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Overlooking Lake on Roosevelt Highway across from Golf Club; one-half mile from Ocean.  
Streams — Bays — Mountains — Lake — Ocean.

# SALE Saturday, Sun., Mon.

## May 28 29 30

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### Sherman County Field Meet and Declamatory Contest is Success

RECEIPTS TOTALED \$300.00

More Interest Shown than for Years  
More Cups "B" Division Cup  
Wanted the Other Two

The largest crowd that has assembled at the annual Sherman county field meet for years congregated at Grass Valley Friday, May 20. The receipts for the day were \$300.00. Added interest was caused from the new features of the meet. The indoor baseball championship was played between the Rufus and Moro girls' teams. Rufus won the game by a score of 28 to 6. Rufus lost the tennis team game to Kent by a score of 5 to 2.

The track and field events were run off in half the time it has taken recently; the track events of one division being performed while the field events of another division were in progress. The official score shows that Harold Payne of Wasco high school was the high point man and Alphon Powell of Moro high school was the high point girl.

The judges were: Ross Guilford, Cullie Moore, Leslie Payne, Herbert Root, J. W. Shepard, and J. F. Ryan. The starter was Roscoe Moore. The points made by each of the four competing divisions were Rufus 22, Wasco 11 1/2, Moro 5 1/2, Grass Valley 2 1/2.

Winners of the Declamatory Contest

Division C: Margaret Johnson, Wasco, 1st; Anna Coats, Rufus, and Helen Wilson, Kent, tied for second; Pauline Piery, Grass Valley, 3rd.

Division B: Evelyn Nelson, Kent, 1st; Jean Powell, Moro, 2nd; Louise Metz, Wasco, 3rd.

Division A: Velma Powell, Moro, 1st; Ethel Helyer, Kent, 2nd; Noble Powell, Grass Valley, 3rd.

### State Motor Association

There are so many organized groups of people engaged in such a variety of tasks which they have made peculiarly their own, that it is not always possible to give each the recognition which is due. One of these, which has served long and faithfully, is the Oregon State Motor Association, which has in one way and another, sponsored the automobile and the roads which its use made necessary, since the automobiles were in Oregon.

Twenty-two years ago about forty automobile owners organized what was known as the Portland Automobile club. Mr. Sol Sumner was elected president and the purpose of the club was declared to be the protection of the interests of individual motorists and the creation of a spirit of cooperation between them.

Within the first year, means were held at the old Irvington track, to raise funds for along the Lincoln road, and the sponsor of that first bit of dustless highway will be remembered by the venturesome few who undertook to drive cars over the country road of the period. How easily do we forget the slow torture of such a drive as that from Portland to Forest Grove, for instance the road a mere series of bumps and chubbles, heavily overcast with mud or dust, according to the season.

But twenty years ago the Automobile club had the vision of roads as and where they should be. They made the first survey of the Columbia river to determine the feasibility of a highway up its gorge. In the first year's report the president suggests "Another road this club should take action upon at once is Government Camp and Mount Hood road and your road committees is now giving this its consideration."

So early the club sought to solve the problems created by the automobile and to increase the popularity of the new vehicle by making its use easy and pleasant. The parking problem was something not even these enthusiasts could foresee, for an early report boasts "It is gratifying for me to state that there are 243 owners of automobiles in this city."

In 1916 the old Portland club was reorganized and incorporated under the present name of Oregon State Motor association, and the organization still continues its activities, made more varied and extensive with the multiplication of motors and the growing demands for roads to run them on.

Those of us who remember the physical depths of Oregon's early and gladly bestow a word of well merited praise to an organization which has led the way to burying so much of it in concrete and supplying a convenient service to the traveler along our new and splendid highways.



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# Thank You, Moro

For the wonderful patronage you gave my show Saturday night and my "pledge" to you will be the BEST PICTURES PRODUCED to be screened in the Moro Theatre. Watch My Ads.  
—Newton Crossfield.

## MORO THEATRE

SATURDAY

The Famous Dog RIN - TIN - TIN

— IN —

### "Clash of the Wolves"

HIS MOST APPEALING PICTURE  
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COMEDY — NEWS

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SATURDAY — ONLY

OH! BOY!

