

A TAXPAYER'S SCREAM

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If you snooze  
You miss the news  
And then you lose

You don't have a handle  
On the daily scandal  
In the dark without a candle

What shall we do?  
Parties split in two  
Toodle-loo; Toodle-loo

People still drive  
Like bees in a hive  
Work to thrive

Bills to pay  
Not much say  
Oh what a day

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Debt piled high  
Dollars go bye  
Makes you want to cry

We get to vote  
We write a note  
Still there is bloat

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No time to splurge  
Few voices merge  
It's like a dirge

We work hard  
We clean the yard  
But feel so scarred

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Toodle-loo; Toodle-loo

Listen up  
Those who sup  
We're not your pup

Act in trust  
Don't go bust  
Clean house and dust

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Don't spend to the max  
With hard earned tax  
We don't need quacks

Hear us roar  
We keep score  
We want to soar

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P.S. According to various websites, "toodle-loo" means "goodbye." My use of the term refers to wasteful spending, i.e. goodbye to our money.