

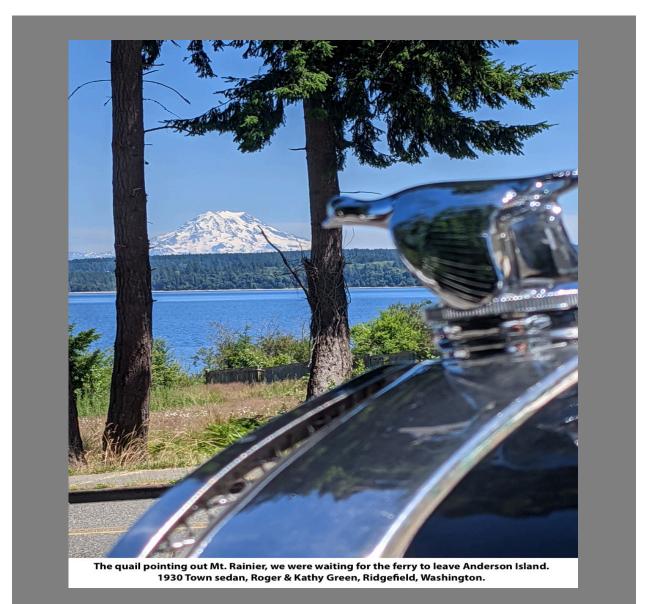
Volcano A's, PO Box 970, La Center, WA 98629 www.volcanoas.net Meeting: Church of the Nazarene – 16850 NE Fourth Plain Blvd, Vancouver, WA - Second Monday of Month – 7:00 PM Lunch and Take-Out at Benny's Pizza & Café on 4219 St Johns Rd NE, Vancouver, WA

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#### President's Note July 23, 2021

Because of hot weather, Corley is troubled with scheduling his Scavenger Tour, watch your email for a

possible event late this week.

Our August meeting will be at the Lane's at 2:00 pm. The early time would allow us to have a picnic lunch and then our monthly meeting. The picnic would be a potluck with the club providing chicken and drinks.

Now is the time to be thinking about the election of officers. The Board will be discussing Article V, Section 5 Qualifications of Elected Positions of the

Club Bylaws. Section 5 of Article V states: "A nominee for the position of President must have held a Board of Directors or committee position within the Club for one full year". We would have a vote to change Section 5 to read: "A nominee for the position of President must have been an active Club member for a minimum of three years".

The September tour is in final preparations and should be a go if wildfires and COVID do not get in the way.

Stay safe,

Jerry

"Efforts and courage are not enough without purpose and direction."
John F. Kennedy

Articles and contributions are encouraged and may be used as space permits. The deadline for all articles is the 20th of the preceding month. The Volcano View is a monthly publication of the Volcano A's Chapter -MAFCA E-mail all proposed articles to: <u>rrusunen@comcast.net</u>

#### 2021 Board of Directors

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### **Committee Chairs**

Community Service: Joyce Swartz Garage Workshop: Tom Pagel NW Regional Rep: Roger Green Public Relations: Dian Lane Refreshments Coordinator: Nancy Wooldridge Sunshine: Karen Huset Tour Director: Corley Wooldridge

#### Model TT Ford Dump Truck



#### <u>Lava Ladies</u>

On June 26<sup>th</sup> we had our first outing in a long, long time and it was one of the hottest days we've had this summer but of course that didn't stop us from having a good time!! We went to Kalama and the first shop we visited was having a big sale and was handing out goody bags and offering refreshments, the shop was much bigger than expected, it was delightful. Lunch at the Lucky Dragon was next, that was worth the trip alone – great food and even better company. Next door to the restaurant was another shop and more items to check out before heading home – thank goodness for air-conditioned cars!

Looking forward to more outings, hopefully at our August Club meeting we can get together and plan for something soon!

#### <u>Volcano A's General Membership Meeting Minutes</u> July 12, 2021

CALL TO ORDER: Jerry Lane called the meeting to order at 6:15pm.

