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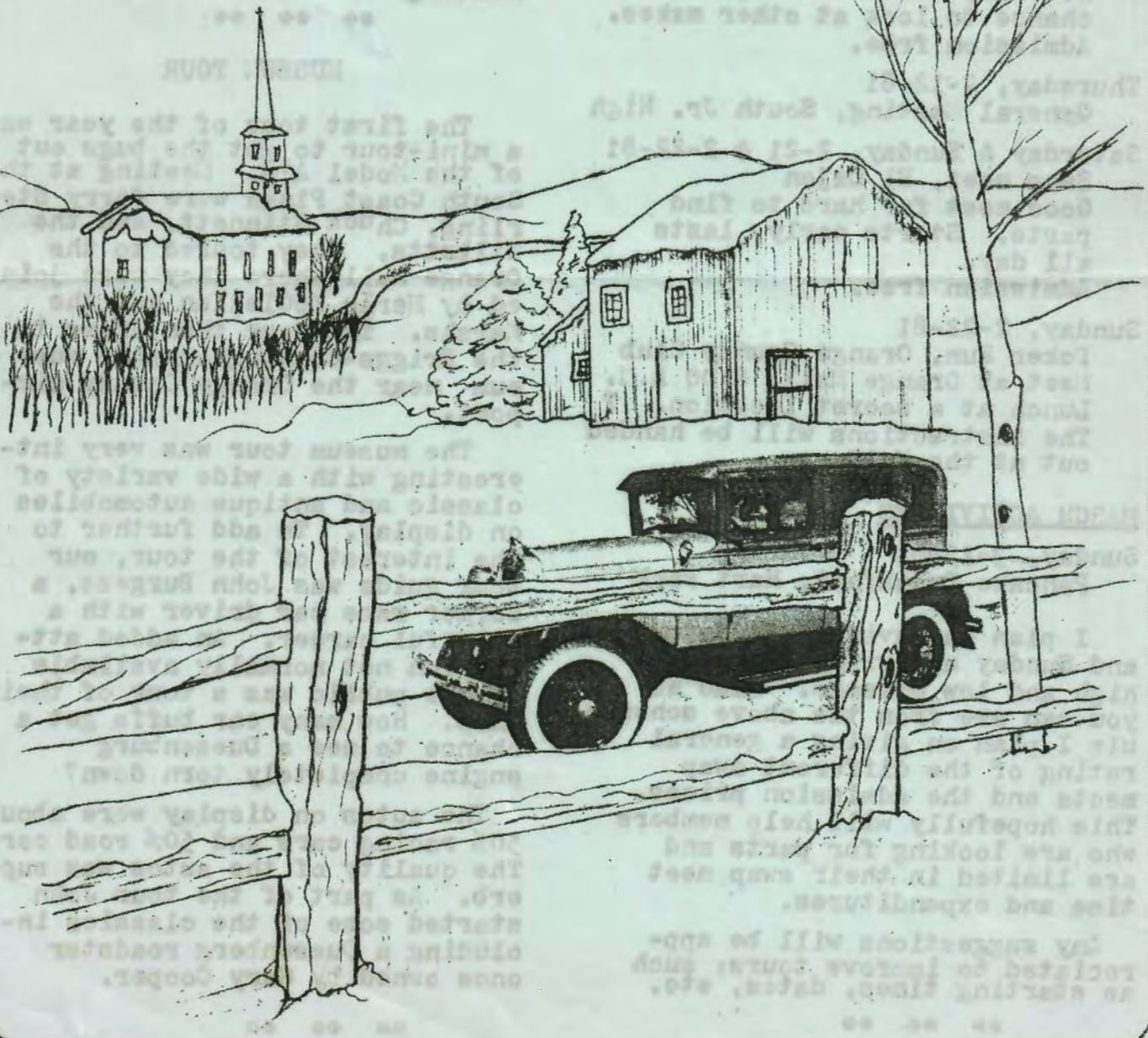
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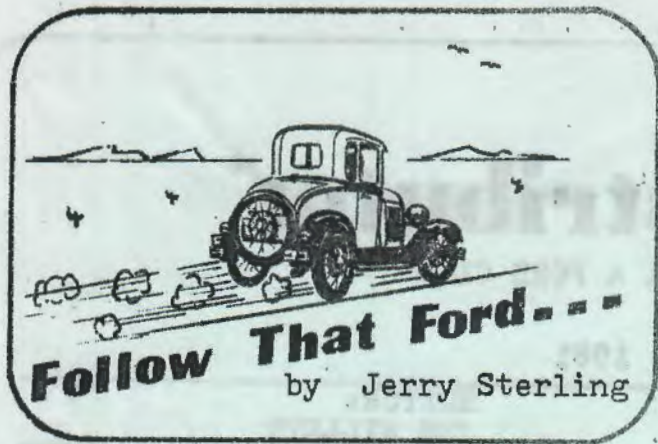
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NEXT MEETING

