





Our "newsletter" editor, and myself, have continued to invite you the membership to contribute to the "newsletter" with news worthy items which have been a part of your priestly life. We don't think that has to relate to "flying" only. I for one have discovered that each year at our Convention several of those in attendance are sharing something of real personal interest with others, usually about an event or happening which took place since we were last gathered together. It would be wonderful if you could write that experience up and let our editor publish it for "all" the membership to read. We, as an association, possess a wide variety of talent and ability. We possess a treasury of experiences because of our "ministry" and because we live all over the world. From East to West and North to South things are happening that is of interest to others, so forward it to the editor and read about your happening in print.

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 FINANCIAL                      REPORT

RECEIPTS

1. Registration Fees and Room Fees                      \$2,201.00      Total Income

EXPENDITURES

1. St. Norbert College (Room Fees)	\$ 889.00	
2. St. Norbert College (Food Service)	\$ 460.50	
(Monday "cook-out"==35 persons for \$122.50)		
(Tuesday banquet ==52 persons for \$338.00)		
3. Refreshment Lounge in Dorm	\$ 105.41	
(Booze, beer & pop == \$82.41)		
(Coffee, nuts, chips, cups, cream & sugar == \$23.00)		
4. Pre-Convention Expenses	\$ 120.42	
(John Hemann one flying trip to Green Bay to		
make arrangements == \$94.00)		
(John Hemann for phone calls, etc. == \$8.42)		
(Jack Paisley for materials == \$18.00)		
5. Lamer's Bus Lines (Bus for Oshkosh)	\$ 118.40	
(Bus for 115 miles == \$64.00)		
(Bus driver for 13 hrs. == \$54.40)		
6. Larry & Mary Kay Nielsen	\$ 75.00	
(Almost 300 miles on the "van" and time for		
arrangements prior to the convention)		
	<u>\$1,768.73</u>	<u>Total Expenses</u>

N.A.P.P. TREASURY

Income	\$2,201.00	
Expense	<u>\$1,768.73</u>	
	\$ 432.27	For "Wings Of Hope"
	<u>Balance</u>	8-22-80 --000.00--

(NOTE: Had we paid the E.A.A. entrance fee of \$8.00 X 52 people it would have taken \$416.00 of the above. E.A.A.'s generosity enabled us to give more to Wings of Hope)

## MINUTES OF ANNUAL MEETING

- 1980 -

After a sumptuous meal and an inspiring message by the president of E.A.A., Paul H. Poberezny, the meeting was called to order Tuesday, August 5, 1980 at 8:53 P.M., by President John Hemann.

The President asked for a motion that the minutes of the previous meeting be accepted. Motion by Attea; 2nd by Bernie Bush. No discussion. Motion carried.

Treasurer Teufel gave the financial report. In his explanation of income and expenditures he compared the dues received the past three years. 114 paid dues in 1980. Mail costs were up this year but that included some extra postage on a few mailings that contained more than the usual three page newsletter. \$195.00 was spent on 50 new lapel pins. \$50.00 to Fr. John Bellon for the expenses incurred over the years in putting together the photo albums. \$222.00 for convention expenditures last year. \$350.00 to the St. James Society. \$103.00 for the pictorial directory. The cost on the directory should stay fairly even in the years ahead as we can use the same pictures at the printer each year. Motion was made by Lawler to accept the report; 2nd by Paisley. Motion carried.

President Hemann made the following acknowledgements:

- Henry Haacke for once again keeping us legally incorporated in the state of Kentucky.
- Jack Lawler, Bob Sennott, Charlie Teufel for getting the new NAPP lapel pins.
- John Bellon for the excellent job done over the years in putting the photo memorial album together.
- Irv Weber thanked all for the many cards and prayers following his heart attack which he credited with his being present with us.

The explanation of a lack of notification in FLYING and AOPA PILOT magazines was the next order of business. Secretary Rossello mailed in the notices 6 months in advance of our August meeting. He followed this up with a second letter when nothing appeared in print. A response was received in which both magazines offered rather pathetic excuses for not printing the convention.

