

SQUIRE SS-100 CLUB

CLBCOM 12
June 1991

Not a lot of news this month. Things are in the Summer doldrums I guess. How about you guys finishing up those Squire questionnaires I sent out with the May newsletter and returning them to me. Only one I've heard from is Tim Sharon. Then I'll go ahead and get us all registered with the Intermeccanica Club and the Registry of Italian Oddities. (How's that for a name?)

Lee Craft called from Baltimore. Said his car's new paint job is now done to his satisfaction. He's finishing up the upholstery and this month he's going to drop the rear leaf springs and have them re-arched and a leaf added. Don't know where John Fulton is? He has not called or written in weeks so I assume he's on the way back from Italy to the land of indoor plumbing? Where are you John?

Am going to spend another \$17.50 of our money for a picture add in the August (Or September) issue of Deals on Wheels. They claim to have a circulation of 250,000 in subscription and news stand sales but I have always suspected they fudge on those sales figures a little? Time will tell. Have enclosed a copy of the front cover and add page for June '91 Auto Trader that carried our add. No response to it as yet and at \$30.00 per add I don't think we'll try it again. Hemmings seems to be the most effective and we'll have another add there in July.

Well, it's official. Bill and Gloria Adams have a Squire and are now members of our group. They live at Rt. 1, Box 184 - Marietta, MS 38856. Area 601+365-5140. I talked to Bill on the phone a few weeks ago and he said he was stripping and repainting his car and I don't have any other particulars at this time.

Since I don't subscribe to Hemmings I have to wait for a friend to call things to my attention. I had written them some time ago and asked that they publish my request in the Letters section and they have. Copy attached. I'm getting pretty good at getting us free publicity.

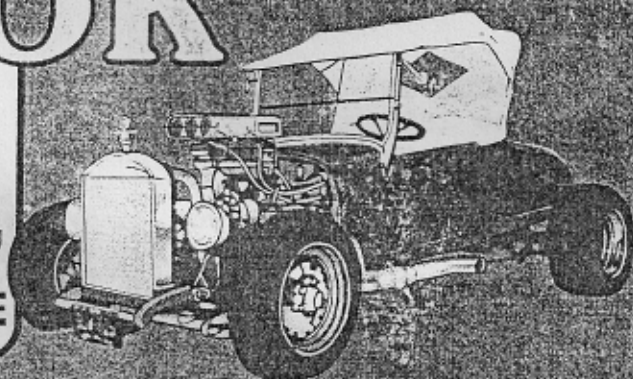
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Art. Hall

