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'Th' beauty of a jitney bus is that it kin run on streets where traction cars don't. Which is probably the reason it runs only where traction cars do.'

DAYTON DENIES CHARGES: ADMITS TILTS WITH LAWYERS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—Hearings on charges against Federal Judge A. G. Dayton of West Virginia continued today before the house judiciary subcommittee, with the judge on the stand being cross-examined.

"I don't think I would be human," he said, "if I had not had tilts and disagreements with attorneys. More than three-fourths of the lawyers in the district over which I preside have sent resolutions to this committee expressing faith in my integrity."

Questioned about the resignation of his predecessor, Judge Jackson, and his own appointment, Dayton testified that a year before he was appointed President Roosevelt had told him that he would give him a place on the federal bench, "in spite of senators or any one else."

Representative Gard asked whether Dayton had taken any part in the investigation which preceded the resignation of Jackson.

"You were close to President Roosevelt," he said, "and you were close to Attorney General Moody. Didn't you aid this investigation personally?"

Judge Dayton replied he had no recollection of taking any part in the investigation and remembered only one conversation with Mr. Moody about it. He said he did not work with Charles F. Teter, Judge Reese Blizzard and Major Stonaker of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, in the investigation.

A STRANGE WOMAN

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Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will apply to the city council of the city of Medford, Oregon, at its next regular meeting, March 2nd, 1915, for a license to sell malt, vinous and spirituous liquors at his place of business, No. 63 N. Front street, Medford, Oregon, for a period of six months.

Dated February 18th, 1915. B. S. RADCLIFF.

Smoke Home-Made Cigars. Governor Johnson, M. Pitt and La Viets are the best.

POLITICAL ECONOMY

THE legislative mountain labored and brought forth a mouse of economy. It also gave birth to a mountain of political spoils.

Despite much talk of economy, the actual reduction in expenses for the ensuing biennium, as given by the Associated Press, approximates only \$87,875.68. Appropriations made by the legislature of 1913 totalled \$7,735,921. Those for 1913 included \$450,000 for reclamation work in eastern Oregon. There is no such development work included in this year's program.

The session began with an onslaught upon all commissions and boards. It proposed to abolish or consolidate everything in sight. It ended by consolidating but two departments, the state engineer's and the highway engineer's, one an irrigation and power proposition, the other a road-building organization, with nothing in common. The combined departments are given the same appropriations as the individual departments received. No economy was effected, the only object being to take away the power of the board of control to name the highway engineer, giving it to the governor, and making the state engineer appointive instead of elective.

The abolition of offices began and ended with the state immigration commission, which asked no appropriation. The state accountancy elimination bill was passed, but recalled and the office perpetuated at the last minute with an appropriation.

A program of consolidation was outlined by Governor Withycombe in his message. A special senate committee was appointed to make recommendations. The committee purposely held up its report until the closing hours, when it was too late for action. The consolidations proposed would have effected only a negligible saving.

Efforts to effect a saving from the fish and game license money ended by the creation of a new commission to be named by the governor. Efforts to consolidate the insurance and corporation departments ended by giving the governor the power to appoint new commissioners. Efforts to destroy the compensation act ended in giving the governor right to appoint new commissioners. Efforts to reform the horticultural commission along lines favored by the horticulturists themselves ended in giving the governor opportunity to change the personnel, without changing old laws. Efforts to reform the judiciary ended in creation of three or four new judges to be named by the governor—and so it went, economy the cry and spoils the object.

There was no good roads legislation, because the house refused to pass the pet measure of Senator Day, boss of the senate, himself a paving contractor, which barred patented pavement concerns from bidding on road work, destroying competition, leaving the field clear for contractors like Day. State Highway Engineer Bowly was sacrificed to please Mr. Day, but his removal did not secure needed road legislation, as the governor seemed to expect.

Political economy as a science, practiced by the legislature, consisted in the passage of the following bill, drafted by Senator Day:

Each and every person holding an appointive office in any of the offices, departments or institutions of this state, shall hereafter hold the same for an indefinite term and shall at all times be subject to removal by the appointive power which made the appointment, and such appointive power shall in all such cases have the right and power to appoint a successor or successors.

It is hereby adjudged and declared that existing conditions are such that this act is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety, and an emergency is hereby declared to exist, and this act shall take effect and be in full force and effect from and after its approval by the governor.

