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Six Days of Entertainment and Down-to-the-Minute Features.

The Red Grenadiers Band and Male Chorus, four splendid musical companies, great lectures on timely topics—these are notable attractions which will appear here on the 1920 Redpath Chautauqua. The entire program is replete with features of compelling interest and timeliness.

The Premier Singers and Players Company will be the attraction on the first afternoon. Four talented, vivacious artists compose this company. They render programs of great variety, combining orchestral, vocal and special novelty features. Every number is given with a brightness and sparkle which will make this company long remembered in the community. A striking feature of the programs will be the rendition of selections from the standard operas. This is a feature which never fails to please Chautauqua audiences.

"The March of the New Age" is the lecture theme of Dr. George L. Parker, who will speak here on the opening night of the Chautauqua. Dr. Parker is widely known inspirational lecturer who always gives to his hearers a message distinctly worth while. He is a well known, magnetic speaker and one who holds his audiences both by the force of his ideas and the magnetic quality of his oratory.

Earl H. Hipple, "Wizard of the Astrolabe," is manager of the Hippie Concert Company, which will appear here in a prelude on the second afternoon and a grand concert at night. The company's program is both classical and popular in character and is so universal in scope that it pleases the entire audience. Four artists of attainment compose this excellent concert company.

Judge Manford Schoonover, on the second afternoon, will give his great lecture "Crisis in Forestry." Judge Schoonover is a man's man, one who talks "straight from the shoulder." He has fought his way up from obscurity to a place of trust in the councils of his state. He is "home folks," the kind of a man you will enjoy meeting at the close of the address. In his inspiring lecture he portrays the great lesson of self-respect, the call of the still small voice of one's better self.

The American girls who will appear on the third day, are entertainers extraordinary. They possess a never-failing pleasing and refreshing manner which always assures them the heartiest welcome. Theirs is a distinctly entertaining attraction. They render their selections in a thoroughly artistic manner and do not attempt to give the so-called "classical" selections, seeking rather to feature the popular and laugh-producing songs and instrumental numbers.

Thomas Brooks Fletcher, one of America's greatest dramatic orators, on the third night will give one of his master lectures, "Thomas Brooks Fletcher is one of the most powerful orators of our time." He entertains but he also has a powerful message and knows how to tell it. People want to hear about the things that are being done in this country and that is what Fletcher is telling them about and he is telling them in a way that commands attention and that stimulates men to action. He leaves the impress of his lecture on every community.

Wallace Bruce Amesbury will be heard on the fourth afternoon.

The Red Grenadiers Band and Male Chorus, which will appear in a prelude concert on the fourth afternoon, and a grand concert at night, will be one of the greatest features of the entire Chautauqua week. In fact, it has been long, indeed since Redpath presented on this big circuit a better or bigger attraction, than this great singing band. Their concerts will be hailed with enthusiasm everywhere. William Maupin, director of the Red Grenadiers, is one of the well-known band men of the United States. A singing band has always been a remarkably successful entertainment attraction. Combining as it does, instrumental and vocal features, a singing band makes an appeal to the entire audience.

The Children's pageant, "The Good Fairy Thrift," and a grand concert by the Rich-Werno Entertainers will be the features of the last afternoon. The company is composed of Rita Rich and Laura Werno who achieve success as members of "The Killarney" company and have been acquiring additional laurels in other organizations. They feature impersonations of children and grown-ups, songs, readings and pageants.

On the last night Noah Beilharz (pronounced Bihlharz) will appear in a big Joy Night program. Beilharz makes up in full view of the audience using wigs and bits of costume. Character after character, all different, appear in such rapid succession that it is hard to believe that there is only one man on the stage. For nineteen years Beilharz has entertained audiences in every state in the United States and in most of the provinces of Canada, until almost everywhere he has become known as one of America's greatest Chautauqua artists. Joy night is a fitting finale to a great Chautauqua.

BREADY IN PORTLAND

Interviewed by Review Editor Tella of Great Project.

