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Terrebonne, Oregon

FORD TRACTOR SETS RECORD

Word comes from Henry Ford's tractor plant near Detroit, that the Fordson production figures are jumping monthly, and that nearly half of the tractors now being manufactured in this country are Fordsons.

When the motor-wizard began experimenting with tractors some twelve years ago, he is credited with having promised farmers that a machine that would make farming "what it ought to be—the most profitable and pleasant profession in the world." Deviating from old tractor beliefs and manufacturing customs, he set about building a light, mobile tractor—a tractor not especially for use on the big farms and ranches, but so constructed that it would handle the work on the smaller farms. The principles of manufacturing and selling which had brought the Ford car to success are now applied to the tractor. As a result nearly 150,000 Fordsons have gone into service; approximately one-third of the tractors in use in the United States are Fordsons—this in spite of the fact that the Fordson has been on the market only a little over two years.

June was a great month in the Fordson industries, but it has been eclipsed by July. Not content with breaking production records once, the five Fordson assembly plants shattered the mark during July by turning out 9,766 Fordsons, or 617 more than in June. Never before have the Fordson plants smashed records on two consecutive months, and the hope is expressed in view of production figures to date, that August will see still another high mark established. The plants averaged

375 tractors daily against 351 in the month of June.

The Dearborn, Michigan, plant has been doing the bulk of the work. In addition to supplying parts for the other Fordson plants, 4,188 tractors were completed, which is nearly half the number which broke the record. At St. Louis, 2,101 tractors were turned out; 2,341 at Des Moines; 810 at Kearney, New Jersey, which commenced assembly work late in June, and 236 at Cork, Ireland.

The Hamilton, Ohio, plant which has just commenced to play an important role turned out 2,740 transmissions which were shipped to the various plants. Although July saw the breaking of the June record, there was no day upon which a greater number of tractors were assembled than the record day of June 29, when 545 were finished.—Adv.

SCHOOLS DEFRAUDED OF GOOD MONEY

Many of the rural schools were defrauded of good money, on account of the purchase of charts and maps by the directors from some smooth talking agent who made the rounds early this summer.

According to J. E. Myers, county school superintendent, these charts and maps are many years out of date and of course cannot be used, as they do not measure up to present methods and courses of study.

Up-to-date supplies could have been secured direct from any good publishing house, or through the county superintendent or state superintendent, at one-third or one-fourth the outlay spent on these. In

many instances the agent sold as many as three charts to one school.

He sold globes at \$50.00 that the real school supply houses are now selling for \$10.00 to \$12.00.

Much publicity should be given to the activities of agents of this kind in order to prevent the same kind of a thing from happening again, and to keep other communities from being buncoed out of good money for absolutely worthless goods.

FOREST FIRE DANGERS ARE OVER, FIRST SNOW FALLS.

The first snow of the season fell last week in the mountains, both on the east and west. Mr. Ireland, Sr. arrived in town Sunday and reported eight inches of snow on Lookout. He was forced to return to Prineville on account of the scarcity of forage for his horses. He has been at the summit of the mountain during the summer.

Reports from the McKenzie Highway show five feet of snow on the high passes on Friday. However, this is very soft snow, and it is expected that it will soon melt.

J. E. Myers returned Saturday after visiting the rural schools in the Paulina district. According to Mr. Myers, school activities in that part of the county are starting off in a very promising manner. The homestead district schools, which have been depleted of pupils by the departure of settlers for more prosperous sections, are filling up again. The homesteaders, encouraged by the good crops in this country this year, are returning to the land.

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