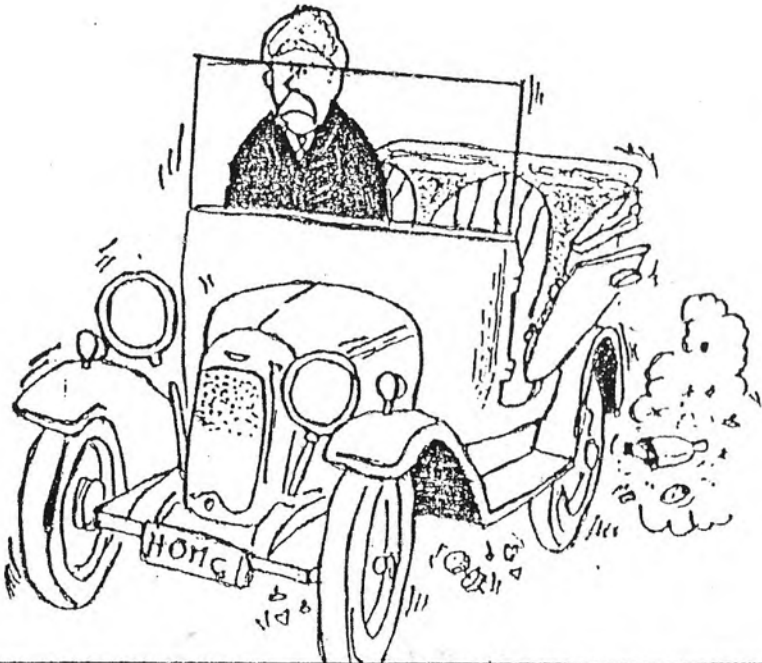


1986

HOOE'S OLD MOTOR CLUB

NEWS SHEET



Dear Member,

As you all know our 1985 Rally day turned out a very 'Wet One' so we are not as well off in the club as we might have been, but in spite of the bad weather we still had 129 people through the gate. We have had several donations to the club funds which are very welcome, however small. The Rally has been booked for 1986 on Sunday 3rd August.

We have been having fund raising raffles at the monthly meetings, these seem to be very popular. Any prizes which members may wish to donate for the raffle will be very welcome.

In October for the Meeting Mike Miller came with some slides and gave a talk on Aerial Photography from a Kite, this was a very interesting evening. In November we had two video films. The Devil Wagon about the first Motor Car after the Horse Drawn Carriage, and the Austin 7. This was followed in December by 'The Water Gardens of Europe' and 'The Bugatti Supercharged'.

Due to finances, we will not be having our usual Buffet at the January meeting, but bar snacks are available as usual if required.

The Annual Dinner has been booked at Rumpels Motel, Peasmarsh for 14th March 8.p.m. A Disco is available for those who wish to Dance. The Menu's are enclosed. Will all Members attending please return order forms and cheques to the Secretary by March 1st. Anyone requiring wine with their meal may order from the table to be paid for on their own account.

If you wish to stay overnight at the Motel please contact Mr. A. Bennett on Peasmarsh (079721-494/5).

Tariff per night inc Full English Breakfast:

Single Room.....£16.00.

Double Room.....£25.00.

The Committee wish you all a Happy New Year.

Yours Sincerely,

Elaine Honisett (Secretary)

No 1

Set Vegetarian Menu

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£6.25. Per head

Melon with Orange Sorbet
.....

Omelet and Vegetables

or

Cheese Salad
.....

Choice of Sweet

Coffee.

No 2

Set Dinner Menu

-

£8.50. per head

Egg Mayonaise
.....

Chicken Kiev

Breast of Chicken stuffed with garlic butter
and deep fried. With Vegetables.
.....

Choice of sweet

Coffee

No 3

Set Dinner Menu

-

£7.50. per head

Soup
.....

Roast Beef with Roast Potatoes,
Yorkshire Pudding & Vegetables.
.....

Choice of Sweet

Coffee.

YOU can risk a £400 fine all for the sake of a jug of water. And police are watching out for you.

The offence: Failing to keep windscreen wipers and washers in working order.

At this time of year, when roads are dirty and wet, or covered with slush, this offence becomes more prevalent.

A police spokesman said: "When our patrols stop a vehicle for any reason, they check the windscreen.

"If it is smeared or murky it's a give-away. Either the wiper blades are worn out or the washer bottle is empty—and both are offences.

"Motorists don't realise that driving in these conditions is like being partly blindfolded. And it's not always older cars that are at fault.

