

# EXPRESS NEWSLETTER



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SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA CHAPTER

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## PRESIDENT'S Message

Dear Members.

An ATHS thank you goes to Peter Dunkel of Dunkel Brothers in Anaheim for allowing us to hold our April 6 meeting in his "Showcase Showroom." We had a very good attendance at this meeting, and if you weren't there, you missed a great opportunity to view his exquisite collection of Antique Trucks, Rare Cars, Antique Motorcycles and other memorabilia he has on display. Peter has invited us back for another meeting at a future date, so perhaps everyone will get a chance to view his collection.

Well, the 10th Annual ATHS Riverside Truck Show is now behind us, and quite a success it was. There were a few minor problems on setup day, but all was handled and the Show came off as a hit, once again. Thanks to all who came out and assisted the day prior to the Truck Show. With your help, the 'Show did go on!' Also, I would like to offer a special thanks to a few of the many people who offered their services...Joanne Smith and Crew for providing such a good feast the night before the Show; George Gunther and Crew for his Searchlight Presentation, Steve Sackett and Crew for their 'On the Mark' Registration; Barry Queen for allowing us to use his trailer for the PA system, Carl Stephenson and his CSDR students for making the Truck Show Trophies; and Roland Smith for taking over in the absence of Carl Stephenson. Also, many thanks go to the members and wives who manned the gates and ATHS booth, as well as the setup and cleanup crew. Hope to see you next year at the 11th Annual SCC-ATHS Truck Show.

A Membership/Board Meeting is planned for Wednesday, July 13. Please see additional information in this issue of the "Express Newsletter." Mark your calendars now! Hope to see everyone there. We will be planning our picnic, attendance at the ITS Show and Long Beach Model-T Club Swap Meet, and the October Turn-A-Round.

Don't forget...it's ATHS Picnic Time. Please see the enclosed information regarding the 2nd Annual SCC-ATHS Picnic at the Long Beach Naval Station on Saturday, August 13. Since last year's response was so good, we hope to have an even better response this year! Please remember there is a reservation deadline of August 1, with no exceptions. This promises to be a great day of fun for the whole family! Bring a donation raffle prize if you like, everything else will be provided.

Hope to see you all soon!

Don McCann  
President

## A COUPLE OF REASONS WHY WE RESTORE TRUCKS AND HAVE SHOWS.



**DURING THE 1994 RIVERSIDE TRUCK SHOW, ROBBY LOURE (L) AND HENRY CHRISTENSEN (R) DROVE ROBBY'S DAD'S (BILL LOURE) FWD ALL OVER THE CSDR GROUNDS AND DIDN'T HIT A THING.**

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## SCC Chapter Meeting

July 13, 1994

8:00 P.M.

Jerry Haworth's  
Residence  
8561 La Grande Street  
Alta Loma, CA  
(909) 980-0611

S.B. Co. Thomas Bros.  
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North of Foothill Blvd. on  
Carnelian St. then west of  
Carnelian on  
La Grande.

## Special Club Announcements

The ITS Show will be at the Anaheim Convention Center on July 28-30. If you are interested in having your truck represent the AHS, please contact **Tim Benson at (714) 289-8350**. We are also looking for volunteers to man the AHS booth and watch the vehicles. **ALL VOLUNTEERS AND TRUCKS ARE WELCOME!**

The Long Beach Model T Club is having their 40th Annual Swap Meet and Car Collectors Parts Exchange on Saturday & Sunday, August 6 & 7 at Veteran's Stadium in Long Beach. The AHS has been represented in the years past, and if you are interested in having your Truck on display to represent the Club, please contact **George Gunther at (310) 429-1597** for more information. Help is also needed to man the AHS Booth. **ALL VOLUNTEERS AND TRUCKS ARE WELCOME!**

## IMPORTANT OPPORTUNITY FOR GMC TRUCK OWNERS

### ExhibitGroup Inc.

Chicago Division 2800 Lively Boulevard  
Elk Grove Village, Illinois 60007

(708) 595-2000  
(708) 350-4542 Facsimile

May 13, 1994

Mr. Don McCann  
6019 Falcon Avenue  
Long Beach, CA 90805

Dear Don:

Thank you for responding to my request. We are the exhibit company that designs, manufactures and coordinates all shows for **GMC Truck**. This year August 7-10 at the Las Vegas Convention Center, we will be putting on the **1995 GMC Truck New Product Announcement show**.

One of the areas in the show will be the HeritageSection which will show antique **GMC** trucks signifying their strength of experience and longevity of manufacturing. This is where the members of the **American Truck Historical Society** can help.

I am in need of five (5) **GMC** trucks from different decades, such as, one pre-1920, one 1920's-1930's-1940's and one 1950's. If you would put this information in your newsletter, I would greatly appreciate it. What I would need from anyone interested would be a photo of the truck and information about the truck, such as, what is original equipment and what is not.

They can send this information to me at:

Exhibitgroup Inc.  
2800 Lively Boulevard  
Elk Grove Village, IL 60007

or I can be reached at 800/843-3944.

Don, thank you in advance for your help. I will keep you informed as to how things are going. It might be a good story for a future newsletter.

