

HERE IS J. J. HILL'S RECIPE FOR SUCCESS

Ingalls Said Opportunity
Knocks but Once; Hill Says

HIS LIFE PROVES IT

Railway Magnate Fought His Way
Upward From Humble Surroundings.

When John D. Ingalls wrote "Opportunity" he limited the call of fortune to one time—"the hour of fate." James J. Hill, so-called master of a thousand human destinies, scatters the call of opportunity through life as long as there is energy and sagacity.

One, the poet and idealist, and the other, the builder of railroads and developer of the country, and above all the practical man, are in direct conflict.

Hill's Life Story.
James J. Hill's life story of a tremendous and winning fight for fortune through achievements and opportunity began in the Canadian hamlet of Rockwood, on the Little Speed river, where he was born 69 years ago. His parents were poor Irish emigrants and lived in a log cabin on the Toronto high road.

In this remote place the future railroad magnate conned his first lessons as a barefooted school boy. At 12, when his father died, young Jim went to work in Passmore's village store and studied nights. This enabled him, for four years, when there was a big opportunity for an "experienced shipping clerk" in the offices of the Dubuque & St. Paul Packet Line, to say truthfully "that he had been a clerk over four years," and get the job. Having got the job, he made good in it.

Nine years later, when he was only 27 years old, he was in business for himself as a commission steambot and railway agent, and represented the St. Paul & Pacific. From that time to now the newspapers have kept track of him and he stands today on a pedestal built of a thousand successes.

What "success" means to James J. Hill he here tells the Sunday Post-Hill he here tells in the Sunday Coos way. The sum of his precept and example is:

OPPORTUNITY.
Master of human destinies am I!
Fame, love and fortune on my footsteps wait.
Cities and fields I walk; I penetrate
Deserts and fields remote, and passing by
Hovel and mart and palace, soon or late,
I knock unbidden once at every gate.
If sleeping, wake; if feasting, rise
Before I turn away. It is the hour of fate.
And they who follow me reach every state
Mortals desire, and conquer every foe
Save death; but those who doubt or hesitate,
Seek me in vain and uselessly implore—
I answer not, and I return no more.
—JOHN INGALLS.

OPPORTUNITY.
"Many opportunities come to every man. It depends upon himself, and upon what he shall make of himself, and what he makes of opportunities and what they will make of him. A good aim, diligence in learning every detail of your business, honest, hard work and determination to succeed, win out every time unless crossed by some exceptional accident or misfortune." JAMES J. HILL.

Opportunity meaning success, is scattered everywhere for those who have the sagacity and energy to grasp it.

BY JAMES J. HILL,
President of the Great Northern Railroad.

I have always lived the life of a Bay Times in his brief and pointed I mean to drop business cares entirely in the evening and to unite work, rest and recreation in reasonable proportions. I am fond of both hunting and fishing and spend a short vacation each summer on a salmon river in Labrador.

"The working days and working hours are those in which there is necessary work to be done, whatever time that may require. Spare hours are well spent upon the study of history, literature and art. Whatever any able mind of great genius has given for the instruction or employment of the world is worth while. Ample and accurate information is the first step toward success for everyone; and the world of historic fact, with the bearings of each upon the probable future of each human effort, it is now so large that a man will find all his leisure too little for his desire to equip himself with knowledge. In books and pictures, as in practical things, only the best are worthy any one's time and attention.

"Home the Anchor of Life."
"The home is the center and another of life for both children and parents. It gives happiness to one and forms the character of the other. All after life is upon the home life; from it the first and best and most lasting education is drawn. The boy or girl who is taught there to be obedient and affectionate and considerate of others, to look forward to making the best of use of whatever opportunity may bring, and who receives, after leaving the home, such education as the best schools and universities have to offer, has all the preparation for after life that it is his to give, and one that should not often fail. This is a method many centuries old, but I do not know that it has ever been improved upon.

"The best advice to a young man, as it appears to me, is old and simple. Get knowledge and understanding. Determine to make the most possible of yourself by doing to the best of your power such useful work as comes your way. There are no receipts for success in life. A good aim, diligence in learning every detail of your business, honest, hard work and a determination to succeed, win out every time, unless crossed by some exceptional accident or misfortune.

