

B. F. JONES IS ON COOS BAY

Candidate for Republican Nomination for Congress Pleased With Outlook

B. F. Jones, formerly of the U. S. Land Office at Roseburg, and now a candidate for the Republican nomination for Congress in this district, arrived here last evening via train to look after his campaign in Coos and Curry. He has visited here a number of times in the past and is well and favorably known in this community. He plans to spend some time in this section, but will have to travel rapidly, as he wishes to campaign in ten other counties prior to the primaries May 15.

"I have been in nearly all of the counties of the district and have covered seven of them pretty thoroughly, and I am confident of the outcome," said Mr. Jones today. "Mr. Hawley has long represented the district, and I find much dissatisfaction and also a feeling that this section should be represented by a person in closer touch with its needs and especially with the coast section.

"I have lived in this district thirty-five years and spent most of my life in four counties of the district. I served ten years as pilot on a steamboat and was employed on vessels during the construction of the Yaquina jetties and think that I have gained through personal experience a knowledge of harbor needs that few others possess. This, I am certain, would be of immense aid to me and of value to the district in handling river and harbor improvement projects in Congress. I place harbor first in my platform because I feel that their development will mean more to this district than any other thing.

"Next I place the Government land question. There are over 16,000,000 acres of Oregon land in the Federal reserve and of this at least one-fourth is agricultural and grazing lands and it will be my aim to have this large area thrown open to homesteaders for settlement at the earliest date possible. Next I believe in amending the homestead law and eliminating the twenty-acre cultivation clause, one that anyone who has any knowledge of this section knows is preposterous. During the last five years there have been over 20,000 homestead entries in Oregon, taking up at least 750,000 acres. These selections have been made from land that has been turned down by timber operators and script-jobbers and consequently is largely the poorest there is. But stop for a moment and think of the great addition these 20,000 homesteaders have made to the wealth on the tax rolls of Oregon and also of what they are and will produce. Oregon must rely largely on homesteaders for a time for its development. They must be encouraged and aided.

"I was astounded today when someone called my attention to the fact that Coos Bay had been allowed an appropriation of only \$50,000 for harbor improvement this year in the face of the people here raising over \$300,000 of their own money to improve this harbor. It isn't right and fair to Coos Bay and the great territory that can be served by this harbor. I was at Astoria years ago when comparatively small vessels could take less than one-fourth of their cargo at Astoria, owing to the lack of a deep channel in the Columbia. You can see what money has done there and a great deal more can be accomplished for a less expenditure here. I am reliably informed. If elected, I certainly shall see that Coos Bay harbor gets the recognition it deserves and that the other rivers and harbors of this district shall be properly developed."

Mr. Jones received a hearty welcome here.

COOS LEAGUE MEETING HERE

Gathering in Marshfield Next Tuesday Afternoon to Arrange for Season

A meeting of representatives of the various towns in Coos county to discuss the 1914 baseball situation has been called to be held in Marshfield next Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The meeting will be held at the Marshfield Chamber of Commerce and notices of it were sent out by Hugh McLain, chairman of the Marshfield committee today.

North Bend, Bandon, Coquille, Myrtle Point and Norway besides Marshfield are expected to be represented at the meeting.

From the general feeling here, old grievances will be pretty much eliminated from the meeting here. The proposal of a few to try and keep Bandon out of the league has been pretty generally sat down upon by business men and fans, especially in Marshfield, who feel that Bandon has been one of the best baseball towns in the county.

It is also likely, judging from the talk recently that the efforts of a few to try and make the league a "home guard" organization will find little favor and it may be that the bars will be thrown down altogether so far as the number of imported players is concerned and each town allowed to strengthen its team as much as necessary to get good baseball.

Matters of guarantee etc. will be decided, as well as electing officers for the county organization. As Coquille and North Bend have had the Coos County League offices the last few years, it is likely that the other towns will be shown a preference. Hugh McLain has been suggested for president and Harry Oerding, of Coquille, or Geo. Laffaw, of Bandon, for secretary.

HARBOR WORK IS DISCUSSED

North Bend Meeting About Finishing Channel—McLeod Protests

The dredge Oregon will be at Coos Bay from May 15 to October 1 to assist in the work of dredging the lower bay and removing some of the bad shoals. This information was brought out at a meeting of the North Bend Chamber of Commerce last night in an address by L. J. Simpson replying to N. C. McLeod, who said that he thought the funds of the Port Commission were being wasted at Marshfield and that too much time was being spent in making fills. Mr. Simpson, in answering Mr. McLeod, said that the money expended by the Port Commission thus far had been spent in improving the upper harbor and that the Port Commission had made arrangements to have the dredge Oregon work on the lower Bay from May 15 to October 1.

