

WITHCOMBE SEES RECORD MAJORITY

Party Front in Many Towns Visited Solid for Battle for Ticket's Success.

FARMERS NEED STATE AID

Projects in Eastern Oregon Lack Funds to Develop Resources Long Dormant and Hope Is With Republicans, He Says.

Dr. James Withycombe, Republican candidate for Governor, returned yesterday from an interesting trip through the heart of Central Oregon. He visited Crook County and portions of Klamath and Lake counties and found farmers and settlers encouraged over future prospects in their respective communities. He found much enthusiasm among the Republican voters. They were optimistic of party success this year and predicted victories for the Republican state and local tickets everywhere.

Dr. Withycombe visited Bend, Redmond, Prineville, Silver Lake, Fort Rock, Fremont, La Pine and other places. People there expect to outdo all their previous efforts, he reports, in the hope of attaining party success. Everywhere there is an expressed determination to roll up a surprising vote for the entire state ticket, he says.

Candidate Welcomed as Friend.
Dr. Withycombe has had occasion to visit these sections several times in the past 13 years in connection with his work as head of the experimental station of the State Agricultural College at Corvallis. His first visit was 13 years ago, when he drove through what was then largely a wilderness from Shaniko to Klamath Falls, and in his repeated visits since he has had occasion to note the remarkable progress that has been made.

He was welcomed on his recent visit, not as a stranger or as a candidate seeking votes, going among these people for the first time on a political juketing trip, but as an old friend, who in years gone by showed a practical interest in the development of the industries of the section.

"I find the settlers chafing under the delay in completing their irrigation projects," he said, "and it is apparent that proper efforts have not been made, or at least they have not been effective, in pushing this line of development. There are no public enterprises more worthy of the active and earnest support of our people, and of the administrative department than the great irrigation enterprises of Eastern Oregon."

State Aid Badly Needed.
"We of the valley cannot realize what it means, not only to these people, but to the entire state, in the dry farming settlements there is a great field for experimentation with projects for securing arting water and in this line there should be some feasible plan for giving state assistance."

"Near Madras, Culver and Fort Rock splendid progress already has been made in dry farming, but there is a pressing need for a greater supply of water for domestic purposes in the Christian and Silver Lake sections homesteaders are feeling the need of the farm work demonstration. These two sections, with proper development, will show marvelous results. The possibilities of the whole of Southeastern Oregon grow upon one at every addition from this morning to Estacada, where he is booked for an address at the Eastern Clackamas Fair, now in session there."

HIGH SCHOOL FEE FOUGHT

\$80 Tuition Charged Out-of-Town Pupils Object of Crusade.

Action to induce the School Board to allow out-of-town high school students to attend the Portland schools at a tuition of \$40 a year, instead of charging them \$80 a year as was decided by the Board last Summer, probably will be taken by the Portland Commercial Club soon. C. C. Holt, J. Fred Larson and George Baker have been appointed a committee to investigate the rise in tuition.

PERSONAL MENTION.

- F. G. Burn, of Fallbridge, is at the Eaton.
- George Fropeck, of Milton, is at the Perkins.
- L. A. Nelson, of Portland, is at the Carlton.
- W. H. Miller, of Eugene, is at the Carlton.
- F. L. Jackson, of Aberdeen, is at the Eaton.
- E. J. Bruner, of Tacoma, is at the Washington.
- Don G. Fisher, of Seattle, is at the Multnomah.
- R. W. Hitchcock, of Medford, is at the Perkins.
- Miss M. Houston, of New York, is at the Nortonia.
- A. F. Roach, of Butte, Mont., is at the Cornelius.
- W. E. Hanson, of Hood River, is at the Cornelius.
- T. J. Grudlich, of Pendleton, is at the Cornelius.
- J. H. Dunlop, of Cascade Locks, is at the Oregon.
- A. Bush, Jr., a Salem banker, is at the Multnomah.
- Carl Schaffer, of Mount Angel, is at the Nortonia.
- W. H. Fenton, of Berkeley, Cal., is at the Imperial.
- J. L. Lott, of San Francisco, is at the Washington.
- M. T. O'Connell, of Winlock, Wash., is at the Oregon.
- W. H. Coulter, of Vancouver, B. C., is at the Oregon.
- Mr. and Mrs. A. Hahn, of Chicago, are at the Eaton.
- Maria A. Barnett, of Wasco, Or., is at the Washington.
- E. T. Case, a stockman from Condon, Or., is at the Perkins.
- Charles A. Gilchrist, of Berkeley, Cal., is at the Nortonia.
- H. M. Warren, a stockman, of Pendleton, is at the Perkins.
- Governor West and his sister, Regina West, are at the Seward on their way

