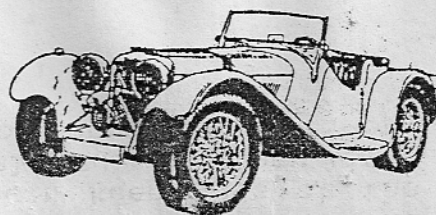


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JANUARY 1997



Squire SS-100 Registry

Well, here we go, starting our eighth year as the Registry and I would like to thank the membership for allowing me to do this. To get it started and then keep it chugging along has given me a great deal of pleasure and satisfaction, with some occasional frustration thrown in for good measure. I've managed to get around the country and meet many of you and am pleased to report not a lemon in the bunch.

I've included a new membership roster with this letter and our progress is evident. That leads me into the only part of this job that I detest - asking for funds. I have included a copy of last years balance sheet and you'll note that we wound up with a modest surplus. I feel confident that we can drop the dues back to \$. 00 for the year. Our postage bill for '96 was outa sight* because I wrote to the DMV in all fifty States seeking the missing Squires and each letter, and follow up if required, needed an SASE. However, that's behind us and this year I don't plan any more ads in the three national automotive publications seeking the same missing owners. We've had no results from them for over two years and I suspect we've hit the saturation point. I have included an SASE with this Clbcom to make your return easier but I'll also make a suggestion: I'm reasonably confident I can keep dues at the \$15.00 level for some time to come and it would make both our lives simpler if you wished to include two or more years dues at one time. Simply extrapolate the years you wish to pay in advance by \$15.00 and send it to me. I'll keep track of it here till it runs out. Many of our members are already doing so and if there's no return envelope with this letter, you're all paid up in advance. Neat, huh? Please make your check payable to Arthur R. Stahl.

ZIP CODE

Do us a favor when you send your dues in. If I don't have the last four digits of your zip code (00000-????) on the mailing label of this letter, will you jot them down on your check or the return address of the envelope. That will speed up the mail to you. If you don't know the last four digits look on your junk mail. THEY know.

CHASSIS #18 CHANGES HANDS

There are a few Registry matters that I kind of keep to myself till they're resolved and Chassis #18 has been one of them. The Bill Abdul that is listed on your current Registry roster is in reality a used car dealer in Carson City, NV - and an Arab to boot. I've always maintained that it's difficult to do business with someone that wears his tablecloth on his head and this guy was no exception. He's had #18 sitting on his lot, outside, for over three years and each time I called or wrote to him for a specific resale price he came up with a different figure. (Continued)

Bill Lieske and I have attended many auto shows in Phoenix and other nearby towns with a primary intent to interest others in the Squire as a modestly priced collector car and rescue the Nevada Squire, and another in the Detroit area, before they deteriorate into little more than parts cars.

We signed up for the Arizona World of Wheels held January 3, 4 & 5 in downtown Phoenix and while there met a delightful couple named Jensen. They made a planned business trip to Reno the following weekend and while there, side stepped to Carson City and purchased #18 and plan a complete restoration. So, please welcome:

Vern & Sorita Jensen - 1935 Cottonwood Lane - Mohave, AZ 86440
Home: 888+299-0459

SPRING FLING IN LAS VEGAS - MARCH 14, 15 & 16, 1997

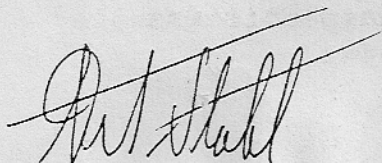
We're getting this newsletter out a little early to allow plenty of planning and reservation time for the much-talked-about Western get together. Those of you in the Midwest and East can also call your favorite airline in plenty of time to get discount seats. Above are the official dates but you can arrive early and/or depart later, your choice. We have arranged for a block of rooms at the San Remo Hotel at \$125.28 per night for Friday & Saturday and \$84.24 for Sunday night. Simply call Las Vegas Travel at 1-800+449-2897 and ask for Dave Kohl - Sales Mgr. Mention the Squire SS-100 Group, tell him how many nights and guarantee them with a credit card. If you're even just thinking about attending **IT IS IMPORTANT THAT YOU CALL FOR ROOM RESERVATIONS AT ONCE** in order for us to keep our block. If you later decide not to attend you can call the same 800 number and cancel with no penalty to you. We'll have more to say about this in the February newsletter but if you're thinking about coming please grab the phone and call me at 602+893-9451 so I can start some planning from this end. We will have four Squires there for sure and maybe, five or six?

