



*Crytelle Cove Camp,
on the
Coast Highway*

Crystal Cove Hist. Dist.
Orange Co.

SOME OF THE EARLIEST COTTAGES
VIEW TOWARD THE WEST

S. #27

Late 1927
or early 1928

neg - Padve

C. 1927

In background, cottage #1 on left, first store in middle, cottage #2 on right. Foreground: small cluster is where office is presently located. Cabin to right is #5. Other structures unknown. Crystal Cove Historic District.

Near Laguna Beach, California

Photographer unknown

JUN 15 1979

Taken c. late 1927 or early 1928

M. Padve, 504 Arbor St., Pasadena, Ca. 91105

A view of some of the earliest cottages.

Direction is ^{S.}west.

507N-1

Automobile is 1926 model. JUN 6 1978

Note: The site, where the two small structures in the foreground are located, is where the present garages now stand.

507N-1

504N-1



Crystal Cove Hist. Dist.
Orange Co.

Table Rock, site of many early films. Crystal
Cove Historic District.

Near Laguna Beach, California

Chuck Crammer, photographer

Date of photo unknown

M. Padve, 504 Arbor St., Pasadena, Calif. 91105

Table rock is located on the extreme southern
end of Crystal Cove. Direction of photographer
is probably northwest.

141N-2

#28

JUN 6 1978

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Crystal Cove Hist. Dist.

LOOKING NORTH WITH TABLE ROCK IN
THE LOWER RIGHT;
SO. SECTION OF COVE COTTAGES NOT
IN PHOTO

#29

Orange Co. ^{neg Padve's / Crammer}

~~C. 1950's~~ 1950's
1960's

141N-1

Table rock in foreground. Directly behind Table rock at beach level is cottage #1, to the left of #1 on the same level is the second store building (now "Crystal Cove Yacht Club!"). Los Trancos creek runs between them. Crystal Cove Historic District.

Near Laguna Beach, California

Chuck Crammer, photographer

Taken in the 1940's or late 1930's

M. Padve, 504 Arbor St., Pasadena, Ca. 91105

Cottage #37 is barely visible on the hillside far right. Direction is northwest.

141N-1

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CRYSTAL COVE HIST. DIST.,
ORANGE CO.

#30

Several of the earliest buildings, Crystal Cove
Historic District

Near Laguna Beach, California

Photographer unknown. Photo from Historical
Collection, First American Title Insurance Co.,
Santa Ana, Ca.

C. 1927/1928

Negative: Sharon Mitchell, 11502 Newport Ave.,
Santa Ana, Ca. 92705

View is of cottage #1, the first store, cottage
#2 and to the left of the car is the cottage
presently used as resident managers home and
office. Photographer is facing southeast.

#5702

JUN 15 1979

JUN 6 1978

LATEST MODEL CAR IN THIS PHOTO IS 1926

COURTESY

FIRST AMERICAN TITLE INSURANCE CO.
Historical Collection

#5702

1927



Crystal Cove Hist. Dist.
Orange Co.

LOOKING SOUTH; BEACH AT SOUTHERN
SECTION OF COVE IN THE VERY EARLY
CAMPING DAYS

late 20's

neg: Padve

#31

Summer 1927?

507N = #2

Early store building in Crystal Cove Historic
District.

Near Laguna Beach, California

JUN 15 1979

Photographer unknown

Probably the summer of 1927

M. Padve, 504 Arbor St., Pasadena, Ca. 91105

This is a view looking south to the end of the
Cove where the rocks jut into the ocean. Table
rock is located here. Photo probably taken
on the side of the hill where cottage 33 is
located.

507N-2

JUN 6 1978



Crystal Cove Hist. Dist.,
Orange Co., # 32

Rocks on the southern end of Crystal Cove.

Crystal Cove Historic District

Near Laguna Beach, California

Photographer unknown

Taken in 1927 or 1928

Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences

This is a film still from the motion picture
Half A Bride, made at Crystal Cove, released in
1928. Starring GARY COOPER and ESTHER HALLSTON.

Photographer is probably facing northeast.

#702-76

JUN 15 1979

JUN 6 1978



Crystal Cove Hist. Dist.
Orange Co. #33

Believed to be an early movie set. Crystal
Cove Historic District.
Near Laguna Beach, California. Circa 1926
Photographer unknown. Photo from Historical
Collection, First American Title Insurance Co.
Santa Ana, Ca.

Negative: Sharon Mitchell, 11502 Newport Ave.,
Santa Ana, Ca. 92705

The palms appear to have been set in place for
the occasion. Neither thatched buildings nor
store are visible in any other photographs as
being permanent. Photographer is facing south.
#1729

JUN 15 1979

JUN 6 1978

COURTESY
FIRST AMERICAN TITLE INSURANCE CO.
Historical Collection

#1729

1729

early 1926

Crystal Cove, Laguna Beach



Crystal Cove Hist. Dist.

SMALL BRIDGE OVER TRANCOS CREEK

MENTIONED IN TEXT;

LOOKING NORTH

35

Orange Co,

Small bridge over Trancos Creek, Crystal Cove
Historic District.

Near Laguna Beach, California

Douglas Miller, photographer

Taken 6/15/75

Negative: Douglas Miller, 536 Poplar St.,
Laguna Beach, Ca. 92651.

View is of the bridge over the creek with resi-
dent manager's cottage/office to the right.

Abundant flora typical of Crystal Cove. The
steps in background lead up the hill to a path
which leads to road behind cottages 33, 38, 39,
and 29. Photographer is facing north.

#KI-14

JUN 6 1978

CRYSTAL COVE, CALIF.

6/15/75

KI-14

- Douglas Miller



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Thatched structure, Crystal Cove Historic District

Near Laguna Beach, California

Douglas Miller

Taken 4/9/78

Douglas Miller, 536 Poplar St. Laguna Beach, Calif. 92651

*Orange
Cal.*

Outhouse in rear of Cottage #15. The palm frond thatching is the original. All of the cottages were originally thatched, undoubtedly because so many early films used south sea island sets. Beyond the steps in this picture is leftover thatching on the rear of Cottage #2. Direction of photographer is to the west.

#G-279

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CRYSTAL COVE,
CALIF.

4/9/78

Douglas Miller

#G-27-9



Orange Co.

Office cottage and bridge over Los Trancos creek
Crystal Cove Historic District.

Near Laguna Beach, California

Douglas Miller, photographer.

Taken 4/9/78

Douglas Miller, 536 Poplar St., Laguna Beach,
California 92651.

