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CALL FOR ELECTION AT OCTOBER MEET

Election of new officers for the Prairie Astronomy Club will, as usual, take place at the November, 1978 meeting (November 28). In preparation for the elections, nominations will be accepted at the October meeting. There are five officers who also comprise the club's board of directors. All five offices come up for election yearly. They are: President (incumbent, Rick Johnson), Vice President (incumbent Ron Veys), Secretary (incumbent Ed Woerner), Treasurer (incumbent Lee Thomas), and Program Chairman (incumbent Jack Dunn.)

Any club member is eligible for elective office, and each regular membership carries one vote (family memberships carry two votes).

While the club president normally appoints a nominating committee to report names of prospective officers who have agreed to serve if they are elected, we want as many eligible candidates as possible for the posts. If you are interested, or want to place the name of someone else who would make a good officer into nomination, please be present at the October meeting.

OCTOBER MEETING--HYDE OBSERVATORY
 Tuesday, October 31--7:30 p.m.

TIME TO ORDER R.A.S.C. HANDBOOKS

To guarantee delivery before January 1, we must place our order now for the 1979 Royal Astronomical Society of Canada handbooks. Some members may be taking this handbook as an option of the Astronomical League publications package (although the package is now offering as an alternative the British Astronomical Society Handbook). We'll be taking a rough count for the order at October's meeting, so if you are relying on the PAC as source of your RASC Handbook for 1979, be sure to attend the meeting to assure that we order enough copies.

OLD TELESCOPES ON DISPLAY

Of interest to amateur telescope makers and astronomy history buffs is a collection of antique telescopes and microscopes that will be on display at Sheldon Art Gallery. The telescopes will be on display through November 26 at the gallery on the University of Nebraska-Lincoln campus, 13th & R. Pamphlets will be on sale for 10¢ giving a background and history of the antique items.

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PRAIRIE ASTRONOMY CLUB MEMBERSHIP ROSTER, September 30, 1978

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7. James N. Campbell	1101 Cambridge #38	Lincoln, NE 68505	R	11/78	467-1849
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11. Earl Crawford	Rt. #2	Lincoln, NE 68505	R	4/79	-----
12. David Daiker	P.O. Box 629	Waverly, NE 68462	R	10/78	-----
13. Allan Daubendiek	1821 Jackson St.	Beatrice, NE 68310	R	3/79	223-5863
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16. Harlan Franey	1734 So. Cotner Blvd.	--Lincoln, NE 68506	R	1/79	488-0085
17. Norman D. Frerichs	1423 Lincoln St.	Beatrice, NE 68310	R	8/79	-----
18. Dale Greger	6917 Y St.	Lincoln, NE 68505	R	1/79	466-2004
19. Dick Hartley	320 Wedgewood Dr.	Lincoln, NE 68510	R	10/79	489-4105
20. Phillip D. Hauptman	630 So. 28th St.	Lincoln, NE 68508	R	10/79	432-8192
21. Richard C. Hubbard	3224 4th Avenue	Council Bluffs, IA 51501	--R	--4/79	-----
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24. Richard Johnson	1860 Pawnee St.	Lincoln, NE 68502	R	9/79	423-6726
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27. Ken Kopta	1544 Crestline Dr.	Lincoln, NE 68506	R	3/79	489-3005
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33. Dr. R.A. Manthey	61st & O Sts.	Lincoln, NE 68505	F	9/79	489-3237
34. Karl Miller	1149 So. 17th St.	Lincoln, NE 68502	R	5/79	435-4051
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36. Earl Moser		Hickman, NE 68372	R	9/79	792-2260
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39. William F. Norris	2832 Manse Avenue	Lincoln, NE 68502	R	1/79	435-0267
40. Tom Peterson	6161 So. 70th St.	Lincoln, NE 68516	R	12/78	423-2307
41. Donald S. Phillips	5201 Claire Ave.	Lincoln, NE 68516	R	10/79	489-7637
42. Mark Powell	3310 Cooper St.	Lincoln, NE 68506	R	1/79	489-6114
43. Carroll Reinert	3895 Sheridan Blvd.	Lincoln, NE 68506	F	1/79	483-1093
44. Curtis Roelle	6831 Bethany Park Dr.-Lincoln,	NE 68505	R	3/79	464-2346
45. Joe & Jennie St. Lucas	4827 Judson St.	Lincoln, NE 68504	F	6/79	466-5843
46. Merton Sprengel	4522 Hillside St.	Lincoln, NE 68506	F	9/79	489-3177
47. Larry Stepp	3122 Oak Hill	Carrollton, TX	R	1/79	-----
48. Lee Thomas	1025 No. 63rd, B107	Lincoln, NE 68505	R	9/79	489-3855
49. Scott Titterington	1500 So. 77th St.	Lincoln, NE 68506	R	12/78	489-5705
50. Steve & Adelita Traudt	2726 Washington St.	Lincoln, NE 68502	F	2/79	435-7617
51. Scott Underwood	1525 So. 25th St.	Lincoln, NE 68502	R	1/79	477-6315
52. Ronald B. Veys	940 Colony Lane	Lincoln, NE 68505	R	1/79	464-1449
53. Morris Weiss	4010 Woods Blvd.	Lincoln, NE 68506	R	10/79	423-7683
54. Ed Woerner	4828 Meredith, #306-Lincoln,	NE 68506	R	2/79	489-4458

The above list includes only club members. Persons subscribing to the club newsletter without membership are not included. There are two classes of membership: "R" is a regular member (dues are now \$12.00), "F" is a family member, carrying two votes (dues are now 14.00). Expiration date is the month and year present term of membership is up for renewal. Telephone numbers have been added to this roster for the first time. If yours is not correct, or has been omitted because it was not in the current telephone directory, please supply the correct number to Lee Thomas. The list as shown will be submitted to the Astronomical League for use in their official mailing list.

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including not much astronomical news to report, caused the September newsletter, which was planned for publication after the meeting, never to see the light of day. That's the first newsletter in three years not to make a deadline--and we promise it won't be a habit. This issue combines numbers 10 & 11 for September-October, 1978, for those who keep a file of back issues.

OCTOBER MEETING NOTICE...

The October meeting of the Prairie Astronomy Club will be held at Hyde Observatory on Tuesday night, Octob-

er 31, at 7:30 p.m. This is nomination meeting for the upcoming election of officers, so be sure to attend.

(NOTE: Following received via Astronomical League ALCOR mailing list)

TO ASTRONOMERS IN THE KANSAS CITY AND NEARBY MIDWEST AREA: FOR SALE==
20½-inch Newtonian Reflector Telescope tube assembly to first offer of \$700. Primary is 20½" diameter plate glass, 1-¾" thick. Beral coated. Mirror has some scratches, but excellent figure and no astigmatism. Secondary 5" M.A. diagonal 1/25 wave by Coulter Optical. Further details see newsletter editor. Write or call: Milton Rose, 11240 College, Kansas City Missouri 64137

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