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MEETING ANNOUNCEMENT

The regular monthly meeting of the Royal Astronomical Society of Canada, Edmonton Centre will be held in the Lecture Room of the Queen Elizabeth Planetarium. Meeting time is 8:15 p.m; and the guest speaker will be Flight Lieutenant F. W. McCauley who will speak on "Celestial Navigation".

PLANETARIUM DISPLAYS

Willing workers are required to help plan, design and/or execute new displays for the Planetarium. We are looking for photographs, and models as well as any ideas as to how these items may be incorporated in displays.

One particular area where we are most lacking is in articles, photographs and accounts dealing with the history of the Edmonton Centre.

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LECTURE COURSE - FRIDAY

A training program is underway to instruct those interested in Planetarium lecturing. A fair number were on hand for the first session last month, and we are looking forward to seeing more this month. Friday, March 9th those interested are asked to attend the 7:30 show - then stay for a short training period to follow.

FOR SALE:

A 3inch Unitron Telescope on equatorial mount. Suggest price - \$250.00 There is also an astro-camera available. Interested persons may contact Robert Allin at Ge3-1707

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT

It is with a great deal of pleasure and pride that we announce the election of our Honorary President, Professor E. S. Keeping to the National Council of the Royal Astronomical Society of Canada. Professor Keeping is a Charter member of the Edmonton Centre and has held the positions of Secretary and President within the group. We believe the National Council is indeed fortunate to gain the services of our Honorary President, once again.

OBSERVERS' MEETINGS

The Observers Group, now well established under the able direction of Mr. Bill Cable and Mr. F. Loehde, are eager to welcome some new members. The group meets each Thursday evening at 8:30 at the Planetarium (with the exception of the second Thursday in each month) continuing their program of study and observation. Anyone interested could gain more information by contacting Mr. Cable at Gr7-7834 or Mr. Loehde at Gr7-5652.

SLIDES - ASTRONOMICAL ART.

Recently, the planetarium added to its growing collection of slides, an extensive series from the collection of Mr. Morris Dollens in Los Angeles, California. Some of these will be shown at the March meeting of the Edmonton Centre. If you are interested in ordering copies of any of these slides, which are available immediately, they may be obtained at a cost of 35¢ each in single orders. Price is reduced to 25¢ each with orders of 40 or more. Anyone wishing to place an order for these slides may write to:

Mr. Morris Dollens,  
4372 Coolidge Avenue,  
Los Angeles, 66, California.