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Motor Cars Necessary To Army Transportation

There is no doubt that the motor car is a necessity in business and civil life today. Neither is there any doubt that it is equally necessary in the military service of the United States, both overseas and on this side.

The military service of the United States, both overseas and on this side. The Quartermaster Corps, the Aviation section of the Signal Corps, the Ordnance department and other sections of the army are using hundreds of motor cars and motor trucks, and adding great numbers to the fleets already in service here and across the Atlantic.

Though the government has asked that manufacturers curtail their production of passenger cars for civilian use, there has been no curtailment so far as military cars are concerned. These are leaving Detroit factories in great fleets, being driven overland to army camps or to Atlantic seaports for shipment abroad.

The army has taken a leaf out of the book of civilian life, and quickly learned that economical transportation of men and materials, and rapid communication between distant points is best accomplished by motor vehicles.

One of the first factories in Detroit to produce cars for army use was the Dodge Brothers works. This production is now moving at top speed, and large numbers of Dodge Brothers motor cars and business cars are sent forward at frequent intervals. All are olive drab in finish and the business cars for the Quartermaster Corps are fitted with special tops specified by that department.

LOOK INTO THE BERRY BUSINESS.

(Aurora Observer.)
The Pheasant Northwest Products company of Salem have sent out an appeal to "Greater Willamette Valley Boosters" to aid in extending the berry business as the basis of greater company, the industry, the development of the hop industry, the development of berry culture comes at a most opportune time. A practically world wide market has been established during the last two years for Willamette Valley fruit pro-



DIET KITCHEN OF AMERICAN RED CROSS IN FRANCE.

ducts, and the supply of berries is far below the demand. Growers may now make term contracts with responsible companies at prices that will yield handsome profits. The development and extension of this industry means greater individual and community prosperity.

The berry industry—the culture of loganberries, raspberries, strawberries, gooseberries, and blackberries—promises more today than any other line of agriculture in this section. Local farmers should look into the business thoroughly. Investigation costs nothing and may lead them into an industry that will bring big returns. A meeting will be held here soon after the first of the year to go deeper into the matter.

STAYTON NEWS

Stayton, Or., Dec. 21.—Mr. and Mrs. Albert Neitling of Portland mourn the loss of their little daughter, aged 4 years, who died Tuesday at their home from diphtheria. The body was brought to Stayton Thursday for burial in the Catholic cemetery, the funeral service being conducted by Rev. Father Laineck.

Miss Margaret Miller, one of the teachers in the Stayton schools, has been visiting her sister who has been quite sick with influenza. The young ladies returned to Portland, where Miss Margaret will remain over the school vacation.

Mrs. Eugenia Pearey, one of the teachers in our schools, left Friday for Portland, where she will join her husband, who has recently been discharged from the army. Mrs. Pearey has resigned her position in the schools, and her pupils, as well as many friends, are sorry to see her leave.

Mrs. Steven Taylor and little son leave Saturday morning for Cep River, Wash., where Mr. Taylor now is, and where they will reside.

The Stayton Red Cross sent 30 sweaters to SaDlem this week, which shows that the local chapter is not idle.

Christmas services will be held in the M. E. church Sunday morning.

Charles Stevenson, who registered at

FINE FOR RHEUMATISM!

Musterole Loosens Up Those Stiff Joints—Drives Out Pain

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"CAN I BE CURED?"

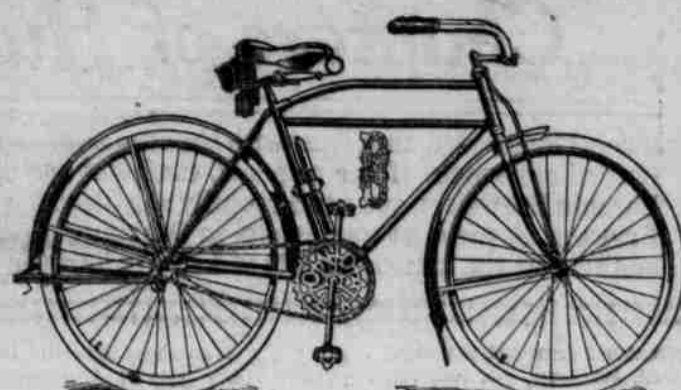
How often have you heard that sad cry from the victims of disease. Perhaps the disorder has gone too far for help, but oftener it is just in its first stages and the pains and aches are only nature's first cries for help. Do not despair. Find out the cause and give nature all the help you can and she will repay you with health. Look after the kidneys. The kidneys are the most overworked organs of the human body, and when they fail in their work of filtering and throwing off the poison that constantly accumulates in the system, everything goes wrong. GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules will give almost immediate relief from kidney and bladder troubles and their kindred ailments. They will free your body from pain in short order. But be sure to get GOLD MEDAL. Look for the name on every box. In three sizes, sealed packages. Money refunded if they do not help you.

