

BOB FORD

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

All to often people make judgements, accusations, or critize the performance of others without having all the facts. Such has been the case with Cliff and Myrtle Wagoner. Through the years I have heard the comment "Why do Cliff and Myrtle run the Association?"

The facts are: Myrtle has been a paid executive secretary for several years and even if she was not paid, she would probably help out because this Association has to do with Cliff's livelyhood.

Cliff has held national offices including President and has been President of our local three times. These people hold these positions because of the backing and elections by their peers. They are not arbitrarily running the Association but have been placed there by the Membership because of their knowledge and expertise in their given field.

If you were to go to the Wagoner home, you would find a room has been set aside for our Association business and records. These records are a complete historical collection of the Northern California Chapter. Who else but these two people have given the chapter continuity, longevity and dedication! Look at the list of chapter past Presidents. Most of them are not even active members anymore.

For those who are doubters, I hope you come forth and help out if and when this exceptional couple decide to retire. My hat goes off to a job well done.

meetings

SEPTEMBER 12 GCSA of Northern Calif. - Sierra-Nevada combined Reno, Nevada

OCTOBER 14 Mt. St. Helena, Calistoga

NOVEMBER 10 Stanford, Palo Alto

DECEMBER 2 Rancho Canada Golf Course, Carmel (Christmas Party)

JANUARY 14 Green Valley Country Club, Suisun