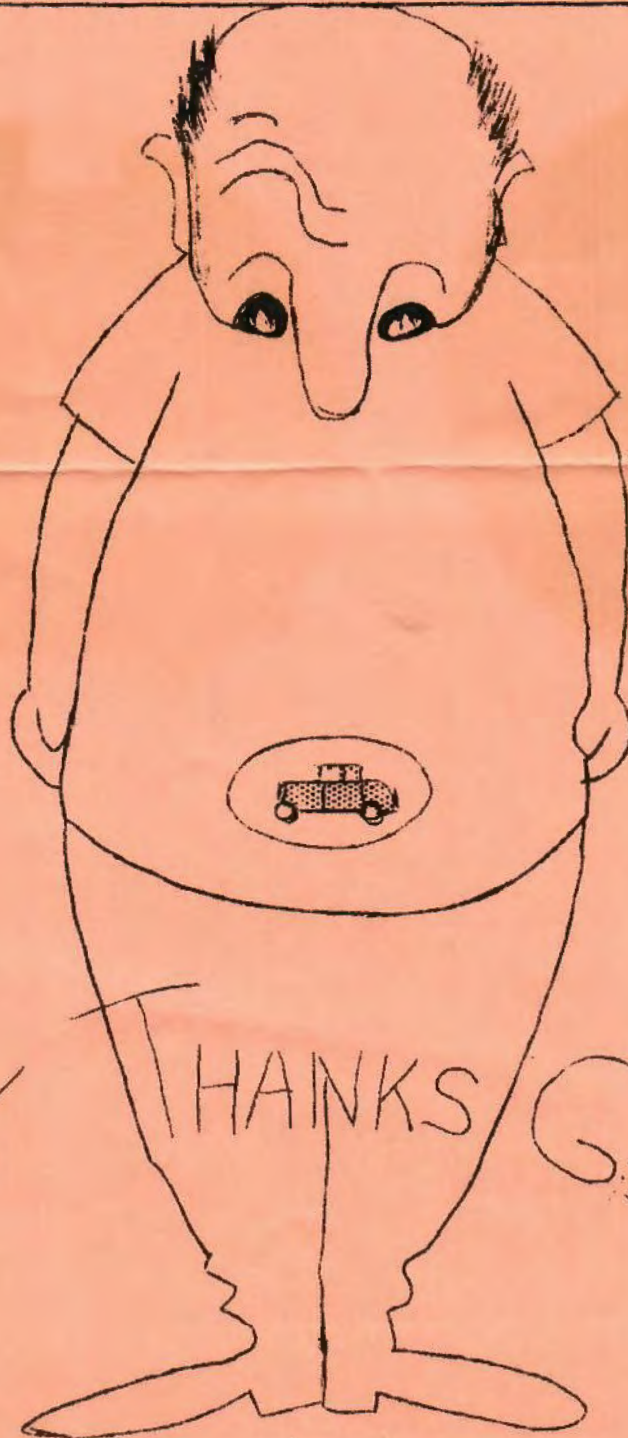


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HAPPY THANKS GIVING!

NOVEMBER MEETING

DATE: November 14, 1968
TIME: 7:30 pm
PLACE: Izaak Walton Club House
1714 Santa Clara, Santa Ana

PROGRAM: Home Movie night. Bring all pictures you have been taking all year. There will be an 8mm movie projector and a slide projector.

CALENDAR

- Nov. 17 Apple country tour. Paradise Valley chapter is joining us.
- Dec. 7 National NAFCA Meeting and Banquet, Charter House, Anaheim
- Dec. 12 December Meeting and Childrens Christmas Party.
- Dec. 14 Adults! Christmas Party Saddleback Inn, Santa Ana

Board Meeting will be held at Richard Parrish's on November 26, at 7:30 pm.

