

## \$2,272,000,000 IS INCREASE IN INCOME

Reports of \$500,000 to \$1,000,000 Are Made By 178 Persons.

Washington.—The taxable income of the United States increased in 1918 by more than \$2,272,000,000 as compared with 1917, according to income statistics issued by the bureau of internal revenue. Income reported for 1918 amounted to \$16,924,639,355 against \$13,700,000,000 in 1917, though 141 persons filed returns for incomes of \$1,000,000 or more in 1917 and only 67 in 1918.

Personal returns filed during 1918 numbered 4,425,114 and the tax, both normal and surtax, amounted to \$1,127,721,835. The average tax for each individual was \$254.85. As compared with 1917, a growth of 952,234 was shown in the number of returns filed. The increase in the total tax was \$434,228,881.

Returns for incomes of from \$500,000 to \$1,000,000 were filed by 178 persons, while 1,519,928 persons filed returns for income from \$1000 to \$3000. Incomes from \$2000 to \$3000 were shown on 1,496,378 returns, and from \$3000 to \$4000 on 610,995 returns. For incomes of \$5000 to \$10,000, there were 219,356 returns and for incomes of \$10,000 to \$15,000, 99,992 returns. More than 30,000 persons made returns on incomes from \$15,000 to \$20,000, and 16,000 on incomes from \$20,000 to \$25,000, while 9996 persons reported incomes of from \$50,000 to \$100,000, and 2358 made returns for incomes between \$100,000 and \$150,000.

**Republican Lead in House Now 179.**  
Washington.—The unofficial list of members of the next house of representatives, as prepared under the direction of William Tyler Page, clerk of the house, shows that the republicans will have a majority of 179.

**Suffrage Indorsed By Italian Chamber.**  
Rome.—Equal suffrage is an accomplished fact in Italy. The chamber of deputies passed the women's suffrage bill by a large majority.

**Wilson To Get Nobel Prize.**  
Stockholm.—President Wilson will be awarded the Nobel prize for 1920, according to Swedish newspapers.

## OREGON NEWS NOTES OF GENERAL INTEREST

Principal Events of the Week Briefly Sketched for Information of Our Readers.

Lane county's share of the market roads fund will be \$55,000.

The Buehner sawmill at North Bend has resumed cutting after a shut down of several weeks.

Electric contractors and dealers of Oregon will meet in annual convention in Salem December 7.

Miss June Dalton, a student in the Burns high school, has been elected manager of the baseball team.

Ranchers in the southern part of Coos county have petitioned the county court for a bounty of \$75 on coyotes.

A turnip weighing 24 pounds, a sugar beet 28 pounds and a potato 5 1/2 pounds are on exhibition at Cottage Grove.

One of the very oldest of Oregon's citizens, Mrs. Lucretia Jane McKennon, died at La Grande at the age of 98 years.

Fifty men are now employed on road work on the McKenzie highway, and despite the rains, good progress is being made.

Shaw & Burton of Klamath Falls are building a modern sawmill near that city with a capacity of 50,000 feet of lumber a day.

While hunting ducks, Alfred Johnson of South Inlet in Coos county, was shot in the back by a companion who had a 25-35 caliber rifle.

The Baker Improvement club has secured an option on a tract of land in that city and has formulated plans for a park and playground.

The Douglas county farm bureau is holding mass meetings throughout the county in an attempt to increase the membership from 135 to 1000.

More than 4,000,000 eggs have been taken from eastern brook trout at Elk lake. The eggs will be taken to the hatchery on Tumalo creek.

The records show that the money order business transacted at Astoria is the largest of that of any postoffice in Oregon outside of Portland.

Manufactured goods and products of Southern Oregon will be shown at a community fair to be held at Ashland the first week in December.

Two-year-old Ruth Smith died at

Burns as a result of injuries received from falling into a boiler of hot water which was standing on the floor.

Mohair growers of Oregon, through the Oregon Mohair Growers' association, have decided to petition congress to place an import duty on mohair.

Elbert Dyer of Bandou is offering to give 200 acres of land in 10-acre plots, to settlers who will agree to plant and raise berries on the tracts.

Marshfield is planning an aviation field and an auto camp ground for the coming season. The city council has purchased property suitable for both.

Increasing the acreage of the Umatilla national forest to over a million acres, the Wenaha forest will on July 1, 1921, become a part of the Umatilla forest.

Rufus M. Smith, well known pioneer of Polk county, is dead at Monmouth. He crossed the plains in 1853, locating in Polk county, where he had lived ever since.

Two fatal accidents out of a total of 263 industrial casualties were reported to the state industrial accident commission for the week ending November 11.

