

1997 PICNIC WILL CELEBRATE PROGRESS!

...ELECTRONICS REVEAL POSSIBILITIES FOR MAJOR CAVERNS

Our ANNUAL INVESTOR'S PICNIC IS ON SUNDAY, JUNE 1st! This happens the weekend after Memorial Day Weekend. [Call for flight & room reservations EARLY - like today - using the phone numbers on the back page.] We hope to see you here at Kokoweef to update you on all the fast-breaking details.

TEAMWORK = SUCCESS

Like the flowers this Spring, our cave-hunting developments have been blooming early on the patented claims at Kokoweef Peak. absolutely huge undertaking, and completion, of 7 deep searching and 4 pulse-detecting surveys, has been our primary accomplishment since the last news letter. Initially, we had hoped to do 3 deep-search lines. However, results kept getting, bigger, better, and deeper... and investors "digging deeper" enabled us to complete 7 lines instead! Thanks again for coming through when we really needed it! Also, special thanks are due to the many unsung, selfmotivated volunteers who actually Do the physically demanding geo-physical field work under the guidance of V.G. Hewitt. President of Geo-Western.

Space doesn't allow for complete details, here, but you'll be glad to know **SEVERAL** significant targets have been located. These deep-searches indicate very good possibilities for large, previously unknown passages to new caverns; both shallow & deep.

EM-83 WORKS GREAT

Once again the EM-83 has proven its worth by electronically mapping the existence of a hidden, deep cave below another plugged natural entrance. These results match with those of the deep-search method. In many ways, these electronic results also correlate well with historical maps, verbal & published accounts, and cavern geology relating to the Kokoweef legend! We'll elaborate at the picnic.

SURVEYS COMPLETE

To follow-up these electronic Jim Hanhardt has surveys, completed precise physical surveys to permanently map the new electronic data-point locations. Now we're gearing up for the next logical step; the hard work of long-hole diamond drilling and hand digging toward electronically identified targets. A thorough program will establish the significance, depth, and dimension of these promising cavern potentials. This needs to be done before the harder, and more expensive work of tunnel-drilling and blasting begins.

ROAD WORK BEGINS

To pursue deep diamond-drilling targets, near the old Carbonate King's tunnel entrance, several co-workers are helping Larry Butler widen and berm the sides of that old, narrow, WW II vintage road. This will enable faster and safer transportation of people, heavy

equipment and supplies to the site. Meanwhile, Charlie Bouch, an experienced diamond-driller, is already busy drilling in the still accessible Decline Tunnel for three likely targets below Kokoweef Cave.

Cathy's Cave is now twice as deep thanks to a few good days of digging by Mike Herman and his friends. Although it still has soft sand plugging the bottom of its twisting, downward route, they encountered three small open chambers. Deep-search electronics show it heading toward a possible open, nearly vertical fault! Of course this motivates the descent team more than ever!

The Descent Team, coordinated through our paramedic volunteers Ron Lupton, Steve Eckmark and Eddie Lane, have completed four classroom training sessions. Thanks again to...

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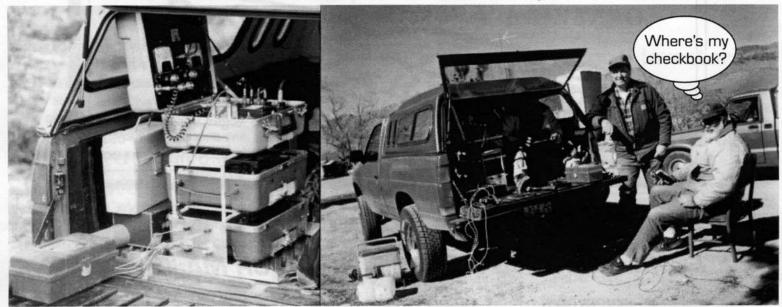
This newsletter is published three times a year to keep Investors advised of the progress being made at Kokoweef Camp in the ongoing search for the legendary caverns, and as a reminder to all Investors that their investments are needed.

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DEEP ELECTRONIC SURVEYS...

Patterns of Hidden Geology Revealed by Dedicated Volunteers



Hew-200

Field Electronics

Larry Hahn gets more good news from Mr. Hewitt (inside truck) while Jimmy Serrill radios messages.

