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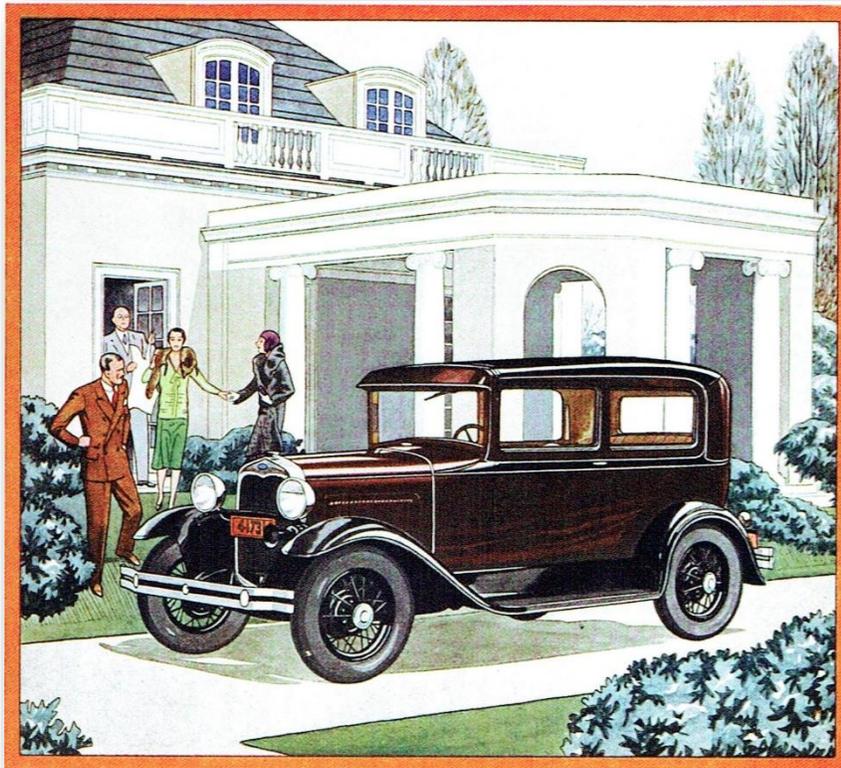
Newsletter



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“Checking out the latest model.”

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2018 Southside A's Club Events

August 11	Moonlight Tour - Bulloch House, Warms Springs (NEW DATE)
Aug. 18	Tech Meet at Romine's. Topic: Starters
Aug. 31-Sept. 3	Rabun Gap Mountain Tour w/CAMAFC
September 15	IMAD - Romines will lead a day tour.
September 22	Minter Farm - Heritage Days
October 5-7	Tour to Perry, GA with GA Region.
October 11	Mystery Tour
October 17-20	Sweet Home Alabama Tour w/Central Alabama club
November 2-4	Southern Crescent Tour (a Directors' Tour) Location TBD.
November 17	Annual Business Meeting - Frank's at the Old Mill for lunch.
December 7	Christmas Tour of Homes in Newnan.

2018 Events of Interest

September 14-15	Model A Day at MAFFI
September 17-20	MARC Nat'l Tour, Elkins, WVA.
Sept. 29-30	Atlanta Concours d'Elegance, Chateau Elan. Saturday show is for clubs and individual collectors.
December TBD	Christmas Open House - Bentley's, Maysville

Editor's Note:

Well, July turned out to be a somewhat quiet month, with rain punctuating many days on end. But we're going to make up for that in August, starting with our annual Moonlight Tour on August 11. Info is inside. Then there's the Tech Meet at the Romine's, followed at the end of the month with our Rabun Gap Mountain Tour.

Be sure to also check out information on National Tours as well as goings-on at MAFFI. And finally, don't forget to check out our classified section at the end of the Newsletter.

-Gwyneth

Happy Birthday!

1st – Rick Horne
9th – Pat Tyler
10th – Charlie Biggs
10th – Donna Hadden
11th – Tina Carne
11th – Jack Miller
12th – Pam Tyler
13th – Dick Carne
15th – Jim Hunter
29th – Johnnie Hobbs
31st – Richard Sewell



Happy Anniversary!

10th – Mike & Carole Foran
12th – Mark & Pat Gamble
27th – Ken & Patsy Riley



Notes from Our Director

As we get into late Summer we have several activities on the calendar including our upcoming Moonlight Tour. Check out all our coming activities in this issue of the Newsletter. Don't forget our technical session on August 18th at Tom & Liz Romine's house; this quarter Tom is going to give us a primer on starters. There will be hot dogs and fix'ins following the session.

