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## THE OREGON CONSTITUTION.

Permitted to judge the future of the Oregon assembly by the first four days, there is some prospect that measures may be adopted to secure needed amendments to our fossilized state constitution. A man of finance who is informed relative to the conditions existing between Oregon and the now state of Washington, will say that it is like passing out of darkness into the full light of day to cross the Columbia anywhere from Astoria to Wallula, there is such a vast difference between the two on account of the circumscribed laws of Oregon as compared with the more liberal statutes of Washington. There are other than financial reasons for wishing a change in the constitution of Oregon, but the financial reasons will serve the purpose of the present illustration.

The document provides that no county in the state shall incur an indebtedness exceeding in amount the debt of the county at the time of the adoption of the constitution and five thousand dollars additional. Nearly every county in the state has violated this constitutional provision, and some of them, notably Jackson, Josephine and Klamath, have violated it. Jackson county being now perhaps \$150,000 beyond the constitutional limit. This debt consists of outstanding, protested county warrants, drawing interest at the rate of eight per cent. per annum. Knowing the provisions of the constitution, the people have kept on piling up the debt in these counties by issuing scrip to be protested, instead of curtailing expenditures or increasing the rate of taxation. Knowing the provisions of the constitution, the people of the several counties have accepted their county's scrip at 100 cents on the dollar for their services as jurors and witnesses and public servants; have sold and bought it at from 85 cents to 98 cents on the dollar, and have proceeded in the matter very much, if not entirely, as they would have done had the constitution of the state expressly permitted what it expressly forbids. The debt in many counties has become a grievous burden, and an effort will be made to lighten it by having the legislature pass an act enabling the counties to fund the debt at a lower rate of interest than is now paid upon it. The leaders in this effort will endeavor to pass a general act, taking in all the counties, and in event of failing in this will endeavor to have certain counties relieved by special acts. The object sought is one which must be approved by everyone, but whether a state constitution can be retired by the legislature even in enactments which represent objects of unanimous approval is an interesting and practical question that must finally come to a practical test upon a financial basis, if it pass the legislative challenge. People in the county do not seem to be afraid of county scrip, but whether outside capital could be induced to invest in county bonds bearing five or six per cent interest is the real question, for in the counties which most need relief from the debt burden there is no likelihood of local capital going into five or six per cent bonds at this time. It is very doubtful whether outside capital would buy county bonds in Oregon with the constitution standing as it does.

It must be admitted that very many unconstitutional laws have been passed in Oregon and other states, and it might not hurt anything to poke another act through the same rent in the venerable fundamental act which the big county debts have already torn, and then let the matter go to the money exchange for settlement; but the surest way to proceed is to begin a regular amendment of the constitution. This is slow, but four years will soon pass by, and when they have passed we shall be able to make use of the new constitutional provision, for the debts will still remain with us.

A Washington dispatch today states that Mr. Blaine passed another uneventful night. His physician evaded replying to a question as to whether he considered Blaine in a dying condition, by saying that he was growing weaker. The doctor admitted that he had been living on stimulants, and that several times his life had been recalled by the administration of nitro-glycerine, the results of which were a surprise to even the physicians. It is quite evident that Dr. Johnson is very much mystified at Blaine's wonderful vitality.

Cred Haymond, who for many years was chief counsel for the Southern Pacific railroad company, died in San Francisco yesterday morning. He has been very low for several weeks, and his death was expected. Haymond was prominent in state politics, served several terms in the state legislature, and was a delegate to the national republican convention in 1896.



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The Dalles, Oct. 31, 1892.  
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