PROCLAMATION

Proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of the State, 1928

WHEREAS, at the January Session of the General Assembly of Maryland, held in the year 1927, an Act was passed to wit: Chapter 379 proposing an amendment to the Constitution of Maryland, title "Legislative Department," regulating the compensation of the members of both Houses of the General Assembly of Maryland; in words and figures as follows:

CHAPTER 379.

AN ACT to propose an amendment to Section 15 of Article III, of the Constitution of the State of Maryland, title "Legislative Department," regulating the compensation of the members of both Houses of the General Assembly of Maryland, and to provide for the submission of said amendment to the qualified voters of the State of Maryland for adoption or rejection.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland (three-fifths of all the members of each of the two Houses concurring), That the following be and same is hereby proposed as an amendment to Section 15 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Maryland, title "Legislative Department," the same if adopted by the legally qualified voters of the State, as herein provided, to become Section 15 of Article III, of the Constitution of the State of Maryland.

15. The General Assembly may continue its session so long as in its judgment the public interest may require for a period of not longer than ninety days; and each member thereof shall receive a compensation of fifteen dollars per diem for every day he shall attend the session but not for such days as he may be absent unless absent on account of sickness or by leave of the House of which he is a member and he shall also receive such mileage as may be allowed by law not exceeding twenty cents per mile; and the presiding officer of each House shall receive an additional compensation of five dollars per day. When the General Assembly shall be convened by proclamation of the Governor, the session shall not continue longer than thirty days, and in such case the compensation shall be the same as herein prescribed.

Sec. 2. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That said aforegoing section hereby proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Maryland shall, at the next general election for Members of Congress held in this State, be submitted to the legal and qualified voters of the State for their adoption or rejection, in pursuance of the directions contained in ArticleXIV of the Constitution of the State of Maryland, and at the said general election the vote on the said proposed amendment to the Constitution shall be by ballot, and upon each ballot there shall be printed the words "For the Constitutional Amendment" and "Against the Constitutional Amendment" as now provided by law, and immediately after said election due returns shall be made to the Governor of the vote for and against said proposed amendment as directed by said Fourteenth Article of of the Constitution, and further proceedings had in accordance with said Article Fourteen.

Approved: April 5, 1927.

Now, Therefore, I Albert C. Ritchie, Governor of the State of Maryland, in pursuance of the direction contained in Section 1 of Article 14 of the Constitution of Maryland, do hereby order and direct that this Proclamation containing a full, true and correct copy of the text of said Chapter 397 of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland of 1927, be published in at least two newspapers in each of the counties of the State where so many may be published and where not more than one may be published then in that newspaper, and in three newspapers published in the City of Baltimore, one of which shall be published in the German language, once a week for at least three months next preceding the general election to be held in the State of Maryland on Tuesday the 6th day of November, 1928, at which election the said proposed amendment to the Constitution shall be submitted in form and manner prescribed by the General Assembly, to the legal and qualified voters of the State for adoption or rejection.

Given under my hand and the Great Seal of the State of Maryland Done at the City of Annapolis, this 14th day of July in the year nineteen hundred and twenty-eight.

The Great Seal of Maryland

ALBERT C. RITCHIE.

By the Governor:
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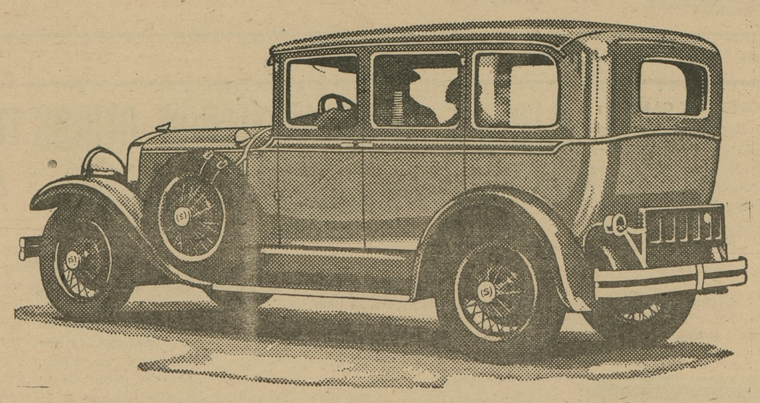

The New State Sedan Studebaker Which Sells For $1850

A sensational improvement in motoring comfort has been made possible by Studebaker's new ball bearing spring shackles, which are featured on the new Studebaker models announced last week, according to Harry D. Massey, local Studebaker dealer.

"Studebaker's new cars now are just as far ahead in riding comfort as they are in proved performance," said Mr. Massey. "This ball bearing spring shackle has been hailed as the greatest in riding comfort since the development of the balloon tire.

"For years engineers have sought to reduce friction to a minimum at the spring shackles, vital points which link the body and the axles of the car. They have tried to make the shackles flexible yet firm and uniform in action, to make them noiseless, and to eliminate the need for frequent lubrication.

