RECEIVER ACCUSES BANKER OF JUGGLING

Court Asked to Prevent Effort to_Collect Dividends.

VARIOUS FLIERS CHARGED

R. S. Howard Says Money Due to J. Thorburn Ross More Than Absorbed by Bank Losses.

R. S. Howard, receiver for the defunct Title Guarantee & Trust com pany, made answer yesterday in federal court to the petition of J. Thorburn Ross, president of the falled in stitution, that the receiver release to him certain dividend checks upor property held in his own right. Judge Wolverton ruled that attorneys for Mr. Ross shall have a week to make

reply.

Moneys alleged to be withheld by
the receiver from Mr. Ross are set
forth as approximating \$45,000. Receiver Howard alleges in his answer that this sum is swallowed many times in the total sums held to be due stockholders and creditors of the failed bank, due to acts of Mr. Ross, and that, moreover, the latter went on record January 2, 1908, that it was his written wish that his own estate first be exhausted in payment of ob-ligations of the defunct bank. However, it is charged this explation was later refused.

Interest Declared Absorbed. The reply to the potitioner states that hundreds of thousands of dollars are due the closed institution because of the sets of Mr. Ross. Upon advice of counsel, said the receiver, he refused to deliver dividend checks to Mr. Ross, setting forth the posi-tion that whether or not J. Thorburn Ross was one of the beneficiaries of Hoss was one of the beneficiaries of real estate trusts held by the Title Guarantee & Trust company as trustee for J. Thorburn Ross, any such interest as he may have had would be absorbed by liabilities of the Title Guarantee & Trust company.

In the answer, which includes a wealth of detail, one charge to the bank of \$714.50, listed as the "Chicago Interior fund." was alleged to be

cago Interior fund," was alleged to be a personal matter in which Mr. Ross supplied a history of the Portland famous stage player, and he makes presbyterian church to the Chicago it a noteworthy event by contributing interior, a Presbyterian magazine of Chicago. Advances in the above sum to the field of motion pictures.

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& Trust company and when the ne-cessity arose, money was advanced for any of them, they having no independent accounts of their own of any importance. It is said the major liabilities of the Title company were brought about by its conduct of these concerns and their indebtedness became that of the parent con-

to give unreasonable book values to property held in the name of the Commercial Trust company, to the consequent detriment of the Title company and a divestiture of funds to the amount of \$350,000 in favor of

the charge is made that more than county, was stricken with paralysis the worth and present value at any time of property nominally in the holding of the Commercial Trust company has been absorbed, approgaining consciousness. Filer in Mines Charged.

Brief for Head of Defunct Concert to Be Filed Today.

Tangled affairs of the defunct Ellars Music House again were considered in federal court was a sidered in federal court with the considered in federal court yesterday, a hearing being held as to why Hy J. Ellers should not be punished for contempt in the alleged failure of the firm to produce its books for the benefit of creditors, as ordered by the court. Thomas Mannix, attorney for Mr. Ellers, was allowed until tomor-row to file a brief in the case and further arguments are expected next Monday.

A motion for stay of proceedings was interposed by Mr. Mannix, who seeks delay pending the outcome of a case in the circuit court of appeals at San Francisco involving some phases of the Ellers litigation. A rehearing of the total case in the circuit court of appeals at Case in the cir

JACKSON DAIRYMEN MEET darmet of chamber of commerce yesterday noon. Unless a municipality meets its responsibilities, he declared, and measures up to just such features as this, it cannot, in the true



SYLVIA BREAMER AND EDMUND LOWE IN "THE DEVIL," AT RIVOLI

*********************** TODAY'S FILM FEATURES.

Peoples-Eugene O'Brien, "The Wenderful Chance." wonderful Chance."
Liberty — Dorothy Phillips,
"Man-Woman-Marriage."
Columbia — Lois Weber's
"What's Worth While?"
Rivoll—George Arliss, "The

Majestic-Otis Skinner, "Kismet."
Star-Tom Mix, "Prairie Trails."
Circle-Eileen Percy, "Beware
of the Bride."
Hippodrome - Mary Pickford,
"The Love Light."
Globe-Mary Miles Minter,
"Sweet Lavendar,"

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C EORGE ARLISS is a fascinating figure in the title role of "The Devil" at the Rivoli. The pic-

chicago. Advances in the above sum appeared as an overdraft on the books, it is alleged.

