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BY HOPER BROTHERS. TUESDAY DEC. 11, 1900. Daily One Year, \$3.00 In Advance Daily Four Months \$1.00 In Advance Weekly One Year \$1.00 In Advance

RESULT OF A REFORM CAMPAIGN.

The taxpayers of Marion county are getting the benefit of a thorough discussion of county finances in the campaign preceding the last June election.

The Republicans claimed that their county convention resulted in a new deal, that the management of the party was taken entirely out of the hands of the old ring, and that their ticket represented the reform element of the party.

Whatever progress is made in these matters, whatever reforms are made in Marion county affairs, will be due to the pledges that were forced upon the majority party to the execution of promises extracted from its candidates by the opposition.

The result is progress in good government. The taxpayer will in the course of time experience relief. The county will get out of debt, honest jurisdiction and non-partisan selection of election officers will result.

SOME OF THE OREGON CENSUS TAKING. The results of the census of Oregon cities is so ridiculous that no case even to give it earnest discussion.

The truth is that while Great Britain takes a census in one day, the American census business has but one merit—it puts millions in circulation among an impetuous set of political wire pullers who for reasons best known to their creditors prolong their job for what there is in it.

MARION COUNTY ASSESSMENT 1900

Reductions Made Are Not Large As Other Count Should Have Been Cut About Two Millions on the Basis of Umatilla Figures

Below are given comparative totals of assessments for 1899 and 1900. Marion county valuations are still too high when compared to Umatilla which cut about \$1,500,000 under last year.

Table with 2 columns: 1899, 1900. Rows include: 179,267 acres tillable land, 327,925 acres non-tillable, 189,030 acres on forested lands, etc.

district than the great political machine at Washington. Oregon has probably nearer half a million population than four hundred thousand.

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Master Earl Sharp pleased the audience with a very pretty violin solo. All regretted the absence of several who should have made "hi-yon wa-wa."

Y. M. C. A. BUILDING FOR SALEM. A movement has been started that may result in erection of a commodious Young Men's Christian Association building at Salem.

IMPORTANT CASES IN COUNTY COURT. County Judge Scott is putting in all his spare time preparing opinions in two quite important probate cases.

UNION OF SALEM PRINTERS. Capital Typographical Union No. 210 has elected officers for the ensuing year as follows: E. H. Plagg, president; Edward Lamb, vice president; James E. Godfrey, secretary-treasurer; J. W. Baker, sergeant-at-arms.

ON THE DOMAIN OF THE COURTS

Judge Borse is holding a term of Court at McMinnville. He will hold court at Salem next week.

Enthusiastic Letter From a Former Oregonian. H. W. Cottle, formerly of Salem, and well known throughout all Oregon, has the following letter in the Tillamook Headlight, of Dec 9th:

"During the past year I have visited all the oil fields of California, carefully examining the formation and surface indications for oil. I have also passed through Tillamook and Clatsop Counties in Oregon, and I am satisfied that there is oil in both of those counties.

"A good producing oil well anywhere in Tillamook County would more than double the valuation of the entire county and cause an active demand for the poorer lands of the county at prices that would astonish its citizens.

As Abrupt Proposal. The reported fashion of the famous Dr. Abernethy's courtship and marriage is very characteristic. It is told that while attending a lady for several weeks he observed their admirable qualifications in her daughter which he truly esteemed to render the married state happy.

WITNESSES FAILED TO COME TO TIME. J. H. Everett, arrested near Jefferson, on Thursday, charged with obtaining money under false pretenses, was on Monday discharged by City Recorder N. J. Judah, the prosecuting witness failing to appear.

ANOTHER PAPER AT PORTLAND. The Portland Tradesman Co., stock \$5000, to publish a newspaper and run a job office, has filed articles with the Secretary of State.

BUSINESS CARDS

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