View encompasses cottage used as office for
resident manager. Bridge crosses Los Trancos
creek. Crystal Cove flora in abundance.

Photographer is facing northeast.

#G-27-11

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CRYSTAL COVE,
Calif

4/9/78

-Douglas Miller

G-27-11



Garages, Crystal Cove Historic District
Near Laguna Beach, California
Douglas Miller, photographer
Taken 4/9/78

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Orange Co.

Douglas Miller, 536 Poplar St., Laguna Beach,
California 92651

Very few cottages at Crystal Cove have their
own garages. Each cottage resident is assigned
a garage. These are located along the road to
the north of the office cottage. Photographer
is facing southeast.

G-27-18

JUN 6 1978

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CRYSTAL COVE, CALIF.

4/9/78

G-27-18

JR Miller



H 39

Office cottage. Crystal Cove Historic District
Near Laguna Beach, California
Douglas Miller, photographer. *Orange Co.*
Taken 4/9/78
Douglas Miller, 536 Poplar St., Laguna Beach,
Calif. 92651

View of office cottage and Crystal Cove flora.
Russ Makely, resident manager in front. Note
depth of cottage and compare cluster in photos
507N-1.^{and 57pc} A few garages are visible in background
Photographer is facing northeast. Los Trancos
Creek runs behind this cottage.
#G-27-6

JUN 6 1978 JUN 15 1979

CRYSTAL COVE, CALIF.

4/9/78

RUSS MAKELY at left. —

#G-27-6

-Douglas Miller



A FEW OF THE COTTAGES IN THE
NORTHERN SECTION;
NORTHWEST VIEW

neg Miller

Cottages in the northern section, Crystal Cove
Historic District
Near Laguna Beach, California
Douglas Miller
8/18/76
Douglas Miller, 536 Poplar Stl, Laguna Beach, ⁹²⁶⁵¹
This view is typical of the northern section of
Crystal Cove with cottages on three levels,
beach, cliffside, and top of the bluff. Direc-
tion is Northwest.
#A-8A-22

*Orange Co.
#40*

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8/18/76

Douglas Miller

#A-8A-22

CRYSTAL COVE,
near Laguna Beach
CALIF.



#1

Tenting in the 1920's, Crystal Cove Historic District
Near Laguna Beach, California *Orange Co.*
Unknown photographer. Photo is property of Elizabeth A. Wood who, purportedly, named the Cove.

JUN 5 1979

#41

Taken in 1926, midsummer
Doug Miller, 536 Poplar St., Laguna Beach 92651
Photo appears to be taken on hill approximately where cottage 22 is now located. View shows early terrain of Crystal Cove looking Northwest
#F-76-11

JUN 6 1978

CRYSTAL COVE 1926

(near Laguna Beach, Calif.)

PHOTO, PROPERTY OF ELIZABETH A. WOOD

(2-12-78)

- *Poplar Miller*

#F-76-11



1. Mid to northern section of Crystal Cove Historic District.
2. Near Laguna Beach, CA
3. Photographer: Douglas Miller
4. Date of Photo: 8/18/76
5. Negative Filed: Douglas Miller, 536 Poplar St., Laguna Beach, CA 92651

Orange Co.

6. View of beach and some of the oceanfront hillside and Cliff Top Cottages located in the District. Photographer is facing Northwest
7. #A-8A-23

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#42

CRYSTAL COVE, Calif.

8/18/76

#A-8A-23

- Douglas Miller



Crystal Cove Hist. Dist.
ORANGE CO.

#43

1 & 2. Aerial view of portion of Irvine Coast, Pacific Coast Highway and Irvine lands beyond. Between Corona del Mar & Laguna Beach to the west and south and inland cities to the north. Crystal Cove Historic District on ocean front in southern portion of photo. Boarding

Stable to the west. JUN 15 1979 1979

3. Photographer: Unknown
4. Date of Photo: ca. 1978
5. Los Angeles Times, Times Mirror Square, L.A., CA 90053 atten. Ed Weegar.
6. View of Crystal Cove Historic District on the ocean front in southern portion of

photograph. A Boarding Stable with riding rings on west side of photograph. Photographer facing northeast.

(M-2)

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M-2



Crystal Cove Hist. Dist.
Orange Co. #44

- 1 & 2. Aerial view of the southern end of the Irvine Coast and of the Laguna Beach Coast and City of Laguna Beach. In the Fore-ground is the Crystal Cove Historic District.
3. Photographer: Unknown, From the collection of the Irvine Company.
4. Date of Photo: ca. 1971
5. Negative filed: (Douglas Miller, see address under 'M-1')
6. Cluster of cottages in Crystal Cove in foreground, Laguna Beach in background. Photographer is facing southeast.
(M-3)

~~4 + 5 1979~~

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from INTERESTATIVE
from slide from the
IRVINE COMPANY
(THRU ROBERT LAWSON)

CIRCA 1971

PRINTED by Douglas Miller
1/30/79

VIEW of
CRYSTAL COVE
and
LAGUNA BEACH,
Calif.

M-3



Crystal Cove Hist. Dist.
Orange Co. #45

- 1 & 2. Aerial view of Crystal Cove portion of Irvine Coast and agricultural lands, near Laguna Beach.
 3. Photographer: Unknown From Fairchild Collection U.C.L.A. Map Library, U.C.L.A. Negative No. O-5059.
 4. Date of Photo: February 17, 1937
 5. Douglas Miller (See address under 'M-1')
 6. Beach, cluster of Crystal Cove cottages, Tenant farmer structures no longer standing due to Japanese displacement in World War II.
 7. J-83-6
- (M-4)

APR 9 1979



CRYSTAL
COVE

Crystal Cove Hist. Dist.

This shows the entire area of Crystal Cove. The significant structure is the white building to the northwest between the highway and the northernmost Crystal Cove cottage. This building is the Japanese schoolhouse, later moved to the bluff and now occupies as a residence.

Crystal Cove Historic District.

Near Laguna Beach, California.

photographer unknown.

Taken in the 1930's.

M. Padve, 504 Arbor Street, Pasadena, Ca. 91105

#1

#46
Orange Co.

Aerial view of Crystal Cove looking North.

JUN 6 1978



Orange Co. #47

- 1 & 2. Crystal Cove Historic District near Laguna Beach CA.
3. Photographer: Unknown From Spence Collection, U.C.L.A. Map Library, U.C.L.A. Negative No. E-9506.
4. Date of Photo: May 29, 1939
5. Douglas Miller (See address under 'M-1')

6. Summer tenting at Crystal Cove Historic District. Pacific Coast Highway in Background with tenant farmer buildings. These were removed after displacement of Japanese in 1942.
7. J-83-8

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(M-5)



ORANGE Co.

