

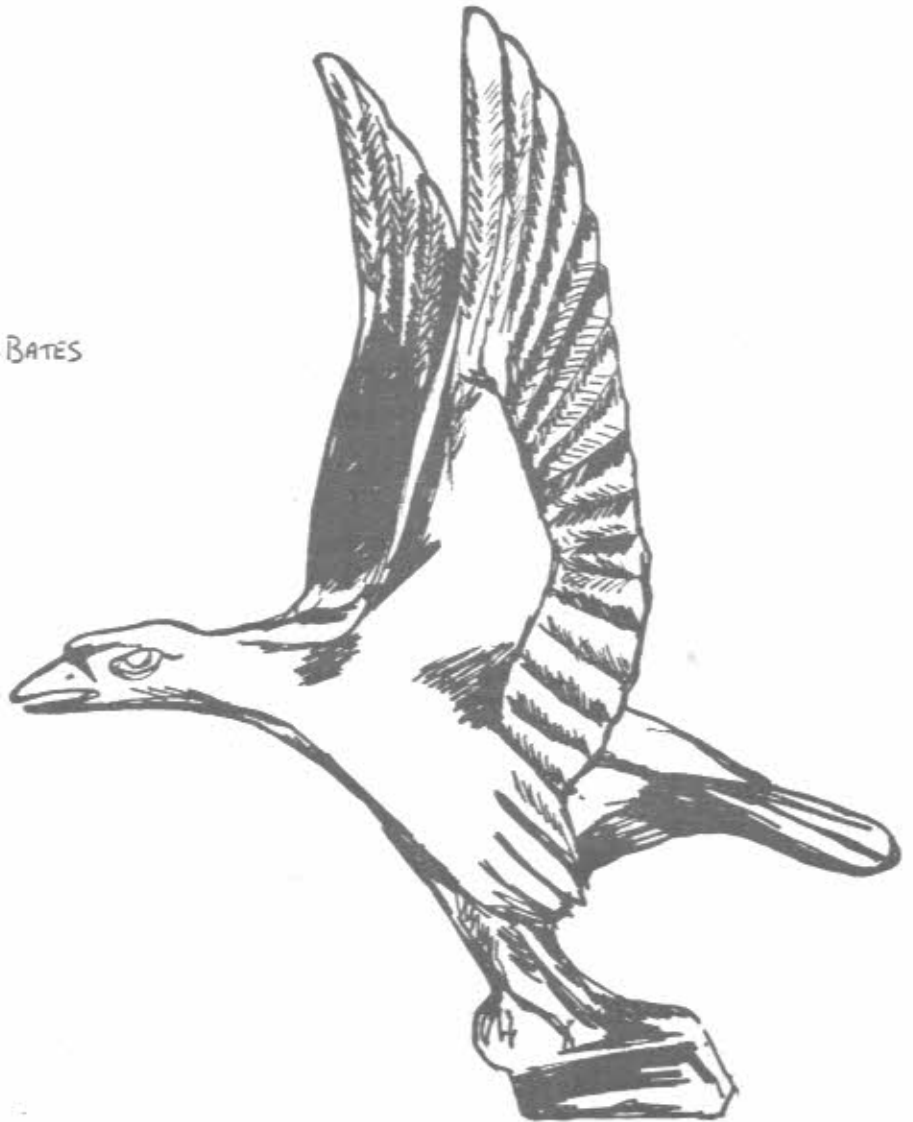


VICTORIA
(INC.)

