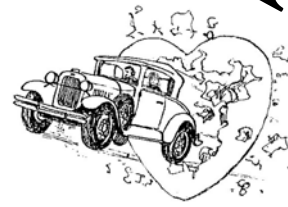
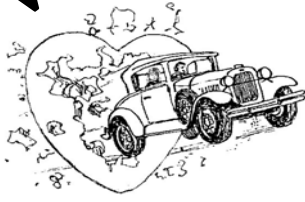


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The official newsletter of The Wisconsin Chapter Model "A" Ford Club of America

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John Dillinger's escape car, a 1930 Ford Model A, for sale in Scottsdale, AZ
January 23, 2010 at the Barrett-Jackson Auto Auction



This car was used by John Dillinger, Homer Van Meter and John Hamilton to get away from Melvin Purvis and 17 other FBI agents that were sent to Little Bohemia, in Manitowish Waters, WI on April 22, 1934 to take John Dillinger, dead or alive, by President Roosevelt and J. Edgar Hoover. This was the largest crackdown in all of FBI history and most famous incident: it was reported in newspapers

all over the U.S. and in other countries. When the gang had escaped, they had driven the car to St. Paul, Minn., and had gotten into a running gun battle with police, exchanging gun fire for over 45 minutes. They finally got away, but this paid a toll on John Hamilton because he was shot during the gun battle and died in Chicago three days later from his wounds. During this incident, two FBI agents and one CCC worker were killed and eight more people were wounded. After this incident, President Roosevelt was so upset that had Melvin Purvis and J. Edgar Hoover had failed to capture Dillinger one more time, it would have been the end of the FBI as we know it today. This car is considered the rarest Dillinger car, there is no other like it. This car sold for \$165,000.00

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ADVANCED TIMING SCHEDULED EVENTS FOR 2010

Feb. 14	Indoor meeting & Vaudeville Acts- Hostess Kitty Schaefer See page 3
Feb 18	Technical Seminar- Lathe Demonstration, at Mail Truck Model A Parts. See page 3
Feb. 28	WI Chapter MAFCA Swap Meet at Washington Cty. Fairgrounds See page 4
March 14	Chili & Salsa Cook Off and Chocolate Bake off - Hosts Dan Kane & Sally Neuenschwander See page 4
March	St. Patrick's Day Parade - Hosts Mike & Sue Quam
April 25	Spring Startup Tour - Rozmans and Yokofichs
May 16	May Tour - Hosts Morgans and Piotrowskis
May	Memorial Day Parade - Hosts Bob & Barb Sonnen
May 29-31	Memorial Day Overnighter Tour - Hosts Cornells and Larsons See page 6
June 6	Sharon's Model A Day - Hosts Bob & Sandi Davisson
June 13	June Tour - Hosts Pat & Stan Larson
July 4	4th of July Parades - Greendale hosts -The Piotrowskis Franklin Parade hosts -The Hueninks
July 18	July Tour - Hosts Schultzs and Kaufmans
July 23-25	Wisconsin Rapids Reunion - Eric Haban See page 7 & 8
August	Congregational Home Car show - Host Dave & Linda Huenink
August 22	Family Reunion Club Picnic - Hosts The Board of Direc-
August	Racine Zoo - Host needed
Sept. 12	September Tour - Hosts Bob & Kitty Schaefer
Sept. 18	Mitchell Manor Car Show - Hosts Mark Ackerman & Carl Doro
Sept. 26	International Model A Day - Hosts Dave & Donna Boucher
Sept.	Richfield Threshree - Hosts Blazeks and Kaufmans
Oct. 10	October Tour - Hosts Gene & Betsy Taurman
Oct. 31	Last Outdoor Tour - Hosts Chris & Kate Rozman
Nov.	Veterans Day Parade - Host Neil Besougloff
Nov.	Waukesha Christmas Parade - Hosts Dave & Linda Huenink

February 14, 2010 -1:30 p.m. St Al's Hall
 Indoor meeting and
 Vaudeville Presentation
 Hostess Kitty Schaefer



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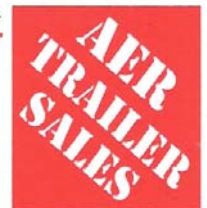
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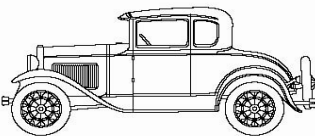
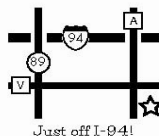
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&

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Sunday March 14th - 1:30 pm at St Al's



Enter your favorite recipe in one or all categories

(or experiment if you want to!)