Some of us old-timers remember our first use of the Ford Barn, a blog used to spread the word about Model A Fords. You need a password to get into this site and it is not very easy to navigate. Times have changed with the introduction of Facebook. Both National Clubs have set up Facebook pages and they are both excellent resources for getting questions answered, seeing items for sale and people just generally posting events. You can see some pretty interesting things and technical tips on these sites. If you haven't signed up to these pages, I would encourage you to do so. There you will see plenty of expert opinions on recurring problems and their solutions. After using these resources for a while you will find those participants that give the best advice and be able to contact them directly on Messenger.

I use both of these pages to learn and give input where I can. You can also follow the adventures of members as they use their cars. One such member, William Sales, just completed a 200+ day journey across the country in his 1930 Coupe. He lived a dream that many of us have, visiting many unknown but interesting sites across our great land. He traveled 23,657 miles in 229 days. Check him out on the MARC page, you'll be amazed at his journey.

Also as a reminder, we will continue to have our ice cream nights every Thursday at Culver's until the Fall, so come on out and enjoy the fellowship and stories told around a couple of cool ones!

See you soon down the road,

-Jim

ICE CREAM NIGHTS!

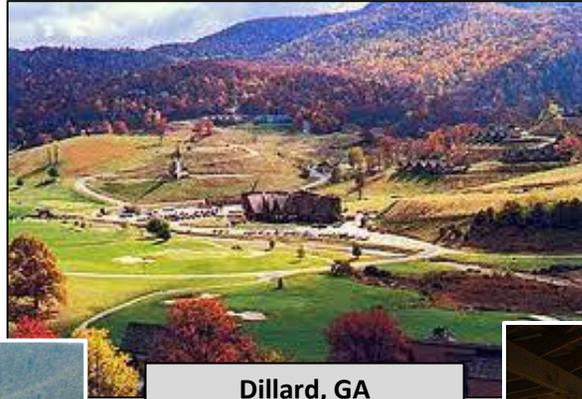
THURSDAYS AT CULVERS, NEWNAN

**7:00 PM, earlier if you'd like
dinner....delish!**



RABUN GAP MOUNTAIN TOUR

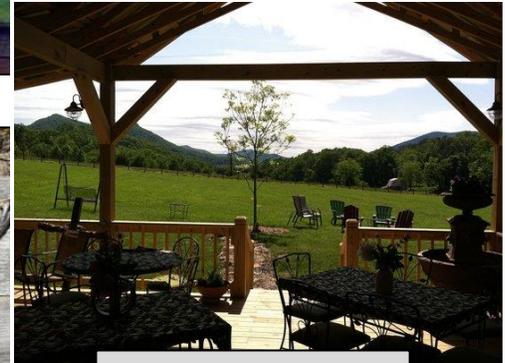
LABOR DAY WEEKEND, Aug. 31-Sept. 3, 2018



Dillard, GA



Rabun Gap Nacoochee School



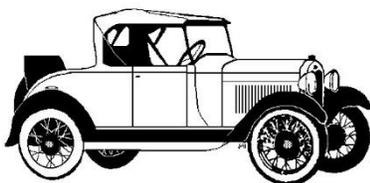
12 Spies Winery

Our tour is coming up soon! You won't want to miss this tour to the North Georgia mountains with visits to the historic Rabun Gap Nacoochee School; the first-rate antique car restoration shop of Mickey Justice, whose family has lived in the area for over 150 years; enjoy a fish fry dinner at Andy's Trout Farms; time for antiquing; wine tasting and lunch...and more. Enjoy the mild mountain air and picturesque views as we learn about this lovely area of our state, with the added personal perspective of the Justice family.

Our **host hotel** is the **GATEWAY INN** in Dillard, GA. We have a block of rooms under "Model A Tour," at an average nightly rate of \$80/plus tax. **The block is open until July 31.** Cancellation policy for this **holiday weekend**: You may cancel without charge through August 24. After that there will be a charge of one night. **Phone: 706-746-3585.** Trailer parking is available nearby, if needed.

REGISTRATION FORM ON NEXT PAGE.

Questions? Contact the Shotwells: gwynshot@aol.com, or call 805-890-5195.



Rabun Gap Mountain Tour

Registration Form

Name: _____ Spouse/Guest: _____

Email address: _____

Cell phone number: _____

Will you need trailer parking? _____ (Location will be emailed before the tour.)

