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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 18, 1908

A lady living near Skinner's Butte makes a timely suggestion to The Guard. She thinks the cutting of Christmas trees there should be prohibited, since this beautiful natural park, now the property of the city, is suffering at the hands of boys who use the cutting of Christmas trees as an excuse for acts of vandalism. Yesterday, she states, a fine young tree thirty feet high was cut down by boys and left lying on the ground where it fell, and such wanton acts are of common occurrence. The city authorities should at once take vigorous steps to protect the butte with its evergreen trees from such ravages, since it is destined in time, if properly cared for, to become Eugene's most attractive public park, and the best way to do this would be to prohibit the cutting of timber for any purpose thereon.

Because the city council is honestly trying to give the people relief in respect to water, light and power service, the members are again being subjected to unjustifiable attacks from interested parties. If the plain people of Eugene will think of their own interests and not be misled by the attacks upon the members of the city administration, made for misleading purposes, they will see the wisdom of the movement being made to free the city from the control of private corporation monopoly.

Senator Jeff Davis is still on the trail of the octopus, but he isn't going to be still much longer—he has given notice of another speech, which will incidentally go to prove that the stories of his having lost his voice were greatly exaggerated.

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practices on the part of common carriers engaged in such commerce, has been careful to investigate all complaints submitted to it, whether civil or criminal, only when this investigation has shown the complaints to be serious and well-founded, and that success might be reasonably expected. He reports that many communications have been received asking the government to take action to procure temporary injunctions against collection of increased freight rates by various railroads, although duly filed with the Interstate Commerce Commission, had been adopted in fact through agreements between competing railroads in violation of the Sherman anti-trust law. He reports that, as applications had already been made in a majority of the cases to the Interstate Commerce Commission, he deemed it inappropriate to institute proceedings looking to the procurement of temporary injunctions, the principal purpose of which would be to keep the old rates in force pending the decision of the Interstate Commerce Commission.

DIED

At the family home at Stewart avenue and West Sixteenth street, Eugene, Dec. 17, 1908, Elies, the 9-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Mikkelsen, from toxic meningitis, caused by ptomaine poisoning. The little girl, who was a twin, was ill only a day. She had been at school the day before and went home at noon feeling badly but expected to return in the afternoon. She was unable to, however, having taken worse. The funeral will be held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock with interment in the I. O. O. F. cemetery.

MARRIED

At the home of the officiating clergyman, Rev. E. J. Emmons, at Springfield, Dec. 17, 1908, T. Arthur Peterson and Miss Della P. Mead.

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L. N. Roney is at Salem to see his father-in-law, Capt. Baker, who is very ill.

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On account of so many people having to work during the day and not being able to buy their Xmas presents we have decided to keep open evenings all next week for their and many others' benefit. Nearly every department is reduced for this Special Xmas Sale. Hundreds of bargains and they are real bargains. Just when you will want things we reduce the price instead of raising it as many do. Come during the day or evening, "we" will fill your wants at the lowest prices. Everything out where you can see it and marked in plain figures, special sale on

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Now is when you will want to buy a bath robe for his Xmas present and now is when we reduce the price on all our goods. All the best and prices reduced for our Xmas sale.

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REGULAR \$13.00 WOMEN'S COATS.....	\$ 9.75
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