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PROSPERITY COMES FROM THE SOIL

IT MAY turn out that the most important thing that has happened in the world in the past three years is the international wheat agreement which has been signed by the representatives of 21 nations. We believe that Mr. Frederick E. Murphy, the head of the American delegation to the Wheat Conference, is right when he says that the records for thousands of years past show clearly that wheat has always been the index to the price of other commodities.

In other words, as Mr. Murphy puts it, "prosperity comes from the soil." Under the terms of the London agreement, the great wheat-growing nations are to reduce their acreage of wheat by about 15 percent the wheat importing nations are to keep their own acreage down to or below present levels and use every possible measure to increase the consumption of wheat, and they agree to pay a price of not less than 55 cents, gold, rising to 63.02 cents. At the present value of the dollar in foreign exchange that would give an equivalent of about 92 cents for American wheat. And since the trend of the dollar is downward, it seems, as Mr. Murphy points out, that we can look for "dollar wheat" as the minimum for years to come.

For whenever the price has been maintained at the 63.02 cents minimum for four months, the importing nations agree to reduce their tariffs, to further stimulate the importation of wheat. The importance of this to every man, woman and child in America may not be apparent on the surface. But it touches the pocket-books of all of us. It will cut down the surplus of wheat above the present world demand in two ways, first by regulating production, second in increasing consumption. It should not take long to absorb the present world surplus of something like half a billion bushels. Even before that is absorbed, however, money at a rate that is profitable to the wheat grower will begin to flow into the farmers' pockets; and that should be the break in the vicious circle of economic depression that is needed to start the world back to prosperity.

Sunday School Lesson

By Rev. Charles E. Dunn, D. D.

Lesson for September 17th. I Kings 5-8. Golden Text: Psalm 100:4.

Under the leadership of Solomon, the Wise King, Israel reached a high point of material splendor. He began his reign with noble ideas, as indicated by the impressive story of his dream at Gibeon where, in answer to the divine request, "Ask what I shall give thee," he did not beg for long life, or riches, or victory over his foes, but for "an understanding heart."

What is life's best gift? Some insist it is gold. Others claim it is fame. Still others answer in terms of health. But Solomon's dream makes it clear, to quote from the book of Proverbs, a book ascribed to Solomon, that "Wisdom is the principal thing; therefore get wisdom."

And be it noted that with wisdom come, in inevitable sequence, the lesser gifts. God gave Solomon not only what he asked for, but, in addition, prosperity, honour, length of days, and a reign of peace without a parallel in Jewish history.

Solomon was a splendid politician and administrator. He consolidated the kingdom, welding together its disorganized tribes into a temporary union. He realized, too, the value of foreign alliances, through the promotion of which he stimulated international commerce and good will, as indicated by the famous visit to Jerusalem of the Queen of Sheba. But his greatest claim to fame arises from his successful completion of the spectacular Temple.

But Solomon's extraordinary wealth and fame proved, in the end, his undoing. "His wives," says the narrative, "turned away his heart after other gods. . . . And the Lord was angry with Solomon. . . . Self-indulgence and pride of possession brought about, at last, unmistakable deterioration in the fibre of his character. With all his wisdom, he lacked self-control. We do not wonder, then, that the glory of his reign was followed by the disaster.

The wisest man in history was made a fool of by his women and his wealth, and his splendid kingdom crashed into ruin. What a commentary on human weakness and divine judgment!

ORGANIZING THE HEN.

THE Federal Government is going to try its hand at controlling the price of poultry and eggs, in the interest of the producer.

We have a notion that this is going to be a more difficult and complicated job than putting up the price of cotton, or wheat, or tobacco. But we are for it. We want to see the hen come back to her appropriate place in the scheme of things.

It will be a hard job, because there are so many hens so widely distributed. It doesn't take a farmer to keep hens. In fact, a lot of farmers don't bother with hens. According to the Agricultural Department statistics, out of about 6,000,000 farms, there are hens kept on 5,400,000 of them, but the vast majority of these, more than 5,000,000, have flocks of less than 200 hens, while only 22,000 farms have flocks of 700 or more.

But besides these hens on the farms, there are the backyard hens, who aren't counted in the picture at all. The total value of eggs and poultry which figured in the commercial statistics the last time they were counted ran to about \$48 million dollars; that covered some twenty-seven hundred million eggs from 379 million hens. It would be our guess that there are another hundred million hens that never got counted, in dooryard flocks of a dozen or two.

