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Who is to Blame?

Mr. Editor:

Sir,—Since the beginning of the "banana war" here, much has appeared in the *TIMES* setting forth the methods and doings of the United Fruit Co., but I notice you have not received many letters from the readers of the paper. This however must not be taken to mean disinterestedness on the part of fruit growers in particular, and the public in general. The whole Atlantic zone is watching with feverish anxiety to see the outcome of the battle, so much of prosperity or otherwise depends on whether or not the Atlantic Fruit and Shipping Coy. gets a foothold in Costa Rica. Now Mr. Editor if they are to get that foothold, we must give them every assistance we can, in spite of all that is being said and done by the United Fruit Coy. There are many today who are a bit uncertain how to act, for their faith is not firm that the Atlantic will not be forced to leave Costa Rica. Now, I am not connected in any way with the Atlantic, nor do I boast of the honour of knowing what is happening behind the scene, but I do know a few things, and I do not want the small cultivators to be intimidated by all the tall talk that goes the round, about the Atlantic Fruit Coy. being so financially embarrassed as to be unable either to pay for the farms under option of Messrs. Lindo Bros. or to cultivate their own farms here. With your permission therefore Mr. Editor, I want to cast a bird's eye view over the whole situation, touching on all the facts in connection with the advent of this new company.

(The coming of the Atlantic Fruit Coy.) All the banana growers owe a debt of gratitude to Mr. C. V. Lindo for setting forth the possibilities of the Costa Rican Banana Trade to the Directors of the Atlantic. We deplore all the more therefore the lawsuit that followed Mr. Lindo's dealings with them. We have all read the statements of both parties and—well candidly we feel that there is something in favour of Mr. Lindo as well as of Mr. Pi-Giorgio. But it is not my purpose to go into that lawsuit. We deplore it, and chiefly so, because every independent banana grower in Costa Rica has felt the pinch of the yoke. Mr. Lindo complained about the treatment of the United Fruit Coy. What must the small cultivator say? And the unfortunate smaller man who happened to have no contract? As I intend to travel the whole ground, (if you will give me space in your paper), I need not now tell of all the grievances of the small and smaller men. They are legion. The U. F. Coy's official says to the small man today: "Make contracts with my company today. The Atlantic can't stay, they have no money, etc., and when they go you will be at the

mercy of the United Fruit Co." We say to such that the small man can never be treated worse in Costa Rica. Less than 40 cents currency a bunch for bananas and at the mercy of arbitrary receivers? Never! And even when he gets contracts he gets only a certain cutting and sometimes only once a week and he cannot handle his fruit. Mr. Lindo felt none of this pinching, but we are all glad that he felt the pinch so much that he made representations to the Atlantic to come to Costa Rica—"and they come"—and they mean to stay, and they will receive the assistance and support of all banana growers. We are not going to be frightened by the bogeys and scarecrows the U. F. Coy. are exhibiting. Does any one think that the United was going to spend all the money they are now spending to oust the new company and not regain it here, if that company was driven away? Are we not seeing enough of their methods today to understand the kind of people with whom we have to deal? Myself a West Indian, I ask West Indians especially to stand by the Atlantic. No ingratitude here to the U. F. Coy., for if we have got anything from them, they have got much more from us.

We see among us then this new company. I was very much interested in your interview with Mr. C. V. Lindo but a couple of things puzzled me after reading it. Mr. Lindo stated to you that he was not hampering the Atlantic in any way, now is that true? I am tempted to ask Mr. Lindo if that is the truth in all sincerity. Is he then ignorant of the part played by his Superintendents and others connected with the firm against the Atlantic? were these things done with him protesting? If he is not hampering the Atlantic, considering he was influential in bringing them here (never mind the present lawsuit) let him call off his men at once and leave the Atlantic a bit freer to battle. Had the United treated the growers here with ordinary fairness and courtesy they would not have been genuinely hated as they are today. I can assure them—perhaps their nest is so high that the information is valueless—that there is no love to spare on the part of the banana growers towards them, and they have themselves to blame. Promises of reform are late. They ought to have come before, and then we have no guarantee that they will be permanent or even carried out should they have the monopoly. We hail the new company and shall do all we can to help her with us.

Thanking you for space, you shall hear from me again Mr. Editor

I am etc.
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La banda militar

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Es lamentable el estado actual de los instrumentos y del archivo, porque aquellos, apenas si producen sonidos, y porque este es lo más deficiente y lo más antiguo que se conoce en los anales de la música.

