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The Latest Compiled Resources of Coos County, Oregon

Carefully Collated by the then County Judge, Hon. J. Henry Schroeder, and Filed in the County Clerk's Office.

Figures that Are Reliable and Place Coos County Right Before the People.

Coos county is situated on the Pacific ocean in the southwestern portion of the state of Oregon. Curry county adjoins it on the south, and Douglas county on the north and east. It has a west line of 50 miles. Its area is about 1450 square miles. Two waterways traverse its domain.

Coos bay, in the northern portion of the county, is the principal harbor. It has a watershed of about 600 square miles, a tidal area of 24 square miles, an average rise of tide of 5 to 6 feet and a tidal flow through the medium of its tributaries of 30 miles inland. Its tributaries are North, South, Willanch, Pony, Coal Bank, Isthmus and Catching sloughs, and Coos river.

The United States government has expended about $750,000 in jetty improvements at the mouth, which are not yet completed; it is estimated that an expenditure of $250,000 more will insure a channel 1500 feet wide and 20 feet depth at low tide. This improvement and the lighthouse on Coos Heads have been a material aid to the shipping interests. There is now seldom any delay; vessels go and come at all hours of the day and night.

A life-saving station is situated near the entrance on the west side of the bay. Coos bay is next to the Columbia river, the most important and best harbor in the state.

The Coquille river, situated in the southern portion of the county, has a watershed of about 1000 square miles, including part of Douglas county, a tidal area of about 5 square miles, a rise of tide of 5 to 6 feet, and a tidal flow of 40 miles inland. Its tributaries are the North, South, East and Middle Forks, and numerous creeks of more or less importance.

The government has expended about $160,000 in the construction of jetties at the entrance, which are not yet completed. There is a lighthouse at the entrance on the north side, which, with the jetty improvement, have been a great benefit. There is now no material delay in shipping. The bar channel is 120 feet wide and 10 feet depth at low water.

Over 10 billion feet of merchantable timber; 450 square miles underlaid with strata of lignite coal from 3 to 6 feet in thickness; auriferous deposits, a fertile and productive soil, an abundance of pure water and an equable and healthy climate are the endowments bequeathed by nature to Coos county.

The Bandon observatory station, situate near Bandon, at the mouth of the Coquille river, has the most equable temperature of any of the observing stations in the United States, as is shown by the civil service reports. The temperature in January, 1897, ranged from 30 to 56 degrees, and in August, from 49 to 70 degrees. The mean temperature for the year was about 52.2 degrees. The difference between the three winter and three summer months was 11 degrees. The rainfall in 1897 was 44.92 inches. The prevailing wind in summer is from the northwest and in winter from the southwest, both pure and healthful winds, coming direct from the Pacific ocean. There are no sudden changes in temperature. Blizzards and cyclones are unknown. There is no malaria, no hot summers nor hard winters. Making due allowance for water area and waste lands, there is not over 5 per cent of the land fit for agricultural purposes now under cultivation. With its natural resources undeveloped, its dairying and agricultural interests yet in their infancy, Coos county can and will in the future maintain a large population

The population is estimated at 9500. The gross value of property for 1897 is $2,920,405.

Number of acres of land patented	464,662
" " " " not " (about)	350,000
" " " " under cultivation (about)	40,000

The tax levy for 1897 is, state tax, 3½ mills; for school purposes, 5 1-10 mills; for county purposes, 13 4-10 mills.

The county is divided into 7 justice and constable districts, 46 road districts and 72 school districts. The number of persons over 4 and under 20 years of age is 4025, and the money apportioned for school purposes in 1897 was $9363.76 county fund, and $4186 state fund.

MAIL ROUTES AND POSTOFFICES.

There is a daily mail from Roseburg, Douglas county, via Myrtle Point, Coquille City, Marshfield to Empire City; a daily river route (Sunday excepted) from Myrtle Point to Bandon; a tri-weekly route from Gardiner, Douglas county, to Empire City, and a daily route (Sunday excepted) from Bandon to Curry county. Short routes diverge from the first two mentioned principal routes to all sections of the county. The postoffices are Empire City, Marshfield, Bandon, Bullards, Prosper, Parkersburg, Riverton, Coquille City, Arago, Norway, Myrtle Point, Lee, Fairview, McKinley, Gravel Ford, Sitkum, Dora, Elliott, Custer, Etelka, Rural, Oak, Bridge, Remote, Bancroft, Lake and Sumner.

TOWNS.

Empire City (incorporated), situate on Coos bay, near the entrance; population 200. It has the custom house, 3 general merchandise stores, 2 hotels, 1 drugstore, 2 meat markets, 1 machine shop, 3 saloons, 1 cannery, telephone and telegraph office, 2 livery stables and the largest sawmill in the county. The public school has a daily attendance of 40, and the taxable property in the school district is $157,745. The Odd Fellows have a lodge here.

