

WONDER ISLAND

Coos County Teacher Writes
About Catalina Island And
Its Marvels

In the following letter, Miss Hazel Radabaugh, a Coos county girl, who graduated at the Coquille high school, and last year was one of the teachers of the Arago Union school, tells of the wonders to be seen at Catalina Island, which some of our readers have visited and many more of them hope to in the future:

San Jose, Cal., Jan. 4, 1922.

Dear friends: I have just returned from a trip to Catalina, California's Magic Isle, and I have been wondering if you would not enjoy a little sketch of it, and perhaps some day you will have an opportunity to visit Catalina yourself.

Catalina lies twenty-five miles south of Los Angeles harbor. It is reached via the steamships of the Wilmington Transportation Co., in one of which we crossed—the Avalon—flag ship. Steamers leave from Catalina Island Terminal at Wilmington, the innermost slip of Los Angeles Harbor, and the trip to Catalina affords a comprehensive view of the diversified activity of the harbor, the shipyards, and the battleship fleet, which is stationed in San Pedro Bay. The Avalon leaves the mainland dock at ten A. M. and reaches Catalina about 12:30. The fare, which includes lunch at the Atwater Cafe, and a 40-minute trip in the glass bottomed boat, over the submarine gardens is \$3.99. The boat leaves Catalina on the return trip at three o'clock, arriving at Wilmington at five p. m.

Catalina Island is twenty-two miles long and from one-quarter to seven and one-half miles wide. It is extremely mountainous—the highest peak (Orizaba), being 2300 feet elevation. The little city, Avalon, situated upon the landward side of the island, is protected from the winds by the island mountain range. It is remarkably free from fog; frost is almost unknown. The temperature of the island is equable and the summers are said to be cool and delightful; the winters are soft and balmy. Catalina and the steamship Avalon are owned by Mr. Wrigley, the famous "chewing gum man." He has built himself a magnificent home on the mountain-side overlooking the bay and the city Avalon.

All sorts of diversions are to be enjoyed at Catalina. Boating, bathing, fishing, golf, tennis, mountain climbing, excursions by water to the many points of interest, or by land in sight-seeing automobiles to the summit, Middle Ranch and the Isthmus. The famous glass bottom boat trips over the submarine gardens are probably the best known of Catalina's many unique attractions and no California visitor should miss them. These wonderful gardens are difficult to describe. Floating over the green and blue water in a glass-bottomed boat, one sees the goings and comings of aquatic life. Here are shell-encrusted rocks, fishes—red, green, gold—zig-zagging leisurely among the waving foliage. Among them, as explained by the guide, are perch of all kinds, bass, rattfish, kelpfish, candlefish, acupin, octopus, jellyfish, sea porcupine, leopard shark, crawfish, sand crab, star fish, and sea cucumber. The last is an animal about the size of a cucumber, brown in color, slimy in appearance and can be seen lying along the sides of the rocks. They are rather hard to locate in the water. They are, the little native guide says, the suspicious looking meat we find in "chop suey." Leaning over the transparencies of the glass bottom boat one can also see real trees with long branches, waving as on land by the tempest; great trees of all shapes bearing clusters of fruit resembling olives. If you make this trip in the glass bottom boat by night it is very beautiful. The boat is equipped with sixteen electric lights of one thousand candle power each, arranged along both sides of the vessel at the water level and they brilliantly illumine the limpid waters below, clear to the bottom, revealing in all their various phases the many beauties of Catalina Island's famous marine gardens.

Catalina is a veritable fisherman's paradise. Among the fish caught there during various seasons of the year are the Leaping Tuna, weighing 80 to 500 pounds, the swordfish, from 100 to 350 pounds. The White Sea Bass and the Black Sea Bass are also caught there.

Perhaps it may interest the boys and girls to know that while out in the glass bottom boat, it is anchored for a time and a native boy dives for the visitors. First two abalone shells are thrown into the water under the boat. He dives, keeps his eyes open all the while, picks up the shells and looks up at you through the bottom of the boat. He can remain under water three minutes and fifteen seconds at a depth of 50 feet. His name is Everett Adargo.

On the trip, both going and coming the sea was calm and smooth as glass. People were all out on the top deck watching the children feed the sea gulls, which followed the ship like a flock of geese going south.

There are many other interesting places I could tell you about but I shall not take the time to do so now. Hoping each and every one of you will have an opportunity to visit Catalina some day, I remain, sincerely, Hazel Radabaugh.

The Sentinel and the Oregon Farmer both for \$2.15 a year.