Sincerely,

**Neil Curran**

Vice President  
Chicago Division  
Exhibitgroup Inc

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P.S. Attendees at the show will be exclusively **GMC** truck dealers from the entire United States.

### '94 Truck Show Statistics

Truck registration (121 trucks)	\$1060	Show Expenses	\$2950
Booth/Books/Memberships	\$1162	Donation to School	\$2000
Gate	\$3989	Net Profit	\$1259
Total	\$6211		

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**ATHS Meeting Attendees  
March 26, 1994**

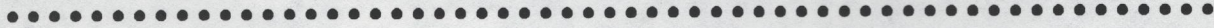
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Jerry Haworth Phil Gross Doug Graft Mark Christensen  
Dan Gosnell Ron Berg Jim Wade Reg O. Smith  
Roland O. Smith Carl Stephenson Dan Cyr Steve Sackett  
Ken Lund Don Crouchen (CrownFireCoach Enthusists)

**ATHS Meeting Attendees  
April 6, 1994**

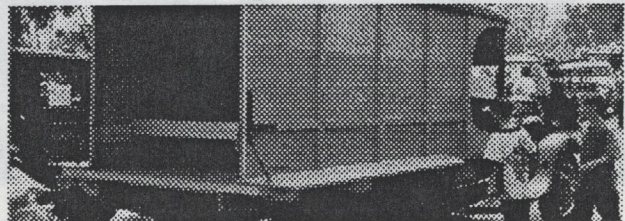
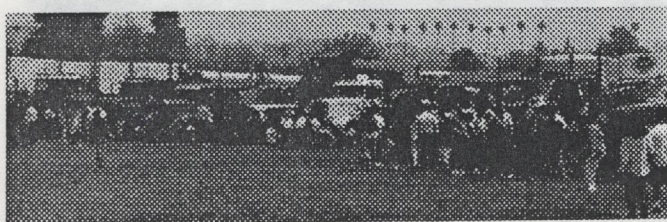
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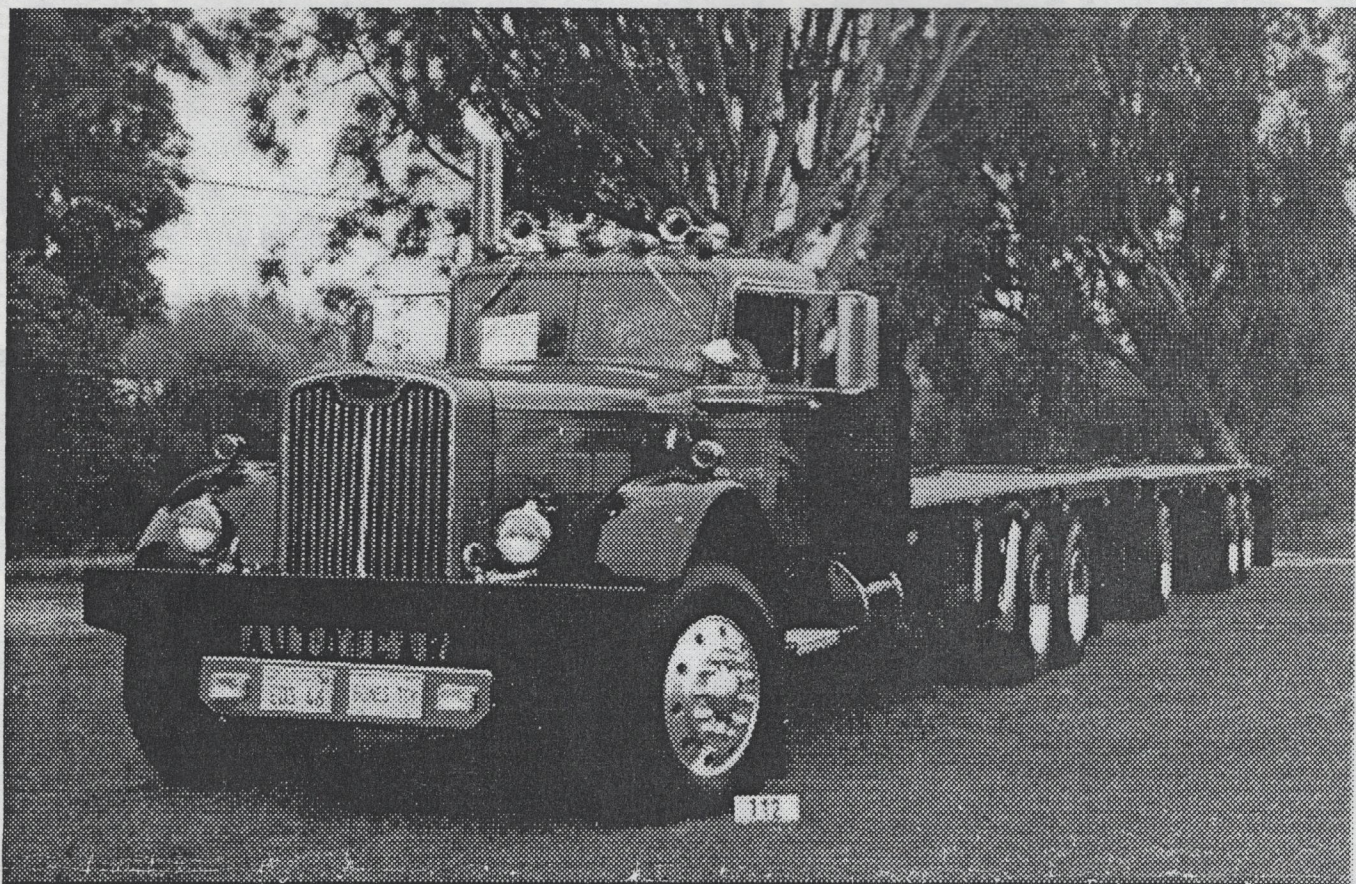
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Jerry Haworth Geo. Gunther Carl Stephenson Roland Smith



