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The Senatorial Fight.

OLYMPIA, Feb. 11.—The big senatorial fight, which is now blocking legislation, disrupting the republican party in the state and generally demoralizing the participants in the struggle, presents many unique features. Among them is noticeable the fact that a considerable number of Allen's men are eagerly and earnestly watching and hoping for an opportunity to vote for some other candidate, while in the Turner ranks there are fully as many who would gladly vote for Allen and end the struggle.

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Lost Package. A package containing a pair of No. 3 1/2 ladies shoes was lost on Saturday between the top of Brewery Hill, and Mr. Roberts place in Dry Hollow. The finder will be thankfully rewarded on leaving the same at this office.

Spectacles Lost. The finder of a pair of gold framed eye glasses, will be suitably rewarded on leaving the same at this office.

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NOTICE. All Dalles City warrants registered prior to May 1, 1891, will be paid if presented at my office. Interest ceases from and after this date. Dated, Jan. 3d, 1893. L. ROBERTS, Treas., Dalles City.

The Quickest Way to Cure a Cold. Do you wish to know the quickest way to cure a cold? We will tell you. To cure a cold quickly, it must be treated before the cold has become settled in the system. The first symptoms of a cold is a dry, loud cough and sneezing. The cough is soon followed by watery expectoration and the sneezing by a profuse watery discharge from the nose. In severe cases there is a thin white coating on the tongue. What to do? It is only necessary to take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in double dose every hour. That will greatly lessen the severity of the cold and in many cases will effectually counteract it, and cure what would have been a severe cold within one or two days time. Try it and be convinced 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by Blakeley & Houghton, druggists.

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An Estray Bay Mare. Came to my place last fall a bay mare about five years old, with small white spot on right side, also white spot on left hip, star in the forehead, with some dim brand on left shoulder, weight about eight hundred pounds. Owner can have the same by proving property and paying costs. V. J. KELLY, 15-Mile creek.

A RUSTIC'S VIEWS

He Briefly Reviews Some of the Present Leading Issues.

A POOR MAN'S LAW THAT FAILS

Inheritance Tax Law and Jay Gould—Honesty Measured by Wealth.

Mr. Editor—Will you allow a rustic a space in THE CHRONICLE? I am a newcomer into the state of Oregon, and should not at once find fault. But will say that while preparing to make the change from a neighboring state to this, several persons urged me not to go to Oregon, assigning as the principal reason that the laws of Oregon were very objectionable. I gave the matter little or no thought, supposing my advisers were a little cranky; but since living here, I have heard more cranks than I knew existed in America, growling and praying to be relieved from laws enacted by themselves.

DRIVING MONEY AWAY.

In their spite and envy toward far-seeing, energetic, frugal, industrious and prosperous men they have driven money out of the state and made it almost a penal offence for a man to be in easy circumstances. Instead of allowing money to bring what the demand makes it worth, they have undertaken to place a limit to its value, and, in this western country, a value that is low, all in the interest of "the poor man."

The result is that very large amounts of Oregon money are sent across the Columbia river where men are allowed to get what their money is worth, and the little that remains on the south side of the river is put into the hands of brokers so that when Mr. Poor Man gets it, he has paid as large interest as is paid by people in our neighboring state, with a good fat commission besides to the well-kept gentleman who has over his door "Real-estate and Loans." The man that favors such a law deserves no sympathy when he is getting skinned. "Experience is a dear schooling," etc., but such a man will learn in no other way. Again the mortgage must pay the taxes, but the fact is that it is generally so arranged that Mr. Poor Man must pay the taxes or have the mortgage foreclosed.

Next Mr. Poor Man is allowed to deduct his indebtedness, forgetting that the rich man's credit is par excellence, and he is capable of getting deeper into debt and more rapidly and on much better terms than Mr. Poor Man, so that Mr. Poor Man is matched again.

INHERITANCE TAX LAW.

