

American Motors' New 1975 Pacer



American Motors Shows New Design

DETROIT—In a sharp break with traditional car design, American Motors today introduced the Pacer, a wide small car unique in concept and designed to appeal to a broad range of car buyers.

Roy D. Chapin, Jr., AMC board chairman, told a North American news preview here that the Pacer development began four years ago with studies on personal mobility that could be anticipated in the late 1970's and early 1980's. The objective was "to meld together the specific ingredients of a car that would be in harmony with the environment of the coming decade," Chapin said.

"Several attempts were made to design such a car, and then one emerged that seemed to fit the objective," he said. "Subsequently, it was taken before panels of car buyers of widely varying purchase preferences—small car buyers, medium sized buyers, big car buyers—and they were asked for their opinions. They responded and we reacted to their suggestions."

Chapin said the Pacer is unlike anything American Motors has introduced in the

past, and in many respects, it departs from anything ever offered by other automobile manufacturers.

"In a true sense, it is not revolutionary, but its total effect is one of marked difference," he said. "The exterior is not traditional in its configuration, and its interior has the people space of much larger cars."

The two-door Pacer, with a 100-inch wheelbase, is offered in three versions—a standard model, a sporty "X" and a luxury D-L model. It has an overall length of 171.5 inches, making it easier to park and maneuver.

Powered by an economical, low-profile six-cylinder engine, the Pacer can be fitted with an optional overdrive for even greater fuel economy. The standard powerplant is a 232 cubic inch six, with a 258 cubic inch six available as an option.

A 22-gallon fuel tank gives the Pacer a range of more than 500 miles under highway driving conditions. In addition, its aerodynamic shape results in a 12 per cent decrease in air resistance, thus providing better fuel economy at highway speeds.

Friends Of The Library Review Mary Todd Lincoln Controversial Figure

By Mrs. J.J. Stevenson

The President's Wife, Mary Todd Lincoln, by Ishbel Ross. G.P. Putnam's Sons.

One of the most controversial women in American history was Mary Todd Lincoln. In this readable and scholarly biography Ishbel Ross attempts to separate falsehood from truth and to present an authentic picture of this unusual woman who was so tragically misunderstood. In telling the story of Mary Todd Lincoln, she draws a vivid picture of life in the South in the 1800's.

Mary Todd was born in Kentucky into a family of wealth, culture, and prominence and grew up in an atmosphere of political ferment, where she had her first contact with anti-slavery feeling. She was an intelligent and well-educated young woman, who took a strong interest in politics.

She was a great admirer of Henry Clay, who helped mold her political instincts. Her upbringing was in great contrast to that of the young country lawyer with whom she fell in love. The book tells of her life as a Southern belle and her courtship by Stephen A. Douglas as well as Abe Lincoln.

It tells of the days of hardship and poverty as the wife of young Lincoln. She was an able woman in her own right, and she helped him in his studies as well as in his political development. Hers was a driving ambition and she played no small part in Lincoln's political activities.

She came to Washington as the President's wife at a difficult time. Being from a slave-holding state, she was accused by Northerners of being a spy or a sympathizer with the slave holders, though nothing was farther from the truth.

Southerners considered her either a turncoat or a traitor. With her charm, intelligence and political acumen she

would at a different time have been a great success as the President's wife, but instead of the praise that she expected, she received nothing but criticism from the press and the political enemies of the Lincolns.

As First Lady she became embroiled in politics, attempting to exert her influence despite the hostility toward her. She made over the White House, and though her role of hostess was extraordinary, her extravagance was legendary.

Always unstable, given to outbursts of temper and unreasonable extravagance, the assassination of her husband and the deaths of three of her sons, Eddie, Willie and Tad, left her emotionally shattered.

The book deals sympathetically with the years that followed these tragedies when as a lonely and broken woman she wandered about Europe and became more and more withdrawn.

This is the story of an able and ambitious woman, greatly misunderstood and slandered. Written with sympathy and understanding, it should help to establish Mary Todd Lincoln's true place in history.

N. C. State Coach Heading Campaign

RALEIGH—N. C. State University football coach Louis L. Holtz, Raleigh, has been named 1975 American Cancer Society Crusade Chairman by Mrs. Robert W. Scott, president of the North Carolina Division.

In naming Mr. Holtz, Mrs. Scott said, "He is a tremendous coach, an able administrator, and an expert in the team management philosophy so needed in the fight to conquer cancer in our lifetime."

Mrs. B. Everett Jordan, Saxapahaw, was named by Mrs. Scott as honorary crusade chairman.

J. T. Reynolds Dies At 86; Rites Tuesday

July T. Reynolds, 86, of Brevard, died in a Brevard hospital Saturday following an extended illness.

Mr. Reynolds was a member of First Baptist Church.

Surviving are three daughters, Mrs. Josie Smith, Mrs. Tommie Gravelly and Mrs. Dissie Gilliam of Brevard; three sons, Mitchell Reynolds of Sarasota, Fla., Columbus and Brisco Reynolds of Brevard; 18 grandchildren and 35 great-grandchildren.

