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BREEDING RADICAL POLITICAL MOVEMENTS

THE big problem right now before the nation and every state, county and city is reduction of taxation.

The cost of government has grown at a much more rapid rate than the earning power of the individual and industry.

Expense is not watched as closely in governmenta activities as in private business, hence it mounts more rap-

For this reason it is necessary that drastic action be taken at the earliest moment to see that the public is protected from further excessive increases in taxation and in addition that taxes be materially reduced.

Can the leaders in control of "politics" go on extending taxation and all kinds of restrictive and regulatory legislation indefinitely and not reap the whirlwind in the development of revolutionary and socialistic movements?

AS THE EDITOR SEES IT

THERE are some people who go thru life with a smooth serenity that is seldom ruffled. It is not ruffled because they do not trouble to go deeply into affairs and conditions around them. They do no harm in the world, and sometimes exert themselves to the extent of doing a little plish a world of good. good. We like them, but they command no great amount of admiration.

There is another class, and they are in the majority, who are not averse to speaking their minds. Generally they are fair students of men and conditions, dig down after facts, make up their minds after a careful analysis, and then stand by their convictions. They give praise where it is due, but do not hesitate to censure when it becomes necessary. They are the constructive citizens of this country.

And then there is still a third class. They are the kickers - the chronic ones - and their happiest moments are when they are kicking at something, or somebody, or both. They come into the world kicking, go thru ing a husband. They do not employ still much to learn life with a kick, and kick like the devil because they have to shuffle off. They are destructive to society, but more destructive to themselves.

The choice is yours.

PARMERS are becoming more scientific in their methods of cultivating and managing their farms. You have only to watch the farm implement houses and watch their sales to become convinced of this fact.

A few years ago the farmer clung to the old methods, and literally worked himself to death for slight returns. His family shared the same fate.

Then he woke up, decided he was on the wrong track righted himself, and started to forge ahead. He is still forging, outstripping many other industries in the progress he is making.

· He has his ups and his downs, but the downs don't bother him much. He just steps over them and keeps on

Such men make a country great.

IN all due courtesy we are inclined to liken a school teacher to a hen with a large brood of little chicks.

The hen is aways mothering them, protecting them from harm, and training them in the way they should go. We all admire a good hen mother, and are loath to

A conscientious school teacher is much like the hen.

She mothers her little flock, keeps a jealous eye upon each oldiers did in France Big Business A conscientious school teacher is much like the hen individual member, trains it in the way of truth and honor,

and intelligence, and education, and lays the foundation upon which its future success depends. But we are not always as mindful of the welfare of

the teacher as we are of the hen.

That's the difference.

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Many a big lie is told to cover up a little one.

The bar of justice is often the greatest ber to justice.

equal to the cost of saving it.

ce like home" appeals to who is too lazy to work.

lights of summer be marred by discomforts brings.

The man who reaches

THE MEAT IN DUTY

I is the duty of every citizen te vote in the primaries, and also at election time. But duty does not begin or end there.

Going along with our party is not nough. It is not the way to insure

Just "going slong" enables the grong element to secure control of he party, and that means poor gov ernment when the party is in control. It also aids in putting the arty out of control.

Our greatest care should be exerised in nominating our candidates We should study both the past and the present of each person who is ur for nomination. If his past is not lean we should not consider him for a moment. If his present does not ffer -- prospects -- of -- satisfactor achievements while in office he should

The ability to make pleasing and nticing noises with his mouth does not necessarily indicate that a mar would be successful as a public of ficial. It requires brains and integrity, as well as words, to make good 'Going along with our party" is

all right, provided we harness up the right men for leaders.

And the man should lit the harness

LET'S HAVE ONE

WE are a believer in women's clubs Properly conducted they accom

has a wonderful field in which to

our hoys in such a manner that they will become leaders instead of drone when they reach maturity. We want to see our girls modes

ind ladylike at all times, instead of some places. We want them to eventually make the right kind of

Then there are many not understand the art of managthat degree of tact which prod harmony instead of discord. A comparison or notes along this lin yould produce wonderful results in

In fact, there is no limit to the opportunities for improvnig social and demestic conditions.

Men are busily engaged in provid ng the necessities of life and managng our political affairs. Their mind are too much occupied to note as they should the loose points of our moral and social surroundings.

It réquires feminine brains to de vise ways and means of putting that touch of beauty and refinement to our community which makes living

It is the brain of woman which is est fitted to plan and execute those nnobling-influences which should control the destinies of humanity. We have room for a live woman

BIG BUSINESS BUNGLES

DIG Business makes a mistake in opposing the soldier bonus so enuously. It is not wise, and it is

ould not be as big as it is to-day. It would be paying enormous tribute in one way or another to a foreign country. It would not be dominant, and arrogant, as it is now, but would be begging and cringing for mercy A victorious Germany yould not have proven a merciful

Big Business forgets. It needs to nave its memory jogged.

Riches makes a man suspicious of kiches makes a man suspicious of not afford to pay the service men the his friends, and the absence of it bonus to which they are entitled. the top are not his friends.

nearly all of the gold in the world

CLOTHING

Men's Suits LOWER PRICED

See the New Suits at \$19.00

See our Dress Shirts at \$1.25 See our Work Shirts at 75c See our Overalls & Jackets 95c See our Union Suits at \$1.00

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A High-Grade(Men's Rubber Boot----All Boys', Misses and Children's Shoes at Reduced Prices.

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It keeps the up-to-date girl moving to keep up-to-date. Law and order is commendable on

ly when enforced. Brush up the front yard before

ome one brushes up your memory. Like the tiresome guest, winter is ost popular when it comes and goes

A dollar saved is not necessarily a dollar earned. It may have been stolen.

The woman who has beauty of character has little cause to worr over personal defects.

The farmer may not have hay in his whiskers these days, but

he has plenty in his barn. The fellow who thinks for himself

also does a lot of thinking for oth

All the world admires a manly man — except the fellow who is un manly himself.

It would never do for some peo ple to be farmers. Their grunting would make the hogs jealous.

The woman with a short mem is consoled by the thot that she can soon foget her most embarrassing

An exchange remarks that the worst of our profiteers are sure to go to hell, but we doubt it. The devil is too wise a bird to admit them.

We complacently admit that we are the richest nation in and yet we are so pauperized we can not afford to pay the service men the

The man who reaches the work often sighs over the good times he left at the bottom.

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