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AND SHARPER THAN ANY TWOEDGED SWORD..

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Dear Bro. & Sis. in Christ,

I don't know how long it has been since I have written, too long I know. However, I do enjoy the Courier and do want to continue receiving it, as it is the only way of keeping in touch with a lot of the people I have come in contact with in the past years.

We here are all doing fine after a hard winter. Sister Walter is getting around real good after her broken knee. Mark is doing good after his surgery but still can not put in a long hard day of work as he could before his accident.

I do hope and pray that we (our family) can see some of you in the future, however, I don't know if we will get to make a long trip to some of the camp meetings because of the gas situation.

In Christian Love,
Don Taylor

Dear Bro, & Sis. In Christ,

Just a few words to thank you all for your many prayers, letters and words of kindness to my parents and myself during this trying experience.

At this time the Lord has seen fit to be with me constantly. He's made each day brighter for me and richly blessed. Lord willing, I will be paroled sometime in June and pray my release will be in plenty of time to attend the Delta Camp meeting. No matter which of the meetings we attend whether it be Delta or the Modesto meeting, there will be many members for true fellowship and many many greatly blessed Christians.

In Christian Love,
Steven Ray Barker

Dear Bro. & Sis. in Christ,

We would like to let everyone know where we are. We have been meeting with the Brethren in Yuma, and we have enjoyed worshipping and having fellowship with the Brethren there.

Bro. Melvin Lytle, Bro. Bill Martin and myself (Tony Brister) have started holding services in Bro. Melvin's home.

We live in a little town called Roll, which is east from Yuma about 50 miles, so you see a round trip for us is a 100 miles. We have some older Bro. and Sis. which are not able to make a trip like that so we felt it was our duty to see that they were not left without a way of hearing God's word.

We have started holding services in Bro. Melvin's home as of Feb. 1979, and the Lord willing, we will continue to do so. Bro. Melvin's home is only temporary until we can find a building to buy or maybe build one. (The Lord willing).

On the average, there are about 22 who gather on Lord's Day to worship and sing songs to the Lord.

Bro. Bill Martin and myself are young Christians, but with the help of the Lord, and your prayers we can go on serving God the way He wants all Christians to serve Him.

We would like to welcome everyone to come and worship with us, and if you are just passing through, stop and visit with us.

Our morning service starts at 10:30 a.m. and our evening service at 7:00 p.m. We try to get together on Wed. evening about 8:00 p.m. to sing songs and have fellowship one with another.

