

### The May Meeting. -

The May meeting will be held Monday 12 May 1969 at the MINN AIR GUARD AIR OPERATIONS building (Building S684) on the Fort Snelling Reservation. The starting time is 7:30 PM. The program will feature the Curtiss Oriole, a replica of which is being built for a flight from Minneapolis to Washington D.C. during the fall of 1970. This flight is to commemorate the 50th anniversary of a flight made by General Ray S. Miller to secure a charter for this country's first Air National Guard Unit, which is located here in the Twin Cities. Harry Dahlquist and Floran Sullivan are part of the team involved in the construction of this replica. Harry will present the program on Monday.

### Highlights of the April Meeting. -

Floran Sullivan gave the designee's report. At the recent designee's meeting at Headquarters, a committee was formed to evaluate new plans.

Gill Leiter gave a report on the chapter officers' conference at Headquarters on 29-30 March. Gary Wirth and Gus Limbach also attended the conference. Items covered at this conference included the following:

- 1) A master insurance policy, which could be used by all EAA chapters, for EAA fly-ins
- 2) A comprehensive evaluation of aircraft plans
- 3) The EAA policy that profits from airshows should stay in aviation (chapters are urged to maintain this policy)
- 4) A recommendation that airworthiness requirements not be changed for homebuilts by the FAA.

In a short discussion of membership policy and dues, the amount of which would be determined after a budget had been drawn up, it was suggested that dues be paid annually.

Finally, the St. Paul Downtown Airport terminal was suggested as a possible meeting place for future meetings because of its large lounge area.

