

REGISTRATION PROVES POPULARITY OF AUTO

2196 Motor Vehicles Booked in State During July.

TRAFFIC IN USED CARS BIG

Transfers Number 1741 Compared to 1150 in July, 1918—Fees Aggregate \$19,411.

SALEM, Or., Aug. 2.—(Special.)—Popularity of the automobile with Oregonians is illustrated in the increase of registrations with the secretary of state from year to year. Registrations during the month of July included 2196 new cars and 345 machines registered in previous years but not licensed for the current year. This makes a total of 2196 motor vehicles registered in the state during July, 1919, as against 1709 cars in July, 1918. A statement of the transactions of the motor vehicle department of the secretary of state's office for July, 1919, follows:

1741 Vehicles Transferred.
Motor vehicles, 2196; motorcycles, 150; dealers in motor vehicles, 28; chauffeurs, 216; transfers of motor vehicles and motorcycles, 1741; duplicate license plates, 184, and additional dealer license plates, 24 sets.
From these various transactions fees for the month aggregated \$19,411. During the month of July, 1918, on the basis of the same rates, the total fees collected aggregated \$14,547. There has been received as license fees and other fees in connection with the registering and transfer of motor vehicles and chauffeurs so far during the year 1919, a total of \$662,251. During the same period in the year 1918, the total fees aggregated \$429,480, so that for the year 1919 the fees show an increase over 1918 of more than \$232,000.
Based upon the registrations from this time on to the end of the year during previous years there is not unlikely that the registrations of motor vehicles for the year 1919 will be 80,000, or substantially 17,000 more cars than during the year 1918, when the total numbered 63,325.

Traffic in Used Cars Large.
A feature in connection with the registration of motor vehicles is the large number of transfers, which undoubtedly tends to indicate the traffic in used cars. During the month of July, 1919, there were transferred 1741 motor cars and motorcycles. During the month of July, 1918, the number of such transfers was 1150, showing that the traffic in used cars keeps pace with the sale of new cars.
From and after August 1 of each year the license fees for motor vehicles, motorcycle and chauffeur registrations are one-half of the regular fee. During the months of August and September a considerable number of registrations are made and licenses issued by reason of the new models of the various cars being placed on the market.

A statement of registration for July, 1919, follows:

	No. New	Fees
Motor vehicle registrations	2196	\$18,126
Motorcycle registrations	150	101
Dealer registrations	28	112
Chauffeur registrations	216	164
Transfers	1741	432
Motor vehicles	63	1,676
Duplicate plates	184	63
Motor vehicle license plates	156	156
Motorcycle license plates	15	15
Dealer license plates	2	2
Chauffeur license plates	7	7
Additional dealer license plates	24	60
Total fees		\$19,411

	1919.	1918.
Motor vehicle registrations (July)	2196	1709
Motorcycle registrations	130	113
Dealer registrations	18	2
Chauffeur registrations	216	229
Fees received	\$19,411	\$14,547
January 1 to July 31		
Motor vehicle registrations	75,944	58,778
Motorcycle registrations	3,250	3,218
Dealer registrations	354	443
Chauffeur registrations	2,905	2,986
Fees received	\$562,251	\$429,480
January 1 to December 31		
Motor vehicle registrations	63,325	48,622
Motorcycle registrations	3,911	3,400
Dealer registrations	421	379
Chauffeur registrations	2,131	2,477
Fees received	\$481,422	\$346,787

PRIEST DIES SAYING MASS

FATHER WOLFGANG STRICKEN IN MONTESANO CHURCH.

Death Comes While He Administers Holy Communion; Prelate Founder of St. Martin's College.

ABERDEEN, Wash., Aug. 2.—(Special.)—While celebrating mass in the Catholic church in Montesano yesterday morning and being in the act of giving the holy communion, Father Wolfgang was taken ill and dropped to the altar floor, dying in a few moments.
It is supposed his death was caused by heart failure, although co-workers in St. Martin's college, of which he was prior, state he had never complained of any affection of the heart.
Father Wolfgang came from St. John's, Minn., 30 years ago and founded St. Martin's college at Traces, an institution for boys. The funeral will take place at the college and it is understood his body will be interred in the college cemetery.
Father Wolfgang was about 58 years old. He was filling the pastorate of the church at Montesano and at Elma during the absence of Father Madgan in Europe.
Father Wolfgang was well known to members of St. Mary's church of the city. He has celebrated mass in past years when Father Quinn was absent from the city and a warm friendship existed between the two.

