

# OREGON DEMOCRATS LIKELY TO SPLIT

## Convention Delegation Not Altogether in Harmony.

### SOME OPPOSE WILSON

#### Minority Only Will Follow Orders of President—Vacancy in Group Yet to Be Filled.

Oregon's delegation to the democratic convention in San Francisco contains possibilities of discord. All ten are instructed to vote for W. G. McAdoo for president, and W. T. Vaughn of Oregon for vice-president, but how long these instructions will be observed remains to be seen. The delegation does not, as a unit, admit that President Wilson has a monopoly of all the wisdom in the world, but several of the delegates are prepared to follow any orders which Mr. Wilson may undertake to issue from the convention. The rest, a majority of the delegation, will not follow Mr. Wilson's orders unless the object of such orders agrees with their own ideas of what is best for the party.

#### Vacancy in Delegation.

There is a vacancy in the delegation owing to the death of Senator George W. Baldwin of Klamath Falls. The democratic state committee has been called to meet and select someone to fill the vacancy and also to designate alternates. There is a difference of opinion as to whether Frederick V. Holman or John Schuylerman was high man among the defeated candidates for delegate at large. No matter which one was highest, the state committee will make its own selection. Mr. Schuylerman made his campaign on the argument that Wilson might be elected for a third term and the surprising thing is that there were several thousand democrats in Oregon who believed with Mr. Schuylerman that Mr. Wilson should hold office longer than George Washington. This sentiment is not prevalent among members of the state committee, however, so Mr. Schuylerman's chances of being given the vacant delegate seat are decidedly slim.

An unusual development of the primaries was the manner in which prominent democrats and also prominent citizens were passed up and rejected by the voters. Senator Baldwin and Judge Crawford were elected, but men as well, or better known, were not, and in this list of rejected were men like Bert E. Haney, former United States district attorney, and former state chairman; G. V. Ferry, who organized the Wilson clubs eight years ago and who is now federal conciliator; Frederick V. Holman, who never asked for the delegateship from the party but being a delegate; Richard W. Montague, who has helped draw charters for Portland and who has successfully managed campaigns for democrats; J. P. Reddy, former mayor of Medford and Dr. C. W. Smith, former state senator and former democratic candidate for governor and at present state chairman. In the third district among the defeated were H. B. Adams, former deputy district attorney; A. F. Fiegel, former councilman; George I. Smith, now of the land office, and Robert H. Strong, one of the best-known business men in Portland. These were defeated by Mrs. Beasie Richards, who has been a resident of Portland scarcely four years and who, outside of the housewives' council, is unknown.

#### League to Be Storm Center.

When the state committee selects alternates, some of the men who failed as delegates will be picked, if they want the honor. One reason given for the defeat of substantial democrats is that they did not have a slogan and another explanation for the election of others is that they stressed their advocacy of the Wilson administration and the league of nations.

All of the Oregon delegates will be for a league of nations, but about six of the ten will not insist on the treaty of Versailles without the dot of an "i" nor the crossing of a "t". It is freely predicted that the league plank will be the storm center in the platform contest at the convention, and it is there that the Wilson and Bryan influences will clash. Representation on the platform committee will be about the most important assignment that a member of the Oregon delegation can draw. The delegation is not expected to be of one mind on this issue because the minority will follow without question anything that Mr. Wilson wants.

Mr. McAdoo has the Oregon delegation pledged, but if Mr. Bryan should suddenly become a candidate, and this is a possibility always with in the cards at a democratic national convention, the Nebraskan will find followers from Oregon. As far as Mr. Vaughn's candidacy for vice-president goes, he can expect a complimentary vote the first time, but that's about all. Governor Cox of Ohio, would have no trouble in coaxing practically all of the Oregon ten from Mr. Vaughn.

#### ASSAULT TRIAL TUESDAY

##### Alvin Benoit Faces Charge of Attacking Girl in Bed.

The case of Alvin Benoit, charged with assaulting 17-year-old Louise Bunder as she lay in bed at her home on the night of June 2, was set for hearing by Municipal Judge Bowman yesterday for Thursday, June 17.

Benoit, who confessed to hitting the girl over the head with a club, is charged with assault with a dangerous weapon with intent to kill.

The hearing was postponed yesterday because the girl is still in a serious condition at the St. Vincent's hospital.

#### FARM EXCHANGE IS ACTIVE

##### Tigardville and Bertha Property Prove in Demand.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Gilchrist last week sold the west half of their 32-acre farm, located near Tigardville, Washington county, to Mr. and Mrs. Herman Bremer, at a price given at \$600 per acre, or approximately \$22,000. In the transaction Mr. and Mrs. Gilchrist accepted as part payment a highly improved, ten-acre tract known as the Rideout place, belonging to Mr. and Mrs. Bremer, and located in the same neighborhood.