Marshfield (incorporated), situate at the head of Coos bay, near the junction of its principal tributaries; population, 2000; has 9 general merchandise stores, 2 hardware stores, 1 bank, 4 meat markets, 4 drug stores, 4 grocery stores, 3 barber shops, 2 livery stables, 3 millinery stores, 2 hotels, 4 boarding houses, 1 bakery, 1 soda water factory, 1 marble and stone works, 1 steam laundry, 2 tailor shops, 2 blacksmith shops, 1 boat-building shop, 2 choi-houses, 1 brewery, 2 cobbler shops, 8 saloons, 2 public halls, 3 newspapers, 1 cannery, 1 furniture store, 1 bowling alley, 1 cigar stand, 1 cigar, candy and notion store combined, 2 jewelry stores, 1 wholesale liquor store, dressmaking establishments, express, telegraph and telephone offices, terminus and machine shops of C. B., R. & E. Railway & Navigation Co. and adjacent the coal bunkers of Beaver Hill and Oregon Coal & Navigation Co. Marshfield has 6 churches, 1 public school, with an attendance of 300. Nearly all the lodges are represented. Assessed valuation of town property is $311,808; valuation of property in school district is $380,825.

Bandon (incorporated), situate near the mouth of Coquille river; population, 750; has 2 general merchandise stores, 2 hardware stores, 1 drug store, 2 hotels, 1 meat market, 1 brewery, 1 shoemaker, 1 grocery store, 3 saloons, 1 weekly newspaper, 3 churches, 1 livery stable, 1 public school with an attendance of 152, telephone office, 1 candy store, 1 cigar factory, 1 blacksmithshop, woolen mill, 1 broomhandle mill, 1 box factory, U. S. life-saving station. Value of taxable property in school district, $133,453.

Coquille City, (incorporated), county seat of Coos county, situate on Coquille river, near the center of the county; population, 1000; has 5 general merchandise stores, 1 hardware store, 3 drug stores, 2 grocery stores, 1 dry goods and clothing store, 1 furniture store and factory, 2 hotels, 3 blacksmith shops, 2 livery stables, 2 milliners, 2 saloons, 2 weekly papers, 4 churches, 1 academy, public school with attendance of 220 pupils, 2 shoemakers, 1 notion and millinery store, 3 meat markets, 1 candy, cigar and billiard hall, 2 restaurants, 1 bakery, 2 photograph galleries, 1 machine shop, 2 dressmakers, 2 physicians, 1 dentist, 4 attorneys, 1 watchmaker and jeweler, 1 sawmill, 1 broomhandle and shingle factory, railroad station, express and telephone office, 1 real estate office, 12 popular fraternal organizations. Taxable property of school district, $116,094.

Myrtle Point (incorporated), situate on Coquille river, at head of tide water; population 500; has 4 churches, various fraternal organizations, eastern terminus of the C. B., R. & E. Railway & Navigation Co's railroad 4 general merchandise stores, 2 grocery stores, 2 bakeries, 2 drug stores, 2 hardware stores, 2 confectioners, 1 bazar, 2 harness shops, 2 shoe shops, 3 blacksmith shops, 2 hotels, 1 furniture store, 1 meat market, 1 skimming station, 1 weekly newspaper, 2 cabinet shops, 1 cooper shop, 1 sawmill, 1 shinglemill, 1 jewelry store, 1 brick yard, express and telephone office, public school. Taxable property of school district, $89,755.

North Bend, Porter, Bay City and Libby, on Coos bay, and Prosper, Parkersburg, Riverton and Beaver Hill on the Coquille river, are mining and milling villages.

AGRICULTURE.

There is a small per cent of naturally cleaned land in Coos county. The soil is productive, especially the alluvial river and creek bottoms. Proper culture, with the precipitation, insures regular and good crops. There are no blighting winds and no destructive insects; clover grows on all the soils—bottom, bench and hill-sides. The yield of the principal crops per acre in 1897, was: Wheat 20 to 40 bushels; oats 35 to 100 bushels; barley from 40 to 130 bushels; corn from 25 to 50 bushels; peas from 40 to 60 bushels; potatoes from 300 to 500 bushels; beets from 20 to 30 tons; hay 2 to 3 tons at a single cutting.

The approximate amount of agricultural products produced in 1897, and their value, is as follows:

Wheat	18,500	bushels;	value,	$ 11,100
Oats	95,700	"	"	34,452
Barley	25,300	"	"	11,385
Corn	21,300	"	"	12,780
Peas	1,560	"	"	1,170
Rye	110	"	"	66
Potatoes	109,700	"	"	27,425
Hay	12,400	tons	"	74,400
Beets	3,350	"	"	16,750
Carrots	2,370	"	"	23,700
Onions	54,080	pounds	"	1,081
Beans	29,300	"	"	732
Honey	12,400	"	"	1,240
Grass seeds	6,500	"	"	650
Hops	3,000	"	"	240
Tobacco	110	"	"	22
Bacon	181,600	"	"	11,528
Lard	15,000	"	"	1,500
Total				$233,211

FRUIT CULTURE.

The climate is well adapted to the culture of apples, pears, plums, prunes and cherries. All kinds of berries thrive and produce large crops. The climate is not adapted to peaches and grapes, however hardy varieties bear average crops in favorable localities.

