## ARCHAEOLOGICAL RECONNAISSANCE REPORT (Detail)

#### [Continuation sheet]

5. General Environmental Description -- continued

the Summit Valley area receives considerable precipitation primarily in the form of winter snows. Nearby Soda Springs-Norden records an annual average of 34 feet, about 86 per cent of the total precipitation. Seasonal falls vary between 13 and 65 feet (g. 25). Needless to say, winter in this section of the Sierra is long and severe, while the summer season (3 to 5 months) is moderate with occasional afternoon thunder storms.

GEOLOGY: The basement rocks of the region are primarily massive granitic and metamorphic rock of the Sierra Nevada block. The higher peaks in the vicinity, such as Castle and Lincoln, are composed of Tertiary volcanics such as basalt, andesite, andestic tuff and rhyolitic tuff (g. 5, 15). Lake Van Norden-Summit Valley lies in a depression filled with some 30 feet of Quaternary glacial materials and alluvium made up mostly of granitic debris. Granitic erratics, up to 20 feet across, can be observed along the valley margin (g. 15). The last major glaciation to pass over Summit Valley was probably the Tioga advance, the terminal Pleistocene event in the northern Sierra, which ended about 10,000 years ago. However, minor glaciation(s) of the so-called Little Ice Age ended the postglacial optimum between 3,000 and 4,000 years ago, but the direct effect of this ice appears to have been limited to nearby higher peaks (g. 4).

FLORA AND FUANA: The Lake Van Norden project area is within the Canadian Zone. Vegetation along the upland margins of the valley is dominated by thick stands of coniferous forest primarily of lodgepole pine (Pinus murrayana). White (Abies concolor) and red (Abies magnifica) fir is also present on the nearby timbered slope. The valley floor is that of a damp meadow of various grasses, herbs, and willow thickets. Animal life is characterized by creatures which either hibernate or migrate in response to seasonal conditions. Aside from numerous wild birds, mammals include mule deer (Odocoileus hemionous) black bear (Urus americanus) and Coyote (Canis latrans), as well as a number of rodents and other small forms. The areas streams contain trout (g.25).

RECENT ALTERATIONS: The primary modification of the locality examined has been the inundation of the western area of Summit Valley by Lake Van Norden, a reservoir constructed some 70 years ago. Additional alterations include the Soda Springs-Sugar Bowl road (old trans-Sierra highway) which runs along the north shore of the lake. Campground and picnic areas have been constructed along this roadway. Clearing and unimproved access roads for major powerlines pass along the south shore of the lake.

CONTINUATION

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#### d. Comments:

Considering size, complexity of surface features, and in particular possible subsurface remains, the prehistoric sites which appear to have the greatest potential for scientific inquiry are PG&E-LVN 1, 2, 5, and 6. Prehistoric sites PG&E-LVN 12, 14, and 15 appear to have a moderate to high possiblity of yeilding some information; while perhistoric sites PG&E-LVN 3,4,9,10,13 and 16 seem to have minor potential of providing additional data.

#### e. Recommendations:

and/or portions there of, not presently effected for future study and at a time when more sophisticated research problems and techniques are developed. Disadvantage of such an approach would be those sites now on the shore would continue to be subject to erosion and clandestine collecting.

ALTERNATIVE II. Scientific excavation and analysis of the more significant sites, i.e. PG&E-LVN- 1,2,5,6, 12,14, and 15, should be conducted. Advantage of this approach would be the immediate "rescue" of the archaeological data involved and the expansion of knowledge for this poorly known region. Disadvantage would be the loss of data in areas not sampled, time limits imposed, and cost.

ALTERNATIVE III. No action be taken and construction proceed as planned. Additional destruction without adequate scientific investigation would lead to significant loss of cultural values and is definitely not recommended.

ALTERNATIVE IV. Protect erodible portions of sites 1, 5, 6, 12 and perhaps 2 from future beach erosion by placing a layer of riprap to preserve the sites for future study, and allow a 1-2 foot increase above elevation 6772.7. Recommend periodic future surveillance in order to evaluate the adequacy of protection provided by riprap.

There also remains the possibility that clearing and earth moving in the borrow areas might expose subsurface evidence not observed in the present reconnaissance. Some provision for emergency salvage should be made.

Results a. Cultural Resources Recorded

Name Number Type

Lytton House	(3)	PG&E-LVN-11	Historic
Lytton nouse		PG&E-LVN-12	Prehistoric
		PG&E-LVN-13	Prehistoric
		PG&E-LVN-14	Prehistoric
		PG&E-LVN-15	Prehistoric
		PG&E-LVN-16	Prehistoric

#### d. Comments:

manufacture and maintenance of stone tools at the sites, (3) heavy bifaces and flake scrapers of basalt, (4) large basalt projectile points (atlatl dart tips) suggesting large game hunting, and (5) shallow bedrock mortar pits and metate slicks, often placed in natural depressions, indicating processing of seed crops. The two sites found in the low sensitivity zone, do not fit into this pattern, they lack bedrock milling features and have very sparse lithic scatters. In fact, finished artifacts occured in almost equal number to the waste flakes at the two sites.

The archaeological pattern expressed at Van Norden generally conforms to the model proposed by Heizer and Elsasser (g. 13, 7c) for the Martis Complex. Site configuration and location does suggest interest in exploiting seed crops and hunting activities. The only site on which Kings Beach Complex artifacts were observed (PG&E-LVN-6) is located directly on the bank of the South Yuba River. This again is in agreement with the Heizer and Elsasser proposal that these latter people's economic emphasis was fishing, thus settlements on stream courses. However, it must also be noted this site also contains considerable Martis material. It is not known how much effect differential collecting of brightly colored projectile points and debitage characteristic of the Kings Beach assemblage has altered the sample observed here. Subsurface exploration would be necessary to test the valitity of the foregoing observation.

Likewise, the apparent greater number and extent of the Martis Complex settlements compared to Kings Beach at Van Norden, as elsewhere in this region, needs explanation. Is this due to a very long duration of the cultural pattern, or was the Martis population larger? If larger, was this in response to more favorable climatic conditions (5; 7c) or some other environmental or cultural factor(s)?

Significance of the four historic Euro-American sites encountered has not been determined. The expertise of a professional historian, and possibly local informants, might shed some light on the use and individuals associated with the features. No doubt these sites were associated with local exploitive activities such as summer livestock grazing and lumbering, or with the Trans-Sierra transportation route via Donner Summit (7d). Archaeological excavation and analysis of PG&E-LVN-8,9,6, and ll might provide some clue to their former use and period of occupation.

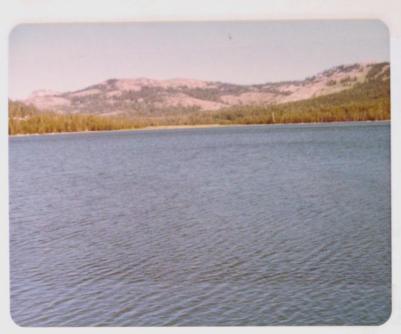
#### 7. OBSERVATIONAL EXPECTATIONS - continuation

c. Prehistoric Complexes: - continued

Various colored cherts, jaspers, and obsidian being used as industrial material (g. 13). The Martis Complex is thought to have existed between 2000 BC and AD 600 (g. 9) perhaps much earlier, i.e. 5000 BC (g. 10), while the Kings Beach Complex is assigned to a period between AD 1000 and AD 1850. Actual sequence of perhistoric cultures probably is more complex than the foregoing typologically derived temporal scheme indicates (g. 10, 19, 21).

The two cultural-temporal expressions as proposed by Heizer and Elsasser (g. 13) were thought to exhibit differing economic emphasis. Site locations of the two cultures were seen as being mutually exclusive, Martis sites being situated with reference to seed gathering and good hunting. In contrast Kings Beach sites were located near fishing spots. Subsequent investigations in the central Sierra Nevada have suggested that such an economic shift may not be demonstratable (g. 19,21), Problems of survival imposed by the Sierran environment may well have been solved by the two peoples in very similar ways. This aspect of the regions prehistory is in need of additional investigation.

No evidence of human presence prior to 9,000 years ago due to Alpine glacial conditio s (see 5). On the other hand, post-glacial climatic fluctuations may well have had dramatic effect on both the region's seasonal use and population density.



Looking across reservoir to borrow area from dam.



Indian grinding stone holes along south side of reservoir.

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NEW LAKE VAN NORDEN DAM, NO. 97-129 JFChaimson 7/6/76

1. Site PG&E - LVN-1  2. Map U.S.G.S. Soda Springs, Calif 7.5', 1955, (rev. 1973) SW 1/4 of SW 1/4 Sec. 23				
SW 1/4 of SW 1/4 Sec 23				
3. County Nevada & Placer  4. Township 17N Range 14E NW% of NW % Section 26				
5. UTM Grid or Long &Lat. N4, 354, 900m/E 726, 600m				
6. Location Site occupies a low rocky point that extends northeast-ward into Lake Van Norden from the southwest corner (west shore).  360 meters (1200') south of the dam and 150 meters (500') east  7. Contour Elevation 6760 - 6775'  8. Previous site designation Claytor's Site 36 Lake Van Norden, West Shore  9. Owner Pacific Gas and Electric 10. Address 77 Beale Street				
Company San Francisco, CA. 94106				
11. Present tenant Same as above				
12. Description of site Large prehistoric habitation site with bedrock mortars and cupule petroglyphs. Site is characterized by lithic scatt and discolored soil (midden).				
13. Area 600 x 300' + 14. Depth Probably ranges between (180m x 90m) 15cm (6") to 60cm (24")				
15. Vegetation Lodgepole pine and manzanita type shrubs, meadow grasses along east shore below seasonal inundation zone.				
16. Nearest water Spring on eastern 17. Soil of site Dark grey to black margin reported by Claytor sandy anthropic soil (midden)				
18. Surrounding soil type Light brown sandy loam (glacial till).				
19. Previous excavation No evidence of previous excavation. Claytor (1973: 46) reports "the site has been visited on many occasions by				
20. Cultivation-logging Site has been partially inundated by Lake Van Norde (reservoir). No other economic use observed.				
21. Buildings, roads, etc. Power lines pass over west end of site area. No				
other improvements are present on site,  22. Erosion Wave action 23. Possibility of destruction Proposed increase on lake				
on shoreline, elevation will cause additional erosion				
24. Features (burials, house pits, etc.) Seven features were noted on the site: Feature 1-Four bedrock mortars in granitic boulder (3.2 x 2.5 x 1				
25. Artifacts Basket flakes scattered over surface and concentrated in beach wash. No colored S.02 flakes observed, possibly the function				
of differential collection by pot-hunters. Artifacts observed during 26. Remarks Type 1b, 3a, 4b, and 5c Martis points and dominant use of				
basalt for both finished artifacts and debitage suggest a Martis Complex occupation. The site is the largest seasonal campsite				
27. Published references Claytor, M.P. 1973 An Archaeological Survey of the				
28. Sketch map See attached 29. Photos Yes, see attached.				
30. Recorded by Louis A. Payen 31. Date July 1976				

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# ARCHAEOLOGICAL SITE SURVEY RECORD