Judging will be by the members present

(Pick up your ballots at the registration table)

Some power cords will be provided for crock pots, etc. - but if you have your own, please bring it. Also - please bring your own ladle. Other serving bowls, spoons, forks, etc will be provided.

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Sally at 414-412-7317 (email faithlovejoy@sbcglobal.net)

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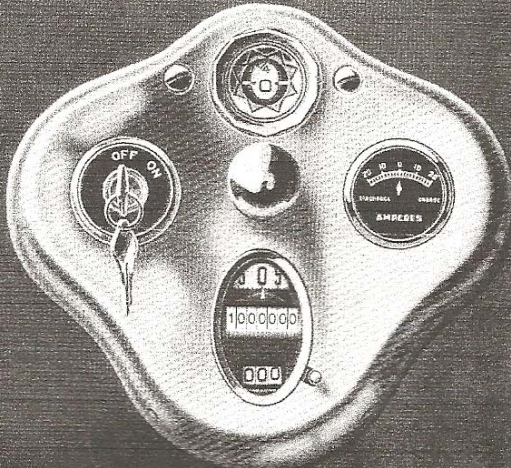


Sunday April 25th, 2010
Spring Start Tour
Your Hosts are:
Dave & Carol Rozman
Mike & Sandy Yokofich
More details next month

May 16, 2010
Tour Hosted by
The Morgans
And
The Piotrwoskis
More information
to come



INTRODUCING



MAFCA's
2010 Million Mile Challenge

By Dick Przywowski

Our Wisconsin Chapter MAFCA is going to be a part of the National's Million Mile Challenge from January 1st, 2010 to September 30th, 2010. It's going to be real easy to be part of the Challenge. All members have to do is keep track of their miles driven each month and report them on a monthly basis to the Outdoor Chairman. If you are driving more than one Model A, let us know because at the end of the challenge there will be a window decal awarded for each car used in the Challenge. Our part of the Challenge will most likely start in March with the St. Patrick's Day Parade. Remember to record all your miles. Not just during club events. Lets all get out and drive our A's.

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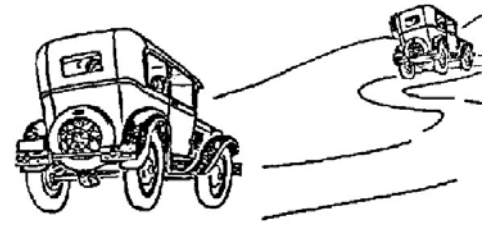
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SUNDAY: Breakfast (more than just a continental) at Motel, followed by a tour to Lindsey Auto Collection and other antique items. Chet Kruse's Military Collection.

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MEMORIAL DAY: A SPECIAL VETERANS PROGRAM AT KING VETERANS HOME. Bring your FLAG!! Departure for home.

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2010 Wisconsin Rapids Model A Reunion

July 23RD, 24TH, 25TH

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Address: _____

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Phone: () _____ E-Mail: _____

Please Indicate the number of people attending:	
Family Members:	Guests:
____ Adults	____ Adults
____ Children	____ Children
Are you camping? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
If yes, how many nights? <input type="checkbox"/> One <input type="checkbox"/> Two	
Do you currently have a plaque? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	

Which Model A Club do you belong to:
____ Central Wisconsin MAFCA
____ Nickle A MARC/MAFCA
____ Wisconsin Chapter MAFCA
____ Wisconsin Region MARC
____ No club or other (If other, please write club's name below)

Car Information:

Year: _____ Model: _____

Year: _____ Model: _____

Participation Strip:

Do you want a participation strip for this year?

Yes No

Participation Ribbons will be issued for this event and must be worn at ALL times to enjoy the free drinks and meals over the weekend.

PRE-REGISTER FOR ONLY \$10, AND SAVE \$5 ON THE WEEKEND!!