From the Portland Review:

Rev. R. H. Bready, one of the best known preachers in Michigan, was in Portland a few hours last week, accompanied by his family, his wife being a sister of E. A. Richards. They drove from Portland to Hastings where Rev. Bready was once located, and then on to Ludington, where the family will spend the summer.

Dr. Bready, who is about 40 years old, attended school in Portland while his father was pastor of the Methodist church. Mrs. Fred J. Mauren was his teacher, and he gallantly acknowledges that she got him started right.

Dr. Bready has been pastor of the First Methodist church in Pontiac several years and if he never accomplished anything in the past, (which isn't the case)—if he never accomplishes anything in the future, (which isn't open to argument), the big thing that will stand foremost in his work for humanity is the eight story building soon to be built around the church building at Pontiac. The first five floors are to be devoted to an auditorium, moving picture show, gymnasium, and other institutions that are of benefit to the community. The sixth, seventh and eighth floors are to contain 300 sleeping rooms. With the exception of a few rooms reserved for emergencies all of these rooms will be rented. Rev. Bready says they will bring \$6 per week, each, which will help to make the building self-sustaining. The emergency referred to relates to the tired wayfarer, who, homeless and penniless, may need shelter at night. He will find it here, and it will be free. His case will also be investigated, and if worthy, the church will endeavor to get him on his feet. The tentative plans have been worked out by Dr. Bready, who is to lay them before his official board on his return from Ludington. They will then go to the architect. Bonds will be issued and Dr. Bready says they will be ready to start because the financial plan is sound. A building of this sort will have a prominent part in the religious life and social welfare of the city and will stand as a monument to the young pastor long after he has gone to his reward.

When Russell was going to school in Portland his father, who was also an able preacher and a brilliant orator, was hitting at the dance, the Sunday excursion and other "evils" of the time. Not long ago his son in a conference of Pontiac pastors, declined to organize an attack on Sunday base ball unless the pastor who had proposed it was also willing to renounce his church members from riding about in their automobiles on Sunday. Rev. Bready, thought playing base ball no more of a crime than sitting on the steering wheel of an automobile on Sunday and the conference closed without launching the attack because the good brother who proposed it was not prepared to go to the limit demanded by Rev. Bready.

"My father dealt with the problems of his day. Some of them have been solved. New ones are confronting us. We have to meet them as they come," the young man told the Review. It is also possible that each generation takes a more liberal view of the things that go to make up life.

Not long ago Fr. Thos. Ryan, pastor of a large Catholic church, celebrated the 50th anniversary of his coming to Pontiac. Among those who felicitated him on this occasion was Dr. Bready. He opened

NO BALL GAME TODAY

Failure to Move Hay From Ground Disappoints Hundreds.

The Lowell base ball club is grieved to announce that no game will be played here Thursday, July 8.

Mr. Beaver has been unable as yet, to remove the hay from the park, but we feel sure that he will get to the limit and have it taken care of before the date of the next game.

Cancellations are costly, so we feel sure Mr. Beaver will do his utmost to accommodate the village in a case of this kind, with inconvenience to himself, if necessary.

The Lowell club has unsuccessfully endeavored to open the season on a week day, but as the season is now far advanced, they feel that the earliest opportunity, so, with the co-operation of Mr. Beaver, everything will be in readiness for the Metropolitan club of Grand Rapids, when they arrive Sunday afternoon, July 11.

ALL AROUND TOWN

Neway Notes About People and Places You Know.

Lowell Chautauqua, Aug. 15-20. G. H. Runciman has bought F. B. McKay's coal business.

John Byrne, of Grand Rapids, spent the week-end here.

Mrs. Tom Lalley and son, Fred, spent Monday in Parnell.

Miss Vesta Gardner is spending a two weeks visit in Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bergin and son Jack, spent Sunday in Grand Rapids.

Little Jack Bergin spent several days this week with Parnell relatives.

"Her Kingdom of Dreams," featuring Anita Stewart at Strand theatre, Saturday.

Miss Pease, Red Cross nurse, is taking a two weeks vacation at Sturgis.

The Cheerful Doers will meet Monday, July 12, with Mrs. Edwin Fallas.

