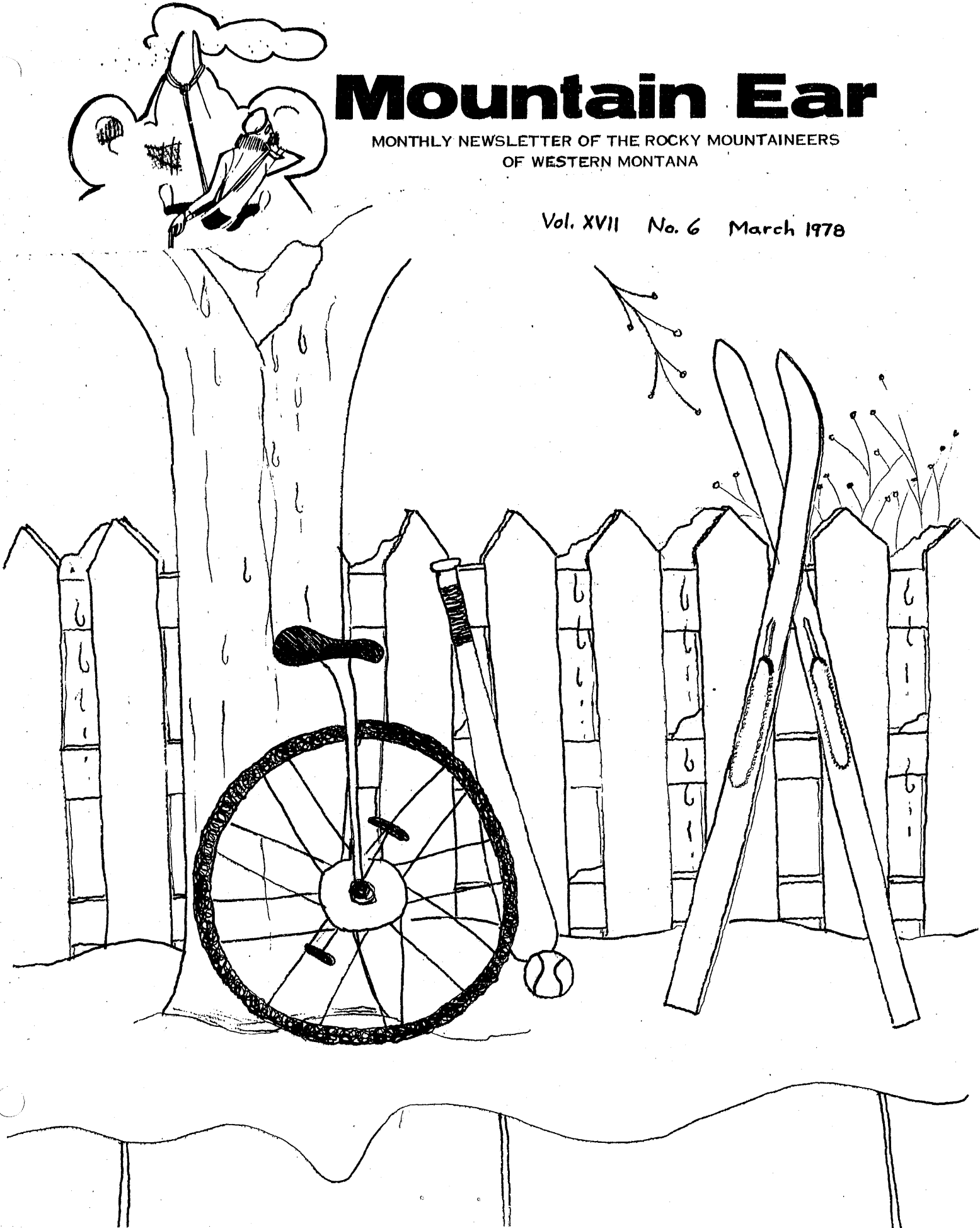


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ELECTIONS of officers will be held in April. The nominating committee will appreciate your coming forward with an offer to run for office. Contact Myra Bair 728-3616.

MONTHLY MEETING - March 8, 1978 Hellgate High School Cafeteria 7:30 P.M.
 Milo McLeod will present a slide show on "Cultural Resources within the Lolo National Forest". How archeology & history enter into land use planning for modern forest management. * * * Refreshments.



ACTIVITIES SCHEDULE

<u>Date</u>	<u>Leader</u>	<u>Details</u>
Mar. 4	Mary Ambrose 543-7566	Cross-country skiing, destination to be determined. Call 1st.
Mar. 11	John Walker 549-0286	Hike or ski, depending on conditions in Spring Gul., Rattlesnakes. Details at mtg., or call.
Mar. 19	Milo & Lynn McLeod 549-6287	Snowshoe or X-country ski trip to Hart L., Hoodoo Pass area. Moderate, 8 mi. round trip. Meet 8 a.m. Liberty Lanes parking lot.
Easter weekend (1-day)	Virginia Vincent 543-8078	Call to determine which day for ski/snowshoe up Stark Mtn. 12 mi. r.t., moderately difficult.
Apr. 1-2	Tom & Sharon Lukomski	Lost Trail Lodge (Gallogly Hot Springs) Overnight: Supper, room, breakfast, swim \$12. Call Lukomskis in Stevensville, or Kay Lyons 549-1507, by Mar. 25 for reservation. Downhill &/or traipsing.
Apr. 1-4	George Howe	Targhee downhill skiing. See Jan. Mtn. Ear for details. 10 people going - dorm space still available. Call him at 543-6885.
Apr. 8-9	Bill Morgan Call G. Howe for itinerary (543-6885).	X-country & snowshoe overnight in Sheafman Cr., Bitterroot Mtns. Moderate/difficult, 12 mi. r.t.
Apr. 22	Marion McKay & Tony qamar	Day hike, destination to be announced. Contact at 728-7613.

