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BYLAWS TO BE VOTED NOVEMBER 14

At the October meeting, several items regarding membership qualifications, meeting dates, the club emblem and other factors were revised to the satisfaction of the majority present.

Copies of the proposed by-laws have been mailed to the regular voting membership together with a call for a business meeting to vote on formal adoption of the bylaws.

The meeting is Sunday, November 14, 2:00 p.m., Room 305, Missouri Pacific Union Station.

WHAT DO YOU FIND INTERESTING ABOUT THE RAILROADS OF ARKANSAS?

Another topic of discussion at the last two Arkansas Railroad Club meetings is the possibility of publishing a railfan guide to Arkansas as a means of raising funds for the club.

Such booklets have been issued by several other groups. Among the suggested features are information about interesting present-

day operations on the state's railroads as well as historic sites, abandoned lines, stations, etc.

At the meetings it was suggested that members use the newsletter as a clearinghouse for information and suggestions. So once again let us know what you know and what you would like to know. The address is Jim Wakefield, 316 Auburn, Little Rock, Arkansas 72205.

As a start, we are listing below all the steam locomotives to our knowledge that are on display in the state. Additions and corrections will be appreciated as would histories and photos of these. In addition we would like to know of other locomotives in the state that might be saved from the scrap merchants.

One locomotive tragically lost in the past year was the two-foot gauge fireless loco at the Koppers tie plant in North Little Rock. This rare Heisler-built rod engine could not have been worth much as scrap metal but would have been most interesting for a museum, in operation or on display.

STEAM LOCOMOTIVES ON PERMANENT DISPLAY IN ARKANSAS

<u>Location</u>	<u>Railroad</u>	<u>No.</u>	<u>Type</u>	<u>Builder</u>	<u>Date</u>
Benton	Dierks Forests	226	2-8-2	Baldwin	1927
Ft. Smith	Frisco	4003	2-8-2		
Lewisville	Meriwether Gravel Co.	336	2-6-0	Baldwin	1909
Little Rock	Fordyce & Princeton	101	2-8-0	Baldwin	
Mena	Dierks Forests	360	4-6-0		
Paragould	Augusta R. R.	300	2-6-0	Cooke	1924
Paris	Ft. Smith Subiaco & Rock Island	2522	4-6-0	Cooke	1898
Pine Bluff	Cotton Belt	819	4-8-4	S S-W	
Victoria	Frisco	74	2-6-0	Baldwin	1916
Warren	Southern Lumber Co.	123	4-6-0	Baldwin	

List compiled as of November 1, 1971. Additions and corrections are most welcome.