Completing 7 deep, electronic survey lines was a rigorous **TEAM** effort. **EACH** line's sequence included: Surveying data-points every 50' for 2 miles, installing fixed electrodes and marker-pipes, laying 3 parallel electric lines & watering electrodes before data-collection. Mr. Hewitt collects the data from a fixed location while 3 field runners move electronic sensors along the line for every depth-spacing surveyed. 4 depths/line x 2 miles each = 8 miles per day x 7 lines = WE BEEN BUSY! After mapping data the 3 electric wires had to be re-rolled for the next lines. Mr. Hewitt plots the numbers into various graphs and maps revealing **new geology hidden from view**. SEE 'EM AT THE PICNIC.

Team Photo



Left to right: Willy, Chuck, Aaron, L. Butler, Drew, Mark Kramer, Tony Robinson, Mr. Hewitt, Jim S., Stew, Skip and, not shown...Jim Williamson, John S., R. Lewis = shadow above, L. Hahn, Willy & Joyce, Wayne & Cathy, Dick, Eddie L., Steve E., Alison, R. Dutchik...and others.

"The future belongs to those who believe in the beauty of their dreams"

Eleanor Roosevelt

ELECTRONIC DATA BLENDS WITH HISTORY...

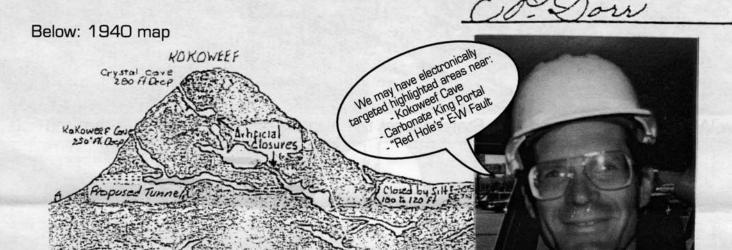
"The Present entrance," mentioned below, could very well have been only a <u>location-reference</u> to Kokoweef Cave's natural entrance and not necessarily an endless, deep passage from the surface. Relevant to

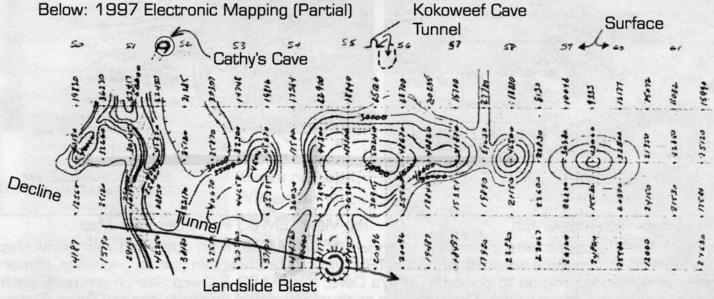
events in 1940, Earl probably referenced a point-of-departure for a 350 ft. tunnel to hidden caves below Kokoweef Cave. ...but how could he know...unless...?

Projecting Shielf Rocks

Journal, November, 1940

... From engineering measurements and observations we made, I estimated that it would require a tunnel about 350 feet to penetrate to the caverns, one thousand feet or more below the present entrance, which are some three miles distant from my property.



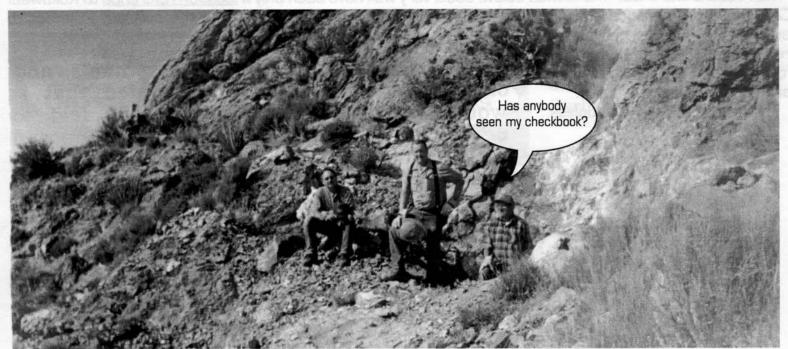


The electronically revealed vertical stratas, below Kokoweef Cave, relate closely to the area of the (still-hidden) landslide - blast in the Decline Tunnel several years ago. Only a few seconds after that blast ended, it shook the ground harder than a normal blast. "It" may have fallen 600 feet from the Decline Tunnel's portal near station G 54 (see map, pg.5).

