

# Scuttlebutt

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We can't wait for the cooler weather, and we are hoping for the possibility of driving our Model A's more in parades and tours this Fall. We had 13 people at our Saturday breakfast at Simone's in Guthrie. The food was great, and we will be there again for lunch on the Fall tour.

We are changing our monthly Club meetings back to the third Sunday of the month, starting in January 2024. So the first Sunday club meeting will be on 21 January 2024 at the Will Rogers Garden Center. We hope this will increase our monthly meeting attendance. We would love to see all of you at our club meetings.

Our Fall Tour to Guthrie and OKC is on Sunday, 8 October to Wednesday, 11 October, and the planning is progressing well. We have 26 registrations and look forward to seeing many old friends again.

Please plan to attend our annual Christmas party on Sunday, December 10<sup>th</sup>, 2023 at 2PM at the Will Rogers Garden Center. The cost is \$25.00 per person. The food will be from Earl's BBQ, featuring Smoked Turkey with all the fixings. Of course, we will play Dirty Santa again.

We look forward to seeing you soon.

Don Mitchell, President

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**Meeting September**

**September 26, 2023**  
**7:00 pm**

**Will Rogers**  
**Garden Center**  
**3400 NW 36th St**  
**Oklahoma City OK**

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**SEPTEMBER REFRESHMENTS**

**PROVIDED BY BOARD MEMBERS**

## ACTIVITIES AT A GLANCE

(Subject to Change)

**“Let the good times roll in your Model A”**

**🌸🌸🌸 Christmas Dinner, December 10, 2023 at 2:00 PM 🌸🌸🌸**

### September 2023

- 5 6:30pm Board Meeting** - Johnnies, 2652 W. Britton Rd, OKC (east of May Ave)
- 9 10:00am Western Days Parade** in Mustang, State Highway 152, Line-up at 9am
- 16 10:00am Canadian County Historical Society Museum** - 300 S Grand, El Reno, 10am - 4pm  
Trolley Ride \$5.00 at 11am, Lunch after the trolley ride.
- 26 7:00pm Club Meeting** - Will Rogers Garden Center, 3400 NW 36th St, OKC  
Refreshments provided by board members.
- 29 - Oct 1 DMAFC Red River** - Willow Springs Resort, Lake Texoma  
Reservations 580-924-6240, Dallas Model A Ford Club.
- 30 10-12am Baptist Retirement Home**— 9700 Mashburn, Oklahoma City. Lunch provided.

### October 2023

- 3 6:30pm Board Meeting** - Johnnies, 2652 W. Britton Rd, OKC (east of May Ave)
- 7 10am Oklahoma Czech Festival, Yukon.** Line up 9am. Parade route Main street from  
Garth Brooks Blvd to 3rd street.
- 8 - 11 Fall Tour** - Guthrie & OKC; Hosted by Sooner Model A Club; Joint Tour  
w/Tulsa Model A Ford Club; See Registration Form & Itinerary in this issue.
- 14 11am– 2pm Mansions Car Show and Lunch** - 9900 S Western, OKC
- 24 7:00pm Club Meeting** - Will Rogers Garden Center, 3400 NW 36th St, OKC  
Refreshments provided by club members.

### November 2023

- 30 - Dec 3 MAFCA Awards Banquet**, -Santa Maria, California
- 7 6:30pm Board Meeting** - Johnnies, 2652 W. Britton Rd, OKC (east of May Ave)
- 11 Veterans Day Parade** - Blanchard
- 28 7:00pm Club Meeting** - Will Rogers Garden Center, 3400 NW 36th St, OKC  
Beans and Cornbread provided by club members

Every Monday morning, club members meet at **6:30am** for **breakfast at Braums**, 4104 NW 39th Street, Bethany, OK. Everyone is invited and the discussion ranges from repairing your car to what the weather is going to be for the next scheduled event. Please stop by and add your two cents. No charge for opinions.

**SUNSHINE COMMITTEE**

We have heard that John Chaney has been ill, Rich Robinson has been ill, Scott Russell fell down and hurt his shoulder, and Jon Russell is down because of his back. Vicky Yates has passed away. Please pray for John, Rich, Scott, and Jon, and the Yates family.

