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SOMETIME since a number of business men, fruit-growers, farmers and taxpayers from various sections of Jackson county, requested George L. Davis, president of the Farmers and Fruit Growers' bank, to become a candidate for county commissioner.

Against his own inclinations, Mr. Davis finally consented to become a candidate for the republican nomination. Although he made no campaign, he received a majority of the votes cast, giving him the republican nomination.

Against Mr. Davis are pitted J. W. Myers, chief horticultural inspector, democratic nominee, and Joshua Patterson, who was defeated for the republican nomination and is running independent.

Mr. Davis does not take an active part in politics. He is a successful business man, and stands for a business administration, and it is, therefore, a business proposition to elect him.

Effort has been made to make the campaign a sectional one, to carry certain parts of the county against other sections, all of which is wrong, and is deplorable.

It has been said that Mr. Davis has never built a road. Perhaps he hasn't, but he takes a great interest in the good roads movement, knows how a road should be built, has seen them under construction, has made a study of the question and stands pledged to build them in Jackson county.

A vote for Davis is a vote for progress, a vote to sustain the direct primary, a vote for good highways and administration.

A DIME NOVEL HERO FOR SHERIFF.

HERETO John H. Bellinger has borne the reputation of a rather mild and amiable young man with no apparent occupation save a perennial itching to become sheriff—an itching which the voter will have the opportunity of scratching tomorrow.

Now, however, we find Mr. Bellinger advertising his own qualities in a manner that would please the fancy of the dime novel reading youth.

Still better, our hero is very brave, almost as brave as a Sioux warrior, for does his press agent not herald him as follows: "If there is one man in Jackson county more than another who has those visible attributes of bravery and who by reason of them could not be otherwise than brave if he wanted to, that man is John Bellinger."

O, shades of Old Sleuth and Three Fingered Pete, Nick Carter and Old King Brady! How you must roll over in your graves when you learn that a real, flesh and blood hero has got the drop on you, and is running for office in Jackson county!

Our hero, if elected, says he "won't stand for any graft," thereby insinuating that graft exists at present—a statement he does not make, because false.

It is too bad to see so much heroism and bravery going to seed. Yet if prohibition carries and the search law is put into effect, he can probably get a job, where it will all be needed.

SMASH THE ASSEMBLY SLATE.

JAY BOWERMAN faces the deep set anger of the people of Oregon. The people are going to smash assemblyism once and for all by defeating this assembly nominee.

The people resent the Southern Pacific's and other public service corporations effort to control politics—and are going to defeat Jay Bowerman, Southern Pacific attorney and nominee.

The people are wearied of prostitution of government by special interests at Washington. Mr. Hawley, the faithful servant of the System, will feel the brunt of their displeasure.

The only assembly legislation candidate Jackson county votes upon is J. A. Buchanan of Roseburg for joint representative. He should be defeated by the election of Henry D. Reed of Gold Hill.

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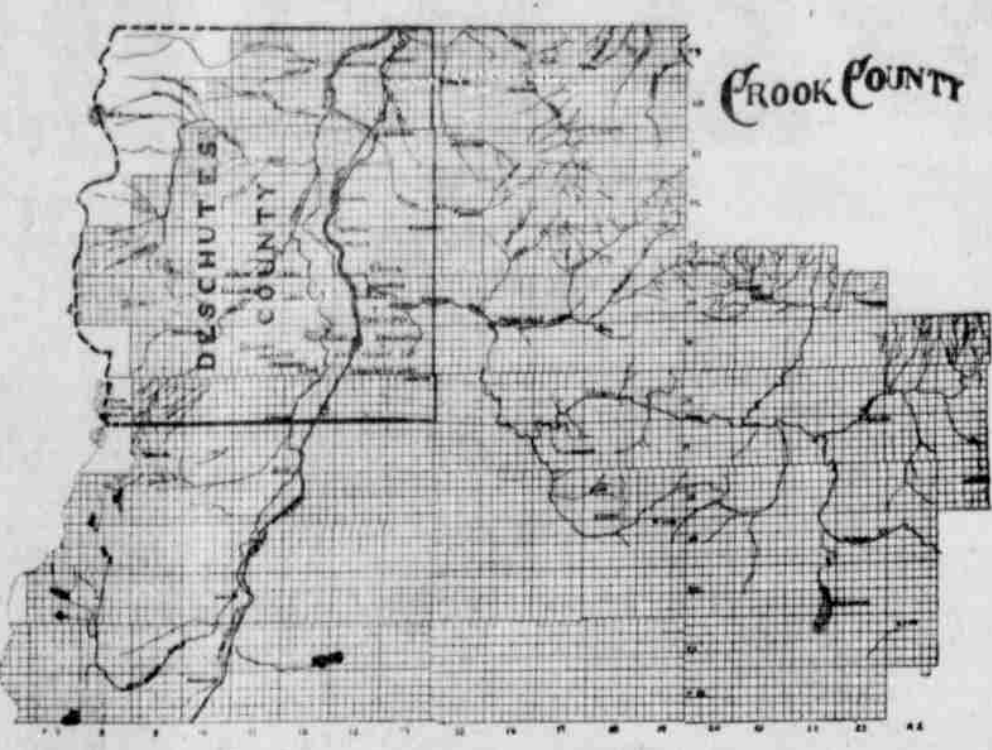
WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 7.—Every year the country has something to be thankful for on the last Thursday in November, but this year it is the increased population and the bountiful harvests and the general peace that President Taft has chosen for the basis of his annual Thanksgiving proclamation.

Vote Yes For Deschutes County

350 X Yes

The huge counties of Central Oregon must be divided in order to facilitate the proper development of this vast Empire—the creation of Deschutes County is the first and logical step.

The laws of Oregon make it impossible to create a new county in any way other than by a vote of the state at large—therefore the residents of the proposed Deschutes County ask your support.



The present Crook County is 84 miles wide, 110 miles long—19 times the size of Multnomah County. The territory embraced is so large and the interests so divergent that it is next to impossible to equitably administer to the needs of all sections.

Realizing these conditions, Prineville, the county seat of the present county, is willing to have Deschutes formed.

VOTE 350 X FOR DESCHUTES COUNTY.

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What the Home Rule Bill [328] Really Is

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SYDNEY STORY SPEAKS TONIGHT

Sidney Story, for 15 years park commissioner of New Orleans, ex-member of New Orleans' Municipal assembly, father of reform measures which have absolutely solved civic problems in his native city, and one of the foremost speakers in Dixieland, will deliver an address in this city at the opera house on Monday

evening, November 7th, his topic being "Model License Law the Only Cure for the Evils of Intemperance." Mr. Story's address on this subject, delivered scores of times, has gained him the plaudits of tens of thousands of his listeners. Mr. Story will deal with facts concerning prohibition and its failure to prohibit. He will support initiative bill No. 328, which gives to every city and town the exclusive power to