Miss Corintha Saulsbury has been visiting Miss Thelma Peckham for a few days.

Mrs. Eva Sorenson, of Whitehall, visited Monday and Tuesday with Mrs. Hiscutt.

Mrs. S. G. Fryover, of Coopersville, is visiting her daughter Mrs. Benj. Kerekes.

Miss Mildred Peckham spent the Fourth at the home of Miss Minnie Meek in Sparta.

Do not miss Anita Stewart in "Her Kingdom of Dreams," at Strand theatre, Saturday, adv.

Mr. and Mrs. John Davis, of Ionia, spent the Fourth with their daughter, Mrs. Will Kerekes, and family.

Mrs. J. B. Yeiter spent several days last week with her daughter, Mrs. C. H. Anderson, in Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Ernest Hunt and daughter Mildred, of Lansing, are visiting the former's mother, Mrs. C. C. Winegar.

Miss Anna Lalley accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Albert Roth to their home in Detroit Tuesday, for a few days' visit.

Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Fryover, of Grand Rapids, spent the Fourth at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Kerekes.

Harvey G. Taylor, of Wisconsin, formerly of Lowell, is the guest of his employing firm at an outing in North Carolina.

Oris Randall and son Clayton, of Grand Rapids, spent the Fourth with his mother, Mrs. Frank Randall and family.

Charles L. Merriman and family, of Grand Rapids, spent Sunday with his father, W. L. Merriman, and brother, J. O.

Several families, there being about twenty-eight persons, made up a picnic and went to Campau lake Monday.

Dr. and Mrs. F. E. White and family went to see Huckleberry Finn, at the Majestic, in Grand Rapids, Monday evening.

Mrs. Francis Carter entertained her children, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Carter, of Ionia, and Frank Harris, of Pontiac, over the Fourth.

Lyle Denick visited his wife at Belding Sunday and Monday. She expects to be able to return home the latter part of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Howe and Mr. and Mrs. D. F. La Bar, of Greenville, spent Sunday and Monday with Mr. and Mrs. F. Coons.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Peckham and son, Morris, Miss Katherine Lalley and Jim McMahon, drove to Belding and Baldwin Lake, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ford Halstead, of Ionia, spent the Fourth with the latter's father and brother, Walter and John Maynard, respectively.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Trumbull and family, of Lansing, were guests of Mrs. Trumbull's sister, Mrs. Charles Kyser, Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Young and Mrs. C. H. Anderson, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Yeiter Sunday. Mrs. Anderson remaining over Monday.

Bumper crops of apples, peaches, pears, plums and cherries are reported from Southwest Michigan, where thinning of peaches is already under way.

Lester F. Bather, of Detroit, is visiting his uncle, Rev. H. H. Harris, Lowell, is a good place for a Bather, all right. Has all the facilities.

Mrs. E. A. Anderson is visiting her daughter Marion at Milwaukee, Wis. Miss Marion has charge of the play ground work there this summer and will not be home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Lalley, family and mother, Mrs. Margaret McMahon, and Mrs. Will Lalley and daughters, Katherine and Anna, spent Monday in Belding and Ionia.

Mr. and Mrs. Merte Denick, and three children, of Jackson, and Mrs. Denick's mother, Mrs. Levi Bickard, of Charlevoix, spent Sunday and Monday with Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Denick.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hall and son Donald, and Fred Hall, of Howard City and Mr. and Mrs. Will Dawson, and Flora Armstrong, of Grand Haven, spent the Fourth with Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Allen.

Miss Helen Mamone, Miss Nettie Ackerman and Judson Hiscutt, of Savanna, Robert Brevitz, of Conklin and Chester Hile, of Muskegon, visited over the week-end with Mrs. Hiscutt and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sissom, accompanied by Harold Kyser, drove from Lansing, Friday and staid until Tuesday with Lowell relatives. Miss Minnie Morse returned to Lansing with them.

Mr. and Mrs. John Callier entertained their children, Mrs. Walter Peters, and son, of Detroit, and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Holiday and four children, of Lansing, over the Fourth. Mrs. Holiday and children will remain the rest of the week with their Lowell friends.

