

what they really ought to have.

In brief, the legislator who is honest and conscien- I have a little friend so dear tious is between the devil and the deep blue sea, if you Though he's a bird he has no fear know what that old saying means. The average member But sits up in the chitum tree And sings the sweetest songs to me. of the legislature in Oregon realizes it full well before

his forty days' of strife and worry writes the record of his work into the history of Oregon. I love him most sincerely, truly.

> I've tried to learn his song to sing I guess he thinks some food I'll bring When he has taught me every note That comes from his dear warbling throat

"No special reason, only what I have This little bird does not refuse said is true." I did not tell him of the Each morn I take the fullest measure

Gervais, Oregon, February 15, 1919.



THURSDAY EVENING February 20, 1919

action and enables the organs off the poisons which cause p old age. New life and strength

This being true, it is easy to believe that by keeping the kidneys and diger-tive organs cleansed and in proper work-ing order old age can be deferred and life prolonged far beyond that enjoyed by the average person. The over 200 years GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil capsules will keep you the structure of the disease. The not wait until old age or disease of the disease. Do not wait until old age or disease home remedy and meeds no introduction. GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil is inclosed in odorless, tasteless capsules containes you would a pill, with a swallow of water. The oil stimulates the kidney

the commission's act and if the legis Thursday and Friday evenings of the intors were familiar with them there week. It has now been decided that would not be the present insistence the show is to be given only Thursday

would not be the present insistence for legislative expression.
As a matter of general policy I favor or the widest publicity for every public lie act and believe it is expecially desirable now in the road program to fully inform the public and prevent, if possible, suspicion and criticism, and thereby promote good road sentiment and construction.
I have not shared the view frequently expressed that the bills mentioned are unfriendly to the person nel of the present commission, or to the commission feature of the law. If patented pavement is used the public

SHOW GIVEN ONE NIGHT

patented pavement is used the public should be informed as to the amount paid for royalty. If there is justifica-tion, and there doubtless is, for the be-lief now quite prevalent in the state, that through patents and combinations that are now open. Thorough Americanization of He-brew immigrants was urged by the fif-ty sixth annual convention of the or-der of B'nai B'rith, just closed at San Francisco. that state and municipalities have not

at all times received full benefit for expenditures, the belief should not be expressed by an enactment that would prevent competition. The should be destroy prevent competition. It would be a calamity to destroy opportunity for the use of any kind of road material or type of pavement whether patented or not.

Robert L. Page, a shipbuilder, was shot and killed in the room of Miss Anna Barbe at San Francisco, Sunday. The woman claims she fired in dewhether patentied or not. The possibility of wrong cannot be fully prevented by statute. The state must depend upon the intelligence and fense of her honor.

> The Nebraska legislature has passed a bill barring Catholic nuns and oth-ers who wear the dress of their religious orders from teaching in the public schools of the state.

The American tank steamer J. M. The "Midnight Cabaret" will appear but once at the state penitentiary. When the program was first issued it Halifax by the British steamer Ramor-was the intention to give the show head.



ANOTHER BIG PIG CLUB

The United States National Bank is anticipating 1919 as the greatest year of its Pig Club activities. Next Saturday at 1:30 at the

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HURRAH! AT IT AGAIN!

(An editorial by the Chairman of the Membership Committee of the Salem Commerc int Club)

That new board and those new officers of the Salem Commercial club are some live bunch. Take it from me !

The point is just this. Salem is a real live community and it is coming into its own. Look at the business part of town---New stores of all kinds opening up.

Notice the streets any day, especially Saturday when the Salem Community is shopping --- Hundreds of autos to love him at all. at the curb.

Our Commercial Club is alive but to keep up with the other progress our community is making, we need more members. Get that? More members!

See that you answer the call of the Membership Committee and sign up one full fledged member and one nonresident member at least, and have the cards ready for the district Committee man on February 25th. It will only take you a few minutes to get one or two members of each class.

Get behind your own Community. We succeed as our Community succeeds.

LEGISLATORS AND THE LEGISLATURE

On the whole, Marion and Polk counties have been well represented in this session of the legislature. In the well represented in this session of the legislature. In the upper house Senators Lachmund, LaFollette, and Patter-they had before he was married, and add that had she not already had a go to Salem and do these very jobs. The son are strong men, who have looked carefully after the interests of their cosntituents.

