

LESSON LXVIII.

How	Plan	Made
One	Would	Quite
Tax	Work	Plain

Now, my Child, we come near to the End of the Book. I hope you see through the Plan of the One Tax and How it would Work. Yes. I Think I Do. The State would take All the Land and Rent it Out. Is not that it? No; You are quite Wrong. The State would Leave the Land with Those who now Own it. It would just tax the Land at its Right Worth, and Each Man who Held it would get a Tax Bill for that Sum each year, to wit, the Sum of the Rent of the Bare Land, and there would be but this One Tax to pay. From the Whole of the Funds thus Got, a Part would go to Meet the Needs of the State. There would still be a Good Sum Left, and this would go Back to the Folks at Large in the form of Good Roads, Lights, Parks, and so on. Get this Clear in your Head, my Child.