

MISSOULA MEETING

16 - 18 MARCH 1978 • MISSOULA, MONTANA

Host: Montana Council of Teachers of Mathematics

Missoula began as a western settlement called Hellgate, named for the winds that blow in mid-winter (not early spring). The site of the opening session for this March meeting is the Village Motor Inn at the mouth of Hellgate Canyon and on the bank of the beautiful Clark Fork River.

The conference will be a roundup of nationally known mathematics educators who will provide a high-caliber conference for the Northwest. A sampling of the principal speakers, some of whom are greenhorns and tenderfeet, include Lola (Calamity June) May, John (the Duke) Egsgard, (Dandy) Don Kamp, and (Buffalo) Bob Wirtz. Other outlaws on the program are Boyd (Spud) Henry and Iris (the Washington Belle Starr) Dayoub.

An added feature of the roundup will be an administrators' conference on Friday. There will also be many interdisciplinary sessions for elementary and junior high school teachers. Western hospitality and free green beer (courtesy of MCTM on Thursday night) await you, as do ski areas and good sessions. So grab your thirty-eight-litre hats and head for the West for the mathematics rendezvous of the year!

Hotel rooms have been reserved for convention registrants at the Village Motor Inn and the Red Lion Motor Inn. Please make your reservations early; there is a state basketball tournament in Missoula the weekend of our meeting.

All convention activities will be held at Sentinel High School (S) and the Village Motor Inn (V). The program will begin on Thursday, 16 March, at 4:00 p.m. and end on Saturday, 18 March, at 2:00 p.m.

The *complete program booklet* was mailed in December 1977 to NCTM members in Montana, Idaho, Washington, Oregon, Wyoming, British Columbia, Alberta, and Saskatchewan. Others may request copies from the NCTM Headquarters Office, 1906 Association Dr., Reston, VA 22091.