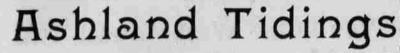
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tory than all other local papers com-

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THE SIX-MILLION BOND ISSUE.

a law doubling automobile taxes and specting people. There are too many grieved secretly, for she had not one fund would be expended by the state

ASHLAND TIDINGS

with her fathers, and there was not

Heard and Overheard

(By Lynn D. Mowat.)

If the first automobile should

more of a sensation than it did on

A Riddle.

"I'll take 'em," said the C. M.

become broken, in which case it looks saying: "Lo! these many years have worse than no pavement at all. I put up with much for thy sake. I Improvements along these lines will endure no more. Let us also do help in the general appearance of a like unto thy brother." And they neighborhood and a town. No mat- likewise went and dwelt at a dister how much money is spent on tance. streets and parks and sidewalks, if And when they were gone there houses are allowed to go unpainted, arose a great walling and mourning without proper walks, with tumble- in the house of Worry Ann. Once down sheds and fences in the rear, more she cried unto the Lord: "O Lord, now indeed am I deso-

and without an attractive adornment of shrubbery, the town will look de- late. Yea, verily, now am I bereaved cadent and all real estate will suffer. and sorely afflicted. For my chil-

THE PARABLE OF THE WOMAN no longer about me. Who shall read WHO WORRIED.

(By Mary Agnes Daily.)

Once upon a time in the reign of one found to mourn her loss. Moral. Don't be a Gloom. Love The paragraphers and comic papers the good Woodrow Wilson, there everyone, even your daughters-inare having lots of fun with the ama- dwelt in a far province a certain

point of view, the novice agriculturist espoused to a man called Jonah, but spends most of his time evenings rub- she took no delight in him, for she bing arnica on his lame muscles, kept before her mind continually a while he can be distinguished on the vision of the man she thought he ought to be. Her anguish was ex-In so far as the back yard farm- ceedingly great and she cried aloud

ers are suffering from their unaccus- unto the Lord:

tomed labors, their inconvenience is "O Lord, beheld the man thou useful in that it reveals muscles that didst give to be a helpmeet unto me. make its appearance on the streets were lying dormant. It is surprising Lo! he is as ashes in my mouth. I of the city again, it would create Sends Memorial how any new kind of exercise will un- find no virtue in him."

cover faults in one's physical devel- Her troubles were as numerous as its initial appearance. No subscription for less than three opment. A man may be an excellent the sands on the senshore, and those months. All subscriptions dropped at walker, capable of tramping many which came not to her she straight-

In ordering changes of the paper form of athletic sport like tennis or always give the old street address or golf, yet when he wields the hoe he that I should sympathize with my brought in a sack of parsnips. Instruction Churchill has been sent finds that many of his muscles were neighbor? I rejoice exceedingly that "What will you give me?" he asked out to the various schools throughout getting no exercise, and that games I am not like unto that Happy Jane of a storekeeper.

had only helped him in a one-sided who goeth about wearing a smile like unto a basket of chips."

and outdoor life. He buys an expen- being sorely tried she cried bitterly: sive automobile or purchases a health "O Lord, look upon this little inno- keeper exerciser or joins a physical culture cent one. Canst thou not see that class. But if muscles have been suf- there cometh a time when, having Advertising for fraternal orders or fered to lose their fiber through long reached manhood's estate he can not the city man or the country man? societies charging a regular initiation | years of neglect, they can never be associate with the rich because of this

they left their father's house and

Afterward, being so minded, they

found their pleasures elsewhere.

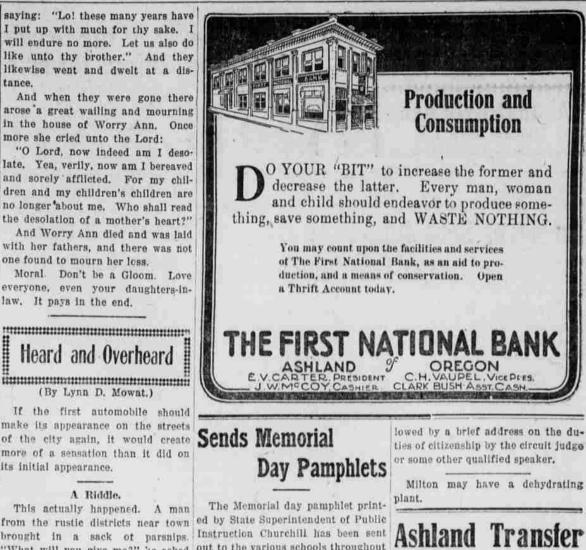
need to use a bit of witch hazel on O Lord, this child which thou gavest A hen owned by Albert Howard at allowed without charge. All addi- that they are reawakening out of though but an immature child, never- Merlin made a nest, laid eggs and sleep into life, and if he will keep at theless he has not yet selected for hatched a brood of chickens in an it he will be getting a physical devel- himself a profession by which he can oak tree, thirty feet from the ground. opment for which other men are pay- earn renown, likewise a competence Feared a submarine, no doubt.

