



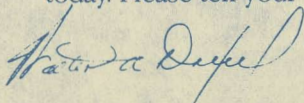
1984

This Burlington Northern wall calendar
features winning selections
from the company's
Employee Photo Competition.

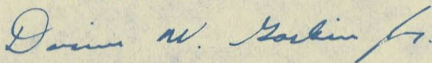
Your Burlington Northern Railroad wall calendar comes to you with our best wishes for a happy holiday season and a prosperous New Year.

Each of the photographs in the calendar is the work of a Burlington Northern employee or immediate family member. We are proud of the spirit and skill of our employees so evident in these works selected from our annual photography contest.

All of us at Burlington Northern Railroad are grateful for your interest in us. We want you to know we are working together to create a stronger and more efficient railroad to meet the competitive demands of modern transportation in America today. Please tell your friends about us.

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Walter A. Drexel". The script is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Walter" being more prominent.

Walter A. Drexel
Chairman of the Board,
President and Chief
Executive Officer

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Darius W. Gaskins, Jr.". The signature is written in a cursive style with a long, sweeping tail on the last name.

Darius W. Gaskins, Jr.
Senior Vice President
Marketing and Sales

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John A. Drexel

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James W. Gaskins, Jr.

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Marketing and Sales

the rippling waters of Mountain Stream
Kleeman near Gallinburg, Tennessee
Frank used a Mamiya C 330F equip
Vericolor II film, he set his camera to

Mountain Stream
Frank Kleeman, Chief Clerk, Mechanical
Springfield, Missouri

This 1984 Burlington Northern calendar features photographs taken by BN employees or members of their immediate families. To obtain these photographs, a contest was held in 1983. There were 434 entrants who submitted a total of 1315 photographs. From that response, the judges selected a dozen for you to enjoy all through the year.

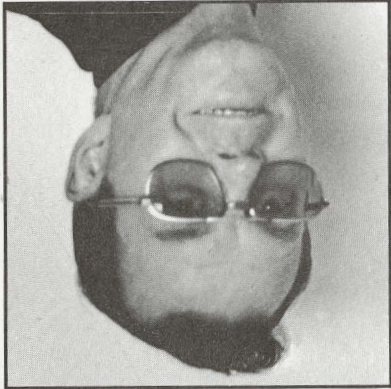
Meet the Photographers . . .

January

Mission Mountains

Kenneth L. Meyers, Agent
Livingston, Montana

When the judges select the winners in this contest, they have only a number — not a name — by which to identify them. This is the fifth straight year Ken's been a winner! He has won six times, was a runner-up the year he didn't make it. Ken made this picture near Dixon, Montana on his way home from a flying lesson in Missoula. Camera information: Minolta SRT 102, 1/250th of a second at F5.6, ASA 64 film.



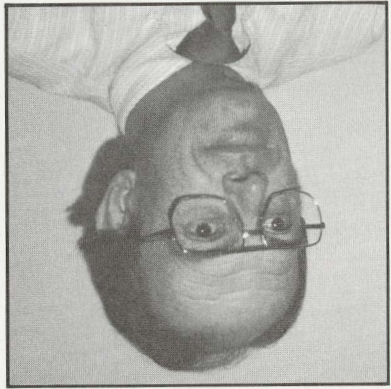
Kenneth L. Meyers

February

Mammoths of the Deep

Elvin L. Childers, Office Manager, Superintendent's office
Spokane, Washington

His hobbies of camping and hiking with his family resulted in this view of the Pacific from Point Lookout on the Oregon coast for Elvin Childers. He used a Pentax K-1000 with a 50mm lens and Ektachrome 100 film.



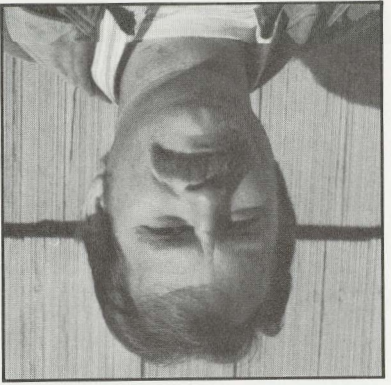
Elvin L. Childers

March

Eastbound at Marias Pass

Mike Gelhaus, Locomotive Fireman
Spokane, Washington

Mike really likes trains! In addition to his work as a fireman, he's also a model railroader. His train pictures have been selected twice before for BN calendars. He used a 35mm Canon TX and Kodachrome 25 film for this picture on the southern border of Glacier National Park along the Flathead River.



