



# *Austin Sailing Club* **Tell-Tale**

May, 1961

There will be a called meeting Thursday, May 18 at 2301 North Loop (Doctors Moore & McIntyre's office), at 8 P.M. The business to be discussed is the proposal passed by a 5 to 4 vote to purchase Travis Landing while retaining the existing Club house. This proposal was passed Saturday, May 6. It is the feeling of the executive committee that any proposal committing the members to a program of this magnitude should reflect the feelings either of a larger vote of the total members or be passed by a more substantial majority.

The following paragraph is presented at the request of Gene George:

"There has been concern with my intentions in reference to the property at Travis Landing. In the interests of combining all sailing groups (that is, both sailing club members as well as non-sailing club members who sail), it seemed reasonable to tie up the property for its future potential prior to its being absorbed by other interests. This was done in hopes that the club would take it over. At no time during the presentation of this idea was it intended that alternate and intimidation counterproposals would be introduced as voting incentives. I had assumed, when I left for Shreveport that a simple vote, without further discussion would be taken. Should the club not absorb the property it would either revert back to the original owners or possibly a holding group would be formed to permit its availability for future use. The issue at hand goes no further than this."

Signed Gene George

Because we have not been able to secure the facilities of Lake Travis Lodge in June and also because of a possibility of a poor turnout due to other large regattas in a short period of time, our annual regatta has been changed to Saturday and Sunday, Sept. 16 & 17.

- Burgee