to visit Mr. West's family at Cannon Beach.
Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Haynes, of Chicago, are at the Eaton.
Morris Schmel, a merchant at Tillamook, is at the Multnomah.
C. R. Bone and Mrs. Bone, of Hood River, are at the Seward.
W. E. Wadsworth, Indian agent at Chemawa, is at the Imperial.
C. W. Rowan, a soap manufacturer, of Seattle, is at the Benson.
The Misses E. D. and A. M. Springs, of New York, are at the Nortonia.
E. F. Stratford, of Chicago, and Mrs. Stratford are at the Washington.
J. N. Bender, E. Porter and E. J. Hawkins, of Ilwaco, Wash., are at the Cornelius.
J. H. Ackerman, president of the Oregon State Normal School, is at the Seward from Monmouth.
Mrs. Frank Cook and Miss Cook, of Astoria, are registered at the Imperial en route home from Chicago.
Mrs. James Newcomb, of Montana, is registered at the Carlton with her daughter, Miss Newcomb.
Thomas Carstens, the Tacoma meat

DASHING ACTRESS AT EMPRESS, WHO 'JUST LOVES'



Miss Alice Windhurst, who demonstrates Portland's particular variety of widow in the musical comedy tabloid, "The Six Winning Widows," which is the headline act at Marcus Loew's Empress this week, is not a Portland girl, but has been here several times in vaudeville, and says she "just loves the place."

Three years ago, when the Orpheum was in the old Marquam building, where the Baker Theater now is, Percy Chapman, the clever comedian and manager of "The Six Winning Widows," played the "big time" there in "The Six Blonde Typewriters," and Miss Windhurst was one of the dashing typists. The two tabloids are very similar, being musical comedies in miniature, with all the dash and "ginger" of a regular production.

CHICAGO, Sept. 8.—(Special).—M. C. Koester, of Portland, registered today at the Congress.

COLLISION CASE HEARD

CLAIMS FOLLOWING CRASH IN HARBOR TOTAL \$250,000.

Suits Resulting From Astoria Accident Involve Rights of Port of Portland.

Damage claims aggregating \$250,000 are represented in the admiralty suit heard in the Federal District Court yesterday as a result of the collision in Astoria harbor on August 24, 1913, between the Norwegian steamship Thode Faglund and the German ship Thielbek. Depositions of various witnesses and the oral testimony of others were presented, giving accounts of the accident. It seems that the Thode Faglund left Portland on the evening of August 23 and anchored in Astoria harbor off buoy No. 2. The United States dredge Chinook was anchored across the channel opposite the Thode Faglund. Early in the morning of August 24 the Thielbek, in tow of the Port of Portland tugboat Oklahoma, started upstream. When the Thielbek was opposite Astoria the Chinook had swung into the channel and it was necessary for the Thielbek to deviate from her course to avoid the Chinook. In doing this the collision occurred, the Thode Faglund being bound seaward.

VACATION CUT IS OPPOSED

City Employees Fight Reduction of Time-Honored Fortnight.

City employees are up in arms against the ordinance which has been sent to the City Council by Commissioner Brewster decreasing the length of vacations. They contend that it is unfair for the city to decrease the number of days off each year, inasmuch as the present vacation period has been in effect for years, and is none too great. They contend that many hours of overtime are put in without pay.

Commissioner Brewster would make the vacation two weeks, counting Sundays. This would mean the cutting of vacations two or three days and, in some cases, four days. By taking vacations at Christmas time had many employees in the past have advantage of four extra days—Christmas, New Year's and the two Sundays in that year.

