

HULL DEBATES INCOME TAX

WASHINGTON, April 26.—Representative Hull of Tennessee, the democratic income tax expert, today discussed the proposed income tax in the house.

"Under the present system of taxation," said Representative Hull, "the poor man with a large family pays more than the rich man with a small family. Consequently it may be expected that a wealthy man, who is too unpatriotic to pay taxes, will vigorously oppose the income tax."

CANADIAN PACIFIC FEATURE OF MARKET

NEW YORK, April 26.—Canadian Pacific advanced 1 1/2 points on the market today and featured the opening trading. North Western, Chesapeake & Ohio and Rumley established new low records. A flood of selling orders depressed many of the representative stocks one to two points.

Selling was heavier than for some time past, but tapered off before the close. The market closed dull and unsteady.

EVELYN TRIES ABSOLUTE LIFE AT PENITENTIARY

CHICAGO, April 26.—To begin his indeterminate sentence for the abduction of Mildred Bridges of this city, Evelyn Arthur See leader of the "Absolute Life" cult was taken to the penitentiary today.

REDUCED RATES FOR CITIZENSHIP CONFERENCE

PORTLAND, Ore., April 26.—Following a meeting of the North Pacific passenger agents' association here it was announced today that railroads in the northwest would grant a rate of a fare and a third for the round trip from all points in Washington, Oregon, Idaho and British Columbia to the World's Christian Citizenship Conference to be held in Portland June 26 to July 5.

MAUDE ADAMS TO OPEN PAGE THEATRE

Messrs. Fuson and Gordon, managers, announce the opening of the Page theater on May 19, with Maude Adams in "Peter Pan" as the first attraction.

The advance sale will begin Monday, April 28, at 9 o'clock, at the temporary office at the corner of Main and Riverside, where the box sheet will be displayed to facilitate the choice of boxes and seats.

TY COBB PERMITTED TO PLAY SUNDAY

DETROIT, Mich., April 26.—Under a special ruling of Ban Johnson, president of the American league, Ty Cobb, the sensational batsman, who signed a Detroit contract yesterday, after holding out for a salary of \$15,000, will be permitted to play baseball at once. Cobb's suspension for failure to report for duty at the opening of the season. The national commission, at Cincinnati, announced this afternoon it would pass on Cobb's case next Wednesday.

Manager Jennings announced that Cobb would play tomorrow, today's Cleveland-Detroit game having been postponed on account of rain.

TWIRLER JOHNSON DECIDES TO WED

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., April 26.—Walter Johnson, the famous twirler of the Washington Americans, is about to marry Miss Anna B. Scully, 19 years old, of Cambridge. He has asked for a two weeks vacation following his team's series with the Boston Red Sox next week. Miss Scully is an ardent baseball fan.

Metschan's Brother Dead.

PORTLAND, Ore., April 26.—Maximilian Metschan of Tacoma, brother of Phil Metschan of Portland is dead today here from heart failure. He was stricken on the street. Metschan was here on a visit. Interment will take place at Tacoma.

BIXBY TO AID IN VICE PROBE

LOS ANGELES, Cal., April 26.—Assured by Oscar Lawler, former special assistant to the United States attorney general, that George H. Bixby will appear before them Monday, the members of the grand jury investigating vice conditions here rested today, their inquiry being carried over until Monday morning. At the same time, process servers are searching for additional witnesses as the result of revelations said to have been made in the jury chamber late yesterday.

Bixby who is a millionaire banker of Long Beach, has decided to aid the grand jury in any way possible, according to a signed statement given out by Lawler, who is his personal friend. The statement refers directly to "efforts from certain sources to subject him to blackmail." It explains Bixby's disappearance by stating that the millionaire understood that the case of Mrs. Josie Rosenberg, alleged procuress, in which he was subpoenaed as a witness, was to have been postponed last Wednesday when it was scheduled.

VIEWS ON WHITE SLAVERY

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prived of all wholesome amusement or recreation. All work and no play—and very ill paid work to boot—is as bad for Jill as it is for Jack, and it makes life dull and dreary. Let this go on for months or years—is it not natural that a girl should be discouraged? With discouragement is there not danger that the discouragement shall become despair and then temptation is easier to meet.