The action of these magazines resulted in a question being raised about last year's motion that \$50.00 be spent in both magazines advertising NAPP. Because no one was specifically assigned the task of doing this, the ads never appeared. Skriba moved, 2nd by Friederick, that since FLYING and AOPA PILOT did not publish our event, the ad be placed only in PLANE & PILOT. Discussion ensued. Paisley asked for defeat of the motion since these two magazines are the most widely read. Bush & Attea supported this. Vote was taken. Motion defeated.

Mel Hemann reported that some pictures have been gotten that will be used in the new informational brochure. His nephew is helping with the brochure and hopes to have it ready in the not too distant future.

The election of officers was the next order of business.

Lawler nominated Bob Kirsch for a 2nd term as 2nd Vice President. Skriba 2nd. Kleve moved nominations cease. Vote carried unanimously and the newly rated IFR pilot will serve another term.



Jack Paisley was nominated by Teufel for Secretary, 2nd by Kirsch. Rossello nominated John Friederick, 2nd by Kleve. Paisley nominated Dick Skriba, 2nd by Herzog. Attea moved nominations close. Paisley won.

Busch nominated Charlie Teufel for another term as Treasurer. There being no other nominations, Teufel was unanimously elected.

A rather lengthy discussion followed on the role of the three regional directors. President Hemann re-appointed Jack Lawler in the East; John Herzog in the Central; David White in the West. Before this there was a discussion on whether the regions were to large and should they be broken up. It all ended by President Hemann putting into a "charge" for the Directors that they encourage small group meetings throughout their region. Or as Sigur said, "Get together to RAPP about NAPP."

President Hemann asked for a motion making Cyril & Hattie Moore of Waverly, RI life time honorary members of NAPP because of the Piper Tomahawk donated to the Archdiocese of Anchorage. Phil Schmitt so moved; 2nd by Schoenberger. Motion carried.

The question was raised about the lack of publicity on the gift of the plane. President Hemann assumed responsibility for that oversight.

Attea suggested that the next pictorial directory also contain the N numbers of members's planes. J & M Hemann, who put the directory together each year, responded negatively because of the added work. Many donot give their zip code or phone number, how can we get their N number?

Mel Hemann brought up the subject of the Sanderson film strips for private and IFR that are available to our members. He suggested that the series be up-dated to bring it in line with current FAR's, etc. It was decided to let Mel use his own discretion in going ahead with the project which he estimates could run in the neighborhood of \$800.00.

Paisley asked that it be noted in the minutes as a reminder to all members that the tapes and film strips are available to all members. Also, that Mel can get any Sanderson materials for 20 - 30% off for NAPP members.

Last year's convention members voted that each yea. our interest money is to be given to a worthy cause. The President presented the four suggestions that had been forwarded to him by the membership.

1. The Archdiocese of Anchorage to help defray the cost of ferrying the Tomahawk from Rhode Island to Anchorage. He reported that gifts and donations had paid all expenses.

2. Bob Kirsch to help replace "Queenie" which he totalled last winter. Bob reported that gifts from many NAPP members and others, the salvage value of the plane and the insurance, have puth him in pretty good shape.

3. St. Jude Express in Albuquerque. Bob Kirsch reported that he started it almost 20 years ago to fly personnel and medical supples to Mexico and Central America. It is now a well run corporation which he felt didnot need our financial assistance at this time.

4. Wings of Hope. Mel Hemann reported on a phone converstion with Ray McKee, CSSR, and his work with the group. NAPP Member Marc Tilia of Brazil has ferried a number of the planes restored by the group to South America.

After a long discussion on how much to give, when to give it, etc., etc. it was moved by Schoenberger, 2nd by Weber, that we give our gift this year to Wings of Hope in December when the treasurer will know our financial picture and can give accordingly. Motion carried.

There was discussion on whether or not NAPP should offer some kind of gift to St. Norbert's College and to EAA for the kindness shown us. Paul Poberezny took nothing for his speech and gave free admission to all at Oshkosh. The final outcome of the discussion was that we would give our small charity to Wings of Hope as voted on earlier.

