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## THE LIVE SUGGESTION.

Why would it not be a good idea for all Democrats, everywhere to hereafter taboo the use of the word "tariff," and in its place use the term "tax," which is what a tariff really is?

If every Democratic writer and speaker would use the term "The Payne-Aldrich tax bill," instead of "The Payne-Aldrich tariff bill," from now until the polls close on November 5, there need be little conjecture as to the outcome of the election.

Who doubts but that if the Dingley tariff bill had been known and referred to generally as the Dingley tax bill, and the McKinley tariff bill as the McKinley tax bill, and the Payne-Aldrich tariff bill as the Payne-Aldrich tax bill, the Republican party would not be in power today.

The word "tariff" is too indefinite. There are hundreds of thousands of men who may be brought to believe that it would be to their advantage in some indirect, mysterious way to vote for a tariff, but who could not be cajoled or coerced into the conviction that it is to their individual interest to vote to put an enormous tax on everything they eat, wear, and use.

If Democratic editors will make it a standing order in their offices to substitute the word "tax" for "tariff" in every article having to do with protection, and if every stump speaker will carry on a similar crusade, and if the movement will be made nation-wide, the problem of reversing Republican victories at the polls will have been solved.

Think this over!

## "Our Territory"

One of the Chicago packers, in the trial now going on at Chicago, complained that "Swift infringed on our territory." The disputed territory was in New York and Vermont, and the question naturally arises. How did that territory, come to be the exclusive property of Swift or anybody else?

The answer is simple. Because Swift and the other packers, after driving the butchers in the local communities in New York and Vermont out of business, by underselling them, divided up the territory thus seized and called it their own. Of course, as it was theirs! Having stifled all competition, both from within and without the district, they were left free to advance prices of meat to

suit the amount of dividends desired, and to call the territory "their own."

## The Answer.

"Why talk about placing any of the necessities of life on the free list," is the cry that goes up from the Standpatters every now and then. "If this were done," they ask, "how would the government raise revenue to meet its expenses?"

This is how; By levying an income tax and an inheritance tax as does every first class nation on the face of the globe, save the United States of America.

## Moriah News.

The weather has been, and is yet, so extremely cold and so much ice on the ground that the mail carriers have been prevented from carrying their mail a day or two from Stem, Rougemont and Moriah. The carriers though are very faithful and kept venturing, missing only the worst day, Tuesday.

The Moriah School and Miss Caudie Vaughan's school have been suspended on account of the snow and ice.

Mr. Luther Copley slipped down on the ice and scarred his face right bad.

A little sister has come to live with little Thelma Ellis, making three girls and one boy at the home of Mr. Jasper Ellis.

Mr. Noah Cozart, of Wake County, is visiting relatives and friends in Person and Granville Counties.

Mr. Luther Dean, of Granville County, and Miss Jennie Day, of Moriah, ran away and were married the first Sunday.

Mr. Tom Clayton has been right sick but is on the mend now.

## Train Freezes To Rails; Rare Railroad Incident.

Bristol, Tenn., Jan. 14.—A rare incident in the history of railroading in Virginia occurred on the Norfolk & Western Railroad at Lynchburg today when the Washington-Chatanooga fast train actually froze to the rails. Stopping in a swag, the dripping water from the pipes caught the stopping in a swag, the dripping water from the pipes caught the wheels and the temperature being below zero, the train was locked so securely in the ice that it required the use of three engines to move it, bumping from the rear being resorted to.

It was two and a half hours before the train could be moved and it arrived here seven hours late.

## HOW TO CURE CONSUMPTION.

It is One of the Most Curable of Chronic Diseases in its Early Stages. Important Advice.

Consumption is curable. This does not mean that every case of consumption can be cured. Advanced cases yield very slowly to treatment if at all. It does not mean that anyone having consumption will get well without making the supreme effort of his life. Merely hoping to get well will avail little. To cure even an early case of consumption requires an unyielding determination on the part of the patient that he will live according to well defined sanitary and hygienic laws.

The first step in the cure of the disease is to recognize that the disease exists. Once established, make no effort to dodge the fact. Then away with the idea that the illness is "only a deep seated cold" or "simply a bad case of stomach trouble". The issue must be squarely met. Remember that early cases of consumption are frequently diagnosed as malaria, dyspepsia, etc. Better far, to take the view that the trouble is consumption and find out later that it is malaria or something else, than to underestimate the importance of the trouble.

The second step is to provide a place for living and sleeping in the open air. By all means live out of doors in the open air and sunshine whenever the weather permits. If you can't camp out, put up a tent in your door yard or back yard, build a sun parlor on the south side of your house, or enclose a porch as a sleeping apartment. Don't permit the sides of the tent to be down, or the windows of your sun parlor, porch or sleeping apartments to be closed except, to exclude rain or snow.

Proper diet is of the greatest importance in the treatment of consumption. Consumption is a wasting disease. To counteract this tendency to build up the body it is absolutely necessary that the consumptive be given nourishing foods in abundance. Milk and raw eggs are perhaps the best articles of diet known for this purpose. Individual cases will differ greatly, but in general, a consumptive will need approximately the following daily allowance of food: two to three quarts of milk, three to eight eggs, four to eight ounces of meat, six to eight ounces of bread, two ounces of butter, one helping each of cereal, potatoes, and pudding, two to four apples and the juice of a lemon. Some patients will be able to increase this allowance 50 per cent or even more, while others will do better on perhaps 25 per cent less.

