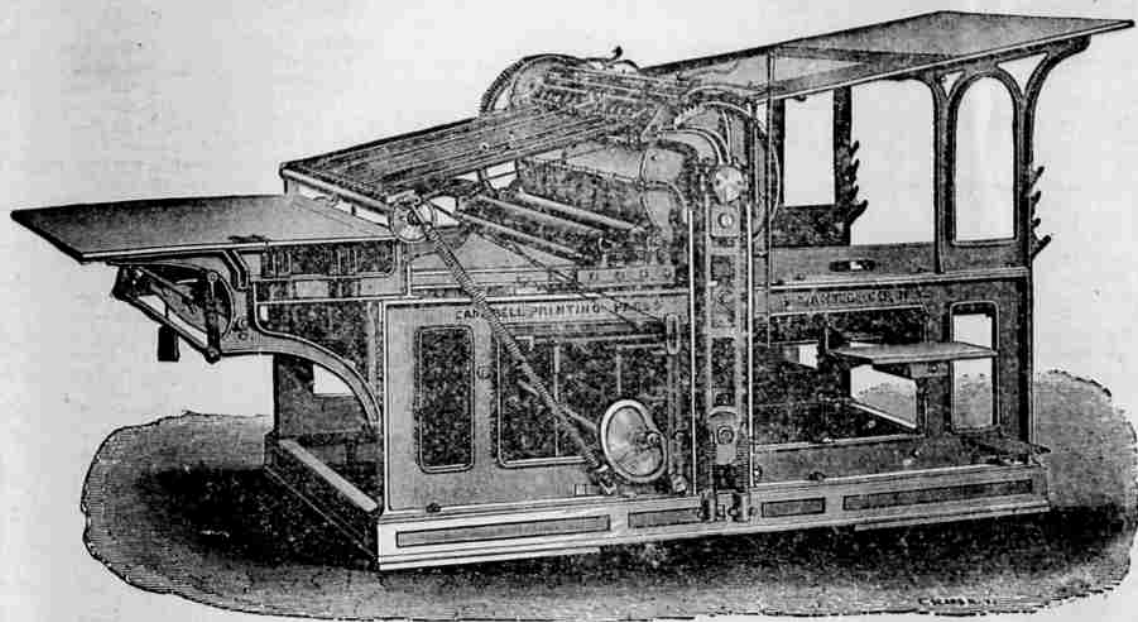


INSTALLING GUARD'S NEW PRESS AND PLANT IS NOW IN PROGRESS



The Guard Printing Company has its new plant partially installed, the two revolution press, pictured above, being in position and already doing good work. It is we believe the largest, fastest and best machine of its kind in Western Oregon, south of Portland. It has been installed on a concrete foundation, with a pit underneath, and is specially arranged for permanency and convenience. The motive power for news press, job presses and folder is electricity, a new motor of five horse power having been installed to take the place of the water motor formerly used, a small water motor still being used to drive the typesetting machines. The smaller Campbell cylinder press, which has done service in the office for several years, and is still a good press, has been sold to the Klamath Falls Republican, being started toward its destination today.

A large new job press is expected daily from the East and much new type and material has arrived or is due that will make the Guard plant practically new throughout and as complete as the field requires. The Guard Printing Company is making these improvements simply to keep pace with the growing business of this country, and in anticipation of a more rapid growth of population and business in the future than in the past. Eugene is destined to be the second largest city in Oregon, situated as it is at the head of the great Willamette Valley, at a very desirable distance from Portland, the metropolis. The building of the electric street railway and suburban line connecting this city with Springfield, is but the beginning of an era of wonderful progress in a section of which Eugene is the centre. This development will be accentuated by the constructing of the railroad from this city across the mountains to Ontario and southward to Klamath,

