

I.O.O.F., Rebekah Conclave Draws

Mrs. A. F. Balzer
Mrs. A. A. Dunlap, Mrs. Herman Ziegler and Mrs. Boyce Blaylock left Sunday for North Bend where they will attend the Rebekah assembly of the Grand lodge. Mr and Mrs Joe Ritner left Monday for Portland where she will visit her sister while Mr. Ritner goes to North Bend to attend Grand lodge.

Among those attending the funeral of Lee Barnett in The Dalles Wednesday were Mr and Mrs Harold Owens and daughter, Mr and Mrs Olan Stark and son, Mrs W. D. Barnett, Mr and Mrs Willard Barnett, Mr and Mrs Tommie Barnett, Mr and Mrs

Bill Johnson and son, Mr and Edgar Alley and daughter and Mr and Mrs Harry Young.
Mr and Mrs Donald Clodfelter had as their guests Friday her mother Mrs C. P. Adams and her brother Norman Adams of The Dalles.
Mrs Bernard Martin and Mrs Dean Reynolds were business visitors in The Dalles Monday.
Mr and Mrs Elmer Cratty of Gladstone came Friday to visit at the Bert Cox and Fred Cox homes and relatives in Kent.
The Dalles spent one day last week visiting their daughter and son in law, Mr and Mrs Myrl Smith and family.
Mr and Mrs B. H. Roberson and son, Jimmy, were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr and Mrs Ted Ball.
Mr and Mrs Arch Cantrall had

as their guests Sunday, his brother in law and sister, Mr and Mrs Ted Teske and daughter of The Dalles.
Mr and Mrs Fred Cole of Wasco and Mr and Mrs Tom Alley of The Dalles visited relatives and friends here Sunday.
Mr and Mrs Frank Pike returned home Friday night from Portland where they spent several days on business.
Mr and Mrs Kenneth Shannan and son of Gresham spent the weekend visiting at the homes of Mr and Mrs O. N. Ruggles and Mr and Mrs Orville Ruggles.
Mr and Mrs Vernon Eakin and children returned Saturday from Portland where they spent a week on business and visiting.
Mrs Claud Bayer and son, David Phillip, went to Tygh Valley Wednesday to spend the day visiting her sister, Mrs Joe Hood. Mrs Frank Bayer and children Julia and Byron, accompanied her and spent the time with her sister, Mrs Willis Brittain.
Mr and Mrs Theo. Serrurier of Lynden, Washington were overnight guests Friday at the home of Mr and Mrs Art Bibby. Mr and Mrs Willis Brittain

and children, Gary and Kay, and Mrs Georgia Norval of Tygh Valley spent Saturday visiting at the home of Mr and Mrs Harry Stark.
Fred Crowley Jr. left Friday after school for Airline to spend a few days with his parents, Mr and Mrs Fred Crowley. His fa-

ther is very ill. Mrs Ivan Blagg is taking his place in the school room.
Mr and Mrs Wallace May and son, Clarence, motored to Hood River Sunday morning where they had breakfast with her brother, Andy Walter and family

and were dinner guests at the home of her parents, Mr and Mrs J. A. Walter.
For your Peddle Pushers & Shorts. Come to Gretas and see our selection.
GRETA, The Dalles

WANTED: Buyers from Sherman county to attend the 4-H Livestock Show and Sale, The Dalles, June 6-8. Buyers who want wheat fattened stock grown by the 4-H Boys and Girls of their own county. 29-31c 3t. ea.

Synopsis of Annual Statement

OF THE MERCHANTS FIRE ASSURANCE CORPORATION OF NEW YORK, in the State of New York, on the thirty-first day of December, 1948, made to the Insurance Commissioner of the State of Oregon, pursuant to law:

INCOME	
Net premiums received	\$ 9,312,661.58
Total interest, dividends and real estate income	708,826.39
Income from other sources	246,546.22
Total income	\$10,268,034.19
DISBURSEMENTS	
Net amount paid for losses	\$ 3,289,787.55
Loss adjustment expenses	1,564,533.60
Underwriting expenses	720,000.00
Dividends paid or credited to policyholders	0
All other expenditures	241,885.18
Total disbursements	\$ 5,816,206.33
ADMITTED ASSETS	
Value of real estate owned (market value)	5,974.14
Loans on mortgages and collateral, etc.	118,566.33
Value of bonds owned (amortized)	7,131,834.00
Value of stocks owned (market value)	16,804,030.00
Cash in banks and on hand	2,639,573.12
Premiums in course of collection written since September 30, 1948	1,079,409.62
Interest and rents due and accrued	40,907.36
Total admitted assets	\$24,653,024.57
LIABILITIES, SURPLUS AND OTHER FUNDS	
Total unpaid claims	\$ 1,724,011.95
Estimated loss adjustment expense for unpaid claims	70,000.00
Total unearned premiums	9,018,772.49
All other liabilities	610,078.74
Total liabilities, except capital	\$11,512,863.18
Capital paid up	\$ 5,000,000.00
Special surplus funds: 1,000,000.00	
Unassigned funds (surplus)	12,813,160.29
Surplus as regards policyholders	\$16,813,160.29
Total	\$28,436,023.47
BUSINESS IN OREGON FOR THE YEAR	
Net premiums received	\$ 81,018.72
Net losses paid	18,993.85
Dividends paid or credited to policyholders	0
Net losses paid	\$ 62,024.87