#418

Earliest buildings, Crystal Cove Historic Distr.
Near Laguna Beach, California

Photographer unknown. Photo from Historical
Collection, First American Title Insurance Co.,
Santa Ana, Ca.

Ca. summer, 1927

Negative: Sharon Mitchell, 11502 Newport Ave.,
Santa Ana, Ca. 92705

Nearly every automobile in this photo is a 1926
or 1927 Model T Ford. The old Irvine Ranch road
is visible in background. The only permanent
structure is mid-foreground behind the covered
shelter. Photographer appears to be on top of
cliff at northern end of Cove facing South.

#1683

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Crystal Cove Historic District
Laguna Beach, California

JUN 15 1979

Photo by: Dr. Knox Mellon, February, 1979
Negative at P.O. Box 2390, Sacramento, CA

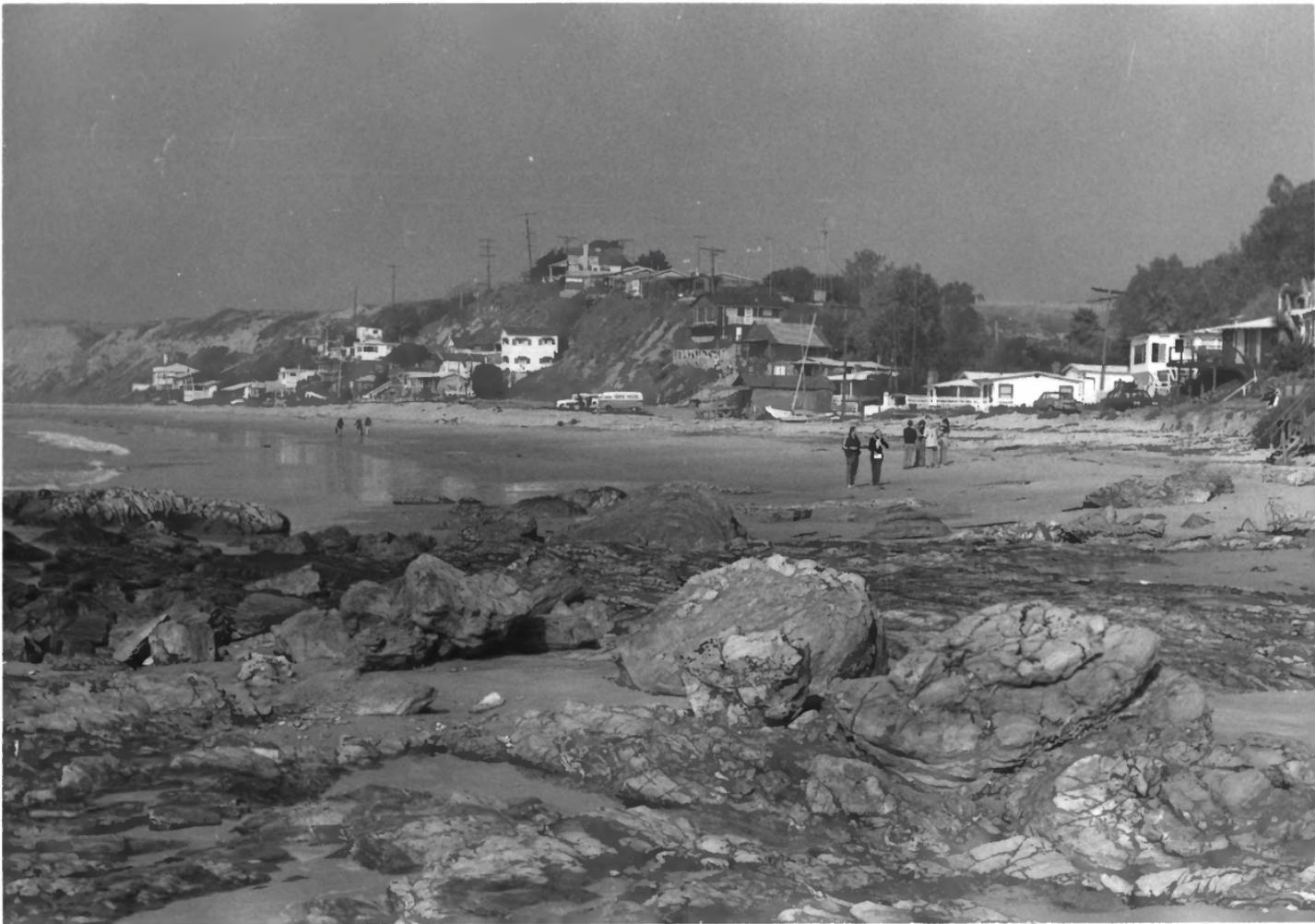
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Photo #1

Orange Co.

View looking east. Cottage #13 with
Cottage #22 at left rear.

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Crystal Cove Historic District

Laguna Beach, California

Photo by: Aaron Gallup, February, 1979

Negative at 715 28th St. Sacramento, CA

Photo #2

View looking north from vicinity of
Cottage #13.

Orange Co.

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Crystal Cove Historic District

JUN 15 1979

Laguna Beach, California

Photo by: Dr. Knox Mellon, February, 1979

Negative at P.O. Box 2390, Sacramento, CA

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Photo #3

Orange Co.

View looking east at Cottages #19 and 16.

5-15-79



Crystal Cove Historic District

JUN 15 1979

Laguna Beach, California

Photo by: Aaron Gallup, February, 1979

Negative at 715 28th St. Sacramento, CA

Photo #4

ORANGE CO.

View looking northeast. Cottages (left to right) 1, 37, and 32.

5-15-79



Crystal Cove Historic District

JUN 15 1979

Laguna Beach, California

Photo by: Aaron Gallup, February, 1979

Negative at 715 28th St. Sacramento, CA

Photo #5

Orange Co.
View looking northwest from Cottage #16.

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Crystal Cove Historic District
Laguna Beach, California

JUN 15 1979

Photo by: Dr. Knox Mellon, February, 1979
Negative at P.O. Box 2390, Sacramento, CA

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Photo #6

Orange Co.

View looking northeast at Cottages #40
and 1 in foreground, 37 and 32 in background.

5-15-79



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Crystal Cove Historic District
Laguna Beach, California

Photo by: Aaron Gallup, February, 1979

Negative at 715 28th St. Sacramento, CA

Photo #7

Orange Co.
View looking east, showing old store and
Cottages #32, 40, 1, and 19.