NEWSLETTER



J. LEMAN-BATES



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	MAUREEN ADNAM, 15 Wonga Road, Ringwood, Vic. 3134	

1987 CALENDAR OF EVENTS

JANUARY	16	Informal Meeting
	25	<u>Rally to Campbelltown Steam Railway</u>
FEBRUARY	2	Cavalcade of Transport Rally
	20	Annual General Meeting
MARCH	15	Kalorama
	20	General Meeting
	28	<u>Interstate Rally</u> B/B
APRIL	24	General Meeting (GNO)
MAY	15	General Meeting
	17	<u>Day Rally</u> A. Cannon - Organiser B/B
JUNE	19	General Meeting
JULY	17	General Meeting
	24	Film Night (Fletcher)
AUGUST	21	General Meeting and Auction
SEPTEMBER	18	General Meeting
	18/19/20	<u>Weekend Away - Warburton Waters</u> B/B
OCTOBER	4	Economy Run - R. Creed - Bas. Bowes
	16	General Meeting and Election of Office Bearers
NOVEMBER	20	General Meeting
	29	Christmas Party at D. Wischer's, Merricks North

NOTE 1 : Two or three events to come ex A/S Car Club.

NOTE 2 : Committee meetings at 8.00 pm on first Monday of month.

SUPPER ROSTER FOR 1987

January : John Twomey	February : Horrie Morgan	March : Richard Creed
April : David Caldwell	May : John Stewart	June : Ron Wilson
July : Austin Tope	August : David Wischer	September : Bob Graham
October : Roy Henderson	November : Geoff Hood	

PLEASE NOTE : Should you not be able to arrange supper on your rostered night would you please contact the Club Captain, Ron Wilson on 874 2450.

EDITORIAL

Well, well, well ... the time has arrived to put up or shut up !!!

Nominations forms are included in this newsletter and there are plenty of very tired Committee members - HELP !!

We now head to a very busy time for all, with many events and the start of the Silly Season!

I must welcome Bob Graham to the "BIG 6" Club - Bob is now the proud owner of a Speed model - congratulations.

RICHARD

COMING EVENTS

WARBURTON WATERS WEEKEND

September 18 - 19 - 20

Details available from Ron Wilson on 874 2450.

OCTOBER 4th : ECONOMY RUN

IN CONJUNCTION WITH ROVER CAR CLUB

START : 9.30 am at Mobil Service Station, Bundoora
Plenty Road (end of the new tram line)

FINISH : Whittlesea

MAP : Melways

FURTHER DETAILS : Richard Creed on 716 2193.

ELECTION NIGHT : Friday, 16th October

ANNUAL DINNER : Saturday, 17th October

DATE : Saturday, 17th October
VENUE : Clayton RSL Anzac Room, Carinish Road, Clayton (Melways map 79 D3)
Room entrance off the carpark
TIME : 6.30 pm for 7.30 pm dinner
COST : \$24.50 per head (cost includes 4-course meal, dinner rolls,
after dinner mints, coffee)
Barman till 11.00 pm

A good attendance will ensure the room to ourselves.

RSVP : John Stewart, 17 Fromer Street, Moorabbin
10th October
Phone : 63 1663/63 3645 (work); 557 3936 (home)

NOTE : I would like to thank Roy Henderson for his assistance in organising the venue. All confirmations of attendances by telephone must be paid for by the Club, so if you cannot make it, make sure you cancel by the RSVP date.

JOHN STEWART

(PS : Map of venue is on page 5)

TWELVE 12/70's -- MORE OR LESS

Australian 12/70 Alvises number approximately a dozen according to our local records. This compares with a total of 714 cars, as listed by the Alvis Owner Club in England in their list issued in June 1986, out of an estimated total production of 741 cars of this model.

With David Wischer's 12/70 Special being advertised for sale in the August, 1987 issue of the Victorian Club's Newsletter, I felt it may be pertinent to list now the 12/70's known to have existed in the Antipodes.

