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While the Entente Allies are "nibbling" at the German lines from the North Sea to Switzerland, but are making little or no serious attempts to break through or bring about a culminating struggle, the Teutonic Powers have taken another step in the exploitation of the East. The advance guards of the Germans have entered Odessa, the greatest Russian port on the Black Sea, and the centre of a great agricultural section, the products of which are desired to feed the hungry peoples of the Central Empires. The German advance through Moldavia and Bessarabia has been virtually unopposed.

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The German Zeppelin raid on England Tuesday night was not successful. It reached no objects of military importance and only one airship succeeded in dropping bombs on a town. Four bombs fell on Hull, but the rest of the aerial raiders wandered aimlessly about the country and their bombs fell in open fields.

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If the income war tax law, about to be applied, did nothing more than cause a national stock-taking, it would serve a most useful purpose. The taking of an inventory of one's resources invariably induces a desire to save and a desire to save when translated, as it very frequently is, into a determination to save, means getting on with the war, as well as happiness all around. This process: first an inventory of one's resources, then a desire to save, applied to every unmarried person, or widow and widower without dependent children, receiving an income of \$1,500 and over, and to all other persons receiving an income of \$3,000 and over, will unquestionably result in a large proportion of cases, in a determination to save. And that means more general prosperity and renewed national strength.

But a national stock-taking is only incidental, of course, to the chief purpose of the income war tax, which is to provide revenue for the prosecution of the war in an equitable manner as possible. The tax is to be graduated according to one's ability to pay. Those who are in receipt of only a living wage or salary will not be called upon to pay; those enjoying the highest incomes will be called upon to pay the greatest amounts, and the great body of income receivers between, will be called upon to pay their due proportion.

Moreover, the purpose of the act is to distribute the burden equitably among all classes. By way of illustration, the farmer will be required to add to the value of his actual income, the value of the home-grown products which his own family consumes. This places the farmer on a plane with the salaried man, the value of whose services is wholly represented in the income received and against which he must charge all his living expenses.

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