

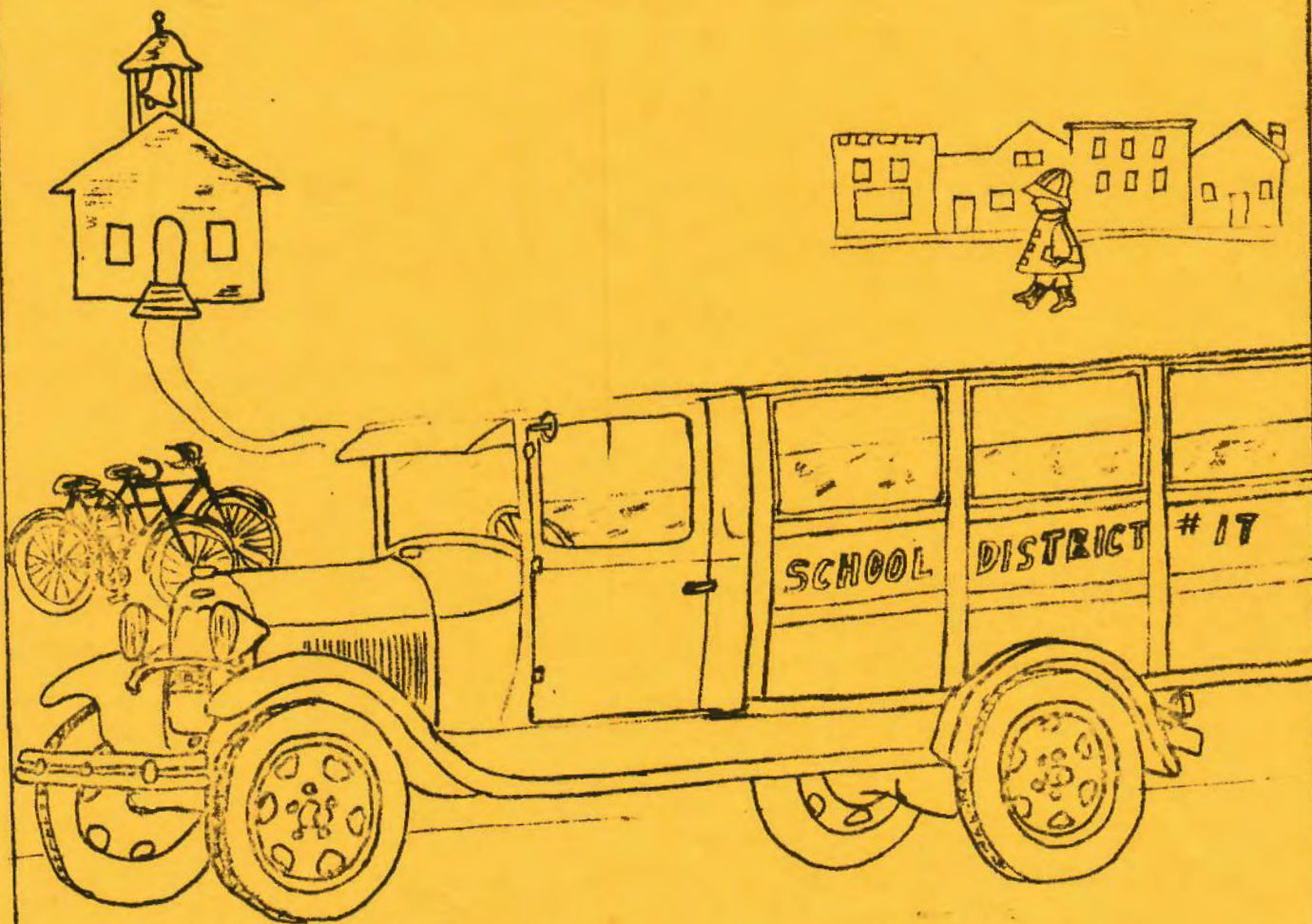
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Vintage Auto once again came through in helping provide a nice raffle prize for the Griswold's car show.

We're still hoping to hear from a volunteer to host our annual costume Halloween party. If no one comes forth, this "annual" will have to be skipped.

The next general meeting will be at Hart Park in Orange at 7:30. If you want to eat, bring a "brown bag" at 7:00. Jon Heiland is providing some old slides of club activities after the meeting. Should be fun -- see you there!

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#### BOARD MEETING NOTES

The August board meeting was held at Bud Lacey's house. It was called to order at 7:45 and reports were given by the treasurer, activities chairman, editor, technical adviser and Round-Up chairman.