Will you be wine tasting? No. of people _____

(We want to give the tasting room an idea
for staffing purposes.)

Per car registration Fee

\$ 10.00

Sunday box lunch at 12 Spies Vineyard -

Lunch includes sandwich, chips, pickle and cookie, along
with beverage. Condiments on the side.

Please check which sandwich you would like and put your
name on the line next to it. One for each person.

\$9 each Choice: Name:

(Example: X John Smith)

Chicken Salad on croissant

\$ _____

Turkey on wheat

\$ _____

Ham & Swiss on rye

\$ _____

Veggie on wheat berry

\$ _____

\$ _____

\$ _____

Farewell Dinner - Andy's Trout Farm

No.

\$22 each _____

\$ _____

TOTAL:

\$ _____

Please make checks payable to: **Southside A's**, and mail to:

Cheryl Simpson
8735 Watkins Road
Chattahoochee Hills, GA 30268

REGISTRATION DEADLINE: August 15, 2018

ANNUAL MOONLIGHT TOUR

August 11, 2018

Please join us on August 11 for the annual Moonlight Tour. Bob and I will lead the tour to the Bulloch House Restaurant in Warm Springs. The Bulloch House buffet consists of traditional southern dishes, and a salad bar. They also have a large menu of desserts.

Details:

Saturday, August 11

Departing at 4:00 from Sam's Club, Fischer Rd and Hwy 34 (Please arrive by 3:45 for drivers meeting) We have a 5:30 reservation.

Cost: Buffet \$12.95, drinks \$2.00, desserts \$4.00 – \$4.50

Please let us know if you can join us by **Monday, August 6**, so we can give a head count to the restaurant. You can reply to this email or call Cheryl @678-378-3991.

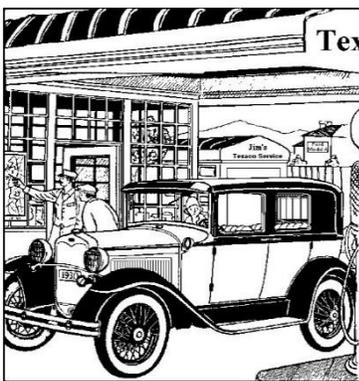
Hope you can join us!

Bob and Cheryl Simpson



Tech Meet – Starters

Saturday, August 18, 2018



This time we will look at the Model 'A' starter. If you have a starter that needs looking at, bring her on over to my shop on the 18th.

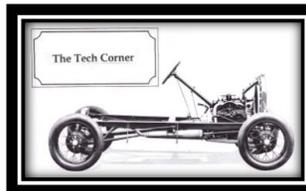
We will start at 9:30, have coffee and donuts and see what kind of trouble we can get into.

After our learning time, we will again have a hot dog lunch.

SOOOOOO come on out enjoy the fellowship, drink some coffee and enjoy yourself!

Please RSVP, so we know how much to purchase.

Tom Romine
444 Harp Road
Fayetteville, GA 30215
modelatom@comcast.net



The Tech Corner

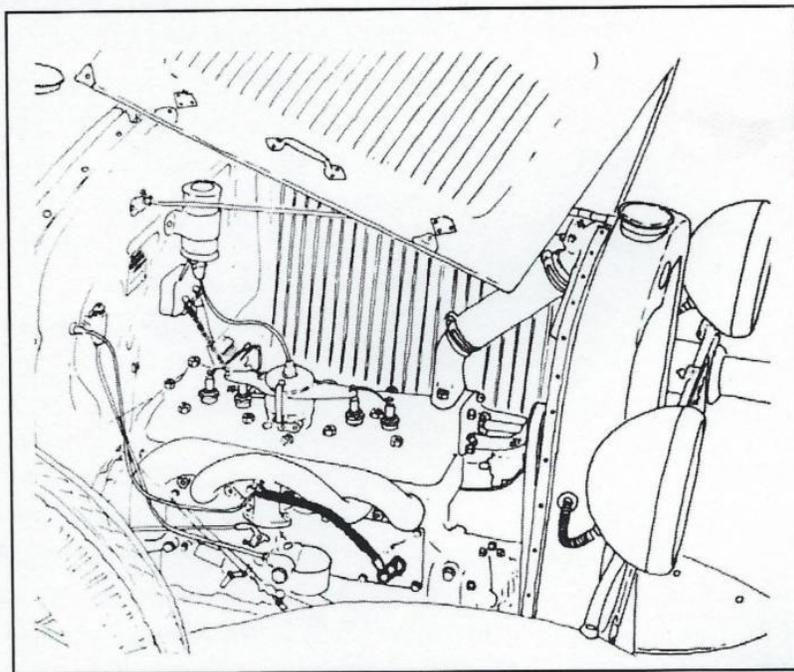
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Tiny Tips For Your Model A Book Available at MAFCA.com

CRANKCASE VENTILATOR

I have eliminated my Model A blowby problem and have cleaner oil too! Several years ago, another Model A enthusiast suggested using a tube from the valve side cover plate to the intake manifold to route the fumes from the crankcase. This was good. What I have done is to embellish upon it.