**TREASURER:** Linda Willey gave the financial report.

TOURS: Corley Wooldridge stated that the May Tour to the railroad sponsored by the Kelly's and the June Tour to the Tri-Cities sponsored by the Blick's were huge successes!! Upcoming tours are July 24<sup>th</sup> or 31<sup>st</sup> (Stay tuned as to the date due to weather) a scavenger hunt (bring a camera); Aug. 9<sup>th</sup> is the Potluck supper at Lanes; and Sept 20<sup>th</sup>-24<sup>th</sup> is the Presidents Tour. Looking for Bruno!!!

EDITOR/WEBMASTER: No report.

**COMMUNITY SERVICE:** Joyce Swartz reported we collected 853 #'s of food for the Food Bank since the first of the year!!

**REFRESHMENTS:** Nancy Wooldridge will have a list ready in Aug. for signups to do refreshments for upcoming meetings.

LAVA LADIES: Karen Huset will investigate having a Babies in Need "Shower" sometime in the Fall.

**OLD BUSINESS:** The minutes from the last meeting were approved and seconded as written by Roger Green and Bob Rusunen respectively. The Nazarene Church has agreed to allowing us to start our monthly meetings in the church hall in Sept. The meeting is the 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of the month at 7pm.

**NEW BUSINESS:** The Presidents Tour is Sept. 20-24<sup>th</sup>. We will be going to Aberdeen, Forks, Sequim, and Elma. Reservations can now be made at the hotels. See the date chart and hotel info within the newsletter. Make those reservations!!!!

**ADJOURNED:** Meeting was adjourned by Jerry Lane.

Submitted by Sherry Rusunen

#### 1920's Ladies Fashion



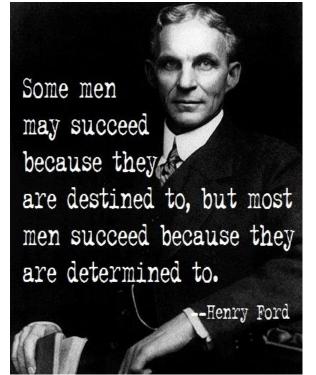
Source: Vintagedancer.com/1920's



#### 1928-1931 Men's Fashion



Source: Vintagedancer.Ccm/1920's





redit goes to Steve Organ for submitting this Ford sticker that wa affixed on new Model A windshields at the dealership:

## NEW CAR DIRECTIONS

SPEED Avaid high speeds while the car is new. To obtain best results. TT SHOULD NOT HE DEIVEN FASTER THAN 30 TO 35 MILES PER HOUR FOR THE FIRST 500 MILES.

OIL Keen the cli at "F" on the measuring rod, especially during L. Remote measuring rod and view thit at your better that the first few basedeed makes. Never let it get below the mark the level. OIL SHOULD BE CHANGED AFTER THE FIRST 500 MILES AND EVERT 500 MILES THERE ASTREES, Summer oil should conform to S.A.E. specification 40, and Winter oil to S.A.E. specification 20.

BRAKES this car is equipped with 4-wheel mechanical brakes which are quick and positive in action. Application of brakes which might result in disconfort to passengers or edihistic from reas.

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TIRES For easy riding qualities, proper braking and long life scop the threa, both front and rear, inflated to 35 pounds. (4.75-21 tires should be inflated to 40 pounds).

INSPECTION To invare best results have an Authorized PORD DEALER inspect this cas and make necessary minor adjustments after the first five hundred miles of running.

TRIPLEX SAFETY GLASS Triples Safety this car for your protection. Do not replace Triples Safety Glass with plate glass. If replacement is necessary use TRIPLEX SAFETY GLASS.

DRIVE SAFELY

- July 10, 1929 -





The Model A Ford Foundation

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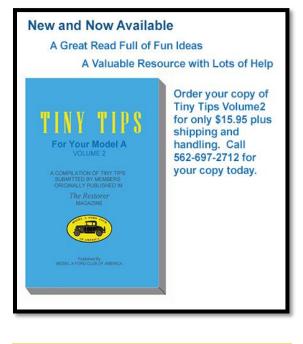
The Trustees are looking forward to meeting each and every one of you this year and are proud to showcase our beautiful museum with our First Responder's Display.

This "MAFFI Liaison Letter" was sent to you <u>as your club's MAFFI Liaison</u>. It is our hope that you will share it at your club's monthly meeting. If you are no longer the MAFFI Liaison for your club, please notify me <u>at the email listed</u> <u>below</u> with the name and email address of the new Liaison.

