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TAXATION ; WATER BONDS.

Just as rapidly as the percentage of the taxes increases just!in that!proportion do the tax payers evade and return less property. This is an evil that has grown with the growth of every state. The writer can remember when in Ohlo, as early as 1839-40 the state and county taxes were tew days. not over two or three mills on the dollar and few towns were incorporated save the very largest. Yet the public improvements were just as substantial and numerous in proportion as they are to-day. Every dollirs worth of property came under the eye of the assessors. The State collected a little from everybody and not a great deal off a few as it is to-day. Again, in Missouri in 1885 in many counties the taxeswere so low that few tax payers paid over four or five dollars. And yet some of the best public improvments in these counties were made consular service is sufficient. The then, when he who paid twenty five dellars tax was a prodigy. To day several citizens in each of these the world as "high flyers" in society. counties pay from five hundred to a thousand dollars per year. And yet we doknow that the public improvements are no better proportionally, than then, to the population. A remarkable proof of the evil was any similar bodies in any other given about a year ago by the Chistates in the Union. The truth is cago News which day after day/pubthe people of Oregon, evidently, lished the sworn returns made by millionairecitizens of their personal have not gotten into the custom of property, and in no case did the sum exceed a thousand dollars, generally represent them, as is the practice in quantities, and also to the enterprise under five hundred dollars, while it was a notorious fact that within the marble palaces of most of them was property worth hundreds of thousands and in the grand stables behind were thousand dollar horses and carriages: harnesss worth per sat five hundred dollars, at least, for the gold on them. Side by side were given the returns of poor widows of the same block equalling or exceeding those of the mill and billionaires. Day after day was this done by the News and Attorney Grinnell's attention called to it, yet not a thing has ever been done. Not a thing ever will be done. It is sad to see young states tending more and more toward the dismal vortex. What is the remedy! Striet economy and stern simplicity in all public expenses. Then a very low assessment based on the known property or weakla of the counties and a stern requirement that every dollars worth not specially exempt shall be given. The plunge should be made though we shiver on the bank dreading the cold bath, and it will be found far more easy than supposed. Just ja truth, honor, justice are more easy than lying, infamy and injustice. If we are forever to continue this system of taxing industry and enterprise of fining bly in the similarity of temperament able when properly and economically a citizen or a city just as soon as between such relations. Where the conducted. Constant care and either begin to do something for temperaments are totally opposite scrupulous cleanliness are the first the common good(as all industry is) the offspring is as sound as any. So elements of success in evaporating and letting them alone only while affirm some high authorities on the good fruit. idle, useless non productive, then, subject. But it seems certain that the sooner we make the assessment where the temperaments are the a more bagatelle, which no one but same the offspring are unsound, better, peaches, the best on earth, the stinglest misers would care to whether the parents are related or evade, and sternly insist that every not. Fortunately for our race, if no dollar's worth of wealth be produced match making interferes and we are before the assessor the better. As to the Portland water bonds seek our opposites. A union of opwe can only see one case in which posite temperaments and where the such kind of property ought not to head of one party reclines and that he taxed, and that is when the peo- of the other tends to the towering or ple are doing the business for ithem- perpendicular affords the surest selves, to furnish water merely for ground for sound offspring. If any the public. But if every house- one doubts this, just let him extend holder must pay rates to some com- his observations among his acquaintpany for use of water, why not tax ances. He will find that in every

vestment; and in the other it is a velopment that if there be any offcommunity providing for itself the spring they are diseased in boily or first neccessity of life, after air. To mind, or short dived, where Appointes tax in the latter case would, be too that much like taxing breath. By the conjoined the children are healthy way, this is a very large question, and that, too, yezy often when the involving the fundamental princi- parents are diseased. This great ples of government and true econo- truth, first disclosed we believe by my. Let wisdom guide us, and not a Dr. Powell, is demonstrated in thousands of cases before our eyes, greed, in its settlement. and yet so little interest do we take DOES ADVERTISING PAY? in the physical improvement of our race, while doing so much for our In illustration of the oft repeated domestic animals, it is in danger of truth that judicious advertising

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being turned into oblivion. This science of temperaments has been so exactly developed that its most advanced students can tell any stranger, on their first meeting with him, all about the temperaments of his parents, grand parents and other surprising facts, without ever the following touching and no making a single mistake. And yet this science is neglected for things of no importance.

