

# The Hercules Engine News

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In the antique gas engine hobby there are many who collect, restore, trade

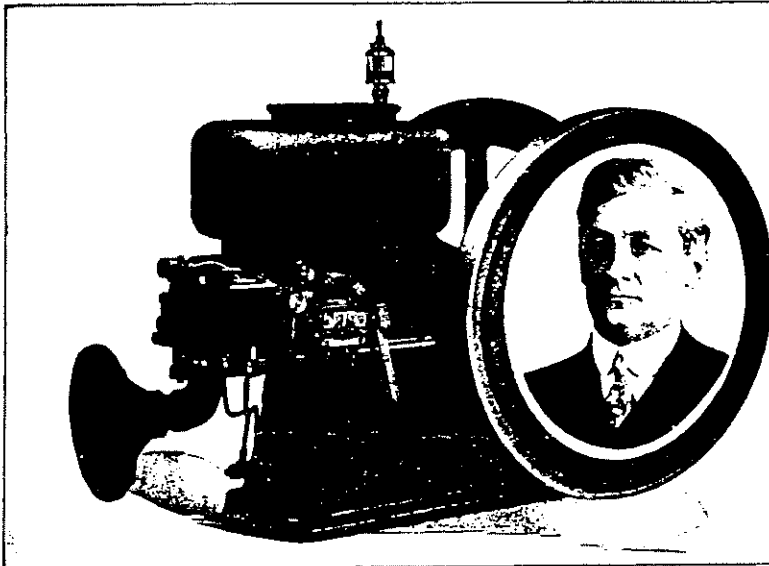
and show their engines. To a lesser extent, there are those who also collect literature and memorabilia. Here are some examples of what some collectors have found.

The first item is a copy of a blotter used as a giveaway by a dealer in Waterloo, Iowa. Some of you younger folks may have to ask what a blotter is.

The second item is a section from a

roll of packaging tape. The Hercules Corporation was the name used from 1922 until 1927.

The third item is from a deck of playing cards showing the design on the card, the design of the Joker, and Bridge table of points. The deck of cards was an early advertising item, most likely from 1914. ○



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#### BRIDGE—Table of Points.

WHEN TRUMPS ARE NO TRUMPS.

Each trick above six counts	1	1	1
Three Aces in two partners' hands count	1	1	1
Four Aces in two partners' hands count	1	1	1
Four Aces in one hand count	1	1	1

WHEN TRUMPS ARE

Each trick above six counts	1	1	1
Three, or Simple Honors in two partners' hands count	1	1	1
Four Honors in two partners' hands count	1	1	1
Five Honors in two partners' hands count	1	1	1
Four Honors in one hand count	1	1	1
Five Honors (one in partner's hand) count	1	1	1
Five Honors in one hand count	1	1	1
CHICKEN—No trumps in one hand reduces adversaries' Honors	1	1	1
CRICKET—No trumps in one hand increases partner's Honors	1	1	1
DOUBLE CHICKEN—No trumps in two partners' hands reduces adversaries' Honors	1	1	1
Winning the Rubber adds to the Honor score	1	1	1
Grand Slam in any make, counts to Honor score	1	1	1
Little Slam in any make, counts to Honor score	1	1	1