His Hearing Restored.

The invisible antiseptic ear drum invented by Mr. A. O. Leonard, which is in reality a miniature megaphone, fitting inside the ear and entirely out of sight, is restoring the hearing of literally hundreds of people in New York city. Mr. Leonard invented this remarkable drum to relieve himself of deafness and head noises, and it does this so successfully that no one could tell that he is a deaf man. This ear drum is effective when deafness is caused by catarrh or by perforated, partially or wholly destroyed natural drums. A request for information addressed to A. O. Leonard, Suite 113, 70 5th Ave., New York city, will be given a prompt reply.—Adv.

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Lawns of Velvet Softness Are Spangled With Ferns and Flowers

AT this wonderful home we have built above the river's verdured shore, the trees, the flowers and growing things have not been flayed by summer's flaming sword.

SERENE, as beautiful they stand in their God-given glories, as the day when springtime's quickening song brought them upward from an earth which no unwholesome secret holds.

IT is incomparably the better way—this way which surrounds those in niche and vault with things of beauty; the way, too, which gives to the living a place for undisturbed communion with their sacred dead.



Portland Crematorium
VISITING HOURS 9 A.M. TO 5 P.M.

INSPECTOR SNOW QUILTS

CRIME-HUNTER RETIRES AFTER 30 YEARS OF SERVICE.

Farm Life Appeals to Veteran Who Made Way of Crooks Hard for Many Years in Portland.

After 30 years' service on the Portland police department, Inspector Frank Snow retired August 1 on a pension and will forsake the hazards of criminal hunting for the quiet of his fruit ranch near White Salmon, Wash., where he plans to move with his family.
In 1881 Snow sailed from Liverpool, England, for Australia on a British steamship, stopping at Honolulu, China, Japan and Mexico on the trip. In the latter country he nearly lost his life from the deadly bite of a scorpion.
After wandering on sailing ships he came to Portland in 1889 and started work as a longshoreman, but this occupation did not interest him, and in the same year he became a member of the police force here. He wore the uniform of a patrolman for five years, his beat being the north end district of the city. At that time the town was wide open and crime was rampant in this section. Snow covered the ground now patrolled



Frank Snow, who leaves police department after 30 years' service.

by a dozen bluecoats, and was further handicapped by the lack of a patrol wagon.
In 1894, in recognition of his services as a patrolman, Snow was promoted to the inspector's bureau, where he has been ever since, with the exception of a few years when he was employed as special agent by the Oregon-Washington Railroad & Navigation company.
Inspector Snow was first assigned to work with Inspector Jack Kerrigan. After running down a pretentious gang of boxer thieves for the railroad and acting for Meier & Frank as house detective, Snow returned to the department, where he was put back on his old job, working in conjunction with Inspector Thomas Coleman. Recently Snow has been working with Inspector Lackbery.
Inspector Snow's specialty has been the apprehending of safe burglars, having figured in almost every arrest of this nature in Portland. He has made a collection of "safe-crackers'" tools, which is on exhibition in the curio room at the police station.
Chief Inspector Clark paid a warm tribute to the veteran detective upon his retirement, saying that he was one of the best men the department ever had.

GERMAN LEANINGS DENIED

Service Dodging by Marriage Disclaimed by Schultz.

William C. Schultz filed an answer to the divorce complaint of Nellie Gertrude Schultz in the circuit court yesterday, denying that he was pro-German or that he married to escape induction into military service.
Other divorce suits filed yesterday were as follows: Katherine M. Brumbach against V. E. Brumbach; Sibyl Hughes against Thomas E. Hughes; Hattie A. Shotwell against William W. Shotwell; William Christensen against

NO WORD FROM CRAWFORD

Alleged Forger Reported to Have Consented to Return.