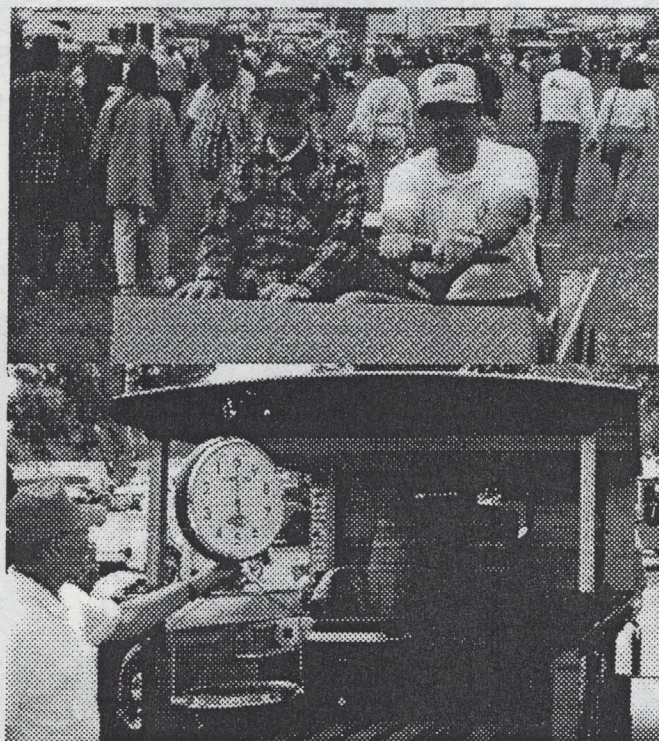
**Trophy Awards  
Riverside Truck Show '94  
Southern California Chapter  
May 1, 1994**

