1989 Annual Meeting: Houston, Texas

MARK YOUR CALENDARS! Plans for the annual Alford Reunion and Meeting have been firmed up to the extent that we know we will be meeting October 14, 1989, at the Houstonian Hotel in Houston, Texas. Special room rates are being made available to members for Friday and Saturday nights. Information will be forthcoming on other facilities in the area.

Special notices or invitations will be sent to all members. To make it easier to keep up with those who plan to attend and to help offset expenses of the meeting, a registration fee is being charged this year. The advance registration fee is \$3, and the fee on the date of the meeting will be \$5. Letters

are being sent to all Texas Alfords inviting them to attend and/or join AAFA, and they are being advised of the registration fee.

D. L. Alford, Jr., with the capable assistance of his cousin Dovie Jean Alford of Houston are taking care of the meeting arrangements. Plans have not been finalized for an informal meal and meeting on Friday evening, but one is planned. It will be someplace other than the Houstonian and will be dutch treat.

Lucille Mehrkam and Pat Fite have been busy digging out information on names and addresses of Alfords in Texas. Lucille has been writing to those in the Houston area. Pat Fite is writing to many organizations to which she belongs, or newsletters to which she subscribes, informing them of our plans.

Members will be kept advised of plans. A large turn out is expected—a good number have already expressed intentions of attending. We hope to see YOU there!

