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What the Editors Say

A Portland speed fiend was given a fine the other day that will be a real punishment to him. He was forbidden to drive a car for a year. More fines of this kind would doubtless prove effective in curbing reckless driving. A sigh of relief would go up from the public if similar punishments were inflicted on the paranoiacs who persist in driving down resident streets at midnight with cutouts wide open.—Eugene Register

Buyers of raw hides are paying enormous prices for them. If anybody wonders why furs are so expensive just read this. A price list before us offers \$10 for raw skunk hides; \$2.75 for muskrats; \$12 for minks; \$15 for coons; \$250 for "cross" fox hides and \$60 for red foxes; \$18 for wolf hides and \$55 for raw lynx hides. Almost any man who reads this can remember when he was tickled to death to trap skunks, skin 'em, leave in the barn for weeks and sell the hides for six bits.—Gazette Times.

There was considerable furor among the papers of the Idolor's Club when Congress adjourned last February leaving unacted seven great financial measures and the black-legged Republicans were accused of being responsible. If so, then they are also responsible for enacting the same important measures with amendments within a month after congress reconvened with a saving to the country of \$1,888,000,000. They cut the administration estimates that much, which is equivalent to \$16 of taxes for every man, woman and child in the United States. There was never such a reckless extravagant administration in the history of America and it is high time somebody was cutting appropriations.—Gazette Times.

In spite of the mysterious movement which has resulted in covert suggestion from many sources of the unfitness of Colonel Wood for the presidency there are a surprising number of people scattered all over the country who refuse to be alarmed by the warning against "the man on horseback" and find in the general's long and honorable record the administrative qualities coupled with executive ability which they believe so essential in the present emergency. Indeed a very large number of people are mildly wondering why, if the general is as unfit as his mysterious detractors hint, such a fuss is being made about his candidacy, for if it were true and not imaginary it would be so apparent as to easily eliminate him. And while they wonder they also remember that often the assault of organized politicians is a recommendation and in it many people find good reasons why the victim should receive support.—Hillsboro Independent.

Income Tax Plan A Failure?

A recent issue of Commerce and Finance has an interesting article on the income tax by Theodore Price, financial expert, in which he claims it greatly increases the cost of living and places undesired burdens on the poor, while not costing the rich anything like a proportionate amount in the final analysis. He proposes a system of national taxation to be built around a tax levied on capital instead of on income. He says:

"The time has come when some revision of the income tax law ought to be made. It is greatly aggravating the inflation and greatly increasing the cost of living. In order to recover the tax that must be paid to the government, everyone is demanding a large profit on his goods, a bigger price for his property and higher interest rates on his capital. The word 'spirals' has been coined to describe the result.

"The income tax has been passed on to the consumer and he in turn has to ask more for his work, so adding again to the cost of production and the cost of living.

"There is a great deal of building and constructive work that ought to be done in this country. It is held up because those who own the real estate required won't sell it even at the high prices offered, because they would have to pay most of the profit realized to the government.

"In the stock market securities have advanced to figures that are in many cases absurd because the larger capitalists cannot dispose of their holdings without incurring an income tax liability that would absorb most of their gains.

"The theory upon which the graduated supertax was imposed assumed that it was possible to take from the rich without mulcting the impecunious, but the result has only been to make capital inert and so restrict enterprise and opportunity while increasing the cost of living for the poor.

"We hold no brief for the rich and think they ought to pay a higher rate of taxation than those who have less, but we are coming to the conclusion that a tax on capital or property is to be preferred to a tax on income.

"A great capitalist said to us the other day that he would be glad to surrender 10 per cent of his wealth to the government at once if he could be free of the inquestional income tax, and we are inclined to think that there are many rich men who feel the same way.

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"In 1914 our national wealth was estimated at \$250,000,000,000. Measured in dollars of the present value, it is probably \$400,000,000,000. Our national debt is about \$25,000,000,000. Even if the relatively impecunious were exempt, a 10 per cent tax upon property would pay this debt, reduce the inflation and enable us to start again with a clean slate.

"Germany has imposed such a tax. England is thinking about it. Would it not be well for us to consider it?"

"The tonic effect of paying one's debt is wonderful."

COAXING YOU TO SMILE.

Improving.
"So you really think your memory is improving under treatment. You remember things now, then?"
"Well, not exactly, but I have progressed so far that I can frequently remember that I have forgotten something, if I could only remember what it is."

Fresh from Fleet Street.
"arry 'ad a 'awk."
"arry 'id the 'awk in a 'at box."
"The 'awk stuck its 'ead out of the 'at box."
"arry 'it the 'awk on the 'ead with a 'ard 'ammer."
"The 'awk 'owled 'orrible."
"And 'arry said,
"O 'ell!"

After the Revival.
"Ask and ye shall receive," said the evangelist. "Pray for anything you want, with faith, and your prayer will be answered."
"That night the grocer's youngest son was heard to pray for the first time, as follows:
"O Lord, here is a small trial order. Please send us ten pails of candy, ten sacks of sugar, ten barrels of flour and ten barrels of pepper. Oh! h—! that's too much pepper."

Won't Answer Purpose.
A clubman tells of a young friend of his, a very methodical youth recently graduated from a northern university, who, upon setting up his own establishment, undertook to look after his own domestic affairs. "As an evidence of his orderly na-

ture," says the clubman, "I offer this:

"Desiring to mark his laundry for purpose of identification, he inscribed his name on one piece and marked the others 'ditto.'"

The Echo.

He was fond of bragging about the wonderful echo to be heard on his estate. One day, when expecting friends to dinner, he placed his servant in the wood, with instructions to repeat every word he had heard said.

Imagine the language when he called out: "Are you there?" and the answer came "yes sir"; I've been here since 1 o'clock."

"Every moment dies a man, and every moment one is born."

When this poem was published a statistician of the British census bureau wrote the poet laureate a remonstrance: "You are making no allowance," he said in substance, "for the increase of population. According to your statement the population of the world would be absolutely stationary, while, in fact, there is a considerable surplus of births over deaths, I suggest, therefore, that you change this line to read:

"Every moment dies a man and one one and one sixteenth is born."

Announcement.

Nehalem, Oregon, Dec 15, 1919
To the voters of Tillamook County: Teaching school has been my profession for 34 years, 16 years of which has been in the state of Oregon, and 9 years of which has been in Tillamook county. During these years I have endeavored to give to the public schools the very best service possible.

Teaching school is no very easy task as some people may infer and oft times remark, and the compensation paid teachers today, no matter how careful a teacher may save, will not insure one a comfortable living in later years, when his teaching days are over. I have remained with the teaching profession all these years, because I liked the work. It has been my delight to help boys and girls, young men and young women, to higher and better things. But a man's first duty is to provide for himself and family. During my residence in Tillamook County I have never asked of the voters their support for any public office; but believing that I could well serve them in a public office, I have decided to announce myself as a candidate for County Clerk on the Republican ticket, subject to the will of the voters at the primary election next May.

Respectfully submitted,
H. S. Brimhall.

It is evident that the apostles of the unamended covenant, having failed to put it over, will now try to slip it over. They are already talking of a compromise on Mr. Wilson's original scheme, with a few meaningless phrases embroidered on it.

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