

In the Days News
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Pending in the congress in these final hectic days of the 1960 political campaign year session is a house bill to provide \$1,300,000,000 to be spent over a four-year period exclusively for school CONSTRUCTION (no salaries to be included) and allocated to the states on the basis of each state's school-age population as determined by the 1960 census.

That is to say:
If the bill should become law, the federal government would chip in with the states on a match-money basis to BUILD SCHOOLS. These federal match-money appropriations are called grants in aid. They track back in theory to 1836, when the federal governments discovered it had a 28 million dollar SURPLUS, with no pressing debts, and solved the problem of what to do with it by distributing it to the then 24 states.

OUT of this precedent grew a grants-in-aid program that in 1959 cost about six and a half billion dollars. By 1961, it is expected to reach a total of about 7.1 billions.
It started with public land gifts for endowment, support and maintenance of land grant colleges. The federal aid roads act came along in 1916. Public health grants in aid started in 1935. Among the more recent grants in aid is that for what is called urban renewal, under which the federal government contributes a part of the cost of tearing down old business and residential areas in towns and cities and building new ones in their place.

The bulk of the growth in federal aid grants has come since 1930, when the total was only 107 million dollars. By 1940, it had grown to 645 millions. By 1950 it was a quarter BILLIONS. By 1959, it had risen to six and a half billions.

LET'S not say these things are necessarily bad. They are not.

The point to keep in mind is that THEY DON'T COME FOR FREE. The money that our kind old Uncle showers down on his children in the states doesn't grow on trees. It doesn't fall as manna from heaven.

It comes out of the POCKETS OF THE TAXPAYERS—as you are painfully aware if you scan carefully each week the DEDUCTIONS that are taken out of your paycheck for taxes — both federal and state.

GETTING back to this federal aid school construction bill...

Suppose your school district needs a new school building. Suppose your wonderful old Uncle come across and tells you: "If you'll put up part of it, I'LL PUT UP THE REST." It will sound almost too good to be true.

As a matter of fact—It IS too good to be true, for after having contributed to the building of the new school your district needs Uncle will REACH INTO YOUR POCKET and take out your share of the taxes needed to pay for his contribution.

THERE'S another curious angle to it.

In this federal "gift" business, Oregon gets off pretty well. For each dollar it receives in federal aid grants it pays back in the form of federal taxes only 88 cents. It's quite different in California—where each dollar of federal aid COSTS \$1.08.
According to Tax Foundation, Inc., grants in aid payments to Oregon in 1959 came to 36.2 million dollars and Oregon's share of the tax burden resulting from these gifts came to only 31.9 millions. In the same fiscal year, California got only \$356.2 millions in gifts and for these gifts had to pay back to Uncle \$384.9 millions in federal taxes.

Shears Can Hurt Peach Tree Growth

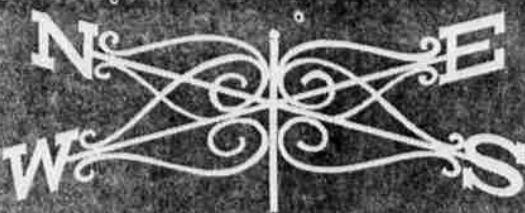
Geneva, N.Y.—Peach growers take heed. Don't use the pruning shears too freely on peaches.

That's the advice of John C. Cain, pomologist at the New York State Agricultural Experiment station at Cornell University.

The chief objective in pruning peaches should be to shape the tree for a strong framework, to limit its height, and at the same time to preserve as much leaf area as possible. Cain said.
For any set of soil and climatic conditions, "growing leaves are the first requirement for fruit production since they are the only source of energy food for both fruit and tree growth," he added.

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