

**What it Costs to**

**Run the Maxwell**



This big 5 passenger, 30 horse power touring car can be run 5000 miles at an average cost of \$3.64 per week

**Figures Based on Facts**

When we tell you that this big handsome Maxwell touring car can be run 5000 miles a year at an average cost of \$3.64 a week or \$184.50 a year we are not theorizing. These figures include the total cost of gasoline, oil and grease required to run this car 5000 miles, the cost of punctures and the cost of repairs. Experience shows this to be a correct average, established by Maxwell owners. How can we better show the low cost of keeping a Maxwell than in giving in dollars and cents just what 5000 miles of motoring cost this owner. Read this letter—one of hundreds we receive unsolicited.

"During the past season I have driven my car 5000 miles by the odometer, averaging approximately 100 miles a week. My experience has shown that this car can be run 5000 miles a year at a total cost of \$3.64 per week.

Gasoline, 557 gallons	874.97
Lubricating oil, 80 gallons	24.00
Grease or hard oil, ten pounds	2.40
Punctures	3.50
Repairs	7.40

Yours very truly  
R. L. CALKINS,  
Seattle, Wash.

This car has sliding gear transmission giving three speeds ahead and reverse, 34 inch wheels and 4 inch tires, having 110 wheel base.

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**J. H. PEARE**

**Buying a Lawsuit**

Did you know that placing your reliance on a warranty deed is simply bidding for a lawsuit?

In California this fact is so well understood that a warranty deed is looked upon with suspicion.

It is for this reason:

If the title is good it passes with the deed, and that is all there is to the deed of a warranty. If bad, the deed is void and the buyer is liable for the cost of a lawsuit.

the adding of a warranty does not make it good.

A warranty is only a sort of bet—a wager that you will have no trouble; but if you do, and finally lose out, I'll pay your money back.

A better plan is to require an abstract. Consult  
**J. R. OLIVER.**

**Pinealve Carbolized** ACTS LIKE A POULTICE. RELIEVES ALL PAINS. PREPARED BY DRUG BUREAU.

**PROMOTER TO BOISE**

**BASEBALL CONFERENCE OF AN INFORMAL KIND**

Four towns will meet in Boise to discuss league plans.

Grant Lincoln will leave tomorrow for Boise where an informal conference of La Grande, Baker City, Nampa and Boise baseball promoters will be held to decide upon a plan of action for the coming season. At Baker City he will be joined by the Baker delegation and perhaps two days will be spent in Boise looking over the possibilities of organizing.

In the event that the promoters agree on a plan of procedure a called meeting will be held, probably at Baker City and to this meeting will be sent delegates from all the towns to elect officers and a board of directors. At that time a schedule will be arranged.

Considerable interest is manifested in the preliminary meeting of the promoters for on this meeting will depend largely the success or failure of a league here this summer.

**Burglarized.**

Pendleton, Feb. 22.—With apparent certain conviction and terms in the penitentiary staring them in the face Anthony Bloom, aged 60 years, and Peter Bloom, aged 27 years, father and son, are lodged in the county jail. They were arrested yesterday afternoon by Deputy Sheriff T. H. Taylor and Deputy Sheriff Joe Blakeley at their homes in Combes canyon and are charged with burglarizing the cabin on the Henry Scales place. This is now being farmed by Elmer and Van Stults, who have been spending a great part of the winter in town.

It seems that the cabin had been broken into and various things taken therefrom on one or two occasions. The first things were taken about Feb. 13 and the others about Thursday or Friday. The blooms had been suspected of the thefts and so when the cabin was broken into the last time a search warrant was secured and the Bloom house was searched yesterday by the two officers. Every nook and corner was looked into without avail and then the floor was torn up with the result that a suit case, some shoes, a ham, some canned goods and other stolen plunder was discovered. The suit case and the shoes were identified by the Stultz brothers.

**WILL GIVE SCHOLARSHIP**

University of Oregon, Eugene, Feb. 23.—The Oregon branch of the Association of Collegiate Alumnae announce the continuance this year of their usual practice of giving a two-hundred dollar scholarship at the University of Oregon. The scholarship is given to young women who among the high school graduates of the state whom the committee deem most deserving and capable. No examination is held. They simply decide upon the evidence submitted which will be the best fitted to do excellent work in her chosen course of study.

**Star's Feature Film**

"The Best Man Wins"—A Western story of a girl whose lover is called away and it not heard from for over a year. The substance of the story is that she has waited so long without word from the man she loves and as all the cowboys on the ranch want to marry her she decides on a novel scheme, whereby the best man may win by hard riding to the county seat and back with the marriage license. While the bunch of cowpunchers are running their horses to death in order to be the first one back the real lover of the girl shows up and as the minister is already there, they are married just as the bunch shows up. He hasn't shown himself the best man by hard riding or anything, but, as he is as the old saying goes, "Johnnie on the Spot" the cowboys have to make the best of it and shake hands all around.

**Help Wanted.**

WANTED—District managers, agents and solicitors for new Whole Life and Ten Year 6 per cent Debenture Bond, also best natural death and disability policy. No classification for occupation, race or sex. Good pay. Mr. Meek, 1111 Drexel Bldg. Phila., Pa. 2-1-20

**The Spring Sewing**

Every thoughtful housewife realizes the importance of getting started early on Spring sewing. There must be the planning for what is needed, the selection of goods and patterns.

**New Piece Goods**

We have already received several large shipments of these goods and are now fully prepared to fill your every want in that line. All the new things in silks, suiting, waisting, white goods, gingham, percales and prints.

**PATTERNS**

No magazine is more widely read than the Ladies Home Journal, no other weilds more in the field of fashion. The Ladies Home Journal patterns set the pace.



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We have a fine new line of Hot Water Bottles. They are the reliable kind, are guaranteed for more than a year, and cost you no more than the doubtful art. Newlin Drug Company.

La Grande, Oregon, January 13, 1910—Inasmuch as at the present time the cost of living is much greater in proportion than the prevailing prices of labor, we the undersigned carpenters hereby resolve and agree that after the 1st day of April, 1910, the uniform wage for carpenters shall be \$4.00 per day of nine hours, instead of \$3.50 as it is at present; and We hereby further agree that we will not do any work at less wages than the above rate.

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