

Mack Official Replies to 14 Truck Queries

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the fire apparatus built for Pacific Coast use all has dual or triple carburetors in pumps of 500 gallons and over, and when it is considered that dual and triple carburetion increases horsepower 8%, the 150 horsepower rating is extremely conservative.

5. Why does it have three carburetors?

All Mack fire apparatus of 500 gallons and over has triple or dual carburetion. While the modern trend is only now toward multiple carburetors, Mack has been using them for the past ten years. Multiple carburetion adds quicker starting to fire apparatus; no warming up period on a cold start; and increased power immediately. Locally 750 and 1000 gallon pumps with triple carburetion may be seen at Huntington Park, Burbank, Santa Monica, Montebello, Comondia, etc. These units are all ten or more years old. The same practice is now being pursued.

6. How many miles had this motor been driven prior to its delivery to Torrance?

1902 miles.

7. How many pumping hours had it been run?

Under three hours, other than the required Board of Fire Underwriters tests, consisting of a four-hour break-in test on motor and pump assembly and the three-hour Underwriters' acceptance test. The four - hour break-in test was run, as was also the three-hour Underwriters' acceptance test under the supervision of the Board of Fire Underwriters.

8. What year was the pump manufactured and when was it installed?

The pump was manufactured in 1932, but pump parts have been taken off for service on other Mack fire apparatus as occasion demanded. Therefore, the rotors, valves and almost all other working parts are less than one year old.

9. What vacuum does this pump develop at 120 pounds pressure?

This question is incomplete and inconsistent. However, a measure of vacuum can be obtained by reference to the three-hour acceptance test of the Board of Fire Underwriters in which the closest reading to 120 pounds is as follows: 122-pound pump pressure, through 2 lengths of 5" suction, from a lift of 3 1/2', 1023 gallons of water, 11 inches vacuum.

10. How many hours had it been operated prior to delivery to Torrance?

This question appears to be a duplication of Question No. 7 and is answered under that question.

11. If this was new truck equipment assembled on an old 1932 frame and wheels, was permission received from the National Board of Underwriters to waive the new rule requiring all assemblies to be made at the factory?

This unit is not in the category mentioned and the National Board of Underwriters recognizes the Mack apparatus built in Los Angeles as a Pacific Coast fire apparatus manufactured with authority to build

Classified Highlights

Order your Thanksgiving turkey, duck, goose, fowl, new from the rancher whose poultry never touches ground. See Class 29.

Going to eat duck, turkey, goose, out on Thanksgiving? You can't get better food or service than that offered by the Ranch Dinner House under Class 25.

Get relief from headaches, tight muscles, circulatory congestion. See or make an appointment with Torrance's only masseur—advertising under Class 32.

Select a home in which to serve your turkey this Thanksgiving or Christmas. See Class 84f.

There are a few cars remaining at wholesale or near wholesale prices offered by a local dealer who advertises under Class 29.

Songs in Rain Abruptly End in Skid-Crash

When his loaded truck skidded on the wet pavement yesterday morning while traveling south on Arlington near the city park, Harry Miller, 20, of Los Angeles, stopped "singing in the rain." The next thing he knew he was under care of physician and nurses at Torrance Memorial hospital.

The truck had crashed into a tree, knocking young Miller unconscious. He was treated for scalp wounds and bruises about his head and later was allowed to return home.

fire apparatus.

12. If this was a new truck that had been used for show purposes as stated in the seller's letter to the council, why was it necessary to dismantle the pump and motor? Also, to put new piston rings in the motor?

As an extra precaution to insure maximum performance equal to that required with a new truck guarantee. After 2,000 miles no piece of automotive equipment should be delivered without an examination as to wear, oil consumption, compression, etc., as is our custom with all equipment delivered. Even when just off the assembly lines, all Mack equipment is thoroughly checked and tested before delivery to the customer.

13. Has this truck ever been registered as a demonstrator, in accordance with the California Motor Vehicle requirement, which requires the registration on all demonstrators and payment of sales tax?

No; used to decorate show room floors in our Los Angeles and San Francisco branches. It was shown to several but was not a demonstrator as commonly understood of vehicles being used as such.

14. When were the tires installed on this truck?

Three now on this truck were installed in 1937. (Note: We have been advised that someone has made a statement to the effect that the 36x8 tire with this particular tread was last made in 1929. We have advice from the Firestone Company that the last run of this particular tread was made by the Firestone Company in their Los Angeles plant in June 1937.)

Big Sale Marks 5th Anniversary of Local Firm



HARRY M. ABRAMSON
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"Friendly credit" as dispensed by the National Home Appliance company here has become, in the short span of five years, more than a business slogan. Because of the efforts of Owner Harry M. Abramson, "friendly credit" has won the firm a host of satisfied patrons over a wide area of the Harbor and South Bay district.

This week the National Home Appliance Company is celebrating its fifth anniversary with a special sale that includes scores of fine bargains "just right" for Christmas gifts. When the firm opened its doors here in 1934, it was located two doors east of the present location at 1312 Sartori avenue. But that original store proved too small for the rapidly-expanding business and now is used by Abramson as his radio service plant, which is managed by C. Alexander.

Has Big Stock
In anticipation of record holiday business, the National Home Appliance store has been stocked with the largest variety of nationally-known products and gift specialties in its history. Abramson, during the anniversary sale, is urging his patrons to see this stock now while it is still fresh and complete.

A past-president of the Torrance Rotary club, Abramson has taken an active interest in civic and community affairs. He is assisted in the store by his wife, Sabina Abramson, and Stanley Gilbert and Bonnie Corder.

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Charles L. Sault, 26, of 309 East 220th street, Torrance, and Earline K. F. Simon, 27, of Long Beach.

William H. Maisey, 20, of 2239 248th street, Lomita, and Katherine F. Clark, 16, of 25711 Eschman avenue, Lomita.

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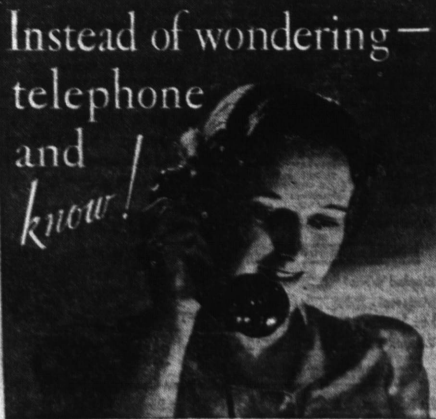
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