Inside the oil filler cap, I have added a stainless steel pot and pan scrubber (like real coarse steel wool), available at any market. To this I have added a PCV valve (Lee #LV-61) for a 225 C.L.D. Slant Six Valiant engine, which is of fiberglass composition with stainless steel parts.



Submitted by George-Chris Sprotte, Simi Valley, CA

FASHION FINDS...

PACKING FOR TRAVELLING IN YOUR MODEL A

by Mary Carlson

Published on MAFCA website, August, 2013

I've recently found an ad for luggage that would have been perfect for travelling during the Model A era. These 'wardrolas' were cleverly designed to hold a multitude of outfits.

The Wheary Trunk Company of Racine, Wisconsin stated that the trunks came in colors such as gold, green, burnt orange and maroon. The ad indicated that the trunks were perfect for air travel, train travel, steamship travel and also for automobile travel. The Airplane Wardrolette was sized to fit on the running board of a car. It would hold 10 dresses, 3 pairs of shoes and 42 other garments!

Don't you wish you had one of these nifty trunks?

WHEARY Wardrola

- the trunk that rolls open

You will see them this summer—the Whearys—at Vichy, Deauville, Marienbad; at Brighton, Yellowstone, Lake Louise; at the noted resorts the whole world over. You will find a new travel mode set by the Wheary Wardrola, Double-Duty Wardrola, Airplane Wardrolette, and Airplane Wardrolette Junior.

Before you travel, see the Wheary Trunks and Airplane Luggage at your nearest Wheary merchant's. Learn why they are chosen by "those who know how to travel." Or write for latest illustrated trunk and luggage folder.

WHEARY TRUNK COMPANY, Racine, Wis.
 Eastern Branch: Textile Building, 295 Fifth Ave., New York
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 MAROON



(Patented and Patents Pending)

Model shown: New Double-Duty Wardrola, with single door that swings open. Short hanger space for short garments, long space for long apparel. Two trays, instantly accessible, may be quickly removed—making Double-Duty an all-garment trunk. Smaller, lighter, than any other trunk of equal capacity.

Priced from \$60.00 to \$200.00

New—hand luggage with wardrobe trunk features

Airplane Wardrolette JUNIOR

Measures just 17x20x9 inches, yet carries dresses smoothly and neatly with only one fold—over individual hangers. Holds 6 dresses, 2 pairs of shoes, 34 other items. Light compact, smart. Made only by Wheary.

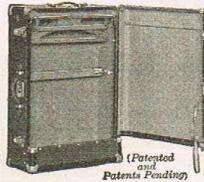


(Patents Pending)

Airplane Wardrolette

—a wardrobe trunk about the size of a suitcase

Fits under Pullman seat, on running board of car, in steamship or airplane cabin. Equipped with Sesame Lock. Capacity for women—10 dresses, 3 pair shoes, 42 other garments. For men—4 suits, 6 shirts, 49 other items. Made only by Wheary. Descriptive folder on request.



(Patented and Patents Pending)



Wardrolette priced from \$22.50 to \$75

The ad is from the June 2nd, 1928 issue of *The Literary Digest*

Georgia National Fair in Perry!

Tour with the Georgia Region, October 5-7, 2018

Microtel , 110 Fairview Dr., Perry, 478-987-4004

Travelodge, 100 Westview Ln., Perry, 478-987-7355



The Georgia Region, headed by Mark Corley (also an SSA member!) will be leading us on this fun tour to Perry, Georgia.

The Microtel has been filled, so they have added the Travelodge. Once you make your reservation, call Bobby DeLong at 678-283-0845 and let him know you are coming. They need to know how many people to plan for dinner Saturday night.

