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THE OBISPO RUBBER PLANTATION COMPANY owns a tract of 9,000 acres of the most desirable land in the Mexican rubber belt.

About 120,000 rubber trees have already been set out, and about 700,000 more are growing in nurseries, while at least 500 acres have been planted with corn, etc., two crops of corn and one of beans being raised from the same ground each year."

The rubber trees grow large enough for tapping in about eight years from the time of setting out, when the yield will average at least 11-2 pounds of gum from each tree at the first tapping, which should realize 70 cents per pound. The yield of gum increases greatly each year for the next seven years, and will not diminish for 25 years following, thus assuring large and growing profits for at least 30 years.

TO CONTINUE THE DEVELOPMENT of this property \$1,-200,000 (one-half of the authorized capital) of the full paid and non-assessable shares of the company are offered for sale at par, the par value being \$300. Each share covers 1-8,000 of the entire assets of the company, and the company binds itself to mature 200 rubber trees or 200 cocea trees on the acre of land for each share subscribed.

The shares are to be paid for in five yearly instalments of \$60 each,

IFAX, N.S., Dec. 1.-Premie McKenzie, of McKen-Mann, D. C. Ross of Sydney, veral others today inspected th and proposed railway ter-, C. B., of the railroad le. McKenzie and Mann are to the building of the road and chises from the Mai al Mining Co., for the purpose trating the enterprise,

NRICHED MT. ALLISON. FAX, Dec. 1.-The will of J. who was buried today, for a bequest of \$5,000 to street Methodist church in and also a bequest to Mount College. His estate is estimat worth \$175 000

HE DAY OF MIRACLES but many who are cured bleeding or protruding piles use of Dr. Chase's Ointment recovery as next to ous. It is not un who have undergone painful. operations in vain nally cured by this wonderful It is the standard the world e only guaranteed cure fo

LIBERAL VICTORIES. TREAL, Dec. 3 .- The election nteuil today to fill the vacancy house of commons caused by ath of Dr. Christie, who reprefor constituency many resulted in the return of Thos. (liberal), son of the late mem-Mr. Perley, the conservative about 200 majority. At t general election Dr. Chrisie ed by a majority of 329 over conservative,

FAX. Dec. 3.-The by-election outh today to fill the vacancy appointment of T. H the clerkship of the s. resulted in the return of B. (liberal), who had 2,053 votes olled by Thomas E. Corning rative). At the general elec-B. Flint's majority was 25

IFAX, Dec. 3.—Corrected rom Yarmouth give Bowman w (liberal) a majority of 848 nas E. Corning. The d a majority in only one dis-the county, that of Ward No town, where he

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unsightly, sometimes ev and certainly very mortifying sufferer. They are merely an of impure, p vitality of the eler tich can be quickly changed by Ferrozone after me anses the blood of all poison tions, makes it rich in red cothat manifest themselves ruddy To have soft skin and good complexion use Ferrozone regularly. Price box, or six boxes for \$2.50, at s, or N. C. Polson & Co., Kingdonsiderable of which land has been under cultivation for two years, many, fuildings and other improvements having been made thereon. This tract is called the SAN SILVERIO EL OBISPO PLANTATION, and on account of its location, its present development and its productiveness it is already known among the Mexicans as "La Suerte de los Gringos" ("The Luck of the Americans.")

It is on the Vera Cruz & Pacific Ry., has its own station-"El Obispo"-only 50 miles from Cordoba and 100 miles from the ocean port of Vera Cruz; freight rate to New York of 1 cent per pound from plantation. The boundary of the entire eastern side of this plantation is the Obispo River, navigable for barges to the ocean port of Alvarado just below Vera Cruz.

The clear title to all this property is held in trust for the security is we of the shareholders by the trustee.

By contract with a thoroughly responsible company the tract will be cleared, 7,000 acres will be planted with rubber trees, 1,000 acres of cocoa, 200 trees guaranteed to mature on each acre, and 1,000 acres will be cultivated with grain, vegetables, tropical fruits, etc., which find a nearby market at good prices.

### because such payments should cover annual outlays and prevent accumulation of idle capital. Ten per cent, of each payment is deposited in trust. with the aforesaid Trust Company to further protect shareholders, and the company guarantees an annual interest of 4 per cent. gold upon all cashword a paid in on account of shares, reckoning from the date of payment of each amount, the interest being payable on January 1 of each year.

In addition to the 4 per cent. gold interest, shareholders will receive dividends from the surplus earnings from the side crops, company's store, etc., also payable on January 1 of each year. The dividend paid for the six months to January 1, 1902, was 7 per cent., or at the rate of 14 per cent. per annum. The interest and dividends will be paid from the actual earnings and not from the 10 per cent. deposit.

The business is managed by responsible and experienced American gentlemen, some of whom own plantations and spend most of each year in Mexico, and the character of the business, the value of the property, and the standing of its managers, are commended by leading financial institutions in both the United States and Mexico.

Every possible safeguard has been adopted to protect all interests of all shareholders and a better investment would be hard to find.

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