PAGIFIC & EASTERN CLAIMS AGAINST BANK CANCELLED

Estacada State Bank Saved From Being Forced Into Insolvency by Court's Order Returning Certificates of Deposit in Oregon Tavings Bank.

To save the Estacada State bank from being forced into insolvency, Judge Gantenbein of the circuit court at Portland has issued an order directing Thomas C. Devlin, as receiver of the Oregon Trust & Savings bank, to deliver to the Estacada bank two certificates of deposit aggregating $41,256, on condition that the Pacific & Eastern Railway company will cancel the claim it holds against the Oregon Trust & Savings bank for its deposit of $40,423.31, and will make a cash payment of $827.69 to the Portland bank.

Got No Consideration.

According to the statement of the Estacada State bank, in the petition of Louis J. Wilde against the Oregon Trust & Savings bank the two certificates of deposit to the Oregon Trust & Savings bank for $20,625 each, were issued May 29, 1907, by the Estacada institution upon the request of the Pacific & Eastern Railway company and of the defunct Portland bank. No return consideration whatever was given the Estacada bank, the understanding among the three parties being that the certificates were to be paid by the railway company. At the time of the failure of the Oregon Trust & Savings bank they were still outstanding.

Bank Relieved of Debt.

The Pacific & Eastern Railway company was organized to construct a railroad from Joe Bar, Jackson county, to a point near Crater lake. It had on deposit with the Oregon Trust bank at the time of the bank failure $40,422.31. If the Estacada bank had been compelled to meet the certificates, which could legally have been done, it would have been forced into insolvency, according to the petitioners, so that the institution would not only have been unable to pay in full for the certificates, but could not have paid its depositors. The petition shows that the railway company is willing to fulfill its part of the agreement by turning over its deposit in the defunct Portland bank and making a cash payment to balance the amount of the claim held against the Estacada bank.

By complying with Judge Gantenbein's order, Receiver Devlin will be relieved of a debt of more than $40,000 owed the railway company, and the Estacada bank will be enabled to continue in business.

MUCH TAN BARK USED IN OREGON

In 1906 Oregon used 17,000 cords of oak tan bark, valued at $437,000, or $27.83 a cord. It used 1200 cords of hemlock bark, valued at $12,900, or $10.50 a cord. The total was 18,500 cords, valued at $486,500, or $26.96 a cord. California used nearly twice as much, the per cord value being $20.48.

Tan bark brought the lowest price in New Hampshire, and the highest in Oregon, with an average of $9.30 per cord. More than in bark the price of extract varied widely according to the material from which it was manufactured. The extract of quebracho, a tree of Mexico, Central America, South America and the West Indies, from which seven-eighths of all imported tanning materials are secured, had an average price of $18 per barrel; and hemlock brought $12.60 per barrel; oak $9.90 per barrel and chestnut $9.12 per barrel.

GREAT CHANCE FOR HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS.

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For securing 25 new yearly subscribers to The Tribune we will outfit the high school baseball team with a complete set of [illegible] uniforms, belts, caps, baseballs, bats, masks, catcher's pads.

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Prizes are on exhibition in the show windows of the following stores:

Elgin gold watches and diamond rings—Medford Jewelry & Optical company.

Solid gold fountain pens, ladies' gold writing sets, gold-handled umbrellas and ornamental clocks—Elwood's Jewelry store.

Winchester rifles and shotguns—Davidson's Hardware store.

Suits of clothes—Daniels' clothing store.

Rosewood manicure sets, music rolls—Medford Pharmacy.

Birdseye maple parlor writing desks—Medford Furniture company.

Smoking jackets—The Model Clothing company.

Teddy Bears, manicure sets—Medford Book Store.

Fancy stationery—Russell's candy store.

Carving sets, chafing dish sets—Shorty Garnett's.

Purses and girls' sweaters—Baker & Hutchinson's company.

The Tribune school boys and girls contest is now on and as large numbers of the students are busily engaged in securing new subscribers for The Tribune so as to obtain one of the beautiful prizes offered, high school students should avail themselves of this opportunity to secure a diamond ring, gold watch, suit of clothes or Winchester rifle.

A little effort on your part and you will be able to earn good any prize you desire without a dollar cost.

Call at The Tribune office and get a receipt book, work your friends, relatives and acquaintances, induce them to subscribe for the best newspaper in southern Oregon, and you will get the prize you desire before you have half worked.

Each 50 cents secured as a subscription entitles the contestant to one votes. If he gets a new subscriber for one month he gets one vote. If he gets a new subscriber for two months, he gets two votes. Three months entitles him to three votes, and so on.

Now is your chance to earn a beautiful Christmas present for yourself or your friends. Look in the show windows of the Medford Pharmacy, Daniels the Model and Taggart clothing stores, Davidson's hardware, and Shorty Garnett's, Medford Jewelry and Optical company, Elwood's jewelry store, Russell's and King's candy stores, Hopper's drug store, Medford Furniture company and Baker and Hutchinson's "gent's furnishing" stores, and see the valuable prizes.

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$5.00 Stetson hats	50 votes
$3.50 dress shoes	50 votes
$10 Winchester fountain pens, gold is quoted	50 votes
[illegible]	100 votes
[illegible]	100 votes
$7.50 Ansco Office [illegible]	50 votes
[illegible]	25 votes
[illegible]	100 votes
[illegible]	100 votes
$18 Winchester repeating rifle	100 votes
$18 Winchester shotgun	100 votes
$12 classic Grand shotgun	75 votes
$60 Victor phonograph	200 votes
$7.50 embroidery outfit	50 votes
$2 pocket knives	13 votes
$15 box stuff and liver	75 votes
$3.50 typography outfit	25 votes
$2.50 valley skates	25 votes
$20 suit of clothes	100 votes
$100 typewriter	100 votes
$2.50 Teddy bears	25 votes
$25 solid gold ladies' watch	100 votes
$10 gent's watch	50 votes
$5 diamond ring	100 votes
$50 suit [illegible]	100 votes
$10 sharing [illegible]	50 votes
$10 carving sets	50 votes

and other valuable prizes.

Contest Manager, Daily Tribune, Medford, Or.

I desire to enter your Grand Prize Contest and earn one of the prizes you offer. Please send me full particulars immediately so I may win a prize before Christmas.

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This contest is open to all school children of the Rogue River valley, boys and girls.

THE BABIES CRY FOR IT

after you have been feeding them on the jams and jellies that we have in our high grade stock of relishes, preserves and nut butter. There is nothing more wholesome for the little ones than delicious bread, made from our superior hard wheat flour, and jams, jellies and marmalade made from pure fruits and fruit juices. Our stock of relishes, olives, green chili, and pimientos is always kept at the highest standard of excellence.

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