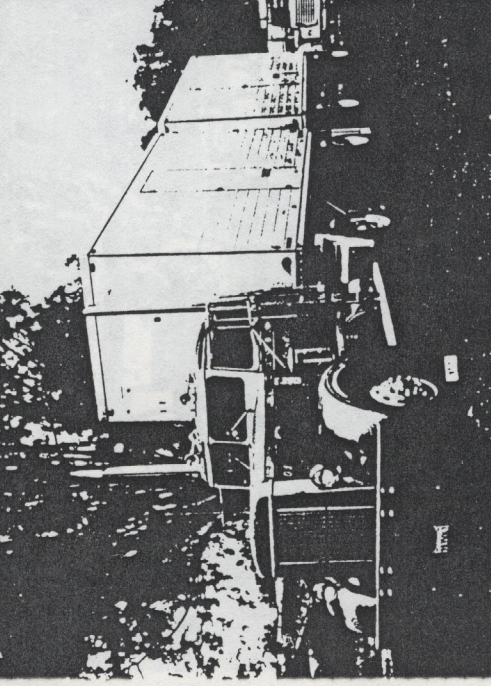
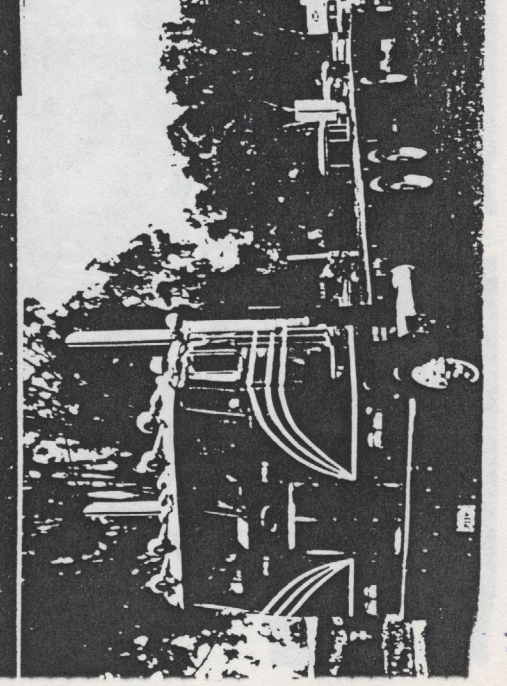
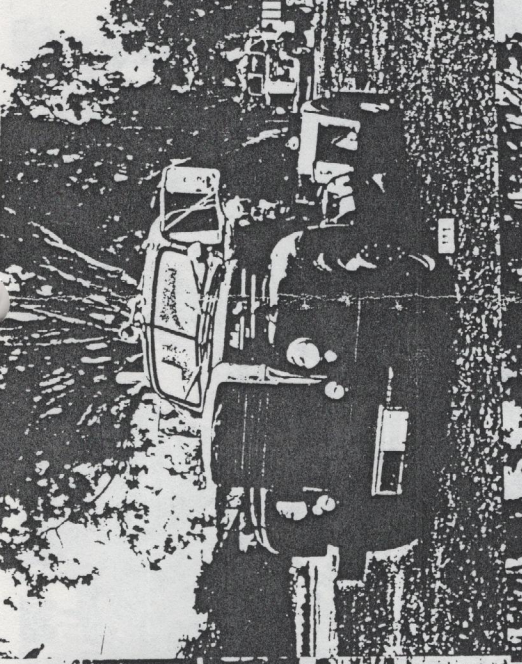
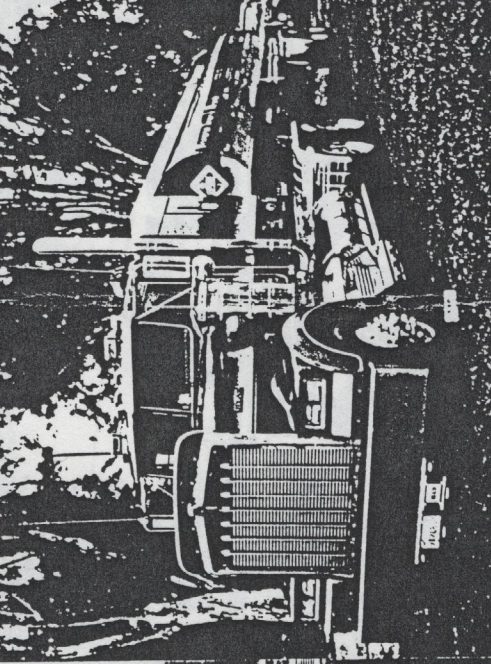
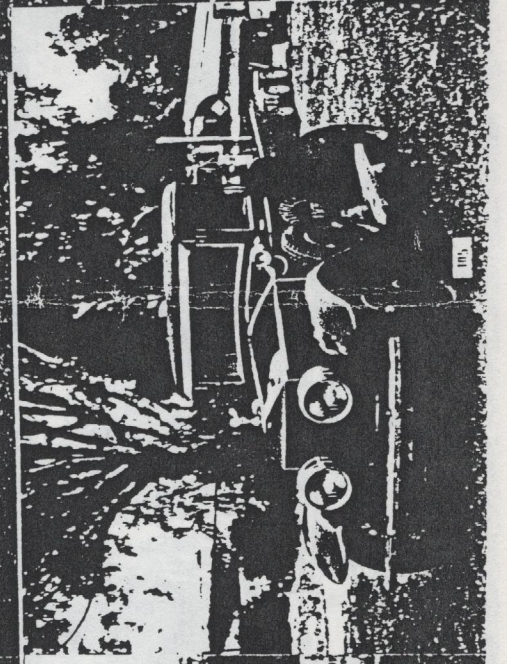
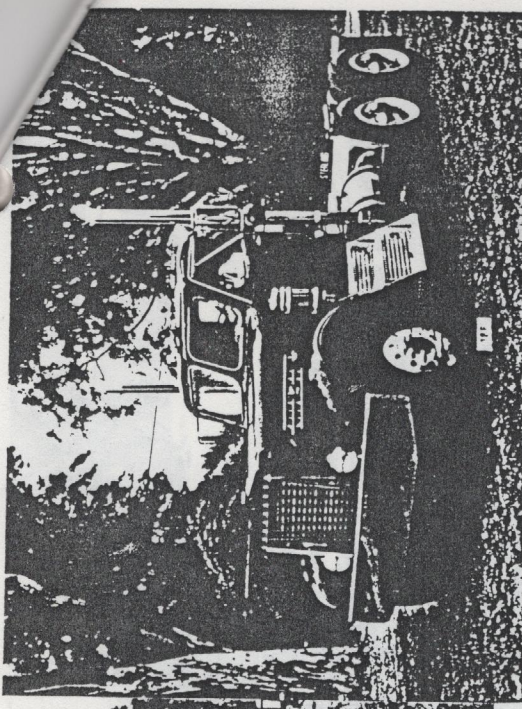
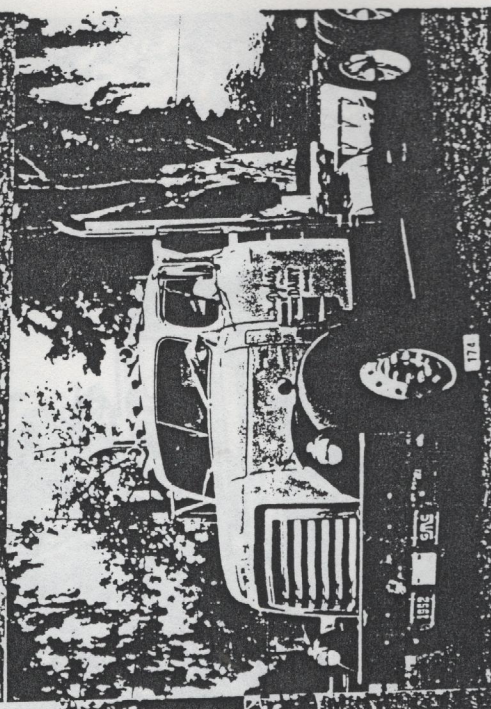
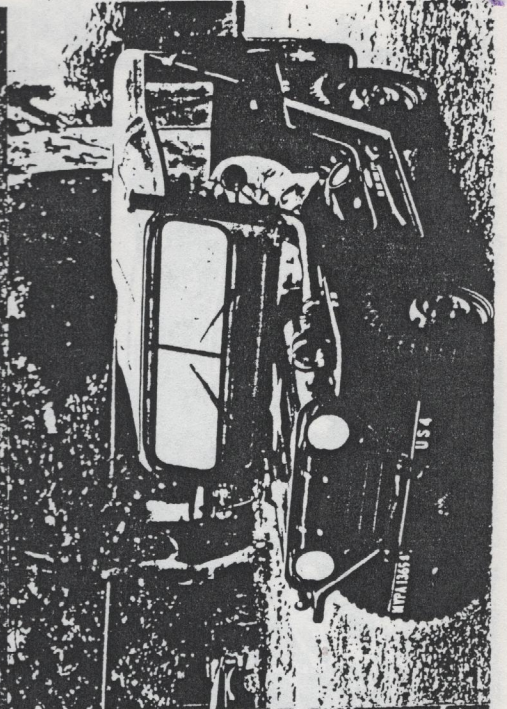
Trophy Class	Entry No.	Make & Model	Shown by
Best Chrome	169	'57 Chev. P.U.	Marc Jacoby
Best Paint	124	'40 Int' D-50	Bob King
Best Unrestored	143	'23 Federal Stk. Bed	Ben Ostergren
Most Original	123	'52 Ford F-100 P.U.	Glen R. Bohannan
Most Unusual	175	'41 Hudson Sta. Wgn.	Bill Albright
Best Solid Tire	116	'22 White Tanker	Unocal 76
Best Chain Drive	178	'26 Mack	WesFree
Best Fire Engine, "Custom"	151	'28 Segrave	Fontana Fire Dept.
Best Fire Engine, "Commercial"	121	'42 Mack Fire Truck	Joe Merola
Best Flat Bed	190	'48 Auto Car 2 axle	Matt Klenske
Best Pick-Up, Pre '50	170	'41 Diamond T 201	Jim Helmuth
