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This is the original Pledge of Allegiance to the flag in the handwriting of the author, Francis Bellamy, written at the decree of President Benjamin Harrison in 1892 to commemorate the 400th anniversary of the discovery of America. The original words have been changed on Flag Day in 1954 by an Act of Congress.

Francis Bellemy

I please allegiance to my Hay and (5)

the Republic for which it stands -

and justice for all

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NEXT MEETING

WHEN: FRIDAY, July 9, 1982

TIME: 7:00 P.M.

NOTE TIME CHANGE

WHERE: COX CABLE COMPANY(*)

PROGRAM: COMPLETE TOUR OF COX CABLE COMPANY

(*) — Tour commences as you arrive at 5011 Capitol. Use West parking lot. Guides will lead you through the General Administrative & INDEX facilities and send you on to 2615 Farman Street to complete the tour of Program facilities and location where the Question and Answer session will be conducted. The Church parking lot on North Side of Farnam has been cleared for our use.

COME ONE — COME ALL! ALL HAMS ARE WELCOME, JOIN THE GANG FOR AN INFORMATIVE EVENING — EYEBALL QSO'S. LOTS OF HOSPITALITY WITH REFRESHMENTS AFTERWARDS!

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This month we celebrate the 206th anniversary of Our Country. At times we complain about its Administration or arhaps about the conditions we e not too happy about. Just take a quick look at the TV or other media and you are reminded of how very fortunate we are compared to other countries of our world. So, HAPPY BIRTH-DAY AMERICA—MAY GOD CONTINUE TO SHED HIS BLESSINGS ON YOU!

Those of you who joined the journey of Prince Maximilian and Karl Bodmer on their exploration of the Missouri River, found the excitement of Internorth's presentation very enlightening, entertaining and enjoyable. To those of you who didn't make the journey we simply say — If the opportunity ever comes again, don't miss it! Thanks again to Mr. Herman Stevens for his colorful narrative and fine job of being our guide on the journey.

At this time the results of Field Day are still being tabulated and it's too early to give the results, so let it suffice to say a "BIG THANK YOU" to all those who participated. Hope to have more next month.

Convention time is rapidly approaching, and plans are being made for the exodus from Omaha to Cedar Rapids, Iowa (Convention City) by many Ak-Sar-Ben Club members and their families n July 23rd thru the 25th, so if you want to get in on the fun, you'd better hurry. Hope to see you all there!

Coming events you should be aware of include the Tour of Cox

Cable Company on our next regular meeting - July 9th. See article of information the contained in the Meeting notice section. Also, now is the time to schedule August 22nd for the Club's Annual Picnic at Maybry Park. Rain or shine we will be joined by real live intertainment to go along with the usual fine food and fun and games for everyone. September 17th is the date of our Autumn Dance/Social now being planned. Watch for more on this later.

Till then, nuf said,

73's de Walt KAØDMB

NEW MEMBERS ADDITION TO ROSTER

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MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES MEETING held on June 1, 1982, at the Blue Cross/Blue Shield Building Omaha, Nebraska.

Present were: President Walt Brown, KAØDMB; Frank Bruner, KØSST; Lysle Renne, NØCKH; Mitch Gagne, NØAZF; Chuck Hoffman, WBØNVL: Dick Fehrman, KAØAAB; Jim Wilson, WBØJPN.

There being a quorum present, President Walt opened the meeting at 19:30 hours.

Minutes of the May 4, 1982 Board Meeting were corrected at the specific request of Chuck Hoffman, WBØNVL, to wit: Hoffman moved

(quote) that Article 4, Section D, of the Articles of Incorporation which now reads, the Nominating Committee shall consist of the President and two other persons who shall be past-presidents of this Association, and move that this Board endorse and recommend to the membership the following change. The Nominating Committee shall consist of the President, two other persons who shall be past-presidents of this Association, and three other persons who shall not be past-presidents of this Association. The latter three persons shall not participate in the nomination of presidential and vice-presidential candidates. (end of quote)

Bill Martin, NØANQ, seconded the motion for the purpose of discussion and later withdrew his second after it was pointed out that the method of nomination was detailed in the Club Constitution and that the Club Constitution could only be amended at the annual meeting of the general membership. There was no further discussion of the Hoffman motion.

(Note by NØCKH: The above was not originally included in the May 4, 1982 minutes since it has been my practice to only report actions taken and to not report general discussions, motions made then withdrawn, and other items of no particular need of being made a matter of record. It is not practical to transcribe verbatim the two or more hours of verbiage. Since no action was taken on the Hoffman motion, I had considered the matter to be only general conversation and enlightenment. I will continue to record minutes in this matter unless specifically requested to do otherwise.)

The Treasurer's report, including a report on Auction' 82, was approved as presented by Dick Fehrman, KAØAAB, Club Treasurer.

It was moved and seconded that we eliminate from the insurance schedule line items of less than \$150.00 each and that we add an item of "miscellaneous items not exceeding \$150.00 each to a total of \$1,000.00" to property floater making the total value \$10,975.00.

It was moved and seconded that President Walt pursue the investigation of Comprehensive and General Liability and Auto Liability coverage report to the Board.

It was moved and seconded that the Equipment Committee report be tabled until the next meeting that Sanford can attend.

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It was moved and seconded that the meeting adjourn. Time was 20:50 hours.

Respectfully submitted, Lysle Renne, NØCKH Secretary

Note: Unless otherwise stated, all motions passed.

NOTES FROM THE GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING Held June 11, 1982, at the Internorth Facility, 2027 Dodge St., Omaha, Nebraska

President Walt Brown, KAØDMB, called the meeting to order at 19:45 hours.

President Walt recognized the many visitors present. Of these, the oldest was Roy Brown, 85, and youngest, Kellie Rush, 4.

There being no objections, the Minutes of the previous general meeting were approved as printed in the June, 1982 issue of Ham-Hum. New Member: Barbara Olson, WDØGKA, Technician Class.

A Field Day Committee report was given by Mitch Gagne, NØAZF.

It was moved and seconded that the regular order of business be suspended and the program presented.

President Walt introduced the narrator, Herman Stevens, whose presentation was very informative and entertaining. His explanation of the backgrounds of Maximilian and Bodmer and the areas involved in the Journey made the film show extremely enjoyable.

Door prizes were won by Lysle Renne, Dorothy Norton, Lori Olson, Lloyd McElhaney, Doug March, Joe Connell, Turner Morgan, Frank Clayton, Roy Brown, Don Eden, John Ferrel and Ray Fink.

The meeting was adjourned at 21:20 hours, after which coffee, punch, doughnuts and cookies were served.

Respectfully submitted, Lysle Renne, NØCKH Secretary

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HAM HUM SWAP

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FOR SALE: SB-200 Linear Amplifier 80-10 meters, clean, excellent condition. Make offer. Frank Wolczak, WAØIWF, 3120 U St. 731-3072.

FATHER'S DAY was June 20th — So here's one for all you Fathers:

WALK A LITTLE PLAINER DADDY

Walk a little plainer Daddy Said a little boy so frail I'm following in your footsteps And I don't want to fail Sometimes your steps are very plain Sometimes they are hard to see So walk a little plainer daddy For you are leading me.

I know that once you walked this way many years ago And what you did along the way I'd really like to know For sometimes when I am tempted I don't know what to do So walk a little plainer daddy For I must follow you.

Someday when I'm grown up You are like I want to be Then I will have a little boy Who will want to follow me And I would want to lead him right And help him to be true So walk a little plainer daddy For we must follow you. (Author unknown)

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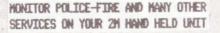
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