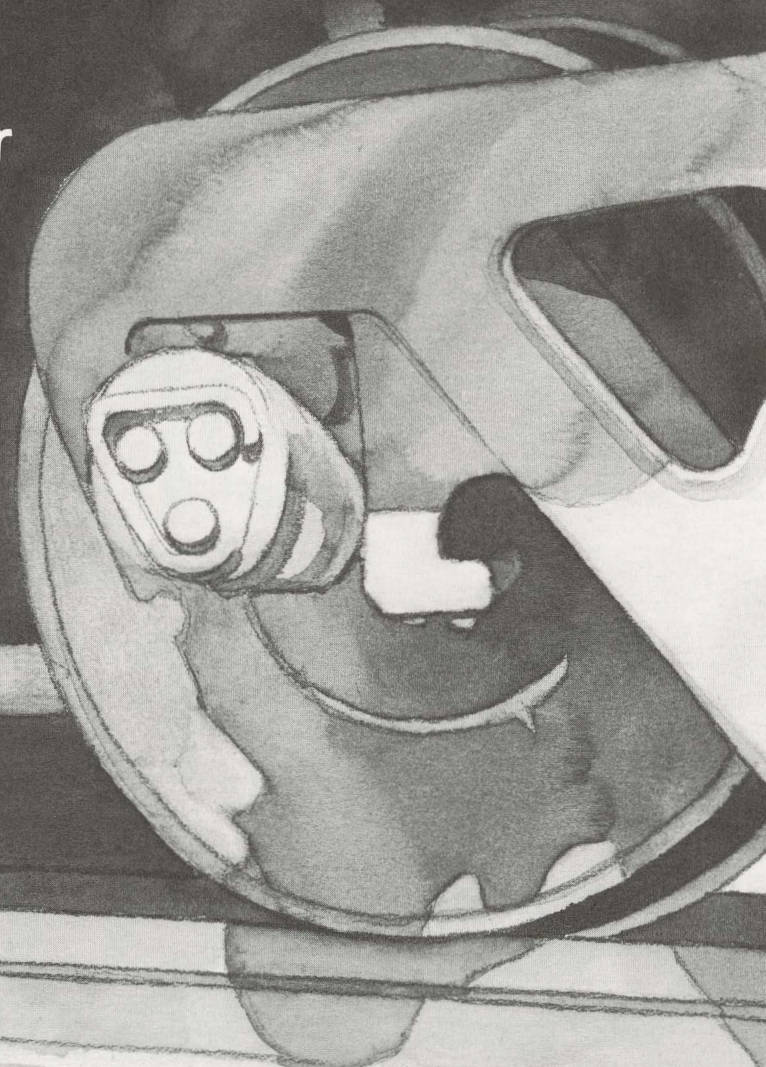




1986

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



Meet the Photographers . . .

This 1986 Burlington Northern wall calendar features photography submitted by BN railroad employees, members of their immediate families and BN railroad retirees in a contest held in 1985. Judges reviewed hundreds of prints and slides from the contest-ants to select this dozen for you to enjoy all year long.

January

Ready for Work

Kenneth Eyre, Conductor
Whitefish, Montana

It was 8:00 a.m., cool and cloudy when Ken Eyre snapped his picture of a BN work train at Whitefish with a 50mm lens on his Canon F1. A winner in 1983, and runner-up in 1984, Ken has taken pictures for 25 years. He started with a Brownie Hawkeye, has upgraded his photo equipment three times since then.



