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SIXTY DOLLARS EACH

"It will cost \$60 apiece for us to run the United States government next year.

That is the way the total of \$6,500,000,000, the anticipated expenditure during the fiscal twelve month, figures out—\$69 for every man, woman and child in the country.

Nobody can escape the tax. It falls unevenly, but surely. The man whose income is so small that he is not assessed by the bureau of internal revenue has to pay, nevertheless, in the form of higher rent or food or some other convenience or commodity."—Providence Journal.

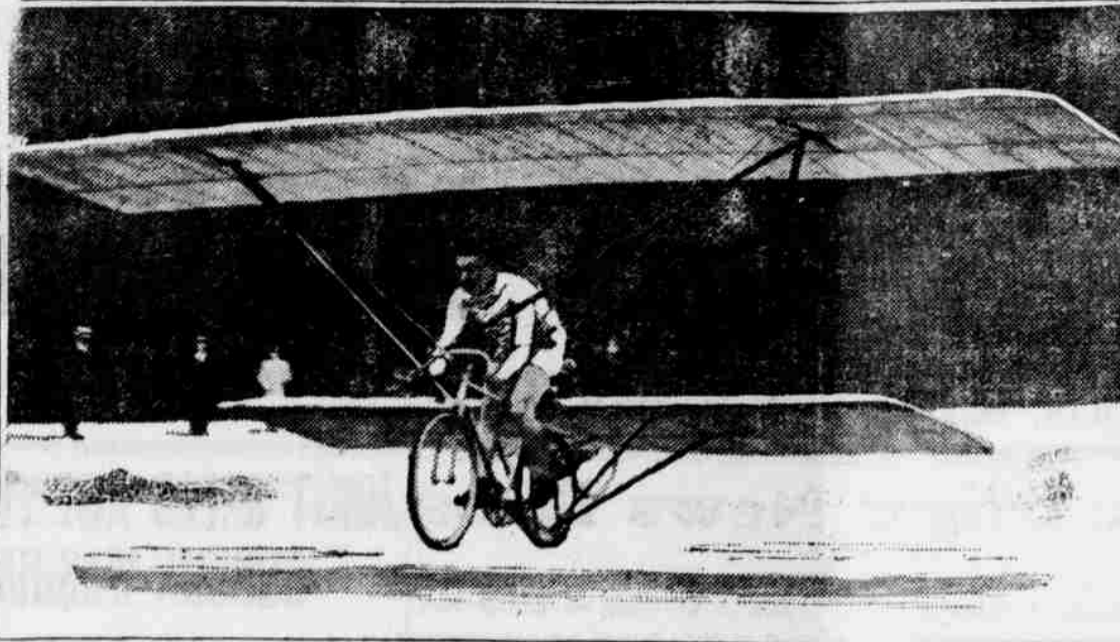
Add city, country and state taxes to this and then figure your tax bill. And yet private industry is criticised for organizing to try and curb the rapacity of the tax boosters and official spender.

**BEEKEEPING IS DEVELOPING**

Beekeeping as an occupation is rapidly developing in Oregon. Large commercial apiaries are increasing in size in the irrigated sections of eastern Oregon, in the fire-weed sections of southern Oregon, and in the alkali sections of the Willamette valley.

Many beekeepers have incomes of from \$1,500 to \$4,000 while some have an income from their apiaries which is more than \$10,000. The present production of honey in Oregon is nearly 1,000,000 pounds. Bee pasture is being constantly increased, due to larger areas coming under irrigation.

**FRENCHMAN WINS PRIZE BY FLYING IN LEG PROPELLED PLANE**



M. G. Poulain, champion French cyclist, has won the honor of being the first man ever to fly. For this feat, he has been awarded a prize of 10,000 francs. On a leg-propelled cycleplane he hopped off the ground in a Paris exhibition the other day, raised three feet from the ground and flew a distance of 35 feet—just far enough to win the prize which has been offered so long.

Due to larger areas coming under irrigation.

Demand for men trained in beekeeping is urgent. The department of entomology of the Oregon Agricultural college has received requests from commercial horticulturists for men trained in horticulture and beekeeping to take charge of their orchards and bees. Large commercial apiaries are also looking for men experienced in beekeeping to manage their apiaries.

**THE GROWING TAX BURDEN**

Back in the days of the Boston tea party, the term taxation held an ugly meaning for the American people.

One hundred and forty-five years later the term taxation is again arousing general public discussion.

Every state and every individual is feeling more and more the heavy hand of the tax-gatherer.