Please also pray for those of us who are battling cancer and other serious diseases, and for anyone else we know of who is in need of healing.

Please let Kaye Sage know if you are aware of a member who is ill. We would like to send a card and let them know we are thinking of them. Kaye can be reached at [405-684-1564](tel:405-684-1564) or email at [sage\\_LK1@cox.net](mailto:sage_LK1@cox.net)

**September 2023 Birthdays**

10 - Cathy Wicks	22 - Betty Hill	28 - Steve Davis
18 - Jan Marks	22 - Rich Robinson	29 - Ralph Hudson

**September 2023 Anniversaries**

03 - James & Rowena Keene	21 - Ralph & Connie Hudson	30 - Neal & Susan Wood
09 - Clifton & Betty Hill		

The Sooner Model A Club meetings were changed to the fourth Tuesday of the month in 2023.

The meetings are at the Will Rogers Garden Center, 3400 NW 36th St, Oklahoma City, at 7:00 pm.

January 24th	April 25th	July 25th	October 24th
February 28th	May 23rd	August 22nd	November 28th
March 28th	June 27th	September 26th	

**SAVE THE DATE**

Dec 10, 2023, 2:00pm	Sooner Model A Club Christmas Dinner
June 23-28, 2024	MAFCA National Convention, Ruidoso, New Mexico
June 16-22, 2025	MAFCA National Tour, Charlottesville, Virginia

## **Minutes of the Club Meeting August 22, 2023**

August 22, 2023: Club Meeting; Will Rogers Garden Center, 3400 NW 36th St, OKC

- Meeting was called to order at 7:03 p.m. by Vice-President Phil.
- The drawing for the 50/50 pot was held and Helene won the pot.
- The minutes of the previous meeting were published in the Scuttlebutt.
- August 26 the club will meet for breakfast at 9:00 a.m. at Simone's Café in Guthrie, the address is 1202 S. Division St.
- Oct 7 will be the Czech Parade in Yukon
- Our club will be doing the Fall Tour in Guthrie/OKC October 8-11. Cost will be \$25 per person or \$50 per couple. (The Registration Form and Itinerary are in the Scuttlebutt.)
- Oct. 14th is the car show at the Mansions
- Oct. 24 is the next club meeting
- The meeting was adjourned at 7:14 p.m.
- Following the meeting there was a demonstration by Greg Hoyle on brake drums.
- Watermelon was served after the meeting.

## Minutes of the Board Meeting September 5, 2023

September 5, 2023; Board Meeting; Johnnie's, 2652 W. Britton Rd, OKC

President Don Mitchell - Present	Vice-President Phil Wolfenbarger - Present
Secretary Vonnie Meritt - Present	Treasurer Jerry Phillips - Absent
Editor Chuck Dusenbery - Present by Phone	Web Master Jim Yates - Absent
Director David Swain - Absent	Director Greg Hoyle - Present

