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### THE STATE TICKET.

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WHO PAYS THE INCOME TAX.  
The Philadelphia *Times* has grouped some facts from Senator Smith's speech on the income tax feature of the Wilson bill which are full of interest:

Senator Smith shows from the official records that when the war income tax was levied from 1863 to 1873 nearly 75 per cent. of the whole of it was paid by the Middle States and New England, while the West paid but 19 per cent. and the South but 5 per cent. New Jersey alone, leaving out Kentucky, paid more than all the Southern States, and New York alone paid more than all of the Western States and Territories and all of the Southern States and all of the Pacific States combined. Of the total number of persons assessed under the war income tax more than 50 per cent. were citizens of the five States of New York, New Jersey, Massachusetts, Connecticut, and Pennsylvania, and the amount of new income tax would fall with equal severity upon the great industries and energies of less than a dozen of our forty-four States. Viewed from every standpoint it is one of the most unjust propositions that has ever been seriously entertained in Congress, and it is often severely sectional. It comes also from the sections of the country which have every interest in avoiding sectional issues, and which should seek to more thoroughly harmonize with the more thrifty States rather than alienate them by oppressive laws.

The Committee on Finance in the United States Senate has published a pamphlet giving all the coining laws of the United States from the beginning of the government to the present time. It is full of valuable information. Among other tables is one showing the ratio between the value of gold and silver for over 200 years—from 1687 to 1893. Between 1687 and 1873, the lowest ratio was 1 to 14.14, in 1760; and the highest was 1 to 16.25, in 1813. It will thus be seen that the greatest variation in 200 years was only 2.11. During these 200 years the output of silver was sometimes forty times as great as the output of gold. Yet the variation in the ratio was scarcely perceptible. In 1873, when the United States and Germany demonetized silver the ratio was 15.92 to 1. Since 1873 the ratio has grown rapidly, and has now reached the unprecedented disparity of 1 to 28.52.

A new system of money orders will go into effect July 1. It has the merits of cheapness, simplicity and safety, and on these grounds alone it should be entirely satisfactory to the public. Orders for any sum less than \$2.50 will cost but three cents. Above this sum the price is advanced very slowly, and only reaches thirty cents for an order of \$100. The new system will prove profitable to the postal authorities, as the express companies have carried heretofore the large orders, which were profitable, and left the small business to the Government. Under the new system there will be no postal notes.

If the men who raise wool were in a great big trust they would have no difficulty to obtain hearings before the Senate Finance Committee, and have a duty placed on their product. In this respect the sugar trust, the whisky trust, the coal trust, the white lead trust, and the iron trust have the advantage over the wool growers. The Democratic Senators are cramming their bill with trusts to suit all tastes. The diekering that is going on between the Senators and the trusts is a disgraceful scandal.

The United States Treasury disbursements for April were \$9,500,000 in excess of the receipts for the same period. The total deficit for the ten months of the present fiscal year foots up \$65,547,447, or about \$60,000,000 a month on the average. The government must share with the people in private business the burden of Democracy. It is a grievous load but it must be borne with patience until there is a change in the management of public affairs.

The idea is prevalent that the Republicans can win this year with any sort of a ticket. That may be, but it is a safe rule to always put up the best and strongest ticket possible.

The pension rolls were reduced last year by death 25,000 names.

### THE OLD MILL MYSTERY.

By Arthur W. Marchmont, B. A.

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CHAPTER XXVI—Continued.

"I cannot let you talk to me like that again, Mr. Gorringe. I am Tom Roylance's promised wife."

"But Tom is not free yet, lass. He has to think about getting away from this charge before he thinks of a promised wife."

"But I shall free him. Let me go, please."

"I cannot let you go like this," he said, his voice trembling.

"What do you mean?" she cried, a shadow of fear for the first time crossing her thoughts.

She was alone with him in a great building, in a room shut away in the very heart of the mill, where not even a sound could possibly reach the outside.

"I mean that I cannot let you go from me without an answer to the questions I have been asking you for some days. If I consent not to give the evidence will you promise not to see Tom again?"

"No, certainly not—a thousand times no! If you will give the evidence you must give it; though be sure it is evidence, and not such rubbish as you made up at Tom's cottage."

