

Buick Announces New 1946 Models



BUICK INTRODUCES its first models for 1946 with production emphasis on this Series 50 Super four-door sedan which is first to come from the assembly lines. Mounted on a 124-inch wheelbase chassis its improved design incorporates full airflow fenders, new theft-proof rear wheel shields, completely restyled radiator grille and bumper assembly and other appearance refinements. The straight eight, valve-in-head engine has precision-bored and specially honed cylinder barrels and features the dome-shaped combustion chamber characteristic of the Buick fireball design. Numerous mechanical and equipment improvements have been effected. In all, three lines of Buick cars will be manufactured, in nine body models.

Farmers Union Convention Hears Officers Reports

Seventeen of Marion county locals and some Folk and Clackamas units of the Farmers Union were in Salem Saturday.

Wendell Barnett of Gervais, assisted by Mrs. Frank Way of Central Howell, secretary, conducted the meeting. Mrs. Way played for group singing which was led by Mrs. J. R. Carruthers of Bethel local. Ralph Stevens, Central Howell, served as conductor. Members of the credentials committee were J. W. Isely, Roberts local, and Mrs. Willis Caldwell, Keizer.

The panel discussion on "Place of the Farmers Union program in the national economy" brought out its five point plan, emphasis

on the family type farm; conservation of natural resources; conservation of human resources; program of education; full employment and cooperative movement.

The report of the educational committee was presented by Mrs. F. P. Runcorn of Gervais. The organization committee report emphasizing plans for building membership was given by Harley Libby of Marion. Henry Torvend, Central Howell, cooperative chairman, called on Doc Eby, general manager of the Farmer Union warehouses and stores in the valley, to report on their activities.

Unlike the English language, the Japanese has little or no accent upon individual syllables, except where certain vowels are prolonged.

Announcement of Civil Service Head Delayed

Election of a permanent director of the state civil service commission, created by an act of the 1945 legislature, probably will not be announced until late in November, it was indicated at a meeting of the commission here Monday.

The civil service system applies to all state employees.

Applications for the position of director are now being received by the commission and examinations will be held later in various sections of the United States. Members of the commission said several applications had been received but their names and addresses were not divulged. Most of Monday's meeting was devoted to routine business.

Commission members are J. N. Chambers, Salem, chairman; Mrs. Effie Turneure, Hood River, and A. C. Cammack, Portland.

Dean Maris Tells Chamber of Commerce of Hanford Work

A college dean of women who found she had something to learn about her profession from industry kept 200 Salem Chamber of Commerce luncheon customers listening and laughing as she addressed them Monday.

Dean Buena Maris of Oregon State college, loaned to the Hanford atomic bomb project as a "sort of dean of women" last year, told how barbed wire entanglements around women's barracks proved effective in "keeping the wolf away from the door".

But her address, presented on the occasion of the chamber's observance of National Business Women's week, was not all humorous.

Morale Is Platform

Morale to Dean Maris is "the platform on which we stand." The old, established bases for morale had to be bolstered at Hanford with artificial stimulus, she declared.

She told how a circus tent serving on weekdays as a theatre became a Catholic church on Sundays. "like a cathedral", one girl worshiper found it. How an auditorium which would seat 4500 persons was constructed in 10 days, a shopping center installed in Hanford to keep young women on the job, welfare agencies brought in, Camp Fire girls organized—all these were described briefly and colorfully by the speaker.

High Quality Praised

The high calibre of the Dupont executives and the girls employed in the Dupont offices was praised by Mrs. Maris.

Safety and health factors of living quarters were stressed as the new little city grew, and the Oregon college dean declared she found herself more conscious today of those same factors in the accommodations provided for college students.

Secrets Kept Well

Dean Maris maintained there had never been a greater or more successful experiment in the ability of human beings to keep secrets than at Hanford. Much of the problem of morale building lay in the fact, she said that no one could point to a product and say "We made that last week; we will make 10 more this week. Learning that the project had been for production of the atomic bomb, she was at first sickened, then proud as she realized that every word she had told young women employees about their work helping shorten the war and save the lives of American men was true.

Brother Bilgerig Dies at Mt. Angel

MT. ANGEL, Oct. 8 (Special) Brother Augustine Bilgerig, 78, resident at Mt. Angel since 1890, died Saturday night after an illness of three years. Funeral services will be held Tuesday morning at 7:30 at the Abbey chapel. Interment will be in Abbey cemetery.

Brother Bilgerig was born in Switzerland on January 16, 1867. He came to Mt. Angel in 1890 and entered the novitiate in 1892. In 1893 he became a religious brother. He celebrated his golden jubilee at his work in 1943. Bilgerig was foreman of the Abbey milk ranch at Crooked Finger for 35 years. For the past 14 years he has been porter at the Abbey.

Services for A. H. Fuestman Set Wednesday

Funeral services will be held for August Herman Fuestman, 79, of 1420 East Turner rd., who died Sunday, at 4:30 a.m., at his residence. Services will be Wednesday, at 1:30 p.m. in the W. T. Rigdon chapel, with Rev. S. Raynor Smith officiating with concluding services at Belcrest Memorial Park.