REGISTRATION FEES

- 1) **Club member:** family and one Model A (pre-registered \$10 + \$20).....\$30.00
For participants not pre-registered.....\$35.00
 Each additional Model A.....\$ 5.00
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- 3) **Guest Fees** *Guest is anyone who is not an immediate member of your family, which includes married children. Your immediate family is your spouse and unmarried children who live with you.*
 Each Adult, 21 and older.....\$15.00
 Each Child, ages 6 to 20\$10.00
 Each Child, 5 and under is free, but must be registered
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*Questions?? Check out the website at <http://clubs.hemmings.com/wirapidsmodela/>
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Wisc. Rapids Model A Reunion

July 23-25, 2010

The same weekend as the Model A Reunion, there will be a BMX, Water Ski, and Girls' Baseball competitions happening in the Rapids area. Because of this, motel rooms are going fast. If you need a motel for this weekend, make your reservations as soon as you can.

One of the biggest items from the planning meeting was that anyone planning on attending to please pre-register. You will save \$5 on your weekend and help the Reunion order the right amount of supplies. You can find the pre-registration form on the Reunion's web site at <http://clubs.hemmings.com/wirapidsmodela>.

As cabin fever sets in this winter, and you head out to organize your Model A stuff, remember that any items that you no longer need would probably make a great item to donate to the Model A Reunion auction. Non-Model A items are also needed, just remember no junk.

There will be a daily 50/50 raffle this year, with just a single \$1 bill you have a chance to win half of the daily pot. Please remember to mark your bills in a unique identifiable way, as with the number of participants that we will have, initials will not work. Remember that all income from the auction, raffles, and 50/50 drawings help to offset the cost of the next Reunion, helping to keep this event affordable for all.

Help is also needed throughout the weekend. All participants ages 16 and above are required to sign up

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for a job duty, the duty roster will be monitored this year. Some of the areas to help out include kitchen, car games, garbageand era fashion judging (2 judges per club).

To help speed up the Chapter Team events, all clubs are asked to have their teams - including cars, drivers and passengers, selected before the Sunday lunch is over. Help to run these games is also needed to be lined up before these games start.

The club's kitchen duty assignments are as follows:

Food Prep	Saturday.....	Central Wisconsin
	Sunday.....	Nickle A
Clean-Up	Saturday.....	Wisconsin Region
	Sunday.....	Wisconsin Chapter

For any questions, please see the Reunion web site at <http://clubs.hemmings.com/wirapidsmodela>, or contact the Reunion by e-mail at wirapidsmodela@netwurx.net.

Model A Reunion Memorial Plaque

The planning committee for the Wisconsin Rapids Model A Reunion voted to make a Memorial Plaque listing the participating clubs' members who have passed away. The Reunion will pay for the Plaque, each club will have to decide on who is paying to have their club members listed - the club or the family.

The strip will be only 3 lines - name, their club and year of death. Only one club can be listed, for those that belonged to more than one club, one will have to be chosen.

Central Wisconsin Chapter member Bill McMahon will be handling the engraving of the strips. Please send any names that you have to him at 4621 11th St. South; Wisconsin Rapids, WI 54494. Names may also be sent to the Reunion's e-mail address at wirapidsmodela@netwurx.net



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Total = _____

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From The President

You know you're getting older when your doctor tells you to slow down instead of the police. Well the touring season will soon be here so listen to your Doctor! Who do you know that has had a speeding ticket in their "A"?

Thanks go to Dennis Pierce for converting our videotapes to DVDs. I mistakenly gave Ron Smith credit for doing this in my previous letter.

Thanks to everyone who ran for the board and congratulations to the winners. If you didn't win there is always next year. We need some new Board members every year. It is great to have new ideas and perspectives about the club.

I would like to thank the 2009 Board for a great year and I appreciate the service of Dan Kane and Dave Neuman who have completed their terms. Welcome to Dave Huenink, Steve Lewis and Gene Taurman who began their three year terms in January.

Cheryl Koser Prochnow was our hostess for the custard social. Thank you to Cheryl for taking charge and a round of applause for Ron Schneider for providing the custard.

Carl Doro continues to do a great job as our webmaster and we appreciate that Bill Dickinson has volunteered to assist him. I look forward to great pictures and receiving my newsletter on the web in 2010. We have over 80 members who will be receiving the newsletter via the web in living color this year.

I am looking forward to the annual banquet on January 23rd. I know Dave and Donna Boucher will be doing a superb job of hosting the event. By the time you read this you may have attended the banquet with over 100 other members and will know it was a great event.

