

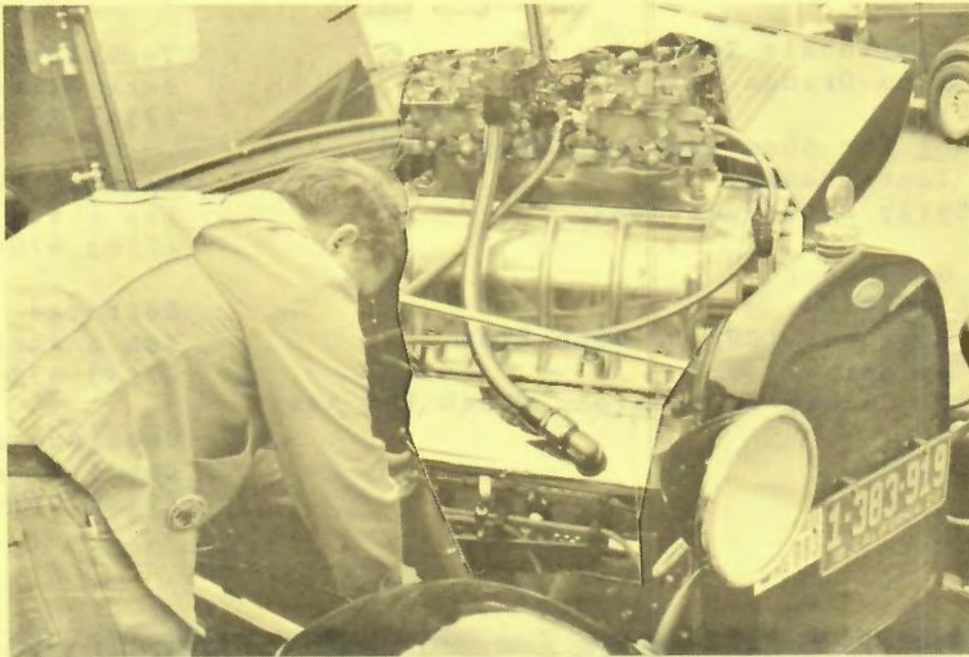
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April 17, 1988

STEVE BALMER DOES FINAL ADJUSTMENTS TO THE
TOAD'S ENGINE FOR THAT COMPETITIVE EDGE

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

TOURS, SPECIAL EVENTS, AND SWAP MEETS

- MAY 1: Whittier Narrows Fun Day TOUR
Depart from South Coast Plaza
8:00 A.M., by May Company
- 7 Fullerton Parade and Street Fair TOUR
Call Martha White for Details
- 12 **GENERAL MEETING, 7:30 P.M.**
- 13 Seminar at Dan and Val Simmon's Home
20871 Colima Lane
Huntington Beach (714) 968-7466 7:30 P.M.
- 15 Chino Air Show TOUR with San Fernando
Valley A's
Call McKinney's for Tour Time and
Location
- 29 Antique Nationals TOUR
Depart from Orange Mall
7:00 A.M.
- 29 Fallbrook Car Show and Swap Meet TOUR
Need a Tour Leader
Meets Early Auto Open House
- June 5: Pomona Swap Meet
- 9 **GENERAL MEETING**
- 10-12 So Cal Regional TOUR to Lone Pine
Signup by May 6
- 11 Seminar: Summer Tour Safety Check for A's

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Bonita Kelley

The club was saddened to
hear of the passing of
Bonita Kelley. She will be
missed by all. We extend
our sympathy to Mike and
the family.

NOTES FROM VALERIE

DON'T WAIT....DRIVE IT IN '88

Valerie Simmons

Dan Simmons

SHOE BOX SWAP MEET

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NEXT MEETING (MAY)

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The input that I have been getting regarding the meetings, is that most people like to get ou by 9:00 P.M. The only popular program seems to be the Shoe Box Swap Meet. So, by popular demand, we will have a Shoe Box Swap Meet at the May meeting.

We will also raffle an oak lawyer's bookcase, donated by Pete Hiatt, at our May meeting.

Valerie and I really enjoyed the Yuma Tour. It couldn't have been more perfect. Orange County won alot of trophies. I think everyone that went won something, and some won more than one! The cars ran great; no one had any problems. We kept the speed under 55 mph (It's been rumored that above 55 mph will cause flat tires.). Our average tour speed was 50 mph, or less.