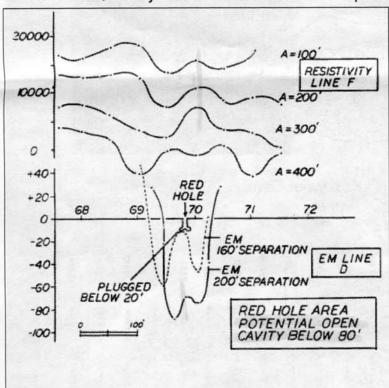
"Nothing is more terrible than activity without insight."

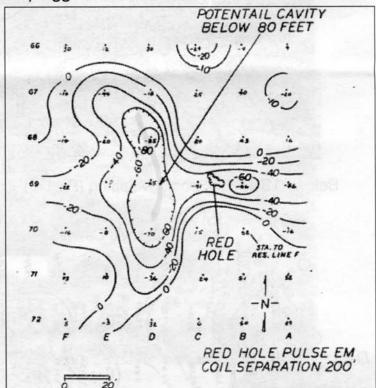
Thomas Carlyle

EM-83 PULSE DETECTOR PROVES ITS VALUE ONCE AGAIN!



Drew White, Larry Hahn and Dick Starr inspect the plugged natural entrance at the "red hole."





Side View: Deep Electronic Graph

Top View: EM-83 Pulse Detector Map

Without the electronic data it was impossible to know, *IN ADVANCE*, if an open void was below this spot. This plugged natural tube was abandoned in 1991 due to its uncertain status. However, similar to the previous survey leading us to discover Cathy's Cave, the EM-83 & Deep Search methods **both** indicate open cavern potentials below. Curiously, the spiritual verse that originally inspired Ralph Easley, an investor, to search for *higher technology* leading to Mr. Hewitt's EM-83 was **Isaiah 45:3...**

I will give ye the treasures of darkness, and hidden riches of secret places, that thou mayest know that I, the Lord, which call thee by thy name, am the God of Israel.

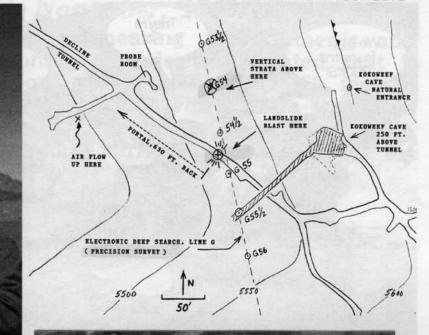
WHAT HAPPENS AFTER THE ELECTRONIC DATA IS COLLECTED?

told me about?

Jim Hanhardt makes precision survey maps ...to guide exploratory diamond-drilling.

...say Ralph, have you seen my checkbook?

TOP VIEW: Precision mapping Below Kokoweef Cave



Poetry Corner

There is no tiredness as satisfying as the kind that comes from a day of hard work, diligently done.

With muscles that ache from honest use, and skin that's taut from wind and sun, one begins to feel deserving of the space that we occupy in this crowded world.

And the sleep that comes, when mind and body, have worked as one. is better by far than all the medicines man can devise for peaceful dreams when we close our eyes.