"The ball bearing spring shackles on all new Studebaker models have completely solved these problems. They give an undeviating uniformity of action, give the springs free play to smooth out road irregularities, and add buoyoncy to the cars' riding qualities.

"In addition to the new ball bearing spring shackles all the new Studebaker models are equipped with hydraulic shock absorbers front and rear. Together, they make a drive in a new Studebaker a revelation in restful riding.

"Designers of the new cars did not stop with the development of new and easier spring action, however. A wholly new type of form fitting ounge cushion has been created, with contours scientifically designed to conform to the shape of the body.

"In many models the upholstery is of the overstuffed type, deeply tufted, and projecting somewhat over the edge of the bottom seat cushion. Sitting in these cushions the passenger has all the luxurious comfort of a deep lounge chair."

Another feature of the new cars designed primarily for the driver's comfort is the adjustable steering wheel found in all Studebaker models, Mr. Massey pointed out. By a simple adjustment, the wheel can be raised or lowered to the most comfortable position for each individual driver.

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ORDER OF PUBLICATION

George Edward Laird by his father and next friend, Peter Laird,
vs.
Florence L. Laird

In the Circuit Court for Kent County
In Equity, No. 2523.

The object of the Bill filed in the above entitled case is to procure a Decree for annulment of marriage.

The Bill states:

1. That the said George Edward Laird is a minor, ninteen years of age, having been born on the 9th day of March in the year 1908, and resides with his parents, both of whom are living in Camden, New Jersey.

2. That the Defendant, Florence L. Laird is nineteen years of age and has no particular residence of any kind known to the Complaintant. The last heard of her by your Complainant was that she was in the City of New York.

3. That on June 3rd, 1928, George Edward Laird being a minor as aforesaid and the said Florence L. Laird, then Florence Lutz, secured a marriage license form the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Kent County, Maryland, and on the same day were united in marriage in Chestertown, Kent County, aforesaid.

4. That immediately after said marriage the said George Edward Laird and Florence L. Laird returned by way of automobile to Camden, New Jersey. Just prior to the said George Edward Laird arriving at the home of his parents, the said Florence L. Laird got out of said automobile and left the said George Edward Laird and that he has never seen her from that day on, he continued to the home of his parents.

6. That the said George Edward Laird has never heard directly from the said Florence L. Laird since she left him, he has understood that she is a cabaret dancer and travels from one city to another. The said marriage was entered to in the spirit of frivolity and without any thought of the said marriage being ratified and consumated.

6. And the said George Laird has never shared the bed and board of the said Florence L. Laird; that there has never been cohabitation between them either prior to or subsequent to said marriage; that the said marriage has never in any way been consumated.

7. Your Orator is advised that it is within the power of this Honorable Court upon his petition and evidence supporting the same to set aside and annul said marriage.

It is thereupon, this 5th day of July 1928, ordered by the Circuit Court for Kent County, in Equity, that the Plaintiff, by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in some newspaper published in said Kent County, once in each of four successive weeks before the 6th day of August next, give notice to the said Florence L. Laird, non-resident defendant, warning her to appear in this Court in person, or by solicitor, on or before the 20th day of August next, to show cause, if any she has, why a Decree ought not to be passed as prayed.

ROBERT A. SHALLCROSS, Clerk.
True Copy—Test:
ROBERT A. SHALLCROSS, Clerk.

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Notice is hereby given that the Levy has been made for the year 1928, as follows:

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CORPORATION TAX 30 CTS. ON THE $100.

Tax bills may be obtained upon request to Treasurer on and after September 1, 1928. No discount will be allowed on any bills. Interest will be added to all bills immediately after the first day of Octover, 1928, for State taxes only.

CLARENCE NEWSOME,
je30-tf Treasurer of Kent County.

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Thought and Conduct

The right thought has much to do with the right conduct, and if one thinks and acts kindly in life to others he creates that personality which speaks of a nobility that cannot be surpassed. There are many today who have bitter recollections that they might have done so much better toward their fellow creatures if at the moment they had thought differently, and our brother who apparently regrets some of the past has still time to ease a troubled conscience.—East London Observer.

Out of Her Depth

The popular preacher had excelled himself, and the congregation were discussing his sermon as they left the church.

"Wasn't that a fine sermon?" said one woman admirer to her companion.

"Yes," said the other; "but did you understand it all?"

"Understand it!" replied the first. "Oh, no. I wouldn't presume to understand such a great preacher."

Why Dog Flees

"It's a wonder Mrs. Axelfritz doesn't understand why her dog doesn't like to sit on her lap while she eats," observes Grandma Matson. "No self-respectin' dog likes to be used for a napkin."—Farm and Fireside.

Lombard Architecture

The groined vault with projecting ribs was first used in Italy after the Eighth century by the Lombard architects.

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