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CLUB MEETING: SATURDAY, AUGUST 27, 1988

(COME PREPARED TO FILL CISTERNS & WELLS) You have read that before!! We did not get to fill any of these at the August 20 meeting. We had a misunderstanding on the dates equipment was to be scheduled! SO-O-O, the word now for Aug. 27 is "GO!"

----Meet for breakfast at Shortline Cafe at 7:00 a.m. and follow that with short meeting and then out to DO what we have been talking about for several weeks.

NOTE: Your officers and Board Members hope you plan to be a part of this. The task is so much easier if we have many "hands." (Mentally and physically!)

NOTE: If Ed Underwood presents this newsletter to the Sgt.-at-Arms at the Aug. 27 meeting, he will receive a special award for attendance.

SUMMARY: CLUB MEETING AUGUST 20, 1988

President William presided. Virgil Holst provided the invocation and led the Pledge! Thanks Virgil! In the attendance drawing, Larry Olson forfeited \$10.03. (Question: Where did the 3¢ come from? Does it represent an overage or a shortage?--At least it is better than the McDonalds token we had 'floating around' in the kitty for awhile.)

--President Wm. read a letter of appreciation from American Red Cross Chapter in C.B. This was for the food we donated at the time of the tornado in C.B.

--In some discussion of the visit last week to the home of Cliff Bruning, the group concluded it was a good experience. The extent and broadness of Cliff Bruning's collection was a surprise to all. NOTE: We understand Virgil is making arrangements to visit another "collector." Watch for details.

President Wm. announced a Board Meeting at his home Monday evening, Aug. 29. (7:30 PM) Everyone is welcome. Officers and Board Members are encouraged to be there. NOTE: New officers and Board Members to take over Oct. 1 could be helpful if they were to attend.

HORSE SHOW RATED "GREAT"

In spite of two postponements, the Horse Show was considered a success! We had a good number of entries. The final count is not in financially, but it appears we did make some profit. Revenue comes from: Sale of sponsorships; gate receipts; entry fees from horsemen; concession sales; and donations. We will let you know when the final tally is completed.

To those who helped: (You know who you are.) Your officers and Board Members are deeply appreciative! You "Hung-in there!" three week ends until you finally "MADE IT GO!"

(Editor's Note: Our Club owes a special thanks to Keith and Joanne Lambertson. Without their cooperation and time and energy, the show very likely would not be held! Perhaps we could issue a special status of "Honorary Optimist" to Keith & Joanne.)

PRESIDENT ELECT CHARLES BRANHAM "IN THE WINGS"

--Charlie and his Vice Presidents: James Clausen & Keith Denton and Board Members Dave Sevcik; Gerald Forristal, Fritz Holst, Ed Underwood, Al Strobehn, and Bryce Strobehn will "take over" Oct. 1, 1988. You can volunteer now for Committee work!