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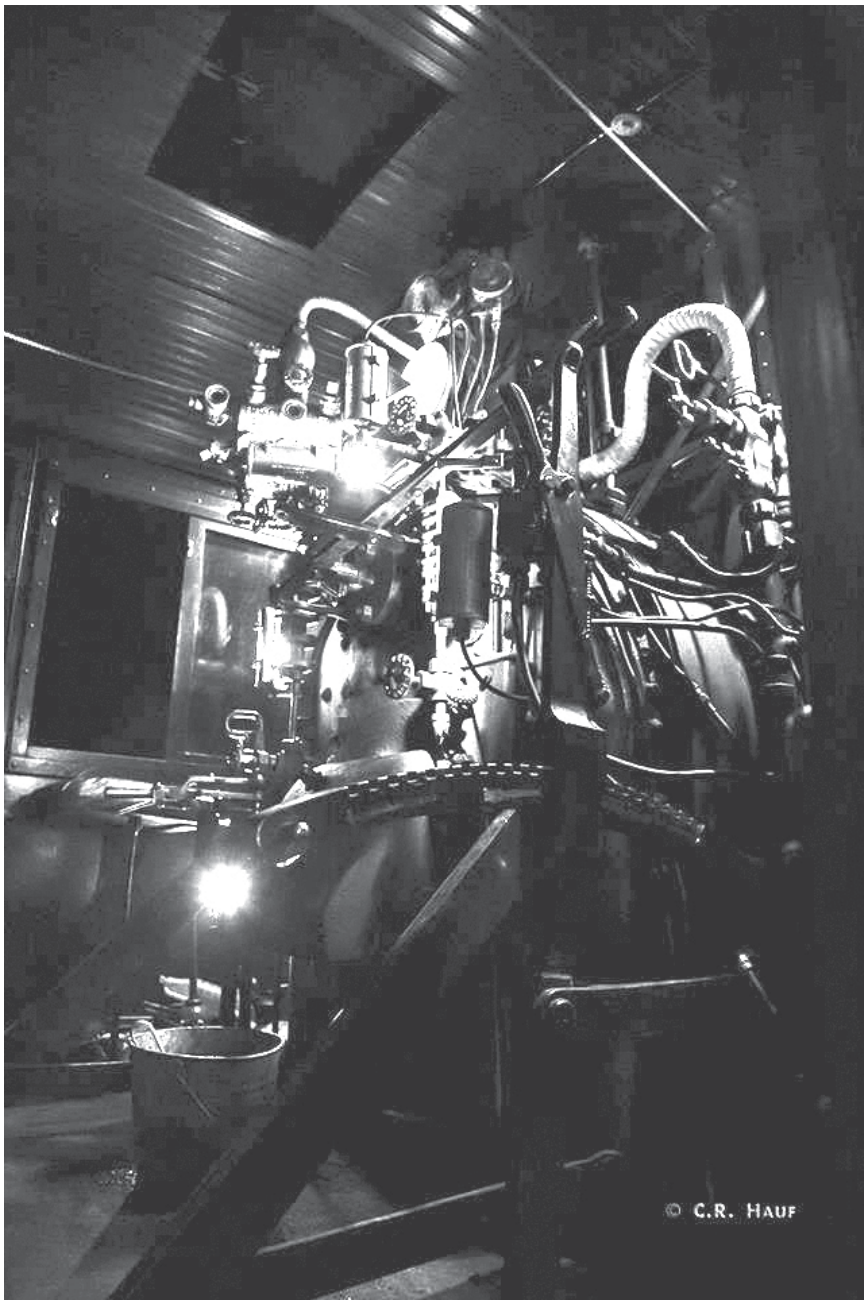

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Front Cover Photo: ***Mason County Logging #7. Steam locomotive lights use 32 volt DC electricity, supplied by a steam turbine generator.*** **(CR Hauf photo)**

Back Cover Photo: ***Engineer Shane Grupp opens the throttle as Mason County Logging #7 departs Sunon Depot with the Heart Flyer at Steamfest III in June, 2014.*** **(CR Hauf photo)**

Roots Board of Directors Meetings

The Roots Board of Directors usually meets on the second Thursday of each month at 6:00 PM.

The remaining meetings scheduled for 2014 are:

August 14	October 9
September 11	November 13

All members and volunteers are encouraged to attend. Send an email to **mail@rootsofmotivepower.com** for the location

Roots of Motive Power Inc.

This journal is the official publication of Roots of Motive Power, Inc., an organization dedicated to the preservation and restoration of logging and railroad equipment representative of California's North Coast Region, 1850s to the present.

Membership is $35.00 Annually.

Regular members vote for officers and directors who decide the general policy and direction of the organization.

Roots of Motive Power displays and demonstrations are located next to the Mendocino County Museum, at

420 East Commercial St.
Willits, California.

Newsletter deadlines for contributors: February 15 for the April issue; June 15 for the August issue; October 15 for the December issue.

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Officers and Board of Directors: 2013 – 2014

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Remaining 2014 Roots Sponsored Events in Willits.

August 17: Annual Meeting, Election of Officers
September 6 – 7: Roots of Motive Power Steam Festival
December 6: Holiday Express

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www.RootsOfMotivePower.com

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Steam Festival 2014

Where Real Steam Lives

Featuring:

- **Timberworks Lumberjack Show**

  2 Shows Saturday, September 6: 1:00 p.m. & 6:00 p.m.
  The 6:00 p.m. show includes local competition!

  Timberworks events include:

  - Axe throwing
  - Chopping
  - Log rolling
  - Cross cut sawing
  - Hot sawing '
  - Chainsaw carving

- **Member Appreciation BBQ** *presented by*
  Willits Frontier Days
  www.willitsfrontierdays.com
- **Early Gas Engine and Tractor Association**
  www.edgeta.com
- **And The Roots of Motive Power Collection**
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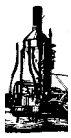

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