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In 5 or 10 acre tracts inside the city limits, also adjoining Flavel. GEORGE HILL.-471 Bond St., Occident Block, HILL'S REAL ESTATE EXCHANGE.

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## **New Novelties**

and Attractions

HIS WEEK.

I am "bound to please" as Income Tax Law Declared to be Unconstitutional.

FOR-FOUR

day in the year than the so Gathering of Clans in Portland-Carlisle Talks on Silver-Murderer Fredericks Sane-Will Hang.

Associated Press.

Washington, D. C., May 20.- Special to the Astorian)-The supreme court today declared the income tax law unconstitutional in toto. The justices against the law were Chief Justice Fuller and Justices Gray, Field, Brewer and Shiras. For the law were Justices Harlan, White, Brown and Jackson.

At the outset in his opinion, Justice Fuller said: "Our previous decision was confined to

the consideration of the validity of the tax on the income from real estate and The question thus intimated was whether such tax was direct or not, in the meaning of the constitution, and the court went no farther, as to the tax on incomes from real estate than to hold that it 'ell within the same class as the source whence the income is derived, that is, that the tax upon realty and the tax upon while as to the income from municipal bonds, that could not be taxed because of the want of power of the tax source, and no reference was made to the na ture of the tax as being direct or tadi-

"We are now permitted to broaden the field of inquiry and determine to which of the two great classes the tax upon a from rents, or products, or otherwise from real estate, or from bonds, stocks or other forms of personal property, beof all owners of personal property, in the minner prescribed, is so different from a tax upon the property fiself, that it is tax upon the property fiself, that it is not a direct but an indirect tax, in the listed currency. their obvious sense and have a reasonable construction. We know no reason for 'duties, imports and excises" on the other, were used in the constitution in their riving at what these terms embrace, do we perceive any ground for enlarging them beyond, or narrowing them within time the constitution was framed and ratified, and passing from the text we regard the conclusion reached as inevitable when the circumstances which surround the convention and controlled its actions, and the views of those who framed and those who adopted the con-

stitution are considered." The chief justice discussed the reasons for the constitutional provisions regarding up the great sources of revenue derived from commerce and retained the power of levying taxes and duties covering anything other than excises, but in respect to them, the range of taxation was narrowed by the power granted the federal government over interstate commerce. While they granted the power of apportioning direct taxation they secured to the states the opportunity to pay the amount apportioned and recoup from its own citizens in the most feasible way. The opinion continues:

"It is said the tax on the whole income of property is not a direct tax, but a duty. We do not think so. Direct taxation was not restricted in a breath and restriction thrown to the winds in an-

The opinion dismissed the Hylton case with this comment; "What was decided in the Hylton case was that the tax on carriages was an

excise and therefore an indirect tax." The opinion next took up the argumen that a tax on property is not a direct tax, within the meaning of the constiution, and said:

"We find it impossible to hold that a undamental requisition deemed so important as has been forced by two provisions, one affirmative, and one negative, can be defined away by forced distinctions between that which gives value to property and the property itself. The stress of the argument is thrown, however, on the assertion that income tax is not a property tax at all, that is assessment upon the tax-payer, upon account of his money spending power, as shown without impairing or encangering the by his revenue for the year preceding the assessment, and that rents received, crops harvested, interest collected, have lost in connection with their origin and This is what I mean by the term 'sound although once not taxable, have been transmuted in their new form into taxable subject matter. In other words

source whence it is derived." The chief justice said that since the court had held unanimously that the re- chanc of commodities and in the paytruments of states, the same rate ap plied to revenue from other sources not subject to a tax, and that the lack of power to levy any but an apportione tax on real and personal property equal-ly exists as to the revenue thereform, "The court does not understand," it says, "that an income tax has ever been re-garded in England as other than a direct tax."

DELEGATES ARRIVE.

