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REVENUE BILL CONDEMNED.

(Washington Special Correspondence)

Debate on the democratic revenue bill in the House, gave opportunity for wide range of discussion of the policies of the democratic administration in the matter of revenue. Numerous members of the House cited statistics demonstrating the disastrous effect of the tariff law of 1913, which threw American producers into keen competition with the cheap labor of Europe and Asia. The following are brief excerpts from some of the addresses:

Representative Martin B. Madden, of Illinois: "You democrats have forfeited your right to the people's confidence. You have not reduced the cost of living as you promised to do when you were appealing for votes in 1912. On the contrary, you have opened the ports of America to the free entry of the products of the world, while the cost of living has continually gone up."

"You have refused to economize in the conduct of the government's business."

"You have given no protection to the lives and property of American citizens in foreign lands."

"You have proved your unfitness for government."

"You have been brazen in your determination to levy tribute in the form of taxation upon business enterprise."

"You are taking away from the States the revenue which belongs to them by the application of the principle involved in the inheritance-tax section of this bill."

"You have levied taxes on the corporation without limit in the belief that they are all gold mines. You believe that every form of corporate enterprise is a menace to the life of the Nation. You do not understand the business needs of the American people. You are not familiar with the industrial side of American life. You are not qualified to run a great business enterprise like the government of the United States."

Representative F. W. Mondell, of Wyoming, speaking of the duty on dyestuffs: "We welcome this tardy democratic recognition of the virtue of republican policies, but we decline to desert the altars of the true faith to participate in the acts and incantations of those, who, though unable to longer entirely resist the penetrating power of truth they have long spurned and denied, still in the main adhere to their idols of free trade and their fetiches of burdensome direct taxation."

"Even as the ancient Israelites in the very shadow of the mountain of the law set up an altar to the worship of the golden calf, so democrats in this day of their proclaimed enlightenment as to the wisdom of republican principles of protection still set up their altars to end worship their discredited idols of free trade and of direct and burdensome taxation upon the people and their industries."

Representative P. P. Campbell, of Kansas: "I prefer to make foreign

nations pay for the privileges of selling their products in our market rather than let them sell their products here free of tax, and then tax our own people to make up the necessary revenues to pay the expenses of the government."

Representative E. J. Hill, of Connecticut: "This bill marks the inauguration of the English free-trade system here at the very time when England's fearful struggle to preserve her life compels its abandonment there and forces her into a commercial union with her allies for the adoption of a policy of protection and preferential trade among themselves when peace shall have been restored. The system of protection and national industrial independence which Bismark taught to Germany, which France has practicing for many years, and which Britain has now accepted is thrown into the discard by the democratic party of the United States under the leadership of Woodrow Wilson."

The Northwestern this week begins a series of advertisements for the Nebraska Prosperity League, the saloon organization of the state. Some of our readers may think that a paper should not accept this class of advertising, and suppose that we are allied with the saloon element in some way. Such is not the case, however, as we regard the same as a purely business proposition, the same as a merchant with his stock of goods. A newspaper's stock of goods is its advertising space and if it is not sold a paper could not long continue in business. Our columns are as open to the anti-saloon league as to the saloon element—at the same advertising rates. We want to give all the same chance to present arguments for and against the saloon, and it appears that there are many on both sides. As far as we are personally concerned, the arguments are immaterial to us and our readers can look the ads over and form their own opinions. We have no suggestions to make nor any apologies to make for accepting this contract.

Jerseyville, (Ill.) Republican—Mr. Hughes is just as peace loving as is President Wilson and will preserve peace just as long as he can without forfeiting the national honor of the United States. It is certain, however, that Mr. Hughes will settle definitely upon program with regard to Mexico and the European powers and when he speaks it will be final. There will be no invasion of Mexico with a small force, slaughter of a few brave American soldiers, calling out 100,000 national guardsmen and a final backing up with nothing accomplished except a temporary peace.

Intimation is the sincerest flattery. The Democrats are to have a special committee to attend to the senatorial contests of this year. This is wholly in line with the other adaptations they have been making, in the revenue bill and elsewhere, of good republican notions. Yet Woodrow Wilson once said that the republicans hadn't had an idea in thirty years. Nevertheless, all this purloining of republican ideas will not avail this year. This is the year when the country demands the real, not the spurious.