No word, either in confirmation or denial, was received by District Attorney Evans or Sheriff Harburt yesterday of the outcome of the habeas corpus proceedings instigated in Eastland, Tex., by W. H. Crawford, wanted here for a \$5000 forgery, as reported by The Oregonian yesterday on advices telegraphed to this newspaper from press sources at Eastland.
Crawford is authentically reported to have given up the habeas corpus action which he started and to have consented to return to Portland and stand trial without further trouble, saving extradition. Deputy Sheriff Rector, armed with extradition papers from Oregon, should arrive in Texas tomorrow.

White Salmon Orchards Loaded.

WHITE SALMON, Wash., Aug. 2.—(Special.)—The orchards of the White Salmon valley promise 258 carloads of apples, 25 of peaches, 5 of pears and 20 of cherries, apricots and other fruits, according to the department of horticulture of the state of Washington. Apple orchards are heavily laden and so far their fruit is in clean condition and well sized.

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Portland, Oregon

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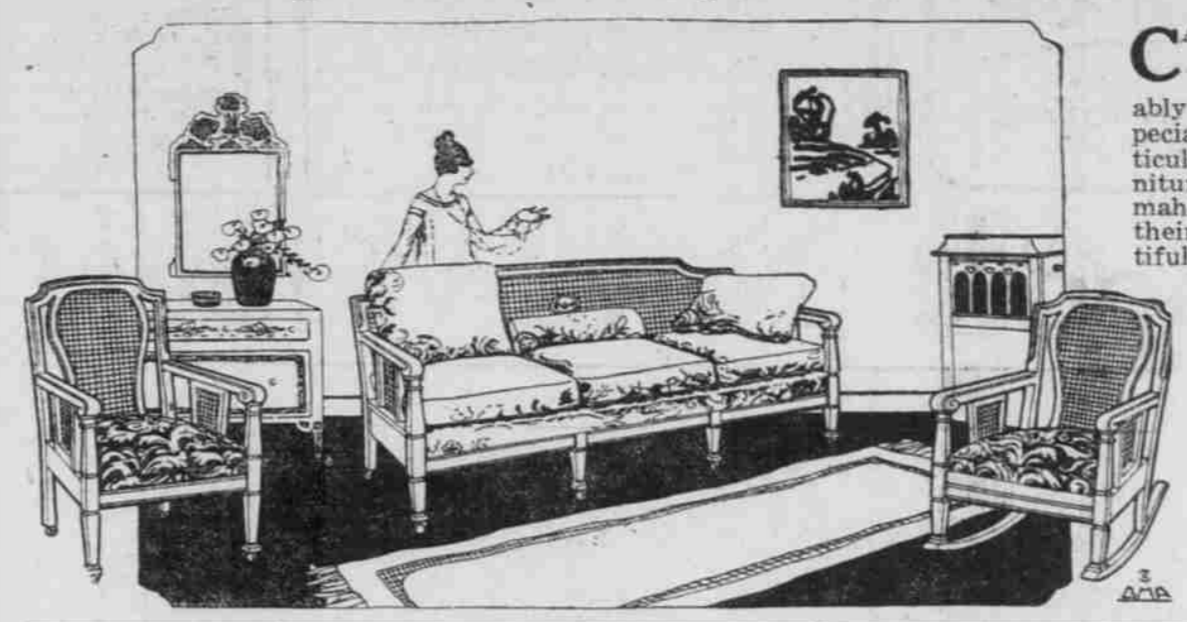
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Those Splendid New Cane Suites Are Here

A Large and Direct Shipment Has Just Arrived at Powers



CANE has increased in popularity with each year of its use, and has commended itself as most admirably adapted to the living room, especially of the modern home. It is particularly fancied by connoisseurs in furniture when used in combination with mahogany, and such pieces have found their way into some of the most beautiful homes in the country. Artistically, cane suites are "de luxe" in home furnishing. We are calling special attention to these suites, because they are as beautiful as any we have ever displayed on our floors. They consist of three pieces, a big restful davenport, with rocker and chair to match. Made of fine selected mahogany, upholstered splendidly, fitted with loose cushions and pillows, they are a delight to the eyes of the most critical. Choice of William and Mary, Queen Anne, or Adam period.

