

Races To Be Feature of Big Bicycle Week

Bicycle week in Salem, all next week with the grand climax coming on Saturday, May 10. To the staid and commonplace grown-up...

first prize, \$5 tire; second, \$4 tire; third, pair of pedals; fourth, basket carrier; fifth, pair of handle grips. 3—Half mile for boys under 12 years first prize, bicycle watch; second, \$4 tire; third, bicycle lamp; fourth, gold medal; fifth, frame pump.

AUTOISTS SHOWING LITTLE INTEREST IN COMING ELECTIONS

Motor Owners, Most Vitaly Concerned Over Fate of Road Measures, Neglect To Register. It is the automobile owner, who is especially interested in good roads. Due to the general lack of interest in the June 3 election, there has been but a very light registration...

Independence-Monmouth Dallas Loop Beautiful Drive

Pathfinding Trip In Studebaker Shows Roads Open and Dry, Though "Choppy" On Main Highway Between Salem And Dallas.—Fields And Hills Dolled Up In Gladdest Attire And Picnic Spots Plentiful. Right now is the time to see the beauties of the central Willamette valley at their best. The roads are probably better now on the whole than they will be at any time during the motoring season...

Table with 3 columns: Month, 1918 Series, 1919 Series. Rows include November, December, January, February, March, April, May, June, July, August, September, October, November.

Short Jaunts For the Hours Of Twilight

(Route Logged by Lot L. Price.) Speaking of short spins through pretty country and over good roads that are available to motorists in and around Salem, and which can be made in the few hours of daylight between the close of the business day and the gathering of dusk, the Independence Ferry trip has a lot to recommend it.

Paving Of Highway From Oregon City South Begun

Hard surfacing of the Pacific highway between Oregon City and Salem has actually commenced. The first load of pavement was dumped early Thursday morning at Brooks, according to J. S. Hanson, local Elgin Six dealer, who passed on his way back from Portland just after the load had been dumped.

Auto Registration Shows Rapid Growth In Number Of Cars During Past Year

Some idea of the growth in popularity of the automobile in Oregon during the past year is to be obtained from a comparison of registration figures for the 1918 and 1919 series of registration as compiled by the Automobile Record, of which M. O. Wilkins, of Portland, is the editor and publisher.

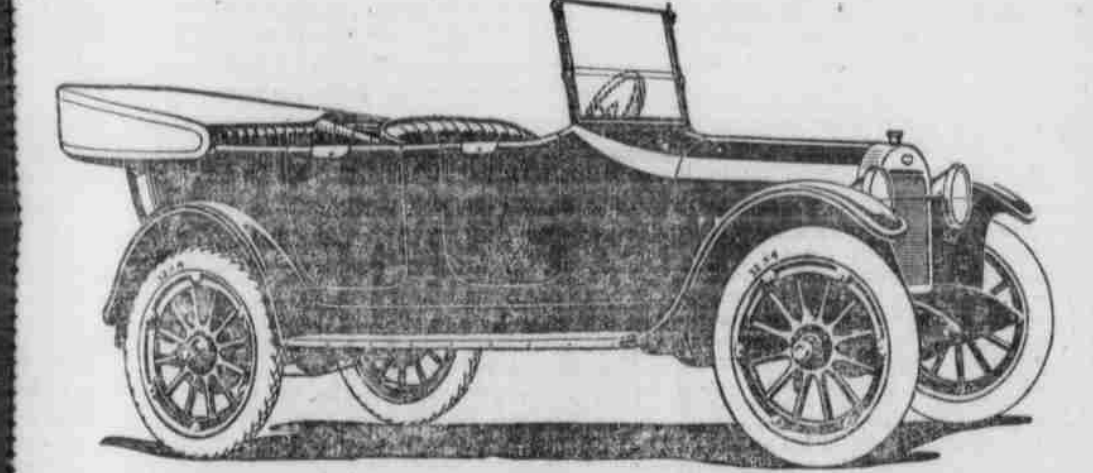
Scenery Beyond Description

Right now the scenic beauty of this little trip is beyond description. There is hardly a rod of the road that does not present a landscape view but which would delight an artist's heart and inspire his brush.

See Valley Now

We did. And the result of our findings can be summed up in a few words to this effect—the Salem motorist who doesn't get out and see some of the things that are to be seen in the surrounding country within a radius of 30 miles within the next few days is not getting his money's worth out of his machine.

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Choppy Road Encountered

When we headed the little Studebaker's nose out of Salem we did so with the expectation of finding some bad roads. Well, we did and we didn't. Between the west end of the inter-county bridge and Brunk's corner, where we turned to the left into the Independence track, the whole six miles of road is "choppy." It is rutted lengthwise and across the grain, but here and there a bit of the old surfacing remains around the holes.

Here Are Facts That Concern You Mr. Automobile Owner

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