	(Continuation Sheet)			
	CONTINUATION			
	mortar pits on a large granitic boulder which measures			
	$3 \times 2.2 \times 0.9$ meters. The pits are 15 cm. dia. $\times 7.5$			
	deep, 14 x 7.5, 15 x 9, 9 x 2.5, 12.5 x 6.5 and 15 x			
	7.5 cm. Feature 5- A single shallow bedrock mortar on			
	top of a granitic boulder 2.2 x 1.7 x 0.6 meters. The			
	hole measures 14 cm dia. x 2.5 cm deep. Feature 6-			
	Small cluster of eight cupules or pitted type petro-			
	glyphs on top of rounded granitic boulder. These small			
	cup-shaped pits range from 3 to 5.5 cm in diameter and			
	0.5 to 1.8 deep. Feature 7- Two bedrock mortars and			
	cupule type petroglyphs on a granitic boulder measures			
	3 x 2.7 x 8.25 meters. The bedrock mortar holes were			
	placed in natural depressions on the rock surface and			
	are 10 cm dia. x 4 cm deep and 15 x 5 cm. Along one			
	edge of the boulder are eight cupules forming a rough			
	line or series. These small cup-shaped pits range from			
	2 to 5 cm in diameter and 0.3 to 1.6 cm deep. The carve			
	surface of the pits show less "patination" than the			
7	natural surface of the boulder or the interior surface			
7	of the bedrock mortar holes. (see 26).			
7	survey include heavy precussion flaked bifaces (4),			
$\top$	projectile points (5) and a drill. All are of basalt.			
+	Rhyolite metate fragment observed in the vicinity of			
+	Feature 1. Claytor (1973:46) reports two granite manos			
	Louis A. Payen Date July 1976			
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# ARCHAEOLOGICAL SITE SURVEY RECORD (Continuation Sheet)

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	of the road from Soda Springs to Ice Lakes. Landform is
	an outcropping of rhyolite tuff on which are scattered
	numerous granitic glacial erratic boulders of various
	sizes.
	occurs in open areas and around loci of features. Darkes
	concentrations show greatest abundance of debitage
	(stone chipping waste). Some organic additions may also
	be due to forest litter.
	artifact collectors and small piles of discarded chip-
	page debris indicate their activities". The lack of
	colored silicate and obsidian flakes on surface also
	suggests/indicates selective collection of debitage as
	well as artifacts (LAP).
	meter). Cupshaped pits measure 14 cm diameter, 6 cm
	deep, 14 x 6.5, 15 x 7.5, and 13 x 4.5 cm. Feature 2-
	Boulder grinding slick (metate) on top of a granitic
	erratic 4 x 3.2 x 1.4 meters. Polished grinding area
	is over an uneven surface area approximately 50 x 50 cm.
	One slight depression within grinding surface may be
	pit used for pounding. Feature 3- Two bedrock mortars
	formed in natural crevis or "v" shaped cleft on top of
	rough granitic erratic. Boulder measures 1.7 x 1.2 x
	0.4 meters. The oval pits are 10-13 cm dia. x 7.5 cm
d by	deep and 13-7.5 x 4 cm. Feature 4- Six well developed
	Louis A. Payen July 1976

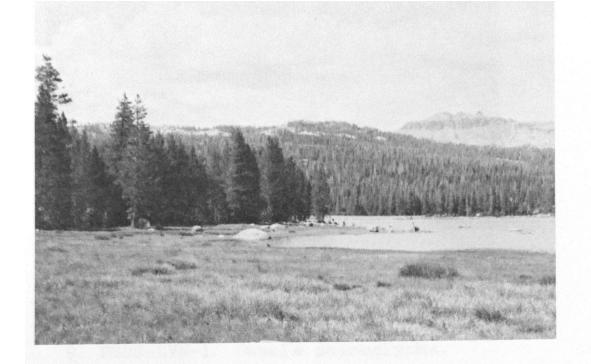
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Item No.	CONTINUATION
25.	and forty-three projectile points.
26.	recorded in Claytor's (1973:46) survey of the upper
	Yuba River region. Cupule type petroglyphs are also
	indicative of an important activity center where magico-
	religious ritual was carried on. (cf. Payen 1966).
27.	Unpublished M.A. Thesis - California State University,
	Sacramento (see pp. 46-47, 55)
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## ARCHAEOLOGICAL PHOTOGRAPHIC RECORD

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7	24	10A1	Distant view of west shore	е		05 -	LVN-1	
7	24	10A2	View of west shore			05 -	LVN-1	
7	24	1013	Bedrock mortars (Feature	1)		05 -	LVN-1	
7	24	1114	Bedrock mortars (Feature	3)		05 -	LVN-1	
7	24	1112	Bedrock mortars (Feature	4)		05 -	LVN-1	
7	24	11146	Petroglyphs, cupule style (Feature 605 - LVN-1					
7	24	1117	View of east shore 05 - LVN-1					
8	11	8/	Boulder with petroglyphs (F6) 05 - LVN-1					
8	11	9/	Cupule petroglyphs (Featu	re 6	)	05 -	LVN-1	
8	11	9AM <sup>1</sup> °	Close-up view of cupules			05 -	LVN-1	
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Sketch Map of
PG+E-LVN-1

so foot (appon) Big Rock Late Rocky Point Mud Flakes F6 (cupules) Power Lines Flakes mud



7. PG&E-LVN-1 View of east shore.



8. PG&E-LVN-1 Boulder with petroglyphs (Feature 6).

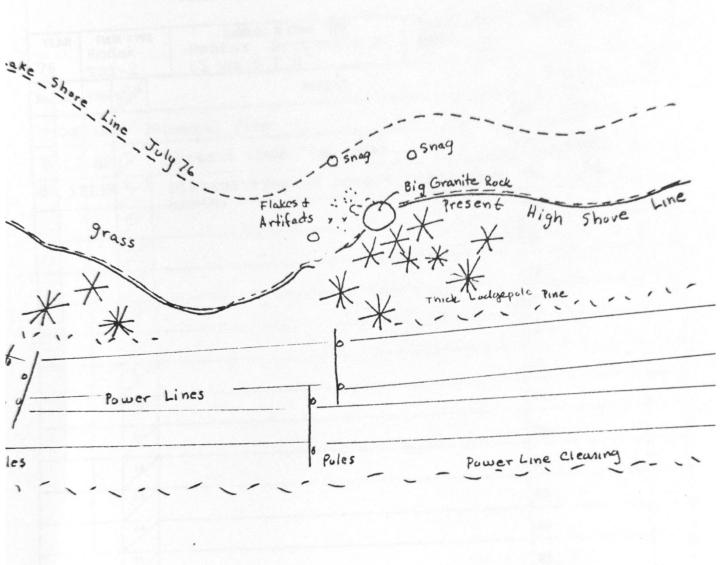


9. PG&E-LVN-1 Cupule petroglyphs.



10. PG&E-LVN-1 Close-up view of cupules.

Lake Van Norden Granite Boulders Sketch Map of PGtE-LVN-2



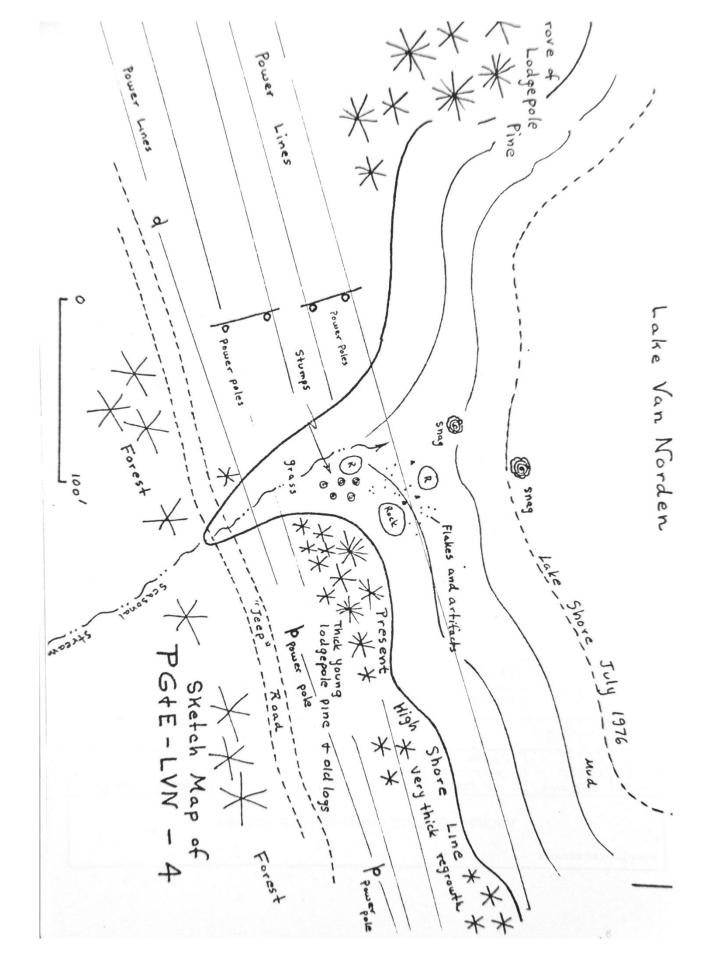
Sketch Map of PG+E-LVN-3



1. PG&E-LVN-3 General View.



2. PG&E-LVN-3 Distant view from west.





1. PG&E-LVN-4 General view.

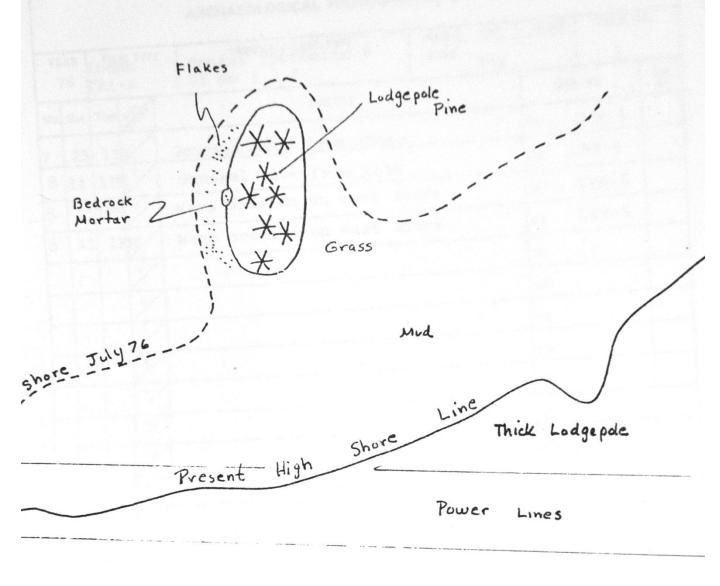
		California			
1. Site PG&E - LVN-5	2. Map U.S.G.S. Norden, California 7.5', 1955				
3. County Placer	4. Township 17N	Range 14E/ SE ¼ of NE ¼ Section 26			
5. UTM Grid or Long &Lat.	14, 354, 400m/I	E 727,400m			
south east side of stand of lodgepole 7. Contour Elevation 6760 to 6770+	6. Location Site is situated on a small near shore "island" on the south east side of Lake Van Norden. The knoll is covered with a stand of lodgepole pine and meadow grass. Located 100 meters south.  7. Contour Elevation  8. Previous site designation				
9. Owner Pacific Gas	& Electric	10. Address 77 Beale Street San Francisco, California 94106			
11. Present tenant Same  12. Description of site A p lithic scatter and	as above. rehistoric occ bedrock morta	upation (camp) site with a surface			
13. Area Approximatel	y 40 x 100	14. Depth Unknown			
meters  15. Vegetation Lodgepo	le pine and va	rious meadow grasses.			
16. Nearest water Probab River, ca.	ly South Yuba	17. Soil of site Dark loam.			
18. Surrounding soil type	Same as sit	e.			
19. Previous excavation  None noted.					
20. Cultivation-logging	20. Cultivation-logging sheep grazing				
21. Buildings, roads, etc.	21. Buildings, roads, etc.				
22. Erosion wave action 23. Possibility of destruction Additional beach erosion. especially on					
24. Features (burials, house pits, etc.) A single shallow bedrock mortar pit -grinding slick combined within a natural depression occur on a small 25. Artifacts Thousands of basalt flakes exposed on shore erosion. No Si02 debitage noted, possibly due to removal. One large basalt biface (preform?) fragment. One fragment of a large basalt					
26. Remarks Basalt debitage suggest the site may be assigned to the Martis Complex. No diagnostic artifacts observed.					
27. Published references None.					
28. Sketch map See atta	ached sheet.	29. Photos Yes, see attached.			
30. Recorded by Louis	s A. Payen	31. Date 1976			
32. Continuation Sheet Yes Ko No 🗆					
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## ARCHAEOLOGICAL SITE SURVEY RECORD

Item No.	CONTINUATION				
6.	west of PG&E - LVN-7.				
22.	west side of site.				
24.	granitic boulder (101 cm x 60 cm x 30 cm). Metate sur-				
	face is 20 cm by 30 cm in area, the mortar pit measures				
	7.5 cm in diameter and 1.5 cm deep. A second shallow				
	mortar pit is found in a large boulder next to one just				
	described. The pit is 9 cm in diameter and 1.5 cm deep.				
	The feature is located on the west central side of the				
	"island" or site area.				
25.	projectile point.				

