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TALK FAITH.

Talk faith. The world is better off without your uttered ignorance and morbid doubt. If you have faith in God, or man, or self, say so; if not push back upon the shelf of silence all your thoughts till faith shall come; No one will grieve because your lips are dumb.
—Ella Wheeler Wilcox.

To the half-million circulars distributed by President Roosevelt's Commission on Country Life, 112,000 answers have been received at Washington, according to W. A. Beard, of Sacramento, who is a member of the commission. The commissioner says that education is paramount over all other questions raised by the residents of the country. It is for an education that the boys and girls raised on farms leave for the cities and take up other lines than those followed by their parents. Beard declares that by better roads throughout the country the young folks can travel in all kinds of weather and enjoy social intercourse and attend schools, which is impossible when the roads are bad.

The Springfield Republican says when an aeroplane flies 51.3 miles in 53 1/2 minutes, remaining in the air with ease nearly an hour, and maintaining express train speed, what are the skeptics to say? Doesn't it look more and more as if the world was at the beginning of an age of man flight in which astonishing things will be done? Let us remember that the art of balancing in the air with these machines is in its earliest and crudest stage. May it not be that some time human beings in general will learn to use the aeroplane as easily as they now learn to swim?

A Fresno (Calif.) boy has been submitted to a surgical operation in order to remove a criminal instinct which has developed since he was injured in a street car accident a number of years ago. If this theory is carried to the extreme limit the entire population of the country may be carved up by the doctors on one pretext or another. And just to think of the money in it for the men of medicine.

John D. Rockefeller is going to write a drama and the understanding is that it is going to be a refined play. That is to be expected, for John D. has been in the refining business so long that nothing else could be thought of from him. If he should set out to do it, some mighty interesting things could be brought to light by the oil magnate.

If Senator Borah, of Idaho, doesn't watch out he will be unpopular with his colleagues. He is treading on a lot of toes when he asks that members of both branches of congress be prohibited from accepting employment as counsel for any corporation doing an interstate business.

If Neamith County, named for that illustrious Democrat of pioneer times, should become a reality, it will be one of the strongest Republican counties in the state. But probably Colonel Veatch thinks the good name will offset a multitude of political sins.

Notice to American plutocrats—The Kaiser has several castles and fixtures that he would be glad to exchange for coin, and if the pile be raised high enough would doubtless throw in a little social recognition.

Somebody has suggested that when the president of the future draws down a salary of \$100,000 per year it will then be time to consider having all the family washing done away from home.

Albany is worse off than Eugene, according to the following from the Democrat: "The hydrants are all frozen up. In case of a fire snowballs would evidently have to be used."

New Yorkers were greatly shocked by the prediction of an English evangelist, that in twenty years New York would be a pagan city—they thought it was.

The moon changes tomorrow—probably because the man up there, like the most of the poor mortals here, feels the need of heavier underwear.

Just now the fellow who owns a sleigh is putting on all kinds of airs when the erstwhile proud possessor of an automobile happens around.

Harriman seems to have overlooked a sizable bet when he failed to get Francis J. Heney on his payroll several years ago.

GREAT INTEREST IN CHRISTIAN REVIVAL CONTRACT FOR MACHINERY IS LET BY CITY

Another great feast of fellowship and Gospel preaching was enjoyed by a good-sized audience at the Christian church last night.

Dr. Martin put his very soul into the theme and close attention was given him throughout the entire evening. The Dr.'s remarks are scriptural from first to last. While the unrepentant sinner is made to feel the all-seeing eye of God, yet the evangelist does not fail to point out clearly the plan of salvation to all seeking the way of life. At the invitation three responded.

Professor Hogzatt has the tact to lead the great chorus in a way to present variety and spice, and kindles the fire of enthusiasm in everyone.

Dr. Martin has the following great subjects to discuss for the rest of the week, and no man, woman or child should fail to hear them:

Wednesday night, "The Holy Spirit."

Thursday, "The Sin Against the Holy Spirit."

Friday, "What Church Shall I Join?"

Saturday, "Paradise Lost and Regained."

The sermon tonight is of special importance. Services begin promptly at 7:30.

"THIS DATE IN HISTORY."
January 13.

1776—Andrew Caldwell appointed commander-in-chief of the American fleet.

