

COLOSSAL SPENDING OF OUR NATIONAL GOVERNMENT

New York Sun and Herald: Our neighbor the World grows hot under the collar because of our Washington despatch relating as straight news the cold fact that some two years after the war it is costing nearly five billions of dollars a year, an average of \$15,000,000 a working day, to run the United States Government, as against some \$2,000,000 a day in 1914.

Since all these thousands of millions were appropriated by a Republican Congress which began its work a year ago last May, a Congress which has refused to make peace and done nothing toward the reduction of war taxation, the blame cannot be shifted to the Executive Department.

Well, let's see. In the first place, included in the five billions of dollars which is still the annual cost to this country of conducting this government there is about \$1,000,000,000 required to wind up the stupendously unsuccessful attempt of Mr. Wilson's administration to operate the American railway system as a government institution.

In the second place, included in the five billions is about another billion of dollars interest due on the money borrowed by Mr. Wilson's administration and spent by Mr. Wilson's administration during the war.

In the third place, included in the five billions is a quarter of a billion of dollars for sinking fund purposes, etc., in connection with that same debt incurred by the same Mr. Wilson's administration.

In the fourth place, the grand total of all such expenditures contracted for, incurred and carried out by Mr. Wilson's administration in connection with the war was more than two and three-quarters of a billion out of the five billions of dollars.

And finally, Mr. Wilson's administration submitted to Congress its estimates that it would need some two and three-quarter billions more than the five billions it got.

This is the difference between the economy of the appropriating republican Congress and the squander of the spending democratic administration.

DEATH OF ARTHUR WM. LENDT.

Osceola, (Wis.) Sun: The village places its first Gold Star in Service Flag.

"On fame's eternal camping ground, Their silent tents are spread." Arthur Wm. Lendt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frederic Lendt and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hoetz, late of Osceola, was born February 14, 1896.

No boy ever raised in Osceola had more warm and devoted friends than Arthur. After his mother's death his home was always with Mrs. Jessie Trombley and in the neighborhood he seemed to be more than a son to all of them, and they today mourn for him as one especially dear.

As a teacher he was a qualified success, and the pupils and parents spoke only of him in highest praise.

His body was brought to Osceola, Wis., last Saturday, and the funeral was held from the Baptist church under the auspices of the Loyal Legion.

Arthur will be mourned for many years by his friends, but we feel that a bright star has been added to the firmament of the Heavenly Kingdom and in his new sphere Arthur will still shine and be an ornament.

FATHER CASSIDY CALLED EAST.

The Reverend M. F. Cassidy was called to New York City Thursday morning by receipt of intelligence of the death of his sister, Miss Susan Cassidy.

SUPERVISORS' PROCEEDINGS.

(Continued from last page.) Those names appear on the within petition and that each of them reside within five miles of the within proposed road and are legal petitioners for the same.

S. E. HICKS. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30th day of September, 1920.

On motion same was granted. On motion the following road claims were allowed in the sums as stated:

W. J. Sparks claim for \$48.00, allowed in sum of \$44.00. W. J. Sparks claim for \$96.00, allowed in sum of \$92.00.

At 4 o'clock p. m. on motion board adjourned until October 1, 1920, at 9 o'clock a. m.

F. C. WATSON, Chairman. E. F. PORTER, Clerk. O'Neill, Oct. 1, 1920, 9 a. m.

Board met pursuant to adjournment. All members present but Hayes. Meeting called to order by chairman.

Mr. Chairman: I would respectfully move you that the county rent the Valla building jointly with Leo Bazelman for the purpose of housing the County trucks each to pay one-half the monthly rent of \$20 per month.

H. V. JOHNSON. H. U. HUBBARD. Resolution carried. Board devoted the forenoon to conference with Mr. Noble assistant Division Engineer concerning moving the state grading outfit to Rock county; and Mr. J. A. Robertson concerning some bridge repairs in Pad-dock township.

At 12 o'clock, noon, on motion board adjourned until 1 o'clock p. m. F. C. WATSON, Chairman. E. F. PORTER, Clerk. O'Neill, Oct. 1, 1920, 1 p. m.

Board met pursuant to adjournment. All members present but Hayes. Board called to order by chairman.

Mr. Chairman: I would respectfully move that a road fund warrant in the amount of \$1,200 be drawn in favor of the County Clerk for the purpose of paying freight on two car loads of lumber purchased from the Wheeler Lumber Company.

JOHN SULLIVAN. J. V. JOHNSON. Motion carried. The following claims were audited and on separate motion allowed on Road Dragging fund:

Table listing names and amounts for Road Dragging fund, including W. J. Mallory, Chas. Brockman, L. W. Arnold, W. E. Snyder, Art Snyder, H. B. Black, A. L. Alexander, H. J. Johnson, Eddie Graham, A. L. Alexander, W. F. Moyer, E. E. West, M. B. Miller, Roy E. Snell, R. Moon.

Table listing names and amounts for general fund, including W. T. McEvlan, G. C. Shaw, M. B. Miller, W. E. McNichols, Eddie Graham, W. A. Ulry, Chas. Richter, Jos. McNichols, Roy Madison, C. P. Rondybusch.

The following claims were audited and on separate motion allowed on General fund:

Table listing names and amounts for general fund, including George Gaughenbaugh co., Mary Herrick, W. T. Hayes, Jos. Schollmeyer, M. Rotherhan, John Sullivan, J. V. Johnson, F. C. Johnson.