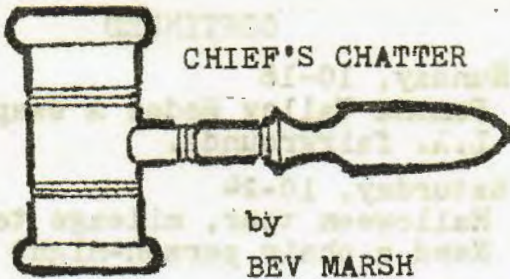
The next general meeting will be at Hart Park again. Bring your brown bag dinner at 7:00 and the meeting will follow at 7:30.

There will be a meeting at the Marsh's on Sept. 14 for all of the Round-Up chairmen and helpers.

A pre-Round-Up breakfast will be served in a separate room at Knott's, at 7:30, for \$3.95 per person.

Fund raising projects were discussed and a garage sale at Marsh's was scheduled for Oct. 10. Bring your saleable items to the next two meetings.

The club is sending a \$20.00 gift certificate to Griswold's - Diamond Tread. The cost to us was \$10.00, thanks to Vintage Ford. We received a \$20.00 donation from Diamond Tread for the Round-Up.



#### CHIEF'S CHATTER

by  
BEV MARSH  
531-7237

First of all, I want to put in a plug for our upcoming garage sale on Oct. 10. Start cleaning out your closets and bring the "jewels" to the next two meetings. Chuck Stinnett has really been working hard to get us some "Mall Shows" but they just aren't coming through. Money is tight! So.... let's support the garage sale to fatten the club treasury.

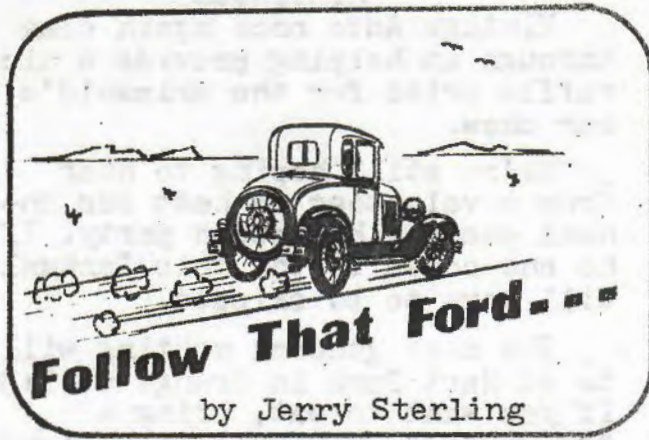
Thanks much to Tom Schenk for getting Hart Park for our summer meetings. Tom will also be in charge of our club elections.

Things seem well under control for our upcoming "Progressive Dinner" and "Baseball Night." Be sure to get your tickets at the next meeting.

Lou Spielberger has an important "Round-Up" meeting planned to iron out all the details. Members please sell your raffle tickets and turn your money in. Also get your registrations in as early as possible.

Lots of ideas were tossed around at the meeting about the National meet in Minn. next July. A trailer was purchased to haul luggage, parts, even a car if needed. Tentative plans are being made to take a motor home and maybe cook for all attending sometimes. Also, we're looking into campgrounds, less expensive motels, or even college dorms. We're pretty well agreed to try to cut down on expenses wherever possible.





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Sunday, 10-18  
Pomona Valley Model A swap meet,  
L.A. fairgrounds.

Saturday, 10-24  
Halloween tour, mileage tour.  
Need a chair person-night party.

11-6 thru 11-8  
San Diego Fun Meet; mileage tour,  
two tours, one early Friday; one  
early Sat. Leave Orange Mall  
6:30 AM (open to discussion).

Sunday, 12-6  
Christmas Party, adults.

Thursday, 12-10  
Christmas Party, children.  
Need a chair person.

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NEEDY NOTES

We are still looking for some-  
one to head the Halloween party.

Registration forms are avail-  
able for the Diamond Tread Chap-  
ter's annual Griswold's Model A  
Ford Show. If you need one, see  
Jerry Sterling. Registration is  
\$15.00 per car.

Baseball tickets for the Sept.  
21st Angel game are only \$2.25  
each. We will return overpayment  
this meeting to those who paid  
the higher price earlier.

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AUGUST AWARDS

Bud Lacey got the hard luck tro-  
phy - - for overheating.

Glen Bowers was the name badge  
winner.

Chuck Stinnett won the A driver.

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NEXT MEETING:

DATE: September 10, 1981.