Louis Lachmund is an exceptionally strong senator. He is aggressive always and never a quitter. Usually he is right and if a man of his stamp makes a mistake occas-Louis Lachmund is an exceptionally strong senator. inally it can be easily overlooked.

THE PROMOTER'S WIFE **BY JANE PHELPS**

BLANCHE ORTON INSTILLS A "No special reason, only what I have The friendship which my heart pursues DOUBT IN BARBARA'S HEART.

CHAPTER XII. Once when Neil had been very free half confidence about his business abilwith Blanche Orton, when I had sensed something — or thunghe I had sensed I did not realize what it meant to

something - or thought I had-about have Fortune bring lavish gifts in one his tensing-his caresing manner with hand, while she carried a drawn sword her that was especially annoying, I said something of it to him. He laughingly Yet, for the first time, I had a su

told me that he treated other women pice, tole the third, in his axiety the same way; so if I were going to be for money, his define to "get on," an jenlous of his manner with Blanche, I he called it, might perhaps do things should be kept busy. I felt a little con that other men, men of strict integrity temptuous, but I had long ago, alth might frown upon Father had always only married a little over a year, real been so absolution honest, he had had ized that Neil was Neil, and that I no patience with men who, for material must love him, faults and all, if I were advantage, wou'd quibble with honesty

So I had ingranned in me a sort of hor I now knew that men weren't perfect rer of anything syproaching laxity. any more than were women, when I was married I had thought Neil abso intely perfect. I could see no faults, not interpolation to worry about the re-flaws. To be truthful, I saw very fow mark Blamehe Orton had made. Or if I even after living with him a year. Yet I often wondered where his lack of re-it away with the thought that I mag at-

onsibility would lend him. ponsibility would lead him. Often I was worried, too, about what she had not meant to convey. good for his learned to take as a matter of course

good for him. Neil would laugh at me, tell me I was preved because IT made me ill, and a lot of other nonsonse which quieted my fears for the time, but in no wise DELEGATING WORK TO COMMIS-SION IS WRONG.

revented their recurrence. I had lunched with Blanche Orton ne day, and she had grown quite con

THE DOPE.

(La Grande Observer) fidential-without in the least meaning The present legislators will find they to, I am sure. She called my husband have done a very unpopular thing if a certain amount of intimacy would they permit the idea of delegating

far superior to other men, that people club, the Independent Order of Basy



with the jacket cut on straight refer

lines. It is of castor colored tricotine tucked with fine tucks that go

in couples and vested with blue chamols cloth. The broad braid that

trims yest and sleeves is also blue

COMBIEN?

of a darker shade

LaFollette is a hard worker and takes his duties ser- would look up iously and conscientiously. The chief objection lodged against La Follette is that he is non-progressive and votes "no" altogether too consistently. Still, he is safe and is not afraid to stand up for his opinions. not afraid to stand up for his opinions.

Senator I. L. Patterson, of our neighbor county of 80." Polk, is almost a Salem man, and may be regarded as a said go. She haughed and replied:

representative of our poeple. He is one of the strong-est men in either branch of the legislature. In the house, Seymour Jones, as speaker, is making as good a record as any man who kas filled the chair. He is fair in his rulings and strong anough to head off He is fair in his rulings and strong enough to head off a whole lot of vicious legislation. The whole delegation I think you to remember, sen, that I think you the best man in the world from Marion county averages up well, and it can be said Nothing matters, nothing counts to my that they are always in their seats taking a real interest in the work before the house. Taking the legislature as a whole, a majority of the

Taking the legislature as a whole, a majority of the members want to do the right thing by the tax payers and he asked as he drew me to him and enact such measures as will benefit the state at large. kissed me, telling me to get the gown Of course, there are some exceptions among the ninety and charge it.

members of both houses, and it is no easy matter to make a good record when it is reviewed calmly after the session is over.