# Lake Van Worden



A W Sketch Map of PG+E-LVN-5

200 feat (approx)

ARCHAEOLOGICAL SITE SURVEY RECORD				
Site PG&E - LVN-6		2. Map U.S.G.S. Norden, California 7.5, 1955		
County Placer	4. Township 17N	Range 14E / SW % of NW % Section 25		
UTM Grid or Long &Lat.	N4, 354,480m/F	727,580m		
d on a small, lode gh water. Approxim	gepole pine cov mately 156 mete	outheast shore of Lake Van Norden vered knoll which forms an island at ers north-east of PG &E-LVN-5.		
6760-6770 <b>'</b>	8. Previous site design FS No. 05-17-			
. Owner acific Gas & Elect	ric Co.	10. Address 77 Beale Street San Francisco, Californía 94106		
	me as above.			
etween lodgepole p lake scatter and b	ine forest and edrock milling	meadow. Site includes extensive features. In addition evidence of 14. Depth Unknown, possibly 30 cm		
ormal water line.	(GEC)	or more of culture bearing deposits		
5. Vegetation Lodgepole pine above present shoreline, meadow grasses a the east side. The site was originally located on the ecotone 6. Nearest water South Yuba River 17. Soil of site Dark rocky soil high in assed along the northern sides organic content (midden). 8. Surrounding soil type Dark sandy loam.				
9. Previous excavation Sor	me pot hunting	by bottle collect in the		
0. Cultivation-logging	Sheep grazing	er notes "area has been surface		
Buildings, roads, etc. Island used at present for informal camping area.				
Erosion Wave action 23. Possibility of destruction Additional erosion will occur long shoreline on from increased level of reservoir.  Features (burials, house pits, etc.) Two bedrock mortar features are present on e site. Feature 1 consists of two mortar pits in a low granition.				
tire area, however, highly concentrated on the eroded lake shore				
Remarks Surface artifacts and waste flakes indicate this large sonal camp site has at least two cultural components. Numerous alt falkes and a Type 3a basalt projectile can be assigned to Published references U.S. Forest Service-Archaeological Site Survey				
Sketch map 29. Photos Yes see attached				
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32. Continuation Sheet Yes © No 🗆				

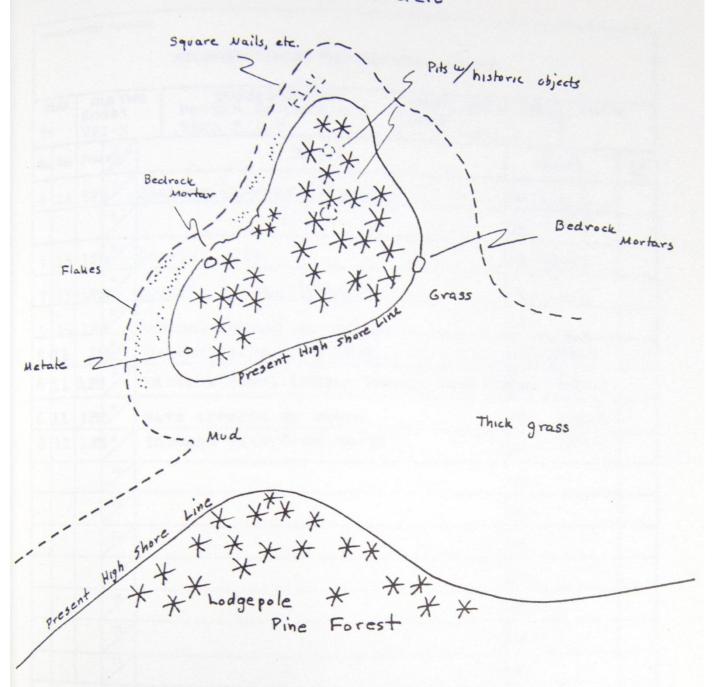
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12.	19 century Euro-American habitation present.			
13.	Approximately 200 meters by 40 meters.			
14.	in area now above present shore line.			
15.	between lodgepole pine forest and mountain meadow.			
16.	of the site area (now inundated by Lake Van Norden.)			
19.	collected as evidence by piles of chips on rocks."			
22.	west and north sides of site, very little effect on			
	meadow or east and south sides.			
24.	boulder (300 cm x 250 cm) on the west side of the knoll			
	and just above the present water line. The pits are			
	12.5 cm in diameter and 6 cm deep and 15 cm and 6 cm.			
Feature 2- Two mortar pits and two shallow grind.  "slicks" or very shallow mortars occur on a very				
				flat topped boulder on the east margin of the site. To two pits both measure 12.5 cm in diameter, the depths
	are 4 cm. A third milling feature, a boulder metate			
	(Feature 3) is present on the south western end of the			
	site. In addition to the prehistoric features several			
	depressions on the site may represent historic activites			
	one of these near the northern end has a line of stones			
	along one edge and contains tin cans.			
25.	20% chert and "flint" and 5% obsidian. Present observa-			
	tion suggest latter two groups not that frequent, possible			
	due to subsequent selective collecting. Cooper reports			
orded by	Louis A. Payen Date July 1976			
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#### ARCHAEOLOGICAL SITE SURVEY RECORD

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em No.	CONTINUATION				
25.	one partial obsidian projectile point midsection, a				
	red chert (Jasper) projectile point, several basalt core				
	three modified basalt flakes, two basalt scrapers. The				
	1976 examination noted two Jasper projectile points,				
	one of chert, and one of basalt (see attached sheet).				
	One large biface (preform?) fragment of red Jasper was				
-	also encountered. One cobble mano was exposed in the				
	beach wash on the west central side of the site area.				
	In addition to the prehistoric artifacts,				
	evidence of historic use of the area is present in the				
	form of numerous square cut nails, spikes, glass and				
	other objects exposed on the beach on the north-west				
	side. Also tin cans in and around depression described				
	in Section 24.				
26.	the Martis Complex. Small triangular Jasper arrow				
	points are characteristic of the Kings Beach Complex,				
	the lake period occupation recognized in the Tahoe re-				
	gion (cf. Heizer and Elsassen 1953).				
	Significance of historic (late 19th century)				
	Euro-American remains on the site is not known, possibly				
	a pioneer cabin site.				
7. Nevada City.					
1 by	Date				
,	Louis A. Payen July 1976				

# Lake Van Norden



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Sketch Map of PG+E-LVN-6

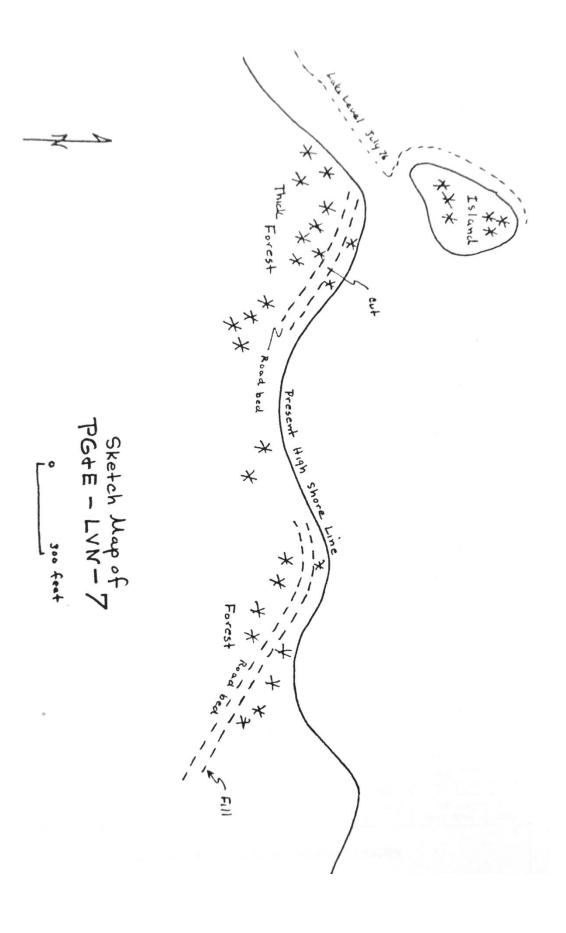
O 300 feet (approx.)

