

Home Country

Intransigence is the word this month

"I can't stand winter," said Herb Collins, who had dropped in at the Mule Barn's philosophy counter for a quick

cup. "There's nothing to do." "Get out and enjoy it," suggested Doc. "Go skiing. Go ice fishing. Build

a snowman. Do something. Then you'll feel better."

"I don't think your advice will take," said Dud. "Herb seems to be intransigent on this one."

We all looked at Dud. "You see, he said he couldn't stand winter," Dud continued, "which

shows he has a proclivity for intransigence on that particular subject."

We looked at him some more.

"If he were to take up a winter hobby," he continued, "he could stop being intransigent and enjoy things more."

Even Herb was staring at him now.



Slim Randles

"I usually," said Herb, "enjoy a proclivity in that direction, but winter is pretty boring, so maybe I really should be intransigent on this point."

"Well Herb," said Dud, "even though you might have a proclivity this season for being intransigent on your attitude about winter, you could kinda ease up and consider a hobby. That way you'd be showing a proclivity for transigence."

"Transigence?" said Doc. "I thought those were people who lived under bridges. You might want to look that one up, Dud."

Dud blushed as we laughed.

"Say Dud?" said Steve, the cowboy. "Wasn't proclivity last month's word?"

"Yes," said Dud, "and

I believe I've used it a couple of dozen times already."

"And now this month's word is intransigence, right?" Dud nodded.

"Well then," said Doc, "it looks like you are going to have a proclivity for saying intransigence this month. That's a veritable plethora of proclivity my friend."

Dud pulled out a pencil and grabbed a napkin.

"How do you spell it, Doc?"

"Spell what?"

"Plethora."

We just groaned. Sometimes education can be ugly.

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Tuesday, March 2, 2010
in the Union Shop, Spink, SD. Meeting will be called to order between the hours of 1 and 2 p.m. for the following proposals: elect one supervisor for three year term: one township clerk, one township treasurer, each for one year term and any other business proper to be done when convened.
Given under my hand this Feb. 2010
Gregg Hanson, Clerk

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