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PEOPLE PROSPEROUS.

BANKS FULL OF MONEY

AND FUTURE BRIGHT

Again The Guard wishes to emphasize upon its readers the fact that in Eugene and Lane county there is not the slightest need for any one to feel alarmed over the financial situation. On the contrary, there is cause for satisfaction that, if, as the best of authorities assert, general conditions are improving, we shall have passed through the flurries unscathed. The showing of our local banks, indicating that they hold in the aggregate practically one million dollars in available cash, is altogether a remarkable condition for a town the size of Eugene, even in the most prosperous of times. Besides, we know that money is very plentiful among all classes of producers in this territory, and that retail business is holding up splendidly for this time of the year.

With a vast amount of building and improvement, including electric railway construction, scheduled for the coming year, Eugene is destined to make wonderful progress during 1908. All the people here have to do to assist in the complete return of confidence is to have due faith in a future that could scarcely look brighter at this time, and to go along in their accustomed way, paying no heed to idle rumors set afloat by croakers and knuckers, who exist in every community, with no apparent object in life except to block the efforts of their more progressive fellows. Confidence, like charity, should begin at home, and right here in Eugene and Lane county every one has a patriotic duty to perform by expressing in word and deed absolute faith in the present business stability and future growth and greatness of the Upper Willamette Valley.

ABSOLUTE PROTECTION

FOR BANK DEPOSITORS

Mr. Bryan's revived plan of insuring all depositors in national banks against loss by means of a nominal government guarantee, the banks to pay any loss out of a fund provided for by them, is receiving much attention in the press of the country. Some have eagerly endorsed it as a measure which would contribute powerfully toward the restoration of confidence. Others see merit in its principle, while pointing out omissions, difficulties, objections, and wind up by the declaration that the plan deserves serious study, both by congress and by the banking community. Still others think it altogether too paternal, and mockingly ask why only state and private banks, but not business generally, is not "taken in" by Mr. Bryan, and why everybody is not guaranteed against failure.

The incompleteness of his plan is frankly recognized by Mr. Bryan, who limits it to national banks for legal and constitutional reasons. He thinks, however, that such a system as he suggests would naturally lead to state laws and co-operation by state banks for the like protection of their respective depositors.

Without passing off hand on the proposal, it is interesting to note that the savings banks of New York and Brooklyn, on the very day that Mr. Bryan put it forth, arranged for a meeting to consider the possibility of definitely establishing a union of the savings institutions of the whole state for the purpose of providing for the depositors of the banks in case of a panic or other emergency, on a plan of co-operation, and the president of the leading banks said that what the commercial banks contemplated through the clearing houses have done in times of stress and disaster, the institutions that hold the savings of the millions are clearly bound to do for the effort to protect the funds entrusted to their care and of the great interests dependent upon

the soundness and solvency of such banks.

It is also interesting to note that some writers, in view of Mr. Bryan's suggestion, that such a guarantee as he suggests would in the last three years have involved a tax equal to less than one-tenth of one per cent of the aggregate deposits, declare that in our progressive day private enterprise ought to be equal to the function of insuring depositors precisely as owners of other forms of property are insured against loss by fire, burglary and accident.

It is likely that the establishment of postal savings banks would stimulate further the already existing interest that is taken in the general question of absolutely insuring depositors against loss by some means or other.

Weeks delayed the S. P. trains both north and south of Eugene last night and no outside mail was received this morning. The city papers of last evening, however, are little missed because yesterday's Guard gave practically the same telegraphic news they would have brought today. Eugene no doubt has the best newspapers of any town of its size in the Northwest, and for that reason people do not feel so isolated from the world when they fail to get the outside newspapers, as was formerly the case.

One of the surest signs of improving financial conditions on this coast is to be found in the fact that the Booth-Kelly company have received from San Francisco actual money for this month's payroll. Last month only clearing house certificates could be obtained. While not so large as usual, the payroll will distribute something more than \$20,000 in Lane county, and will increase the circulating medium to that extent.

Attorney-General Bonaparte was correct in declaring that sane public opinion is indispensable in the healthy conduct of this government; also in saying there is a wide difference between sane public opinion and the bogus article created by hysteria. Still, it's mighty hard to pick right at times.