Portland, May 39 .- Delegates to the

which meets Wednesday morning, are arriving on every train, and the rooms of the Multopor Republican Club, the beadquarters for delegates, are filled with an enthusiastic lot of young Republicans. Secretary Wells, of the state clubs, has received the information that about 900 delegates have been elected, though it is not expected that more than

The silver question continues to be th leading topic of conversation among the delegates, and as the time for meeting draws near, interest in the subject increases. A large number of the dele gates are opposed to the convention tak ing any action on the money question, or outlining the policy of the party. They claim that it would place the Republi

600 delegates will be present. As far as

heard from 173 clubs have elected dele

can party of the state in an embarrase ing position, should the state club con rention outline a policy which would conflict in any way with the policy laid down by the national convention. It is asserted that the purpose of the state clubs is to carry out the work outlined by the national convention. There is a growing belief, however, that the adoption of a resolution declaring for the free and unlimited coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1 will be urged upon the convention.

CARLISLE'S SPEECH ON SILVER,

Covington, Ky., May 20 .- Secretary Carlisle, of the treasury department, spoke here tonight in behalf of sound money. Mr. Carlisle prefaced his remarks with on the income from municipal bonds. a brief introductory in which he assured his audience that he is not, and does not expect to become, a candidate for any office in the gift of the people or their representatives, and that he does not appear in the state in the interest of any candidate.

"There has never been a time," contin ued the secretary, "since the close of the civil war, and the settlement of the questions growing out of it, when passion and prejudice exerted such a powerful influe ace in controlling the action of the people upon political and economic ques tions as they have during the last two years. A great wave of depression has swept over the whole industrial, commer cial and financial world, more injury up in its effects in some places than others, person's entire income, whether derived but entailing great loss and distress nearly everywhere; It did not begin 2 years ago, as some of your friends are in the habit of asserting, but less that longs, and we are unable to conclude that the enforced subtraction from the yield in Argentina where the people and the

The allegation, even if it were truof the constitution are to be taken in that a great crime was surreptitiously committed an 1873, or at any other time does not prove, or even conduce to prove solding otherwise than that the words that the free coinage of silver at a ratio direct taxes" on the one hand, and of 16 to 1 would be beneficial to the country under the conditions now existing. But, gentlemen, it is not true that natural and obvious senses, nor in ar- the act of February 12, 1873, which mad the gold dollar the unit of value and dropped the standard silver dollar from coinage, was passed by stealth, or that the natural and obvious import, at the its purpose or effect was to deprive the people of the use of any coin then in use or then in existence in this country. "The plain truth is that this act of 1873 which has been the subject of so much misapprehension and denunciation, was simply the legal recognition of the mone tary condition which had existed in fact in this country for about 25 years, or ever since a short time after the passage of the coinage act of 1844. The value of direct taxation. The states had plenary a United States note or greenback was powers of taxation, he said, but gave always measured by gold and not by silver, and commodities had a gold price and a paper price, but never a silver price, because silver except half dollars quarters and dimes, coined under the act of 1852, had been out of use here for more than 20 years before the comsubsidiary coins had not been in use for Il years prior to 1873. Our own monetary history had already furnished two most

striking illustrations of the operation of the natural law under which coins which are over valued by statute always drive out of circulation those unde valued. Our own experience had agai demonstrated what the history of the world already showed-that whenever the coinage laws of tny country permit the coinage of both metals with ful egal tender qualities at a ratio of value which does not conform substantially t their intrinsic or commercial ratio in the markets of the world, both kinds o coin can not be kept in circulation a

the same time. "I have never been, and an not now unfriendly to silver in the sense of d siring to see it excluded from the mor stary system of the United States, or o any country, but I know that it canno be kept in circulation along with gold by means of any ratio that any one country may attempt to establish by law

between the two metals., "I am, therefore, in favor of the pre servation of the existing standard of value with such use of full legal tender silver coins, and paper convertible into coin on demand, as can be maintained credit of the government or diminishing the purchasing or debt-paying power of the money in the hands of the people. money.' This is neither gold mon Ham nor silver monometallism, but it means that one standard or measure of that income is taxable irrespective of the value shall be maintained, and that all forms of standard coins in use shall be kept equal to that standard in the pur-

PREDERICKS ADJUDGED SANE.

