

They'll Do It Every Time By Jimmy Hatlo

I'M THINKING OF BUYING A FLEAGLE V-8, RANCID—I JUST GOT THE BROCHURE OF THE NEW MODELS—WHAT DO YOU THINK OF IT?

LISTEN TO THE FINANCIAL EXPERT—HE CAN'T AFFORD TO RENT A THREE-WHEEL BIKE LET ALONE A GAS HEAD—

YEAH—HE SAYS A BIG-SHOT PAL OF HIS ALWAYS RENTS HIS CARS—RANCID WALKS, SO HE MUST OWE FOR HIS SCOTCH GRAINS—

I'M NOT BURNIN' ONE—I'M RENTIN'—IF ANY-THING GOES WRONG, THEY GOTTA GIVE YOU A NEW CAR— YOU GOT NO UPKEEP—

HE LAUGHS IF ANYBODY PAYS CASH FOR ANYTHING— BUT WAIT TILL HIS CREDIT CARDS COME HOME TO ROOST—

SPEAKING OF UPKEEP— HE KEEPS THE LOAN COMPANIES UP NIGHTS TRACKING HIM DOWN—

GETTING THE INSIDE ON MODERN ECONOMICS FROM THE OFFICE CUFF EXPERT—

THANK AND A TIP OF THE HATLO HAT TO DAN HARRINGTON, DALLAS, TEX.

Burglars Bypass Thief-Proof Lock

Toronto—They put a "thief-proof" lock on the window of the business office of a hospital here, but the lock apparently wasn't locked. A thief entered through the window, smashed a cash box and made off with \$640. The lock wasn't damaged.

The most important exports of New Zealand are butter, cheese and meat.

Cyclist Takes Fire To Proper Place

Van Buren, Me. — Fred Ashley used his head when sparks from his cigarette ignited his clothes while he was riding a motorcycle. The cyclist headed directly to the Van Buren fire station, where he tossed off his flaming jacket and startled firefighters helped him beat out the flames burning other parts of his attire.

16 in Her Auto Costs Woman Fine

Sterling, Colo. — Dorothy Barke was just being neighborly and driving the children to school but it cost her a \$10 traffic fine. The judge said 16, six and 8-year-old passengers, plus driver, constituted an overloaded sedan.

So delicately balanced are some modern scales that they will register the weight of a human hair.

SOC Students Urged to Study Proposal to Cut Income Tax

Ashland—Willis E. Stone, author of a proposal to abolish federal income taxes, told an audience of Southern Oregon college students Wednesday morning that the 16th (income tax) amendment "broke the back of the Constitution."

"But don't take my word for it," Stone said. "Get the facts—that's what you're in school for."

Stone's proposal, which has been introduced into Congress as House Joint Resolution No. 23, would not only abolish federal income taxes but would prohibit the government from competing with private enterprise.

Spending Level Is Where Tax Cut to Start, Stone Says

If this country's tax bill is to be cut, it must be done at the spending level by cutting the cost of government, Willis E. Stone, Los Angeles, declared yesterday in a talk to members of the Medford Kiwanis club.

Stone, chairman of the National Committee for Economic Freedom, stated that the cornerstone of the problem is the restoration of constitutional protection for private enterprise. He seeks this end through a proposed 23rd amendment which would forbid the federal government from competing with private enterprise and would repeal the 16th (income tax) amendment.

"As cost of government goes down, so do taxes," Stone emphasized.

Predicts New Power

Stone predicted new economic purchasing power by taking government out of competition with its citizens putting it in its place as a moderator. Such action, he maintained would restore to government the affection of its citizens.

The speaker, president of the American Progress foundation, asserted that the 16th amendment broke down the power of the states and that with it the federal government began to expand all out of shape. He said that the appeal of the income tax was not for the "needs" of the government but for its "wants" and that the revenue from the tax did not reduce the cost of government but ballooned it. "We are almost a trillion dollars in debt," according to Stone.

Stone mentioned the idea of the income tax as soaking the rich but brought out that "60 per cent of the tax hits the little guy."

Not Spelled Out

The government of the United States was predetermined to be limited but limitations were not spelled out in the Constitution so the first 10 amendments, the "Bill of Rights," resulted, Stone stated. He pointed out that economic freedom has not been so defensible as freedoms listed specifically in the Bill of Rights. Stone described the 23rd amendment proposal as a means of clarifying and repairing the principles of the Constitution.

Stone spoke of the "enormous expansion of federal government into fields it has

would abrogate this amendment.

"Section 3. The activities of the U.S. Government which violate the intent and purpose of this amendment shall, within a period of three years from the date of the ratification of this amendment, be liquidated and the properties and facilities affected shall be sold.

"Section 4. Three years after ratification of this amendment the sixteenth article of amendments to the Constitution of the United States shall stand repealed and thereafter Congress shall not levy taxes on personal incomes, estates and/or gifts."

The proposed amendment already has been approved by two states, Wyoming and Texas.

Committee Chairman

Stone spoke at SOC under the auspices of the Volunteers for Constitutional Government of Oregon, Inc. He is chairman of the National Committee for Economic Freedom, president of the American Progress Foundation and is affiliated with the Organization to Repeal Federal Income Taxes, Inc.

Instrument to Detect Oil Near Perfection

San Francisco (Science Service) — An instrument that may distinguish between oil and water and that can give the underground location of petroleum deposits is on the "threshold" of perfection. Scientists at Standard Oil Company of California say the instrument will enable oil engineers to gauge the potential deposit more accurately, thus taking some of the guess out of oil prospecting. Conceivably, the instrument may even ferret out producing zones that have gone undetected so far. Called the Nuclear Magnetism Log, it already has accurately measured depths of potentially productive oil formations. The instrument is housed in a tubular casing and lowered into a well on a long wire cable.

In 1840 New Orleans was the nation's fourth largest and second only to New York as a major port.

New Television Tube Features Long Life

Elmira, N. Y., (Science Service) — A new tube for television cameras has been developed that doubles the life expectancy of any now in use and will bring significant reductions in operating costs for television stations. The improved image orthicon tube, developed here by the Westinghouse electronic tube division, is the heart of the TV camera that picks up optical images and translates them into electrical signals for broadcasting. It has a guaranteed operating life of 1,000 hours, compared with the 500-hour warranty offered on present orthicon types.

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Lung Cancer More Prevalent

Philadelphia — (Science Service) — The incidence of lung cancer is now twice as great among middle-aged men as tuberculosis is. Once a leading killer, TB is curable in a majority of cases, while lung cancer is rarely cured. This was indicated by a long-term study by Drs. Katherine R. Boucot and David A. Cooper of the Philadelphia Pulmonary Neoplasia Research Project.

Six years ago 6,137 men over 45 agreed to have annual or semi-annual chest X-rays and to answer questions about symptoms of lung disease. Because only about five per cent of lung cancer patients survive five years, the researchers hoped to detect lung cancer at the earliest possible stage and determine whether in these early cases they could increase the present low cure rates.

During an average period of six years, 31 men developed lung cancer. Over the same period, 16 men developed tuberculosis, and an additional eight former TB patients showed reactivation of the disease.

Kentucky Chef Deal In Real Hot Stuff

Covington, Ky.—There's a chef here who really deals in hot stuff. Sheriff's deputies said he traded off a hot car for another vehicle, using a hot check for \$1,365 to pay the difference.

Appleton, Wis.—UPD—James Von Boxel, 20, told the judge the reason he was going 40 miles an hour in a 20 mile zone was that he wanted to get home with two pizza pies before they got cold. He was fined \$15 and costs.

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