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Editorial Now & Then

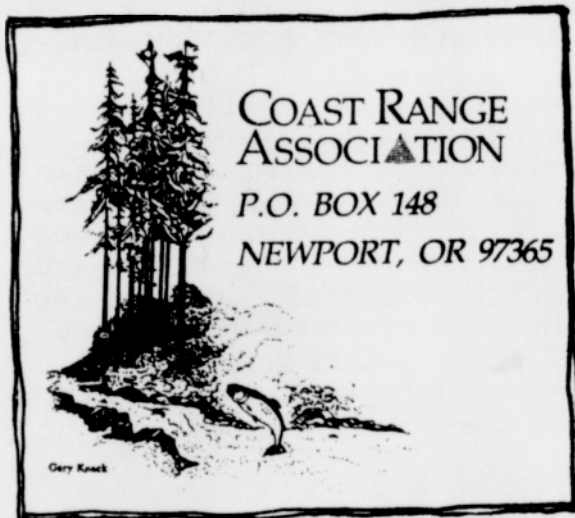


Hey, thanks for the support for the Left Coast Group, the checks are flowing in and our fund raising efforts have encouraged us that our first book might just make the shelves of our local bookstores in time for the 'holiday season'. And we might just encourage this trend by letting our constant readers in on a little more of what we are doing.

Well, *Uncle Mike's Guide to the Real Oregon Coast* by Michael Burgess, with disturbing illustrations by Steve McLeod, is as close as it has ever been to completion. We have a wonderfully satirical travel guide that will make Tom McCall giggle in his grave. Steve has captured the dark humor graphically. We have engaged Bill McConaughy to help us make it beautiful as a volume. Now, all we need is enough cash to print it and deliver it to folks that want it. We plan to print a thousand copies, and that will cost about five grand. We are hoping that you, will send us \$20 and trust us to send you one. They will make great presents for those people you love, but don't want to see at Bill's, and they will be autographed by Mike and Steve, cool, huh?

The Left Coast Group also has some other books in the works. The long promised trade edition of *"Wildlife on the Edge"* by the humble Ms. Sally Lackaff, is due to be out this spring, again, if you will give us the money to do it. *The Best of Uncle Mike*, is ready to print. Charles LeGuin's first novel, *"North Coast"*, is written, our faithful readers have already read two chapters in these pages. It will be illustrated by, again, Ms. Lackaff. And *"An Oral History of Cannon Beach"*, edited by Prof. Lindsey and John Buckley, if we are lucky, will be taking form soon.

So, final pitch; if you want one of our books, send us \$20, if you want to make sure we are able to print all of them send us \$25,000. And, well, thanks.



Si-Yo,

I'm writing on behalf of the Native American Spiritual Group here at FCI Memphis, TN. We would like to be put on your mailing list. There are brothers here from different tribes, Wasco, Sioux, Cherokee, Pima, and Kalamath.

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We have learned that though there are many papers in Washington upon which are written promises to pay us for our lands, no white man seems to remember them. Four Guns

Mo stuff,

We plan to attend the upcoming concert at the Chinook Casino in Lincoln City Wednesday October 9th, featuring John Trudell, the powerful Activist/Poet who was a warrior at Wounded Knee, Bonnie Rait, who was lately arrested along with her father, and Don Henley, while defending the last old growth in the Headwaters forest of Northern California, and Jackson Browne, whose voice has always been raised and his music played in the name of compassion. It costs \$35 but that is going to the Oregon Native Youth Council. These folks have a very good record of making a major difference in the lives of native American youth.

Billy,

It is my understanding that the Upper Left Edge will feature "politics" (with a little p) this coming issue. The Oregon Coast Support Group would like to remind voters and candidates that the Indian Wars continue and the United States government and politicians still make promises during elections that are never kept

Billy, I wish I wrote like you but alas, not. So, I have enclosed a few quotes by Indian People who not only say it like it is but do so eloquently.

The Oregon Coast Support Group is having a serious food drive to be delivered Wednesday Oct 2nd to Anpo "Day Break" Organization at their Kuhn Kuni "Current Camp" at the Tatonka Ohitika Memorial Grounds. This is Sacred Treaty Land in the Mt. Hood National Forest. They are in great need of food (fresh or canned). We need to share this information. In the Spirit.

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The British father promised aid and assistance, he is at peace with the Great White Father in Washington, and neither knows nor cares for your grievances. Keo Kuk

Book Review

"Jamie" by "D"
LD Books, \$8.95

Speaking of books, we recently spoke to, well, "D", an author. "D" stopped using his last name years ago and got down to an initial for his first venture in literature, and an interesting venture it is. The book takes you inside the mind of Jamie, a beautiful 28 year old woman who is a coma after being hit by a taxi cab. The reader is invited by the author to share what he has learned about the female mind from women he interviewed in the writing of this small, poetic, and totally original work. It, of course, has all the failings of a first effort. It does seem to have less than most, if only because it is not calculated. The structure is simple, the thoughts of a young woman who has no control over her environment. Ring any bells? We don't find out that she is in a coma until the end when she wakes up and finds out that the lover she dreams of has been by her bedside everyday, he has been in an accident and he is dead. Well, let's give you a sample, she has just been told,

".....came to see you almost every day. He'd ask 'How's my angel today?', then sit quiet near your bed, or at times arrive all excited to tell you things that had happened that day...even read to you....befriending the night nurses, so they would let him in after hours, when he was too busy to come during the day. I remember finding him a few mornings asleep in a chair next to you. And even though flowers weren't allowed in your room, he'd bring them for you every time....leaving them at the nurses station, or giving them to the other patients. When others came to see you, he always left...then he was the only one coming...looking so sad most of the time, but then you'd see him smile, just staring at you ...brought that little stereo there, along with tapes he'd mixedsaid he knew you could hear...then a few days ago, he left the hospital late and while walking home, was hit by a car and died.

Jamie just stared.

"...oh yeah, he said if you woke when he was not here, to give you this letter...."

Jamie slowly took, and held the letter dear, knowing already what it said. Then laid back, nestled in the feathers of her wings, no longer denying love."

"D" will be reading at Powell's on Hawthorne Nov. 7th at 7:30 PM accompanied on Cello by Morgan Ryser.

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