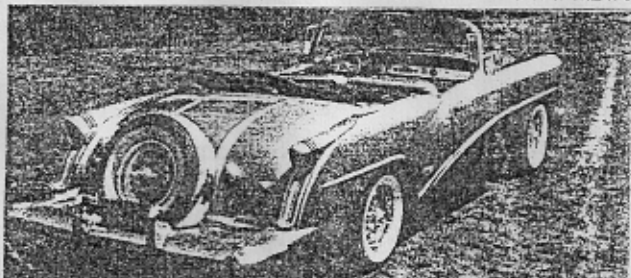
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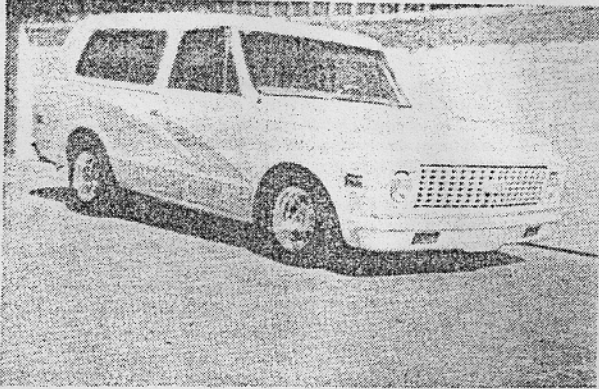
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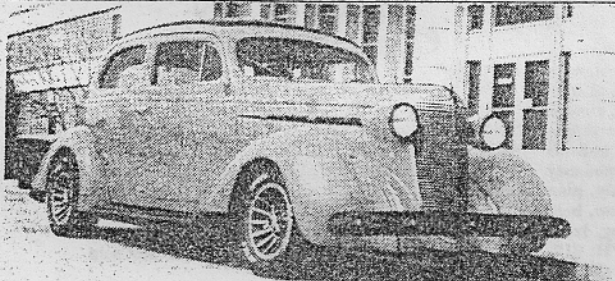
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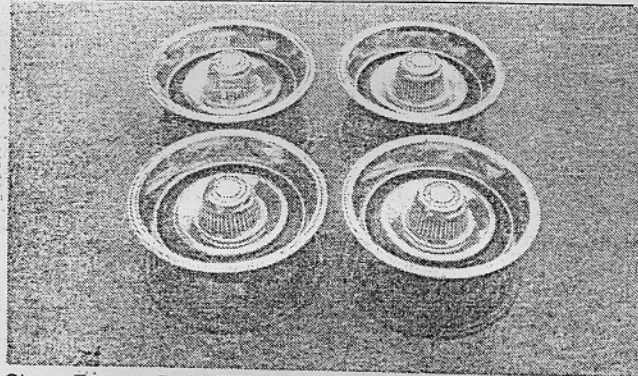
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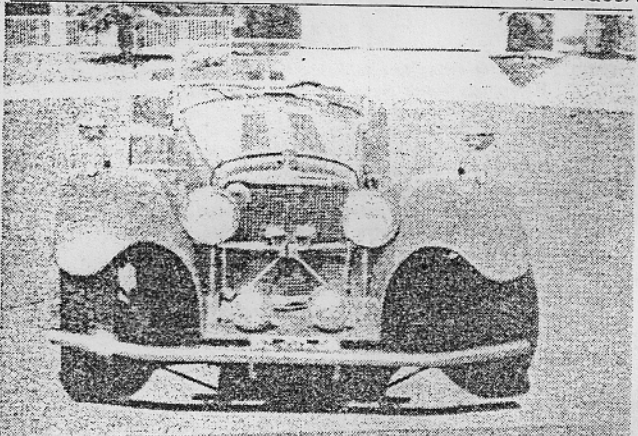
1972 CHEVY Blazer, 2WD, 402 big block, ps, pb, fact. ac, tilt steering, fact. tach, Boyd Coddington whls., possibly the nicest Blazer in the Country, \$13,500, delivery possible, Bob Johnson, Tulsa, OK 918-437-3544, dir. NA14FM79A



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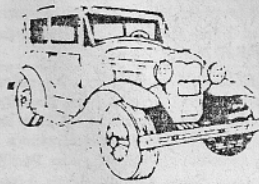


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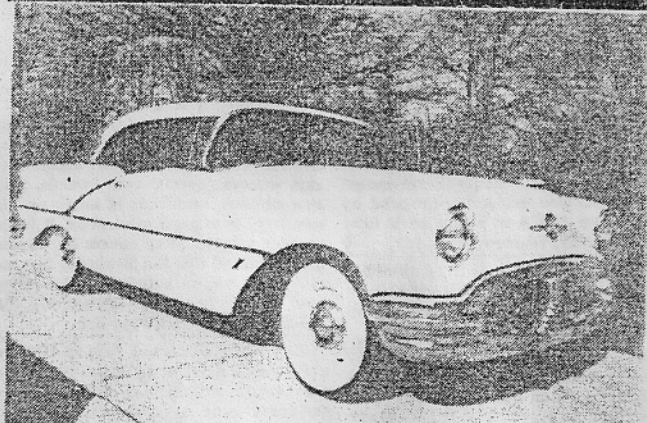
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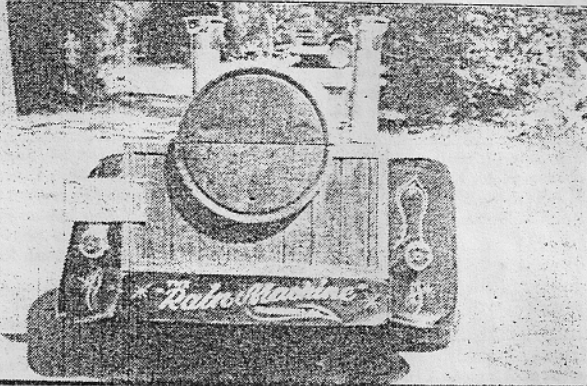
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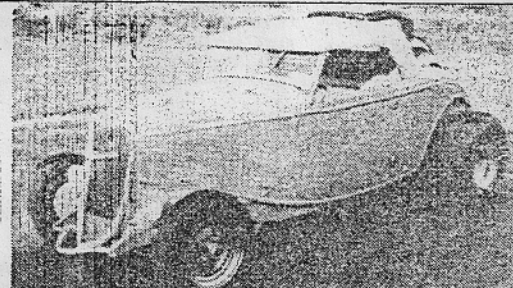
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Rain Machine TRAILER, '34 Ford rear fenders & Apron tail lights, blue dots w/beer keg which opens for luggage, new tires. \$800. Contact Don, 813-485-9072. NA05FM30K



