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DAILY VALENTINES.

Just a little word of cheer to some lonely heart;
Just a little deed of love as the tear-drops start;
Trick of eye or tone of voice may clear the way,
And make sunshine where but gloom else had filled the day.

Write your message as you will, it can never be
Like the spoken word and look fraught with sympathy.
Send love's talisman abroad over sea and land;
But to home friends give the clasp of your helping hand.

Daily valentines that make life seem good to live,
To our near and dear ones are priceless thing to give.
Like the sunshine and the rain they make fresh and sweet
Places barren, else, and rough to their stumbling feet.

—February Farm Journal.

NEWSPAPERS AS LOCAL INDUSTRIES

A business man of the city the other day expressed surprise at the size of The Guard's plant and the number of people being employed. Most persons not familiar with the newspaper and printing business have little idea of the money invested in the business and the value of such industries to a community from the payroll standpoint alone. It is generally conceded nowadays that newspapers are essential to the growth and well-being of a community, and that cities are sized up very largely by the character of the newspapers they maintain. Eugene, for instance, is known to be a live and prosperous town whenever its papers are seen because they are the largest and best in Oregon outside of the city of Portland. From an industrial standpoint the newspapers pay good salaries and wages and employ many people. The Guard's weekly payroll for several months past having reached the \$300 mark. This money is distributed among the business men of Eugene and thus adds to the volume of business transacted here, the amount paid out locally by this paper for exceeding that collected from the local field. Our business is made up of subscriptions from all parts of the county, and even outside of it, from foreign advertisements and much job printing even from as far away as Portland, in addition to the purely local patronage. Last year The Guard paid out in operating expenses over \$20,000, probably three-fourths of it being disbursed at home. Thus such an industry, instead of being "supported" by a community, as we often hear remarked, contributes to a large degree in building up its home town in a material way, aside from the advertising and publicity benefits the community derives from a live paper. It follows, therefore, that the business man who advertises with good judgment not only helps his business directly but in an indirect way assists in building up an industry that employs labor and adds materially to the general prosperity of the community. In the same way the man who has all his printing done at home, instead of sending East for it, has the assurance that the larger part of the price he pays will immediately be put in circulation locally through wages paid to workmen. These are matters concerning which some business men do not seem to have a very clear conception.

ASIATIC IMMIGRATION

John R. Campbell, former editor of The Guard, writes the following letter on the Asiatic immigration question, and there is so much that is good in it that we cheerfully insert it in our editorial columns, it being the undisputed privilege of a publisher to appropriate for this purpose anything that comes in his way which is not nailed down fast and solid:

Why this trucking to Japan by our strenuous president who, by his own modest narrative, cut down the Spaniard in his way? Can he hope to placate and hoodwink the Japanese so they will not take the Philippines whenever they get good and ready, excuse or no excuse?

The mistake was made when we appropriated those far-away islands seven thousand miles from our shores right against continental Asia, with their millions of Asiatics, not taking into account the tropical climate that renders them unfit for the white man. How can we defend them—does it not put us in a most ridiculous light to have to eat humble pie in dealing with a despised race?

The Pacific coast will attend to its own affairs with the Japanese. And just as the country has come to be entirely satisfied with allowing the white man of the South to take care of the stupendous problem of the negro, so will the nation say that from the people of this coast must come the solution of the Asiatic problem now, in California at least, acute and pressing for an answer. Self-protection is the first law of nature. And the Anglo-Saxon has never been remiss in effective application of that law.

Within the past week announcement has been made that in addition to the \$25.00 fare from Missouri river points, \$30.50 from St. Louis, and \$33 from Chicago, a proportionate rate is good from every point in the United States. For instance, New York, \$50; Boston, \$49.45; Cleveland, \$39.75; Birmingham, \$40.25; Jacksonville, \$50.75, are given as illustrations.