John B. Yeon of Portland has accepted appointment as a member of the state highway commission, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Simon Benson.

Approximately \$72,000 in prize money was distributed among the stockbreeders of the northwest last week at the Pacific International Livestock exposition in Portland.

The sum of \$35,769 was left in Lane county's market road fund this year to be applied to next year's fund, according to announcement of P. M. Morse, county engineer.

Amendment of state prohibition laws to make them conform with the Volstead act will be asked by the Oregon Anti-Saloon league at the next session of the legislature.

Ten carloads of fine brick have been sent by the Forest Grove Clay Products company to Eugene to be used in the new buildings being put up on the University of Oregon campus.

Bids were opened this week at Klamath Falls for the lease of 12,000 acres of reclaimed land in the Tule lake bed. The highest price in the bidding is said to be \$8.29 an acre.

Daring safe robbers operating in Portland late Saturday night with an old touring car carried away a 500-pound safe containing \$1600 from the home of Ding Wing, wealthy Chinese.

Governor Olcott will leave Salem this week for Harrisburg, Pa., where he will attend the governor's conference. The conference will convene December 1, and will be attended by

**NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS**  
Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting and election of a Board of Directors for one year, of the Crook County National Farm Loan Association, will be held in Prineville, Oregon, at 7:30 P. M., on Tuesday, the 11th day of January, 1921, at the office of L. M. Bechtell in the Crook County Bank Building. All stockholders of the association are urged to be present at this meeting.  
L. M. BECHTELL,  
Secretary-Treasurer.

**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION**  
019606  
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at The Dalles, Oregon, December 14, 1920.  
Notice is hereby given that

MARION F. CARTER, of Prineville, Oregon, who, on Jan. 25, 1918, made Homestead Entry, No. 019606, for Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5E, 6E, 7E, 8E, 9E, NW 1/4, NE 1/4, NE 1/4, Section 18, Township 15 South, Range 1E East, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three-year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Lake M. Bechtell, United States Commissioner, at Prineville, Oregon, on the 8th day of February, 1921.  
Claimant names as witnesses: Frank J. Reif, John R. Brown, Lake M. Reif, Frank J. Reif, Jr., all of Prineville, Oregon.  
E. FRANK WOODCOCK,  
Register.

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**SUMMONS IN FORECLOSURE OF DELINQUENT TAX CERTIFICATE**

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR CROOK COUNTY  
J. S. INNES, Plaintiff

RICHARD MEYER ESTATE, and all the unknown heirs of Richard Meyer, Deceased; also all other persons or parties, unknown, claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in any real estate described in the complaint herein,  
Defendants.

To Richard Meyer Estate, and all the unknown heirs of Richard Meyer, Deceased; also all other persons or parties, unknown, claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in any real estate described in the complaint herein, the above named defendants:

IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON: You are hereby notified that J. S. Innes, the holder of Certificate of Delinquency numbered 249, issued on the 5th day of April, 1919, by the Tax Collector of the County of Crook, State of Oregon, for the amount of Twenty-seven and 45/100 Dollars, the same being the amount then due and delinquent for taxes for the year 1918, together with penalty, interest and costs thereon upon the real property assessed to you, of which you are the owner as appears of record, situated in said County and State, and particularly bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Northwest quarter of Section 22, Township 14, South of Range 14, E. W. M., Crook County, Oregon.  
You are further notified that said J. S. Innes has paid taxes on said premises for prior or subsequent years, with the rate of interest on said amounts as follows:

Year's	Date	Tax	Re-	Am-	Rate
paid		count	count	ount	of Interest
1917	4-5-1919	224		\$22.78	
1918	4-5-1919	1051		\$22.19	
1919	3-26-1920	428		\$26.61	
				\$71.58	

Said Richard Meyer Estate as the owner of the legal title of the above described property as the same appears of record, and each of the other persons above named are hereby further notified that J. S. Innes will apply to the Circuit Court of the County and State aforesaid for a decree foreclosing the lien against the property above described, and mentioned in said certificate. And you are hereby summoned to appear within sixty days after the first publication of this summons, exclusive of the day of said first publication and defend this action or pay the amount due

as above shown, together with costs and accrued interest, and in case of your failure to do so, a decree will be rendered foreclosing the lien of said taxes and costs against the land and premises above named.  
This summons is published by order of the Honorable T. E. J. Duffy, Judge of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Crook and said order was made and dated this 28th day of December, 1920, and the date of the first publication of this summons is the 8th day of December, 1920. All process and papers in this proceeding may be served upon the undersigned residing within the State of Oregon at the address hereafter mentioned.  
DeARMOND & ERSKINE,  
Attorneys for Plaintiff,  
Address: Bend, Oregon.