*We are proud to have
two of our members
running for the national
board. Vote for:
Andy Bagley +
our incumbent president
Gene Robinson*

MEETING MINUTES

October 10, 1968

Meeting was called to order by President Richard Parrish.

Board meeting minutes were read and approved as read.

Treasure report was read, balance \$379.02.

The \$50.00 deposit was returned from the Orange City Park.

The club now has the badges and decals.

Remember: we have to have 25 couples for the Adult Christmas Party.

The club was asked to have 5 cars to drive the Home Coming Queen and Princess at the Western High School, Oct..26.

Joe Eatherton reported on the Rim of the World Tour.

It is time for nominations for the board. The following board members have one more year to serve: Jim Douglass, Penny Vaughn and Betty Eatherton.

Beverly Marsh is Ballot chairman.

Jim Douglass reported on the coming activities. First the Round-up, Oct. 19. Pomona Swap Meet, Oct. 13.. Nov. Apple Tour combined with Paradise Valley. Tentative date Nov. 17.

Hank Bagley reported on the Round-up and asked for volunteers to go to the San Diego meeting. Richard Parrish and Mike Polk volunteered.

Paul Kagel is to get the raffel prizes for the Round-up.

Penny Vaughn asked for items for the Good&e Bags. The bags to be filled Wed. Oct. 16, at the Vaughns'.

Our new member Dale Fowler has a 31 Deluxe Phaeton for sale.

Sandy Antonacci presented the club a \$50 check from the National. This was for the cost of the costumes for the

MEETING MINUTES
(cont.)

show that the girls did last year.

Bill Vaughn asked to meet with the committee on By-Laws after the meeting.

Visitors were introduced and welcomed.

Sandy Antonacci told the club about Stew Sale's Army routine. Sandy asked for want ads for the newspaper.

We were unable to get door prizes this week so we gave two free memberships in our club. The winners were: Larry Boof and Bob Twyman.

Vivion Payton gave a very interesting talk on the fashions for men and women.

Peggy Twyman asked for any members who had any used or new clothing that they would like to give please bring them to the Nov. meeting as they are going to Mexico again this year.

There being no further business. Meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully Submitted,

Betty Eatherton, Sec.

THE PREZ SEZ
by Richard Parrish

It's time again to select 3 new board members for 1969. We have 6 well qualified candidates running for the board. Your ballots are a part of this paper. Detack them and select 3 people and a president and bring these to the November meeting. If you forget to bring them to the meeting, mail them to Beverly Marsh, the election chairman, before Dec. 1st.

Our biggest and best Round-up is past history now. Hank Bagley and wveryone else who helped make it a success, deserve a big THANK YOU. The judges, Bob and Colleen O'Cain from Harbor MARC, Neal and Mary Moline from

Jewel City Chapter, and Fred and Charlotte Meyers from San Diego did much to make things run smoothly. I heard almost no complaints and many, many complements.

The last tour of the year is Nov. 17. See Jim Douglass's article for details. This one is usually one of the best attended and most enjoyed tours.

Well, it took a little prodding, but we now have enough people to have a Christmas party. There are 56 paid up reservations now. We may add to the list until about December 6 so if you have friends who would like to go get their reservations in.

Next years dues may be paid now. Five dollars for husband and wife membership in the Orange County Chapter and \$5.00 for membership of husband in Model A Ford Club of America.

Bob Woltz, Maynard Grunklee, Hank Bagley, Jim Buford, Jim Marsh and I have driven Model A's at 3 local High School Homecoming events this month. The high schools were Estancia High School, Kennedy High School and Loara High School. The kids seemed to enjoy the cars very much. When the matter of club policy toward doing this came up at the board meeting, the board voted to leave each one up to the individual members. The club will not do this as a club project. If you are contacted to drive in a parade or school event and would like to do it, contact other members and make your own arrangements.

Don't forget to vote for both the Orange County Officers and the National Club Officers. Wear your badge, bring your wife and drive the A. I'll see you at the meeting Nov. 14.