5-15-79



MARITIME LIFE RESCUE

Proceed to the following boat and board
only if the following life preserver
and instructions are used by the life boat
the vessel will be responsible for
the vessel's safety.

Crystal Cove Historic District JUN 15 1979
Laguna Beach, California

Photo by: Dr. Knox Mellon, February, 1979

Negative at P.O. Box 2390, Sacramento, CA

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Photo #8

Orange Co.

View looking northeast at abandoned
store.

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Crystal Cove Historic District

JUN 15 1979

Laguna Beach, California

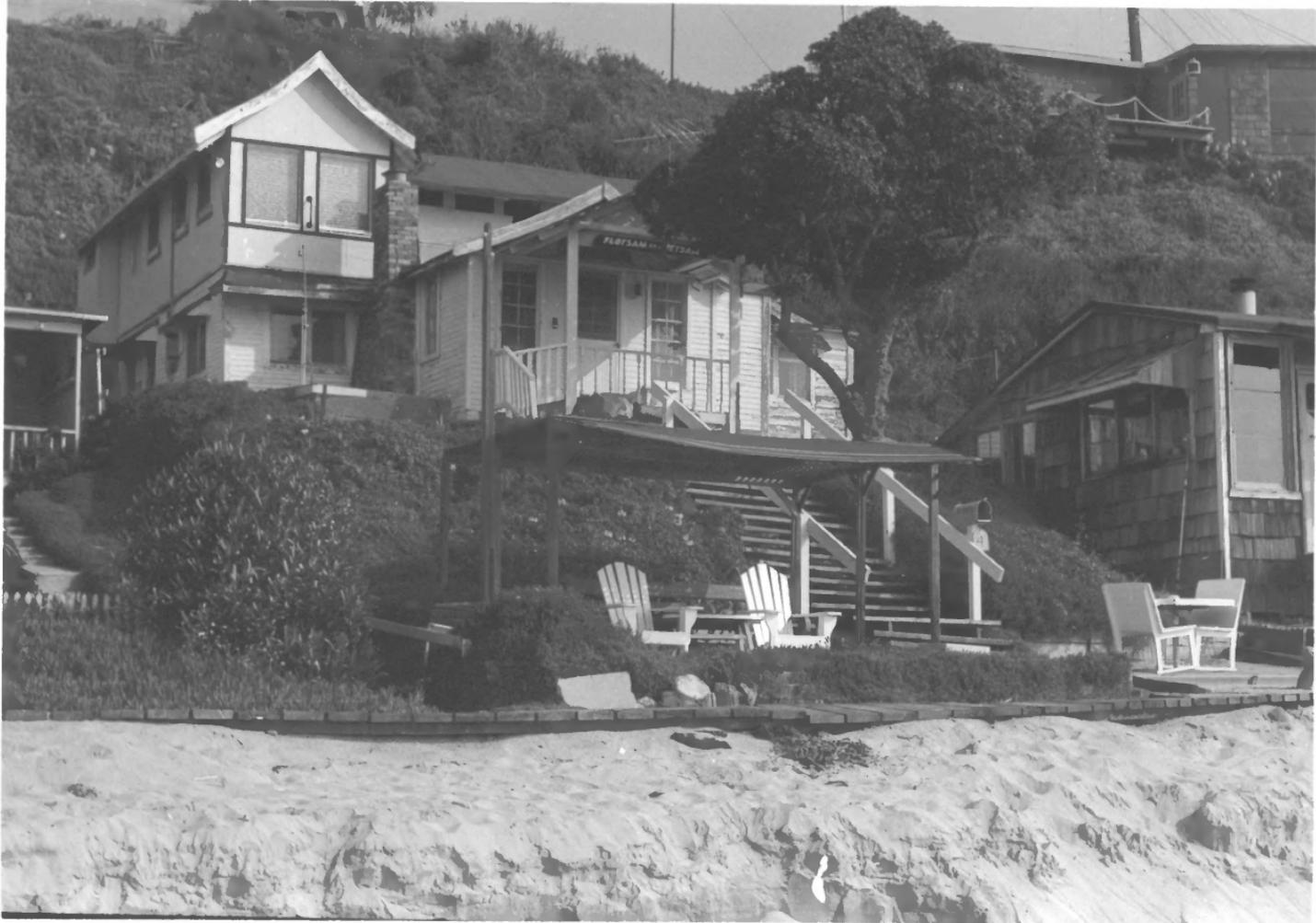
Photo by: Aaron Gallup, February, 1979

Negative at 715 28th St. Sacramento, CA

Photo #9

Orange Co.
View looking north, showing Cottages #4,
31, 13, and 12 at lower level, and 29, 39, and
38 on bluff.

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Crystal Cove Historic District JUN 15 1979
Laguna Beach, California