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OF THE ROYAL EXCHANGE ASSURANCE OF LONDON, in the Kingdom of Great Britain, on the thirty-first day of December, 1948 made to the Insurance Commissioner of the State of Oregon, pursuant to law:

INCOME	
Net premiums received	\$4,290,896.70
Total interest, dividends and real estate income	185,507.90
Income from other sources	120,995.16
Total income	\$4,597,399.76
DISBURSEMENTS	
Net amount paid for losses	\$2,453,254.12
Loss adjustment expenses	128,725.28
Underwriting expenses	1,975,145.08
Dividends paid or credited to policyholders	0
All other expenditures	361,616.56
Total disbursements	\$4,918,741.04
ADMITTED ASSETS	
Value of real estate owned (market value)	0
Loans on mortgages and collateral, etc.	0
Value of bonds owned (amortized)	6,226,771.08
Value of stocks owned (market value)	746,700.00
Cash in banks and on hand	861,303.04
Premiums in course of collection written since September 30, 1948	774,924.63
Interest and rents due and accrued	24,199.84
Other assets (net)	28,247.25
Total admitted assets	\$8,607,650.84
LIABILITIES, SURPLUS AND OTHER FUNDS	
Total unpaid claims	\$1,911,539.20
Estimated loss adjustment expense for unpaid claims	35,066.17
Total unearned premiums	3,429,013.77
All other liabilities	440,017.79
Total liabilities, except capital	\$5,815,636.93
Statutory Deposit	500,000.00
Unassigned funds (surplus)	2,292,013.91
Surplus as regards policyholders	\$2,792,013.91
Total	\$8,607,650.84
BUSINESS IN OREGON FOR THE YEAR	
Net premiums received	\$ 59,917.71
Net losses paid	38,923.14

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OF THE BUSINESS MEN'S ASSURANCE COMPANY OF AMERICA of KANSAS CITY, in the State of Missouri, on the thirty-first day of December, 1948, made to the Insurance Commissioner of the State of Oregon, pursuant to law:

INCOME	
Total premium income for the year	\$21,152,101.27
Interest, dividends and rents received during the year	2,389,599.18
Income from other sources received during the year	789,608.87
Total income	\$24,331,309.32
DISBURSEMENTS	
Paid for losses, endorsements, annuities and surrenders value	\$ 8,506,715.21
Dividends paid to policyholders	120,000.00
Dividends paid to stockholders	6,551,773.22
General insurance expenses	945,940.85
Amount of all other expenditures	\$16,266,098.59
Total disbursements	\$22,331,427.88
ASSETS	
Value of real estate owned (market value)	\$ 741,350.50
Loans on mortgages and collateral, etc.	\$4,038,472.61
Value of bonds owned (amortized)	20,357,704.80
Value of stocks owned (market value)	1,458,900.00
Premiums in course of collection written since September 30, 1948	2,560,791.84
Cash in banks and on hand	2,002,282.43
Interest and rents due and accrued	\$70,956.37
Net uncollected and deferred premiums	2,105,747.29
Other assets (net)	(-) 234,237.37
Total admitted assets	\$72,561,955.97
LIABILITIES, SURPLUS AND OTHER FUNDS	
Net reserves	\$60,827,373.30
Policy claims and losses outstanding	1,929,160.62
All other liabilities	5,042,473.84
Total liabilities, except capital	\$67,799,007.76
Capital paid up	\$7,000,000.00
Unassigned funds (surplus)	5,282,749.71
Surplus as regards policyholders	\$ 5,282,749.71
Total	\$72,561,955.97
BUSINESS IN OREGON FOR THE YEAR	
Net premiums and annuities received	\$1,070,300.55
Dividends paid to policyholders	1,357.53
Net losses and claims, endorsements, surrenders, and annuities paid	364,966.60

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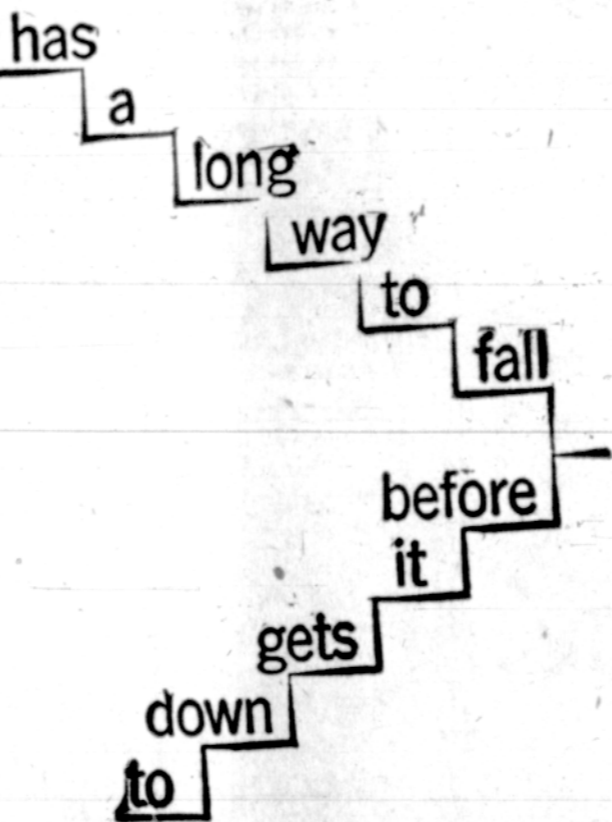


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