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## JUDGE BOOTH'S STAND WILL ELECT HIM.

Judge W. A. Booth is making his canvas for election as joint senator of Crook, Grant, Lake and Klamath counties upon grounds which should appeal to both democrats and republicans alike. He has committed himself as against the division of Crook county at this time, a stand which should commend him to the individual voters of this county. In addition to that it is scarcely necessary to call attention to Mr. Booth's business qualifications which make him an exceptionally strong man for the office.

But at this period with Crook county just in the infancy of its development, with a new population and new industries springing up in every section, it is altogether an inopportune time to broach the subject of county division. And Judge Booth will fight particularly on those grounds. He has fought there before and will swing his javelins now in the same direction. And it should be taken into consideration that Mr. Booth's decided stand against this injudicious move is not one of mushroom growth. As Judge of this county, when the question came up in the legislature two years ago, Mr. Booth appeared personally before that body and argued against such an imprudent act. And it was principally through his efforts that this county was allowed to remain whole. Now is the same question again brought before the people and it remains with them whether a man who has stated his position—and one which means far more to this county in a financial way than is now realized—shall be sent to Salem as a representative of this district.

Mr. Booth is so well known in this county it is not necessary to speak further to them of his ability to represent this district ably and well. As a business man and judge of Crook county he has passed criticism and the sagacity and good judgment with which he has handled both his own affairs and those of the county are characteristics which would make themselves felt in the halls of the state legislature.

## WANTED—A COMPETENT MAN

Just at this time the county needs such a man as Charles A. Gilchrist to handle the affairs that fall to the lot of the clerk. Along with the increased population, development of new industries, and the recording of scores of new deeds, claims and other matters there should be a man acting who is competent to handle with dispatch and accuracy the increased business.

Crook county is growing, and it will continue to grow. It will stride ahead faster during the next two years than it has in the last ten and an increase in business means that the county must of necessity have competent men to discharge the work. The bulk of this will fall on the shoulders of the clerk.

Mr. Gilchrist is the one for the office. The right kind of an engineer at the right post is the man wanted. Competent and capable. There will be no necessity of expecting the books. They will be kept in the right kind of shape and the business of the office handled in a business like manner.

That's the kind of a clerk Crook county wants. That's the kind she will need during the next two years and for many years to come.

The clerk's office is outgrowing its old methods. Business during the next two years cannot be handled in the same old fashioned way that it has in times past. There must be a change with the right man in the right place. One who will attend strictly to business with which the county has entrusted him; one who will leave other pastimes alone when he is

acting as a public servant and who will give his time to the people who are paying him and for whom he is paid to serve. No other man acting as clerk can fill the office and fill it satisfactorily, and the people don't want a man who attempts to fill it any other way. Crook county must and will have a competent man.

Mr. Hearst's presidential boom is turning into something that looks rather bum.

## "Yellow Jacket" Pointers

A great many people live according to their convictions—especially those in the Penitentiary.

When you have a hair-raising tale to tell you should always spring it on a bald headed man.

As one of the planks for the next Democratic platform we suggest the following: Resolved, That we continue to kick.

A hobo philosopher says there is a lack of harmony about the place where there's a savage dog at the gate and a mat on the front step with "Welcome" on it.

Mr. Bryan in a recent address remarked that "society is in a danger." What makes you think so Billy? Society has withstood the bombardment of the Bryanite air-gun for a long time, and we hardly think society will come in contact with anything much worse than that.

Having been compelled to lay aside free silver, anti-expansion, the Panama canal question, and all the other questions upon which they used to bank so securely, it seems that the only available issue for the Democrats in the coming campaign is this: "Ought Booker Washington to have anything to eat?"

Out of the Onion Sack.

A. D. 4000.

The nerve shattered, hollow-eyed trembling newspaper man knocked timidly at the gateway of Heaven. St. Peter opened the door, and scratched his head thoughtfully as the purveyor of questionable tales introduced himself and hesitatingly whispered his occupation.

"And upon what do you base your claim to be admitted into the golden regions?" asked good St. Peter as he scrutinized the shivering features in front of him.

"Well," said the quill pusher, "I understand Shakespeare got through in 1616, and he is a distant relative of mine. I thought maybe by this time he might want some company."

"You are mistaken in thinking he's here," said St. Peter, "he got in under an assumed name, we found it out and we had to shake 'Spenser the same as we'll have to shake you," and he pushed the button and the elevator descended.

Two years ago, so they say, when Park Doak was running against J. N. Burgess for the state legislature, the two candidates were in Prineville making preparations to stump the county. Doak secured his team and started towards the west about two hours ahead of Burgess who hurried after him as soon as he learned of Doak's departure. After a drive of several hours, Burgess came to a well of water along the way where a little girl, some eight or ten years old who was filling a bucket, gave him a drink. Burgess asked the child several questions regarding Doak and how long it had been since he had passed the place, to all of which the little girl promptly replied.

Then Burgess thrust his hand down in his pocket and pulled forth some candy.

"Here's some candy for you," said Burgess in a sweet and engaging tone.

"He gave me some, too," replied the little girl.

"Well," said Burgess as he picked the child up and kissed her rosy cheeks on the cheek. "I'll wager Mr. Doak didn't kiss you."