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DENIES NEW TRIAL FOR RICH WOMAN

Dakota Justice Rules Against Slayer of Servant Girl.

Yankton, S. D., Oct. 25.—After studying various documents submitted to him to show why Mrs. Emma Kaufman of Sioux Falls should be given another trial before a jury, Judge J. E. Smith today overruled the motion for a new trial. The case will at once be appealed to the supreme court and every effort will be made to save Mrs. Kaufman from a long penitentiary term for killing her maid servant, Agnes Polreis.

Mrs. Kaufman is the wife of a rich Sioux Falls brewer. Though she had plenty of money, she never associated with other women of means, did not care for reading, and was called a "strange woman."

In 1905 her husband, Moses Kaufman, told friends that his wife needed a girl for housework. Agnes Polreis, 16 years old, the daughter of an Austrian immigrant, was recommended. Six months later she was taken to a hospital from the Kaufman residence and died a month later. The post-mortem showed six wounds on the head of the girl, one finger was missing and there were bruises all over the body. It was proved at the trial of Mrs. Kaufman that she had repeatedly beaten the girl, and death was attributed to this treatment.

A. H. Eddy has been busy since coming to town. New cottage designs.

CHINA LAYS CLAIM TO PRATAS ISLAND

War Ship to Investigate Recent Seizure by Japanese Subjects.

Shanghai, Oct. 25.—The Chinese government has ordered the viceroy at Canton immediately to dispatch war ships to Pratas and investigate a report of Japanese seizure and proposed colonization of the little island that promises to become a bone of contention between China and Japan, the former disputing the alleged discovery by Japanese and asserting that it is clearly within Chinese territory.

While apparently undetermined as to whether it is available purposes, the assertions of the Japanese who raised their national flag there that the island contains great mineral wealth have attracted the attention of the Pekin government, hence the orders for the dispatch of war ships and the investigation issued by the foreign office.

See A. H. Eddy's ad in business directory.

Gillette Remains in Custody.
New York, Oct. 26.—Dr. Walter R. Gillette, formerly vice-president of the Mutual Life Insurance company, who was yesterday convicted of perjury and remanded to the toms, was denied bail in the supreme court today, pending a motion of appeal.

Get Your Sunday Dinner at—
Corthell's Delicatessen
2nd and C Streets Phone 561
Special for Saturday and Sunday.
Fried Chicken, Chicken,
Boston Baked Beans,
Boston Brown Bread,
Macaroni and Cheese,
A Special Variety in Cake, Pies and Ice Cream. Try Our Lunches.

COOS BAY ACADEMY OF MUSIC
Students may graduate in Violin, Piano or Pipe Organ. Rapid and thorough method for beginners. Classes in Harmony, Composition, etc., vocal sight reading and piano ensemble. Singers coached in oratorio, opera, or concert work by the directors.
ELMER A. TODD, O'Connell Bldg., Marshfield

We Carry the Largest Stock and Greatest Variety of Mattresses.
At our factory on Broadway, Marshfield, of any place in the country and to enable the public to get the best goods at the lowest prices WE WILL CARRY A RETAIL DEPARTMENT covering our entire line. Special prices made to hotels and rooming houses.
CALL AND SEE US! IT WILL PAY YOU!
Coos Bay Bedding & Upholstery Co.

WHAT CHICAGO WOMEN WEAR

By PAULINE

During the betwixt and between days, while plans for the winter's wardrobe are being carried out, one has a chance to wear the jaunty tailor made suit which during the summer was something of a burden in weight. Glancing casually around on a morning's shopping tour gray suits seem to predominate, yet each wearer tries out some scheme whereby her own suit may not seem altogether like that of her closest friend. All shades of gray seem similar until judged at close range, and their visible check or small plaid looks precisely like a pepper and salt mixture until placed side by side. So it rests with the wearer of this favorite color to "dress up" her appearance by a nobby hat, a bright colored tie, a smart little belt, or a fluffy neck ruff to gain individuality.