Is there not danger in anything which keeps a working people—men or women—constantly distressed? Take the case of a girl who can find no normal outlet for that within her which cries out for expression; who wants all of the normal things a young girl ought to want, and yet cannot get them. Is it not a fact that an abnormal means of expression, at first regarding with shrinking, may in time become less repulsive and in the end be accepted?

Low Wages Not Sole Cause.

One must distinguish between direct and indirect causes. Low wages is not the cause in this instance. Yet sometimes they are coincident with conditions which give bad causes a chance to do evil work.

What we want to do is to create conditions, partly by wages and partly by other things, to strengthen them the environments which let the forces which lift up have play and to destroy the conditions under which the forces which drag down have play.

It does not alter the facts to say that many girls under hard conditions resist the downward drag. That does the girl honor because it shows her character is stronger than the drag. But the drag is there and it may destroy a weaker sister. What we want to do is to take away the drag.

Employers here and there are recognizing the principle of a minimum wage for women and men yet, were the principle of the minimum wage to be extended to universal practical application, how many of our boys and girls are trained in any class of work to make the minimum wage plan possible?

We must not put our girls untaught out into the world in the work of self support under conditions which tend to moral overstrain.

Died.

W. S. REESE.—Died at Table Rock April 25, of cancer of the stomach. Born in Georgia in February, 1850. Married Alice Whitesack in 1873. Following her death in 1888 he moved west and married Agnes Finkler. Funeral will be held Sunday morning under auspices of M. W. A. Burial at Central Point.

MISS FAY SEARS AND O. G. MURRY TO WED

Miss Fay Sears, who has been secretary of the Medford Commercial club during the past few months and O. G. Murry, draughtsman for the Pacific & Eastern railroad company, will be married tomorrow at Eugene. They will make their home at Olympia Wash, where Mr. Murry has accepted a position in the state land office. Both have a host of friends in the city who wish them all future happiness.

LOVING CUP GIVEN TO BUD ANDERSON

VANCOUVER, Wash., April 26.—Bud Anderson, the Medford lightweight boxer, is the proud possessor today of a large loving cup of sterling silver, lined with gold, given him by his friends and admirers here. The presentation was made in a local theater and for once in Bud's life he was speechless.

TEST ALASKA COAL FOR USE IN BATTLESHIPS

SEATTLE, Wash., April 26.—En route to Controller Bay, Alaska, today on the steamer Yukon, is a party of eight seamen in charge of Passed Assistant Surgeon J. O. Downey, who will bring to tidewater the eight hundred tons of coal from the Cunningham claim. This coal is to be tested by the navy department and is the result is satisfactory congress will be asked to let the navy mine its own coal instead of buying it. Two sternwheel steamboats, and scows on which the coal will be transported down the river will be taken north today on the steamer Jeanie.

Duchess in Serious Condition.

LONDON, April 26.—Following her recent operation for appendicitis, the Duchess of Connaught, wife of the governor general of Canada is in a serious condition here today.

PAVING PLANT WILL REACH MEDFORD SUNDAY

The paving plant of the Clark & Henry Construction company which is to be used in paving the Bear creek bridge and another work under contract in the city, has been shipped from Stockton, Cal., and will arrive here Sunday or Monday. Work will be under way by May 1. The Bear creek bridge will be completed by May 15.

PERRY, BELMONT TO BE SENT PHILIPPINES

WASHINGTON, April 26.—New York democrats today are urging the appointment of Perry Belmont as governor general of the Philippines and it is known that Belmont desires the appointment. Mrs. Belmont, formerly Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt, wants her husband named ambassador to France.

MARTIN TO BE COLONEL OF THIRD OREGON N. G.

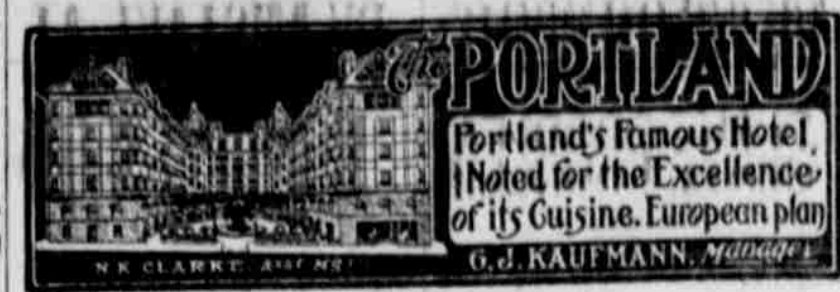
WASHINGTON, April 26.—If there are no inhibitions against his detail contained in the laws of Oregon, Major C. H. Martin of the general staff of the army, now stationed at the war college in Washington has today announced his willingness to accept the colonelcy of the Third Regiment, Oregon National Guard. Major Martin, who for some time was stationed at Vancouver Barracks, and is well known in Portland, was offered the command through Adjutant General Finzer of the Oregon National Guard.