Thank you,

Marsha Quesnel, MAFFI Trustee

clubcontact@maffi.org



Check out the MAFCA Website! www.mafca.com





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Jim's Tech Tip by Jim Cannon

Working Around Your Car's Battery

nenever working on the electrical parts of your car, it is a good idea to de-energize everything to prevent an accidental short circuit. For example, one of the horn wires in "hot" all the time, so any time you do anything with the horn cover, it's a good idea to disconnect the battery. The same is true of the brake light switch and the wires inside the instrument panel in the car.

If you have a fuse on the yellow wire that comes off of the starter switch, just removing the fuse will do the trick. Or if you have a battery cut-off switch on the car, that will kill the power to everything.

But in many cases you need to disconnect the ground strap from the battery in order to make sure everything is without power. Perhaps you need to remove the starter cable, or the battery itself. Whenever you remove cables from the battery posts, it is a really good idea to cover the battery post with something to prevent accidental contact between it and the other battery post.

For example, if you dropped a wrench or other tool while working around or above the battery, it could land on top of the battery touching both posts. This will short out the battery, which can be a really big problem, resulting in a fire or perhaps the battery exploding acid all over

When you buy a new battery for most cars today, they are sold with one or two small plastic caps over the battery posts. I see them in red and black plastic. If you go to your local auto parts store, the people there may even give you a few of these caps, if vou ask.



I keep several of them in my box of battery-related tools and things, to put over the posts of any battery I am working around. It is easy to do and only takes a minute

Take a minute to be safe. Enjoy! And Have a Model A Day! Jim



Pre-Model A early cars had plate glass windshields and windows. In a collision, the glass broke into sharp, dagger-like pieces that could injure or kill motorists. In 1926, Stutz embedded horizontal wires in its windshields to minimize shattering. Another safety feature of the 1926 Stutz was its low center of gravity, which reduced sway and rollover. Heavy steel running boards were designed to provide side-impact protection. The company advertised the Safety Stutz, but at \$2,995 it was too expensive for most Americans.

A more effective solution to the problem of shattered windshields was a "sandwich" of glass and celluloid that held fragments together on impact. Triplex Glass was standard equipment on the 1928 Ford Model A windshield and attracted attention because it was mass-marketed on a low priced car.

In late November 1927 came the announcement that Americans had been waiting for: on December 2, 1927, the still-unnamed Ford automobile would be shown to the public, at locations revealed to each and every Ford dealer. Pricing was announced on December 1, the eve of the showing, and to the delight of potential buyers, the new Model A would be priced comparably to the Model T. On the day of the car's reveal, Ford News claimed that 10,534,992 people came to see the Model A, a number that represented 10 percent of the U.S. population at the time



Brochure for Triplex shatterproof glass, which was standard ning in 1928. nt on Ford Model A win

The Model A offered buyers elegant styling (described as a "downsized Lincoln" by some), four-wheel brakes, improved fuel economy, a *laminated safety glass* ndshield, hydraulic shock absorbers, and a 200.5-cu.in. four-cylinder engine rated at 40 horsepower, enough to deliver a top speed of 65 MPH. Seven body types were offered at launch, including Sport Coupe, Coupe, Roadster, Phaeton, Tudor sedan, Fordor sedan, and truck, and buyers could choose from four colors (Niagara Blue, Arabian Sand, Dawn Gray and Gun Metal Blue).



#### Please join us on the President's Tour September 20 – 24, 2021

Here's the info on our hotel stays and I recommend that you make your reservations as soon as possible.

