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**DISTANCE CHART**  
LET'S GO! Letting the distance chart on this map is like a calculator. The distance chart allows you to calculate the distance between any two points on the map. It also shows the time it will take to travel between those points at various speeds.

**NEVADA BROUCCARDING**

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**LAKE TAHOE REGION**  
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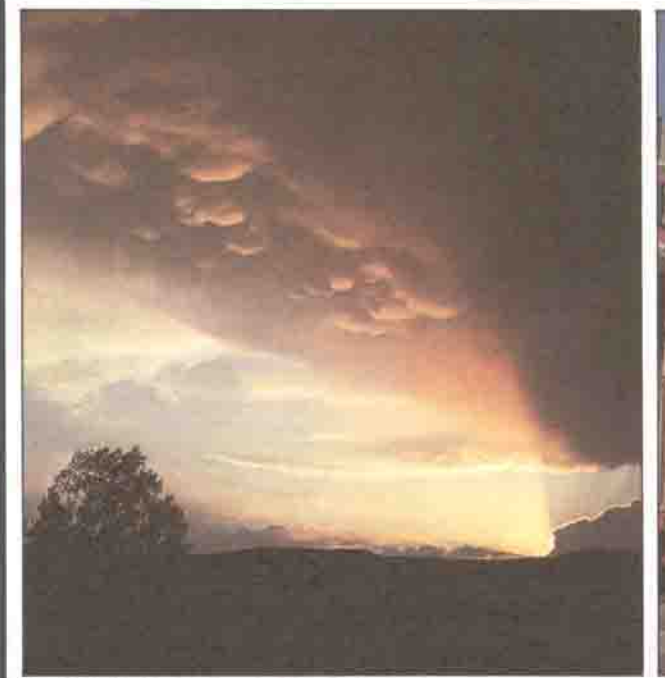
**RENO-SPRING AREA**  
RENO  
SPRING VALLEY  
CARSON CITY  
TOWNSHIP

**DISTANCE CHART**  
MILES  
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**NEVADA BROUCCARDING**  
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# NEVADA is more than a whole lot more.



