

NEW STATE LAWS TO TAKE EFFECT

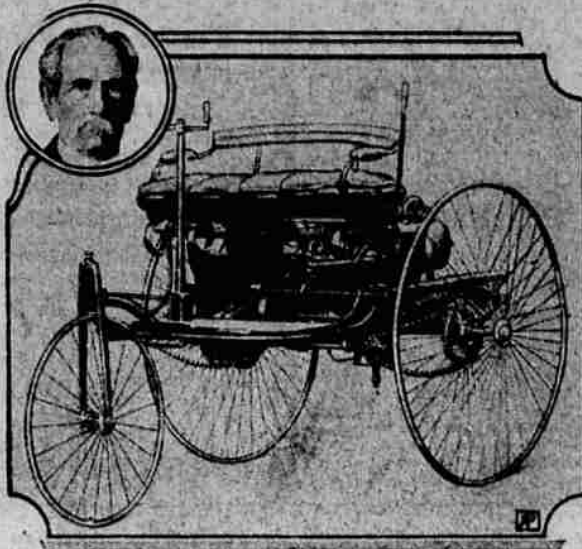
Number of Important Measures Will be Enforced After June 4.

SALEM, Ore., May 13—A number of important laws affecting the operation of motor vehicles were enacted at the recent session of the legislature...

A four wheeled truck may be operated with a combined weight of not more than 22,000 pounds, but if operated in combination with other vehicles...

MOSCOW, (AP)—Prof. Sissin of the public health department claims that Russia's birth rate is 20 to the thousand...

German Auto Pioneer Butt of Jokes When His First Car Sputtered



Karl Benz, German's pioneer in automotive invention (inset), had a bitter struggle with unbelievers when he first introduced a motor vehicle (above) 44 years ago. It actually ran.

LADENBURG, Germany (AP)—Almost simultaneously with the establishment of a new motor car speed record in Florida there died here one of the men who helped make this a motor age.

A bare 44 years ago, when Karl Benz's eight three-wheeled "motorcar" made its noisy, smoky way down Mannheim streets...

It was only his tenacious clinging to a childhood ambition in spite of much discouragement that gave the world within the span of a single lifetime an important development in its great motor industry.

"without rail" was the undercurrent of thought that ran through all my work.

Benz's death, vividly brought home the almost startling brevity of the "motor carriage's" career.

But Benz refused to be discouraged. By 1887, with a four wheel model, he was sufficiently encouraged to take out his first patent...

April Largest In Shipments in History of Nash

KENOSHA, Wis., May 8—Reports from The Nash Motors company covering April shipments to the Dominion of Canada, show the month to have been substantially the largest in the history of the company.

Commenting on this gratifying record, C. H. Bliss, sales manager, said: "During the month of April, our shipments to Canadian distributors reached a volume unequalled by any other single month in the history of our company."

"We have just announced a gain of 22.58 per cent in domestic shipments for April over April of 1928 and an increase for the first four months of 1929 of 59.38 per cent over the same months of 1928."

"We see in this achievement an expression of the universal public approval accorded our '400' series cars—an approval which is manifesting itself in new records month and which we confidently expect will result in by far the greatest year we have ever had."

A night airmail service has been inaugurated between Croydon airport, London, and Le Bourget, Paris.

out his life a prophet unappreciated in his own land, for only distant and lack of interest greeted his first real successes and it was left to France and the United States to give him his first recognition and support.

He finally succeeded in establishing the Mannheim Gasoline Engine factory which later developed into the Benz Works, an organization which spread to international proportion, laying a foundation for the world wide motor and automobile industries of today.

LEGION SAFETY DRIVE STARTED

Oregon Department Hopes to Reduce Number of Auto Accidents.

PORTLAND, Ore., May 18—The National Safety Council reports 27,000 people killed and 250,000 injured in 800,000 automobile accidents during 1928.

In Oregon the number of automobiles registered at the close of the month of March reached a total of 255,415. Accidents reported for the three-month period were 5,531. Of this number 2,069 were for March. Five counties in the state failed to report any accidents during the month.

The American Legion, department of Oregon, has instituted a safety campaign in the state in an effort to reduce the number of accidents and in this they urge that greater care be exercised by all drivers and pedestrians.

The summary for the month of March follows:

Table with columns: County, Registered, No. Cars, Accidents. Lists counties like Baker, Benton, Clackamas, etc.

Atlantic City Tests The Atlantic City speedway has been used for hundreds of thousands of miles of test work in the off season.

I'm Alone Skipper Says He'll Sue



The sinking of the Canadian schooner I'm Alone by a coast guard cutter will cost the United States government "more than \$100,000," it is charged.

PRICE CUT IN FIRESTONE TIRE IS ANNOUNCED

Motorists have been quick to respond to the substantial price reductions announced by W. C. Perkins, in the spring sale now under full way.

There is nothing that takes away more from the pleasure of motoring than the fear of possible tire trouble," says Mr. Perkins.

"We are putting on this sale, right at the beginning of the real motoring season, to make it possible for motorists to obtain new tires at the lowest possible cost, and enjoy trouble-free tire service."

The Firestone dealer declares all tires on sale are of fresh stock from the great western Firestone factory at Los Angeles.

