, camping, hunting, swimming; 20 camping units with trailer space accommodations; water; May-Oct. (May be used year round.)
37. DOGWOOD (Ore.). El. 1150 ft . Forest stream 19 mi . northeast of Foster on BLM Quartzville Road; fishing, hiking, scenery, picnicking; no trailer space; water; spring-summer-fall.
38. MISSOURI BEND (Ore.). El. 250 ft . Forest stream 12 mi . west of Alsea on State Hwy. 34; fishing, boating, scenery, hunting, swimming, hiking, picnicking, geologic formations; no trailer space; water.
39. ALSEA FALLS (Ore.). El. 8000 ft . Forest stream 6 mi . west of Glennbrook on BLM South Fork Alsea Road; fishing, scenery, hiking, hunting, geologic formations; 5 picnic units; no trailer space; water.
40. SOUTH JETTY ROAD AND SAND DUNES (Ore.). Giant dunes and miles of beautiful ocean beach. South from Siuslaw River. On ocean 2 mi . south of Florence on U.S. Hwy. 101.
Scenery, fishing, hiking, picnicking; no trailer space; boil water before use; May-Oct.
41. TURNER CREEK (Ore.). El. 250 ft . Forest stream 6.7 mi . east of Mapleton on State Hwy. 126; fishing, hunting, hiking; 8 camping units with trailer space; water.
42. LAKE CREEK (Ore.). El. 500 ft . Forest stream 35 mi . west of Junction City off State Hwy. 36; fishing, hiking, picknicking; no trailer space; water; summer.
43. WHITTAKER CREEK (Ore.). El. 300 ft . Forest stream 14 mi . southeast of Mapleton on BLM Whittaker Creek Road; fishing, swimming, picknicking, hiking, hunting; 11 camping units with trailer space; water.
44. CLAY CREEK (Ore.). El. 700 ft . Forest stream $281 / 2 \mathrm{mi}$. southeast of Mapleton via BLM Siuslaw Road; swimming, fishing, hunting, hiking; 14 camping units with trailer space; water.
45. HAIGHT CREEK (Ore.). El. 600 ft . Forest stream 28 mi . west of Eugene on BLM Siuslaw Road; scenery, fishing. picnicking; no trailer space; water.
46. VINCENT CREEK (Ore.). El. 200 ft . Forest stream 35 mi . east of Gardiner on BLM Smith River Road; fishing, hiking; 12 pienic units; no trailer space; water; April-Nov.
47. SMITH RIVER FALLS (Ore.). El. 150 ft . Forest stream 30 mi . east of Gardiner on BLM Smith River Road; swimming, fishing, hunting; 6 camping units; no trailer space; boil water before use; May-Oct.
48. GUNTER-SMITH RIVER (Ore.). El. 1000 ft . On river 15 mi . northwest of Drain on Smith River County Road; fishing, hiking, hunting, camping, picnicking; 5 camping units with 4 trailer space accommodations; water; MayOct.
49. SHARP'S CREEK (Ore.). El. 1200 ft . Forest stream 25 mi . south of Cottage Grove, via Sharp's Creek county road; swimming, fishing, hiking. 10 camping units with 8 trailer space accommodations; water, year round.
50. LOON LAKE (Ore.). El. 1500 ft ., Mountain lake 20 mi . southeast of Reedsport on Loon Lake County Road; swimming, fishing, concrete boat launching ramp, hunting; 25 picnic units; 75 camping units with trailer space; water; May-Oct.
51. TYEE (Ore.). El. 320 ft . On river 15 mi . northwest of Sutherlin on Umpqua River; fishing, swimming, camping, hiking, hunting, picnicking; camping units with 4 trailer space accomOct.
52. LONE ROCK (Ore.). El. 800 ft . On river 2 mi east of Glide on Lone Rock County Road; fishing, picnicking; no trailer space; water; July-Sept.



