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WHAT IS A BANK?

—BY—

WILLIAM C. CORNWELL,

AUTHOR OF "GREENBACKS," AND PRESIDENT OF THE CITY BANK OF BUFFALO, NEW YORK.

THE DEPOSITORS.

A Bank is a place where money is left for safe keeping.

The people who leave the money do not want to use it at once, and do not want to take the risk of keeping it in their homes or offices, or of carrying it around with them.

These people are called the depositors.

They are not as a rule rich people.

Laborers, workmen, mechanics, farmers, store-keepers, doctors, lawyers, ministers, brokers, capitalists and clerks.

All these are depositors.

They are all the people who have any money—little or much—and who want their money kept safe until they are ready to use it.

There are millions of them.

If a bank is hurt all these people are hurt.

The money is left in charge of a man who is called a banker.

He is paid a salary or wages for taking care of the money just as another man is paid wages for taking care of horses.

He is a "hired man."

THE STOCKHOLDERS.

The Bank itself must have money of its own before depositors will put in their money so that they may feel that their money is safe.

The Bank's own money is called "Capital."

This is put in by a number of people—sometimes by a very large number—each of whom puts in a little.

The money put in, in this way is stock money, and cannot be drawn out, but must stay in at the risk of the business.

The people who put it in are called stockholders.

The number of people in the United States who have put up money in this way to start banks now in operation is estimated at five hundred thousand (500,000).

They are men and women of all classes, many of them holding only small amounts of stock.

They have put in altogether one thousand and fifty millions of dollars ($1,050,000,000).

These people are the Banks.

The banker is hired by these people.

When the depositors put their money in they do so with the understanding that they can draw it out at any time.

The banker is expected to keep it safely for them until they want it.

One way to do this would be to lock it up in strong boxes in a vault, and carefully guard it until called for.

If this were done the money would not do anybody any good, while so locked up.

THE BORROWERS.

In the place where the Bank is started there are store-keepers, farmers and manufacturers.

All these people have some property of their own.

Some of them have enough money and property so that they do not need to borrow.

But some of the store-keepers at certain seasons of the year have trusted out a large part of their property.

The farmars, the workmen and other dealers and all kinds of people owe them.

The stock of goods needs filling up.

There are two ways in which the store-keeper can get money to buy new goods.

HELPING THE STORE-KEEPER.

He can crowd the people who owe him and make them pay up.

Or he can borrow the money to buy new goods with.

The people who owe him pay him once or twice a year and oftener, but cannot pay now without pressure and discomfort.

So he goes to them and says, "Give me your notes at three and four months, and pay them when they come due."

And the debtors give their notes.

The store-keeper takes these notes to the Bank and writes his name on them, and asks the banker to lend him the money that he needs.

Now the banker has in his safe keeping the money that depositors have left with him to keep until they want it.

They are liable to want it any time.

But all of them do not want all of it at one time.

Only a few of them want some of it every day.

Many of them want only a little, once in a while.

Most of those who draw out some of it to use, get it back after a while, and keep bringing it to the banker to hold until they need it again.

So he finds while he must keep on hand enough to pay, every day, those who may want to use a part of their money, the larger part of the whole of the money stays with him all the time.

He finds that while he must keep in cash one fifth to one quarter of all the funds, the other three quarters will be perfectly idle.

This three-quarters then he is at liberty to lend out if he can lend it safely.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Ancient History.

Washington, Ia., Democrat.

It may seem like kicking a man when he is down, but we can't refrain from referring to some things even if they are disagreeable. We shall call up a little ancient history for the delectation of the Republican party. We shall not do it in any spirit of malice, neither shall we rejoice at their present discomfort and chagrin. The Lord knows they are having troubles enough of their own; but for fear they may forget it, we will recite a paragraph of their platform adopted at St. Louis in the halcyon July days of 1896; the days when millionaires and plutocrats ran riot with the Republican party; the days when they led them such a merry dance, and the poor devils are left to pay the fiddler.

We shall recall only a little ancient history, "lest they forget," "lest they forget." Their platform starts out:

"For the first time since the civil war the American people have witnessed the calamitous consequences of full and unrestricted Democratic control of the government. It has been of unparalleled incapacity, disaster and dishonor. It has entailed an increasing deficit, precipitated panic, closed factories reduced work and wages, etc., etc."

How interesting that is after a year of Republican control! How they have brought order out of chaos, prosperity out of stagnation, confidence out of panic! What delightful promises the republican platform makes! They have stopped the deficit with the Dingley bill, which is making a bigger hole in the treasury every month, notwithstanding that it suffered no such maceration as the Wilson bill did when the income tax clause was immolated on the altar of Republican capacity.

The republican platform is a great work producer. Just look at the coal strikes, the cotton spinners' strike, the reduction of wages by the railroad companies right here in Washington. See how the gold-batted traveling men got the stuffing knocked out of their salaries as soon as McKinley's prosperity came! Behold how it opened the factories and how prices went up! Why corn is now twenty odd cents and it wasn't over twenty-two or twenty-three under Cleveland. O, the Republican party is a red hot revenue producer, wage raiser and factory opener.

