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From Your President

As the season winds down, it seems like Spring just started. Where did another summer go! I will not miss the heat. I can put on more clothes for the winter temps, but I couldn't take off any more this summer. Lizzy was prepped and ready to go but every time it was time for her to go out, something got in the way.

One of the events that always has something in the way for me, is the Planes, Trains, and Automobiles that happens in Geneseo. Geneseo being my home town, I've only been able to attend a couple of times. Per those that did attend, it was a great show and a good platform to find new members. I'm told that not only was it a great show, but the spread that Scott and Jennifer Johnson put on after the show was fantastic. Thanks to the Johnson's. One of our members wanted to know why we didn't go as a club. We have missed several opportunities this year to get our name out there from various Cruises and Shows. I admit that the National and life have taken a toll on my time but we have over 130 members and being only human, I can't nor can the Board Members attend or arrange everything. We need our members to step up to the plate and help. Right now we need 3 Board Members to run for our upcoming election. I've given up on someone running for President, right now it looks like I will die in this position. It does not take that much of your time, we meet the first Wednesday of the month at Butterworth Center in the dining room. The meetings discuss upcoming ideas for monthly events and issues that affect the club. Can't make every meeting, no sweat, we are flexible. Don't want to be a Board Member, then volunteer to help with an event. Everyone says we are doing a great job, but to keep moving forward we will need new people with new ideas. PLEASE let someone on the Board know of your availability, they will be glad to talk to you.

Perhaps as you read this I will be getting my hands dirty looking though parts in Hershey. Fred and I will be gone for the week of shopping, ready to find that elusive piece we didn't know we needed but can't do without. Why a week, well there seems to be trouble keeping the truck on the route, it seems like it turns either north to Michigan/Ohio or south to through Indiana. New adventures await at each turn. It's a great time of car talk and visits with friends.

Keep on motoring!

Mary B



MVR Board Meeting

AACA Board Meeting Butterworth Center, Moline, Illinois
October 3, 2018

Present: M. Bartemeyer, F. Bartemeyer, J. Brewer,
J. Conrad, A. Ford, G. Gleason, L. Gleason
C. Pearson, D. Perry, G. Smith, S. Hoaglund
Guest: Joel Daly

The meeting was called to order at 6:57PM by President
Mary Bartemeyer.

Minutes of the September board meeting were approved by
Sharon Hoaglund and seconded by John Brewer.

Treasurers report was approved and filed for audit.

Sunshine: Sympathy card to Fred and Annette Bartemeyer
for her mother, John LeWarne for his wife Sue

Roster: no report

Membership: no report

Web Master: no report

Historian: no report

Old Business:

Thirty eight people attended the September activity at Mos-
ley's Race Car Collection.

New Business:

Election time is here.

We need three new board members, treasurer, and president
as these positions are up for election. We need people to
come forward for these positions in order to keep the club
operating. Anyone interested in any of these
positions, please contact any present board member.

Discussion was held about hosting another AACA National
Meet with help from the Fiero Club.

Next activities:

Sat. Oct.6 Prospect Park display the 8 cars have already
been contacted. (cancelled)

Oct. 14 2:00PM Championship football game. They want
cars from the 1920's for display.

Oct. 20 - 21 Fall Tour with 14 people registered. More de-
tails to follow.

Nov. 16 Fall Banquet more details to follow.

A motion to adjourn was made by Dick Perry and
seconded by Clair Pearson. Meeting adjourned at 7:30PM.

Submitted by: LaVonne Gleason, Secretary

The Fall Tour is a go! We will meet at the Hardees, LeClaire Road, Eldridge at 9:15, Oct 20th, 2018.

If you have questions, give me a call at 563-340-3266 Mary B

(let Mary Bartemeyer know you will be attending)

2018 Mississippi Valley Region

Fall Tour

October 20th – 21st , 2018

Our tour this year takes a picturesque route along the Mississippi River bluffs ending day one in Dubuque,
IA. "Prime color weekend!"

Once in Dubuque on the 20th, we will board a trolley for a tour of the town and partake in a Progressive Dinner
where we will tour 4 historic structures. While visiting each one they will serve part of our dinner.

