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SERIAL NUMBERS LOCATED

List Aids Owners In Finding Numerals That Are Needed For 1932 Licenses

'What is the serial number on your car?' This question will have to be answered by every motorist in getting his license plates for next year...

Have Complete Lists This should not be confused with the motor number, casting number, or any of the many other numbers to be found on an automobile.

Where to Find 'em Owners of Ford, Lincoln, Packard, Cadillac and La Salle models will not have to hunt for serial numbers as motor numbers on these makes constitute serial numbers.

Buick: 1924-25 models, inside left front frame member; 1926-1931 models, inside right front frame member.

Chevrolet: On 1924-26, inclusive, serial plate is on right or left front seat frame; on 1927-31, on right or left side of front seat.

Chrysler: 1924-25, models, plate on left rear frame and right side of dash under hood; 1926 models, plate on instrument board; 1931

models, plate on rear right front body.

De Soto: Serial plate on right side of dash prior to 1930 model; 1930 model, number on center of instrument board; 1931 model, on right front door hinge.

Dodge: 1924-29, inclusive, on plate attached to top board, also right side of rear frame member; 1930 eight-cylinder and 1931 six and eight-cylinder, on right front door hinge.

Essex: All models of four-cylinder prior to 1924, outside face of right rear frame member; six-cylinder on right top face rear cross member; also plates on dash under hood.

Hudson: Plate on dash under hood; also on light side rear frame.

Nash: Four-cylinder, on left front frame member; light and standard six, top of right frame member, special six, right side rear motor support or on left rear spring hanger; advance six, right front motor support; 1931 advance six, plate on frame near starting motor; model 70, left side of frame.

Oakland: On frame opposite right rear fender; All-American six models, left front frame member; Oldsmobile: On right end of floor board, except coach, which has serial number on bottom of filling seat.

Overland: Early models on left front frame member; later models, right rear end of frame.

Plymouth: Plate on left side instrument board; model 1930, right front door hinge.

Pontiac: On right side rear cross member; 1930 model, front left frame member.

Reo: On top right subframe; Flying Cloud model, top of left front frame; Wolverine model, left side top of frame.

Studebaker: On left front side of frame.

Whippet: On top of right rear frame beam.

Willys-Knight: Four-cylinder, on right rear frame member, also under front seat, also right front end of frame; six-cylinder, top of right or left rear frame, also under driver's seat; eight-cylinder, right front frame member and under driver's seat cushion.

For other makes of cars and trucks, motorists should consult the lists that are on view at Harvel's battery shop or Kelsey's insurance office.

Poised For Trans-Pacific Dash



Capt. John von Althaus, former German war flyer, who is in Honolulu preparing for a daring solo flight across the Pacific to Oakland, which, if completed, will be the first on record.

'Grim Grey Houses' Hold 7,579 Inmates

SACRAMENTO.—(U.P.)—California prisons housed a total of 7,579 inmates at the beginning of the month. San Quentin prison charts show 4,317 male prisoners within the walls, 499 in highway camps and 126 female inmates.

NEVADA CITY.—(U.P.)—Sam Huckey is recovering from severe injuries received recently as he was tearing down a building and it fell on him.

Official Map To Be Published By State

SACRAMENTO.—(U.P.)—A new and complete map of California is to be published soon by the state bureau of publications and documents.

All rights to the new base map have been purchased from Hellmuth Schmidt, Sacramento, widely known map maker, who has spent more than two years in its preparation.

According to Eric Cullenward, bureau chief, the map will be the first one of California to be accurate in every detail. It will be offered for sale by the state in a number of different sizes.

CHECK NO GOOD CHICO.—(U.P.)—Arrested for speeding, J. D. Harms of Los Angeles sent a \$5 fine here. Judge Chalatran sent back the check, ordered Harms to appear in court to be fined.

No Depression At Barber Colleges

SACRAMENTO.—(U.P.)—California should have no trouble getting a shave or haircut. A report of the state board of barber examiners reveals that 171 licenses were issued last month to bring the total number of barbers in the state of 17,796.

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CONSTRUCTION 6 of the 10 largest companies

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ELECTRIC POWER ALL of the 8 largest power companies

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PRINTING 8 of the 10 largest companies

FIRE INSURANCE 9 of the 10 largest companies operating in California

FISHING ALL of the 5 largest companies

FURNITURE 3 of the 4 largest manufacturers

GAS ALL of the 9 largest companies

HOTELS 5 of the 8 largest companies

RAILROADS ALL of the 5 transcontinental lines operating in California

SHIPPING 7 of the 8 largest steamship companies

STEEL 6 of the 12 largest companies operating in California

State's Story Will Be Told In 'Blue Book'

SACRAMENTO.—(U.P.)—The story of Los Angeles county has been written and is all ready for publication in the 1931 edition of the California Blue Book.

Such is the announcement of Secretary of State Frank C. Jordan, who says that the chapter, profusely illustrated, has been sent to authorities in the county for correction as to facts and figures.

'We are making rapid headway on the book, and hope to have it in the hands of the state printer before the first of the year,' said Jordan. 'When finished, it will be the finest encyclopedia of California, her agricultural, scenic and industrial resources, ever published.'

'It will advertise each county to the four corners of the nation. Its facts are based upon advance tables sent to us from the United States census bureau. It will be accurate, authoritative, and complete.'

The new volume, which will be bound in blue cloth with gold stamping, will contain approximately 600 pages, Jordan estimates. To prevent it from being too bulky, the text will be printed upon specially-made thin book paper. Illustrations, however, will appear upon coated book paper, to resenable actual photographs.

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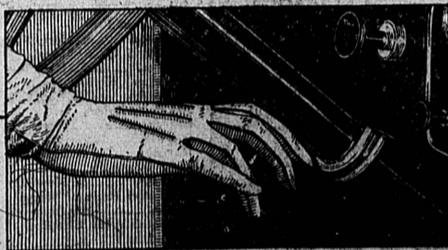
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