


The Tax Problem Although Governor Meier presents no specific tax pro-
gram for the special session to solve financial and relief
problems, he suggests that a general sales tax is unavoidable to raise revenue for state purposes to relieve the state pro the state deficiency at $\$ 4,000,000$, an increase of $\$ 1,000,000$
since he took office, caused, despite economies effected in
administration, by falling off in expected income tax receipts and failure to, by falling off in expected inco year. receipt The plan of the tax commission for a sales tax based
the Mississippi plan, is suggested by the executive, He estimates the number asks a $\$ 500,000$ appropriation for relief purposes, to be linanced by the pruning of the budget, but unless a great many state activipression - this will not balance the budget nor reduce th
deficit materially. We have long been living beyond o
incomes, individuals as well as state and readjustment but there are few incomes to tax, the existing levies ane high
cnough and the people last November voted down an increase. If the income levies were doubled, the needed revenue would
not be forthcoming, for it is not there. Only in times of


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