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EXPONENT OF SINGLE TAX MAKES INTERESTING TALK

John L. White, eloquent exponent of the single tax, addressed an interested audience at the Public Library last composed of powers conferred by law, or of articles produced by labor. To secure revenue to defray the public (or common) expense, it is necessary to levy taxes on one or the other of these two forms of property. Of curse, it is possible to tax both forms, but all revenue, be it either public or private, is derived from one or the other.

very good friends the lawyers two methods?

ase in perpetuity. A right of way is are the easier it will be for him to carry the property?

"Both the fee simple title and the "Second, the easier it is to hold lease in perpetuity. A right of way is merely a more limited right to use, "Both the fee simple title and the right of way fall under the undisputed legal principle formulated by one of the really great English lawyers, Sir the more difficult is to carry land Matthew Hale, who died about 1676.

that control That is, it proposes taxation to regulate the use of fee-Calgary, for illustration, there

given area of land. Also a given umber of people. Also there are cerleft as a possible subject of taxation only the people themselves. In some places a poll tax is laid. Boston, Mass., collected last year \$100,000 by a poll tax, and it cost \$113,000 to do the work. It cannot fairly be called "We tax dogs purposely to check wise to burden the people to no purpose." wise to burden the people to no pur-

ecause there are not many luxuries. and also it is a tax more readily avoided, or dodged) The bulk of taxes aid by the poor. The poor are many

single tax is a proposal to a landowner or a tenant. He or she

all public revenue from the form is a land user and a goods consumer perty that consists of power conby law. The greater part of "We are therefore forced back to our ower consists of land titles. firstposition. To get publicrevenue, nts of way held by public utility wemust tax eitherthe value of land panies are of thesame nature, bealted rights to use land, or what is the difference, if any, between the

sements.

"First, is it not obvious that the ee-simple title to a parcel of less land istaxed the easier it will be really only a right to use that to hold it vacant? If a man holds va-for any purpose that does not cant land in city or country, is it not te a nuisance. It is, in fact, a plainly true that the lower his taxes

This principle runs: 'Any business Also, the more land is held vacant, affected with a public use is subject to the less will be the area occupied by ontrol.' the people and the maller the are e-simple title can be establish- occupied by a given number of people only by sovereignty. Presumably the more intense will be the demand for land, and consequently the higher blic good. A right of way is its value or price Low taxes on land, to the same description. Beto the same description. Beistinctly of public origin they
ibject to public control, and the also cause high rent for the portion used

'Third, the less land values are taxed, the more the value of products of vide sufficient revenue. "Fourth, taxes on products are ne

cessarily added to the price at which such articles are sold, for the reason that if the producer cannot add the tain roads, bridges, buildings, vehi-cles. machinery, furniture, clothing, must stop, producing. If this is doubtd. etc. In short, the land, the peo-and whatever the people may have would be the effect of a tax of \$10 made, or traded their products for, per year laid on every fruit tree in Other than land or products, there is British Columbia? Fruit can be pro-

wise to burden the people to no pur-pose. Poll taxes are a remnant of an on other things also check supply? ancient combination of tyranny and stupidity.

"Many favor the taxation of luxuries,"

"Band or the taxation of luxuries, when the state of land or the stat but examination of any tax list shows value of goods, but either being done, that no considerable amount of revegoods to a vacant lot? Just what good

"Laws are supposed to be for the on personal property are inevitably general good. Just what good is a paid by the poor. The poor are many, law that makes vacant land profitactories and on commercial houses what we want them to do. Don't tax are port of their expenses, and must, good things; tax bad things. Tax of course, become part of the price what we don't need—dogs, saloon

BABY KILLED BY COLOR TWO KILLED IN

FROM HIS DOLL'S SHOE

BATTLE WITH CLUBS

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St. Paul, Minn. April 22.—A tiny red shoe on a baby's first doll caused the floor on the floor on the floor of the damination of the floor of the damination of the floor of

Temperature

when intoxicated, no compassion for his wife and children whatsoever.

chance, but his honor refused to be moved by his pleadings.

New York, April 22. - An Indian

amp has been established on the roof

onable hotel in this city. The en-

have visited New York as attaches to an industrial exhibition, and absol-

valls of an hotel bedroom.

tely refuse to sleep within the four

The chief, Three Bears, who is eighty years old and the only one who

"ELECTRICITY DEVILS."

BLACKFEET DON'T LIKE

Turned Wife and Children Out in the

Stre'et to Freeze in Below Zero TWO AFTERNOONS AND THE AN EXTRA VALUABLE RIGHT TO THE PARLOR.

Winnipeg, April 21 .- "Six months i jail at hard labor should have a salu-Domestics in Chicago Make Demand ory effect on a man of your calibre, on Employers; Their Many Wants ented Magistrate Macdonald at the city police court, as he disposed o

the case of John Mullens, convicted of wife beating.

