AVERS C. K. HENR

Vancouver Does Not Derive Funds From Income, Personal, Bank, or Poll Tax; Government Makes Levy.

Portland, Oot. 14 .--- To the Billior of The Journal-In the Oregonian of the of that body, I moved the resolution astwelfth inst, appears a communication empting improvements from taxation to ty by a railroad of which little is aver the signature of C. M. Henry, pur-ties over the signature of C. M. Henry, pur-porting to give a true version of the field. porting to give a true version of the ried. methods of taxation in operation in the city of Vancouver, B. C. For over \$6 years I have been a resident and a taspayer in British Columbia and am improvements getting the benefit of fire today the owner of improved and un-improved property in the city of Van-was reputed to be worth \$250,000. Toimproved property in the city of var was reputed to be which furture worth for Orford to Langinis and by another dermanic heard of the city of Victoria, half that sum in Vancouver. He is a from Langinis to Bandon. It is also and that is across of land at the Lakein the sity of Vannouver, and any in a I knew he'was just as sincers in oppos-position to any that Mr. Henry aither ing the resolution as I was in advocatposition to say that Mr. Henry sither dues not understand the situation in British Columbia, or willfully miarepresents it. We have in Brillah Columhis, a provincial (or state) government and a system of municipal government consisting of three classes of municipaittles-aitles, operating under special charters, granted by a special act of the provincial legislature; cities and the views hald by Mr. Fvir, and hoped districts operating by authority of a that they would secure world wide disgeneral not of the legislature, known as semination. the Municipal Clauses act. The powers of the single tax idea years ago," he of cities having special charters are said, "it would today be a city of problimited to the provisions of their char-The powers of cities and rural at present." Thus does the single tax municipal districts organized under the petieral Municipal Cistises act, are limited by the act. Special and General Provers.

All municipalities have such powers

as are delegated to them by special or general act of the legislature. British Columbia is a new and very large country, with a small population, the great bulk of which is to be found in the in Canada. The struggle for it may be cities. There can be no municipal government except where the country is settled. Hence it follows that the great- affects will convert its opponenta into er part of its territory is in all things supporters, as it has done in Vancouver governed by the provincial authorities. and Victoria. No amount of falsehood The government taxes all lands where and misfepresentation can prevent its ing in a town on the Columbia river municipalities have not yet been organ- final triumph. For the man who loves ized, mings and minerals, coal (mined), above all things else the accumulation manufacturing machinery, fish canner- of wealth (which he must leave behind les and their output, stocks in trade him in a few years at best), it has no (goods), incomes above \$1000 a year, attraction. But the men whose minds insurance, guarantee, loan, trust, tele-graph, street railway and banking companies, are taxed all over the prov-their fallow men, who feel a greater deince by the provincial government only size to leave the world better than they The provincial government also levies a poll tax of \$3 per head. Personal found it than to get rich, will be irresistibly drawn to its support in increasproperty, such as household goods, ing numbers, till it finally prevails, jeweiry and farm produce, are exempt wherever damocratic government exists, everywhere. "such is the power of fruth."

Improvements Exempt.

All improvements, such as buildings, clearings, orchards, fences, etc., are everywhere exempt to the extent of 50 per cent of their assessed value. The government also imposes a special tax on unimproved lands, outside the municipalities, called the wild land tax. Unimproved land is first taxed on its value at the same rate as improved land. Then the government imposes a special tax, because it is held in a wild or unimproved state. In many cases this tax is so heavy that holders of such property are compelled to clear

gregational minister and missionary of It in order to reduce their taxes. the northwest, the Atkinson Memorial This system in British Colu

276, sph-pectics isi, reads: "The evolu-eil every section, improve and herry raises and intres upon improvements at a per-sectage loss that that improved by the oil upon hand, or they may example ants allogether." Looks like improvements allogether." Looks the a single has move, don't is? Again is descenty, 1888, a section (187). was added to the Manasipal Channess and, pro-viding: "The countil may in seck and every year at such these as they may doesn expedient, or after the filled pass-ing or Pertains of the assessment Pell in the descet of proteins, make a brian or

ing or pertains of the assessment bein by the deart of surjeive, pass a bring or brings for herying a rate or rates on all the land or represented that the obse-ent shall not hery a rate on more than by per cont of the assessed value of in-prevalents." (More progress in the same direction, Mr Henry.) I had the honor in 1888 of being an alderman of the city of Victoria, and helped to corry out this provide an of

helped to carry out this propision in that city for the first time. In 1894 in the Vancouver sity seunch as a member

Inducases Single Ton.