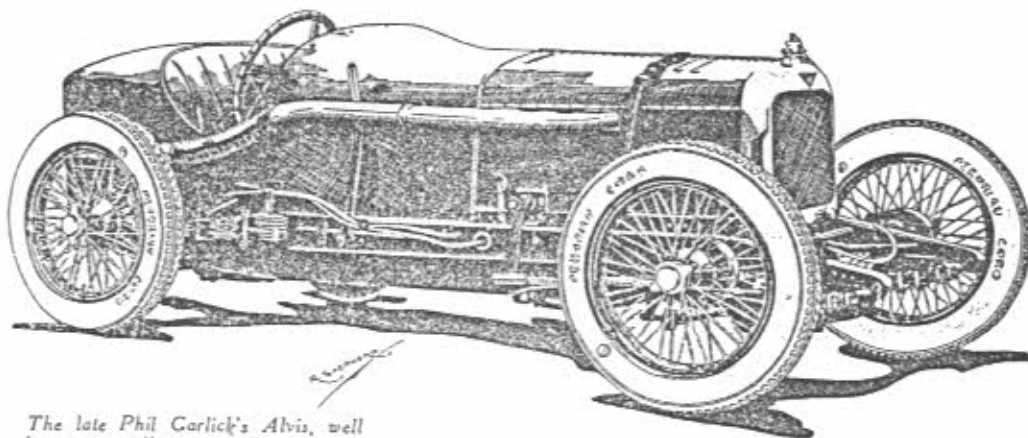
<u>CHASSIS NO.</u>	<u>BODY TYPE</u>	<u>LAST KNOWN OWNER</u>
15170	saloon	J. Berry, Mangerton, NSW
15208	saloon	Unknown
15221	saloon (now a DHC)	Bill Chapple, Miranda, NSW
15238	saloon (now a sports spl.)	David Wischer, Malvern, Victoria
15289	Fixed head coupe	Graham Bliim, Sydney, NSW
15305	drophead coupe	Zell Cunningham, Campbelltown, NSW
15324	saloon	Ray Minter, Tamworth, NSW
15431	drophead coupe	C. S. White, Sydney, NSW
15539	saloon	Ewart Grierson, New Zealand
15793	saloon	late N. Adams, Sydney, NSW
15835	drophead coupe	Doug Gallpen, Lismore, NSW
?	saloon	P. W. Harvey, Sydney, NSW

Other 12/70's (which may, in fact, be included already in the above list) but which have not been identified, are:

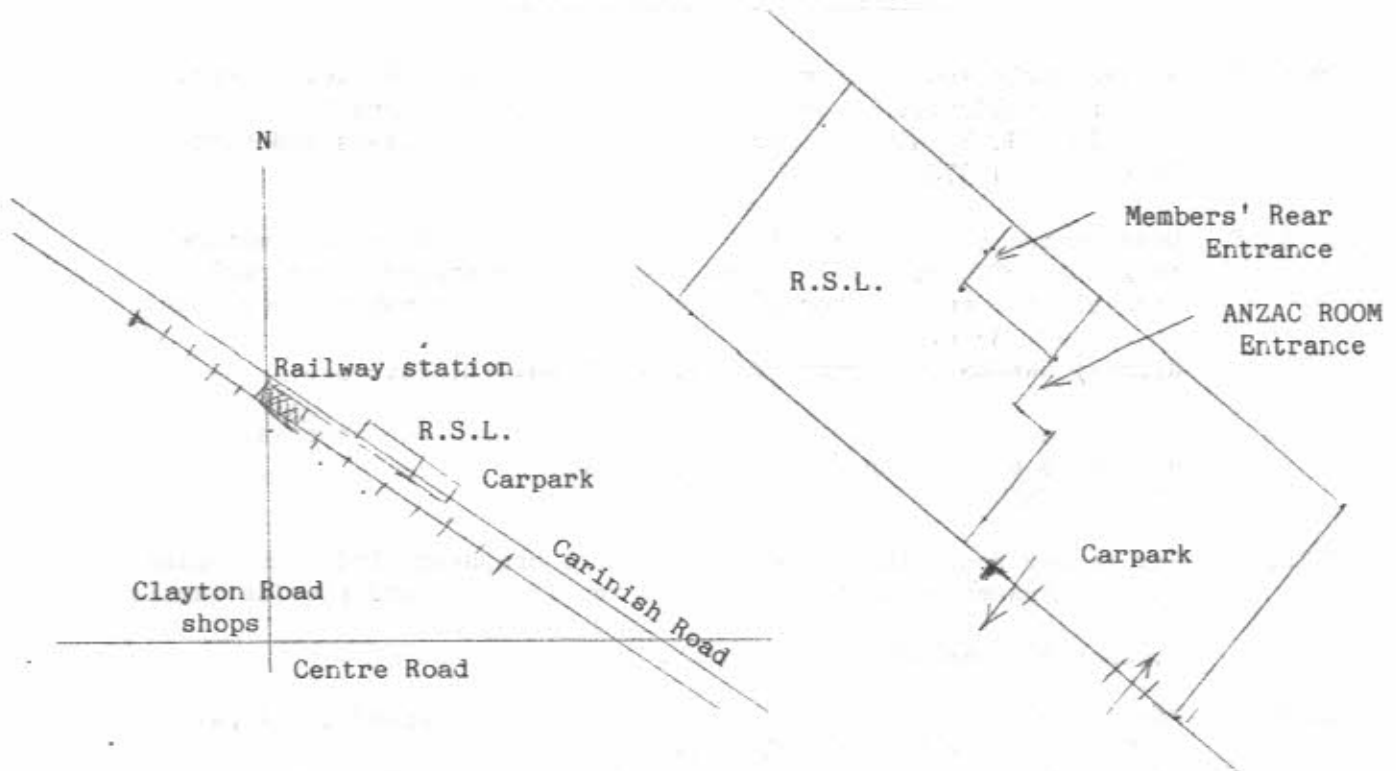
one in Western Australia, which was dismantled ca. 1960;
 a drophead coupe owned by an Ian Carlisle of Bundeena, NSW;
 a saloon owned by the late Keith Scanlan of Eastwood, NSW;
 a saloon owned by a Roy Watts in Victoria;
 a saloon owned by a Stewart Berry of Gynea Bay, NSW;
 and a 12/70 thought to have existed in Tasmania.

