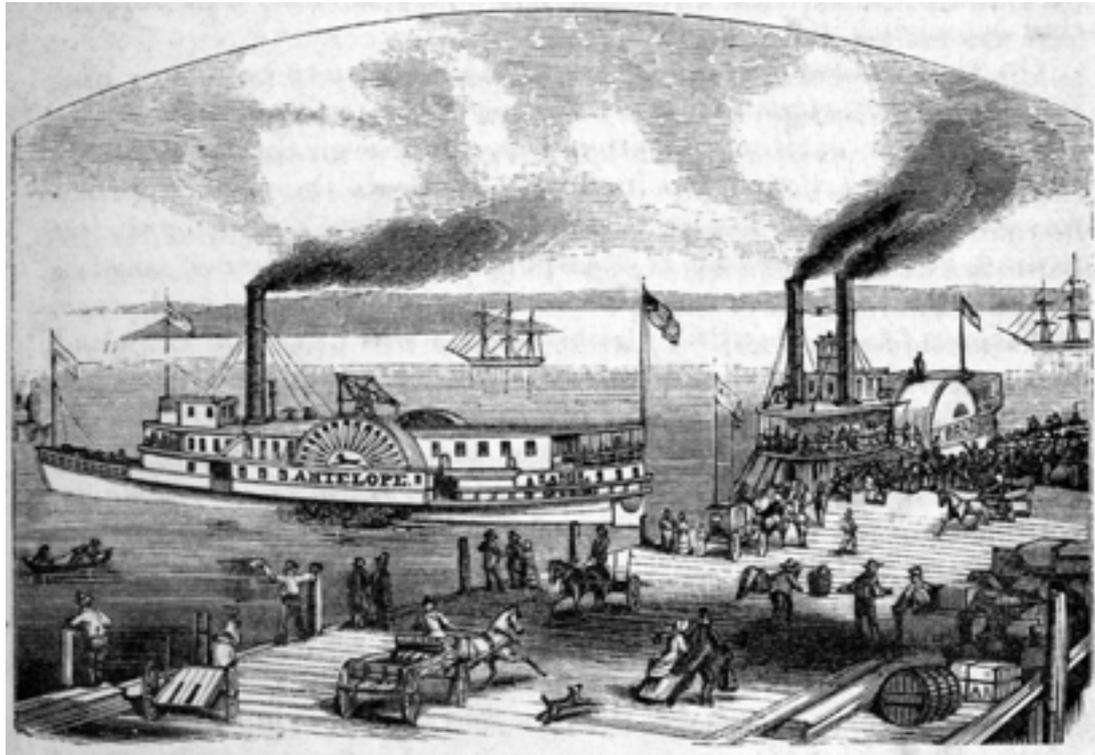


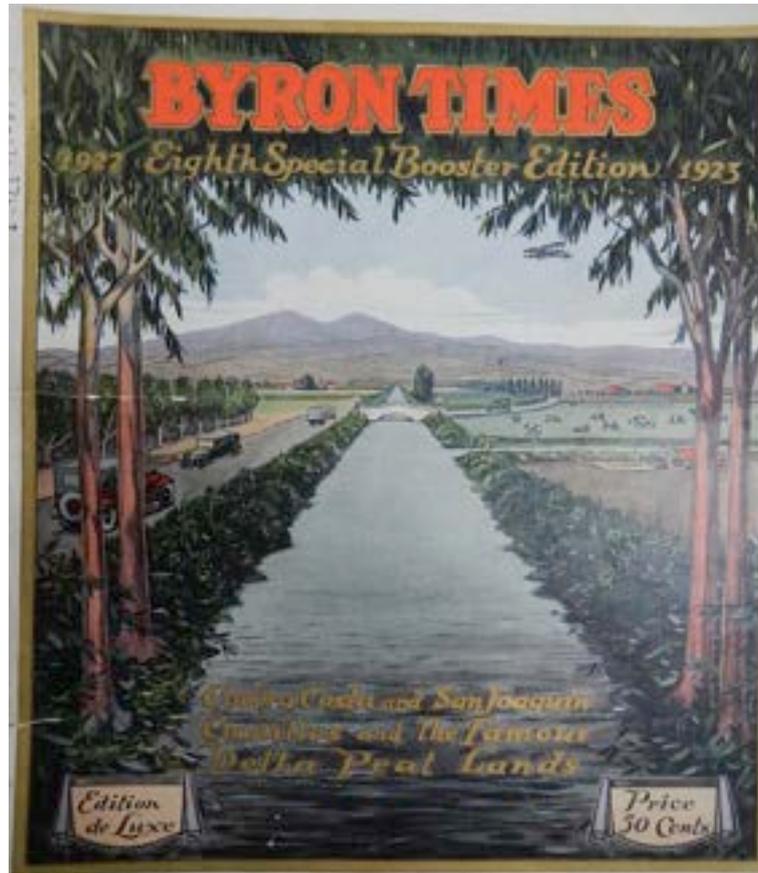
Nature as Family; Miwok View before 1750 (Laura Cunningham)



Delta as Place of Danger: Spanish View, circa
1830 (Northern Valley Yuktut Indians
hunting on bay of San Francisco, California.
By Louis Choris, 1822)



Water Highway: Prospector's and
Farmer's View, 1860 (Hutchens
Illustrated California Magazine, 1859)



Technology-assisted Nature:
Agriculturalist View, 1925 (Byron
Times)

In the Delta country one can make rental reservations, leave from almost any part of California in the morning, and be sleeping that night on a houseboat tied up in some little cove away from all the noises of civilization, slumbering in the calm tranquillity of utter silence and sleeping as late as anyone wants the next morning.

I have recently made it a point to talk with people who have rented boats for their vacations and find them so enthusiastic that I feel convinced the rental business is going to be booming during the next few years.



One can cruise in secluded waters . . .

A Place to Hide: Escapist
View, Post WWII (Erle Stanley
Gardener, Gypsy Days on the
Delta, 1967)



A Place to Preserve: Environmentalist
View, 2000 (Rich Turner)