Rae Turnbull

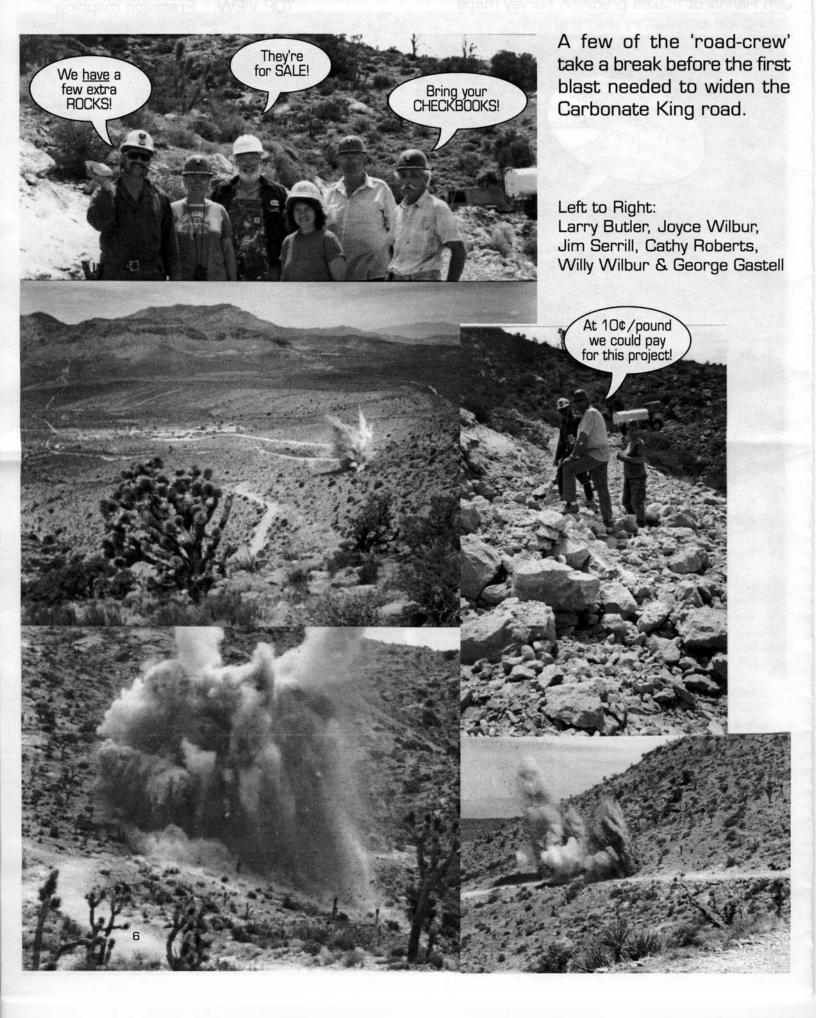
Charlie Bouch Knows real well, When rock is hard as the hubs of hell. Diamond drilling is...

Loud, Wet Cold, Dark, Greasy, & (Sometimes Slow) frustrating WORK



...but it's OK for a good cause

CARBONATE KING PROJECTS START OFF WITH A **BIG** BANG



THE DESCENT TEAM IS 85% EQUIPPED! WE EXPECT SUCCESS!

We still need more surface support and logistics help for the descent team. Interested volunteers please contact paramedic Steve Eckmark at: (702) 371-9422 or (702) 438-6280.



SAFETY FIRST...

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Below: Allison, another paramedic, knows the ropes too.



Above: Paramedic Eddie Lane shows Jerry Simpson "The Ropes"

Right:

Eddie demonstrates vertical rope safety.

Cathy's Cave

...twice as deep!

Jim Hanhardt plays a musical melody on stalactites while Cathy & Wayne Roberts enjoy the new scenery.



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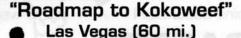
investors, we are now 85% equipped! The next four practical rock-climbing classes are already under way. We expect success!!!! and are getting prepared for it mentally and physically. There will be a lot more involvement needed beside just climbing though. The surface-support logistics for eight descent team members is quite involved and important. So, if you don't like the "climbing-in-the-coldand-dark" adventure, call Steve Eckmark to find out what other help and supplies are needed (702) 371-9422 or (702) 438-6280.

Yes, thanks to a unique network of faithful investors, volunteers and skilled professionals, a new electronic era is now guiding our explorations along a more certain path to success. As Larry Hahn recently expressed, "We haven't had this much confidence and enthusiasm in nearly 20 years!"...and he ought to know! You'll experience it too if you can be at the picnic this year. Again, WE TRULY HOPE TO SEE YOU HERE!

Local Investors...

Please bring your favorite Pot-Luck recipes!

As usual, the company will provide hot-dogs, hamburgers and sodas



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Winston Churchill

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> Can you guess why?