If anyone can add (or correct) anything to the above data, I would appreciate hearing from them if they contacted :

Eric Cunningham,
 8 Mereil Street,
 Campbelltown, NSW, 2560
 Phone : (046) 251 381.



The late Phil Carlick's Alvis, well known to followers of the sport, at Maroubra Speedway.



FWD'S TO THE FORE !!

With restoration completed and registration for the road also recently accomplished, Rob Gunnell's supercharged front-wheel-drive Alvis 2-seater is in the news, as is the announcement that John Kay's unsupercharged 4-seater FWD is to be sold by auction in Adelaide. So it seems appropriate to take stock of what FWD Alvises are known to exist in Australia.

<u>CHASSIS NO.</u>	<u>ENG. NO.</u>	<u>BODY TYPE</u>	<u>LAST KNOWN OWNER</u>
6992	7602 (s/c)	2-seater	Rob Gunnell, Sydney, NSW
7035	7598 (s/c)	saloon	Horrie Morgan, Victoria
7120	7612 (s/c)	2-seater	Bruce Jorss, Cronulla, NSW
?	7618 (uns.)	4-seater	John Kay, Unley, SA
7190	7653 (?)	unknown	Unknown
7192	7654 (?)	?	Max Kennedy - now dismantled?
7210	7658 (?)	?	Paul Bamford, Victoria
7231	7660 (?)	?	Unknown
7257	7672 (?)	?	Evan Muir C/- John Ham, Victoria
7278	7679 (?)	?	Max Kennedy, Victoria or Queensland
?	7697? (?)	?	Max Houston, NSW
7329	7703 (?)	?	Eric Dunbar, NSW. Original chasis replaced with a replica
7333	7705 (?)	?	Max Houston, Central Mangrove, NSW
R 8 5	? (?)	?	G.N.S. Davies, U.S.A.

