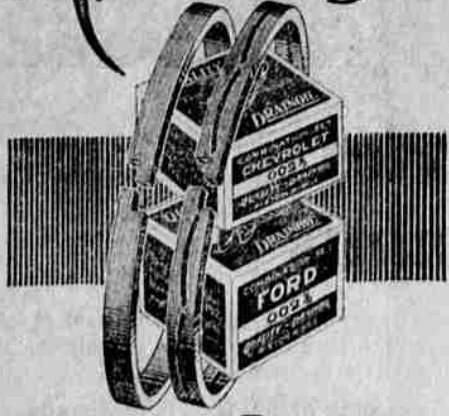


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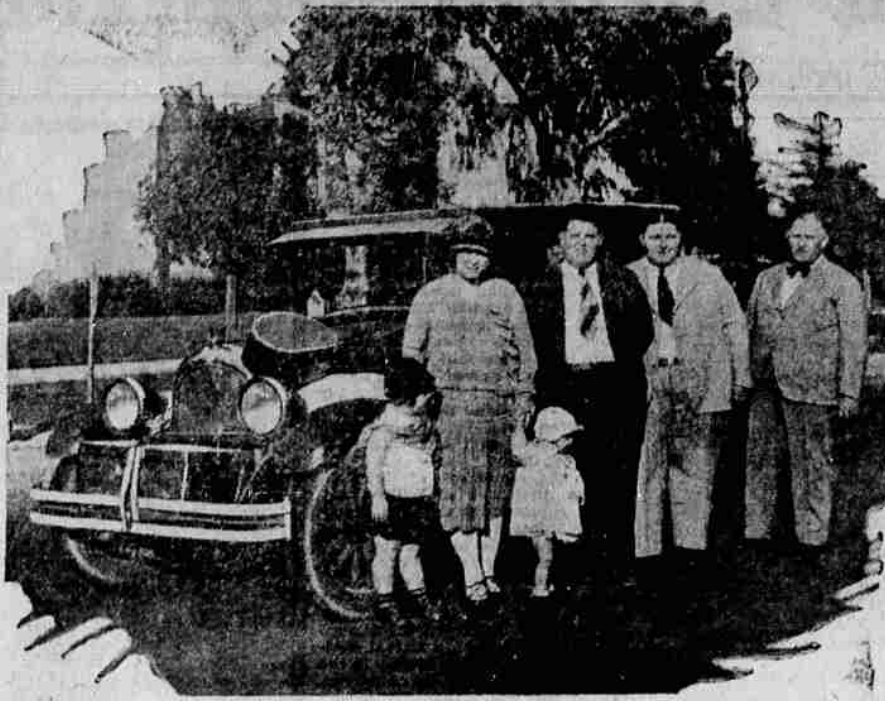
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**Plan to Build 11,000 Olds In U. S. This Month**

Eleven thousand Oldsmobiles will be built during the month of February to fill the production schedule, factory officials at the Oldsmobile factories in Lansing, Mich., report. "This will be by far the largest February production in the history of this veteran automobile company."

This record schedule follows the production of 6,500 Oldsmobiles during January, which established a record for the first month of the year. The production was 100 per cent greater than that of January last year when the new Oldsmobile was first introduced.

These increased schedules and the still larger ones which have been set up for the spring months are based upon surveys made throughout the country by Oldsmobile officials. These have shown two things, viz.—that business in general in all sections is healthy and prosperous, and that the buying public is favorably inclined toward Oldsmobile.

In spite of the large production so far this year the number of

cars manufactured have barely met the demands of buyers desiring immediate delivery, factory executives report. As a result dealers have experienced difficulty in maintaining cars for their show-rooms and have been unable to build up a reserve stock for the heavy spring buying, which is usually done at this season.

**SALES CLIMB ON NEW DODGE SIXES, REPORT**

A record breaking spring buying season in the automotive industry is predicted by Charles W. Matheson, general sales manager for Dodge Brothers, based upon January shipments of Dodge Brothers cars and trucks, which exceeded December, 1928 by 6.06 per cent.

"The enthusiastic reception given the New Dodge Brothers Six and the Senior Six at new low prices are responsible for the marked increase in business," declared Mr. Matheson, and orders on hand indicate that February will also be a record month.

"The public acceptance of our new car at the national and dealer showings has been far beyond our

expectations," said Mr. Matheson, "and we have had to revise our production schedule upward in order to meet the demand. Reports from our dealer organization are exceedingly optimistic and lead me to believe that the spring buying season will be the best in the history of Dodge Brothers business."

**MOTOR BUSES UPSET OLD IRISH CUSTOMS**

DUBLIN, Irish Free State (AP)—The advent of the motor omnibus is revolutionizing conditions in rural Ireland.

