

# COOS BAY COMING INTO HER OWN

### Graphic Description of This Section and Its Resources Outlined by Able Writer—Tells of Possibilities on Coos Bay With the Coming of the Railroad—Goes to Foreign Lands.

C. E. Fisher, a special writer in the Southern Pacific Advertising Department, has an article in "Abroad," a magazine distributed by the company through Europe and in the eastern cities that is a big boost for this section. It is cleverly written and is part of the advertising campaign that the company undertook last year for this section. The article is as follows:

If you had fifty billion feet of the very finest of merchantable timber, and in addition to that a piece of land encompassing 250 square miles underlaid with vast deposits of bituminous coal, you would feel rather cheery, wouldn't you? That is a combination hard to beat—building material and a common necessity; fuel and power and wealth. If you owned these things near a deep-sea harbor and someone should tell you that a railroad was being built right into the midst of your holdings, what would you do? Shake hands with yourself, congratulate yourself? Most of us would.

Now that is but an inkling of the great resources tributary to the Coos Bay district, on the coast in southwestern Oregon, but are the people of Coos Bay acting foolish over their fortune? Not a bit of it. They are proceeding in an entirely businesslike, matter-of-fact sort of way to develop those resources, and others which they have known they possessed for a long time.

Quite a while ago one of the most profound students of Oregon history and development saw what was coming Coos Bay-ward. He saw that the government had its eye on Coos Bay and that a lot of development work was soon to be done in opening and enlarging the harbor and consequently encouraging the world's trade that was to go forth from this latest veritable treasure box of things which the world needed and wanted. He saw that the hills of the country surrounding Coos Bay were heavily timbered with Douglas fir, ash, cedar, maple, alder and myrtle, and with white or Port Orford cedar, a wood in great demand and found in no other part of the world except along the coast of California and Oregon. (Sir Thomas Lipton's new cup-challenger yacht is being constructed of Coos Bay Port Orford cedar.) He saw that the government surveys were constantly widening the area known to be underlaid with fine quality bituminous coal. He saw that great lumber manufacturing interests were eyeing Coos Bay and already beginning to establish great manufacturing plants. He saw that the fisheries were yielding large revenue, and that the dairymen were waxing fat from the herds that wallowed in knee-deep natural meadows, and then he wrote these prophetic words: "Persons now living will see one million people in southwestern Oregon whose port will be Coos Bay."

But few communities in the world have been able to attain a vigorous and prosperous development previous to the coming of the railroad. But the Coos Bay district upsets many apparently established precedents of the way things are done or are to be done. The Coos Bay district went right on growing and progressing as though such a handicap were farthest from its worries. Deep-sea shipping, of course, was largely responsible for this spirit of independence, and yet the interior counties had the great advantage of prompt rail shipment to points of immediate consumption. But the railroad has come. And the great timber wealth, the tributary dairy resources, the adjoining area of farming and fruit land, the great coal deposits, the commercial fisheries, and even the summer resort attractions of the Coos Bay district altogether seem to say—at last the world has reached out for us both by water and by rail, and we are ready."

Like many of our coast sections where the temperature is controlled largely by sea breeze, the Coos Bay country can boast of an unusually delightful climate the year round. It never gets too hot, never too cold. It rains perhaps more than in other sections, but the slight inconvenience from rain is far more than offset by the absence of blizzards and cyclones, snowstorms and freezes, sweltering summer days and nights.

Because of this delightfully equable climate dairying in Coos Bay country is a source of great wealth. The pastures remain green the year round. One acre of the best bottom land will keep a dairy cow in green grass the year round, and two acres will afford an abundance of grass, root crops and hay.

But the largest area of undeveloped land in Coos county is the bench and hill land, most of it logged-off or burned-over timber land. This land may be purchased

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most reasonably, and with a little effort can be made to produce prolific crops and thus bring a handsome return on the investment. This bench land is ideally suited for the production of vegetables, small fruits, apples and other tree fruits, and the raising of live stock offers additional opportunity. Some of this land can be purchased at from ten to fifteen dollars per acre.

Those who hunted the hills and fished the streams of the country round about Coos Bay know what the term sportsman's Utopia means. But you, Mr. Man-looking-for-a-

home, want to know what all that has to do with your chances. Just this. There is much land in the Coos Bay country that can be purchased at most reasonable prices. There is logged-off land—the best of all land for fruit raising. There is considerable bottom land, that, while a little high in price, has yet to see its equal for dairying and cranberry culture and truck farming. There are live growing towns and live growing opportunities—and you better be right there than dreaming you expect to go. So—get intouch with Coos Bay!

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grant balm dissolves by the heat of the nostrils; penetrates and heals the inflamed, swollen membrane which lines the nose, head and throat; clears the air passages; stops nasty discharges and a feeling of cleansing, soothing relief comes immediately.

Don't lay awake tonight struggling for breath, with head stuffed; nostrils closed, hawking and blowing. Catarrh or a cold, with its running nose, foul mucous dropping into the throat, and raw dryness is distressing but truly needless.

Put your faith—just once—in "Ely's Cream Balm" and your cold or catarrh will surely disappear.

## Political Announcements

**ANNOUNCEMENT.** I announce myself a candidate for State Representative subject to the will of the Democratic voters at the primaries May 15. Will work for better road laws to enable the people to get Oregon out of the mud. A. T. MORRISON. (Paid Adv.)

**ANNOUNCEMENT.** I hereby announce myself as a candidate for County Commissioner



O. J. SEELEY.

**NOTICE** I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination of county clerk, on the republican ticket of Coos county to be submitted to the vote of the people at the primary election May 15th. F. D. KRUSE (Paid Adv.)

**FOR SHERIFF** I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Coos County, subject to the action of the Republican electors at the primaries May 15.

If elected, I hereby pledge myself to a policy of rigid law enforcement, without fear, favor, prejudice or partiality, and shall, during my incumbency, conduct said office in a business-like and economical manner. ALFRED JOHNSON, JR. (Paid Adv.)

**Robt. R. Watson** REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE for nomination for COUNTY CLERK Primary Nominating Election, May 15, 1914. (Paid Adv.)

**ANNOUNCEMENT.** I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination of sheriff by the Democratic party at the Primary Election May 15, 1914. If nominated and elected I will conduct the office along the most economical lines possible, consistent with efficiency, and do my best to enforce the criminal laws. W. W. GAGE. (Paid Adv.)

To the Democratic Party of the First Congressional District of Oregon:

The Democratic County Central Committee of Coos County wish to herewith state that Mr. Frederick Hollister has received the endorsement of our committee for the office of Representative in Congress from this district.

We are glad to say personally that Mr. Hollister is a clean, aggressive Democrat; that he has lived with us in Coos County for some eleven years, and that during that time he has built up a reputation among his associates and acquaintances for honesty, sobriety and ability. We cordially recommend Mr. Hollister to you for your support at the coming Primary Election, believing and knowing that if nominated that he will be in the fight all the time.

Yours for success, Hugh McLain, Chairman Democratic Central Committee, Coos County; W. J. Rust, Secretary Democratic Central Committee, Coos County.—(Paid Adv.)



FREDERICK HOLLISTER

The Bandon Recorder of April 21st says: "Fred Hollister of North Bend,

Democratic candidate for Congress before the May primaries was in Bandon yesterday calling on the voters of this city and looking after his political interests. Mr. Hollister is a man of strong personality and firm convictions and says he is in the fight to win. He is a banker and a lawyer and has succeeded signally in all his business undertakings, some of which have been quite large, all of which indicates that he is a big enough man to handle the position he aspires to, should he succeed in landing it. He undoubtedly made a good impression in Bandon."

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