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January 5, 1992

Dear TCA Western Division Members:

The results of our election for 1992 Officers and Board are:

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Appointed by Presidential Decree and confirmed by the Board.

Those of you who didn't attend our December 8, 1991 Christmas party meet missed a great time. As in the past our generous and always helpful wives provided delicious food. The trading tables were very lively (Except during meal time) and Santa Clause visited with our future TCA members. prises were won by: Joe Lovi - Lionel Station, Paul Hurtado - 1979 TCA Mint Car. Ernie Renn - 1986 TCA CABOOSE; Children's Prizes by: The son of Wain Wong, and the son of Mike Olaerts. The many auction items (all of which were donated to the division through the efforts of Tom Watson and Bob Caplan) made the meeting a profitable one.

Your 1992 DUES are now due and payable. You may pay your dues at the meet or by mail to DALE LANGE 1371 Cherry Ave., Simi Valley, CA 93065. The TCA Western Division dues for 1992 are still only \$10.00. Your National TCA membership must be currently in force for you to be a Western Division Member.

TABLE FEES and NO COST TO SELLERS FOR THE and our 1992 MEETS ARE SCHEDULED FOR THE FOURTH SATURDAY of the month

Until we see each other again, keep your eyes open for that great train deal.

## SATURDAY SATURDAY SATURDAY SATURDAY SATURDAY SATURDAY

Our TCA Western Division Meeting will be on SATURDAY, January 25, 1992, for this month. The meeting will be open to all at the official start time of 12:00 Noon, with everyone able to enter the hall any time after I get there. (I plan to get there about 11:00 A.M. to organize the table set up.) The exception to this rule is only for the PARTS DEALERS, who will be allowed to come in and set up their displays early, as long as I am already there.

Our meetings are held in the Arcadia Senior Citizens Center, which is located at 405 South Santa Anita Avenue, Arcadia, CA.

Last year, the theme for display for January was "WHAT YOU RECEIVED FOR CHRISTMAS" or in more meaningful words "WHAT SANTA CLAUSE BROUGHT YOU" Lets have the same theme, but add to it "WHAT YOU WOULD HAVE LIKED TO GET" This last item works by you asking one of your fellow TCA friends to bring his or her train related item for you to display. (Please don't ask your friend to bring the whole collection.)

Once again, Carol Stella will have all of those goodies in the kitchen.