

Olds & Ends

Board Election

Election time is coming up again. The two year terms of Bruce Cooper, Norman Holmes and Wayne Monger expire July 1, 1993. All are expected to run for reelection. Anyone wishing to run for the Board should submit their name and a short resume, which will be shown to all those qualified to vote, to the Society no later than May 29, 1993.

Being a member of the Board of Directors brings serious responsibility along with it. Board members are required to attend monthly, day-long meetings in Portola, as one example. Board members are expected to go the "extra mile" to help our museum go forward.

The voting will take place and the results will be tabulated at the Annual Membership meeting which will be held on Saturday, June 26, 1993 in the Flannery meeting room at the museum.

All members except Associate are eligible to run for Board of Directors positions and to vote.

Don't Forget

Don't forget the Union Pacific Historical Society's Ninth Annual Convention in Stockton, CA, July 22-25, 1993. For more information, contact: Gene Rutledge, 1034 Atkins Dr., Visalia, CA 93292. You need not be a member of UPHS to attend.

Beware

We have recently become aware of the theft of locomotive horns taken from units of the Turlock Western and Sierra Railway. Beware of anyone selling horns that may have not been acquired legally.

Remember

The date for the FRRS Southern Regional Meet in La Habra, CA has been changed to:

Saturday, October 9, 1993.

For Sale

Overland Brass WP caboose w/roofwalk #426-460
Overland Brass WP wood caboose #731-779
Contact:
Dennis Popish, 43 Dineff Road, Lemont, IL 60439

Overland Brass FT not ptd. 4 A units, 2 B units
Overland Brass WP caboose modernized #426-460
Call Tom Hassler: (503) 650-9651

Be Here!

The annual membership meeting will be held Saturday, June 26, 1993 at 7:30 PM. There will be a BBQ dinner, a state of the museum report, our annual "Glad Hand" award, and the ever popular slide and video show. Your attendance is encouraged. Come and join us for an evening of fun.

Anyone Interested?

UP signal maintainer Brian Marshall Blake says he is contemplating having custom decals made for the Stewart FTs in WP delivery yellow-green. Is anyone interested? He would have the decals made and keep what he needs, and send the rest to the gift shop to be sold.

You may contact him at:
3312 View St.
Fort Worth Texas 76103
(817) 535-3060



Our newest diesel locomotive, US Army 1857, a Fairbanks-Morse H12-44, arrived in Portola on April 22, 1993. It runs perfectly and has been run around our balloon track several times already. Look for more information about it in the next issue. Photo by Norm Holmes.