- Members in attendance: K. Meritt, Carla Newton, Marilyn Mitchell, Kaye Sage.
- Meeting called to order at 6:30 p.m. by President Don Mitchell
- Minutes of the last meeting were published in the August newsletter. Corrections were made.
- Treasurer's report was presented by Don as Jerry was unable to attend. The operating account had a starting balance for August of \$1194.86 and an ending balance of \$1681.86. PayPal account is \$256.43 beginning balance and ending balance was the same. \$1,125 of the checking account is for expenses collected for the Fall Tour. Report was accepted by the board.
- Don discussed the topic of buying memorial bricks at the Gilmore Museum for members who have passed away. The cost of the bricks is \$150.00. This expense would be too much for the club to pay. Motion was made by Greg that memorial bricks and/or flowers for deceased members be purchased by donation rather than being purchased with club funds. Seconded by Phil. Motion carried.
- Don presented to the board about changing the meeting back to Sunday afternoon. Karen will check the options of availability on Sundays at the Will Rogers Garden Center and will report back to the board.
- Don reported that Earl's Rib Palace will be the caterer for the Club Christmas party, on December 10th at 2:00 p.m. The charge will be \$25.00 per person and the club be responsible for a \$1.00 per person and the tip. Since there was not a sign-up sheet for refreshments Marilyn, Carla, Vonnie and Kaye will provide refreshments for the September meeting.
- Don gave report of those who have signed up for the Fall Tour.
- Western Days parade will be in Mustang Sept. 9th at 9:00 am.
- Don reported that there will be an event in El Reno on Sept. 16th. It will include a tour of the museum and trolley ride. Those interested should meet at the museum at 10:00 a.m. and they will eat lunch following the tour.
- Sept 30th at 10am -12pm, there will be a car show at the Baptist Retirement Village. Lunch will be catered by Swadley's.
- Oct. 3rd: Board meeting
- Oct. 7th: Czech Parade in Yukon at 9:00 am
- Oct. 8-11: Fall Tour
- Oct. 14: Car show at the Mansions.
- Sunshine committee: Scott Russell fell down and hurt his shoulder, and Jon Russell is down because of his back. Jim Yates called Don to report that Vicky Yates has been placed on Hospice.
- A thank you note was received from Donna Skidmore and John Chaney for flowers sent in memory of Bobbie Chaney.
- New Business: Jim Yates is working to get the 1000-mile program on the website.
- Editor reported he is working on the upcoming edition of the Scuttlebutt.
- Meeting adjourned at 6:55 p.m.

# SOONER MODEL A Fall Tour Registration

## Sunday, October 8, 2023 – Wednesday, October 11, 2023

Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Model A or Modern Car? (Circle one)      Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Make your hotel reservation at **Edmond Hampton Inn – (405) 844-3037**

**Edmond Hampton Inn 300 Meline Drive, Edmond, OK. 73034. Sunday, Mon & Tues night only**

**To get discount rate; state “SOONER MODEL A”. Rate available only to September 8, 2023.**

**King & Sofa bed - \$95.00 / night + tax. Or Double Queen - \$99.00 / night + tax**

### Monday, October 9. – *State number of people in Yes or No spot.*

Do you plan to go to the **Masonic Lodge Tour** in Guthrie? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_ (**\$5 per person – to be collected with registration.**)

Masons Free.

Lunch is planned for **Simone’s Café.**

Do you plan to go to the **Territorial Museum Tour** in Guthrie?. Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_ (**\$10 per person – to be collected with registration.**)

Dinner on your own.

### Tuesday, October 10.

Do you plan to go to the **State Capital Tour**? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_ (Entry is free).

Depart the State Capital for the **Land Run Monument**, one of the world’s largest Bronze Sculptures featuring 45 heroic figures of the land run. After the land run, drive to the **Golden Corral Buffet & Grill** in Del City for lunch. After lunch, drive to the Tinker AFB Air Park to view many of the aircraft that were assigned to Tinker.

**NOTE: Departure time for the next tour is 1:30PM.**

Do you plan to go to the **National Cowboy and Western Heritage Museum Tour**?  
Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_ (**\$10 per person – to be collected with the registration.**)

Dinner will be on your own.

**Don will hold an informal wrap up meeting** at the hotel on Tues night after dinner at **8:00 PM** to provide an overview of the tour and open up for any suggestions for the 2024 Spring Tour.

### Wednesday, October 11. **Have a safe trip home. Thank you.**

**In order for us to get an accurate count, please complete the registration form no later than September 8, 2023. You must return the registration form to be eligible for any of the wonderful door prizes. Please return registration form to: Don Mitchell, 512 Ridge Rd, Edmond, OK 73034**

Any Questions, contact:

Chuck Dusenbery (405) 613-3901      OR      Don Mitchell (405) 830-2932

[cdusenbery50@yahoo.com](mailto:cdusenbery50@yahoo.com)

[donmitchell1396@cox.net](mailto:donmitchell1396@cox.net)

**NOTE: If you plan on attending all the tours listed above, please send \$25.00 for EACH person on your registration. Make your check out to **SOONER MODEL A CLUB****