Has brutal hazing been driven out of boys' colleges only to be taken up by girls? In attempting to escape from a third-story room, in which she had been locked by girl-hazers, a girl student at the University of South Dakota fell to the ground and sustained fatal injuries.

West Point will graduate next year's classes five months ahead of the usual time because the young officers are needed in the army. Men are also needed in the ranks, but there seems to be no school to graduate them from, unless that of old man Adversity opens up again.

London dramatic critics are once more amusing themselves over a new play by Bernard Shaw, but Bernard is getting the advertising, and that's what he's always looking out for.

Just what there will be for the receiver of the Jamestown Exposition to receive is not now apparent.

MY SHIP IS COMING.

My ship is built of crystal.
The sails are cloth of gold.
And all the masts are silver.
With jewels in the hold.

There's "love" upon the pennant,
And rubies down below.
And diamonds and emeralds,
With pearls as white as snow.

The center board has fleurons
Of sparkling, beady wine,
And food so rich and tempting
And all of this is mine!

Dan Cupid is the captain,
And Commensense the mate;
The sailor's are my heart's desires
Who joyously await.

But sometimes in the gloaming,
When I am tired and sad,
I fear my ship has foundered:
Until again I'm glad.

For yonder at the meeting,
Of crossed sea and sky,
I know my ship is sailing:
I see the pennant fly!

And on some happy morning,
I'll wake with a bound
To find my ship in harbor.
At anchor, safe and sound.

—Adelaide Kren in the Nautique.

A Real Wonderland.
Some things will be picked after winter, including, of course, wide ranges and streams, and the mountains, in a wondrous wonderland. At Mount Erie, in the home of Mrs. E. D. Clark, a wonderful case of healing has been reported. Mrs. Clark, a woman of about 40 years, was afflicted with a terrible disease, which was called "Erysipelas" and which was a very dangerous one. She was confined to her bed for several months, and was almost dead when she was taken to the hospital. There she was treated for several weeks, but without success. She was then taken to the home of Mrs. Clark, where she was treated for several months, and was finally cured. The cure was attributed to the use of a certain medicine, which was called "Erysipelas" and which was a very dangerous one.

STORE ROOMS AND OFFICES
I have a number of store rooms and offices for rent, suitable for all kinds of business. The rooms are well lighted and ventilated, and are in a very convenient location. For further particulars, apply to the undersigned.
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BOOTH-KELLY PLANT WILL NOT SHUT DOWN

It is reported that the entire force at the Booth-Kelly mill will be laid off tomorrow night, and that the mill will lay idle until spring, and perhaps longer. From an interview with Superintendent Kessell, we learn that the report is entirely false. He informs us that it is not the intention of the company to lay off the entire force, but that twenty-five or thirty men will be kept busy all winter, as there is considerable work in the yard to do. The planters will continue to run as long as there is work for them to do.

The big log drive that arrived in Springfield the latter part of last week was the largest that has ever been brought into the mill pond at this place. It is claimed that there were between 15,000,000 and 16,000,000 feet in the drive. There is yet about 5,000,000 feet held at the dams in Fall Creek, which will be sent out early in the spring.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Humphreys and son and daughter, Wiley and Maudie, moved to their farm near Goshen Tuesday, which they recently purchased. Having transferred their Springfield residence property for it.

Eugene Keister has sold his interest in the painting and paper-hanging business to his partner, E. A. Kermit, and says that the wife will retire from that line of business, in Springfield at last.

I. D. Larimer will sever his connection with the firm of Flegal & Rychar December 10th, and we understand his intentions are to engage in business for himself in the near future.—News.

PUBLIC INVITED TO

CO. A MASQUERADE

Owing to the fact that there were many friends missed in sending out invitations to the last masquerade given by Company A, the committee in charge of the affair to be given by the company on New Year's eve has decided not to issue invitations, but to invite the general public. The committee is busy with preliminary preparations for the event, and it promises to eclipse all similar affairs given by the company.

