

THE CONDON GLOBE.

THURSDAY DECEMBER 10, 1903.

THE TAX LAW.

The troublesome tax law which is making necessary a special session of the Oregon legislature and entailing a heavy expense on the tax payers of the state is one of great importance to all the people and it is to be hoped that the law makers will give the subject careful attention before they inflict another similar law on a long suffering public. The collection of taxes is one of the necessary requirements of a civilized community and the thing of greatest importance to be considered when making laws along this line is to know that they are just; that they will require every man to pay a just proportion of the expense of government the share of each one being based on the amount of property he may possess. It is a notorious fact that under former tax laws this requirement has never been fulfilled. There has been scarcely a pretense that tax assessments in Oregon have been just. The men of large means in many cases have not paid one-third of their share of the taxes and the practice which has been almost universally followed in giving in property to the assessor not only works a hardship on the small property owner but actually puts a premium on falsehood and perjury. The cause of this may be found in the senseless practice of giving in property to the assessor at about one-fourth or one-fifth of its value. It is a common custom and one which cannot but lead to grave abuses.

While the Phelps law is being patched up at the special session it should be the aim of the legislators to make it as nearly perfect as possible and we desire to suggest two changes which it seems would be decided improvements over the old method. First: Assess all property at its true cash value and second: Require the assessment roll to be published in the county newspapers before the annual meeting of the county Board of Equalization. If such a list was published each year every man would know just how much property his neighbor gave in and there can be no question that such publicity would act as a powerful check on the professional tax dodgers and other grafters and it would be well for the Oregon legislature to give this phase of the tax question their earnest consideration at the coming session. If our law makers can succeed in framing a law that will make the millionaire pay taxes in the same proportion that the poor man does the special session will not have been held in vain.

NATIONAL AID FOR GOOD ROADS.

Mr. W. Pierpont White, of Utica, New York, observes truthfully that there is no difference in the principle of granting national aid in the construction of improved highways to transport millions of tons of farm produce to the railroads, than in the principle of granting national credit and millions of acres of land to the railroads when this nation backed the enterprise of building the Union Pacific.

There is no doubt of the fairness of the provisions of the Brownlow bill providing national aid in road building. Only \$20,000,000 is asked of the government which the advocates of the bill declare in no way represents the portion due the agricultural interests of the country for road improvement.

Speaking of the fairness of this bill Mr. White says:

"The \$20,000,000 sought to be appropriated by this bill will call for \$20,000,000 more on account of the states and counties using the money, making a total expenditure of \$40,000,000, capable of building 5,000 miles of highway in the nation. If the amount for road improvement were larger than this on the first appropriation, the result would be faulty construction, through inexperience on the part of the road builders. We have road builders in some states. This country has not yet developed a Mr. McAdam or a Mr. Telford. Road building is an art acquired by experience only, and too much money easily possessed by an energetic, honest, but inexperienced road builder will not bring you the best results. Wisdom suggests that the first appropriations be small, so that errors which may be made in construction will not be made on a great portion of the roads to be built by the nation at national expense."

Report has it that the ear ring, which has been neglected for some years past, will become popular again in the near future. The ornament, which is a relic of barbarism, was responsible for the disfigurement of many women at the time heavy jewelry was in vogue. Today the ear ring is considered bad taste by intelligent members of the gentler sex. A well shaped ear needs no adornment, and an ornament in a homely ear only attracts attention to a defect in personal beauty. If women intend to pierce their little daughters' ears and to again take up with the abominable ear ring, they might go a step further and wear a nose ring.

The Vagaries of Destiny.

There are, perhaps, no other words in the whole vocabulary of any and all languages whose meaning so deeply concern the entire human family as these four: opportunity, luck, success and destiny. Just stop a moment and consider for a moment what an important message each of these words conveys to every individual. Metaphorically speaking, each one has a world of meaning.

Opportunity knocks at least once at every one's door and whether we heed or ignore its call decides, in a measure, our destiny. We all have an inborn desire to succeed in life. Can we do so by allowing an opportunity to pass unheeded? Will such a thing as "luck" bring about the great desire of our life and fill in the gap made by our hesitating too long when opportunity called?

Long before the tower of Babel caused the human race to scatter over the face of the earth it is probable controversies were carried on over the question whether "luck" has anything to do with the happening of events. The discussion is carried on in all languages even more actively today by men and women the world over. Those who deny the existence of "chance" can make out a strong case in favor of the belief that there is a cause for everything, that nothing really happens by "chance". They overlook the fact, however, that so far as any individual is concerned many things happen by "chance" and it is these things beyond the control of the individual whom they affect, which are called "good luck" or "bad luck" according to the way in which they affect him.

Sometimes very remote influences of which we may know nothing affect our welfare. They pursue a perfectly natural and logical course, and, therefore, cannot be classed as chance happenings, and yet they determine the "luck," good or bad, of individuals.

An eminent business man owes, in a large measure, his good fortune to an accident that happened in the Alps before he was born. A young man traveling for pleasure saved the life of a young woman who had slipped upon the rocks. The chance acquaintance developed into a love affair and the couple, having married, came to America. The wife's modest fortune founded a large business house, to which came a small errand boy, who, after years of faithful service, was taken into the firm. If there had been no accident the other events would not have followed, at least it is not likely that they would have followed in the way in which they did.

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The existence of such a thing as "luck"—good or bad—may be recognized without in pairing in the least our obligation to attend carefully to all the factors that make for success in life and that are within our control. We should be ready at all times to take advantage of that "tide in the affairs of men" which taken at its flood leads on to fortune.

W. F. ALLEN.

Etzray Notice.

We have taken up at our ranch near Ajax one past-four-year-old brown gelding, weight about 1100 branded bar(-) on left side. Was taken up about the middle of last May. Owner should come forward prove property and pay charges or the animal will be sold according to law.

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ADMINISTRATRIX'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been, by the County Court of the State of Oregon for Gilliam County, appointed the administratrix of the estate of Jesse W. Nye deceased.

All persons having claims against said estate will present the same to me duly verified at the office of Hendricks & Bowerman, Condon Oregon, within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice. Dated Nov. 13, 1903.

ELIZABETH D. MARKS, Administratrix of the estate of Jesse W. Nye deceased.

Hendricks & Bowerman attorneys for estate. Date of first publication Nov 19, 1903.

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