We are for giving the hen a break. We would like to see the poultry business as profitable in reality as it is on paper. We know of no line of business that has tempted so many people with the notion that it was easy to make money, as the poultry business has done. It is an easy business to get into, and usually an easy one to get out of. If the Government can put it on a basis where the possible profits become real profits, we wish them well, but we don't want the job of trying to do it.

University of Oregon Ready for Opening

Eugene, Ore.—Activities in preparation for the opening of the fall term are in progress in all departments of the University of Oregon, and new and returning students will find not only improvements and repairs in many campus buildings, but adjustments and refinements in curricula offerings, it was stated by Dr. Earl M. Pallett, executive secretary and registrar.

Pre-registrations of first year students are now coming in rapidly. Indications are that return of old students will be normal, and may even exceed that of last year, due to better economic conditions in many parts of the state. Registration of graduate and special students already exceeds that of last year.

Plans have been completed for "freshman week," six busy days during which new students will be "oriented" or neatly fitted into the scheme of things here. This week, which opens Monday, September 18, will precede the regular opening of classes, which is set for Monday, September 25.

Into freshman week will be crammed conferences, physical and psychological examinations, English placement tests, and all the hustle and bustle of "rush week," that period when fraternities and sororities invite the new students in to look them over for "pledge" material. Careful planning by those in charge, however, will make it possible for every student to get careful attention to individual as well as general problems.

Monday and Tuesday of the week will be devoted to physical, psychological and English placement tests, and Dr. Pallett emphasizes the fact that new students should be here on time for these examinations. These tests are important, not only to those who will have charge of the students, but to the student himself, it is pointed out. Registration material will be given out Thursday and registration will take place Friday.

Added opportunity will be offered students in nearly every major department of the university. This has been accomplished through reorganization, elimination of some of the more highly specialized courses and expansion of courses which serve a larger portion of the student body to make them more thorough and adequate.

Instruction in religion, a new department here, in charge of Dr. E. W. Warrington, will be sponsored and supported by friends and parents of students throughout the state.

For the first time landscape architecture will be offered exclusively in the school of fine arts. It will be in charge of Prof. F. A. Butcher, who has been transferred from Oregon State college. Students will go to the Corvallis campus, however, for the third year of this five year course.

Upper division work in business administration, now completely reorganized for this campus, will be offered exclusively here henceforth.

Specialists in voice and stringed instruments have been made available to students on both campuses, through reorganization of the staffs of the music departments, while Professor Paul Petri of Oregon State will divide his time between the two campuses and have charge of choral groups for men and women and instruction in voice.



Zein . . . an old friend

Ever hear of zein? Few people have—but by name—but it is one of the commonest substances grown. Zein is the name given by chemists to a hard-horn-like substance extracted from corn gluten, which is a by-product of the manufacture of corn starch. For more than a hundred years industrial laboratories have been trying to find economical and practical ways of extracting zein from corn in large quantities.

Once they get the process, there is almost no limit to the things that can be made of zein. Some time before the war I met a German scientist who had made rubber out of zein. It was good enough rubber so that he had made a set of tires for the Kaiser's automobile.

New steps in prosperity are usually based on new industries based on new discoveries. Maybe some application of zein will prove the permanent cure for the depression.

Value unexpected sources

Practical-minded people ask: "What's the use of such foolish things as horse-racing, motor-boat racing and 'round-the-world-flying'?" It seems like a waste of money to many. But—

Through the breeding up of horses to racing standards the armies of the world have a steady supply of cavalry mounts capable of high speed and endurance; and say what you like, the horse has not yet been supplanted by machines in war. And the other day T. F. W. Meyer, who designed the propellers for Gar Wood's "Miss America X," the fastest water-craft in the world told how that improved propeller design, applied to the circulating systems of electric

and gas refrigerators, had reduced their cost and bulk and increased their efficiency.

Something practical comes out of almost every human activity. Most new ideas and devices originated in somebody's fooling around for amusement.

Hogs Wallace knows them

I have a good deal more confidence in the soundness of the Federal Government's scheme to reduce the nation's hog surplus, than I would have if it were in anyone's hands except those of Henry Wallace.

For the Secretary of Agriculture probably knows more about hog-raising—which is really a branch of corn-growing—than anyone else in Uncle Sam's service.

There are 20 million acres too much planted to corn, says Henry. There are 5 million too many hogs. This year's corn crop is short, so his plan, which really originated with corn-belt farmers, is to kill off at once 4 million pigs or light hogs and one million sows due to farrow this fall, keep the pork off the general market but sell it at a low price to relief agencies, and pay the hog producer a bonus to be raised by a tax on processing hogs and hog products.