Plenty of rest is absolutely necessary. Keep a careful tab on the body temperature and if the evening temperature runs as high as 100, decrease the amount of physical exertion to half.

Above all things, avoid patent medicines, cough cures, "consumption cures", and whiskey or other alcoholic drinks. Be cheerful, keep clean, bathe daily, follow the instructions of a competent physician.

For further information on this important subject write to the State Board of Health at Raleigh for literature or to the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis, at New York City.

## MAKE DRY STATES DRY.

Federal Legislation Contemplated With This End In View.

Washington, Jan. 14.—Special. A sub-committee of the House judiciary committee is preparing to report to the full committee a bill "to prohibit interstate commerce in intoxicating liquors in certain cases," or "to divest whiskey of its interstate-commerce character in certain cases." Several bills are being considered, one introduced by Representative Sheppard of Texas and another by Representative Webb of North Carolina are receiving more attention than any others.

The purpose of these bills is to protect prohibition territory from liquor dealers as far as the law will go.

The Anti-Saloon League is behind the bills. Mr. Webb was appointed on a committee by the league to frame a bill. His bill, which is now before the House judiciary committee, may be adopted. It goes as far as the constitution will permit, he thinks, and is a step in the right direction, the conservative temperance people say.

The Webb bill provides, that the shipment or transportation, in any manner, or by any means whatsoever, of any spirituous, vinous, malted, fermented, or other intoxicating liquors of any kind, including beer, ale, wine, from one State, Territory, or district of the United States, or place non-contiguous to but subject to the jurisdiction thereof into any other State, or from any foreign country into any State, which said spirituous, vinous, malted, fermented, or other intoxicating liquor is intended, by any person interested therein, directly or indirectly, or in any manner connected with the transaction, to be received, possessed or kept, or in any manner used, either in the original package or otherwise, in violation of any law of such State, territory or district, is hereby prohibited, and any contracts pertaining to such transactions are declared null and void, and no suit or action shall be maintained in any court of the United States upon any such contract or contracts, or for the enforcement or protection of any alleged right based upon or growing out of such contract or contracts or for the protection in any manner whatsoever of such prohibited transactions."

## For Rent.

Good two horse farm. Well located and good improvements. Fine tobacco land.

G. E. Harris, Route 1, Roxboro, N. C.

## LOOK HERE!

You want to get all you can for your dollar—and you are right.

Here's something almost for nothing. With every dollar purchase I will sell you a white enameled wash bowl, worth 40 cents, or a china salad bowl which is fully worth 40 cents everywhere, for 10c.

Big lot of galvanized water buckets, sells everywhere for 25 cents. Everything usually found in a first class 5 & 10c Store. You Save money by trading with

## Billy Chambers

The Best 5 & 10c Store.

Main Street, next to Brandon's Barber Shop.

## Public Schools.

The Board of Education at its regular meeting, held on the first Monday in January, 1912, ordered that the present term of the Public Schools of Person County be five months. School Committees are requested to notify their teachers.

Roxboro, N. C. Jan. 2nd, 1912. G. F. Holloway, County Supt.

## Horses and Mules.

If you are thinking of buying a horse or mule you will save money by calling on Mess. Carver & Teague. They will show you something good and will make the price right.

## Moore & Dixon

We have bought out the grocery business of Mr. W. J. Winstead and will carry a full line of Staple and Fancy Groceries, which we will sell at the very lowest prices.

Give us a trial, we will appreciate your business. Phone No. 10.

Moore & Dixon.

## Special Sale.

I expect to move my Drug Store to the new brick Post Office building about Feb. 1st. And for that reason I am offering all of my Lane Remedies at a reduction. So that I will not have the expense of moving them.

	Price	
Lanes Liniment	25	for 20
" Healing Oil	25	" 20
" Diarrhoe Medicine	25	" 20
" " "	50	" 40
" Pile Salve	50	" 40
" Healing Salve	25	" 20
Lanes Kidney and Backache Medicine	50	" 40
" " " "	1.00	" 75
" Blood Medicine	1.00	" 75
" Rheumatic Remedy	1.00	" 75
" Sweet Chill Tonic	50	" 40
" Tonic	1.00	" 75

Sale will begin Thursday morning. Come early before they are picked over.

## Whitted's Drug Store

## New Gingham

This is a gingham season; Roxboro is a gingham town; Person is a gingham county; ours is a gingham store. Never since it has been a store has it had quite such a splendid stock of spring gingham as we are now showing. The styles are prettier this season than you have ever seen them and we have the very prettiest and newest that the factories are turning out. Then another very important item is that you will get the best gingham for your money that you have bought for some time. We have a big line at 10c a yard and the quality is much better than what you bought at 10c last year and the same will apply to the better grades.

## NEW WHITE GOODS.

Anything you need in this line will be found right here. Nainsooks, long cloths, cambric, bleaching, madras, dimity, pique, pajama checks, flaxons etc. And the prices are low. We have just gotten in big lots of these goods all bought since the decline in prices.

## Harris & Burns

The store that sells better goods for the same money.

## Watkins & Bullock,

ROXBORO, N. C.

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Lumber, Mouldings, Shingles, Lime cement, Plaster, Sash, Doors, Blinds, Mantels, columns, Frames,

Everything to build with

Watkins & Bullock.