Many country districts which were outside the conveniences of the railways are being brought into contact with the larger centers. The business of the villages has suffered for the rural workers tend to do their marketing in the nearest towns, and some of these towns are similarly affected by the competition of the bigger cities.

**GARAGE GOSSIP**

**Field Representative Here—**

F. J. McConnell, of Spokane, field representative of the Oakland Motor Car company, was in La Grande yesterday. Mr. McConnell attended the Spokane automobile show, the sixth, seventh, eighth and ninth of this month and reports that automobile dealers are looking for a big year and are enthusiastic over the prospects for 1929. In the Palouse country there is much more snow than here, he says. There a prosperous farming year is prophesied. Optimism runs high among farmers and business men alike. The same feeling was expressed at the New York and Chicago automobile shows, he says.

**Little Comment—**

The passage of the bill providing for issuing car licenses on July 1 instead of January 1 in Oregon and

its signing by Governor L. L. Patterson has evoked little comment in La Grande. Another measure, providing among other things, that part-year licenses may be obtained under certain circumstances, is now before the legislature.

**Here From Elgin—**

E. C. Gettings, of Gettings and Hanks, Whippet and Willys-Knight dealers, was in this city from Elgin yesterday.

**Gas Price Drops—**

The price of gasoline in La Grande dropped two cents yesterday and is now 24 cents a gallon, retail. Gasoline here has been as high as 27 cents but rarely lower than 24, according to the report.

**Few Accidents—**

Considering the condition of the roads and streets—icy and deep rutted in stretches—there have been very few accidents in La Grande and territory the last month. A few small traffic mishaps have occurred but in no case was anyone injured to any extent or was a car badly damaged.

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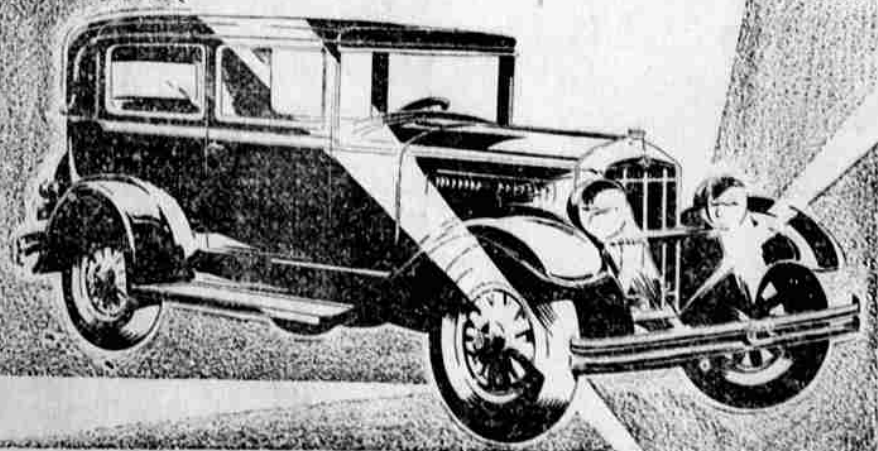
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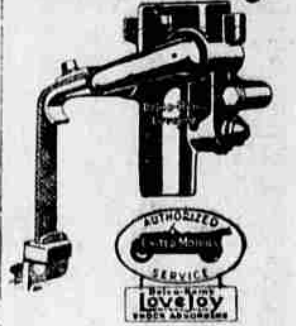
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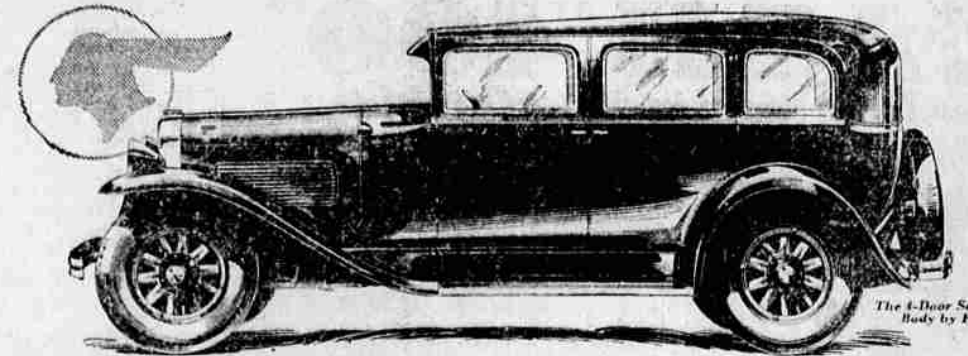
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