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LAW AGAINST TAXLESS SECURITIES

THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES has come slightly short of the two-thirds majority needed to endorse the constitutional amendment forbidding tax-exempt securities.

Meanwhile there is a strong sentiment in both houses of congress for abolishing these notorious exemptions, and a still stronger sentiment throughout the country.

There will be effective action of that sort sooner or later, unquestionably, in some form or other.

It is pointed out once more that as matters stand, congress is not necessarily helpless. By the sixteenth amendment, on which all federal income tax legislation is based, congress is empowered to tax incomes.

At any rate, congress might incorporate in the pending income tax revision act a clause making the act apply uniformly to all securities issued hereafter.

INTERNATIONAL LECTURES

A BILL introduced in congress by a Massachusetts representative would make it necessary for all non-resident aliens coming to the United States to deliver lectures or write articles dealing with American institutions and policies to register at ports of entry.

"No person or country," says the author of the bill, "need take umbrage at a requirement that all alike place their cards, face up, upon the table."

The foreign lecture business, it will be readily admitted, has been overdone in this country of late. Americans, perhaps, have been over-tolerant of foreign criticisms.

Besides, it would interfere with both the gaiety and the instruction of nations to discourage honest comment from foreigners.

"Oregon's New Triplets—Coos, Josephine and Douglas." Such a combination is truly hard to beat and these three counties, with the addition of Jackson, Klamath and Curry may some day form the backbone of Oregon.

The matter of the sale of the Marion Star has been drawn into the oil scandal. It is certainly a matter for investigation if a newspaper man gets what he thinks his newspaper is worth.

FIRST ROBINS



The Office Cat



"Gosh, what an awful strain," said the critic, as he listened to a new song. If you don't think clothes make the man, says Bill Gamong, just try going without them.

DAN DOBB SAYS

The only thing certain about this weather is its uncertainty. Memo to Washington: An investigation a day keeps confidence away. French riot guns are speaking German again. Needles and pins, needles and pins, when a man's elected his trouble begins.

The Finishing Touches

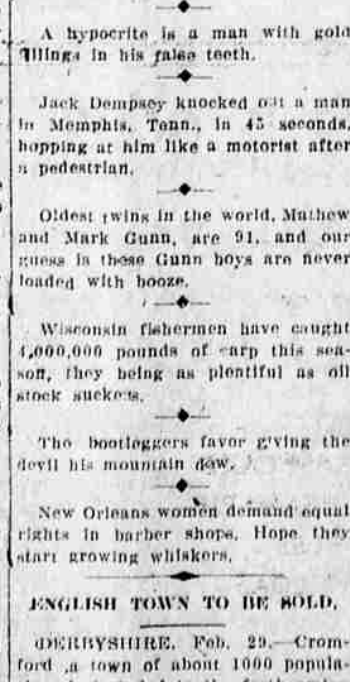
"My Dear, I think your daughter recites remarkably well, don't you?" "Yes, all she needs is a short course in elocution, to finish her off, as you might say."

FASHIONS



A practical case like this one becomes an invaluable possession in any wardrobe. It has an expanding pocketful of soft material and a handy yoke that gives the expansion of the case so desirable for your.

Service



Service and style put together in this suit that long he worn to town or country, morning or afternoon. Notice that the magnet vest is of the same material as the skirt. The coat is of blue chambray.

NEWS OF THE KLAMATH COUNTRY

CHILOOUIN

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Heldrich and Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Balfour returned to Chilouin Tuesday afternoon after a three week trip to points in California.

T. J. Spook, who recently sold his property to Mrs. Nancy Cannon, is building a house just west of the railroad track, near the Shell Oil plant.

Henry Shadley, who has been in Klamath Falls for the last several weeks on account of blood poisoning in his hand, is improved and returned to his home here today.

Miss Helen Cowgill, state leader of the girls' clubs in Oregon, gave a very interesting talk at the school-house Monday morning.

Miss Helen Cowgill, state club leader for girls, and Frank Sexton, county club leader, visited the Merrill schools Monday and gave a talk to the various clubs.

The Ladies' Aid of the First Presbyterian church gave a dinner at the church last evening Wednesday evening.

Among those attending the sale at Midland Thursday were C. G. Merrill, George W. Offield, J. N. Taylor and H. E. Tolle.

MERRILL

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Faur and family were Klamath Falls visitors Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Van Schvick spent Friday in Klamath Falls shopping.

The W. C. T. U. will meet Thursday afternoon with Mrs. C. G. Hulet.

Miss Maud M. Carleton of Klamath Falls spent the week end at the home of her brother, G. H. Carleton, returning to Klamath Falls Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Bowman and family have returned to their home in Central Point after a visit with relatives in Merrill.

A surprise party was given Kenneth Colwell at the home of his parents, Saturday evening, the occasion being his 17th birthday.

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U. S. EXTENDING TRADE TO CHILI

HAVRE, Feb. 28.—The ministry of agriculture is concerned about the heavy buying of nitrate in Chili by the United States.

Before the war the European countries were the big buyers of Chilean nitrate, and the American market then was unimportant.

The Americans have become large purchasers on account of the intense development of their agriculture.

Last August the importation of nitrate into the United States reached 150,000 tons, according to the ministry, whereas in the corresponding month of 1922 it was only 42,000 tons.

Present exchange rates favor the American buyers, and if French farmers are to hold their own against serious American competition they will have to employ a larger quantity of fertilizer in order to turn out bigger crops, and by this means reduce the high cost of living.