## THE NORTHWEST (Continued)

53. MILLPOND (Ore.). El. 1120 ft . Creek 4 mi northeast of Idleyld Park on BLM Rock Creek Road; swimming, fishing, hiking, camping, hunting, picnicking; 11 camping units with 4 trailer space accommodations; large shelter with electricity and stoves; water; May-Oct.
54. ROCK CREEK (Ore.). El. 1289 ft . Creek 5 mi northeast of Idleyld on BLM Rock Creek Road; fishing, swimming, hiking, hunting, camping picnicking; 16 camping units with 7 traile space accommodations; water; May-Oct.
55. SCAREDMAN CREEK (Ore.). El. 1440 ft Creek 5 mi . north of Steamboat on BLM Can ton Creek Road; hiking, hunting, swimming picnicking, 10 camping units with 5 trailer space accommodations; water; May-Oct.
56. SUSAN CREEK FALLS (Ore.). El. 2000 ft Falls 29 mi . east of Roseburg on State Hwy 138; scenery; hiking, picnicking, historic site; no trailer space; boil water before use; JulySept.
57. CAVITT CREEK FALLS (Ore.). El. 1200 ft . Falls 8 mi . south of Glide on Cavitt Creek County Road; fishing, swimming, hunting, hiking, pienicking; 4 camping units with trailer space; water; May-Oct.
58. WOLF CREEK FALLS (Ore.). El. 1200 ft . Falls 10 mi . southeast of Glide on Little River County Road; scenery, hiking, picnicking; no trailer space; boil water before use; JulySept.
59. PARK CREEK (Ore.). El. 400 ft . Forest stream 26 mi , east of Coquille on BLM Middle Creek Road; swimming, hunting, hiking; 12 camping units with trailer space; water; May-Oct.
60. BURNT MOUNTAIN (Ore.). El. 2240 ft . Forest stream 30 mi . east of Coquille on BLM Burnt Mt. Road; scenery, hiking; 3 camping units; no trailer space, water; July-Nov.
61. CHERRY CREEK (Ore.). El. 650 ft . Forest stream 27 mi . east of Coquille on BLM Cherry Creek Road; hiking, scenery, picnicking; no trailer space; boil water before use; MayOct.
62. BEAR CREEK (Ore.). El. 640 ft . Forest stream 8 mi . southwest of Cameo Valley on State Hwy. 42; fishing, hiking, swimming, picnicking; 10 42; fishing, hiking, swimming, picnicking; 10 Oct.
63. SIXES RIVER (Ore.). El. 160 ft . Forest stream 11 mi . east of Sixes on Sixes River County Road; fishing, swimming, hunting, hiking; 19 camping units with trailer space; water; JuneSept. (14-day limit unless specified.)
64. COLD SPRINGS (Ore.). El. 3600 ft . Forested area 32 mi . west of Glendale on BLM KelseyMule Road; hunting, hiking, camping, 4 camping units; trailer space; water; May-Oct.
65. DARBY CREEK (Ore.). El. 1000 ft . Creek 20 mi . southwest of Riddle on BLM Cow Creek Road; scenery, picnicking; boil water before use; April-Oct.
66. ROGUE RIVER TRAIL (Ore.). El, 500-800 ft. Hiking trail along famous white water stream beginning 29 mi . northwest of Grants Pass at junction of Grave Creek and Rogue River; junction of Grave Creek and Rogue River;
hiking, fishing, scenery. Trail accessible by car. hiking, fishing, scenery. Trail accessible by
Water available along trail. March-Nov.
67. RAINIE FALLS (Ore.). 1.7 mi . downriver on Rogue River Trail; 2 picnic units; no trailer space.
68. BIG SLIDE (Ore.). 3.7 mi . downriver on Rogue River Trail; 3 camping units; no trailer space.
69. RUSSIAN CREEK (Ore.). 5.7 mi . downriver on Rogue River Trail; 1 camping unit; no trailer space.
70. KELSEY CREEK (Ore.). 15.4 mi . downriver on Rogue River Trail; 3 camping units; no trailer space.
71. TUCKER FLAT (Ore.). 23.4 mi . downriver on Rogue River Trail, 60 mi northwest of Grants Pass via Mt. Reuben and Kelsey-Mule roads; 9 camping units with 5 trailer space accommodations.
72. ELDERBERRY FLAT (Ore.). EL. 2000 ft Stream 30 mi . north of Rogue River on BLM West Fork Evans Creek road; camping, hunting. scenery, picnicking; 10 camping units with trailer space; boil water before use; MarchNov.
73. SHADY BRANCH (Ore.). E1. 3150 ft . Forested area 25 mi . northwest of Grants Pass on BLM Galice and Silver Creek Roads; hunting, hiking, camping; 4 camping units; no trailer space; water; May-Oct.
74. PALMER BUTTE (Ore.). El. 2000 ft . Mountain top 8 mi . east of Brookings on Gardiner Ridge Road; scenery, picnicking; no trailer space; no water; April-Nov.
75. GOLD NUGGET (Ore.). E1. 1100 ft . On river 2 mi . north of Gold Hill on State Hwy. 234; fishing; scenery, picnicking; no trailer space; water, except in winter.
76. TUNNEL RIDGE (Ore.). El. 2250 ft . Fishing stream 16 mi . southeast of Applegate on county road; hiking, hunting, picnicking; no trailer space; boil water before use; March-Nov.
77. HYATT LAKE RECREATION AREA (Ore.). E1. 5000 ft . Mountain reservoir 23 mi . east of Ashland via State Hwy. 66 and BLM Hyatt Lake road; 15 camping units accommodating trailers, showers, boat ramp, fishing, hiking, hunting; water. May-Oct.
78. LITTLE APPLEGATE (Ore.). El. 2500 ft . On stream 19 mi . southeast of Applegate on county road; fishing, hiking, hunting, picnicking; no trailer space; water; March-Nov.
79. SURVEYOR (Ore.). E1. 5200 ft . Forested area 33 mi . east of Ashland via BLM Keno Road; hiking, hunting, camping, 4 camping units with 4 trailer space accommodations; water; June-Oct.
80. TOPSY (Ore.). El. 3800 ft . Reservoir 8 mi . west of Keno on Topsy County Road; swimming, boating, fishing, hiking, hunting, camping; 6 camping units with 4 trailer space accommodations; no water; March-Dec.
81. DESCHUTES RIVER (Ore.). From its origin in central Oregon, the Deschutes flows northward to the Columbia River. Roughly paralleling the Deschutes is U.S. Hwy. 97, and the river can be reached by various public roads. A BLM be reached by various public roads. A BLM
road on the east river bank extends 25 miles road on the east river bank extends 25 miles