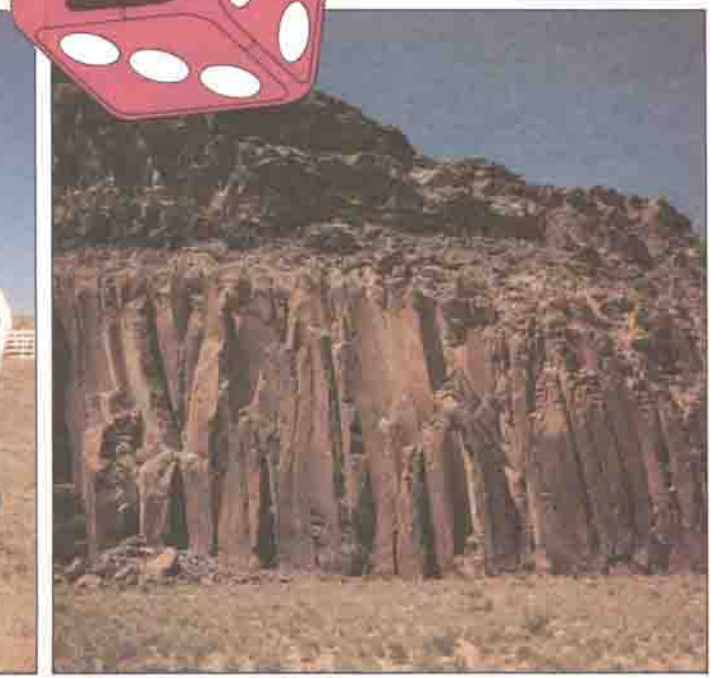
Spectacular sunset — a Nevada bonus



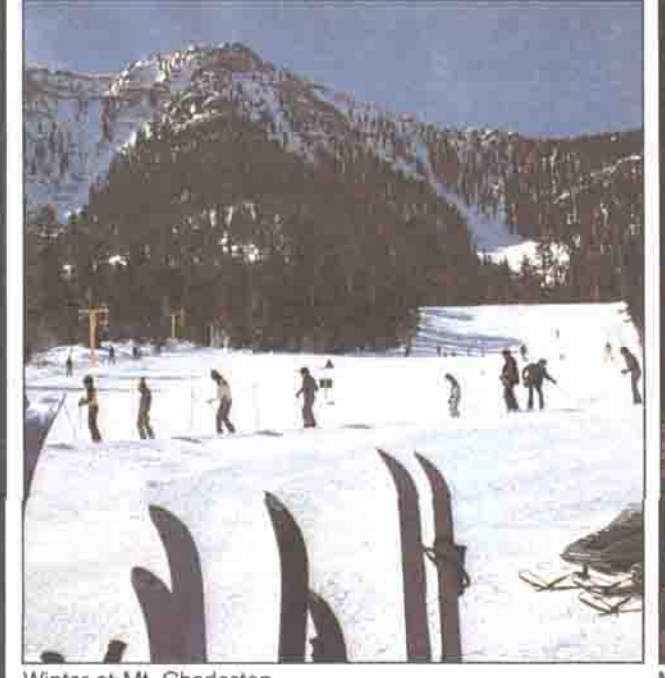
A famous street in a famous city



Rodeoing is as popular as ever in Nevada



Assessing geology bounces



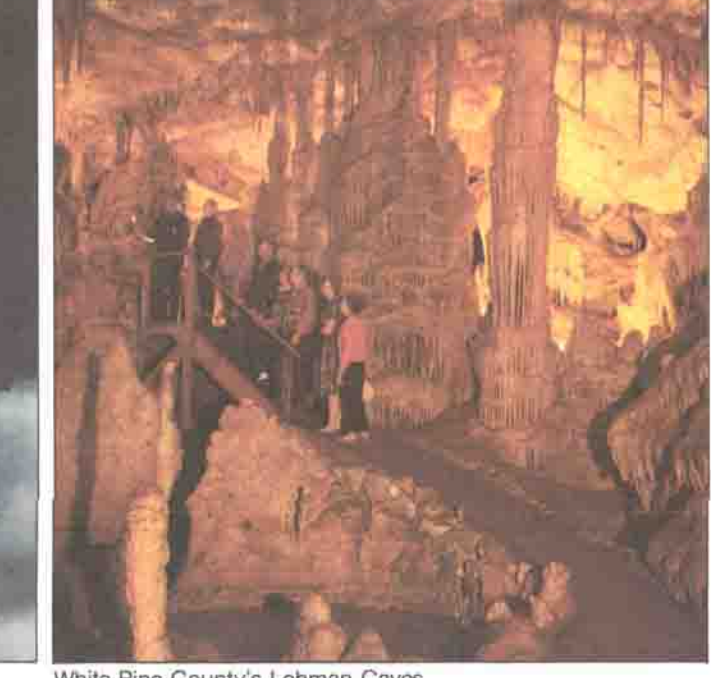
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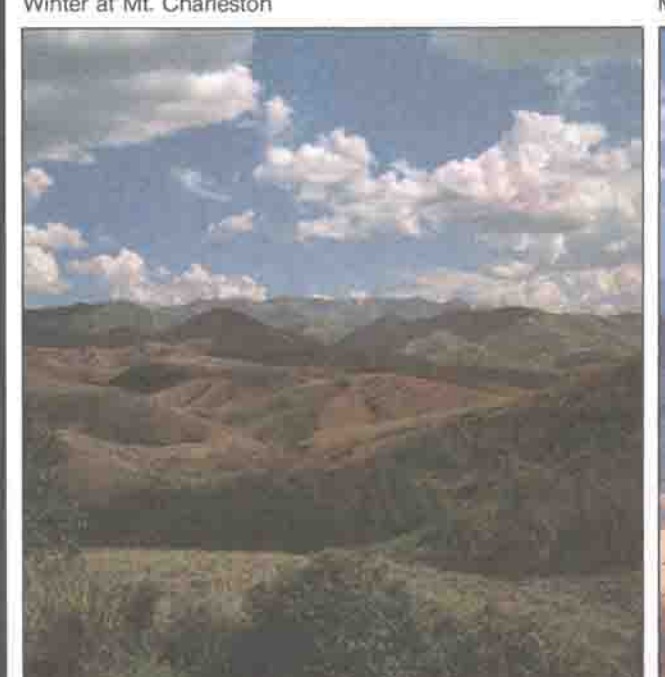
More glitter per mile in downtown Las Vegas



