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NOVEMBER MEETING

The Buffalo Astronomical Association will meet at the Museum of Science on Friday the Thirteenth of November. Contrary to superstition it will be a lucky day for us as we have as our speaker, Mr Ernst Both whose talk is entitled "Solar Activity". He will discuss the development of active centers on the sun, features associated with them and instruments used to observe them.

We hope our weather will enable us to use the Museum's 8" refractor for observing after and during the usual refreshment and social period following the meeting.

ADVANCED OBSERVING SECTION

At the Advanced Observing section's October meeting reports were given of the work of individual members. After some discussion it was decided that although reports on all kinds of observing would be encouraged, the work of the group would continue to be centered on the moon. The next meeting will be held on Saturday, November 28th at 3:00

ADVANCED STUDY SECTION

The members of the Advanced Study section are urged to bring their problems (astronomical, that is) to the next meeting, which will be held on November 28th at 1:30 in the Museum of Science. In our reading many of us come across articles or parts of articles which are difficult to understand. Ron Clippinger has agreed to undertake the difficult task of explaining all perplexing passages in our astronomical reading.

OBSERVATORY NOTES

Congratulations are in order for all those who are responsible for the very fine publicity which the B.A.A. received recently on our observatory and soon (we) hope) to be completed telescope.

PUZZLE

What eminent member of the B.A.A. was recently seen wearing an ASTROLOGICAL symbol, prominently displayed?



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