

JOHN DAY CHAPTER No. 13

"Lo, the poor Indian! whose untutored mind

Sees God in clouds, or hears him in the wind."

If Alexander Pope was right and an Indian does get religious inspiration from the wind it occurs to us that there has been a great deal of potential Redskin piety going to waste in this district lately. Poor Lo would have been more than welcome to it.

The housing situation harbors no fears for Dow Davidson now. When the bridge crew, in which he is assistant carpenter, moved to Brogan, he hunted from there to Vale for a house to live in but couldn't get even a hotel room as the hunting season was starting and all rooms were reserved. He was forced to go to his brother's ranch at Hereford, sixty miles away, to stay all night. He evidently thought this was too far to commute from so didn't show up for work next morning, but when he did return he had his own house on wheels. And the landlord won't be tacking "No dogs allowed" signs on the door, either.

C. T. "Cliff" Wooden took a vacation some time ago and it is rumored

that he was looking over some ranch properties with a view to purchasing a place to spend those carefree years after he has put in thirty for the State Highway. We'll wager the one nearest a good fishing stream will get first consideration.

Al Pearson, truck driver for the State Highway at Dayville and Brogan until he joined the Navy in 1942, is out of service and working on the maintenance crew at John Day. He was with the Battleship Iowa, which was anchored alongside the Missouri, almost in the shadow of Fujiyama, the sacred mountain of Japan, in Tokio Bay, when the peace treaty was signed on the latter ship.

Recent rains and melting snows have caused high water to do considerable damage to roads in this district in the



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