J. H. Green Trading Stamps Will Be Given on All Charge Accounts if Paid in Full on or Before the 10th of Each Month
Try Our Special 25c Shoppers' Lunch Served in the Basement From 11:30 to 2:30 Daily—Soda Fountain in the Basement

Velvet Hat Shapes Special \$1.49

Basement—Smart new velvet Hat Shapes—sailors or new tricorn crowns with narrow brims. All black or black with white facing. Specially priced at **\$1.49**

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\$5.00 Plumes \$1.29

Full Line Colors
Basement—Special one-day sale of beautiful Ostrich Plumes. Black, white and all wanted colors, 18-inch, good quality. Choice at **\$1.29** of these fine Plumes at

Wednesday "Economy Sales" in Basement

Double J. H. Stamps With Basement Cash Purchases Today!

\$25 New Fall Coats at \$11.98

Women's \$20 Coats, Special at \$9.98



Basement—Women's and Misses' new Fall Coats in handsome new models. Plain colors, plaids, checks and novelty weaves of all kinds. Extra well tailored. Coats like these sell elsewhere at \$22.50 to \$25.00. Your **\$11.98** choice Wednesday

\$3.50 to \$5 Fancy Waists \$1.39

\$4.50 to \$5.00 Silk Waists for \$2.48

Basement, Bargain Center—Waists of taffetas, messaline and tub silks in black, white, cream and colors. All sizes. Regular \$3.50 to \$5.00. Waists priced for **\$1.39** Wednesday at only

\$2 Corsets \$1.29--50c Brassieres 29c

Basement—Stylish new Corsets in high, medium or low bust models. Extra well bodied, especially adapted for medium or stout figures. Beautifully trimmed. Four and six hose supporters, **\$1.29** Corsets at low price

Girls' \$6 New Fall Coats for \$3.98

Girls' \$15 School Coats Only \$5.98

Basement—A remarkable sale of children's school Coats in the Underprice Store tomorrow. Very latest Fall and Winter styles for girls 6 to 14 years of age. Beautiful colorings and patterns in serviceable dark shades. Pushes, chevrons, Astrakhan, chinchilla, etc. Regular **\$3.98** \$6 Coats Wednesday at **\$3.98**

Basement—Stylish new Fall Coats for misses and girls—models designed especially for school wear with deep cuffs and storm collar—also many in dress wear. Splendid heavy materials in plain colors, checks, plaids, etc. Some in smart cape effects. In ages 6 to 18. Regular **\$5.98** \$12.00 and \$15.00 Coats **\$5.98**

Children's \$2.50 School Dresses at \$1.48

Children's \$1.50 Dresses, Special at 98c

Basement—Buy the children's school Dresses now and save! This special lot consists of the latest Fall styles, with or without belts, nicely trimmed with fancy braids, buttons, pipings, etc. Attractive plaids, checks and combination effects. Ages 2 to 6 years. Dresses selling usually at \$2 to \$2.50 are placed on **\$1.48** sale Wednesday at only

Basement—Girls' stylish new Dresses for school or street wear in desirable plain colors, stripes, plaids, etc., and made of extra good grade chambrays, percales and gingham and are effectively trimmed. Shown in sizes 6 to 14 years. Not one of these Dresses is worth less than \$1.50 and they are priced for Wednesday's sell-**98c** at the low price of only

Mill Ends Veilings, 1 to 1 1/2 Yards, Special Ea. 7 1/2c

Basement Sale of Domestic and Draperies

Mill ends Outings, 17c 9c
grade now at the yard
35c Bath Towels—size 17c
20x40 inches, special at
7c Bleached Muslin 27 ins. 5c
wide. On sale, the yard, at
20c Bath Robe Flannel 11c
special, the yard, only

20c Plaid Suits for 12 1/2c
children, the yard, for
25c Pillow Tubing, 50-
inch, special, the yard at 19c
50c Bungalow Curtain
Net, the yard for only 29c
17c Curtain Etamine, in 10c
fancy stripes—a yard at

\$1.50 Tan Cotton \$1.19
Blankets, pair at
\$1.75 Luce Cur- \$1.39
tains, special, pr.
50c Green Window 33c
Shades, complete, only
Mill End Embroideries, each
the yard for low price of 3c

\$2.35 Aluminum Set \$1.80

In the Basement
Set consists of one double boiler, one Berlin sauce pan and one preserve kettle. As illustrated to right.