**FALL TOUR 2023 ITINERARY**  
**OCT 8 – 11, 2023**  
**HOST: SOONER MODEL A CLUB**

- October 8  
Sunday** Arrive at the Hampton Inn, 300 Meline Drive, Edmond OK. 405-844-3037  
Hotel is South of 2<sup>nd</sup> St, west of I-35 entrance & I-35 Service Rd. Route 66 comes in on 2<sup>nd</sup> St & goes south on I-35. Turn South on street by 7-11 Gas Station, west of I-35.  
(Note: Real Gas is sold at the 7-11 Gas Station on the hotel entrance road.)
- October 9  
Monday** **8:45 am** Line-up for Masonic Lodge Tour  
**9:00 am** Depart for Masonic Lodge Tour  
900 E. Oklahoma Ave, Guthrie. 405-282-1281  
Masonic Lodge Tour cost is \$5.00 per person. Masons have free entry.  
**10:00 am** Masonic Lodge Tour begins.  
**Lunch** Simone's Café, 1202 S. Division St, Guthrie. 405-293-9363  
Pay for your own lunch.  
**After Lunch** Depart Simone's for Territorial Museum Tour  
Cost is \$10.00 per person for guided tour.  
**1:30 pm** Territorial Museum Guided Tour.  
406 E. Oklahoma Ave, Guthrie. 405-282-1889  
(Note: Chuck and Don will collect the Tour Fees.)  
After the tour, visit the many antique shops in Guthrie from Division St to the Railroad Tracks, and between Harrison & Cleveland.  
Take Division St south to Sooner Rd to 2<sup>nd</sup> St to return to hotel.  
Dinner is on your own.
- October 10  
Tuesday** **8:45 am** Line-up for State Capitol Tour  
**9:00 am** Depart for State Capitol Tour  
2300 N. Lincoln Blvd, Oklahoma City. 405-521-3356  
**10:00 am** Tour Begins  
After the Capitol Tour, depart for the Land Run Monument, one of the world's largest Bronze Sculptures featuring 45 heroic figures of the Oklahoma land run. Located at the South End of the Bricktown Canal. Entrance is at 200 Centennial Ave, just off Reno Ave between Bass Pro Shops and Residence Inn Hotel: access south from Bass Pro parking lot.  
**Lunch** Golden Corral Buffet, 1501 S Sooner Rd, Del City. 405-739-0566  
Pay for your own lunch.  
**After Lunch** Drive to Charles B. Hall Airpark at Tinker AFB to view aircraft assigned to Tinker. There is also a POW-MIA Memorial at this location.  
(South of S.E. 29<sup>th</sup> & Air Depot Blvd, make U-Turn in front of Tinker Gate, Air Park is on the right after completion of U-Turn & before I-40.)  
(Note: We must depart for the next tour at 1:30 PM.)  
**1:30 pm** Depart for the National Cowboy and Western Heritage Museum Tour  
**2:00 pm** National Cowboy and Western Heritage Museum Tour  
1700 N.E. 63<sup>rd</sup> St, Oklahoma City. 405-478-2250  
\$10.00 per person. (Note: Chuck and Don will collect the Tour Fees.)  
Dinner will be on your own.  
**8:00 pm** Don will hold an informal meeting at the hotel on Tuesday night after dinner to provide an overview of the tour and request suggestions for the 2024 Spring Tour. Please bring your suggestions with you.
- October 11  
Wednesday** Depart for home. Thank you for joining us for the 2023 Spring Tour.  
We hope you had a good time. We look forward to seeing you again soon.

## QUOTATIONS OF HENRY FORD

Short Version:

"We are here for experience, and experience is a preparation to know the Truth when we meet it."

Long Version:

"We are here for experience, and experience is a preparation to know the Truth when we meet it. We shall know that we have reached the Truth when we are free. Everything that helps make man a little freer is headed along the highway of Truth. This does not mean books and ideas only, it means mechanics and commerce and science. Even the motor car is an element in the liberation of mankind and will rank higher than many a philosophy in its effect on human destiny: it is freeing more men, freeing them into more different regions, than most book systems do. We are mixing our experiences more than ever before, which ought to result in our making swifter progress toward the twin Objects of Experience-- Truth and Character."