downstream from Maupin to Macks Canyon. downstream from Maupin to Macks Canyon. and Beavertail. Famous as a fishing stream, the Deschutes races through canyons showing evidence of repeated volcanic action.
82. BEAVERTAIL (Ore.). E1. 550 ft Canyon stream 10.3 mi . north of Sherar's Bridge on BLM Deschutes River Road; fishing, hunting, rockhounding, scenery; 20 camping units with 10 trailer space accommodations; water; year round.
83. MACKS CANYON RECREATION SITE (Ore.). El. 500 ft . River canyon 25 mi . north of Maupin on BLM Deschutes River road, 16 camping units with trailer space, picnicking, fishing, hunting, hiking, river boating, archaeological interest; water. Year round.
84. SKOOKUMCHUCK (Idaho). El. 1500 ft . Scenic river 4 mi . south of Whitebird on U.S.Hwy 95 ;fishing, hiking, hunting, swimming, boating, scenery; 5 camping units with space for small trailer; water; year round. North to white water boating on the Clearwater River.
85. BEGGS (Idaho). El. 2400 ft . Desert reservoir, 26 mi . west of Cambridge on State Hwy. 71; fishing, hunting, hiking, water sports, camping, scenery; 30 camping units with 15 trailer space accommodations; water $1 / 2 \mathrm{mi}$. at. Brownlee Reservoir; May-November. East to white water boating on the Salmon River, on the Middle Fork and on the North Fork to Riggens.
86. STECK (Idaho). El. 2028 ft . Desert reservoir 22 mi . west of Weiser via Old Ferry Road; fishing, hunting, hiking, water sports, camping, picnicking, scenery. 23 camping units with 12 trailer space accommodations; water, May-Nov.
87. CHIMNEY ROCK (Ore.). El. 3000 ft . Canyon stream 20 mi . south of Prineville on State Hwy. 27 about 3 mi . downstream from Prineville Reservoir; fishing, hunting, scenery, rockhounding, picnicking; no trailer space; water; year round.
88. GERBER RESERVOIR (Ore.). El. 4800 ft . Reservoir in pine forest 18 mi . south of Bly; fishing, boating, hunting, camping; 50 camping units with trailer space; 2 boat ramps; water; May-Oct.
89. COPCO RESERVOIR (Calif.). Siskiyou County El. 2500 ft . Boating, fishing, no camping; 3 picnic units.
90. BAKER CYPRESS NATURAL AREA (Calif.). Siskiyou and Modoc Counties. 1448 acres. North of Fall River Mills.
91. CINDER CONE (Calif.). Shasta County, El. 3500 ft .6 mi . southeast from Fall River Mills, off U.S. Hwy. 299. Hunting, 13 camping units.
92. PIT RIVER (Calif.). Shasta County. E1. 2850 ft., 5 mi . southwest of Fall River Mills on U.S. Hwy. 299. Fishing, hunting and rockhounding. 6 units. March-Nov.
93. TRINIDAD HEAD VISTA (Calif.). Humboldt County. At town of Trinidad.
94. HUMBOLDT BAY-SAMOA LIGHTHOUSE (Calif.). Humboldt County. Boat launching and beach campsite. West of Eureka.
95. CAPE MENDOCINO (Calif.). Humboldt County. Pacific Ocean views from U.S. Hwy. 1.
96. PUNTA GORDA (Calif.). Humboldt County. Old abandoned coast guard lighthouse, 3 mi . south along beach from mouth of the Mattole River. 45 mi . west of Weott and U.S. Hwy. 101.
97. KING RANGE AREA (Calif.). Humboldt County. 9700 acres on West Pacific slope overlooking Pacific ocean. 20 mi . of developed hiking trails. 25 mi . west of Redway and U.S. Hwy. 101.
98. HORSE MOUNTAIN (Calif.). Humboldt County. King Range Area. El. 2200 ft ., 22 mi . west of Redway, 6 mi . north of Shelter Cove Road; hunting, hiking, fishing, 9 camping units.
99. TOLKAN (Calif.). Humboldt County. King Range Area. El. 2200 ft .20 mi . west of Redway, $31 / 2 \mathrm{mi}$. north of Shelter Cove Road. Hunting, hiking, fishing, 9 camping units.
100. NADELOS (Calif.). Humboldt County. King Range Area. El. 2200 ft ., 2 mi . south of Shelter Cove Road. 2 group units, hiking trail, hunting, fishing, 4 camping units.
101. WAILAKI (Calif.). Humboldt County. King Range Area. El. 2200 ft ., 20 mi . west of Redway off U.S. Hwy. 101, south of Shelter Cove Rd. Hunting, fishing, hiking, beachcombing, 9 camping units, 6 picnic units.
102. JUNCTION CITY (Calif.). Trinity County. El. 1500 ft .10 .5 mi . west of Weaverville, $11 / 2 \mathrm{mi}$. from Junction City on U.S. Hwy. 299 on Trinity River. Fishing, swimming, hunting, 26 camping units.
103. DOUGLAS CITY (Calif.). Trinity County. El. 1600 ft .45 mi . west of Redding, 1 mi . west of Douglas City. Paved county road off U.S. Hwy, 299 on Trinity River. Fishing, swimming, 18 camping units, 11 picnic units.
104. READING ISLAND (Calif.). Shasta County. El. 500 ft . South of Anderson, U.S. Hwy. 99. Boating, fishing, boat launching, 10 pienic units.
105. GOAT ISLAND (Calif.). Mendocino County. 6 acre island typical of unsurveyed offshore islands in public ownership along California coast. Located near the coastal town of Mendocino.
106. LITTLE DARBY (Calif.). Mendocino County, $1800 \mathrm{ft} ., 7 \mathrm{mi}$ east of Willits, hunting, hiking, and picnicking. 2 picnic units. March-Nov.
107. WILLOW CREEK (Calif.). Mendocino County. El. 2500 ft . 9 mi . east of Ukiah off U.S. Hwy. 101 on Talmadge Road. Hunting, hiking, 6 camping units.
108. MAYACMAS (Calif.). Mendocino County. El. 2500 ft .13 mi . east of Ukiah off U.S. Hwy. 101 on Talmadge Road, at McClure Cr. Hunting, hiking, 10 camping units.
109. SOUTH RED MOUNTAIN (Calif.). Mendocino County. El. 2500 ft., 11 mi . east from Ukiah on New Cow Mtn. Rd. Hunting, hiking, 13 camping units.
110. COW MOUNTAIN (RED MTN.) (Calif.). Mendocino County. 350 acres Cowan Cypress. East of Ukiah through Talmadge.
111. SHELDON CREEK (Calif.). Mendocino County. El. 2500 ft .12 mi . east from Hopland on High land Springs Rd.; hunting, hiking, 9 camping units.
112. CEDAR ROUGHS (Calif.). Napa County. Natural area. McNab and Sargent Cypress. West of Lake Berryessa.
113. SOUTH YUBA TRAILHEAD (Calif.). Nevada County, El. 2500 ft ., 8 mi north of Nevada City. Hiking, fishing, hunting, 14 camping units, 3 picnic units. March-Dec.