ing. He took it.

ing good money. The gardener gets unto his old age." Now it came to pass that this wom-Ted Hatfield, who is going into Postoffice as second-class mail mat- vegetables which he stores away in an's friends became sorely afflicted. the garden business, has his applica-Yea, verily, they could no longer en- tion in with the secretary of the navy dure her mourning and wailing, for a navy uniform on the grounds Wherefore they visited her not and that he is going to raise navy beans. took occasion to be elsewhere when

Spring is a time when the desire she approached their dwellings. And We'd rather risk a railroad wreck Last winter the legislature passed for improvements is felt by self-re- she, knowing not their thoughts. Than has a boil upon our neck.

a law doubling automobile taxes and providing that all auto taxes should go into the state road fund. This fund would be expended by the state first step to improve their own grieving. And it came to pass that \$30,000.

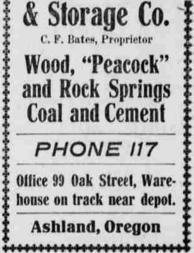


This actually happened. A man "For," said she, "is it not meet from the rustic districts near town ed by State Superintendent of Public the state with its suggestions for the

"One twenty-five." was the offer- observance of this day. It contains many patriotic selections.

Ten minutes later, while the sack | In addition, Superintendent Church-Reading Notices-5 cents the line year doing sedentary work and think the pair and give them offspring. was standing on the walk, along ill suggests that where arrangements that he is in good health. Then all Nevertheless, instead of a blessing, came a city man. "Fine paranips can be made with the presiding judge at once he collapses, and the doctor each new little branch became as a you got there. What do you want of the district those who are ready to

become citizens of the United States "Three twenty-five," said the store- should be assembled on Memorial day and the final act of citizenship be made a part of the ceremonies. He Question. Who was stung worse, further suggests the establishment of a unique custom, namely, that of hav-Answer: The storekeeper. The ing all the young men and young curse of poverty which affiicteth us?" city man bought them on credit and women who during the past year have Wherefore let the gardener rejoice, Of another she mourned: "Of a went bankrupt on account of the become of age assemble on Memorial day and take the pledge of allegiance to the flag, this ceremony to be fol-



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something other than the choice of

for roads from year to year as it came in. That law had nothing to places. do with a bond issue. Under it the number of years and it would be at merely because he has paid and disleast twenty-five years before we got charged the carpenters, masons and one a wife took he unto himself. Now general good roads, such as are planned by the soute highway commission, over the state. Whether the bonds are voted June 4 or not, this auto tax will be collected,

Then some members of the legislature asked: If we are to double the auto tax, as provided in that law, and get a little road out of it during our life, why not work out a plan to build them quick and be using them while the yearly tax is coming in?

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A man who owns a house need never think the thing is finished plumbers. There are always things these women were not perfect, but wearing out, and these tend to make because love is blind they appeared the place look unkempt and "run so in the eyes of their husbands. Not down. Standards of living grow so, however, in the eyes of Worry higher as time goes on, and to keep Ann. Lest they forget their faults up with the procession people must she reminded them of them continu-

expect to spend a little money from ally. time to time. It is a poor investment for people

to put money into a house unless they cried out unto her husband with a are willing to spend a little from year |loud voice, "I will arise and go to to year to keep the thing up. Before my mother," and burst out weeping

they know it the property will look violently. seedy and its selling value falls. It gets a reputation as a place not well maintatined, and if they wanted to thou desire to leave me? Have I not dispose of it they would find this out. always been a good husband to One of the most attractive things thee?"

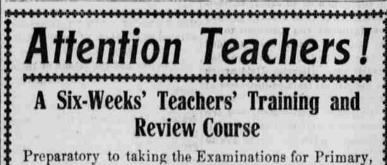
about a place is a good system of walks from doors to the street. The man who maintains a rough walk But thy mother, 'tis she whom I can built of cinders or mere earth would not endure."

find that a good cement walk would add more than double its cost to the country. There we shall have peace appearance of his real estate. Then and rest." And they went to a far there are people who put in some form of paved walk, but allow it to

And lo! after a time the other sons's wife came unto her husband

country and were happy.

"Thou shalt go with me to a far



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