Various Guises Employed.

Receiver Howard in his reply states that affairs of the Title Guarantee & Trust company were conducted by Ross both under that head and under the guise of various corporations, among them being the Commercial Trust company, the Oregon Land & Water company, the Oregon Land & Water company, the Oregon Land & Water company, the Oregon Company, all with the petitioner as head or directing executive. These concerns, it is held, were operated as separate departments of the Title Guarantee & Trust company and when the necessity arose, money was advanced.

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ment will take place in the local Odd-

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CITY'S GREATNESS SAID TO REST ON GENEROSITY.

Westminster Pastor Tells Chamber Forum Chest Drive Tests Port-

of the Ellers litigation. A rehearing of that suit has been set for May 17.

W. C. Bristol, attorney for the bank-raptcy trustee, gave notice that he would contest the motion for stay of proceedings.

Portland is—success or failure—according to Dr. Edward H. Pence, pastor of Westminster Presbyterian church, in his address on "The Making of a City" before the members' forum of the Chamber of Commerce

Farm Bureau Members Promote

Better Livestock Campaign.

MEDFORD, Or., April 11.—(Special.)—A farm bureau dairy meeting, held in the library here Saturday, was attended by a large number of dairymen. Definite steps were taken looking to a further development of the dairy industry in the valley.

It was voted to engage in a campaign to eliminate tuberculosis and other contagious diseases, to develop the valley as a Jersey breeding center, and to promote better breeding through bringing in bred-for-production bulls.

Professor E. B. Fitts of the Oregon Agricultural college outlined several dairy improvement projects. The dairymen voted to meet monthly to discuss matters of common interest.

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tion of a human being, symbolic of evil forces, is remarkable. He never over-acts, but his subtle, subdued art creates an absorbing and sinister character.

The principal players of the cast

who have the leadership recognize their responsibility and accept it can a city attain to its greatest useful-

this city late Saturday afternou and bodding of the Commercial Trust company has been absorbed, appropriated and taken from the Titic company and in no other way or manner was any money ever paid for stock or shares of stock.

An Alaska mining deal is mentioned in the list of accusations brought against the former head of the bank in the receiver's reply. This is declared to have been a semilprivate venture in which Mr. Ross, associated with eastern investors, and the many closed its doors November 7, 1907. Receiver Howard, through his actionney, W. C. Bristol, asks the court to make certain his right to withhold dividend checks due Mr. Ross until all other obligations of the failed institution are met.

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WATER PROBLEM STUDIED Central Oregon Farmers Atten-

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Conference at Bend.

BEND, Or., April 11.—(Special.)—
With D. C. Henny presiding, the recently appointed committee to study the use of water in central Oregon today heard representatives from practically every organization. practically every organization, in-cluding irrigation districts, interested

practically every organization, including irrigation districts, interested in the extensive use of water in the Deschutes basin. About 200 farmers were in attendance.

Both the United States reclamation service and the federal power commission are represented in the membership of the special commission, which completed its preliminary session here this evening. The members left tonight for Madras to go over the north unit of the Deschutes project, and will later receive briefs elaborating the statements made this afternoon.

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Contagious Hospital. Five cases of smallpox and a number of cases of smallpox and a num-ber of cases of scarlet fever are be-ing cared for at the new contagious hospital operated by the city near Kelly butte. It was not the intention of city health authorities to use the main contagious hospital for smallpox, but the failure of the city council to authorize the moving of the smallpox out the failure of the city council to authorize the moving of the smallpox cottage from its present location to a point adjacent to the new conta-gious hospital made this necessary. The council has had the question of moving the smallpox cottage under consideration but has made no def-inite decision as to what action will be taken.

Creditors to Extend Loans at Low Interest Rates.

FRUIT CROP TO BE SAVED

New Corporation to Absorb Distributing System and Operate Eight Plants Assured.

Every indication points to the or ganization of a new company and the operation of the eight large Rupert canneries in Oregon and Washington as a result of the agreement of se-

these concerns and their indebtedness became that of the parent concern.

It is alleged that in June, 1907, when the Title company was known to be in a perlious and falling condition by officers of the concern, Mr. Ross contrived by devious methods to give unreasonable book values to property held in the name of the Commercial Trust company, to the concerns the concerns and their indebted ness and beauty of not only its physical features, but its higher self, in the development of humans.