SPECIAL REDUCED RATES

TO SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

On sale at our local ticket office special first-class round trip tickets to Los Angeles and return, \$35. These tickets carry a limit of six months, and stop-overs are allowed in either direction.

EUGENE BANK CHECKS ARE

GOOD WITH US

We have just received a carload of the celebrated "Jewel" heaters, made by the Detroit Stove Works. This shipment includes 28 different styles and sizes, including the "Todd," "Cottage" and "Royal" base burners. The "Pluto" for wood or coal. In case you do not have the coin in your pocket, we will accept a check on any one of the FOUR EUGENE BANKS.

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worth doing is worth doing well. If you wish to be cured of rheumatism, use Ballard's Snow Liniment and you will be "well cured." A positive cure for sprains, neuralgia, bruises, contracted muscles and all the ills that flesh is heir to. A. G. M. Williams, Navasota, Texas, writes: "I have used Snow Liniment for sprained ankle and it gave me the best of satisfaction. I always keep it in the house."

GREAT ANNUAL MILINERY

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Begins today at Shumate's with the lowest prices ever before given on millinery. Prices will be reduced one-half on the entire stock.

MOTHER'S KITCHEN

Seventh and Oak streets, has opened under new management. Good board and room by the day, week or month. First-class home cooking. Chicken dinner every Sunday.

LAND FOR SALE

Say, I have some of the best farms, grass, hop and wheat lands in Lane county, and some choice lots and acres in Springfield. S. N. B. Hunt.

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FRANK J. CHENEY

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FOOTBALL MEN HAVE MADE GOOD IN CLASS ROOM

University of Oregon football men during the season of 1907 gave made good records in the class room as well as on the football field. The records of the registrar's office show that of the twenty men composing the regular squad only half a dozen have received grades as low as "D." In any of their subjects. These have been in failures, and their work as a whole compares favorably with that of last year, when in the final examinations in February the football team ranked slightly better than the average for the whole student body. The records show also that for the two months just past football men have at fewer classes than any other class of students. Reports of absence of all students are sent to the registrar's office daily, and a careful record is kept. The University works on the theory that students are there first to study, and this means regular attendance at all classes.

Demand for Graduates.

The University of Oregon is experiencing the largest demand in its history for graduates, both men and women, to take principalships and positions as teachers in the high schools of Oregon and the Northwest, and the demand is much larger than the supply. At the present time there are a number of positions vacant because there is no one available who is adequately prepared to take them. The University would be able next year to place as teachers some forty or fifty men and women, if its graduating class furnished that number. The class of 1908 now numbers about 60 members.

CLARENCE SMITH

DIES SUDDENLY

While sitting in a chair at his home at Springfield, Wednesday afternoon Clarence Smith passed away, the cause of his death being kidney and heart trouble. Mr. Smith had been a sufferer for the past four years and had moved to Springfield from his home farm at Goshen about two months ago. Since coming he had at no time been bedfast, but seemed to grow constantly worse until death relieved his suffering. Little is known of him further than that he was one of Goshen's prosperous farmers and was respected very highly in that community. Immediately after his death he was taken to the undertaking parlors of W. F. Walker, where the body was prepared for shipment. The interment was made in the cemetery near Halsey, where a sister is buried.—News.

WILLAMETTE MARKET

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Having purchased from R. F. Goodpasture the Willamette Meat Market, I expect to conduct the same in a first-class manner in every respect. I will keep constantly on hand a complete line of fresh and smoked meats, guaranteeing them the best quality at the most reasonable prices. Orders filled promptly and delivery made to every part of the city. Phone Main 35.