Nosotros sabemos que de estas deficiencias no son culpables, ni el director actual, señor Barahona ni los músicos, pero sabemos también que no es posible sacar adelante ninguna obra musical, por sencilla que sea, con esta clase de obstáculos.

Sabemos que el señor Barahona se ha dirigido varias veces al Ministerio de Guerra, solicitando algunos instrumentos que son de absoluta necesidad, sin

que se le haya prestado atención de ninguna clase.

Nosotros no podemos creer que el señor Ministro, con el elevado criterio que lo distingue, esté enterado de estas cosas, creemos más bien, que los empleados inferiores del Ministerio, por un descuido hayau difundido estas notas.

Es lamentable en verdad, que los turistas van en el primer puerto de la República una banda como la actual, porque ello demuestra, en primer lugar, poco gusto artístico de parte del público que oye, y en segundo, porque habla poco bien de los encargados de la dirección de estas cosas.

Nosotros elevamos nuestra voz hacia el Ministerio, y exitamos a la vez a los colegas de la Capital y del Puerto, para que nos presten su ayuda, que nosotros juzgamos eficaz, si fin de que podamos presentar al extranjero algo más que una murga.

Del Recuerdo...

Para A. A.

Lo recuerdas?

Bajo el cielo de tus ojos, esos astros que alumbraron mi sendero, al amparo de tus labios siempre rojos donde el fuego del deseo se ocultara prisionero.

Lo recuerdas?

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Lo recuerdas?

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Lo recuerdas?

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Lo recuerdas?

En tu mano la guitarra sollozaba y gemían melancólicas las cuerdas.

ANDRES LERY

Contrato de Construcciones El folleto de don Ricardo

Los negocios como negocios

O business is business

A la exquisita simpatía de una muy estimable persona de las del puerto, debemos el haber leído—quizá en el único ejemplar que a esta olvidada tierra llegó—el folleto en que el señor Presidente de la República proclama conveniencia en pro del contrato de construcciones que don Wenceslao de la Guardia pretende celebrar con el Gobierno de Costa

Rica. El estimable señor que nos facilitó la lectura de lo que al respecto piensa don Ricardo, nos perdonará que en los márgenes del folleto mismo en que aquello se publica fuéramos anotando estas consideraciones: Es costumbre aceptada y condición necesaria para entrar en negociaciones de cualquier índole, que las per-

sonas ó sociedades contratantes apronten las legales responsabilidades moral y comercial de cada una. Y esa condición es una urgencia, esa necesidad es una obligación cuando se trata de conceder privilegios en nombre de un pueblo cuyos intereses hay que guardar por deber altísimo. En Inglaterra como en todas las naciones importantes de Europa y de América, hay Agencias de Información á las que los bolatistas y negociantes acuden en guarda de sus propios intereses y á las que recurren los administradores de intereses ajenos cuando no quieren usar de fetos con favor solo de la desconocida firma que con la de ellos ha de suscribir un convenio. Consideramos esto como punto principal para cualquier negociación: y la de que tratamos no puede ser más importante. Sin embargo, en el contrato «Costa Rica de la Guardia» nada hay que garantice la responsabilidad de don Wenceslao, ni dice nada tampoco al respecto el Presidente de Costa Rica y defensor de los intereses de la Guardia.

La forma más ó menos elegante en que sea presentada ó defendida una negociación, en nada altera las conveniencias ó inconveniencias prácticas de sus resultados: ni es comercialmente cuerdo adoptar como buen principio de un negocio malo una bonita y larga teoría. Una persona ilustrada como don Ricardo, y además inteligente, ha podido llenar un folleto en defensa de un mal negocio, del mismo modo que en su contra podría llenar una biblioteca. Menos mal lo del folleto, porque... cuán ó le habría costado al país la biblioteca?

Así y todo, leyendo la defensa del proyecto sólo nos aseguramos de que en el mundo comercial son muy mal conocidas las compañías que se dedican á especulaciones como la que don Ricardo quiere para el señor de la Guardia; y nosotros sabíamos, además, que esas compañías se entienden directamente y solamente con los particulares, y que cuando más obtienen el favor nacional de una ley que las garantiza; pero nunca en la forma desproporcionada que nuestro gobierno quiere con empeño.

Tal y como el asunto está planteado, no es garantizar una compañía lo que se procura, sino constituir un espíritu y dársele sin responsabilidades, sin reserva y con cualquier pretexto. La forma de emisión de bonos traspasa los límites de la garantía, y vamos á demostrarlo.