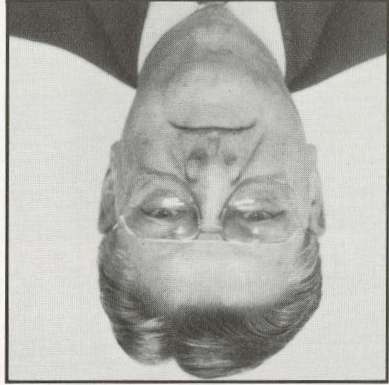
Kenneth Eyre

February

Oregon Coast Storm

Will Hageman, Retired St. AVF-Gen'l Mgr., Sales
St. Paul, Minnesota

Since he retired at the end of 1982, Will and his wife spend much time traveling to see their eight children and ten grandchildren. He snapped his coastal storm scene with a Canon A35F equipped with an f2.8 40mm lens and UV filter. He used Kodak ASA100 film. A rigorous sports program keeps Will physically fit in his retirement.



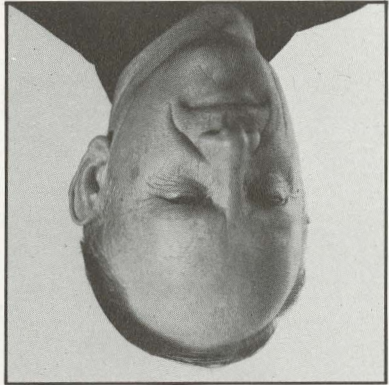
Will Hageman

March

Wind-powered Generators

Bill Townsley, Electrician
Livingston, Montana

Bill photographed the wind-powered generators one stormy day just a couple of miles outside of Livingston. He used Kodachrome ASA64 film in his Nikon FM equipped with a 28/90mm zoom lens. Bill and his wife, Nina, are each two-time winners in our Calendar Photo contest.



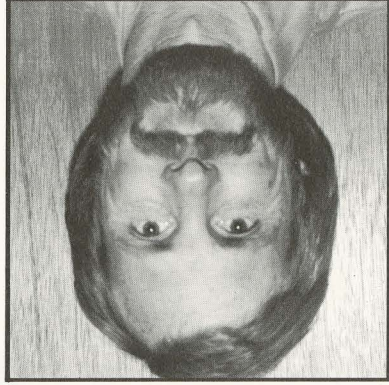
William Townsley

April

Springtime Majesty

Christopher Skelton, Track Inspector
Newcastle, Wyoming

The Sneffels Mountain Range in southwestern Colorado caught the eye of Chris Skelton while on a trip through that area. He used his Contax 139 Quartz 35mm camera with a Tokina 28/85mm lens and Kodachrome ASA25 slide film to record the scene.



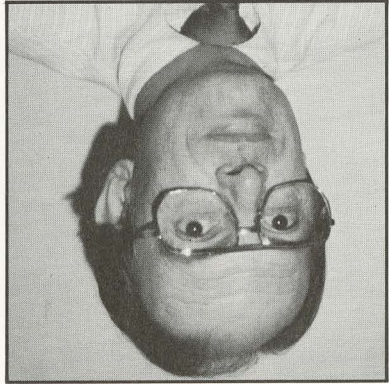
Chris Skelton

May

A Little Bit of Holland

Elvin C. Childers, Asst. Supervisor, Admin., Manpower Control Office
Seattle, Washington

Al Childers used his Pentax 1000 camera with a 50mm lens and Kodachrome ASA100 film for his picture of tulips in the Skagit Valley tulip fields north of Seattle. Al has added rose gardening to his leisure-time family camping and hiking activities.



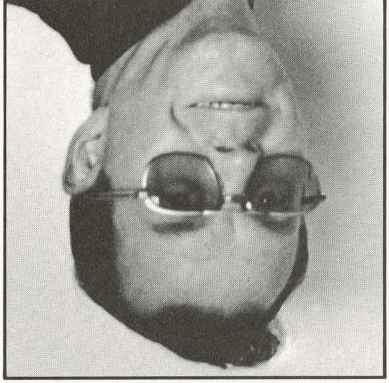
Elvin Childers

June

Bluebonnets

Kenneth L. Meyers, Agent
Livingston, Montana

Ken is another BN employee living in Livingston, Montana who is an enthusiastic photographer and multiple Calendar Photo contest winner. He photographed the field of bluebonnets, the Texas state flower, near Waco. Ken used ASA64 film in his Minolta X700.



