



J. J. HILL ON COST OF LIVING

Says Country Needs Rest And Sleep For a Good Time

ECONOMY SHOULD BEGIN WITH SELF

What this country needs above everything else is the rest cure. We all want to go to sleep for a good time, and wake up with both eyes wide open, says Jas. J. Hill, the railroad magnate who adds the following sage remarks:

Every extravagance, whether it be state or individual; every increase in prices, whether it be in wages, rates or commodities, comes out of the consumer. He must pay the bills.

Theoretically the place for economy to begin is with the individual. But he won't do it. That is the plain situation today. The individual refuses to retrench. On the contrary, he is using the increased cost of living as an argument for an increase in wages.

There are others in this world besides ourselves, and some of them are active.

The time for a man to retire from active business depends on conditions. Some men are young at 70; others are old at 50. The method of living, the occupation, habits, successes or failures, all have their influences.

A man must make up his mind, if he is going to succeed, that when he takes another man's dollar, he must give back to him an honest return.

There is a difference between rail-roading and politics. In railroading the competent man wins.

Any man who has faith in this country, and who disputes its right to grow greater and stronger, isn't going to make much progress himself.

You can't mix business and politics.

It is no more possible to solve many of our economic problems by legislation than it would be to fix a dislocated limb by law.

The men who would borrow and spend lavishly may mean well, but the sign board where their road diverges is marked plainly "Disaster."

The value of our farm products this year is \$8,000,000,000. It might as well have been \$16,000,000,000 or even \$24,000,000,000. We haven't begun to till our soil. We don't know how. We have merely scratched the surface.

The man with the big opportunity today is the man in the ranks.

Success never comes to the man who spends most of his time watching the clock.

The man who climbs up is the one who is not content with doing only just what is absolutely necessary, but who does more.

My rule for success is untiring application, loyalty to one's self, doing the best you can in every task that faces you, practicability, initiative and industry.

Luck and laziness do not go together. The man who climbs up must prove himself and grasp his opportunities. Opportunities will not look him up.

The Lewah Tribe No. 48, I. O. R. M. have pesters out for their third annual ball to be given in Bank hall Saturday evening Feb. 19.

BURGESS TO BOOST FAIR 'ROUND WORLD

Man Who is Well Known Here Will Lead Cruise of Steamer Cleveland

Chandler W. Burgess, a business man of considerable note and a member of the A. F. Estabrook Co. of San Francisco, and who is well known in Bandon has been chosen special commissioner by the Panama Pacific International Exposition committee to boost the proposed 1915 fair around the world in a cruise of the steamship Cleveland. This steamship is carrying 700 passengers from all parts of this country on an excursion trip around the world.

Mr. Burgess has been in business in San Francisco for 25 years and is a great booster for that city and will talk about the fair to many important personages in all parts of the world. He is a genial, good fellow and will sure succeed in interesting many people of many countries in the project.

The Evening Post, of San Francisco of Saturday February 5th, contained a half tone of Mr. Burgess on its first page and announced that in addition to his duty as fair commissioner, he would act as special correspondent for that paper.

Prominent Couple Wed

One of the prettiest weddings of the season was solemnized at high noon Feb. 8th at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Walstrom, near Parkersburg, when their daughter Miss Florence Elizabeth, was united in marriage to Mr. Cliver C. Sanford, Rev. Cleaves of Coquille officiating.

Only the immediate relatives of the contracting parties were present.

The spacious home was tastefully decorated for the occasion. The bride was dressed in a gown of cream satin with lace and pearl trimmings and carried a beautiful bouquet of white carnations and asparagus ferns. Immediately after the ceremony a six course dinner was served.

This young couple start out in life with unusually bright prospects, as both are accomplished in many ways, and have assurance of success and happiness. The bride has been one of Coos county's most successful school teachers for a number of years and has greatly endeared herself to the people of her acquaintance. The groom is the assistant cashier of the First National Bank of Coquille and is a young man of high integrity and excellent business qualifications.

Scores of friends will unite in wishing these young people a long and prosperous journey through life.

Rebekah Whist Party

Ocean Rebekah Lodge gave another of their successful whist parties last Friday night and to say it was a success in every particular would only be putting it in a mild form. There were a large number in attendance and all enjoyed themselves to the fullest extent as they always do at any function given by this progressive lodge.