Best Pick-Up Post '50	136	'55 Ford F-100	Dale Callen
Best Pre 1930	131	'22 Dodge	Ed Ditmer
Best 30's	148	37 Ford Deluxe	Jim Lorenzo Jr.
Best 40's	164	'46 GMC Flat Bed	Bruno Ranch
Best 50's	117	'50 Dodge Stk. Bed	Earl Carpenter
Best 60's	201	'66 Ford P.U.	Roger Rice
Henry's Best	167	'31 Ford P.U.	Bruno Ranch
Best Chevy	166	'47 Chev P.U.	Bruno Ranch
Best Mack	111	'61 Mack B-73	Peter J. Stohl
Best White	188	'52 Sterling White	Wm. Maybard
Best Peterbilt	101	'54 Peterbilt Conv.	Stan Alles
Best Kenworth	110	'85 Kenworth	Gill Donahue
Best GMC	174	'52 GMC	John Dykstra
Best Working Truck	102	'85 Peterbilt Trk. & Trl.	Tom Dallape
Best Special Interest	105	'22 Kolls Royce	Tim McHenry
Best Military	200	'64 Ford 1/4 Ton 4x4	Richard Talanca
Farthest Distance Driven	129	'48 Chev Suburban	Gem Spurr/Mark Culbertson
<b>BEST OF SHOW</b>	<b>112</b>	<b>'46 Auto Car Trk. &amp; Trl.</b>	<b>Ed Bonestros</b>

