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ABOUT THE TARIFF.

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should be borne in mind that the government must have revenue. How shall it be raised? By direct taxation, bringing the tax gatherer

And of these hard-squeezed earnings, more go to the rich than to the government. It ought, somehow, to show. Manufacturers of fertilizers are required by law to attach to each sack a tag with analy-"face to face" with the taxpayer! sis of the contents, showing the Or by a tariff on imported articles, quantity of per cent of each in-We believe a tariff levied solely for gredient; phosphate, potash, ammonia, etc. Some such arrange-

He buys cotton goods to the He buys weelen goods to the He wants to mend his fence, and he buys a few nalls, etc., for

e \$52.25, and finds that he ought have purchased the amount of goods for \$35, or in other words he has paid out of his pocket to help enrich a few special favorites of the government \$17.25 that he should

driven to the conclusion that high tariff is an exceedingly onerous and unnecessary tax, and he wonders waving in too many directions in why the country has borne the bur- the same day.

WHAT A "TAX TAG" WOULD EX-POSE TO THE PUBLIC.

It were much better to see the tax gatherer and talk with him face to face-bid him good morningbetter, so to speak, to have a day in court, and see after the right and wrong of it all. Let him say to you, here is a barrel of sugar, 300 pounds, at 10 cents, \$30. The maker gets so much, the merchant gets so much, your State tax on it is 15 properly numbered, scheduled cents, your county tax is 10 cents, sides this, however, you pay a merchant's profit on the \$7.50, say at 20 per cent, \$1.50 more. Really, A friend and subscriber to the the barrel ought to have cost you

forward is that of nearly all heart, quite free from sap; and another is813 00 that it is of that variety of trees

17 50 known as decidious. This might be considered objectionable at the first blush, but we think on mature consideration it is not. The other variety being ever He finds his bill amount to... \$52 25
This he pays and drives home, and in the evening he sits down and makes his calculations. He wealth is not shade trees, nor ornawealth is not shade trees, nor ornamental shrabbery, but a genuine, stringy, tough, free-hearted governor for four years to come. The king of the forest upon which the choice shall fall, must be free from finds that he has paid an extra mental shrabbery, but a genuine, amount for his goods on account of stringy, tough, free-hearted government for his follows: choice shall fall, must be free from

reading a habit, nor yet too traight and upright, nor elevated above the surrounding timber. This is important because of the political cyclones and tornadoes in justice, right and equity have to buy necessaries for his family.

By this time he is irresistibly easily awayed by even gentle easily swayed by even gentle breezes, and might be bowing and

Thus it will be seen that the approaching convention will sit more as a body of inspectors of Timber than as prospectors in the woodlands in search of some parscan his books-perhaps dispute ticular stick. The public good-them-look into his bill. It were detachment will have the logs all detachment will have the logs all nicely dressed and submitted for the consideration of that august body when it shall be in readines

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These descriptions should be full free and such as could not be disputed either before the inspectors or the great body of judges during

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doubtless impress many farmers with the injustice of the tariff.

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In discussing the matter it the first of patriotism and for the flannel on her babes. And it might be well to remember that the first of patriotism should be kept aglow, and either of these would create a blaze that

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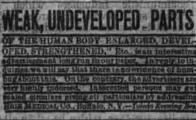
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