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# From the Desk of the President



Another summer is almost gone. We have gotten more work done this year thanks to the Plumas Youth Job Training Program, the hiring of a painter and a lot of effort from a few of our members. We have a very large collection and a large facility to maintain. Past experience shows that the few of us who live here and devote most of our daily lives to museum activites cannot keep up with all the work that should be done. The successful restoration fund drive, locomotive rental program, gift shop profit and donations have given us enough funds to hire some of the work needed. Your continued financial support is necessary for us to maintain our museum.

-- Norman W. Holmes

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