Joshua tree, typical of the Mojave Desert area.


Climbers enjoy themselves in the Alabama Hills.


The strange Nolina, or "candle of the gods."


Mount Langley, seen from Alabama Hills of Owens Valley. Motion pictures are often made on location here at "Movie Flats."

## southenn \& central CALIFORNIA

LAND OF CONTRASTS. The highest and lowest places in the contiguous United States are within sight of each other in California. Mount Whitney rises to 14,495 feet. Relatively a few miles away is Death Valley, whose lowest point is 280 feet below sea level. Within this varied land can be found all but one - the tropical - of the world's climatic zones.

The predominant feature of the public lands in Southern California is the vast desert panorama, framed by ruggedly beautiful mountains. Desert flowers grow in abundance after rare spring rains, softening the stark landscape with color.

High on the western slope of the Sierra, the forested wilderness forms a buffer zone for the valley floor. Here canyons that once produced untold millions in gold are now a playground. The Sierra's eastern slope, one of the most precipitous in the country, plummets into Owens Valley, where hundreds of sparkling trout streams are replenished by the eternal snow.

And in the foothills of the coastal ranges stretches grassland country where the hunter will find deer and quail.

This is California's invitation to enjoy endless recreation variety.


POINTS OF INTEREST
(Keyed to map on page 26)


Exploring the desert.

1. BODIE. 1859 mining town and now Bodie State Park.
2. DOG TOWN. 1857 mining town site on U.S. Hwy. 395.
3. LIME KILN. Provided early building products for Bodie. North of Mono Lake.
4. MONO LAKE BASIN. On U.S. Hwy. 395 at Leevining.
5. MONO LAKE VOLCANICS. Volcanic forms created underwater. Access via U.S. Hwy. 395 north of Leevining.
6. MONO MILLS-BODIE RAILROAD. OId railroad that served Bodie with forest timber, 1857. East of Mono Lake.
7. TUFA TOWERS. Around Mono Lake.
8. CARSON AND CALIFORNIA RAILROAD. Narrow gauge railroad from Carson City to southern Owens Valley. Near Benton.
9. CROWLEY LAKE, Mono County, El. 7000 ft ., on U.S. Hwy. $395,30 \mathrm{mi}$. north of Bishop. Fishing, hiking, sightseeing. 47 camping units. June-Oct.
10. BLACK ROCK MINE, near Benton.
11. PETROGLYPH LOOP. North of Bishop on State Hwy. 6 to Chalfant, then southwest through Fish Slough.
12. HORTON CREEK. El. 5000 ft .10 mi . northwest of Bishop, turn onto access road from U.S. Hwy. 395, 3 mi . Hunting, fishing, 53 camping units.
13. WHITE MOUNTAIN CITY PETROGLYPHS. Mining town (1860) and Indian site west of oasis in White Mountains.
14. OWENS VALLEY. Elevation 4500 to 5000 ft . Desert valley at foot of Sierra Nevadas; mountains nearby to $14,495 \mathrm{ft}$.; hunting, fishing, hiking, scenery; May-Oct.
15. CRATER MOUNTAIN. 100 acres, crater and Indian camp south of Bishop.
16. GOODALE. Elevation 4500 ft . North of Independence, off U.S. Hwy. 395 on access road 1.5 mi . west from Aberdeen. Hunting, fishing, hiking. 62 camping units.
17. CARSON AND COLORADO RAILROAD. Served Chrysopholis. Near Independence.
18. WAUCOBA SPRINGS. Remnants of Piute and earlier culture. North end of Saline Valley, east side of Inyo Mountains.
19. EUREKA VALLEY SAND DUNES. Major sand dune area, off State Hwy. 6.
20. MAZOURKA CANYON. Mining and geologic oddities. Access from Independence.
21. BEVERIDGE. Mining camp in Inyo Mountains.
22. SYMMES CREEK. El. 5186 ft .7 mi . east of Independence on U.S. Hwy. 395. Hunting and fishing; 55 camping units.
23. REWARD. 80 acres, active mining operation, southeast of Independence.
24. SQUAW ROCK. South of Bishop.
25. INYO MOUNTAINS. Keynot Peak rises 11,125 ft . above Saline Valley. East of Bishop. Mountains run north-south.
26. ALABAMA HILLS. This area is famous for its scenic granite rock outcroppings and use by the movie and television industry where hundreds of major film features have been shot.
27. SALINE VALLEY SALT TRAM. Across the Inyo Mountains, built in 1913. North of Keeler.
28. CERRO GORDO. Old mining operations (silver and gold). 8 mi . from Keeler via State Hwy. 136.
29. TUTTLE CREEK. Inyo County, El. 5000 ft ., 6 mi . west of Lone Pine, U.S. Hwy. 395. Sightseeing, fishing and hiking. This campground is located in the outstandingly scenic Alabama Hills Recreation Lands.
30. ADVANCE. Old mining location and trail. Picnic site on north fork of Kaweah River. Northeast of Visalia.
31. COMB ROCK. Granite backdrop of the Three Rivers Area, adjacent to Sequoia National Park.
32. ROSE SPRINGS. Archeological excavation near U.S. Hwy. 395.
33. LAKE HILL ISLAND. In the ancient lake that covered Panamint Valley. South of State Hwy. 190.
34. DARWIN. Old mining town. Road from State Hwy. 190.
35. DARWIN FALLS. Below Darwin townsite in canyon above Panamint Springs Resort.
36. PANAMINT RANGE. Many historic mines south of State Hwy. 190 east from Trona.
37. BALLARAT. One of many noted mining camps of the Panamint Valley. Access from Trona.
38. LAMONT MEADOWS - LONG VALLEY RECREATION AREA. El. to $5,500 \mathrm{ft}$. Mountain valley in lower Sierra Nevadas. From U.S. Hwy. 395 west on Nine Mile Road 13 mi . or north from State Hwy. 178 (Walker Pass Road) 9 mi . a. Lamont Meadows. On Nine Mile Canyon Rd. 13 mi . west of U.S. Hwy. 395; 35 camping units; 10 trailer space accommodations; water. b. Long Valley. 13 mi . farther on Nine Mile Canyon Rd. 18 camping units; no trailer space; water.
39. WAGY FLAT ROAD. Indian archaeological site. North of State Hwy. 178. Good fishing at nearby Lake Isabella.
40. BODFISH PIUTE CYPRESS. 760 acres. East of Bakersfield, via State Hwy. 178.
41. ROBBERS ROOST. Hideout for Tiburcio Vasquez in 1874. Jct. U.S. Hwy. 6 and State Hwy. 178.
42. Walker pass. On State Hwy. $178,10 \mathrm{mi}$. west of U.S. Hwy. 395.
43. BACK CANYON GROVE OF PIUTE CYPRESS. East of Bakersfield via State Hwy. 178.
44. RADEMACHER MINING DISTRICT. South of Ridgecrest, Randsburg and Garlock.


