

# The Distributor

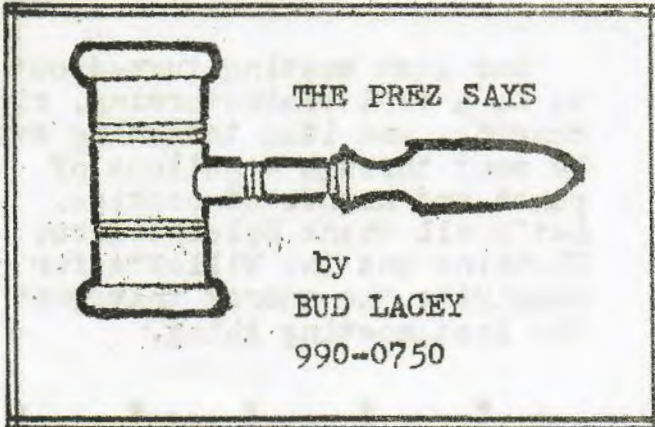
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A reminder that your 1982 dues must be payed by the February meeting to have your name in the club's 1982 roster. Club dues are \$10 and National dues are \$15. If you put a car in a mall show in 1981 your local club dues will be paid by the club but you will still have to pay your national dues. You must belong to the national to be a member in the orange County MAFCA. In regards to the roster if you have any additions, deletions, or changes you wish to have made for the new roster, see, call, or mail it to Jim Willett..

The next club activity is a poker run. This is a real fun event. In a poker run the passengers get very involved in controlling how the car does in this event as they read the instructions and help with the clues to try and arrive at the final destination with the 5 cards, obtained at the 5 pickup points, in the quickest time and the best poker hand. Strange things happen on poker runs. Cars full of people leave the start point smiling and laughing. But when and if they arrive at the final destination they are frowning, not talking to each other or hollering. Each telling the other its their fault they got lost for 30 minutes or missed a turn, But they all come back to normal when they find out everyone had the same problems and the tales of their travels are shared with all.

Prez says continued

This really is a lot of fun and you should come out, and join the fun even if you don't have a Model A or its not running, bring your modern car.

The board is still looking for suggestions for places and ways to have a Christmas dinner dance less expensive than has been had in past years. So bring your ideas to the meeting and present it to the membership.

In the coming months in this article I will be presenting past financial problems that have been encountered. The biggest and most consistent being Christmas dinner-dances, Round-ups, and Beach parties. As an example the 1981 Christmas dance cost was \$1616, income from tickets was \$896, which resulted in a \$720 loss. There were 31 couples there which means the club put up \$23.23 per couple.

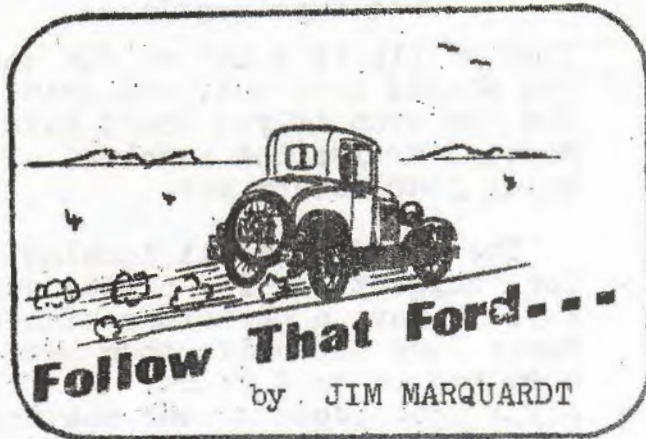
Some treasury building ideas were discussed at the board meeting, one being replace the present merchandise raffle with a money raffle that the club would keep 50 percent of income the other 50 percent going to the winner or winners. Another is a fine if a member does not have their name badge at general meetings. Also donation for refreshments.

The clubs up coming event which can be a fund raiser is the pancake breakfast, Saturday March 21, 1982. Why don't you all come and bring a friend, relative, or neighbor.

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She was going to have her face lifted but then she found out the price; so she let the whole thing drop.

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Our last meeting turned out to be a real brainstorming, rip roaring, and idea thrashing event. We went through 4 gallons of punch and mounds of cookies. Let's all thank Spielbergers, Plotkins and the Willetts for supplying the energy that kept the last meeting going.

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#### SCHEDULE OF COMING EVENTS

- Thursday 2-11-82  
February General Meeting
- February 13-14  
Big three car club swap meet.  
San Diego stadium.
- Sunday 2-21-82  
Annual Poker Run, mileage tour.  
Leave Orange Mall @ 9:30 a.m.  
Bring the family.
- February 26-28  
Custom Car & Hot rod show, LA  
Convention Center
- Sunday 3--21-82  
Annual Pancake Breakfast and  
Gymkhana. Hart Park 8:00am.
- Saturday 2-27-82  
Technical seminar,  
at 5 POINTS SHOCKS.  
Bring your old shocks.
- Sunday 2-28-82  
Porsche & Corvette Swap Meet LA  
County fairgrounds, Pomona.
- April 16-18-82  
"Back To Yuma" tour to Yuma.
- Sunday 5-2-82  
Whittier Narrows Fun Day
- June 9-13-82  
Car show at the Buena Park Mall
- Sunday 3-21-82  
Swap meet and car sho, Mattel  
Toys parking lot, Hawthorne. San  
Diego Fwy at Rosecrans.

