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Coming Events

March 15, 16 and 17—Automobile and Motorcycle Show.

April 24-25—Cattle and Horse Raisers' Annual Convention at La Grande.

March 2—Demonstration wool train at La Grande.

May 2 and 3—State Camp Modern Woodmen of America meets in La Grande.

March 17—St. Patrick's Day.

April 8—Easter Sunday.

June 13, 14, 15—Livestock Show at Union, Oregon.

June 24 to July 1—Grand Ronde Chautauqua, La Grande.

July 7—National Education Association in Portland.

July 14-19—North Pacific Sangerfest, Portland.

CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

Collection of News Paragraphs and Advertisements.

F. T. Morss, local agent of the American Express company, has accepted a position with one of the large merchandise houses of Portland and will leave in a few days to take up his new work. He is succeeded by F. A. Clyde, assistant cashier of the American Express company in Portland. During his short stay in La Grande, the courtesy and good humor of Mr. Morss have won for him many friends who will regret his departure.

Dr. Ralston, physician, surgeon and osteopath is now located in rooms 12 and 13 over Silverthorn's Drug store. Main 21; Night phone Main 81.—Adv. 10-16-17.

6 1-2 Per Cent Money.
\$30,000 for long term at 6 1-2 per cent interest for loans on Grande Ronde Valley farms. See W. B. Sargent at La Grande Investment Company at once. 2-2-17

We pay better prices for used furniture. Phone B 1241. Cor. Fir and Jefferson. E. J. Donohue. 12-20-17

Announcements

Ladies and Gentlemen
Can find good eats at the Y. M. C. A. Boarding club. Regular rates by week, \$4.50. 2-19-24pd

"The Heir of Mount Vernon" will be presented by the Island City school at I. O. O. F. hall, March 2, at 8 p. m. Five scenes, quint costumes, songs and music. Admission 25c. Reserved seats on sale at Island City postoffice. 2-24-28;3-1

Call for Bids.

Notice is hereby given, that the County Court of Union County, Oregon, will receive sealed bids for the furnishing of 75 cords of 3 ft. 8 in. yellow pine or yellow fir cord wood, to be free from limbs, cut from green timber, and to be delivered and corded in the basement of the Court House at La Grande, Oregon, not later than October 1, 1917. All bids must be filed with the County Clerk on or before March 1, 1917, and must be accompanied by a certified check of at least ten per cent of the amount bid. The successful bidder will be required to enter into contract and give a bond for the performance of the same. The court reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

C. K. McCORMICK,
County Clerk.

2-24to28

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Chinawood oil give Chi-namel its rare brilliance and durability. For centuries the Chinese have known the secret of China Wood Oil. They have used it for finishing boat-bottoms because of its wonderful waterproofing qualities. They have used this remarkable oil to give their woven and banded woodwork its hard, brilliant finish.

Easy to Apply

Any one can apply Chi-Namel Products without leaving laps or brush-marks, because this smooth-flowing Chinese Oil makes the varnish self-leveling. There is a Chi-Namel Product for finishing everything in the home—floors, wood work, furniture, radiators, etc.

Ask for the Chi-Namel Booklet

Chi-Namel Colored Enamels
Opaque; for porch-furniture, swings, settees, flower-boxes, bicycles, interior woodwork; dries hard and smooth.

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Black or green; does not clog meshes, brilliant gloss and prevents rust; easy to apply.

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Chi-Namel Color Varnishes
Transparent; color and gloss in one operation; dry overnight; natural and variety of colors.

Chi-Namel White Enamel
Spreads easily without showing brush marks; stays white; hard, smooth surface; gloss or dull finish; easily cleaned.

Chi-Namel Auto Varnishes
Color and gloss in one application; easily applied; wide range of colors, including black and white.

Chi-Namel Furniture Polish
Cleans and polishes; a varnish-food containing no grease, chemicals or abrasives; applied with a cloth.

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Imported Percheron and Belgian Stallions that are extra good. Besides other Percheron, Belgian, English Shire and Clydesdales with imported ancestors that are young and good, with correct pedigrees that are desirable. One pair extra Percheron mares. If you are a customer and want to save your money, take time to come and see me. Remember, Good Stallions and Low Prices.

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2-24; 3-3-10-17pd; weekly 3-2-9pd

Pendleton, Oregon.

