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Time once again for your monthly edition of the club paper and also a reminder of the next meeting to be held on Thursday, 13 December at the Izaak Walton Club House, 1714 West Santa Clara St. Santa Ana. Time, 7:30 PM. Let's have a big turn out.

In case you missed the last meeting, we had a total of 25 members attending and the election was close. Bill Vaughn is our President for next year. Joe Eatherton, Vice-President, Don Meador is our new Secretary, and DeForrest Pepper was re-elected to the Treasurer's position. Voting was so close that only 1 or 2 votes were the deciding factor. No absentee ballots were cast.

Once again we had many visitors at our last meeting. Hope to see you return again and express a desire to join our club.

After getting off to sort of a slow start at the beginning of last year, the club started rolling with several guest speakers at each meeting. Some of the highlights of the past year were the swim party at Jim and Vera Auest's home, the fashion show at our September meeting at which we had 125 people in attendance, the trip to Idillywild in August where Melvin Howell and his wife won prizes for th blind driving contest, Lug Wrench Howell and Jiffy Jack Hall winning the Crooked Crank Award at the Long Beach Straw Hat Day, and the trip to Fallbrook in November where we had a grand turn out from Orange County. Not to mention the grand pictures that Jack Hilton showed us after winning first place at San Francisco in July and the wonderful talk he gave describing the National Meet at San Francisco. Perhaps the best advertisement

the club had was the picture of Mr and Mrs Gayle Hasenplaugh and family (with the Phaeton) in the Santa Ana Independent on 6 September announcing our fashion show. The club started putting out this paper for the June meeting, sending it to each member, and also a courtesy copy to visitors. The Board of Directors adopted the recommendation of buying publications on the Model A so club members would have ready access to these books. The club has also been on the lookout for special Ford tools to assist club members when they need them. These are but a few of the things the club has done in the past year. But perhaps the biggest thing is what the members have done for the club. From 20 members at the first of June the club has grown to 38 members at this time. So many of you have given freely of your time and efforts to make the club a success, for this we can only say Thank You, so very much.

So much for the past, What does the future hold? Let's all pitch in and help to make it a grand big year for 63.

There is a Big Surprise for the December meeting. What is it? I don't know and no one will tell me. You will just have to be at the next meeting to find out. This is all I know, honest.

Our new address for all official club mail is now Post Office Box 5023, Santa Ana. The Board of Directors adopted this to ensure our mail getting to us on time and to make it <sup>easy to get out any</sup> ~~asseciblext~~ important information on a moments notice.

**The club could use a little help in getting out each edition of this monthly paper. If you can type, write up some articles for the paper, or just give us a hand written article pertaining to Model A's please get in touch with Bill Vaughn, Joe Eatherton, or Richard Hastings. We could sure use some helpful hints on restoration and especially some on clothing and styles of dress**

during the thirties. Give us your ideas so the club can profit.

I have seen 2 new paint jobs on A's belonging to 2 members of the club. They both look good. Congratulations to Dick Neald and Joe Eatherton for a lot of hard work to put out 2 fine looking cars.

Gene Howell says to sell his fine 30 Model A Tudor for \$375.00, any takers. This is the car that he and Melvin drove to win the prizes last year. You can call him at KI 92009. He also has a 30 Sport Coupe for sale for \$300.

Do you need any 19" wheels, tires or tubes? If so, see Mike Magallanes, 2058 S. Cedar St. Santa Ana. 546-0740

Mr. B. D. Rinehart, 4205 W. Wisteria Pl, Santa Ana, JE 13653 has a 30 Deluxe Coupe for sale, \$400.00. Also 16" wheels, price ?

This about winds it up for this edition, hope to see you at the club house next Thursday nite. In case you cant make it, a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year to all from your club, the Orange County Chapter, Model A Ford Club of America.

M. E. Smitty Smith  
Publicity Chairman

Wanted: Left Front Fender with or without wheel well for 29 Pickup,  
DeForresr Pepper, 1810 Crone Ave. Maheim, KE 55960