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ers at County fairgrounds, Hwy 114 W, admission \$1, info: PO Box 92, Rensselaer, IN 47978, PH: 219-866-7171, or 219-866-4387.

IOWA: Boone, Aug 11, twenty-fifth annual swap meet and car show sponsored by Tall Corn Region AACA at Boone County fairgrounds, free admission, info: Ty Casotti, 1421 Boone St, Boone, IA 50036, PH: 515-432-2796. (PD) (JUNE)

MICHIGAN: Romeo, Aug 11, pre-77 GM car show and swap meet sponsored by Classic GM Car Club at Heldebrecht Chevy-Olds, 64200 Van Dyke, free admission, info: Carol Hairsine, 6374 22 Mile Rd, Utica, MI 48317, PH: 313-254-2478, or Walt Vailunga, 313-739-8255.

NEBRASKA: Wahoo, Aug 11, eleventh annual open car show sponsored by Saunders County Auto Assn downtown, free admission, info: Scott Nice, 1672 N Linden, Wahoo, NE 68066, PH: 402-443-4751, or Alan Tast, 1310 A St, Apt 2, Lincoln, NE 68502, PH: 402-435-6519 eves.

NEW JERSEY: Succasunna, Aug 11, charity rod run sponsored by North Jersey Street Rod Assn at Horse-shoe Lake, Rt 10 & Eyland Ave, info: Box 376, Hibernia, NJ 07842, Bob Grimal, 201-334-6800, or Rudy Deutsch, 201-838-3972.

NEW YORK: Centereach, Aug 11 (rain date Aug 18), car show sponsored by Corvettes East Car Club at Husted Chevrolet, free admission, info: 516-757-5021.

NEW YORK: Warsaw, Aug 11, twenty-fourth annual antique car show and flea market sponsored by Wyoming Valley Region AACA at village park, info: Mark Moriarty, 3798 Rt 19, Warsaw, NY 14569.

NORTH CAROLINA: Fayetteville, Aug 11, third annual indoor car show sponsored by Southern Knights Car Club at Cumberland County Civic Center, Business I-95 N, info: Mike Spooner, 919-864-7594. (PD) (AUG)

PENNSYLVANIA: Bally, Aug 11, sixth annual Corvette show sponsored as benefit for boy with prune belly syndrome at Washington Elementary School, PA 100 S, admission \$2, info: Jon A Erb, Box 330, Hoffmansville Rd, RD 1, Bechtelsville, PA 19505, PH: 215-754-6577. (PD) (AUG)

PENNSYLVANIA: Freeland, Aug 11, car show sponsored by Homecoming Assn, admission by donation, info: Box 198K, RD 1, Freeland, PA 18224, PH: 717-636-3812.

VIRGINIA: Chesapeake, Aug 11, eleventh annual car show and swap meet sponsored by Mustang Club of Tidewater at Cavalier Ford, info: Robert Westmont, 808 St Luke St, Virginia Beach, VA 23455, PH: 804-473-8373.

WISCONSIN: Manitowoc, Aug 11, ninth annual auto show and swap meet sponsored by Kiwanis Club at Expo grounds, off I-43, admission \$1, info: Don Ziolkowski, 3304 Simon Rd, Manitowoc, WI 54220, PH: 414-682-3339 between 6 and 9 pm.

