

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of J. Ralph Rankin, deceased, late of Gaston county, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons who have claims against the estate of said decedent to present the same, duly verified, to the undersigned, on or before January 20, 1922.

W. T. RANKIN, Administrator of J. Ralph Rankin, Deceased. Mason & Mason, Attorneys. Th Feb 24-6

ADMINISTRATRIX' NOTICE.

Having qualified as administratrix of the estate of Robert Gaston, late of Gaston county, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said decedent to exhibit them to the undersigned, at Belmont, North Carolina, on or before the 23rd day of December, 1921.

MARY LEE GASTON, Administratrix of the estate of Robert Gaston, deceased. Th J 27-6 Denay & Gaston, Attorneys.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Having qualified as executor of the estate of Thomas Williams, deceased, late of Gaston County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said decedent to exhibit them to the undersigned at their office in Gastonia, N. C., on or before the 28th day of January, 1922.

D. L. BAIN, Executor of the Estate of Thomas Williams, Deceased. Denny & Gaston, Attorneys. Th M 2-6

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of W. S. Hanks, deceased, late of Gaston County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said decedent to exhibit them to the undersigned at Belmont, N. C., on or before the 28th day of January, 1922.

W. D. CRAWFORD, Administrator of the Estate of W. S. Hanks, Deceased. Denny & Gaston, Attorneys. TH M 2-6

PROFESSIONAL CARDS

DR. C. HIGHSMITH, Dentist. Office over Torrence Drug Store. GASTONIA, N. C. Residence Phone 399-L.

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New York Letter by Lucy Jeanne Price. NEW YORK, Jan. 31. The atmosphere in the polished parlors of the Waldorf-Astoria is the only restful place in New York and its visitors have gone out for all cabarets and theatres and about that hour. But a man's understanding of these mild amusements and their life are not to have the same profound against them. And they are doing a lot of grumbling in consequence. The orchestra, left over from the old days, applies only to places where the music is still. Their managers do not want more that we can't sell liquor if we wanted to, how are we any different from any other food dispensary? But the police say the order is not. And the manager had food after one in the morning is the family recipe. If you are home, then you're out of luck.

A-B-C of FINANCE THE PURCHASE AND DISTRIBUTION OF SECURITIES OF INVESTMENT VALUE By HAROLD F. ... Vice-President, Guaranty Corporation

Banks and other institutions that handle large business or investment securities must be adequately equipped to handle them. Recently the purchase and distribution of original issues of the securities of railroads, public utilities and other corporations, as well as, in many cases, the external issues of foreign governments and municipalities. The purchase and distribution of a bank which handles the buying and selling of new issues of securities for the purposes of this class of securities will be called the Corporate Department of the bank's departments. It can be explained by a brief outline of the methods of handling a typical case.

Let us suppose that an industrial company has decided to issue some new securities and the business has been referred to a bank. From the instant the bank's immediate attention is attracted to the securities, the president or some other officer of the company, it is his duty to be attractive to warrant subscription by the members of the bank's department. These men go over the details of the company's financial statement, compare it with the financial statements of other companies in the same line of business, obtain all available information regarding the company and the industry in which it is a part. They then select a boy hand in a written report, which is studied by those in the bank's department who are in charge of the handling of original issues. The bank's department of investigations of the company's financial condition is realized when the company's financial statement is sent to the bank's department. The details are sent to the bank's department, which is sold to investors with a recommendation, and the success of a bank's department handling these matters depends upon its ability to select the most desirable securities.

If the report of the company's financial condition and after a few days the bank's department has reached the bank's department. The business should be handled in a similar manner with the company's financial statement. The essential features of the company's financial condition which will be a guide to the details in regard to the company's financial condition and the protective provisions and the terms of the issue have a most important bearing on its safety as well as its value. When these matters have been considered, the purchase contract is drawn. The contract must cover all the provisions of the issue and the terms of the purchase, as well as to avoid any possible misunderstandings and to protect the bank's department as far as possible against all contingencies.

In the meantime the corporation's department has also been preparing a circular which will be used in selling the issue. This may be in the form of a letter or three-page letter from the president of the issuing company, with a statement of this letter in the front page. The circular constitutes the official presentation of facts on which the issue is sold. It is necessary that it contain all the essential information concerning the company and the issue and its financial condition.

The Corporation Department is responsible for the preparation and distribution of the Trust Agreement and all the temporary and definitive bonds of the Trust Agreement is drawn in accordance with the bank's counsel in cooperation with the issuing company. It must be carefully examined by the Corporation Department. If the definitive or temporary securities cannot be issued in

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE. Having qualified as administrator of the estate of Clarence Q. Rhyne, deceased, late of Gaston county, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said decedent to present the same, duly verified, to the undersigned administrator on or before January 13, 1922. J. C. BELL, Adm. of the Estate of Clarence Q. Rhyne, Deceased. Th Feb 17-6. It's the persistent advertiser that wins. Keep your ad in The Gazette all the time and watch the results.

It would have to be pretty highly paid work, one would think. When the Brock liner, McGill Heilan, reached New York harbor the other day, it looked for a few minutes as though it was to be held in quarantine because of an apparent epidemic of mumps on board. The captain finally convinced the authorities, however, that the swollen jaws were due to external rather than internal troubles. The passengers had been about equally divided, both in the first class and steerage, between other and Constantine and devotion to Venice. It was difficult, the captain said in spite of his best efforts, to keep on board of the day free from fights which never were limited to conversation.

One eleven year old boy in the port end of the city is going to see that his sister does not fall a victim to bandits. She has a seven block walk from the subway, but has never thought of it as dangerous. Her brother, though, has read the papers to some effect. The other night when she got off the train, then just outside the gate stood her brother and his pal. "We will protect you, sis," he exclaimed, and they looked quite capable of it. Brother was armed with a big iron spike, which the girl held in her hand, and his pal with a vicious-looking "rap" mallet. One on each side, they escorted her home.

State Island threatens a week for New York City. "They don't care anything about us except as so much loot to their population," complain the tax payers. "The only thing that we care about is going to keep on for the sake of the city. We'll no longer be a part of this island unless we can have our own government. We'll no longer be a part of this island unless we can have our own government. We'll no longer be a part of this island unless we can have our own government."

Seventy-five thousand dollars worth of cash and valuables annually are left in clothing sent to the hotel rater in just one big New York Hotel, according to its 1920 report. Twenty thousand was in cash last year, and approximately \$200,000 in jewelry. One forgetful person got back a thousand dollar bill which he had left in his reading clothes. From then, the individual forgetfulness tapered down to give out pieces. A 5-year-old Rembrandt landscape, supposed to have been stolen from a private collector in Hamburg, is being sought in this city. There were reports that it had been smuggled aboard the American liner Mongolia, which arrived the other day, but a thorough search failed to uncover it. Michel Fokine, who put the Russian ballet on its feet, is to remain in America and establish a native school of dancers. He hopes to establish an all American ballet and declares that his work over here makes him confident that there are tremendous possibilities in our home-grown Terpsichoreans. When a man travels and brings forth a bright little original thought, it always irritates him to discover that Emerson or Shakespeare beat him to it.

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