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I must confess I can hardly turn off the computer due to watching the sessions of meetings at the National Convention in Orlando this past week. Hopefully most of you have kept up on it also. All you have to do is click on NARFE.com and choose watching the last day particularly, August 28, and see what has taken place if you missed others days of the meetings. I am sorry each of you do not have that capability to see and hear what transpired.

Richard Thissen was elected our new president. He has done a very good job with the business of being our treasurer the last few years and am sure being President he will do as well or better with that job also. Darline Laws and I were able to attend the National convention back east in North Carolina years ago when he was running for an office at National level and got acquainted with him then. I see he has remarried after the passing of his wife and wish both he and his new wife much happiness.

Our meeting last month at Louisburg was attended by 22 persons served by the Ladies of the First Baptist Church and was very good.

We were glad to have Aaron Hughes able to attend that evening after his surgery. Glenn Alpert reported he had been a great help to the family of Hilda Hornberger in straightening out her affairs after her death. He advised us all to let our relatives be aware of our personal records-- where they are located and kept up to date for convenience.

Herman Norwood told me when I talked to him that their church had burned in Ottawa and they were very busy helping take care of getting that matter taken care of so would not be able to attend this month. We are sorry about the fire and problems that causes. The husband of Jeannette Young told me that she and 2 other gals were hiking from Colorado west thru Yellowstone and the mts. We want to let those gals know we are thinking of them and am sure they are home by now. I told him I thought relating those experiences would make a very good program for our

listening ears and hope they will take the time to do that for us!!!! We are hoping Pat Erickson has re-cooperated from her fall by now. Thinking of each of you!!!! All of the callers need to communicate with the members they call each month if at all possible and keep up on each of their family problems too.

Helen Morison reported on our Alzheimer funds. She had collected a large amount from a memorial to a family that are not NARFE members. We appreciate that. This month-- Spetember--is our usual month to hold our auction at Cadmus Grange Hall located on Hwy. # 7 east and south of Beagle about 6 miles. Please bring your donations as we will NOT hold an auction but only a collection again this year. Our program will be presented by an employee, Amy Seck, who works at Life Care with Alzheimer patients.

September 19
at 6 p.m.

Callers, please call your reservations to myself---- 913-755-4309---- by Sunday at the latest and please come with your donations!!!

The speaker last month was Jack York on the collection of Indian Relics he has done all of his adult life. He has documented his findings and compiled a study what and where several branches of Indians settled in this area. He knows about the age of each finding that has been found and has purchased items to find those objects in the ground perhaps 18" under the surface. He later came to my house to become acquainted with things found in my area. Any artifacts found now by anyone is to be reported to be documented for history. He has also found meteorites. The history lesson he gave was very interesting. |

I have received an invitation to be passed on to all our members and those interested in a party!!!!

Join us to celebrate Elsa Hale's 90th Birthday
Saturday, October 18th, at 2 p.m. to 5 p.m.
Spring Hill Civic Center
401 N. Madison St.
Spring Hill, Kansas
No gifts please
Cards are welcome.



Jack Lord's collections!