Mike Gelhaus

April

Wind River Vista

Jean Wright, wife of Eldon Wright, Agent/Clerk
Worland, Wyoming

Jean Wright didn't even have to leave her trail to the Ticomlb Lakes in the Wind River mountain range in Wyoming to take this picture. She used a Minolta SRT 102 with a 50mm lens and Agfachrome 25 film for this photograph; has been taking pictures for about 15 years. In addition to backpacking, she enjoys golf, tennis and gardening.



Jean Wright

May

Minnehaha Falls

James O. Groe, Material clerk
St. Paul, Minnesota

Jim Groe used a vignetting filter of his own design to capture the cascading waters of Minnehaha Falls in Minneapolis. It diffuses the outer limits of a scene while maintaining sharpness in the center. He used a Nikon FE camera with a 35-105mm zoom lens set at F22 for 1/15th second. For film he used Kodacolor 100.



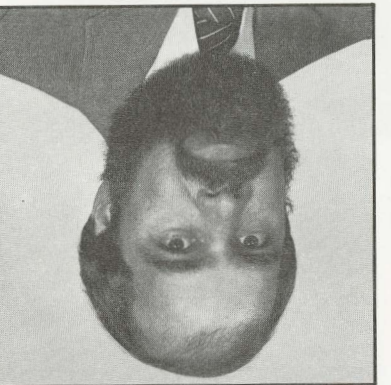
James O. Groe

June

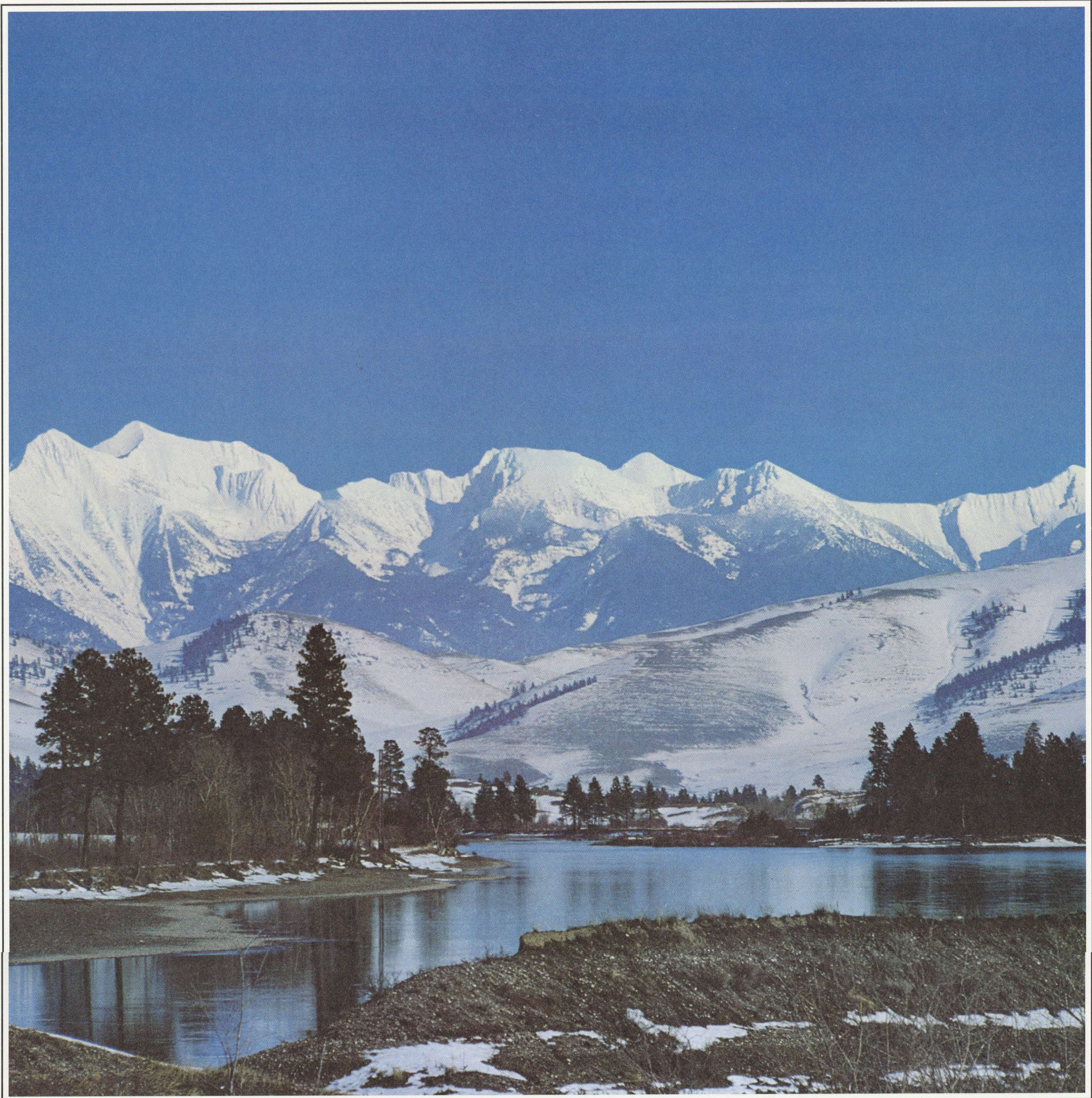
Mountain Stream

Frank Kieeman, Chief Clerk, Mechanical Department
Springfield, Missouri

The rippling waters of "Mountain Stream" were photographed by Frank Kieeman near Gatlinburg, Tennessee. A winner for the second straight year, Frank used a Mamiya C 330F equipped with an 80mm lens. Using Kodak Vericolor II film, he set his camera for 1/60th of a second at F4.



Frank Kieeman



"Mission Mountains" was photographed near Dixon, Montana by
Kenneth Meyers, Agent at Livingston, Montana.



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JANUARY 1984



**BURLINGTON
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Elvin Childers photographed "Mammoths of the Deep" from Point Lookout on the Oregon coast.
Elvin is Office Manager in the Superintendent's office at Spokane.



FEBRUARY 1984



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LINCOLN'S BIRTHDAY

VALENTINE'S DAY

WASHINGTON'S
BIRTHDAY
CELEBRATION



Mike Gelhaus, locomotive fireman at Spokane, photographed this eastbound freight at Marias Pass on the southern edge of Glacier National Park.



MARCH 1984



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ASH WEDNESDAY

ST. PATRICK'S DAY



"Wind River Vista" was photographed by Jean Wright from a trail to the Titcomb Lakes.
Her husband is Agent/Clerk at Worland, Wyoming.



APRIL 1984

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PASSOVER

EASTER



Jim Groe, material clerk in St. Paul, used a vignetting filter of his own design to capture the cascading waters of Minnehaha Falls in Minneapolis.



