

RESULTS OF THE VOTE FOR BONDS

Omaha Home Telephone Company Having Met With Misfortune Sends Circular Letter to Oregon Trust Patrons.

Depositors of the Oregon Trust & Savings bank who at the time of its dissolution had a half million dollars in deposits in the institution and exchanged dollar for dollar their equity for a half million in bonds of the Independent Telephone company of Omaha, have been asked by the trustees of the company to donate one half of their holdings to be used in reorganizing and refinancing the plant.

Misfortune the Cause.

The further information is given that the Union Telephone Construction company, which secured the franchise and put in the automatic system on the Pacific coast, lost beyond recovery a large part of its capital by a "most extraordinary opinion" of the Colorado supreme court in declaring a franchise voted to the company in Denver as null and void.

Has Big Debt.

The debts of the company June 24, 1909, according to the circular letter, were, exclusive of the other financial obligations, rather than less all but the small fraction of their investment in the bond holders' hands.

Asked to Deposit Bonds.

Stockholders are asked to deposit 50 per cent of their holding with J. B. Russell & Co., bankers, 311 The Rockery, Chicago, as escrow holders. Receipts will be given for bonds and stocks sent in and if the amount deposited is not sufficient, the securities will be returned to their respective owners. If a sufficient amount is deposited work on the extension will be started immediately.

Will Have Preference.

Bond and stockholders are informed that they will be shown the preference in the sale of the stock of the Nebraska Securities company, which is to be the most enthusiastic beneficiary if the proposed plan of refinancing is carried out. This blank, properly filled out, with number of shares of stock owned, must be returned at once, the trustees say, "for all stock not subscribed

MINNESOTA GOVERNOR DISAPPOINTS 50,000 SWEDISH AND OTHER ADMIRERS.

Seattle, July 31.—Disappointing more than 50,000 persons who had gathered at the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition to hear him make the principal address, Governor John A. Johnson of Minnesota today failed to make his appearance at the Swedish day exercises.

It was expected that his special train would arrive in Seattle at noon today, and it was not until nearly that hour that word was received from Spokane that the governor had stopped over there and would not resume his journey westward until late tonight.

FARMERS FLOCK TO THE COAST

Passenger Traffic to Flood Country When Harvest Is Once Over.

All the farmers of America are coming west during September, according to A. D. Charlton, assistant general passenger agent of the Northern Pacific.

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