

TREBLE RISE IN TAX FOR DAHO DENIED

Upward Trend of Expenses to Be Felt, However.

CAPITAL RESENTS REPORT

Deficit Left by Democrats Will Necessitate Heavier Levy, Declare Administration Officials.

BOISE, Idaho, Aug. 24.—(Special.)—The state capital was in somewhat of an uproar last week over the charge that state taxes are to be trebled for 1920 and 1921. Flat denial is made by the administration headed by Governor D. W. Davis.

It is admitted that before the state board of equalization completes its present task taxes may be raised, but a treble increase is deemed an occasional end has been upward in the matter of state expenses.

Administration Inherits Deficit. The present administration, which is republican in complexion, inherited a deficit of \$1,800,000 from the retiring democratic administration. The party then found itself financially embarrassed by the war and increased expenses with funds insufficient to meet the situation.

Approximately \$2,300,000 must be raised for taxes, in excess of the \$1,222,132.30 raised in 1918. The causes are set forth as follows:

Appropriations for the maintenance of the state government in 1917-18 totaled \$1,800,000. The same amount was made for the biennium by the last legislature totaled \$5,749,665.63, an increase of almost \$2,000,000.

A direct appropriation of \$926,000 annually during the next two years for highways and interest on bonds for the new capital wings and an ad valorem tax on tuberculosis hospitals, together with the interest on \$900,000 worth of highway bonds voted by the legislature in 1917 is responsible for the balance of the taxes to be met this year.

\$1,222,132 Raised in 1918. The state in 1918 raised \$1,222,132.30 in taxes among the property owners and the public utilities in the several counties. This year it must raise a total of approximately \$2,384,198.

The ad valorem tax fixed by the legislature in 1917 for that year and 1918 is \$1,000,000. The ad valorem tax fixed by the last legislature was the same amount in addition to an ad valorem tax for the general fund out of which running expenses are paid.

The present administration found itself confronted with unpaid bills and deficiency warrants amounting to \$1,000,000 when it came into office, said one of the members of the board of equalization.

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Beauregard was rushed to St. Joseph's hospital, but physicians could not save his life. It is said that his last request was that his wife be not prosecuted for her rash act.

The funeral will be held from the Limber chapel at 3 P. M. Tuesday, Vancouver lodge of Elks, No. 823, having charge of the services. The body will be taken to the Portland crematorium. Mr. Beauregard came to Vancouver nearly 25 years ago as a soldier and was discharged here and opened a pawnshop business in which he prospered.

COTTON NEARLY RECOGNIZED

New Economies Necessary to Offset Cost of Production.

NEW YORK.—Europe recognizes the need of a well-organized world association of cotton and textile interests to guide the industry along progressive lines and to point the way informally to real needs, according to Walter Parker, secretary of the New Orleans chamber of commerce, who returned recently from Europe. Mr. Parker acted as vice-president of the delegation of Americans who went to Europe to study cotton trading conditions and to interest European in the world cotton conference to be held in New Orleans in October.

The mission was a success, he said, as it was realized that new economies were necessary to offset the increased cost of production. He announced the governments of England, Belgium, France, Switzerland and Holland would send formal delegations and that independent groups from various cities would attend, also representatives from Egypt and India. Belgium will be the first European country to resume her pre-war footing commercially, in Mr. Parker's opinion. He added that he had suggested to business men of that country that they exchange vegetable oils, crude rubber, and ivory from their Congo colonies for raw cotton from the United States, as such a plan would allow her to resume manufacturing and would also permit her to develop rapidly her rich Congo lands.

LADY HOBO SHOCKS PEOPLE

Genuine Woman Tramp Is Not Unlike Male Variety.

CHILLICOTHE, Mo.—The straight-laced people of this city were given a distinct shock when the newest sort of a woman put in her appearance here. She was a woman tramp and a real gale at that. Her makeup was typical of the real male hobo, but became extinct with the war, but is again making his presence felt at regular intervals. Clothes were tattered and torn bedecked her person, her hair was tousled and unkempt and she was carrying her bundle over her shoulder with a stick just like any old-time "ho."

KING PRAISES GIRL'S SKILL

Royal Party Visits Scientific Products Exhibition.

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BANK RESOURCES GROW

WAR PERIOD SEES GREAT INCREASE IN U. S.

Ten Billions Represents Gain in Six-Year Period Since 1913, Before Conflict Began.

WASHINGTON.—The war period has witnessed the largest increase of banking resources in the national banks ever known in any country. A statement made public by John Skelton Williams, comptroller of the currency, gives in detail a survey of the marvelous growth of banking power in the United States as shown by returns from the national banks in response to the last bank call of May 12, 1919.

The return shows resources of \$20,825,000,000, exceeding by \$78,000,000 resources reported in the call of March 4, 1919, and an increase of \$1,743,000,000, an increase of \$4,000,000,000 over March 4, 1919, and a reduction of \$14,000,000 as compared with the call of December 31, 1918; \$625,000,000 over November 1, 1918, and \$469,000,000 a year ago May 10, 1918.

KANSAS STRIES NEW WHEAT

Home-Grown Variety Is Being Developed to Fill Vast Acreage.

OPERA, Kan.—Kansas should soon have enough of a home-grown variety of wheat to cover all the tremendous acreage of wheat in this state. Kansas is the name of a variety of wheat developed by the Kansas Agricultural college, and the level of the soil, period of years in the development of the wheat, showed that it would produce one to three bushels more per acre than the present standard variety, which is the variety which made Kansas famous. The original seed came from the Crimea, but the Kanred wheat, which is now being raised in the state, is a cross between the Russian and the Canadian wheats with specially selected berries of wheat grown in this state.

GIRTH INCREASES SUSPICIOUS

Young Women in Colorado Attempt to Smuggle Whisky.

The Oregonian Announces for Publication General Ludendorff's Story of the World War

Beginning Sunday, September 7

It Is Not a Defense or Justification of Germany's Crimes

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Ludendorff, arch-Teuton militarist, admits that from 1916 on the German cause was hopeless. He lays bare the impotence and weakness of both the German armies and the imperial statesmen. The Teuton side of the war has been shrouded in mystery and up to the present time, no one who knows has spoken. We know so much of our own side of the great struggle. Germany was so silent about her internal troubles and defeats, always emphasizing her temporary successes that it seemed at times as if the balance of victory was all on her side. But Ludendorff discloses the real condition of Germany just before and during the war. His story will be complete—the history of every battle and campaign.

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T. R. THEORY IS RECALLED

DISCOVERY OF MAN-MONKEY IS SUPPORTED BY NEW FIND.

Roosevelt Description of Ape Is Similar to That Found Recently by Smithsonian Investigator.

WASHINGTON.—Newspaper reports that Professor R. L. Garner of the Smithsonian Institution of Washington, D. C., has found in the French Congo a "man-monkey" or "talking ape," lend interest to a communication sent by the late Theodore Roosevelt to the National Geographic society telling of the pre-human ape man of Java, who lived some 500,000 years ago, and marked an upward stake in the evolution of the human race.

FOOD HARD TO OBTAIN

Even With Money Plenty Italian Housewives Have Great Trouble.

ROME.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press.)—Seven hours of each day of the Italian housekeeper must be devoted to buying food. The problem of the ordinary American housekeeper pales into insignificance even with their troublesome servants when compared to the Italian. Domestic servants' strikes in Italy are chronic.

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