The case of Mullens, he said, was an objectionable one, as the man showed, when intovicated no compassion for have just organized a union to be known as the Household Workers' association. The new union obtained a charter yes-terday from the American Federation of

Crown Prosecutor Levinson, in pressing for a punishment, said the man bore a bad record. He was constantly drunk, and his favorite mode of amusement was to throw his wife and children out of doors. He had on two occasions last winter, while the worken considerably below zero, while the worken and her lables out.

Weather was considerably below zero, while the worken and her lables out. man bore a bad record. He was con-stantly drunk, and his favorite mode

turned the woman and her babies out to freeze, and one brutal act of this kind, it had been proven, was respon-sible for the death of his youngest SECRETARY DANIELS BELIEVES IN BIG NAVY Mullen pleaded hard for another

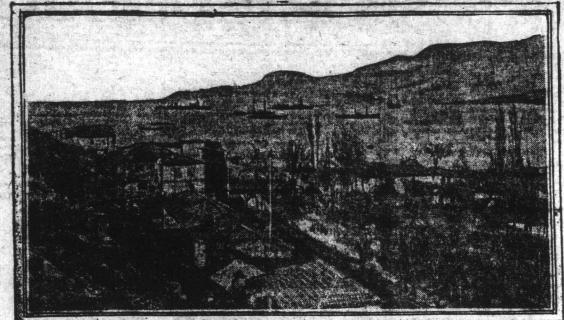


ows any English, is frightened at his people to sleep inside the so he and Long Time Sleep Calf, Lazy Boy, Big Top, Med-The first exposition of the naval policy of the administration was made re-Owl, White Calf's squaw, Medi-owl's squaw and a ten-year-old cently by Josephus Daniels, the Secretary of the Navy, at the annual bangirl pitched their tepees above eves, whence they can look out quet of the Navy League of the United beast knelt on the prostrate man and States at Washington. Covers were proceeded to chew him up horribly. he city' artificial peaks and States at Washington. Covers were laid for about five hundred guests. Secparty are very fearful of the retary Daniels was introduced by

s of civilization, and are highly cous of the tall buildings and team and electricity devils."

Colonel Robert M. Thompson, the toastmaster. The event city, but absolutely large navy, but did not give his reto leave their notel roof after marks specific application to the present in the specifi

MONTENEGRINS WILL BE BLOCKADED UNTIE BOUNDARY LINES CAN BE ESTABLISHED



The great Powers will make certain concessions to the Balkan allies in an endeavor to bring about peace. The

straight line between Enes and Midia instead instead of following the course of the Ergene and Miritza rivers, as the

LADY FRIEND SWIPED W. CHURCHILL'S WAD

irst Lord of Admiralty Won Money at Cards, Lady Congratulated Him, Now Both are missing

ll, first lord of the admiralty, it is earned today, has been the victim of most daring and sensational robbery, in which a young woman is suspected as the possible agent some foreign power.

By the theft the first lord of the admiralty not only loses the \$2,500 in money, but highly important confidential naval data, such as might easily be sought as of greatest value The robbery has greatly

the trail of an aristocratic band which has just appeared in London. The first lord of the admiralty having won the money at cards on Shortly after visiting Toulon, Mr

nes, where the first lord received an nvitation to go ashore. He went at once to a fashionable house, noted well-known society persons gathered around the table, and Mr. Churchill was soon engrossed in a game, and after an hour's play found himself richer by \$2,500. The first lord of the

started.

After the fight three of the Italians ran the launch containing the dead bodies back to San Francisco. They then made a dash for liberty and two escaped. The other was badly wounded and was easily captured by the officers.

Case is a member of an international worth anything like as much as a capital asset as in Canada. The sum of £100 would be a very conservative estimate."

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German Physician Claims to Be Abl to Make a Moving Picture of

ing of the Physiotherapeutics con-gress here, Dr. Rosenthal presented for inspection a new appearance of the physiotherapeutics con-traction of the physiotherapeutics con-gress here, Dr. Rosenthal presented broke his shoulder block vented by himself, by means of which nose ring until help came. Mr. Hamit is possible to cinematograph any mer is a man well up in years, but he internal organ, thus enabling a view showed great courage, endurance and of its actual working to be seen, and presence of mind in holding out so in case of illness aiding in location long, as it was almost twenty minutes of the exact centre of disease.

medical men present were at once able to detect the presence of disease. The invention which is an adaption of the X-rays is very simple, and it is declared that it will revolutionize the system of diagnosis. There will no longer be any need for doctors to perate to discover the nature and cation of disease. The apparatus nakes all disease visible.

