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NOTICE OF FALL MEETING

A fall meeting of the Mississippi Ornithological Society will be held on Friday evening, November 30, 1973 at 7:30 P.M. at the new Mississippi Museum of Natural Science, 111 N. Jefferson St., Jackson, Mississippi. The meeting will be in the museum auditorium with a presentation on Mississippi birdlife and the museum program by B. E. Gandy, followed by a tour of the Museum. The museum is located opposite the fairgrounds and behind the Old Capitol Building.

The new museum building, which cost over \$500,000 completely furnished, has quite a number of new exhibits with both temporary and permanent displays. Sound effects have been added to the large dioramas and there are 18 aquariums from 80 to 400 gallons in size displaying native fish.

On Saturday morning, December 1, we have a field trip scheduled to start at 8:00 A.M. from the Main Harbor Marina on Ross Barnett Reservoir. This marina is at the north end of the dam. Directions to the meeting place for the field trip will be available at the evening meeting. We plan to visit the Pearl River Waterfowl Refuge where we can expect to find a variety of waterfowl.

Members should make their own arrangements for meals and lodging. There are no major football games scheduled for the week-end but it would be advisable to make your room reservations in Jackson as soon as possible. Motel listings are on the reverse side.

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