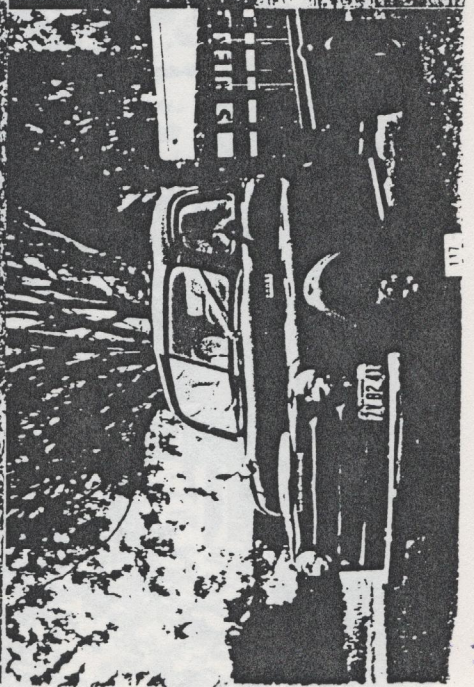
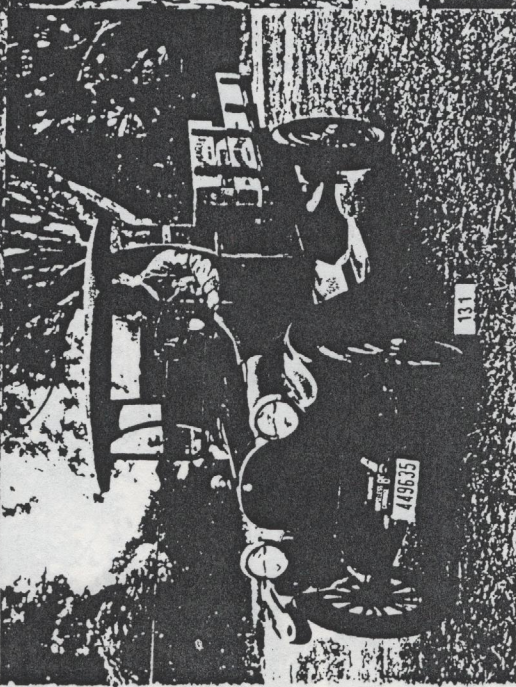
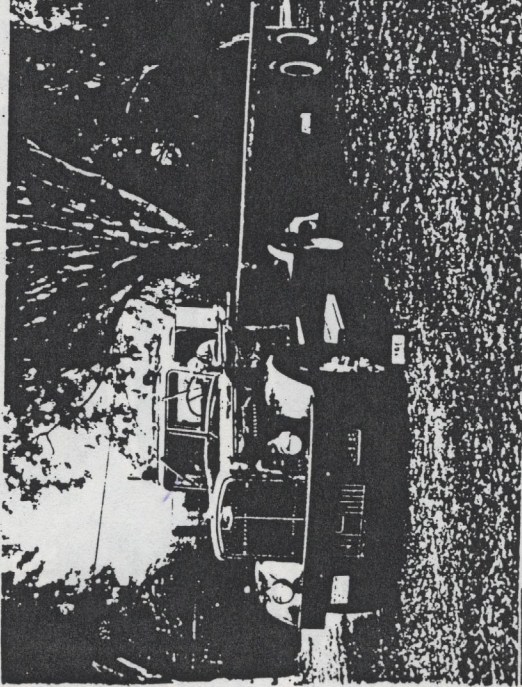
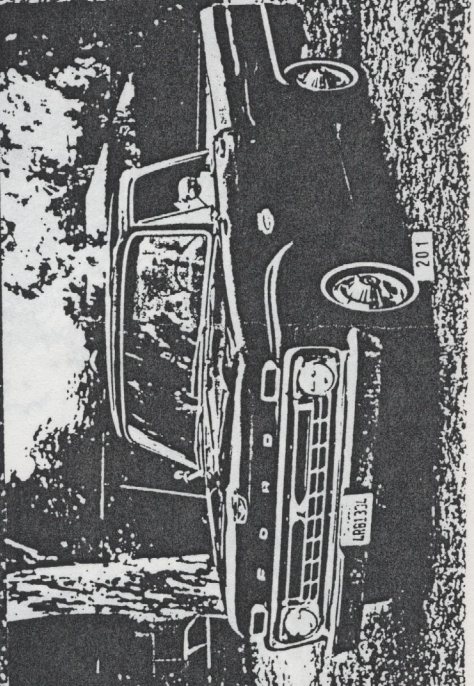
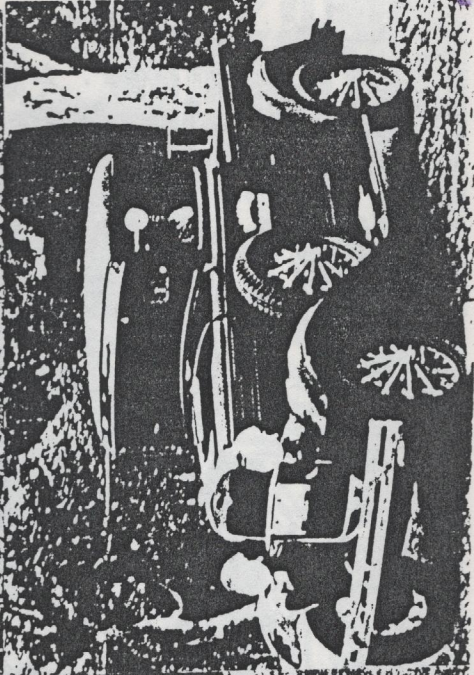
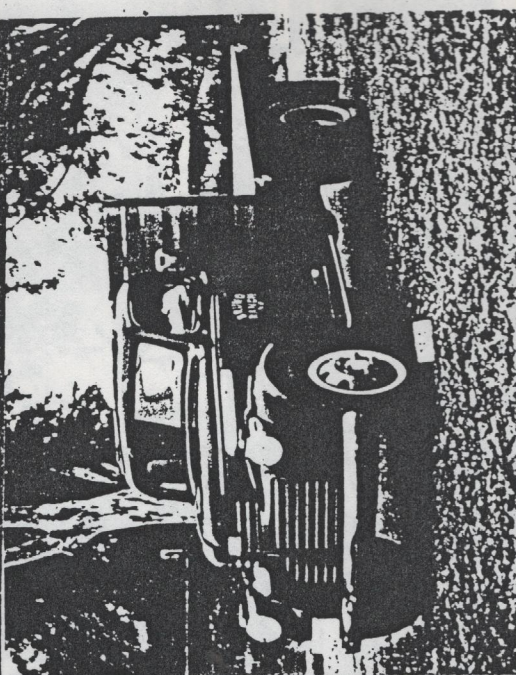
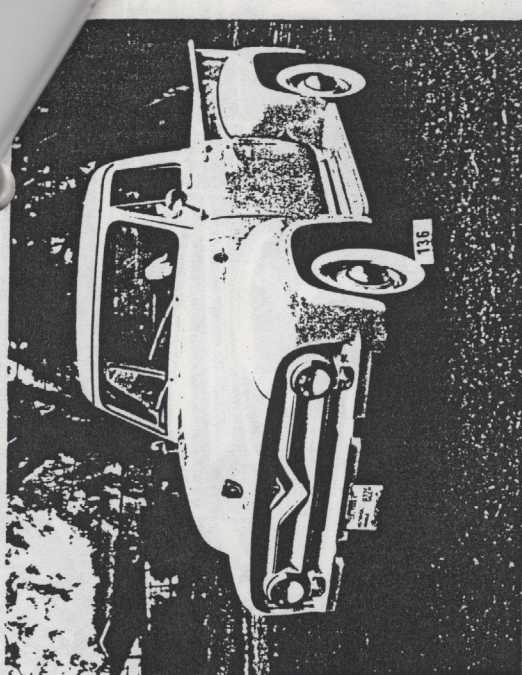