Additional Specials in Aluminum Ware

40c Aluminum Fry Pan, 30c
60c Fry Pan, special at 1.95
\$2.50 Tea Kettles now at 1.95
90c Berlin Kettles, 2-qt., 70c
\$1.25 Berlin Kettles, 4-qt., 97c
\$1.40 Double Boilers, now \$1.10

Double Stamps With Economy Fruit Jars

Use Economy Fruit Jars—ideal for canning peaches and other large fruits. Wide mouth and perfect sealers. Supply your needs now!
Economy Jars, pts., doz., 85c
Economy Jars, qts., doz., \$1.00
Economy Jars, 1/2 gal. doz. \$1.40

Children's \$3 School Shoes at \$1.48

New Line of Rubbers Just Received

Basement—3000 pairs children's school shoes on sale in the Underprice Store today. All of the popular styles and leathers for girls, some with velvet or cloth tops. Also jockey boots in all sizes, and boys' shoes in button or lace, good dependable \$1.48 shoes, \$3 grades



Odd Lines of Women's Shoes at 48c

Women's \$4.00 Shoes at \$1.89

Basement—288 pairs women's shoes, odd lines which have accumulated during recent sales. Some are slightly imperfect. Not all sizes in this lot. Shoes which we have held heretofore up to \$3.50. While they last, you can take your choice at, pair **48c**

Men's Sample Shoes—Regular \$4 and \$4.50 Grades \$2.89

Just Received--Women's \$10, \$12.50 and \$15 Raincoats, Latest Styles, Special \$6.95

Special Sale of Notions at Bargain Circle, Main Floor

Dressmaking Supplies and Every Day Needfuls at Reduced Prices

15c Children's Hose Sup'r'ters 10c
5c Clarke Spool Cotton, 200-yd 3c
5c Basting Cotton, 45c doz. sp. 4c
10c Spool Silk, asst. colors, for 5c
2 1/2c Darning Cotton, 45-yard, 1c
25c Spl. Silk, 400 yd, blk, wht, 15c
15c Elastic Sanitary Belts for 10c
25c West Elec. Hair Curlers 18c
5c Asbestos Iron Holders for 3c
5c "Comet" Hair Wavers, 2 1/2c
15c Stocking Protectors, card 10c
Reg. 10c Shoe Trees, special 8c
Regular 10c Curling Irons for 7c

75c Twine Shopping Bags at 50c
50c Naiad Bolero Dress Sh'ds 35c
\$1 Naiad Brassieres, all sizes, 55c
50c Sanitary Apron Belt, at 25c
10c Cotton Belt, blk, wht, yd 5c
15c Women's Sew-on Sup'r't's 10c
10c Fold. Wire Coat Hangers 7c
15c Folding Trouser Hangers 10c
5c Wire or Wood Hangers 3c
\$2 Bust Forms, as'rt'd siz., \$1.69
20c Dress Weights at, yard, 15c
5c Common Pins, 2 pks for 5c
Reg. 10c Bone Hair Pins, box 7c

10c Bias Seam Tape, special at 5c
10c Mother's Ironing Wax, at 5c
10c Silk Neck Cords, all colors 8c
25c Stickerei Braids, the bolt, 15c
25c Frilled Elastic, sp'l, yard 19c
\$1 "Victoria" Plaiters, sp'l 25c
Regular 5c Stocking Darners, 3c
5c Removable Collar Sup'ts, 2 1/2c
35c Dressmakers' Pins, 1/2-lb 27c
5c Saf. Pins, wht, only, asst' 2 1/2c
10c Featherbone, wht, blk, yd 8c
10c Girdle Foundations, each 7c
S. & H. Stamps with all purchases.

10c Hair Pin Cabinets, special 7c
5c Wire Hair Pins, asst lgths 2 1/2c
White Crochet Wash Buttons, Half
25c to 35c Barrettes, blk embs 10c
10c Pearl Buttons, asst, doz 5c
25c large bottle Machine Oil 15c
5c Collar Buttons, 12 on card, 2 1/2c
5c Hooks and Eyes, asst, 2 only 5c
10c Wilson Fasteners, 12 on ed, 5c
10c Folding Drinking Cups, at 7c
25c Sanitary Aprons, special 18c
15c White Cotton Tape, bolt 10c
S. & H. Stamps with all purchases.

Center Circle, First Floor—Odd lines women's "Stuttgarter" wool vests, tights and union suits, also Zimmerli underwear to **1/2 Price**
Women's \$1.75 Knickerbockers **\$1.29**
Women's 35c Sleeveless Vests, Special **25c**
Women's 65c sleeveless Vests, Special **49c**