WELCOME TO THE 30TH STELLAFANE MEETING ON BREEZY HILL,
SPRINGFIELD, VERMONT, SATURDAY AUGUST 8, 1964.

The 30th in a series of telescope making meetings instituted on
June 18, 1925 when Russell Porter met with Albert G. Ingalls on
Breezy Hill. Present were: the Springfield Telescope Makers, Prof.
G. N. Bower, Dept. of Astronomy, University of New Hampshire,
R. M. Wilson, U. S. Geological Survey and the latter's assistant,
R. W. Walton. Springfield charter members: C. B. Damon, Oscar
Fullam, Roy Lyon, O. S. Marshall, John M. Pierce, Everett Redfield
and Frank Whitney - each displayed a telescope. The suggestion of
an annual meeting was made.

Looking back 39 years to these pioneers who generously shared
their acquired skills, we see men who also found time to praise
with the 18th Psalm. Science was a tool to their minds but art was
something to apply to living. The random quanta reflected from
their mirrors served their pursuit of infinite perfection.
Perhaps we are touching on the magnetic cement of StellaFane that
attracts and holds more of the same kind of folks year after year.

Allan Mackintosh will be Master of Ceremonies this epochal year.

Christine Cahee  
Marie Cook
Virginia Day

Registrars

Dora Gardiner
Anna Knight

All expenses of the meeting are defrayed by a $2.00 registration
fee. The support of all constituents will be appreciated. Your
non-participating guests are welcome without fee but please
register them for the records. No fee for children under 16.

Green Mountain corn on the cob and light lunches available all
day at the booth of the Springfield Hospital Auxiliary.

John F. Gregory will monitor informal talks under the tent from
2:00 P.M. to 4:00 P.M.

"Bench testing of aerial camera lenses used in stellar photography"
By Bennett Sherman, Modern Photography columnist
and amateur telescope maker.

"A 16 inch Cassegrain: design choice, fabrication and testing"
By Diane (Mrs. James) Lucas, prize winning
telescope maker, housewife and mother of three.

"Quantitative methods of optical testing"
By Joseph Vrabel, figuring expert for The
Perkin-Elmer Corporation.

Allan Mackintosh will take over at 4:15 P.M. with the Maksutov
Club session.
Telescopes will be judged in the afternoon for mounting and design -after dark for optical performance. Special award certificates will be presented for: exceptional telescopes of specific types, best ladies' telescope, best by a junior under 16 years of age and for outstanding exhibits - at the discretion of the judges.

Judging Committee
Fred F. Chellis and Berton Willard - Co-Chairmen
Stan Brower Sam Gardiner
Earle B. Brown Michael Glowa
Christine Cahee Wagn Hargbol
Ben Cleveland George Keene
Ralph K. Dakin Ed Lindberg
Jim Daley
Virginia Day Richard S. Luce
A. M. Donnelly Phil Newmarker
Warren Fillmore Burt Norman
Ernest Flanders Henry E. Paul

Twilight Talks from 7:00 P.M. to 9:30 P.M.
"Words of Welcome"
Senator Ralph Flanders and Governor Joseph B. Johnson Two veteran telescope makers

"Stellafane Lore"
John C. Pierce Our own Yankee Philosopher
Percy M. Proctor - Jones Beach Lecturer - Astronomy columnist

"Chester Cook"
Walter Scott Houston Sky & Telescope columnist

"Deep Sky Wonders" with slides
James Gibson Wesleyen University

"The 120" Telescope" with slides
Fred F. Chellis and Berton Willard

Overnight camping in the parking area but - NO OPEN FIRES PERMITTED. Please park in the area designated. There will be radio controlled traffic for round trips from the parking area to the summit for unloading only. Hot coffee on the clubhouse stove Friday night.

Commercial displays will not be permitted in order to preserve the amateur background of the meetings.

Stellafane Committee
Hedrick Cahee
Fred F. Chellis
James W. Gagan
William E. Knight
John W. Lovely
Charles Thayer