Supongamos, tengamos por cierto que las responsabilidades moral y comercial de la compañía son satisfactorias y que después de un año ésta haya hecho transacciones que la obliguen á emplear £ 200,000. La utilidad mínima de la compañía, dadas las ventajas que se le quieren conceder, serían de 25 por ciento, ó fueran £ 50,000 á su haber por las £ 200,000 de su deuda obligaciones contraídas. El Gobierno emite en bonos, según el artículo II del proyecto de convenio, la misma suma de £ 200,000, y como aquellos están garantizados por el Gobierno y por las propiedades de los interesados, muy bien pueden colocarse al 50 por ciento (ó más) igual á £ 100,000. Haciendo caso omiso del 2 por ciento de amortización y de las hipotecas; suponiendo que ese porcentaje sea aplicado debidamente y que ni él ni las hipotecas sean utilizadas para adquirir como se puede más dinero, por su medio, en los cuatro años del convenio sin contar el primero, la compañía habría cobrado el 24 por ciento, ó sean £ 48,000 al 6 por ciento anual. En resumen: Total del haber: £ 258,000. Total del debe (obligaciones contraídas): £ 200,000. Diferencia: £ 58,000 igual á £ 509,000. Los tenedores de bonos cobrarían intereses de 5 por ciento sobre £ 100,000 ó fueran £ 32,000 pero siempre quedaría á favor del contratista, en los cinco años, una utilidad de £ 29,000, ó fueran £ 273,000 que hacen un promedio de £ 98,250 por año, ó £ 5,687,50 mensuales, utilidad que irá aumentando según fueran ensanchándose las operaciones y sin que á esa fecha tuviera la compañía capital alguno invertido ni responsabilidad efectiva de ninguna clase.

Y las expropiaciones? Y la exacción de derechos de Aduana? Este sólo beneficio, que puede calcularse en £ 50,000 de utilidad anual para la compañía, representa un daño de igual cuantía para el país y un hondo perjuicio que por serlo para la industria y el comercio nacionales lo es igual-

mente para aquél. Y todas las otras ventajas concedidas? Y todas las desventajas aceptadas, entre las que no es la peor el descrédito y la vergüenza que al país daría la torpeza de adquirir obligaciones como las que el gobierno se atreve por contraer?

De otro modo, y ya que nada garantiza la responsabilidad de la compañía: ¿qué harían el gobierno y los hipotecados si por circunstancias imprevistas y como podría muy bien suceder, quebrara la compañía á los cinco años, por ejemplo, de comenzadas sus labores? Es natural suponer que los haberes de una compañía que quiebra han pasado á manos acreedoras que harán efectivo sus derechos adquiridos legalmente. Los haberes de la compañía constructora no serían otros que las hipotecas y los bonos, porque no sería don Wenceslao de la Guardia quien conlleva la sencilla de disponer un capital para el cumplimiento de obligaciones que no lo requieren puesto que el Gobierno iba facilitando el medio circular y ya que el solo hecho de obtener las concesiones exageradamente ventajosas del contrato le habrían campo á cualquiera para obtener hacerse un crédito sin límites. El país en general y particularmente los hipotecados, serían quienes sufrirían el fracaso de la compañía.

Y no sería eso, por cierto, una novedad en Costa Rica, como dice don Ricardo que lo es sólo para Costa Rica el contrato de construcciones; acostumbrados estamos al resultado desastroso de todos los contratos hechos por nuestros gobiernos, con empresas ó particulares; y á menudo vemos á nuestros hombres de Estado buscando con apuro arreglos oportunos para evitar mayores males de otra índole.

El contrato sería una novedad de cualquier parte. Para no serlo tendría que adoptar la forma adecuada con que se conoce en Inglaterra, en Irlanda y en Jamaica y que es como lo han pactado otros gobiernos que el mismo don Ricardo cita.

Si es beneficiar al país lo que el gobierno se propone, piénsese en algo menos absurdo aunque no sea una obligación de circunstancias políticas ó de personales simpatías inexplicables. Pero prescindido de ese contrato que no se puede aceptar sin detrimento gravísimo para la nación,

Otras anotaciones más quedan hechas en los márgenes del único ejemplar, quizá, que ha venido á esta región olvidada de los que mandan y recordada por todos solo para explotarla; y sin la pretensión de enfrentarnos á la notabilidad reconocida de don Ricardo—pero sin que el hecho de esa notabilidad y sin que el reconocimiento de su ilustración y de su jerarquía nos hagan suponerlo poseedor de todos los conocimientos—las publicaremos también si alcanzan oportunidad en el arte aparecer de esta hoja cuyas

dimensiones no son medida de la gran sinceridad con que en este y en todos los asuntos de interés público tratamos abogar por lo justo de batallar contra lo que afecta perjudicialmente el interés de todos.

