

NATIONAL LIFE OF U. S. A.

ESTABLISHED 1866

Over 500 Policyholders in Hood River County

Our Motto: Pay the largest dividends to the living.
Be always first to pay the death claims of the dead.


Forty-two years ago the United States government gave a perpetual charter to the NATIONAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY (the only one) with a capital stock of one million dollars. Since then the NATIONAL has paid in cash to its living policyholders, thousands upon thousands of dollars of matured claims, enabling many a man and woman to sit by the fire in comfort, when they reached an age in life when they should no longer have to hustle for their daily bread. Uncle Sam has also noted the thousands of widows and orphans whom this company has kept from absolute want.

Policyholders, See the Record of Your Company

From the following letters you will note that Mr. T. W. DeBussey took his policy on February 24th, died on March 27th, and the money was in the Hood River Banking & Trust Company ready to be paid to the beneficiary on April 4th.

**An Unprecedented
..Record..**

A. B. COMBS



HOOD RIVER, ORE. APR -4 1910 No. **546**

Hood River Banking & Trust Co.
 PAY TO *Jennie H. De Bussey*
Five Thousand & 70/100 DOLLARS

ORDER \$5000.00
 APR 15 1910
 HOOD RIVER BANKING & TRUST CO.
 HOOD RIVER, OREGON
A. B. Combs

F. S. STANLEY, PRESIDENT
 J. W. HINRICHS, VICE PRES.
 E. O. BLANCHARD, CASHIER
 V. C. BROCK, ASST. CASHIER

The First National Bank
 CAPITAL STOCK \$ 1,000,000

Hood River, Oregon Apr. 15/ 1910.

Mr. A. B. Combs, Manager,
National Life Insurance Co. U. S. A.,
Portland, Ore.

Dear Sir:-

We are pleased to hereby certify that you have deposited with us for Mrs. Jennie H. DeBussey, widow of T. W. DeBussey, deceased, Five Thousand Dollars and are today crediting your account with \$224.80, being the first year's premium upon this Policy.

We are much gratified to know that "The National" is so prompt in the payment of it's claims and we cordially commend you and your Company to the careful consideration of our friends and patrons.

Very truly yours
E. O. Blanchard
Cashier.

Hood River, Oregon, April 15, 1910.

A. B. COMBS, Manager,
NATIONAL LIFE INSURANCE Co., U. S. A.
Portland, Oregon.

Dear Sir:

I acknowledge receipt of your check for five thousand dollars (\$5,000) in full payment of my husband's policy in your company. I thank you for your extreme promptness in the payment of this claim, inasmuch as Mr. DeBussey only had his policy a few weeks and especially from the fact that the premium had not yet been paid. I herewith enclose you my check for \$224.80 in full payment of the first year's premium.

Sincerely thanking you for the prompt and courteous treatment accorded me in the settlement of this policy, I am

Respectfully yours,
JENNIE H. DEBUSSEY.

FOR INFORMATION OR RATES APPLY TO
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 Or, A. B. COMBS, Manager for Oregon, 417 Marquam Building, Portland, Oregon