

## GRANDIOSE UTTERINGS OF MONACO

The Optimist Club of Monaco South - Denver, Colorado

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\*\*Of Good job to all who helped!

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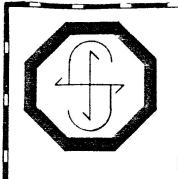
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