Bealds ms at the council board set another member, who etrenoously opposed the reactution, contanding that Last winter in San Diego, Cal. ing H. was delighted to read in a press re- agreement that the road will be started port that at a meeting in Vancouver within six months and finished in two addressed by Joseph Feis, Alderman Rogers (my old opponent) seconded the vote of thanks, and took advantage of the occasion to indorse the single tax, saying that he was proud of the opportunity to amphasize his appreciation of "If Vancouver had adoptably double the population of what it is anntiment grow in Vancouver, after 17

years of progress toward the adoption of it in its entirety. Vancouver has it in its municipal government today.

The Next Step.

The next step will be to adopt it for provincial purposes, and the final one will be to carry it for faderal revenues a long one, but once in operation by any municipality within the state, its good for whom he has sought so long

Marshfield, Or., Oct. 16 .--- Objecting to resolutions setting forth that the board does not support either morally or financially any such dancing club and discountenances the use of the name of

Power Promised Tiny Towns. CHURCH DEDICATED no longer have to depend upon the old

In honor of the memory of Dr. READ for PROFIT Use for Results FOLEY KIDNEY PILLS

Light company of the orderly come ioners is granted. The board will meet

Agents of Mysterious Line Are Said to Be Buying Rightof-Way and Bandon People Give Options.

ALONG THE

(Special to The Second.) Marshfield, Or, Oct. 16.-The pur-basing of vight of way in Curry counare proparing to enter Curry county with a coast railroad.

It is announced that Port Orderd people have given upthons on 100 adres of land adjoining that place and also have agreed to give a right of way through to the harbor. Bights of way port townsite have been taken as a depos alta.

The agents for the road give The Southern Pacific several years

ago surveyed a line through the county from north to south and other supveys have been made at different times. The general belief is that the rights of way are being obtained for what will he a part of a Hill coast line.

Long Search Ended.

of this city believes that he has found traces of his brother Chris Christensen whom he has not seen for 26 years. The brothers are natives of Norway. The older brother, Chris, left home \$6 years ago. The younger brother who lives in this city, left Norway nine years ago with a mission from his parents to find the older brother. It was learned that Chris was in Oregon but in what particular part was not known. Tom Christensen took up his residence on Coos Bay. He has learned that a man named Chris Christensen is livand is following the business of a fisherman. He does not know in what town the brother is living but will write to the different places along the Columbia in the hopes of locating the relative

Ban on Dancing Ciub.

he use of the name of the high school in connection with a dancing club the school board of North Bend has passed the school in connection with the dancing organization.

Walla Walls, Wash., Oct. 16 .- Smaller towns and villages of this county may temps for tilumination, of the fran-on asked by the Pacific Press & UNIVERSITY ANNOUNCES

this afternion to consider the applica-tion. The Paulite Power & Light com-pacy has transmission lines reading to or through these places. The townest or ownes, places, places, places, to be the made of power bas transmission. This is a demand the made of power bas transmission. This is a demand the made of power bas transmission. This is a demand the made of power bas transmission. This is a demand the made of power bas transmission. The transmission demand the made of power bas transmission and transmission demand the matter the made of power bas to a de-mand for power bas to and for power by training a sufficient of the made for power by training a sufficient of the matter the matter of power by training a sufficient of the the matter of power by training a sufficient of the matter of the matter of the matter of the matter of the matter the matter of the matter the matter of the matt

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Quickest Results Are Obtained by Want Ads in The .

suits the majority of British Columbia church was dedicated yesterday after people, be they single taxers or not. But noon at 3 o'clock. The services were it mightily offends men who are pure- attended by practically every Congrely speculators, holding large blocks out of use for a rise in price. Why did not Mr. Henry tell us the whole story? He quotes a partial, garbled statement, from the acts of the provincial legislature dealing with provincial taxes only tion followed by an invocation by Rev. and having nothing whatever to do E. S. Bollinger of Highland Congregawith municipal taxation.

Calls Statement Palse.

Mr. Henry says, "Vancouver, B. C. owing to the enormous revenue derived Oregon, read the scripture lesson. Rev. its income, personal property, W. C. Kuntner of University Park Confrom franchise corporation and bank taxes, coupled with the poll tax of \$3 per head." And again, "they do assess not superintendent of the city missions, who head." And again, "they do assure an address on the life and work the improvements, al-only the land but the improvements, al-though their chief income is derived Dr. Atkinson, speaking of him as the pioneer and founder of Congregational-pioneer and founder of Congregationaldo assess not only the land but the improvements," is absolutely without foundation in fact. No British Columbia municipality levies or collects any of Sunnyside Methodist church. sum whatever on incomes. Vancouver dedicatory sermon was preached by Dr. city has not the power and does not Luther R. Dyott of the First Congregalevy or collect any part of its revenue

