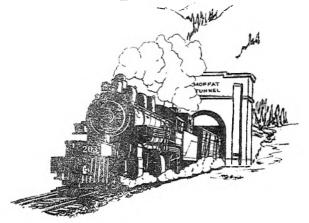
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MEETING NOTICE: Date Wednesday, November 10, 1971

Time 7:45 p.m.

Place . . . Southeast wing of Christ Episcopal Church,

2900 S. University at Bates; offstreet parking at

rear (east) of meeting hall.

PROGRAM: Chas. Max has scheduled 16mm movies on BART - San Francisco Bay Area Rapid Transit.

AT THE NOVEMBER MEETING, the President will issue the last call for nomination suggestions to be submitted to Jack Thode, Chairman, of the nominating committee. Participation of the membership in the nomination process is encouraged, but everyone is cautioned that it serves no purpose to suggest a nominee who is unwilling or unable to serve in office. The other two members of the nominating committee are Ane Clint and Neal Miller; so anyone unable to reach Jack Thode is urged to contact Ane or Neal. After all due consideration and tabulation of suggestions, the slate of nominees will be published in the December newsletter.

THE B & O's century old Queen City Station-Hotel in Cumberland, Md. faces demolition.

Preservationists have appealed to the Courts to save it.

A T & S F is petitioning the ICC for abandonment of its Socorro to Magdalena, New Mexico branch line.

THE MILW. RAILROAD had a total of 48 electric locomotives on their roster as of 28 June 1971. The numbers and the assigned locations as of the above date are as follows:

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Harlowton, Mont. - - - - E57B - E47D

Deer Lodge, Mont. - - - - E20 - 21

E70 - 79

E29A - B

E34A - B - C - D

E36C

E45A - B - C

E80 - 82

E47B (stored)

Tacoma, Wash. - - - - - E25A - B - D

E35C *

E39A - C - D

E47A - C *

* E50A - B
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Stored - - - - - - - E22A - B - D E25C E39B E42A - C E49B - C

> *E50A - B was coupled with E35C and E47C and was in service as the Avery Idaho Helper on 2 Oct. 71.

- NRHS MEETING for December will feature the movie "The Titfield Thunderbolt" dealing with the efforts of the people of a small English town to save their branch railway line after abandonment announcements had been made. The meeting is on Friday, Dec. 3, 1971 at 8:00 p.m. in the South Denver Christian Church, Lincoln and E. Ellsworth.
- NRHS will have two caboose trips on the Great Western Ry. from Loveland to Eaton, Colo. on Nov. 13th and Dec. 11, 1971. Ly Loveland at 8:30 a.m. from the GW Depot and return about 3:30 p.m. Fare is only \$1.00 round trip. On Sunday, November 14, the Chapter has chartered metro coach #138, a rare 39 passenger Mack, for a trip on the Denver Metro Transit. Write NRHS for details on any of the three trips.
- SWAP 'N SHOP - Personal ads are accepted from members for items to be listed for sale or trade or wanted. We cannot enter into any correspondence, nor will we appraise items.
 - DOW HELMERS, 1930 Greenwood, Pueblo, Colo. 81003, offers strips of 5 set: Kodachromes Alpine Tunnel, Pitkin, Cripple Creek & Victor NG RR and St. Elmo. \$1.00 ea. or RR Club special 4 for \$3.00. For order of four sets a souveneir piece of redwood from the Alpine Tunnel will be included.
 - A. VON BLOM, Box 6422, Waco, Texas 76707 offers or trades TP, MKT, Frisco and TE Ry short globe lanterns for books, pamphlets, guides, TTS, or RRS, autos, airplanes, or Indian artifacts.
 - A BOOK entitled "Logging Along The D&RG" by Gordon Chappell is offered at the prepublication price of \$7.50 until 15 Nov. 71 by the Colorado Railroad Museum. The book covers logging lines south and west of Alamosa in Colorado and New Mexico.

THOT FOR THE DAY: Life begins at forty, but you'll miss a lot of fun if you wait that long.

Wilson Ruid, President Charles Max, Vice-President

Bill Gordon, Secretary Arl Cuthbert, Treasurer