Monday, September 20th

Best Western Plus Aberdeen 701 E Heron St Aberdeen Call Jackie @ 360 537-7460 DBL queen is <u>125 99 King</u> is \$121.49

Tuesday, September 21st

Forks Motel 351 S. Forks Ave Forks Call 360 374-6243 <sup>W</sup> King is 128.51 Dbl queen is 128.51

Wednesday, September 22nd

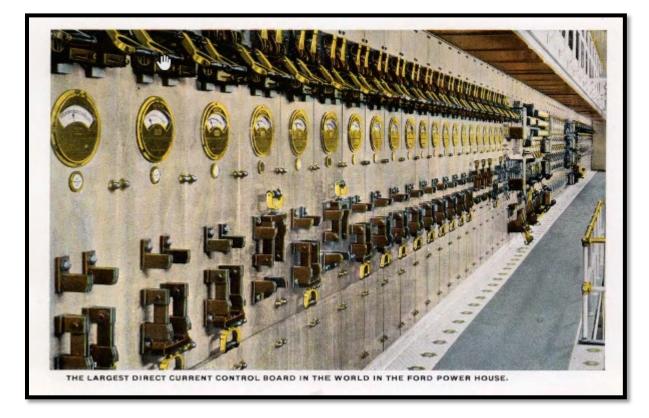
Sequim Bay Lodge 26855 US-101 Sequim 360 683-0691 ask for <u>Peter \$</u>129

Thursday, September 23rd

Elma Stay Beyond 800 E Main St Elma Call Beau at 360 482-6868 Queen is \$109, Dbl Queen is \$129, Queen suite is \$139

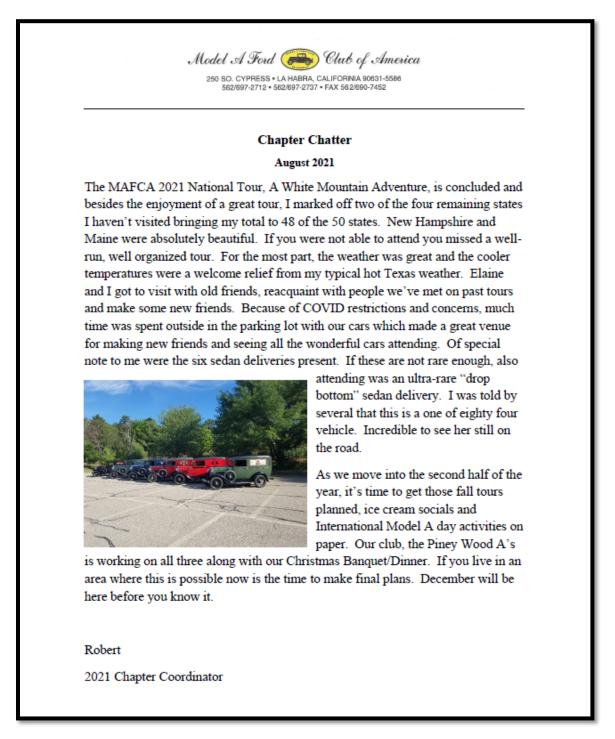
#### Ford Factory Postcard Photos





#### **MAFCA Information**

The **Model A Ford Club of America, Inc. (MAFCA)** is a California non-profit corporation and a national historical society dedicated to the restoration and preservation of Model A Ford vehicles as manufactured from 1928 through 1931. MAFCA's members are dedicated to the restoration, preservation, and enjoyment of Ford vehicles of that era. MAFCA is the largest club in the world dedicated to one make of automobile. Volcano A members are urged to join the Model A Ford Club of America, Inc. Visit the MAFCA website for a membership application. Dues are \$50 yearly and include a subscription to <u>The Restorer.</u>



## **Can You Find All Ten Things That Are Different?**





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Power pole is missing: White lane lines missing in background: Coupe's license is missing: "Original" missing from sign board: Trash can is missing: Coupe is missing: Back sign board has ad missing: Lane ine between cars missing: Coupe's spare tire is gone: Brown area in

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#### Never Leave Home Without Them

By Diann Eason. Era Fashion Committee Chairperson

Gloves were considered an important article of coordinated apparel for a lady of the Model A era. Gloves were bought, made, and worn for most activities outside the home. Fashion enthusiasts have looked for the three gores stitched or appliqued across the back of the hand to determine the originality of a pair of gloves. The MAFCA Fashion Guidelines, 2015 edition, section 3C-1 page 27 documents the characteristics of original women's gloves. The gores were thought to be present in daytime, afternoon, evening, and even formal gloves, 1928 through 1931.

