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Man Prominent in Automobile Circles Attains Position by Dill-Invitations to Be Mailed. gent Work.

F. E. Watkins, president of the Ore-gon State Motor Association, announced last week that invitations will be last week that invitations will be mailed out soon to the association other of the association's popular in-formal dances to be held at the asso-clation clubhouse on the banks of the Sandy River next Saturday night. This dance is intended to celebrate the successful termination of the recent good roads campaign and it is expected that members of the State Highway

FOR RECRUITS FOR SERVICE.

Fleats Are Designed to Inspire Wit

nesses With Patriotism and to Increase Enlistments.

Baby Grand Chevrolet Takes Dele-

CAR PUT TO SEVERE TEST

gates to St. Paul Meeting. R. C. Durant and A. D. Plughoff. who are piloting the official trail blazer for the San Francisco Ad Club's caravan en route to the National Con-vention of Advertising Clubs at St.

the successful termination of the form good roads campaign and it is expected that members of the State Highway Commission, other public officials charged with duties in connection with the coming highway programme and good roads enthusiasts generally will participate in the big event. Now that Oregon trails are to be made into good roads, assuring this state of its share of tourist travel and the benefits to be derived therefrom, the directors of the Oregon State Motor Association are doing their utmost to-wards having all the highways proper-

It signboarded. The work of getting out trip maps is already under way, but owing to the unseasonable weather the logging of the roads has been impossible and it

EASTERN OREGON AND WEST SIDE ROADS FIRST TO RE-CEIVE PAVEMENT UN-DER \$6,000,400 BOND ISSUE,

Members of the State Highway Members of the State Highway Commission, in session in Port-land last week, decided that the first ten miles of pavement to be laid under the terms of the \$6,-000,000 road bond issue shall be placed on the road from Pendle-ton east over the route leading toward Walla Walla and that the payt ten miles shall be lid are next ten miles shall be laid on what is known as the Rex-Tigard portion of the West Side highway

portion of the west Side highway leading from Portland to New-berg and McMinnville. These provisions were adopted by the Commissioners upon the condition that the County Courts in the respective counties imme-diately prepare the grade for re-ceiving hard-surfactor. ceiving hard-surfacing.

may be that the printing of the offi-cial trip maps of the association will cial trip maps of the association w have to be put off until next year.

However, arrangements are being made with a California firm to supply being that would be attractive. members of this association with trip maps, which, judging from samples re-ceived, are very good. There are already quite a number of

autoists arriving in the city from east-ern and southern points and in a few weeks this class of travel will be in

The office of the Oregon State Motor Association is a busy spot during the touring season, road information being furnished not only to members of the association but to all non-resi Activities at the Club House have in-

creased wonderfully of late and there have been reservations made for nearly every night during the next two weeks for dinner dances composed of 20 to 40 couples.

BEARINGS BEAR STRAIN WELL Hyatt Rollers Stand Up Under Mile-

age of 261,800."

The "Hyatt Roller," now making an endurance run twice across the conti-nent under the auspices of the Hyatt Roller Bearing Company for the pur-pose of demonstrating the wearing qualities of Hyatt bearings in automo-blies, has a most interesting history. In 1915 it was the winner in a contest, the like of which has not been held either before or since a contest which

the like of which has not been held either before or since, a contest which established the world's long-distance record for motor cars. The contest was instituted primarily for the purpose of obtaining data on motor cars which had traveled the farthest distances on a single set of Hyatt bearings, but when the data was investigated it was found that a world's record had been discovered. The mileage records submitted were so astonishing as to amaze even the

so astonishing as to amaze even the judges. The old White Buick, now known as the "Hyatt Roller," was the winner in the contest. It had a record

than disappoint the Ad Club members who were depending upon the Chevro-let trail-blazer, President Norman De-Vaux suggested that one of the new Baby Grand models be used.

CAMP SITE FOR MOTORISTS APPEALS TO BE MADE TO CROWDS

Hood River Will Provide Accommo dations for Transient Tourists.

car with which her son presented her. More than 20 years ago her son first celebrated Mothers' day for "Grandma," as she is affectionately known in Southern Michigan, and for many years the Albion Methodist Episcopal Church has observed the Sunday nearest her birthday, May 13, in her honor, as she is the only person who has maintained continuous relations with the church since its founding. HOOD RIVER, Or., June 9 .- (Special.)

since its founding. The efforts of the Albion Methodists to honor "Grandma" Blakeley have ex-erted such a wide influence that Moth-ers' day is now universally observed Hord River will have a free camp

-Hord River will have a free camp site for touring motorists. C. P. Rav-lin and E. C. Blanchar, of the Hood River Commercial Club, have secured from Dr. T. L. Ellot, of Portland, a right of way to the park on the Indian Creek Gorge, given by him to the city in 1911. The camp site overlooks the wooded gorge of Indian Creek and the canyon of Hood River. A road will be built to the camp site, which will be equipped with city water, electric lights and a number of brick ovens for the convenience of mo-toring travelers. The circus, which has long been the The circus, which has long been the inspiration of youth sto feats of strength and daring, this year will turn its efforts to obtaining recruits for Uncle Sam's Army and Navy. With the thought of bending every effort toward some form of practical patriotism, Frank P. Spellman, presi-dent of the United States Circus Cor-poration, owners of the new motorized circus, has offered to aid the Govern-ment to recruit able-bodied men for the Army and Navy from the vast crowds

WOMAN OF 99 DRIVES DODGE

Mrs. Juliet Blakeley Original Mother

ment to recruit able-bodied men for the Army and Navy from the vast crowds that gather at the performances. He has proposed to the War Department that a recruiting office be opened at the showgrounds. It was the plan of President Spell-man in building up his alreas to put on the road something that would be of practical value in the way of pa-triotic service, as well as something that would be attractive. of "Mothers' Day." Mrs. Juliet Calhoun Blakeley, 99 years old, of Albion, Mich., in whose honor, Mothers' day was inaugurated, recently recovered from an attack of pneumonia and celebrated her return With this end in view, elaborate to good health by taking several long

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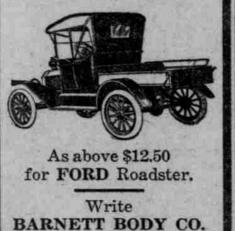
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Despite her years. Mrs. Blakeley is an enthusiastic tourist. On one day in particular, with her son at the steering wheel and accompanied by several friends, she toured three counties and 12 townships, the speedometer regis-Mrs. Nina L. Duryea, well known asa New York writer and author, had been awarded a gold medal by Presi-dent Poincare of France for her work



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