

AND NOW, AT LAST, A FEW LEXINGTONS

Isaac Brunn Gets Results on Visit to Factory.

HIS ALLOTMENT IS BIGGER

And Wait! When New Lex-Sedan Arrives, He Predicts, There'll Be One Grand Mob Scene.

Isaac Brunn, of the Brunn Motor Car company, distributor here for the Lexington Minute-Man six, returned last week from a trip to the Lexington factory at Connersville, Ind., with the pleasing information that at last he is going to get a real supply of cars to fill the demands from his territory.

For several months Mr. Brunn has been substituting on occasional shipments of Lexingtons, all of which were sold long before they reached here. Shipments by wire were of no avail, so finally he packed up and hastened back to the factory to see what a personal appeal could do.

He was informed that the increase in factory facilities will make it possible greatly to increase his allotment and that results will be felt at once in increased shipments of cars. Already several carloads are on the way.

Mr. Brunn was mightily impressed by the vogue in enclosed cars in all the eastern cities. He avers that the proportion back there is pretty close to three closed cars to two open ones.

Women Demand Them. "One thing I have noticed about enclosed cars," said Mr. Brunn, "that is that after a man has bought one he never will have any more after that. The woman folks are strong factors in the gaining popularity of the enclosed model.

Lighter Than Most Sedans. With the four wide doors, access to the interior of the car is unobstructed. The car will seat comfortably, with the aid of auxiliary seats, seven passengers.

Future Promises Compact Equipment for Machines. It is becoming quite apparent that practical and useful radio equipment for automobiles is not far away. Experimenters have been working with the problem for years, with some measure of success, but generally embarrassed by the awkwardness of the necessary antenna.

Better Cooling. Two pieces of thin metal fastened under the hood in such a manner that the wind from the fan will be deflected more directly against the cylinders and away from the intake manifold will increase the cooling function and also protect the ingoing gasoline mixture.

Storage Battery Mounting. If the storage battery is not secured tightly in its place, the vibration and jolts of ordinary travel may very readily break some of the jars.

Jentle Jabz. By Christy Walsh. THE DUKE OF DEALERS. DING things by halves is the shiftest way. It never brings success. If you are so afflicted there is one consolation—the best half of the year is at hand.

Another View on the Detour Between Cascade Locks and Hood River. A veteran motorist who has achieved a remarkable record for tire longevity claims that he has done so by the use of oversize tires, fitted with interliners, and the common use of inner tubes. The experiment would not be very costly at any rate.

HARD TIMES AHEAD FOR THE AUTO THIEF

Quick Action Expected in Proposed National Law.

HOUSE PASSES DYER BILL

Measure Makes Interstate Transportation of Stolen Cars Subject to Penitentiary.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 4.—Early and favorable action is expected in the senate on the bill providing a punishment by fine or imprisonment or both for the transportation of stolen motor vehicles in interstate or foreign commerce.

THIS CAR IS THE ALLEN FOUR, A NEW ARRIVAL HERE.



The D. C. Warren Motor Car company has taken the distribution of the Allen, which as the photograph shows is a snappy looking little car, for Oregon and southwestern Washington, in conjunction with the Velle six and the Peerless eight.

with his work. There are those, too, who do not even use an excise for the repair of a car or tire to block traffic in this manner. There are those who stop to rest by the roadside or to visit at some nearby farmhouse.

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This picture was taken near the summit of the long climb over a ridge which the old road takes between the gravel pit beyond Herman Lake ranger station and Wyeth. This detour is 3.6 miles long. In wet weather it is soft and bad.

dollars every year. It is growing worse. The total number of cars reported stolen in 18 western and middle western cities during 1918 was 23,273. The city of Detroit headed the list with 2437 cars stolen; Chicago, second, 2411; St. Louis, third, 2241.

Table showing stolen cars by city: Chicago (2437), St. Louis (2241), Detroit (2011), Kansas City (1844), Denver (1827), Omaha (1689), Columbus, O. (1621), Cincinnati (1522), San Francisco (1499), Los Angeles (1489), Oakland (1385), Seattle (1370), Portland (1297), Salt Lake City (1284), Indianapolis (1271), Cleveland (1266).

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MACK TRUCKS IN DEMAND

Shortage of Freight Cars Reflected in Increased Sales. The freight car shortage which is beginning to be seriously felt in many parts of the country has already had its effect upon the sales of motor trucks.

SEPARATE ROADS LIKELY. TRUCKS AND CARS TO GO DIFFERENT WAYS. At Least That Is Possibility of Near Future, Says Chairman of Good Roads Body.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 4.—Separate highways for freight and passenger traffic are probabilities of the comparatively near future in congested sections of the country, according to George C. Diehl, chairman of the American Automobile association's good roads board.

Cleaning Agents. Washing soda, kerosene and plain soap and water should be the cleaning agents used by the car owners for cleaning parts, tools, about the garage. Gasoline is not as good as these others and it costs considerably more.

Increased Mileage. A veteran motorist who has achieved a remarkable record for tire longevity claims that he has done so by the use of oversize tires, fitted with interliners, and the common use of inner tubes.

Medicine by Airplane. An airplane and a Hudson Super-Six were the principal actors in a race against time to save a woman's life recently, when a doctor's prescription was rushed from San Francisco to Stockton, Cal., in less than an hour.

State Laws Fall Short. "There has been and is now a most widespread demand for such a law," Representative Dyer in urging the passage of the measure by the house.

Oil Filter. As a means of separating dirt, metal dust and such from used oil a filter made in the following manner will be found very efficient.

DO YOU KNOW THAT—Motor gasoline has dropped in specific gravity test from 60.5% to 55% and increased in boiling points from 300 degrees to 455 degrees Fahrenheit?

REPUBLIC TRUCKS

90 Republic Trucks Used by Transfer Companies in Portland. A Truck Is No More Efficient Than the Service That Goes With It.

Roberts Motor Car Co., Inc. 305 Main Street, Vancouver, Wash. Park and Everett Sts., Portland, Oregon.

Ford THE UNIVERSAL CAR. The Ford Coupe seems to fit right into the Real Estate business, not alone because of its convenience and always readiness to take the prospective buyer out to the subdivision, but to take him or her in a mighty comfortable motor car.

of freight roads and passenger roads, and that wider and parallel roads would be found to be the most economical method of laying out the highway system.

Use on White Passenger Trucks Increases Scope. A class of service in which the advantage of the use of big pneumatic cord tires is becoming increasingly prominent is the operation of big passenger buses and mail coaches.

PNEUMATICS IN NEW ZEALAND. Use on White Passenger Trucks Increases Scope. A class of service in which the advantage of the use of big pneumatic cord tires is becoming increasingly prominent.

BRUSSELS TO PARIS BY AIR. Daily Service Now Maintained for Passengers and Freight. A daily air service for passengers and merchandise has been established between Brussels and Paris.

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