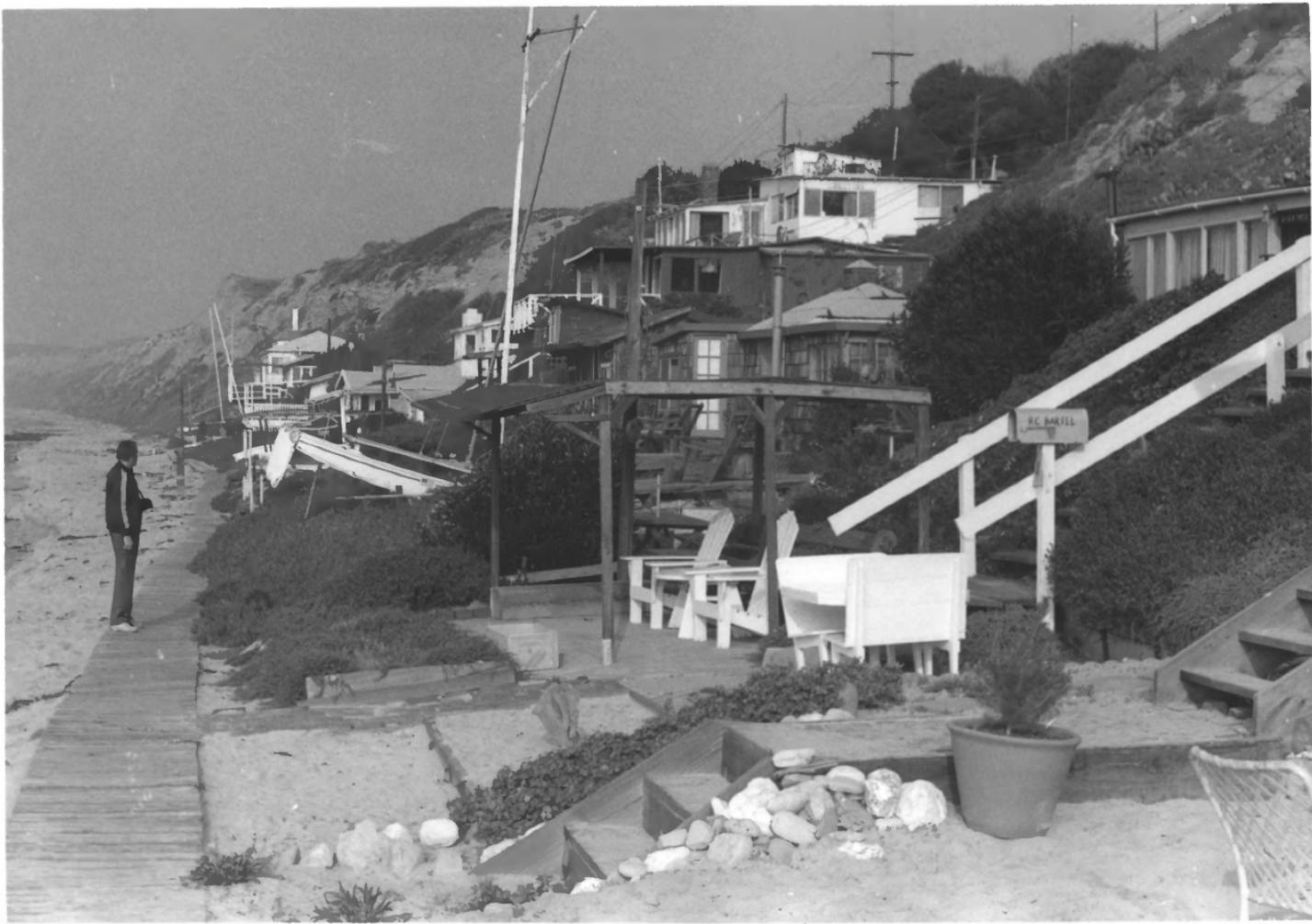
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Negative at 715 28th St. Sacramento, CA

Photo #10

View looking east at cottages #4 and 31
(lower) and 38 (upper). *Orange Co.*

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Laguna Beach, California

Photo by: Aaron Gallup, February, 1979

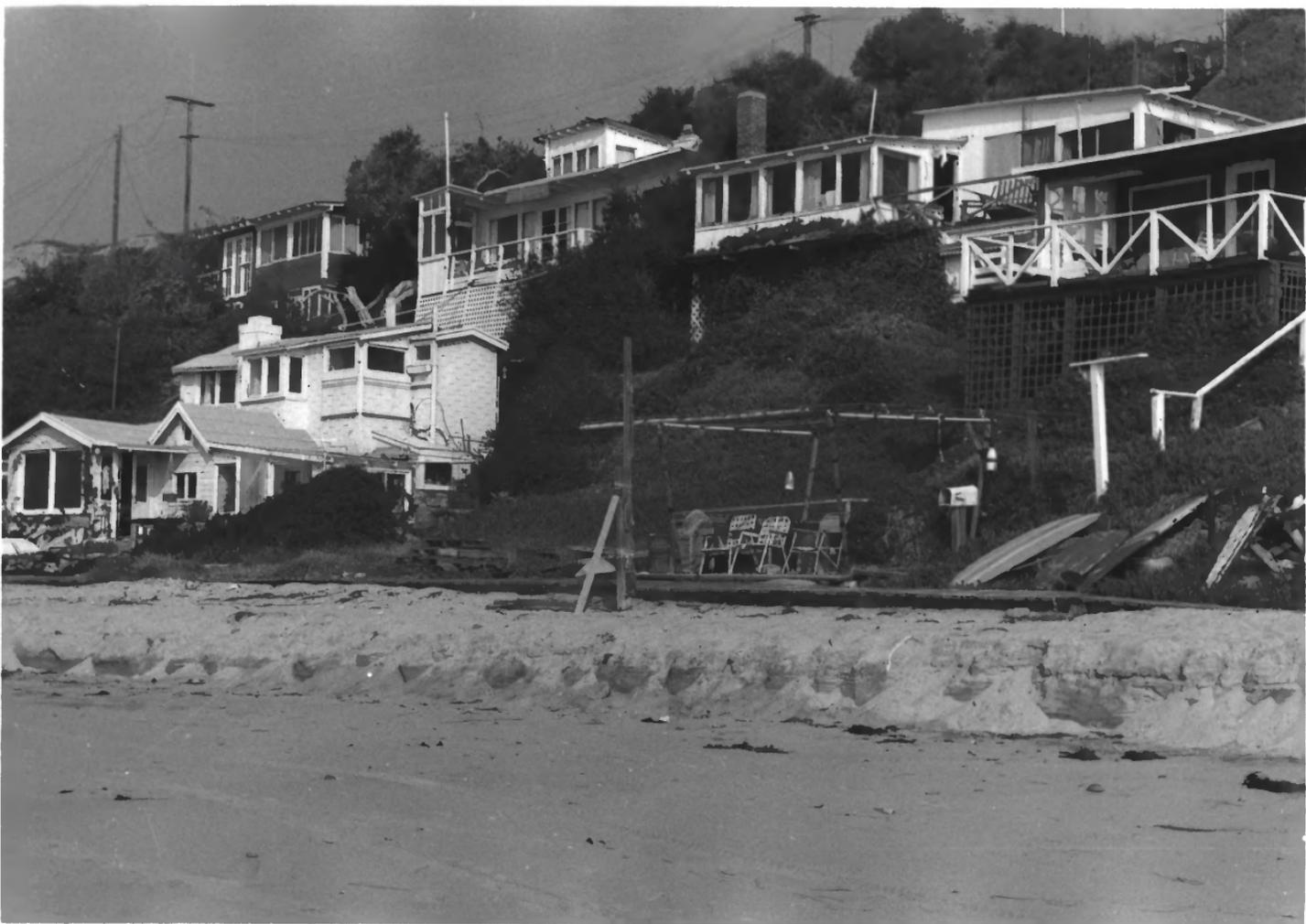
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Photo #11

Orange Co.
View looking northwest along boardwalk

from Cottage #31.

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Crystal Cove Historic District

Laguna Beach, California

Orange Co.

Photo by: Aaron Gallup, February, 1979

Negative at 715 28th St. Sacramento, CA

Photo #12

View looking north showing Cottages (left to right) #11, 26, 23, 10 and 9.

