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LITTLE SUNBEAM

She was sweet and soft and clinging, and he always found her singing, when he came home from his labors as the night was closing in; she was languishing and slender, and her eyes were deep and tender, and he simply couldn't tell her that her coffee was a sin. Golden hair her head was crowning, she was fond of quoting Browning, and she knew a hundred legends of the olden, golden time; and her heart was full of yearning for the Rosierucian learning, and he simply couldn't tell her that the beefsteak was a crime. She was posted on Pendentis, and she knew the songs of Venice, and he listened to her prattle with an effort to look pleased; and she liked the wit of Weller—and he simply couldn't tell her that the eggs he had for breakfast had been laid by hens diseased. So she filled his home with beauty, and she did her wifely duty, did it as she understood it, and her conscience didn't hurt, when dyspepsia holdily sought him, and the sexton came and got him, and his tortured frame was buried 'neath a wagon load of dirt. O, those marriageable misses, thinking life all love and kisses, mist and moonshine, glint and glamor, stardust borrowed from the skies! Man's a gross and sordid lumix—men are largely made of stomachs, and the songs of all the sirens will not take the place of pies.

WALT MASON.

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THE WORK OF CONGRESS

Congress met in regular session yesterday and there is plenty of important work ahead of the legislators for several months to come.

Sugar and water are among the most important subjects of discussion among the solons. There is a movement on foot for a congressional investigation of the alleged rottenness of customs service in New York, especially in relation to the frauds perpetrated in the weighing of sugar. Water is a topic of interest among the congressmen, because of the demands of the National Rivers and Harbors Congress or a large appropriation for waterways improvements.

The tragic death of Representative Devid De Armond, of Missouri, has cast a gloom over the Democratic congressmen. De Armond was admittedly among the most brilliant and useful of the minority party members of the house, and his loss will be severely felt.

The South will seek to impress its needs and desires upon congress through the Southern Commercial Congress. Later in the week the National Council of Commerce will meet, with Secretary Nagel presiding. There will be no lack of live topics for discussion in congress during the present term. While it is unlikely that President Taft will keep the solons as busy reading messages as did his predecessor, he has many important projects to bring to the attention of the law-makers.

Among our old friends will be Mr. Ship Subsidy Bill, one of the hardest of the whole Bill family. During the past decade statesmen in and out of session have rung the changes on this subject until it is almost a household expression. The crux of the contention of the friends of this measure, which has during its lifetime received many a blow, is that the dignity of this great nation requires a system of swift American-built and American-manned merchant steamers to carry the commerce of America on the seas.

Such a fleet would increase commerce and be a nucleus to the war craft in the event of hostilities. They declare that the only way to get this merchant marine is to give a bonus or subsidy to shipbuilders. The opponents of the measure have belabored the proposition with charges that it would be diverting public money to ship combines, and that it is an ugly form of paternalism. President Taft has strongly urged, in his recent speeches, the upbuilding of the merchant marine, and it will be interesting to watch the renewal of the fight for this measure.

Conservation of national resources and inland waterways and river and harbor improvements are also subjects which will be considered. All have the backing of the president, and it is expected that steps will be taken on an extensive scale in these directions. Bond issues have been suggested, and the whole subject will be threshed over.

Legislation affecting the territories will also come up. The friends of statehood for the territories of Arizona and New Mexico are encouraged over President Taft's utterances in its favor, and will push the desired legislation. Legislation for the development of government in Alaska and the Philippines will also come up.

Judicial matters are also likely to come up. In his speeches of late the president has lamented the delay of court procedure, and touched on the mooted injunction law so as to exempt labor organizations from its operations, and over this there will be a merry row.

Corporation legislation is also likely to come to the fore. The president favors legislation to keep track of the corporations, and the attorney-general is framing a scheme to this end. Along this line also will come trust legislation and interstate commerce regulation.

President Taft's message appeals less to public interest this year than usual, because it merely reiterates the views on public questions which he expressed during his recent tour of the country. The summary of the message printed today is in very readable shape, and covers all the salient points discussed.

