

# AUTOMOBILE GOSSIP

## Merchant of Sandy Donates Auto Park

Sandy, March 25.—Paul Melnig, a prominent merchant of Sandy, has decided to donate the use of his park for an auto camp ground for tourists till after the 1925 fair. This natural park has been used for out-of-door celebrations ever since pioneer days. The Community club will probably take up the question of water and lights.

## Carver-Portland Stage Run Begun

Carver, March 25.—An auto stage running between Carver and Portland started its trips Tuesday. It will leave Carver five times daily.

## Will She Outdo Vive La France?

The record of 14918 pounds of milk, 883.36 pounds of butterfat, just completed by Birdie Owl of M. L. P. 415227 is most creditable and ranks her among the Oregon persistent producers. It is certain that she will be given every opportunity in the Oregon herd of making a long-distance record. This is her second record, having produced 714 pounds of butterfat, and winning an A. J. C. C. Gold medal as a two-year-old.

In her first two lactation periods she has excelled the records made by Vive La France. Birdie producer 1598 pounds and Vive 1526 pounds of butterfat.

Birdie is owned by W. M. Ladd, Portland, Oregon.

Detroit.—The new Rickenbacker automobile plant is producing 20 cars a day. Orders from all parts of the country indicate that this will have to be increased shortly.

## COMFORTABLE PLACE FOR CHILD IN AUTO

### But Little Material Needed for Making Hammock.

Hammock Takes Up Room Usually Occupied by Third Person Riding in Rear Seat and is Easily Attached or Detached.

Six screen-door springs, a barrel hoop, and a yard of heavy cloth were the materials necessary to make a baby's hammock for the auto coach, which gives useful service and comfort. The hammock takes the place of the third person in the rear seat, as shown. It can be quickly attached or detached, and swings baby safe from jolting. The hoop was from a barrel, 16 inches in diameter, and was cut in half, each half holding one end of the hammock. These half hoops were held 80 inches apart by means of heavy



The Baby is Thoroughly Comfortable on Dolly Auto Always When Resting in the Hammock.

cloth sewed to them. Attached to each half hoop are three screen-door springs, cut the right length to hold the hammock in a nearly horizontal position, when the baby is not in it. The springs are wired to a ring at each end, and the rings slip over hooks at the supports. When baby and the pillows are placed in the hammock, it sags down just enough to be comfortable. The blanket and pillows can be placed to cover the springs also, thus accommodating a larger child.—Popular Mechanics Magazine.

Oil the spark and throttle lever connections at intervals.

Common stove polish will keep the rims in good condition.

The right temperature for the motor to run is about 140 degrees Fahrenheit.

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Oregon City Auto Co.

609 Main Street

Phone 429

# COMMENT

## On Things Doing As Seen From Where We Stand

Conditions in Dublin still remind us of the old joke—If ye love me hit me, Pat, I'm spoilin' for a fight.

The president of the Mine Workers suggests that we nationalize the mines. Now we suppose the operators will suggest the nationalization of the miners.

Portland's Master Shoeshiners have lowered their prices to 10 cents, a thirty-three and one third per cent drop, which would be a radical reduction if applied to some things, coal miners wages for instance.

A man claims to know a weed that will cure the tobacco habit. We know what it is but don't know the name. They make five cent cigars of it.—Arizona Republican.

The Journal says that grocery prices may reach normalcy in 1924. Trouble is, there are so many different ideas as to what normalcy really is that it may be hard to reach all of them at the same time.

First, we are told, Congress had a farm bloc and now there is the tariff bloc, lead by Senator Gooding of Idaho, who, we suppose would be termed the bloc head. We also suppose there will now arise a bloc to block the bloc.

A New York criminalologist states that out of 22,000 criminals he has examined only four were college graduates, while in a test of 1000, seven per cent were high school graduates. The question arises, is this because education does not appeal to criminals or is it because criminals do not "take" when exposed to education.

Madame Joffre sallied forth to market and personally selected the materials for Papa Joffre's dinner, then prepared it with her own hands, thus exemplifying a characteristic of the French housewife, which played no small part in the late war. In France the joy of going to market on Market Day is more to the French housewife than a fire sale or dollar day to the American housewife and at the same time not half so hard on father.

