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Taxes are due as soon as levied. State taxes bear interest from September 1, 1916, and County Taxes from September 1, 1916.

On February 1, 1917, the treasurer will make up a list of the delinquent taxpayers with the respective amounts for which they are in arrear, and will publish the same for two successive weeks before the 23rd day of February. If said taxes are not then paid he will make a further list of delinquents assessed with real estate, with a brief description of their property, the amount of taxes, interests and costs, and will advertise the same for three weeks prior to the first Monday in April, 1917, and will offer said real estate for cash the following Monday at the Court House door in Bel Air, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Delinquents assessed only with personalty will be liable after April 15, 1917, to have their property summarily taken and sold after ten days notice.

Discounts on County Taxes: If paid on or before July 1st, 1½ per cent.; August 1st, 1 per cent.; September 1st, ½ per cent.

Payments to be made at the Treasurer's Office, Bel Air, Md.

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"COMPLETE ACCORD WITH ROOSEVELT"

HUGHES' FOREIGN POLICY DICTATED BY THE JINGO WHO, HAD HE BEEN IN THE WHITE HOUSE, SAYS EX-PRESIDENT TAFT, "WOULD HAVE PLUNGED US INTO WAR."

Fact 1 — Roosevelt said: "We shirked our duty by failing to take any action; by announcing that we would be neutral."

Fact 2—Roosevelt said: "It is a wicked thing to be neutral between right and wrong, i. e., between Belgium and Germany."

Fact 3—Root denounced the President for "pusillanimous conduct" in his negotiations with Germany, and repeated all of Roosevelt's arguments.

Fact 4—Lodge gave utterance to the same doctrine.

Fact 5 — Roosevelt declared he would not accept a nomination at the hands of the Progressive Party if the Republican Party would nominate a man whose foreign policies were in accordance with his own!

Fact 6—On June 10, the Republican National Convention nominated Justice Charles Hughes.

Fact 7—On June 22, Roosevelt said: "They (Mr. Wilson and his party) have taught us that peace, the peace of cowardice and dishonor and indifference to the welfare of others, is to be put above righteousness, above the stern unflinching performance of duty."

Fact 8—On June 27, Roosevelt said: "In my judgment the nomination of Mr. Hughes meets the (my) condition. No good American can have any feeling except scorn and detestation for those professional German-Americans who seek to make the American President in effect a viceroy of the German Emperor. They represent that adherence to the politico-racial hyphen which is the badge and sign of moral treason to the Republic. I am certain that that candidate (Hughes) is incapable of being influenced by the evil intrigues of these hyphenated Americans."

Fact 9—On June 29 Roosevelt and Hughes were at dinner together for two and a half hours.

Fact 10—After that dinner Hughes said: "We talked very fully over all matters AND WERE IN COMPLETE ACCORD."

Fact 11—Three days after that dinner Roosevelt said of Hughes: "His high qualities must recommend him to the esteem of the whole world, particularly to the sympathy of the Allies. He certainly would never have suffered the Government of the United States, as one of the signatories to the Hague Treaty, to pass over without protest the violation of Belgium's neutrality by Germany. He would never write two notes on the same offense. He would perhaps issue a warning, but afterwards he would act according to his conscience and for the honor of civilization. This is what he certainly will do, if he becomes the President of the United States."

Fact 12—On August 31, Roosevelt denounced German citizens for "acting as servants and allies of Germany." He condemned the Administration for failing to live up to its duty to resist the invasion of Belgium.. He added: "We can put in power an administration which will live up to our national obligations. As between Mr. Hughes and Mr. Wilson, who can doubt which is the man who will with austere courage stand for the national duty?"

Fact 13—On September 1, Hughes wired Roosevelt: "I heartily congratulate you on the speech at Lewiston and warmly appreciate your effective support;" spoke of Roosevelt as "That stalwart American who woke the country"; and aped Roosevelt by saying: "We want deeds to match words. I am not one of the kind that is too proud to fight." On the following day, he stated that he knew what was in Roosevelt's Maine speech, and endorsed every word of it!

Fact 14—Candidate Hughes springs from the most loyal of British stock, the Welsh. His father emigrated from Wales in 1855, barely seven years before Charles was born.

Fact 15—Mr. Hughes naturally sympathizes with England, as does a son of a German immigrant with that country which he lovingly refers to as "Fatherland." It is only natural that Mr. Hughes should stamp his approval upon all that Roosevelt—hater and traducer of German-American citizens—utters.

Fact 16—If Roosevelt's policy, which Mr. Hughes has accepted without modification, had, for the past 24 months, been the policy of this Government, war with Germany would have been inevitable.

Fact 17—And if we had conquered, we could have obtained nothing more than an apology for wrongs committed, a promise to respect our rights in the future, and a monetary indemnity!

