WANT ADS

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HELP WANTED—MALE

SOLICITORS wanted to work in Birmingham for Enco Farms, Grade A pasteurized milk. Earl Miles Dairy, Rochester, Mich. 43-44-45-46*

MEN, above average, age 21 to 35, preferably married, with car. Write Eccentric Box 359. 44-45-46

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

GIRL for general housework, two or three days a week. 9 till 4. Phone 7580 44*

GIRL for general housework; two adults. Hours 8 to 5. Sundays two hours. $5.00. 429 Bonnie Briar, first house from Harmon. Phone 2694. 44*

MAID for general housework. No washing or ironing. References. Phone 147. 616 Puritan Road. 44

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE

EXPERIENCED white girl wishes housework. Can give references. Phone 511. 44

WASHING, ironing, cleaning or serving of any kind. Phone 315-W 44tf

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FOR RENT—ROOMS

COMFORTABLE room with board for business woman or elderly lady in a nurse's home. Phone 175-W 44

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CLEAN, warm room with kitchen privileges for neat young couple. No other roomers. 1042 Chester 44

FURNISHED light housekeeping rooms. 497 Townsend St. 44

FOR RENT—HOUSES & APARTMENTS

ONE partially furnished steam heated apartment. Phone 116 44-45*

WANTED TO RENT—GARAGE

GARAGE to rent on Harmon between Woodward and Greenwood or Henrietta Box 357. 44*

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS

LADY wants children to look after week ends. 544 Townsend or phone 594 43*

SLEIGH ride parties. Any time. Phone 1927-F11. 44

WANT one or two passengers for Florida west Coast. Leaving in a few days. Phone 146-J-14. 44

A LITTLE girl 14 years old, who has had infantile paralysis, and is very hard for her to walk 12 blocks to school wishes a bicycle, size 28, and a warm coat. Any help given this little girl will be appreciated. Write Eccentric Box 355. 44

MISCELLANEOUS

BLACK dirt, sand and gravel. Ashes and cans collected. Phone 1031. Fred Wilson. 23tf

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BICYCLES and repairing, free delivery. Wanted, used bicycles. Weir Machine Shop, 767 Bowers St. Phone 2066. 12tf

TRUCKING. Ashes collected. Black dirt, sand and gravel. Phone 1415. Norman L. Shovan, 803 E. Lincoln. 31f

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ALL hair cuts 35 cents. Ladies invited. 162 N. Woodward, next to Bank Bldg. 44*

MISS LAMBORN, custom milliner of Detroit at Numan's Studio, 271 Maple St., Thursday. Hats remodeled, $1.00. 44*

PHONE 57. Birmingham Trading Post. Remember the Birmingham Trading Post when you are cleaning your closets. Resale Shop. Birmingham Trading Post. 44

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534 SO. WOODWARD 44

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

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LOST—Pig strayed or lost in vicinity of Tonquish and Long Lake Road. Reward. Phone 980. 44

LOST—Man's gold watch on Woodward between Merrill and Hamilton. About Tue. Inscription. Reward. Phone 581 44-45*

LOST—Near Frank St. female hound, male Brown, black, white. Detroit license. Name Jackie. Phone 1870 44

LOST—Ladies brown leather purse in White's restaurant or vicinity Wednesday evening. Reward. Phone 362-W. White, Birmingham 2652. 44

FOR SALE—ANTIQUES

SEVERAL pieces of black walnut antique furniture. Call R. O. 1570. 44

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PAINTING, papering, decorating. E. J. Swanson. Phone 1754. 187 Chesterfield. 18tf

SUMMARIZATION OF CITY COMMISSION PROCEEDINGS

(Minutes in detail are available at the city clerk's office)

FEBRUARY 3, 1936. 8 p. m. All members present.

Building permit granted to Sacony Vacuum Oil Company for alterations in gas station at Woodward and Oak.

Bills approved—$47,486. Payroll approved—$4,135.01.

Bonds and coupons found in old Village records, all audited since the latest date, ordered cremated.

Meeting adjourned at 9:29 p. m.

IRENE E. HANLEY,
City Clerk

STATE OF MICHIGAN The Probate Court for the County of Oakland.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Pontiac, in said County, on the 27th day of January, A. D. 1936.

Present: Hon. Dan A. McGaffey, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Henry A. Eskotter, Deceased.

Stanley Eskotter, administrator of said estate, having filed in said court a petition praying that the time for the presentation of claims against said estate be limited and that a time and place be appointed to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against said deceased by and before said court.

It is Ordered, that four months from this date be allowed for creditors to present claims against said estate.

It is Further Ordered, that the 1st day of June, 1936 at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims against said deceased. And for the examination and allowance of his final account, determination of the heirs of said deceased, assignment of the residue of said estate, and the discharge of said administrator.

DAN A. McGAFFEY
Judge of Probate

A True Copy.
LEAH KOCH,
Deputy Probate Register. 1
Jan. 30, Feb. 6-13.

The Rogues' Gallery

With a tax collector stationed at every cocktail party this source alone should bring the treasury ample funds with which to finance all of the President's appropriations.

A BOX OF PIN-HEAD TAX

By NINA WILCOX PUTNAM

Eight now the government seems to be taxing everything, including our patience.

There once was a day when, if you heard the word "tax," you thought of a small box full of little demi-tasse nails which bit you when you tried to pull one out to mend the window shade.

Now when anyone asks if you have some tacks in the house, you rush for the desk drawer and pull out a handful of final notices.