Senator Bingham has introduced a bill in the legislature providing for the publication of the delinquent tax list. It is right and just and should become a law, since the widest possible publicity should be given in the matter of the collection of taxes

in order that no property owner should suffer because of ignorance as to the conditions of the payment of his taxes. Under the present law, which allows any one to pay delinquent taxes on a piece of property which has not been advertised for taxes, for three years and then receive a sheriff's deed on the same, there will in our opinion be many flagrant cases of injustice, which could not occur under the system of advertising such property for sale, and disposing of the same at auction to the highest bidder.

The Third Trans-Missouri dry farming congress will be held at Cheyenne, Wyoming, February 23d to 25th inclusive, and Secretary John T. Burns, of Cheyenne, urges the appointment of delegates by the commercial bodies, development leagues, mayors and county judges of Oregon.

From the top of Skinner's Butte one may count hundreds of new roofs in Eugene. If you don't believe it walk up there and see for yourself—the exercise will do you good and the sight will open your eyes to the extent of a growth that not many of our people fully realize.

The people of Eugene should take an interest in the Commonwealth exercises of next Saturday. Many notable speakers will be here and the occasion will be memorable as the beginning of an annual observation that will attract attention to the University city.

Because you see a person acting like a monkey does not necessarily indicate ignorance. They may be only credulous enough to be trying to follow advice given in the how-to-do section of some big Sunday newspaper.

It's mighty hard to convince those trying to collect a few of them that official figures declaring \$676,673,092 in national bank notes to be in circulation is not an exaggeration.

"I have reverence for the courts, but no respect for some of the judiciary," quoth Sam Gompers. Better look out, Sam, or somebody will think you mean to be personal.

In designing waistcoats to be worn each day of the week, the Merchant Tailors' Protective Association had designs on the pockets of the rich sapheads.

Next we presume the light and power corporation will seek to enjoin The Guard from publishing the facts about its controversy with the city officials.

As though the Cubans did not have troubles enough in trying to get offices, President Gomez, in his message to congress, asks for tariff revision.

Frankly speaking, what on earth does the legislature expect to accomplish from now on to the end of the session?

Before you can expect your promises to cut much ice you must establish a reputation for making good on them.

Let the West settle its own racial troubles.

The state printer's graft still goes on.

SPRINGFIELD NOTES

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Doherty, Monday morning, February 1st, 1909, a nine and one-half pound son. Ransom Miller is no longer in Uncle Sam's employ, having severed his connection with the postoffice last Saturday. J. A. Roberts is now assistant postmaster and Earle Thompson is now doing the night shift.

The parties whom the News referred to in last week's issue as renting the Smitson building, vacated by the Springfield Bakery, are Howard Tucker and Ivan Jackson, who will convert the same into a moving picture theatre. They left Wednesday for Portland, where they will purchase the necessary machinery for a strictly up-to-date place of amusement, and while there will make arrangements for the very best possible service in the way of moving pictures.—News.

A SUCCESSFUL BUSINESS

Fair prices, and honest prices, the same price every day, is what is building the practice in optometry at the office of Dr. Frank Lucille Hard, who gives personal attention to all examinations. Dr. Hard is permanently located in Suite 1-4, new Christian block, Eugene, and his entire occupation is that of examining and caring for the eye. His continuous practice in Eugene, now in the third year, has given him many testimonials of relieved eyes, improved eyesight and perfect-fitting glasses.

Revolts at Cold Steel.

"Your only hope," said three doctors to Mrs. M. E. Fisher, Detroit, Mich., suffering from severe renal trouble, "lies in an operation." "Then I used Dr. King's New Life Pills," she writes, "and I was cured." They prevent Appendicitis, cure Constipation, Headache, 25c at W. A. Rykendale's.

MEMORY.

My mind lets go a thousand things. Like dates of wars and deaths of kings. And yet recalls the very hour—'Twas noon by yonder village tower. And on the last blue moon in May—The wind came briskly up this way—Leaping the brook beside the road;—Crying, pausing here, set down its load Of pine seeds and shut its listless Two petals down that wild rose tree. —Thomas Bailey Aldrich.

