

The Chalmers Automobile Newsletter

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We are celebrating the 10th year of The Chalmers Automobile Newsletter: a great THANK YOU to all subscribers!

I have also written a manuscript titled "Chalmers, the Man and His Car". It is a biography of Hugh Chalmers life and times, and includes technical facts and related stories on all models. I hope to have it published soon; so keep an eye out for the book.

CHALMERS CLASSIFIED

The Chalmers Classified listing is intended as a service for members to advertise Chalmers cars and parts that are for sale and/or wanted. Please contact me regarding items that should no longer be listed and pass-on your new wanted and for sale items.

WANTED:

- 1917 Speedster Stewart Warner speedometer (0 to 100 or 95) (posted 4/2004) - contact Bob Valpey (#17).
- 1922/1923 hubcaps (posted 4/2000) - contact Bob DuBois (#9).
- 1912-1914 Chalmers Model 12/18 "Six" (also 1910-1912 Model "Forty", 1912-1914 Model "36", or 1914-1915 Model 24/29 "Master Six") (posted 4/2000) - contact John Lehnert (#35).
- 1914 Chalmers Model 24 "Master Six" shop manual (posted 4/2000) - contact Jim and Donna Stamper (#52).
- 1911 Chalmers Model "30" Pony Tonneau complete rear axle assembly (or any parts for it) (posted 7/2001) - contact Fred Hoch (#38).
- 1908-1909 Chalmers-Detroit Model F "30" radiator (posted 10/2001) - contact Alan Leclair (#42).
- 1923 Chalmers Model "Y" Jaxon disc wheels (one or more) for 24" tires (posted 2/2002)- contact Alan Maris (#56).
- 1913 Chalmers Model 36 front wheel hub and left side bail handle sidelight (kerosene and electric) or a matching pair (posted 2/2002)- contact Lloyd Elliott (#26).
- 1915 Chalmers Model 26-C "Six-48" Entz starter/generator, oil gage, distributor, steering wheel, crank, hubcaps, speedometer, and other parts & photos of wood framing (posted 7/2002) - contact Scott Sandersfeld (#69).
- 1912 Chalmers Model 11 "30" ignition switch/key for Splitdorf type ignition (posted 12/2003)- contact Mike Morris (#65).
- 1912 Chalmers Model 11 "30" owners manual and parts list, either original or copy (posted 12/2003) - contact Al Shaw (#25).

- Pattern for 1911 Model M brass "Chalmers" radiator script (any size/year is acceptable), Instruction book for 1910 Model K "30" (original or copy), and 1910 or 1911 engine complete (or parts of) (posted 7/2004) - contact Don Curtis (#40).

FOR SALE: There are no for sale items to list in this issue.

In December 2004, I was diagnosed with Alzheimer's Disease. It is not easy to diagnose Alzheimer's Disease (or AD), but my family noted changes in behavior and I noticed changes in speech and general thinking skills. After I saw the family physician, which included an examination and testing, he scheduled a neurological assessment. This assessment concluded that I have early stage AD.

One of my goals is to preserve the Chalmers Automobile Registry (CAR) by turning it over to a fellow member before my AD progresses to the next stage. If anyone that is interested in continuing with the Chalmers Automobile Registry and Newsletter, please let me know. I have an extensive Microsoft Excel database, which I can send to whoever wants to take over the CAR.

I will publish one more newsletter: the Spring Membership Listing issue. As a result, I will not ask for the normal \$5 subscription fee this year. Please contact me for a refund if you have paid for a subscription beyond 4/30/06 (indicated in the envelope address block). Those that have a "life" and "complementary" memberships are not affected.

That's all for this issue. Please let me know if you are interested in taking over the Chalmers Automobile Registry.

Dave Hammond