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The undersigned will receive bids until 12 o'clock, noon, Wednesday, February 26, 1913, from parties wishing to furnish fifty cords of four foot wood for use at the Iron County Court House and Jail. The wood must be of best quality. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

WM. M. BLAIR, Sheriff,
Ironton, Mo., February 4, 1913.

Just received a large car of Wire Fencing, Barb Wire, Staples and Nails. This car was contracted for last fall, before there was any advance in price. We are selling at the former low price, which simply means better fence for less money than you can get elsewhere.

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ISTER office.

I AM not in favor of the proposed Busby (etc.) bill which seeks by constitutional amendment to knock out the Initiative and Referendum so far as they may affect the Single Tax question. If the people may be trusted half-way they should be trusted clear through. Those highbrows who assume direction and guardianship of the common rights of us may be unselfish and patriotic and all that; but I do not take kindly to them. I hope our local Representative and Senator will sing out an unmistakable "No" to the Busby (etc.) bill.

Washington Correspondence.

BY CLYDE H. TAVENNER.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 6.—Few persons realize the far reaching importance of the fact that the United States will soon have an income tax on its statutes.

First of all it means that millionaires will, for the first time since this nation has stood, bear a fair proportion of the burden of taxation.

It is estimated that one hundred million dollars will be raised annually by taxing incomes. This will mean that that amount of taxation is to be taken off of the things that the people must have in order to live and placed on wealth.

Under the system of protection as played in this country, nearly every penny of the money necessary to run the government, maintain the army and navy, construct public buildings, etc., is raised by taxing the things the people eat, wear and use. The only thing that protection does not tax is wealth. A man with a fortune of ten million dollars has not been required to pay a single penny of tax to the national government. This seems almost unbelievable, but it is true. The man working on the section for one dollar and fifty cents per day, with a family of five children, is at the present time actually contributing more to run the national government than the millionaire bachelor, too proud to marry, to raise a family.

The United States of America is practically the only one of the great nations where such a condition exists. Nearly every first class nation on earth levies either an income tax or an inheritance tax. We have neither.

Why have we never been able to place an income tax on the statute books, is the question that naturally arises. Here is the answer: High protectionists have prevented the passage of an income tax law, because they knew that the more money the government collected from taxing incomes, the less excuse there would be for a tariff tax. To take protection away from the tariff trusts is to interfere with their monopolies. And how could the tariff trusts gouge consumers without having monopolies of American markets?

THE COTTON TARIFF ROBBERY.

The American people are paying annually about \$80,000,000 more for their cotton goods than they ought to pay, because of the iniquitous Payne-Aldrich tariff law. The 63d Congress is preparing to interfere with this robbery. There will be a big downward revision on all kinds of cotton goods.

The cotton schedule of the Payne-Aldrich law carries an average duty of about 53 per cent. This means that every article of cotton cloth and every piece of cotton yarn that comes through the custom house, has 53 per cent. added to its foreign price. And on cotton goods that does not come through the custom house, but is manufactured in this country, the 53 per cent. is added just the same by the home manufacturer.

When the tariff on cotton goods is reduced one-third or one-half of the present rates, this article so much used by women and children, may be had at prices more nearly representing the actual value of the goods.

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County Court Proceedings.

- MONDAY, FEBRUARY 3d.
- Florence Hoghead, poor, \$2.
 - W. T. Keathley, keeping paupers, \$82.79; keeping insane paupers, \$226.40.
 - John Albert, coffin for poor, \$6.
 - Ironton Telephone Co., phones, \$12.
 - P. P. Rosentretter, for express, \$10.90.
 - B. P. Burnham, County Superintendent, salary, \$175; postage \$3.00.
 - J. F. Pease, papering, etc., County Clerk's office, \$25.
 - Ben Blanton, for pine, \$3.00.
 - Walter Thurman, 10 cords wood, \$50.
 - Wm. Blue, board of prisoners, \$10; guard of prisoners, etc., \$3.30.
 - Annual settlement of Levy Pearson, road overseer, approved. Allowed \$175.
 - Annual settlement of G. M. Collins, road overseer, approved. Allowed \$120.
 - Dr. I. A. Marshall, county physician, \$15.
 - Thos. D. Jones, disbursing school money, \$75.15; postage, \$3.00.
 - Annual settlement of J. L. Brooks, road overseer, approved. Allowed \$99.00.

