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THE Oregon Journal says, editorially: "Senator Allison of Iowa is an interesting figure in that he has been in Congress longer than anybody else, and has always merited a mild degree of respect, but he is no longer a fit representative of a great state in these times when people are trying to move forward and upward." The editor of the Journal, by this remark, exposes his extreme ignorance of facts to a remarkable degree. Senator Allison not only has been but is yet a central figure in all the great moves of national government, and though he is getting well along in years, he keeps abreast with the times and is still looked upon as "the wise man of the senate." Mr. Allison's usefulness is by no means over, and a few more such level headed men as he would be a good thing for our country. He still commands the respect of really great men of all parties, and the paper that speaks disparagingly of him only belittles and exposes itself to ridicule by broad-minded people.

No other city on the Pacific coast the size of Bandon, and in fact none except those which are considerably larger, have the present industries or the prospects for new ones that our little "City-by-the-Sea" has. At the present time there are no less than three or four mills and factories of different kinds that are contemplating locating in Bandon, and at least one or two of them are practically assured for this place. Bandon is liable to double in population within the next two or three years.

Politics all over the country will open in dead earnest now as the campaign has started, and there will be "something doing" all the time until after the November election. This will be one of the hardest fought campaigns in the history of American presidential elections.

Up to the time of going to press there had been no definite information received from the Republican National Convention being held in Chicago, but indications were to the effect that Taft would receive the nomination for president as has been predicted all along, and that either Senator Dolliver or Governor Cummins of Iowa would be chosen for second place on the ticket. Of course, however, there is always a chance for a stampede at a convention, and to predict the final outcome would be an impossibility.

FROM the looks of the fine berries that are being brought to Bandon by our farmers every day, it would indicate, and, in fact, proves, that this is one of the greatest fruit countries in the United States. There are lots of other industries being successfully carried on here besides fruit raising. In fact it can truthfully be said that the Coquille River valley is the garden spot of the world.

DESPITE the fact that there has been a money stringency, and business has been considerably checked over the country, business men and people in general continue to show their faith in Bandon and its future, as is evidenced by the large amount of building that is constantly going on.

## As Others See Us.

The people of Bandon are striving to help themselves by building an inside jetty, as will be seen by an article in another column of the Sentinel. The people of Coquille should help them with the project as it will mean considerable to them in the future, and will in all probability be

the means of securing another appropriation for the Coquille river, as Congress will feel more like helping a community that is endeavoring to help themselves without calling on the federal treasury for every improvement of our water ways.

In the minds of many people this is the most feasible project that has yet been proposed, and we believe that the building of the jetty will do more to keep the channel clear and will throw a larger volume of water in the main channel of the river than any other method that has yet been proposed. The people of the Coquille valley should be willing to help by subscribing liberally to the funds which are being raised by the people of Bandon. Some hammer thrower might say that the persons who are interested are owners of vessels and sawmills and should bear the expense of the whole project and not call on the public at large, and that all they want is to build the jetty so they can make more money; that it will do no one any good except the interested parties. This may be true from their way of looking at it, but wrong in the minds of the majority of the people who know that this county is dependent on her mills and other industries, and we should all be willing to help it along and not throw stones at it.

The public-spirited men of Bandon are to be congratulated for taking this step at this time and it will be one of the best advertisements that Bandon can receive that she has men who are willing to go down into their pockets and procure funds to accomplish something that will benefit the Coquille valley—it will stamp them as men of liberal ideas and hustlers in every sense of the word. The old adage in regard to "God helps those who help themselves" will prove true when the City-by-the-Sea puts in petitions to the Congress for appropriations to improve the river and bar. They can point to what they have done with their own money, and Congress, we believe, will be willing to do something substantial for Bandon and the Coquille valley and their progressive citizens.

We are glad to see this spirit shown by the Sentinel as it is an evidence of the fact that Coquille people are in sympathy with any movement that will help build up this great Coquille valley which is destined to become the greatest wealth producing portion of western Oregon. Anything that will better the Bandon harbor will also help Coquille, Myrtle Point and all the other towns along the river. This is the natural outlet for the great commercial center that is so rapidly growing in this valley. If all the towns along the river work together, we can do much more to advance the interests of the whole valley than if one pulls each way.