Kenneth Meyers



This BN work train was photographed during a stopover at Whitefish, Montana, by Ken Eyre, a BN Train Conductor there.



JANUARY 1986



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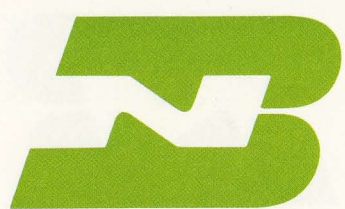
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Will Hageman, a BN retiree, snapped this Oregon Coast storm scene while he and his wife visited the Pacific Northwest.



**BURLINGTON
NORTHERN
RAILROAD**

FEBRUARY 1986



**BURLINGTON
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WASHINGTON'S
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Bill Townsley, BN Electrician at Livingston, Montana, photographed these wind-powered generators just outside of town.



**BURLINGTON
NORTHERN
RAILROAD**

MARCH 1986



**BURLINGTON
NORTHERN
RAILROAD**

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GOOD FRIDAY



"Springtime Majesty" was taken by Chris Skelton, Newcastle, Wyoming,
Track Inspector of the Sneffels Mountain Range in Colorado.



APRIL 1986

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PASSOVER



Elvin Childers found this bed of tulips in the tulip fields north of Seattle, where he is an Assistant Supervisor of Administration in the Manpower Control office.



MAY 1986



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MOTHERS' DAY

VICTORIA DAY
(CANADA)

MEMORIAL DAY



Ken Meyers, BN Agent at Livingston, Montana, photographed this field of bluebonnets, official Texas state flower, near Waco.