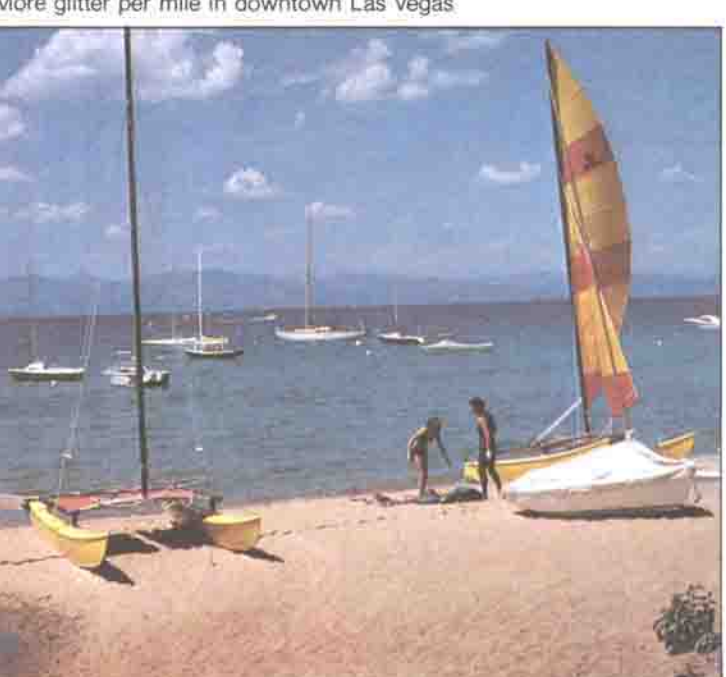
Tranquility has many faces — even in Nevada's clouds