The 42-acre tract purchased by Mr. and Mrs. Bremer is all in cultivation and has a number of modern buildings. Mr. and Mrs. Gilchrist expect to build a modern house on the remaining 40 acres, with a view of making it their future home.

In the transaction both parties were represented by Samuel Doak. Mr. Doak also reports having recently exchanged for T. H. Tregeas a highly improved ten-acre farm at Tigard for ten acres belonging to Mr. Bremer and located near Bertha station, Multnomah county. In this exchange each piece of property was valued at \$10,000.

#### SCHOOLGIRL IS HONORED

##### ANNA KARAGOZIAN AWARDED LINCOLN HIGH SCHOLARSHIP.

###### Courses Finished in Ten Years, Although Coming From Armenia and Knowing No English.

As the climax of an unusual career in school work, the awarding Friday night of the Lincoln high student body scholarship to Anna Karagozian, daughter of H. Karagozian, an Armenian rug merchant. The scholarship is for either the state university or agricultural college, but the young woman intends to go to the former, study journalism and social service and possibly return to her native land to teach in the mission schools.

Miss Karagozian, who lives at 755 Irving street, came to this country 12 years ago from Armenia. She could not speak a word of English, never theless she learned it and completed both grades and high school in 10 years. She was formerly at Franklin high, where she was school reporter for The Oregonian. She speaks four languages, French, Turkish, Armenian and English.

The scholarship awarded at the Lincoln commencement exercises was the only one received by a student of that school.

#### LEVY HELD IMPERATIVE

##### TAX MEASURE FOR SCHOOLS STRONGLY INDORSED.

###### Civic Clubs and City Organizations Generally on Record as Favoring Proposed Increase.

That passage of the special tax measure to be submitted to the people at the coming school election is necessary if the schools of Portland are to prosper, "and I can say with pride and satisfaction that I was a member of the committee which first considered the measure and then presented the resolution indorsing it to the club."

Passage of the millage measure will make available to school district No. 1 about \$250,000, which it is proposed to use for the erection of additional buildings and otherwise bettering school facilities for the children of Portland.

#### PIONEER REUNION JULY 1

##### Oregon Association to Hear Talks on Early Days.

Once more Oregon pioneers will make the pilgrimage to Portland to take part in the forty-eighth annual reunion of their association to be held here July 1 at the municipal auditorium. Ordinarily the date would have been June 17, but the gathering was postponed on account of Shrine festival.

A busy day has been planned for the reunion, which will open at 2 P. M. with literary exercises for pioneers and their sons and daughters. R. A. Booth delivering the principal address. This will be followed by "Kluge muck-a-muck" at 4:30 and the annual business meeting at 7:30 when officers will be elected. Colonel Robert A. Miller, 1827, will preside at the campfire at 8 o'clock. Lantern slides illustrating pioneer days will be shown and George H. Himes will speak on these. The veteran quartet is to furnish music and members are to be called on for five-minute talks.

Indian war veterans will hold their annual business meeting in the Masonic temple on June 29, the programme including the annual banquet.

#### Grand Ronde Baptists Meet.

BAKER, Or., June 12.—(Special.)—About 80 representatives of Baptist churches of Malheur, Wallowa, Union and Baker counties attended the Grand Ronde Baptist association which opened Thursday morning with an address by Dr. J. A. Austin, state New World Movement director, at the Calvary Baptist church.

Dr. George H. Young of Portland, Sunday school and educational superintendent for Oregon, addressed the delegates in the evening and the next morning. Regular business sessions were held between the addresses and the convention ended last evening.

#### Marriage Annulment Asked.

"Billy Dice," otherwise known as "Mildred Lewis," was one of the causes of trouble between Mrs. Edith Cora Gould and Lewis McDonald Gould, asserts the wife in a cross-complaint filed in the circuit court to the divorce action of her husband. Mrs. Gould seeks annulment of her marriage, saying that at the time of their marriage in 1914 Gould had a wife in Oklahoma who did not divorce him until the following year.

#### Winlock Creamery Makes Record.

CENTRALIA, Wash., June 12.—(Special.)—The Winlock Co-operative creamery manufactured 30,700 pounds of butter in May. The nearest approach to this record was made in June, 1919, when the output totaled 26,000 pounds. The installation of a 5000-gallon cream tank this week was the first of a number of improvements planned at the creamery.