In these days, when bright colors are so predominant in hats, it is not surprising that gray suits are so extremely popular. Almost any other shade suitable for street wear adapts itself readily to the gray suit. For instance, Miss Agnes Booth was noticed one day last week wearing a gray suit of invisible plaid, topped by a stunning hat of sapphire blue silk. It was more than becoming of her fair coloring, and an added bit of brightness was lent by two crushed American beauty roses which held several dark blue feathers in place. The hat was a large one, with a high round crown, and was slightly rolled back in front to show the pompadour. Miss Booth's suit had a short jacket, a semi-box cut, and trifle longer in front than in back, while the skirt was of trotting length and kilted. It was the hat which gave the touch of individuality, although an immaculately white linen collar and jabot added greatly to the general effect.

Mrs. Orvil Babcock was another shopper who wore a gray suit, hers being of pepper and salt, a kilted skirt and tight fitting jacket which reached below the hips. To give it a touch of smartness Mrs. Babcock wore a round hat with a small brim which rolled back from the face and was set well off the pompadour, and which was trimmed with a white coque feather which fell gracefully over the crown. This hat was tightly veiled with black chiffon, pinned at the nape of the neck and again on the hat brim, but through which Mrs. Babcock's large pearl earrings could easily be seen. Heavy white kid gloves stitched with black added a complete touch to the costume.

The Myers Store North Bend, Oregon Ladies' Tailored Suits

"I tell you, if some of the Coos Bay women would make a trip to the city stores, they would certainly appreciate the Myers Store, and especially its suit department, more." Remarked one of our store patrons, who was heretofore somewhat inclined to think that the goods that she gets away are better than what she can get at home. "I never did fully appreciate this store until I was in Portland last week, and tried to do some shopping there. There is a larger stock to select from, of course," she went on, "but the assortments are no more comprehensive, nor the values one bit better than what we can get right here at home. Then too the styles are no prettier, and the prices are decidedly no lower."

This statement was made last week by one of North Bend's prominent women, who had just returned from Portland. We sometime wish that more of the fair sex of this vicinity could get a glimpse of the city stores, their values, styles and prices. We know it would add materially to our benefit for no one can go away and return, and conscientiously claim the styles in the city are more up-to-date and better and the prices lower than what we are offering. There is no Portland nor San Francisco store that has better facilities than we to get the strictly up-to-date wearables for women. Our fall and winter coats and suits were not made up until fully six to eight weeks after the famous Parisian Horse show, at which time the pace is set for all fall and winter styles.

So, again we ask you to keep your money at home. It helps you—it helps us to help you. If we could not give you as good deal as the city stores we would not ask for your patronage. Pr \$45.00 to **\$15.00**
And coats begin at \$5.00 and graduaces of suits range from \$45.00 to **\$45.00**

A. W. Myers & Company, Coos Bay's Greatest Store

Wool Blankets
Our wool blankets we buy direct from the mills. This is an important item to buyers of blankets, and it is important to you to know this, that you may take advantage of our exceptionally low prices. We save the middlemen's and traveling salesmen's commissions, and in shipping in great quantities we get better freight rates. This is why our wool blankets are such exceptional values.
Grey wool blankets. Good size for either three-quarter or double bed. Extra heavy, and made of good grade of wool yarn. **\$3.50**
Price pair only
Fine "Sultana" plaid wool blankets. The finest wool blankets ever shown at around \$7.50 and \$8.00. Plaids are pink and white, blue and white and black and white. A wonderful buy at, pair **\$5.50**
11-4 fine grey all-wool blankets. Full size bed. Very soft and fluffy. A very great value at, pair **\$6.50**
11-4 finest grade all-wool tan (vicuna) blankets. "Made in Oregon," and is the finest grade turned out by the Union Woolen Mills. This blanket is one of the best sellers and is well thought of. Pair **\$8.50**