TIME: 7:00 - Brown baggers.  
7:30 - Meeting

PLACE: Hart Park, Glassel  
@ Garden Grove Fwy.

SCHEDULE OF COMING EVENTS

Friday, 9-11  
Seminar, Water Pumps, Bud Lacey's

9-11 thru 9-20  
Griswolds Meet; this is a mileage  
tour - tour 9-12, 7:30, Orange Mall

Sunday, 9-13  
Model T Swap Meet - Los Angeles  
City College at Hollywood Fwy.

Monday, 9-14  
Meeting at Bev Marsh's. Helpers  
for Round-Up. Ya all come!

9-19 and 9-20  
Swap meet, Model T club, Corona  
Airport.

Saturday, 9-19  
Progressive Dinner, Mileage tour.  
Get tickets at the next meeting.

Monday, 9-21  
Baseball night at Angels Stadium.

Sunday, 9-27  
Perris High School, Auto show.

9-25 thru 9-27  
Jewel City Campout.

Sunday, 10-4  
All Ford Picnic

Sunday, 10-11  
Swap meet, Corvette-Porsche, L.A.  
fairgrounds.

Saturday, 10-10  
Fund raiser garage sale at Marsh's

Sunday, 10-11  
Paradise Valley Bar-B-Q, mileage  
tour, Adults \$5, Children 7-12 \$2

Saturday, 10-17  
ANNUAL ORANGE COUNTY ROUND-UP AT  
KNOTTS BERRY FARM. SELL TICKETS!



## ROUND-UP REGISTRATIONS

All of the Orange County Chapter members who plan on attending the Round-Up are urged to pre-register as soon as possible. The September meeting would be an ideal time to see Sharon Johnson, registration chairman, and pre-register. The early registrations is a big help in planning and meeting initial expenses involved in our big annual event. You will also save a dollar by registering early. Let's all meet at the Round-Up!!

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### CHILI COOK-OFF by Jerry Sterling

The chili cook-off, arranged by Chuck Stinnett netted the club \$100.00 and free entry for nine cars and occupants. Everyone had a good time eating chili with a cold drink; more chili, 2 cold drinks; chili, 3 cold drinks. I think you get the idea.

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### CAR SHOW PARTICIPANTS

Our club has participated in three car show events since mid-June. The first was June 21st at Anaheim Plaza with 10 Model A's on display. Next was Aug. 15th at the East Anaheim Shopping Center, also with 10 cars. On Aug. 16th eight cars were on display at the Orange County Chili Cook-Off. Those club members displaying their cars were:

#### In 3 Shows:

Joe Wavra  
Chuck Stinnett  
Jim Marsh  
Matt Plotkin

#### In 2 Shows:

Tom Matthey  
Steve Balmer  
Larry Conkol

#### In 1 Show:

Ray Griffin  
Richard Carter  
Glen Bowers  
Frank Negri  
Jack Shenk  
Jerry Sterling  
Glen Johnson  
Rags Lindman  
Joe Ebertson  
Jim Willett

## Nuts and Bolts



TECHNICAL REPORT  
BY Bud Lacey

The technical seminar for Sept. will be held on the 11th at 7:30 at Bud Lacey's house. The seminar will be on the water pump and what makes it leak. It will be a working session; bring your old water pumps, rebuilding kits, (purchased at any local water pump store), and you can take home rebuilt ones.

Last month's seminar on the steering column generated positive comments; it was a good one. Be there this month -- it'll probably be another good one!

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### NIGHT AT THE RACES by Jerry Sterling

The Orange County Model A Club's night at Los Alimitos was very enjoyable, with a relaxing dinner before the races. I understand there were some "big winners," but most of us fell into the "losers' category." However, we did have our photos taken with the winning horse.

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### HAPPY TIMES

Happy Birthday to Marion Wavra and Sharon Johnson who celebrated birthdays in common on Aug. 23.

Congratulations to Ray and Jean Griffin who recently celebrated their 40th Anniversary.



## GARAGE SALE

Bev Marsh has graciously agreed to host a fund raising garage sale. The sale will take place Oct. 10th. (That's two days after the Oct. general meeting). You have two general meetings, September and October to bring your saleable items for this necessary project. It's important that we have fund raising events this year; the malls are reluctant to spend money for car shows, our prime source of spending money.

If you can help with the sale on the 10th, please see Bev Marsh. This is your chance to clean out your closet or garage and help your club.