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- C. L. Brooks, interest on road warrant, \$5.34.
- Annual settlement C. L. Thompson, road overseer, approved. Allowed \$28.51.
- Gay & Kindell, supplies for court house, \$15.33.
- Lopez Store, supplies court house and jail, \$11.95.
- I. G. Whitworth, supplies furnished Road district 2, \$6.98.
- J. W. Anderson, wood for court house and jail, \$15.
- F. W. Delano, use of automobile, \$3.50.
- Jno. I. Marshall, waiting on circuit court, \$48; janitor work, \$11; money furnished poor, \$3; board of prisoners, \$269.50.
- B. B. Blanton, wood and pine for court house, \$15.
- Annual settlement Pete Sumpter, road overseer, approved. Allowed \$71.45.
- Annual settlement John Macey, road overseer, approved. Allowed \$88.88.
- August Rieke, coffin for poor, \$5.
- W. T. Stevenson, supplies for election, \$1.20.
- C. W. Stevenson, acting deputy constable, Annapolis and Des Arc, \$2.
- C. P. Damon, Prosecuting Attorney's salary, \$100.
- T. D. Jones, County Treasurer, salary, \$150.
- TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 4TH.
- A. M. Madigan, supplies for court house and jail, \$11.90.
 - C. F. Hanson, repair work on court house and jail, \$3.55.
 - Annual settlement H. F. Akers, road overseer, approved. Allowed \$25.48.
 - Annual settlement L. W. Scott, road overseer, approved. Allowed \$58.40.
 - Annual settlement B. A. Sloan, road overseer, approved. Allowed \$1.47.
 - Annual settlement L. L. Sims, road overseer, approved. Allowed \$3.82.
 - Annual settlement Dave Paris, road overseer, approved. Allowed \$154.10.
 - Annual settlement N. S. Vickery, road overseer, approved. Allowed \$18.68.
 - Annual settlement Albert Conway, road overseer, approved. Allowed \$36.70.
 - Annual settlement Fred Lewis, road overseer, approved. Allowed \$104.06.
 - Court examined school bonds.
- WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 5TH.
- A. V. Polak, highway engineer, salary, \$75.
 - Gay & Schwab, supplies and repair work for court house and jail, \$6.
- IRON COUNTY REGISTER, stationery, \$77.75.
- Annual settlement A. G. Moyer, road overseer, approved. Allowed \$16.06.
- Annual settlement Joe Selinger, road overseer, approved. Allowed \$48.98.
- Grand and petit jurors drawn for April of circuit court.
- Hugh Stephens Printing Co., supplies for county superintendent, \$10.55.
- Mrs. H. Adolph, office rent highway engineer, \$10.50.
- Resignation of Less Yount as Constable of Arcadia Township accepted.
- B. H. Blanton appointed to fill said vacancy.
- Settlement of county superintendent examined and approved.
- State Hospital No. 4, support of insane, \$791.80.
- County Treasurer ordered to pay incorporated towns following foreign insurance tax: Ironton, \$66.58; Des Arc, \$16.87; Pilot Knob, \$39.07; Ghermanville, \$8.56. Remainder of said tax, \$769.11, ordered paid into county revenue fund.
- THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 6TH.
- Mac Jones, for wood, \$50.
 - J. A. Reburn, postage, \$5.30.
- FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 7TH.
- Wm. M. Blue, feeding paupers, \$1.
 - Wm. Poston, repairing bridge district 3, \$30.
 - Wm. Sherrill supporting Mrs. Jones, \$30.
- SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 8TH.
- B. B. Blanton's constable bond approved.
 - M. M. Heywood, interest on warrant No. 47, \$15.83.
 - School fund loan of \$100 to Jos. Chilton.
 - W. T. Gay, County Judge, \$30.
 - James Lewis County Judge, \$33.
 - W. A. Townsend, County Judge, \$30.90.
 - Wm. Blue, waiting on county court, \$12.00.
 - J. M. Hawkins, circuit Clerk's fees, \$45.95.
 - Settlement with county treasurer continued until next term of court.
 - A. V. Polak appointed highway engineer at a salary of \$300 a year.
 - Road overseers appointed.
 - Court adjourned to March 10th.
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