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## AUGUST MEETING

DATE:

August 9, 1983 \*\*Tuesday\*\*

SPEAKER:

JAMES E. KAHLE, California Division of Mines

and Geology

SUBJECT:

The Coalinga earthquakes of May and June, 1983.

JIM will discuss damage, seismicity, the fault scarp that developed in June and the CDMG pro-

gram in the area.

PLACE:

California Country Club

1509 South Workman Mill Road

City of Industry

(Thomas Guide Page 47, F-4)

COST:

\$12.00

RESERVATIONS: LeRoy Crandall & Assoc.

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TIME:

5:30 - Social Hour

6:30 - Dinner

7:30 - AEG Business

8:00 - Speaker

9:00 - Section Affairs (if Scheduled)

RESERVATIONS are required by the proceeding  $\underline{FRIDAY}$  at  $\underline{NOON}$ ALICE asks for your help.

## REGISTRATION BOARD

GOVERNOR DAUKMEJIAN has asked all State agencies which adopt regulations, to review existing regulations. This review is to be scheduled at regular board meetings. The purpose of the review is to determine the degree to which regulations impose unnecessary costs, stifle business initiatives or hinder the creation of jobs. The review in Los Angeles is scheduled for September 13, 1983. Mark your calendars and get involved.

### NEWS OF MEMBERS

JAMES SLOSSON, in July, 1983, chaired a panel discussion titled, "In what ways has design innovations and better knowledge of physical processes increased legal liability?" The panel was part of the Natural Hazards Research and Applications Workshop in Boulder, Colorado; Well JIM, in what ways???

ROY SHLEMON survived flea bites and Kalishnikov rifles while completing a geomorphic study in support of archaeological investigations on the lower Euphrates River in Syria. The study was for UCLA Institute of Archaeology and involved a survey of Euphrates River meander loops, their Holocene history and possible impact on Sumarian and new-Assyrian tels near the Iraqi and Turkish borders.

# NOMINATIONS FOR 1983 SECTION OFFICERS

DICK LOWNES, 1983 Chairman of the Nominating Committee is pleased to announce his committees recommendation for next years Section officers. They are:

Chairman: Alice Campbell Vice Chairman: Hugh Robertson

Secretary: Jeff Holt Treasurer: Gary Guacci

The members are invited to provide additional nominations at the August meeting. Ballots will be mailed to members following the meeting.

#### NEW EDITOR

Beginning with the October Newsletter, your new editor will be the one and only JOHN D. MERRILL. JOHN is one of the toughest proof readers to carry a red pen and the future newsletter are sure to be speled wright. JOHN will need all the suggestions he can get on improving your newsletter. Call him at 881-2063.

#### EXPANSIVE SOILS

A half-day presentation is planned on August 9, 1983 on "Building on Expansive Soils". The panel of experts will discuss local problems, remedial measures and legal and professional responsibilities. The program is sponsored by Colorado State University Civil Engineering Department and is part of a National Science Foundation Grant. The fee is \$10.00 at the door and the presentation will be held at the Los Angeles Convention Center in the morning. Call Jack Eagen at Moore and Taber for more information (714) 779-2591.

#### FOOD FOR THOUGHT

"Reason often makes mistakes, but conscience never does."

Josh Billings

"There are two places where socialism will work: In Heaven, where it is not needed; and in Hell, where they already have it."

Churchill

"Fear less, hope more; eat less, chew more; whine less, breathe more; talk less, say more; hate less, love more; and all good things are yours."

Swedish Proverb

"A lean Compromise is better than a fat lawsuit."

David Grover

"To err is human; to blame it on somebody else is even more human."

Bits & Pieces

"You can say one thing for ignorance: It certainly causes a lot of interesting arguments." Bits & Pieces

"Nothing arrives more slowly and passes more quickly than a vacation."

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# PUBLICATIONS OF INTEREST

# U. S. GEOLOGICAL SURVEY

P 1183: Landslide overview map of the conterminous United States, by D. H. Radbruch=Hall, R. B. Colton, W. E. Davies, Ivo Lucchitta, B. A. Skipp and D.J. Varnes \$5.50

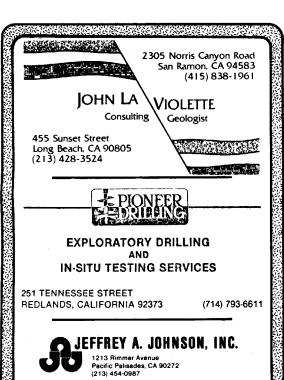
#### MAPS:

I-1329: Map showing recently active breaks along the Elsinore and associated faults, California, between Lake Henshaw and Mexico, by M. M. Clark \$5.00

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Triggered reverse fault and earthquake due to crustal unloading, northwest Transverse Range, California, by R. F. Yerkes, W. L. Ellsworth, and J. C. Tinsley

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