San Francisco, May 25,-After hearing of the sanity of Murderer Fredericks, all the witnesses pronouncing Herricks' slayer sane and shamming insanity, Judge Murphy sentenced him to be hanged or

Regular communication of Temple Lodge, No. 7, A. F. and A. M., this even-

July 26th.

With the Right of Way in Their Pockets.

HAMMOND HERE MONDAY

To Receive Reports-Final Arrangements Will No Doubt be Then Made for the Railroad.

It has come-not the railroad on scow-but the califord right of way ommittee, Mesers. Kinney, Wingate, Ferguson and Stuart, and it has brought with it the right of way complete, except a few deeds which will follow by

As predicted by the Astorian, thise inde fatigable workers left no stones unturned to secure the good of the people and

rould not take no for an answer. The commistee on inside right of way, headed by Chairman Welch is also ready o present a clean report , with the exeption of the two or three cases for which suit will have to be brought-more hame to the owners-and as all but the one subsidy deed are in, the great work f construction will shortly commence Mr. Hammond will be here, it is now

understoon, on the 27th-next Mondayy which time the abstracts of title will e completed, when all papers can be urned over to him in clean shape. The suits which may be necessary b acquire title to right of way, will be sushed vigorously and in the meantime roper guarantee will be given Mr. Ham-

It is considered by those best poste hat there will finally be but few right of way suits to be instituted, as this week will see more deeds sent in by who have been a little slow out who are now convinced that they should hold out no longer on a bon life deal which, as has been shown so onclusively in these columns, is so large y to their own interest primarily, and to he interest of the state at large. Books night be written upon the subject, and low that the news is confirmed that Im Hill is interested in the reorganiza-Astorian, double value is attached o Astoria's enterprise and no more valuable time should be wasted in cor

ummating so vital a master. Next week the Astorian will publish the lete roll of honor of donors of subidy and right of way, with a list also

of those who had to be sued. Too much cannot be said of the work done by the outside right of way com mittee, Mesers. Wingate, Ferguson and Stuart. They deserve the thanks of all citizens for their faithfulness. Theirs was perhaps the most difficult work of any of the committees because of the large field to cover with inadequate neans of travel. These gentlemen secur ed the confidence of everybody along the route, whether they donated or not, be cause they told the truth at all times and kept every promise, no matter how small the circumstance. Every man woman and child is glad to see them whenever they go to any home he line over every foot of which they have traveled several times.

## ROYAL ARCH MASONS.

Companion Royal Arch Masons, members of Saints John Chapter No. 14, and ill sojourning Companions in good standng, are hereby notified that Oregon Comnandery No. 1, Knights Templar, of ortland, has, through Sts. John Chap er, extended an invitation to the Roya ren Masons of Astoria to be present and join with them in holding divin ervice at the Masonic Temple, Portland, on Thursday, the 23d inst., at 7:30 p. m. hus celebrating the anniversary of an event very dear to the Templars' heart. It is hoped that as many Companion us can possibly make it convenient will ccept the courteous invitation of the regon Commandery Knights Templat and all such are requested to so notify he secretary of Sts. John Chapter No GEO. W. LOUNSBERRY, Acting M. E. H. P. E. C. HOLDEN, Secretary.

SALVATION ARMY MEETS.

eld last night in celebration of the pening of the new quarters of the Salcation Army in Rescue Hall. Among the uniformed army on th atform, which included Major Morton, of the Sound, were several local ministers and friends of the movement. The Rev. Staver made a short and pointed adleass in which he stated that he was formerly prejudiced against the Salvation Army methods, but that he was now searthy in sympathy with their work and manner of reaching the people. He said that he was reminded of the parable of the feast given in olden times by a certain Lord, who, when his invitations were declined by the noblemen and aristocrata sent his servants out into the by-ways: and highways with orders to bring in everybody. He thought that we were living in that part of the parable now