"Owners of new cars forget to check and refill the washer bottle in dirty driving conditions."

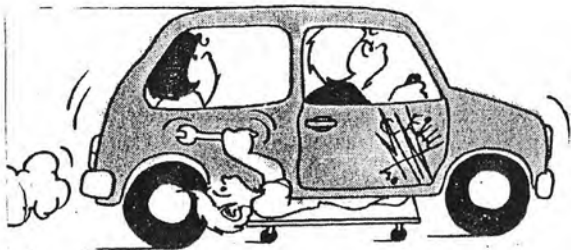
Another point, which drivers overlook in winter, is that water in the screenwasher reservoir is just as likely to freeze as that in the radiator and engine—unless it has an antifreeze additive.

You may resent paying for a screenwash additive, but refusing to do so can be penny wise and pound foolish.

Do NOT use radiator antifreeze for this will damage the paintwork and will smear your screen.

Should screenwasher nozzles become blocked they can be cleared with fuse wire or a needle.

Blades cost about £3 a pair—and that is cheaper than a fine.



**"That's the last time I'll use that garage.
I can still hear that awful knocking
sound"**



**"We parked here a lot of years ago,
but I don't remember what for"**



"Two choc-ices"



Eula, 93, pats her 56-year-old pride and joy

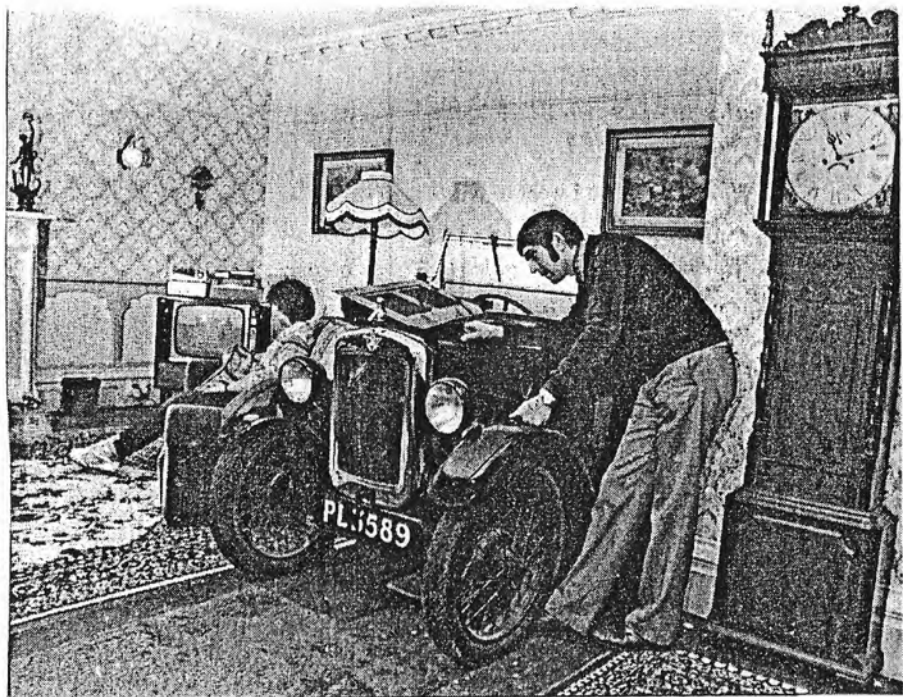
Old faithfuls

EULA MONTGOMERY still drives the car she bought in 1928 and, for her, that's all she'll ever need. The 93-year-old resident of Phoenix, Arizona, bought the Model A Ford with her husband more than half a century ago.

"She still purrs like a kitten," says Mrs. Montgomery. Over the years people have tried to buy the car, but she won't part with it. The vehicle originally cost a few hundred pounds—now it's worth about £9,000.



"And watch out for speed traps"



VROOM WITH A VIEW

THE lounge is the engine room of Trevor Miller's house. That's where the TV repairman keeps his vintage car—a sleek 1930 Austin Seven. One thing's for sure, visitors to his home near Doncaster, South Yorkshire, must think he's round the bend.



"They must be very uncivilised. They don't even bury their dead"

Diary of Events.

3rd January 1986. Club Night. Natter & Noggin.
7th February 1986. Club Night. Quiz.
7th March 1986. Video of the Hellingly Rally.
14th March 1986. Annual Dinner/Dance at Rumpels Motel
Peasmarsch, Nr. Rye, 8.p.m.
4th April. A.G.M. and Subscriptions due for
86/87.

For Sale.