The prize for ladies was won by Mrs. James Lawhead, while George Button won the gentleman's prize, an elk horn cigar holder. The other prize was captured by Miss Ethel Timmons. After the playing a dainty and elaborate luncheon was served to which all did ample justice and then all departed for their homes hoping the Rebekahs would entertain often.

COMMERCIAL CLUB DOING GOOD WORK

Large Attendance at Meeting In City Hall Tuesday Night

MEET IN FIREMEN HALL HEREAFTER

There was a good attendance and an enthusiastic meeting at the Commercial club again Tuesday evening and much business of importance was transacted.

The delegates to the Port Commission meeting at Coquille on last Thursday made an enthusiastic report and all members of the club expressed themselves as being well pleased with the prospect of a port commission.

Capt. Willard of the Wolverine was present and made a very interesting talk and assured the club that better transportation facilities for Bandon would soon be forthcoming on the river.

The committee appointed to investigate the feasibility of putting in a sidewalk to the beach reported that they had been working on the proposition, and was continued for another week when they will be able to report more definitely.

The committee having in charge the dance for next Saturday night reported that everything was in readiness and that a big dance was assured. E. E. Oakes was elected to have charge of the ticket selling and will call on all the people he can between now and Saturday night, and all those not called on are urgently requested to come to the ball any way.

The committee on debate for Feb. 22 reported progress and we publish a list of the debaters elsewhere.

The Bandon Fire Department having kindly offered the use of their club rooms in the Timmons warehouse building as a place of meeting for the commercial club, the offer was accepted with thanks, and hereafter the club will hold its regular meetings in the club rooms instead of the city hall.

Other matters of importance were taken up and discussed and taken all in all it was a very enthusiastic meeting. All business men and citizens are invited to become members of the club and meet with it every Tuesday evening.

That Unfair Debate

The Coquille Valley Sentinel declared last week that the Bandon high school did not win the Coos county championship fairly, but violated the rules of the debate. The facts, however, do not substantiate the charge and it is useless to enter into any quibble over the affair.

Those who heard the debate are unanimous in their decision that Bandon won fairly, both in point of argument and manner of delivery, and so far as using prearranged rebuttal argument is concerned, the debate was carried on according to agreement strictly in accordance with the rules of the intercollegiate debates of the Northwest colleges and universities, at least, it was so far as Bandon is concerned, and if that is unfair then the debate may have been unfair. Either the Sentinel or their informants, or both, show evident ignorance of the debating rules as mapped out by the schools.

COAL INDUSTRY OF COQUILLE RIVER

Is Destined to Assume Large Proportion in the Near Future

That the coal industry of the Coquille river is destined to assume large proportions in the near future is the opinion of many who are in position to know, and the Newport which has been on the run for a short time carrying out the coal will be kept busy and the prospects are that still more vessels will have to be chartered.

One of the principal mines along the river is that at Riverton, which is under the management of W. G. Dodge. Mr. Dodge informed a reporter of the RECORDER that their mine alone was capable of putting out 40 tons a day for an indefinite period, and this in itself will be sufficient to keep the Newport going at full capacity. There are other mines along the river that can and will be put into operation as soon as a means of transportation for the coal can be arranged, and Mr. Dodge says there is plenty of demand in the Portland and San Francisco markets for all the coal that can be transported to either or both of the markets. Mr. Dodge is also very enthusiastic over the port commission and says he will lend any assistance possible in promoting the project.

Basket Ball

The basket ball game between Bandon and Coquille high schools last Friday night resulted in a victory for Coquille by the score of 12 to 4. The Bandon boys and Bandon spectators as well say that Bandon could win in straight basket ball, but our boys are not accustomed to mixing up football tactics with basket ball, and as this is what Coquille did they consequently won the game.

Foot ball is all right as a game in itself, but is supposed to be played on the grid iron and not in a basket ball arena.

Debate February 22

The Bandon Commercial Club will hold a debate in one of the moving picture show houses, or in the opera house Tuesday evening Feb. 22. The question will be: Resolved That a Port of Coquille River would be beneficial to the commercial interests of Bandon. The speakers for the affirmative are: J. W. Mast, G. T. Treadgold and C. R. Moore. The negative will be defended by Geo. P. Topping, M. Breuer and A. Haberly. These men are all well posted on the subject and will put up a strong argument. The public is urged to come out and hear the debate, so as to be posted on the situation, when the question of port commission comes up for vote.