Dave Boucher, our outdoor chairman, has hosts lined up for a complete calendar of events for the 2010 touring season. You should plan on attending as many as you can for a fun filled spring, summer and fall.

Thanks to everyone for all that you did to make 2009
A great fun filled year

Marty

The new board is as follows:

President - Mike Quam
Vice President - Gene Taurman
Secretary - Sue Quam
Treasurer - Paul Piotrowski
Outdoor - Dave Boucher
Indoor - Steve Lewis
Technical - Roger Olsen
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Sunshine and Awards - Dave Huenink

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**Wisconsin Chapter MAFCA Membership Meeting Minutes for
January 10, 2010**



Present: Marty Jannsen, Bob Davisson, Mike Quam, Paul Piotrowski, Roger Olsen, Dave Neuman, Dave Boucher, Dan Kane and Sue Quam.

President Jannsen called the meeting to order with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Vice President - Mike Quam: One new member application from Ray Seegers of Two Rivers, WI, Motion made by Dave Rozman and seconded by Karen Sukkert to accept the new member.

At this point President Jannsen asked all members to mark and turn in their ballots. President Jannsen and Vice President Quam will now go count the ballots and return with the election results before the end of the meeting.

Secretary - Sue Quam: Minutes from the previous meeting were accepted as written by a motion made by Mike Yokofich and seconded by Karen Sukkert. Currently we have 219 paid members. We still have not heard from about 64 members. Work on the roster will begin next week.

Treasurer - Paul Piotrowski: Treasurers report gone over and accepted. Income from dues was turned in.

Outdoor Meet Coordinator - Dave Boucher: The picnic in August will be the family reunion picnic, members should bring your children and grandchildren. The million mile challenge is going on this year, be sure to keep track of all miles you drive in your Model A. These miles will need to be reported on a monthly basis. The banquet is coming along fine. Stan Larson talked about the silent auction items we currently have. The Pierces donated a large picture that was taken many years ago at the Milwaukee Zoo when 254 Model A's gathered for the Texas challenge. Stan Larson also talked about the Memorial Day overnighter trip to Waupaca.

Indoor Meet Coordinator - Dan Kane: February's event will be Vaudeville Acts hosted by Kitty Schaefer. In March Dan Kane and Sally Neunenschwander will host the chili, salsa and chocolate cook off. Thank you to Dave and Donna Boucher for hosting the banquet.

Technical Meet Coordinator - Roger Olsen: Seminar on January 21 will be grinding valves. February's seminar will be learning how to use the lathe. If anyone has lathe tools they do not need or want, they can be donated to the club. We now have a locked box for tools. March's seminar topic has not yet been decided. The swap meet is moving along smoothly, registration is about the same as last year, but we expect to surpass last year's vendor totals. Jan Olsen is taking names of those wishing to volunteer to help. The back building will be used for the bike swap area.

Club Accessories & MAFCA Correspondent - Bob Davisson: Hooded sweatshirt sale is over. Not much movement in the clothing sales department. Write up for the Restorer has been sent in.

Sunshine and Awards - Dave Neuman: Marge Pierce will be having surgery the end of January. Roger Olsen would like to thank those who send cards and made calls to him after his surgery. A fall in the shower injured Rogers rotator cuff after his surgery.

Old Business: Webmaster Car Doro now has help with the website, thanks to Bill Dickinson.

New Business: President Jannsen announced the election results. After a close election, the winners are Dave Huenink, Steve Lewis and Gene Taurman. Thank you to all who ran for the board of directors. A motion to destroy the ballots was made by Ron Smith and seconded by Karen Sukkert.

Motion to adjourn was made by Laura Smith and seconded by Pete Stauber.

Respectfully submitted by
Sue Quam, Secretary

Reminiscing with the Historian

FIFTY YEARS AGO, 1960 - Plans were being made for the annual dance, and movies were shown at the indoor meet.

FORTY-FIVE YEARS AGO, 1965 - The indoor meet was held in the basement of Wes Campbell's house. Plans were made for the annual dance. They also discussed the large turnout at the bowling party.

FORTY YEARS AGO, 1970 - There was a bowling party at Serb Hall and plans were being finalized for the MAFCA convention to be hosted in July. Wally Rank hosted a technical seminar on body work.