(«Boletín Anunciador» editado por Victor Manuel Salazar, Limón, 5 de junio de 1911.)

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Ricardo Mora Fernández

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Junio 20, 1912.

Guacimo Lodge Function

A very interesting service was held at St. John's Church Guacimo, on Sunday 21st inst., which, apart from being the farewell sermon of the Rev. Trott, was also the day set apart for the unveiling of the Dispensation of the Beacon Lodge of Mechanics here. This ceremony took place at 3 p.m., when the members marched in full dress from the lodge room with the dispensation a head of them to church, headed by a local band.

A very impressive sermon was delivered by the rev. gentleman, taken from Exodus 3, 10, on the assuredness of God's presence with us always. He exhorted all the members of the Lodge to live up to their obligation, so as to merit God's presence with them always, he also begged them to stick closely to their lodges, as these institutions had very important functions to perform, for they all tended to bring them nearer to Christ. He advised all the people who could make it possible to join some organization as it tended to improve them, as he could readily see from their emblems that they were based on Biblical facts, hence they could not but help to assist in the cause of religion. After the address, the congregation presented him a very befitting memorial which was read by Mr. A. A. Wynter, expressing their sorrow at having to part with him, however they prided themselves to know that he had merited the full confidence of the entire community which would tend to the betterment of somewhere else. Mr. Trott suitably replied, thanking them all for their confidence reposed in him and for their many little acts of kindness towards him.

The Lodge procession then formed again and marched to their lodge rooms headed by the rev. gentleman, where the Dedication of the Hall was gone through in a most impressive and appreciable manner by Bros. S. C. Nation G. T. Sanderson of the Concordia Lodge and Bro. J. P. Christian of the Mizpah Lodge.

The service reflected great honour on these gentlemen for its solemnity and grandeur of tone. Speeches were made by several other gentlemen. The Rev. Trott complimented the order and its members in having such an imposing ceremony and expressed himself much impressed by its solemnity. He was then asked to unveil the Dispensation, which he did in a few select phrases, after which Bro. Nation gave great praise to Bro. Chisholm and Bro. Allison and the members of the Lodge for the manner in which they had worked, and when Bro. Chisholm had finished giving a recast of the work and zeal of the members to bring about this stage of perfection.

The meeting was then brought to a close with the Benediction by the Rev. Trott, amid the greatest satisfaction and enthusiasm among members and visitors alike. Mr. J. L. Steele was the organist for the day both at the Church and Lodge Room, and along with the Choir the selections were beautifully rendered. Thus a day to be remembered in Guacimo was brought to a close.

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The Shooting.

We learn that if there was not so much "funk" at home on Sunday night in the Receivers quarters at Siquirres, poor Mac might not have been shot. We are assured that at the time the first shot was fired there was a big strong man just lying behind the man shooting and could have pinioned him very easily, but instead of doing this, those behind as well as in front of the man ran like thieves, some under beds, others to the Jungles.

Pity there was no presence of mind among so many men.