1. Site PG&E - LVN-7	ro.	Map U.S.G.S. Norden, California 7.5', 1955	
3. County Placer 4. T	ownship 17N	Range 14E / SW % of NW % Section 25	
5. UTM Grid or Long & Lat. N4,	354,460m/E7 ithin survey	27,620m to E727,680m area)	
6. Location An old road be "island" site PG&E-LVM	ed running t N-6, on the	hrough forest from just south of southeast shore of Lake Van Norden	
Just into the forest; 7. Contour Elevation 8.	From meadow.  Previous site design	Road bed extends approximately nation Not known, but should be etermine from historical record.	
9. Owner	Ornia 1992.	10. Address 77 Beale Street ny San Francisco, California 94106	
11. Present tenant	Same as ab	ove.	
Includes both shallow 3 meters (10 feet).	cuts and fi	pears to be a narrow gage railroad lls. Actual bed width approximately	
13. Area Not applicable.		14. Depth Surface feature.	
15. Vegetation Lodgepole	pine forest	•	
16. Nearest water Feature no south of high water 1	ow just ine of Lake	17. Soil of site Rocky glacial till and forest duff.	
18. Surrounding soil type	Same as si	te.	
19. Previous excavation No pos	st-construct	ion disturbance.	
20. Cultivation-logging None :	in recent ti	mes.	
21. Buildings, roads, etc. No rec	cent structu	res or improvements present.	
22. Erosion None. 23.	Possibility of dest	ruction Beach erosion	
24. Features (burials, house pits, e Not applic	able.		
25. Artifacts None noted	1.		
cuts and etc. and the	lack of ties oned for a known, limit	es growing along the edges of the s or other evidence suggest the long period. Significance of the ted search of general histories	
28. Sketch map See attached.	ca neguerve,	29. Photos Yes, see attached photo record and prints.	
30. Recorded by  Louis A. Payen  31. Date July 1976			
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#### ARCHAEOLOGICAL SITE SURVEY RECORD

_	(Continuation Sneet)					
	CONTINUATION					
	360 meters parallel to lake shore (forest) to the east					
	where road turns in a south-easterly direction and					
	uphill for an unknown distance.					
	(Not mentioned in D.F. Myrick-Railroads of Nevada and					
	Eastern California 1962.)					
	probably will have little or no effect.					
	feature not determined. Possibly a logging railroad					
	dating to late 19th or early 20th century.					
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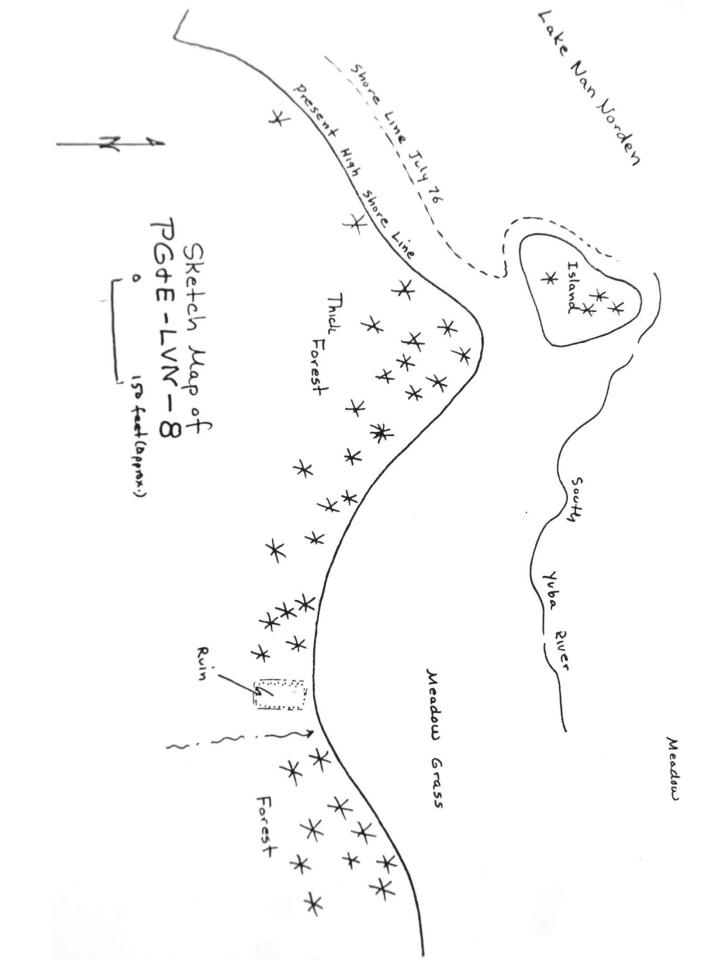


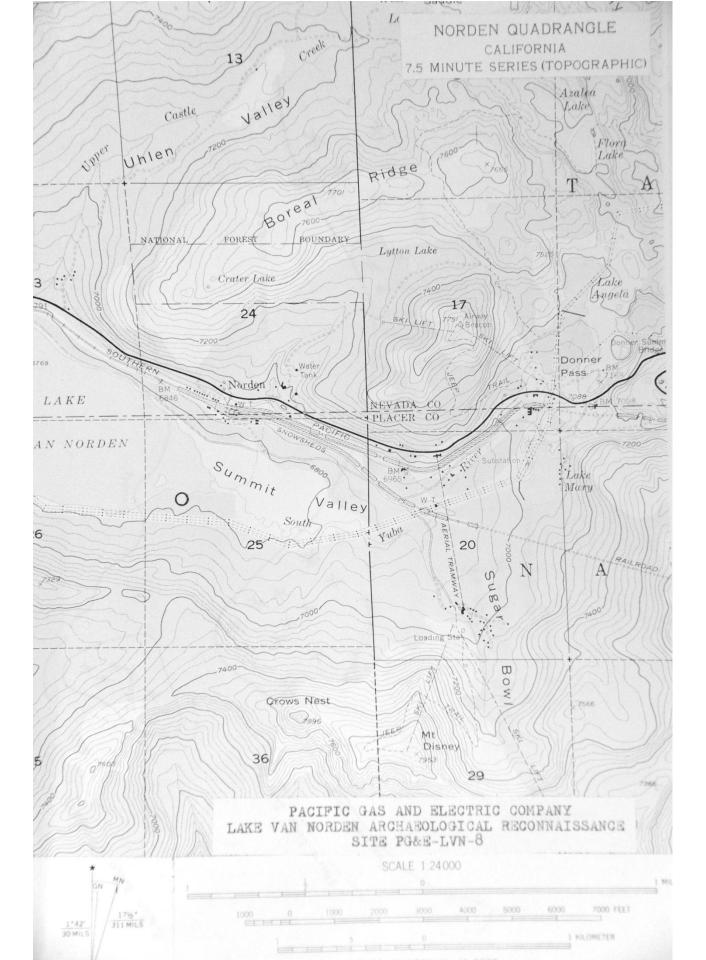
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SitePG&E - LVN-8		2. Map U.S.G.S. Norden, California 7.5, 1955
3. County Placer	4. Township 17N	Range 14E/ SW% of NW % Section 25
E UTW Cald	N 4,354,400M/	/E 727,740m
meadow-shore zone	on the south- ove like inder 8. Previous site de	nto the lodgepole forest from the east end of Lake Van Norden. About ntation in the lake shore. Approximates ignation Not known, may be possible to rom historical record.
9. Owner Pacific Gas & Ele 11. Present tenant		10. Address 77 Beale Street San Francisco, California 94106
11. Present tenant	Same as above	ve.
(floor?) area app.  13. Area Approximate meters.  15. Vegetation Lodgepo edge of meadow. L  16. Nearest water South	roximately 20 ly 12 x 63 le pine fores odgepole up t Yuba, ca 100	meters wide and a raised platform meters long and7.6meters wide. The  14. Depth Unknown.  t, structure is just into forest fro 0 45cm to 60 cm in diameter form lin 17. Soil of site Grey ashy with large chunks of charcoal.
18 Surrounding soil type T	an rocky glac	ial till with thick duff (O Horizon)
io. Surrounding son type -	and room, grac	rat cili with thick dull (O Horizon)
19. Previous excavation NO	ne evident si	nce original earth works.
grazing.		logging in recent times. Sheep
	No modern mod	
22. Erosion None, some	23. Possibility of	destruction
rodent burrows.  24. Features (burials, house	NONE	
	No o	ther features observed.
25. Artifacts None obs and duff.	served, much	of surface covered with pine needles
eriod. No glass. n	netal or other	29. Photos
Recorded by		Yes, see attached.
Loui	s A. Payen	31. Date July 1976
	32. Continuation	on Sheet Yes 🖾 No 🗆
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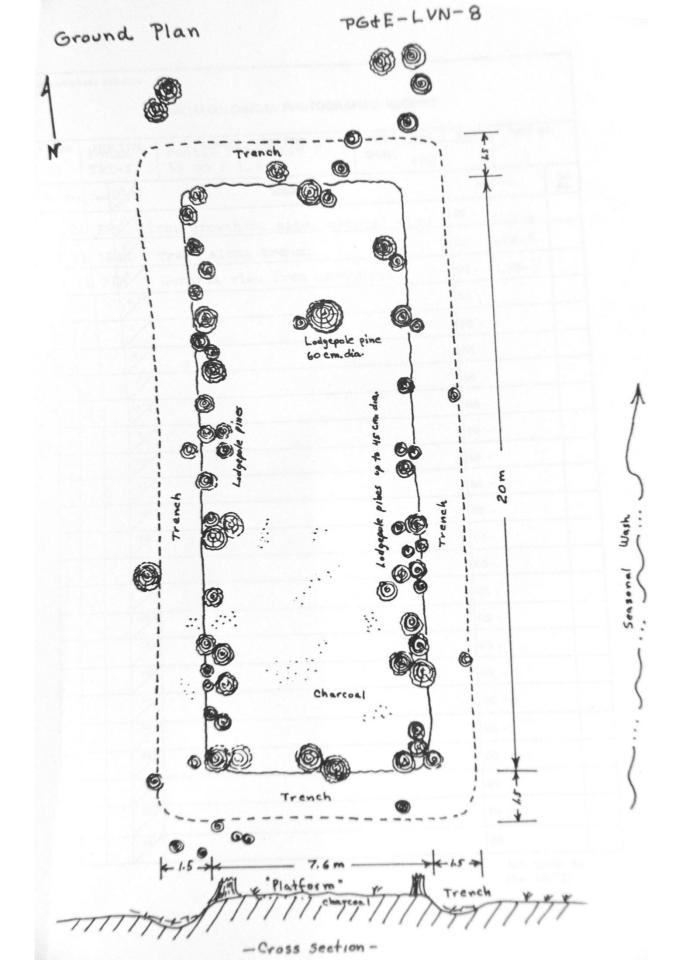
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CONTINUATION						
t	ely 180 meters south-east of "island" site PG&E -					
1	LVN-6. Just west of very small seasonal drainage.					
I	platform perimeter is outlined by lodgepole pine trees					
1	up to 45 to 60 cm in diameter. Structure outline is					
	oriented with magnetic north.					
	around raised "floor" area.					
	drainage passes a few meters to the east of the structu					
	(Spring runoff?)					
	area is covered with thick duff, pine needles and					
	meadow sod.					
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3. PG&E-LVN-8 General view from northwest.