THIRTY-FIVE YEARS AGO, 1975 - The monthly meeting was held at St. Aloysius Hall. After the meeting, an auction of Model A related items was held. Dan Kane hosted a technical seminar at the Avenue Brake Shop. The topic was, "See How These Parts Fit Together".

THIRTY YEARS AGO, 1980 - A seminar was held at the Avenue Brake Shop. The topic was welding. A parts auction was again held at the indoor meet. The auctioneer was Francis Drake.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO, 1985 - The technical seminar was held at the Avenue Brake Shop. A representative from Remy Battery was on hand to explain batteries and maintenance. At the indoor meet, there was an era fashion seminar, and we also had a parts auction.

TWENTY YEARS AGO, 1990 - We had a seminar presented by Sunset Rebuilders on starter generators and alternators. The indoor meet featured an era fashion show. Men and women's fashions were on display for purchase or swap. Our twenty-fifth swap meet was held at State Fair Park.

FIFTEEN YEARS AGO, 1995 - We took a bus trip to Skokie, Illinois, to visit Rich Falluca's Antique Engine Rebuilding facilities. We had our annual swap meet and two-wheel swap meet at State Fair Park. Our indoor meet featured a chocolate chip cookie contest, won by Pat Larson.

TEN YEARS AGO, 2000 - Stan and Pat Larson hosted a Valentine's Box Social, with the proceeds going to Marilyn Bartel's exceptional chorus, who performed that day.

FIVE YEARS AGO, 2005 - The 40th annual Swap Meet was held at Washington County Fairgrounds.

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CUSTARD SOCIAL *JAN 10TH*

A BIG THANK YOU TO ALL THAT HELPED MAKE THE 2010 CUSTARD SOCIAL A GREAT DAY (UP UNTIL THE PACKER GAME ENDED)

First I would like to thank Ron and Eleanor Schneider (Leon's) for all the great custard and toppings. I believe we made over 150 sundaes and banana splits.

I also want to thank all the helping hands that pitched in for serving. It made an easy job of putting this event on. Dan and Sally came early and had things all set too. Mark Ackermann played the 60's tunes for us and now for your entertainment next year Mark is planning a Disco Day. Anyone with experience in that field let Mark know! He was talking costumes too so dig your outfit out or plan ahead to find a new disco outfit. This is of course optional but dressing the part sometimes is half the fun. Eating custard of course is the main thing.

THANKS AGAIN TO ALL

Cheryl Prochnow



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Sunshine Report:

Jim Brown is at home following surgery to remove a cancerous kidney in late October, and his wife Cindy Brown just returned home following extensive abdominal surgery in late December.

Marge Pierce had surgery in January.

Stan Larson had a mild stroke & is at Community Memorial Hosp. in Men. Falls for two weeks of rehab.

"Thank you for all the cards and calls after my surgery" Roger Olsen.

Joe Schwark's father passed away in January. Our sympathies to the family.



Welcome to New Member

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1929 Tudor



Hello All,

Hope that you all had a wonderful Christmas. I miss the members of the Wis Chapter since moving to Ontario, but have been trying to keep busy with the Model A club in Canada. We had some nice tours this past season and I have been appointed Tour Director of our local chapter for the 2010 season. My wife Morag, has been reappointed secretary. I was pleased to receive the "Driver of the Year" award for driving over 10,000 miles with the "A" this past season. We keep thinking that it would be great if the two clubs could meet someplace in-between for a tour sometime.

Now that I have received a Unity Sportlite for the Model A as a Holiday Gift, I am wondering if anyone can help me. While attending the WI Chapter MAFCA Swap Meet last March, a vendor had an open car mounting bracket for the Sportlite. As I recall, these open car brackets (part# 18561) are rare and he asked \$150 for it. I know this is a long shot, but would anyone know who this vendor might be? Any help in acquiring this mounting bracket would be much appreciated.

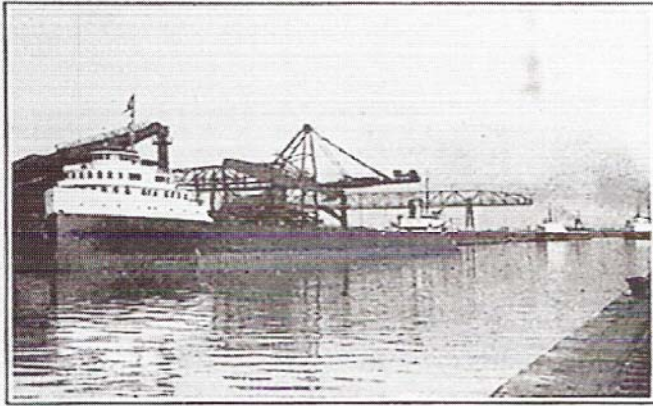
In any case, Happy New Year to all and hope to get to Wisconsin again in the near future.