The list of Cutter company employees, twenty-five years ago, published in this paper last week proved interesting to many. Just as it was being read, Frank Harris, whose name was marked—for dead, walked into town, after many years absence. It was his brother Dell, who died.

Nine Boy Scouts went to the Grand Rapids Boy Scout camp near Ottawa Beach, Monday, for two weeks outing. They were accompanied as far as Grand Rapids by Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Springell, Mrs. Hattie Peckham and Mr. and Mrs. Will Burdick. The latter going on to Grand Haven, where Mrs. Burdick and little daughter will visit friends for a couple of weeks. [More locals on last page.]

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Friday, July 9
CORINNE GRIFFITH in
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Also a Fox News
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Saturday, July 10
Big Special Attraction
ANITA STEWART in
"Her Kingdom of Dreams"
Also a Select News
Admission—Matinee, 11c and 17c; Evening, 11c and 22c

Sunday, July 11
VIVIAN RICH in
"Would You Forgive?"
Also a Comedy
Admission 11c and 22c

Tuesday, July 13
HARRY T. MOREY in
"The Flaming Clue"
Also episode No. 13 "Lightning Bryce."
Admission 11c and 22c

Coming soon, "The Courage of Margo O'Doone"

MATRIMONIAL.

A very pretty wedding occurred last Sunday evening at the home of Mrs. Harriette Runford, when her grand daughter, Miss Lillian De Young, of Detroit, was married to Mr. Emil Bock, of the same place. The home was tastefully decorated with ferns, red, white and blue flowers, and flags. Rev. H. H. Harris performed the ceremony, using the ring service. Among the out of town guests were the bride's parents, and Miss Cora Walker, of Ionia, Leroy, Harriette, and Master Paul Birman, from Durand, with a few Lowell friends. Just before the ceremony Miss Annie Maynard sang a solo, and then played a wedding march.

Light refreshments were served. The couple spent their Fourth in Lowell, and on July 5th they started for their home in Detroit.

VILLAGE TAXES DUE.

Taxes for the village of Lowell are now due and payable at the City State bank. Ralph Kense, Village treasurer.

WHOOPIING COUGH EPIDEMIC.

Lowell is having an unusual number of cases of whooping cough, are being reported all cases, they may have or know of, to the health officer, and the people will cooperate, as they have in the past epidemics, we ought to get this checked before cold weather, before we have some deaths among our smaller children.

The Michigan State Board of Health regulations in regard to whooping cough are as follows:

1. Cases must be reported.
2. Conspicuous placard on the home.

Children from school children in the house who have not had whooping cough.

Children should be permitted to go out every day, but must wear on their left arm between the elbow and shoulder a band of red cloth, upon which appears in substantial cloth letters, an inch high, the word "Whooping-Cough." They must not be allowed to come in contact with others who have not had the disease.

S. S. Lee, Health Officer.

his short address by remarking that if all his children had not been invited to such a gathering, or if invited, he probably would not have felt like accepting. He spoke of the change time has made in bringing about harmony between churches, and wishing Fr. Ryan many more years of usefulness.

Fr. John A. Griffin, now of Portland, had heard of Dr. Bready through his friend, Fr. Dowdick, who attended his gathering. He met the young preacher in Portland Tuesday, and they must have found a common ground on which to stand, for they chatted very earnestly for 20 minutes, and if the weather had been the sole subject the conference could have lasted that long. As a matter of fact it dealt largely with the parochial school question, which is to come before the voters in November. Dr. Bready has several times raised his voice against this despicable proposition and in so doing has found himself in the class with Ex-Gov. Woodbridge N. Ferris and other big men in Michigan, who promote the movement to do away with the church schools as un-American and therefore dangerous and undesirable.