I just have to say it one more time: Wow! What a pancake breakfast we had! Whanks to everyone who helped!

It's so nice to see more and more ladies coming to the seminar. Thank you Patty for your expertise in health and physical fitness. Everyone told me how much they enjoyed it.

I think for May we'll have a casual Makeup Tips Seminar, so if you have any questions on what's doing with a product you might be using, or would like to know better how to use something, bring it, and we'll play with it. Also, we'll correct eyebrows on anyone who's not sure if their eyebrows are working for them. So I look forward to seeing you in May.

ON THE ROAD AGAIN

Larry and Gerry McKinney

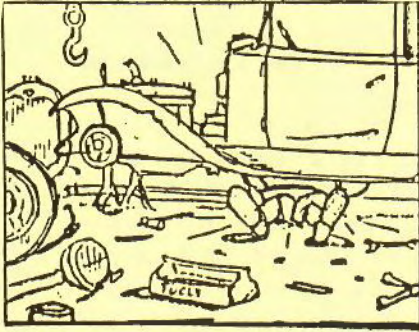
I'm sure everyone wonders why going to the annual meet is so special, well, I'll tell you. Springtime in Yuma is so wonderful. It means bringing along your shorts and sandals and going swimming and taking walks after dinner in the warm desert air.

The organizers of the Yuma trip are the Phoenix and Tucson MARCS. They are always so nice and plan a great weekend that is most enjoyable to all. The local Yuma Vintage Car Club provides us with a terrific hospitality room full of food and drinks.

Orange County won trophies for fashions and also the gymkhana events. Dick Riha won money during the raffle that was donated by our club.

There is another reason we personally enjoy the Yuma trip: We had the whole group to our wedding five years ago. It was a surprise to the group and to Larry!





LET'S GET TECHNICAL

Pete Hiatt

We had another great turnout at the starter and generator rebuilding seminar at the Riha's home. Many brought starters and generators to be tested, rebrushed, rebushed, and trued on Dick Riha's lathe. Thank you Dick, for the use of your equipment and to Dick and June for the use of their home. My apologies for not having a reamer for sizing the bushings for the starters. Anyone having a problem getting this step done should contact me.

Our next seminar, electrical system installation and troubleshooting, will take place on Friday, May 13th, at 7:30 P.M., at the Simmons' home in Huntington Beach (see enclosed map). Planned for this seminar is the installation of a wiring loom on a car, how to track down troublesome "dead" spots in your electrical system, how to read the test meter to get the most out of it, and possibly the information on wiring in a turn signal system.

The ladies turnouts at the seminars have been great, too! So, come on out to the next seminar and enjoy some good company and learn a little about that Model "A" sitting in your garage.

SOMETHING SPECIAL

Les White

As we round out the month of April, the show at McDonald's Restaurant will have past. I have no doubt that all will go well.

The Fullerton Parade and Street Fair is scheduled for May 7th, and we still have need for more volunteers, as well as cars for the display. This event can prove to be an excellent money maker for the club, if we receive your support. We did quite well last year at the fair and anticipate an even better event this time. The City of Fullerton is giving us a booth for the exchange of setting up an auto display, so I can't stress enough the importance of our getting our Model A's there!!! Please call myself or Martha if you can **help us out** at this event. Whether you want to work in the food booth or by bringing your Model A for the display, **PLEASE** let us know. Call one of us at (714) 870-6417 days or evenings.

I am working on a special mall show tour with the Movieland Wax Museum which will benefit the participating members rather than the club, but it should prove to be a lot of fun. More on this later.

LOST

One air driven grease gun. Whoever borrowed it please give me a call. The Chuckwagon is starting to squeak. Thank you. Pieter Dwinger 639-4767.

GENERAL MEETING MINUTES

Thursday, April 14, 1988

The meeting was called to order by President Simmons at 7:40 P.M. He offered the suggestion that the minutes be published in **THE DISTRIBUTOR** and not be read out loud at the monthly meeting. Verbal corrections will be presented at the next general meeting.