Ref: Quotations of Henry Ford  
APPLEWOOD BOOKS  
Bedford, Massachusetts



### Welcome to New Members in 2023

Chuck & Sheila Gibson, 6901 132nd Ave SE, Noble 73068, 405-872-5064, 405-306-1668

Neal & Susan Wood, 12801 E Maguire Rd, Noble 73068, 405-473-8189, 405-317-1469

Jeff & Angie Griffin, 2204 Union Ave, Seminole 74868, 405-435-4341

Thomas Prothro, 11752 SW 18th St, Yukon 73099, 209-769-9932

Cliff & Cathy Wicks, 3708 N Ridgewood Dr, Midwest City 73110, 845-389-3314

Al & Michele Lock, 5804 N Meridian Pl, Oklahoma City 73122, 405-421-4998

Mark & Terri Burton, 1452 NE 9th St, Oklahoma City 73117, 405-231-4306, 405-250-8366

James & Rowena Keene, 519 Manvel Ave, Chandler 74834, 405-240-4392, 405-240-2503

We appreciate our new members and we are all looking forward to meeting you  
and

enjoying your participation in the club activities.



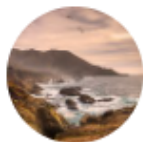
**CLUB MEETING**  
**Oklahoma City**  
**August 22, 2023**  
 Picture by Helene Astafan



The August club meeting featured watermelon and a brake seminar by Greg Hoyle.

**BREAKFAST AT SIMONE'S**  
**Guthrie**  
**August 26, 2023**

Despite the hot weather, there were thirteen of us at Simone's Café for breakfast. The review below was found on Yelp. The Editor agrees with the review, because Simone's is one of his favorites also.



Beverly S  
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★★★★★ Reviewed 4 weeks ago

**Best diner around, friendly staff**

This is the only place I eat when I'm in Guthrie. First time I stopped because the parking lot was full. Figured it must be the Place to eat. I was not disappointed. I tell all my family about Simones.

**Date of visit:** July 2023

# WESTERN DAYS PARADE Mustang September 9, 2023



Picture by Don Mitchell



Picture by Helene Astafan

**WESTERN DAYS PARADE**  
**Mustang**  
**September 9, 2023**  
Pictures by Ken Corder



# CANADIAN COUNTY HISTORICAL SOCIETY MUSEUM

## El Reno

September 16, 2023  
Pictures by Don Mitchell



**CANADIAN COUNTY HISTORICAL SOCIETY MUSEUM**  
**El Reno**  
**September 16, 2023**  
Pictures by the Canadian County Historical Society Museum



**Oklahoma Railway Museum  
Oklahoma City  
August 5, 2023  
Pictures by Ken Corder**



**MAFCA  
Photo of the Week**

We want your  
Model A Photo!

Please describe your  
car's year and model,  
and  
your city and state  
in an email to

[AoftheDay@mafca.com](mailto:AoftheDay@mafca.com)

Don't forget to tell us  
who is in the photo  
and where it was taken.

Photos that are at least **250KB**  
in size work the best.



**Wanted!** Pre indented firewall Zenith 3 Carburetor. Call Bob Stine at 918-829-6555

- For Sale!** 1931 Model A Pickup, 1929 Modified Open-Cab Model A Coupe.  
Call Virjean Ogle at 405-640-5993
- For Sale!** 1929 4 door Briggs Deluxe.  
Call Tom Marcotte at 405-684-7248 or 405-895-7445
- For Sale!** 1929 AA 1-1/2 ton flat-bed stake truck; VIN A3946780, mostly complete, needs some  
transmission work, rewiring, tires, etc, \$7,900.00. Call Rob Wagner, 405-990-4100
- For Sale!** 1928 Model A Roadster, Excellent Condition.  
Call Bob Baird, 405-641-0277
- For Sale!** 1930 Model A Coupe. Restoration in progress. New tires and restored frame.  
Call Mike Maxwell, 405-826-2504, for additional information.
- For Sale!** Model A Coupe project car. Includes two additional engines.  
Call Kevin McDonald, 405-375-5804
- For Sale!** 1928 Model A Roadster in pieces. Frame, body, engine, 2 transmissions, and  
several "New Parts". \$4,000 OBO. Pictures available. 580-306-8624
- For Sale!** 1931 Model A Ford 4 Door in excellent condition. Pictures available.  
Contact Celeste Price, 405-382-8858
- For Sale!** 1929 Phaeton 4 Door. Car is located in Edmond, OK.  
Contact Megan Payne, 512-608-3369