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MAY 1984

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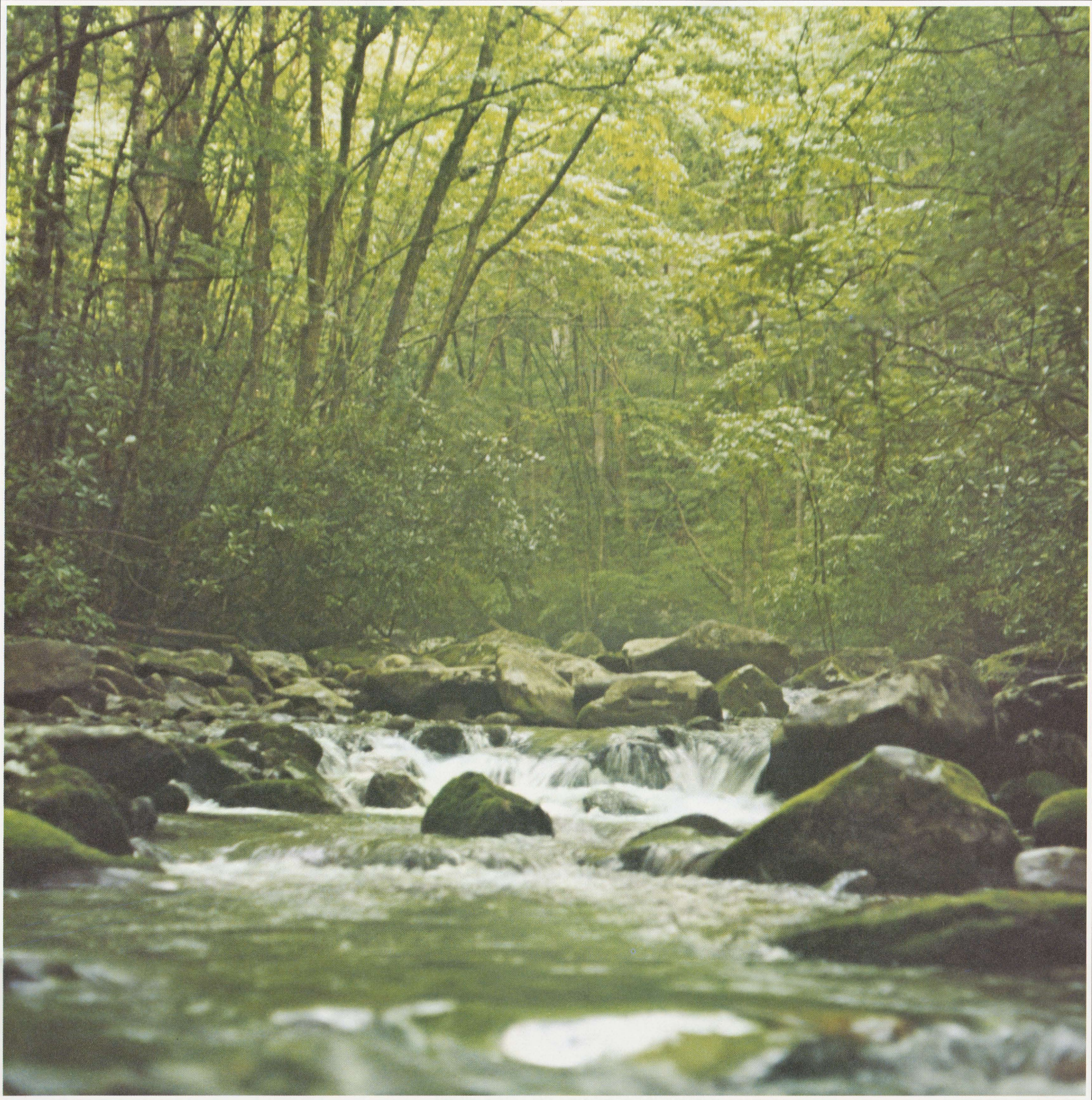
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VICTORIA DAY
(CANADA)

MEMORIAL DAY
OBSERVANCE



The rippling waters of this "Mountain Stream" were photographed by Frank Kleeman, Chief Clerk, Mechanical Department, Springfield, Missouri.



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JUNE 1984



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FATHER'S DAY

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Nina Townsley, wife of a BN electrician at Livingston, Montana, spotted this typical harvest scene near White Sulphur, Montana.