ACTIVITIES REPORT: See the Calendar for upcoming events. Tickets will be purchased for the June 24th Angels game. The Yuma Tour was enjoyed by all who participated.

TREASURER'S REPORT: Pete Gruenbeck indicated that the Pancake Breakfast of last month was most successful. All those who helped, as well as the other clubs who participated, were thanked for their support.

TECHNICAL AND THE DISTRIBUTOR REPORTS: Pete Hiatt announced the upcoming seminar, and Bob Ferazzi noted that want-ad slips were available. He also wanted to know if there were anyone who was not receiving **THE DISTRIBUTOR**.

SPECIAL EVENTS: Les White asked for three cars for April 23 and 24 for display at McDonalds (McDonalds had donated all the paper products for the recent Pancake Breakfast). The Fullerton Founders Day Parade and Street Fair (May 7) signup was passed around.

The club members were queried as to the club photo album displaying Model A's (this album is used in procuring rental contracts by malls, etc., for the display of the cars). Anyone with information, please contact the Whites.

HARDLUCK TROPHY: Les and Martha White were awarded the Hard Luck Trophy. It seems she has the magic touch.

WANTED:

Model B carburetor and intake manifold. Terry Lucas (Santa Ana) (714) 633-0390.

Rear top bow brackets for '30 coupe and front bumper brackets. Also bottom door window sills. Bob Baxter (Orange) (714) 532-2748.

FOR SALE:

1930 Model A Tudor. Runs very good. Give it a tune up and you have a great family car that you can get in and drive. Original throughout. Wilber Myers (714) 628-5710. Best serious offer. (No lo-ball bids please).

Add the following names of members to your roster in the space provided at the end of the listings. Periodically, as new members join the club, updates to the roster will be published.

Leavitt Steve and Sara
12642 Overbrook Dr
Santa Ana CA 92705
(714) 997-4595
Model A(s):
'29 Leatherback

Khalaf James and Dyanne
1781 Derby Dr
Santa Ana CA 92705
(714) 731-8064
Model A(s):
'29 Roadster

MINUTES CONTINUED ON PAGE 6.

OLD BUSINESS: None.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING

NEW BUSINESS: None.

MINUTES

ANNOUNCEMENTS: There are no outside events. Club patches are for sale. Dan Simmons announced that there would be a health seminar for the ladies tomorrow evening. Dan Simmons won the money raffle award. The Christmas Party will be December 9th (Friday), with tentative dates of December 10th and 17th, at the El Torito Bar and Grill. The Whites are open to suggestions for party entertainment. The OCMAFCA Board Meeting will be held at the McKinnys. All are invited.

April 21, 1988

The meeting was called to order by President Simmons, at his home, at 7:45 P.M. The following reports were presented: Upcoming activities were discussed, the technical seminar was well attended (ladies too), the next seminar will cover the topic of electrical troubleshooting (at the Simmons' home), coverage for the upcoming car display at McDonalds has been obtained, plans for the Fullerton Parade and Street Fair are underway. A sign-up work schedule was discussed. A mall show at Buena Park in June is being pursued. The pros and cons were heavily discussed.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:50 P.M.

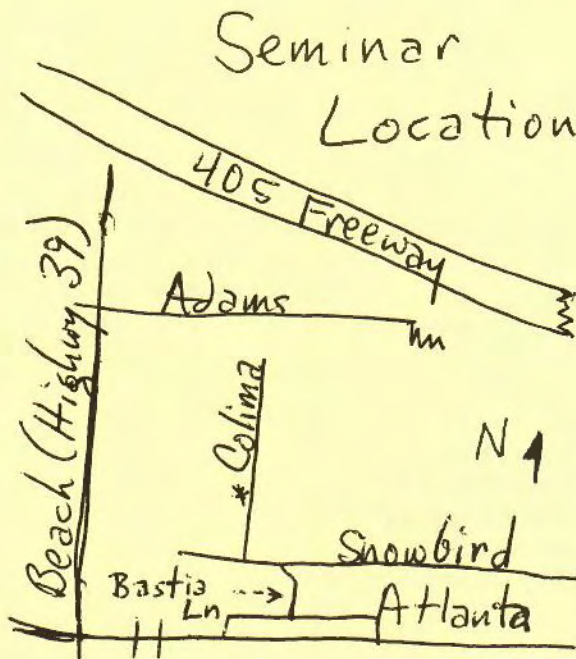
Bev Marsh, Acting Secretary

OLD BUSINESS: Thank you's will be sent to all the clubs that attended the Pancake Breakfast.

