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Presidents Note

On behalf of all four Seasons members I want to thank Stefanie and Chuck for undertaking the publishing of our monthly newsletter for 2014. They have understandably opted to relinquish their editorial positions given their upcoming responsibilities of parenthood i.e. raising a little future Model T'er. Stefanie and Chuck have done an excellent job with the Gazette bringing their own unique style and creativity to it. Many thanks for a job well done!

It is now only a matter of days until Sunday, Dec 7th… our *Annual Meeting & Holiday Party*. Things to remember: a dish to share, an inexpensive unwrapped grab-bag gift, perhaps something for the *items of interest* table and of course, your appetites. Come early so you can reminisce about warmer times and your favorite T adventures. As always, lunch begins at noon followed by our business meeting.
Hope to see everyone there!
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Pete

P.S. At the end of the newsletter you'll find the 2015 Membership Form which you can mail in with your dues, or you can complete one at the upcoming Annual Meeting.

December's Calendar of Events

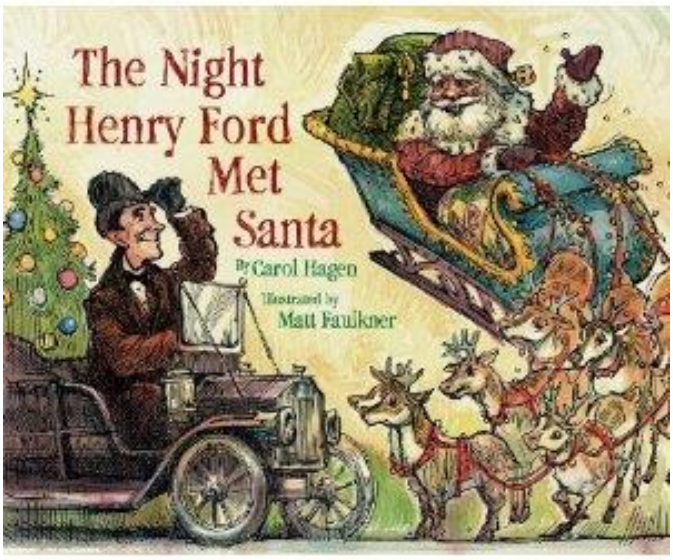
Dec 7th, Sunday – Powder Mill Barn Swap Meet, South Maple St, Hazardville, Ct. (off Rt. 190 West, turn left at the lite in the center of Hazardville) 7am – 11am, get there early!

Dec 7th, Sunday – FSMTA Annual Meeting & Christmas Party, Scotland Fire House, Brook Road, Scotland, Ct. 10am-ish set up, Dinner at Noon (Sharp!), Annual Meeting to follow. Dinner is "Pot Luck". Bring your own plates and eating tools. Bring an inexpensive gift for the grab-bag table. Ed Tollman will be collecting dues for the upcoming year.

Dec 10, Wednesday – FSMTA get-together at John's, 5pm-ish. Finger foods and lite snacks welcome.

Dec 21st, Sunday – FSMTA Breakfast at The Elk's, Pleasant Street, Willimantic, CT. 8am SHARP!

Looking for something special to put under the Christmas tree this year? How about this for your Model T-loving friends and family???



Could Henry Ford have taken his idea for an automobile assembly line from the elves at the North Pole? Maybe so. Set just before Christmas in 1908, this charming tale finds Henry Ford puzzling over a way to make his Model T affordable for the average family. His little son Edsel suggests that Daddy write to Santa for advice. Since Santa makes toys for millions of children, Edsel points out, he must know a better way. Henry writes the letter just to please his son, but Santa actually answers by taking Henry to visit his North Pole workshop. When he sees the elves working in a line, each completing just one specific task on every toy that's made, Henry Ford envisions an automobile assembly line. The story not only illustrates that children can teach adults how to dream, but it also provides an author's note with factual information about Henry Ford and the Model T.
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Wishing everyone a very happy and healthy holiday season!!

In closing as always, here's a look at back in the day

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2015 FSMTA Chapter Dues $15.00

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