## **BATTERY RAFFLE OCTOBER 2023 CLUB MEETING**

Paul McNutt donated a six-volt Optima battery to our club because he received two batteries. When he tried to return the second battery, the company told him to keep it. The battery is new. Raffle tickets can be purchased from Don Mitchell or Phil Wolfenbarger. The cost for the raffle ticket is \$5.00 per ticket or six tickets for \$25.00. The drawing for the battery will be held at the October monthly club meeting on October 24th. Tickets will be sold by Don and Phil at the September club meeting and the October board meeting and Monday morning coffee and wherever else you can find Phil or Don. The picture of the battery is below. You do not have to be present to win.



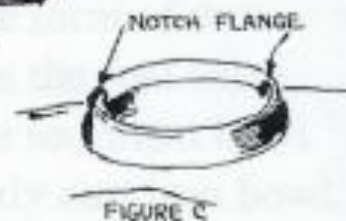


## SECURING RADIATOR ORNAMENTS

If a quail or other permanent base, flip-top radiator ornament fits loosely or is chipped, it may come off too easily. This procedure will remedy the situation and make the ornament solid - removable only with an Allen wrench. My quail used to fit so loosely that I removed it whenever I left the Ford unattended. Remove the brass lugs on the bottom of your cap. These are usually held on with Allen head screws. See figure A.

Cut a piece of metal bar with the same width as the removed lugs. The bar should be about the same thickness as the lugs. The length of the bar should be as long as possible within the diameter of the radiator neck under the flange. Test the cut bar for fit. It should have about 3/16" play on the ends. Drill and tap the bar to accommodate the Allen head screws. See Figure B. Some of the material may have to be removed from the area of the lugs on the cap base. If so, file very carefully and remove only the necessary material for the bar to fit snugly. Notch the radiator neck flange with a small file (or a broken round file chucked in an electric drill) where the new bar will be when the cap is in place. File and fit until this notch is as deep as practical for your cap. See Figure C.

With the new locking bar loosely attached, put the cap on and tighten the Allen head screws. As the screws are tightened, the bar will be pulled up into the notches, holding the base firmly. The bar does cover part of the radiator opening, but it doesn't keep you from checking the coolant level nor does it interfere with the overflow tube.



# Perfume Sprayers

By Janet Gundlach

These perfume sprayers resembled cigarette lighters but were totally different. *Ronson* and *Evans Company* both produced these misters. Also notice the two different sizes of the *Ronson* Perfu-Mist in the following advertisement.

**RONSON**  
*Smell Your Air Fly With Ronson!*  
**Perfu-Mist**

**Chromium Plate with Black, Red, Green, Blue, Tan, Brown or Grey Morocco Leathers.** List. each, \$1.00

**Chromium Plate with Genuine Bookbinder, Alligator or Crocodile.** List. each, \$1.00

**Green Gold Plate with Black, Red, Green, Blue, Tan, Brown or Grey Morocco Leathers.** List. each, \$1.00

**Green Gold Plate with Genuine Bookbinder, Alligator or Crocodile.** List. each, \$1.00

**Basket Weave Design** Chromium Plate, Engine Turned, Basket Weave, Harley Wares or Footboard Design. List. each, \$1.00

**Basket Weave Design** Green Gold, Engine Turned, Basket Weave, Harley Wares or Footboard Design. List. each, \$1.00

**Chromium Plate with Black, Red, Green, Blue, Tan, Brown or Grey Morocco Leathers.** List. each, \$1.00

**Green Gold Plate with Black, Red, Green, Blue, Tan, Brown or Grey Morocco Leathers.** List. each, \$1.00

**Chromium Plate, Engine Turned, Basket Weave, Harley Wares or Footboard Design.** List. each, \$1.00

**Green Gold Plate, Engine Turned, Basket Weave, Harley Wares or Footboard Design.** List. each, \$1.00

**The World's Finest Perfume Spray**  
*It works with magical simplicity*

Also made in Sterling Silver. Prices on application.

