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UNEARNED CRITICISM

By FRANCIS H. SISON

Chairman, Public Relations Commission American Bankers Association

There has been some disposition to criticize the administration of the country's banking system for the sudden collapse of prices and curtailment of credits in 1920 and 1921, and the subsequent financial difficulties of the farmers.

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With agencies now functioning for the provision of ample credits for the American farmer, his enduring success depends upon the wisdom and foresight with which he meets the problems of production and marketing.

BANKERS HELP

The banks of Linn County Oregon are showing more enthusiasm than ever this year in behalf of a county corn exhibit similar to that held last year at the Linn County Fair.

The Agricultural Committee of the Alabama Bankers Association has recommended that a scholarship fund be established for the education of worthy young men and women along agricultural and home economics lines.

25 cents per thousand capital, five to six thousand dollars per annum would be realized.

The Agricultural Committee of the Oklahoma Bankers Association, in its report, recommends that the bankers see that a competent agent is appointed in each county and that he has a degree from some agricultural college.

Searcy County Bankers Association, Arkansas, entertained at its guests recently some seventy-five farmers and business men.

H. S. Mowbray, chairman of the Agricultural Committee of the New Jersey Bankers Association, together with H. J. Baker, director of extension work in the College of Agriculture, made a complete tour of the state this spring.

Oliver Farrington, curator of the Field Museum in Chicago, brought from South America a piece of crystal quartz containing a small amount of perfectly clear water which can be seen plainly inside the crystal.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Mayor and City Council of the City of Hermiston, Umatilla County, Oregon, will meet at the City Council Chambers in said City, Wednesday, November 18th, 1925, at 8 o'clock P. M.

The total amount of money needed by said City for the year 1926 is estimated in the following budget:

CITY OF HERMISTON BUDGET

Table with 4 columns: ITEMS, Estimated Expenditures, Estimated Receipts, and Total. Includes categories like Library, Auto Camp Grounds, General Fund, and Salaries.

Amount necessary by taxation \$6290.00

We the undersigned Chairman and Secretary of the Budget Committee of the City of Hermiston, hereby certify that the foregoing is correct as made by said Budget Committee.

F. C. MCKENZIE, Chairman. E. R. CROCKER, Secretary.

ORIGINAL ESTIMATE AND ACCOUNTING SHEET

Large table with 6 columns: ITEMS, Estimated Expenditures for ensuing year, Expenditures and Budget allowances for six months of this year, Budget Allowance, Detailed Expenditures for the last year of the three year period, Second Year Totals, First Year Totals. Includes categories like LIBRARY, PARK AND AUTO CAMP, GENERAL FUND, PERSONAL SERVICES.

I, C. W. Kellogg, do hereby certify that the above estimate of expenditures for the year 1926, budget allowances for the first six months of current year and expenditures for the three fiscal years next preceding the current year and summary of indebtedness as shown above, have been compiled from the records in my charge, and to the best of my knowledge are true and correct.

A Family Tract

A woman engaged a new maid, whose appearance and manner she was greatly pleased. When the terms had been agreed upon the mistress said: "Now, my last maid was much too friendly with the policemen. I hope I can trust you?"

"Indeed you can, madam," she replied. "I can't bear policemen. I was brought up to hate the very sight of them. You see, my father was a burglar."

Simple Reason for the Change in Name

The ease with which many of the recent accessions to our population change their names is illustrated by the following true anecdote: The teacher in a South Boston school became so interested in a little Polish girl that she was anxious to learn of her progress after she was promoted to a higher grade and asked her new teacher concerning her.

"There is no such child in my room," answered the one so questioned.

"No Marie Levenski! Why! I know that she was sent to your room, for I asked about it at the time."

"There is no Marie Levenski in my room. I am very sure," persisted the other.

"But I have seen her go in the door, and there she is now," darting as she spoke toward a small girl approaching from the opposite direction. "Isn't your name Marie Levenski?" she demanded.

"It used to be, but now it is Mary Jones," was the calm reply.

"Mary Jones! How can that be?" "Why, father buys and sells old junk, and one day there was a door plate with the things, and the name on it was Jones. Nobody would buy it, so we put it on our door, and now my name is Mary Jones."—Youth's Companion.

—READ THE WANT ADS—

THE HOLDUP

By THOMAS ARKLE CLARK, Dean of Men, University of Illinois.

THERE was a holdup down in Thomasville one morning last summer—a really dreadful thing for a quiet country town and quite unexpected. It wouldn't have happened if it hadn't been for automobiles and hard roads, two recent novelties in Thomasville.

The holdup dropped out of a clear sky one bright spring morning just as people were rousing for the work of the day. A dozen men appeared suddenly, brandishing huge revolvers, or armed with villainous-looking shotguns, giving orders to people who were not used to being ordered about, getting everyone out of bed who had not already arisen, herding them into one central place at the point of a revolver, and frightening the women not to speak of the men, into a nervous collapse.

Then they went through the houses, looted the bank, jumped into the machines in which they had come in addition to the Thomases, which they had appropriated, and drove away with the money and other loot which they had collected.

The city papers were full of the outrage the next day and amazed at the nerve the bandits had exhibited. It was something dreadful—poor men robbed, women and children half-frightened to death, and the money loss was not inconsiderable.

I saw Jim Falkner two or three months after the thing had happened and he told me about it.

"Of course I'm against holdups in general," he said, "but I believe this one was a good thing for Thomasville."

"How so?" I asked, always having looked upon a holdup as something to be avoided and to be abated.