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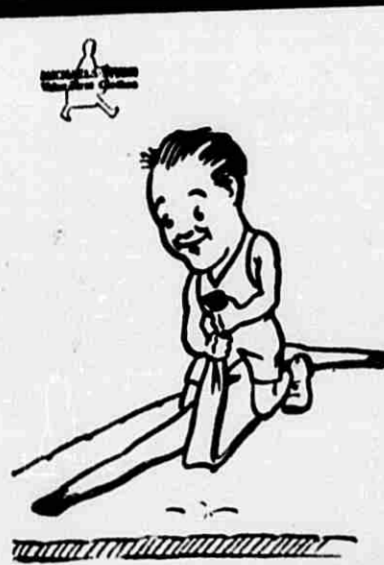
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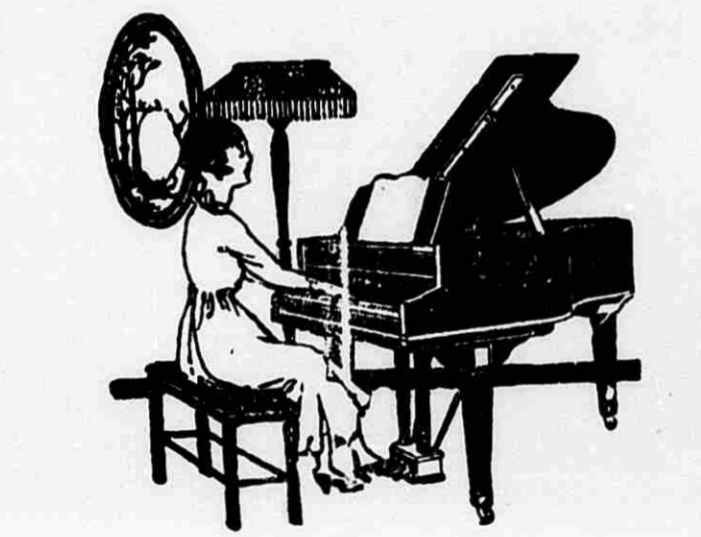
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FALLSBURGH. July 5.—Fallsburgh seems to be returning to its former popularity. Last week parties in Benton Harbor...

is working for Leon McCarty through having Earl Kivim and wife spent Sunday with W. Burch.

The Ledger office is stocked to save job printing patrons good money on many lines.

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PEOPLE TALKED ABOUT

Yes; Farragut Did Say the Words

Bear Admiral J. C. Van Sledright, 75 years of age, the last so conspicuous survivor of an era in naval history...

Admiral Watson, who as Farragut's flag lieutenant on the Hartford, was an eyewitness of the admiral's every move...

Embodiment of this instance is the colossal winged figure which dominates the central opening of the window...

For Mothers and Their Babies

Representative American women are after express in earnest in behalf of the Sheppard-Towner bill...

Women appearing before the committee have pointed out that large sums of money are expended on babies...

Wonders of Uncle Sam's Payroll

Congress is engaged in the stupendous task of reviewing the salaries of the army of civilian employees in Washington...

Positions with specified titles but undefined as to duties, degree of responsibility, or required qualifications...

Aircraft Prediction by Kenly

William L. Kenly, former lieutenant general and chief of the air service and now a private citizen...

Beauty Chats

BEAUTY AND AGE. There's the sweetest old lady I ever saw...

MOTHER'S COOK BOOK

Upon the shoulders of the past we stand. And to the future turn our questioning eye.

Chair All Ready for Canadian Minister

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FACTS, FUN AND FICTION TO INTEREST AND AMUSE EVERY MEMBER OF THE FAMILY

COLLEEN MOORE

How Topsy Won. Tigger and Tim were two kittens, and while their mother, Mrs. Puss, tried to bring them up as well-mannered kittens...

THE PICNIC

The picnic is a place where people go to relax from labor and study the big family. There is no place on earth where the habits and personal peculiarities of the members...

What the Spinix Says

By Newton Newkirk. "No business man can afford to neglect his health. It is the only asset he has that will last him through all the vicissitudes of life."

THE UNIVERSAL QUESTION

They do not ask: "Where does this path lead?" No, they do not ask: "What is the end of this road?"

MATHEMATICALLY

"I note that couples with children are seldom divorced." "Yes, but the divorce is usually made any, they're divided less easily."

