

On Thursday, a Los Angeles city council committee recommended a plan of a \$12 million bond issue to offset operating losses of the Southern California Edison Electric District. Taxes will help relieve bonded indebtedness.

On Friday, the battle of words between Gov. Ronald Reagan and the students continued over whether students should pay tuition or the taxpayers should provide the same for support of the California university and state colleges.

On Saturday, taxpayers were asking each other where it all would end. Is there a way to survive in an economy of war, poverty and cultural demand, of income, sales and property taxes?

Alexander Smith, a man of the 19th century, is back to seek the solution of war of letters in matters of ignorance, war and taxes. However, Smith's counsel offers a basic dilemma too, in that even the students must agree on a solution to our tax problems.

WHERE YOUR MONEY GOES: Chart of U.S. spending shows that you paid 70 times as much for last year as in 1940. Even less money is spent on recreation in our fun-conscious nation.

TRANSPORTATION
\$396.00

TAXES 1940
\$159.00

LOCAL
\$97.00
FEDERAL
\$62.00



FEDERAL
\$645.00

HOUSING
\$562.00

FOOD AND BEVERAGE
\$530.00

CLOTHING
\$231.00

PER CAPITA EXPENDITURES FOR LIVING