

complete statement in this letter, and also every presentation of fact and data contained in the application for loan which Mr. Cralle bears is equally true in every respect.

Altho Florida could not even approach in production even a small proportion of the actual consumption of sugar consumed in the United States even the every acre of land south of Lake Okechobee were under cultivation in this important National staple (I am told that the United States including, the beet sugar industry of the west, the Louisiana and Florida operations, the productions from The Philipines, Hawai, and Puerta Rica only produce---combined---about 17% of the American consumption, thus here is an honest effort after a life time investigation to produce with American labor (now un-employed) and provide homes for many thousand Americans in Florida a National staple which the worlds best sugar engineers and experiance has said and proved to be one of the best areas in the world to grow this important National staple commodity, besides it is but following up the utilizatuon of the expenditure of the eight million dollars by Government on the Okechobee Flood District.

Thanking you in the name of the many thousand who will ultimately be engaged in this industry in Florida to which this is but the opening wedge, as well as in the name of Florida your and my beloved State as well as myself, I am with my highest personal regards,

Sincerely yours,

J.F.Jaudon.