The same emergency for the "preservation of the public peace, health and safety" was declared to exist in the cases of the new circuit judgeships created, and on other measures so raw that it was feared the people would not approve if given a chance to referend, notwithstanding the fact that Governor Withycombe in his pre-election Medford speech said:

I am particularly opposed to the use of the emergency clause for any purpose other than that intended by the constitution, and never would I, as governor, permit use of the emergency clause to defeat the initiative and referendum.

The action of the Jackson county delegation, both in senate and house, in opposing the program of political spoils and the abuse of the emergency clause is to be commended, as is their futile effort to secure needed constructive legislation for good roads and horticulture.

ASKS SPEEDY TRIAL LAND GRANT CASE

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—Application for early hearing in the pending Oregon land grant cases has been filed in the supreme court by the department of justice. The land, consisting of some 2,300,000 acres in western Oregon, is claimed by the Oregon & California railroad company under grant from congress. The government contends the conditions of the grant have not been met.

Improper conduct in attempting to postpone the cases in the supreme court of the United States was charged against Wm. F. Herrin, of the Southern Pacific railroad, in San Francisco by Representative Lafferty of Oregon in the house.

He said Herrin had tried to see Chief Justice White and a district official during the court recess in an effort to have the cases postponed until April or May or even October, if possible. He declared Herrin's action was highly improper because the movement for a postponement was made in private and not in open court and that a postponement would further delay the claims of settlers in Oregon who already have been in court for seven years.

AIRSHIP DROPS SHELLS IN CALIAS

BERLIN, Feb. 23, via wireless to London, 3:20 p. m.—The German war office today issued this report: "In the west: 'The Calais fortress was freely bombarded during the night of February 21-22 with missiles from an airship."

"Yesterday the French again delivered an attack in the Champagne district north of Perthes, but with decreased forces. Each of their advance movements broke under our fire. At Alley and Apremont the French forces were driven back to their positions after having first secured some minor successes. "In the Vosges, Sattlekopf, to the north of Muelhaach, has been taken by storm. Otherwise there has been nothing of importance to report in the west."

COLONEL MARCHARD IS NOW BRIGADIER GENERAL

PARIS, Feb. 23.—Colonel Marchand, of Fashoda fame, has been promoted to the rank of brigadier general.

Miss Joan Sawyer



Joan Sawyer.

Is the foremost exponent of high-class, modern dances in the United States. Is in charge of New York's famous Persian Garden, one of Broadway's most alluring dance palaces. Is said to be the most beautiful woman in American theatricals. Dance photos begin Wednesday.

Do you dance? Would you like to learn? Very well. The Mail Tribune has printed several series of dance pictures the past winter, but here's a piece of dance news that will please every dance fan in Medford. It's this: Joan Sawyer, New York's idol, has consented to tell you, through the columns of the Mail Tribune, how she does here popular dances!

There! You have heard of Joan Sawyer. Her Persian Garden is famed even in far-off Paris and London. She is the chief and foremost exponent of popular, modern dances in America. She has been called the "dancer with a soul," and by no less a person than Jeanette Gilder, sister of the famous editor and author, the late Richard Watson Gilder, editor of the Century Magazine.

Miss Gilder is Miss Sawyer's sponsor. This is the first time that Miss Sawyer has consented to pose and write for a daily newspaper, describing her new dance steps. Joan Sawyer is the most graceful dancer in New York. She has created many of the most popular dances.

She will not fuzzle you with intricate diagrams and involved figures. Crisp, carefully worded paragraphs and clear pictures will convey to you the chief steps in the one-step, the aeroplane waltz etc. "I do not intend to give a dance course," said Miss Sawyer to a reporter for the Mail Tribune. "My advice will be offered to those who know the fundamental rules of each dance. "Dancing is largely a matter of personal endeavor. The basic principles once acquired, the rest comes by mere suggestion. That's what I am going to do in your paper. I'll suggest figures in photographs and in short, meaty paragraphs. Beginners can get much out of my instructions if they will watch closely. I sign chiefly to show correct dancing positions. Incorrect positions are the rule. This abuse is only too common. Today you will find Miss Sawyer's first suggestion. Others will follow. Watch for them.—Editor.

LAUGHS

A Costly Instance. Talk may be cheap. But, bless my soul! Not this: "Send up a ton of coal." —Boston Transcript.

Encouragement. Cholly—Before I met you I thought of nothing but making money. Ethel—Well, keep right on! Pop ain't as rich as folks think!—Dallas News.

Real Friendship. "He seems determined to kiss me," remarked the girl who was fishing for a compliment. "I wonder why." "Hard to tell," said the other girl. "This is the season for freak bets." —Louisville Courier-Journal.