Lamont Meadows.
45. TRONA PINNACLES. Calcareous spires, south of Trona; a designated National Landmark.
46. INSCRIPTION CANYON PETROGLYPHS. Northwest part of Calico Area, north of Hinkley via U.S. Hwy. 466.
47. MURPHY WELL PETROGLYPHS. Via graded road north from Hinkley via U.S. Hwy. 466.
48. BLACK CANYON. Primitive road access, northwest of Barstow.
49. OWL CANYON. El. 3000 ft ., 12 mi north of Barstow, off Camp Irwin and Fossil Roads. Area is well known for its geologic, paleontologic, archeologic and botanic values. Sightseeing, hiking and rockhounding. 30 camping units. Year round season.
a. Rainbow Basin. Multi-colored distorted rock layers, north of Barstow 8 mi . on Camp Irwin Road.
50. NEWBERRY CAVE. South of U.S. Hwy. 66 from Newberry. Foot trail access.
51. AFTON CANYON. El. 1500 ft ., 40 mi . east of Barstow and 3 mi . south of Interstate Hwy. 15. Sightseeing, rockhounding and hiking. 22 camping units. Year round season.


Owens Valley.
52. RODMAN MOUNTAIN PETROGLYPHS. 320 acres, south of Interstate Hwy. 40. No road access.
53. RODMAN MOUNTAIN PETROGLYPHS. 480 acres, south of Interstate Hwy. 40. No road access.
54. RODMAN MOUNTAIN PETROGLYPHS. South of Barstow, primitive road access.
55. DEAD INDIAN CREEK PALMS. 380 acres, west of Indio.
56. SANTA ROSA INDIAN RUINS. In the rugged Santa Rosa Mountains, southwest of Coachella off State Hwy. 86. No trail access.
57. HAYFIELD SPRING PETROGLYPHS. Off U.S. Hwy. 60/70, north through sandhills.
58. COTTONWOOD. McCain Valley area, el. 4000 ft. 16 mi . north of Boulevard on U.S. Hwy. 80 Hunting, hiking, 29 camping units.
59. WHITE ARROW. McCain Valley area. El. 4000 ft .15 mi . north of Boulevard on U.S. Hwy. 80. Hunting, hiking, 8 camping units.
60. LARK CANYON. MeCain Valley area. El. 4000 ft .7 mi . north of Boulevard on U.S. Hwy. 80. Hunting, fishing, hiking, 10 camping units.
61. CIMA DOME. 20,000 acres of Joshua trees 40 miles west of Needles, Southeast of Baker.
62. CRUCIFIXION THORN. 160 acres of plants, many growing to 10 ft . Perhaps the only area of Crucifixion Thorn outside of the Holy Land. On State Hwy. $98,22 \mathrm{mi}$. from Calexico.
63. YUHA DESERT INTAGLIOS. Design created by early man in soil after rock removal. Located between State Hwy. 98 and U.S. Hwy. 80, 3 mi . from De Anza historical marker turnoff.
64. OTAY MOUNTAIN. 5,000 acres of Tecate Cy press, East of San Diego.


This is Alaska, wilderness without end. Here the water flow from a melting glacier winds slowly through an untouched stand of spruce.