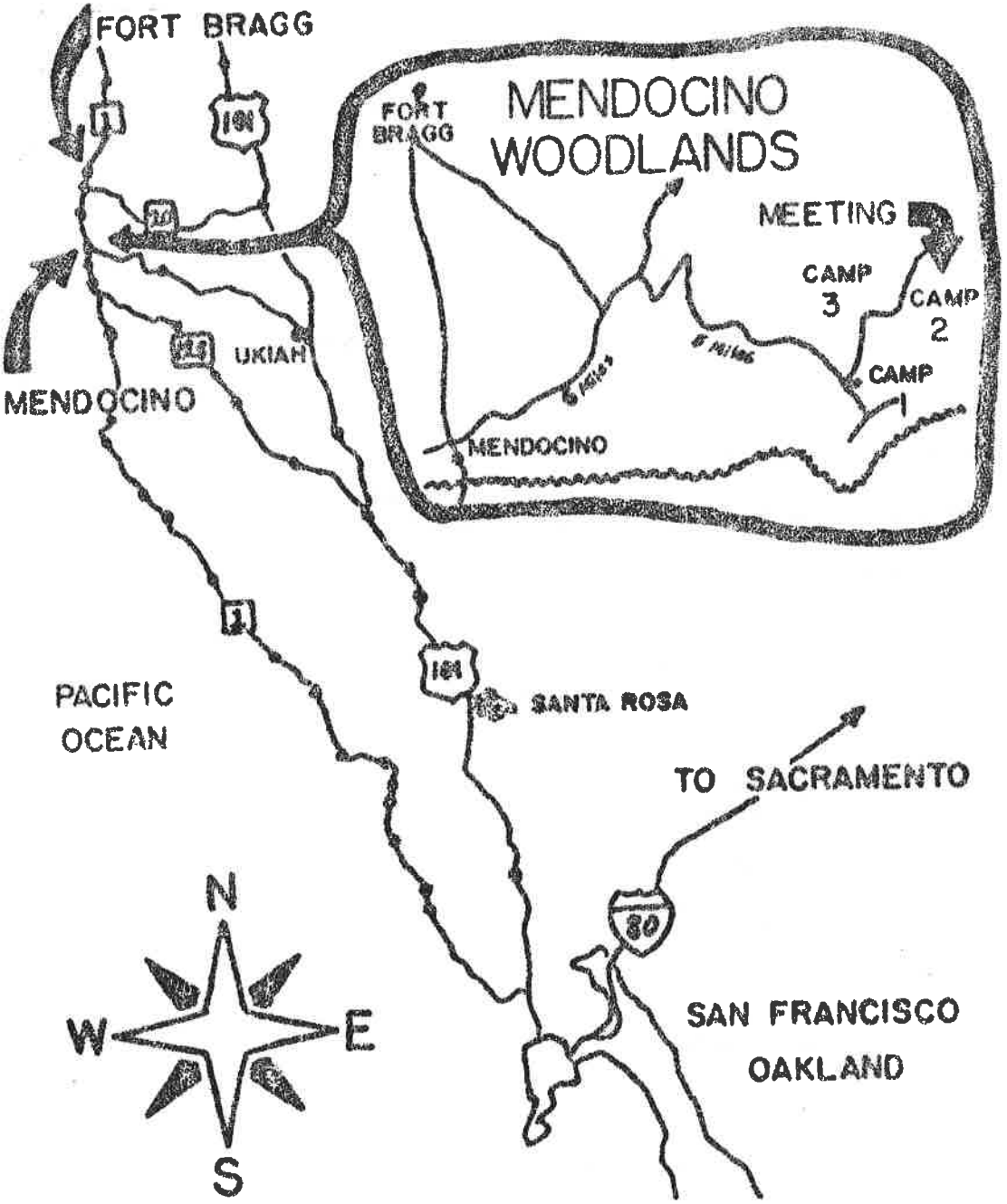
I will close for now. Our prayers go to everyone and we ask you to pray for us.

Yours in Christ,
Tony Brister
For the Roll Church of Christ
Roll, Arizona

Dear Brethren,

Summer is here and with it a lot of good planned Gospel Meetings. Let us all work to make these meetings a success by our support and by planning ahead.

No sickness here to report for which we are thankful. We were made sad to learn of brother Francis passing on. He was a very dear brother and friend.


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Well, everyone is counting down the days until July 8, the beginning of the Mendocino Woodlands Camp Meeting.

We're working hard accumulating supplies, making plans, etc., anticipating a 'full house' for the entire week.

Just to reiterate some details: We have decided there will be no charge for the camp or food. (In light of the 'gas crunch' this should be welcome news) Just for the record, for all of our brethren from the southern west coast, the worst is over; there should be no problem finding fas. Just prepare everything, get yourselves here, and enjoy yourselves for a week of good fellowship with your fellow Christians.

There are cabins with beds, but you must bring bedding. We will be near the coast, so bring sweaters, etc. It will be cool some nights.

We will have services every evening with guest speakers. Also, there will be provisions made for Bible discussions throughout the day, as the brethren so desire.

There are activities plenty for those who enjoy such; miles of some of the most beautiful coast in the world, trips to the awesome giant redwoods, miles of hiking trails, charter fishing out of Noyo Harbor, riding the 'Skunk', and many other activities for all ages. But most of all, first and foremost, the fellowship of fellow Christians for an entire week in such beautiful surroundings.

We especially hope for the attendance of many young people. All of you brethren, I hope, will save some space for some young people, who otherwise could not come. Let's do our best to show the young that there is an alternative to the diet of 'junk' spiritual food that is provided for so many today in the world.

Bring along lanterns, as many as you can accumulate; it gets dark in the woods at night. There is room for RVs, but no hook-ups.

