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MR. HAYS SPEAKS

"I am not going to reform the ovies. There is to be no clean-up campaign in the sense many have the motorist with a muller that needs described," said Will H. Hays, expostmaster-general in a copyright in-terview. The program, as Mr. Hays And tomorrow never comes. But to sion. The rapid rise of what Mr Hayes describes as "the theatrica end of the business' has delayed the exploitation of the church and school as profitable movie fields, and to remedy this is the avowed aim of Mr

Hayes.

This may be Mr. Hays' method of not to be. The muffler is placed on the exhaust pipe of the exhaus avoiding a confession that the movie the end of the exhaust pipe of the enbusiness was on the brink of moral gine so that the driver of an autom-collapse, it may be his indirect way bile while taking pleasure himse of saying that movie conditions ought to be changed. Certainly his great verbal attention to Bible pictures was fier. The exhaust valve opens while intended as a sop to that very sec tion of American public opinion which had shoved the movies so near the edge of destruction. As far as anyone is now aware, the 'movie pub-lic" has never craved "Bible pictures," noise would stifle conversation in the except those vile imitations whose car, annoy everybody along the street Biblical titles masked quite un and quickly get the driver into trouble The country does not clearly see Mr. Hays' employers preparing pictures for Sunday school conventions just yet. Publicists, however, do quite clearly see Mr. Hays' adroit appeal to the kind of public opinion he is afraid

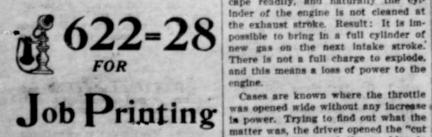
of-for his employers. The scare thrown into the movies: by the rising sense of outrage in the country, did not come by reason of the alien masters of the movie cowering beneath the protests of Ameri-can decency. They are not capable body for blocks around knew when an of such a reaction. The triumph of auto was coming. As the automobiles public opinion was made in quite increased in number this became a other quarters. Wall Street was nuisance and was stopped by law. heavily involved in movie investments. Then they sought, indeed had been American financiers were quite alive to the fact that moral repudiation of the movies would mean their financial ruin. That is where the work of rescue began. But it hasn't touched the pictures yet. Public opinion has been treated, not the pictures. The selection of Mr. Hays was a sooth ing dose for public opinion. Now, if Mr. Hays, contrary to his announce ment, will doctor the pictures into decency, something will have been accomplished. Thus far nothing what over her been accomplished. ever has been accomplished as far as the actual pictures on the screen are concerned. And it is about the pictures that public opinion is exercised.

—Dearborn Independent.

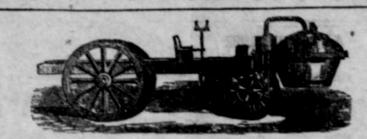
The Lents school orchestra went to Vernon school, April 7, for the meeting of the consolidated public school orchestras.

About 50 of the members of Lents Parent-Teacher association made up an inspection party at the Pacific

No man is ever quite as foolish as he appears to others. He possesses wisdom of wheh they know not.



WHO CONSTRUCTED THE FIRST AUTO?



It is a safe wager that not more than one in every five thousand people can answer the question as to who built the first automobile.

The first automobile, shown in this old cut, was constructed by a French man named Cugnot in 1763-just 159 years ago. It was then exhibited before the Marquis de Saxe and in 1760 Cugnot built an improved model at the expense of the French monarch. The motor consists of two single-action steam inders, alternately propelling the single front wheels. Owing to the small size of the boiler it was impossible to travel faster than four miles per hour nger than fifteen minutes without stopping to get up steam.

Though a crude machine, Cugnot's first car was ingenious in many respects and a creditable piece of work considering the times. After several successful experiments, which excited much interest, it overturned with a crash while rounding a corner at three miles per hour and was promptly locked up in the nal as a public menace.

Cugrot's automobile is still to be seen in the Museum of the Conservatoire des Arts et Metlers in Paris and is a most interesting relic of early locomotion

MUFFLER IS NOT WATCHED CLOSE

looked or Delayed Until Openings Become Clogged.

INCREASES USE OF GASOLINE

Very Important Part of Automobile Is Located Under Car and Out of Sight, and Is Rarely Given Attention Needed.

One of the parts of an automobile most neglected by many owners and drivers is the muffler. As a boy with a dirty face puts off the cleaning up process just as long as possible, so the motorist with a muffler that needs perhaps he will fix it up tomorrow day is always here with its greater use of gasoline and various other complications that a dirty muffler causes. The muffler is located under the car, and being out of sight is usually out of mind. It is therefore often neglected or misused. And yet it ought

bile while taking pleasure himself the burned gas is still under a pressure of from 25 to 30 pounds per square inch. If this were exhausted directly into the air the resulting with the police. The muffler prevent all this. It provides a chamber in which these exhaust gases may expand and

cool somewhat and at the same time breaks up the pressure by allowing it to leak out slowly through a number of very small holes, instead of letting it loose in one "big noise,"

The "Cut-Out" Valve.

In the early history of the automobile mufflers were not used and everyseeking, a means of stifling the sound In the early muffler there was trouble because the gas would back up in the cylinder and decrease the power of the motor. It was thought there was no way to decrease the sound without decreasing the power; therefore the manufacturers devised a valve to "cut out" the mufflar on the car whenever

extra power was desired. Sometimes the back pressure was so great as to interfere when driving through heavy roads or up hills. The "cut out" let the gas exhaust directly into the air instead of going through the muffler. At the present time nearly every city has a law prohibiting the use of "cut outs."