Tremendous pressure is brought to bear in the legislature from all sides. State institutions, commercial clubs, women's clubs, all kinds of associations represent-ing special industries, come to the sessions asking new laws, new commissions and appropriations of money. They are residents, taxpayers and voters of the state, and their insistence is difficult to overcome, even though the aggregate of their demands would swamp the state treas-

aggregate of their demands would swamp the state treas-ury were they granted in full, and create numerous new official positions with attendant salaries and expenses. Nearly all the requests for apporopriations now go directly to the joint senate and house committee on Ways and Means. Night after night they are in session for hours hearing these requests for money and weighing for hours hearing these requests for money and weighing ade and how to use the silent bayone the facts and evidence presented in their support. Their with hate; how to string the prickly decision is taken almost as final by the legislators, and to shoet old "Jerry" higher than the highest branch upon "Bill's" no matter how large the appropriations of the session, family tree, but it seems we're not se the tax payers may rest assured that requests for hunthe tax payers may rest assured that requests for hun-dreds of thousands of dollars have been denied. It is largely through the work in this important committee of senators like Lachmund and Patterson that scores of

The lesson of the growing expense of state govern-ment is that the people themselves are demanding too much. They seem to forget all about the matter of cost until annual tax paying time rolls around and then the

to him instead of-web bodies, the Lime Kiln club and various ("Combien" is a French word, mean--imagining him a flirt. - and sundry institutions which claim "Neil is wonderful!" she had said large membership and possess few-or and sundry institutions which claim ing "how much." It is widely used by the Americans in France-Editor) have made a thousand efforts,

Spending hours both night and day Let the legislature do its duty and In a study of the language: "Monscer, parley voo fransay."

Phore in one word which I've often Run across to my dismay It is so dog-goned expressive, COMBIEN!

When we've been "confined to gunr LOTS 5 'Cause you didn't make your bunk himself and shricks about some imagin

New Asst. Chief Of Opera-

tions Navy Department

and you left your outfit looking Like an auction, sale of junk, Do you think you'll help things any If you sit and think and cuss Out the corporals and sergeants? COMBIEN!

When you're dead dog tired, and hungry And the slum don't fill you up And you've signed the pledge three days before So can't seek the flowing cup. Your thoughts go out to "bikstek, Pommes frites, pain and confiture'': Then you reach down in your pocket COMBIEN!

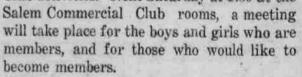
With the "bones" you've had a ses-But the going wasn't good, And you kept on placing "an frane" Somewhat longer than you should. The next morning you rememb You've three presents yet to buy; Then you start to count your bankrol! COMBIEN!

Combien's a weighty subject, Yes, in fact it's quite a bore, I've spent sleepleas nights in seeking For its meaning by the score. It's a question, not an answer So I'll try it out once more. If our d.ys in France are numbered, COMBIEN! -MELVILLE JONES. Master Engineer 116th Engineers, Angers, France.

FAVORS ANTI-TRUST LAWS

resar Admiral Josian Alexana was recently appointed Assistant Chief of Operations in the Navy Department. • He succeeds Capt. W. V. Pratt who is to go to sea. In the absence of Admiral Benzon, Admiral McKean will act as Chief of (By R. A. BOOTH) . Member of State Highway Com. Eugene, Or., Feb 17.-(Special)-1 do not think senate bills, 67 and 68, if enacted into law, would hamper the highway commission's work or prevent it obtaining the best results for the state. They largely follow the cus-tom inaugurated by the commission and therefore enact into organic law what the commission has considered and commission has considered. Admiral McKean will act as Chine of the Bureau. In 1815 Admiral Mc-Kean took charge of material sec-tion of operations, continuing in that capacity until assigned to duty in the U. S. S. Arizona. His pre-motion to Rear Admiral occurred seen after.

good practice.



Bring or send your boys and girls Mr. Farmer.

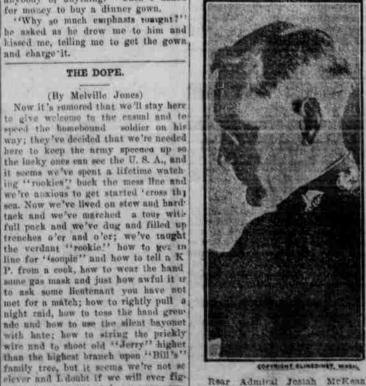




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