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SHORTENING THE



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MONDAY 8:00 A. M.

1 After a trip of approximately 45 hours from Marquette the ore boat docks at the Rouge plant. Hulett unloaders start removing the cargo which is transferred to the High Line and from there to the skip car which charges the blast furnaces. By continuous process this takes 10 minutes.

TUESDAY 12:10 A. M.

2 In sixteen hours the ore has been reduced to foundry iron, which is carried in a molten state to the foundry. In less than an hour it has been mixed with the proper proportion of scrap and poured into moulds.

TUESDAY 1:10 A. M.

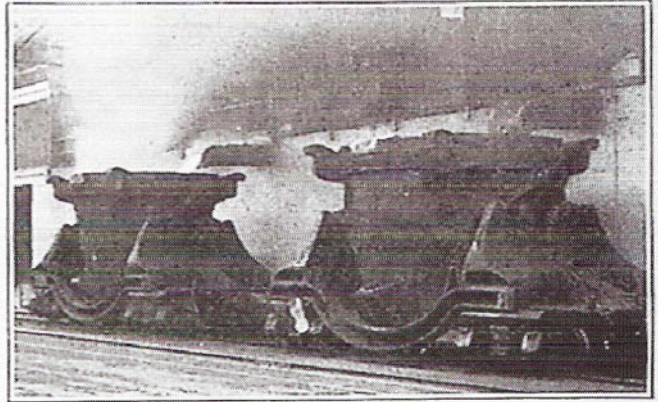
3 As the conveyor brings the molds past the pouring station the hot metal is cast into cylinder blocks. These go to the shake out station and are taken away to be cooled and cleaned. The cooling and cleaning process requires an average time of five hours.

TUESDAY 6:10 A. M.

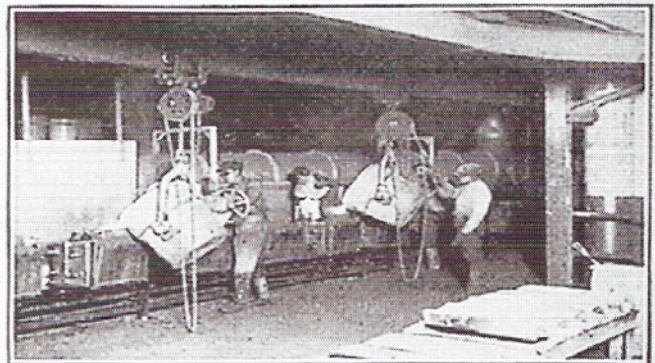
4 The casting now goes to its first machining operation. It takes two hours and forty minutes to machine the casting. This machining is performed in the foundry building in line with the Ford practice of continuous operation. It arrives at the motor room at

One of the most noteworthy accomplishments in keeping the prices of Ford products low is the gradual shortening of the production cycle. The elapsed time between the receipt of raw material and its appearance as finished merchandise in the hands of the dealer bears strongly on the retail prices. The longer an article

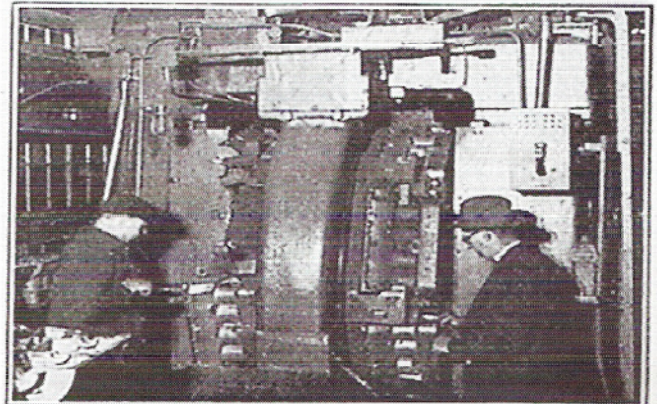
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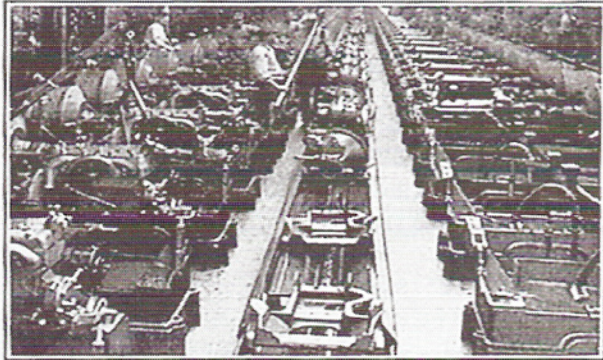


