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MEMBERS VOTES DO COUNT

Recently our club decided that each CIGRS Membership would be entitled to two votes at club meetings. One stipulation was that for a membership to cast its two votes, at least two people who belong to that membership needed to be present at the meeting. If only one person from that membership was present, then only one vote would be accepted from that membership. Attention has been directed to a potential problem that one person from a membership might try to vote twice by raising both his hands when a vote is taken. To dramatically demonstrate that this tactic will not be tolerated by the club, the following picture shows you what will happen if any of our club members attempt to do this. YOU AND EACH OF YOU ARE NOW DULY WARNED ! ©WMJOY



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Upcoming Events

- **March we will be at the Flower, Lawn ,and Garden Show iat the Iowa State Farigrounds n Des Moines.**
- **April will be our 2nd Annual Swap, info next month**

Club Updates

Since we are now incorporated, I will include the minutes of each formal meeting. These will be on their own pages so those that like to print the newsletter do not have to print them if they do not wish to.

February



IN THIS MONTH IN RAILROAD HISTORY

1823 - The New Jersey Railroad & Transportation Co was chartered to build across the state.

1990 - 3 passengers killed and 162 injured as subway train derails in Philadelphia.

AND THE WINNER IS

FRED LOVERIDGE

*FLOWER
SHOW
IN
MARCH*

Show And Share



Scratch Built cars by Howard Hoy



Buildings by Karla Gunzenhauer

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New Committees

Tour **Jay Nugent**
 Renee Kidman
 Doug & Cindy Doggett

Modular **Joe Godfroy**
 Gene Pritchard
 Ben Hancock

A couple of miscellaneous notes:

Remind the members they can call a work day if they would like assistance with construction or maintenance of their layout.

Important Dates and Observances

MARCH		APRIL	
Birthdays		Birthdays	
Davy Jones	3-12	Nancy Swessinger	4-5
Denny Glick	3-13	Leshia Anderson	4-7
Marilyn Shellenberg	3-25	John Kilmer	4-11
Dawn Paeth	3-28	Sandra Paeth	4-12
Anniversaries		Mary Buczek	4-18
Mike & Renee Kidman	3-7	Phil Deats	4-28
Phil & Barbara Deats	3-17	Ron Mash	4-29

Odds and Ends

WHO HAS IT NOW

Rail Bender at Kidmans

Crimper —RON MASH

Trestle jig - LOCATION
UNKNOWN



So is it a good spell or a hex, Bill?



Profiling the Next Generation

We are seeing more of the next generation.

I would like to profile them on occasion. If anyone does NOT want pictures of their little one in the newsletter, please let me know and I will

Grant Boes, 8yrs, is the grandson of Jay and Cheryl Nugent. Grant is getting more involved in the G scale now. He has his own engine, a Climax. He enjoys running it backwards for now.



Future Meetings

April 15th Swap meet in Redfield
 9:00 set up
 10:00 sales begin
 3:00 sales done and tear down

There is no fixed work schedule, please come when you are available and able to donate your time

May 20	Nugent's
June 17	Coxs (?)
July 22	Olsen's
August	Doggett's
September	Renes'
October	Myers'

March 15-18: Garden Lawn and Garden Show at the Iowa State Fair Grounds.

Thursday, March 15th: Set-up at 5 pm

Friday, March 16th: Show hours 1 pm to 8 pm

Saturday, March 17th: Show hours 10 am to 7 pm

Sunday, March 18th: Show hours 11 am to 4 pm

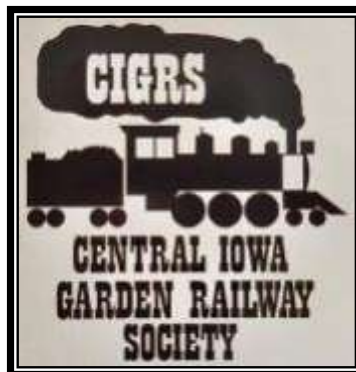
(Tear down starting at 3 pm)

Enter at on east side of building

The Central Iowa Garden Railway Society has regular monthly meetings at which we discuss one another's current projects, hobby news, and the latest products on the market.

Programs are presented at some meetings, either by one of our members, or by someone brought in from outside the organization. The programs generally cover some element of the hobby, from the history of local and other Railroads, to rolling stock to track work, to locomotives, includes electric operation, battery-powered and trains that actually run on live steam. Most of our members have, or hope to have, gauge G, or gauge 1 railways in their gardens or back yards.

Meetings are generally held on the third Sunday of each month. Specific dates and times, as well as program topics, are announced in the CIGRS Telegraph. Club members are encouraged to involve themselves in any of a variety of functions, including special model railway exhibitions that are staged in the area.



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