You can move in any time after 2:00 P.M., Saturday, July 7th. There will be arrows directing you to the site. There will be some of us there when you arrive. So make plans, and prepare to be with us at the MENDOCINO WOODLANDS CAMP MEETING, July 8-15.

Yours in Christ,
J. D. Logan

TRAVEL INSTRUCTIONS: Travel on Highway 101 and turn at Willits. Proceed west on Highway 20 until it intersects with Highway 1. Turn south and proceed to Mendocino.

NOTE: You may wish to leave this emergency number at home: 1-707-937-5755. The Mendocino Woodlands Camp Manager's name is Neil McLean.

IF FURTHER INFORMATION IS NEEDED, CALL: Bro. J.D. Logan at 1-209-464-4961, or Bro. Al Burtis at 1-209-523-6387.

Our loss is Heaven's gain. He was truly a servant and a friend of God.

Everyone is invited to be with us and enjoy the good gospel lessons by Bro. Cliff and Gerald Brockman, July 1-8.

Bellflower Church
Claud & Eunice Perigen

Dear Brethren:

All here at Chico are reasonably well and wish to extend an invitation to our Thanksgiving Meeting. It will be similar to the ones we have had in the past, beginning with a dinner about 3 0'clock, Thanksgiving afternoon, November 22.

We plan on guest speakers with two or three services each day, Friday, Saturday, and Sunday, (November 23, 24, 25)

We have arranged for the same Odd Fellows Hall. There is plenty of space for trailers and campers. Water is available, but no electricity. We will furnish two meals a day. Cooking facilities are available for those who wish to fix breakfast.

We hope you can plan on joining us in good Christian fellowship.

In Christian Love,
Chico Congregation

Christian Friends,

Our congregation at San Pablo sends our love to you. We are for the most part enjoying good health and pleasant weather. Sister McLean has been suffering with a hernia, but doesn't want to undergo surgery at her age. She is so strong and never complains. Bro. & Sister McLean continue to walk to church every Sunday. As you probably know, Michael and Charlotte Brockman have a son now Clifton Michael Jr. was born in February. He certainly has grown since then.

We are planning a meeting over the Labor Day weekend, which is the first weekend in September. We will have a guest speaker. The community hall which we have rented is very near the church. It has a large kitchen and dining area with some extra space for sleeping bags or what have you. There will be plenty of food for the sould and body. We will send you more information regarding the meeting later.

Please plan to come and join us Labor Day weekend in praise of our Lord. (Bro. Richard Johnston, Yakima Cong., speaking)

In Christian Love,
San Pablo Congregation

Dearest Brethren & Sisters in Christ,

We at Broken Bow are doing very well. We have had colds and other ailments but Lord willing they will pass.

We have had a beautiful experience. Four young people came forward and requested to be rebaptized. They felt the first time was not in effect They are Ricky & Ann Wilson, Gayla Wilson & Deana Crowell. Our prayers are with them and God Bless them all.

We are still looking forward to our Camp meeting. We hope and pray as many as can come will.

Bro. Claude Watson is back home again. He has been staying with his son in law and daughter, Floyd & Jean Camp, through the winter.

Rembember us in your prayers and we pray for all of you. May God Bless you all & keep you.

Please don't hesitate to get in tou h with us if you would like to be at our meeting.

In Christian Love,
Bro. & Sis Dan Treat

P.S. We would like to let everyone know that there will be a $2.00 fee for your food. This isn't a very large amount to help feed everyone at the camp. If you do have any questions about it, please don't hesitate to call me. Don't let this keep you from coming, if you don't have it. The Lord will provide.

MEETINGS

DATE	HOST	LOCATION	SPEAKERS
June 24 July 1	Cedaredge, Co.	Delta	Camp
June 24 July 1	Springfield, Ore.	Springfield	Bill McCay,Jr.
June 24 July 1	Baron & Pleasant View, Ok.	Stilwell, Ok	Richard Johnstor
June 30 July 8	Broken Bow, Ok.	Beaver Bend State Park	Camp
July 1-8	Bellflower, Ca.	Bellflower	Cliff Brockman Gerald Brockman
July 7-16	Modesto, Ca.	Mendocino Woodlands	Camp
July 22-29	Glenwood, Wa.	Glenwood	Harry Dye