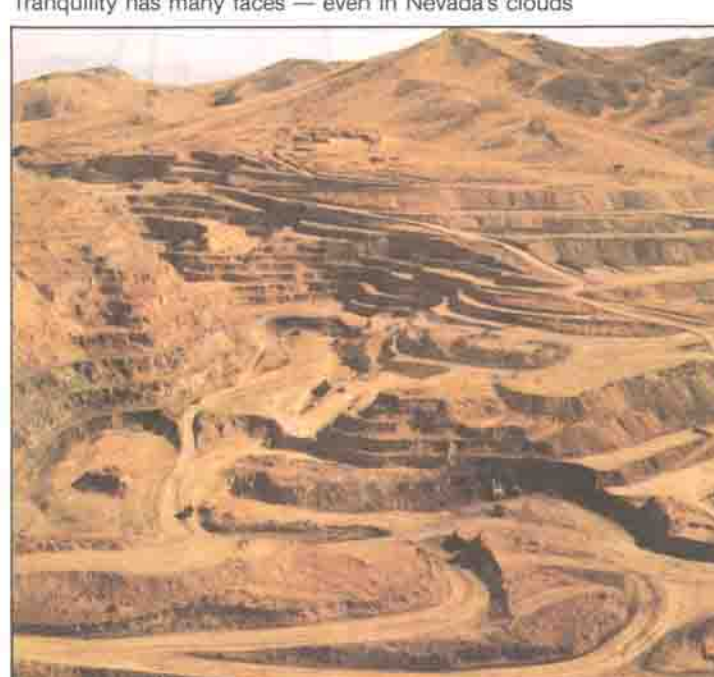
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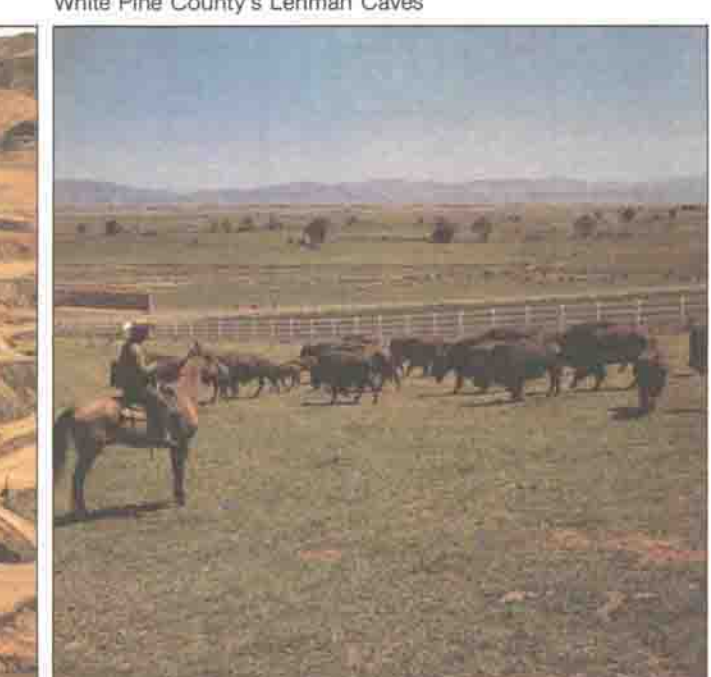
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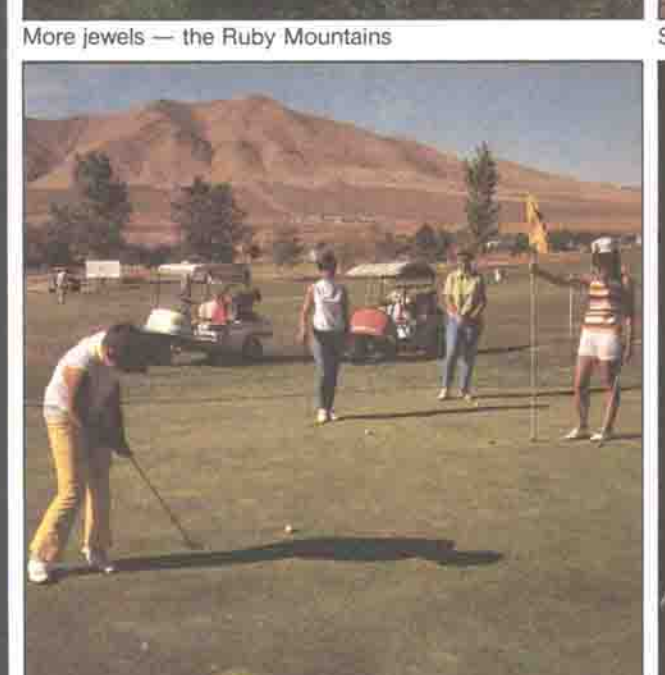