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 - Foot Balls
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 - Thermos Bottles
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Christmas morning when the family is gathered around the Christmas tree, your boy's fondest dreams will come true if Santa Claus brought him a

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It's the ideal present for your boy. It will make Christmas one to be remembered for many years. The fun he can have with a good bicycle is unlimited.



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State Tax Levy Made By Commission Is 3.06 Mills

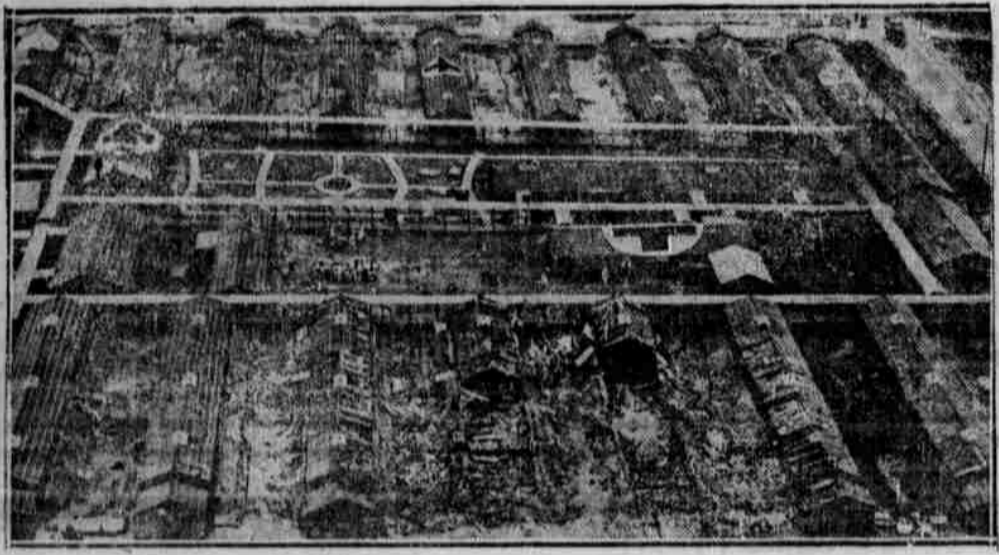
State tax levy for the year 1919 will be an average of 3.06 mills and will produce a total of \$3,921,402. The levy was made by the state tax commission today.

In addition to the \$3,921,402 which will be raised by direct tax, it is estimated the state's receipts next year from fees and other similar sources will amount to \$810,520, making total fund available of \$4,731,922, which, according to figures compiled by the tax commission, will be \$468,000 less than the

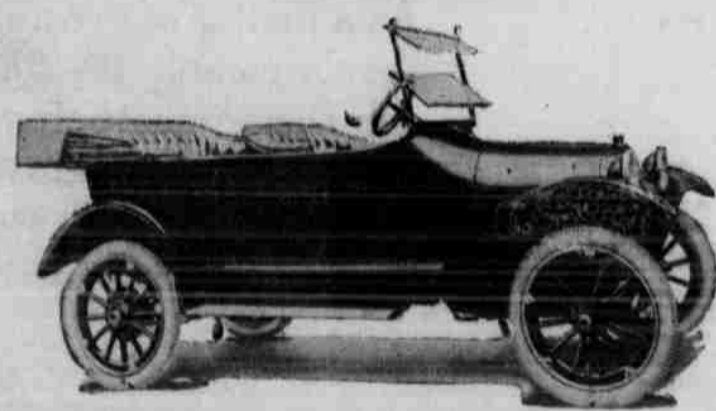
requirements shown by the request in the state budget for the maintenance of state institutions.

LOCATED IN IDAHO.

Ernest R. Ringo, formerly district attorney for Harion county, is now located at Bliss, Idaho, as cashier of the State Bank of Bliss, according to word received by friends in the city today. From Salem he went to practice law in Portland with offices in the Northwestern State bank building, but last October he went into the banking business as cashier for the Bliss, Idaho, bank.—Aurora Observer.



This aerial photograph taken by a British Royal Air Force Pilot, shows a British hospital in France, shortly after it was bombed by a squadron of enemy aircraft. The remains of four huts in which helpless men were blown to bits, are plainly shown in the foreground. Fourteen large Red Cross signs distinctly painted on other huts refute any claim of a mistake.



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GREATEST OPPORTUNITY WOMEN EVER HAD.

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FIRST CALL TO FOOD ARMY.

This co-operation and service I ask of all in full confidence that America will render more for flag and freedom than king ridden people surrender at compulsion.—Herbert Hoover, August 10, 1917.

A year ago voluntary food control was a daring adventure in democracy; during the year an established proof of democratic efficiency.



Can an Old Battery Be Repaired?

That depends:
—on HOW OLD it is;
—on HOW WELL you've taken care of it;
—on HOW SOON you let the Willard expert locate the trouble and correct the fault.

Nobody can repair a battery until he finds the trouble and nobody can correct a big fault as easily as he can a little one.

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