A wholesale paper house has been established in Astoria called the Astoria Overseas corporation. This firm recently imported two cargoes of news print and craft paper for sale on the Pacific coast. We wonder that the Portland papers who have been crying the merits of Oregon products and the advisability of buying Oregon made goods do not have more to say on this subject.

One thing the world is greatly in need of is the ability to see the other fellows viewpoint. We wonder how the coal miner would feel about the strike if he were an operator, how the operator would feel if he were a miner and how either would feel if they were mere innocent bystanders who will ultimately pay the bill.

There are merchants and merchants.

A short time ago we had a fire—a big fire—and the fire boys, having dressed in a hurry, had left their money in their other pants. They needed cigarettes and asked a merchant to trust them for the price till the morning after. They got no cigarettes from him.

Another merchant when asked brought out cigarettes by the carton, gratis, and was glad of the chance.

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## REALTY TRANSFERS

Weekly Record of Property Changes Compiled From County Recorder's Office. List Includes Transfers up to Each Wednesday

Ashland—Property owners to help city in improvement of streets.

Hood River—Work resumed on new city reservoir.

Union—Contract let for laying water mains prior to paving.

Dallas experience building boom.

Coquille to get new shingle mill and cedar products factory.

La Grande—Local hotel to be enlarged and improved.

Grants Pass—Crescent City railroad to be completed.

Astoria—Bonds sold to purchase pipe for constructing water mains.

Of \$358,417.27 taxes to be collected this year in Lake county, \$155,000 to be used for educational purposes.

Union—Main streets to be paved.

Marshfield—Oregon Export Lumber Co. resumes operations.

Tillamook—Trask river to Tillamook river market road to be paved.

Lebanon—Armory nearing completion.

Turner—Willamette Valley Flax and Hemp Growers' Assn. purchases local flax plant.

Toledo—Contract let for 15 houses.

Wheeler—After 14 months idleness, local mill starts up with 117 men on payroll.

Estimated that Malheur county 1922 wool clip will reach 1,500,000 lbs.

Eugene—\$32,000 prunes shipped in one day.

State highway commission to let \$1,000,000 road contracts.

California-Oregon Power Co. to construct power line between Springfield and Cottage Grove.

St. Helens—Knights of Pythias planning to build lodge temple.

Hepner—Local telephone system receiving \$10,000 improvements.

Plans underway to complete St. Helens-Pittsburg market road.

Oregon City—New ferry across Willamette making regular schedule, reopening Pacific highway.

Banks—Contract let to clear and grub 50 acres land.

Reedsport—Winchester Bay Lbr. Co. extending logging railroad.

100 miles railroad to be constructed from Bear valley to Crane by way of Burns.

Portland—134 West Coast sawmills for week ending March 11, manufactured 80,590,443 feet of lumber; sold 67,727,681 feet; and shipped 76,213,927 feet.

Unfilled domestic cargo orders totaled 82290,745 feet; and unfilled export orders 80,441,973 feet.

Unfilled rail trade orders totaled 4,829 cars.

Eugene carpenter's union has reduced wage scale to \$6.00.

Dallas—Stock all subscribed for \$25,000 canery.

Pilot rock getting double modern fireproof business building.

Hood River—119 carloads apples sold for \$1.51 per box.

Carver railroad to extend nine miles to Viola on Clear Creek.

Shedd—Land owners plan to drain 3300 acres land.

Garibaldi—Local sawmill starts cutting dock planking.

Central Oregon highway from Florence east so far has cost \$1,450,000.

Dallas has a new cement brick factory.

Sandy—\$30,000 bonds to be voted on for erection of new high school.

Sumner—Smith-Powers Logging Co. to open camp soon.

Bend—Methodists to complete church.

Formation of union high school district with Canby as center gets approval.

Lebanon cannery to operate on large scale.

Ashland—Campaign started to boost building activities.

Aumsville—Contract let for new \$23,000 school building.

Washington has voted down 45 out of 48 initiative and referendum measures. They cost the state \$153,465 to submit. Oregon has defeated 114.

Income tax receipts for 1922 have fallen off \$300,000,000 so far. States planning to raise revenues by a state income tax would find themselves on a diminishing revenue.

