

89-Year-Old Veteran Paints Earl Cooper's Entry in Race

Beautiful Finish of Studebaker Special Is Work of Man Who Painted Studebaker Vehicles Nearly 70 Years Ago

INDIANAPOLIS, May 31.—Some weeks ago Earl Cooper and his mechanic, Earl Dutton, were tuning up the Studebaker Special out in Los Angeles, after winning a race on the west coast. They noticed a snow-haired veteran who was intensely interested.

"He used to keep his eyes focused on the tiny Studebaker. The car seemed to have some strange fascination for him. Both Dutton and Cooper noticed it. So one day Cooper said to him:

"Mister, you seem to admire that midget gas gondola. Does it look good to you?"

"He laughed, and I swear, there were tears in his eyes. He put his hand affectionally on the radiator, and said:

"Son, that car is just like a grandson o' mine. Just like my own flesh and blood. Why? When I was a youth, I was helpin' to make Studebakers myself."

"Yes, I was hired by Clem and J. M. Studebaker, back in South Bend nearly 70 years ago, to paint the carriages they made. We took a blessed lot of pride in fixin' up those carriages. And now—here's this Studebaker racer. Some different from the old carriages, but still a Studebaker."

Gets His Job Back
The aged man was N. M. Henderson, 89-years old, one of Los Angeles' oldest citizens. When he was 19 years old he was painting Studebaker wagons and carriages. And so Earl Cooper, delighted to repaint his car, delighted

kept and then set fire to it. The man was burned to death. Meanwhile two policemen, attracted by the cries of the tortured gipsy arrived on the scene. As they entered the room in which the gipsy woman was locked, she fired and killed one of them and was herself shot dead by the other.

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So, with the exception of certain essential accessories, the products of General Motors of Canada are built in Canada.

SALEM TEACHERS LIKE CITY ONE HERE FOR FIFTY YEARS 150 ARE ENGAGED IN TEACHING

How long teachers remain in one city and how much experience has the average teacher in the Salem public schools are some of the questions answered in a comprehensive report covering the length of service and year's experience of the 150 teachers in Salem recently compiled by Miss Carlotta Crowley, elementary supervisor. The report shows that teachers engaged in the city at present have been here from two months to 40 years and have had from three months experience to 50 years in the teaching profession. Teachers in the elementary schools remain longer in the service than those in either the junior high schools or Salem high school.

Elementary teachers have a median of three years in Salem, with a mean of 6.03 years while they have a median experience of 10 years, with a mean of 14.96 years. Median is used to denote the middle most number above and below which exactly half the number lie. There are 59 teachers in this group. Junior high school teachers are second, with a median of three years in Salem and a mean of 4.1, while in experience the report shows they have a median of 6 1/2 years with a mean of 8.76 years. There are 48 teachers in this group. Of the 43 teachers in high school, 10 have had more than 10 years experience and only three have been here more than 10 years. The median length in the local system is two years, with a mean of 3.9 years. The median amount of experience is 6 1/2 years, with a mean of 7.75 years.

Of the 59 teachers in the elementary grades, time spent in Salem varies between two months to 40 years. Eleven of the teachers have been here for two years; nine for one year and seven for three years. Three have been in Salem for 3 1/2 years, 6 years and 8 years respectively. Two each have been here 1 1/2 years, 4 years, 5 years, 9 years, 14 years and 17 years. One teacher each has put in two months, one-half year, 2 1/2 years; 6 1/2 years; 7 years; 11 years; 13 years, 18, 23, 28 and 40 years. Of these teachers one has been engaged in the profession for 40 years, with the others having the following amount of practical experience; six, 2 years; five, 10 years; three, 5 years; 6 years, 7 years, 13 years and 31 years. Two teachers each have had the following years experience; 3 years, 4 years, 5 1/2 years, 11 years, 12 years, 15 years and 18 years. Included in the individual records are the following; three months, 1 year; 4 1/2 years, 6 1/2 years, 8 1/2 years, 9 years, 11 1/2 years, 14 years, 14 1/2 years, 16 and 17 years, 19, 21, 22, 25 1/2, 27, 28, 32 and 40 years experience each.