The average driver does not know that his muffler needs as careful attention as any other part of the mechanism, and so he neglects it. In these days of noiseless cars it requires a great number of very small holes inside muffler. These become clogged with soot or carbon from the exhaust Coast Biscuit company's plant April 6 The deposit collects very rapidly especially when the grade of oil used is poor or too much oil is used. It also results when the carburetor is adjusted to give too rich a mixture.

Openings Become Clogged. When these small openings become clogged the exhaust gases cannot escape readily, and naturally the cylinder of the engine is not cleaned at the exhaust stroke. Result: It is imble to bring in a full cylinder of new gas on the next intake stroke. There is not a full charge to explode, and this means a loss of power to the

Cases are known where the throttle matter was, the driver opened the "cut out" and this caused the machine to accelerate very rapidly.

TEST REVEALS LARGE TIRE NOT DANGEROUS

Wide-Spread Belief of Peril Shown to Be Erroneous.

Big English Vehicle Run Over Sharp ened Spike Making Perfect Blow-Out, But No Damage Done Except to Tire.

One way to overcome a prejudice is e remove it. The introduction of the large size pneumatic tire for busses in England, was hedged in by many difficulties because of a widespread belief that the use of these tires was dangerous.

In case of a blow-out, men argued, the tremendous concussion of the escaping air would thrust the car off the roadway. The difference in height between the two sides of the car after one tire had been deflated would be so great as to threaten to over-turn the vehicle, was another argument. Pedestrians standing near might be blown from their feet by the force of the escaping air from the tire, it was said. The driver, himself, might even be in danger, in case of a blow-out while the car was travelling at rapid speed.

To meet this situation, E. R. Preston, managing director of an English tire company, in co-operation with two of the leading motor journals of the country, devised a unique test. "We'll stage a blow-out of a tire while the car is in motion," said Preston, "You can go along and see what happens.'

A narrow and rutty dirt road outside of London, was selected for the test. A heavy plank was imbedded in the roadway, fitted up with a big iron spike, sharpened to a razor edge and set so that it would strike the tire at an angle just outside of the tread.

rode the representatives of the two motor journals, came flying down the road at 30 to 35 miles an hour speed As the big sharpened spike struck the side of the tire it ripped a jagged hole through carcass and tube. It was a perfect blow-out. The tire was completely flat within 15 feet. But no damage had been done except to the tire itself.

The men riding the car felt only a very slight jolt as the car struck the impediment. Examination of the surface of the road immediately after showed that there was no perceptible lurching of the truck from the road. The wheels carried through straight ahead. There was no relaxing of the car. Examination afterwards showe that one wheel stood about an incl and a quarter below the other as the result of the tire being deflated.

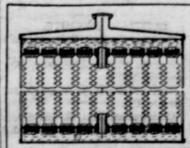
The test has gone a long ways to ward correcting the erroneous impres sion as to the performance of these large tires in case of a blow-out.

RADIATOR FOR AUTOMOBILES

Invention of Brooklyn Man Adapted for Use in Cooling Any Circulating Liquid.

The Scientific American in Illustrating and describing a radiator, the invention of A. Nebel of 794 Knickerbocker Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y., says: The invention relates to liquid cool

ing devices, and is particularly adapted for use as a radiator for autome biles, but may be used wherever it is



View Partly in Section, Showin the Arrangement of Tubes.

desirable to cool a circulating liquid. Among the objects is to provide a radiator having its parts so constructed as to bring the circulating duid in contact with a large exposed surface whereby the liquid may be ef-fectively cooled, in a limited space.

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Interstate Commission Works Out Clearance Test to Cut Down Losses of Autos.

OWNERS ARE ASKED TO HELP

Organization Conducts an Active Campaign Throughout the Country With Headquarters Located in the City of Chicago.

Coincident with the announcement that the Interstate Motor Theft commission would be continued as a permanent organization with headquarters in Chicago, it was said that reports of thefts of automobiles throughout the country indicated that cars valued at \$100,000,000, were stolen every year. It also was asserted that these automobile thefts showed a loss of \$300,000 for every twenty-four

The Interstate Motor Theft commision was formed in 1921 for a nationwide inquiry into automobile frauds and thefts and for the destruction of the market for stolen cars. The commission is composed of about 100 persons in different parts of the country; including Deputy Police Commissioner Joseph A. Faurot, E. M. Allen member of the Insurance Committee of the United States Chamber of Commerce; J. A. Hall, educational director of the Associated Advertising Clubs of the World; Gutzon Borglum the sculptor and president of the International Sporting club, and Dan Beard, National Boy Scout commis-

National Clearance Test. "A national clearance test to be applied to all cars registered in the

United States has been carefully worked out that not only will result in the detection and recovery of a great majority of the unrecovered cars stolen in the past, and that are still in operation, but will prevent to a very large degree, the future sale, use, or registration of stolen cars in any state, regardless of changes in numbers and appearance," says a statement of the commission.

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The statement added that owners of cars were especially being urged to aid the commission in eliminating automobile thefts throughout the country. It declared that automobile thieving "is today one of the most profitable forms of lawlessness." "Automoblle thefts retard the advance of every branch of the motor car industry," the statement continued, "impose burdensome liability upon owners, and

police and state departments. "Many laws to check the motor car theft and fraud evil have been enacted. The majority of them carry heavy penalties, and although many arrests are made throughout the country convictions seem difficult to secure; in any event fewer than should be are accomplished, and no perceptible slackening of this lawlessness is generally

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