tional church. from income, personal property, bank taxes or the \$3 poll tax. All these are Subscriptions were made toward paying off the indebtedness which remains. reserved by the provincial government In a short time \$1230 was raised. The for its own support. The statement Women's association of the new church "their chief income is derived headed the list with a subscription of from the income tax" applied to the city of Vancouver, B. C., whoever is Aid society of the First Congregational responsible for it, is untrue. Vancou-ver does assess land and improvements, church which gave \$100. Other sub scriptions were made ranging from \$200 but it does not tax improvements. to \$5.00. It

does collect license fees for the sale of liquors, of which one-half must be paid Fox, violinist and soloist, Spencer Link, liquors, of which one-half must be pairs to the provincial government. It has power to collect license fees from hack power to collect license fees from hack ganist, rendered a special musical pro-gram. The choir is composed of Mrs. George Y. Salmon, soprano; Miss Bertha Stubbs, contralto; W. B. Bethune, tenor, of amusement and auctioneers, but these powers are used almost exclusively for purposes of regulation, the sum obtained in this way is insignifand Theodore Grams, bass. Rev. Herbert Gould Crocker is the

MAY BUILD ELECTRIC

SMELTER IN ELKHORN

(Special to The Journal.) Albany, Or., Oct. 16.-The Silver King

regards the different ore values with

the end in view of installing a smelter at the mine the coming season. It

will be the first electric smelter in Ore-

There is abundant water power on

the company's property for the opera-

An exceedingly rich strike of silver lead ore was made on this property recently in what is known as the west

tunnel, which has been driven 120 feet. Active mining operations are in progress

and will be continued during the win-ter. Experts have pronounced the aver-

tion of the proposed smelter.

gon, and one of the few in service or

the coast

It is the purpose

Almost the entire municipal pastor of the new church. Mr. Crocker icant. was formerly assistant pastor to Dr. Newell Dwight Hills of the famous revenue comes from land values. Single tax men got this reform, they know what they want. Plymouth church of Brooklyn, New York.

Municipal Clauses Act, Let me quote from the Municipal Clauses act governing municipalities: "In February, 1892, Honorable Theodore Davie, attorney general, introduced a bill (passed April 25, 1892), section

EVERYBODY'S FRIEND

The old family doctor, of whom so few are now seen in this age of "specialists" was the valued friend and adviser of his patients. They depended Mining company whose property is lo cated in the Elkhorn district in Marion county, northwest of Gates, is pre-paring to ship a consignment of ore to Newark, N. J., where it will be given a mill test at the Reid Electrical on him to keep them in health, and cheer them with his counsel. He taught them the wisdom of preventing illness by watching closely after the health of the family. Smelting works. It is the purpose of the company to obtain exact data as

Mrs. S. H. DuBois writes from her home at Hempstead, L. I.: "Vinol is an old friend of our family. We have used it for years whenever any of us need a tonic on account of being in a rundown state of health, and it always gives perfect satisfaction. We have used nine bottles this winter."

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They work directly on the KIDNEYS, BLADDER and URINARY PASSAGES, gational minister in Portland and many and their beneficial effect is felt from the other decominations. start. For BACKACHE, KIDNEY and The services were opened by the sing-BLADDER TROUBLE, RHEUMATISM ing of the Doxology by the congrega-CONGESTION of the KIDNEYS, IN-

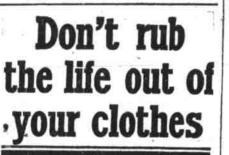
JOHN MACMILLAN.

ATKINSON MEMORIAL

FLAMMATION of the BLADDER and tional church. Rev. H. N. Smith, suannoying URINARY IRREGULARITIES perintendent of the Congregational Sunthey esercise a permanent benefit. day schools and publishing society of

TONIC IN ACTION - QUICK IN RESULTS Mayor Jas. C. Dahlman started his career as a cowboy, and is at present Mayor of Omaha, and has the follow-ing record: Sheriff of Dawes county, ing record: Sheriff of Dawes county, Neb., three terms; mayor of Chadron, two terms; Democratic Nat'l. Commit-teeman, eight years; mayor of Omaha, six years, and in 1910 candidate for governor of Nebraska. Writing to Foley & Co., Chicago, he says: "I have taken Foley Kidney Pills and they have given me a great deal of relief so I cheerfully recommend them." Yours truly, Addresses were also made by Dr. George E. Paddock, state superintendent of home missions, and Rev. J. J. Staub The

Yours truly, JAMES C. DAHLMAN. (Signed) Skidmore Drug Co., two stores, Main store 151 Third st. Branch store, Mor-rison and West Park sts.



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