COUNTY OFFICERS.

In Bend Precinct Independent Citizens Carried the Day for Justice by a Decisive Majority -- 130 Votes Polled Here-An Increase of 400 Per Cent in Two Years in the Number of Votes Polled Here.

Binger Hermann was elected to congress in the first district last Monday by a plurality of more than 7000 votes. J. N. Williamson wor in the second district by a plurality of about 14,000. This is the biggest republican victory ever recorded in Oregon.

In this judicial district Judge Bradshaw is probably re-elected and Frank Menefee will be district attorney for another term. J. A. Laycock will be our joint senator and J. H. Shook and R. E. L. Steiner will represent us in the lower house in the legislature. All these but Bradshaw are republicans

For supreme court justice Moore was re elected, as was Bailey for food and dairy commissioner, there having been no doubt of that re-The local option and direct primary laws carried decisively as did the constitutional amendment to take, the state printer from the list of constitutional officers and make him subject to the leg

In Crook county Bell (R) for judge beat Biggs out of sight. As

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REPUBLICANS AHEAD between Elkins (R) and Smith for WHY indications favoring the success of STATE, DISTRICT AND MOST OF THE large majority over C. A. Gilchrist PEOPLE POURING IN, BUILDING OPERfor county clerk. Otto Gray (R) won the treasurership from the elder Bell. C. B. Dinwiddie (1) appears to have taken the superintendency of schools from Boegli Stearns (R) won for county commisdoner, Lafollett (D) for assessor, Graves (R) surveyor and Crooks

> In Bend precinct J. M. Lawrence received a decisive majority of the votes for justice over Charles L. Brock, D. W. Moorehouse, the republican nominee, receiving no votes at all. For constable there was not much of a contest. E. W. Giles, double the number that was here a ndependent, was elected by two cotes over J. W. Overton.

D) for coroner

The election board in Bend prerinct was composed of John R. Brock, John I. West, and John Sisemore, judges, and J. M. Law-rence, Millard T. Triplett, and Phomas W. Triplett, clerks, the ast two having been appointed by the judges in the absence of C. I. Brock and G. Schlecht, who had been named by the county court

The detailed vote in this precine was as follows:
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COUNTY CLERK-F. Cawwood, specialist.

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t, McCallisch, republican

W. E. McFigriand, democratic

THENTY ASSESSOR

B. Borrhom, socialist.

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COUNTY CORONIER-

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CONSTABLE

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ATIONS ON THE RUSH.

Basis is Development of Natural Resources Mainly from Reclamation of Large Area of Arid Land--Excellent Class of Citizens are Occupying this Country -- tirowth Has Only Fairly Begun in This Region.

Between 400 and 500 people re side in and about Bend- about year ago. Every man is busy at good wages and has plenty work

Fifteen buildings ranging from a three-room bungalow to 14 room structures, are under way in Bench at this time, including dwellings and business structures.

Preparations are in progress for many other buildings. About 20,soo feet of lumber is being pulled from the saw directly to new buildings every day.

This activity is based upon the development agencies in operation here. Most of the Columbia Southern segregation of 27,000 acres has been taken this season and they are being occupied by a thrifty and energetic class of citizens The Deschutes Irrigation & Power Company's 200,000 acres are not yet ready for settlement but 25 miles of ditch, watering as many thousand acres, is practically completed and the reclamation work is going forward fast. Applications for these lands are very numerous, though the lands have been avail able but a few weeks. Applications for public lands in this vicinity have been very active in the past three months, homesteads greatly predominating.

The extensive lumber belt of the Deschutes, reaching down to Bend's very door, is not considered in present operations, though it is bound to make this point the seat of important manufacturing. Neither do railroad prospects count at the present time, for everything now contemplated will proceed regardless of railroad.

#### Nothing the Matter with Vegetables.

E. F. Batten on the last day of April planted a small plat in French breakfast and other radishes on his residence lot at the corner of Tenth street and Ironwood avenue. Last Sunday the Batten's had fresh radishes for dinner and they were as pretty and toothsome as ever grew anywhere. And they grew without irrigation, too. Mr. Batten had some lettuce and peas that were due for the table about this time but the chipmunks got them first. Sweetcorn and potatoes are coming on finely without watering.

L. H. McCann planted some radish seed, with others, in the first week in May and the family had radishes for dinner Saturday. These, however were on the river bottom at the Cottor place and benefited from the proximity of the water, though there was no systematic irrigation.

### Cline Buttes Assays.

Returns from the specimens of Cline buttes rock sent for assay by G. E. Robbins were received from two assayers this week. The Montana Metallurgical Works, of Portland, found a value of \$1.86 to the ton-\$1.20 in gold and 66 cents in silver- and A. M. McAfee, of the Redding, Cal., Assay Office reports \$1.65 per ton in gold and a The Rev. Z. W. Commerford trace of silver. Reports from other writes from Prineville that he can assayers are yet to be received. Of not be in Bend next Sunday but course this is not rich rock but the that he and Mrs. Commerford will hope is that, with this showing near be at the Pilot Butte Inn most of the surface, depth will bring results next week and he will hold services that will well pay for development. in Grant's hall on the succeeding Prospecting is likely soon to be re-

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