DATE: Feb. 12, 1981

TIME: 7:30 P.M.

PLACE: South Jr. High School
2320 E. South St.
Anaheim, Ca.

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DUES ARE DUE

The dues for 1981 are now past due and payable. The total this year is \$25.00. If you have joined the National MAFCA already the local dues are \$10.00. Chuck Stinnett can be paid at the Feb. meeting.

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MUSEUM TOUR

The first tour of the year was a mini-tour to get the bugs out of the Model A's. Meeting at the South Coast Plaza were Jerry Sterling, Chuck Stinnett, and the Willetts. They toured to the Orange Mall where they were joined by Merle McClellan and the Marshs. The tour then drove to the Briggs-Cunningham auto museum near the Orange County airport.

The museum tour was very interesting with a wide variety of classic and antique automobiles on display. To add further to the interest of the tour, our tour guide was John Burgess, a former race car driver with a colorful career. An added attraction not normally available to the public was a tour of their shop. How many car buffs get a chance to see a Duesenberg engine completely torn down?

The autos on display were about 50% racing cars and 50% road cars. The quality of the autos was superb. As part of the tour John started some of the classics including a Duesenberg roadster once owned by Gary Cooper.

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FEBRUARY ACTIVITIES

Sunday, 2-8-81
Vintage Classic
Swapmeet, Golden West College
Not many Fords but a good
chance to look at other makes.
Admission free.

Thursday, 2-12-81
General Meeting, South Jr. High

Saturday & Sunday, 2-21 & 2-22-81
Swap meet, El Cajon
Good meet for hard to find
parts. Starts early, lasts
all day.
Admission free.

Sunday, 2-22-81
Poker Run, Orange County Club
Meet at Orange Mall, 8:00 A.M.
Lunch at a secret location. T
The instructions will be handed
out at the Mall.

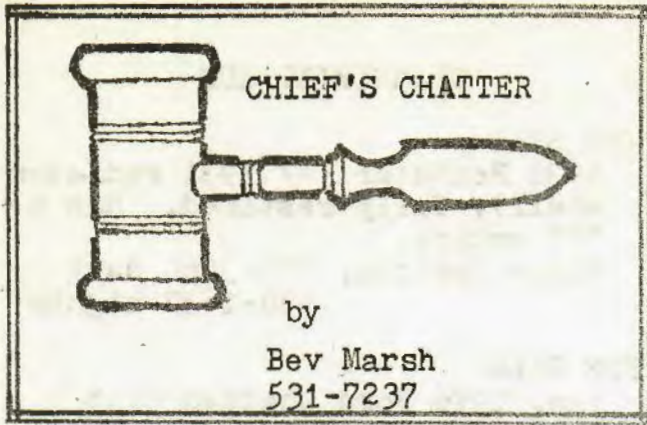
MARCH ACTIVITIES

Sunday, 3-15-81
Pancake Breakfast, Hart Park

I plan on having both Saturday and Sunday activities with both high and low mileage. Also as you can see from the above schedule I plan on giving a general rating of the different swap meets and the admission prices. This hopefully will help members who are looking for parts and are limited in their swap meet time and expenditures.

Any suggestions will be appreciated to improve tours; such as starting times, dates, etc.

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First of all, I want to remind you that the February meeting is the deadline for paying your 1981 Club dues and to have your name in the new roster. Our local dues are \$10 and the National dues are \$15. Remember you have to belong to the National in order to belong to Orange County MAFCA. Those who had their cars in mall shows last year have your local dues paid for '81 but you still must pay the National dues.

