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YEAH, MAN.... THIS YEAR I'M
FIRST AT ORANGE COUNTY'S SWAP
MEET APRIL 16TH!

APRIL MEETING

DATE: April 13, 1967
 TIME: 7:30 pm
 PLACE: Izaak Walton Club House
 1714 Santa Clara, Santa Ana

The entertainment for the April meeting is a big, deep, dark secret. At least, nobody's told ME what it is ! So be sure not to miss -- we may well be having the best meeting of the year ! But it won't be as good without
 YOU ! ! !

CALENDAR

- APRIL 16th ORANGE COUNTY Swap Meet, Santa Ana Community Center, 8th and Flower
- MAY 6-7 Bakersfield Swap meet and weekend event
- MAY 27 Garden Grove Strawberry Festival Parade
- JUNE 24-25 Orange County campout at Artesian Lake, near Escondido
- AUGUST 26-27 Idyllwild Campout, sponsored by Jewel City MAFCA
- SEPTEMBER 10 ORANGE COUNTY Fall Pancake Breakfast, Orange City Park
- OCTOBER 21 ORANGE COUNTY ROUNDUP at Knott's Berry Farm, Buena Park.

"SAEZ"-ING IT UP
 by Andy Saez

Our Spring Pancake Breakfast was a real success due to hard work by many of our members. We were fortunate to have such a good response from so many other clubs in the Southland area. We overheard favorable comment regarding the two tours that went through Briggs Cunningham Museum following breakfast. I want to add my personal thanks to everyone who assisted and made it the success it was.

Let's all lend our support to this month's activity -- the Swap Meet on April 16th. (See Gene Robinson's article on page 2 for details.)

It seems that our activities this year have not been social as yet; however, this Meet is our last money-making project until the Fall Pancake Breakfast, so let's all help to make this as successful as the Spring Breakfast.

Last year we voted to have a raffle through out this year with the drawing to be held as part of our Roundup at Knott's in October, and a set of tires as the prize. Dom Antonacci is handling the raffle, and the first book of tickets (of \$5.00 value) will be mailed to each member in the very near future. Each ticket in the book can be sold for 25¢, or 5 for \$1.00. Additional books and details can be obtained from Dom.

Wanted ! ! !

The following Orange County Model A Ford Club members:
 Joey Balthazor, Bob Deshon, Roland Ferris, Burl Frost,
 Phil Joujon-Roche, Don Koenig, Bob McDaniels, Don Meador
 DeForest Pepper, John Shattuck. If found, please bring to
 the next club meeting! Unless these people appear before
 the end of April and pay their yearly club dues, this will be
 the last issue of The Distributor they will receive. (Oh, no !
 Oh, fate worse than death or dishonor ! ! Anything but that ! ! !)

LET'S GO.....

by Gene Robinson

WOW!! How was that for our first big event of the year? Our Spring Pancake Breakfast served 238 people; we had 60 to 65 A's out (I lost count) and had a couple of great tours to the Cunningham Museum. Also, we made enough money to keep the kitty fed for a while.

Many thanks to all of you who helped put on the Breakfast. From the ones who met me at the park at 6:15 AM with "Where have you been, sleeping in?!" to all of you that were there and had a good time -- THANKS AGAIN!!

NOW THEN....SUNDAY, APRIL 16 -- SWAP MEET !
6:00 AM (Oh, me)

For the past two years the date of our Swap Meet has been the same date as a large IARC meet in the Los Angeles area. This year, however, we've wised up, and have set the date to avoid any other events, and to attract a larger crowd (we hope.)

The Civic Center parking lot has been greatly expanded since our meet last year. Prez Andy and I have looked over the area, and decided how best to use it. We are going to use the kitchen that is located next to the parking lot, and set tables up outside the kitchen door to serve the food. This way, the gals serving the food will not have to be outside all the time.

Again this year we'll need some Early-bird volunteers to be at the Civic Center about six AM to help set up the food stand, mark swapping stalls, close some gates, etc. I will need volunteers to take money at the main gate as the swappers arrive, and gals to take their turn at serving food.

Don't be afraid to put your hand up to volunteer for a job when you're asked to at the monthly meeting. Remember -- the life you save might be mine ! Enough said about the Swap Meet.

MAY - Our long-postponed joint tour with the

Ventura club will be sometime this month; the date will be announced.

Don't forget the Garden Grove Strawberry Festival Parade on May 27. We really owe it to our club to make a fine showing of ALL our cars at this event.

JUNE 24th and 25th is our Orange County club campout at Artesian Lake. (Watch the paper next month for an article from Harriett Green about camping -- it's a dandy!)

COMING SOON.....

A new series in The Distributor, cheerfully stolen from a delightful little book called "Trivia" by Goodgold and Carlinsky.

The point is to help us remember the "non-monumental yet nostalgic events of those thrilling days of yesteryear."

Ready for a couple of teasers? (Answers in next month's Distributor -- if I don't forget!)

Where did Fibber McGee and Molly live?

Who played Fu Manchu in the movie series?

Recite the introduction to The Lone Ranger, beginning "With his faithful Indian companion Tonto,...."