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Crystal Cove Historic District

JUN 15 1979

Laguna Beach, California

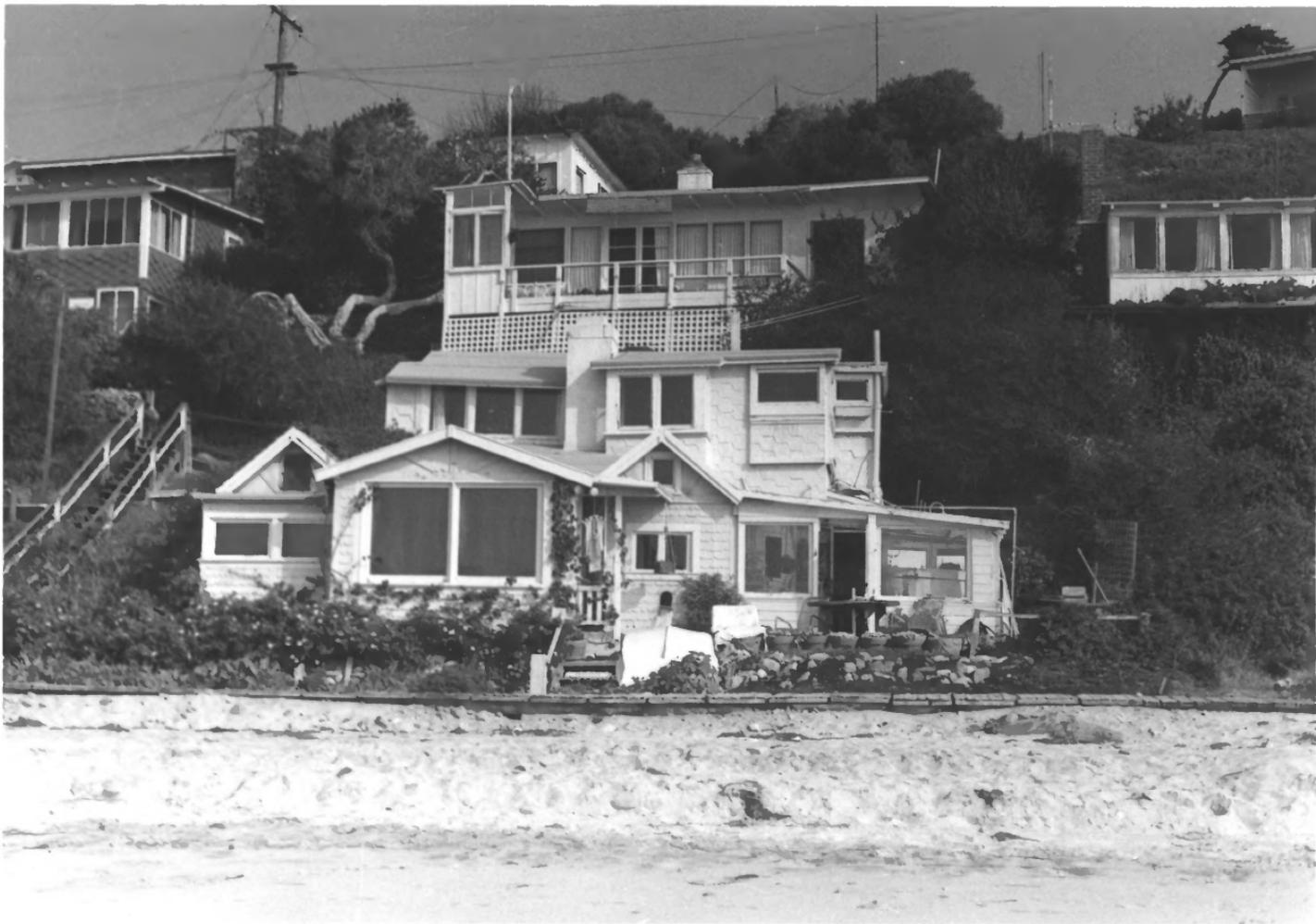
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Negative at 715 28th St. Sacramento, CA

Photo #13

Orange Co.
View looking north showing Cottages (left to right) #20, 25, 28, 11, 26, and 23.

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Crystal Cove Historic District JUN 15 1979

Laguna Beach, California

Photo by: Dr. Knox Mellon, February, 1979

Negative at P.O. Box 2390, Sacramento, CA

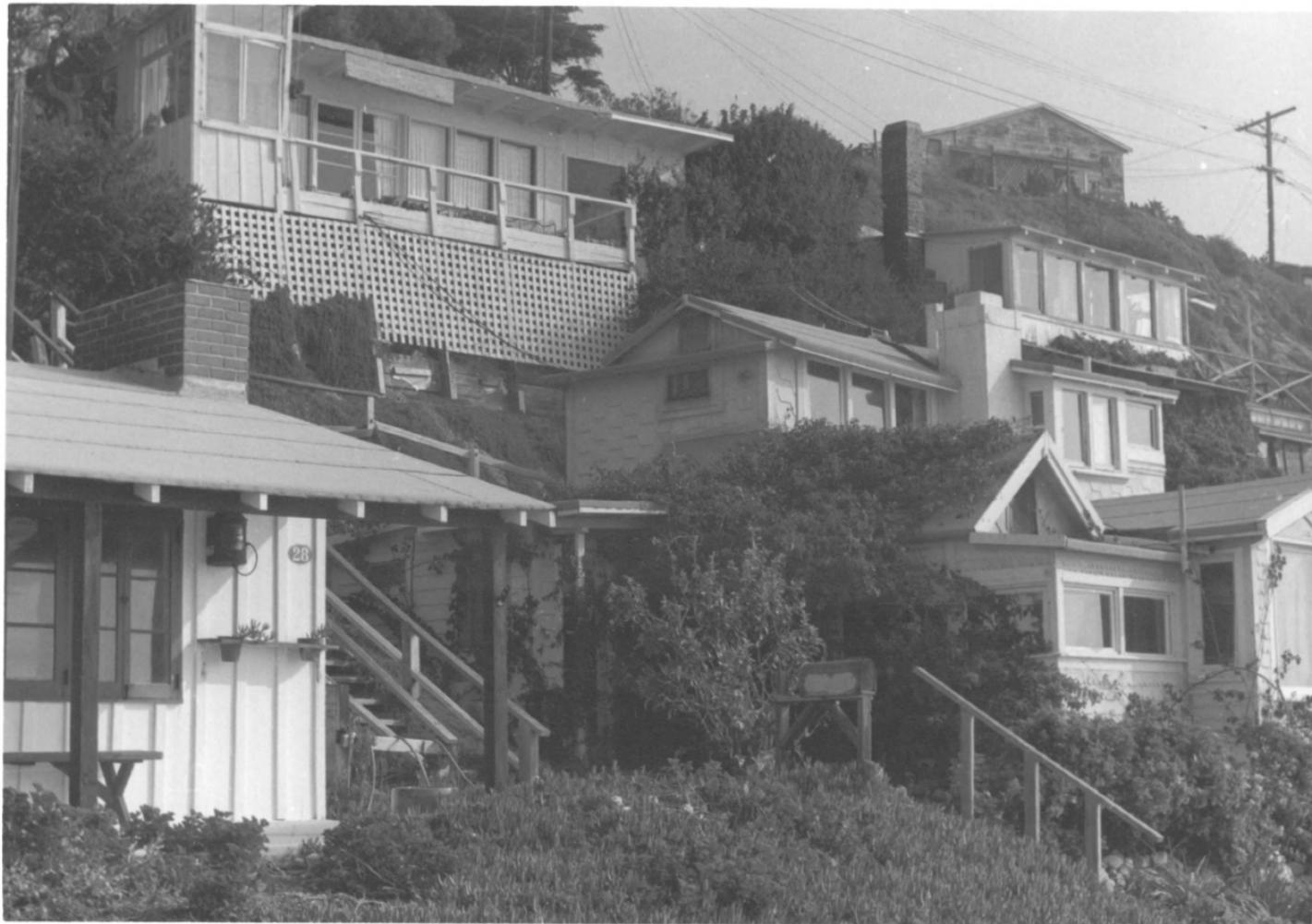
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Photo #14