Elizabeth Leads

There has been considerable rivalry between the Elizabeth and Fifeild as to which would arrive in San Francisco first, when leaving here at the same time. The last three trips the Elizabeth beat in the first two, and the last one the Fifeild was loaded light and the Elizabeth deep, the Fifeild arrived ahead and they were so elated over the fact that they wired the news to Bandon.

J. E. WALSTROM, Agent S. S. Elizabeth.

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PORT COMMISSION MEETING AT COQUILLE

Well Attended By Bandon and Coquille Business Men

PLANS OF PROCEDURE WERE OUTLINED

The representatives from Bandon at the meeting in Coquille last Thursday, held for the purpose of devising plans to put the movement for a port of Coquille River on its feet, report a very enthusiastic meeting. Those who went from Bandon were: L. J. Cody, J. L. Kronenberg, E. H. Fish, R. M. Pressey and C. R. Moore. The meeting, as reported by the delegates transacted business as follows.

A temporary organization of the meeting was effected with R. S. Knowlton as chairman and J. C. Savage as secretary. It was then moved by Judge Sperry that a permanent organization be effected under the name of the Executive Club of the Port of Coquille. The motion was seconded and carried. R. S. Knowlton was elected permanent chairman, J. C. Savage, permanent secretary, W. L. Kistner first vice-president, J. C. Moomaw second vice president and L. H. Hazard treasurer of the organization.

It was moved, seconded and carried that a campaign committee to consist of seven members be appointed whose duties would be to solicit funds for the preliminary work of organizing the port and take general charge of the campaign. The following members were appointed: P. L. Phelan, Myrtle Point; J. C. Moomaw, Coquille; W. G. Dodge, Riverton; J. L. Kronenberg, Randolph; L. J. Cody, Lampa; E. H. Fish, Prosper and J. W. Mast, Bandon.

It was moved seconded and carried that a committee of three be appointed to attend to the printing of the necessary petitions and placing of the same in the hands of the campaign committee. E. D. Sperry, L. H. Hazard and A. J. Sherwood were appointed by the chair.

The general features of the campaign were then discussed and outlined and much enthusiasm over the project was manifested, and it is evident that there will be an active campaign carried out.

There were no representatives present from Myrtle Point, presumably because of the train service, but there is every assurance that Myrtle Point will enter into the project with enthusiasm.

Beets for Sale

Good stock beets \$6.00 per ton Price does not include sacks. Inquire of Sweet Bros., Lampa, Ore.

TO ADVERTISE COOS COUNTY

Henry Sengstacken Says It Can Be Done More Effectively As a Whole

Henry Sengstacken of Marshfield gives his view of advertising Coos county as follows:

Up to date, considerable money has been spent by the various Commercial Bodies in Coos county, advertising their particular sections. While this mode of advertising has done considerable good, still more could have been accomplished with the same amount of money expended for advertising the county as a whole. I have talked this matter over with quite a number of prominent men in the county, and they all agreed with me on this plan of advertising, and that while the limited sectional advertising has done considerable good, that we would get much better results and would populate our county much quicker by all joining together and getting up a respectable folder, well illustrated, and setting forth the advantages of the entire county instead of a particular section thereof. By doing this we can do the work cheaper and better, and can legitimately ask the County court to make an annual appropriation for the purpose, and in that way distribute the expense of the advertising among the property holders benefited thereby, instead of letting a few willing contributors foot the bills.

To bring this matter to an early conclusion; I would suggest that the commercial organizations at North Bend, Marshfield, Myrtle Point, Coquille and Bandon, take this matter up at once, and each appoint a committee of one and have them thrash the matter out.

Yours for advertising the advantages of Coos county as a whole, in an effectual wholesome and economical way.

A Shower Party

The engagement of Mr. Oliver C. Sanford, of this city, and Miss Florence Walstrom of Parkersburg has been announced. Mr. Sanford is one of Coquille's most promising young business men, at present assistant cashier of the First National Bank, while Miss Walstrom has been a very successful teacher of the valley for a number of years.

A shower party was given the bride-to-be on last Saturday evening at the home of Mrs. Fay Jones. A large number of ladies were present, and many beautiful gifts were received, and a very enjoyable evening was spent. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess.—Herald

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