## ALASKA

WILDERNESS GIANT. Alaska, home of the Eskimo, Indian and Aleut, remains untamed. Its vastness sparkles with glaciers and its forested valleys run with bright streams. Mt. McKinley's eternal snowcap towers to 20,320 feet the highest point on the North American continent. Wide valleys, worn by such meandering streams as the Kuskokwim and the mighty Yukon, are filled with unique and colorful plants and animals. Big game hunting and fishing in Alaska are unparalleled. Moose, bear, Dall sheep and caribou are plentiful. Arctic grayling, salmon, and spectacular trout abound in lakes and rivers. About 95 percent of Alaska,
the biggest of our States, is still public domain, where you can find adventure on a grand scale.

Alaska is no longer remote, but is just hours away by jet. It can also be reached from the lower 48 States by the famed Alcan Highway, and via a new ferry service to Haines. A network of improved roads carries the visitor as far as Circle City, terminus of the Pan American Highway at the Yukon River.

A trek across rugged mountains, a close-up look at a glacier, or even a walk along a sunny beach are all possible adventures when you visit Alaska.

## ALASKA

POINTS OF INTEREST (Keyed to map on pages 30, 31)


Alaskan glaciers.

1. SALMON LAKE CAMPGROUND. 40 mi . north of Nome on the Nome-Taylor Road. It is the only public campground on Alaska's historic Seward Peninsula. Attractions in this area are hunting, fishing, nature study and scenic enjoyment. 4 camping units.
2. TOLOVANA RIVER CAMPGROUND. 12 mi . southeast of Livengood at Mile 57 of the Elliott Highway. Attractions are hunting, fishing, scenery, nature study, and prospecting. 6 camping units.
3. WHITE MOUNTAINS TRAIL. The $80-\mathrm{mi}$. long White Mountains Trail is interior Alaska's first public hiking trail. Its access points are at Mile 42 Steese Highway and Mile 25 of the Elliott Highway. All types of Alaskan terrain will test the hiker: mountain ridges and passes, alpine meadows, and even a couple of those famous Alaskan bogs. Both big and small game can be seen and the streams are full of grayling for the fisherman.
4. BEDROCK CREEK CAMPGROUND. 9 mi . south of Central at Mile 119 of the Steese Highway. Attractions in this area include the Circle Hot Springs, views of the midnight sun during late June, hunting, fishing, swimming, scenery, nature study, hiking and prospecting. 5 camping units.
5. KETCHEM CREEK CAMPGROUND. 2 mi . west of Circle Hot Springs on the Circle Hot Springs Road. Attractions in this area include Circle Hot Springs, views of the midnight sun during late June, hunting, fishing, swimming, scenery, nature study, hiking and prospecting. 8 camping units.
6. HARRISON CREEK ROAD. A 9 mi.-long public access road. It begins at the Miller House Lodge, Mile 116 of the Steese Highway, and ends on Harrison Creek. It gives the traveler access to new hunting, fishing, and scenic grounds.
7. BIRCH CREEK. A clear water stream with an access point at the North Fork at Mile 94 of the Steese Highway, and its exit at Mile 140 of the Steese. Birch Creek offers white water canoeing, excellent fishing (grayling, northern pike), big game hunting (moose, caribou, grizzly and black bear) and outstanding scenery. The trip covers 130 miles of river.
8. CHATANIKA RIVER. Clear water stream for white water canoeing, excellent fishing (Arctic grayling, sheefish and northern pike), big game hunting (moose and black bear), and beautiful scenery. The major access points along this route are Mile 56 Steese Highway, Mile 39 bridge of the Steese Highway and the Mile 11 bridge of the Steese Highway
of the Elliott Highway.
9. DELTA CAMPGROUND. At a convenient location northwest of Delta Junction on the Alaska Highway. Commercial shower, laundry, eating and grocery facilities are all located nearby. This facility is being enlarged and will contain 12 pienic and 24 camping units with a complete water system.
10. EAGLE CAMPGROUND. 1 mi . south of Eagle, the first incorporated "city" in Alaska. Historic Fort Egbert military site and the Yukon River are nearby. There are facilities to launch a boat at Dawson and cruise downstream on the Yukon to Eagle, Circle, or even on to Tanana and up the Tanana River to Fairbanks. The Eagle area is unrivalled for hunting, fishing, sight-seeing, nature study, hiking and even prospecting. 10 camping units.
11. LIBERTY CAMPGROUND. 30 mi . south of Eagle at Mile 132 of the Taylor Highway. Attractions in this area include, hunting, fishing, scenery hiking, prospecting, nature study or just enjoying the wilderness of this remote Alaskan setting. 6 camping units.
12. FORTYMILE RIVER. Clear water stream with white water canoeing, excellent fishing (Arctic grayling and whitefish), big game hunting (moose, caribou, black and grizzly bear), and beautiful scenery. The accessible portion of the river runs for approximately 100 miles in Alaska with 5 major access points: (a) West Fork, Mile 50 , Taylor Hwy., 32 mi . to South Fork Bridge. (b) Mosquito Fork, Mile 64, Taylor Hwy., 9 mi , to South Fork Bridge. (c) South Fork, Mile 75, Taylor Hwy., 40 mi . to Fortymile River Bridge. (d) Fortymile River, Mile $12 \sigma$, Taylor Hwy., 95 mi . to Eagle via Yukon River. (e) Eagle, Mile 162, Taylor Hwy., exit point.