DEAD MAN'S GUN

is the latest issue from the Registry's own personal Hollywood celebrity Ed Spielman, who, you will recall is also responsible for the Kung Fu TV series and The Young Riders on ABC-TV. Ed and his brother have been working with Henry Winkler (The Fonze on Happy Days and other starring movie roles) to create a series of movies for Showtime. For you newer members, Terry Becker is a Phoenix car friend and mechanical genius who has helped us resolve a number of vexing Squire problems in the past few years. He is also a true sportsman, master gunsmith and a heck of a nice guy.

AND ALWAYS REMEMBER

There is always one more son-of-a-bitch than you counted on.



FOR ART AND THE NEWSLETTER

Member Ed Spielman has just returned from principal photography on his latest project; 'DEAD MAN'S GUN'.

The story is an 1875 Western Anthology which involves an ill-fated gun that passes from hand to hand in the mythical American West of 1875. It changes the lives of all who possess it.

The Membership will be interested to know that esteemed Honorary Member Terry Becker (so beloved by all of you) was asked by Ed to tackle the job of being the 'custom gunsmith' for this show. Terry graciously accepted.

The actual revolver to be used was researched by Ed, who finally chose an Italian replica of the 1875 Schofield Smith & Wesson. The original gun was, in fact, the personal sidearm of Jesse James. The Schofield is a stylish piece of work...but for these movie purposes, not quite stylish enough.

Terry used his master gunsmith skills and spent months working on a matched pair of revolvers. (No movie company will use only one without a spare.) Terry ingeniously reworked the guns, had them engraved, blued and leafed with a 24kt monogram (Ed's initials). The brace of custom guns even has genuine elk horn handle grips (taken from an Elk that Terry personally dropped with a black powder rifle.)

A snag developed when Terry discovered that only half of each gun could be engraved because the frames were 'case hardened'. The surfaces were too hard to be etched. Terry's masterful solution was to construct thin steel overlays which were engraved and gold leafed, then perfectly mated to the sides of each gun. They are impossible to detect and visually perfect.

You will see Terry Becker's handiwork as the virtual star of the show. Accordingly, the credits at the end of 'DEAD MAN'S GUN' will read:

"CUSTOM GUNSMITH - TERRY BECKER\CRP, INC."

One of the 'perks' of Ed's creative work is that he has the responsibility of naming the towns, characters and establishments in his productions. There is a mining equipment company which figures prominently in one of the stories. That episode was filmed in the actual historical town of Fort Steele, Cranbrook, British Columbia. (This was also the location for the film 'THE GREY FOX'.)

In a small surprise thank you, Ed named the mining equipment company and had a large sign posted on the building. For a chuckle, keep your eye out for this. The sign proclaims:

BECKER & TERRY

'DEAD MAN'S GUN' premieres on Showtime on March 2nd.

It was created and written by Ed and his brother, Howard. They are also Executive Producers along with their partner, Henry Winkler...for Showtime and Sugar Entertainment (Canada).

P.S.

And even here, there is a 'Squire' connection.

The production office for Ed's show is in Vancouver, B.C. Leaving his hotel on the way to dinner, Ed paused at a stop light on fashionable Robson Street. A man pulled up with a black Porshe speedster. As the car took off, plainly visible on the rear was the builder's name in chrome letters:

INTERMECCANICA

(Intermeccanica's latest business is the building of speedster replicas. The Reisners are now in Canada.)

Squire SS-100 CISTRY - 1996 EXPENSE

100% FORM 3077W LITHO IN U.S.A.

