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#### THE GREAT BUGABOO.

MANY YEARS AGO the people of America were taught to believe that the coast of Oregon was the most forbidding and inaccessible place in the world. Even Daniel Webster bitterly described it in a speech as being barren and fruitless and without a single harbor. Ever since its seclusion and isolation have been both famous and infamous.

Coos Bay has been kept back by just such false beliefs in almost every respect. They have denounced her as being without resources and inaccessible. The falsehood that her bay was shallow has been dispelled by the simple act of dredging. The falsehood that her bar was impassible has been nulled by reducing it so that twenty feet of water is found at low tide upon it.

All these bugaboos have retarded the growth of the country but they were far from being the truth. It has suited the purpose of men and perhaps the purpose of some corporations to insist that Coos Bay was on the wrong side of the most insurmountable barrier to railroad building on this earth.

These claimed that the coast range of mountains could not be scaled except on grades of two and one-half per cent. These, they declared, made railroad building into Coos Bay impossible and compelled Oregon to desert her deep sea harbor and construct harbors off the coast. This idea that the Coast range was insurmountable has been, not only the bane of Coos Bay but all of Central Oregon. Probably the backwardness of the whole state is due in no small measure to that bugaboo and falsehood. If the Coos Bay, Oregon & Idaho Railway never got beyond the discovery that a one per cent grade is possible between Coos Bay and Roseburg, it would be worth to the future of Coos Bay many times the outlay it is likely to cost. That it is refuted is now substantiated by more than one competent engineer and the great reputation of Mr. Fred A. Haines in railroad circles is sufficient in itself to give the report of the discovery the greatest possible weight. A year ago it was not supposed that a steam railroad between Coos Bay and Roseburg was practical. Everybody seemed convinced that the only way in and out on commercial grades was in the control of Mr. Harriman. Today experienced railroad engineers insist that there are more passes than one which will satisfy the demands of modern railroading and the way is open for the development of a great harbor and through it a great state by railroad extensions in several directions.

#### BOOST COOS COUNTY.

LET US INTEREST new people in the vast and almost unlimited timber resources of Coos county; let us tell them of the virtue of its soil for fruit growing, berry culture, stock raising, dairying, gardening, raising chickens and diversified, intensified farming. Let us tell of the beautiful Coquille Valley. While we are doing this, Coos Bay will take care of herself.

WE have just OPENED a FRESH barrel of BATTERIES of a well-known make CELEBRATED for their long life. Every battery tests over 30 AMPERES. THE GUNNERY

"CASTLEWOOD" at the P. K.

### WITH THE TOAST AND TEA

GOOD EVENING.

Don't whine about your lack of opportunity. There are opportunities for every one who is able to convince the world by his industry that he is worthy of success.—Abraham Lincoln.

#### A Summer Experiment.

They rented a cottage together, the Joneses and Skaggs and said: "We'll share in the cost and we'll split up the work and each one shall make his own bed; 'Twill be easy to do, and I'm sure we will find that housework will seem just like play."

At first things went smoothly, a week or two passed, then, clouds in the distance appeared. Mrs. Jones told her hubby that mean Mrs. Skaggs used to sneak when the table was cleared, Though it wasn't her night to wipe dishes, of course, she might have helped put them away.

Then Mrs. Skaggs said she was sick of her job, because Mrs. Jones seemed to think She had nothing to do but look pretty while she slaved the summer away at the sink; And Jones disliked Skaggs because he wouldn't clean his share of the fish that they caught, And Skaggs had a notion that Jones wouldn't go for water the times that he ought.

Ere a month had gone by Mrs. Jones started in to tell Mrs. Skaggs a few things. And Mrs. Skaggs straightway unburdened her mind of a few disagreeable flings. Now the Joneses and Skaggs are home once again, their vacation was far from a treat, And good Mrs. Skaggs doesn't see Mrs. Jones whenever they pass on the street.

#### THE DAY'S STORY.

The victim of the dentist held up his hand. "Doctor," said he, "before you put the lid on my conversation will you answer a question?" "Yes," said the dentist, selecting a square piece of rubber and snipping it with his scissors. "Do people chew more on one side of the mouth than the other?" "Sure," said the dentist, picking up the clamps. "How interesting! Which side?" "The inside," replied the dentist, slipping the rubber dam over the verbal one that issued from his patient's lips.—Lippincott's.

"Get married," says Senator Depew. But he doesn't say how often.

It's a good thing dreams don't come true, most of them are such horrible things.

At last reports the Omaha girl who ate half a pound of dynamite was doing as well as could be expected.

Mrs. Gould wore black every day in court. Perhaps she wished it understood that she had buried the past.

Every girl imagines that had she lived in the days when knights were bold and bad, she would have been stolen pretty frequently.

One of the most tragic things about today is that some day you will look back and realize that you were seeing your happiest days, and here you don't know it.

The Jacksonville Times-Union suggests that when we communicate with Mars the first message should be: "What fools we mortals be." But why waste time on what may not be news to the Martians?

"Why, oh, why not erect a monument to the memory of the blessed man who invented ice cream?" — Washington Herald.

Well, because it appears more sensible to invest all our spare change in ice cream.

### It's The Right Ticket



to have, is a hankering after Real Estate. And you can find the best bargains here in all kinds of properties. If you are looking for a home site or for building land as an investment, we have some very attractive parcels to offer you at most tempting prices. All improved lands, most desirably situated. We have town and country properties for sale or exchange and we buy, too.