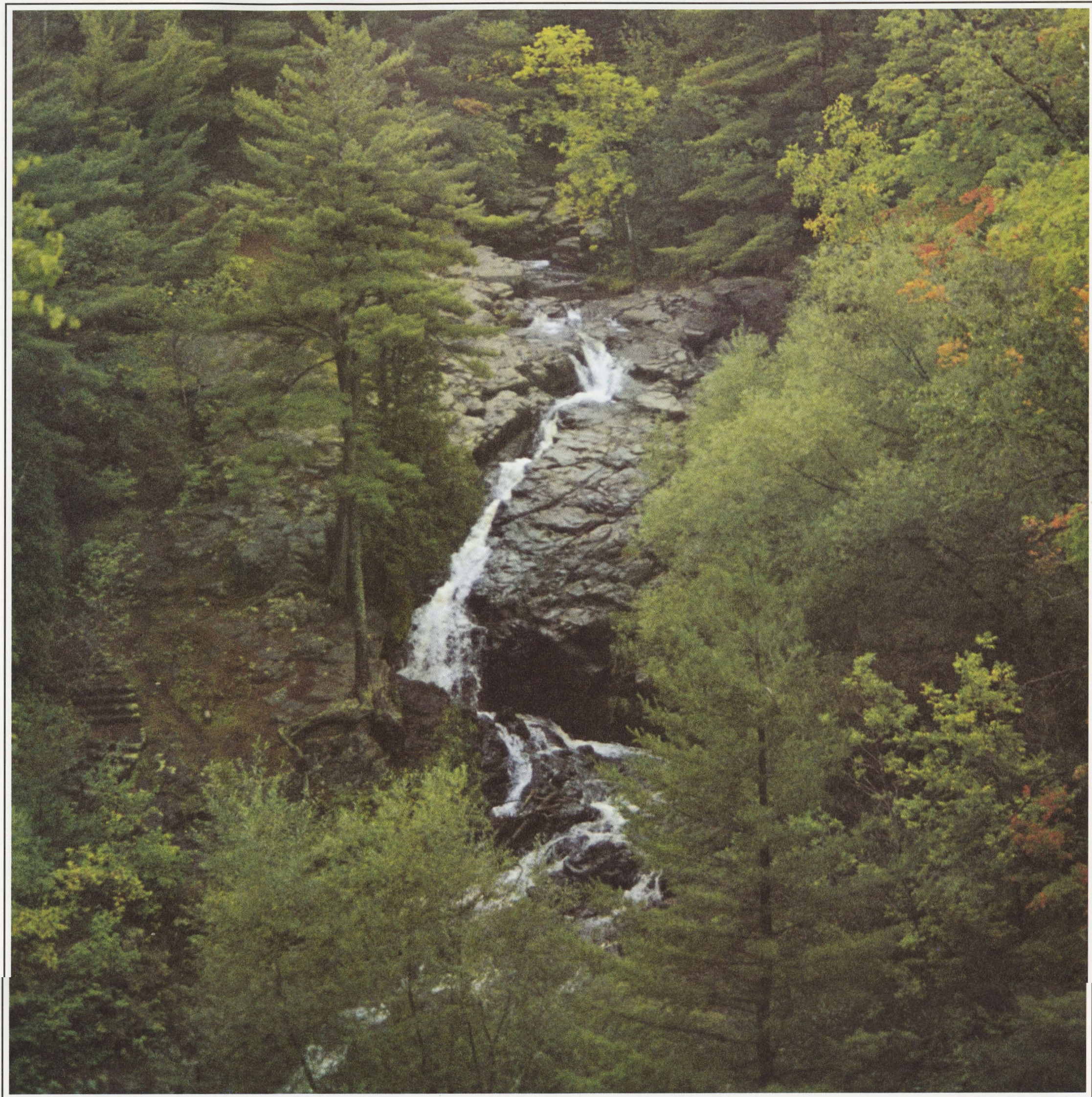
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JULY 1984



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1 <small>DOMINION DAY (CANADA)</small>	2	3	4 <small>INDEPENDENCE DAY</small>	5	6	7
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It was early afternoon when Steig Sabee saw this scene near Duluth. Steig is a Marketing Department Marketing Services Analyst in St. Paul. He lives in Richfield, Minnesota.



AUGUST 1984



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John Titterton nearly passed up this scene of "Prairie Flowers" near Wolford, North Dakota.
He is a Senior Analyst in the Marketing Department at the St. Paul General Office.



SEPTEMBER 1984



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JEWISH NEW YEAR
(ROSH HASHANAH)

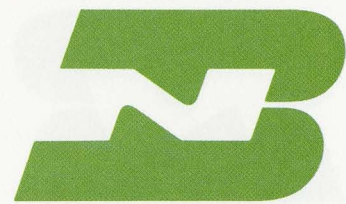


Debbie Swan, a clerk in the Disbursement Accounting Department in St. Paul, captured "Shades of Autumn" in Taylors Falls, Minnesota.



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OCTOBER 1984



**BURLINGTON
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The canoe in "Fall Boating" was a first-time construction effort by John Dalsveen, Sr. Computer Analyst who works in the St. Paul General Office. His home is in Rosemount, Minnesota.



NOVEMBER 1984



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18	19	20	21	22 THANKSGIVING DAY	23	24
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Bart Wilson, a Relief Cook for the regional Steel Gang No. 3 out of Seattle, Washington, photographed this view of the Cabinet Mountains from south of Troy, Montana.



DECEMBER 1984



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CHRISTMAS

Meet the Photographers . . .