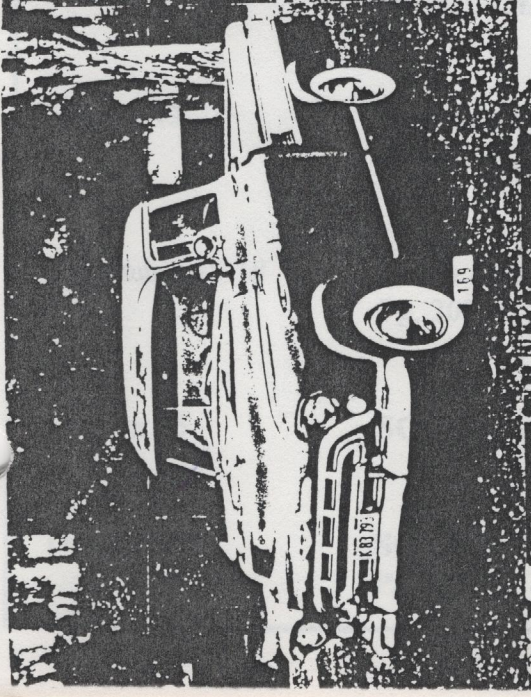
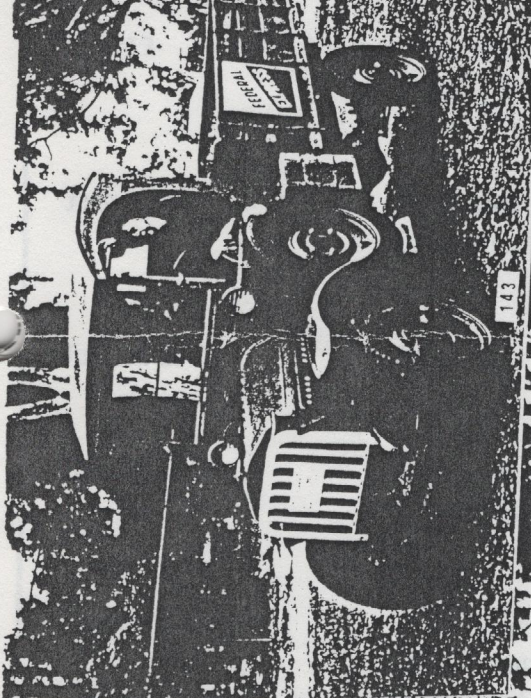
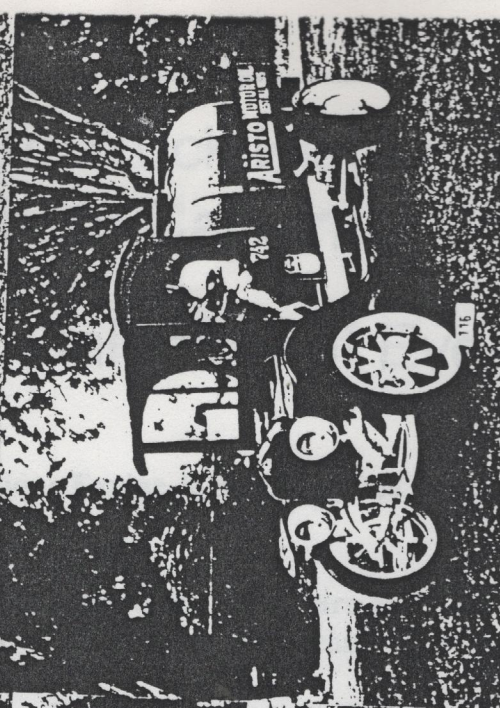
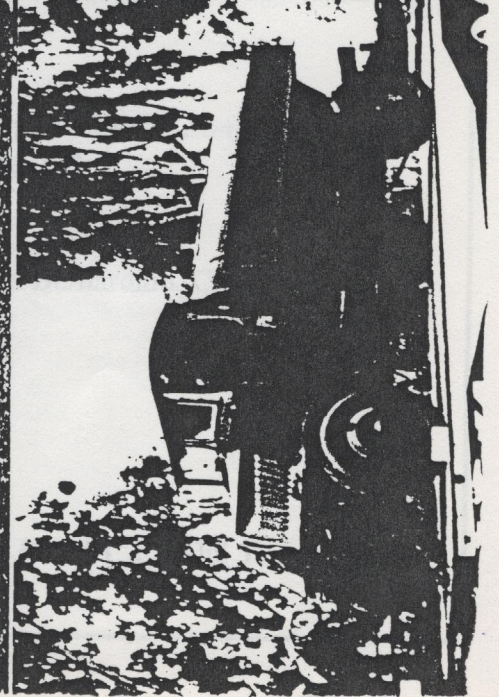
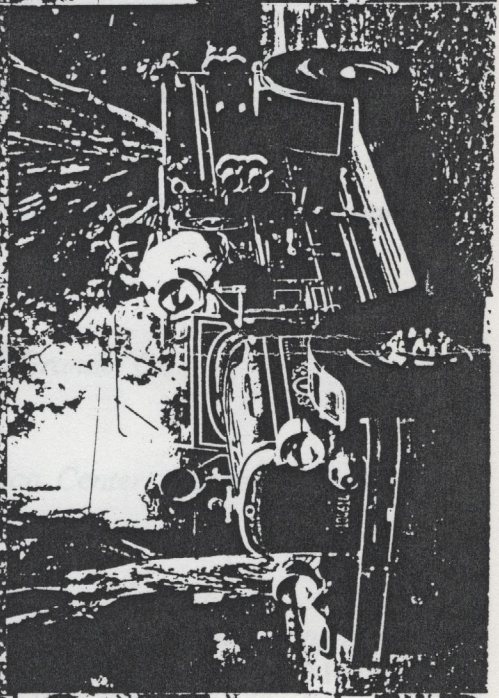
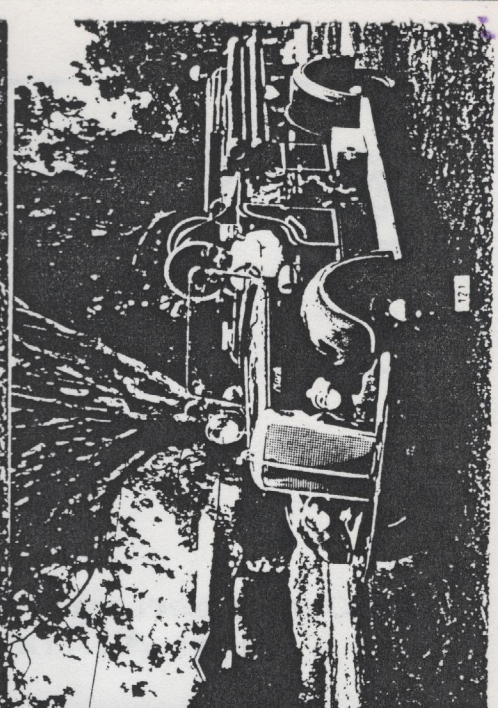