Edgar McDaniel asked Mr. Simpson and Mr. Loggie, as members of the Port Commission, if something could not be done for the improvement of the inlets adjacent to the Bay, as many of them were in bad shape and he thought the Port Commission should appropriate some money for the improvement of these inlets. L. J. Simpson answered by saying that he had discussed the matter of inlet improvements with the Port Commission several times, and the Port Commission was inclined to look on the inlets as soupy roads, as the farmers use them as a means of transportation for all produce. In view of this fact, a proposition was submitted to the county court for the dredging of these inlets, whereby the Port Commission would pay one-third, the property owners along the inlet, one-third and the county one-third. This offer was declined by the county court.

In view of this fact, Mr. Simpson said that little could be done until the main harbor channel work had been finished and then the inlets would come in for consideration.

COAST LEAGUE BASEBALL SCORE

Rain Prevents San Francisco-Portland Game—Los Angeles' Big Score

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)

SAN FRANCISCO, April 9.—Rain prevented the Portland-San Francisco Coast League game here yesterday. The other games resulted as follows:

At Sacramento—	R. H. E.
Oakland	3 5 2
Sacramento	5 8 2
Batteries—Geyer and Abogast; Kramer and Rohrer.	
At Los Angeles—	R. H. E.
Los Angeles	17 22 3
Venice	6 12 5
Batteries—Perritt, McHenry and Brooks; Henley, Smith, Chellette and Elliott.	

COST OF WORK IS REDUCED

Expense of Planting Holland Grass on North Spit Sand Dunes Only \$10 an Acre

Roy Rozelle, in charge of the government work of planting Holland grass on the north spit and the other harbor work, was here from Empire yesterday. He reports that about forty acres of the sand dunes have already been planted and that they expect to plant between forty-five and fifty acres more, making a total of about ninety acres to be planted this year.

Mr. Rozelle says that the work has been going fine and that he has been able to greatly reduce the cost of transplanting the grass. This year the cost will average about \$10 per acre, while hitherto it has cost about \$15 per acre.

The grass prevents the wind from shifting the sand and blowing it into the channel.

RED HEADS, READ THIS

It may be consoling to light-haired and red headed people to read that out of 165 patients at an English insane hospital only one has red hair, and only four have light hair and complexion.

It used to be supposed that a pale complexion specially marked a tendency to mental excitement and brain disorder. What is true of men is also true of women; they are, with one exception in fifty, dark haired and dark-hued. It is sometimes the case that the hair turns white with insanity. Probably the reason arose from this fact. The reason why dark people are more inclined to mental disorder has not been explained.

MARSHFIELD FIRE Department will give a DANCE SATURDAY night at the EAGLES' hall. KEY-SER'S ORCHESTRA.

SHIPPING NEWS

SAYS MICHIE IS DOING FINE

Bar Dredge Took Out 1398 Yards in Little Over Hour—Shoal Cutting Away

The bar dredge Michie established a new record yesterday when she took out 1398 yards of sand in one hour and fourteen minutes. She was operating on the bar shoal near the black buoy.

Captain Reed has been getting in more work lately with the big dredge and it is said that he is showing a good many who have been criticizing the craft that they did not know what they were talking about and that by next month the effect on the bar will be so marked that there will no longer be complaints about the bar dredge. A party who is in close touch with the operations stated yesterday that some of the critics would be sorry that they had spoken.

Yesterday the Michie took out 4000 yards in four hours and it is said that in addition to what the dredge actually carried away, many more yards were washed out by the ebb tide, the dredge stirring up the sand so that it would wash easily.

Soundings taken yesterday show that there is now twenty-two feet of water on the bar shoal at low water and this shoal has been the one that bothered most. This is four feet more water than was reported before the Michie started work. At high water yesterday there was between 27 and 28 feet of water on the shoal.

The Michie worked for quite a while on the ebb tide yesterday, showing that the reports that she could not work on the ebb were incorrect.

ARRIVE TODAY ON BREAKWATER

Steamer in Early Today With 425 Tons of Freight and 114 Passengers

The Breakwater arrived in this morning from Portland with 425 tons of freight and 114 passengers. She had a good trip. She will sail at 10 o'clock Saturday morning for Portland.

