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P R E F A C E

At the present writing, consistent with its popularity, the Ford automobile is made the subject of many good-natured anecdotes. It must be a mighty good car to carry all the wheezes that are crowded onto it. Why the Ford is chosen for all automobile jests, I do not know, unless it is because nobody enjoys a "Ford story" more than a Ford owner, and there are more Ford automobiles than any other kind. Nobody takes these stories seriously, for we all know the Ford stands up with the best of them and we buy one when we want the most for our money.

Put the reverse on the stories to follow and in ordering your Ford mention *Funabout Fords*; maybe Mr. Ford will forgive me.

J. J. W.

FUNABOUT FORDS

Right at the start we want to say that we consider the Ford a good car—a rattling good car.

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A Ford will go anywhere except in society.

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Our idea of the height of luxury is a colored chauffeur in uniform driving a Ford limousine.

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“What shock absorbers do you use on your Ford?”

“The passengers.”

FUN ABOUT FORDS

It was a pleasant day, and on a good road the little Ford bowled merrily along. Suddenly it gave a wheezy cough and stopped dead. Investigation showed that the engine had dropped out a dozen miles back. The little Ford had run twelve miles on its reputation.

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A Ford owner says he doesn't need a speedometer. He has a cuckoo clock arrangement on his machine. When the machine is running twelve miles an hour the cuckoo pops out and sings "This is the life!"

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Speaking of great men and what they have done for our country, have you ever considered what Henry Ford has done for us? He has made walking popular.