Notable Maxwell Records

In April, 1916, some interesting economy tests were conducted on the Brooklands track, London, Eng. Several makes of cars were used in testing out a new fuel mixture. Of all the cars entered a stock Maxwell Touring Car made the most notable record, delivering a mileage of 33.6 on a gallon of the fuel. This performance was witnessed by a representative of "Autocar" the most conservative motor car journal of England, and he wrote as follows:

"In this article we are concerned primarily with the action of the new fuel, but we feel it only fair to give a word of praise to the behaviour of the Maxwell, which, brand new as it was, ran exceedingly well through out the tests, and showed altogether remarkable acceleration and hill-climbing ability."

In April, 1916, an economy test was made around Table Mountain, South Africa, which contains two fairly steep grades, and a stock Maxwell Touring Car made 31.3 miles on seven-eighths of a gallon of petrol.

In August, 1916, tests for the economy of Maxwell cars were made by Prof. David L. Gallup, professor of gas engineering of Worcester Polytechnic Institute, at the Narragansett Park Speedway, Providence, R. I. The following results were obtained and announced by him:

Speed (Miles per Hour)	Economy (Miles per Gal.)
10	33.7
15	32.7
20	31.2
25	28.8
30	26.1
35	23.0

TOURING CAR
\$725
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are designed and constructed primarily for service under the average and usual conditions. They were never intended for stunts, racing speeds or any other extraordinary purposes.

It has simply been our aim to build a light, economical, durable car and to build it exceedingly well.

It is interesting to note, therefore, certain instances which prove that Maxwell Cars are not only performing their specific function—but that they possess, in reserve, a surplus merit which enables them to achieve marked distinction in events out of their field and class.

The facts and figures here presented throw some light on why the Maxwell is generally recognized as **The World's Greatest Motor Car Value.**

A Few Cars At \$685.00

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Buy Now and Save Money

John E. Anderson

Dealer

Leighton's Garage

At the Virginia State Fair held in Richmond early in October, 1916, a Maxwell stock touring car won a big economy run in competition with practically all the four-cylinder cars sold in that city. The contestants were started with one-half gallon of gasoline in a special tank provided by the fair authorities. The Maxwell distanced all competitors by a wide margin, covering 13.3 miles on the half-gallon.

In February, 1916, Ray F. McNamara drove a Maxwell Roadster from Philadelphia to Pittsburgh, 293 miles, in 8 hours and 19 minutes, averaging about 36 miles an hour. The run was made over snow-packed roads and part of the trip was through a heavy snow storm. The run was checked at both ends by newspaper men. The record still stands.

In July, 1915, McNamara drove a stock touring car from Detroit to Indianapolis and return, 620 miles, in 20 hours.

McNamara also established a record for the drive from Portland to Spokane. The distance is 458 miles and the elapsed time was 15 hours, 31 minutes. The best previous time was 20 hours, 30 minutes.

Late in November, 1916, a stock Maxwell touring car was driven out of Chicago and reached LaCrosse, Wis., a distance of 300 miles, in fourteen hours. High speed over icy roads cut into the tires and there were four blowouts. Despite deep snow and terrible roads, the car had no mechanical difficulty.

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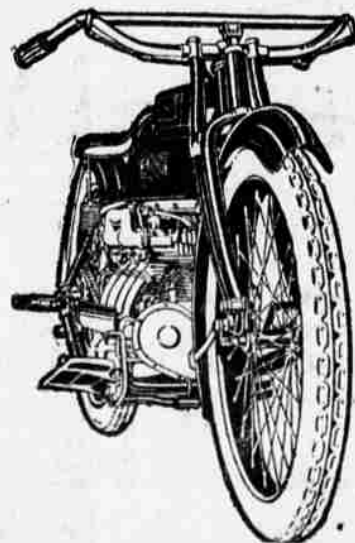
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It has made and will make from 55 to 104 miles on one gallon of gas.

Holds the world's record for 24-hour run with sidecar.

Henderson team was the only complete team that finished with a perfect score in the Los Angeles and San Francisco run.

This is not a racing machine, it is built for Comfort, Economy, Service.



Sliding gear transmission, progressive type
Big, multiple-disc steel clutch built into fly-wheel and running in oil bath.

Giant power and breathless speed under perfect control.

Silent, smooth and swift. Every new feature a marked advance in motorcycle construction.

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