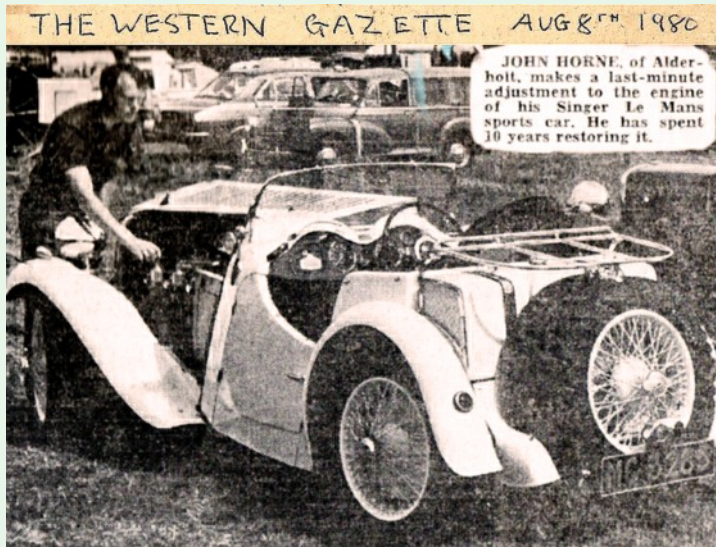


President's Patois - from John Horne

This picture of my 1.5 Ltr LM, MG 3285 turned up again recently, when Jim Keniston found it in an old scrapbook. It came from the Western Gazette dated 8 August 1980, and if I remember correctly it was taken at the Alderholt Steam Rally.

The car featured in a few newspapers in the time I showed it, attracting quite a bit of notice. At the time I was trying to get Singer owners along to events like this, as the public, who were quite often present in large numbers, had never seen a Singer like this



before. As to the number of shows I did in the few years I had it, I could not say exactly, but it must have passed the hundred mark. One time I managed to get three shows in one Bank Holiday weekend! Mine was quite often the only Singer at events like this, but I am pleased to say this is not the case today, with our Club members all doing their bit. So do show your Singer and help keep the Singer name alive.

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As those lucky enough to live close enough to the Swan at Lyndhurst to be able to get to the New Forest Noggins and Natters on the 3rd Wednesday of each month will know, the pub has recently been rebuilt after a disastrous fire, so we have been able to return to this our favourite haunt, which is now run by a very capable mother and daughter team.

We were therefore very pleased when the daughter, Fiona, unveiled a picture from a Singer Le Mans brochure we had presented to them, together with a plaque saying that we meet there each month. And thanks to Rory Angus for remembering to bring his camera and take the picture.