The MAFCA Era Fashion Committee was presented with documentation; *Style Source* catalog dated 1930 with pictures and description of late afternoon and evening gloves that did not have the stitched gores. The second pair of gloves from the bottom of the page do not have the gores across the back of the hand. There are three stripes close to the cuff line of the glove.





#### Painting Wheels

Submitted by Gene R. Bassage



If you are painting your wheels and don't want to remove and reinstall the tires, here's a: tip for masking the tires. + deflate the tube + break the tire heads from the wheels + out a "donut" from a sheet of heavy-duty plastic. The center of the donut is an 18" diameter circle and the outside of the donut is 32" for 19" wheels). For 21" wheels, add 2 inches to these dimensions.

Stretch the donut over the wheel allowing, the plastic to drop down into the drop center of the wheel. The donut will cover the tire and can be taped in place with masking tape. • Now, do the same thing with another plastic donut on the other side of the wheel.

ONE CAUTION: don't use the plastic donuts for priming and then for color-coat painting (paint peels easily from the plastic and flaked paint will mess up your job). Make donuts for each paint procedure.

PREVENTING PAINT POPPING If you have trouble with freshly painted wheels "popping the paint- when the lug nuts are tightened, "mask" the holes in the wheels with a set of lug nut spacers held in place with small strips of body cauking material. After the paint job, these spacers can be carefully removed. A light coating of lubricant on the tapered part of the lug nut will help pre-vent "popping the paint.

As found in "The Tale Pipe" the official news latter of the Tyler Model A Ford Club, Tyler Texas

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### If Brake Rods Rattle-Try This

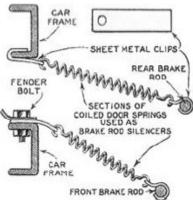
With the four-wheel brake system, the additional brake rods produce more than usual noises, especially after the links and supports are worn enough to rattle.

Silencing of brake rods is possible through use of coiled springs fastened jointly to the rods and car frames.

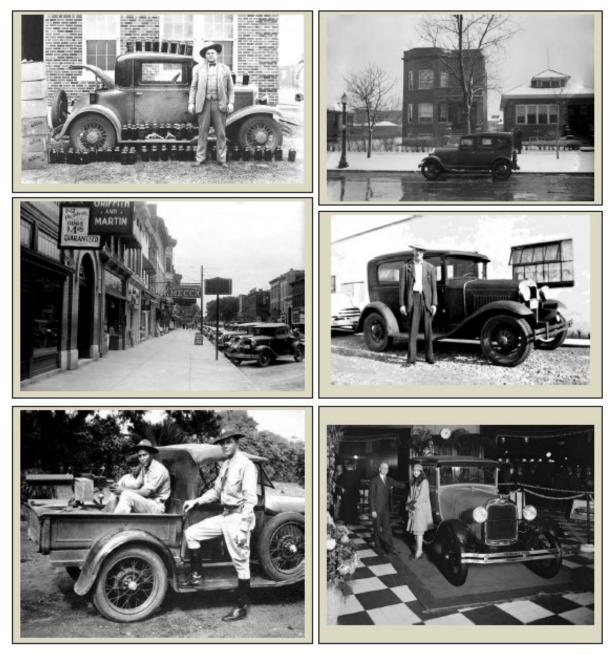
Springs such as these are used for screen doors are serviceable and cheap. Sections of these attached by pieces of sheet iron, cut off, punched and bent to form hooks, make effective silencers.

Two will be required for the emergency brake rods, two for the foot front brake rods and two for the foot rear brake rods.

> Science and Invention May, 1930



#### Model A's in the1930's



Reprint from the Sullivan Trail A's News - March 2021 Issue

## At my age "Getting lucky" means walking into a room and remembering what I came in there for.

#### For Sale Items or Wanted

To place an "Ad" send your information to rrusunen@comcast.net, or call Bob Rusunen at 360-828-5317

<u> 1930 Ford Tudor Sedan – Culver City Police Patrol Car</u>

Made to look as a "BARN FIND" with Patina. Has a lot of up-grades and winnings at shows. Comes with show displays and dash plaques. Will need some repair, Asking \$12,500. Call for info. on build sheet 310-837-3026. Steve-N. Health forcing sale of car. Thanks!!





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