Alle	MINEGEO		Norden, Ca	alifornia
Site PG&E - LVN-9		2. Map U.S.G.S 7.5', 19	55	
County Placer	4. Township 17N	Range 14E/ SW% of	NW % Section	25
UTM Grid or Long &Lat.	N4, 354,440m/	E727,860m		th-east
Location Site loca of Lake Van Nord	tion on a stee en approximate	p sided point a ly 200 meters w	bove the sol	e the
th Yuba River ent	ers the reserv	OII.		
. Contour Elevation	X Previous site design	etermination no	t made.	
above 6775'	Positive d	10. Address 77	Beale Street	t
Owner .	lastuia Co	San Francisco	California	94106
Pacific Gas and E	Lectric Co.	Ball Transless		
11. Present tenant Same as	ahowe			
1 .1 C.14 D.	- hi - hami a oagur	pation (camp) s:	te represent	ted by a
1' than of ha	calt flakes and	several ditti	acts. Arso a	
Burn-Amorican hahi	tation is prese	ent in the lorm	OI a score	chimney
13. Area Approximat	ely 30 x 60 me	teris. Depth UnKno	own	
15. Vegetation Lodger				
16. Nearest waterSouth	Yuba River pas	ses17. Soil of site Tar	n sandy loam	(glacial
below and just nor	th of the site	till, forest	duff.	
18. Surrounding soil type	Same as			
19. Previous excavation NC	evidence of p	revious disturn	ance.	
20. Cultivation-logging Li	vestock grazin	g.		
21. Buildings, roads, etc. N	o modern modifi	ications (inform	mal camping	area).
22. Erosion None	.23. Possibility of d	estruction None, abo	ove proposed	increase
24. Features (burials, house rock chimney and	pits, etc.) Prehisto	oric: none. His	toric: Drywa	ll granit have been
25. Artifacts Prehisto				
point and knife bl	ade of jasper	(grass and pine	needles make	e surface
examination diffic	ult). Historia	c: One soldered	metal pan 3	0 cm dia
26. Remarks Possibly	the site of the	he "Henry Withe	rspoon Cabin	, 1866"
shown on the Tahoe	National Fores	st cultural Atl	as on file a	t Nevada
lity. A large lodg	epine tree 120	cm in diameter	apparently	has grown
27. Published references N	ot known, limit	ted search of g	eneral histo	ries for
Placer County prov	ed negative.			
28. Sketch map See at	tached	29. Photos Yes,	see attache	d.
30. Recorded by Loui	s A. Payen		31. Date Jul	y 1976
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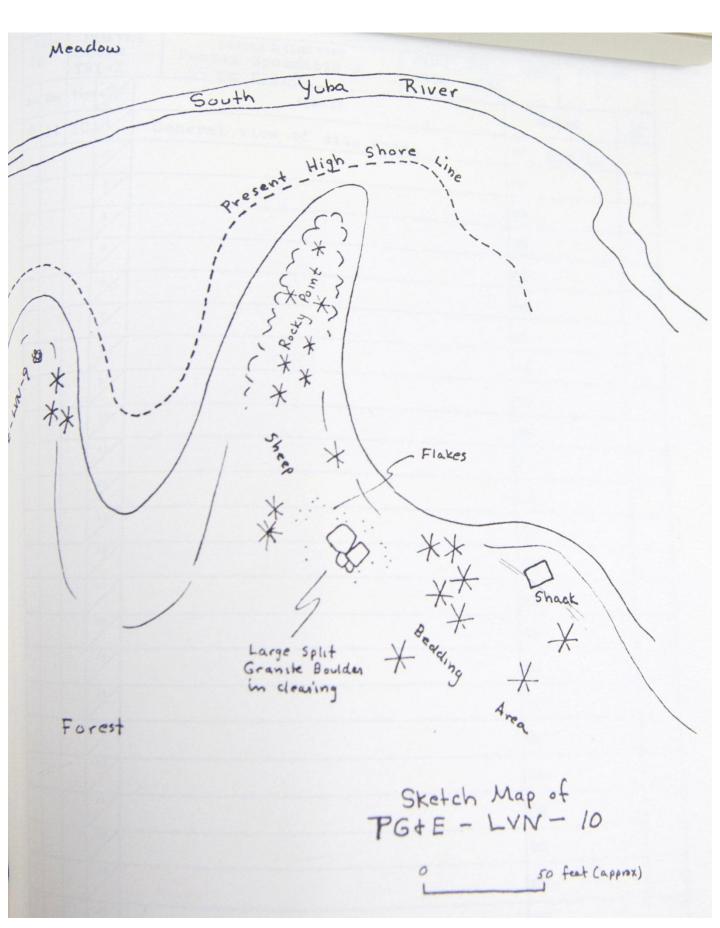
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Item No.	CONTINUATION					
12.	ruin of the type commonly associated with pioneer cabins					
24.	3 by 3.4 meters.					
26.	in front of what appears to be the mantle stone (i.e.					
	within floor area).					
	The triangular jasper knife blade is of the type often					
	associated with King Beach Complex assemblages. The					
	basalt projectile point is a Martis Type 3a.					

Sketch Map of PG&E-LVN-9 so feet (approx.) Meadow River Fireplace ruin Forest



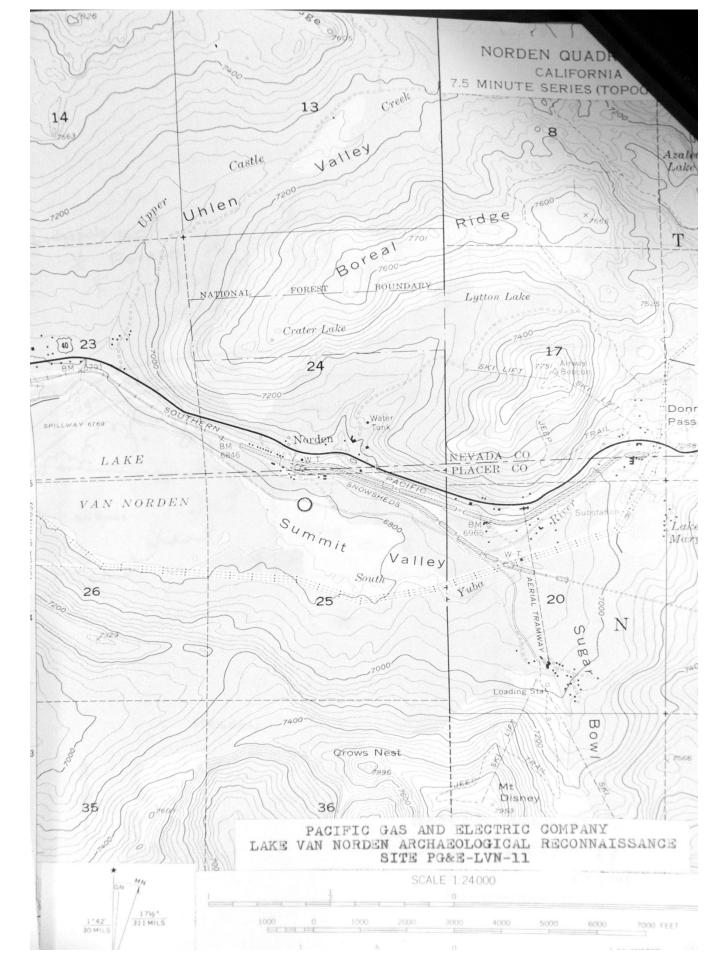
1. PG&E-LVN-9 Ruin of cabin chimney.

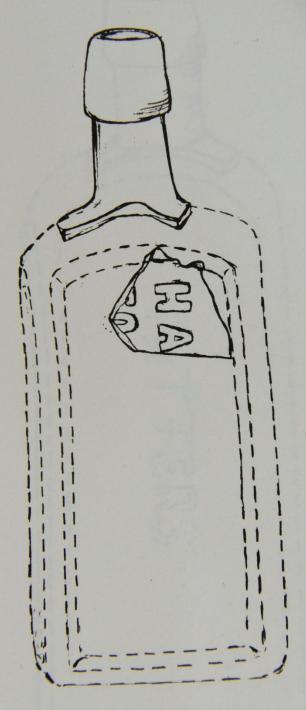


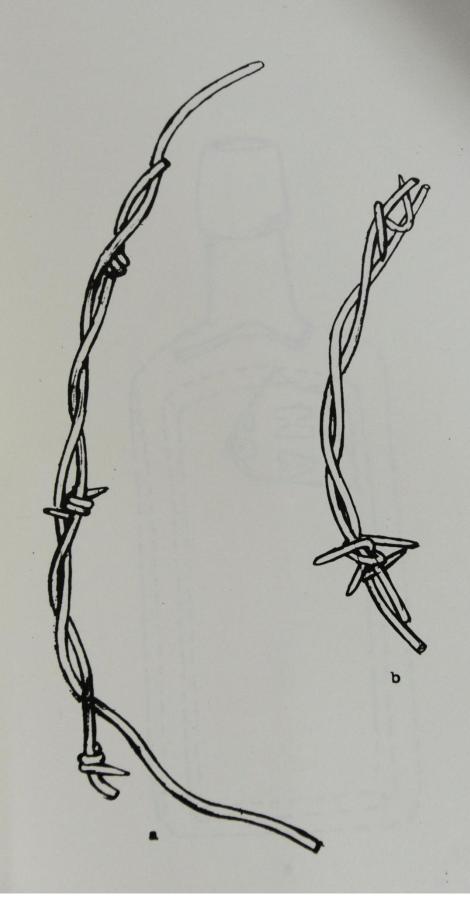
1. Site PG&E - LVN-11		2. Map U.S.G.S. Norden, California 7.5, 1955
3. County Placer	4. Township 17N	Range 14E / NE ¼ of NW ¼ Section 25
5. UTM Grid or Long &Lat.	N4, 354,780m	/E 728.060m
Cita is la		area between the Sugar Bowl-Soda
		rral. Just west of the intersection
	d a secondary	PG&E road across Summit Valley east
7. Contour Elevation		gnation Not determined. (Should be
Approx. 6790'	obtainable fro	om historic record)
9. Owner		10. Address 77. Beale Street
Pacific Gas & Elec	ctric Co.	San Francisco, California 94106
11. Present tenant		
Sa	ame as above.	
12. Description of site Hist	coric site as	evidenced by a scatter of broken
bottle glass, ceram	mics, and metal	l objects.
13. Area Approximate	Ly 25 x 75	14. Depth Unknown, probably limited
meters.		to top several centimeters.
15 Vegetation Meadow gr	asses, Willows	s (west of site), scattered large
lodgepole pine.		
16. Nearest water Seasona	1 stream east	17. Soil of site Tan gravely loam with
of site.		some charcoal ash.
18. Surrounding soil type Ta	n gravely loar	n (Alluvium)
18. Surrounding soil type 14	in gravery road	" (Allaviam).
19. Previous excavation NO	ne evident.	
19. Previous excavation inc	ne evidence.	
20. Cultivation-logging Area	used a sheen	corral
20. Cultivation-logging Alea	used a sneep	corrar.
Glass Charles		-ht
		chute of railroad ties and boards.
		rth (main road prior to construction
		struction Adjacent to proposed PG&E
deflation.	primary borro	ow area.
24. Features (burials, house pi	ts, etc.) None not	ted.
Dense scat	ter of glass s	sherds, ceramic sherds, and metal
objects primarily o	f late 19th ce	entury manufacture. Glass: Bottle
		wing order: Olive green (wine bottl
Possibly t	he site of the	"G W Lytton's House 1866" shown
26. Remarks 10331D19	as for Taboo 1	"G.W. Lytton's House 1866" shown National Forest. Bottle glass and
on the Cultural Atl	as for famoe r	vacional rolest. Bottle glass and
		ry styles. The two forms of
		or Tahoe National Forest (unpublish
document on file wi		t, Nevada City).
28. Sketch map See attac	ched	29. Photos Yes, see attached.
30. Recorded by Louis	A. Payen	31. Date Tuly 1976
		July 1976
	32. Continuation	Sheet Yes XX No 🗆
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CONTINUATION
of Lake Van Norden, approximately 360 meters east of
where road turns away from the lake shore.
of Old Highway 40) PG&E road with metal sign on east sign
of site area. Telephone cable line crosses site from
east to west.
type) including applied cork stopper type tops and
indented bottoms; light blue to green medicine type
bottle glass; purple (clear glass turned by sun); and
"cobalt" blue (one sherd). Top of brown bitters type
bottle also noted.
Ceramic: Numerous white "iron stone" type sherds. Two
porcelain sherds with decoration (purple on white). Thr
thick earthern ware sherds (bean pot type vessel)
Metal: Cast iron fragments from a woodburning stove,
one has raised letters "PAT.", a second "NY"; iron stra
barral hoops, 6 to 40 penny square cut nails (common
type), wire nails also present, Barbed wire (two types)
bailing wire; iron buckles, copper decorated buckle(?)
fragment; soldered lid type cans.
barbed wire provided some temporal data: Glidden's
Barb, Common Variation of two strand, two-point wire wa
patented in 1874; Curtis' Loop Lock two strand with
four point wire was patented in 1893. (cf. Clifton, R.T.
Barbs, Prongs, Points, Prickers & Stickers. University







