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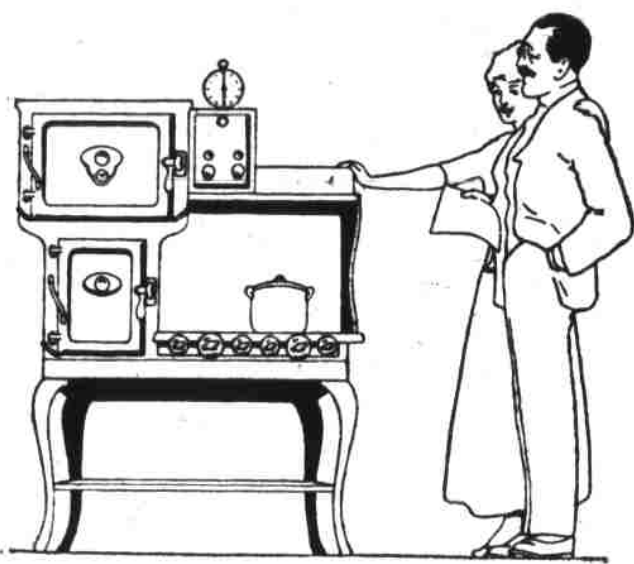
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WHO looketh not for trouble; he will be freer from such than he who anticipates.

WHO can strip a question to its fundamentals; he will arrive at the truth.

WHO places a heavy value on time; he will succeed in his battle.

WHO has a wealth of enthusiasm; he will be followed.

WHO can concentrate his mind on one thing; he will accomplish most.

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STATE TAX SYSTEM OUTRAGES DECENCY

Crucifies Widows and Orphans of State—Under Revaluation, Governor Bickett Points Out, Tax Rate Will Be Reduced From 4-1-4 To One Per Cent If Not Less; Will Insure Equity to Taxpayers.

"I have a niece whose husband left her, as he thought, in comfortable circumstances. He left her a home and several thousand dollars in cash which she has loaned out at 6 per cent. She pays 4-1-4 per cent regular town, county, and State taxes. Please tell me how she is to live and greatly oblige."

"This was the puzzler that Governor Bickett received yesterday in a letter from one of the best citizens in North Carolina who lives in one of the most progressive counties, and which moved Governor Bickett to ask:

"Will someone who is in favor of perpetuating such iniquity tell me what to write this man about his widowed niece? Her case is not exceptional, but is typical of thousands in the State."

"The State of North Carolina," the Governor continues in a statement issued yesterday, "says to this widow whose husband by hard work and self-denial saved up several thousand dollars for her protection after he had passed away:

"The State forbids you to make more than six dollars on the hundred on what your husband left you and his orphan children. You may not make that much. You may make a bad loan, but if you keep all your money loaned out all the time and collect all the interest promptly then out of every six dollars that you collect you must turn over \$4.25 to the State, town and county, and you can keep \$1.75 for the support of yourself and children."

"The cruel tyranny, the brutal injustice, the deep and black damnation of such a tax system so outrages ever instinct of decency, every pulse beat of humanity, and every rule of reason and common sense that even a Governor finds it hard to discuss the subject in terms permitted by the rule and regulations of the church."

"Such a law gives the lie to every pretense that we maintain a Christian civilization and brands with infamy our vaunted Southern chivalry, for we are crucifying the widows and orphans of the land with a law that no set of men would submit to for thirty seconds. If the General Assembly should dare to enact a law taking from every man in the State \$4.25 out of every \$6.00 that the law permits him to make hell would break loose in North Carolina. I want it distinctly understood that in office and out of office, in sunny or in stormy weather I propose to fight this tyranny and injustice until it is wiped off the statute books of North Carolina forever and forever."

"Under the Revaluation Act in the very county from which this letter comes, the tax rate will be reduced from four and a quarter to one per cent, if not less. Then out of every six dollars that the widow collects she will pay one dollar to the State, town and county and have five dollars left for the support of herself and children. And surely this is enough. An income tax of sixteen and two-thirds per cent without allowing any exemptions is certainly enough to require any class of citizens to pay."—From Raleigh News and Observer.

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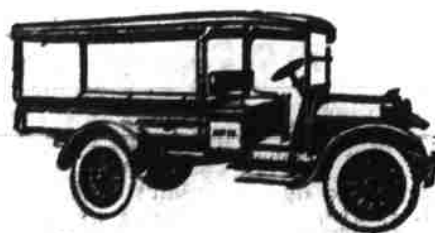
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