Fact 18—If Mr. Hughes is elected President on this issue, it is notice to all the world that America repudiates her policy of peace for the Roosevelt-Hughes policy of war. Let the issue be not misunderstood. We know, the world knows, that Woodrow Wilson will maintain the peace unless the Nation's honor is assailed. He is no more afraid to fight than a real God-fearing, brave, upright man should be. Thoughtful men know that a President advised by Roosevelt in accord and agreement with Roosevelt, would as soon fight as be right. A vote for Hughes is a potential vote for war.

Now Let Us Add It All Up, first noting carefully that "We talked very fully over all matters and WERE IN COMPLETE ACCORD!"

With Whom?

In complete accord with Roosevelt!

In complete accord with the man who brazenly flaunts his loathing hatred of Germany and his animosity toward German-Americans; openly praises the Allies "who are dedicated to the cause and are fighting for the principle"; publicly proclaims Hughes' "qualities which must recommend him to the sympathies of the Allies"; treacherously calls the President of his country a "mollycoddle," and a "man of weasel words"; and falsely asserts that we were BOUND by treaty obligations to go to war with Germany over Belgium!

Hughes talks of national honor!

When he doffed the ermine robe of the Supreme Court of the United States and forsook the society of its Justices and turned his back to the precepts of Blackstone, Coke, and Marshall, he seems to have donned the crazyquilt of an exigency candidate to become the counsel of Flinn, Hitchcock, Willcox, Perkins, Schwab, Gary, Guggenheim, Du Pont, Penrose, Barnes, Crane, Smoot, Lodge, Root, Morgan, et al.—and the political understudy of the man with whom he is in complete accord—the man who says we ought to be at war with Germany and with Mexico—ROOSEVELT!

BOLTS G. O. P., BACKS WILSON

Frederick Ayer, Financier and Member of Union League Club, Makes $1,000 Contribution.

Frederick Ayer, a member of the Union League club—the center of Republicanism in New York city, if not in the country—has sent a check to Chairman Vance McCormick of the Democratic National Committee for $1,000, his contribution to the campaign fund for the re-election of President Wilson. With his check he sent a letter, in which he said:

"Convinced as I am that Mr. Wilson is one of the greatest Presidents we ever have had, his hatred of war and love of his country perching like jewels in his crown of office, I send herewith inclosed my check for $1,000, to be added to the National campaign fund for his election."

Mr. Ayer is a lawyer and financier, a life-long Republican, and is a stockholder and one of the few directors of the New York Tribune Association, publishers of the New York Tribune, which is supporting Hughes.

WHAT MR. TAFT THINKS OF PRESIDENT WILSON

This is no time to point out mistakes of the past. This is no time, by attacks upon the General in command, to give the idea that our commander has not a united people behind him.

We are fortunate in having kept out of the present European War and we ought to support the Administration in keeping us out. If we had a jingo in the White House this country would now be at war with Germany.

He (Wilson) is not a Democrat President. He is first an American, the same as we are. We must all be Americans first,

—Ex-President Taft.

Greatest Benefit to Farmers.

When Congress passed the Rural Credits bill a few weeks ago it placed upon the statute books a measure of greater direct benefit to the farmers of the United States than any legislation enacted since the creation of the Department of Agriculture, now nearly a generation ago.—The National Monthly.

TEN QUESTIONS FOR VOTERS

Ten questions for voters to answer in advance of Election Day:

1—Why are the Kings of Wall Street supporting Mr. Hughes?

2—Why are the great financial interests which favor a Central bank, in substitution for the Federal Reserve system, supporting Mr. Hughes?

3—Why are the high protective monopolists who prepared the Schedules of the Payne Adrich tariff for Mr. Hughes?

4—Why is every enemy of American neutrality for Mr. Hughes?

5—Why are all advocates of armed intervention in Mexico for Mr. Hughes?

6—Why are the trusts and organized greed in every section of the United States for Mr. Hughes?

7—Why are the heroes of military conscription for Mr. Hughes?

8—Why is every political reactionary and bourbon for Mr. Hughes?

9—Why is every enemy of industrial reform for Mr. Hughes?

10—Why is every boss and political grafter in the Republican party for Mr. Hughes?

Alexander Mackenzie on Record as Having Traveled From Ocean to Ocean in the Year 1793.

The first white man to cross this continent by a route north of Mexico, was Sir Alexander Mackenzie, a Scotsman who rose high in the service of the old Northwest company which was amalgamated with the Hudson's Bay company in 1821. Mackenzie was in the far West when he planned his trip across country to the Pacific coast. In the autumn of 1792 he led his party far up the Peace river where they built a post and wintered. On May 9, 1793, the party set out, passing up the Peace river, through the Rocky mountains, across to the Fraser river which was followed down stream for some distance, and then across country through an unexplored region, until the party came out on the Pacific coast. Mixing a quantity of vermilion with melted grease, Mackenzie wrote on the inland side of a high rock rising from the shore these words to mark his visit: "Alexander Mackenzie from Canada by land, the twenty-second of July, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-three. Lat. 52 degrees, 20 minutes, 48 seconds north." Mackenzie then retraced his course and returned to the East. An excellent life of Mackenzie has been written by Rev. George Bryce, D. D. The book forms part of the "Makers of Canada" series, and, besides the life of Mackenzie, it contains accounts of the lives of Lord Selkirk, founder of the Red river settlement, and of Sir George Simpson, one of the great governors of the Hudson's Bay company.