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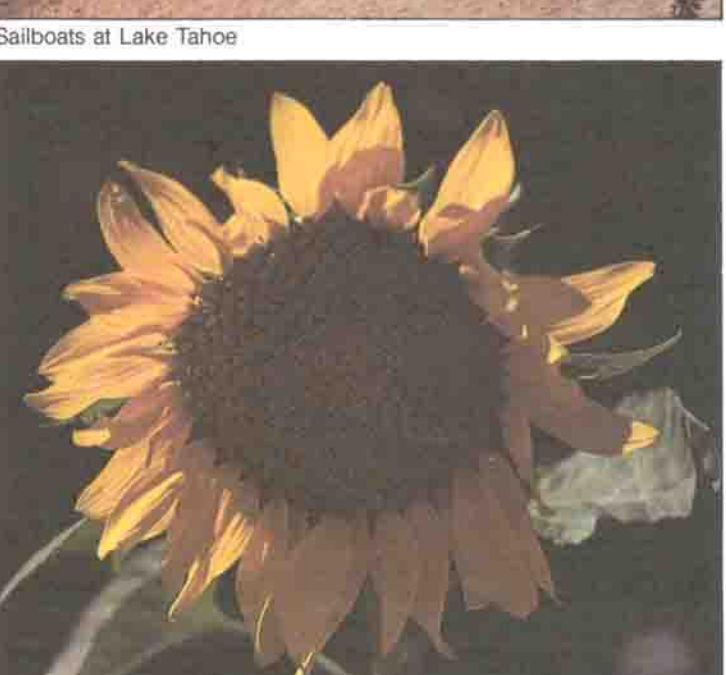
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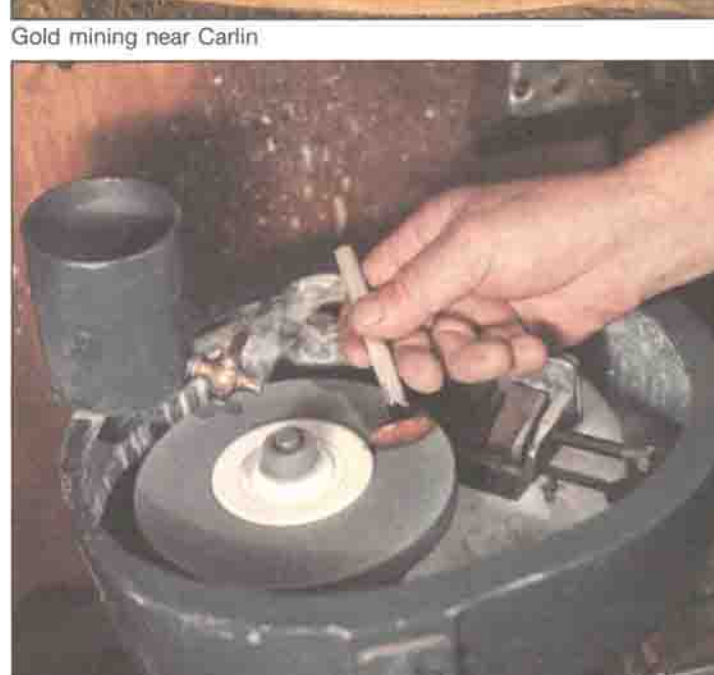