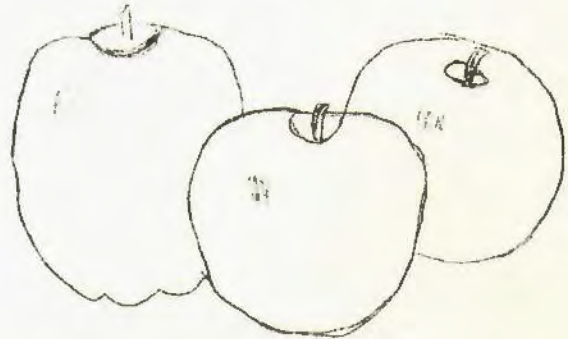
Y'ALL COME
by Jim Douglass

Well, the month of October is past and is history now. It was a month full of activities and topped off by our own Knott's Berry Farm Round-up. It turned out to be the biggest and best one yet. Our hats are off to Hank Bagley for a well planned and run meet. Everything went off smoothly and no problems were encountered through out the whole meet. As at the Rim of the World tour and the Pomona trophy and Swap meet a good share of the trophies at the Round up were taken home by our own Orange County members. With the large turnouts for all of these events, we couldn't help but take home some of the trophies. Will everybody who won trophies at these meets please bring them to our Nov. meeting so we can display them for everyone to see?

Now, for our activity for this month we are planning a tour to Oak Glen, the Apple Country, on Nov. 17th. This year we have it as a joint tour with the Paradise Valley Chapter. As a side light for the tour, Paradise Valley has arranged for us along with them to visit a collection of Antique cars in Yucaipa on the way to Oak Glen. Our tour will leave from the Colony Kitchen at Katella and the freeway in Orange at 8:00 SHARP and meet the Paradise Valley Chapter in San Bernardino at 10:00. So bring your picnic lunches and get set to enjoy a day out in Apple Country.

If your A isn't running, don't stay home, bring your Detroit Iron. As this is our last tour of the year, let's make it the best one yet. More details on the tour at our Nov. meeting.

Apples,
apples,
Apples!



Don't sit
under the apple
tree with any one
else but MAFCA!

BRING YOUR LUNCH AND
JOIN US ON NOV. 17TH

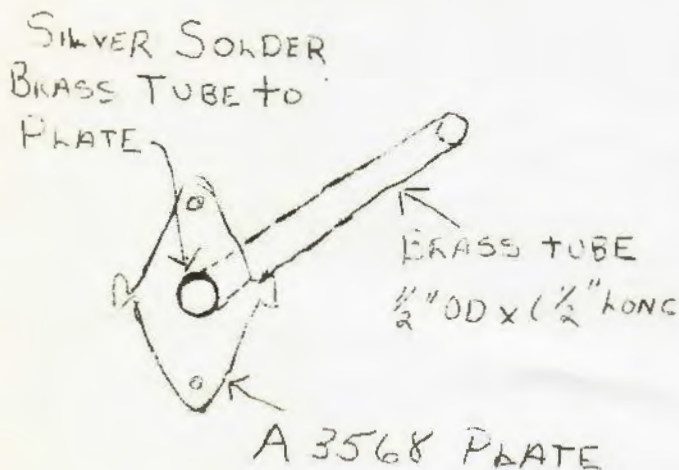
SEE YOU
THERE!

Don't forget to vote.

Send in your ballots
now!

TECHNICAL TIPS
BY Jim Marsh

Having troubles with a leaky steering sector housing? Well there is a fix. An improved sealing method was used in the 1933 and later Fords and can easily be adapted to the Model A. Use part # 40 3597, steering gear oil retainer tube, a plate assembly with gasket # 40 3592. If you can't find these parts make the oil seal by silver-soldering a brass tube $6\frac{1}{2}$ " long by $\frac{1}{2}$ " outside diameter onto a Model A plate part # A 3568. Keep it square as shown in the accompanying sketch. Then cut a gasket to match the plate. When installed, the gasket seals the oil in the bottom of the housing and the tube extends through the housing to a point well above the oil level. The original Model A seal was merely a thick cork gasket ring which was compressed between the light switch, the switch shaft, and the housing; it is not used in the above modification.