**NOTICE OF BOND SALE**  
Sealed bids will be received until the hour of 10 o'clock, A. M. on the 15th day of January, 1921, and immediately thereafter publicly opened by the County Court of Crook County, Oregon, at the office of said Court in the County Courthouse in the City of Prineville, Oregon, for the purchase of all or any part of said issue of said bonds of said County issued for the raising of money to fund warrants in the sum of \$100,000, same being in denominations of \$1,000 and \$500 each, the first four bonds of each maturity being for \$500 each and the remaining eight for \$1000 each, numbered from 1 to 120 inclusive, dated December 1, 1920, and maturing serially in numerical order as follows:

\$6,000 five (5) years from date of issue;  
\$7,000 six (6) years from date of issue;  
\$9,000 seven (7) years from date of issue;  
\$11,000 eight (8) years from date of issue;  
\$12,000 nine (9) years from date of issue;  
\$13,000 ten (10) years from date of issue;  
\$14,000 eleven (11) years from date of issue;  
\$15,000 twelve (12) years from date of issue;  
\$13,000 thirteen (13) years from date of issue;  
said bonds to bear interest at not to exceed six per cent (6 percent) per annum, payable semi-annually on June and December first, principal and interest payable in United States gold coin at the Fiscal Agency of the State of Oregon in New York City.

Said bids must be accompanied by a certified check for 5 percent of par value of amount of bonds bid for, and the successful bidder must be

prepared to take delivery within ten days from date of sale.  
The approving legal opinion of Messrs. Teal, Minor & Wintree, of Portland Oregon, will be furnished the successful bidder.  
The Court reserves the right to reject any or all bids.  
ASA W. BATTLES,  
Clerk, Crook County, Oregon.

**NOTICE OF BOND SALE**  
Sealed bids will be received until the hour of 2 o'clock P. M. on the 15th day of January, 1921, and immediately thereafter publicly opened by the County Court of Crook County, Oregon, at the office of said Court in the County Courthouse in the City of Prineville, Oregon, for the purchase of bonds of said County issued for the building of permanent roads therein in the sum of \$100,000, or any portion thereof, same being in denominations of \$1000 each, numbered from 1 upwards dated December 1, 1920 and maturing serially as follows:

\$6,000 five (5) years from date of issue;  
\$7,000 six (6) years from date of issue;  
\$9,000 seven (7) years from date of issue;  
\$11,000 eight (8) years from date of issue;  
\$12,000 nine (9) years from date of issue;  
\$13,000 ten (10) years from date of issue;  
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said bonds to bear interest at not to exceed six per cent (6 percent) per annum, payable semi-annually on June and December first, principal and interest payable in United States gold coin at the Fiscal Agency of the State of Oregon in New York City.

Said bids must be accompanied by a certified check for 5 percent of par value of amount of bonds bid for and must be unconditional.  
The approving legal opinion of Messrs. Teal, Minor & Wintree of Portland, Oregon will be furnished the successful bidder.  
The Court reserves the right to reject any or all bids.  
ASA W. BATTLES,  
County Clerk, Prineville, Ore.

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\$50 overcoats, for.....\$35.00  
\$35 overcoats, for.....\$24.50  
\$30 overcoats, for.....\$21.00  
\$27.50 overcoats, for \$19.25  
\$25.50 overcoats, for \$17.85

### SILK SHIRTS

A splendid assortment of Silk Shirts at reduced prices  
\$13.50 value down to .....\$10  
\$8.50 values for.....\$5.85  
English Flannel Shirts were \$8-50, now reduced to \$6.25

### NECKWEAR

\$1.00 neckwear, for.....65c  
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\$2.00 neckwear, for .....1.25  
\$2.50 neckwear, for.....1.55  
\$3.00 neckwear, for.....2.10  
\$3.50 neckwear, for .....2.45

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\$65 heavy wool suits, \$45.50  
\$62.50 wool suits at \$43.75  
\$55 heavy wool suits, \$38.50  
\$50 heavy wool suits, \$35.00  
\$45 heavy wool suits, \$31.50  
\$40 heavy wool suits, \$28.00  
\$37.50 wool suits at \$26.25  
\$32.50 wool suits, at \$22.25  
\$27.50 wool suits, at \$19.25

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\$9.00 shirts for.....\$6.30  
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\$7.00 shirts for.....\$4.90  
\$6.50 shirt for.....\$4.55  
\$6.00 shirts for.....\$4.20  
\$5.00 shirts for.....\$3.50  
\$4.00 shirts for.....\$2.90

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