J. H. VINCENT.

"TYPHOID SPINES"

Everybody knows what a long series of miserable after effects are apt to follow a spell of typhoid fever. Not every one knows that this is owing to a chronic condition of weakness in the spinal column and local structures of spinal ligaments and muscles. The osteopaths are the only physicians who seem aware of those conditions, and who diagnose and treat the abnormalities as a distinct malady. Yet there are unmistakable evidences of the "typhoid spine" weeks and months after the patient has apparently recovered from his fever, and the evidences are as conspicuous to the trained diagnostician as the ribs in a patient's chest. Usually there is a weakness and sagging backward in the lower part of the spine and there is an unmistakable "feet" to the diagnosis of contraction and congestion in ligaments and muscles. The effects of this condition are to create new weaknesses in the functions of the body or exaggerate old weaknesses already exist. Patients frequently run into pneumonia and tuberculosis from this physical handicap, and there is likelihood of continued depletion and lowered vitality, making the patient liable to attack from almost any kind of disease. There is no treatment but osteopathy for the "typhoid spine," and this treatment adjusts the disordered tissues and restores flagging health and vitality with the precision of skillful mechanics. Many persons with this sort of trouble are changing climate for weak lungs, and other afflictions could stay at home and get well reasonably quick if they only got their spines adjusted.

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FOR RENT—Fine front room; furnace heat, electric light, bath. 154 East Ninth.

FOR RENT—Blacksmith shop and tools; situated on Pearl and the Park. Enquire at Hall's grocery store. d10

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for young men students. Call at 332 East Fourteenth street. tf

FOR RENT—Five furnished home-keeping rooms. Gas, electric light, bath; close in. Inquire at Guard office. tf

FURNISHED ROOMS—Electric light and bath; three blocks west of postoffice. Apply at 321 Lincoln. tf

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—A chatelaine watch, with initial "B" on back. Return to Shumate's store and receive reward. d5

LOST—University of Michigan note watch charm. Return to this office. Reward. d7

CLASSIFIED COLUMNS

FOR SALE

HOUSE FOR SALE—An ordinary work house. Call at this office. tf

FOR SALE—Second growth fir wood. W. L. Coppernoll, at Watt's jewelry store. tf

FOR SALE—A fine-class Meyer Hute or will exchange for violin or clarinet. Haynes barber shop, Willamette street. d12

FOR SALE—Heavy farm wagon, nearly new. Inquire at 634 East Eleventh street. tf

CORDWOOD FOR SALE—Leave orders with L. G. Brown at Dr. Brown's office in Chienma block. tf

FOR SALE—A cheap store and fixtures, good stand for business. Address "X," care of Guard, or call at this office. d12

WOOD FOR SALE—A few cords of good dry grub oak and dry fir. Enquire of E. M. Warren, 442 Lawrence street. tf

FOR SALE—Fruit farm of 13 acres, one mile from P. O.; variety of fruit trees; good new house; good well; barn and other outbuildings. Call at The Guard office. d12

FOR SALE BY OWNER—A snap in heart of city; only one block from high school, choice lot 57x162 feet, convenient cottage; modern. Cheap at \$2900; investigate, inquire at this office. tf

FOR SALE—In best part of the city, good 8-room house and barn, on lot 80x160; house has hard plaster; good well. On right side of street; good shade and fruit. Lock Box 132, Eugene, Oregon. tf

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FOR SALE AT A BARGAIN—Good house of 7 rooms, 89 fruit trees, deep well with wind mill, one acre under chicken fence; large chicken house; two blocks from Geary school house. Price, \$1600. Time on part. L. N. Harbaugh, agent, Room 5, over First National Bank. Bring this notice with you. tf

MISCELLANEOUS

LADIES' TAILORING—and dress-making. 769 Pearl street. d5

GASOLINE WOODSAW—P. L. Miller, phone Black 4747, residence 779 East Eleventh street (Fairmount). tf

ACCORDION PLEATING—Done by Mrs. Bert Vincent at 627 Hilyard street, near East Ninth, on reasonable terms. Phone Red 3302. tf

FOR EXCHANGE—15 acres, well improved, near Oakland, for property in or near Eugene. Good trade will be given. McMurphy & Rugh, 22 West Eighth street. tf

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TO EXCHANGE—For Eugene or Lane county property, \$600 lot at Seattle, \$1500 house and lot at Pasadena, Cal., \$4500 ranch between Wenatchee and Spokane. Inquire at Guard office. tf

GOLD AND SILVER PLATING—On knives, forks and all household articles that do not look like new. Write The Oregon Plating Works, 128 Lowsdale street, Portland, Oregon, for prices.

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