

COOS BAY TIMES

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EXPRESS COMPANY EXTORTION.

IN A SWEEPING ORDER made by the Oregon Railway Commission last month, all rates on merchandise and general special shipments made by Wells, Fargo Express Company over different lines in Oregon are reduced about 20 per cent. This matter has been under investigation by the commission for over a year, and the history of the Wells, Fargo Company from pioneer days has been gone into and all accounts and earnings have been examined and analyzed, while every express rate in force in the United States was looked up and compared with those in Oregon.

The reductions cover nearly all Oregon, but Coos Bay is a notable omission from the list. The local rates on the Coos Bay, Roseburg & Eastern at least come under the jurisdiction of the Commission and should bring Coos Bay within the vantage grounds of more equitable rates.

In a report recently issued by the Merchants' Association of New York protesting against the exorbitant rates charged by all the companies, the statement is made that four great express companies get net returns of from 43 to 115 per cent or more on capital employed in actual express operations.

Some idea of the operation and profits of the express business in this authentic showing, that the Wells, Fargo with total assets of \$37,888,642, of which only \$4,488,452 are employed in express while it enjoys a net income of \$4,664,370.

There is no reason why the express companies should be permitted to be an incubus upon the business of the country. The testing of their

right to charge exorbitant and in some cases almost confiscatory rates by bringing the nature of their exaction to the notice of the Interstate Commerce Commission is to be commended. But there is another avenue of relief for the people that should not be overlooked. Let Congress hurry along the parcels post. Why should the United States post-office department be behind the age?

Get away from that hot stove Saturday all day

BUY COLD LUNCH STUFF AT THE PLACE OF GOOD THINGS TO EAT AND CELEBRATE PROPERLY.

PICKLED PIGS' FEET, BREAKFAST CHEESE, SMOKED BONELESS HERRING, BOILED HAM AND BEEF CHIPPED TO ORDER.

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Chas. Stauff

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NEW TRANSFER LINE.

M. E. Maguire has started a new transfer line in Marshfield and arranged for prompt service for all kinds of hauling. He will have his stand at "The Busy Corner" drug store or parties can reach him by telephoning orders to 298.

Here's Your Sunday Dinner Groceries

Place your order for Saturday. Best peaches of the season. Prices cheapest. We also have a fresh line of fruit and vegetables.

VEGETABLES.

Cabbage, Cauliflower, Rhubarb, Bell Peppers, Sweet Potatoes, Tomatoes, Carrots, Beets, Onions, Lettuce, Rutabagas, Cucumbers, Green Corn, Peas, Wax Beans, Green Beans.

FRESH FRUIT.

Oranges, Lemons, Bananas, Apples, Plums, Pineapples, Bartlett Pears, Peaches, Black and White Grapes, Blackberries, Cantaloupes, Watermelons.

DON'T FORGET.

We have Mason and Economy Jars, Jelly Glasses, Tops and Rubbers.

PHONE US YOUR ORDER.