1738—The Friends in Philadelphia emancipated their slaves.

1817—The ship Georgianna, of Norfolk, experienced a great shock in the gulf stream, supposed to be an earthquake.

1825—Slavery abolished in Mexico.

1834—Horatio Alger, Jr., author, born. Died July 19, 1899.

1849—Vancouver Island ceded to the Hudson Bay Company.

1854—Judah Touro, a Jewish philanthropist of New Orleans who gave \$10,000 toward the building of Bunker Hill monument, died. Born June 16, 1775.

1868—Senate reinstated Secretary of war, Edwin M. Stanton.

1874—Natick, Mass., almost destroyed by fire.

1908—Two hundred lives lost in theater fire at Boyerstown, Pa.

"THIS IS MY 62ND BIRTHDAY."
General W. P. Duvall.

Major General W. P. Duvall, the present commander of the troops in the Philippines, was born in Maryland, January 13, 1847. He graduated from the Artillery School in 1862 and in 1868 was made captain of artillery. When the war with Spain began he was made major inspector general of volunteers. In 1899, after having been made lieutenant colonel he was honorably discharged from the volunteer service. He was mustered out of the service in 1901 with the rank of colonel. The same year he was made major of the Artillery Corps and in 1906 took the rank of colonel. The same year he reached the grade of brigadier general. This rank he held until October, 2, 1907, when he became major general. Last November he was selected to succeed Major General John F. Weston in command of the troops in the Philippines.

THE GOSSIPERS
In his hour of pain and shame,
In his prison house of flame,
When revenge the devil sought
Little tongues of fire he wrought;
Tongues to lie and twist and turn,
Tongues to sear and scorch and burn,
Tongues to slay the high and holy,
Tongues to slay the poor and lowly;
Then the tongues to earth he sent,
There to work his fell intent;
To whisper, hint, smirch and sneer,
And to fill the world with fear;
Foul with gossip that can kill—
Evermore to work his will.
The little tongues of hell
Still serve the devil well.
—Pete McArthur.

FRAZZLED
One Nine O Nine is safely here,
Old Time has called its number;
It came with varied sounds of cheer
And mighty little slumber.
We welcomed it along the phone,
We greeted it with racket;
The big, cold night was all our own—
And how we trimmed his jacket.
One Nine O Nine came o'er the wire
In midnight's rattle-dazzle,
And Nineteen Eight went in the mire
Just beaten to a frazzle.
—L. S. Waterhouse.

CITIZENS' MEETING
All members of the Eugene Commercial Club, Merchants Protective Association and citizens in general are urgently invited to attend the meeting at the Eugene Commercial Club next Friday evening at 8 o'clock to discuss the division of Lane county as proposed by the Cottage Grove Commercial Club, and take action in regard to a District Fair to be held in Eugene.

C. S. WILLIAMS,
714 Per J. O. H.

A FINE KOHLER AND CAMPBELL.
Mr. Swinney of the Bell Theater has just purchased of the Stevens & Hullin Piano House an elegant Kohler & Campbell piano, which is a valuable addition to the splendid theater equipment.

IF YOU KNOW
The merits of Texas Wonders you would never suffer from kidney, bladder or rheumatic trouble. \$7 a bottle (two months' treatment) sold

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PELTON WATER WHEEL CO. AND PORTLAND MACHINERY CO. THE SUCCESSFUL BIDDERS

The contracts for the machinery for the proposed municipal power plant on the McKenzie river were let by the city council at its meeting late yesterday afternoon. The Pelton Water Wheel Co. was given the contract to furnish the water wheels for two units of power, with steel enclosed forebay, and bronze runners, for \$19,800 f. o. b., Springfield. The Portland Machinery Co. is to furnish the electrical machinery, consisting of generators and exciters, for \$11,512.

Representatives of several bidders were present at the meeting and each one presented the merits of their respective machinery. After mature deliberation the contracts were awarded as above stated. The vote on the motion to award the contracts to these parties was as follows: Axel Garrett, Rank, Moon, Hoiler, Gilbert, Berger, no; Williams and Fisher, yes.