Illustrations about four-fifths actual size.

L & C Mayers Company, 1930

The *Evans Company* produced wonderful compacts but also produced perfume sprayers. They called their smaller sprayers "Pocket Atarmist" and the larger was called the "Dresser Model Atarmist." The gift sets included the sprayer and a matching compact or perfume.

**EVANS**

**EV118-471 set, white finish, double compact**  
 lined with green velvet, two pocket perfumes, round mirror, handle, decorative design, lined with white French enamel, double compact, mounted in metal, in attractive gold lined presentation covered metal gift box. ... \$18.00 ea.

**EV119-472 set, white finish, two spray sets**  
 lined with green velvet, two spray sets, one with large mirror and round handle, one with large mirror, round handle, one with round pocket perfume in metal, in attractive gold lined presentation covered metal gift box. ... \$20.00 ea.

**EV201-Pocket Dresser Model Atarmist**  
 white gold finish, double spray set, round mirror, lined with white French enamel, mounted in metal, in attractive gold lined presentation covered metal gift box. ... \$12.00 ea.

**EV120-473 set, white finish, white finish, double compact**  
 lined with green velvet, two pocket perfumes, round mirror, handle, decorative design, lined with white French enamel, double compact, mounted in metal, in attractive gold lined presentation covered metal gift box. ... \$18.00 ea.

**EV121-474 set, white finish, two spray sets**  
 lined with green velvet, two spray sets, one with large mirror and round handle, one with large mirror, round handle, one with round pocket perfume in metal, in attractive gold lined presentation covered metal gift box. ... \$20.00 ea.

**EV118-Dresser Model Atarmist**  
 white gold finish, double spray set, round mirror, lined with white French enamel, mounted in metal, in attractive gold lined presentation covered metal gift box. ... \$12.00 ea.

**EV122-475 set, white finish, two spray sets**  
 lined with green velvet, two spray sets, one with large mirror and round handle, one with large mirror, round handle, one with round pocket perfume in metal, in attractive gold lined presentation covered metal gift box. ... \$20.00 ea.

ILLUSTRATIONS ONE-HALF ACTUAL SIZE

World's Largest Manufacturers of Style Accessories

The Blue Book Jewelry Store, 1931

## It Looks Like a Lighter, but Sprays Perfume

**S**PRAYING a tiny jet of perfume when its plunger is pushed down, a novel atomizer resembling a cigarette lighter in appearance may be carried in a woman's hand bag, it is said, without danger of spilling its contents. Its nozzle is covered with a cap which is released by a plunger. When the apparatus is closed, a groove in the plunger fits over the cap to hold it in place, while the plunger in turn must be pressed down before the cap can move. Thus, its inventors claim, the device is made air-tight and proof against leakage. To operate the atomizer, one need only press the plunger twice—once to release the cap and the second time to eject the spray of perfume. The atomizer is manufactured in two sizes—for carrying in the hand bag and for the dresser.



Resembling a cigarette lighter, this little atomizer sprays a fine jet of perfume when a plunger is pressed.

The above article came from Popular Science Monthly, February 1930

A friend, who searched for years, recently bought a new old stock Ronson sprayer in the original box with paperwork and the wire to clean the sprayer. This was a great eBay find and purchase!

Antique stores and dealers may not know or recognize these perfume sprayers. Also check eBay and look for both sizes, remember the smaller sprayer would fit in your purse and the other size would be for the dresser or vanity.

Perfume was definitely popular during our Model A years which explains the development, design and marketing of these sprayers.

Perfume timeline:

*Emeraude* by Coty -1921  
*Chanel No. 5* by Chanel -1922  
*Shalimur* by Guerlain -1925  
*My Sin* by Lanvin -1925  
*Paris* by Coty - 1926  
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