SUMMONS

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Coos

Adley M. Magill, Plaintiff, vs. E. A. Zimmerman and W. D. DeVarney, Defendants.

Summons—Case No. 5007

To E. A. Zimmerman, one of the above named defendants: You are hereby required to appear and answer the Complaint filed against you in the above entitled Court and cause on or before the last day of the time prescribed in the order of publication of summons herein, and if you do not so appear and answer, the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in said Complaint, a succinct statement of which is as follows:

For judgment and decree declaring null and void a certain contract and two certain deeds claimed and purported to have been made and executed by the said plaintiff, Adley M. Magill. Said contract claimed and purported to have been made by and between the said Adley M. Magill on the one part, and the said E. A. Zimmerman and W. D. DeVarney on the other part, and one of said deeds claimed and purported to have been made and executed by said Adley M. Magill to said E. A. Zimmerman, and the other of said deeds claimed and purported to have been made and executed by said Adley M. Magill to said W. D. DeVarney. The lands and property sought to be effected by said contract, and the lands sought to be conveyed by said deeds being the "West half of the west half of the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter, and the west half of the west half of the southwest quarter of the southeast quarter, and the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter, and the east half of the northwest quarter of the southwest quarter, and the east half of the southwest quarter of Section four in township thirty-two south of range ten west of the Willamette Meridian in Coos County, Oregon, containing one hundred and sixty acres," according to government survey. And also to have the plaintiff declared and decreed to be the absolute owner in fee simple of said lands above described.

This summons is published pursuant to an order of publication duly made by the Hon. C. R. Barrow, County Judge of Coos County, Oregon, on the 12th day of January, 1922.

The date of the first publication of this Summons is January, the 13th 1922, and the date of the last publication hereof is the 24th day of February, 1922, as prescribed in said order of the Court.

C. R. Barrow, Attorney for Plaintiff. Residence and postoffice address, Coquille, Coos County, Oregon. 5217

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, by order of the County Court for Coos County, Oregon, has been duly appointed Administratrix of the Estate of James A. Hatcher, deceased, and that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified that they are required to present same, duly verified and with the proper vouchers therefor, to the undersigned, at the office of A. J. Sherwood, in Coquille, Coos County, Oregon, within six months from the date of this notice.

Dated this 12th day of January, 1922. Alice Hatcher, Administratrix of the Estate of James A. Hatcher, deceased.

NOTICE TO GROCERS

Sealed bids will be received by the County Court of Coos County, Oregon, for furnishing groceries for the County Farm near Coquille for the year 1922. Such bids to be filed with the County Clerk not later than 9 o'clock A. M., January 25, 1922, and marked "Bids for furnishing groceries."

Dated at Coquille, Oregon, this 6th day of January, 1922. I. F. Bunch, County Clerk.

BIDS FOR THE OPERATION OF RIVERTON FERRY

Bids will be received by the County Court of Coos County, at the county court room in the court house at Coquille, Oregon, till the hour of ten (10) o'clock A. M., Jan. 25th, 1922, for the operation of the Riverton Ferry for the year of 1922. Ferry to be operated between the hours of 7 o'clock A. M., till noon, and 1 o'clock P. M., till 6 o'clock P. M., the county to furnish all necessary supplies and equipment.

The County reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

C. S. McCulloch, Roadmaster.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Bids will be received by the County Court of Coos County, at the County Court room in the Court House at Coquille, Oregon, till the hour of ten (10) o'clock A. M., Jan. 25th, 1922, for the construction of a roadway 16 feet wide on top, along the South Bank of Coos River, by dredging from the river, between stations 51 plus 40 and 280 plus 26, excepting a small portion along the higher ground, which is not a dredging proposition.

Distance to be dredged is approximately 4.1-5 miles. Amount of dredging required for roadway is 45,413 cubic yards.

All bids must be accompanied by certified cheque for 5 per cent of the amount bid. The Court reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

C. S. McCulloch, Roadmaster.

CALL FOR BIDS

The County Court of Coos County, Oregon, invites bids for medical attendance at the County Farm near Coquille, Oregon, and at the County Jail at Coquille. Such bids to be filed with the County Clerk at Coquille not later than 5 o'clock A. M., January 25, 1922, and marked "Bid for Medical Attendance."

Dated at Coquille, Oregon, this 6th day of January, 1922.