At the beginning of the meeting Councilman Williams and Fisher filed a protest as follows: To the Honorable Mayor and Common Council of the City of Eugene: Gentlemen:—The undersigned members of the common council do hereby most solemnly protest against the letting of any contract or the expending of any money of the city of Eugene from the water fund, or otherwise, for the purchase of machinery or for any purpose whatever in reference to putting in a power plant for the purpose of pumping water for the city of Eugene, or otherwise, until the question of the right-of-way therefor, has been settled according to law, and until the injunction suit against members of the council and the water board has been settled by the court.

Respectfully submitted,
JOHN M. WILLIAMS, Chairman of the Finance committee.
GEORGE FISHER, Chairman of the Fire and Water committee.

Chambers Makes Proposition.
F. L. Chambers, during the meeting, submitted a proposition to the Council to sell his water rights on the McKenzie, near Hayden's bridge and about eight miles from Eugene, also the mill race power in Eugene. His price for the latter was \$50,000. He stated that 400 horse power for use at night could be developed and that by improvement 200 horse power could be added. He said the rental of the power at present is bringing in \$4000 a year. At the Hayden bridge site 2400 horse power can be generated, he said, and his price for this was \$35,000. Or he would lease the site for 99 years or less or for 10 per cent of the power developed and would furnish the wire for transmission of the electricity.

The council took no official action on the proposition, the mayor stating that it came too late.

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MAJOR HAMMOND INSPECTS CO. G

Notwithstanding the very cold weather between forty and fifty members of Company G turned out last night to the preliminary inspection and drill, preparatory to the annual inspection on the 21st, when a member of the regular army will be here.

Last evening Major Creed C. Hammond, of Eugene, one of the most experienced and capable men in the service, was here and took a look at affairs, giving the young men special instructions and assisting in putting them through drill work. Work was done in rolling packs in regulation style, an interesting feature of the drill.

Major Hammond complimented the company on the splendid showing made, and the good work being done by the company, and spoke in high terms of the efficiency of Captain Stanley Hammel's management of the company and the fine showing made by the boys.—Albany Democrat.

BORN

At Leaburg, January 12, 1909, to W. B. Scott and wife, a son.

At 121 Jefferson street, Eugene, January 13, 1909, to Jasper Deadmond and wife, a daughter.

NEW METHOD OF REDUCING FAT.

A news item from Paris informs us that the American method of producing a slim, trim figure, is meeting with astonishing success. This system, which has made such a wonderful impression over there, must be the Marmola Prescription Tablet method of reducing fat. It is safe to say that we have nothing better for this purpose in this country. Anything that will reduce the excess flesh a pound a day without injury to the stomach, causing wrinkles, the help of exercising or dieting, or interference with one's meals is a mighty important and useful addition to civilization's necessities. Just such a catalogue of good results, however, follow the use of these pleasant, harmless and economical fat reducers. We say economical because Marmola Prescription Tablets (made in accordance with the famous prescription) can be obtained of any druggist or the makers, the Marmola Co., Detroit, Mich., for seventy-five cents the large case, which is a decidedly economical price considering the number of tablets each case contains.

ANOTHER HOBART M. CABLE.

E. F. Miller, who resides five miles north of Eugene on the river road, has installed a fine Hobart M. Cable piano in his home, purchasing the same of the Stevens & Hullin Piano House, Commercial Club blk.

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CANDIDATES TAKING AN INTEREST IN GREAT



MISS GOLDINE WIMER. One of the popular young ladies in the Exposition to win high honors when the final vote is counted as bookkeeper in the office of the Will city.

In every district in the county candidates in The Guard's big Seattle exposition contest are taking a more active interest since the big special offer for additional votes was made. Nearly every candidate is anxious to earn one of the capital prizes that go to the two receiving the highest number of votes cast. One of them will receive a deed to a fine residence lot in Eugene and the other will name the chaperone for the excursion party.

Exposition Notes
The wireless telegraph will be demonstrated on the grounds of the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition. News from vessels in the Alaska trade will be published in a daily paper issued on the grounds of the exposition. The publication will be known as the "Wireless" and will contain both local and foreign news received in Seattle by wireless. Korea will be represented at Seattle the next year by an exhibit of bronzes, carved woods, lacquer and silks. An importer in Seattle is preparing a fine exhibit for the exposition to show the progress of the Pacific country. Nearly every county in the state of California will be represented by

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