That oughta keep those memories working!! More next month.

One last warning: don't tangle with Andy Saez in this game! He remembers more trivia than most of us ever knew!!

Well, so what are you waiting for? Start reciting the introduction to the Lone Ranger !!!

Fads and Fashions

by Jane Walker

The following appeared in *Woman's Home Companion Magazine*, January 1928:

THE JEWELLED DETAIL As Seen In Paris Frocks

Jewelry is no longer purely an accessory. It has become a part of the frock, sharing the importance of the other costume details. Chanel, a strong advocate of this jewelry vogue, has been especially successful in her interpretations. One of her favorite touches on both silk and wool is a buckle and pin ensemble of clear stones which fit perfectly into the color scheme of the frock. For evening as a means of introducing one sharp note of contrast she uses long chains and matching bracelets of disc-shaped jewels and she has removed the double-ended pin from the millinery field, utilizing it as a blouse decoration. A gleaming topaz suspended from a twisted dull gold chain is Champcommunal's way of lending color to a smoke chiffon evening frock and the use of bar pins in pairs on satin or velvet is also to her credit.

The waistline is frequently Patou's objective when considering jewels. There he'll place a liquid aquamarine or arrange a belt of rhinestone strands. A pair of dull gold circlets centered in shoulder and belt rosettes is one of Cheruit's contributions to the jeweled mode while Jenny has an amusing way of heading the pocket of a sports blouse with an animal pin, a dog, cat, elephant or squirrel of cut-out silver.



YUMA TOUR, 1967
by Jeanne Parrish

The 10th Annual Yuma Tour was held March 3rd, 4th and 5th at the Chilton Inn in Yuma. Orange County IAFCA was well represented, with nineteen couples or families attending, the Saezs, the Antonaccis, Robinsons, Boefs, Dierbergers, Parrishes, Peddicords, Bufords, Sales, Gammells, Engedals, Eathertons, Greens, Vaughns Baudinos, Twymans and Walkers.

We arrived in many different groups beginning 5 pm Friday and ending with the last group arriving about 9 am Saturday morning. Beginning the week-end as we arrived, there were many just relaxing and playing cards in their rooms, while others celebrated in the bar at the Inn.

Saturday morning, we found ourselves registering in the lobby for tour packets, banquet tickets and car events. Various restaurants and coffee shops in Yuma provided our breakfasts, after which we rushed back to participate in a parade through Yuma (Those who saw the parade thru Albuquerque at the National Meet tell me that Yuma didn't quite measure up as far as the "crowds" of people watching!)

Judging and a gymkhana began with this parade and continued through the afternoon. The gals watched a fashion show in the dining room of the Inn, where refreshments were served.

Late afternoon found us napping, watching running and judging events, and I seem to remember a few people braving the pool for a cool dig. (If the water didn't finish you, the wind would!)

Once again getting into our era duds, we toured down to the Armory and began what was to be a long wait for dinner! Due to a misunderstanding with the caterers, Happy Hour turned into many hours. Some of us who had not been served got our dinners at a nearby restaurant, where, later, piano and organ music was provided by our own Harriett Green.

Sunday morning we all enjoyed the Winner's Circle, with lots of picture taking, of all winners. Orange County held its own, with Andy Baudino taking 1st Place in '28-'29 category, and Stew Sale receiving 2nd Place in the Gymkhana event.

After a few short and quick trips to San Luis Mexico, we were on the road for home with some mixed memories of this tour. I'm sure it can be improved upon by next year and maybe a bigger and better tour awaits us next year in Yuma.

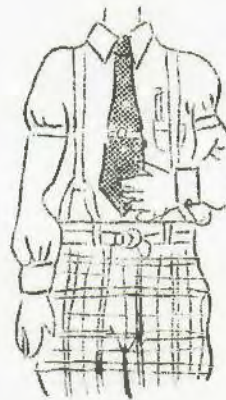
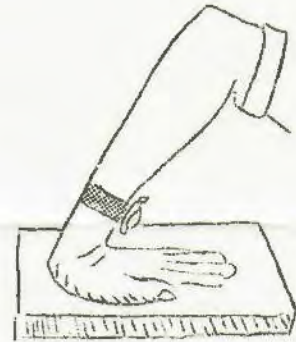
WHATEVER HAPPENED TO....



being blackboard monitor and clapping the erasers together to get chalk on the kid you didn't like

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BEING DOUBLE-JOINTED



your mother telling you not to swallow your gum because your insides would stick together

MAILING PAINTED
TURTLES TO PEOPLE



--From the book "Whatever Happened To..."
by Price/Stern/Sloan Publishers

Let's Get Technical
by Andy Baudino

MODEL A LUBRICATION

"It is advisable to clean out the oil pan by draining of the dirty oil when the new (1) car has been driven 500 miles, and thereafter to repeat the operation every 500 miles."

DIFFERENTIAL - Change at 5,000 miles

TRANSMISSION - Change at 5,000 miles

CLUTCH RELEASE BEARING - Change at 2,000 miles

(STD can be added to Transmission, Differential and steering.)