Of course, these only represent the sort of taxes which come to visit you in the home, and range in size from the big, burly Federal Income Tax Return counterpain, down to the little itsy-bitsy two-dollar poll-tax. Just why I should ever receive the latter, I have never under-tood. Poll-tax indeed, when I've never even plucked a parrot, much less kept one.

I pay my dog tax, though. They call it a license, of course, but it's a tax on my pocketbook no matter what they call it. I suppose the tax on shoes is the real dog tax... oh well, that one is at least my own, poor thing!

The first fast one the government put over on us in a big way, was that intelligence test, the income tax, and what a cross-word puzzle that turned out to be! At first it wasn't so popular, but now the fifteenth of March has become the fixed date for the annual Munchausen contest, and everybody goes at it in a spirit of catch-as-catch-can and rather like it. They say "it's fun to be fooled" but it's even more fun trying to fool the Collector of Eternal Revenue.

The states, many of them being a lot of old copy-cats, got out a second edition of the above mentioned. The State Income Tax may be a state affair but it is also that in the plural—a state of affairs—and if you don't believe me, just wait until you have to pay yours this year.

The whole country is now like midtown New York at midday: taxis, taxis everywhere and you can't make a move in any direction without running into 'em.

Of course the gas tax is a good thing in a way because it keeps a lot of people in their homes. But it's a shame it don't apply on the floor of the house of representatives.

While as for this sales tax they have got in a few states such as California and New York, well, it's funny how people are. When the government allowed that 2¾ per cent beer was legal, the folks kicked because it wasn't strong enough. But a 2 per cent sales tax is so strong they claim it knocks 'e mfor a headache. Oh well, it takes all kinds of people to make a world and then what have you got?

The beauty who is getting all the attention just now is the inheritance tax. Around where I live, they call it the New Inheritance Tax. Well, I must say that years ago, all I inherited from my Uncle Bill was a lot of taxes, so if they think inheritance taxes something new, they are goofy! I admit there was a farm attached—quite heavily attached—to the taxes Uncle ft me, but it was so well snowed under that by the time I dug off the last line I had to slap it back again to keep the roof from caving in from age. If the inheritance tax goes far enough, we won't even be sure of our own tombstones.

Ah well, taxes never come single in spite of all Henry George said. The only people they really help are the newspaper cartoonists. With the rest of the population they have given rise to a lot of prejudice. Why, my brother, for instance, don't like to be known as a taxi-driver because he's afraid people will think he's a revenue man.

Now I am not narrow-minded or unpatriotic about this tax business. I realize the poor starving politicians cannot be allowed to go on home relief. Probably their homes would have no sense of relief at all if they stayed home all day. Also I am perfectly aware that the office holders have a short season of it, even four years isn't much, so naturally they have to provide for their lean years while they can, or some day they might have to go to work.

I know, too, that the Government Machinery has to be supported although why it can't come down to earth instead, is beyond me. Oh heck, what I mean is, I know that taxes are necessary for the Public Weal. Or maybe it's the Public Veal—you know, killing the fathead calf. Aw, peppermints; I'm quit trying to be high-hat about it and admit that all I know is you've got to pay 'em or else—

So as long as taxes have got to be paid, why not make them unpopular? Nobody minds giving up their dough for something which gives them a thrill—why, they will even give up other people's dough for that. So in my simple feminine fashion, I propose that we quit taxing necessary things and tax according to what is known as the Potmum Plan.

To begin with, this plan would take the tax off the theater tickets and put it on to wives who take shorting lessons at home. Don't cheer, boys, this won't stop them.

The plan says further that there shall be a tax on every spectator at all sensational divorce or murder trials.

All malicious gossips shall be taxed at a rate of 20 per cent of the net income of the gossiper. And a tax of 5 per cent of the gross income of the gossipee.

All smoking room stories over one year old shall be taxed at the rate of 50 cents a repetition.

Practical jokes shall be taxed on a sliding scale. That gives me an idea! Can you just picture a fat woman stepping onto a sliding scale? Oh well, what do I care? But this is a rich idea, this taxing practical jokes. And what I really started out to say was, the jokes would be taxed in proportion to their cleverness and originality. The dumber the joke the higher the tax. Joe Cook, for instance, would get off practically free.

The list of properly taxable things could go on practically endlessly, beginning with visits from mothers-in-law and ending with tattered parsnips, and such a tax list, far from making Mr. Taxpayer, the Forgotten Man and Mr. Average Citizen feel even more gloomy than they look from their pictures in the papers—well, far from making them feel oppressed, it would have them practically laughing out loud.

Nobody could object to seeing a guy pay a tax on a stale egg, or shell out ten bucks to the government for having said "Olive Oil" or "Abyssinia" as farewell to a pal.

In fact, this Perfect Putnam Plan if carried out properly, might even result in the happy populace digging up the tax money for their taxed brethren voluntarily, with song and dance, instead of giving the government a song and dance about not being able to pay at all, the way a lot of them do now.

But all this depends on my plan being carried out, and I don't mean feet first, either.

Hard to Follow

"O's yer missis, George?"

"Oh she is a-jawin' an' a-jawin' an' a-jawin'."

"Wat's she jawin' about?"

"Well, she didn't say."

What and Where Is It?

Answer

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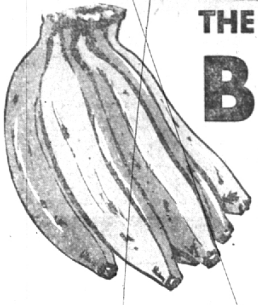

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