At the last count there were 53,941 National guardsmen on the border. Of these New York furnished 17,125 and Pennsylvania provided 12,779. New York and Pennsylvania also held a top notch place among the States which pay the income tax. The democratic theory is that rich States shall

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pay while the poor States do battle. Yet in practice it results that the states that pay are the states that also fight.

Chicago Tribune—President Wilson's Mexican policy, certain only in its weakness, has exposed him to Carranza's insolence and the country to danger. Mr. Wilson is no match for the whiskered Latin soul as a letter writer. The Latin is the better man at this game, which evidently is the only one Mr. Wilson knows.

Notice of Hearing on Petition for Determination of Hearing.

Notice of Hearing. Estate No. 261 of William Hughes, Deceased, in the County Court of Sherman County, Nebraska.

The State of Nebraska. To all persons interested in said estate, creditors and heirs take notice, that Asa M. Berry has filed his petition alleging that William Hughes died interstate in Sherman County on or about 1893 being a resident and inhabitant of Sherman County and the owner of the following described real estate, to-wit: The Northwest quarter of Section Fourteen (14), Township Sixteen (16) North Range Twenty-eight (28) West of the Sixth Principal Meridian in Lincoln County, Nebraska, leaving as his sole and only heirs at law the following named persons, to-wit: Delilah Hughes, his widow, Mary J. Foster, Anna Weaver, Marion Hughes and Eva Willis, his only living children and Fannie Hughes and Sidney Hughes, grandchildren, children of J. A. Hughes, who was a son of Wm. Hughes, but who died in January, 1888, and praying for a decree barring claims; that said decedent died intestate; that no application for administration has been made and the estate of said decedent has not been administered in the State of Nebraska, and that the heirs at law of said decedent as herein set forth shall be decreed to be the owners in fee simple of the above described real estate, which has been set for hearing on the 5th day of September A. D. 1916, at one o'clock P. M.

Dated at Loup City, Nebraska, this 26th day of July, A. D. 1916.

E. A. SHITH, County Judge.

Change of program every night at the opera house.

NEBRASKA PROSPERITY LEAGUE

A Statewide, Nonpartisan Organization of Tax-payers

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- HON. OTTO ZIELOW MAYOR, SCHUYLER

Does Prohibition Prohibit?

The people of Nebraska are being urged this year to adopt state-wide PROHIBITION, and to wipe out the Slocum Local Option, High License Law.

Naturally, the average man wants to know what results have been achieved in states where PROHIBITION has been tried. He wants to know first of all whether state-wide PROHIBITION prohibits. The practical man also wants to know what results have been achieved in Nebraska under the Local-option, High License System

We intend to publish a series of articles with a view of laying certain vital facts before the people of this state, facts which they should possess in order that they may be able to make an intelligent decision.

The citizens of Nebraska want an opportunity to hear both sides of the question. They have little patience with the extremists, of whom there are some on both sides. They want to hear in plain language why so many men of standing are opposed to state-wide PROHIBITION.

We will present evidence in abundance to show that state-wide PROHIBITION does not prohibit; that serious new evils follow in the wake of PROHIBITION, evils far worse and more numerous than those for which PROHIBITION is offered as a remedy.

Kansas tried for many years to make state-wide PROHIBITION prohibit, and has failed. The news item presented herewith is eloquent testimony to that fact.

An Item of Proof from Kansas

Showing that PROHIBITION does not prohibit. (News item in Topeka Capital of November 3, 1915.)

"Liquor is being sold to high school boys by bottom characters," according to Ed. Rooney, probation officer.

"V. E. Atchison, county attorney, yesterday afternoon ordered a warrant drawn for the arrest of the negro who is said to have sold liquor to Reuben Niedens and Johnnie Barret, the two boys who took Mrs. Ida Brownell's Ford from in front of her residence, 205 Madison, and began a mad career of window smashing that ended in their arrest. Niedens is 17, Barret 14. The boys gave information to Atchison about purchasing the liquor. The warrant will be served this morning."

