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MEDICINAL

Every farmer knows that to kill weeds he must go to the roots. To cut the weed off on the surface, means that the weed is still left to grow. It's just that way with boils, ulcers, eruptions, pimples and similar diseases of the flesh. To cure them you must go to the roots, down into the blood. Mere surface treatment never gets rid of the disease. It will come back at the first opportunity.

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THE COMMISSIONERS OF VALUATION BILL.

So far as the commissioners of valuation bill is concerned, I approve of it most heartily. It is directly in the line of the just policy of compelling the personalty tax dodger to take upon his shoulders his proper proportion of the burden of taxation. If he could be made to do so the rate of tax on houses and lands could be reduced more than 50 per cent. Real estate carries vastly more than its fair share of the burden, because it lies out in the full glare of the sun, visible to the naked eye of the assessor and the collector, and cannot be hidden; but incomes, stocks, bonds and the bulk of personal property lie concealed between the leaves of calf-bound ledgers or in coat pockets and safe-deposit vaults where the vision of the tax-gatherer never penetrates. How many people in the city of Alexandria today make even a pretence of reporting any taxable income whatever? Let the books of the commissioner of the revenue answer, or I will if I feel called upon to do it. The answer would dumfound the town because of the ridiculously small number who have owned up.

The bill is a righteous one, it is a necessary one, and it is a democratic one. We all remember (or have we forgotten?) the howl that pierced the skies from democratic throats when the partisan U. S. Supreme Court a few short years ago nullified the income tax law, and we also remember (or have we forgotten?) how that great party when it met in convention in Chicago on July 7th, 1896, adopted the following as a portion of its platform of principles:

"Until the money question is settled we are opposed to any agitation for further changes in our tariff laws, except such as are necessary to make up the deficit in revenue caused by the adverse decision of the Supreme Court on the income tax. But for this decision of the Supreme Court there would be no deficit in the revenue under the laws passed by a democratic Congress in strict pursuance of the uniform decision of that court for one hundred years, that court having sustained constitutional objections to its enactment, which have been overruled by the ablest judges who ever sat on that bench. We declare that it is the duty of Congress to use all the constitutional power which remains after that decision, or which may come from its reversal by the court as it may hereafter be constituted, so that the burdens of taxation may be equally and impartially laid, to the end that wealth may bear its due proportion of the expenses of the government."

Is it possible that our then advocacy of an income tax was based on no holier or loftier thought then that the chief sufferers under what we are now pleased to term its iniquitous propositions, would be the rich republicans of the north, and that our present opposition to it is because it catches our prosperous Virginia democrats? Perish the ignoble thought. If the principle of taxation of secret incomes in the United States was right in A. D. 1896, when we all voted for it, it is right in Virginia in A. D. 1900, and no one can gainsay that statement. The question as to whose ox is gored does not vary the principle.

But, it is said, the application of the law is inquisitorial and it is forcible in its operations and it creates a horde of officeholders. Granted; but why is it that the application of a little of the rack-and-thumb-screw method of getting at your taxable incomes and personalty and the employment of this horde of officeholders is necessary and unavoidable? Simply because of the criminal and unpatriotic and unfair-to-your-neighbor concealment of and refusal to report the property which you possess, and which is just as properly taxable as is your neighbor's modest little dwelling which, unfortunately for him, has the quality of being visible.

Try for a novelty the plan of making a fair report of your income and stocks and bonds, &c.; be honest from principle and not from compulsion, and this horde of inquisitorial officeholders will pass away as flits the shade across the summer field. They would be as unnecessary as a policeman in heaven.

Of course this measure is unpopular in certain quarters. Any measure designed to secure equality, equity and uniformity in the obligation to pay taxes and to bring to book those who have enjoyed immunity in the past, must be so.

Its kindred measure, the so-called "land-grabber" law (in the preparation of which I am proud to admit I assisted as one of a sub-committee), met with a storm of opposition from those who for years had considered not their tax bills because they knew that the then existing laws were insufficient to compel them to pay; yet that law, despite all assaults, stands today recognized as a just and reasonable one in its general principles, and it has increased the revenue of Virginia, without additional taxation, thousands of dollars annually since its enactment—$165,000 in the fiscal year 1898-99 alone.

So also the measure based on the like ides, passed in 1896, appointing examiners of records to ascertain the amount of personal property under the control of fiduciaries and the courts of the Commonwealth, was declaimed against as a very harsh and inquisitorial measure, but it remains upon the statute book and it has unearthed and added to the taxable values of the State, as asserted by a Senator in debate in Richmond the other day, over fifty millions of dollars since its passage.

These bills made it possible for the legislature just ended to increase its appropriations for pensions to disabled ex-Confederates and for the support of its lunatic asylums and schools and colleges, etc., all of which had been suffering from lack of funds in the past to sustain properly their merciful and eleemosynary and educational objects. The passage of this commissioner of valuation bill will enable the State to increase their efficiency hereafter, relieve us of all fear as to our ability to take care of the public debt, drive away the spectre of another readjuster and repudiation period in our history, and possibly allow us to get rid of that miserable list of unjust fizable fixed license taxes on our trades, professions, businesses, brains, brawn, muscle and industry that now afflict Virginians So mote it be.

Whether or not the bill was passed in the manner pointed out by the Constitution I shall venture no opinion, as I am not thoroughly familiar with the facts and incidents of the passage. But that has nothing to do with the merits or propriety of the proposed tax, and if the law should be held to be invalid because of the manner of its passage, the people should see that the legislature elected two years hence is pledged to put it through properly the next time.

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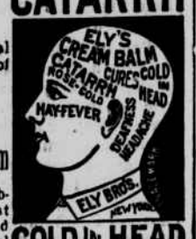

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