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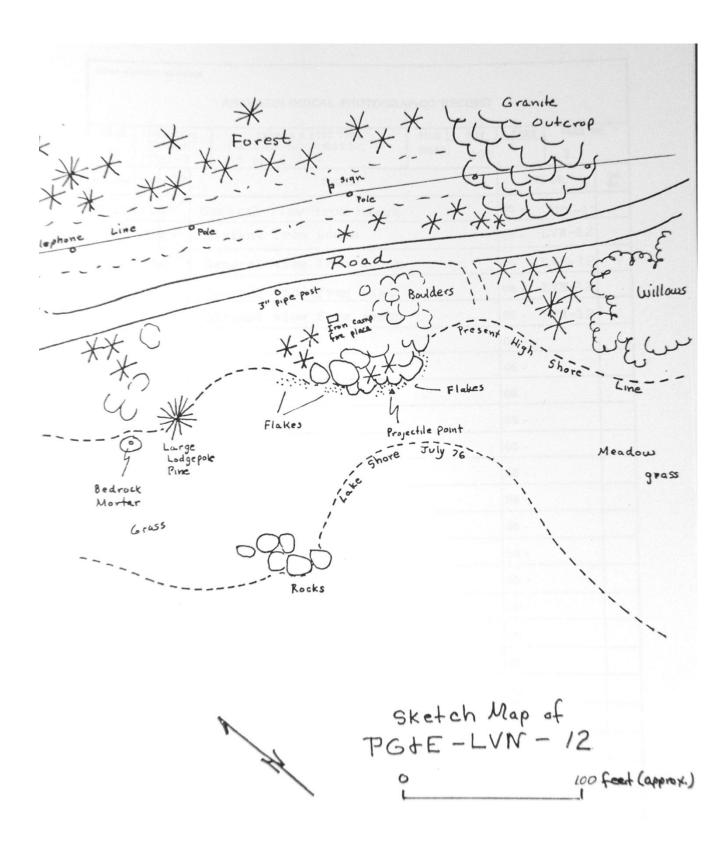
1. Site PG&E - LVN-	12	2. Map U.S.G.S. Norden, California
3. Countplacer	4. Township 17N	Range 14E/ NW% of NW % Section 25
5. UTM Grid or Long &Lat.		n/E 272,780m
5 lesstion Site is lo	ocated around of Lake Van 18. Previous site des	cluster of granitic boulders and low point or rise above the shore or lorden. The Eastern most group of ignation
- Contour Flevalion	8. Previous site des	
9. Owner Pacific Gas & Elec		10. Address 77 Beale Street San Francisco, California 94106
		and the second similar commences
l Sai	me as above. rehistoric occ flakes and art	supation (campsite) evidenced by ifacts exposed by beach erosion.
Approximatel	y 58 by 70	14. Depth Unknown but probably quite
meters.  15. Vegetation Lodger	oole pine above	present lake level, meadow grass
below.	olv the South	17. Soil of site Tan rocky loam covered
Yuba River, ca. 30  18. Surrounding soil type	Tan loam.	
	one evident.	<b>.</b>
19. Previous excavation N	one evidence	
20. Cultivation 8	ne.	
21. Buildings, roads, etc. S	ugar Bowl-Soda	Springs crosses north-eastern
on shoreline.  24. Features (burials, house p	elevation of its, etc.) Single s.	or informal camping spot.  Struction Continued and increased wave erosion from proposed recon- hallow bedrock mortar north-west 10 cm in diameter and less than a kes. Two basalt projectil points.
26. Remarks Basalt fla site represents a M 11b(?) and Type 3b( 27. Published references	kes and large artis Complex ?), howeyer bo	basalt projectile points suggest the camp. The points represent a Type oth are atypical forms when compared
None	9	29. Photos
28. Sketch map See attached		Yes, see attached.
30 Recorded by	A. Payen	31. Date July 1976
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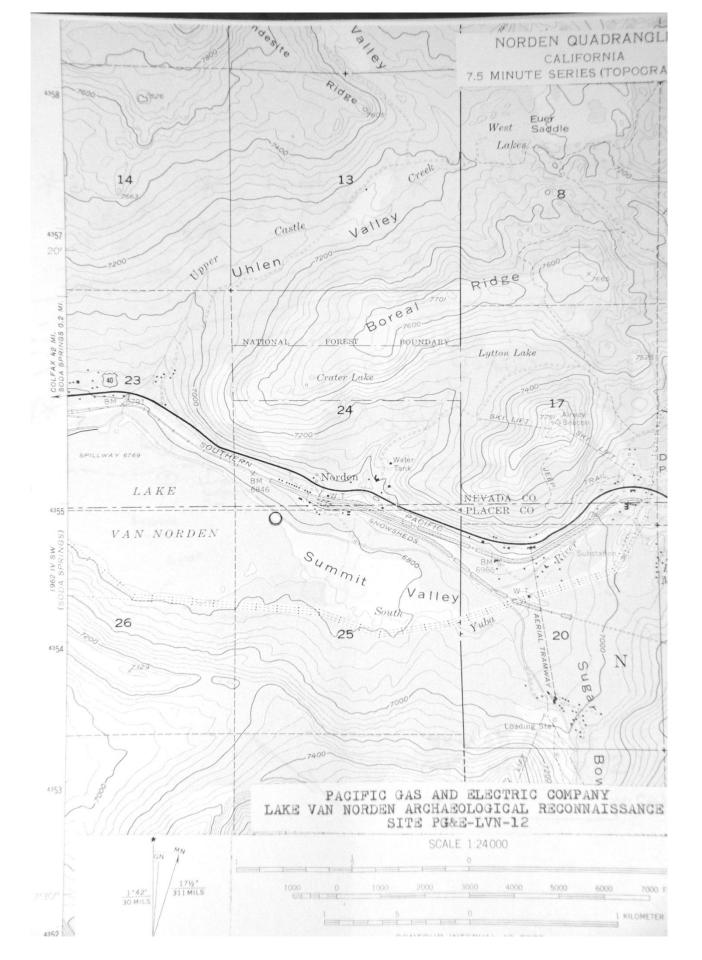
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	CONTINUATION
	boulders along the north shore of the reservoir and
	between lake and Sugar Bowl road.
	struction of Van Norden dam.
•	centimeter in depth.
	to the Martis Series illustrated by Elsasser 1960.
	Site is covered with trees, duff, and grass, so it
	is difficult to determine if additional artifactual
	materials are present.
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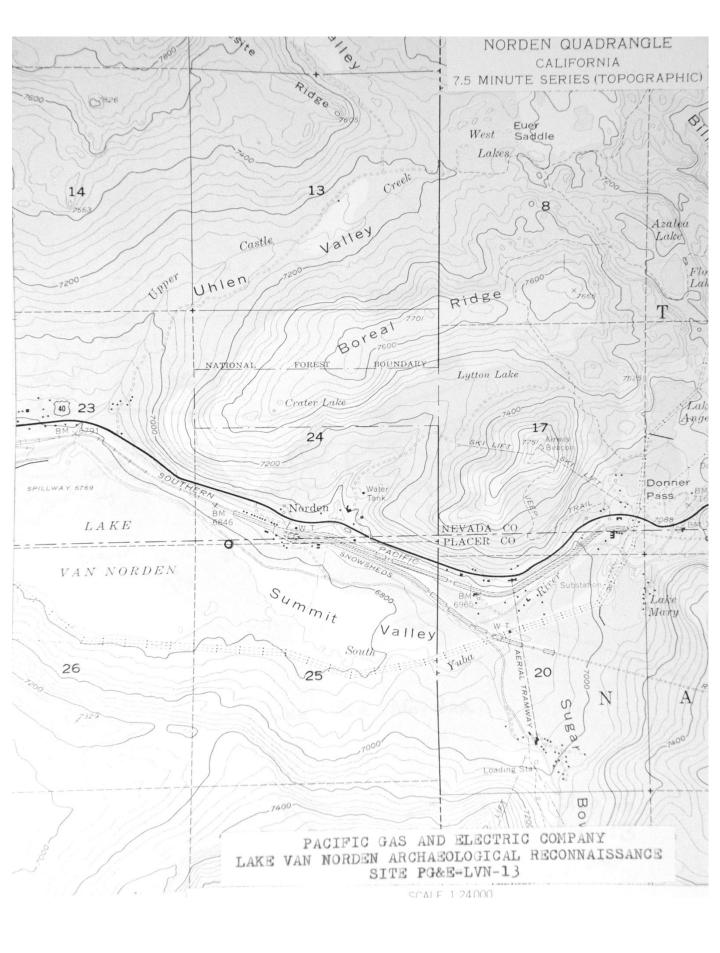


1. PG&E-LVN-12 General view from beach.



2. PG&E-LVN-12 Distant view from south.

Forest Telephone Pole Road grass Flakes Lake Van Norden Sketch Map of PG+E-LVN- 13 20 feet





1. PG&E-LVN-13 General view, looking east.



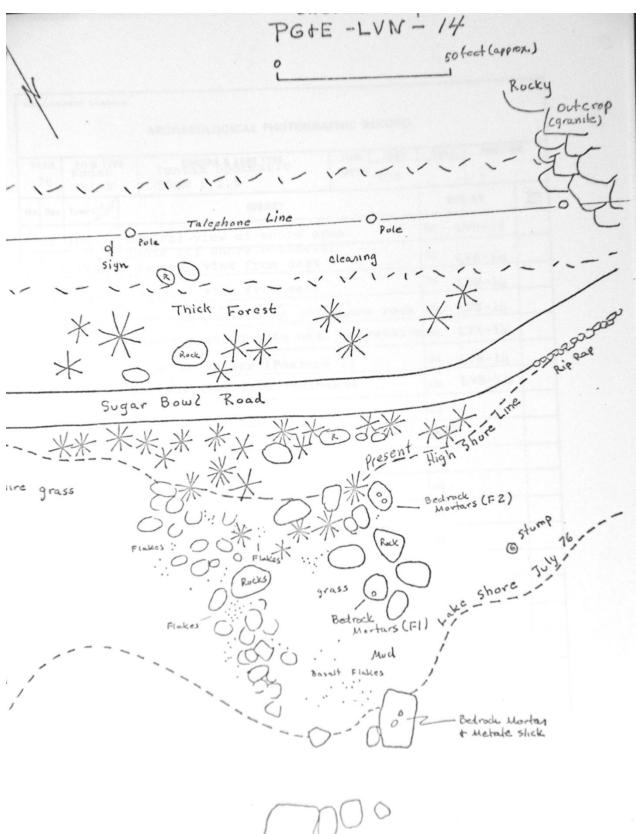
2. PG&E-LVN-13 General view from west.