The Nebraska Prosperity League

OPPOSED TO STATE PROHIBITION. IN FAVOR OF LOCAL OPTION, HIGH LICENSE
President, L. F. CROFOOT Treasurer, W. J. COAD Secretary, J. B. HAYNES
Send for our literature. OMAHA, NEB.

Annual Report of the Condition of THE FIRST TRUST COMPANY of Loup City, Nebraska.

As made to the State Auditor at the close of business, June 30, 1916.

Resources.

Bonds, Mortgages and Investments	\$60,890.91
Furniture and Fixtures	100.00
Expenses and Taxes paid	989.88
Cash and Sight Exchange	706.81
Loans in Process of Closing	2,060.00
Total Resources	\$64,747.60

Liabilities.

Capital	\$25,000.00
Undivided Profits	7,984.32
Trust Funds	31,763.28
Total Liabilities	\$64,747.60

Total Liabilities \$64,747.60 State of Nebraska, Sherman County, ss. I, E. A. Miner, Secretary of First Trust Company of Loup City, Nebraska, do hereby swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

E. A. MINER, Secretary.
Subscribed and sworn to in my presence this 27th day of July, 1916. (Seal) C. H. RYAN, Notary Public.

My commission expires April 1, 1921.

MUST NOT OPERATE CARS.

The practice of letting youngsters under sixteen years of age operate motor cars, which prevails all over the state, has caused Secretary Pool to call the attention of automobile owners to the law covering this matter which reads as following:

Section 195. It shall be unlawful for any person under 16 years of age, or for any intoxicated person to operate a motor vehicle, and any owner, dealer or manufacturer of motor vehicles who permits a person under 16 years of age or an intoxicated person to operate a motor vehicle, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be punished as hereinafter provided for violation of the provisions of this article.

Section 199 provides a fine of not exceeding \$50 for the first offense and for a second offense a fine of not less than \$50 nor more than a \$100 or imprisonment not exceeding sixty days in the county jail.

The man who goes through life looking for an opportunity to kill two birds with one stone usually misses both.

C. E. WATKINS

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My eight room house. Good barn and outbuildings with twelve lots in cherry and plum trees. Also 4 1/2 acres of land and another tract of 3 1/2 acres all in alfalfa and fenced chicken tight. Nearly new two seated spring wagon and a Jersey red sow with six pigs.—Alfred Anderson.

The man with a mind of his own invariably judges correctly the minds of others. He succeeds in his undertakings and time records him as a resourceful man. Think for yourself.

1916 NATIONAL PARK SUMMER

You can cover the West's magnificent Rockies in one grand tour on the \$35 Glacier Park excursion ticket from Eastern and Central Nebraska going one way via Denver. Our new Denver-Billings Central Wyoming main line takes you alongside Rocky Mountain, National Estes Park, alongside Yellowstone Park.

A 700 MILE MOUNTAIN PANORAMA, from Colorado to the Yellowstone along the Eastern slope of continuous mountain chains. On this circuit you can, by detours, make the tour through Estes Park or through Yellowstone via Cody, the automobile scenic entrance.

Our through service routes to Denver, Billings, Cody, Gardiner or Glacier and between Denver and the Yellowstone may be combined into a sweeping scenic mountain tour that embraces more grandeur at lower rate than any scenic tour on earth. Let me help you plan a "See America" tour that you will remember all your life.

J. A. DANIELSON, Ticket Agent.

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Or better yet keep them out of the house. Now is the time to fix up those screen doors and windows, replacing those that have outlived their usefulness with our white pine screens.

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PUBLIC AUCTION

I will sell at public auction to the highest and best bidder at the Band Stand in Ashton, on

Saturday, August 26th, 1916 at 2 O'clock P. M.

The Northeast Quarter of Section Twenty (20), Township Fifteen (15), Range Thirteen (13), known as the Wrehe farm, which is three miles west of Ashton and eight miles east of Loup City, in Sherman County, Nebraska.

This farm is located in one of the best farming communities in the county with good school and railroad facilities.

Terms of Sale:

One-fifth cash and the balance on or before March 1, 1917, when the purchase and sale will be closed.

Abstract showing good title furnished.

HENRY WREHE