PENNSYLVANIA: Carlisle, Aug 16-18, Chryslers @ Carlisle, all Chrysler products flea market, corral, show and give-away at Carlisle fairgrounds, info: Carlisle Productions, 717-243-7855. (PD) (AUG)

CALIFORNIA: Pleasanton, Aug 23-25, Goodguys fifth West Coast Nationals at Alameda County fairgrounds, street rods, hot rods, customs & classics through 48, the largest gathering of manufacturers and suppliers in the entire West, plus arts, crafts, model cars, pedal cars, valve cover races & great 50s and 60s entertainment, the biggest event west of the Mississippi; PS, it's the best one in the US, info: PO Box 424, Alamo, CA 94507, PH: 415-838-9876, FAX: 415-820-8241. (PD) (AUG)

PENNSYLVANIA: Carlisle, Aug 23-25, Corvettes @ Carlisle, all Corvette flea market, corral, show and give-away at Carlisle fairgrounds, info: Carlisle Productions, 717-243-7855. (PD) (AUG)

VIRGINIA: Chesapeake, Aug 24, annual car show, swap meet and car corral sponsored by Tidewater Region AACA at Volvo plant, Greenbrier Pkwy & I-64, info: Tom Allan, 804-238-2984, or Richard Hall, 804-482-2821. (PD) (JUNE)

CONNECTICUT: Simsbury, Aug 25 (rain date Sept 8), Farmington Valley car show sponsored by Hartford Club in Simsbury to benefit McLean Home, located at ITT Hartford Insurance Group, 200 Hopmeadow, \$2 donation, under 12 free, vendors \$25; trophies first 200 cars, other trophies to be presented, info: Paul Pellerin, 203-843-8685, CT. (PD) (AUG)

KENTUCKY: Louisville, Aug 31-Sept 1, giant Saturday and Sunday swap meet sponsored by Kyana Re-

gion AACA at Kentucky state fairgrounds, 10x20 spaces \$45, admission \$3, info: Carl Boyd, PO Box 4431, Louisville, KY 40204, PH: 502-585-2526.

(PD) (JUNE)

OHIO: Newark, Sept 7, Eight the night cruise-in and swap meet sponsored by Highway Masters Club, six foot trophies, admission \$5, registration starts 3 pm, info: Fred Dornan, 365 Hilldale, Newark, OH 43058-0126, PH: 614-763-2849. (PD) (AUG)

OREGON: Hillsboro, Sept 7-8, third annual Hillsboro swap meet at Washington County fairgrounds, 15 minutes west of Portland, off Hwy 26 at Shute Rd exit, cars, parts and automobiles plus a special model car swap section, club displays by Pacific Northwest Pontiac and Scale Auto Builders Assn, indoor and outdoor swap spaces, \$20 pre reg before Sept 1, \$25 at gate, general admission \$2, parking free, info: PO Box 82545, Portland, OR 97282, PH: 503-245-3747. (PD) (AUG)

VERMONT: Bennington, Sept 14-15, twenty-fifth annual car show and swap meet sponsored by Chamber of Commerce Rotary Club and area auto clubs at Willow Park, East Rd, info: Chamber of Commerce, Veterans Memorial Dr, Bennington, VT 05201, PH: 802-447-3311. (PD) (SEPT)

MICHIGAN: Midland, Sept 21-22, fall Michigan antique festival at Midland fairgrounds, auto show, sales lot, swap meet, antique & collectible market, all special interest, street machine, antique, classic, custom cars welcome, special cash awards, prizes, participation ribbons, hundreds of autos on display and for sale, large auto parts meet, show & for sale autos may register at gate, swap spaces by advance only, plan now to attend this fun weekend, buy, sell, view, held rain or shine, on side camping and parking, info: MAF, 3519 Westview, Saginaw, MI 48602, PH: 517-793-8389, 7 pm-9 pm, Mon-Fri. (PD) (SEPT)

WISCONSIN: Jefferson, Sept 28-29, fourteenth annual Fall Little Carlisle Jefferson 91 sponsored by Madison Classics at Jefferson fairgrounds, swap meet & car corral both days, show cars Sunday only, many car for sale, over 3,000 swap spaces \$30, open 6 am, info: Madison Classics, 4801 Flint Ln, Madison, WI 53714, PH: 608-244-8416. (PD) (OCT)

WISCONSIN: Lake Geneva, Sept 28-29, fourteenth classic car rally sponsored by Corinne Kreissl Memorial Foundation to benefit Childhood Cancer Research, info: Box 732, Lake Geneva, WI 53147, PH: 414-248-3536. (PD) (JULY)

PENNSYLVANIA: Carlisle, Oct 3-6, Fall Carlisle collector car flea market and corral at Carlisle fairgrounds, info: Carlisle Productions, 717-243-7855. (PD) (SEPT)

