NORTH ALABAMA REGION

AACA

JUNE 1971 NEWSLETTER

MEETING NOTICE

DATE: June 24, 1971

TIME: 7:00 P. M.

PLACE: Madison County Court House, Room 410 (Enter thru basement)

PROGRAM

THE MODEL "A"

Ernie Azary will touch on how and why the Model "A" came into being. He will also spin a few yarns about unusual stories concerning the Model "A". Ernie doesn't intend to go into details regarding trophy cars.

AACA NATIONAL SPRING MEETS

- June 18-20-Hagerstown, Maryland Eastern Division meet. The first AACA meet held in Maryland promises to be quite a celebration toward commemorating the 75th anniversary of the automobile.
- June 25-27-Stone Mountain, Georgia Southeastern AACA Division. This is the first meet to be held in the newly formed Southeastern Division of AACA but not the first meet to be held at Stone Mountain. This is truly one of the finest meets and meeting place in the South. This meet should draw over 400 cars. Don't miss it.
- July 14-18-Dearborn, Michigan Central AACA Division. This meet is being held in conjunction with the Detroit Automotive Diamond Jubilee. All registrants will be granted free admission to Greenfield Village and the Henry Ford Museum. Tours of all the major automotive facilities will be available. Sounds like a meet you can't miss.

DIRECTOR'S COLUMN

Malcolm Tarkington of Southerland Photo presented a most interesting and informative talk on photographing the antique auto for our May meeting. Malcolm showed slides of the Huntsville National Meet last year as examples of his techniques, then concluded his talk by answering questions concerning the many types of cameras and film available today. Thanks Malcolm for your time and a very enjoyable program.

Our meet for next summer is in the planning stages and from the ideas I've heard that George Townsend and Bob Thurstone have come up with it will, without a doubt, be a well planned and unique show. Much help will be required to make this show one to be remembered so don't be reluctant to volunteer. This topic will be the highlight of the business portion of our June meeting as George and Bob present their ideas.

An order for the black and white plastic name badges which many of the older members have was sent off after the May meeting. If more interest is shown a second order will be prepared and sent off.

As the delivery truck left tool custodian E. Azary's house the driver overheard Ernie complaining that the just didn't know where he was going to fit that compressor into his garage. At the May meeting Tom Holley was given the task to select and purchase a spray gun for our unit; so before long we should have a usable outfit.

Not only being tool custodian, Ernie has also been selected to prepare the program for our June meeting. As everyone knows Ernie "Rube Goldberg" Azary is strictly a Model A" man, so without hesitation he will be talking on his most enjoyable subject: "The Model "A"Ford". This will be an evening you won't want to miss.

While Director Don is in Mexico vacationing and trying to find some real bargains in antique cars I've been asked to fill in. Hope to see all of you at the next meeting, come out and see what tales "Rube" has got to tell.

> Dan Shady Vice Director

UPCOMING EVENTS - MAKE YOUR PLANS

June 18-20-Eastern Division Spring Meet, Hagerstown, Maryland.

June 25-27-Southeastern Division AACA National Spring Meet, Stone Mountain, Georgia.

July 2-4-Maggie Valley Invitational Meet, Maggie Valley, N. C.

- July 14-18-Central Division National Spring Meet and Diamond Jubilee Festival, Dearborn, Michigan.
- July 23-25-Model "A" Restorers National Meet, Columbus, Ohio.
- August 27-28-Second annual Car Show and Swap Meet, Tri-Cities Chapter AACA, Florence, Alabama

September 19-27-AACA Glidden Tour, Ottawa, Canada.

September 18-MOTAA annal fall meet, Jackson, Mississippi.

October 7-10-Eastern Division National Fall Meet, Hershey, Pa.

October 29-31-AACA Fort Lauderdale Region Annual Antique Car Meet and Flea Market, Pier 66, Fot Lauderdale, Florida.

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