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JOY IN HEAVEN.

FACE TO FACE.

Joys of Heaven Are Past Man's Understanding.

We are told that heaven is a place of happiness, but what do we know about happiness? Happiness in this world is only a half fledged thing, a flowery path with a serpent hissing across it, a broken pitcher from which the water has dropped before we could drink it. a thrill of exhilaration, followed by disastrous reactions. To help us understand the joy of heaven the Bible takes us to a river. We stand on the grassy bank. We see the waters flow on with ceaseless wave. But the filth of the cities is emptied into it, and the banks are torn, and unhealthy exhalations spring up from it, and we fail to get an idea of the river of life in heaven.

We get very imperfect ideas of the reunions of heaven. We think of some festal day on earth when father and mother were yet living and the children came home. A good time that! But it had this draw back—all were not there. That brother went off to sea and never was heard from. That sister—did we not lay her away in the freshness of her young life, never more in this world to look upon her? Ah, there was a skeleton at the feast, and tears mingled with our laughter on that Christmas day. Not so with heaven's reunions. It will be an uninterrupted gladness. Many a Christian parent will look around and find all his children there. "Ah," he says, "can't be possible that we are all here—life's perils over? The Jordan passed and not one wanting? Why, even the prodigal is here. I almost gave him up. How long he despised my counsel! But grace hath triumphed. All here, all here! Tell the mighty joy through the city. Let the bells ring and the angels mention it in their song. Wave it from the top of the walls. All here!"

No breaking of heartstrings, but face to face. The orphans that were left poor and in a merciless world, kicked and cuffed of many hardships, shall join their parents over whose graves they so long wept, and gaze into their glorified countenances forever, face to face. We may come up from different parts of the world, one from the land and another from the depths of the sea, from lives affluent and prosperous, or from scenes of ragred distress, but we shall all meet in rapture and jubilee, face to face.

Many of our friends have entered upon that joy. A few days ago they sat with us studying these gospel themes, but they only see through a glass, darkly. Now revelation hath come. God will not leave you to flounder in the darkness. You stand wonder-struck and amazed. You feel as all the loveliness of life were dashed out. You stand gazing into the open chasm of the grave. Wait a little. In the presence of your departed and of Him who carries them in His bosom you shall soon stand face to face. Oh, that our last may kindle up with his promised joy! May we be able to say, like the Christian not long ago departing, "Though a pilgrim, walking through the valley, the mountain tops are gleaming from peak to peak," or, like my dear friend brother, Alfred Cookman, who took his flight to the throne of God, saying in his last moment that which has already gone into Christian classics, "I am sweeping through the pearly gates washed in the blood of the Lamb.—DR. TALMAGE.

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BUTLER'S PROGRAMME.

Wants the Populist Convention to Meet the Same Day of the Democratic State Convention.

Mr. John T. Britt, editor of the Oxford Public Ledger, is in Washington as private secretary of Congressman Kitchin. Writing to his paper last week, Mr. Britt says:

"We have learned, from a source which is entitled to more credence than ordinary rumors, that Senator Butler intends to play what he thinks a very shrewd game on the Democrats in the nomination for officers this summer Briefly outlined his plan is this: He will call his convention at the same time and place as the Democratic convention. Then he will make certain overtures for fusion, and along certain lines only. He will probably offer fusion on Congressional lines, the terms of which will be that the Populists retain 3 Congressmen (Fowler, Strowd and Sanford) and allow the Democrats the other six. He may or may not offer fusion for members of the Legislature or county officers.

"Senotar Butler thinks to force the Democrats into fusion on his own terms, by this move, or else go before the people with the cry that Democrats are not sincere in their advocacy of silver and the Chicago platform, and further claim that they are dominated by bossism and gold-bugs. All this may be very nice for the Senator, if it works. He realizes that the Democrats are solid and sincere and that the party is being strengthened by recruits every day from the better elements of their opponents. He knows that the late fusion with the Republicans has gained him nothing Pritchard carried enough of his (Butler's) followers with him to re-elect him to the Senate. This was in spite of all Butler could do and was very humble pie for him to eat."

"Your plan is very pretty Senator, but it won't work."

A Reasonable Concession. But no Fusion.

Under the above heading the Wilmington Review so well expresses the sentiments of the editor of the TIMES that we print what it says and give it our hearty endorsement:

We, for one, are willing to make all reasonable concessions, but, positively, my friend, and we say this in all kindly sincerity and brotherly love and party loyality, we will not agree to anything like fusion with anybody or anything. We will be glad to welcome all who will come with us, and vote with us. For this campaign, at least, we will not ask any credentials. We will not require a gold man to swear that he is a silver man before he can be received in full fellowship with the party in this State. The gold man is just as good a Democrat, perhaps, as I am. He asks no test and no pledges from me, and I will ask none from him. If he is going to vote for white supremacy in North Carolina, he is giving thereby the highest proof I shall require of him as to his loyalty to the Democratic party. More than that, if he will stand by me I will stand by him and as far as possible shield him from any and all attacks made upon him by the disappointed office-seekers and reform renegades. I will stick to him if he will stick to me. So far, there is no gold or silver question in the campaign. All white men can vote together without reproach one for another. One man's vote is as good as another's. We are all working and voting for one and the self-same object, the redemption of the State, and if we fail in that attempt let us fail decently, honorably and in order.

