

# DON'T TRUST TO YOUR LUCK.

Or Expect Something to Turn Up Unexpectedly in a Contest.

Florence O'Conor Makes Largest Gain During Week and Wins the Special Prize.

When the poet said, "There is no future however pleasant" he must have had in mind those procrastinators who are forever putting things off.

It was Micawber in Dickens' David Copperfield who was always waiting for "something to turn up." Now, the only way to make things turn up in an automobile contest is to go out and dig them up. If a person expects to win they must not expect to do it without some diligent effort.

Just recollect that the street of Bye and Bye leads to the house of Never and if you keep on thinking about getting down to real good, earnest work, the logical outcome will be that you will think while the other wise candidate is working and turning in the results which make her the winner.

Don't lose a minute. The contest has just now started on the last lap. The race is half today and it is time that all contestants and their friends realized the fact that the McIntyre is half won by someone and that someone can beat any contestant in the race. It is simply anybody's auto yet. Anyone can enjoy the rides, anyone can take the trips which the McIntyre puts in their reach, if they are energetic. Just remember that first and that the McIntyre worth \$1650 will be given away in only a few weeks.

#### HOW THEY STAND

Mrs. Winnie Wisdom	108,518
Mrs. W. H. Raver	350,458
F. Winston	11,040
Thurzie Erickson	3,980
Mabel Blanton	16,655
Fred Buttler	3,860
H. M. Metz	2,140
R. G. McAnnick	2,110
V. W. Marsden	220,641
Wilmoth Curry	3,750
Mrs. H. C. Whitworth	40,622

Ella Brosnan	19,670
V. V. Hickox	2,690
Ruth Test	30,080
Mrs. Joe Staples	2,050
Mrs. A. Zimmerman	17,065
Mrs. L. B. Fry	2,375
Mrs. John Weaver	4,315
Theo H. Moore	12845
Ethel McNulty	39650
Dottie Ward	38145
Elden Madden	4450
O. A. Koslnick	28680
H. W. Hoopes	2720
P. K. Koenig	5170
C. A. Field	7420
Mrs Winnie Minster	111865
Maude Walters	33,550
Lavine Smith	2,000
C. C Dodge	2,735
H E Kester	2,200
D T Mansker	275,461
Frank Dorman	3,570
Grechen Hailey	81,073
Mrs J A Hogan	2,200
Nettie Peterson	40,421
Mrs A Stutzner	16,480
Betsy Taylor	20,465
Maggie Moody	67,147
John Hunt	2900
Maude Kidd	148285
Mrs Harry Williams	24,300
Frank Van Petten	4987
Mrs. O. G. Olson	2000
Geo. Maddox	2000
Florence O'Coner	47,230

#### NYSSA.

Georgia Dennis	24,600
Gertrude Pounds	6,855

#### FRUITLAND.

A. C. Maneman	57,155
Volva Grimes	64,626
Emma Johnson	4,380
Ora Nott	161,779
Erma Deal	4,370
Marion Robinson	4,200
Stella Harris	2410

#### VALE

Mrs. J. P. Houston	6,150
Mrs L Dell	10,000

#### OWYHEE

Miss Anna Robertson	7,080
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#### PAYETTE

T. R. Neilson	3,732
Mae Simon	2,000
Bee Roberts	2,700
Aldula Gregory	6,050
Esther Russell	4,180
May Myer	7,285
M Alice Williams	2,000

NEW PLYMOUTH	
Daisy Mason	2,750
John B Fisher	2,000
HUNTINGTON	
Mrs. Frazier	4700

## FORD SHOWS HEELS TO BIG TOURING CARS

Louis W. Hill Praises Little Flyer After Seeing Its Work on Oregon Roads

How a fleet little Ford succeeded in running away from a powerful Packard and a chugging Cadillac on a recent overland trip from Prineville to Ontario was the subject of an impromptu speech by Louis W. Hill, chairman of the Great Northern board of directors at Caldwell, Idaho, a few weeks ago.

Mr. Hill's tribute to the "flying Ford," as he termed it, is all the more significant because he himself rode in the Packard—a machine that he carries with him on all his trips, in the garage that he has fitted up in one end of his private car.

For four days Mr. Hill and his party toured the roads of eastern Oregon. Mr. Hill in his 60-horse power Packard rode in advance of his companions who came along in the Cadillac and the Ford. He thinks a whole lot of his car and is an expert chauffeur. Nearly every day he would indulge in a burst of speed in an attempt to show his friends in the other machines what the big car was capable of doing, but not once did he escape the Ford, which was being driven by Mr. Davidson.

Several times the Ford completely overtook the Packard and left it trailing with the Cadillac. Had Mr. Davidson, who was conducting the party, not desired to remain behind to protect against possible emergencies he could have left the other cars in his dust every day. These unexpected achievements of the little Ford did not escape the notice of Mr. Hill. He said nothing about it until after the trip had been completed. Then, when the party was attending a reception at Caldwell, he reviewed the journey and pointed out the remarkable capabilities of Mr. Davidson's machine.

"Every day I tried to run away from them" he said in referring to the party riding in the Ford, "but my big 60-horse power car couldn't do it. In fact, the Ford showed speed that none of the rest of us could equal. Had Mr. Davidson not elected to travel in the rear he could have beaten us badly."