SELECT SEED CORN GIVES HIGH YIELDS

Boys' Club Members Urged to Make a Specialty of Seed Selection by County Agents

Corn Grown Under Average Field Conditions Desirable

Increased Yield Of 10 To 30 Per Cent. Secured — Should Be Stored In a Dry Place.

College Park, Aug. 31.—The fact that much higher yields of corn can be secured from the careful selection of seed corn has become generally recognized by farmers throughout the State. Members of the Boys' Corn Clubs of the various counties are being especially urged to specialize in field selection by their County Demonstration Agents.

According to Prof. Nickolas Schmitz, of the Maryland State Agricultural Experiment Station, the proper selection of seed corn is the first step toward a profitable corn crop. In this connection he says, "Now is the time to make the proper selection of your seed corn. Don't consider seed good simply because it will grow. It should also retain its full vigor. The only way full vigor can be retained is to take care of the seed properly. This can be done by selecting the seed before storing it. The superiority of properly preserved seed over that picked from the crib, even though the crib seed germinates well, has been proven over and over again, the increase in yield in the well-preserved seed over crib-picked seed usually running from 10 to 30 per cent.

"The only proper way to select seed corn is from the standing stalks. As soon as the crop ripens, go through the field with a basket or bag hung across the shoulder and husk the corn from desirable stalks that have produced good-sized ears without having any special advantages of air, moisture and fertility. Avoid very large ears on stalks standing single or with a large amount of space around them. Preference should be given those plants that have produced well in competition with a full stand. Late-maturing plants with ears which are heavy because of an excessive amount of sap should be passed by; sappiness is likely to destroy quality. Everything being equal, short, thick stalks are preferable. They are not so easily blown down, permit thicker planting, and in general, are more productive than slender stalks. The position of the ear is also important. It should not be too high, as the higher the ear is placed on the stalk, the more apt the stalk is to blow down in case of a storm. The ear should also have a tendency to droop rather than to point upward, because of the danger of water getting into the husk and causing sprouting of molding. It is an inherited tendency of corn to produce suckers; therefore, other things being equal, seed should be taken from stalks not having suckers.

"The most important step in seed selection, however, is to place the ears selected in a dry place with free circulation of air, so that they will dry out quickly. The storage room may be any place where air circulates freely; such as a wagon shed, barn loft, or attic. But do not throw the seed on a pile; that would not be much improvement over the crib. Tie the ears in bunches on a string or in some other way, placing them so that there is free circulation of air around each ear. The seed should be left in this manner until it is as 'dry as a bone,' which usually takes about two months. After this, it may be stored in mouse-proof boxes or barrels or crates if desired, or they may be allowed to remain where they are."

Hastening the Moult

College Park, Md., Aug. 31.—Poultry keepers are inquiring daily how early moulting may be secured in order to hasten the laying of fall eggs. From his personal experience, Poultryman Roy H. Waite, of the Maryland Agricultural Experiment Station, does not recommend a forced moult. He says, "It is possible to hasten the process and get a new set of feathers on the birds in short order, but several experiments have shown that where the moult has been forced the hens laid later than when they were allowed to moult naturally. Give the moulting hens plenty of feed rich in protein. The feathers contain large amounts of this product and make a heavy drain upon the bird's supply. The feathers will grow out after a fashion even though the hens are not fed a special feed, but they will not come through with the same degree of health and vitality they would have if properly cared for.

"In addition to the regular rations, give a small proportion of linseed meal. About 10 per cent. of the regular mash has been found to be good. This would be ten pounds of linseed meal to each ninety pounds of the mash mixture. If sunflower seeds are available, they make an excellent moulting feed, but it would hardly pay to buy them at present prices, unless you are raising special exhibition stock."

STAMP OUT THE FLY

"Three things are necessary in waging a successful warfare against the Hessian Fly, viz.: thorough preparation of the soil, so as to form the best possible conditions for germination; heavy fertilization, if the soil is not already in good condition, so as to insure a quick and rapid growth, and late sowing so as to compel the flies to go elsewhere to deposit their eggs."

This extract from Bulletin 194 of the Indiana Experiment Station contains in a nut-shell the main conditions to be handled in the control of the pest. The Illinois Circular 146 also makes a good point when it declares: "A vigorous wheat plant is much better able to react against an attack of the fly, especially by stooling freely or throwing out an abundance of new shoots from the root. Whatever tends, consequently, to give vigor to the plant reduces proportionally the percentage of loss."

This leads to the conclusion that a fertilizer containing at least 2 per cent ammonia and at least 10 per cent available phosphoric acid may be the salvation of the crop, and the experience of many users bear this out.