Orange Co.

View looking northeast at Cottages #26,
11, 23 and 10.

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Crystal Cove Historic District

JUN 15 1979

Laguna Beach, California

Orange Co.

Photo by: Aaron Gallup, February, 1979

Negative at 715 28th St. Sacramento, CA

Photo #15

View looking east showing Cottages #28,
23, 11, 10, and 29 (on Bluff).

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Crystal Cove Historic District

JUN 15 1979

Laguna Beach, California

Photo by: Aaron Gallup, February, 1979

Negative at 715 28th St. Sacramento, CA

Photo #16

View looking east showing *Orange Cove* stair walkway
and Cottages #26, 23 and 11.

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Crystal Cove Historic District JUN 15 1979

Laguna Beach, California

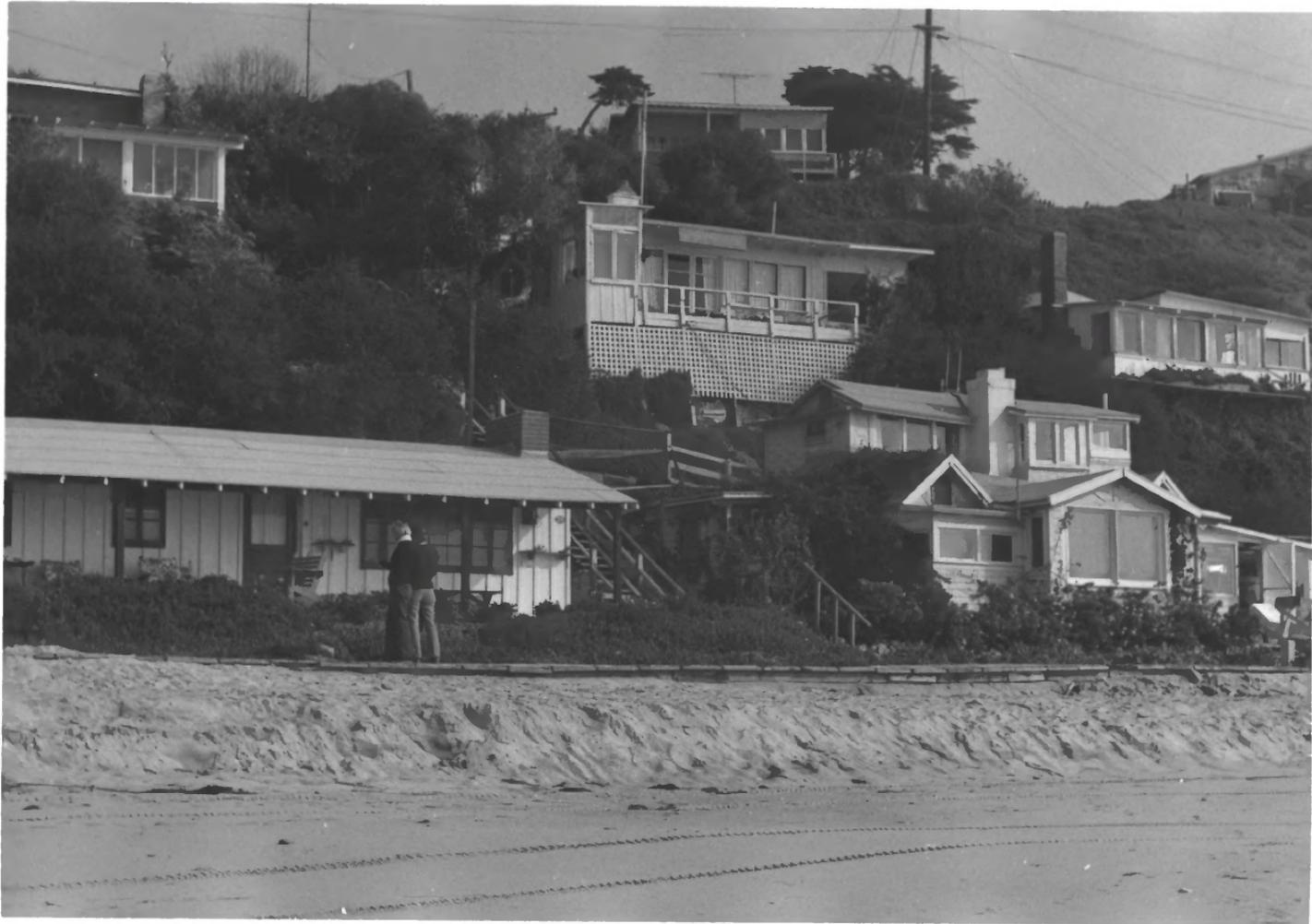
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Photo #17

View looking east. Architectural Detail,
Cottage 11.

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JUN 15 1979

Laguna Beach, California

Orange Co.