Jerry Sterling did a good job organizing our tour to the Briggs-Cunningham Museum. It was very interesting and enjoyable. The tour guide was a fantastic man.

As usual, this Club amazes me! We have people willing to take on the jobs that needed filling. Pat Willett; Coffee and refreshments, Joe Wavra; Raffle, Duane Robinson; Greeter, Sheila Plotkin; Christmas Banquet, Pearl Spielberger; Shirts, patches, & badges, and last but not least, Chuck Stinnett; Mall shows. I feel very fortunate to work with such willing people. I know it's not like that in many organizations.

Also, let me remind you that you don't have to have a Model "A" to participate in our Club tours. There are almost always some modern cars on the tours. So don't let that be a reason for staying home and missing out on a lot of fun.

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A NOTE OF THANKS

The Marble Queen Pothos (plant) is beautiful. I am using it as a center piece for the dining room table. Thanks very much. It is very heartening to be remembered by so many friends.

Georgia Sterling

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Franklin had everyone all excited about electricity, but they soon made light of it.

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BOARD MEETING NOTES

The January board meeting was held at Marsh's residence. Reports were given by the Secretary, Treasurer, Activities, Editor, Roundup, and Technical. The activities of the Pancake Breakfast and the Campout were discussed. The allowable amount for the refreshments at the technical seminars was changed from a fixed amount for the meeting to a fixed amount per person attending. It was confirmed that the board would be governed by Robert's Rules of Order.

The Christmas Banquet was discussed. Sheila Plotkin has volunteered to be the chairperson for the banquet. The date of the banquet will be Dec. 6, 1981. Purchase of ledger paper was approved by the board. The inclusion of one decal in the new member packet for 1981 was approved. Approval was given for Bev to have the address corrected on the Club stationery. The next board meeting will be 2-26-81 at Balmer's.

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There can't be any life on Mars. The United States has had no request for money from there.

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Nuts and Bolts

TECHNICAL REPORT

by Bud Lacey

CLASSIFIED ADS

FOR SALE

1930 Roadster (w/ 1931 radiator shell), fully restored. Has a "C" engine.

Vince Mariola, 879-3760 days
530-1632 nights

FOR SALE

Van, 1976 Ford Chateau Club Wagon, 12 passenger, 3/4 ton, 460 CI motor, 4B11, dual tanks, dual exhaust, air, stereo, tape, cruise control, trailer-tow package, new tires, 57k miles. Family vacation vehicle, \$4200 or make offer.

Glen Johnson, 538-9429 days
528-0891 nights

WANTED

Spring "U" bolts with caps and nuts, front and rear. New or used crank bushing for atop the front cross member.

Dick Kelly, 761-0582

WANTED

Sparkplugs, brass-nickel plated, double pole and porcelains.

Jerry Sterling, 586-8469

WANTED

Emergency brakes for 1930, need shoes and brackets.

Jerry Sterling, 586-8469

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COOKIE REPORT

All those tasty cookies for our January meeting were furnished by; Sue Nelson, Georgia Sterling, and Pat Willett. Thank you very much.

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A politician is like Columbus. He doesn't know where he's going but he's going on borrowed money.

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Pawnees: A tribe that ran hockshops for Indians.

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The February technical seminar will be at Bud Lacey's house on the 13th at 7:30 PM. This seminar will be on STARTERS AND GENERATORS. Bring your sick units along and learn how to make them like new.

Bud needs a complete chassis with the old brakes still intact. he wants to hold two seminars on brakes, the first one will cover brakes as we usually find them as we start to rework the chassis. If you have your "A" in this stage of restoration, please call Bud.

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AUDIT OF THE BOOKS

The books were audited at the Marsh's on Jan.22 by the past President, Tom Schenk; past Treasurer, Larry Boef; new Treasurer, Chuck Stinnett; and new President, Bev Marsh.

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IN ORDER TO HAVE YOUR NAME IN THE NEW ROSTER AND HAVE THE DISTRIBUTOR SENT TO YOU, YOU MUST PAY YOUR DUES BY THE FEBRUARY MEETING, FEBRUARY 12, 1981.