## Additional Locals

Geo. H. Osborn was a business visitor from Culver Monday.

Will Edwards was down from Camp creek this week.

E. H. Harris and family, of Sisters, are in the city visiting with friends.

Dr. C. E. Edwards left for Bend yesterday to make final proof on a timber claim.

Rev. H. C. Clark will spend next Sunday at Sisters where he will conduct services.

R. E. Simpson and Arthur Clothier spent Monday and Tuesday at Deschutes.

Walter Ruble was in the city from Culver Tuesday transacting business matters.

C. M. Willey was down from his ranch near Lava Tuesday attending business matters.

R. F. Allen and wife and Al Alien left this morning for a visit with relatives in Portland.

W. T. Fogle and wife left this morning for Portland where Mr. Fogle will engage in business.

James Benham was over from Deschutes Tuesday and Wednesday transacting business matters.

Rev. T. J. Traglio, of Culver spent Monday and Tuesday in the city attending to church matters.

Mrs. A. M. Drake and A. L. Goodwillie, of Bend, were in the city on business matters Monday.

George Rodman was a business visitor from Culver for several days during the first of the week.

A marriage license was issued Tuesday to Peter Yaisli and Mis-Frieda Giger, both of Cross Keys.

R. M. Morris was in the city from Culver Monday to appear as a witness in a homestead final proof.

Attorney Barnes left today to spend a few days on the Deschutes struggling with the members of the "funny tribe."

A. S. York, of the Portland Telegram, was in the city the first of the week looking after the interests of his paper in this section.

Sid Percival was in the city from Cross Keys Tuesday on his way to Bend where he goes to take charge of the mechanical part of the Bend Bulletin.

Dr. C. A. Cline and wife returned this week from a spring outing on their ranch where the doctor has employed his time in sowing crops.

Ed Crabtree left Wednesday for the Lookout mountain district where he will spend the next few weeks looking after the mining interests in that section.

C. A. Gray and wife left Tuesday for their home in Salem. Mr. Gray expects to return in a short time to inspect the building progress on the new High school.

Rev. B. C. Childs, of the State Temperance Society, is expected to be in Prineville sometime within a week. He will lecture at the Union church on the Local Option law.

Ed Harris came down from Bear creek Tuesday to make final proof on a homestead. He was accompanied by Mac Moss and Alex Hinton who appeared as his witnesses.

The Socialists have made arrangements to use a column in the Journal during the time intervening between now and election. Their ticket will be found elsewhere in this issue.

## THE CASH GROCERY

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Arrangements have been completed for the dance to be given by the baseball team on Friday evening, May 20. The members are hustling to dispose of tickets and it is expected that a large crowd will be present.

J. H. Templeton leaves today for Astoria to attend the Grand Lodge of the Odd Fellows. Mr. Templeton was elected as a delegate two weeks ago by the local lodge to represent Prineville at the district meeting which will be held May 17-19.

W. A. Booth, a former resident of this vicinity and well known here, has been nominated for State Senator from the joint senatorial district composed of Grant, Klamath, Crook and Lake counties. Mr. Booth is a good, clean upright man, and barring his politics we would as soon see him elected as any man on earth.—Mitchell Sentinel.

Miss Emma V. Ketchum, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Ketchum, of this city, was married last Sunday morning to Mr. Henry L. Whitsett. The wedding took place at the Methodist parsonage, Rev. H. C. Clark performing the ceremony. The wedding was a quiet one, only the parents of the bride being present. Both the young people are well known in Crook county and the best wishes of their many friends will follow them.

Prof. and Mrs. A. C. Strange and Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Wilson were entertained last Tuesday evening at a reception given them at the Athletic club by the members of that association. The event was one of the prettiest social functions given in the city and an enjoyable evening was spent by all. A half dozen different parlor games were played and after the evening's entertainment ice cream and light refreshments were served on the stage in the gymnasium room. The reception committee consisted of Mesdames Wigle, Foster, Simpson, Brink and King. The refreshment committee was composed of Mesdames W. F. King, Clifton and Michel. Those who served on the program committee were Mesdames Comerford, Rosenberg and Winnek.

## Socialist Column

"Equal Rights to All, Special Privileges to None."

HO! For the Co-operative Commonwealth.

## Crook County Socialist Ticket

For County Judge, J. R. McDowell, Haystack.

For Commissioner, THOS. ARNOLD, Sisters.

For Sheriff, W. H. BIRDSONG, Prineville.

For Clerk, J. F. CAYWOOD, Culver.

For Treasurer, J. A. RIGGS, Prineville.

For School Superintendent, B. F. WILHOFF, Prineville.

For Assessor, J. R. BENTHAM, Bend.

For Coroner, D. H. HELL, Bend.

William Henry Birdsong, the Socialist candidate for sheriff, was born in Hunt county, Texas, Oct. 8, 1859, where he remained until 1885. That year he removed to California to engage in farming and three years later came to Crook county where he has since made his home. He was married in Texas to Miss Emma J. Farthing and to the union were born eight children, five girls and three boys.

Since becoming a resident of Crook county Mr. Birdsong has been engaged in farming and stockraising and is also interested in a co-operative irrigation company which has selected lands along the Deschutes river.

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