NEW BUSINESS: The raffle at the General Business Meeting was discussed. It was moved, seconded, and passed that the raffle prizes be changed to a single, high value item offered each month. The club will also continue the present raffle until the supply of already purchased raffle prizes has been exhausted. The General Business Meeting agenda was discussed.

There was no open discussion. The next board meeting will be held at the Ferazzis' home, May 19.

Gary Haubold



20871 Colima Ln
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(714) 968-7466
7:30 P.M.

FOR SALE ADDENDUM: 1929 Model A Cabriolet. Late 1970's restoration, runs great, rear mounted spare, beauty rings, La Baron Bonney top and interior, new landau irons, Bronson yellow, seal brown, new radiator and entire cooling system. Needs very little; great parade car. \$15,000 or best offer! Don Estrin (Huntington Beach) (714) 846-2995.

PICTURES FROM THE FIFIETH ANNIVERSARY OF JOE AND MARION WAVRA







THIS IS THE CLUB PROJECT THAT
WAS PRESENTED TO ORANGEWOOD, A
HOME FOR ORANGE COUNTY CHILDREN.

PICTURES FROM THE YUMA TOUR

A TIME FOR RELAXING.



ISN'T THIS A GREAT

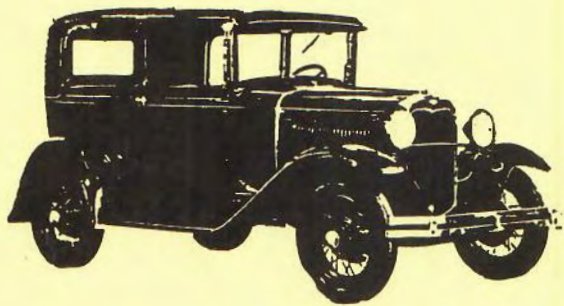
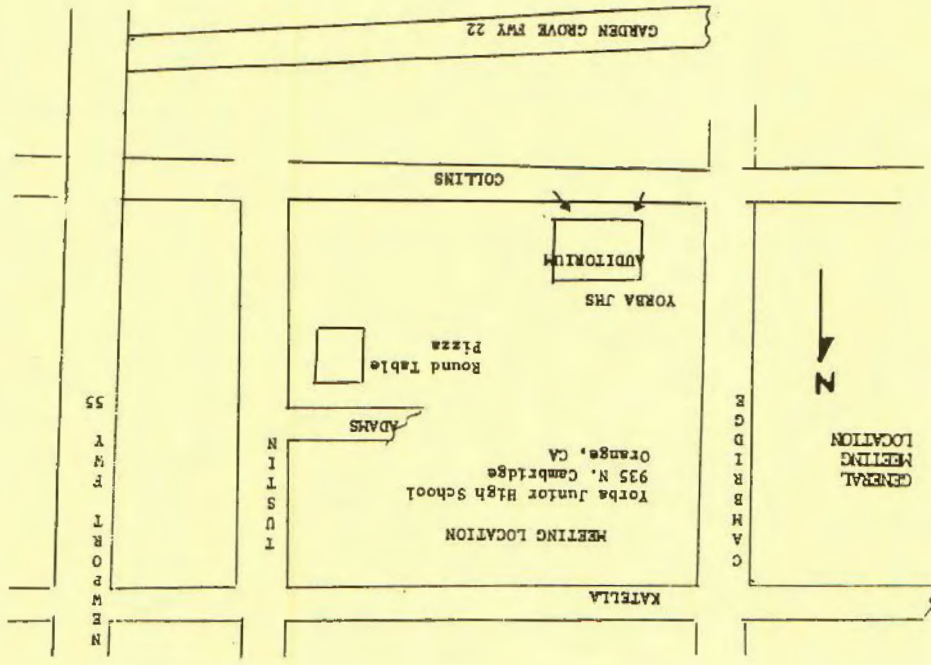
LOOKING GROUP!!



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