I. F. BUNCH, County Clerk.

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENT

Portion of Third Street

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the provisions of Ordinance No. 222, passed by the Common Council of the City of Coquille, Coos County, Oregon, on the 3rd day of January, 1922, and entitled: "AN ORDINANCE levying and declaring an assessment against the lots, parts of lots and parcels of land benefitted by the improvement of Third street, from Taylor street, connecting with the hard surface of said Taylor street and running thence west to Moulton street and connecting with the Moulton street bridge, directing the City Recorder to enter a statement thereof in the docket of city liens and declaring an emergency," an assessment was levied and declared against the lots, parts of lots and parcels of land benefitted by the improvement of that certain portion of Third street above described, within the boundaries of the assessment district, which assessment district and the boundaries thereof are described as follows:

Beginning at the northeast corner of lot 7 in block 7 of Elliott's addition to Coquille City, Coos County, Oregon, said point of beginning being in the west line of Taylor street, and running thence west 200 feet to the east line of Moulton street; thence south and across said Third street to the southwest corner of lot 1 in block 6 of said Elliott's addition; thence east 200 feet to the west line of Taylor street; thence north to the place of beginning, all being within the corporate limits of the said City of Coquille.

A statement of said assessment was entered in the Docket of City Liens on the 3rd day of January, A. D., 1922, and the same said Ordinance with said assessment thereto attached containing the names of the owners, description of property assessed and amount of assessment against each lot, part of lot and parcel of land is on file with the City Recorder and subject to inspection by all persons interested and are hereby made a part of this notice by reference.

The whole cost of said improvement is the sum of \$709.16.

Now Therefore, all persons interested will take notice that said assessments are now due and payable, and if not paid within thirty days from the 6th day of January, A. D., 1922, or bonded within the time provided by law, to-wit, on or before the 6th day of February, A. D., 1922, the same shall be deemed to be delinquent and will bear interest from the 3rd day of January, 1922, at the rate of six per cent per annum, and will be sold in the manner provided by law for the collection of delinquent assessments.

Dated this 6th day of January, A. D., 1922.

J. S. Lawrence, City Recorder.

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENT

Portion of Ninth Street

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the provisions of Ordinance No. 223, passed by the Common Council of the City of Coquille, Coos County, Oregon, on the 3rd day of January, 1922, and entitled: "AN ORDINANCE levying and declaring an assessment against the lots, parts of lots and parcels of land benefitted by the improvement of that portion of Ninth street (formerly known as Watkins street) in the Extension of North Addition to Coquille City, Coos County, Oregon, from the east line of Heath street (formerly C street) to the east end of said Ninth street, directing the City Recorder to enter a statement thereof in the docket of city liens and declaring an emergency," an assessment was levied and declared against the lots, parts of lots and parcels of land benefitted by the improvement of that portion of Ninth street specified by said ordinance, within the boundaries of the assessment district, which assessment district and the boundaries thereof are described as follows:

Beginning at the northwest corner of lot 2 in block 17 of the Extension of North Addition to Coquille City, in said County and State, and running thence east to the northeast corner of lot 11 in block 24 of said Extension of North Addition, and continuing thence east across a 30 foot alley or street and thence east to a point 100 feet east of the east line of said 30 foot alley or street; thence south to a point due east of the southeast corner of lot 7 in block 25 of said Extension of North Addition; thence west to the east line of said Heath street; thence north to the place of beginning, all being within the corporate limits of the said City of Coquille.

A statement of said assessment was entered in the Docket of City Liens on the 3rd day of January, A. D., 1922, and the same said Ordinance with said assessment thereto attached containing the names of the owners, description of property assessed and amount of assessment against each lot, part of lot and parcel of land is on file with the City Recorder and subject to inspection by all persons interested and are hereby made a part of this notice by reference.

The whole cost of said improvement

is the sum of \$1,174.71.

Now Therefore, all persons interested will take notice that said assessments are now due and payable, and if not paid within thirty days from the 6th day of January, A. D., 1922, or bonded within the time provided by law, to-wit, on or before the 6th day of February, A. D., 1922, the same shall be deemed to be delinquent and will bear interest from the 3rd day of January, 1922, at the rate of six per cent per annum, and will be sold in the manner provided by law for the collection of delinquent assessments.

Dated this 6th day of January, A. D., 1922.

J. S. Lawrence, City Recorder.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed, by the County Court for Coos County, Oregon, Administratrix of the Estate of T. G. Barker, deceased, and that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified that they are required to present same duly verified and with the proper vouchers therefor to the undersigned at the office of A. J. Sherwood, in Coquille, Coos County, Oregon, within six months from the date of this notice.

Dated this 19th day of December, 1921. Winnie W. Barker, Administratrix of the Estate of T. G. Barker, deceased.



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