1959 Lambretta, Kick Start, in V.G.C. Tel G. Carter, Eastbourne
25854.

Cyclemaster/BSA Cycle 1953. Original Log Book and Swansea
Document, Good Working Order. £100. C. Booth. 0580/241234.

Standard Saloon 'Blue' 1955 £750. 71,000 miles. Ford Anglia
Saloon 2 door 'Blue' 1959. £250. 18,000 miles. Both in reasonable
condition. No Tax or MOT. Mr Wells Ninfield 892698.

Austin Cambridge 1939. Needs Restoring. Mr Bevan Ninfield 892701

Austin 8-Dismantled-Part Restored. Mr. Taylor 24, Maypits Ashford.

Lanchester 1947. Dismantled Part Restored. Mr Farrier Dymchurch
2422.

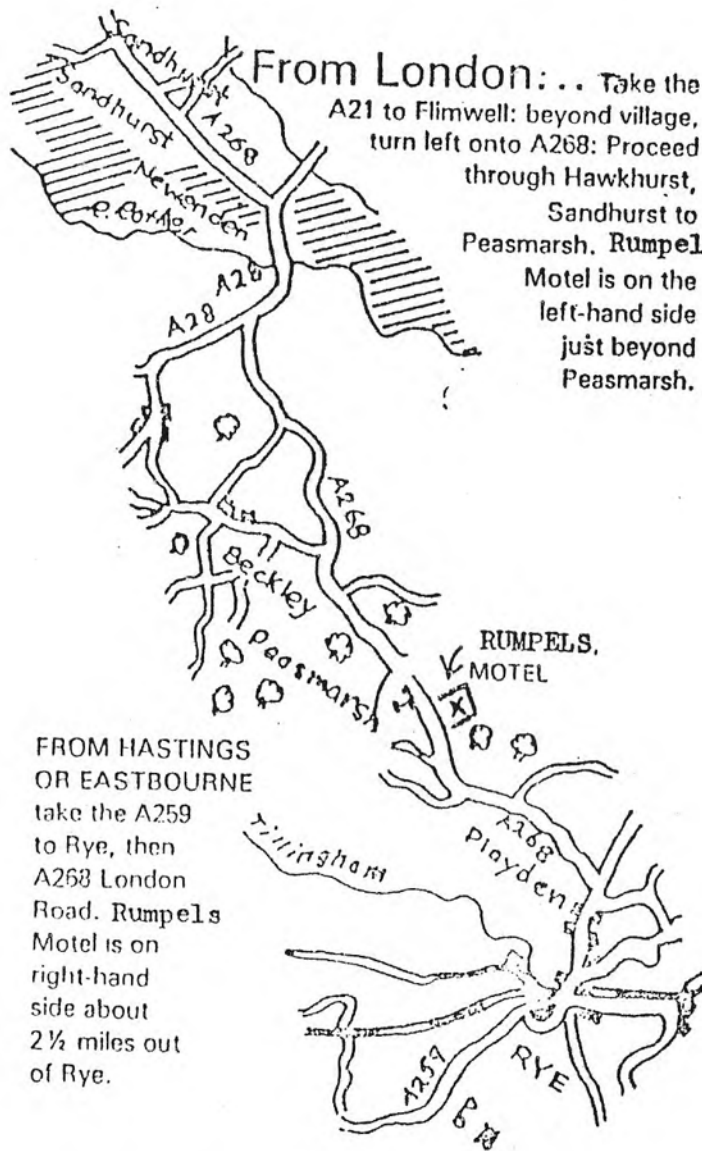
Spares for Sale.

For Triumph I300. Radiator, Starter Motor, Dynamo, Hub Caps,
Plug Lead set and distributor cap (both new). Complete Side Lamp
(New). Plus other bits and pieces. R. Fellows. Hastings 445229.

If you have anything for sale or wanted, please let me know.

Elaine Honisett Secretary. Address: 'Falcons', 19, Ridgeway
Pembury, Tunbridge Wells, Kent. TN2 4ER.

HOW TO GET THERE



From London: . . . Take the A21 to Flimwell: beyond village, turn left onto A268: Proceed through Hawkhurst, Sandhurst to Peasmarsh. **Rumpels.** Motel is on the left-hand side just beyond Peasmarsh.

FROM HASTINGS OR EASTBOURNE take the A259 to Rye, then A268 London Road. Rumpels Motel is on right-hand side about 2 1/2 miles out of Rye.

PEASMARSH, RYE, EAST SUSSEX.
TEL. PEASMARSH (079721) 494/5/6