Mr. Davidson drives a Cadillac for his own use in touring central Oregon. The land he and Mr. Hill are developing is scattered over an area more than 400 miles in length. On this occasion, however, he required another car and went to a garage in Ontario to rent one for a period of 10 days. The owner wanted \$40 a day. Mr. Davidson studied awhile about paying \$400 for the mere use of a machine.

Then he went across the street to the Ford dealer and found he could buy a machine for \$675. "The car is certainly worth that difference of \$275," he said and bought it.

"I have used that Ford every day now for a month," he said a few days ago, "and it is as good now as when I bought it. I have driven it over all the roads of central and eastern Oregon and some of them are pretty rough. Also have driven it through territory where there are no roads at all. After all this use and abuse I still have my first set of tires and haven't spent a cent for repairs. I haven't had a wrench or a screw driver on the machine since I bought it."

"It is seldom that Mr. Hill makes a speech praising any commodity regarding which there is so much difference of opinion as an automobile, as he does business with all of them. So he certainly meant what he said about the Ford and I agree with him."—Sunday Oregonian.

## KANSAS PEOPLE VISITORS HERE

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Cadden, of Beloit, Kansas, arrived here last week for a visit with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Goudy. Mr. Cadden is very favorably impressed with the appearance of Ontario and the surrounding country, but says the rent charged here for the business houses is prohibitive and some day the renters will wake up and build their own store rooms.

Some of them are paying for the property they occupy every six months and others every year, the rents are more than double what they are in other places and what the value of the property and the volume of business will warrant a merchant in paying.

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## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS HAVE VERY ENJOYABLE PICNIC

Knights of Columbus of Ontario Council and their invited guests, 100 strong, took possession of the Washoe grove last Sunday for their first annual picnic. The gathering comprised residents of Ontario, Fruitland Payette and New Plymouth and was declared a most enjoyable affair by all present.

The sports planned by the entertainment committee gave occasion to much frolic on the part of the spectators and to lively competition by the participants.

A tug of war between Oregon and Idaho Knights was won by the Idaho men after a hard fought contest in which the Oregon men were within a

## BARGAINS IN HARDWARE.

The McBratney-McNulty Hardware Company are running a sale on their big stock of hardware. They are discounting crockery at 25 per cent. All cooking utensils at 20 per cent. All guns and ammunition 10 per cent discount. This sale is for cash. Saturday August 2d is the last day you can get these discounts. They have two large lawn swings left, which sold for \$12, but go on this sale for \$8 each.—adv.

# SMITH'S FERRY

Sunday, Aug. 3

The excursion that was advertised for July 27 to Smith's Ferry and declared off because of heavy rains will be run Sunday, Aug. 3.

Train will start from Nyssa at 7 a. m., Ontario 7:30, Payette 8:00, Fruitland 8:20. Fare for round trip \$3.00 from either point.

Fish, Huckleberries, Sage Hens, Take your lunch.

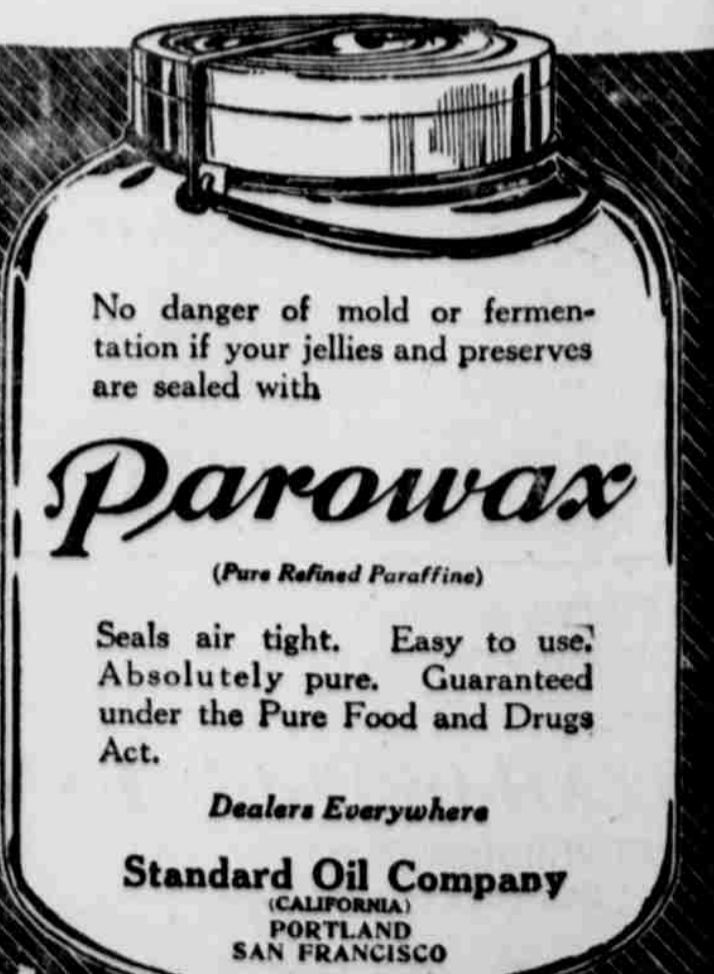


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