Mrs. R. M. Dunne, Mrs. F. M. Holland, Mrs. V. McCannery, Miss Manavery, Miss M. McManavery, L. L. Gilbert, J. B. Davis, Mrs. Davis, Hazel Rexford, E. A. Waller, T. Olson, J. W. Heitler, W. A. Strong, Miss Howell, Mrs. E. K. Jones, J. Averend, Anna Necutis, Jno. Ferguson, Mrs. Ferguson, C. D. Gabrielson, V. Lindholm, S. Hurre, W. L. Whiting, A. J. Barger, A. Pushart, J. Wallace, L. Roy, L. Soy, Loo Boy, L. Win, S. Sin, Miss E. Millrany, T. E. Reed, E. J. Hayman, J. Snyder, Mrs. Snyder, Mrs. N. Hendrix, A. F. Douglas, G. F. Phillie, G. S. Smith, F. M. Whyte, Miss J. Selstrom, C. A. Maddux, F. A. Dryden, W. E. Knight, R. L. MacCleave, Hilda Knight, C. Hover, W. G. Bradley, C. A. Barger, Mrs. Barger, J. Jackson, A. L. Stark, T. Mike, H. J. Ferris, Mrs. J. C. Reed, Long H. Loo Cow, N. Lonk, Steve Lonk, Dunne, E. A. Tuler, F. L. Wisner, O. T. Presson, Mrs. Presson, Mrs. E. Wisner, Cecil Wisner, Louis Wisner, G. L. Wisner, Mrs. Strange, D. P. Maon, H. J. Neilson, J. W. Geary, W. F. Gordon, S. Cloke, B. F. Shippy, Mrs. J. Henry, L. B. Conner, G. R. Johnson, E. Farslund, M. Juns, S. Ward, O. Thompson, C. Meyer, M. Thom, T. S. Abel, E. Jenkins, F. Faulkner, Mrs. Kaukner, F. S. Shimian, A. C. Peterson, Mrs. Denholm, Mrs. McDonald, E. T. Thompson, F. Jones, J. T. Holes, F. H. Page, J. A. Starkey, Mrs. A. S. Hammond, Paul Lund, R. C. Young, A. M. Kann, Mrs. F. Storey, C. F. McKnight, G. Brown, F. Greable, P. Harkana, J. Prince, F. Crawford, C. Meschi, M. Nagatlar, T. C. Russell and wife.

ANSWERED

"When the clock strikes 13, what time is it?"
Time for the clock to be fixed.

"In a race with time why would a singing master win?"
Because time files and the singing master beats time.

"Why is coal the most contradictory article in commerce?"
Because when purchased instead of going to the buyer it goes to the cellar.

Special Offering---Easter Week 10 Per Cent Reduction



On All Ladies' Spring Suits and Coats

This special reduction of ten per cent could not have happened more timely than at Easter-week, and the demand for Spring Suits and Coats at its very height. These garments represent the season's favored fashions. Compare the original price of any of these Suits or Coats with one of similar quality in any other store and note that these garments are marked unusually low. This extra ten per cent gives you an additional clean saving of from \$1.50 to \$3.50 or more. Every Suit and Coat represented is exclusive with THE HUB.

New Shipments of Superb Spring Dresses, Waists, Skirts, and Shoes for Easter Wear.

"SMART WEAR FOR WOMEN"

Hub Dry Goods Co.

Corner Broadway and Central Ave. Phone 3??

Along the Waterfront.

The Pilgrim, a forty-foot gasoline fishing schooner, came in yesterday from Yaquina Bay, after having been looking for the halibut banks. Capt. Olson, the owner, carries a crew of two with him.

The Aroline is scheduled to sail from here at noon Saturday for Portland.

The Elizabeth arrived in at Bandon today from San Francisco.

The Adeline Smith arrived in last evening from Bay Point.

The Grace Dollar sailed from Bandon for San Francisco last night.

Easter Jewelry

See our

Rosaries Diamond Rings

Crosses Veil Pins

Locketts Pendants

RED CROSS Jewelry Dept. | **RED CROSS Opticians**

—Phone 122—

NORTH BEND NEWS

Owner Kern, of the North Bend Box Factory, arrived here this week from California, and is making preliminary changes for turning it over to the Southern Pacific. L. J. Simpson has not concluded arrangements yet for taking the plant over from the S. P. and moving it near the Porter Mill as he has been figuring.

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Tomorrow the Sale of Coats & Suits Continues

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Easter Apparel, Coats and Suits

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ALL \$12.50 COATS, SUITS AND DRESSES NOW \$ 9.75
ALL \$17.50 COAT, SUITS AND DRESSES NOW \$13.75
ALL \$20.00 COATS, SUITS AND DRESSES NOW \$14.98
ALL \$25.00 COATS, SUITS AND DRESSES NOW \$18.75
ALL \$29.00 COATS, SUITS AND DRESSES NOW \$21.75

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