YUKON RIVER. Canoeists can continue on from Eagle to Circle City (end point of the Steese Highway), the last exit point on the Yukon accessible by road. The Yukon is a big game hunting area (moose, caribou, black bear and grizzly bear). Since the Yukon River itself is muddy, fishing for Arctic grayling is usually restricted to the mouths of clear water streams.
13. WALKER FORK CAMPGROUND. At Mile 82 of the Taylor Highway, approximately 17 miles north of Chicken, this is the only developed campground between Dawson, Yukon Territory, and the Alaska Highway. Attractions in this area are hunting, fishing, scenery, hiking, nature study and prospecting. This site is at the junction of Wade Creek and Walker Fork of the Fortymile River. Wade Creek was dredged for gold in the early gold rush days. The old Jack Wade Mining Camp and dredge are located a few miles upstream by highway from the campground. 6 camping units.
14. FIELDING LAKE. Mile 201 on Richardson Hwy., above timber line. Grizzly bear in surrounding hills. 5 camping units.
15. DELTA RIVER. Begins at Mile 21 of the Denali Highway. Head north on the Tangle Lakes. The end of the trip is near Rainbow Mountain at Mile 215, where Phelan Creek joins the Delta River. The trip leads north for a total of 30 miles. The river offers excellent grayling fishing and lake trout are abundant in the lakes. Hunters will find moose and caribou. White water canoeing. A $1 / 2$-mile portage is necessary at the point 2 mi . below Lower Tangle Lake where the Delta River makes a right-angle turn to the east.


Dall sheep.
16. TANGLE LAKES - 17. DENALI - 18. TANGLE RIVER CAMPGROUNDS. All three of these sites are located near the Tangle Lakes, 21 mi . west of Paxson on the Denali Highway. The attractions of this area are fishing, hunting, canoeing and boating, alpine scenery, nature study, and wilderness enjoyment. The Denali Highway is the only road access to Mt. McKinley National Park. Over 100 miles of this 160 -mile highway lead the visitor through mountainous alpine terrain - an experience unique to Alaska. Moose, caribou, black bear, grizzly bear, wolves, fox, wolverine, lynx, ptarmigan, and spruce grouse can all be seen along this route. BLM campgrounds are conveniently located along the highway to offer accommodations to the travel ing public. The Tangle Lakes campground has 5 camping units; Tangle River, 11 camping units; and the Denali campground, 12 camping units. There are boat launching ramps at the Tangle Lakes and Denali campgrounds.
19. CLEARWATER-DENALI CAMPGROUND. 56 mi . west of Paxson along the Denali Highway. It is a convenient resting point for travelers heading to Mt. McKinley National Park. For those wishing to stop awhile, hunting, fishing, nature study, alpine scenery and wilderness enjoyment are area attractions. 6 camping units.

KANA CREEK CAMPGROUND. 105 mi . Paxson along the Denali Highway. ons here are hunting, fishing, nature lpine scenery and wilderness enjoyment. jing units.
V LAKE WAYSIDE. 6 mi . south of RichDenali Hwy. junction on Paxson Lake; anching. Caribou, moose, bear in surg area. 3 camping units.
OUGH WAYSIDE. On famed Richardil, Mile 147 of Richardson Hwy. Name ugh" associated with miners and trapgold rush days who walked or mushed 'ay along the trail. Mountain views Range, Wrangells to the southeast h Range to southwest. 6 camping units.


## Camping on the Delta River.

MEN LAKE CAMPGROUND. Remote essible by air only. On Mankomen orth shore about midway between PaxMentasta on the south slope of the Range, approximately 200 air miles t of Fairbanks or 250 air miles northAnchorage. Attractions in this area are fishing, boating, hiking, scenery, and the quietness only a wilderness can offer. 10 camping units.
24. PORCUPINE CREEK WAYSIDE. 63 mi . south of Tok on Slana-Tok Hwy. at Porcupine Creek; in foothills of south slope of Alaska Range. Copper River Valley and Wrangell Mtns. to the south. 12 camping units.
25. GULKANA RIVER. The Gulkana River trip begins at Paxson Lake, at Mile 180 on the Richardson Highway and ends at Sourdough, Mile 149 of the Richardson Highway, or at Mile 149 of the Richardson Highway, or at
Gulkana, Mile 128 of the Richardson Highway. Gulkana, Mile 128 of the Richardson Highway,
The river distance between Paxson Lake and The river distance between Paxson Lake and
Sourdough is 45 miles and from Sourdough to Gulkana, 34 miles. Midway between Paxson Lake and Sourdough a $1 / 2$-mile portage is necessary around the canyon rapids. Below this portage is an 8 -mile stretch of river which drops at a rate of $50^{\prime}$ per mile. Beware of this extremely fast water. The river is noted for grayling and rainbow trout fishing, as well as hunting for moose and caribou.
26. DRY CREEK WAYSIDE. 5 mi north of Glennallen on Richardson Hwy;; location of ancient Indian village; timbered with birch and spruce. 13 camping units.
27. LAKE LOUISE CAMPGROUND. Adjacent to Lake Louise 20 mi . northwest of Mile 159 on the Glenn Highway via the Lake Louise road. Hunting, fishing, nature study and views of the Talkeetna and Alaska Mountain Range are all attractions here. 3 camping units.
28. LittLe NELCHINA WAYSIDE. On Little Nelchina River at Mile 138 of Glenn Hwy. Water too silty for drinking. Fossils in mountains to the northeast. 6 camping units.
29. TOLSONA RIVER WAYSIDE. At Mile 172 on Glenn Hwy.; good lunch or overnight stop. 5 camping units.
30. SQUIRREL CREEK WAYSIDE. 79 mi . north of Valdez on Richardson Hwy. 7 camping units.
31. LIBERTY FALLS WAYSIDE, 10 mi north of Chitina; scenic view of falls. A short distance north to views of Copper River Valley and Wrangell Mtns. 6 camping units.
32. LItTLE TONSINA WAYSIDE. At Mile 64 on Richardson Hwy. 6 camping units.

