

NATIVE PLANTS

(Found in Big Dalton Canyon)
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CALIFORNIA BAY-
(Tree) Has red berries
and long slender leaves.
Leaves are used as a
spice



BRACKEN FERN-
(Fern) Small fern.



GOOSEBERRY-
(Shrub) Ranges in size,
bears spiky red berries.



MUGWART-

(Shrub) Can be used to help lessen the pain of stinging nettle. Top of leaves are green with white powder on back



NIGHTSHADE:

(Shrub) Can be fatal if ingested.



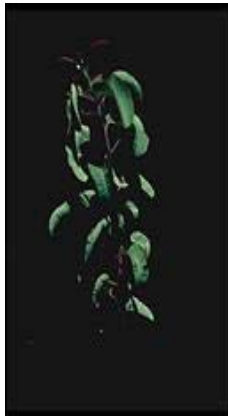
POISON OAK:

(Shrub) If leaves and stem touch skin it causes painful irritation. Green in spring, turning red/brown by fall.
"Leaflets three..let them be.."



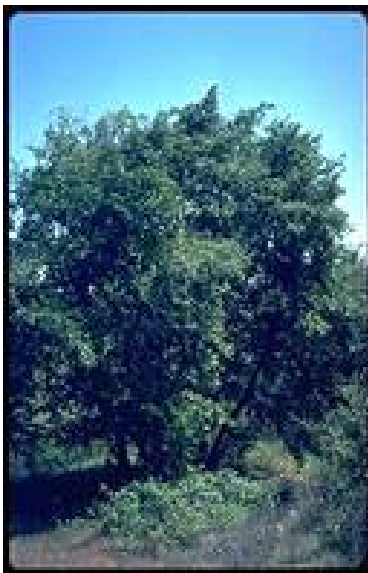
COULTER PINE-

(Tree) Has a very spiky and large cone. A tall tree with drooping branches.



LAUREL SUMAC-

(Shrub) Vine-like shrub. Long slender leaves.



WHITE ALDER-

(Tree) Has pale, papery bark. Markings around branches look like "eyes". Found along streams on Southern California.



MOUNTAIN CUCUMBER-

(Vine) Big plant with many leaves and spiky seed pods. Grows like a spider web across other shrubs. Green in spring, then orange/brown in late summer



CALIFORNIA BLACKBERRY-

(Bush/vine) Has edible berries. Vine can be found near the ground, and it has small thorns. Three leaflets can be distinguished from poison oak by jagged edge to the leaves



CALIFORNIA LIVE OAK-

(Tree) Has hard leaves, with small spines. Large acorns.





CHAPPARAL YUCCA-

(Bush) Has long spiky leaves jutting out from center. Grows a flower-bearing stalk while in bloom.



SCRUB OAK-

(Tree) Also known as grey oak. Has long acorns. Looks more like a bush than a tree.



STINGING NETTLE-

(Shrub) Causes painful irritation if skin comes in contact with plant. Grows near water.



SYCAMORE-

(Tree) Has white bark. Leaves have three "fingers." New bark is "leathery" but peels to reveal a light colored bark with some "puzzle" patterns. The tree bears small round fruit.



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