Talk of rain. Down at Marshfield during January 17.99 inches fell, and 29.35 inches since the first of September.

LEMP DIVORCE

CASE ON TRIAL

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which he found in a drawer of their library table, and which Mrs. Lemp claims was a decoy to catch her husband reading her correspondence, caused him to employ a detective to watch her at Palm Beach, Fla. This letter, according to Mr. Lemp, was addressed to "my dear pal," speaks of him, apparently Lemp, in terms of hatred, and says "he is going hunting next week, and I wish to heaven he would never return. I am completely worn out and God alone knows how much longer I can stand these luthome bondages; do telephone me when you can, as I usually answer the phone now."

Lemp denies taking Mrs. Bert Evill to gardens or theatres; says he has known her fifteen years; that she frequently visited his home by his wife's invitation, and he thought it proper to ask her to take a drink because she was his sister-in-law. Lemp also states that his wife's extremes in dress and her predilection for the wearing of lavender caused her to become a conspicuous figure whenever she appeared in public and resulted in her being generally known as "the lavender lady."

An alleged anti-nuptial contract is expected to play a prominent part in the trial. Lemp alleges that in this agreement made before their marriage his bride, now the plaintiff, gave him entire control of their children's religious, moral and educational education, which he charged she violated by having their son secretly baptized as a Catholic.

THE WHEAT MARKETS

Portland, Feb. 8.—Track prices—Club, 86; bluestem, \$1.05 @ \$1.10; turkey red, \$1.00; red Russian 54; valley, \$1.00.

Tacoma, Feb. 8.—Bluestem, \$1.10; club, \$1.00; red, 98.

Chicago—May, \$1.10 5-8; July, 59 3-4; September, 95 3-4; December, 96 1-2.

Attorney E. O. Potter went to Salem today.

If You Are a Trifle Sensitive About the size of your shoes it's some satisfaction to know that many people can wear shoes a size smaller by sprinkling Allen's Foot-Ease into them. Just the thing for Darning Parties, Patent Leather Shoes, and for breaking in New Shoes. When rubbers or overshoes become necessary and your shoes pinch Allen's Foot-Ease gives instant relief. Everywhere, 25c. Sample FREE. Address, Allen S. Olmstead, Le Roy, N. Y. Don't accept any substitute.

CHRISTIAN REVIVAL

WILL CONTINUE

The great revival at the Christian church yesterday brought out as usual, large crowds to all the services. At the enthusiastic Bible school at 9:15 there was something doing every minute, there being 182 in attendance and an offering of over \$16. Dr. Martin wielded the sword of the Spirit with telling effect in all the powerful sermons of the day. He, in fact, stands four-square upon the gospel laid down in the Book and the truths of his messages penetrate the heart of every hearer. Over 65 have been added to the church during the meetings, and owing to the deep interest manifested, the services will continue throughout the entire week.

Too much praise cannot be given to Prof. Hoggatt, as a leader of song. The immense chorus that he has built up is exceedingly inspiring to all music lovers. The music at yesterday's services was especially fine.

Dr. Martin will speak on the following strong sermon subjects at 7:30 each evening this week: Monday, (tonight), "Opportunity." Tuesday, "Christian Unity." Wednesday, "Science vs. the Bible." Thursday, "The Day of Sin." Friday, "Receiving Christ." Saturday, "The Engraved Word."

BORN

At Lowell, Feb. 5th, 1909, to Mr. and Mrs. Winfrey, twins, both girls, and each weighing five and a half pounds.

In Eugene, Feb. 5th, 1909, to Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Taylor, a son.

F. O. Hansen, of Twin Valley, Minn., was an arrival in Eugene yesterday.

Tired Women



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Some of our very best bargains are now

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