"Best of Show" - Riverside Truck Show '94  
Southern California Chapter - American Truck Historical Society  
1946 Auto Car Truck and Trailer - Owner, Ed Bonestros











# American Truck Historical Society Southern California Chapter



## Calendar of Event

- June 25 & 26      **Vista Antique Engine & Threshing Bee, Vista, CA**
- June 26      **12th Annual Automotive Literature Faire & Exchange, Pasadena City College, Colorado Blvd. & Hill Ave., Pasadena, CA, Thomas Bros. Pg. 190, E-4**
- July 13      **SCC Board and General Meeting, 8:00 pm, Jerry Haworth's Residence, 8561 La Grande St., Alta Loma, CA, (909) 980-0611, S.B. Co. Thomas Bros Pg. 11, E-1**
- July 16      **Redlands Firemen's Muster, University of Redlands Quad, Redlands, CA, Thomas Bros. Pg. 99, C-2**
- July 22 & 24      **CCC Bob King's Central Coast Cooler, Arroyo Grande, CA**
- July 28 & 30      **International Truck Show, Anaheim Convention Center, Anaheim CA, Calif. Thomas Bros. Pg. 193, B-5**
- August 6 & 7      **Long Beach Model T Club Swap Meet, Veterans Memorial Stadium, Long Beach, CA, (Conant & Clark, 405 Fwy to Lakewood, north to Conant, then east) (310) 425-2139, Calif. Thomas Bros. Pg. S, R-2**
- August 13      **2nd Annual Family Picnic, (see info elsewhere in newsletter) Long Beach Naval Shipyard, Long Beach, CA Calif. Thomas Bros. Pg. 192**
- September 15-18      **Route 66 Rendezvou, 5th Annual, Downtown San Bernardino, CA Thomas Bros. Pg. 207, C-2**
- October 15      **SCC October Turnaround**
- December 3      **SCC Gunther's Yard Meet, 2380 Curry St., Long Beach CA, Calif. Thomas Bros. Pg. S, E-1**