WHY WILLIE DOESN'T GO IN THE PANTRY ANYMORE

Well, she began beauty culture at once, and she has made rapid progress. She is now a beauty culturist, and she is very successful in her work.

Prune and Pineapple Marmalade

Take three-fourths of a cupful of minced ham, two cupfuls of mashed prunes, one cupful of sugar, one cupful of butter, two eggs, one cupful of rice milk, and pepper to taste.

DO NOT HEAR IT ALL

Among poets and writers who died in the thirties are Charles Churchill, thirty-three; the Earl of Essex, thirty-four; Mackworth Parnell, thirty-three; and many others.

ALFALFA

Alfalfa received its name from an Arab word which means "English." The best kind of fodder is the alfalfa which grows very rapidly.

Rann-dom Reels

By HOWARD L. RANN. To furnish anything but a bubbling laugh and two baking powder spoons? The justice of this arrangement has yielded in many a feminine breast...

THE CHANCE

"I've never had a chance," said he. His interest attracted me. I traced his record back to find out what had kept the man behind. I found that one humbly rich had one time filled the station, which was the last of his money...

Historical Significance of the Year 1920

INTERNATIONAL celebration of the centennial of the signing of the Declaration of Independence will be largely celebrated in 1921 instead of 1920.

SCHOOL DAYS

For July 30 John Cavalier and Piliem together as twin sons of that inspiration which met in the convulsion of the great Civil War.

Last Night's Dreams

BOOKS are but paragraphs of an author's dream. The character of the dream is not in the book, but in the mind of the author.

Care

ONE of the greatest enemies to health is the neglect of the body. It is the neglect of the body that leads to the neglect of the mind.

Like Roll of Drums and Blare of Bugles

SINCE Dr. Eliot of Harvard made his brilliant discovery of West Point as an educational institution many defenders of the famous United States Military Academy have come to the front.

Vegetable Matter For Soil

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CONGRESS WOULD SETTLE RACIAL QUESTION

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Records of Tuberculin Test

Percentage of Reactors in Puredred Herd. The relative freedom of a herd of cattle from tuberculosis depends on the kind of management the herd receives rather than upon a vaccine inherent in the cattle themselves.

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THE LEDGER'S FARM DEPARTMENT

Carefully Compiled Information That Will Be of Help To The Progressive Farmer

TUBERCULOSIS IN VARIOUS BREEDS

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WHERE AMERICAN READ ARE LIVING

Fields of Honor in France Arise Very Beautiful Places, Says Ralph Hayes

Belieu Eastly Reached by Motor Train From the Capital-Associations for Visitors Have Been Arranged at Romagne. James P. Hornaday, Washington, Ralph Hayes, assistant secretary of war, who is just back from a three months' stay in France where he went to make a special study of the various questions that have arisen in regard to the American military dead overseas...

TESTING VARIETIES OF MARKET PEANUTS

Experimental Work by the Bureau of Plant Industry. Selected Strains Are Being Made With a View of Producing Those More Particularly Adaptable for Definite Purposes. (Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

FARMERS LEARNING BENEFIT OF CO-OPERATIVE MARKETING

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new and facilitate the retirement of the government's floating indebtedness, estimated to total more than \$3,000,000, now outstanding in the form of Treasury certificates of indebtedness. This view is taken by Secretary of the Treasury, Houston, who believes that the economic position of the country will be made stronger by the prompt retirement of the floating indebtedness. In revising present tax legislation to meet the revenue of the government and permit the retirement of the outstanding certificates of indebtedness at an earlier date than that contemplated by the present law, Secretary Houston believes that congress should not further increase the burden of taxation upon business and commerce. On the contrary, it is the secretary's view that a reduction in the tax rate should be lessened rather than increased, despite the need of reducing the government's indebtedness at the earliest possible time. To increase present rates of taxation, he believes, would be tantamount to the burden of a further increase in the tax rate upon business and commerce. It is his belief that the government should be able to meet its obligations by the sale of its bonds, and that the government should be able to meet its obligations by the sale of its bonds, and that the government should be able to meet its obligations by the sale of its bonds.