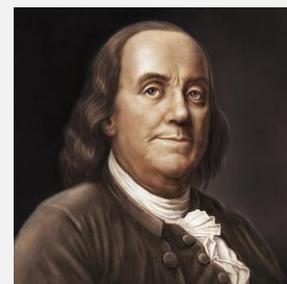
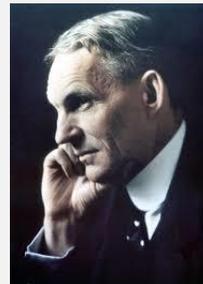
Kathy Kelly Huey is acting as our liaison with the Georgia Region, and will have more information as we get a little closer to the date.



Monday, August 13th is

Lefthanders Day!

Let's celebrate our famous left-handed members, along with some other folks you might recognize:



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Highlights of May Board Mtg.

July 10, 2018, Partners Pizza, Braelin Village,
Peachtree City

Meeting called to order by Jim Wingo. Previous minutes accepted.

Board members present: Jim Wingo, Cheryl Simpson, Pat Tyler, Gwyneth Shotwell, Tom Romine.

Treasurer's Report by Cheryl Simpson – See box below.

Newsletter Editor: Gwyneth Shotwell reported that Gary Smith of Smith & Jones recently died. Condolence letter to be sent by Jim Wingo.

Technical Chair –Tom Romine will host a tech meet at his home on August 18. Topic will be starters.

Tours:

Review of current calendar. (refer to Activities section at front of Newsletter)

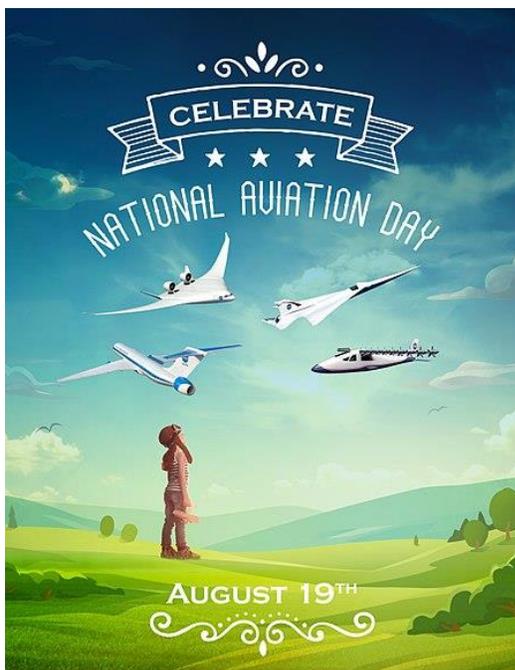
November Directors' Tour still under discussion.

Next meeting – Wednesday, August 8th, 12 Noon, at Partner's Braelinn in Peachtree City.

--- Fred Huey for Kathy Kelly Huey,
Recording/Corresponding Secretary

Treasurer's Report

Balance as of May 31, 2018:	\$3,293.48
Deposits:	\$0.00
Expenses: Food for Summer Social	<u>\$107.34</u>
Balance as of June 30, 2018:	\$3,186.14



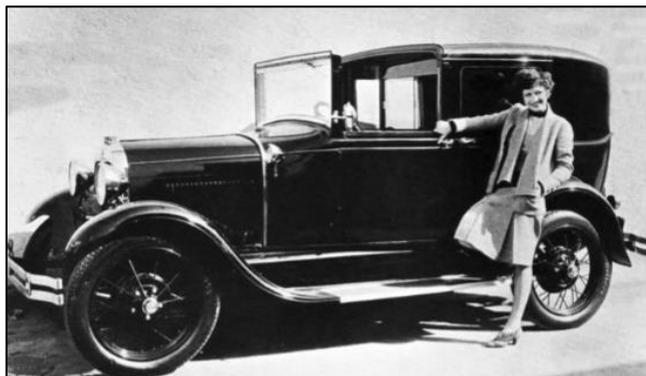
Commemorating the birthday of
Orville Wright





MAFFI Newsletter Minute

May 2018



Model A Day September 14-15, 2018

It will probably never happen again! Five Model A Ford Town Car/Town Car Deliveries all located together at one place at the same time. Model A Ford lovers will be able to see the cars on display in the Model A Museum over the Model A Day weekend of September 14-15, 2018. The collection includes the following models:

- 1928 Town Car which is the only one known to exist (prototype)
- 1929 Town Car which is one of 18
- 1930 Town Car which is one of two known to exist
- 1930 Town Car Delivery which is the only one known to exist
- 1931 Town Car Delivery which is one of six known to exist

The cars are all owned by Tim Kelly who has been collecting and restoring them for many years. They have not been shown before due to the recent restoration of two of the cars and might not be shown together for while or ever publicly. That is why this is a once in a lifetime opportunity.