Services will be held at 2 p.m. Tuesday at Frank Moody Funeral Home. The Revs. Kermit Reece and Jake Mullins will officiate. Burial will be in Gillespie Evergreen Cemetery. Pallbearers will be Lewis Frady, Wayne Heath, Ernest and Bill Gravelly, L. E. Hensley and Kenneth Landreth.

The family will receive friends from 7 to 9 p.m. Monday at the funeral home.

Chamber Convenes Tuesday

The regular monthly meeting of the Brevard Chamber of Commerce will be held Tuesday night, January 14, in the council room of the Brevard Municipal Building.

It will be vote tabulation time to elect a new Chamber of Commerce 40-member board of directors, and all chamber members are urged to have their ballots in the Chamber office before Tuesday night's meeting.

After the ballots are counted and the new board is elected, the meeting will be recessed until Tuesday night, January 21, at which time the new slate of officers for 1975 will be elected from the new board members.

Chamber President Charlie Russell states that there are several important items of business on Tuesday night's agenda, and he urges all Chamber directors and members to attend.

The meeting will start promptly at 7:30 p.m.

Sister Of Brevard Woman Dies

WAYNESVILLE — Services for Mrs. Martha Russell Forga, 79, of 169 Big Cove Circle, who died Saturday, will be held at 2 p.m. Tuesday at Garrett Funeral Home.

The Rev. George Plemmons will officiate. Burial will be in Buchanan Cemetery.

A lifelong resident of Haywood County, she was a daughter of the late William and Florence Gibson Russell and widow of Ellis Forga. She was a member of Grandview Baptist Church.

Surviving are three daughters, three sons, three brothers, and three sisters, including Mrs. Addie Garren of Brevard.

WOW Meet On Tuesday

Balsam Grove Camp No. 116, Woodmen of the World, will meet on Tuesday, Jan. 14, at 7 p.m. in the Masonic Hall.

New officers for 1975 will be installed at this meeting. All members are urged to attend, according to Alfred L. Galloway, secretary.

Hutchinson Rites 1 P. M. On Tuesday

Miss Alice Verneto Hutchinson of 17 Mills Ave., died Friday in an Asheville hospital after a period of declining health.

She was a lifelong resident of Transylvania County and the daughter of the late Mrs. Carrine Hutchinson.

Surviving are a niece, Mrs. Jessie Smith of Asheville; and several cousins.

Services will be held at 1 p.m. Tuesday at Bethel 'A' Baptist Church. The Revs. F. H. Goldsmith and C. E. Rustin will officiate. Burial will be in Coopers Cemetery. Pallbearers will be Cleo Mackey, Arthur Madison, Edward Killian Sr., Joe Norman, Rivers Jeter and William Young.

The body will remain at Pilgrim's Funeral Home, Hendersonville, until placed in the church one hour before services.

The family will be at the home of a cousin, Mrs. Maxine Penson, Apt. 2, Balsam Crest Manor.

F. W. Sudrow Dies At 84; Services Held

Frederick William Sudrow, 84, of 125 1/2 Rice St., died in a Brevard hospital Thursday after a long illness.

A native of Bridgeport, Conn., he had lived in Orlando, Fla., before moving to Brevard several years ago. He was a retired U. S. Postal employee.

Surviving are the widow, Mrs. Margaret Evans Sudrow; and a sister, Miss Margaret Sudrow of Stratford, Conn.

Services were held Monday in Bridgeport and burial was in St. Michaels Cemetery in Stratford.

Moore Funeral Home of Brevard was in charge of local arrangements.

I. R. S. Refund Checks Waiting

Greensboro—Undelivered income tax refund checks totalling nearly \$276,000 await claim by 1,866 North Carolina taxpayers, Robert A. LeBaube, district director of Internal Revenue Service for North Carolina, said today.

This represents an average of almost \$148 for each claimant, Mr. LeBaube said.

Any taxpayer who has not yet received his refund from previous years should call or visit his local IRS office for information regarding claim

A. Jangda New Olin Researcher

Amanullah Jangda has been employed by the film division of Olin Corporation as a research engineer in the Research and Development Department, according to Dr. W.S. Kaghhan, Director.

Before joining Olin, Jangda was with the Arnak Chemical Co., subsidiary of Akzona, Inc., in Chicago.

A native of Karachi, Pakistan, where he completed high school, he received his B.S. degree in Chemical Engineering at Southampton College of Technology at Southampton, England.

He is a graduate member of the Institution of Chemical Engineers, London, and the American Institute of Chemical Engineers.

He and Mrs. Jangda, the former Zaiunnissa Khanani of Karachi, Pakistan, have one child and have established residence at the Sapphire Manor Apartments in Brevard.

Fertilizers In Demand
It's estimated that four times the amount of fertilizer now being used would be required to double food production in the world's developed countries.

A. JANGDA

VFW Post Supper On Saturday

VFW Post, No. 4309, and the Ladies Auxiliary will hold the monthly covered dish supper and bingo party Saturday night, at 7:15 p.m.

All members and their out-of-town guests are urged to bring a covered dish of their choice and plan to attend.

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