John Friederick mentioned that while visiting in Australia one of the priests asked about joining NAPP. This raised the question about the word national in our title. Sennott reminded members that the Constitution as written lists Regular Members U.S. citizens. All others are Associate. This brought some protests from the Canadians present. After much discussion Sigur moved that the Executive committee study the matter during the coming year and present a proposed solution at next year's meeting. Motion carried.

When the time came to decide on the Convention site for 1981 (West hosting), Skriba said he'd received a note from Archbishop Leo Arkfeld saying the first native son is to be ordained in New Guinea. He invites NAPP members to this event and also to have their meeting there. After Gendusa told the lengthy flight involved in getting there, this gracious invitation was turned down.

Bush informed the members that Frank Hurley from Anchorage would also like to host the convention in 1981. Hurley asked for the floor as he had a few words to say. He first mentioned that he was happy to see after sitting through the NAPP meeting that not only the Bishops' meetings were bad. Secondly, he thanked in particular Schoenberger and J. Hemann for their work in getting the Tomahawk to Anchorage. He then expressed his personal desire we would select Anchorage for the next meeting. A show of hands indicated almost all were in favor. The 1981 Convention will be in Anchorage the second week of July. The definite dates will be out by October.

The meeting adjourned with the approval of the motion by Attea that was seconded by Lawler.

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Mel Hemann & Phil Schmitt  
in EAA chopper



Oshkosh from the chopper



Ford Tri-Motor

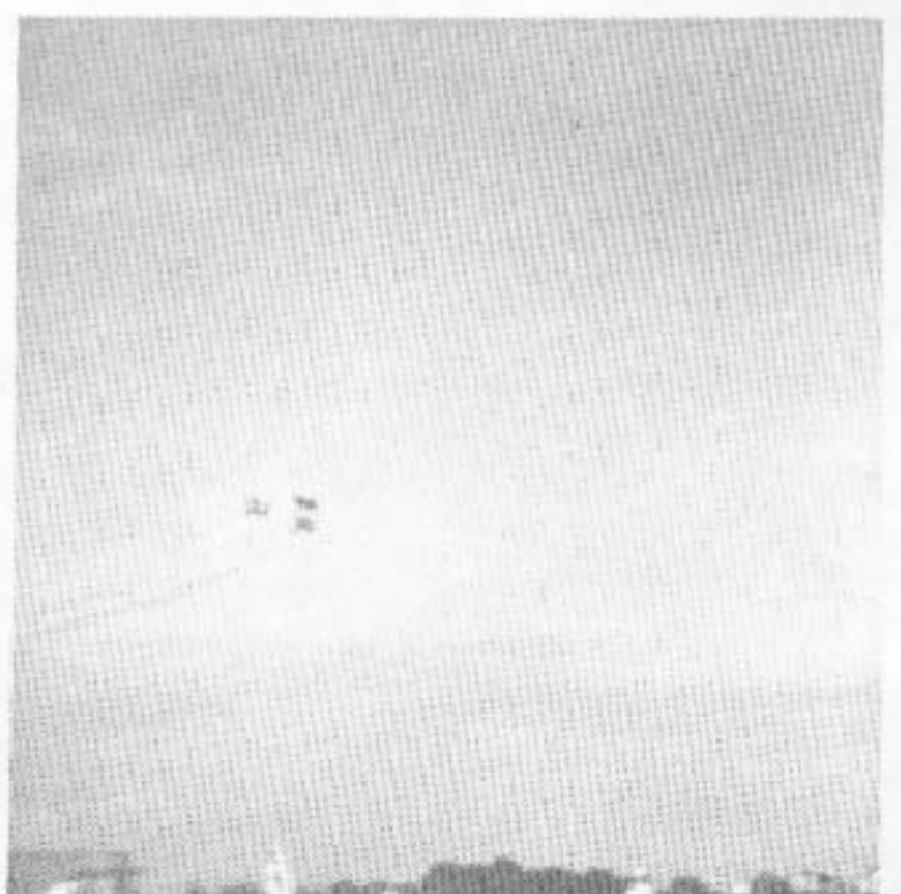


Oshkosh from the chopper



Will that kite fly???

CONVENTION HIGHLIGHTS



The Christian Eagles perform