#### CARDS OF THANKS.

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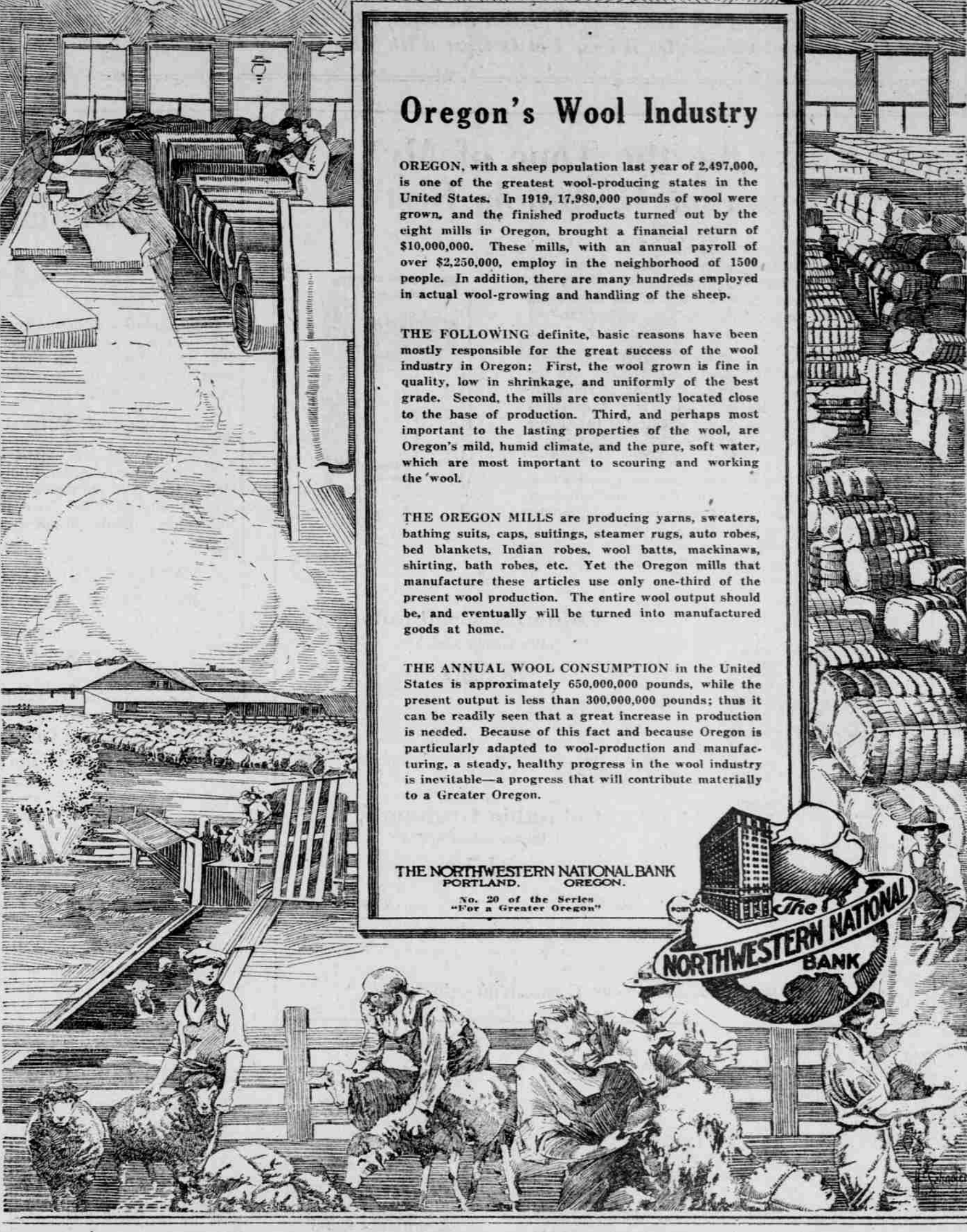
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# For a Greater Oregon



## Oregon's Wool Industry

OREGON, with a sheep population last year of 2,497,000, is one of the greatest wool-producing states in the United States. In 1919, 17,980,000 pounds of wool were grown, and the finished products turned out by the eight mills in Oregon, brought a financial return of \$10,000,000. These mills, with an annual payroll of over \$2,250,000, employ in the neighborhood of 1500 people. In addition, there are many hundreds employed in actual wool-growing and handling of the sheep.

THE FOLLOWING definite, basic reasons have been mostly responsible for the great success of the wool industry in Oregon: First, the wool grown is fine in quality, low in shrinkage, and uniformly of the best grade. Second, the mills are conveniently located close to the base of production. Third, and perhaps most important to the lasting properties of the wool, are Oregon's mild, humid climate, and the pure, soft water, which are most important to scouring and working the wool.

THE OREGON MILLS are producing yarns, sweaters, bathing suits, caps, suitings, steamer rugs, auto robes, bed blankets, Indian robes, wool batts, mackinaws, shirting, bath robes, etc. Yet the Oregon mills that manufacture these articles use only one-third of the present wool production. The entire wool output should be, and eventually will be turned into manufactured goods at home.

THE ANNUAL WOOL CONSUMPTION in the United States is approximately 650,000,000 pounds, while the present output is less than 300,000,000 pounds; thus it can be readily seen that a great increase in production is needed. Because of this fact and because Oregon is particularly adapted to wool-production and manufacturing, a steady, healthy progress in the wool industry is inevitable—a progress that will contribute materially to a Greater Oregon.

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