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THE FARMER CANDIDATE.

The declaration of James Withycombe that he is the farmers' candidate for governor has the right ring to it.

He is not trying to take in all Oregon, but stands first for the calling by which all his life he has made a living.

For thirty-four years he has pursued agriculture, and Oregon is a good agricultural state LARGELY FOR THE WORK HE HAS DONE.

His labors have made the agricultural college of great practical value, in the promotion of the agricultural, horticultural and dairy interests.

The young men and young women who have gone out from that college are his friends. They know him as a gentleman, and yet as a man who is heart and soul DEVOTED TO THE OCCUPATION HE REPRESENTS.

Dr. Withycombe is a man of clean life, of correct personal habits, a high-minded man in his relation to public affairs, and a man who will stand like a solid wall for honest administration.

The fact that the spoils element on the board of regents have been against him at the college is a compliment, and shows that THEY WOULD NOT RUN HIM AS GOVERNOR. The election of a man of that stamp would mean a great deal to the state.

THE LEGISLATURE WILL NOT HELP.

Hon. F. T. Wrightman, who aspires to the Republican nomination for secretary of state, believes he has a duty to perform as revenue officer of the state.

He unhesitatingly declares that he believes the state should run and should be run without any direct state tax on the property of the people.

If he is made secretary of state he will bend every energy to accomplish that purpose, and he will not leave that work for others to perform.

Such a revenue officer would mean a great deal to the people of Oregon and the people of this state should take him at his word, and nominate him for that office. This state has been cursed with high taxes too long. They hinder its development and hamper its growth in population.

The legislature cannot be relied upon to enact laws that will tax more corporations on their gross earnings. Yet this state has, by its franchise, made it possible for those corporations to earn enormous sums of money out of the people, and pay almost no taxes.

A DEMOCRATIC GRAFT.

A Democratic grafter, who has hung to one of the Oregon Normal schools like a leech, until choked off by the people, is back of the Albany Argus.

This man, who, as a regent, GRAFTED THAT INSTITUTION FOR LARON SUMS, while lobbying for it at Salem, gives a page of stuff dated from Salem each week, devoted to Hofer, of The Journal.

He says the whole control of the city council was fought out because Hofer was a friend of Mayor Waters, and, as an instinctive and practical grafter, he naturally rejoices, because THE WORST ENEMY OF THE WATERS ADMINISTRATION HAS NEVER ACQUIRED IT OF GRAFTING ONE DOLLAR.

But even this Democratic gentleman of the old school is not satisfied with the work done by the new powers in control of the city government. Here

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OUTLINES HIS PLATFORM.

Dr. Withycombe Says He Is Farmer Candidate and Proud of It.

A farmer and a farmer candidate for governor of Oregon, is what Dr. James Withycombe, of Corvallis, calls himself.

And the doctor is proud of the title, for he thinks farming the best occupation on earth, and among Oregon's industries the most valuable. Yet he concedes that if he were a miner or a manufacturer or a merchant he might be satisfied, too, but as a tiller of the soil and a grower of livestock he thinks he is in nature's best notch.

As Dr. Withycombe was the first Republican to become a candidate, so he was the first to make known the issues on which he will make his campaign. As stated by him in an interview with the Oregonian recently, they will be in part as follows:

Taxation of franchises and other intangible properties that now escape the assessor.

Uniform assessment and taxation of railroads in the various counties.

A state board of control for state institutions.

A law to regulate state banks.

One board for management of normal schools.

A gross earnings tax on telegraph, telephone and express corporations.

Improvement of the Columbia river and coast seaports of Oregon.

Purchase of the locks at Oregon City by the national government.

Liberal supply by the state of agricultural fairs and farmers' institutes.

Amendment to the constitution so that the governor and the people can veto items in appropriation bills.

A square deal for every person.

A greater and united Oregon.

"Talk politics!" he responded after making known his platform, for he was asked to tell what he thought of matters and things that he affected himself and his rivals. "Now, see here," he went on apologetically, "if you were to ask me about a cow, or a sheep, or a hog, or a vet, I might be able to give some information, but when it comes to politics I don't know much."

"It gives me pride to say that I am a farmer candidate, for agriculture has been my lifework."

"One of the worst forms of social injustice," he resumed, getting back to his discourse, "is that which comes from uneven burden of taxation. Under the present system farms and livestock and homes of the many poor in cities and towns are taxed higher than their rightful share."

"To alleviate this, franchisees ought to be taxed, railroads ought to be uniformly assessed, and the gross earnings of telegraph, telephone and express companies should be taxed. To be sure, the assessor of Multnomah has assessed franchises in Portland, but his authority under the law is uncertain, and the state should have another law."

"The time has come when our state institutions should be managed by a board of control. This would secure economy of administration and more efficiency of service."

"And the time has also come when the people treasure on deposit in private banks should be safeguarded by a state examiner. The people of Oregon have lost large sums of money through careless and conscienceless banking methods, and many have been brought down to poverty."

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STATE SOCIAL NEWS

Silverton Locals.

A. Neucem left for California Monday.

Mr. Kuriz went to Portland Monday.

Percy Brown was in Portland last week.

Reber Allen spent Monday at Aurora.

Owen Wolfard spent Monday in Aurora.

Miss Mand Kline went to Portland Monday.

Archie Wolfard was in Portland Tuesday.

Walter Dolan visited in the city last week.

Leon Bowser returned to Corvallis Wednesday.

Girl Cooley was in the city Wednesday evening.

Ray Hinkle returned to his home in Portland Monday.

Miss Ona Grace visited a few days in Woodburn last week.

Miss Alta Schlader returned from Portland Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Hosmer were in Portland a few days last week.

Miss Jennie Barkhurst spent Monday and Tuesday in Portland.

Lee Perry, who spent a few days at Canby last week, returned home Monday.

Robert Bowers returned to Corvallis Wednesday, where he attends school.

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