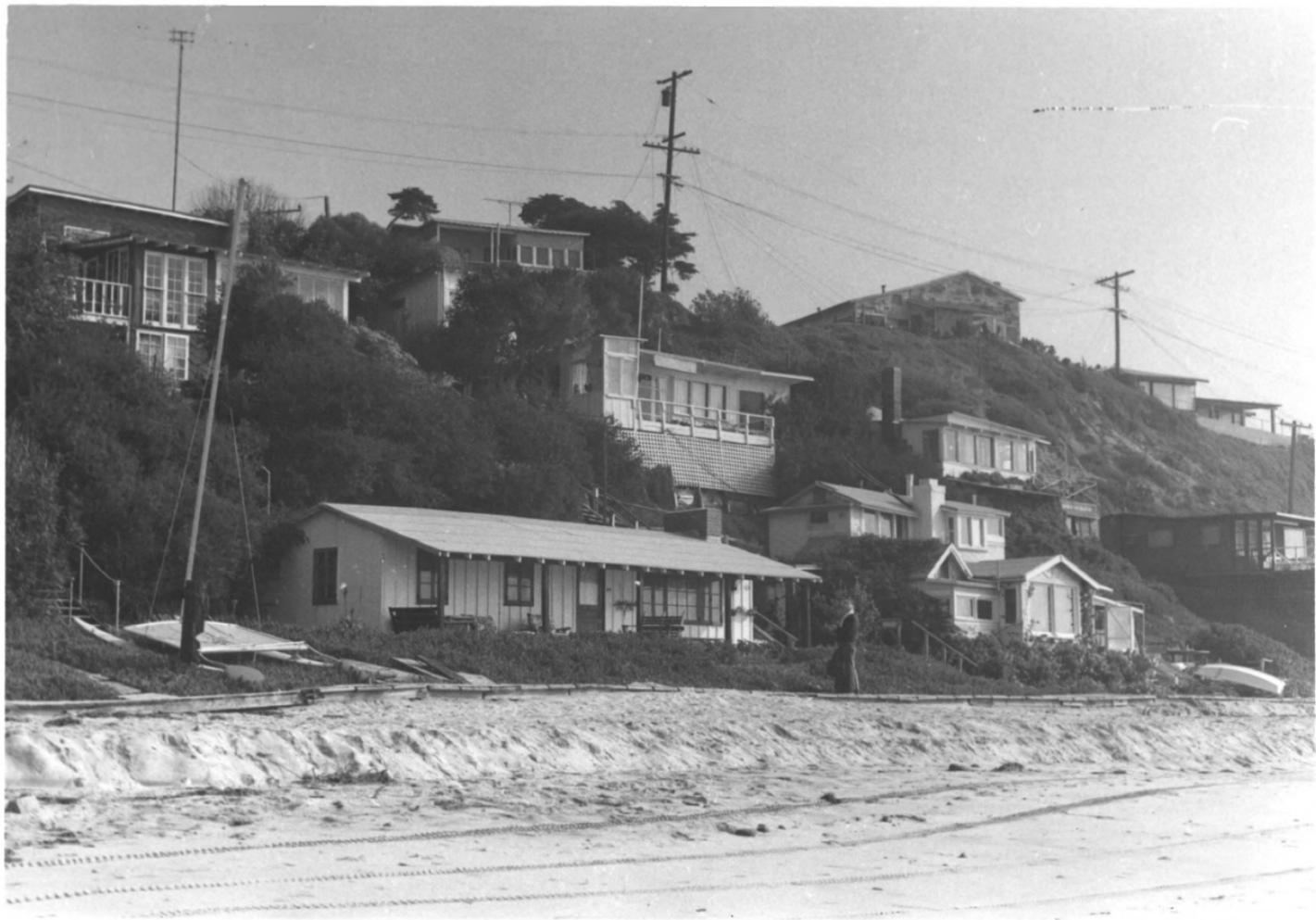
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Photo #18

View looking east showing Cottages #26,
28, 23, 18, 11 and 10.

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JUN 15 1979

Laguna Beach, California

Photo by: Dr. Knox Mellon, February, 1979

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Photo #19

Orange Co.

View looking southeast at Cottages #26,
28, 18, 23, 11, 10, 39, 38, and 9.

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Crystal Cove Historic District

Laguna Beach, California

Photo by: Aaron Gallup, February, 1979

Negative at 715 28th St. Sacramento, CA

Photo #20

View looking north.

Orange Co.
Cottage #25.

5-15-79



- 1 & 2. Crystal Cove Historic District near Laguna Beach CA.
3. Photographer: Unknown
4. Date of Photo: Late Forties
5. Douglas Miller (see address)
6. Tenting on the beach and Historic District structures. Looking west.
7. J-80-4 (M-11)

Orange County
JUN 15 1979

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CRYSTAL COVE,
Calif.

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J-80-4



1 & 2. Crystal Cove Historic District near
Laguna Beach CA.

3. Photographer: Unknown

4. Date of Photo: Very early Forties

5. Douglas Miller (see address)

6. Tenting on beach and cottages in Crystal
Cove Historic District. Looking west.

7. J-80-2

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CRYSTAL COVE -
Calif. -

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- by Douglas Miller

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CRYSTAL COVE, NEAR LAGUNA BEACH, CALIFORNIA



1 & 2. Crystal Cove Historic District near
Laguna Beach CA.

3. Photographer: Unknown

JUN 15 1979

4. Early thirties

Orange Co.

5. Douglas Miller (see address)

6. Crystal Cove with cottages Thatched for
south sea movie sets. Looking west.

7. J-80-5

(M-9)

#23

APR 9 1979

CRYSTAL COVE, CALIF.

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#J-80-5



- 1 & 2. Crystal Cove Historic District near Laguna Beach CA.
 3. Photographer: Douglas Miller
 4. Date of Photo: 4/10/78
 5. Douglas Miller (see address)
 6. Houses Nos. 8, 7, 3, 31, and 4.
 7. 38893
- (M-8)
- ORANGE COUNTY
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- 1 & 2. Crystal Cove Historic District near Laguna Beach, CA. *ORANGE COUNTY*
3. Photographer: Douglas Miller *JUN 15 1979*
4. Date of Photo: 12/12/76 *# 25*
5. Douglas Miller (See address under 'M-1')
6. **Photographer is facing southeast.**
7. *36701* (M-7) *APR 9 1979*



- 1 & 2. Crystal Cove Historic District near Laguna Beach CA.
3. Photographer: Douglas Miller
4. 12/12/76
5. Negative Filed: Douglas Miller (see Address *Orange Co.*)
6. Photographer is facing east looking toward Crystal Cove.
7. 36700 *#26* JUN 15 1979

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CRYSTAL COVE

12/12/76

Douglas Miller

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