Sounds complicated. Takes experts to handle it. But if Henry Wallace says it will work, I'll believe him.

Bulbs . Holland's worry

Holland is suffering from an over-production of bulbs, and tulips, hyacinths and narcissi by the million are being destroyed by order of the "adjustment committee for rehabilitation of industry."

Just what we are trying to do with cotton, wheat and hogs! Bulb growing is one of Holland's chief industries. It has been hurt by the American restrictions on imported bulbs resulting in the importation of many Dutch farmers to grow bulbs in this country.

Great fortunes have been made in bulbs by the Dutch. Two hundred years ago the great "tulip speculation" set the whole nation gambling in bulbs, just as we Americans gambled in stocks a few years ago, and with the same result; a financial crash that it took the nation years to recover from.

Times change but human nature doesn't. Every people has its problems of overproduction, and all

seem to be adopting the same type of cure. How much more sensible it would be if, instead of destroying Dutch bulbs and American wheat, we traded one for the other.

For Sale—300 ewes from 2 to 5 yrs. W. H. French, Hardman. 26tf

For your favorite pie, see Mrs. George Moore. 26-28

12 head Hampshire rams for sale. W. H. Cleveland, Heppner, phone 8F11. 25-27

NOTICE OF SALE OF ANIMAL.

Notice is hereby given by virtue of the laws of the State of Oregon that I have taken up and now hold at my farm 2 1/2 miles east of Irriagon, in Morrow county, Oregon, the hereinafter described animal; and that I will, on Saturday, Sept. 23, 1933, at 10:00 o'clock a. m. of said day, at said farm, sell said animal to the highest bidder for cash in hand, subject to the right of redemption of the owner thereof. Said animal is described as follows: 1 bay male, aged, branded small "p" on right shoulder. R. VERNON JONES, 26-28 Irriagon, Oregon.

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an attachment execution issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Morrow County, dated September First, 1933, in that certain suit wherein Bristow & Johnson, a corporation, as plaintiff, recovered a judgment against the defendant, Earl Murray, for the sum of Six hundred One and 83-100 Dollars, together with interest thereon at the rate of Six percent per annum from the Thirty-first day of August, 1931; the further sum of Nine and 10-100 Dollars, plaintiff's costs and disbursements, I will, on the Seventh day of October, 1933, at the hour of Ten o'clock A. M. of said day at the front door of the county court house in Heppner, Morrow County, State of Oregon, offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash in hand, all of the following described real property situated in Morrow County, State of Oregon, to-wit: Lots 3, 6, 7, and 8 in Block 9, Sperry's Second Addition to the Town of Ione, County of Morrow, State of Oregon, or so much of said real property as may be necessary to satisfy the plaintiff's judgment, costs and accruing costs of sale. C. J. D. BAUMAN, Sheriff of Morrow County, State of Oregon. Date of first publication: September 7, 1933.

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE.

On the 30th day of September, 1933, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock, A. M., at the front door of the Court House at Heppner, Morrow County, Oregon, I will sell to the highest bidder for cash in hand, all of the following described real property situated in Morrow County, State of Oregon, to-wit: Lots 3, 6, 7, and 8 in Block 9, Sperry's Second Addition to the Town of Ione, County of Morrow, State of Oregon, or so much of said real property as may be necessary to satisfy the plaintiff's judgment, costs and accruing costs of sale. C. J. D. BAUMAN, Sheriff of Morrow County, State of Oregon. Date of first publication: September 7, 1933.

will sell at auction to the highest bidder for cash the following described real property in Morrow County, Oregon, to-wit:

Southeast Quarter of Southwest Quarter and the Southeast Quarter of Section Twelve, Northeast Quarter of Section Thirteen in Township Two South, Range Twenty-nine, East of the Willamette Meridian, in Morrow County, Oregon.

Said sale is made under execution issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Yamhill, to me directed in the case of Pacific Coast Joint Stock Land Bank of Portland, a corporation, vs. James Nelson and Laura Nelson, husband and wife, Charles J. Nelson, and Jennie Nelson, husband and wife, The First National National Bank of Pendleton, a corporation. C. J. D. BAUMAN, Sheriff of Morrow County, Oregon. August 31, 1933. September 28, 1933.

