## CAVE EXPLORATION GROUP (SOUTH AUSTRALIA)

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C/- S.A. Museum, North Terrace, Adelaide.

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## Newsletter Supplement

## NEXT MEETING:

Unfortunately due to the activities held during the Festival the next meeting will be at <u>NATIONAL FITNESS ROOMS</u> on the <u>6th of APRIL</u>: Not at the Museum as previously advertised.

## Notice of Motion

It has been moved (J. Bishop) and seconded (Fred Sanders) that CEGSA increase its subscription rates to the amounts of \$3.00 (three dollars) for full membership and \$2.00 (two dollars) for country and associate membership with half-rate applicable after the end of August each year, and that the increases to be put into effect commencing this financial year. Voting on this motion will be conducted at the General Meeting of the Group to be held at the National Fitness Council Rooms, 69 South Terrace, on Wednesday the 6th of April, 1966.

# Nullarbor Films General Meeting 6th April

It is hoped that we will see Tony Dillon's slides, & possibly movies of the last expedition. If this does not eventuate a slide show compiled of other members slides will be presented.

#### New Committee

The Annual General Meeting was held at the S.A. Museum on the 23rd February. The new committee is as follows:

President A.L. Hill Vice President Ron Smith

Secretary Grant Gartrell Treasurer Ron Galbreath

Records & Library A.L. Hill
Membership, S&R Ron Smith
Publications Athol Jackson
Quarter Master Fred Sanders

S.A. Mountain Activities

Federation Rep. Ian Holt A.S.F. Rep. J. Bishop

The Museum again nominated Judy McLean Smith to the position of Museum Representative.

## Easter Nullarbor Expedition

Alan Hill is leading an expedition to the Nullarbor on 8th to the 17th of April. Due date for applications is the 15th March, 1966. A meeting of all those interested in going is being held at A.L. Hill's residence 84 Perseverance Road Tea Tree Gully on the Tuesday night 15/3/66. Alan's phone no. 64 1523, at work 59 705

NEXT COMMITTEE MEETING will be held at 84 Perseverance Road Wednesday, 16th March at 8.00 p.m.

## SOCIAL NOTES

Our Tom Wigley is full of surprises. Congratulations go to Gail Mitchell and Tom on their engagement. Just quietly we get the impression that they both like the idea, too.

### COMING NARACOORTE TRIP 19th-20th MARCH

Alan Hill is leading a Survey and Photographing trip to Beekeepers Cave. For those that are going to the Nullarbor this will prove to be an excellent warm up run; it will also give photographers the opportunity to have a trial run with the <a href="Diprotodon hillii">Diprotodon hillii</a>. Anyone else who would like to do some surveying or photography is welcome. The guide no. of 1300 for a one minute exposure is an example of the output from the <a href="Diprotodon hillii">Diprotodon hillii</a>. All applications to A.L. Hill by the 15th March.

## A.S.F.

The group has as yet only received unofficial reports on the ASF committee meeting held in Canberra on 29th & 30th of January 1966. Elery Hamilton-Smith resigned his post of President and Roly Webb was elected to fill the vacancy. As more money is to be spent on the newsletter it seems likely that ASF fees will rise accordingly.

At the January General Meeting a motion was moved that there would be 3 sections in the annual Photo competition. These were (1) A popular vote section, (2) A serious section to be judged privately, (3) A caving personality section. The reasons behind this motion were to promote more interest in good caving photography without depriving the lesser experienced photographers of a chance of winning. The next Naracoorte trip will give those people unfamiliar with a Diprotodon flash gun valuable experience in its use.

Later on in the year it has been thought that a solely photographic trip may be held just to photograph the larger parts of some of the Naracoorte caves.

The Committee will be looking for reports for the next newsletter on progress made on people's various projects. Become famous and have your pet project advertised in the next newsletter complete with progress report.

Have you a first aid certificate yet?