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## TAX FACTS TO CONSIDER

During every working day in the year, the first 19 million dollars earned goes for taxes of local units of government. The yearly total is the immense sum of six billion dollars.

In 1913, according to the United States Chamber of Commerce, local government taxes amounted to about \$12 per capita. In 1926 they had increased 191 per cent, to \$35.

The bonded indebtedness was something less than three billion dollars, it is now over eight and one half billions. And where in 1925 the bonded indebtedness was \$75.10 per capita, 12 years before it was about \$30.

During the past few years cost of national government, due to an economy administration and great financial acumen, has been steadily lowered. This saving has been offset by a steady rise in the cost of local government.

These are tax-facts. It would seem that in many instances our local governments, if they are not actually extravagant, have not exhibited business foresight in the spending of public funds. It is up to the taxpayers themselves to investigate and understand the conditions that raise their taxes. In that direction only lies reform.

## MAKES BIG DIFFERENCE

Some people claim it makes no difference who is elected president. Therefore they will not get out and vote, nor make any effort to read about the claims of candidates and parties.

That is where people make a mistake. A president has tremendous power, and his wise or unwise acts affect the lives of every one of us. Mistakes in that office can be tremendously costly.

A president with a genius for blundering might get this country into a serious war. Financial errors hurt business, and interfere with our ability to take care of our families.

Fortunately, the American people have always realized rather keenly the vast importance of this office, and most of the men who have held it have been of a rather high type of character. The fault of the government is not so much in positive mistakes, as failure to do needed things.

## CAMPAIGNING BY RADIO

A great deal of political campaigning will be done this summer and fall over the radio. That way of approaching the people puts a candidate or an orator on his mettle.

While campaigning by speechmaking and handshaking, many politicians with superficial minds would make gains. Their pleasant smiles, their hearty handshakes, their fine personal appearance, would win votes.

But when you can reach 1,000,000 people by the radio for every thousand reached by a stumping campaign, the politician is forced to a new line of approach.

It is a test of the mentality of the candidate. He must touch the personal lives of his hearers, or they will shut him off and he will take to the other spaces. We are listening here to you, Messrs. Candidates. We ask you to be brief, to be logical, and to tell how your party and your plans will help advance our best interests.

## North Shore News

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey C. Clover of 420 Church street, Glencoe, have issued invitations for the marriage of their daughter, Margaret, to Henry Gardner Symonds, son of Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel G. Symonds of Hinsdale.

The wedding will take place Saturday evening, August 11, at the home of the bride's uncle, Burr E. Clover, 505 Jefferson street, Glencoe. The Rev. Alfred Newberry of the Church of the Atonement will read the services at 8 o'clock.

Miss Clover will be attended by her sister, Jane, as maid of honor, and her cousin, Miss Sallie Clover of Glencoe, as bridesmaid. Nathaniel Symonds will serve as his brother's best man.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Kittermaster, 816 Bluff street, Glencoe left Thursday for their home on Gordon Island, Post Severn, Ontario, Can. Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Kittermaster and Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Robertson went with the Kittermasters and will be their guests at the island.

Miss Mary Lothrop, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas M. Lothrop of Green bay road, Glencoe, has announced September 8, as the date for her marriage to Samuel S. Hill, Jr., son of Dr. and Mrs. Samuel S. Hill of Reading, Pa. The ceremony is to be on Saturday evening at 8:30 o'clock, in the Glencoe Union church.

Announcement has been made that the garden party to be given next Wednesday afternoon by Mrs. C. O. Aspenwall's circle of the Ladies' Aid society of the North Shore Methodist church has been postponed until several weeks later.

Miss Helen Marie Seng is one of the north shore brides-elect. Her betrothal to Marshall Cressap Corns, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Corns of Wilmette was announced last week by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Julius T. Seng of 1222 Chestnut avenue, Wilmette.

A creme lace shawl that belonged to her great grandmother was used with tulle and orange blossoms in fashioning the wedding veil worn by Miss Louise Whitehead, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Whitehead of Evanston, when she was married Saturday to Wallace S. Christopher of Geneseo.