#### BOARD MEETING NOTES

The January board meeting was called to order at 8:00 PM, Jan 28th at Bud Lacey's house. Reports were given by each of the board members. Another film will be shown at the next general meeting. It was suggested that the tour rules be published in an upcoming Distributor. A volunteer is needed for the Round-up trophies this year. The Model A quilt as we have had in the past was discussed and will be attempted. Car shows are being sought by Chuck Stinnett, some are possible.

The next board meeting will be at Spielbergers Feb 25th.

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#### NEXT MEETING

DATE: FEB 11. 1982  
TIME: 7:30 PM  
PLACE: SOUTH JR. HIGH SCHOOL  
2320 E. SOUTH ST.  
ANAHEIM CA.  
FILM, THE AMERICAN ROAD

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FANTASY ISLAND  
BY JIM MARQUARDT

Now that I've got your attention, that's where seven Model A's headed for on the first 1982 mileage tour. It's the LA County Arboretum in Arcadia. The day started out cold and foggy, but as we headed north, we were blessed with warm sunshine and smog. Although we were on the Foothill freeway we never did see the foothills.. The approximately 19 of us arrived at the park and almost got front row parking. From there we took a beautiful tram ride through the arboretum, then did in the rest by foot. After seeing the beautiful Victorian house without a kitchen and the Santa Anita depot without a railroad. We spread out on the grass to picnic, where we happened across Jim and Bev Marsh. We spent the rest of the afternoon there eating, sleeping, talking, snoring, and listening to good ol' Vince.

We all had a good day, yet it'll still give us a chance to return again, when the roses are in bloom. "What's this got to do with Fantasy Island?" The arboretum is where they film portions of that show, as well as a recent filming of a wedding for "Flamingo Road".

MODEL A'S

Duane & Doris Hampton	30 Coupe
Vince & Joanne Mariola	31 Twn Sdn
Jim, Charlene, Eric Marquardt	29
Larry & Gerry McKinney	31 Fordor
Steve & Joan Mraz	31 pickup
Jerry & Georgia Sterling	30 Coupe
Joe & Marion Wavra	31 pickup

MODERNS

Larry & Cheryl Conkol	Mercedes
Jim & Bev Marsh	Mustang

COVER CONTEST

The winning entry in the cover contest was submitted by little Jimmy Willett. Unfortunately no other cover entries were received. Maybe in future months some of our artist members will submit ideas after they get over being bashful.

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LAST CHANCE

BY JIM WILLETT

This is your last chance to have the honor of your name being listed in the 1982 Orange County Model A Ford Club roster. Your last chance to remain on the "Distributor" mailing list. The Distributor has the largest circulation of all Orange Co Model A papers and is filled with humor, news, social activities, and valuable want-ads. Be sure to stay on the mailing list and in the roster, pay your dues. It really is a fun club and deserves your support.

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The most pitiful case in psychiatric history concerns the two-faced woman who talked to herself and tried to have the last word.

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"My boy fried is one in a hundred."  
"How do you keep him from finding out?"

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She's a debutante.....came out in 1929 and hasn't been home since.

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**Nuts and Bolts**

TECHNICAL REPORT  
by  
LOU SPIELBERGER

TECHNICAL REPORT

At the January meeting everyone seemed to enjoy the movie so we will have another one this month, The American Road.

Our seminar last month at Jim Marsh's was a big success. Jim now has his engine installed and running. Attendance was good, about 25, thanks Jim.

Our next seminar will be Sat. Feb 27 at 1:00 pm at 5-Points auto shocks. Paul Kagel will check your old shocks and explain the difference between original and repro shocks.

At the February general meeting we will have a shoe box swap meet. Find small items which you no longer need and trade them for dollars. If anyone has suggestions for future programs or seminars please see me.

When installing a new top on your Model A it is a good idea to put in an antenna for an AM radio. Put a piece of copper window screen between the padding and top material. Keep it about 3" from the metal body. Put masking tape on the edges to keep the raw edge from coming through the material. Solder a #18 stranded wire to the screen and push it down the corner pillar for future connection to a radio.

**"Formerly Owned"**



**Cars & Parts**

CLASSIFIED ADS

WANTED  
1930 or 1931 Sedan. 2 or 4 door, unrestored.  
Matt Plotkin, 714-962-2117.

