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THE AMERICAN CASE WAS UNANSWERABLE

THERE are two distinct questions involved in the seething political battle which has gripped Great Britain as a result of the Versailles conference. The one relates specifically to centralization of the Allies' strategy and involves the retirement of General Robertson. The other relates to the declaration of the conference in regard to peace proposals, which declaration, a great body of opinion in England believes, was antagonistic to the purpose and program of Woodrow Wilson.

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The Southern Trip Recalls an Incident of Quay and a Political "Job"

PENNYPACKER AUTOBIOGRAPHY—No. 81
ON THE 14th of March, after a dinner with Penrose and Olmsted at the Willard Hotel, the Pennsylvania Club of Washington held a reception in my honor, intended to be a significant affair, attended by a great throng, which included the Vice President, the Speaker of the House, Cramer and a number of Senators and members of the Cabinet.

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By EPHRAIM LEDERER
Collector of Internal Revenue for the First District of Pennsylvania, in the Philadelphia Chamber of Commerce Building.

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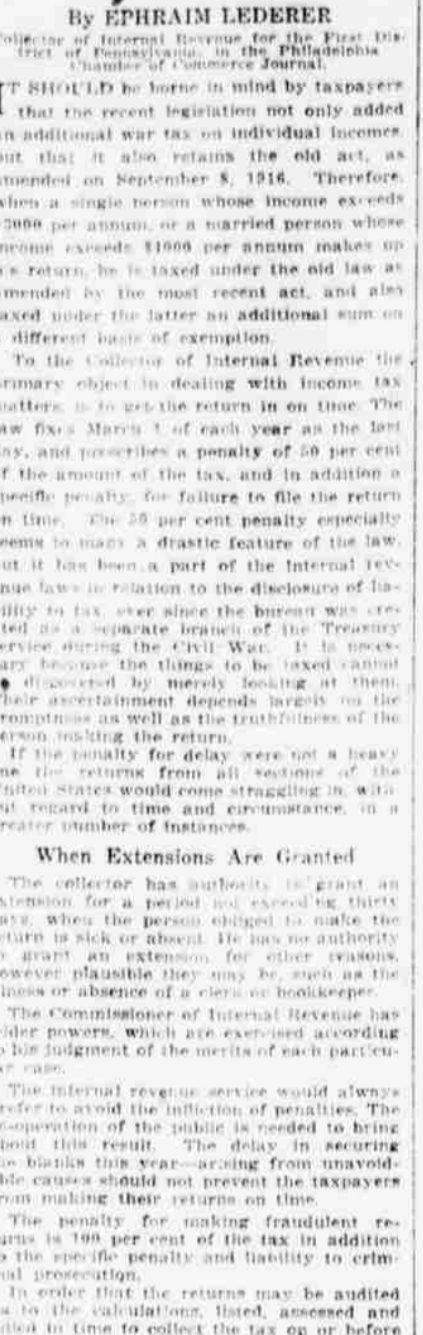
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