Cotton Blankets
We have never been prepared to give you better values in cotton blankets than we are offering this season. While it is true cotton materials are higher, through certain buying advantages and privileges we are enabled to sell as low or lower than in former seasons.
10-4 cotton blankets, in grey, tan and white. For three-quarter bed. Pair **69c** only
10-4 cotton blankets, in somewhat heavier grade. Colors grey, tan and white. A very good value at, pair **85c**
11-4 medium heavy cotton blankets. Full size. Colors grey, tan and white. Pair, only **\$1.15**
11-4 heavy cotton blankets. Full size. Colors grey, tan and white. A great value at, pair **\$1.50**
12-4 extra heavy grey cotton blankets. Extra large, and very fluffy. Pair only **\$2.00**

White Bed Spreads
Fine Marsailles satin finish white bed spreads. Full size. Handsome pattern. Without fringe. Each **\$1.25**
Handsome Marsailles satin finish white bed spreads. Extra large for double bed. Fringed. Worth fully \$2.50. Each **\$2.00** only
Fine fringed white bed spreads in fine Marsailles satin finish. Cut cornered for iron and brass beds. Beautiful patterns. Very reasonably priced at, each **\$2.50**

Comforts
Full size silklike comforts. Stitched or knotted. Fair quality silklike. Cotton filled. A very exceptional value at **\$1.65**
Extra large home-made quality covered comforts. Filled with best quality cotton. Fine grade silklike. A great buy at, each **\$2.00**
Extra heavy sateen covered comforts. Carefully stitched. Fine quality cotton filling. Best designs. Each, only **\$3.25**

Turkish Towels
Fine Bleached Turkish Towels
Extra heavy. Fringed. Very soft and an exceptional value. Size 21 by 48 inches. **25c**
Worth 35c. Each
Extra large bleached turkish towels. Size 27 by 58 inches. Very soft finish and especially absorbent. One of the best values we have ever shown. Each, only **50c**

Our Lining Department
Our complete lining department is a boon to every dressmaker or seamstress in this vicinity. We realize the importance of having in this department everything that may be desired in linings, and it is our aim at all times to keep this line as complete as it is possible to do so.
All shades and grades of lining silks, satins and sateens, Heatherbloom, Spun Glass and Crystalline, and Cambric. Canvas, crinoline, haircloth, stiffening, etc., etc., are to be found in this department, and you can always rely upon receiving satisfaction.
Barbers' Towels
This is the best value we know of in barbers' towels. Size 13 by 26 inches. Very soft finish. With or without out fringe. Each only **6c**
Toweling
Fine all linen half bleached toweling. 17 inches wide. Soft and very absorbent. Worth
20 cents. Yard only **15c**

Children's Dresses
This coming week we will have on display a beautiful line of children's school dresses for fall and winter wear. These garments are known as the famous "Pioneer Brand". The materials are cashmere and fine granite weaves. They are made up in the popular Buster Brown style, with soutache and fancy braid trimming. Ages are 8 to 14 years, and our regular prices were from \$2.75 to \$3.00. Choice only **\$1.95**
Children's Dresses
4 to 6 years
Another line on display will be some very excellent values formerly selling at from \$2.00 to \$2.25, in mixed and plain fabrics. These garments are especially well made, **\$1.25** and very serviceable. Choice, each.

Quality Dress Fabrics
Fine French taffeta poplin. 42 inches wide. Colors red, brown, navy and black. This handsome weave is exceedingly popular for winter wear, and makes up beautifully. There will be no other fabric shown anywhere that will meet with greater favor. Yard only... **\$1.50**
44 inch fine all-wool panama, in red, brown, navy and black. Another fabric that is always well thought of. This weave is especially recommended for its excellent wearing qualities, as well as the fact that it does not show the dirt easily and always looks new. Is a very great value at, yard **\$2.00**
"Exquisite" broadcloth. The finest of all imported goods. Broadcloths were never more popular than they are this season, and no other brand is better thought of than the "Exquisite" for strictly high grade goods. This same broadcloth sells in the cities at \$3 and \$3.25 yard. Is 50 inches wide, and colors are red, brown, gold, cream-white, navy, grey and black. Our price is, yard **\$2.50**