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THE TREASURE HUNT, OR WHO STOLE THE CLOTHESPIN OFF CASTRO'S STICK?

Looks like we'll do this again...that is, if we can get some more hard-working souls like the Baudinos, Shattucks, and Whitmores. We certainly hope someone got a picture of Joe Etherton Jr. sitting in his 'claim'. Mrs. Etherton said beforehand that she was digging for those step plates. Guess who won same: Mr. and Mrs. Card won the moto and quail out of a possible 100 prizes. Also, popular consensus has it that Gene Howell was top eliminator in the unsanctioned sand races. All in all, everyone had a ball.

LONG BEACH 'T' SWAP MEET

Lots of fine old cars of all makes and plenty of our happy group showed up, such as the Peppers, Baudinos, Whitmores, Kiblers, Scott Shattuck, Jones, and Tullius. As usual the same old arid zone (no aqua seemed available) and the desert atmosphere was carried out nicely in those ludicrous piles of rusty scrap iron so indicative of "T" swap meets. A slightly irked driver was Andy Baudino; as he attempted to leave he was rerouted to some mythical exit, known only to the giver of the instructions. Andy searched about three quarters of the curbed perimeter of this field, only to end up risking damage to his 35-year-old jewel by bobbling over the curb. Better luck next time...and bring your own water!

AUGUST MEETING

Jack Hilton again graced our modest meeting with some of his famous slides; many thanks, Jack. Les Scott, who must lie awake nights thinking up good deeds, offered more help to the club in the form of cards to place on windows of cars of prospective club members. Steve Hazard is so sly--how could a person ever guess that he needed a roadster windshield?

HANDY HINT

...on Loose Steering and Galling of Gears,
Use White Lead in Steering Box.

MEETING

Thursday, September 12
Izaak Walton Club House
1714 W. Santa Clara Street
Santa Ana

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Guest Speaker will be Jerry Kill from the Long Beach Chapter

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Topic will be water pumps and radiators and you are all invited to bring up any questions you have on these subjects.

'WOMEN LIKE THE NEW
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TO HANDLE'

'The joy of driving the new Ford comes not alone from its speed, its safety, its comfort or the pride you take in its beauty of line and color, but also from the pleasure it puts into motoring. Instantly you start away for your first ride: you have a feeling that here is an unusually alert and capable car; that here is a car with a new eagerness to go; a new liveliness; a new responsiveness in all traffic, on hills, and on the open road.

As the days go by, you will find yourself developing a real friendliness for the new Ford--a pride that is deeper and more personal than just an acknowledgment of faithful service. You long to be behind the wheel, to drive for the sheer joy of driving, to know again the sense of power and complete control that is yours when you ride in this great new car.

Telephone your nearest Ford dealer and ask him to bring the new Ford to your home for a demonstration and drive it yourself, through thickest traffic, on steepest hills, over the roughest roads. By its performance you will know that there is nothing quite like it anywhere in design, quality and price. The roadster sells for 385.00; Phaeton, 395.00; Tudor Sedan, 495.00; Coupe 495.00; Business Coupe, 495.00; Sport Coupe with rumble seat, 550.00.'

--Good Housekeeping, July, 1928

HAVE THINGS REALLY CHANGED SO MUCH?

' A ' M E N O V E R S E A S

We're having some real good stateside times, but let's not forget our buddies--namely, M.E. Smith and Roger Clements. Let's let them hear from you, boys.

ORANGE COUNTY
MODEL A ROUNDUP

Plan now to attend the first annual Round-up Sunday, October 20. All surrounding chapters are cordially invited. Sightseeing tour will meet at Fashion Square, Santa Ana, at 9 to 10 a.m. The Roundup will be held at 8th & Flower, Santa Ana, with entertainment from 11:30 to 1 p.m., and events from 1 to 4 p.m., including a drawing for prizes.

I D Y L L W I L D M E E T

Ten cars from the Orange County chapter made it to the big campout August 24-25.

Someone suggested that John Shattuck give us a demonstration on putting up a tent. Oh, yes; did Dick Hastings ever get his tent up--or not?

O C T O B E R 6 T H

That's the date of the great annual round-up and extraordinary combined field meet for antique, classic, and interesting motorcars sponsored by the Horseless Carriage Club of Southern California, to be held at Santa Anita Park in Arcadia. Enter parking lot at Huntington Drive & Holly. Contest from 9:30 a.m. till about 2:30 p.m. (Rain date Oct. 13).

DISTRIBUTOR CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

- SELL OR TRADE ** Three 30-31 wheels, 19"; Five 19" tires, good tread; 31 touring cowl; 30 gas tank. --GARY WRIGHT KE 8-5767
- SWAP ** 29 roadster top bows for 31 deluxe roadster top bows. --CHARLIE DOWNS LE 9-5964
- WANTED ** 31 left front fender with well; left rear fender; 60" front bumper. --DON CARD LI 8-4288
- SWAP ** 30-31 parts for 29 roadster parts; SELL ** 30 coupe, complete, stock, 16" wheels, \$550 --JIM DALTON LI 4-3860
- SELL ** Rear bumpers & brackets, \$6; 30-31 headlight bar, \$1; 30-31 hood (make offer); bell or housing, both pieces, \$2; tie rod w/ends, clean & painted, \$2; 19" tire, tube & rim, TRADE \$2; Model A transmission, \$10. --DAVE KIBLER JE 4-2571
- SELL ** 30-31 radiator splash pan, \$7. --JIM PEPPER KE 5-5960
- WANTED ** front axle or complete front end. --DICK TALLMAN KE 2-3895
- SELL ** Model "C" block w/ long studs; has hole in #1 cyl wall but no damage to water jacket; \$10. --DAVE KIBLER JE 4-2571
- SELL or TRADE ** 29 roadster pickup, \$350. Many extra parts. --DAVE KIBLER JE 4-2571
- TRADE ** 30-31 Pickup top bows for 28-29. --JOHN TULLIUS LA 8-4890
- SELL ** 31 tank & r.f. fender --JOHN TULLIUS LA 8-4890
- SELL ** 28-29 and 30-31 lower rumble seats. --JOHN TULLIUS LA 8-4890