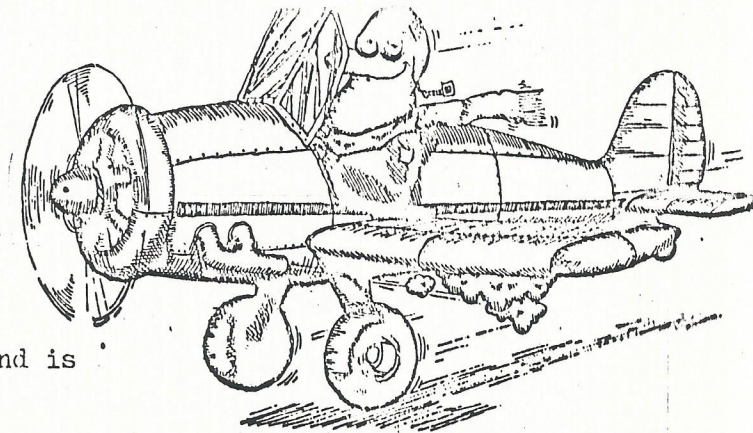


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Hi Flyer,

Hope everyone had a nice holiday season and is planning a great 1980.

The January Meeting will be held at the Gas Light Company Auditorium ( same place as last time.) at 7 PM On Wednesday 23 January 1980. Our meeting will be in conjunction with an FAA Safety Seminar conducted by Mr Ron Ely of the Atlanta GADO. Ron tells me that he will have several films and maybe a Sweeney(?) chair. That is a contraption to demonstrate the effects of vertigo. By attending this meeting you will qualify for the Safety Meeting required to get your FAA Pilot Proficiency Wings. Those who have not completed all the requirements will be given a certificate for attending the meeting and those who have completed all the requirements will be awarded their wings at the meeting. This is going to be a good meeting, so please try to come.

#### PROJECT UPDATE

From the Varieze assembly line comes word that Vernon Prater has completed one wing and that Leonard Smith has both wings completed and is now working on the instrument panel and fuselage. Things are coming right along.

Frank Massa is still waiting for his aluminum kit for his Zenith 250 to be shipped. Frank, never one to waste time , built himself a 4 foot bending brake while he waited. Good news to Chapter folks who contemplate making a metal airplane.

Bud Schuman's Mustang II appears to be molting. When last seen it was just sitting in a corner with it's tail feathers laying all over the floor.

Two other homebuilts are being constructed in the Columbus area. A Quickie and a KR-2. Neither builder is a Chapter member, but both have indicated that they planned to joined us as soon as they get around to it. Maybe they need one of these.

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#### OTHER HAPPENINGS

LeRoy Storey got a nice gift from his son...two books. "Great Planes of the US" and "Air Battles of World War I". LeRoy says he will lend them to Chapter members. He's a nice guy. He also has 48 back issues of Sport Aviation, some dating back to the 60's. If anyone wants back issues, they can be bought for \$2.00 a copy. EEA Hq is going to quit selling back issues so they may well become collectors items. By the way, \$1.20 of the \$2.00 price will go to the Chapter Treasury.

Look for some newspaper coverage of the Chapter. LeRoy Storey was interviewed by the Ledger-Enquirer last week and they took some pictures, too. Don't know exactly when it will come out, so be watching for it.

That's about it for this time. See you at the meeting.

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