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— in —

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SUNDAY — SPECIAL

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ADMISSION 10c and 30c

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### Grade Crossing Accidents

Secretary of Commerce Herbert Hoover has agreed to act as head of a special committee which will select the winners in the contest now being conducted by the American Railway Association among school and college students for the best essays on the subject of how to prevent grade crossing accidents, according to an announcement by the American Railway Association through the Western Railway committee on public relations.

Three cash prizes of \$250 each will be awarded for the best essay by a grammar school student, another for the best essay by a high school student and another for the best essay by a college student.

The awards will be based on the best essays containing the most outstanding, readily available suggestion for preventing highway grade crossing accidents. Arrangements are being made whereby the authors of the three winning essays will be given a trip to Washington, where the cash prizes will be distributed.

In connection with the essay contest and in addition to the methods already in force to provide greater safety at grade crossings, as well as to increase interest on the part of both the railroads and the public in the necessity for continued care being exercised at highway grade crossings, the railroads this year will conduct an intensive campaign in an effort to reduce the number of such accidents. The railroads are prompted in this move by the fact that last year 5,921 highway grade crossing accidents occurred, in which 2,492 persons were killed and 6,991 were injured. In 1925, there were 5,479 accidents in which 2,206 persons were killed and 6,555 were injured.

With more than twenty-two million automobiles now in use and the number constantly increasing, the hazard from such accidents is annually becoming greater and it is only through the cooperation of the public and the railroads that reduction in such accidents can be brought about, especially in view of the fact the elimination of highway grade crossings is both physically and financially impossible.

### England Laughs at Story

Many prominent Englishmen still think they are being "spoofed" when anyone tells them actual truths about the use of electricity in the United States.

Lord Richemond in arguing for a new electric power law to stimulate and promote electrical power development in England said: "I have been told that in the United States, if you pass a lot of an electric oven, you can immediately carry out such processes in cooking as you desire, and the electric current declines automatically as the joint is cooked."

This little story was greeted with derisive laughter, causing Lord Richemond to add that he heard the tale from a man who never made a joke in all his life.

Members of the British Labor Commission do not laugh at such stories. They have been over here, and know that American prosperity is due largely to our amazing use of electricity.

Repairing kitchen walls at frequent intervals with fresh paint keeps away all insects and pests, and fills cracks and crevices.

### New Ford Car Comes Soon

According to dispatches coming from Detroit, Michigan, and printed in the newspapers on Wednesday, a new Ford automobile with four cylinders and gear shift will be on the market about August 1.

The story got out through the purchase of 111 model "T" Ford cars at a discount by Theodore W. Koble, secretary of the police department of that city. The cars were for the use of the police department of Detroit.

Martin R. Hesse, vice president and manufacturer manager of the Detroit Motor Sales company of Detroit, confirmed the statement of the introduction of the new car by the Ford interests by stating to the city council of Detroit at the time the 111 cars were purchased that "We expect to have samples of the new cars by August 1, but it will take 30 or 60 days to deliver a large size order. Old parts will continue to be made for five years."

This news, when generally known to automobile buyers, will put a crisp into the value of Ford cars on the resale market through the fact that no replacement parts will be made by Ford "after five years" from next August.

### Big Pictures Are Coming

Moro Theatre  
Newton Crossfield, Director

### World's highest honors

Hotpoint electric ranges were given the world's highest honors at the Sesqui-centennial Exposition.

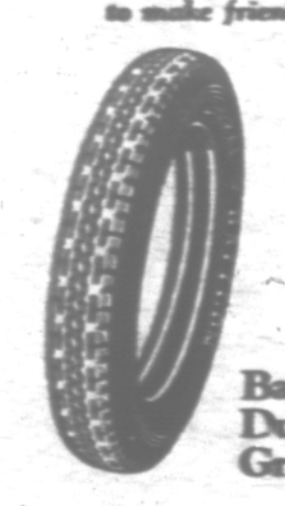
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