The following is a list of names from which to select the jury for the November term of District Court:

Table listing names for District Court jury selection, including Cleveland, Stuart, Dave Deming, Coleman, Phoenix, Ralph Coburn, Dustin, Butte, B. E. Strong, Pleasant View, Atkinson, E. F. Barnes, Rock Falls, Atkinson, A. Henning, Sand Creek, Stuart, Fred Mulford, Saratoga, Phoenix, Otto Nelson.

Table listing names for District Court jury selection, including Shields, O'Neill, Del Johnson, Shields, O'Neill, J. L. Hoge, Paddock, Meek, E. H. Rouse, Paddock, Joy, J. A. Robertson, Scott, Opportunity, Frank Oberle, Steel Creek, Dorsey, Tom Crowe, Iowa, Page, Winfield Haynes, Iowa, O'Neill, L. W. Burgston, Willowdale, Middlebranch, Wm. Clark, Jr.

Table listing names for District Court jury selection, including Grattan, O'Neill, J. H. Carney, Grattan, O'Neill, W. H. Shaughnessy, Grattan, O'Neill, E. A. Graham, Grattan, O'Neill, Will Hanely, Grattan, O'Neill, Frank Campbell, Grattan, O'Neill, John Beller, Jr., Grattan, O'Neill, T. D. Harrington.

Table listing names for District Court jury selection, including Deloit, Clearwater, W. E. Wulf, Deloit, Ewing, Leon Sisson, Verdigris, Page, N. F. Bergstrom, Verdigris, Page, Barney Stuart, Verdigris, Page, Gail Wilcox, Golden, Ewing, J. W. Gunter, Golden, Orchard, C. C. Lee, Ewing, Ewing, W. L. Butler, Ewing, Ewing, Thomas Leahy, Ewing, Ewing, Frank Vandernick.

Table listing names for District Court jury selection, including Chambers, Chambers, C. C. Jones, Chambers, Chambers, J. R. Alderson, Conley, Chambers, Chas. W. Fleek, Inman, Inman, Wm. Goree, Inman, Inman, Geo. Coleman, Inman, Inman, August Krueger, McClure, Chambers, D. B. Perkins, Lake, Bliss, John Otter, Jr., Shamrock, O'Neill, James Petr.

Table listing names for District Court jury selection, including Wyoming, Amelia, J. J. Nachtman, Swan, Amelia, P. J. Kennedy, Francis, Inez, Warren Gillman, Green Valley, Atkinson, C. E. Nellis, Sheridan, Atkinson, C. E. Knox, Emmet, Emmet, Frank Prussa, Emmet, Emmet, Jas. Gaughenbaugh, Josie, Josie, W. T. Bosworth.

Table listing names for District Court jury selection, including Atkinson, Atkinson, Mart Fullerton, Atkinson, Atkinson, Bert Bessey, Atkinson, 1 w., Atkinson, Lee Linville, Atkinson, 2 w., Atkinson, A. C. Purnell, Atkinson, 3 w., Atkinson, A. T. Hart, Stuart, Stuart, Frank Biglow, Stuart, Stuart, John Morgan, Stuart, Stuart, Richard Moon.

"Do Unto Others" That's us every time. We treat your battery just as if it was our own and we were bound to make use of every last cent's worth of value in it.

Advertisement for O'Neill Battery Station, featuring Willard Rubber Insulation and a list of products like motor trucks, passenger cars, and various battery models.

Stuart, Stuart, Wm. Brown. The following claims were audited and on separate motion allowed on Road fund:

Table listing names and amounts for Road fund, including H. U. Hubbard, H. A. Ulry, Frank Howard, L. E. Jackson.

At 4 o'clock p. m. on motion board adjourned until October 26, 1920, at 10 o'clock a. m.

F. C. WATSON, Chairman. E. F. PORTER, Clerk.

Wanted Experience. Houston Post: The New Housman - Thank you for the job, ma'am.

About 5,000 Feet Up - Life: Nervous Passenger (in aerial)

What? When? Where? Ice Cream social by Presbyterian Girls

Sat., Nov. 16 2 p. m. Grady's Store

Vote for RE-ELECTION of



CHIEF JUSTICE Andrew M. Morrissey

"The political parties have made no nominations for Chief Justice. The Chief Justice is re-elected as a party candidate, but his name will be found with other Judicial Candidates, and school officers on a separate ballot." "We favor the re-election of Chief Justice Morrissey to cause we believe in the law designed to take the courts out of politics and to give the judges because of their qualifications."

(taxi)—W-w-what are you l-l-laughing at, driver? Driver—'I'm just laughing at the superintendent. About this time he'll be searching for me all over the lunatic asylum.

His Busy Day. Boston Transcript: Motorist (having run down man)—What's your name and address?

Motorist (weakly)—John Smith, 14 Blank street.

Motorist—Righto, Smith! Can't stop now, but tomorrow I'll drop in on you and try to convince you that you should carry an accident policy in the company I represent.

Pride. Buffalo News: The Judge—So you claim you robbed the delicatessen

store because you were starving? Why didn't you take something to eat instead of stealing the cash out of the register?

The Accused—'Cause I'm a proud man, judge, an' I make it a rule to pay for everything I eat.

Chicago Daily News: Teacher—What is "can't" the abbreviation of, Charles?

Charles—Cannot. Teacher—'That's right. Now, Jimmy, what is "don't" the abbreviation of?

Jimmy—Doughnut.

Two Viewpoints. Cincinnati Enquirer: "Lovely woman!" toasted the single man. "She is the fairest creature on this earth!"

"Also the unfairest," added the married man.

Table listing various household goods and their prices, including coffee, flour, sugar, and clothing items.

John Brennan "Cash Does It"

Large advertisement for Camel Cigarettes, featuring the camel logo and the slogan "It's dollars to doughnuts—no man ever smoked a better cigarette at any price!"