

TAX INCOMES

Congressman Hall of Missouri is a strong advocate of an income tax. He has not prepared a bill but he has prepared the following statements of principles:

First—Funded investments should be taxed without exemption and be made the standard of the maximum tax.

Second—Net personal earnings should be halved in all calculations in order to reduce them to the basis of the maximum tax rate.

Third—Capital invested in business should have its income taxed at a funded rate.

Fourth—After deducting from the gross income of a business man the funded rate on his capital, the balance is to be considered as personal earnings to be treated as provided under section 2.

Fifth—Income from lands should be taxed at funded value after exemptions of betterment, amelioration or improvement.

As to exemptions, all incomes below \$2500, derived under sections 2, 3 and 4 should be free of tax as well as those under 1, if necessary to prevent a double tax on the same income. The rate of tax on all incomes above \$2500 should be 5 per cent.

Mr Hall says:

"In the year 1889, \$63,000,000, or about \$1 per capita, were collected from the consumers of woolen goods, cotton goods, and iron and steel for the purpose of revenue for the United States. It is safe to say, on a conservative estimate, that, in order to secure this revenue, it cost the people of the United States \$450,000,000, the balance being paid as a bounty to the manufacturing establishments of the United States. In other words, for every dollar placed in the treasury of the United States there were \$7 put in the pockets of the protected manufacturers. Now if we had an income tax that would have yielded \$63,000,000, the consumers of cotton goods, woolen goods, and iron and steel manufactures in this country would have saved \$450,000,000 yearly, an amount almost equal to the state, county and local taxes of nearly every state of the union combined.

"Mr Thomas G Shearman, who appeared before this committee a few weeks ago, estimates that 25,000 persons in the United States own \$31,500,000,000 worth of property. Put the income upon this property at 5 per cent, and it would yield annually \$157,500,000; and putting the income tax at 5 per cent on this amount we would have the handsome sum of \$7,875,000 yielded from this source alone. Placing the estimate of the number of persons in New York, Philadelphia, Boston and Chicago who have incomes of \$250,000 at 1,200, we should derive from that source an income tax of \$12,500,000 annually.

"According to the figures of one of our ablest statisticians, under the present system of indirect taxation 11,620,000 families, who average \$968 annual income to the family, pay 90 per cent of the taxes of this government, and not only to the government, but to the protected manufacturers and monopolists, while 182,000 families that average \$238.155 annual income to the family, do not pay more than 3 per cent of the governmental revenues. In Great Britain, where they have an income tax, such a condition of things could not exist, and it is this argument more than any other, in my judgment, that has kept in existence the present income tax law of England for over 50 years, and its writers admit that it is now on a firmer basis than it ever was.

"One of the objections urged to the income tax is that it is inquisitorial in its character, and that a great many persons would evade such taxation by perjury. It does not lie in the mouth of any advocate of our present system of taxation in the states to urge this objection. Would any reasonable man take the position that it is any more unjust or inquisitorial to require the wealthy class to state upon oath their wealth and income, and does it place any greater reward upon perjury than the present state tax system that requires every man in the state, every farmer throughout the country, to furnish a sworn list of his property, giving the number of hogs, sheep, horses, grain, watches, sewing machines, bank deposits, bonds and notes? It seems to me that some of the greatest difficulties urged against the income tax dissolve upon closer examination of its real merits. The fundamental principal is that the basis of taxation is the protection which one receives from the government for the year for which the taxation is collected."

In closing his remarks Mr Hall called attention to the fact that for the last eighteen years the Knights of Labor and the

National Grangers representing more than 4,000,000 men who work with their hands, have asked with one voice for an income tax law, while within a short time many wealthy men, and especially George Gould had admitted the justness and wisdom of such a tax.

In the election of a full set of officers for the city government at the coming city election care should be taken to secure those who will guard the interests of the city well. Economy in public expenditures, equal and exact justice to all tax payers of the city and special privileges to none would be a very safe as well as a very healthy rule to adopt in the management of city affairs. It is far more important that we have safe, careful members of the common council than that we should have republicans, democrats, or populists, as such, for such officials. The people should awaken to the best interests of the city at the coming city election as it may be the point upon which may hinge the future prosperity of the city.

PRICES REDUCED.—The undersigned proprietor of the Pioneer House desires to inform the public that he has reduced the price of board without lodging to \$3 per week, with lodging \$4 per week. Single meals 25 cents. The public is invited to call as I keep good beds and set a good table. Have fire wood for sale. Corner of Broad and Water streets. J H MERANDA.

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Notice is hereby given that on Monday, the 4th day of December, 1893, the annual election in and for the city of Albany, Linn county, state of Oregon, will be held for the purpose of electing the following municipal officers, to-wit: One Mayor, one Recorder, one Marshal, one Treasurer, one member of the Council from each ward.

Said election will be held at the following places, namely:

First ward—at the Circuit Court room, west side.

Second ward—at the County Treasurer's office.

Third ward—at the office of the Albany Farmers Company.

The following named persons have been appointed by the Common Council of said city, to act as Judges and Clerks of said election:

First ward—Judges, David Froman, J O Bushnell and W C Tweedale; clerks, C W Watts and W H Warner.

Second ward—Judges, Strauder Froman, Calvin Burkhardt and S M Pennington; clerks, J R Wyatt and P R Kelly.

Third ward—Judges, A E Bloom, N H Allen and George Patterson; clerks, Frank Wheeler and E J Lanning.

Said election will commence at 9 o'clock in the forenoon and continue without closing the polls until 6 o'clock in the evening of the aforesaid day.

Given by order of the Common Council of the city of Albany, Oregon, duly made at a regular meeting of said council held at the Council chamber, in said city the 14th day of November, 1893.

N J HENSON, Recorder of the city of Albany, Albany, Oregon, November 14th, 1893.

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