Very recently, by casual reading, I learned that England has an inheritance tax law. The thought of such a law among civilized people was repulsive to me, but I finally concluded that it might do in England, for they are "Hinglish, you know!" that in a republic such as the United States no such reprehensible law would find advocates enough to bring the suggestion before the people. But within a few days after reading of the English law I noticed that the New York law was after George Gould and that he would likely be LEGALLY ROBBED.

By the state of nearly one million dollars. And what seems curious is that periodic of high standing comment on the matter with a tone and air of great satisfaction. Shame on them! Some enjoy the matter and justify it by saying Jay Gould stole his money. When asked of whom and where or when he stole it, the answer is: "Why, he stole it, no man can make such a fortune honestly."

It is this answer is true I want to know how much money a man can be worth and be honest. If wealth measures a man's dishonesty, then poverty measures a man's honesty, and the loiter whittling goods boxes, along with the able-bodied dead beat who lets his wife support him by washing and letting are the most honest and should be the most respected. Again the taxing of young Gould is justified because his father never was properly taxed. If this be true, it was the fault of men whose business it was to properly assess and tax him. His property lay out in long lines in full view of the public. It is said of him he NEVER HOARDED MONEY.

He kept it always at work. When a person's attention is attracted to almost any subject it is wonderful how he can find reading matter concerning it. Next I noticed that noted demagogue, Gov. Pattison of Pennsylvania, in his message to the legislature, recommended the passing of an inheritance tax law. Next we hear our own worthy governor doing the same thing, and supported by

some of the weeklies of the state. Now that the cranks have had a full dose of their medicine, and seem cured, and we are likely to see some of the worst prescriptions revoked, another class comes up and says when a rich man dies let us rob his widow and orphans. The great and strong argument offered in favor of this law is that after the man is dead his property is so easily found and gotten at. This is the

ARGUMENT OF THE WOLF.

When the flock-master is absent. The fact is that demagogue politicians are taking up everything and anything to try to capture the vote of the rabble. It is easy to get the, by unavoidable circumstances, unfortunate, the bad manager, the lazy, the busted boomer, and the stupid to believe that the law should come to their relief, and the relief would be quickest and greatest by confiscation, and then restricting the energy and industry of others. I think a little legislation to encourage energy and thrift about these times, with assurance that a man will not only be protected in his property rights while he lives, but that his kin will inherit what he may leave behind, and that it shall not be the legal spoiler's prey, would be good.

Vicious as an income tax, under ordinary circumstances would be, it is far more preferable than an inheritance tax. I have no prospect of an inheritance, never did inherit money or property, nor do I expect to leave an inheritance, for there is a deficiency about me in some way that I am incapable of getting much beyond a day ahead, but I do like justice tempered with mercy. AMOS.

OVER THE VETO.

SALEM, Or., Feb. 13.—The world's fair bill, appropriating \$60,000 for the state exhibit at Chicago, passed the legislature this afternoon.

The Cascade Locks.

PORTLAND, Or., Feb. 13.—United States Engineer Handbury went up to the Cascade locks last Saturday to turn the construction plant over to J. G. Day, sr., who has the contract for completing the work. As there was four feet of snow on the ground no more traveling about was done than was absolutely necessary. The plant is as complete and perfect as could be provided, and everything is in order for proceeding with the work to the best advantage. As soon as the weather permits, Messrs. Day Bros. will complete arrangements for going ahead with the apparatus and earning all the money congress appropriates. They are now having the granite necessary cut at their quarries in California.

Cholera Germs Revivifying.

LONDON, Feb. 12.—From St. Petersburg comes the news that ten persons have died of cholera. With the cessation of frost the Marseilles people are trying hard to cover up their dead and to quiet the fears of the living. But the worst of all, as directly affecting America, is the news from Hamburg. In the suburb of Altona a prisoner in jail has just died, and five other cases are being closely watched. The port of Hamburg itself is allowed to escape. On board the steamers Eeso and Australia four sailors were stricken with the disease. The weather is moderating all over the continent, and the warm sunshine is bringing back to life the cholera germs. Meanwhile, Vienna is sending invitations to all the nations to an international health congress to formulate some plan of fighting the common foe. In England, Southampton is begging parliament to vote money to keep up the rigid quarantine.

