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India Tension Revived
Mother India，land of well－bred British memoirs of well－
隹 sonality more aecute than any since the days of the famous
Matiny of 1859．No Black Holes have yet been dux in Calut． of their livese，but nonetheless current repor＇s indicate ${ }^{2}$ growing tension bearers．
They present trouble，goes back of course to World war maining a crown appanage．The words，well－bred as usual cepted with thanks by the Indians，who in return sent mil pire in Mesopotamia，Africa and in Europe．Like the Arabe
Che Endians believed；but faith moved not the mountain of
Now the ieeming hordes of the hot lands IVing between
the Bay of Bengat and the ehthian ocean are even more enxious than in take pains to point out，they are deepliy yivided socially

 Indian assistance would be this time．Whe it came to

 dish or The worrst anipset of the situation is，however，not so
much the effect it may have on India＇s search for indepen－ dence and autonomy，as the boomerang effect which British
dolicy in Indian may have on Britain itself．The Indians will

 remember in this instance，the events of $1763-1776$ in North

Troubles Enough of Our Own ＂Americans＇minds are too much in Europe，＂said Sen－
ator Rufus Holman in discussing congressional action on the
neutrality issue，incidental to his advocacy of the McNary－for－ neutrality issue，incidental to his advocacy of the McNary－for－
President movement Wednesday night in Portland．Rufus mentioned that there was a big map of Europe on the sen－
ate wall，but no map of the United States．Actually it was
inevitable that some thought be taken of Europe while the inevitable that some thought be taken of Europe while the
neutrality bill was under discussion．But that is now water
over the dam and it is time to turn attention back to Ameri－ can affairs．Agreement with this view may have had some
learing on the speed with which the lower house disposed of he issue．
First and foremost is the issue of the national debt，
Which has recently passed the 45 billion mark and is still lars a year．There．is virtually no possibility of increasing tax－
es，with a campaign year ahead，to overcome this deficit；the only hope is an increased national income sufficient to pro－ dice the needed revere from 67 billion to 90 billion．
inereasing the income
The immediate formula for promoting prosperity，from the governmental angle，would seem to be the removal of tax
irritants，z goal toward which some progress was made in
this year＇s regular congressional session．A substantial bar－ this year＇s regular congressional session．A sumstantial mar－
rier to their total removal is the social security program in－
cluding both old age and unemployment compensation taxes． cluding both old age and unemployment compensatovery pro－
Both of these features become less essential as recover
ceeds，at the same time that they help to retard it，uut there is little prospect of their repeal．The initiation of payments
of old age benefits the first of the year will be of some bene－
fit in There are numerous other problems which have＇been
held in abeyance throughout the neutrality discussion．Some
reader reader may suggest that this was beneficial，since some oi
these problems seem in a fair way to solve themselves bet
ter than the government could solve them．But that inn＇t ter than the government could solve them．But not to
sound promise，because sooner or later the government is go－
ing to tackle them．The present government has almost ex－ ctiy a year to demonstrate whether it can solve them or not
Now is the time for it to tackle the job and either do it or start getting ready to retire next November．
Yes，the political armistice is over，now that neutrality Yut of the way；and it＇s high time．

## Mr．Smith Goes to Washington

The senate of the United States is known as the most ex
sive club in America．It takes a lot of work to get in；once in you＇re settled for six years，most likely longer．Despite the duet themselves，too，somewhecon zs ol odge brothers，fighting
over issues on the floor，fraternizing regardless of party on
on Presumably it was this club，rather then the senate as a
lawmaking body，which toolk violent issine with the Frank apra－directed movie＂Mr．Smitt Goes to Washington．＂Ree
genizing thet it paints an unflattering picture of the senate，
s diffiealt to see how lawmakers who have been through he mill of repeated campaigns could be havee been through fictional
aricaturing of the gingo－n in their looke hall unless mem．
arshit in this club has a way of softening their hides，＂Td Rather Be Right＂lamponed zovernment in gemeral．and
here is inothing sacred when the Gridiron club meets．Per－
haps there．is less offense in that which is plainly labeled as
arce．any rate the senators now know how the press feels
hout the movies＇constant libeling of the newspapermen about the movies＇constant libeling of the newspapermen
The Fourth Estate is blasted as vicionsly in this picture as the
senate，but then the poor scriveners have not so much of dig ity to defend．
Assuming that parole efficiency is gauged by the length f time a convict manages to＂go straight＂after being re iise on the way out，and was promptly returned to duranc

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