OBSERVER. SALEM, Jan. 29, 1889.

The Evaporated Fruit Industry.

vain for three days, the frantic par-The following, from Broadstreet's ents placed an advertisement in the nearest newspaper. Imagine the Commercial Reporter, regarding the surprise of the parents upon going status of the evaporated fruit industo the door next morning to see a try in the vicinage of Rochester, N. monster alligator upon the door-step Y., gives some idea of the vast poswhere he had disgorged the child sibilities of the future of Oregon, alive and then died himself. The and the Willamette valley, of which "ad" cost them but twenty-five cents Salem is the garden spot, in this and it gave them back their darling direction :

"Rochester, N. Y., is the recognizchild: they sold the aligator's hide ed centre of the evaporated and for five dollars, and the parents are showing the child in all the dime dried fruit industry of the United museums of the land at fifty dollars States, which during recent years a week. Does advertising pay? has assumed very large proportions, Who can longer doubt it? Our sol- the goods being shipped in large quantities to all of the leading maricitor will pay you a call within a kets of the world. No finer fruit is produced on the continent than is grown in the territory embraced un-In the Senate of the United States der the name of western New York, comprising some twelve of the most selves in favor of abolishing the fertile and richest counties of the whole diplomatic foreign mission Empire State. The cultivation of system. In truth, that was the feelfruit, especially apples, has superceded all other agricultural products, government. Pinkney of South and has proved the most remuner-Caro'ina who had ably represented ative to the growers. The orchards of the farming community are the chief sources of their wealth, and archial ways, and because whenever the industry is prosecuted with unwe have any real use for such repreabated vigor, largely aided by the send special representatives. The the great nurseries of Rochester,

famed throughout the world. Whether due to this proximity, the favorable climate and soil, or the superior and skillful cultivation of the orchardist, one thing is certain, that the apples of western New York,

visited our state house during the are sought with avidity, and bring present session report that our legisrelatively higher prices than those lative body compares favorably with grown in any other portion of the country.

"The success and magnitude of the evaporation industry is due largely to the fine quality of the fruit, easily selecting their most inferior men to and cheaply procurable in abundant of the producers in adopting new and improved evaporators and machinery in place of the crude process in vogue years ago, producing thereby a quality of fruit fully as good nently in your store, and which will call and palatable to the sight and taste the attention of your trade to the goods. as though it were in the fresh or uninjured state. Thousands of tons of apples are produced every season this country, and after months of study from a quality of fruit heretofore and experimenting with the prominent wasted and allowed to rot on the ground, and which now forms a nice income to the grower. It is in the utilization of these waste products that the desiccation of fruit becomes a valuable and indispensable adjunct package and style generally is such as to to every fruit grower, and the busi- attract attention, and we predict that when ness may be considered as yet in its your trade have tested the quality of the infancy. "Within a radius of forty miles of Rochester there are more than 1500 evaporators, from the small farmhouse drier of a capacity of twenty five bushels a day, to the large steam evaporators, drying 800 to 1000 bushels of apples each twenty four hours. These evaporators give employment during the EDITOR JOURNAL:-The evil re- autumn and early winter months to sults from inter marriage between at least 30,000 hands, who average blood relations are known to all from \$5 to \$12 a week, according to save the most unobserving or ig- experience and usefulness. New norant. But it is not known that factories are creeted every season, the cause of the evil is very proba- proving that the business is profit-



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FRIZZELLE.—At her home in East Salem, Tuesday January 29, 1889, Mrs. Frizzelle.

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