The plan undertaken by the business men is certainly the most feasible one yet suggested, and will do more for the Bandon harbor than anything that has ever been done in the past.

Stomach troubles are very common in the summer time and you should not only be very careful about what you eat just now, but more than this, you should be careful not to allow your stomach to become disordered, and when the stomach goes wrong take Kodol. This is the best known preparation that is offered to the people today for dyspepsia or indigestion or any stomach trouble. Kodol digests all foods. It is pleasant to take. It is sold by Bandon Drug Co.

## School For Waiters.

It is often a matter of wonder why foreign waiters are preferred to English ones even in English hotels. The reason is a very simple one. The foreigner is a far better waiter. His aim is not always to remain a waiter, but to rise in the hotel business to a higher position. In Lausanne there is a school for waiters. They are taught there foreign languages and not only to wait well, but everything else connected with the working of a hotel.—London Truth.

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## Good Not Necessary.

As General Benjamin F. Butler entered the lobby of the Boston statehouse one morning he saw two men whom he knew engaged in a heated argument. "One moment, general," said one of them to him. "Can't you settle a dispute? We are arguing as to who is the greatest lawyer in Massachusetts, and as we can't agree we will leave it to you."

"That's easy. I am," said Butler, with perhaps more truth than modesty.

The two men were somewhat taken aback.

"Er—er—but, general, of course you know—but—but—how can we prove it?" the first speaker managed to get out.

"Prove it? Prove it?" growled Butler. "You don't have to prove it. I admit it!"

## Mirrors For Invalids.

"If you have a sick friend who can't get out of bed for awhile and want to provide entertainment for her," said the woman of experience, "give her a hand mirror. Nothing else is quite so fascinating. Often the bed may be placed with the head toward the window so the patient gets no glimpse out of it, but if she has a mirror it is all reflected for her. She can catch a sunbeam in the edge of it or count the clouds as they float past. She can inspect all the furniture in the room, and if she is alone in a hospital she can find company in looking at herself. It is the most entertaining and harmless thing you could possibly give her."—New York Press.

## To Err Is Human.

Robert Browning once found himself at a dinner at a great English house sitting next to a lady who was connected with the highest aristocracy. She was very graciously inclined and did her utmost to make conversation.

"Are you not a poet?" she finally asked.

"Well," said Browning, "people are sometimes kind enough to say that I am."

"Oh, please don't mind my having mentioned it," the duchess hastened to say, with the kindest of smiles. "You know Byron and Tennyson and others were poets."

## FOREST ETHICS.

Put Out Your Campfire Yourself and Plant a New Tree.

Be sure to put out your campfire before you abandon it in the morning to take up the trail. Do not leave the task for one of your camp servants, not even for your guide, whose interest in keeping the woods free of devastating fires, being a matter of bread and butter, is therefore the keenest of any of your camp followers, but who, none the less, is apt to be careless. See to it yourself. Leave no smoldering back-log of the night's "friendly fire." Leave no smoking coals that have served to broil (so deliciously) the breakfast trout, for such relics so often are fanned into the tiny flame which, feeding upon nearby leaves or moss or bush twigs, grows within two days to a devouring blaze that consumes acres of forest before its withering touch is stayed. If you are close to a brook use its water plentifully, and if water is scarce knock the live ends of the larger sticks until not a spark is left and scrape dirt over all the coals—not a few handfuls of dust that the wind may scatter at its first breath, but dirt that will bury and smother.

No doubt my average reader thinks I am writing a lot to deliver one small message, but let him consider that hundreds of acres of forest land, worth thousands, measured by dollars, and of inestimable resources of the country, are annually destroyed from just such insignificant beginnings as the campfire which was not put out beyond the power of the passing breeze to re-suscitate. Therefore the warning appeal cannot be too important since we as a nation are using up from three to four times as much wood every year as the country is producing.

Two worthy exhibits of genuine Americanism are, first, not to add to forest destruction by carelessly leaving fire around, and, second, always to plant a new tree—young tree—for every one you destroy. And plant it where it will do the most good.—Outing Magazine.

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Edward E. Oakes,

Manager.

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