Illustrating the enormous tax burdens of the people, the American National bank of San Francisco has just published a remarkable comparison of cash taken by the various tax-gatherers from people in California for the year ending June 30, 1920, compared with revenues derived from leading crops for 1919 as published in the annual report of

**MAKES RAIN FOR \$3,000 PER INCH**



Millions of dollars have been spent in the last few years on the perfection of irrigation, which, up until the present time, was the only solution to crop production in arid sections. But science is always solving these problems in other ways, as in the case of Chas. M. Hatfield, the "Rain Wizard," who claims to have perfected a chemical apparatus whereby rain clouds are attracted and caused to drop their wealth of rain drops. Mr. Hatfield has practiced his secret system for 22 years with much success, charging from \$1000 to \$3000 an inch for rain. Only recently he is credited with a cloudburst in the northwest. Press reports did not state whether or not he was paid at the above rate.

the San Francisco Chamber of Commerce.

"Taxes collected by the state, mainly from corporations .....\$23,014,675  
Approximately equal in value to the total crop of  
Apricots .....\$13,200,000  
Cherries ..... 1,860,000  
Plums ..... 2,580,000  
Pears ..... 2,500,000  
Olives ..... 2,800,000

\$22,940,000

"Taxes collected by municipalities .....\$46,062,556  
Approximately equal in value to the total crop of  
Apples .....\$12,528,000  
Pears ..... 8,100,000  
Peaches ..... 26,400,000

\$47,028,000

"General property tax, collected by counties .....\$59,968,561  
Approximately equal in value to the total crop of  
Oranges .....\$48,169,000  
Lemons ..... 12,744,000

\$60,913,000

"Special and district taxes, collected by counties .....\$28,278,760  
A little less in value than the total crop of  
Prunes .....\$31,200,000

"Federal taxes of all kinds, chiefly income and excess profits taxes .....\$179,267,565  
Approximately equal in value to the total crop of  
Hay .....\$75,680,000  
Barley ..... 42,300,000  
Wheat ..... 33,323,000  
Rice ..... 21,042,000  
Oats ..... 5,040,000

\$177,385,000

"Total taxes of all kinds collected in year .....\$336,592,117  
"The population of California, by the last census, was 3,426,861, and the tax burden averages \$98 per annum for each man, woman and child. In other words it costs the average family of five persons nearly \$500 a year to be governed." The figures apply with equal force to several western states.

Is it any wonder there is general dissatisfaction with the tax bill and a growing demand for tax reduction?

**HE LEADS BATSMAN IN BIG LEAGUES**



St. Louis ball teams may never win a pennant but the fans do not hesitate to boast of their two star hitters. Last year, George Sisler, of the Browns, lead both big league batters in hitting—but this year it is Roger Hornsby, of the Cardinals, who is out in front.

**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION**

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
U. S. LAND OFFICE AT THE DALLES, ORE., July 1st, 1921.

NOTICE is hereby given that William Albert Price, of Boardman, Oregon, who, on August 2nd, 1916, made homestead entry, No. 016333, for W 1/2 SE 1/4 NW 1/4, W 1/2 NE 1/4 NW 1/4 (Unit B), section 20, township 4N, range 25E, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make five year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before C. G. Blayden, U. S. Commissioner, at Boardman, Oregon, on the 12th day of August, 1921.

Claimant names as witnesses:  
Sam Boardman, of Boardman, Ore.  
W. N. Hatch, of Boardman, Ore.  
Frank Partlow, of Boardman, Ore.  
Paul Partlow, of Boardman, Ore.  
H. FRANK WOODCOCK,  
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Boardman, Oregon

CONDENSED STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF ARLINGTON NATIONAL BANK ARLINGTON, OREGON At the Close of Business on June 30, 1921.

| RESOURCES   | LIABILITIES                                   |
|---|---|
| Loans and Discounts.....\$309,358.05              | Capital Stock .....\$ 25,000.00               |
| Bonds, Stocks and Warrants ..... 76,370.02        | Surplus and Undivided Profits ..... 58,017.93 |
| Furniture & Fixtures ..... 1,495.00               | Reserve for Depreciation ..... 12,500.00      |
| Other Real Estate ..... 30,470.00                 | Due to Banks ..... 1,038.23                   |
| Cash and Due from Banks ..... 41,393.83           | Deposits ..... 218,655.00                     |
| Interest Earned and not Collected ..... 13,337.99 | Bills Payable ..... 19,903.07                 |
|   | Rediscounts with Fed. Reserve Bank 137,310.66 |
| \$472,424.89                                      | \$472,424.89                                  |

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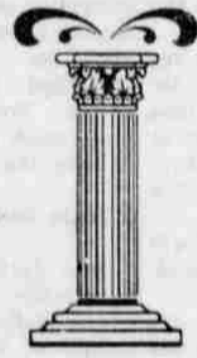
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