**BURLINGTON
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JUNE 1986



**BURLINGTON
NORTHERN
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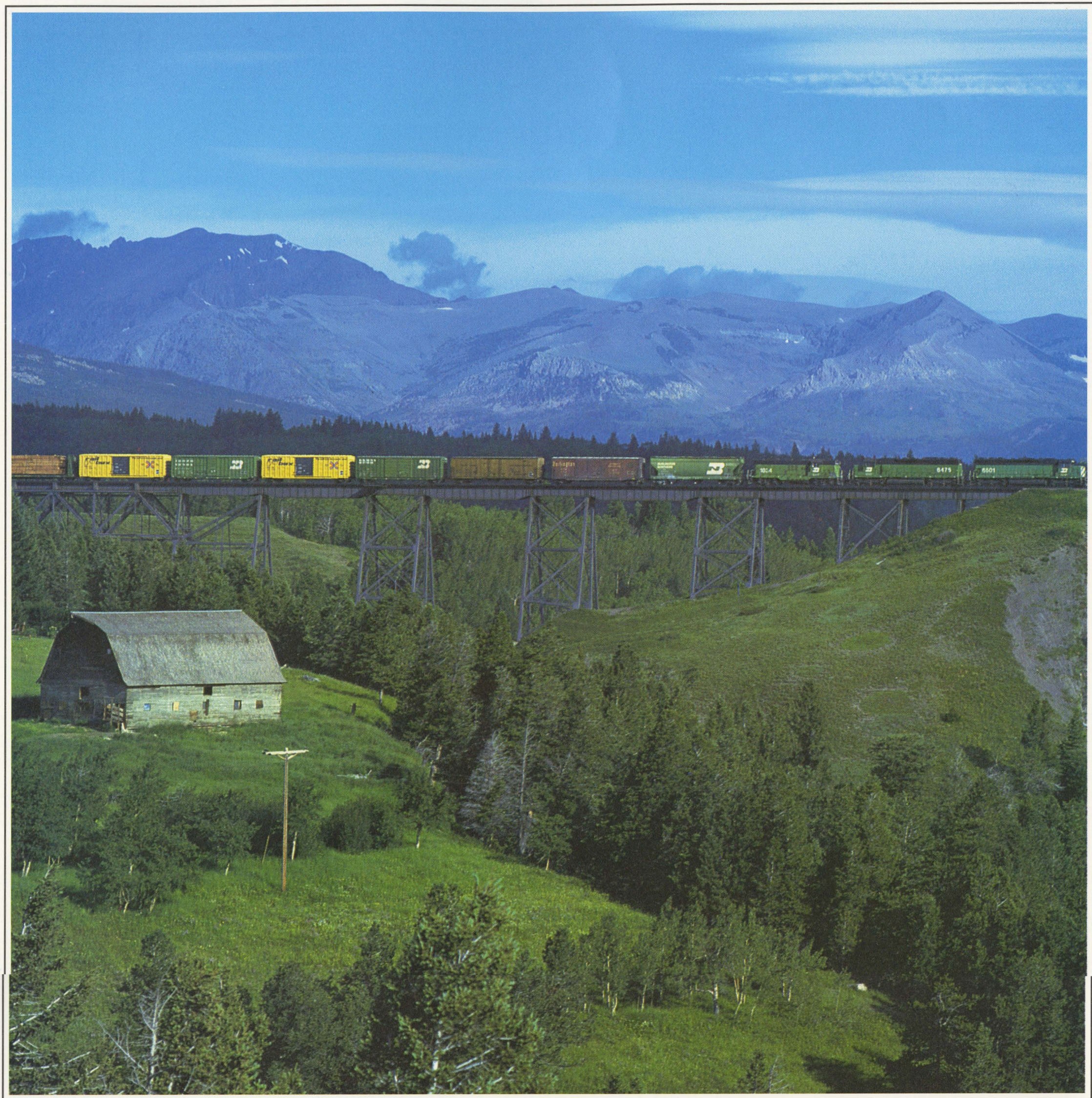