RESIDENCE LOTS AT EASTSIDE FROM \$65.00 UP, TERMS TO SUIT BUYERS.

### TITLE GUARANTEE & ABSTRACT CO,

HENRY SENGSTACKEN, Manager. Marshfield, Oregon. General Agents, Eastside.

#### To the Traveling Public:

Having purchased what has heretofore been known as the "Hotel Coquille," located in Coquille, Ore., and formerly owned and managed by J. P. Tupper, and having thoroughly renovated, rearranged and refurnished the same, and having been at large expense in improving the hotel accommodations of this place, we solicit our share of the patronage of the traveling public.

The name of this Hostelry has been changed to and will hereafter be known as

#### THE BAXTER

and will be ready for the entertainment of guests on the 18th day of July, 1909. Respectfully yours, BAXTER BROS.

KODAK advertisement with illustration of a person taking a picture. Text: "Take a Kodak with you."

### RED CROSS DRUG STORE

"HELLO! George, Where did you get that Castlewood?"

At the P. K. Corner and it's the Right Kind of Whiskey, too.

### JUST OPENED UP New Camping Place

Two Beautiful Water Falls, Good Hunting and Fishing—Tents for Rent, Swings for Children, Good Auto Road.

CHAS. B. WILLDAHL, Proprietor Golden Falls, Allegany, Or

STEAMER FAVORITE Two trips daily between Bandon and Coquille connecting with all Marshfield trains. Leaves Bandon . . . 6:45 a.m. Leaves Bandon . . . 1:20 p.m. Leaves Coquille . . . 9:15 a.m. Leaves Coquille . . . 4:00 p.m.

COQUILLE RIVER TRANSPORTATION CO.

### FINANCIAL

Best Banking Service advertisement for First National Bank of Coos Bay. Includes illustration of a man with a calculator and a safe.

First Trust and Savings Bank advertisement. Includes text: "A DOLLAR SAVED is a DOLLAR MADE" and lists directors and officers.

Flanagan & Bennett Bank advertisement. Includes text: "Paid Up Capital and Undivided Profits \$75,000 Assets Over Half Million Dollars."

Steamer Alliance advertisement. Includes text: "CALIFORNIA AND OREGON COAST STEAMSHIP COMPANY. Steamer Alliance E. D. PARSONS, Master. EQUIPPED WITH WIRELESS COOS BAY AND PORTLAND"

Portland & Coos Bay S. S. Line advertisement. Includes text: "S. S. BREAKWATER Sails from Ainsworth Dock Portland, Wednesdays at 8 p.m. Sails from Coos Bay Saturdays at Service of Tide."

California Buys 99 per cent of this County's Products advertisement. Includes text: "When you reciprocate, remember to say 'Ship on Steamer M. F. Plant'"

Steamer Wilhelmina advertisement. Includes text: "LUDVIG CHRISTENSEN, Master. Sailing for Bandon every Monday. For full information, apply Chas. Thom owner, or H. W. Skinner, agent."

The LATTIN Hotel advertisement. Includes text: "Guy C. Latin, New and modern throughout. Rates \$1 per day, \$6 per week. Free baths, newly furnished. Phone 2005. Next to cor. Sheridan and Queen Aves. Marshfield, Ore."

L. J. POST advertisement. Includes text: "Contractor and Builder Eighteen years' experience has taught us a motto—'Take our time and do our work right'"

PROFESSIONAL CARDS. DR. J. W. INGRAM Physician and Surgeon. Office 208-209 Coos Building. DR. A. L. HOUSEWORTH Physician and Surgeon. Office second floor of Flanagan & Bennett Bank Building.

J. W. BENNETT, Office over Flanagan & Bennett Bank. JOHN D. GOSS Attorney at Law. Marshfield, Oregon.

MISCELLANEOUS C. W. MERCHANT, ELECTRICIAN. Wiring Done and Guaranteed at Reasonable Rates. Shop 51 Commercial Ave., Phone 224-J

W. S. TURPEN Architect. City Building Inspector. Over Chamber of Commerce MARSHFIELD, ORE.

MARSHFIELD TURKISH BATHS 210-213 Coos Building. Hours:—Ladies, 10 a. m. to 6 p. m., except Saturday—Gents, 7 p. m. to 1 a. m., except Friday. Phone 2141. TURKISH BATH, \$1.00. L. BLIVEN, Prop.

N. H. HANSON, V. S. Veterinarian. Phone 1201. Office at Heiser & Miller Co.

Coos Bay Paving & Construction Co. Plans and Estimates Furnished. Phone 151-J. Offices 117 Front Street.

GET INTO THE GAME IT'S A FAIR SHOW DOWN OUR SHIRTS, COLLARS AND CUFFS. CANT' BE BEAT, GIVE US A TRIAL. Coos Bay STEAM LAUNDRY. PHONE 571

Temple & Wilson UNDERTAKING PARLORS. Funeral supplies in general. Licensed embalmer with lady assistant. Third street, between Market and Commercial avenue. TELEPHONE: 3

Marshfield Coal \$4.50 per Ton Nut Coal \$2.50 per ton COOS BAY FUEL COMPANY J. C. DOANE & SON, Props. Leave orders at The Finnish Cooperative or Phone 53-X.

A Pure Beer Saves Doctor Bills TRY A CASE OF THE FAMOUS WEINHARD BREW ONE OF THE FINEST TABLE BEERS MADE. GOOD HEALTH IN EVERY DROP. FULL LINE OF LIQUORS. Phone 48 Free Delivery Coos Bay Liquor Co. Marshfield, Ore.