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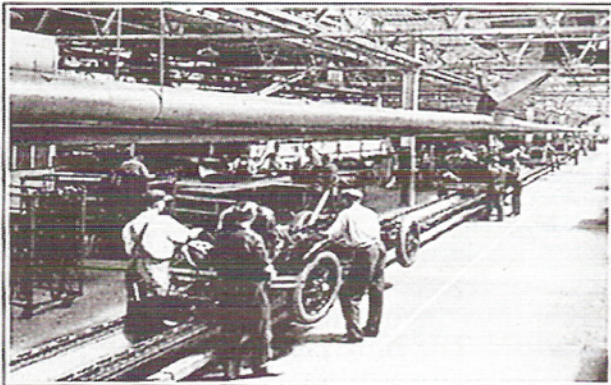
is in the process of manufacture and the more it is moved about, the greater is its ultimate cost.

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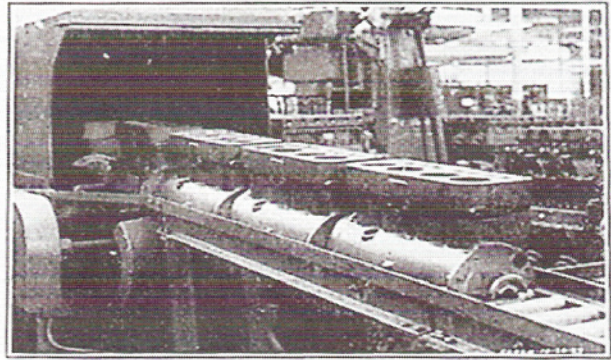
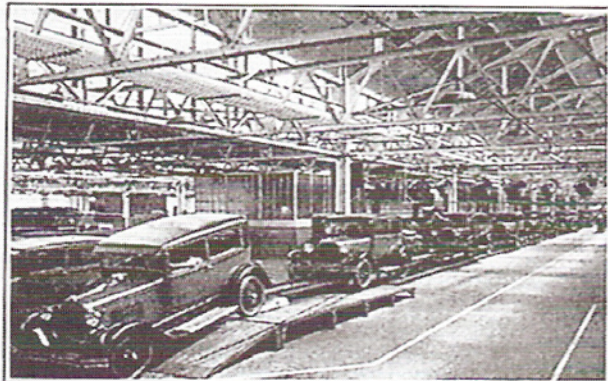
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TUESDAY 9:25 A. M.

5 It requires two hours to assemble and block test the Model A engine. Except for "running in" to loosen it up, everything is done on the move until it reaches the testing block.

TUESDAY 11:25 A. M.

6 The finished and inspected motor comes out on a conveyor and is loaded into a freight car and shipped to an assembly plant. It takes about 10 minutes to convey and load in the car.

WEDNESDAY 6:35 A. M.

7 By this time the motor should have reached an assembly point 300 miles distant. It takes approximately 35 minutes to unload the car and carry the motor to the assembly line.

WEDNESDAY 7:35 A. M.

8 It takes one hour to assemble the complete car, so by 7:35 A. M. the car is ready for the dealer.

WEDNESDAY NOON

Long before noon the dealer will have taken delivery of the car and paid cash for it. Here is a conversion of raw materials into cash in approximately 50 hours. Of this 50 hours, 24 are consumed in shipping and handling. Even this record-breaking cycle is often shortened.

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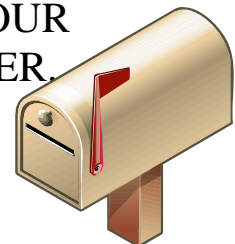
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