Born in Lee County, Ill., December 31, 1865, he moved with his family first to Mt. Vernon, Ill., and later to Oregon, where he bought a farm in 1912, in the Bethel district east of Salem. He was prominent in the grange for many years. Last June he moved to Salem with his family.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Carrie Fuestman, Salem; son, Oliver Fuestman, Salem; daughter, Mrs. William Gleim, Dixon, Ill.; brothers, Albert Fuestman, Salem, Henry F. Fuestman, Neb., and George and Fred, Ill.; sisters, Kathryn Fuestman, and Mrs. Ogle Weisenal, both of Ill.

Evangelist Services To Be in Baptist Church

All three daily services of the Congress for Evangelism now being held in Salem are to be at the First Baptist church, the 14 co-operating Salem ministers announced Monday night.

Earlier schedules had called for daylight meetings at the church with evening sessions at the armory or the high school auditorium. When it was found that the church could be made available, the change was made to avoid confusion and to make it easier

for persons without transportation attend, the Rev. Jack Faskell said.

Demolay Chapter Elects Dick Barber to Post

Chemeketa chapter of the Order of Demolay elected Dick Barber master councillor at its meeting Monday night, named Don Davis senior councillor and Joe Brazie junior councillor.

New officers will be installed Monday night, October 22, at the Masonic temple, the ceremony to be followed by dancing and refreshments in honor of the new officers.

Petitions for Public Utility Districts Out

Reports here Monday indicated that petitions for the creation of peoples utility districts are being circulated in both Marion and Klamath counties and will soon be filed with the state hydro-electric commission of which Charles E. Stricklin, state engineer, is secretary.

The Marion county district would include all territory in the county with the exception of the city of Salem. The Klamath county district would embrace the entire county.



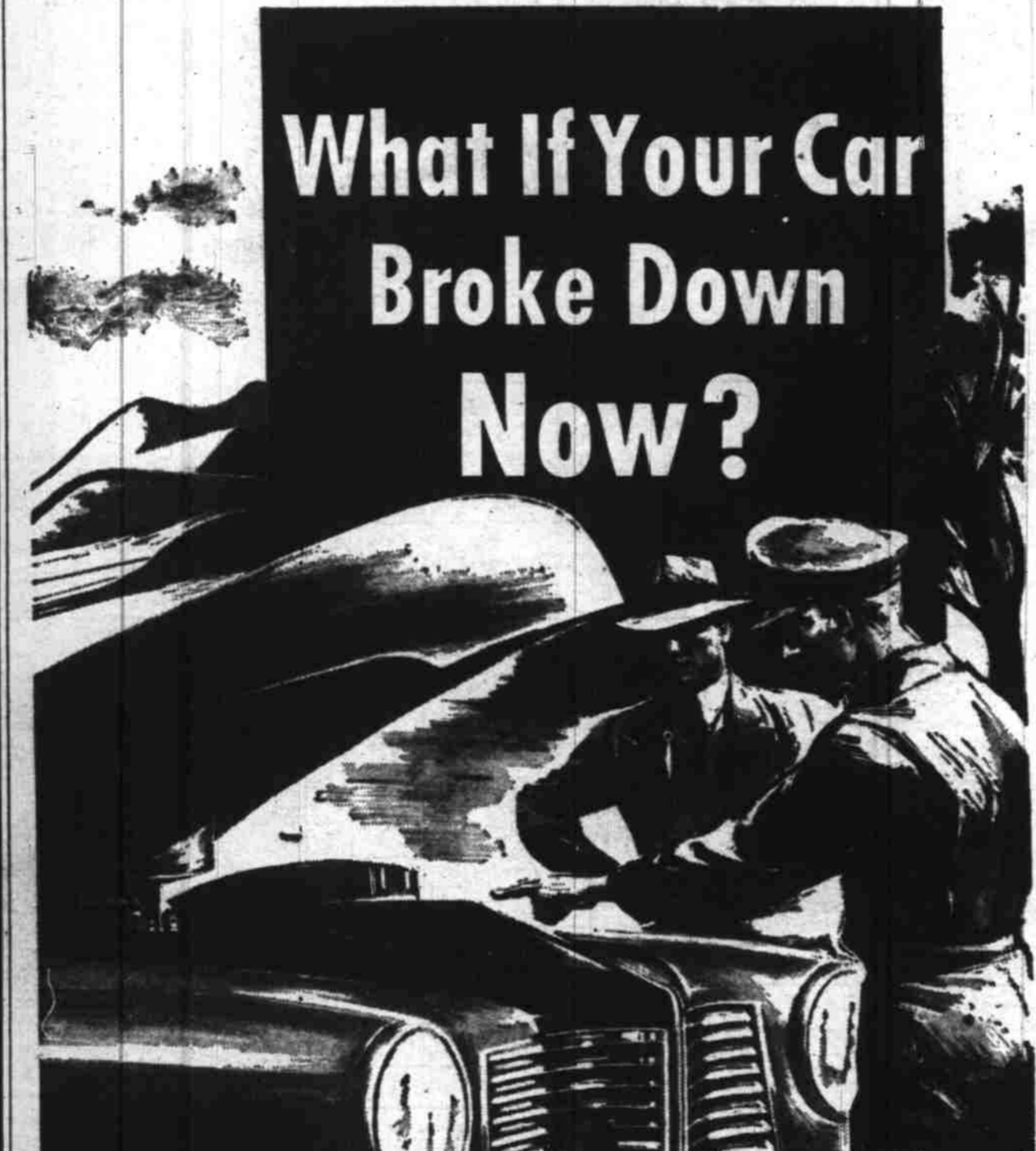
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