Seemed Officious. "Did you tell Binks I was a fool?" "No; I thought he knew it." —Harvard Lampoon.

An Omission. The Decalogue in phrases terse Defines the sins that man should shun; The statutes of our land rehearse A list of things not to be done. Why do they overlook the crime Of loafers who come in and kill A column writer's precious time? A colyum writer's precious time? —Peoria Journal.

More Than Enough. Modest Suitor—I have only \$5000 a year, sir; but I think I can support your daughter on that. Father (enthusiastically)—Support her, my dear boy. Why, you can support her entire family on it. —Milwaukee Sentinel.

Perhaps Broken on the Bar. One of the best stories of Scarborough—and it is authentic—comes from a village near the coast, where the news trickled through during the day in various forms. "The Grand Hotel has been

AFTER MANY MEDICINES FAILED

Mr. Singletary Says Vinol Ended His Suffering From an Awful Cough and Threatened Lung Trouble. Sumter, S. C.—"I am an oculist and for several years I suffered with an awful cough and lung trouble, so that at times I was scarcely able to go about on account of my condition. I had tried almost every medicine recommended for such troubles, without help, and finally a friend advised me to try Vinol. Before I had taken one-half bottle I could see an improvement. I have now taken six bottles and my cough is not only gone but my general health is lots better." —J. W. Singletary, Sumter, S. C.

It is the combined action of the medicinal elements found in cod livers, together with the blood-making and strength-creating properties of tonic iron, that makes Vinol so efficient for chronic coughs, colds and bronchitis at the same time building up the weakened, run-down system. We ask everyone in this vicinity who is troubled with a chronic cough, cold or bronchitis to try a bottle of Vinol, with the understanding that your money will be returned if it does not benefit.—Medford Pharmacy, Medford, Ore.—Adv.

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wrecked," said one of the illagers who is looked upon as an authority. "Really!" said his surprised acquaintance. "Was it torpedooed?"—Tit Bits.

Out of Place. William, like many another man before him, had joined the army by way of showing his devotion to his country. He had not yet learnt the meaning of strict discipline. "Now then, put that light out!" shouted an officer on inspection. "It's retired William, and pray who are you?" "I'm the officer of the day." "Then what the dickens are you prowling about in this night-time for?" asked William.

Polite Paris. "Since the war began the women have been taking the places of the men on the Paris street cars." "Well, they'd do it here, but the men are too ill-mannered to get up." —Buffalo Express.

Spending. He spent his youth and middle age Accumulating wealth; And then he spent his last red cent Accumulating health. —Peoria Journal.

Adapt. "Do you think that Skinner can make a living out there?" "Make a living! Why, he'd make a living on a rock in the middle of the ocean if there was another man on the rock."

BORN. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Hebrard, at Laurel, Wash., Feb. 19, a daughter. Mrs. Hebrard was formerly Miss

CASCARETS CURE HEADACHE, COLDS, CONSTIPATION

Get a 10-cent box. Take a Cascaret tonight to cleanse your liver, stomach and bowels, and you will surely feel great by morning. You men and women who have headache, coated tongue, a bad cold, are bilious, nervous, upset, bothered with a sick, gassy, disordered stomach, or have backache and feel all worn out. Are you keeping your bowels clean with Cascarets—or merely forcing a passageway every few days with salts, cathartic pills or castor oil?

Cascarets immediately cleanse and regulate the stomach, remove the sour, undigested and fermenting food and foul gases; take the excess bile from the liver and carry off the constipated waste matter and poison from the bowels.

Remember, a Cascaret tonight will straighten you out by morning. A 10-cent box from your druggist means healthy bowel action; a clear head and cheerfulness for months. Don't forget the children.—Adv.

STAR Theatre. WEDNESDAY-THURSDAY. EXPLOITS OF ELAINE. Fifth Episode. The Poisoned Room. Two Parts. See the Picture-Written Story. Two Part Drama. Threads of Fate. One Part Joker. The Magic Mirror. COMING FRIDAY-SATURDAY. The Unwelcome Mrs. Hatch. With HENRIETTA CROSSMAN. Afternoon 2:15. Evening 7:00.

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Ida Dittworth, a daughter of J. F. Dittworth of Prospect and a popular teacher of Jackson and Josephine counties. Mr. and Mrs. Hebrard were former residents of Rogue River where Mr. Hebrard was engaged in the blacksmith business.



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