MINNESOTA FARMER IS KILLED BY A STALLION

Crockston, Minn., April 22.-With an ar chewed off, all the muscles of his right arm torn away, and the bone broken, several vicious wounds on his scalp, and his entire body bruised and leeding, Napoleon Casavan, aged 55. prominent farmer of Louisville township, was rushed to the city last evening and placed in St. Vincent hospital where he died shortly after midnight Casavan's fatal injuries were received from a stallion, which he had raised and which had always been tret-ted as a pet. He was ditching in his fields when one of the horses became mired. The traces were loosened, and as the horses attempted to get up, Casavan being at its head, the stallion made a lunge at him, bit his arm and knocked him down. The infuriated

Biggest Lumber Yard Burns. Wilmington, N. C., April 22.—A special from eGorgetown, S. C., tonight said that practically half of the Atlantic Coast

Britain's Loss Canada's Gain BE MARRIED THIS TIME

EMIGRATION TO THE COLONIES COSTS UNITED KINGDOM \$125,000,000 ANNUALLY A surprising statement as to the

actual value in pounds, shillings and pence of the stream of working men and women which is flowing from Free Trade England into Protectionist Augustine iVctoria of Hohenzollern, was the assistant Canadian superintendent confirmed yesterday by the king's private representative. Smith of the value as capital assets

of every British immigrant into the Dominion are amazing. More than 150,001 Britons emigrated to Canada last year, to say nothing of New Zealand and various foreign countries.
"The value as a capital asset of to any nation not too friendly with every immigrant into a new and undereat Britain. "is generally reckoned as 200 pounds. entire admiralty, and Mr. Churchill in the towns and cutes of Canada it has put Scotland Yard detectives on cost an immigrant 40 pounds a year cost an immigrant 40 pounds a year to pay expenses, including food and lodging, clothes and medical atten-

"This means that in five years the other citizens 200 pounds, and the net productiveness if he lived on the land during that time may be taken as somewhere about the same figure. £400 Per Man

"Personally, however, I think this estimate is too low. I should place admiralty was warmly congratulated on his sudden streak of luck, and "On this basis, then, the total value capable man is assured of work on the

capital asset to the Mother country of the 250,000 emigrants but year works out at £25,000,000.

TWENTY-MINUTE BATTLE WITH FEROCIOUS BULL

Cowdy P. O., Man., April 22.-While The congress was allowed to see the shot. He was taken to the hospital in internal working of a stomach and the Winnipeg.

EX-KING MANUEL WILL

Romantic Ex-Monarch of Portugal is to Marry German Princess

secretary, Marquis de Liberado. It meets Queen Alexandra, the German emperor and other royal personages.

Manuel has been provided by newsmongers and others with many potential brides, and in February, 1909, when he was still on the throne of Portugal, it was officially announced in Lisbon that he was betrothed to Princess Beatrice of Saxe Cobourg, a cousin of King George, but this fell through, because the princess was a Protestant. Since his deposition it has been announced that he was to marry the daughter of Don Miguel, pretender to the Portuguese throne and thus unite the rival royal claims. The princess, whom he is actually to marry is a distant relative of the Porspective hus-

of Hohenzoilern, was the innocent cause of the Franco-Prussian war of 1879. He was chosen by the Spanish government to be king of Spain on the expulsion of Queen Isabella. The emperor, Napoleon III., insisted on the withdrawal of the prince and his highness, with the assent of the King of Prussia, withdrew his acceptance of the throne. Not satisfied with this, Napoleon demanded guarantees against any future canadature, which the King of Prussia refused to give and the war followed.

WHEN A MAN MAY STEAL

Glance Into Australian Affairs

Sydney, April 22 .- Dr. Kelly, the Roman Catholic primate of Australia, addressing the Hibernian society here. referred to the recent strikes and the "The contentions and strife between a revolution any day, because capital perate, and because labor is em-boldened by the success attending violence. Society with us is in a very parlous and dangerous condition. Dr. Kelly added that a "man mus not put his hand into another man's pocket unless he is starving, and his tongue is hanging out with thirst Then he may take from another man's

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UTILIZE WASTE PRODUCTS

Increase of Profits to Farmer If Factories Would be Established to Save Waste

Cambridge, Mass., April 22.—The establishment of factories to utilize the waste products of the farm would increase the profits of the farmers and reduce the high cost of living, in the opinion of Prof. T. N. Carver, of Harvard University. Prof. Carver, who has been appoint

ed director of the newly created agri-cultural service of the United States department of agriculture, said he belleved the middlemen could not be eliminated by any system. He stated, however, that efforts would be made to make the middleman come to terms

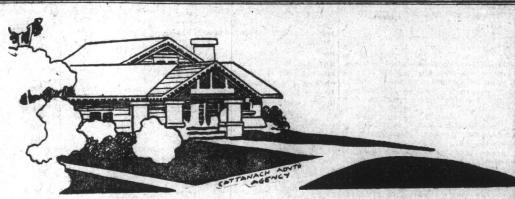


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