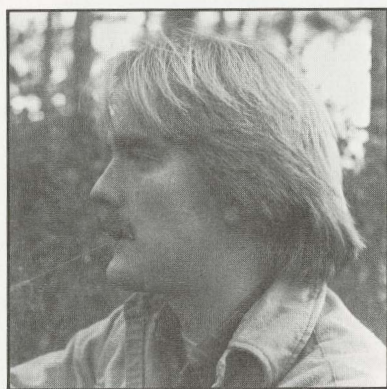
Nina M. Townsley

July

Harvest Time in Montana

Nina M. Townsley, wife of BN electrician
Livingston, Montana

Late one afternoon, Nina Townsley spotted this typical Montana harvest scene near White Sulphur. As a local camera club member, she was ready for the opportunity. Nina, another 1983 calendar photo winner, used her Nikon FM camera with a Vivitar 80-210mm zoom lens and Kodachrome 64 film.



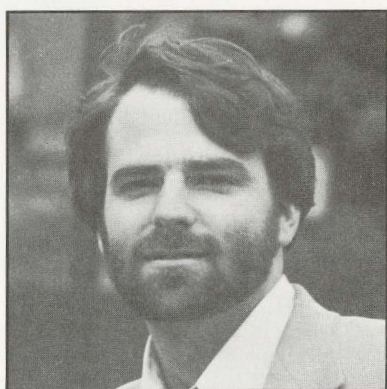
Steig Sabee

August

Chester Falls

Steig Sabee, Analyst, Marketing Services, Marketing Department
Richfield, Minnesota

It was early afternoon when Steig Sabee saw this scene near Duluth. With scenery like this it's no wonder he lists "most outdoor activities" as his hobbies. Steig shot this picture with a Nikon FM with 43-86mm Zoom Nikkor lens.



John D. Titterton

September

Prairie Flowers

John D. Titterton, Senior Analyst, Marketing Department
St. Paul, Minnesota

John Titterton saw this photograph in the rear view mirror of a car he was driving one afternoon on a business trip. He nearly passed it by, he says, but the setting appealed so irresistibly to him he stopped near Wolford, North Dakota to capture it. He used his Nikon F2A with a 35mm wide-angle Nikon lens and Kodachrome 64 film.



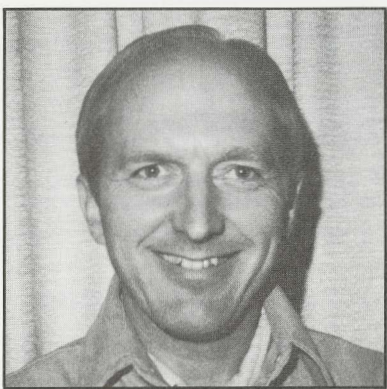
Debbie Swan

October

Shades of Autumn

Debbie Swan, Clerk, Disbursement Accounting
St. Paul, Minnesota

Taylor's Falls, Minnesota, was the site for this photograph by Debbie Swan with an Olympus OM1 camera with a 50mm lens set for 1/125th of a second at F11. She used Kodacolor 100 film. She lists writing, trap shooting, tennis and horses as her other hobbies.



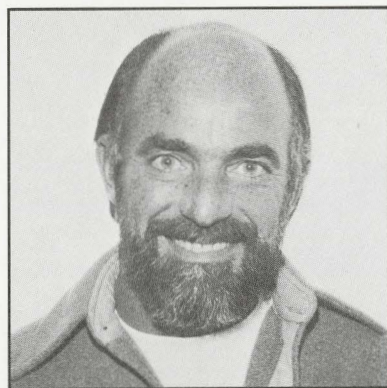
John R. Dalsveen, Sr.

November

Fall Boating

John R. Dalsveen, Sr. Computer Analyst
Rosemount, Minnesota

The canoe was John Dalsveen's first attempt at building one, so, naturally, he wanted a picture of it. We're glad he did. It's a terrific looking canoe, but a fine picture, too. Listing canoeing, camping, hunting and fishing as his hobbies, it's sure John will put his canoe to good use. He used a Pentax K2 with a 40-80mm Pentax Zoom lens to take this picture at Holland-Jensen Regional Park near Apple Valley, Minnesota.



