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CLUB MEETING--SATURDAY, NOV.21,1987

7:00 a.m. Breakfast & Fellowship at Short Line Cafe.

--7:30 Short Meeting--NO PROGRAM THIS WEEK--Perhaps President will help us "count our Blessings as Optimists!"

FUTURE PROGRAMS & MEETINGS

Dec.5--Officer from Offutt Air Force Base. Should be an impressive Program! We are all interested in the status and welfare of our Armed Services and the Men and Women who serve!!

Dec. 12--Mike Shain, Consultant in Life Skills Development, AEA #13; Dec. 19--Gladys and Harry Krohn of Treynor (Flower business in Treynor); Dec. 26--NO PROGRAM (Will be short meeting.); Jan.2--NO PROGRAM (Will be short meeting); JAN. 9--Larry Hutchinson, Counselor at Eppley Treatment Center, Omaha. (BRING GUESTS TO ANY OR ALL MEETINGS!!)

SUMMARY: CLUB MEETING, SAT., NOV. 21,1987

Pres. William Burris presided. Nine members along with guests, Donna Burris & Connie Holst were present. Dionne Grant of Australia and her Treynor Mother, were present to provide the Program. (Ms. Willard Dykes)

----Larry McAlexander forfeited \$6.50 in the Attendance Drawing. Dave Sevcik did not bring the newsletter to the Sgt. at Arms to claim his "special Hat." ----Howard Knox would like you to volunteer to spend one or two evenings WORKING "FIFTH QUARTER" for the school students.

NOTE: At each Friday home game, we host high school students at Zion Church for an hour or two of social and recreational activities. From 30 to 50 students attend and enjoy having "a place to hang out with friends." SIGN UP WITH HOWARD: Dates: Dec. 4, Feb. 5, 19. NOTE: You will enjoy it as much as the students do. This is a good activity to invite your spouse to work with you. (A good way to impress her or him of your importance as an Optimist!) NOTE TO RICK MORTON: If you bring this newsletter to the Club Meeting, Nov.28 and present it to the Sgt.at Arms, he will present a fine Road Atlas to you.

GET INVOLVED: RAFFLE OF HIND QUARTER OF BEEF--NOW!!

Our Financial Chairperson is coordinating this Raffle. Proceeds to be used for YOUTH ACTIVITIES! The beef will be cut up and packaged. (Purchased locally.) ATTACHED TO THIS NEWSLETTER IS A BOOK OF 10 TICKETS. Your Board of Directors presume each of us will sell these tickets and turn in the \$10 to Fritz Holst. BUT IF EACH OF US SELLS ONLY ONE BOOK OF 10, WE WILL NOT MAKE A PROFIT. So, your Board presumes you will "do your part" and pick up more books from Fritz Holst or his wife, Connie at his home! Call 487-3446.

---SO, HOW DO YOU SELL THESE TICKETS? "ASK EVERYONE YOU SEE. Tell them: "The Optimists are raising funds to support projects for local youth. We are doing that by having this raffle of a hind quarter of beef. We want to give everyone a chance to BE A PART OF THIS! How many do you want?" (\$1.00 each--DRAWING DEC.19,1987--Need not be present to collect prize.)----NOTE: Even if you cannot attend meetings, IF YOU HAVE ANY FEELING FOR YOUR OPTIMIST MEMBERSHIP AND THE "Program of the Optimists," YOU WILL WANT TO DO YOUR PART IN THIS!! Get involved! BE SURE TICKET STUBS AND MONEY GIVEN TO FRITZ HOLST ON OR BEFORE DEC. 19, Saturday at 7:30 a.m.!!

CLUB MEMBERS FILL ABANDONED WELLS & CISTERNS

On Saturday, Nov. 21, eight members spent about three hours filling one abandoned well and three (and one half) cisterns. OBJECT: Remove these as hazards to safety of young children especially (but also to adults, pets, and wild animals.) At one time in our society almost every home had one of these water sources. Generally they have outlived their usefulness. Many of us know of incidents where children have lost lives in these hazards. IF YOU KNOW OF ONE OF THESE, TELL THE OWNER THE CLUB WILL FILL IT IN AT NO CHARGE IF THEY ASK US! Get this information to President Williams Burris. Members working Nov. 21: Fritz Holst, Keith Denton, Rich Poland, Bryce Strohhahn, Ed Underwood,

Oh Yes: You too Jim Clausen!
Oh the rest of us PROUD!
THANKS! You make the rest of us PROUD!
THANKS ALSO TO: JIM BOTTOMS & NED BUCKELEW FOR DIRT & EQUIPMENT!!