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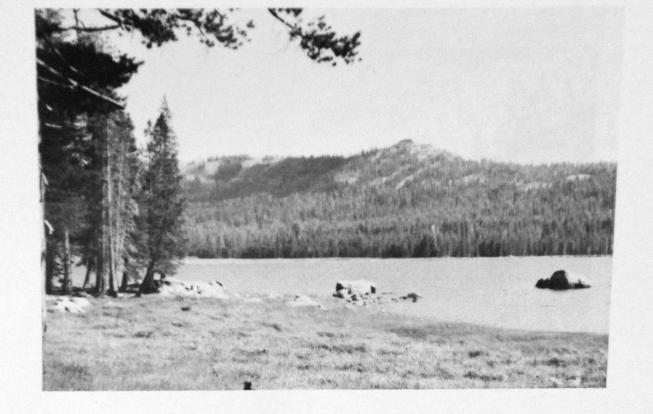
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. Site PG & E - LVI	N-14	2. Map U.S.G. 7.5, 1955	S. Norden,	
. County Nevada	4. Township 17N	Range 14E/ SW% of	SW 1/4 Section	n 24
5. UTM Grid or Long &Lat.	N4,355,060m/	E 727,600m	i- houlders	that form
6. Location In area are a point on the no and Soda Springs- 7. Contour Elevation 6765-6770			45 meters s Site 38 La	ke Van
9. Owner Pacific Gas and El		San Francisco	, Californi	a 94106
	e as above.		1.1	
12. Description of site Pre- lithic scatter and	historic occupation bedrock morta:	LS.	and the same of th	
13. Area Approx. 50		14. Depth Unkn	and the same the same and the s	
15. Vegetation Lodgepo				
<ul><li>16. Nearest water Lake V made reservoir, or</li><li>18. Surrounding soil type</li><li>19. Previous excavation N</li></ul>	Same.	forest duff	ndy tan 10an	il and
20. Cultivation-logging Non				
21. Buildings, roads, etc. S of site area. (PG& 22. Erosion Wave acti on shoreline. 24. Features (burials, house pagranitic boulder 25. Artifacts Basalt de	E Campground no or 23. Possibility of des action from in the site, etc.) Two bedrooms Feature 1-A	orth-west of situation Increased level ock mortars each ortars each ortars each ortar pit in a	d and conting of reservoing the single a low boulder	nued wave ir. hole in
Thick bifaces (pre	forms) , 3 spec: are of basalt.	imens, project	ile point fi	agments,
26. Remarks High freq Martis Complex occ ly confined to the 27. Published references Cl Bear Valley Locali 28. Sketch map See att	uency of basalt upation. Artifa sloping eroded aytor, M.P., 19 ty, Placer and	actual materia. 1 beach area. 973 An Archeolo	ls noted wer	e primari
30. Recorded by	ouis A. Payen	1	31. Date July	1976
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Item No.	CONTINUATION		
6.	of the PG&E Campground. Site can be recognized by		
	several large off shore boulders beyond end of point.		
16.	source not known.		
24.	measuring 15 cm in diameter and 7 c	m deep. Feature 2-	
	A mortar pit placed in a natural de	pression on boulder.	
	The hole is 12.5 cm in diameter and	5 cm deep.	
27.	California State University, Sacram	ento, 112 pp.	
	(see pp. 47-48, 56)		
Recorded by	Louis A. Payen	Date July 1976	







1. PG&E-LVN-14 General view of shore area, bedrock mortars in large boulder at edge of water.



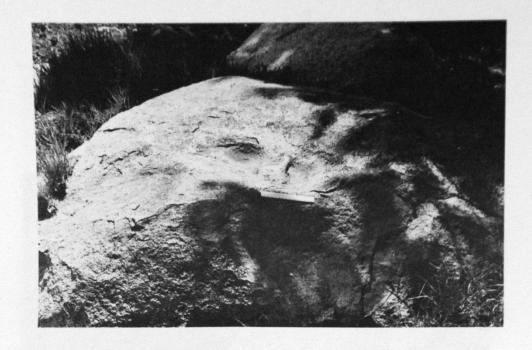
2. PG&E-LVN-14 General view from east.



3. PG&E-LVN-14 General view from east.



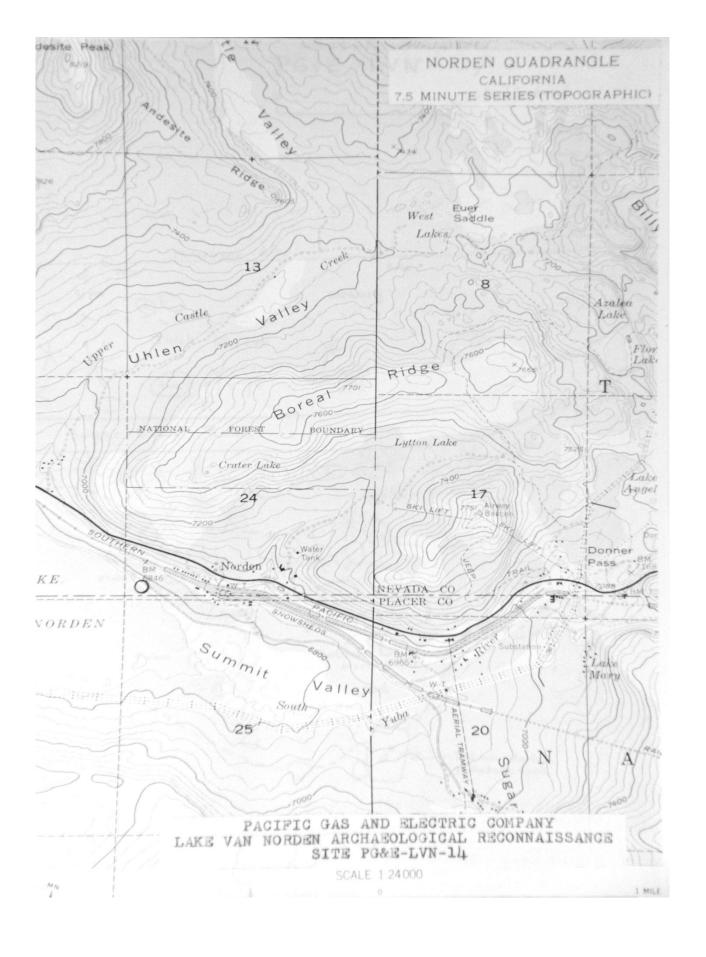
4. PG&E-LVN-14 Bedrock mortars on near boulder.

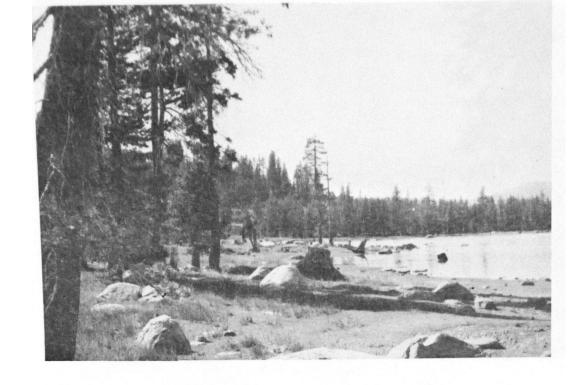


5. PG&E-LVN-14 Bedrock mortars in natural depressions. (Feature 2)



6. PG&E-LVN-14 Bedrock mortar (Feature 1).





1. PG&E-LVN-2 General View.



2. PG&E-LVN-2 Bedrock Mortar (Feature 2).

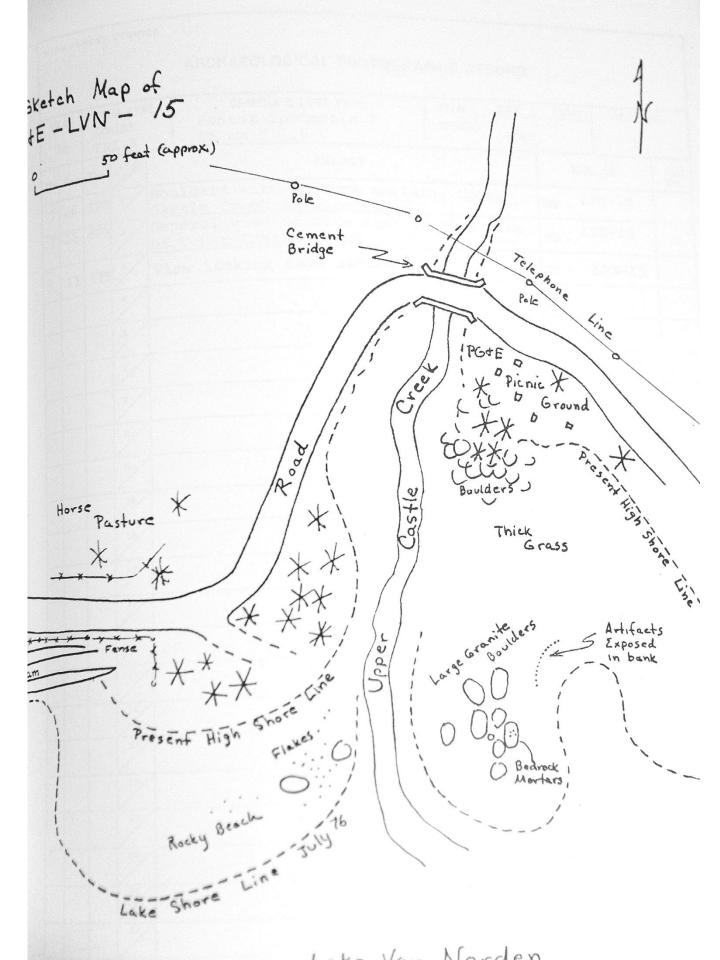
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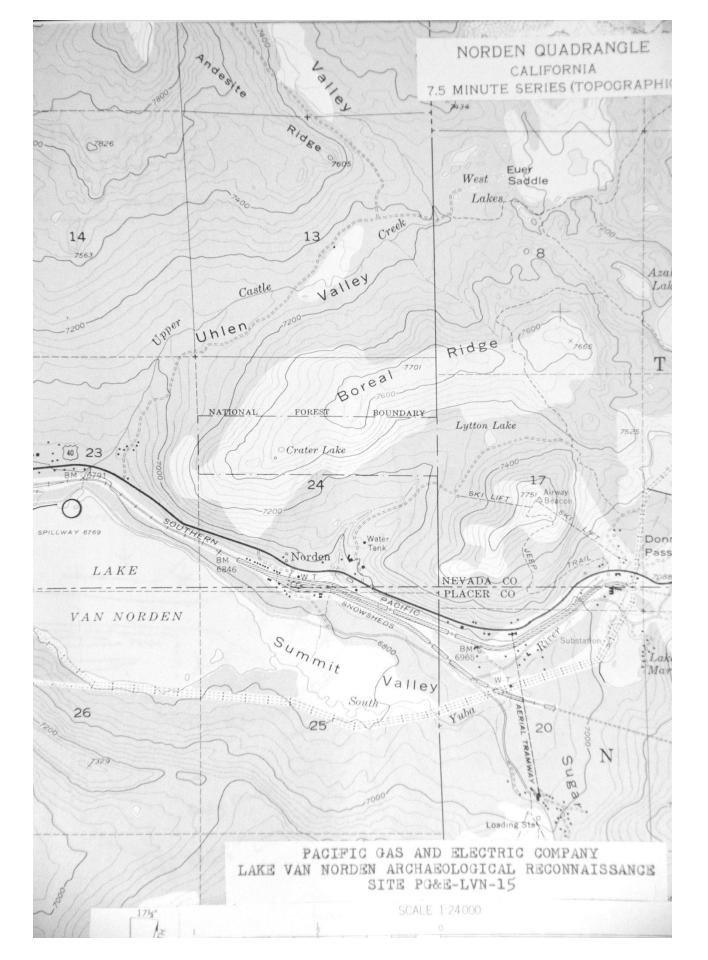
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ite PG&E - LVN-15	2. Map USGS, Norden, California 7.5', 1955		
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I base it antone Take Van No			
Owner acific Gas & Electric Co.	10. Address 77 Beale Street San Francisco, California 94106		
ear where it entered (former) St	ation site along both banks of creek ummit Valley Meadow (?). Site recogdrock mortars and metate slicks. Basa 14. Depth Not known.		
5. Nearest water Upper Castle Creek lows through site; Lake Van - 8. Surrounding soil type Same.	17. Soil of site Dark loam (east area) Tan rocky loam (west area)		
9. Previous excavation No evidence of 0. Cultivation-logging None.	previous excavation.		
1. Buildings, roads, etc. Site area inunc	dated by Lake Van Norden.		
rery large granitic boulder (60) 5. Artifacts Scatter of basalt flake face examination difficult due	k mortars are found on the top of a 0 x 300 x 150cm) in a group of large es. Two basalt projectile points (surto heavy meadow grass).		
fart points suggest the site ca Iwo Type 4d Martis projectile p	flakes as well as two large basalt n be assigned to the Martis Complex. oints are represented. Site is below		
7. Published references None.			
18. Sketch map See attached.	29. Photos Yes, see attached.		
10. Recorded by  Louis A. Payen	31. Date July 1976		
32. Continuat	ion Sheet Yes XX No 🗆		
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No.	CONTINUATION		
	of PG & E public picnic area. Belo	w present high stand	
	of lake.		
	flakes exposed in beach wash on wes	t portion of site	
	area, projectile points and basalt	flakes also observed	
	in limited beach exposure east of t	he large boulders.	
	Norden covers site when reservoir i	s full.	
	off shore rocks on the east side of	Upper Castle Creek.	
	Two shallow pits measure 13 cm in d	liameter and 4.5 cm	
	deep, and 10 cm by 2.5 cm deep. Thr	ee bedrock metate	
	slicks are located on two boulders	adjacent to the	
	mortar boulder. Possible slicks are present on the west		
	area of the site. (Note: drill holes in granite boulders		
	near dam should not be confused for cupules.)		
	the present high stand of Lake Van Norden, proposed increase of level apparently will have little addition effect on the site.		
,	Louis A. Payen	Date July 1976	

