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The Methodists of Oregon are holding their diamond
jubilee annual conference in Salem- jubilee a they should do three things; start three things-
And then-
A monument to to Jason LLee, a memorial to the mission-
arieg who started Salen and started civization in the
Oregon Country and sealed this tregion to the United States
instead of Great Britain, and a memorial pageant to the instead of Great Britain, and a memorial pageant to the
missionary activities-
Showing their life and their works here.
Make it an annual pageant, around the time of the com-
mencements of Willamette university, when it may be held mencements of Willamette university, when it
in the open air; make it for a week or more.
would draw many thousands of people hither. The memorial ought to include the home of Jason Lee, the
first dwelling built in what is now Salem, still standing, and easy to be restored. This dwelling ought to

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fusion.
A man is needed. Or a woman. A John Stephen M
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started on nothing but enthusiasm by a lowly red-headed
Nothing but an idea and a superabundance of zeal for the
idea; but now representing many millions in property, built
from world wide contributions.
It is one of the biggest things in California.
The three things outlined above can, started on nothing
but sheer Methodist zeal, become the biggest things in all
but sheer Methodist zeal, become the biggest things in all
the Pacific Northwest, made up of what was the Oregon
Country and foreign territory in the days of Jason Lee.
till the right man or woman is found. And the Methodists
Now. This jubilee year.
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More than 1300 people are employed in the átuomotiv industries in Salem and suburbs-
But call it 1300 , and the auto siderably above $\$ 2,000,000$ annually, and counting five t
the family, and there are 6500 of Salem's people dependen on these industries-
A study of the automotive census on the Slogan pages necessarily an incomplete census, will convince the thought
ful reader that the above estimates are more than conserva-
fil tive. In fact, they are too low., But they show a grea growth over last year's figures.
The auto coaches of the
The auto coaches of the Oregon States and the Souther
Pacific, with headquarters in Salem, and of a number o Pacifif, with headquarters in Salem, and of a number
other lines, are helping powerfully to center traffic
Selem Helpin Helping to bring here the nimble dime and dollar of the traveler and tourist; helping every single line of business here, from that of the shiner of shoes to that of the banker
and merchant. We are doing well, wonderfully well, in our automotive
industries, in the growth and improvement of them, But w are not doing well enough-
Because we should be manufacturing here, We should
make automobiles. And auto trailer. And auto tires. And we should make auto tops out of our flax fiber, and put flay fiber into the tires we make.
fiber for making auto tops and tires. We can grow an im
mense quantity of the best mense quantity of the best quality hemp on a very smail
acreage. Why not step out and get into manufacturing acreage. Why not step out and get into manufac
We can do it, if we will become manufacture minded.
Our state and county paved road programs assure a per
manency of development in the automotive industry here We are up out of the mud of winter and the dust of summer we are on our way to bigg
better things in this field.
It is a far cry from the first one-lunged automobile that came to Salem only a little over 20 years ago to the presen
pretentious industry that has been built up here in that field but there is yet only a modest beginning of the greater
things that will surely setvice of mankind.
the Standard Oil company that, only a few years agoo, serve Salem with all its gasoline and oil. Salem has become trucks: with oil supply center, with great plants; with many trucks: with a large force employed in this branch of th



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## What Dr. Caldwell Learned in 47 Years Practice

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