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THE WEATHER.

SOME PEOPLE THINK that to talk the weather is a sure indication of a mind poorly furnished with subjects for conversation, but, what is so important as the weather? It has a very positive effect on almost everything in life.

It can spoil the crops; it can make the social season a sad; sad thing; it can squelch excursions; it can, if it sets out to do it, ruin the manufacturers of, say, rubbers, or straw hats, or the newest hot weather drink. It can make the ice trust even haughtier than it normally is, and force the consumer to bow to the coal baron. Is it strange that people talk about the weather?

Besides, it is interesting, as all uncertainties are. A man who lived in Southern California once said that he found the country deadly dull, because there wasn't any weather to talk about. The sun shone just the same every day. Of course they could talk about real estate, but there is a certain monotony about real estate, especially in Southern California.

The aggravating thing in talking about the weather is the feeling that the weather doesn't care what you say. Abuse a person, and you are reasonably sure that your abuse will reach that person's ears and hurt that person's self-love. But the weather is just what it feels like being, and you can like it or not, as you choose. The weather can get along without you perfectly well, and you can't get along without the weather. There's the rub.

But the present weather on Coos Bay is well worth talking about. Nowhere are skies bluer or breezes more balmy. While the middle west and the south are writhing in storms and torrents of rain and the east is sweltering under a broiling sun life on Coos Bay is one grand sweet song. Just warm enough to make existence a pleasure. This is the weather for which Coos Bay is famous. The rains and fogs and mists and storms of winter, are merely incidental to this. This is the sort of weather that will some day make Coos Bay a name known the world over as a summer resort.

THOSE 50,000 ELKS.

THINK OF 50,000 members of a single fraternity recently foregathered in one city, such as Los Angeles, for the purpose of business and pleasure and fraternal union. It has its lessons, not the least of which, is, that such a host, coming from every point of the compass within this land of ours, may be actuated by a common impulse of unity and interest and travel hundreds, and thousands of miles to express it. It is among the saving graces of the American people that their great fraternities are as strong and harmonious and powerful as they are, and that each year is marked by some splendid interpretation of their purposes, such as this.

We are glad there is enough of common ground left upon which these huge assemblies may operate, regularly and effectively; it is a good thing for the nation, because of the interchange of thought, the prompting to new activities and progressive plans and policies; it is significant of that power for amalgamation and unified purpose that, at great crises, require the broadest thought and thoroughmost concord of action. Such groups and such faculties are rich with promise for the moulding and

directing of the right idea at the right hour in a nation's affairs, and to them we may some day look for salvation from blunders and perils, as a people.

We take it that such a vast crowd as that lately assembled in the California city is more truly representative of the whole people and of their best interests and hopes than the Congress of the land, and that they more nearly fit the honorable station of public councilors and public servants, in the very best sense of those terms, than the men we are paying lavishly, with monies and honors at the national capital.

We do not care how strong and popular these fraternities grow. All of them are founded upon the only principles left us; and their rise and progress may, at no distant day, mean infinitely more to the nation than they do at the present moment.

CARNIVAL AT BANDON.

Business Men There Organize For Purpose.

Arrangements are under way for a big three days carnival in Bandon this fall and if present plans are carried out it will be the biggest event of the kind ever held in Coos county.

At a meeting of business men a permanent organization for the purpose of conducting a carnival and other enterprises, was formed and a carnival committee composed of C. R. Wade, W. C. Sellmer, Dr. L. P. Sorensen, Geo. P. Topping and Capt. Johnson of the live-saving station, was elected.—Bandon Recorder.

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