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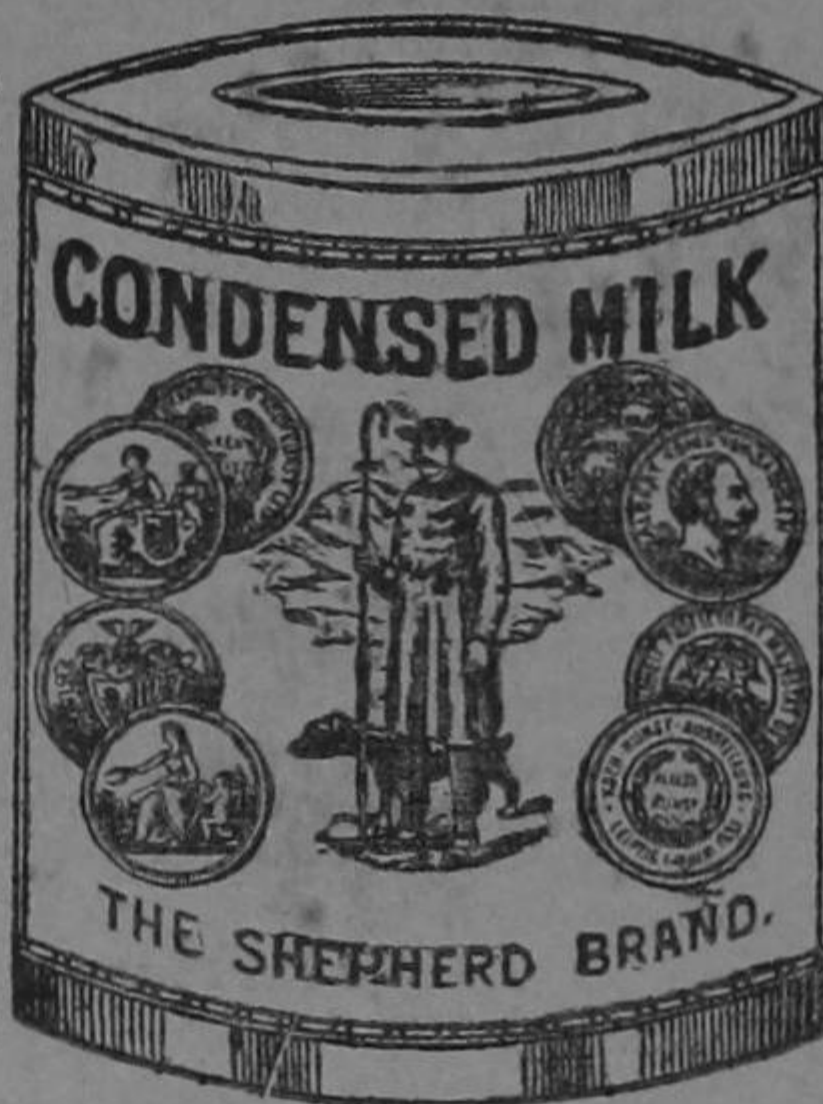
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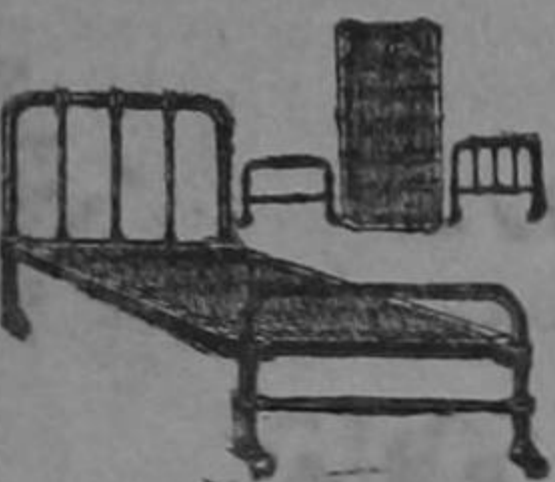
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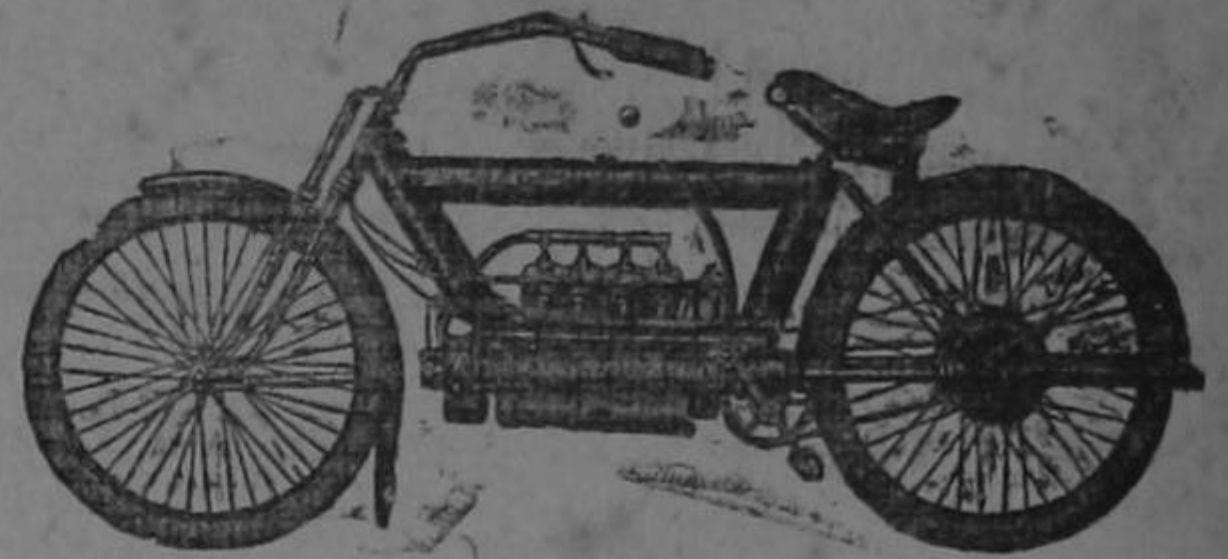


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