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Why?

Why do fashion's leaders always follow it?

Why is the average doctor seldom inclined to leave well enough alone?

Why is the editor who enjoys good health always in a critical condition?

Why do they say streams run dry when everybody knows they run wet when they do run?

Why isn't the sound in a man's head when his wife hits him with a broomstick a sort of marriage ring?

Why is it a man can't walk slow enough for a streetcar to catch him or fast enough to catch a streetcar?

CASTORIA.
The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

NOTICE

Having qualified as administrator of Renner Leister, deceased late of Franklin county, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 3rd day of March, 1899 or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This March 3rd 1898.

T. B. WILDER, Adm'r.
W. M. PERSON, Att'y.

NOTICE

By virtue of a judgment of the Superior Court of Franklin county made in the case of T. B. Wilder Administrator of Rev. Holden deceased, vs. F. J. Holden et al. on a petition to sell real estate to make assets I shall on Monday the 4th day of April 1898, at the Court House door in the Town of Louisburg sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash a lot of land situated in Freeman's Township near the Goodloe place bounded on the north by the Youngsville road and on the other sides by the lands of B. H. Winston containing [illegible] acre.

Time of sale 12 o'clock M.

T. B. WILDER, Adm'r.
W. M. PERSON, Att'y.

NOTICE

By virtue of the power contained in a certain mortgage executed to me on the 16th day of January 1893 by A. D. Crudup and duly recorded in the Register's office Franklin county, I will on Monday the 4th day of April, 1898, at 12 o'clock at the Court House door in the Town of Louisburg, sell to the highest bidder for cash a certain tract of land in Dunn's Township in said county. Bounded on the north by J. Williams, on the east by lands of Frank Williams, on the south ——— on the west by lands of Rev. Baker, containing eighty acres, more or less, and known as the A. D. Crudup Home Place. Sold to satisfy debts secured by said mortgage.

March 2, 1898.

Mrs. F. C. HENRY, Mortgagee.
T. W. BICKETT, Att'y.

NOTICE

By virtue of a judgment of the Superior Court of Franklin county made at October special term, 1897, in the cause of T. B. Wilder Administrator of Rev. Holden et al. vs. B. H. Winston et al. I shall on Monday, the 4th day of April, 1898 at the Court House door in the Town of Louisburg sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash an one half undivided interest in a certain tract or parcel of land lying and situated in Freeman's township, Franklin county and bounded as follows: On the west by the Raleigh road, on the north by the Youngsville road, on the east and south by the lands of B. H. Allen contain eighty acres more or less and known as the Rev. Holden Home Place.

Time of sale 12 o'clock M.

T. B. WILDER, Adm'r.
W. M. PERSON, Att'y.

NOTICE

By virtue of the power contained in a mortgage made to me by E. E. Harris, Clerk of Superior Court of Franklin county in the special proceeding entitled O. L. Ellis, Administrator, vs. Mrs. L. H. Massenburg, against W. B. Massenburg, et al., heirs at law, I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder at the Court House door in Louisburg, N. C., on Monday the 4th day of April, 1898, at 12 o'clock M., the tract of land comprising a part of the real estate of Mrs. L. H. Massenburg, situated in Louisburg Township, Franklin county, bounded on the north by the lands of Edmund Kelly, on the east by the Vaughan land, on the south by the Halifax road, and on the west by the Massenburg and Allen road, containing 41 acres according to survey made since the death of decedent by W. N. Fuller.

Terms of sale—One-half cash, balance to be due on December 1st, 1898, and to bear interest from day of sale till paid. Title retained till purchase money is paid.

March 2d, 1898.

O. L. ELLIS, Comr.
SPRUILL & BERRY, Att'ys.

NORTH CAROLINA, FRANKLIN COUNTY. | IN SUPERIOR COURT

OTELIA M. POYTHRESS vs JOHN B. POYTHRESS. | ACTION FOR DIVORCE.

The defendent above named is hereby notified and commanded to be and appear before the Judge of our Superior Court at a court to be held for the County of Franklin, at the Court House in Louisburg, N. C., on the 6th Monday after the 1st Monday in March, 1898, and answer the complaint against him for divorce from bonds of matrimony, which will be filed in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court within the first three days of said term. Defendent will take notice that if he fail to answer or demur to said complaint during said term plaintiff will apply to the Court for relief prayed for in said complaint. Witness R. R. Harriss, Clerk Superior Court of Franklin County at office in Louisburg, N. C. This 24th day of Feb., 1898.

R. R. HARRIS,
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