JOHN MACKEY, TURFMAN DEAD AT HAGGIN'S HOME

NEW YORK, April 26.—John Mackey, veteran turfman and breeder of Sacramento, Cal., and New York is dead here today at the home of James B. Haggin, the noted Sheephead Bay horse owner. Mackey was Haggin's adviser for forty years. He moved here from Sacramento in 1910.

Here—everywhere—in the frozen north—in the fever ridden swamps of the tropics they look to me for aid. To the invalid, the convalescent, the old, the infirm, I give real helpful service. A little of me goes a long way.

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Christian Science and Hinduism

The unequivocal statement in your issue of April 21st that Dr. Calkins in his Sunday evening address "surprised many of his listeners by showing that Christian Science and Hinduism rest on the same subtle teaching," would, if it were correct, be more than a surprise to many of your readers, it would be a distinct shock. However it is plainly evident that the learned doctor has unwittingly placed himself in that class of critics who deem it their duty to attack Christian Science without first informing themselves upon the subject of which they would treat. It is not a difficult matter to attack what one may believe to be Christian Science, but is far more difficult, indeed—at the risk of trespassing upon the critic's patience—I would say it is impossible to attack Christian Science, even as it is impossible for mistaken belief to attack truth, for it is "bulked upon a rock."

It is not uncommon for those uninformed upon the teachings of Mrs. Eddy to assume because she denies the reality of matter that her philosophy is in agreement with many ancient and modern philosophers who have declared that matter is but a phenomenon of mind, or energy. Such was the theory advanced not only by the Hindus' Brahma, but by Plato, and in recent times by Berkeley. What the critic in its teaching which puts it entirely beyond the realm of comparison with Hinduism is that it not only denies the existence of matter but it points the way to the proof of this teaching by exposing the seeming cause of matter to be false belief, which in turn can be destroyed by the understanding of God as mind the only cause in the universe which expresses Him. It was this understanding of God as mind, spirit, and of spiritual causation which enabled Jesus to do the works of healing, raise the dead, and walk on the sea in contravention of the so-called material laws. It is this self-same knowledge of God that is making possible the healing and purifying work of Christian Science in this age and adding indisputable proof to the verity of Jesus' simple but powerful declaration, "Ye shall know the truth and the truth shall make you free," thus pointing the way through an un-

derstanding of absolute truth for man to free himself from the bondage of material belief and its accompanying woes. The atheism of Brahma starting with the premise of one absolute all-embracing spirit but soon losing its monotheism in lesser deities and intermediary causes finally resulting in the material creation, at first denied, has of course no common basis with the teachings of Jesus who broke material laws and proved that what men had believed to be law and substance was neither lawful nor substantial, but simply a false belief of life as resident in matter. The empty philosophical denial of matter as expressed in the Vedanta of the Hindus has never served to liberate men from the baneful effects of false material beliefs described by Paul as the carnal mind which he declared to be at "enmity against God." Only in the way made plain in the New Testament and worked out in this age by Christian Science can this materialistic ban be obliterated, even by letting that mind be in us which was also in Christ Jesus, so eliminating with the conscious understanding of spiritual reality the material and mortal phenomena born in ignorance and fear. The stand which Jesus took against material law at the beginning of the Christian era was radical and extreme and for it he was hated and despised of the materially minded. In the present day Christian Science is re-establishing the original Christ teachings and proving their truth by works. Demonstrable science cannot be shaken. Truth cannot be overturned. Sooner or later all men must come to recognize the one immanent, omnipresent, God, Spirit, who health their sickness and destroys their sin—their false material beliefs—even in proportion to their understanding of Him. Then will be understood better than at present the statement of Mrs. Eddy on page 12 of her article Christian Science Versus Pantheism—"The Science of Christianity is strictly monotheism—it has One God." And the statement from page 13 of the same article, "Science is not pantheism, but Christian Science."

PAUL STARK SEELEY. Portland, April 25.

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