Taken from Ford Service Bulletin :

GYP PARTS

Always bear in mind that when an owner experiences trouble as the result of having been sold a "gyp" part, he seldom blames the manufacturer of such material -- he blames the concern who sold him the goods. As a result their business, which is dependent solely upon local trade, sustains a permanent loss while the manufacturers of the gyp material simply transfers his selling efforts to some other locality where his goods are unknown. Genuine Ford parts are your protection.

MINUTES OF MARCH MEETING

March 9, 1967

The meeting was opened by Vice-president Gene Robinson.

Board Meeting minutes of February 23, 1967, were read by the Secretary. The Treasurer reported \$247.60 in the club treasury.

Ted Stoddard, a visitor from Pomona Chapter, reminded us of the Pomona Swap Meet on March 12, 1967.

Activities chairman reported on club events coming up. They were: the Pancake Breakfast on March 19; the Swap Meet on April 16; the campout on June 24 and 25; and the Strawberry Festival Parade on May 27.

The new rosters were given out and it was asked that we have more ads for the Distributor.

Jim Buford gave a report on the Snow Trip.

Andy Baudino, Larry Boef, Gene Robinson, Stew Sale and Betty Eatherton gave reports on the Yuma Tour.

Lucille Saez reported she is making progress on acquiring insurance for the club.

The tickets for the tire raffle are ready for distribution.

Visitors were introduced. A question and answer period was held. The speaker for the evening was unable to attend.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,
Sandy Antonacci, Secretary

WANT ADS

FOR SALE: 1934 Ford pickup, original condition with wire wheels and left wheel well fender. V-8 engine needs minor repair work. Rest okay. \$300.

FOR SALE: 1933 Ford 3-window coupe with 1940 engine, running gear and juice brake. Not in running condition. \$100. Phil Joujon-Roche, 549-3567.

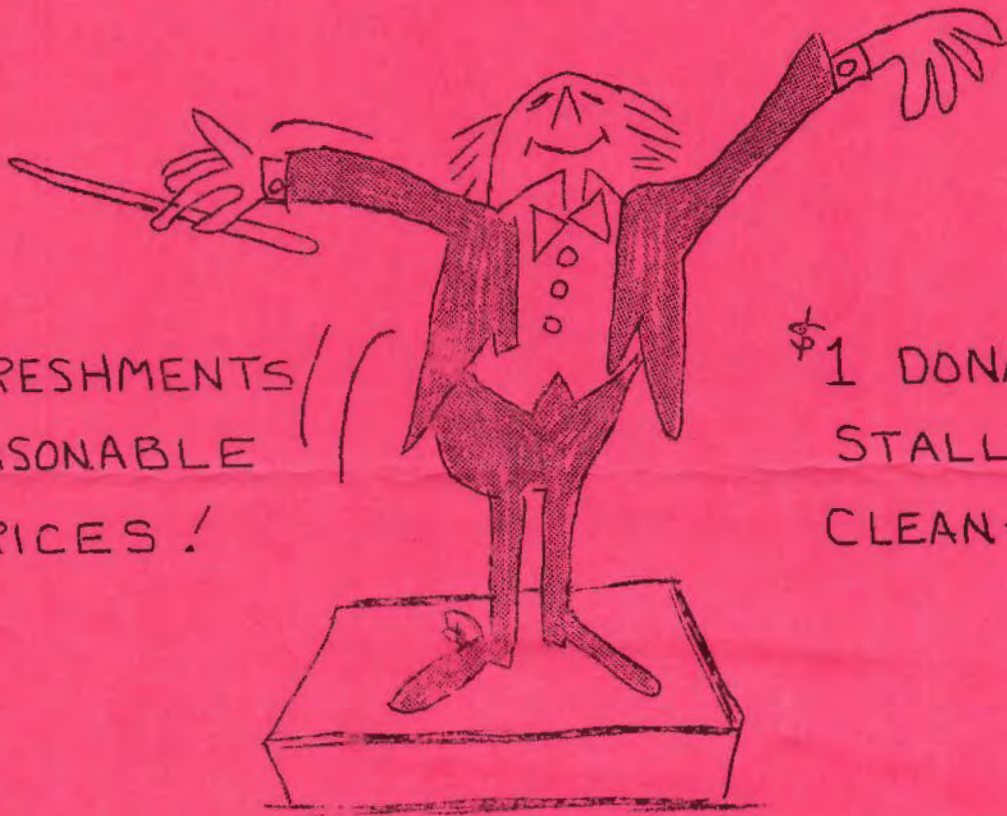
FOR SALE: 1928 special coupe. New chrome, sandblasted, new naugahyde interior. Second owner car. \$1,000. Dr. Marvin Geyer, office 639-0111

FOR SALE: Women's era clothing. Jane Walker, 673-5564.

FOR SALE: 1928 Town and Country sedan \$ 500. Jim Guinn
6082 S. Ridgeway
Yorba Linda

Boy, if your ad isn't in the paper this month, you'd better bring your stuff to the Swap Meet April 16!

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SWAP MEET

APRIL 16TH

SANTA ANA CIVIC CENTER



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