adopted to reach those on the outer pale

Major Morton made an earnest appn to all to seek that salvation that could be had for the asking, though one's sine be as black as night. He said that he was delighted to see the interest recent-ly awakened in Astoria and the wonderful success already achieved and the efforts of Christians should not be relaxed, but rather should regular daily work be done, no matter how little, as the Christian who only received blessings

without giving light to dried up himself. No meeting will be held tonight, but every night hereafter, until further no-tice, meetings will be had to which all are invited, particularly the co-opera-

tion of all Christians. After the exercises last night ice cream and cake were served at the price of 15 cents, while during the services a very handsome collection was taken up.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Messrs. E. B. Martin, W. O. Alexander and C: N. Wait, of Portland, are at the

M. P. Callender, mamager of the Knappon Mills, is in the city, registered at the Occident. Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Megler and Miss

lewett returned from Portland on the Gotnert yesterday. The Rev. Dr. Bushong and Rev. Nord-

vis left for Portland yesterday to attend conference of ministers. B. A. Seaborg, the canneryman of Ilwaco, and E. E. Gardner, of Hays, Wash., are at the Farker House.

Mr. McLethalg and family arrived on he Gatzert yesterday, direct from Finand. The gentleman expects to open a estaurant in the city. Lee Herring and wife left last night

or Eugene from whence they will proeed to examine their new property inerests at Junction City. Their trip will occupy about ten days. E. B. Martin, representing Honeyman, Jehart & Co., Portland, is in the city

and reports general business rather ulet, with an improvement in this teritory, and indications of a good fall rade generally. Messrs. Campbell & Swigert, contractrs, of Portland, who have the contract for the iron pipe on the new water works system, will be represented at the neeting of the water o when matters will be finally closed up.

Frank L. Hunter, special agent of the Northern Assurance Co., San Francisco is in the city, on a general trip in the laterests of his department. Mr. Hunter ion of the Northern Pacific, as predicted of Captain of the Olympic Club, Sar Francisco, and is an all-around athlete, dis hosts of friends are siways gad to see him.

EXCITEMENT IN NEW YORK.

New York, May 20 .- The greatest excitement seen in grain circles in years was witnessed on the produce exchange oday. Wheat naturally came in for the lon's share of activity; the transactions amounting to 33,000,000 bushels, but corn and onte also had a fair trade. The fluc tuations were very violent at times, the

range of prices being unusually large. MARKET REPORTS.

Portland, May 20.-Whest-Valley, \$1% 162; Walla Walla, 50c. Liverpool, May 20,-Hops at London. Pacific Count, 12 5s.

PATRIOTIC AMERICANS.

The meeting of patriotic Americans, called for the 23d at the Court House, nas been postponed until Friday evening. the 24th, at the same place. The comnittee hope for a large attendance that proper steps may be taken for the 4th of July celebration.

NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS.

Tax-payers are requested to furnish the assessor with detailed lists of their property, real and personal, if they have not yet done so, before the lst day of ALFRED GIBBONS,

In the closing revival exercises Sunday ight Mr. Holdridge said that he had ever been treated better by the press an since his visit to Astoria. That in ne East he had many times been cenured for some of his methods, principally for his atrest addresses, but that e was deeply gratified for the hearty support of the press of Astoria, and felt not much of his success was due to hat agency. The overflow meeting large and very enthusiastic one, and Mr. Holdridge suggested to the minsters of the different denominations that they continue the union meetings or the summer, at least once a week and procure a large tent in which to hold them, by popular subscription. This week Mr. Holdridge will hold meetings in Uppertown.

Pisherman John Lundgren, about 7 o'clock Sunday evening, in Prairie chaniel, near the red tank buoy, found the body of a man, which had evidently been in the water a long time as it was much ecomposed. Coroner Publ placed the body in the morgue. It is supposed that it is the body of the man Dougherty, who, with others, was drowned by the ainking of the small launch near Oak Point three weeks since. Mr. Pohi tile graphed Oak Point, but as yet has received no answer.

Highest of all in Leavening Power .- Latest U.S. Gov't Report

