

"BILL" EVANS IS BUSY FELLOW

NASH CARS ARRIVE AND WILL GET THEM OUT FAST

Only Partial Allotment For Hamilton Garage Reaches La Grande During the Past Week

"Hello—is this Hamilton? Is this Bill Evans? Well, say Bill, when will you have that Nash car of mine ready? I see they have arrived."

This was not one telephone request at the Hamilton Garage on Friday, but it got to be so common that Bill ordered the lady operator to explain to all customers that he was doing his best and that he could make more headway if they would let him work with wrench in hand on the new cars than to answer the telephone. This the young lady did in so diplomatic a manner that many customers wonder, not why she had not been taken to Paris with President Wilson to use her ability in diplomatic circles, but of the world.

And all the time Bill was chasing around the garage among new cars with a wrench and a pair of pliers in hand. All the boys in the institution were busy also, for all felt the same keen pride that Bill felt in unloading a few of the popular Nash models which they have been expecting so long.

"New cars are as hard to get as chewing tobacco in a church colony," said Bill after he had mopped the honest sweat from his brow and coyly called attention to the purr of the Nash motor. "And we have been on the verge of insanity in our desire to satisfy the number of people who have bought cars. However, things are better now and we expect the Nash factory to be feeding us with regular shipments from now on."

You can't help the past, but rightly used the past ought to be able to help you.

Judging their future by their past, a good many folks we know are not going to have any.

RESERVOIR HAS A GOOD SUPPLY

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city, says the city manager, is that the pipes from the reservoir do not seem to be carrying enough water down, and there must therefore be some water pumped from the river to the pressure. All the water that is taken from the river at this point goes through treatment in the chlorinate plant which was installed during the shortage last spring.

TREATY WAS SIGNED AT 3:13 P. M.

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delivered in person by him at a joint session of the senate and house.

TO Hasten Ratification

PARIS, June 28.—In the completed peace treaty signed today, Paris newspapers say, were certain stipulations which it was hoped would hasten the ratification of the treaty by the German national assembly.

The Journal says the Allies stipulated that liberation of German prisoners would be dependent upon ratification of the treaty by the German assembly.

PRESIDENT ON WAY HOME

WASHINGTON, June 28.—President Wilson and party will leave Paris tonight for Brest to sail for home. Secretary Tammity was so notified today. The cable from the President said: "All well." President Wilson has consented to an unofficial reception for him upon his arrival in New York.

RACING MACHINE BESTS CHRISTENSON

Harold Christenson, or Mike Howard, well known wrestler who is spending the summer months visiting at the home of his old-time friend, John E. Anderson of this city, declares he is off racing autos for life. During his leisure moments he has spent the time around the Maxwell Service Station and has grown more or less familiar with various machines, in fact he is the owner of an automobile himself.

For some time Mr. Anderson has observed Harold craning long eyes at the little Maxwell which is being tuned up for the racing events on July 4th; but with never a suspicion that he might be expected to drive the speedster. However, a few days ago Harold jumped into the machine and headed for the race track. Lap after lap was made at ever-increasing speed until "Chris" was nothing more than a streak, when onlookers were terrified by a terrific cloud of dust on the back stretch, and all realized that it had happened. Arriving at the scene they found Christenson standing beside the machine inspecting the damage done to a fence, which he had demolished for several rods. Both he and the machine were unhurt. Now Harold says he is perfectly willing to take on all the wrestlers in this neck of the woods, but as for driving racing machines—he'll leave that to Red Williams.

TO HAVE SPECIAL SESSION

(By Associated Press to The Observer)

DES MOINES, Iowa, June 28.—Governor Harding today called a special session of the legislature for July 2.

SATURDAY GAMES IN THE PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE

By Associated Press to The Observer
Portland 1, Vernon 5.
San Francisco 4, Salt Lake 3.
Los Angeles 6, Sacramento 2.
Seattle 6, Oakland 5.

There's some talk about everything except baseball.

It is better not to be understood than to be understood too well.

DEATH CLAIMS

GEO. E. GOOD

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ducted and has been confined to his home most of the time. Funeral services have not yet been announced except that he will be buried in the land, his old home.

The deceased leaves his wife, one son, Eugene, three daughters—Mrs. Tom Galvin of Walla Walla but formerly of Grants Pass, Mrs. Grace

Harold of Centerville, Washington and Mrs. Ernest Lister of Grants Pass.

is a matter of sorrow to the people of La Grande and Union county to hear of the death of George Good. A number of years ago after giving up the hotel business in this city and leasing the Foley hotel, he came to the city and leased the Foley hotel. At that time he was still mayor of the South Oregon city and in order to keep faith with his friends he journeyed from La Grande to Grants Pass, a distance of over 600 miles to attend each council meeting until his time of office expired. As proprietor of the Foley hotel he made many friends and his acquaintance was probably the widest in a general way of any man in the state.

In 1910 when P. A. Foley took charge of the hotel that belonged to his father George Good, leased the Summer House and conducted it un-

til 1916 when he sold his lease and furniture to Lot Snodgrass, the present proprietor. He then went to Salem and leased the B. C. hotel, but did not like the lower country and water came to Pendleton where he conducted the Pendleton hotel very successfully until it was sold to Eugene Grant. He remained out of business until about a year ago when he leased the Dacres ho-

tel at Walla Walla.

George Good was well liked by all the business men of this city and his wife and son were very popular with the church and social sections of the city. The many La Grande friends send their sympathy to the widow and children of this man who was truly an Oregonian and one of Oregon's best known citizens in private life.

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