The Burlington in Tacoma.

TACOMA, Feb. 12.—C. B. Wright is quoted here as saying he had not denied that he has sold 37 1/2 per cent. of the stock of the Tacoma Land company to the Burlington & Quincy, and it is asserted on good and authentic authority that that road will be built to Tacoma. It is also asserted that Nelsen Bennett, who is now east, already has a contract for 65 miles of the Tacoma end to be started as soon as the matter is arranged, and it is said he remarked, when leaving this city, that upon his return there would be no idle men in this city who desired work.

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THE NEW CHIEF.

Public Interest Manifested in the Coming Inauguration.

THE ANNUAL INAUGURAL BALL.

Preparations Being Made on a Grand Scale—Proceeds for the Poor.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—Only a few weeks will now elapse before the change of administration will occur. As the time approaches, public interest in these important events increases to a very great extent. No feature of the ceremonies is attracting more attention than the inaugural ball, which will be held in the great pension office building and will be on a magnificent scale. The public approach to the building will be from G and Fifth streets northwest, F street being reserved for the president and his party. The ball will open promptly at 8 o'clock and dancing—that is, official dancing—will cease promptly at 12, as the 4th of March this year falls on Saturday. Everything in connection with the affair, it is stated, will be on a strictly democratic plane. There will be no "purple canopy draped over the president's head, nor anything of that nature—nothing anywhere to indicate that anybody is king but the people. Mrs. Cleveland's well-known love of flowers is to furnish the keynote of the decorations for the ball. The vast expanse of the great building will be bright with flowers and resplendent with every triumph of the florist's art. The proceeds of the ball over and above all expenses will go to the poor of the district of Columbia. Tickets of admission will be sold at \$5 each. The last inaugural year, after satisfying all obligations and refunding all subscriptions, \$25,000 was turned over to the poor fund as the result of the ball, and it is believed that the amount will be as large or larger this year.

General Reduction Made.

ST PAUL, Feb. 12.—The new westbound tariff, formulated at the railroad conference here, was given out today. It changes entirely the complexion of transcontinental rates. The new rates will go into effect February 15. The tariff is issued jointly by the Union Pacific, the Northern Pacific and the Great Northern, and covers the entire territory penetrated by these systems, west from Chicago to the Pacific coast.

A ridiculous incident is recorded by our correspondent at Naples.

There is an asylum in that city for old people, in the service of which is used a small donkey barrow on which is inscribed the words "Little Sisters of the Poor," and which is generally used for collecting old gifts, from the sale of which the institute derives an income of about 20,000 francs a year. The other day one of the paupers fell and hurt his head, and was conveyed in the cart, accompanied by two nuns, to the Pellegrini hospital. Just before reaching it the cart upset and the donkey ran away and took refuge in an office of the "Lotto." The spectators and inhabitants of the neighboring streets immediately crowded to the "Lotto" office to play the numbers appropriate to the different persons and objects connected with the affair—83, 96, 41, 53—and next day the office itself placarded the following numbers at its door, with the heading, "Yesterday's incident—11, 41, 71, 90."—LONDON News.

Could Not Leave the Old Home.

We have a dog story that is worthy of being put on record. On the third day of last month Mr. William Bunker of this place sent a dog to his daughter, Mrs. Delos Stebbins, of Sherman, N. Y. He was put in a crate, provided for the trip and shipped on a noon train at Williamsfield station. He changed cars at Ashtabula, Brockton and Mayville, leaving the train at Sherman and being driven, still in his crate, seven miles up the country. When released he seemed to take kindly to his surroundings, but on the tenth day of the month at noon he walked into his old home, coming from the east. He looked hale and hearty and to all appearances had enjoyed the trip and found friends by the way. Evidently he tramped his way home, as he carried no purse to pay traveling expenses.—Ashtabula (O.) News.