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Democrats Plan to Make up Tariff Deficit on Income Tax.

A feature of the Tariff revision programme of the extra session of Congress may include the raising of \$100,000,000 from an income tax, as part of the \$309,000,000 basis of revenue from the tariff. Representative Hull of Tennessee, a Democratic member of the committee on ways and means, who has been active in income tax problems, plans to introduce a bill which would provide such a source of revenue.

This would be considered by the committee in connection with contemplated early ratification of the constitutional amendment to sanction income tax legislation. Of the necessary number of States required for ratification only two are lacking. Mr. Hull expects these to be drawn from New Jersey, Wyoming, New Mexico or West Virginia, or from Florida, whose Legislature, however, will not meet until April. The Democratic majority of the committee favor an income tax but in the event of failure of ratification will renew the excise tax plan as an extension of the present corporation tax law.

Vocational Education Bill Passes Senate.

The Page vocational education bill, authorizing maximum appropriations of over \$14,000,000 for agricultural and trade educational work, was adopted by the Senate Wednesday as a substitute for the Lever-Smith bill, which has passed the House.

The original House bill appropriated the maximum sum of approximately \$3,500,000 for the establishment of extension departments in the State agricultural colleges, through which instruction in agricultural and home economics would be carried into the homes of the farmers. The Page bill would establish courses of instruction in trades and industries, home economics and agriculture in the various public schools of secondary grade; provide for State agricultural schools; testing and plant breeding stations; the education of teachers, and general extension work.

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The First National Bank Marion, N. C.

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS, DECEMBER 31, 1912.

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans and Discounts	\$304,408.19	Capital Stock	\$ 50,000.00
Real Estate	16,000.00	Surplus and Profits	23,628.10
Furniture and Fixtures	2,000.00	Circulation	49,545.00
McDowell County Bonds	2,000.00	Bonds Borrowed	2,000.00
U. S. Bonds and Premium	52,900.00	Bills Payable	NONE
Cash on hand and in banks	108,375.43	Deposits	360,510.51
	\$480,688.61		\$480,688.61

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\$337,252.10	\$522,872.54	\$560,510.51

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