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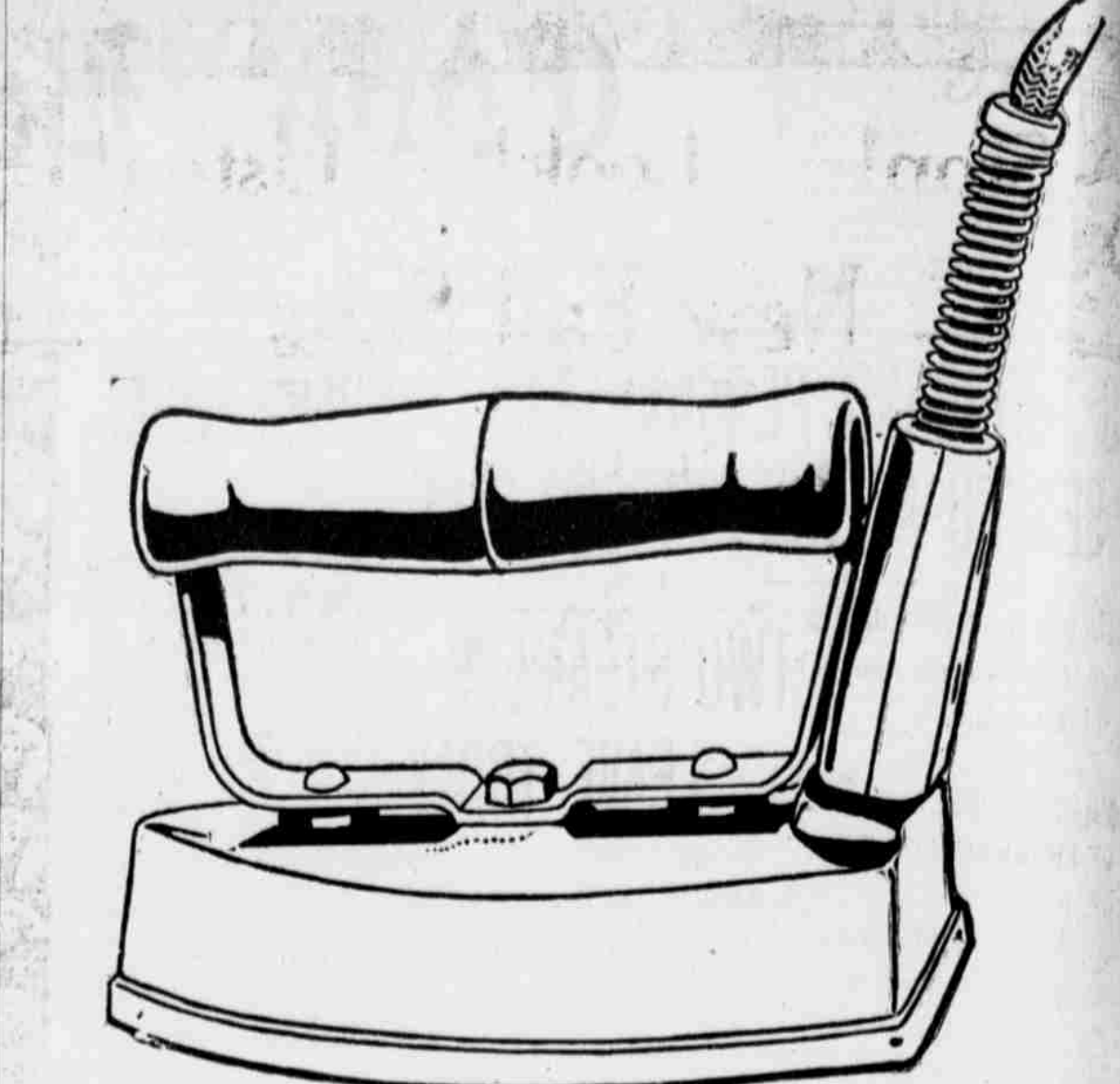
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STATEMENT OF CONDITION OF THE First Trust and Savings Bank

OF COOS BAY, MARSHFIELD, ORE. June 30, 1910.

| RESOURCES. | LIABILITIES. |
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| Loans and discounts . . . \$ 97,738.53 | Capital stock paid in . . . \$100,000.00 |
| Overdrafts 711.84 | Surplus and undivided profits 5,240.23 |
| Bonds and securities . . . 25,859.36 | Deposits 165,220.50 |
| Banking house, furniture and fixtures 56,820.50 | |
| Cash on hand and due from banks 87,330.01 | |
| Total \$269,460.24 | Total \$269,460.24 |

We invite your attention to the strong condition of this bank as shown by the above statement to-wit:

Cash reserve 52 per cent of deposits Reserve required by law 15 per cent of deposits Reserve in excess of legal requirements 37 per cent of deposits

OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS

JOHN S. COKE, President. JOHN F. HALL, HENRY SENGSTACKEN. STEPHEN C. ROGERS, DORSEY KREITZER, Cashier. W. S. CHANDLER, WILLIAM GRIMES. DR. C. W. TOWER, M. C. HORTON, Vice President and Manager. DOES A GENERAL BANKING AND TRUST BUSINESS. YOUR BUSINESS SOLICITED.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF COOS BAY

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OFFICERS: J. W. BENNETT, President. I. F. WILLIAM, Cashier. J. H. FLANAGAN, V.-Pres. GEO. E. WINCHESTER, Asst. Cash. INTEREST PAID ON TIME DEPOSITS.

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Daily stage between Roseburg and Marshfield, commencing 16. Stage leaves daily and Sunday at 6 a. m. Fare \$6.00. OTTO SCHEITLER, Agent, 120 MARKET AV., Marshfield. C. P. BARNARD, Agent, ROSEBURG, ORE. PHONE 11

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F. S. Dow, Agent. Marshfield Ore

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