A soup course at one

A salad course at another, the main course at a 3rd

And dessert at the 4th. All for just \$50 per person.

Lodging for the night is with the Hampton Inn Dubuque. 15 rooms have been reserved on a first come, first
serve basis. Plenty of parking, breakfast included for \$124 plus tax.

You can reserve your room by calling 563-690-2005 and ask for the Mississippi Valley Antique Auto Club Group
Rate. This rate is good until September 28th, after that it goes to the normal rate of \$179.

Sunday we will spend time touring the Mississippi River Museum before heading home.

Meeting time and place are yet to be determined. For more info call Mary B at 563-340-3266

September 29th Tour Mosley Automotive Collection

Wow is not adequate to describe the September Tour to the Mosley Automobile Collection. What an exquisite group of race auto's from the 50's, to present. Each one immaculately restored to their former glory. Although I didn't spend a lot of time at the Drag Strip, if you were into cars over the years you could not help to hear the names like the Lil Red Wagon, Super Bee, and up to the new Hell Cat. Although Mr. Mosley said he doesn't like or have the need for speed, it was evident that his wife does. Memorabilia covered every wall, with show cases containing long lost advertising of the day. We were treated to stories of how this collection came about and of the reunions that were held at the Mosley's to relate stories of the time. There was not only rivalry but also comradery among those who participated. If you aren't into the stories behind the scenes, you are missing out on great details.

Lunch was at Joe's in Coal Valley. Since Mrs. Mosley owns Harris Pizza we probably should have gone there, however that wasn't know at the time reservations were made. We are usually 30 + strong when we hit a restaurant, so thank you so much for your patience during the serving process. They do their best especially when they allow us to order off the menu.

Thanks to Clair Pearson for arranging the tour.



Photos submitted by
Fred Bartemeyer Jr

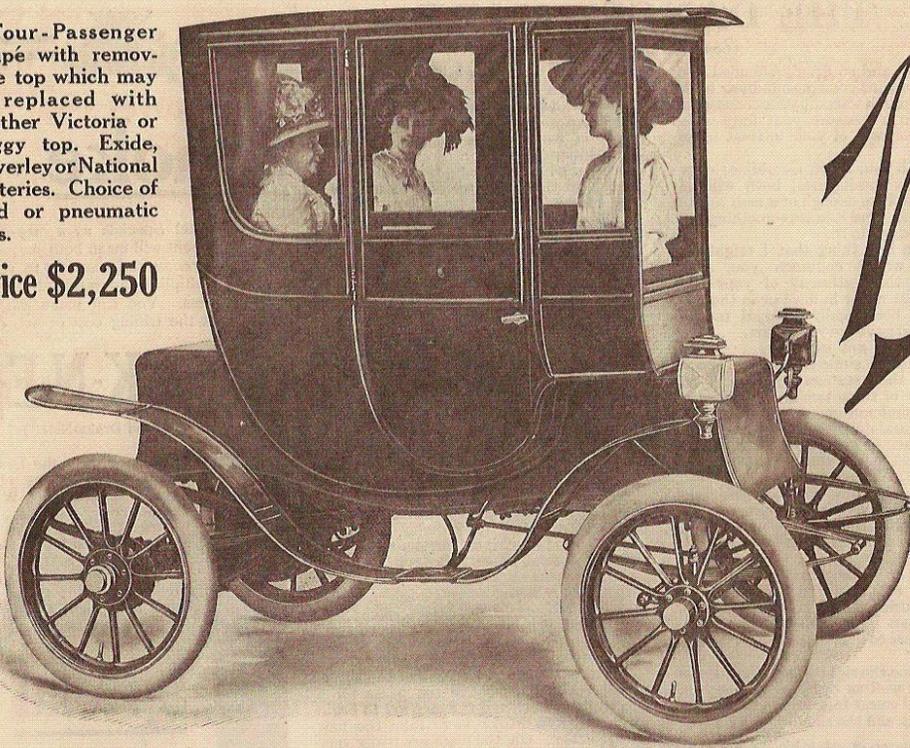
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