Fashion Fancies
by Lu Gray

A. Flowered cotton. A front panel affords an opportunity to utilize contrasting fabrics. The collar may match the panel. Contrasting edging makes emphasis.

B. Flowered dimity, printed handkerchief linen. For 2 to 6 year olds. Also uses contrasting edging.

C+D Boys + girls Coats are very similar. There is a difference in pockets, side coat buttons are on, and matching headgear.



RIM OF THE WORLD
(HIGH AND DRY?)
by Pat Boef



Children's Christmas
Party DEC. 12

Adults' Christmas
Party Dec 14

Plan to attend
both of these fun
events.

Once again Rim of the World is history. Orange County had a good turnout with the Antonaccis, Bagleys, Boefs, Dick Brennan, Bufords, Douglasses, and Karen's friend, Donna, Eathertons, Krists, Paytons, Ryners, SAEZS, Vaughns and Wrights.

Gymkana events were first off the agenda and then bathing suit fashions by the pool. Orange County entertained (as usual) by throwing most of the era bathing suited ladies and gents into the pool before the judging. Andy (squishy shoes) Saez went in with era shoes and straw hat. Claudia and Jim Buford won the judging. Jim received a small transistor and Claudia, pinking shears, which they received at the banquet.

Antonaccis and Boefs had a beautiful villa this trip and most of the members found their way there for a warming session after the pool events. When the session was getting hot it was time to break up and dress for the banquet.

Orange County did very well in the trophy department. In the leadfoot gymkana event, Dom Antonacci won 3rd place, Larry Boef 2nd place, and Jim Douglass 1st. Vivian Payton received 1st place in judging. The fashion judging was full of good competition this year, but Lucille and Andy Saez came through with flying colors. Lucille won best dressed woman, Andy won best dressed man and they both won best dressed couple. Most of the members ended up the evening in the Krists room and headed home fairly early the next morning, bidding a fond farewell to another great weekend.

GOSSIP COLUMN

CLASSIFIED ADS

GRANDPA JOE? GRANDMA BETTY?

Yes that's right! Little Charlain Marie was born on Oct. 23, 1968. She was 7lbs. 4ozs. 20" long. Bet Joe will be glad she's a girl when he sees her.

Thanks to all you last minute party goers we now have enough to have a Christmas Party. We are still taking reservations so let's all go and have some fun for all the work we have done this year.

December meeting will be a childrens Christmas Party. Bring your children for gifts, and movies.

Captain Stew Sale is coming home for four days. Nov. 15 to 19. Beth and the kids will be going back with him this time. We will be looking forward to the time when they will be back with us. For those of you who would like to write to Stew his address is: Captain Stew Sale 05719127 Company D 307 MED BET Fort Bragg, North Carolina 28307

Has anyone seen the old banner? Ye old banner keeper doesn't have it and we don't know where to find it. IF you have any information please notify this editor.

WOULD YOU LIKE TO BE AN EDITOR? Anyone interested in taking over this publication please let me know at Nov. meeting.

WANTED Model A Any year or model except coupe or closed pick-up. Also have 1943 jeep for sale or trade for A, runs excellent. Call 7724924 Jim Cox.

OVERHAUL your A shocks. Reduced prices to members of Model A Club. Call Paul kagel (213) HA57793

TRADE Partially restored early 1928 roads pick-up for town sedan. Approximate value 1,000.00 Many new 28 parts. Chassis completely rebuilt. Call Larry Boef 54671

MUST SELL 1947 Ford coupe. Runs good. \$225. Call Steve Kagel (213) HA57793