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DATER OUTLINES ROAD WORK BY FOREST SERVICE

Philip H. Dater. district engineer of the U. S. Forost Service, was the estates reserved for hunting and fishprincipal speaker at this noon's ing by the owners exclusively. Chamber of Commerce forum lunchoon at the Hotel Medford. Mr. Dater quoted a large number of statistics dealing with the financing of public. roads by Federal appropriation and by state tax.

In illustrating the advantage of a state gasoline and license tax Mr. Da. land, Secretary Frohbach led the anter said that in driving on good roads sembly in several songs a motorist suves at least one set of lires per year. The cost of a set of tires exceeds the amount of money which he pays in gasoline and license tax, There fore a motorist saves money by paying the tax and driving on good roads instead of eliminating

the tax and with it the good roads. He spoke of the difficulty encours tered in the financing of road building and repairing. Instances of this difficulty were cited when he spoke of counties in this state which have

a limit of less than \$100 per mile for He stated that Oregon has approximately 40,000 miles of road and to he remembered as the little "Bimbo" valuation of the ontire state.

will be done has not been definitely flot." decided as it has not yet been deter-At the Willamette valley Elik's con

commission agree on more than 80 per cent of the work outlined. LOS ANOELES, Cal., March 8-He year and before doing so reminded matist, who died Sunday from burns the audience that the statements were at his home in Venice near here, will of administration. However, he said Wilson at Hemet, Cal., it was an-that he was reasonably sure that a nounced today.

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large amount of improvement work would be done this summer on the OPPOSITION TO ter Lake highway, on the road from Crater Lake to D'amond lake and on the upper Reque river road leadag to Diamond lake, in closing his speech Mr. Dator

urged the people of this community come to a fuller appreciation of the value of good roads and the outdoors in this vicinity. He compared the 13,000,000 acres of national forests in our state to the cramped forest dis-

WASHINGTON, Mar. 8. - After tricts of the east covered with private weeks of work and worry, the house ways and means committee majority as evolved a soldiers bonus bill of Jlarry Walther, who presided at the moeting, thanked Mr. Dater for the alwhich it apparently intends to stand drens and assured him that the forest service, which has already done a great deal in this vicinity would find

the heartiest co-operation here. In the absence of song leader Mil-No members were added to the "honor roll of the "Two Toots."

Little Miss Barbara Mayhew Gives a New Dance Elk's Minstrels

As an added feature to the 5th an-nual Elics Minstrels to 5e held in the Page theatre. Monday and Tuesdey road construction and improvement. He stated that Oregon has approxipaye all of it would cost one and one in inst year's show. Something new half times more than the assessed and startling in feminine costuming is promised by this talented young

What amount of work will be done in this state this year and where it will be done has not been definite's

mined whether the state or the forest vention, held in Eugene a few weeks Proponents of the hank loan plan spring, trip to southern California is shorted in control ago. Miss Mayhew was a decided send argued that through this provision the being taken by Frank Neison, of the munity athletics in this way White est service and the state highway

Funeral Pottland Author

not to be construed as promises be held today from the residence it could reasonably be assumed that leading varieties being an imposing the masses instead, or at least in ad the data of the yet uncertain question of his parents. Dr. and Mrs. J. R. there would be funds to meet the pay and very awast one. ments through reduced government reselpts in the funded foreign loans.

> until Chairman Fordney returns to vest on which he started yesterday.

Daugherty Finds 6400 U. S. Employees Get

WASHINGTON, Mar. 8.-Approxi nately eighty thousand government employes, holding their positions by presidential order, are held to be not entitled to the benefits of the retirement act, in an opinion rendered by Attorney General Daugherty and transmitted to the interior department, which administers the act.

Secretary Fall in announcing the thousand employes who have been retired under the act 6100 had been receiving compensation illegally and that upon receipt of the attorney general's ruling an order was issued that this vicinity. Another relic in the

issued.