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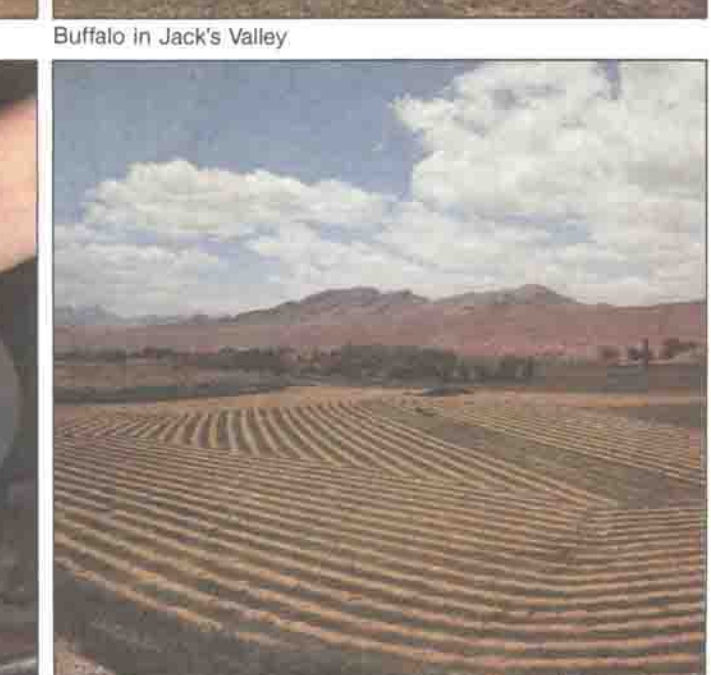
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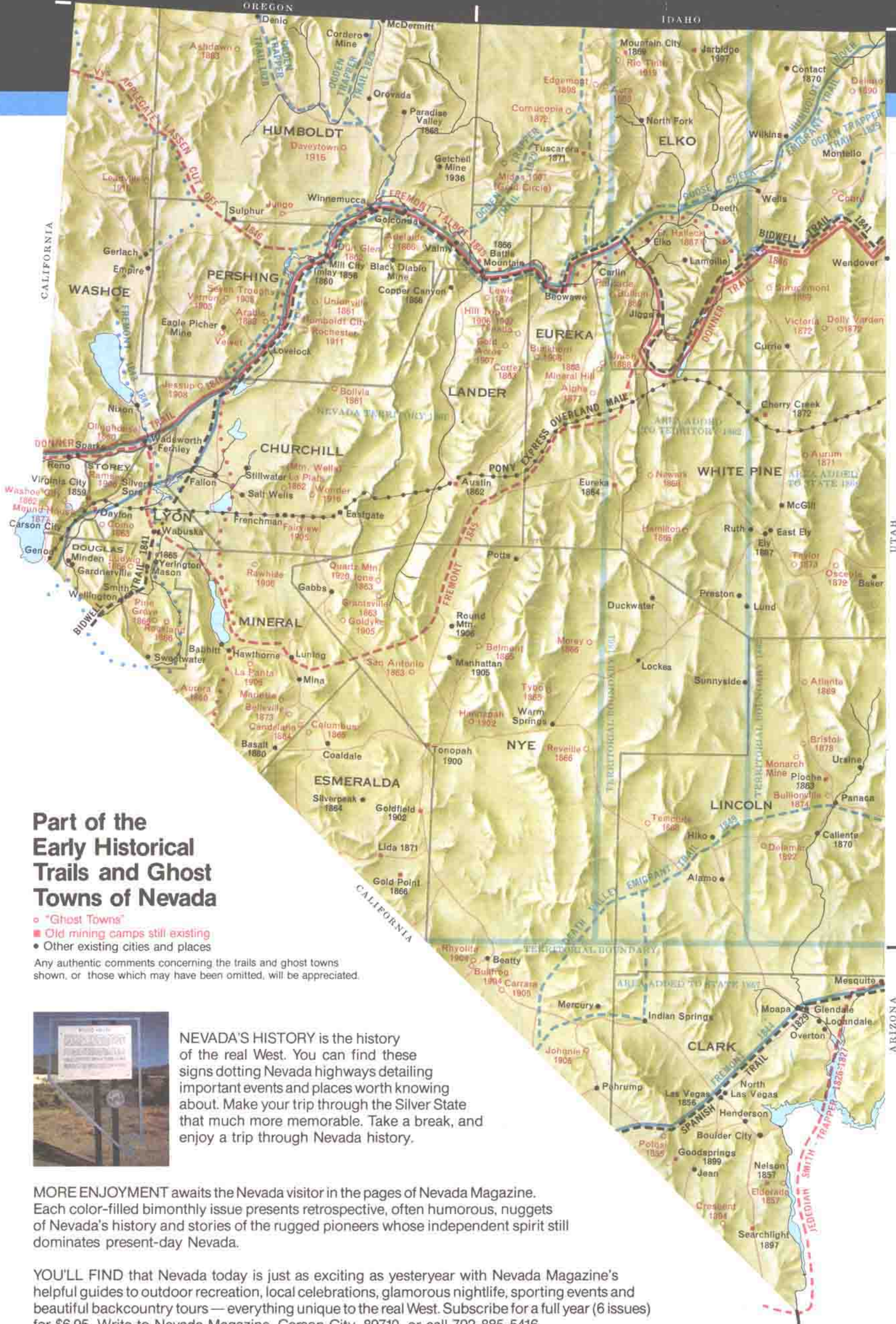
Sonnet from a sunflower