The ceremony took place in the garden of the home of the bride's uncle, Francis E. Miller, 453 Adams avenue, Glencoe. The service was

read by the Rev. Dr. Ernest Fremont Tittle.

The wedding party descended the front steps and followed a carpeted path across the side lawn to the garden. Miss Barbara Miller, a cousin of the bride, led the procession with Walter Hobbs. The maid of honor, Miss Caroline Whitehead, sister of the bride, walking with Harvey Christopher, the bridegroom's brother, who served as groomsmen, wore a pink chiffon frock with pink picture hat and pink slippers and carried a garden bouquet. The bride, who was escorted by her father, was gowned in deep creme chiffon over flesh colored satin. Her bouquet was of white roses combined with a variety of white garden flowers.

The guests from away included the parents of the bridegroom, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Sten of Geneseo; Miss Ruth Rummele of Sheboygan, and Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Miller of Buffalo who returned for a few days to their home in Glencoe.

Mr. and Mrs. Christopher will return from their wedding trip to occupy an apartment at 614 Clark street, Evanston.

Mrs. Roy D. Smith, 636 Garland avenue, Winnetka, and Mrs. Harry B. Millard, 260 Mary street, Glencoe, returned a little more than a week ago from a most unusual motor trip. They were two of a party of four women who motored through the Canadian Rockies and down the western coast and back, touching many of the national parks in the seven thousand miles of road they covered in five weeks. Mrs. Smith drove the entire distance.

Two more affairs have been given in honor of Miss Helen Carney of Glencoe, whose marriage to Earl McNeil of Fox Lake will take place this morning at 10 o'clock, in the Sacred Heart church. Thursday evening of last week Miss Joannette Keil was hostess at a bridge and handkerchief shower and this past Tuesday Miss Helen Tilroe entertained at a personal shower for Miss Carney. Both Miss Keil and Miss Tilroe entertained in their homes in Winnetka.

Mrs. Charles Galloway, 940 Private road, Winnetka, returned early this week after visiting her daughter, Gertrude, who is at Halliday camp at Hackensack, Minn., and her son, Ed, who has been at Dr. Sprague's Camp Minocqua at Minocqua, Wis. Friday, August 10, Dr. Galloway and Mrs. Galloway will leave for Alaska. They will be accompanied by Hill Blackett,

also of Winnetka. Shortly after their arrival in Alaska Mrs. Galloway will leave the men and start on a trip down the Yukon returning home about the first of September. Dr. Galloway and Mr. Blackett will be gone for a longer period of time and will hunt in Alaska and the British Yukon.

Mr. and Mrs. B. P. McCann of 321 Leicester road, Kenilworth, have gone to Canada for an extended visit. While they are gone Mrs. McKinnon's sister, Mrs. C. A. Leland, and her children, Flora and Philip, from Eldorado, Kans., are staying in their home.

Miss Ruth Richardson and her sister, Miss Mary, of Cleveland, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. M. Cole of 135 Essex road, Kenilworth. After graduating from Smith college two years ago, they toured Europe with their mother. Not satisfied with one visit abroad, they decided to go again, and just have returned from a three and one-half months' bicycle trip through England, Holland, and Germany.

Mr. and Mrs. George Slocum and their sons, former residents of Wilmette, left California Tuesday to motor to Winnetka. They are expected to arrive about August 10, for a visit with Mrs. Slocum's sister, Mrs. Delbert W. Poff, of Winnetka.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Hardy arrived in New York on the Majestic last Tuesday and reached their home at 1039 Private road on Thursday after spending three months traveling on the continent and in England. During July they joined Mrs. Hardy's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas L. Daniels, and enjoyed several weeks of golf with them in Scotland and England. Mr. Daniels is first secretary to the Embassy at Rome.

## Deerfield News

Mrs. Hoaglund and daughter, Martha Belle of Cleveland, Ohio, who attends the University of Wisconsin, were the week-end guests of Mrs. Hoaglund's sister, Mrs. Kraus of Rogers Park, whose summer home is in the River Woods west of Deerfield and Saunders roads.

Miss Hazel Merrill of Forest Glenn and sister, Mrs. Walter and son of Miami, Florida, were dinner guests of Mrs. G. H. Miller, Saturday.