"Not only must the leaders of a community rise to their responsibilities," said Dr. Pence, "but there must be that followership' that is so vital to proper development of a city. Followership' is something that is a sort of mob psychology that the psychology is somethods to of mob psychology that the principal parts of the orient until the until this last year, when high research that the principal parts of the orient until the vest. It was considered one of the and the principal parts of the orient until the development of the canner to the orient until the psychology is principal parts of the orient until the psychology is played to proper development of a city. Followership is something the principal parts of the orient until the psychology is principal parts of the orient until the principal parts of the orient until the principal parts of the orient until the principal part

at Newberg, McMinnville, Falls City, Roseburg, Lebanon and Springbrook, Or., and North Puyallup, Wash. They almost overnight, as it were, results in bringing about such announcements as recently published in the newspapers here, showing that Portland had done a greater shipping business during the month than any other port on the Pacific coast. You other port on the Pacific coast. You for an expenditure of several million for an expensive for an expensiv dollars annually for products, ma-terials and labor. -Wear Your Button-

1892, when she made a trip from her home in Finland to Portland to attend the wedding of her sister, Mrs. John Mattson of Astoria. She then returned to Finland, but came to the United States to live in 1893.

At the time of her marriage to Mr. Carty, in 1899, she was a physician in Chicago with an extensive practice. She retired from her medical practice at the time of her marriage. Since 1904 Mr. and Mrs. Carty have resided in Portland.

Astoria and other parts of the state.

Mr. Ahlstrom was born in St. Paul August 15, 1878, and is survived by a brother and two sisters, M. J. Ahl-strom and Mrs. M. Johnson, both of Portland, and Mrs. Frederick Howard of Seattle.

VISTA HOUSE SUIT FILED

Edgar M. Lazarus Declares Mult nomah County Is Debtor.

Edgar M. Lazarus, architect, seeks to collect from Maltnomah county sums alleged due for his services in connection with the planning and construction of Vista House on Co-lumbia river highway in a suit filed Read The Oregonian classified ada in the circuit court yesterday. He de-

mands \$4927.93 on one base of action and \$2518.96 on the other, with in-terest at 6 per cent from April 1.

and \$2518.96 on the other, with interest at 6 per cent from April 1. 1918.

Mr. Lazarus asserted that he was duly employed under contract by J. B. Yeon, roadmaster, May 17, 1916, to plan and superintend the construction of the Vista House on the promise to pay him 10 per cent of the cost. The building was finished April 1, 1918. The substructure cost \$25,144.67, on which he received his 10 per cent. The superstructure cost \$62,689.65 and for his services Mr. Lazarus received only \$3750.35. The balance is asked, together with numerous sums due to special expenses such as the use of his own automobile in transporting him to Vista House and back to Portland, the letting of the work to 16. land, the letting of the work to 1 contractors instead of one, and othe detailed items.

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RAILROAD MAN FINDS SCEN-ERY UNEQUALED IN COUNTRY.

Vice-President of Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific and Wife Visit Portland Friends.

as a result of the agreement of secured and unsecured creditors of A. Rupert company, Inc., to extend their loans and carry the debts at low interest over a period of time.

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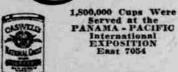
probably will be the Rupert Canning company. Incorporation papers will be filed in the near future, it is said. In addition to taking over the plants, the new corporation will also take over the various Rupert brands, trademarks and its sales and distributing organization which covers the United States, Canada, Europe and the principal parts of the orient.

The Port of Portland dredge Willamette, which sank at the foot of Ross island March 4, was raised with Liska cleansing cream, then apout the sales and will have a complexion as beautiful as a rose. This combination beautifies when use of four pontoons of the port drydock. The work was performed by the engineering department of the plants, the new corporation will also take over the various Rupert brands, trademarks and its sales and distributing organization which covers the United States, Canada, Europe and the principal parts of the orient.

Until this last veer



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a cast iron elbow in the pipe carrying dredged materials through the hull of the craft. The machinery of the dredge was found to be generously coated with mud and sand deposited by the last freshet, but as far as could be learned yesterday no serious damage had resulted from the sub-

Dykstra Gets Certificate. R. G. Dykstra, who obtained a po-sition in the federal vocational edu-cational department, has received an Oregon teacher's professional cer-tificate for 1920-21 from the depart-

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