In the junior high school, with a corps of 48 teachers, the length in Salem is 13 teachers, 1 year; 8 teachers, 2 years and seven teachers, 4 years. Others are four teachers, 3 years; three teachers, 5 years; two teachers, 6 years, 9 years and 13 years each. Individual teachers and their length of service are one-half year, 3 1/2 years, 5 1/2 years, 7, 8, 16 and 17 years each. Of this group 16 teachers have had one year experience, with four teachers each having 4 years and 9 years experience each. Three have had 2 years, 3 years and 8 1/2 years each. Two teachers have been engaged in this line of work for 5 years, 6 years, 7 years, 10 years, 11 years, and 14 years respectively. One teacher has had each of the following years' of experience: 2 1/2 years, 3 1/2 years, 4 1/2 years, 5 1/2 years, 6 1/2 years, 9 1/2 years, 15, 16, 19, 23, 30, 31 and 50 years each.

None of the Salem high school

teachers have been in the city less than one year, there being 12 in this group, an no teacher has had less than one year's experience, of which there are three. Seven teachers have been here 2 years, five for 4 years, and four for 5 and 6 years each. Three teachers have been here for 1 1/2 years with two teachers 3 years. One has been here for each of the following lengths of time; 2 1/2 years, 3 1/2 years, 8 years, 10 years, 13 years and 14 years. Four of the teachers have had 2 years and 4 years practical work each, with three teachers the following amount of experience each; 1 ear, 7 years and 10 years. Two teachers each are 3 year, 3 1/2 years, 4 1/2 years, 6 years, 8 years, 9 years, 14 years, and 15 years. Individual teachers and their experience are 1 1/2, 5, 6 1/2, 7 1/2, 11, 12, 13, 18, 23 and 32 years each.

Qualifications for teaching are also listed in Miss Crowley's report, and of the 59 teachers in the elementary schools 71% meet the requirement for grade teachers and 29% fall below the standard requirements. Of these four have college degrees, 38 are normal school graduates and three have had one year of normal school work. Four are high school graduates with methods studied in the summer schools; 1 has had 1 1/2 normal school work, two are high school graduates and seven have had three years of high school work with additional methods.

Of the 48 teachers in the junior high schools, 83% have met standard requirements and only 17% fall below. Of this number, five are teaching special work and have special certificates. Twenty of the 48 have college degrees and four have had three years of college work; 16 are normal school

U. S. MARINES DOING THEIR "DAILY DOZEN" SO THEY CAN LIVE UP TO THEIR "DEVIL DOGS" REPUTATION



It is Uncle Sam's boast that his Marines are ready for any emergency. The physical requirements for enlistment are rigid, but most important of all is good physical

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graduates. Two are teaching on special certificates and five are high school graduates with summer school work. One is a graduate of high school and has a half year of normal school.

Teachers in the high school rate the highest, for of the 43 engaged, 84% have met the requirements and only 16% fall below the standard requirements. Teachers having charge of special work make up this latter class. Five of the high school faculty have master of arts degrees and 31 have college degrees. Four have had three years in college, one has had two years in special art school and one each is a normal school and business college graduate. Those who have not had four years of college training are vocational teachers.

Regarding the summer school session, 62 1/2% of the elementary teachers employed for three years have not attended any session in the last three years. Fifteen plan to attend this summer, with three

undecided. Nine attended the session in 1923. Sixty-eight per cent of the teachers employed in the junior high schools for three years and over have not attended in three years, and 85.7% who have been here five years and over have not attended in the last five years. Fourteen plan to attend this year while five are undecided. Eight attended in 1923. In the high school, 63% who have been here three years or over have not attended in the last three years and 75% who have been here for five years or over have not attended in the last five years. Eight will attend this summer while four are undecided. In 1923 nine teachers attended summer schools.

Charlie (over phone)—I want to see you in the worst way, dear-est.

Mary (over phone)—Well—I usually get up around 10 a. m.

Reaction in Business Expected in England

LONDON, May 31.—Trade prospects in Great Britain are not rosy, and no great movement can be looked for during the coming three months. This is the opinion of experts of the Federation of British Industries, who closely watch the movements of the business "barometer."