Space will be cleared in the museum for the cars to be shown together, so they can be seen and photographed individually and as a group. The cars bridge the four years of Model A production from 1928 to 1931. Plans are underway to make this year's Model A Day one of the best yet!

Also on display will be:

- Model A #1 (Edison's car)
- Model A Taxi
- Model A Postal Vehicle
- Model A Fire Engine
- Two Model A Convertible Sedans (A400)
- Rare 1931 wide-bed Roadster Pickup
- Right hand drive De Luxe Phaeton

We plan, as one of the seminars, to have a presentation on the Edstrom collection, Tim Kelly's Town Cars and Don Bevin's Model A. We are in the process of up fitting a 1930 AA Stake Bed Truck to allow for visitor rides. This unique and free opportunity to ride in the back of a AA will be available for Model A Day. And don't forget the swap meet!

Visit maffi.org, click on "Info" and then "Model A Day" for full information, schedule, hotels, etc.

NATIONAL TOURS, 2018



MARC NATIONAL TOUR

ELKINS, WEST VIRGINIA

September 17-20, 2018

Bring your Model A and family to this historic town in north central West Virginia, filled with history, charm and beautiful countryside. Come make your "Mountain Memories" in "Almost Heaven," "Wild and Wonderful," Elkins, West Virginia.

Don (304) 516-1834 or Jim (304) 290-2930

MAFCA NATIONAL AWARDS BANQUET

Tucson, AZ

November 27 - December 1, 2018

Join us as we close out the year with our annual Awards Banquet in beautiful Tucson, AZ. Watch for further details.



AND LOOKING AHEAD.....NATIONAL SCENE, 2019



**Feb. 28th-March 2nd, 2019
Richmond Hill, GA**

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Hampton Inn 912-756-2272

Use CODE: "MARC Meet"

Items For Sale

WANTED: Need a restorable 1928-29 Model A Ford Roadster Pickup or major body parts such as cab. Any help appreciated.

Tom Gormley - 203-405-1893

t27sedan@aol.com

Member of Model A Restorers Club of America.

FOR SALE: 1931 Slant Windshield Town Sedan. "B" engine with Riley Overhead Valve Head; Carter downdraft carb; exhaust header; engine develops around 110 HP. 1939 Ford transmission; Borg Warner O/D. Also has trailer hitch, 2 speedometers, and much more. Inquire for full list.

Black on Black, all steel car. **\$29,500.**

Contact: Gerald Grizzard, 256-310-6463,

Gfireman52@aol.com



FOR SALE: 1931 Model A Deluxe Tudor. All original, black on black. Good condition with extra parts. Bought from Roy Frost. **Asking \$14,000**



Call Doug 256-237-5802

FOR SALE: 1931 S/W Town Sedan. Nice paint; cranks and runs well. Interior okay, but not show quality. In Oxford, AL. **Asking \$15,000.**

Contact: Gerald Grizzard, 256-310-6463,

Gfireman52@aol.com

FOR SALE: 1930 Georgia License Plates. Unrestored and Restored. Singles, pairs, and



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Invitation to join Model "A" Restorers Club

(Membership in Southside A's requires membership in MARC, as well.)

MODEL "A" RESTORERS CLUB

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Garden City MI 48135
(734) 427-9050 office
(734) 427-9054 fax

modelarestorers@sbcglobal.net

Membership Application

2015 Dues- New or Renewals

US Membership **\$45.00** US & Canada Air Mail **\$55.00** International **\$61.00**

IMPORTANT: Make checks payable to Model "A" Restorers Club (M.A.R.C.)

All Memberships from outside the U.S. are to be remitted by International Money Orders in U.S. Funds (drawn on U.S. Bank) or credit card. And a personal check drawn on U.S. bank (U.S. funds must stamped on check.)

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Visa Master Charge or Discover Credit Card American Express

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(Last 3 numbers on back of Credit Card)

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Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

I give permission to publish my phone number in the future MARC Membership Rosters:

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**With your membership you will receive a club membership I.D. card and the *Model "A" News*, our BI-monthly club magazine. In addition, each member is entitled to a free 40 word classified ad in each issue of our international publication, the *Model "A" News*
(A good source of parts and information you may need for your car).**

Model A Restorers Club Purpose:

The purpose of the Model "A" Restorer's Club is to encourage its members to acquire, preserve, restore, exhibit, and make use of the Model "A" Ford vehicles (models 1928-1931) and all things pertaining to the historical information, and to promote the introduction of ideas and fellowship among its members.

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