The Oregonian is proving conclusively on authority of the

New York Sun that the direct primary is a failure in Oregon. There is a dearth of proof to this effect at home.

Four new canals, recently made, have been discovered on Mars. Wonder if the conservation commission up there is working along the Ballinger or the Pinchot line?

Word from Kentucky is that the tobacco crop is breaking the record. It might be noted that the Night Riders are also breaking some records—by behaving themselves.

It is said the emperor of Austria is a menu card collector. Perhaps he finds it easier to put the cards in his pocket than to put the conglomeration in his stomach.

The United States is demanding \$100,000 and an explanation from Zelaya. He'd probably be better satisfied to make it five dollars and two explanations.

All sidewalk fruit stands at Lincoln, Neb., have been ordered removed. 'Smatter? Mr. Bryan getting too broad-gauged for the walk?

Perhaps Doc Cook's just taken a quiet little run up to Etah to spend the week's end and enjoy a little dog-meat luncheon with the boys.

Over 2600 children of school age in Eugene, which means a population of between 12,000 and 15,000.

IMPROVEMENT CLUB WILL INVESTIGATE CONCRETE SEWERS

If They Can Be Made of That Material Plant Will Be Encouraged to Locate Here

The East Eugene Improvement Club held a meeting last night at which various topics of interest were discussed, among them being the matter of planting trees along the streets where those that were planted a couple of years ago have died. Final action on the matter was taken and the trees will be ordered at once. Agate avenue will also be planted to trees on each side of the thoroughfare. It is probable that elms will be used.

The matter of cement sewer pipe was discussed. It was thought by some that if the pipe can be made successfully of cement a plant for their manufacture should be encouraged to locate here and a committee was appointed to investigate the matter. The committee on new sewers for Fairmount reported that the matter was still in the hands of the city engineer to make estimates and that it will take him two or three weeks yet.

YOUNG BOY MEETS WITH DEATH IN BOILING WATER

Tacoma, Wash., Dec. 6.—After lying in terrible agony as the result of being pushed into a tub of scalding water, the 22-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Alder, 1926 South O street, died at 1 o'clock last night. The accident happened at 10:30 Sunday morning, when the twin brother of the dead child playfully pushed the unfortunate baby into a washtub filled with boiling water, which the mother was using to scrub the floor. The child's back was terribly scalded, and congestion of the lungs and other internal complications set in soon after the accident.

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Mrs. Mina Henderson says: "Mi-o-na cured me of a stomach trouble of long standing. My trouble came from a weak and impaired condition of the digestive organs. My food did not digest, but fermented, making gas, which pressed against my heart and on many occasions I expected to die. I doctored and used remedies without success or relief, until using Mi-o-na, I was cured." 283 Pavone St., Benton Harbor, Mich. 1908.

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Mi-o-na for ear or sea-sickness.

Mi-o-na for over-indulgence of the night before.

Fifty cents a large box at leading dealers everywhere and in Eugene by Hull's Red Cross Drug store.

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Cures cough or money back. Just breathe it in. Complete outfit, including inhaler \$1. Extra bottles 50c. Druggists.

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Children's clothing and plain sewing neatly done and at reasonable prices at 975 Ferry street. tf

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SUTTON TICKET WINS AT SPRINGFIELD'S ANNUAL ELECTION

Rhoades Defeats Beebe for Recorder and Russell Wins Treasurership

The annual election at Springfield yesterday resulted in a victory for the ticket headed by W. M. Sutton for mayor. The vote was as follows: Mayor—M. M. Peery, 112; W. M. Sutton, 123.

Recorder—L. M. Beebe, 85; J. N. Rhoades, 145.
Treasurer—L. K. Page, 88; S. M. Russell, 139.

Councilmen—L. L. Lefley, 165; Chas. Rivett, 171; Geo. W. Perkins, 103. First two named councilmen elected.

DIED

On Sunday, December 5, 1909, at the family home, two miles south of Crow, the six-months-old baby of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Holstad, of inflammation of the bowels.