Miss Martha Karch who spent her vacation in Washington, D. C. has returned to her home on Deerfield road.

On Monday evening, Aug. 13, at the home of Mrs. Harry Mau, a regular meeting of the Deerfield American Legion auxiliary will be held. It is hoped that as many members as possible will attend as there are many matters of interest for consideration, namely, election of delegate and alternate to attend the annual state convention to be held in Waukegan September 10 and 11; flag, membership and other things.

Following is a list of new rental books received at Deerfield Public library: "Hotel," Boken; "Quiet Cities," Hergesheimer; "Ashendon," W. S. Mangham; "His Elizabeth," Thane; "Daughters of India," Wilson; "Winters Moon," Walpole; "Disralli," Maurois; "Great Detective Stories," Wright; "Chicago in Seven Days," Drury; "So You're Going to Rome," Laughlin; "Nevada," Curwood; "Changing Roads," McGrath; "Old Dark House," Priestley; "Reeds and Mud," Ibanez; "Up the Years from Bloomsbury," Arliss; "Now East Now West," Erzt; "Red Rust," Cannon.

Mr. and Mrs. James Murray are spending two weeks in Atlantic City, N. J.

Mr. Ralph Horenberger is on a motor trip through Canada. He expects to be away about two weeks.

The program committee of the Wilmet Parent-Teacher association held a meeting at the home of Mrs. A. W. Torbet, Friday afternoon.

Mrs. A. H. Muhlke is visiting her sister, Mrs. Sarah Vetter of Austin, Ill.

Dr. and Mrs. H. S. Fritsch of Cleveland, Ohio, who are visiting relatives in Deerfield spent Thursday with their daughter, Helen Mary, at a camp near Green Lake, Wis.

Mrs. Martha Love spent Sunday at Rockford, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Blaine are on a motor trip through Canada.

Mrs. Berry Divine and son, Norbet, are visiting Mr. Divine's parents in Harrisburg, Kentucky.

Mildred Roll is visiting her cousin, Virginia Cohn, in West Pullman this week. Last week Virginia was a guest at the Roll home on Central avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewy Deal and family were guests at the Herbert Roll home in Prairie View, Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. E. Piepenbrok and two children of Indianapolis, Ind., are visiting Rev. and Mrs. F. G. Piepenbrok.

Mr. and Mrs. George Labahn and daughter, Erma of Evanston, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Labahn of Central avenue, left Sunday afternoon for the Dells of Wisconsin where they will spend two weeks.

Mrs. Anna Porter and daughter, Evelyn of Tucson, Arizona, Mrs. Henry Wheaton of Wheaton, Ill., Mrs. Charles Mentzer of Highland Park and Mr. Charles Mayer of Tucson, Arizona and Chicago were guests of Miss Amelia Peterson, Thursday.

Tuesday, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Deitz and daughters, Ruth and Ethel of Mundelein, Ill., were guests at the Peterson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Meyer of Chestnut street entertained at dinner Sunday. Included among the guests were Mr. Harry Norton and Miss Eleanor Meyer of Harvey, Ill., Mr. and Mrs. Carl T. Anderson and daughter, Dorothy Jean, of Deerfield.

Mr. Arthur Kress returned to his home, Thursday, after spending a month with his brother, Earl Kress, in Lyndhurst, N. J.

Mrs. H. R. Duell and daughter Edna of Rockford, Ill., were the house guests of Mrs. R. M. Vant of Deerfield avenue three days of last week.

Mrs. Duell was Grace Tupper before her marriage and was a former resident of Deerfield.

Mrs. R. E. Pettis of Chestnut street, was hostess at bridge at her home on Wednesday afternoon. Sixteen guests attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Ender, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Brennan and son, Edward, returned to their respective homes Wednesday evening after spending nearly a fortnight in Moline, Ill., where Mr. and Mrs. Brennan visited their uncle while Mr. and Mrs. Ender visited their niece, Mrs. L. A. Dondanville.

Mr. and Mrs. John Westbrook of Kenosha, Wis., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Engstrom, Sunday. Guests at the Engstrom home over the week-end included Miss Hazel Behrens of Shebygan, Wis., and Miss Gracia Wood of Chicago.

On Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. C. E. Bates and Mrs. R. B. Patterson were hostesses at the home of the former at a bridge.

Miss Jane Wood of Rosemary terrace entertained sixteen friends at a bridge at her home on Tuesday afternoon.

The Coterie was entertained by Mrs. C. E. Bates at her home on Waukegan road last Friday afternoon.

Mr. Harry Baum who underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Highland Park hospital last week has returned to his home on West Hazel avenue.

Mrs. C. W. Getty of Central avenue, was hostess at a bridge party on Thursday afternoon in compliment to Miss Gladys Reed of Globe, Arizona, who is the house guest of Mrs. George Engstrom.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Buckley of

Chicago were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Willman, Wednesday.

Mrs. Harry Clavey, Elmer Clavey, B. H. Kress, Eugene Ender, Alex Willman and Miss Clara-Ender were among the guests at a bridge party at the home of Mrs. George Healer of Highland Park, Thursday afternoon.

The Taxis society of the Presbyterian church held a very interesting meeting in the church on Sunday evening.

Miss Verda Varner who attended as delegate from the society, Camp Grey, gave a very good account of the activities of the camp. The society decided to have a beach party on Friday evening, August 10, at the Ravinia beach.

On Saturday evening Mr. and Mrs. Fred Haggie of Osterman avenue, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Selig of Waukegan road, will entertain at a bridge party at the Haggie residence.

Members of one of the Deerfield bridge clubs are planning to meet at Highland Park beach, where they will enjoy a picnic on Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. James Barrett of Oak avenue entertained over the week-end her sister and family of three children en route from Duluth, Minn., to their future home in Ohio.

Mrs. Henry Gastfield was given a pleasant farewell surprise party at her home on Wednesday evening. The guests who attended were mostly members of Deerfield R. N. A. camp.

Miss Josephine Woodman will have charge of the story hour in the Deerfield Public library on Saturday afternoon from 3 until 4.

Mrs. M. Andrews and two children, Ruth and David, are expected to return to their home on Thursday from Nazareth, Penn., where they were summoned several weeks ago on account of the serious illness of Mrs. Andrews' mother who passed away shortly after their arrival.

Mr. Richard Kress and Mr. John Davies of La Grange, Ill., motored to Champaign, Ill., where Mr. Kress was a guest at the Mulligan home and Mr. Davies at the Theta Kappa Phi house.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy H. Miller and daughter, Janet, and Mr. Miller's mother of Michigan who has been visiting in Deerfield for several weeks left Thursday morning for Minnocqua, Wis., where they will spend two weeks.

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Mr. and Mrs. Warren Ellis of Chicago were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Schley of Waukegan road, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Hutchison and Mrs. Margaret Smith who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Reeds for the past two weeks left Monday for Mrs. Smith's home in Eolia, Missouri.

The Woman's Missionary society of the Evangelical Bungalow church enjoyed a picnic in Sunset park, Tuesday.

The A. L. Hansens shows are on the Hoffman lot on Waukegan road this week with their carnival features including merry go round, ferris wheel, corn games, etc.

St. Paul's Evangelical Church F. G. Piepenbrok, pastor Church school, 9:15 a. m. English service, 10:15 a. m. German service, 11:00 a. m.

A cordial invitation is extended to all services and church activities. The monthly meeting of the Sewing circle will be omitted for the month of August.

A Delicious Ice-Box Cake Soak a tablespoon of gelatin in 1/2 cup cold water and dissolve in 1/2 cup boiling water. Let stand until it thickens. Beat with rotary beater until frothy. Stir together 2 tablespoons lemon juice and 1 1/2 cups sweetened condensed milk, and add 1 1/2 cups crushed strawberries. Fold this mixture into beaten gelatin; return to ice box until it begins to set. Line mold with split lady-fingers; fill with strawberry mixture; set on ice for several hours. Turn out on plate and serve with or without whipped cream.

New York's health commissioner says the handshake is a carrier of influenza. If this were true, wouldn't all of the candidates be in bed with flu?

Citizens of Jersey City threw eggs at a street speaker who attempted to criticize the city tax rates. Who was it said that there was never anything new under the sun.

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