MEMBER	INCOME	(PUBLICATION) ADVERTISING	POSTAGE	(USE)	(ITEM) AMISC.
CUNEO - JAN.	2000	DEALS ON LIVERS → 61.50	3200	← STAMPS	CLB COM 63 → 1033
MILLER - JAN	2000	CARS & PARTS → 48.48	3200	← STAMPS	CLB COM 64 → 668
CUNNINGHAM - JAN	2000	HENNINGUES → 38.75	400	← HANDLE	CLB COM 65 → 679
WEAVER - JAN	2000	" " → 12.15	3200	← STAMPS	CLB COM 66 → 771
BOTTO - JAN	2000	160.88	3200	← STAMPS	CLB COM 67 → 771
SPIELMAN - JAN	2000		400	← BARRINO	CLB COM 68 → 1644
FULTON - JAN	2000		3200	← STAMPS	CLB COM 69 → 290
HAYES - FEB	2000		3200	← STAMPS	OFFICE SUPPLY → 1400
SHARON - FEB	2000		500	← SIMMS	5 N/S MINUALS → 7428
OFFENBERG - FEB	2000		3200	← STAMPS	BIG ENVELOPES → 829
THOMAS - FEB	2000		500	← EDWARDS	CLB COM 71 → 899
SCOTTO - FEB	2000		3200	← STAMPS	
MURRAY - FEB	2000		27400		
POMPLII - FEB	2000				
SHER - FEB	2000				
CRAFT - FEB	2000				
FALK - FEB	2000				
CARLSON - FEB	2000				
LIESKE - FEB	2000				
DIMOND - FEB	2000				
BOULUKOS - APRIL	2500				
LINDGREN - APRIL	2500				
BILL FREEMAN - MAY	2000				
SEIGERMAN - MAY	2000				
TINSLEY - JUNE	2000				
HANDLE - JUNE	2000				
MANGER - JUNE	2000				
BARRINO - OCT	2000				
SIMMS - NOV.	2000				

INCOME 610.00
EXPENSE 599.00
\$11.00 SURPLUS

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January 1997 Roster

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Ian & Robyn Boles Home: 706+322-6700	313 Cascade Road Columbus, GA 31904	Red - Manual S/N 11030525
Richard & Frances Botto Home: 510+254-3695	83 Evergreen Drive Orinda, CA 94563	White - Manual S/N 11049545
George & Kathy Boulukos Home: 516+868-4050	862 Guy Lombardo Freeport, NY 11520	White - Auto S/N 11014525
Wes Carlson Home: 617+762-0935	42 Tamarack Road Westwood, MA 02090-3128	Red/Tan-Manual S/N 11004525
Anthony Coppola Home: 908+222-9050	382 Norwood Avenue West Long Branch, NJ 07764	Red - Auto S/N 11026525
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Lee & Lina Craft Home: 410+757-1408	1628 Revell Downs Road Annapolis, MD 21401	Yellow - Auto S/N 11039545
Nick & Caroline Cuneo Home: 516+767-0122	35 Amherst Road Port Washington, NY 11050	Red - Auto S/N 11002525
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Sam & Cindy Handle Home: 516+361-9028	3 Carrie Court Smithtown, NY 11787	Black - Manual S/N 11005525
Neil & Bertha Hayes Home: 816+826-9204	1200 W. 11th Street Sedalia, MO 65301	Yellow - Manual S/N 11047545
Vern & Sorita Jensen Home: 888+299-0459	1935 Cottonwood Lane Mohave, AZ 86440	White - Auto S/N 11018525
Dave & Jean Kaufman Home: 504+366-0704	2030 Farragut Street New Orleans, LA 70114	Red - Manual S/N ????????
Paolina Leone Home: Withheld	111 Pearl Drive Southampton, PA 18966	Green - Manual S/N 11037545

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37 Harvard Road
North Hills, NY 11030

653 Caledonia Road
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Red - Manual
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Red - Manual
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PRODUCTION SEQUENCE

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03	MI	PILARSKI	28	*	*
04	MA	CARLSON	29	OH	BARRINO
05	NY	HANDLE	30	GA	BOLES
06	CT	THOMAS	31	*	*
07	TN	SIMMS	32	CA	SPIELMAN
08	*	*	33	*	*
09	AZ	DIMOND	34	TN	FREEMAN
10	MD	EDMANDS	35	NY	SHER
11	TN	FREEMAN	36	*	*
12	*	*	37	PA	LEONE
13	NY	SEIGERMAN	38	*	*
14	NY	BOULUKOS	39	MD	CRAFT
15	*	*	40	*	*
16	FL	CUNNINGHAM	41	CA	MILLER
17	MD	FALK	42	*	*
18	AZ	JENSEN	43	*	*
19	TX	FULTON	44	AZ	LIESKE
20	NM	WEAVER	45	FL	DEWRELL
21	NC	MURRAY	46	NY	OFFENBERG
22	NY	MANSER	47	MO	HAYES
23	NY	MOORE	48	PA	POMPILII
24	NJ	COVIELLO	49	CA	BOTTO
25	*	*	50	AZ	STAHL

*UNKNOWN SERIAL #: EPPERLY IN NC, KAUFMAN IN LA AND ONE STORED IN BOSTON.