ASHLAND, Mar. 8,- The chamber of commerce primary election is over with, the selections for director being as follows, on a sliding scale from ; choice as between hignest and lowest

Despite some criticism of the mea- Fred Homes, 121; E. V. Carter, 166; ure in and out of congress, Chairman V. O. N. Smith. 99: J. W. McCoy, 98; Fordney and his co-workers believe it W. H. McNair, 68: Amos Nininger, 67 will encounter only temporary and A. L. Lamb, 61, L. F. Ferguson, 60; feedle opposition in the house. J. H. Dill, 59; Louis Dodge, 58; O. O. feeble opposition in the house. In the senate the measure will be Helman, 547 Houser Billings, 11. These

open to amendment and unlimited de 12 are the nominees to be voted for bate and it is regarded as more than later on, the six receiving the highest probable that it will be subjected to vote to be directors for the coming schedule, running through hange in some important particulars, year, in addition to the six hold-overs,

NEW BONUS BILL

IS DEVELOPING

Since President Harding advised the an even dozen constituting the official games being played ouse committee to pay the binus with board. From present appearances, sides tax or postpone the legislation, with one exception, bankers led the stum. The series has been hard is possible the sales tax proponents ticket in primary developments. The fought. Despite the fact that the in the house will renew their fight for regular election will be held on Tues- Baptists are cellar place-holders, they that kind of a levy. Framers of the day, March 14. Quite a little interest neasure appeared to be fairly confl-, has been manifested over results, and dent that it would not meet with the due to this interest the chamber of Both the Presbyterians and the Disexecutive disapproval. commerce roster has been reinforced ciples have made a strong bid for first The opponents of the measure in the to the number of 70 new members, in place,

house predicted the bill would be un addition to some who have been reinsatisfactory to both the house and stated a gratifying incident in connecsenate. They contended that it would tion with considerable civic excitement reation have been afforded a group of not enable the men to get as much in through which the community has of little opportunity to engage in basket in inst year's show. Something new three years as they would have receive late been passing. In other words, if ed under the original cash plan and pays to whoop things up, both sides of har way. A league property conducted that the proposed advances by the a controversy being given credit for and with common basic principles of banks, if made, would infinite credits to emphasizing the negative as well as eighblifty is always much to be prethe extent of half a billion or more affirmative phases of leading municipiferred over bush games with "free dollars over the period of the bank pal problems.

men could obtain immediately a far larger sum than they would have re-ceived under the cash installment pay. Neison left for that section recently in work of offering the same chance to ment plan, originally proposed, and the family car. outlined briefly some of the projects, Funeral services for John Fleming this without the imposition of any ad- The Plaza confectionery, under the in the blenchers. No doubt one of the ditional taxes on the country. They new management of Minard & Taylor, Breatest weakness of American ath contended also that when the treasury is manufacturing a large share of its letics is that it is largely for the would have to begin paying out money own confections, the display along be leading its beneficient influence to

in the house will not be definitely fixed Washington from a trip to the middle-like the passenger cars, sometimes

auto truck. Even if at a standstill, have their motors left running. In a neighboring town, two girls were rossing a street when a truck back

fired just as they passed the exhaust pipe, with the result that their dresses were covered with smudge. Gladys be-Payments Illegally ins arrayed in white, and Millicent wearing a dainty pink creation. The accident was, witnessed by a traffic

op, and with this corroborative evidence, the girls have brought suit against the owner of the truck for damages caused by the soot. Among relics in the Pioneer cabin, deposited subsequent to the reunion last summer is a white blanket made in 1834 by Mrs. Rollins, grandmother of G. S. Butler; also an illustrated supplement to "West Shore," an ancient opinion today raid that out of eight Portland periodical, depicting initial construction work and motive power on the old Oregon & California Railroad, these pictures being presented by Mrs. Ann Russell, early pioneer of

no more certificates for payment be cabin's safety deposit vault is a re-St. Jacobs Oil from minder of the 1861 period, being a fire your druggist, and ment after it is aptime resident of the locality where the plied you'll wonder what became of the ancient Nash hotel in Medford now stands, an epoch in history beyond backache or humwhich the memory of patives of the hago pain. Rub old, honest, St. Jacobs Oil whenpresent generation runneth not to the ever you have sciatica, neuralgia, rheu-matism or sprains, as it is absolutely harmless, and doesn't burn the skin. contrary. Gradually the Pioneer structure will be well represented in the way of these mementoes of former days.