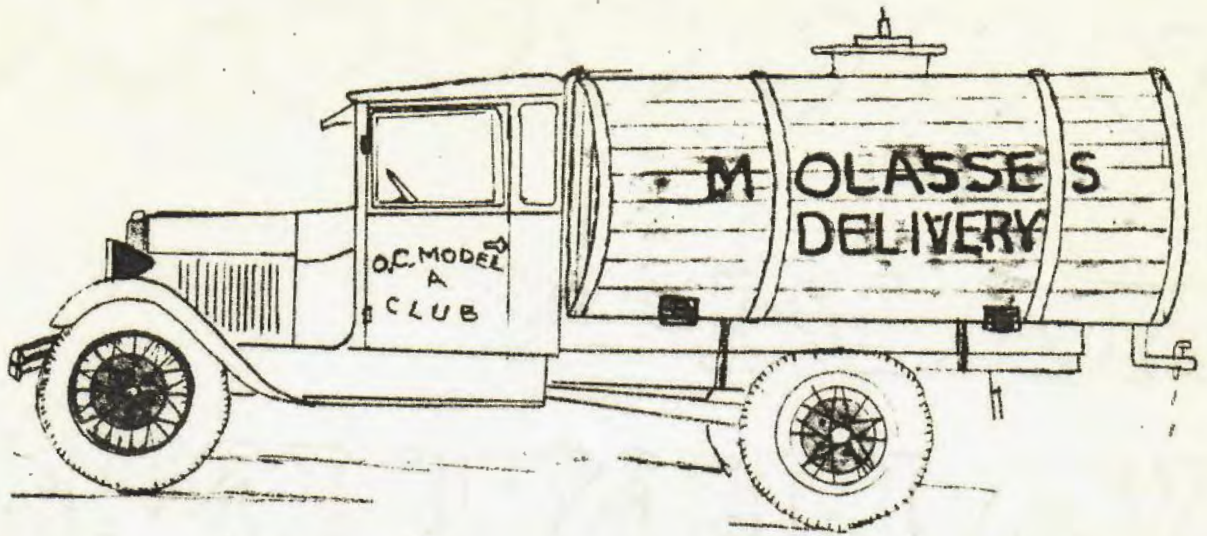
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"Quick operator, send an SOS"
"How do you spell it?"

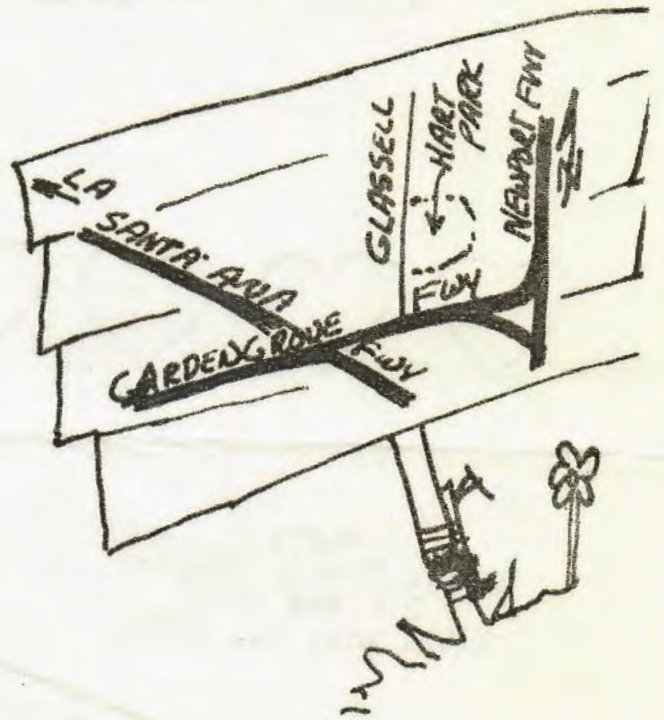
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During the war the butcher asked the ladies not to bring their fat cans in on Saturday.

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○ SCHEDULE OF EVENTS
 Breakfast 7 to 11
 Gymkhana 12 to 1:30
LOCATION
 Hart Park - Orange
 Sunday March 15, 1981
 ○ BREAKFAST
BILLING - DONATION
 Adults \$ 2.00
 Kids \$ 1.00
GYMKHANA - FREE



ORANGE COUNTY M.A.F.C.A.
 PANCAKE BREAKFAST

&
 GYMKHANA

MARCH 15, 1981



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