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THE WAR REVENUE BILL

Senator Simmons last week ex plained the war revenue bill as revised by the senate finance committee and defended it from attacks made by Representative Kitchin the house ways and means commit-The senate bill has more opponents in North Carolina than house measure, because it takes more taxes from excess profits. Chairman Kitchin declared that his own meas-

ure was crude and that he would

swallow it with his eyes shut. The chief objection to the Simmons revised bill seems to be that it does not fall heavy enough on bis incomes, but the chairman explains that a certain amount of money must go back into trade and that all the governments at war with the exception of Canada and Spain which latter is not at war-have worked the revenue problem out on the same principle. The government will have to collect heavily from moneyed interests, but most fair commentators agree that it will be wise to raise the schedules on incomes from year to year until these incomes are

We know so little about finances that it is difficult for us to discuss question intelligently. Our idea is that the taxes should be s distributed as to bear as fairly or all alike as far as possible with the least disarrangement of business. In other words the taxes should not make useful business enterprises pay their taxes before day of sale lose money. But that is a big queslose money. But that is a big question. Wealth should be made to pay its just proportion.

practically confiscated.

The fight will come over the surtaxes on individual incomes. Chairman Kitchin, with his usual vindictiveness, assailed the Simmons measure, and attacked all those who tavor it. /The News and Observer. whose editorial a week ago none could take offense at, drew from Mr. Kitchin much wrath, but the Raleigh paper scored heavily when it quoted Mr. Kitchin's own words against the merits of his own bin.

Chairman Simmons of course will stand for amending any objectionable featurues of the revised measure, and it is probable that the levy on individual incomes, which Abernethy, James, 1 home ____ 9.84 seems to be the most indefensible Adams, James, 1 lot and 3 seems to be the most indefensible part of the measure, will be made larger. Otherwise, the senate but seems to be a much better measure than that produced by the house committee. The Record long has realized that the cost of this war will have to be met and even little business enterprises like it will feel the stain, but it is asking nothing for itself and only just treatment for all other interests.

THE ANTI-DRAFTERS

Those things for which the antidrafters in Jacobs Fork township claimed to be contending most vigorously at Pleasant Garden, other North Caroinians will fight for. The anti-drafters claim to desire freedom. but their manner of obtaining it is different from that of other people. Huffman, Amanda, 1 house and paralyze the United States and break Hull, Minnie, 1 home _____ 5.14 down government in true Tom Wat- Johnson, Lizzie, 1 home, bal.__6.18 son style.

No doubt the majority of the men attending the meeting Saturday night were condeming President Wilson and congress a year ago for not entering the war and eating Germany alive; their actions now would lead to that belief.

They are absolutely poweriess however, to do any great harm. The people of the United States ate blessed with common sense and this faculty will make them all the more determined to secure independence, even for the men who would do everything to block them.

ment to take action in the Jacobs Fork case, it even may be necessary to put the more boisterous gentlemen under bond until they sober up, but there is no cause for alarm. They make the rest of the country more determined to do right.

The various exemption boards have more worries than any other set of men in the country. Theirs is a thankless task.

Braxton of the Kinston Free Press admits the disposition to allow the war garden to make in the sun. He has more reason than most of us. He is in a few hours ride of the best fishing grounds in S. H. Farabee _____ Editor the United States, he can hit the C. Miller _____Manager surf two or three times a week, and watch the pretty girls to boot. To be truthful about it, our war garden is twice as good now as it was two months ago-but it never was anything to brag about.

> The Catawba commissioners have advertised the sale of \$100,000 in bonds to rebulid the lost bridges. In few short days nature did more damage than the county can repair in

> Senator LaFollete, with a pro-German constituent, wants to know what this country is fighting for.

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Archer, Lula 1 house ____ 6.10 Arthur, Willie T 1 house ____9.18 Barber, William, 1 lot and 1 house, balance ___ 2.12 Blackburn, Arthur, 1 house __ 9.67 Bost, Henry, 1 home _____ 4.14
Bost, R C, 1 home and 1 lot_ 9.84
Burton, Adolphus, 1 house and 1
Bost, Lou, 1 house _____ 3.21

lot ______ 11.24 Cherry, Wm, 1 home _____ 9.70 Clark, Geo W, 1 house _____ 5.56 Davidson, John 1 house ____ 9.27 Forney, William, 1 home and 2 Ford, Alice, 1 home _____ 2.18

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Lutz, John T, 1 home ______ 11.25
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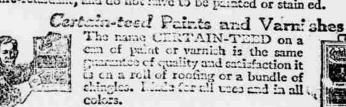
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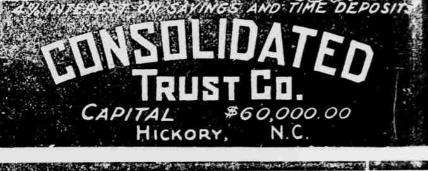
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