Priced Very Fairly

Choice of These \$34.75 Dining Tables—\$26.85



Extremely good value is this five-leg table built of selected quartered oak, with massive pilasters and good heavy base. A table that will give good service and at the same time always look well.

For those who prefer the round table, this is a good choice, for we can recommend it as a very well-constructed piece of furniture. It has a thick plank top, and a colonial base, and will present a very neat appearance in the modest dining room.

Use Your Credit

HOOSIER

Saves You Miles of Steps

Why is a woman ever content to walk miles in the doing of her kitchen work, when this one cabinet supplies space for over 400 articles and puts them all within arms' reach? It is such a foolish waste of time, strength and energy to do without a Hoosier cabinet when its use would revolutionize your kitchen work. Put your kitchen on an efficiency basis with this modern convenience. Buy it on almost any terms you desire.

Use Your Credit

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We hunted a long time and investigated many models before we decided on the "Laundry Queen" as the very best machine we could get, and one that we could truthfully advise housewives to purchase. It is so well made mechanically that it will last for years, and the special feature that will recommend it to a woman is that it both washes and rinses the clothes. You can clean everything from big heavy blankets and wash rugs to the lighter things of a woman's toilet. Come in and see it and you will be convinced of its merit.

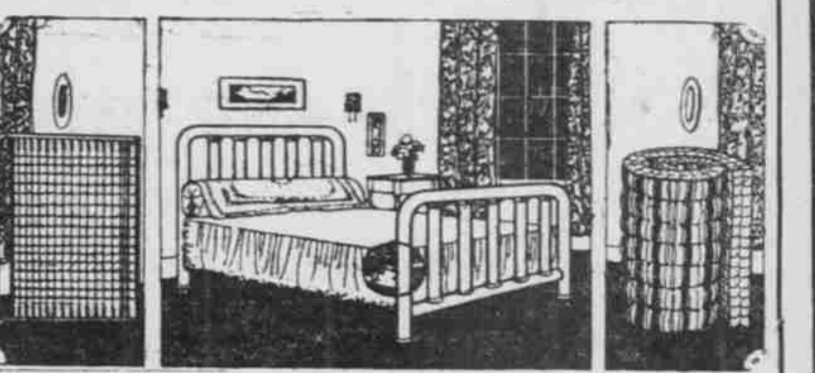
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This \$29.75 Three-Piece Living-Room or Porch Set.....\$19.95

A mighty good set in fumed oak. Three pieces, all of generous size. A nice looking Library Table, with a shelf below for books; an Arm Chair and a big, comfortable Rocker. The chair and rocker have spring seats covered with Spanish leatherette. Good value for the money.

Priced Separately as Follows:
Table, \$7.95; Rocker, \$6.25; Chair, \$5.75

This Three-Piece Bed Outfit



Reduced in Price to \$41.25

—A chill-less, 10-filler, full-size bed
—A guaranteed metal spring
—A 45-pound mattress

If you value a good night's sleep, here is your chance to insure one, for this is as comfortable a bed outfit as you could possibly desire. The bed is built on plain, substantial lines that will make it a fitting piece of furniture for any bedroom. The springs are a guaranteed sagless metal one, and the mattress is made of the very best felt. A "good value" combination at \$41.25.

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This \$37.50 Ivory Period Dresser

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A beautiful period style in that most popular and faintest of finishes, ivory enamel. A dresser that will give you a world of service, for the ivory enamel is easy to clean and always looks charming in any room.

Use Your Credit on Any Selection at Powers

Powers Announces the Daily Arrival of New Rugs

After all, a rug is just about the most important thing in a room, for if it is shabby and worn it mars the appearance of the whole room. We are showing some splendid wearing rugs at such reasonable prices that you can surely afford to have what you need.

AXMINSTER RUGS

9x12 Velvet Rugs \$39.50
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9x12 Pay \$5 Down, \$1 Weekly

Size--\$45

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