BORN

In Eugene, December 3, 1909, to A. E. Haavde and wife, a son.

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Hot biscuit, hot bread, cake—the finest, most useful and healthful—made with Royal, impossible without.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER

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THE ONLY Baking Powder made from Royal Cream of Tartar

THINGS WE THINK and WHAT OTHERS THINK

By Elbert Bede

A New York poet refers to his lady's lips as "Love's apocalypse." We hope he recovers.

The mule is a good emblem for the democratic party because it can stand so much abuse.

It would seem as if a man who sees another drink would never be foolish enough to imbibe too freely himself.

A missionary has invented a new merry widow. There is work for a missionary in the merry widow hat business.

If men were only as smart as their wives think they are, this old world would be inundated with a deluge of greatness.

No matter how safe we may make our banking system, the ballet dancer's fortune will still be inside her stocking.

We have found out where Darwin got his theory about the descent of man. When Adam gave up one of his ribs to have his wife made of, he found that he had made a monkey of himself by so doing.

Men who brag about their wealth are really worth merely their weight multiplied by the market price of pork.

"Men who stay at home every night are not good for anything," says Dr. Julia Holmes. We would

say that such men at least are good husbands and fathers and are setting a pretty fair example for their boys.

St. Paul doesn't want Armour's packing plant located too close to that village for fear of polluting the aesthetic temperaments of the natives. The legislature probably furstand for.

With the commission plan of government there ought to be no more sins of omission.

"Women over 24 years of age can vote," says the Swedish diet. Digest that, you anti-suffragists.

When the tube woman gets toggled out in all the latest finery she certainly will be a pipe dream.

STUNG FOR 15 YEARS

by indigestion pangs—trying many doctors and \$200.00 worth of medicine in vain, B. F. Aycock, of Ingleside, N. C., at last used Dr. King's New Life Pills, and writes they wholly cured him. The cure constipation, biliousness, sick headache, stomach, liver, kidney and bowel troubles. 25c at W. A. Kuykendall's.

We take pride in the fact that we carry a complete line of Pure Drugs and Chemicals and everything to be found in an up-to-date store, and we sell at reasonable prices. We do not have our entire capital invested in fancy fixtures, for you to pay for when you buy of us. Red Cross Drug Co.

DON'T BE HOPELESS

about yourself when you are crippled with rheumatism, or stiff joints—of course you've tried lots of things and they failed. Try Ballard's Snow Liniment—it will drive away all aches, pains and stiffness and leave you as well as you ever were.

Your Eyes for a Few Minutes To look over some good Real Estate Propositions and Business Chances

FARMS

Some of the Best Farms in Lane County.

500 acre farm, short distance from Eugene; half in cultivation; very good buildings; excellent fruit and dairy ranch; in fruit raising district; worth \$50 an acre; can be bought for less than \$30 an acre. Terms.

Fine fruit farm, 45 acres; 5 miles from Eugene; all but 4 acres in cultivation; house, barn, running stream through place; a good buy at \$5500.00

70 acre farm, 4 miles from Eugene; 8 room house; good barn; good water; a good all-around place, on new electric line survey. Price, per acre... \$90.00

CITY PROPERTY

7-room house, one block from Willamette street; central location; corner lot, 80x160 feet; fine location; room for three houses on lot; price ... \$4700.00

5-room bungalow, new; well on porch; lot 50x160 feet; price... \$1500.00

6-room house, 4 blocks from Central school \$2200.00

Four acres, part inside city limits; most all in bearing fruit; good house; a lovely home and good buy at ... \$6000.00

LOTS FOR SALE IN ALL PARTS OF THE CITY

BUSINESS CHANCES

Good paying business, central location, sonable rent. About \$2000 will do it.

A good paying business in central business district; will net at least \$1000 year. The best of reasons for it. Will invoice about \$4000.

Small store, well located, netting \$150 per month. This is a business for a little money invested. voice about \$450.

All the above businesses are in Eugene and are good propositions.

We have some others, and if you a business in Eugene see us.

The cheapest and best lots are in the Gross Addition. Let us show them to you.

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