FOR SALE  
Small oak victrola, oak phone (wall mount), era about 1910, plus misc.  
Duane Hampton, 714/990-2577

FOR SALE  
1931 fordor body, all metal work done; including doors, fenders, new upholstery kit, etc. \$4000 invested, asking \$3000 Henry Carranza, 213/633-3073 home, 213/699-5349

FOR SALE  
30-31 Radiator, new.  
Dennis Griffin, 714/894-7661

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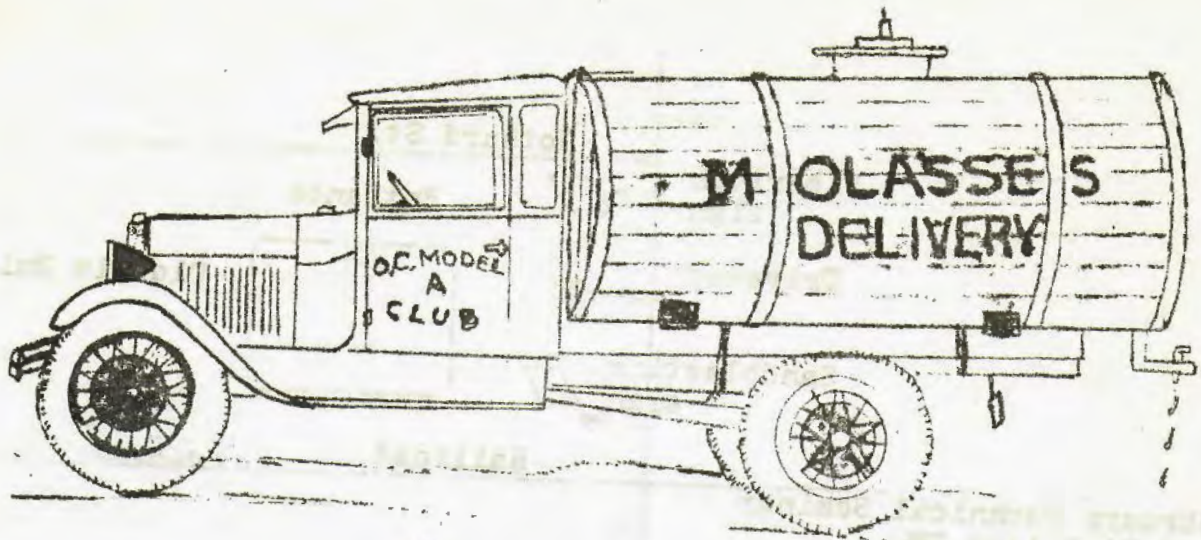
She did a terrific rhumba. She learned it as a little girl. She rode in a Model A with a loose front seat.

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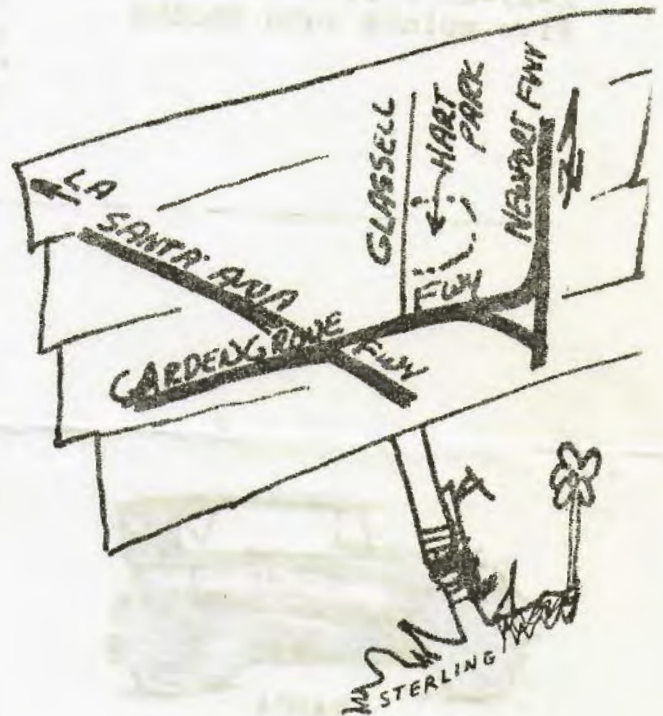
Would you like a small diamond or a large rhinestone? I'd love them, Larry.

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If you want to know why they're called the opposite sex, express an opinion.



○ SCHEDULE OF EVENTS  
 Breakfast 8 to 11  
 Gymkhana 12 to 1:30  
LOCATION  
 Hart Park - Orange  
 Sunday March 21, 1982  
 ○ BREAKFAST  
BILLING - DONATION  
 Adults \$2.50  
 Kids \$1.00  
GYMKHANA - FREE  
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ORANGE COUNTY M.A.F.C.A.  
 PANCAKE BREAKFAST  
 &  
 GYMKHANA  
 MARCH 21, 1982

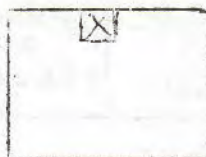
Gothard St.

Fibertech sign



Entrance

Driveway



Old Tin Building

Sandblasting sign

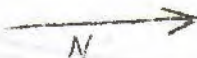


Railroad

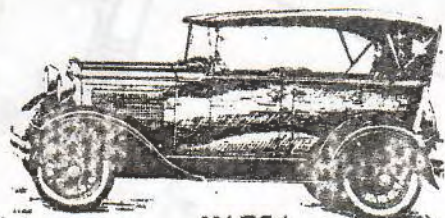


February Technical Seminar  
2-27-82 @ 1:00 PM.  
Five points auto shocks

SLATER  
AVE.



Beach Blvd.



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