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### WHY CHANGE MAIL ROUTES?

The contemplated change in the mail route from Cottage Grove to Bohemia as evidenced by the advertisements far and by the government is a matter of considerable surprise as well as disappointment to a great many people.

For years past the mail which left Cottage Grove in the morning arrived in Bohemia in the early evening in ample time for the letters to be read, answered and sent out the next morning. By the contemplated change in the route this will be impossible and will require about four days to receive an answer to letters from Bohemia.

The O. and S. E. railway will carry the mail to Willwood which is a deserved recognition to that road, but why let the mail stop over night at Willwood, and why carry the Bohemia mail in such a round-about way leaving the county road or in fact any road at all making it impossible to reach the destination by any conveyance larger than a pack horse. The mail is now carried from Willwood to Bohemia by stage over county road via Mineral postoffice and has been considered a very satisfactory service for years.

Why not let the Bohemia mail continue as it is now going via Mineral and through from Cottage Grove in a day, instead of running a special route from Willwood to Mineral for the Mineral mail alone, cutting out the service between Mineral and Bohemia, and leaving Glenwood entirely off the mail route and sending the Bohemia mail in a round-about way by pack train.

It is always understood that a mail service is established so as to be of the most benefit to the greatest number of people.

Certainly no one who will give this matter thought can doubt but it will be an error to make this contemplated change and it must prove very unsatisfactory to a large majority of the residents and miners of Bohemia as well as the business men of Cottage Grove.

### A NEEDED ORGANIZATION

In every regulated city there is to be found a Board of Trade, Chamber of Commerce or Commercial Club, where matters pertaining to the welfare of the city and vicinity may be discussed and such action taken as seems best.

In the absence of any organization it was decided by some of the prominent business men of Cottage Grove to have a Commercial Club, where not only could business matters be taken under consideration but a place for social entertainment and a better acquaintance could be had. This plan was carried out and the Commercial Club of Cottage Grove has a fine suite of rooms over Garman and Henaway store.

It is proposed to hold meetings once each week for the purpose of discussing matters of importance that may be brought before it.

The business men of Cottage Grove are surely interested in any movement which seeks to promote business affairs and with their full co-operation much good can be accomplished through the instrumentality of this organization.

### ECHOES OF THE MINING CONGRESS.

The selection of Denver as the American Mining Congress has been the subject of no little comment, both locally and abroad and it is pointed to as the turning point into a new era for the organization.

From the drift of all this editorial moralization, that of Colorado mining publication particularly, we are able to pick out some ideas which call for a few side-lights.

The Mining Reporter, for example, laments the fact that the membership of the Congress is not so representative as it might be, and in response to this declaration we should like to offer the suggestion that this condition, if it be entirely correct, it is the best argument in favor of the importance of the organization. Half mining men have

not yet awakened to the need of a closer association in order to accomplish some of the many things which the Congress stands for, it is well that a national body exists for the purpose of bringing them to their attention. There are a great many mining men, perhaps, who do not wish to ally themselves with any mining men's organization, just as the world is full of men who never enter any of the numerous fraternal orders. Others there may be who stay out because they think the Congress does not possess the desired momentum, forgetting perhaps that the force of a movement like this is cumulative and that their staying out amounts to their withholding just so much needed influence. The men who hang about it certainly to poor business finding fault with a movement in the interests of his business. Let him get aboard himself and his notions of policy will be welcomed. It is, of course, desirable that the membership of the Congress shall grow and the establishment of permanent headquarters will doubtless do much toward building up a substantial membership. The greater the representation, the greater the weight of the body. It is not irrelevant to recall the angle of the maiden who longed to "go out and swim" and was instructed by her food mama to "hang her clothes on the hickory limb and not go near the water". Achievement calls for adventure, and the mining industry cannot hope to accomplish the worthy ends for which the Congress is enlisted if any great number of its representatives simply hang up their raiment and let their backs blister on the banks of the creek.

Now, on the other hand, we find Ores and Metals advocating that the membership be limited. That is to say, it suggests that the organization be made up of "the men who make the mines," promoters and brokers in its eyes having no interest in the industry. Naturally it is to be expected that only "the men who make mines" will have any desire to join a mining man's organization, and in its broad sense no one could have any objection if such a limitation were imposed. But it is apparent that the editor quoted does not consider promoters and brokers as having anything to do with the making of mines. Wherefore we suggest that a symposium of all owners of mining property, all manufacturers of mining machinery and all mining engineers who are drawing fees for the examination of mines and prospects, be held for the purpose of determining whether they think they can get along without the men who make it a business of raising capital for the purchase of property, the erection of mills and the preliminary samplings and testings that all new enterprises require.

If it be found that the promoter is not a "man who makes mines," then it will be well for the Mining Congress to slant out all men who organize stock companies and sell shares to the public. But, does anyone seriously think so?

It would indeed be interesting to learn, if it were possible, how many of the great number of successful enterprises in Cripple Creek, for example, had to be "promoted" in their early history. Wasn't Bilkton "promoted"? Wasn't C. K. & N. "promoted"? Aren't their numbers of other dividend-earners which had to pass through the same stage? The question is its own answer.

The broker, as such, is not essentially a mining man, but he is usually heavily interested in mining propositions. He can't keep out of the business.

### SOUR STOMACH.

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