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1. PG&E-LVN-15 Boulders with bedrock mortars, Castle Creek in foreground.

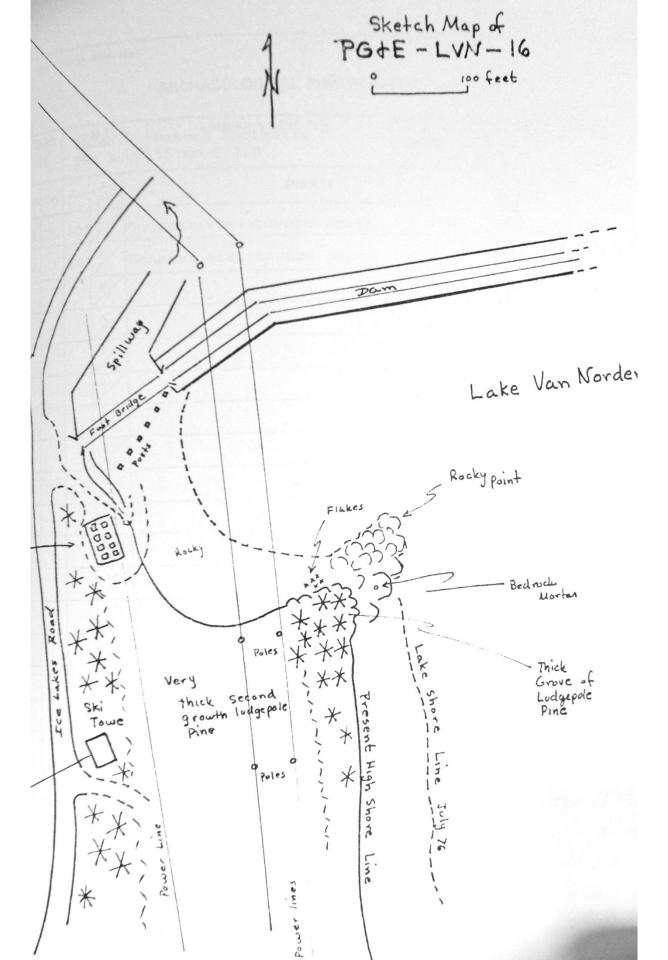


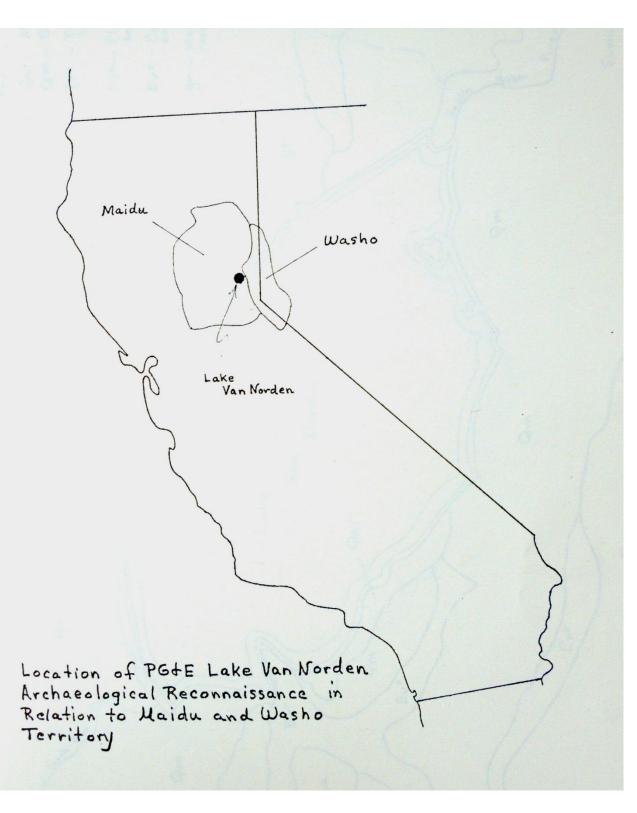
2. PG&E-LVN-15 General view of site area on west side of Upper Castle Creek.

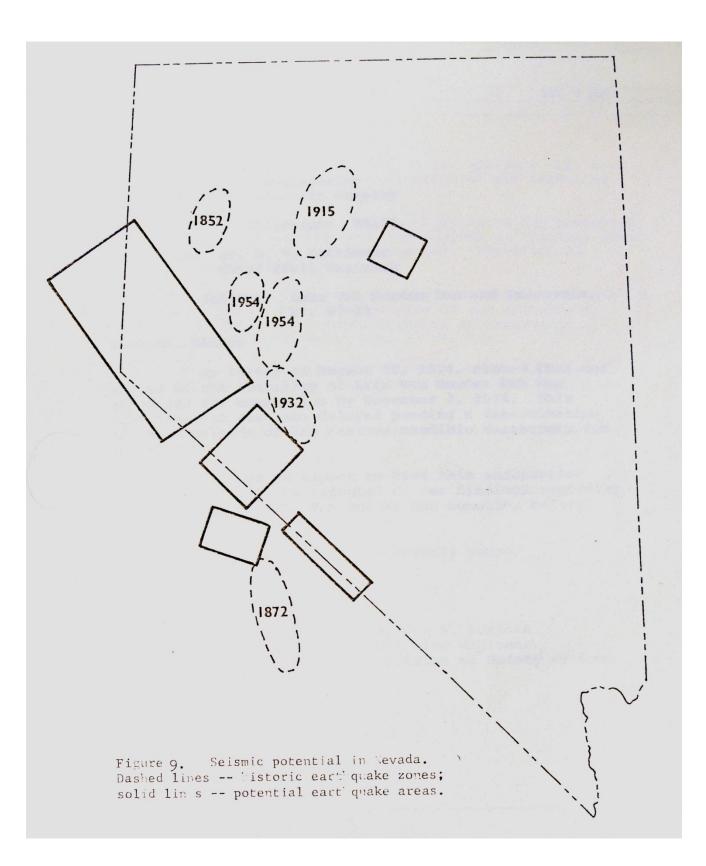


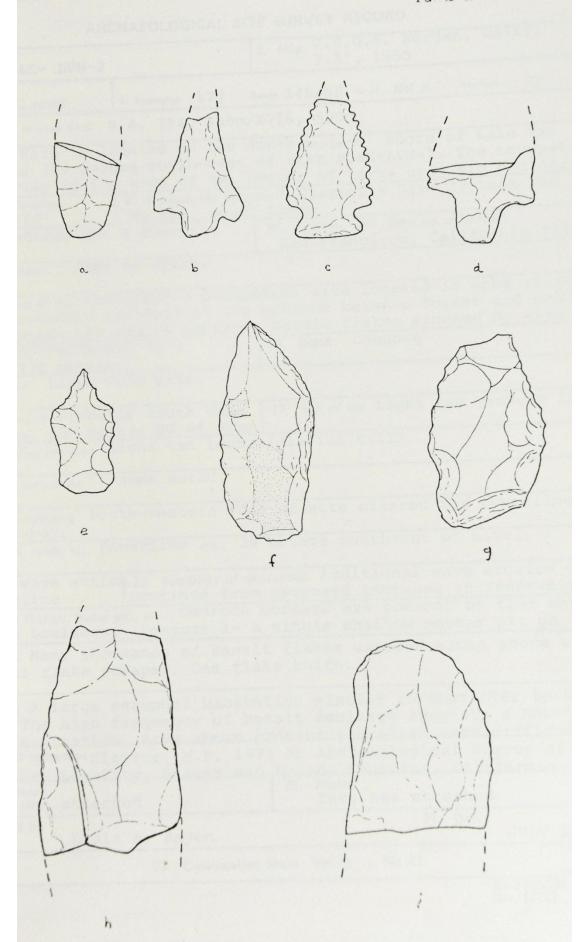
3. PG&E-LVN-15 View looking down stream, bedrock mortars in far boulders.

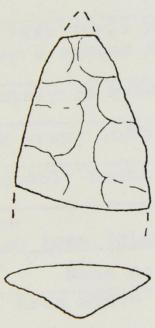
other similar features below present water level.  25. Artifacts Several dozen basalt flakes.  26. Remarks Probably a minor seed processing station.  27. Published references  None,  28. Sketch map See attached.  29. Photos Yes, see attached.	The same of the sa		THE SOME
5. UTM Grid or Long & Lat.  N4,355,280m/E 726,120m  6. Location On rocky point ca. 100 meters south of Van Norden Dam spillway and on west shore of lake. Southeast of PG&E power substation and 150 meters east of road to Ice Lakes.  7. Contour Elevation	1. Site PG&E - LVN-1	6 .	2. Map U.S.G.S. Soda Springs
5. UTM Grid or Long & Lat.  6. Location On rocky point ca. 100 meters south of Van Norden Dam spillway and on west shore of lake. Southeast of PG&E power substation and 150 meters east of road to Ice Lakes.  7. Contour Elevation   8. Previous site designation None.  9. Owner Pacific Gas & Electric Co.   10. Address 77 Beale Street Previous of Sam Example 10. Address 77 Beale Street Previous of Sam Example 10. Address 77 Beale Street Previous of Sam Example 10. Address 1	3. County Nevada	4. Township 17N	Range 14B CM v 4 CT v
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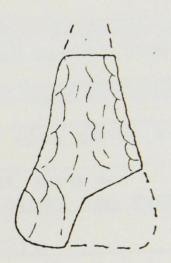












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