"It's brought the people together. There was a lot of quarreling and jealousy among the 'high-hats' before. The Thomases hadn't had anything to do with the Snyderers for years. Somebody was always pulling and hauling; at somebody else. The half-hour that they spent huddled together in front of the city building looking into shooting iron stopped all that. The lions have been lying down with their lambs as quietly as two kittens sleeping in a basket since then. There's unity in Thomasville, there's friendliness and co-operation, and the people are awake. I don't hanker after earthquakes or holdups, but if a holdup doesn't cost more than two or three thousand dollars it would be a good thing for some towns to invest in."

All of which goes to establish the truth of the saying that "There's no loss without some small gain."

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HERMISTON IRRIGATION DISTRICT

Notice of Election. Notice is hereby given that an election will be held at the office of the Hermiston Irrigation District on Main street in the City of Hermiston, Umatilla County, Oregon, on Tuesday, the 10th day of November, 1925 for the purpose of electing one director to serve for three years. The polls will be open from 8 A. M. until 5 P. M. of said day.

W. J. WARNER, Secretary Hermiston Irrigation District. 7-3tc

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR UMATILLA COUNTY

In the Matter of the Estate of James Alexander Craig Thom, Deceased.

To John M. Thom, George I. Thom, Thomas R. Thom, Richard H. Thom, Robert E. Thom, John M. Thom, Jr., Frederick C. Thom, Georgia Thom and Nellie McNurien, and all other persons interested in said estate.

Whereas application has been made in due form to the above entitled Court on the 29th day of August, 1925, by John M. Thom, administrator of said estate, for an order authorizing and empowering him to sell the real estate belonging to said decedent and described as follows: To-wit: All that part of the SE 1/4 SE 1/4 and the N 1/4 SW 1/4 SE 1/4 lying north of the "A" Line Canal in Section 12, Tp. 4 N. R. 28 E. W. M. in Umatilla County, Oregon, and Whereas said Court fixed on the 7th day of November, 1925, at 2 o'clock P. M. at the regular November, 1925, term of this Court, at the court room of this Court in Pendleton, Umatilla County, Oregon, as the time and place for hearing any and all objections to said petition and the granting of said order and license of sale. Therefore,

In the Name of the State of Oregon, you, and each of you, are hereby instructed, directed and required to be and appear at said time and place and there show cause, if any you have, or if any exists, why an order of sale should not be made as in said petition prayed for, and why said petition should not be granted and said order and license should not issue.

Witness the Hon. I. M. Schanep, Judge of said Court and the seal of this County affixed this 31st day of August, 1925.

R. T. BROWN, Clerk. (3-5tc)

The BULL'S EYE

Editor and General Manager WILL ROGERS



Another "Bull" Durham advertisement by Will Rogers, Zigfield Folins and screen star, and leading American humorist. More coming. Watch for them.

The Wise Guy and The Clown

A constant reader of my "Bull" Durham Ads writes in and says: "If there was another smoking Tobacco the equal of "Bull" Durham a lot of us would quit you no matter how much it cost. But alas there is no equal at any price as we have all found out at various times. So we must hasten to turn the pages and groan, whenever we encounter the CLOWN Ads of Will Rogers, who is trying to discredit the worth of the WORLD'S FAVORITE TOBACCO."

See that Bird wrote this whole Ad for me himself. He knocked me but he boosted "Bull" Durham. He fell right into my hands. Its only by the wisdom of our smart people that we CLOWNS and Fools are allowed to ride in Limousines. They say "The Lord protects the foolish," so, I am nestling right under his wing. So thanks Mr. Smart Man, write us another Ad. It will only cost you two cents

Will Rogers

P.S.—There will be another piece here two weeks from now. Look for it.



"BULL" DURHAM

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Lands for Trade

40 acres Boise-Payette Project. All improved and buildings. Clear \$6,000. Want something here.

120 acres south Idaho. Well improved, near town. \$10,000. Clear. Want something in Eastern Oregon.

180 acres mixed farming in Baker county. Irrigated wheat, alfalfa and dairying. \$12,000. Wants lower altitude.

200 acres Grande Ronde valley, 85 in cultivation, balance in pasture. Buildings and fenced. Wants irrigated tract. \$8,000.

297 acres near Medford, 73 irrigated, good buildings. Fine farm. \$25,000. Wants Eastern Oregon place.

400 acres near Eugene, highly improved, 2 sets buildings. Wants alfalfa land for part or would take two tracts. \$30,000.

I have numerous other such listings. If you want to trade come and look them over. I have business arrangements in a score of towns in the Northwest and can find anything to match.

E. P. DODD, HERMISTON, OREGON

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Inland Empire Lumber

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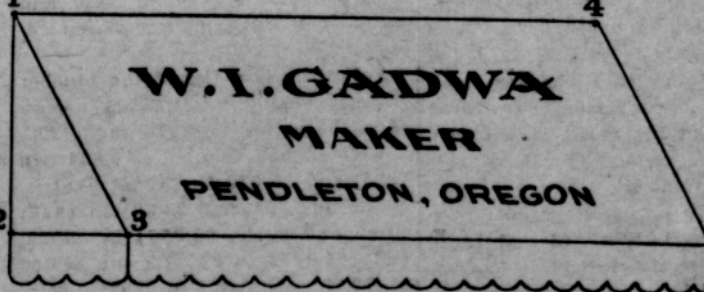
Many are buying them in the larger quantities, but we are here to serve you all you want only a few we have them with out the name. These we sell as follows

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THE HERMISTON HERALD

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