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## CORRECTION

Many alert readers of this publication noticed last month that your editor had scheduled his Progressive Dinner on Sept. 17th, while the rest of the club planned to have theirs on the 19th. For the sake of consistency, Sept. 19th will be celebrated for this year only, on Sept. 19th. That is when we will all observe the annual Progressive Dinner to honor the date, Sept. 19th.

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"Who was that man I saw you kissing last night, daughter?"  
"What time was it?"

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## DISTRIBUTOR STAFF DOUBLES

Lonni Olson has joined the staff as Associate Editor. Actually she has generously agreed to help with the club paper as time will allow. Her help is appreciated by the editor, who as before takes credit for the jokes!!

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## FOR THE SHADE TREE MECHANIC

Here's how to replace pan, oil pump, etc., without turning engine and/or car upside down! When engine is in car, just put a screw jack or other device next to the R.H. frame rail and use a long bolt, etc. thru the (1/8 N.P.T.) oil plug hole inside of the block. With the jack exerting force on the bolt keeping the oil pump from falling down, the pan is easily put into place and secured.

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## TINY TIP

If you add a little sawdust to your car's differential, won't it run quieter? Probably, but who needs the resulting black paper mixture??

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## ROUND-UP

Important meeting for committee heads and anyone interested in helping with the Round-Up. It will be held on Monday, Sept. 14, at Jim and Bev Marsh's home, 14661 Bromley, Westminster.

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## BOARD NOTE

The next board meeting will be held at Jerry Sterling's house on Sept. 24.

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## CARS NEEDED

Yorba Linda Beautification Committee desperately wants two Model A's to drive dignitaries in the Yorba Linda parade on Sat., Oct. 24. Please let Bev Marsh know if you're interested.

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## FOR SALE

Trailer, 4' x 8' - on Model A axel, spoke wheels, V8 hub caps. Robert House, 586-1747.

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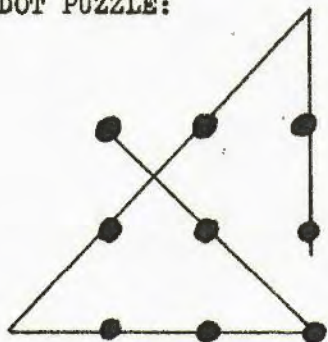
ANSWERS TO LAST MONTH'S PUZZLES

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9 DOT PUZZLE:



MULTIPLICATION PUZZLE:

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CONGRATULATIONS TO ROGER SOWERSBY WHO SUBMITTED THE CORRECT ANSWER TO THE ABOVE PUZZLE.

NEW PUZZLE:

COMPLETE THE PUZZLE BY FILLING IN THE THREE BLANKS.



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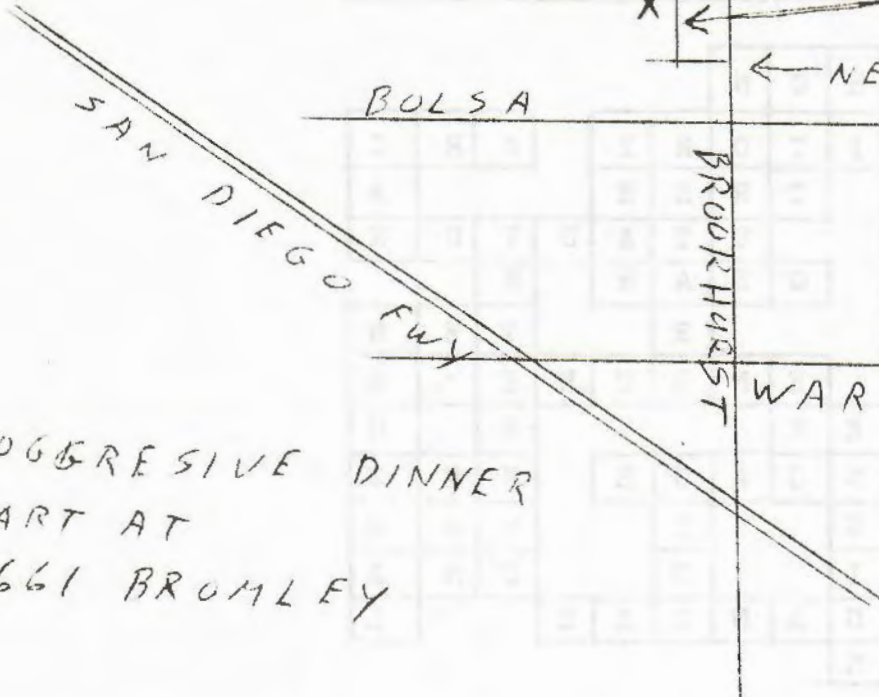
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