In a report sent out to hundreds of traders and manufacturers, the federation says the marked improvement in trade during the past three months is nearing culmination, and as soon as the impetus of the movement has spent itself there may be a slight reaction. Abolition of the McKenna duties will plunge vital industries into a condition that is likely to ruin their programs for years to come.

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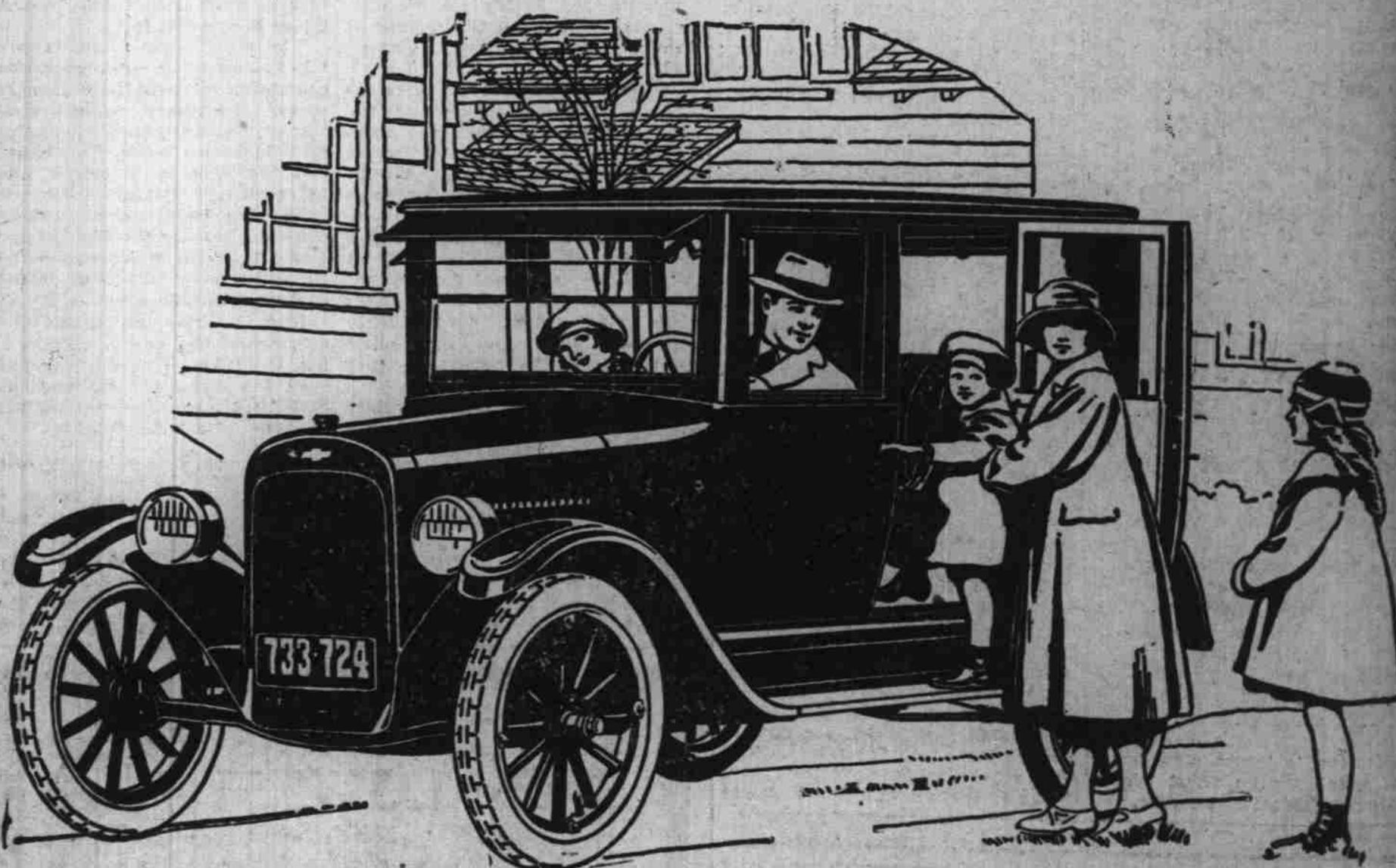
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