Ab Jenkins Adds New Motor Victory

SAN FRANCISCO, May 18—Ab Jenkins, holder of all international contest board speed records for stock motor cars—records hung up at Atlantic City with his fast stock Studebaker President Eight—has added another scalp to his collection.

And, indicative of the faith that the world-famous Jenkins has in Richfield gasoline, which has powered him to so many victories of speed and power, it might be noted he chose Richfield-Ethyl as the fuel for his dare-devil climb up Twin Peaks.

Unknowns Drive To Fame The Indianapolis 500-mile race, the Grand Prix of America, is more or less of a racing driver incubator.

Frank Lockhart went to Indianapolis a virtual unknown in 1925; he left a world famous driver. Bob McDonough was another who went there for his great start.

After driving during the winter months you will probably note that your motor is sluggish. Excessive choking and many stops around town cause a "foul" motor.

We suggest that you drive around for a free valve inspection—if your car is OK, we'll say so—if it needs a valve grinding, we assure you that we will turn out a satisfactory piece of work.

The carbon cleaned out—the valves ground—then you will be ready for long summer drives.

BILL BUNCH GARAGE CO.

Directly Opposite of U. P. Depot.

The Convertible Landaulet Sedan - Open to sunshine ... closed to the rain ... smart in any weather

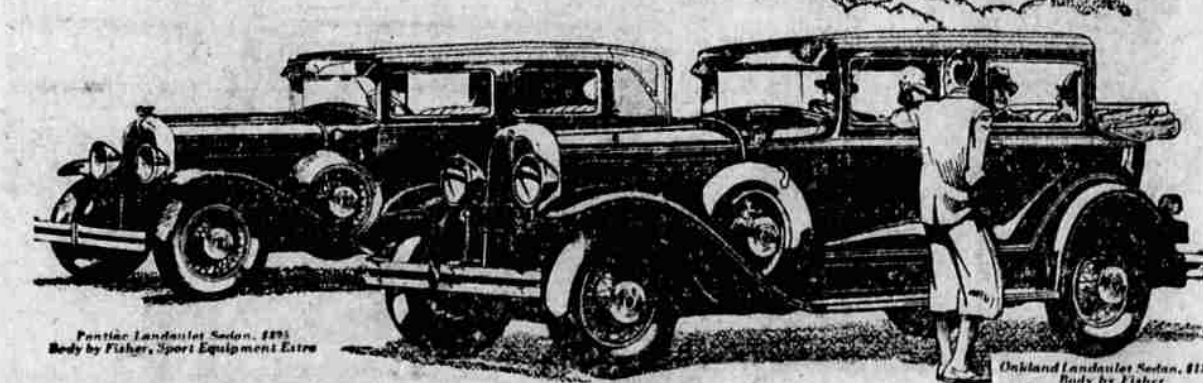
When the summer sun sends down its warm, health-giving rays ... fold back the top ... enjoy the freedom of an open car.

On either the New Oakland All-American Six or the New Pontiac Big Six chassis you can obtain the Convertible Landaulet body type ... a Fisher body creation designed to combine the fair weather benefits of an open car with the protection of a smart, completely appointed sedan.

A special demonstration of Convertible Landaulets has been arranged which we will be glad to make for you at any time. Let us show you how delightful one of these cars is when open ... how comfortable when closed ... and how easily it can be changed from one position to the other.

The New Oakland All-American Six, \$1145 to \$1375. The New Pontiac Big Six, \$745 to \$895. ... Oakland-Pontiac delivered prices include only reasonable charges for delivery and financing.

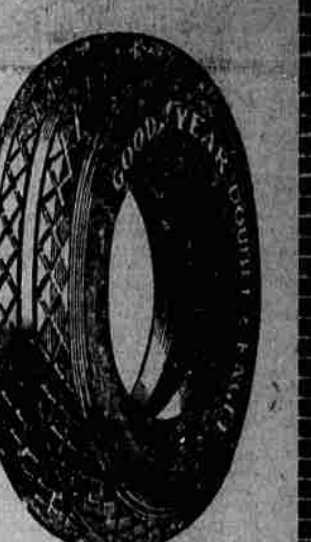
Consider the delivered price as well as the list price when comparing automobile values ... Oakland-Pontiac delivered prices include only reasonable charges for delivery and financing.



OAKLAND-PONTIAC Sixes GENERAL MOTORS

La Grande Motor Company 1419 Adams Ave. Enterprise, Oregon

This Business of Buying a Tire



DON'T BE CONFUSED BY PRICE TALK. It is possible to make a tire of your size in perhaps 20 different grades to sell at 20 different prices.

CONSIDER A FEW FACTS. The company which builds the most tires certainly can produce at lowest costs. That's logical, isn't it? Well, that company is Goodyear.

INSTEAD OF THIS, HOWEVER, the world's largest rubber company has studied car-owners' needs and has standardized on several grades in Good-

year Tires. Each of these grades is superior to other makes of corresponding price, because of the economies Good-year effects through building millions more tires than any other company.

Bohnenkamp's

Millions More People Now Ride On GOODYEAR Tires Than on Any Other Kind