Presbyterian following is another evidence of the dawn of that church units we read and hear about. V. Stevens, newcomer to this vicin ity, has bought the Bell rooming house on Fourth street.

WIN CHAMPIONSHIP

BASKETBALL LEAGUE

C. OF COMMERCE ASHLAND METHODISTS

Methodists .833 Presbyterians Christians Elaptiste .166 The Methodists won out in the jun lor Y. M. C. A. league which cluded Saturday. This was a 12-game a period of six weeks without interruption, two Haturday afternoon at the high school gymna have contested every match with the

The series have been a real success Good clean play and wholesome reclance" teams. The Y. M. C. A. has, loans, thus increasing living costs. A belated winter, or rather early course, long been known for its fa

who need it the least, while it should

Floyd Dickey, Southern Pacific em-Appreciative mention should ploye, has purchased the Clapp resi- made of the Ashland high school au The time of the calling up of the bill dence property on East Main street. ithorities, who so kindly opened the Ladies should beware of the staid sym for the use of the league and to auto truck. Even if at a standstill, Mr. Eric Weren and Prof I. C. Wilson, who have assisted in the organistation and conduct of the series. A Y. M. C. A. baseball series will be conducted later in the spring.

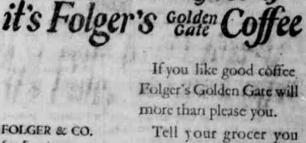
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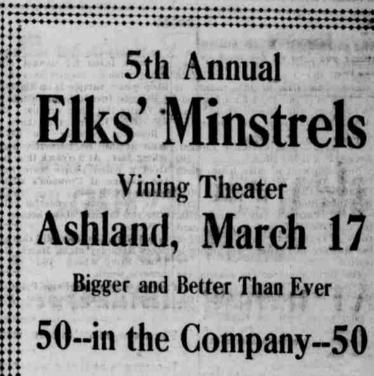


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Ashland Masouic lodge will meet on Thursday evening, March 9, a prospective visit officially from Grand Master Baillie, of Portland, having been announced.

Three out of town clergymen officiated in Ashland churches last Sanday, this mention referring to Rev. Chas. King of Medford, at the Nazareno place of worship; Rev. H. H. Kernahan, a "singing evangelist" from Port land, at the Baptist church both mor ning and evening, and Rev. M. C. Webb of Glendale, at the Presbyterian kirk. Adults, 50c. Departing from customary routine, the Civic Improvement club gathering

on Tuesday of this week was in the nature of a most cordial greeting to its president, Miss Grace Chamberlain, ately returned from California. Under auspices of the Farm Bureau and county agent, activities of which will be pooled in behalf of the occasion a meeting of farmers will be held at the Ralph Billings place, near city limits, on Friday, March 10, at 1:30

Soldiers and widows of such are notified that the county assessor will meet them at the armory. Saturday, March 11, in the atternoon, extending the privilege of registering, as a pre-liminance to account of the second liminary to exemption from taxation as by law provided.

Real live oranges which escaped the frost in southern climes and still clinging to natural follage, have been dis-tributed among friends hereabouts by Mrs. Bertha Denton, who accompanied by her sister, Mrs, Clara Borah, bas lately returned from California, having drivon the family car homewards after an extended tour.

Not a curfew reminder is implied by the ringing of the Presbyterian church bell dally at 10 a. m., but it is a call for the faithful to engage in revival services now progressing in several places of worship respectively, aside from the presbytorial headquarters. A majority of church edifices in this burg are minus bells in the old church Clothes for tower, hence this thoughtful act of the Thinking Men.



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