

Pacific Coast Co.

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Memorandum to J. J. Hill from Ladd,
Wood & Co., New York.

"The Pacific Coast Co., organized in 1897, as successor to the Oregon Improvement Co., conducts a railway, steamship and a coal mining business. The company owns and operates 130 miles of railroad in California and Washington; five steamship lines which ply between the ports of Southern California, Northern Mexico, San Francisco, Seattle, Tacoma, Vancouver and all Alaskan ports. The Company also owns 5,000 acres of coal lands and 10,208 acres of agri-

cultural and lumber lands in Washington and Oregon, and real estate in the cities of Seattle, Portland and San Francisco."

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