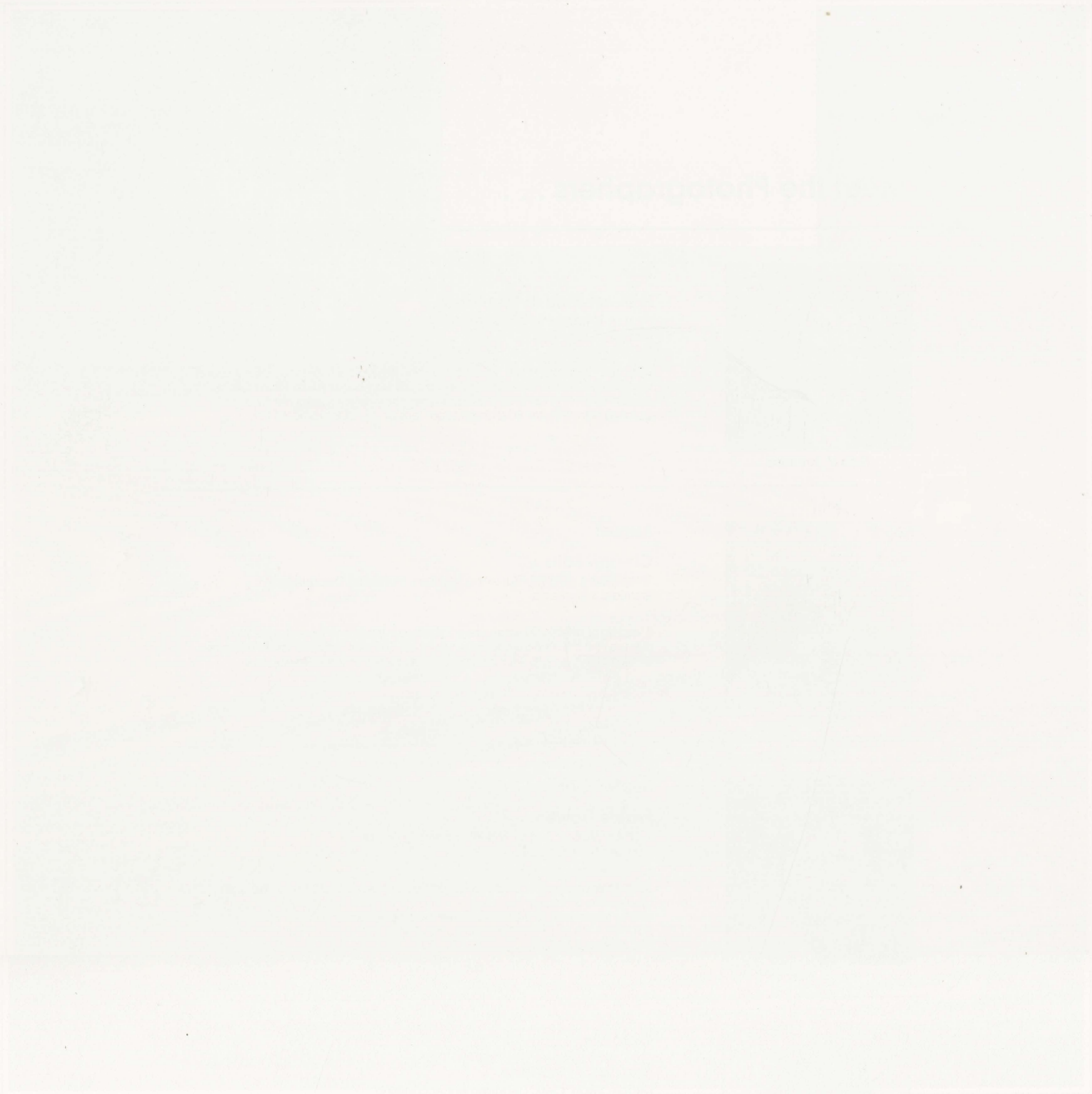
Bart Wilson

December

Cabinet Mountains

Bart Wilson, Relief cook, Regional steel gang No. 3
Seattle, Washington

A deer he hadn't seen when he first visualized this scene scampered away as Bart Wilson set up his Canon AE1 on a tripod south of Troy, Montana. He used ASA 64 film and a 24mm wide-angle lens to capture the scene. This is the second time Bart's photography has been a winner in BN's Employee Photo Calendar contests.



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