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Making History It was all black tie for 500 guests at the opening of the America's Cup Hall of Fame at the Herreshoff Marine Museum in Bristol, R.I. Charter members present were Bill Koch, below left, with Halsey Herreshoff, as well as Rod Stephens and Ted Hood.



Advice You Hoped You'd Never Need Crown Publishers Inc. has reported unprecedented opportunities for boat buyers. Tips: 1) Attend weekday auctions. 2) Get on the private mailing lists of bankruptcy auctioneers. 3) Always attend the inspection (or preview) period, and do comparison shopping.

Meanwhile, into the future An increase in sales in small watercraft has led the Nation-



al Marine Manufacturers Association to predict an end to the slump in boating... And Smart Money magazine's article "The Five Best Investments for 1993" picked Outboard Marine Corp. as a first choice in the leisure market.

Passages Peter Stanford, president of the National Maritime Historical Society, has joined Americas' Sail Board of Directors; Americas' Sail is a race of Tall Ships to be held in June 1994... S. "Ham" Hamberger, president and CEO of Tracker Marine, L.P., Springfield, Mo., was elected chairman of the 1,600 member National

Mayea Boat Co. of Fair Haven, Mich., provided its latest outrage to wood boat purists with Sea Fox Run, above. She completed her first season alternating between being a family cruiser and serving as a centerpiece at Great Lakes classic boat shows. Sea Fox Run is a 44' hand-built mahogany sport cruiser with a tumblehome stern reminiscent of the Twenties and a forward-thinking deep-V bottom design. Powered by twin 680-hp Italian-built V-12 B.P.M. gasoline engines, she cruises easily at 25 knots and reaches a top speed of 40. — Bob Pearson

Marine Manufacturers Association... Jerome and Sally Poncet, long-time cruisers in the Antarctic aboard their 50' steel schooner *Damien II*, were awarded The Cruising Club of America's 1992 Blue Water Medal.

News on Boats At this Year's Miami Boat Show Hatteras Yachts introduced three new models in its fleet of 40' to 125' yachts: the 42 and 48 Cockpit Motor Yachts, and the 52 Motor Yacht... At the Paris Boat Show the Bénéteau First 210 was named "Boat of the Year 1993" by a panel of journalists from 11 European magazines.



75 Years ago YACHTING is 25 cents. A spring article on overhauling recommends a caulking wheel and cotton candle-wicking for boats under 35'. Also, YACHTING provides plans for C.H. Dodd of Boston's 33' bug-eye-rigged auxiliary.



50 Years ago YACHTING writes: "When gasoline rationing does not interfere and the waters are not restricted for military purposes, boating should be carried out as usual." A. E. Luders Jr. designs a new 36' racing cutter with a sweet underbody.