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NEXT CLUB MELTING. Friday 23rd January, at the "Theatrette" Camberwell Civic Centre, Inglesby Road, Camberwell. Parking available in the car part of the Land be noted all future monthly meetings of the Land be her at a TOURTH Friday of each month.

There will be no January outing.

December meeting of the H.C.C. was opened at 8.30p.m. by Bob Kennedy Officiated in Lloyds absence. Points discussed were invitations Chelsas Procession and The Pakenham Motor Show which unfortunately both coincide on April 4th. A decision of which venue the Club will attend as defexred until a later meeting.

y enquiries for spares Pre-Series Models should be directed to Greg Laming - Mark 1V, 1VA, V PHONE 874-4316

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And John Prowne - Mark 11, 111 PHONE 763-8526

All other technical/spares enquiries should be directed to Bob Kennedy.

Samples of Club jewellery were made available at the last meeting (samples coming from Sydney Club) it was decided that we should obtain quotes for our own club badge, though the cufflingks and tietack with only the word "HUMBER" were adopted for the present. Prices shall be:-

Tie Tack \$4-00

Cufflinks \$4-50 pair

Sydney Club Badge \$10-00

The high quality of the cufflinks and tietacks makes them a bargain at the above prices.

The meeting closed at 9.10pm and after coffee we were treated to a most entertaining talk by Bob Kennedy on his experiences in Bouganville.

Last months club outing was to the M.G. Annual Concours. It rained throughout the day and the poor attendance by other car clubs was most noticable, except for our own club (whose allocated space proved to be too small!) Though the weather was "bloody miserable" the enthusiasm shown by our members in fielding sixteen cars and some forty odd members was terrific, to say the least. Two cars were entered in the concours and both cars attracted a lot of interest from members of other visiting clubs, many of them now realising just what a fine car a Humber is. Congratulations to Frank and Kelvin for their efforts in the Concours.

Members attending in club cars:-

Kelvin Hughes 🤲 🖚 Series 1V Snipe (Concours entrant) Frank Maguire Curt Sellies Mark 410 Snipe Des Judd Series JV Snipe Bob Kennedy n W Snipe Series JV Snipe Wagon - Series V Snipe - Series V Snipe - Series lV Snipe Peter Schofield Herb Perkings John Browne - Series IV snipe - Mark Il Hawk - Series IV Snipe - Series V Snipe David Raynor Malcom Paynor David Ring Peter Davenport

Overdrive for manual gearbox suit Series Models PARTS WANTED - Roger Wells (see next club meeting)

See end of newsletter ARTS FOR SALE

CARS FOR SALE

- Series 1V Snipe wagon, suspect big end bearing general cond. good, Unreg. \$500 further particulars from Des Judd.
- 2. Series 1 Hawks (2 cars) one is an imported model the other locally assemb. Fair cond. good car could be made from both. Manual gearbox required \$50 O.N.O. particulars from John Browne.

SNIPE SNIPPETS:

What member who has more cars than princess bridge in peak hour had to catch/drive a taxi/wolseley to the M.G. Concours??

HANDY HUMBER HINTS:

To rust proof and stop further rusting of metal that is in rather inaccessible places "FISSURELINE" made by Killrust is ideal. This product will "creep" into places (metal seams, door pillars, bolt threads) applied in the general area. Available from most large hardware stores approx. \$1-75 spray can.

TECHNICAL INFORMATION:

DIFFERENCES BETWEEN CARBURETTORS ON SERIES CARS

Series 1 Carburettor Stromberg DIV 42 Downdraught. This carburettor has many features in common with other stromberg carburettors used on engines produced by the "Rootes" group. It is a downdraft unit equiped with double ventur, accelerator pump, and vacuum operated economiser system. The choke control used when starting from cold is manually operated and inter-connected to the trottle to give correct starting conditions.

Series 11, 111, 1V Carburettors Zenith 42 WIA Downdraught. The only changes in this carburettor between the series 11, 111, 1V was that different jets were used on the carburettor which was fitted to the series IV. Zenith 42 WIA downdraught - 42 denotes the throttle bore size is 42mm, WI stands for the carburettor type and "A" denotes that the by-pass valve is automatically operated by the inlet manifold depression.

<u>Series V and VA Carburettors</u> Two carburettors are fitted to the <u>Series V and VA they are stromberg 175 CD which are sidedraught and constant depression.</u>

BOB KENNEDY