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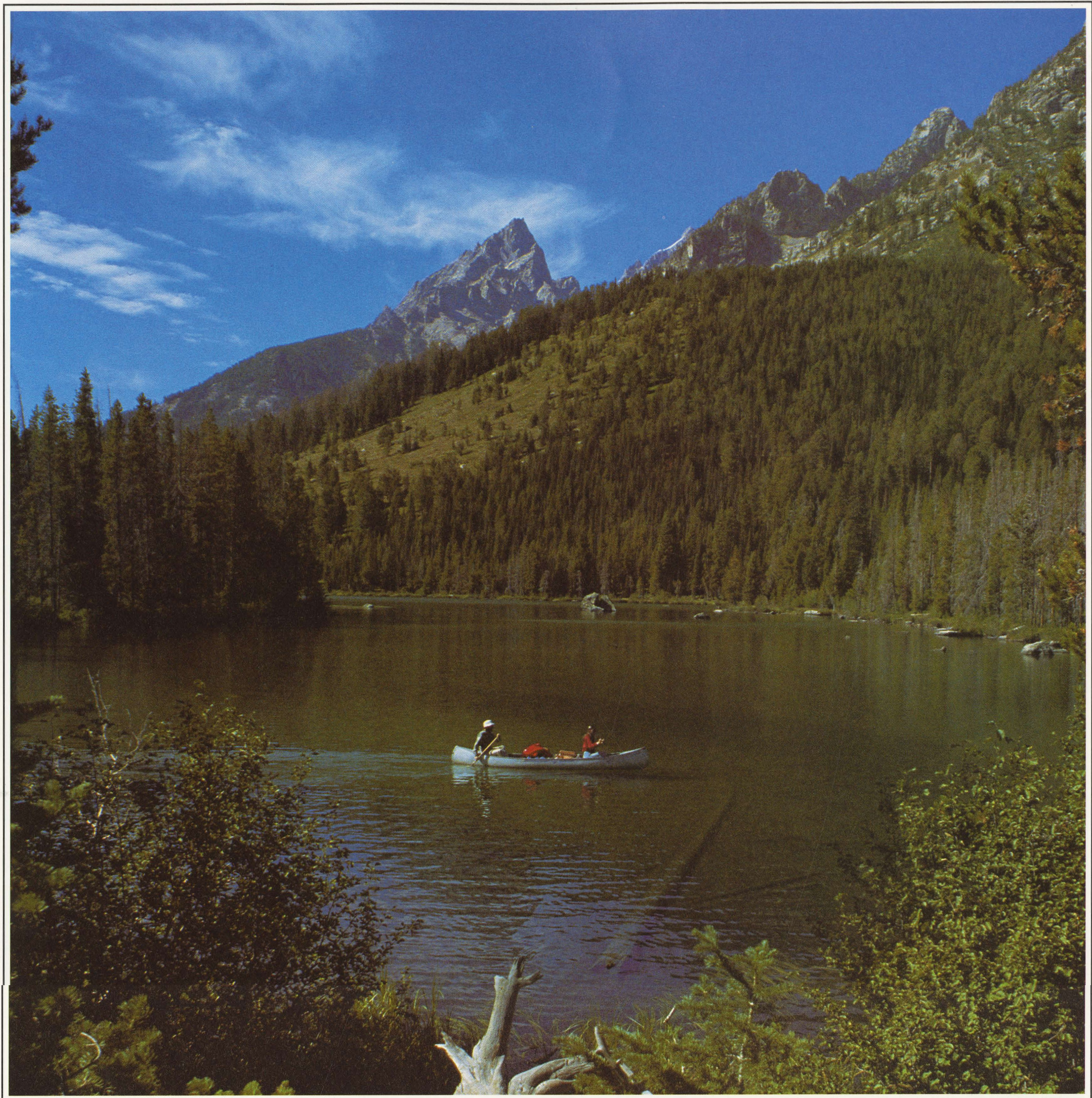
Curt Richards, a Management Trainee at Seattle, waited late one morning for this BN freight train to cross the bridge near East Glacier, Montana.