VERMONT: Waitsfield, Oct 5-6, Sugarbush Classics & Antique Car Show in the Mad River Valley seventh annual show, parade and flea market in beautiful Vermont valley at peak of spectacular Fall foliage, write for further info: Sugarbush Car Show, Box 267, Waitsfield, VT 05673, or call Sugarbush Reservations, 800-537-8427. (PD) (OCT)

FLORIDA: Zephyrhills, Oct 25-27, seventh annual auto & antique fall festival automotive/antique swap meet, collector car auction, antique auto races, flywheels, admission \$5, under 12 free, free parking, info: PO Box 848, Odessa, FL 33556, PH: 813-920-7206. (PD) (JUNE)

ILLINOIS: Chicago, Nov 2-3, tenth Anniversary Edition of Chevy/Vettefest, bigger and better at McCormick Place's East Building, featuring the nation's largest all indoor Super Chevy and Corvette swap meet, car show and sale, info: Mid America Promotions, 708-563-4300. (PD) (NOV)

LETTERS

Stunned by Humber

Dear HMN,

As a regular reader of *Hemmings* I was absolutely stunned to see the letter and photo from Thomas A. Felle of Racine, Wisconsin (April 1991 issue page 3214). I could only wonder how a 1946 Humber Hearse came to be in the US as Humber were usually only exported to countries with right hand drive, mainly India and Australia, and then only in their normal limo or sedan form. Certainly a "one-off" export I should think!

Remember Humber finished as a marque in 1976 when the Rootes Group was taken over by Chrysler

European, who were subsequently taken over by Peugeot of France.

The original Humber marque as an independent company, disappeared in the 1920s and became part of Rootes Motors, a group of small independent companies.

Back in the early 'seventies when I lived in the south of England there was a local character who used to drive around in an old '40s Humber hearse with his wife and kids in the back, upright of course!

I can give you a few addresses in England that might be of use to Mr Felle and have included them on a separate sheet.

Pete Watkins
York, England

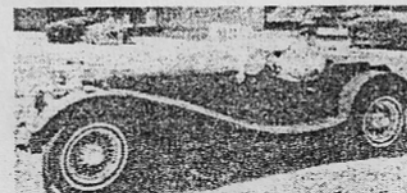
Thanks very much for your information, which we have forwarded to Mr Felle. We appreciate your taking the time to help a fellow hobbyist. □

Squire SS 100
Contacts Wanted

Dear HMN,

We hope you will publish this request in your "Letters" column. We are trying to locate owners of Squire SS 100s and the original importer of them, whose name is Edward Felbin of Auto Sport Motors of Philadelphia (or any of the former employees of that firm).

We believe that about fifty of these cars were made in Italy in the early '70s by Intermeccanica and Carrozzeria Ramponi and were shipped to and sold in the US.



Seven owners from as many States have made contact with each other through ads placed in *HMN* and other car magazines and have formed a club. We can't seem to locate Mr Felbin through these ads and so hope you will ask your readers to help us.

Arthur Stahl
Phoenix, Arizona

Any reader who can help Mr Stahl and his fellow Squire aficionados make contact with Mr Felbin (or anyone else associated with the import of these cars) will earn his gratitude, and ours, by making reply addressed to HMN Letters, Box 256, Bennington, Vermont 05201. □

Wanted: Back Copies
of HMN

We're trying to establish a "real" library here at Hemmings Motor News and need to find early copies of HMN. We're in the greatest need of copies from 1969 or before but also have several gaps in our collection of issues from 1970 to 1984. These will all be bound and displayed in our visitors' lobby/bookstore. We are willing, of course, to buy them from anyone who is willing to sell them to us. Please write to us here at HMN, attn: Carolyn Bratcher, Box 256, Bennington, Vermont 05201. □

Terminology Treatise

Dear HMN,

For a long time I have noticed that many words which accurately define specific body types (automotive) are being misused, or are unknown to more recent generations. My own love of open cars goes back to the mid-twenties, and I am going to try to straighten out this lack of knowledge (realizing that I may get some static in return!).

Today the word "convertible" is considered adequate for anything with a soft, folding top (regardless of age), but when I saw a recent description which stated "convertible with window curtains" I became upset. So let's start right there: Convertible: soft top, wind-up windows.