"Made up at Tom's cottage! I don't understand you."

"I mean when you mistook red paint for blood, and a broken piece of iron with which he was making an experiment for a dangerous weapon."

Without a word he turned to the safe, and took out the packet she had brought to him before. When he saw what she had done he held it out in front of him, looking from it to the girl and back again.

"I see what you have done," he said, in a hard, firm tone. "This is your work to cheat me. You will repeat it," he said, deliberately.

"You have cheated yourself," she answered. "But I have given you my answer. I will go."

He was silent for a lengthy pause as if in thought. Then he looked up and spoke:

"You have mistrusted me and tried to trick me. You have succeeded in that; but you have made my task easier than I thought to find it, Mary. I also have cheated you. It was I who wrote the note in Mr. Charnley's name to get you here alone in the mill with me. I also have succeeded. I have brought you here to tell you that you must be my wife. You are in my power here; and if you will not be mine, then the consequences will be on your own head."

He spoke with deep earnestness and concentrated passion, made more impressive by his calm manner. She stepped back a couple of paces and then faced him, her features white and full of determination.

"Do you mean that you have lured me into a lie in order to try and force me to be your wife?"

"I have brought you here to tell you of my love, Mary," he said.

"Love?" she cried, with ineffable scorn. "Love! Why, you are the basest coward and villain I have ever known."

And she stood before the man, drawn to her full height, and she looked him dauntlessly and resolutely in the face. He gazed at her for a moment with passionate admiration and love in his eyes, and then rushed forward to take her in his arms.

For a moment she was panic-stricken, but the next her eyes fell on the deadly iron bar which lay on the table. She snatched it up and held it aloft threateningly.

"Stand back!" she cried.

And Reuben Gorringe quailed before the dangerous light which flashed from her eyes, and for a moment hesitated. Then he darted forward, and with a quick movement wrested the bar from the girl's hand and tossed it to the other end of the room.

Then he turned and faced her, and stretched out his hands to take her to his heart.

But she drew back as dauntlessly as ever.

CHAPTER XXVII—  
YOU SHALL NOT LIVE TO BELONG TO ANOTHER  
MAN."

For a moment he made no attempt to go near her.

"Why do youadden me in this way, Mary?" he asked. "Am I so hateful to you that when I seek thus to be alone with you, your only feeling is loathing? Is it so unpardonable a crime that my love should urge me to bring you here? All my wrong is that I love you."

"Love! What can you know of love, when you seek to force it with an iron padlock? Love trusts and does not threaten. You know nothing of love."

"Trusts," he returned, impatiently. "And have I not trusted? I have trusted too long, and nothing has come of it. Now I will act."

"Why have you changed like this to me?" asked Mary, with more gentleness. "You said that it would make you happy to see me happy, and you promised to help to prove Tom's innocence. What have I done to change you or to anger you?"

"You have done nothing. Nothing you could do would anger me. But the time has come when I must act. You could not understand if I told you. Mary, I swear to you I love you with all my soul. There is not a wish nor a thought, however light, however wild, I will not try to satisfy, if you will only be my wife. Will you not listen to me? I do not ask you to love me at first. I know that may be hard—perhaps impossible. But while love is love, such a passion as mine must make an echo in time. Will you trust me?"

He spoke with eager, earnest plead-

### The Human Electrical Forces!

How They Control the Organs of the Body.

The electrical force of the human body, as the nerve fluid may be termed, is an especially attractive department of science, as it exerts so marked an influence on the health of the organs of the body. Nerve force is produced by the action of the heart, lungs, stomach, bowels, etc., with the nervous force, thus supplying the latter with the vitality necessary to insure the proper function of the body. The pneumogastric nerve, as shown here, may be said to be the most important of all the nerves of the system, as it supplies the heart, lungs, stomach, bowels, etc., with the nervous force necessary to keep them active and healthy. As will be seen by the cut, the pneumogastric nerve descending from the base of the brain and terminating in the heart, lungs, stomach, bowels, etc., with the nervous force which supplies the heart, lungs, stomach, bowels, etc., with the nervous force necessary to keep them active and healthy. 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