Other FWD's (which may be already included in the above list) and are as yet unidentified are :

- G. Cooke's, of Yallourn Police Station, Victoria;
- a long chassis tourer owned by David Wischer in 1969;
- a long chassis tourer registered in S.A. as RUV-272 in 1984;
- one owned by a Charles Hunt of Cheltenham, Victoria, ca 1950 and possibly registered as EF-739, and thought to have been sold to someone in Sydney;
- a navy blue, fabric covered 2 or 4 seater owned by Mrs. Evelyn Jolly in South Australia some time before 1962.

If anyone can add or correct anything in the above data, please contact Eric Cunningham, 8 Mereil Street, Campbelltown, NSW, 2560 or phone (046) 251 381.

CARS AND PARTS FOR SALE/WANTED

- FOR SALE Silver Eagle spare parts catalogue - TB, SD and SE, 16.95 cars. Factory publication - does not contain illustrations \$45.00
BILL BROOKS, 34 Almeida Street, Indooroopilly, Queensland 4068
Phone : (07) 378 2097.
- FOR SALE Does anyone else require the cast iron caps used to manufacture original mufflers for 14.75 hp cars, or the engine undertray? Possibly the same as for 16.95 cars. I intend making some soon, so contact ASAP.
RICHARD UNKLES, 6 Nevada Street, North Balwyn, Vic. 3104
- WANTED 1 pair Hartford shock absorbers 2x3 arm 9" between centres. Any parts at all for Hobson Tele-Gauge.
RICHARD UNKLES.
- WANTED Any member requiring cables for 3 litre drophead window mechanism contact Spares Registrar with your requirements and provide sample if possible so that manufacture can be arranged.
Contact BOB GRAHAM / JOHN TWOMEY.
- WANTED For 12/40 - 12/50 : horn button, 80 mph Smiths speedo, one pair of CAV side lights (tear drop type)
FRANK CORBETT, P.O. Box 218, Kenmore, Brisbane Qld. 4069
Phone : (07) 378 7280
- FOR SALE The Club now has in stock the last four available brand new Speedo Cables (inner and outer) to suit 3 litre (TA 21 to TC 21 series) and TA 14. \$25 each.
- FOR SALE THE STORY OF THE RED TRIANGLE by Ken Day. This book is the definitive history of Alvis Ltd. \$35 each.
Contact any Committee Member - available through Club. Limited numbers are left.
- FOR SALE 1936 Panther motor cycle 350 OHV "Sloper Motor"
Complete and original, spare engine \$1,300.
RON WILSON 874 2450.
- FOR SALE Differential complete 5.2 - 1 crown wheel and pinion. Part no. 10851 and N 6221 - only 300 miles from brand new. This is a Firefly or Speed 20 CW&P with all new bearings fitted into 12/50 housing to suit 12/50 half shafts. Turns a 12/50 into a traffic lights winner - or alter the diff gears to suit a Speed 20
Realistic offers wanted. RON WILSON (03) 874 2450.
- WANTED 1 pair of headlamps to suit 1924 12/50. Complete, or parts for same
VIC ELLIOT, 25 Stirling St, Tasmore, 5065 SA (08) 310833.
- WANTED To suit Alvis 12/50 front wheel brake axle, drums, cables, cross shaft, etc. to allow conversion from 2 to 4 wheel brakes.
ALLAN AYLWARD, PO Box 410, Wyong, NSW 2259 (043) 53 1588 or after hours (043) 32 5705.

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SPECIAL OFFER !!!

For prints of your car or Alvis Badge on windcheaters, etc. contact :

WENDY FRANZKE, 13 Rothan Avenue, Boronia
Phone : (03) 729 3267

You could have your car, etc. on your shirt!! Ring Wendy for details, and mention Maureen Adnam's name.

ALVIS CAR CLUB
 NOMINATION FORM 1987 COMMITTEE

	NOMINATION	MOVED	SECONDED	SIGNED
PRESIDENT				
VICE PRESIDENT				
SECRETARY				
TREASURER				
CLUB CAPTAIN				
SPARES REG & PVT SPARES				
VINTAGE SPARES				
TA 14 AND 3 LT SPARES				
EDITOR				
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To be forwarded to the Secretary by 1st October, 1987.