or which the Southern Pacific Co. has already set aside over four million dollars and upon which the work of permanent location is being rushed. But aside from its railroad prospects Eugene is surrounded by a great agricultural, fruit and hop growing area, sufficient of itself, when coupled with its mining and lumber industries to build up a good-sized city. Lumbering is already a great industry and the Blue River mining district is giving employment to a large number of men, in addition to promising prospects in other parts of the county. Manufacturing is, also, becoming quite a factor in Eugene, represented by woolen, excelsior and planing mills, sash and door and furniture factories, foundries and other plants. The splendid state university, growing rapidly into one of the leading educational institutions of the West, is another factor in Eugene's prosperity. And Eugene is growing steadily

this year. The Willamette Valley Co. is spending thousands of dollars on its new water, electric and gas plants; there are several large business buildings in course of construction and many residences. The government will build at once a \$50,000 postoffice building and at the university new dormitory and library buildings will be commenced this fall. Briefly stated above are the reasons why the Guard is making so many improvements. The era of advancement is dawning upon the Willamette valley and its most beautiful city—Eugene. Newspapers must never lag behind, but should ever be in the van of progress. The Daily and Weekly Guard will be true to the traditions of the newspaper profession and will in the future, as in the past, print just a little better paper than the field justifies in order to encourage other enterprises by example as well as precept.

W. J. WYCOFF DIES FROM INJURIES

Was Well Known Resident of McKenzie Valley, Having Resided There 30 Years—Funeral Sunday Afternoon

Wesley J. Wycoff, who was injured in the Hyland Lumber Company's sawmill at Mabel Tuesday by being struck on the head by the flying crank of a windlass, and a part of whose brain was removed by the physicians, died at the Eugene hospital at 1:30 o'clock this morning. He did not regain consciousness after the accident. The body will be taken to Leaburg tomorrow and buried in the Greenwood cemetery, leaving Eugene early in the morning. The deceased was a well known resident of the McKenzie valley, having resided in the vicinity of Leaburg for 30 years. He was aged about 45 years and single. He leaves a brother, George Wycoff, at Waterville, Wash., a half brother, Archie Wycoff, two half sisters, Elsie Wycoff and Mrs. Daisy Shoren, and a step-mother, Mrs. Amanda Wycoff, all of Freeman, Wash., besides a sister-in-law, Mrs. Emma B. Wycoff, widow of James Wycoff, who died a year or so ago. The life of the deceased was insured in the Equitable Life Insurance Co.

Church Notices

United Brethren church—Geo. E. McDonald, pastor. Sunday School, 10 a. m.; preaching, 11 a. m.; Y. P. C. U., 7 p. m.; preaching, 8 p. m. There will be no Sunday services during August.

Humphrey Memorial church—L. E. Rockwell, pastor. Public worship at 10:45 and 7:45 o'clock; class meeting at 9:30; Sunday school 12; bible study, C. L. Scott, leader.

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Epworth Leagues will meet together. J. W. Zimmerman will lead the meeting. The pastor will begin a series of Sunday evening talks on "The Gospel of Eastern Travel, or the Tale of Ten Cities." Sunday evening the subject will be Chicago and Cleveland.

Central Presbyterian church—Sunday school and Y. P. S. C. at the usual hours. No preaching service.

Episcopal church—D. E. Loveridge, rector. Morning prayer and sermon 11 a. m. No evening service.

First Church of Christ, Scientists—Corner 9th and Pearl streets. Sunday service 11 a. m., subject "Spirit"; Sunday school 12 m. Wednesday evening meeting 8 p. m. Free reading room open daily, except Sunday, from 2 to 4 p. m.

Christian church—J. S. McCallum, pastor. Bible school at 9:45; preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.; junior Endeavor at 3; C. E. at 6:45. Morning subject, "Why Not Now?" Evening subject "The Hour Is Come."

Congregational church—E. Clarence

Oakely, pastor. 11 a. m. morning worship, sermon on "He That Had Mercy on Him." There will be no evening services in this church during the month of August.

Joaquin Miller, after a visit with his brother, Geo. M. Miller, in Eugene left yesterday afternoon for a trip to New York.

Geo. W. Lill went to Portland yesterday.

H. T. Dow went to Cottage Grove yesterday afternoon on timber business.

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