JULY 1986



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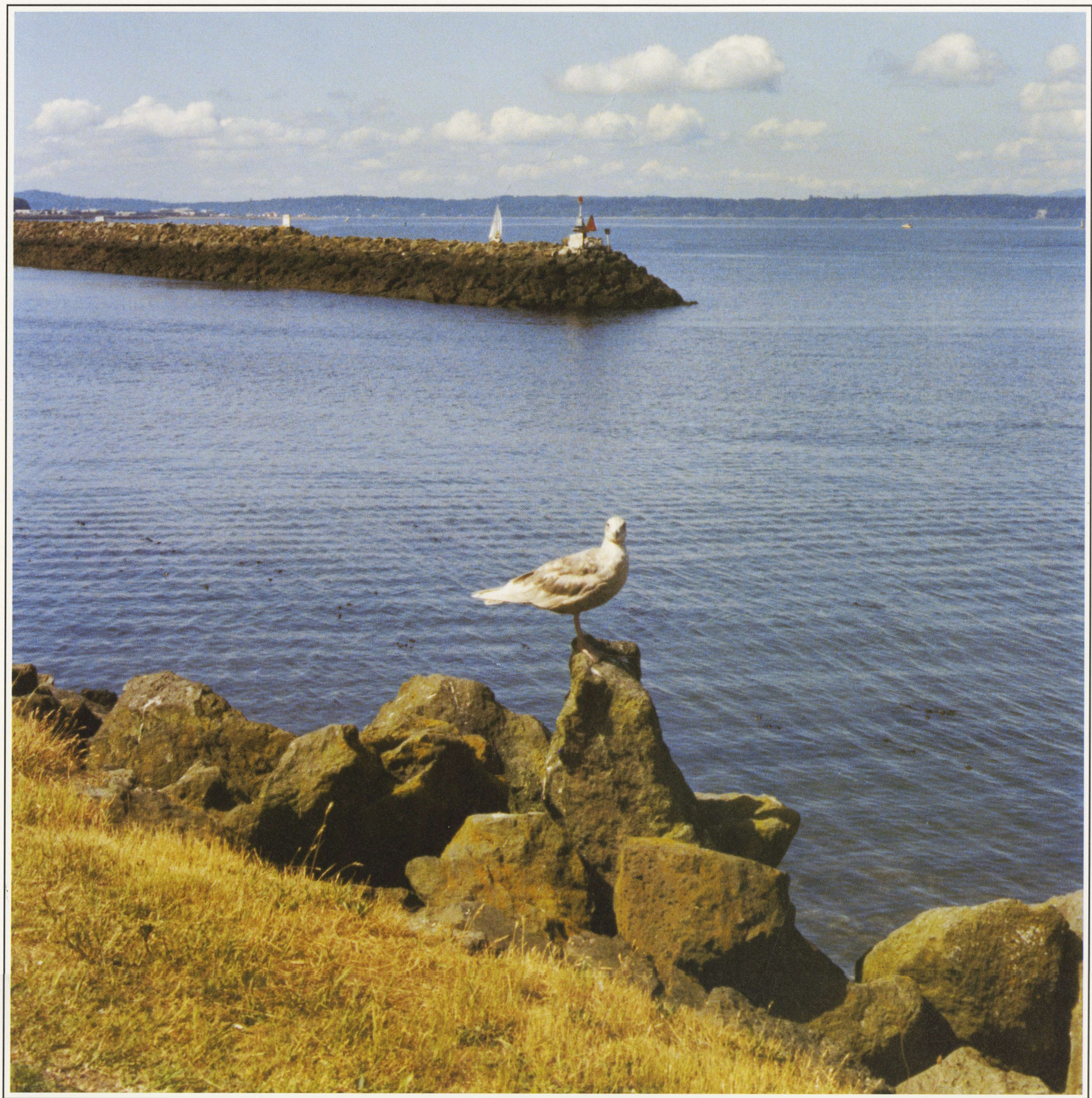
This canoeing couple was photographed near the Teton mountains in Wyoming by Marvin Cromwell, steel gang fuel truck driver at Missoula, Montana.



AUGUST 1986



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Debbie Swan, a Clerk in the St. Paul Accounting department, caught this view of Puget Sound while vacationing in Seattle.



**BURLINGTON
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RAILROAD**

SEPTEMBER 1986



**BURLINGTON
NORTHERN
RAILROAD**

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Gary Huss snapped this early morning lake scene in the Minnesota Boundary Waters canoe area.
He is the husband of Janice, an Analyst in BN's St. Paul Information Resources department.



**BURLINGTON
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RAILROAD**

OCTOBER 1986



**BURLINGTON
NORTHERN
RAILROAD**

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JEWISH NEW YEAR
(ROSH HASHANAH)

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Mike Gelhaus, BN Locomotive Engineer at Spokane, who specializes in photographing trains, shot this picture of a BN freight crossing the railroad bridge at Sandpoint, Idaho.



NOVEMBER 1986



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23 30	24	25	26	27	28	29 THANKSGIVING DAY



A Manager of Tie Plant Operations in St. Paul, vacationing Dale Schmidt caught this post-sunset scene near Carmel, California.



**BURLINGTON
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RAILROAD**

DECEMBER 1986



**BURLINGTON
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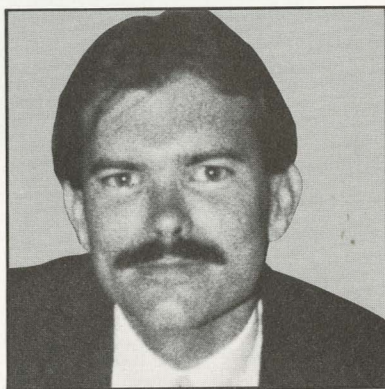
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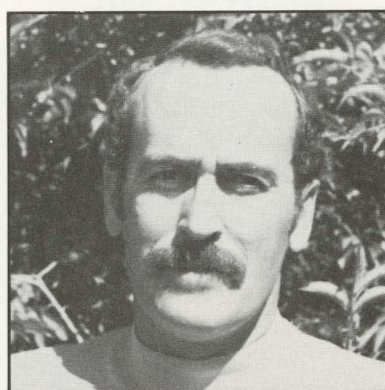
Curt Richards