Cranberry culture is [illegible] success. The future of this industry, very encouraging.

Coddling moth and curculio are unknown.

Thousands of gallons of wild dewberries and blackcap raspberries were gathered in 1897.

The fruit crop of 1897 is estimated as follows:

Apples	88,800	bushels;	value,	$ 8,800
Pears	2,500	"	"	1,200
Prunes and plums	9,800	"	"	3,900
Cherries	4,500	gallons;	"	1,300
Berries (cultivated)	7,500	"	"	1,500
Cranberries	600	bushels	"	1,500
Total				$18,200

SHEEP RAISING.

This industry is not as extensively followed as might be. Sheep are healthy and thrive well. The tax roll of 1897 states the number of sheep to be 7760 head. The resources of this industry is as follows:

Wool	49,616	pounds;	value,	$ 4,960
Sheep sold and exported	2,300	head;	"	4,600
" consumed	2,000	"	"	4,000
Total				$13,560

CATTLE AND OTHER LIVE STOCK.

The taxroll of 1897 gives the following information:

Horses and mules	2,093
Cattle	11,918
Swine	3,389

With pasture the most of the year, and more or less browse in the timbered land, and no flies to poster, all kinds of livestock thrive well in Coos county.

Some attention has been given to the introduction of improved breeds of cattle and hogs. The resources from this industry for the year 1897 is as follows:

Cattle, exported	3,500	head;	value,	$35,750
" consumed	1,600	"	"	24,000
Hogs, exported	310	"	"	1,800
" consumed	1,500	"	"	9,000
Total				$70,550

POULTRY

This is an industry which deserves some attention. The equable climate and abundance of green feed the most of the year is favorable to this industry.

There is a local demand for poultry and eggs and all surplus is shipped to San Francisco. The following is an approximate estimate of the resources from this industry:

Chickens, turkeys, geese and ducks				$ 5,000
Eggs	75,000	dozen;	value,	9,375
Total				$14,375

DAIRYING.

The dairy industry of Coos county is yet in its infancy. Its future possibilities are great. The equable climate, no hot weather and seldom any frost, and the assurance of an average food crop, makes Coos county an ideal place for the dairyman.

The first creameries were built in 1892. There are at present 4 co-operative and 2 custom creameries and cheese factories.

Coos Bay Creamery and cheese factory (co-operative), situated at the mouth of Coos river.

Ten-Mile creamery and cheese factory (co-operative), situated on Ten-Mile lake.

Bessy Bro's creamery, situated on South Coos river.

Coquille Creamery (co-operativ), situated on Coquille river, near Coquille City.

Arago creamery and cheese factory (co-operative), situate at Arago, on Coquille river.

Moser cheese factory, situate at Gravel Ford, on Coquille river, and Erdice skimming station at Myrtle Point.

There has been a lack of interest manifested in the improvement of the dairy herds, except in the selection and improvement of the common cow. Lately, however, the Jersey, Guernsey and Ayreshire have been introduced by progressive dairymen.

The following is the estimated output of the creameries and dairies for the yerr 1897:

Creameries	345,240	lbs. butter;	value,	$70,420
"	81,286	" cheese;	"	6,652
Dairies	150,000	" butter;	"	27,000

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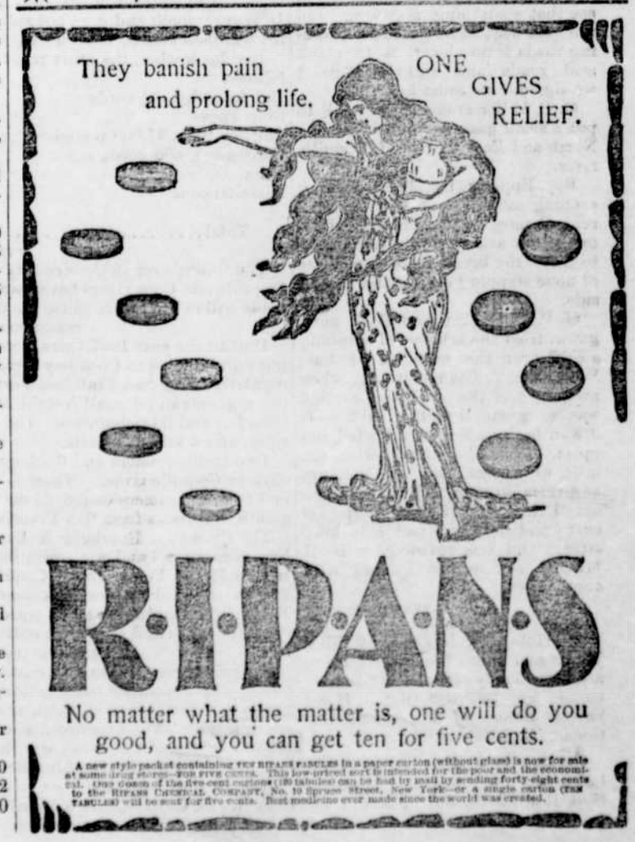

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