## MARRIAGE LICENSE

Benjamin R. Wolfer, age 29, Aurora Rt. 4 to Violet V. Welch, age 17, Aurora Rt. 4.

Christ W. Borges, age 30, Boring Rt. 3 to Lois Mullinnox, age 27, Boring Rt. 3.

Glen G. Bogart, age 23, Portland, to Alice M. Dodge, age 19, Canby.

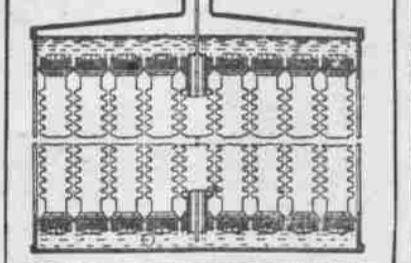
## RADIATOR FOR AUTOMOBILES

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 cooling devices, and is particularly adapted for use as a radiator for automobiles, but may be used wherever it is

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

Oregon City does ordain as follows:



## Independent Service Station

OAK GROVE Associated Gasoline Cars, 26c Trucks, 25c Western Oil, 20c per qt. or 53c per gallon 10 gallons or over, at 40c Eastern Oil, 30c per qt. or 90c per gallon Kerosene, 18c per gallon These Oils Are Absolutely Guaranteed Cylcol, 75c TUBES VULCANIZED, 25c

## CLEAR VISION IS GIVEN

To obtain a clear view ahead through the glass of the windshield in rainy and snowy weather is vitally important to the safety of the motor car and its occupants. Many schemes are used to keep the glass clear in wet weather, but perhaps the old-fashioned alcohol and glycerin mixture, which is carried in a small bottle and rubbed on the glass as needed, is best. If the bottle containing the solution is wrapped in a cloth and stowed away in the side pocket it will always be ready for use and a cloth to apply it with will be at hand.

## A View Partly in Section, Showing the Arrangement of Tubes.

Section 1. That there be and hereby is appropriated the sum of \$500.00 out of the general fund as payment to Oregon City-West Linn Ferry Co., for the purpose of assisting and maintaining transportation across the Willamette River.

## ORDINANCE NO.—

An Ordinance appropriating the sum of \$500.00 out of the general fund as payment to Oregon City-West Linn Ferry Co., for the purpose of assisting and maintaining transportation across the Willamette River, and declaring an emergency.

Oregon City does ordain as follows:



Acetylene torches are science's most modern method of welding and repairing any metal work.

Our complete equipment and skilled workers in this line enables us to repair practically every kind of a break in or on your car, especially such mishaps as bursted water jackets, cylinder heads, cracked cylinders, broken frames and the like. And we can do it at a nominal cost.

ON THE HILL Oregon City Welding & Brazing Shop 615 - 7th Street

Section 2. The Mayor and Recorder of Oregon City be and hereby are authorized to draw a warrant in favor of Oregon City-West Linn Ferry Co., in the amount of \$500.00 for the purposes mentioned in Section 1 of this ordinance.

Section 3. It is hereby adjudged and declared that existing transportation conditions across the Willamette River, are such that this ordinance is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety, and an emergency is hereby declared to exist, and this ordinance shall take effect and be in full force and effect from and after its approval by the mayor.

Read first time at a regular meeting of the city council held on April 5th, 1922, at 7:00 o'clock P. M., and ordered published to come up for second reading and passage at a special meeting of the city council to be held on the 18th day of April 1922, at 7:30 o'clock P. M.

C. W. KELLY, Recorder.

Section 1. That there be and hereby is appropriated the sum of \$650.00 out of the general fund in payment for 500 feet of hose purchased of A. G. Long & Co., and declaring an emergency.

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Section 2. Whereas the fire department of Oregon City is in immediate need of the hose described in section 1 of this Ordinance, and the purchase of the same is necessary for the immediate preservation of the health and safety of the public, in the judgment of the city council of Oregon City, an emergency is hereby declared to exist, and this ordinance shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its approval by the mayor.

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**YOUR CHANCE**  
To Hear Rev.  
**DR. DICKEY**  
THE NOTED  
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