NOTICE OF FINAL ACCOUNT.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned administrator of the estate of Harry E. Johnson, deceased, has filed with the County Court of Morrow County, Oregon, his final account of his administration of the estate of said deceased, and that said court has fixed Monday, the 2nd day of October, 1933, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day at the County Court room at the Court House at Heppner, Oregon, as the time and place for hearing objections to said final account and the settlement of said estate, and all persons having objections thereto, are hereby required to file the same with said court on or before the time fixed for said hearing. Dated and first published this 31st day of August, 1933. CHARLES JOHNSON, Administrator.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed by the County Court of the State of Oregon for Morrow County, administrator of the estate of Charles W. Christopherson, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same, duly verified by law as required with proper vouchers attached, at the law office of F. H. Robinson, at Ione, Oregon, within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice. Date of first publication of this notice Thursday, the 24th day of August, 1933. OPAL CHRISTOPHERSON, Administrator of the estate of Charles W. Christopherson, deceased. Postoffice Address, Ione, Oregon.

NOTICE OF FINAL ACCOUNT.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned administrator De Bonis Non of the estate of Josephine Johnson, deceased, has filed his final account of the administration of the estate of said deceased with the County Court of the State of Oregon for Morrow County, and that said court has set Monday, the 2nd day of October, 1933, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M. of said day at the County Court room at the Court House at Heppner, Oregon, as the time and place for hearing objections to said

final account and the settlement of said estate, and all persons having objections thereto, are hereby required to file the same on or before the time set for said hearing.

Dated and first published this 31st day of August, 1933. CHARLES JOHNSON, Administrator, De Bonis Non.

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL PROPERTY.

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the authority in them vested by the will of William Hendrix, deceased, and by an order of the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Morrow, made and entered of record in the above entitled estate on the 31st day of July, 1933, the undersigned as administrators of the will annexed of the estate of William Hendrix, deceased, will on and after the 26th day of September, 1933, sell at private sale for cash or credit, or for cash and credit, the real property of this estate known as the "Bellenbrock Ranch," and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

The Southeast quarter of the Southeast quarter of Section twenty; the Southwest quarter of the Southeast quarter, and the South half of the Southwest quarter of Section twenty-nine; the South half of the Northwest quarter of the Southeast quarter of the Northeast quarter of Section twenty-seven; the Northwest quarter and the West half of the East half and the Southeast quarter of the Northeast quarter of Section twenty-nine, all in Township three South, Range twenty-five, E. W. M., in Morrow County, Oregon.

All persons desiring to submit bids for the above described lands may submit them in writing to the undersigned, or either of them at any time from and after the date of the first publication of this notice and up to the time that an actual sale of said premises is made. The date of the first publication of this notice is August 24, 1933. JOHN WRIGHTMAN, D. O. JUSTUS, Administrators of the will annexed, of the Estate of William Hendrix, deceased.

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NRA MEMBER CHEVROLET U.S. "Proud and glad to do our part" WITH President Roosevelt's acceptance of the NRA Automobile Code, Chevrolet, the world's largest builder of motor cars, officially begins operations in accordance with the administration's recovery program. Although the official code was signed only a few days ago, it will be of interest to Chevrolet's many friends to learn that the Chevrolet Motor Company started to carry out the spirit of today's recovery program over three years ago! At that time, we put into operation a "share-the-work" plan, whereby our workmen cooperated in spreading the work to give more men jobs. By means of this plan, as well as by regulating hours of work per week to meet retail demand, and by building up parts stocks in lean seasons, it was possible to carry 33,000 men on our payroll through the depression. For eleven months of each year since 1929, we have kept our employment within 10 per cent of this average. We are justly proud of that record. We are also proud to say that Chevrolet workmen did not, at any time during the depression, become a burden on public welfare departments. On August 1st of this year, Chevrolet announced a blanket wage increase as well as the adoption of a 7 1/2-hour, 5-day week and the employment of 12,000 additional men. This wage increase was the second in the last 4 months, Chevrolet having been among the first to put a blanket wage increase into effect. We feel that the President's recovery program deserves the whole-hearted support of every citizen and manufacturer in America. It is a bold, swift, courageous plan to start the ball rolling toward economic recovery. Its sincerity is unquestioned. Its objectives are admirable. And the direct, forceful steps the President and his associates are taking to make it a success, should stir the pride and admiration of every American. We are proud and glad to do our part. And we are deeply grateful to the American people for the patronage that has enabled us to anticipate the present recovery program and to play our part today. After all, the immense number of men employed by Chevrolet is a direct result of the continued preference America has shown for Chevrolet. CHEVROLET MOTOR COMPANY, DETROIT, MICHIGAN, Division of General Motors CHEVROLET