Lapidary enthusiasts find it all



Geometry is a haystack



## Part of the Early Historical Trails and Ghost Towns of Nevada

- "Ghost Towns"
  - Old mining claims still standing
  - Other exciting cities and places
- Any authentic comments concerning the trails and ghost towns above, or those which may have been omitted, will be appreciated.

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**THE TRAIL MAP** The story of early trails through Nevada must remain incomplete. Some explorers were too busy trying to survive to maintain records; others were able to keep only meager ones. Students and historians continue to follow up even slim leads, sometimes with success. Despite some lack of information, many of the old routes are reasonably well established and accurately located. The more important of these trails are shown, and the major explorer-trail sources noted below.

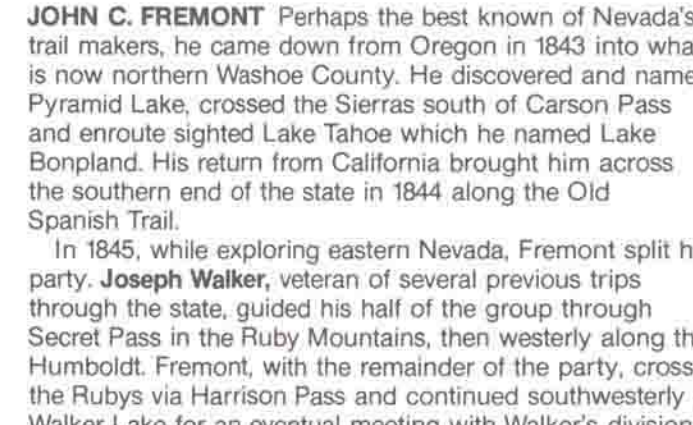
**PETER SNEEK OGDEN** He led a Hudson's Bay trapping expedition along what is now known as the Humboldt River, but earlier called Ogdon's River and Mary's River before Fremont gave it its present name. Some scholars believe Ogdon entered Nevada in the Elko County area as early as 1826. This would have made him, a Canadian, the first white man to enter northern Nevada.

**JEDEDIAH S. SMITH** The first American to enter the state was known to have crossed the southern tip in 1826 on his way to California. The remarkable trader-explorer returned east the following year by an incredibly difficult journey across central Nevada.

**JOHN C. FREMONT** Perhaps the best known of Nevada's trail makers, he came down from Oregon in 1843 into what is now northern Washoe County. He discovered and named Pyramid Lake, crossed the Sierras south of Carson Pass and encircled eight Lake Tahoe which he named Lake Bonpland. His return from California brought him across the southern end of the state in 1844 along the Old Spanish Trail.

In 1845, while exploring eastern Nevada, Fremont split his party. Joseph Walker, veteran of several previous trips through the state, guided his half of the group through Secret Pass in the Ruby Mountains, then westerly along the Humboldt. Fremont, with the remainder of the party, crossed the Rubys via Harrison Pass and continued southwesterly to Walker Lake for an eventual meeting with Walker's division.

**OTHER TRAILS** The Goose Creek-Humboldt Emigrant Trail with its main forks along the Truckee and Carson Rivers was the most used route. The Bidwell-Bartleson Trail was the route of the first emigrant party to cross the state. That group had to abandon its wagons in eastern Nevada and pack through to California. The Donner Trail, as it became known after the disaster of the Donner party in reaching California, was actually the so-called Salt Lake Cutoff. Delays encountered in using the route which was impractical for wagons led to further difficulties and tragedy near the lake and summit which now bear the party's name. The Appleton-Lassen Cutoff provided a lower pass through the Sierra Nevada mountains but required crossing the infamous and wretched Black Rock Desert. The Spanish Trail, oldest in the state, was established by missionaries and traders. Later a section of the route became known as the San Bernardino-Salt Lake Wagon Road and was well used by the emigrants. The Death Valley Emigrant Trail was a shortcut into southern California in the late 1840's, but lack of water and difficult terrain caused it to be abandoned within a few years.



Message from the Honorable Robert List

In Nevada, you will find a unique blend of old-fashioned hospitality and modern amenities. I welcome you to the Silver State.

Governor of Nevada

PLEASE ... Do your part!



- State Flag: MOTTO: BATTLE BORN
- State Tree: PINON PINE
- State Bird: MOUNTAIN BLUEBIRD
- State Flower: SAGEBRUSH
- State Animal: DESERT BIGHORN SHEEP
- State Fossil: ICHTHYOSAUR
- State Grass: INDIAN RICEGRASS
- State Metal: SILVER

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