## Alaska Gold Rush Trails: (1898)

CHILKOOT TRAIL. From Skagway to Lake Bennett in British Columbia.

DALTON TRAIL. Beginning at Haines and extending 30 miles along the Chilkoot River to the Canadian border. This trail has been restored, and visitors who don't mind a strenuous chilly climb will find the hike scenically rewarding.




## JOHNNY HORIZON'S GUIDES FOR OUTDOOR TRAVEL

Johnny Horizon is the symbolic outdoorsman whose message to all visitors to the public lands is "This land is your land - keep it clean." The 450 million acres of public lands are for all visitors to enjoy. Because these lands belong to all citizens, each has a responsibility to use them with care and respect and to protect them from littering, vandalism, and other abuse.

Johnny Horizon also has some suggestions to offer to make your stay in the West a safe and enjoyable one.

Thorough planning is essential for hiking and camping trips. If you depart from main routes, let someone know your approximate schedule. Take a good map, compass, first aid kit, rations, water, and extra clothing.

Distances across undeveloped country are often estimated "as the crow flies" and may be greater than judged. Inquire at nearby towns for directions when travelling through undeveloped lands.

Obey State hunting and fishing regulations; they provide for sportsmen by protecting wildlife populations.

Some tracts of public land may be reached only by crossing private lands. Be sure to obtain permission before crossing private property. Such entry is a privilege and should be respected. Follow the private land owner's code: leave gates and fences as you find them, open or closed.

Campfires should be placed where they can be extinguished easily. Be sure that your fire is out before you leave.

Vehicles can cause rutting or erosion of the land when travelling off roads. Be careful when cross-country travel is your adventure. Take special care when you travel out-of-the-way routes such as log haul roads.

Be careful around any wild creatures; their reactions to excitement or interference are unpredictable.

Ruins and artifacts on the public land can not be removed for souvenirs. They belong to all citizens and are protected by the Federal Antiquities Act.

Respect public facilities at picnic areas, campgrounds, and other spots. Help protect them by reporting vandalism.

Be on the lookout for uneven terrain, unmarked roads, and abandoned mine workings. Keep alert for safety.

The Johnny Horizon Outdoor Pledge sums up the thoughtful visitor's determination to insure that others will have a chance to enjoy the beauty of the outdoors. On your trip, pledge to treat these lands as you would your own - because they do belong to all Americans.

You can obtain a useful Johnny Horizon litterbag for your travel use at BLM offices.

Western travelers can obtain recreation maps of specific areas and more detailed information on the public lands by writing the appropriate Bureau of Land Management State office or offices listed below.
In addition to the outstanding recreation attractions on the public lands described in this book, the western traveler has the opportunity of enjoying the attractions of national forests, parks, wildlife refuges, and other Federally administered lands. Maps and detailed information on these Federal areas may be obtained by writing the appropriate national offices listed below.

State governments also are excellent sources of maps and other informational materials of interest to the travelers. Travelers should obtain maps at specific areas for details necessary for final trip planning.
ALASKA
Bureau of Land Management
555 Cordova Street
Anchorage, Alaska
99501
ARIZONA

Bureau of Land Management Federal Building Room 3022
Phoenix, Arizona 85025

CALIFORNIA
Bureau of Land Management
Federal Building
Room E 2820
2800 Cottage Way
Sacramento, California 95825

## COLORADO

Bureau of Land Management Federal Building Room 14023
1961 Stout Street
Denver, Colorado
80202

Forest Service

## Bureau of Land Management

IDAHO
Bureau of Land Management
Federal Building
Room 334
(P.O. Box 2237)

Boise, Idaho
83702

MONTANA
NORTH and SOUTH DAKOTA
Bureau of Land Management Federal Building and U.S. Courthouse 316 N. 26th Street Billings, Montana 59101

NEVADA
Bureau of Land Management Federal Building Room 3008
300 Booth Street
Reno, Nevada
89502

## National Offices of other Agencies

Bureau of Sport Fisheries and Wildlife U.S. Department of the Interior Washington, D.C. 20240

## NEW MEXICO

Bureau of Land Management Federal Building
South Federal Place
(P.O. Box 1449)

Santa Fe, New Mexico
87501
OREGON and WASHINGTON
Bureau of Land Management 729 N.E. Oregon Street (P.O. Box 2965)

Portland, Oregon 97208
UTAH
Bureau of Land Management
125 South State
(P.O. Box 11505)

Salt Lake City, Utah
84111
WYOMING
Bureau of Land Management
Courthouse Building
2120 Capitol Avenue
(P.O. Box 1828)

Cheyenne, Wyoming 82001

Bureau of Reclamation U.S. Department of the Interior Washington, D.C.

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Bureau of Indian Affairs U.S. Department of the Interior Washington, D.C.

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Golden Eagle Passport buyers will receive a National Fee Area Directory. 1969 passports (the last year they will be offered) are available from: OPERATION GOLDEN EAGLE, U.S. Bureau of Outdoor Recreation, Dept. A Box 7763, Washington, D.C. 20044.

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Nation's principal conservation agency, the Department of the Interior has basic responsibilities for water, fish, wildlife, mineral, land, park, and recreational resources.
Indian and Territorial affairs are other major concerns of America's "Department of

Natural Resources."


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choice in managing all our resources so each will make its full contribution to a better

United States - now
and in the future.