July

Freight Train Near E. Glacier

Curt Richards, Management Trainee
Seattle, Washington

A photography enthusiast in his spare time, Curt Richards submitted four fine train pictures. The judges liked the one with a freight train crossing the Two Medicine River trestle near East Glacier, Montana, best. Curt, who photographed it before becoming a BN employee in January, 1985, used an 85mm lens on his Nikon F2 camera.



Marvin Cromwell

August

Canoeists Near the Teton Mountains

Marvin Cromwell, Steel Gang Fuel Truck Driver
Missoula, Montana

Marvin made the most of a sunny vacation day when he photographed the canoeing couple near the Teton Mountains in Wyoming. He shot the scene with his Canon QL equipped with a 28mm lens at a setting of f8 for 1/250 second. He used Ektachrome ASA64 color slide film.



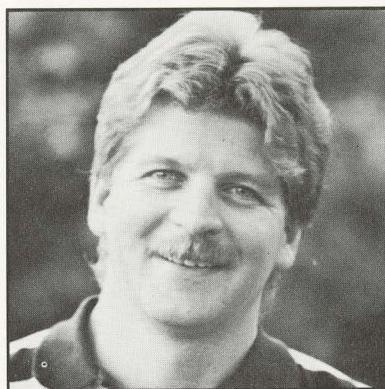
Debbie Swan

September

Resting Gull

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

A vacation trip provided Debbie the opportunity for her picture of a resting gull on the shore of Puget Sound. Debbie used ASA 100 Kodak film in her Olympus OM1 camera to get the picture. Photography is her favorite hobby, but she also likes to ride horses, shoot trap, write poetry and short stories.



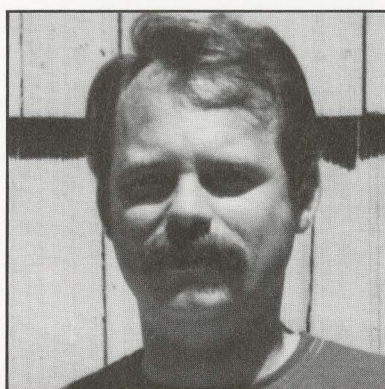
Gary Huss

October

Minnesota Lake

Gary Huss, spouse of Janice Huss, Associate Computer Analyst
St. Paul, Minnesota

Gary photographed his lake scene early one crisp October morning when he and Janice were on a trip in Minnesota's Boundary Waters Canoe Area. Gary used a Canon FTB with a 28mm lens and ASA64 Kodachrome film. Gary and Janice like to go mountaineering, canoeing and Winter backpacking.



Mike Gelhaus

November

Freight Train at Sandpoint, Idaho

Mike Gelhaus, Locomotive Engineer
Spokane, Washington

Mike has provided us with excellent train pictures since our first Calendar Photo contest. His winner this year is of a BN freight train on the rail bridge over Pend Oreille lake at Sandpoint, Idaho. Mike used his Canon TX 35mm camera with a 135mm Telephoto lens and Kodachrome 25 slide film to capture the sight.



Dale Schmidt

December

California Evening Sky

Dale Schmidt, Mgr. Tie Plant Operations, Purchasing & Materials
St. Paul, Minnesota

Dale found this peaceful scene one evening while vacationing near Carmel, California. His Canon AE1 was set at f5.6 for 1/60 second to obtain the picture. Golf and cross-country skiing are other seasonal activities Dale enjoys.



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