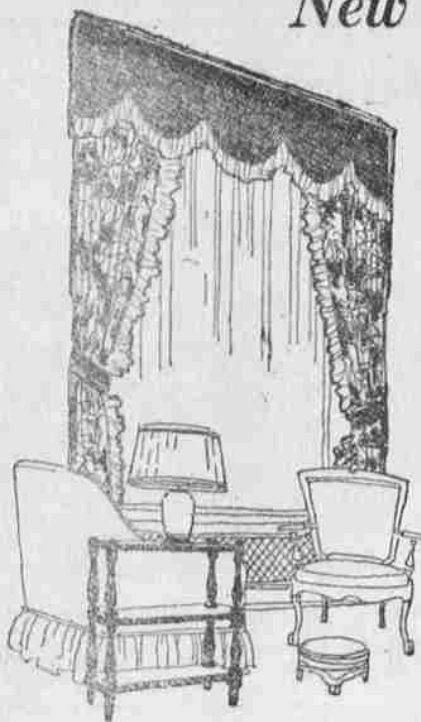




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That— The waistline has started its rebound from the depths. Skirts have descended to the knees, and waistlines, by the same token, are inclining upwards. Not every waistline is to follow the trend, but every other one, shall we say? to be conservative.

That— It is now entirely out of fashion to drop one's crumpled gingham handkerchief for a palatial youth to restore to its fair owner. Charming young women now fasten squares of chiffon or percale, which have been edged with lace, at the neckline of their frocks with a rhinestone or pearl pin.

That— A few children get home in time these evenings to track their parents in bed.

That— According to blue laws passed in Texas, the doctor's prescription given you for hooch is going to be published for three days so your friends will know you're sick.

That— Of course we like praise, who doesn't? If you feel that we merit it, we'll be glad to hear from you. But if we deserve criticism—be just as free to re-fer. Progress is the result of constructive criticism. Your communication will be welcome.

That— "The forest payroll pays nearly two-thirds of the Northwest's wages. We cannot afford to burn it up. Help prevent forest fires."

ERNEST WATKINS, Mer.

Still Smiles



Gene DeMont, fifteen-year-old, smiles though he has lost the sight of one eye and the vision in the other is none too good. A meeting between him and his mother, Mrs. DeMont, and other people, took place in Hollywood the other day. Gene is making in the ring through his personal prediction.

Justice, without benefit and the unfortunate experience of making three errors.

Manager Risher took the impressionable opening philosophically. "The application tested my end of the will" was Risher's only comment on the football score of 21-14. "It's a good thing to rid the system of the bad element early."

Then to prove the uncertainty of the game and the wisdom of Risher's remark, the next two games staged by the same clubs were mid-season exhibitions of superlative baseball, only four runs being scored in both contests.

PLANES WILL DUST ORCHARD

OREGON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE, Corvallis, Ore. (Special)—A thorough test of apple orchard dusting by airplane will be attempted here on or about May 1. Seven extensive tests on a 40-acre tract belonging to the Oregan orchards at Monroe, are expected to reveal whether airplane spraying can be made practical under present conditions.

The tests will be made cooperatively by the Entomology department of the experiment station and the air service of the 94th reserve division. Lieutenant Buckley, G. Kelly and Pilot H. C. Miller of Vancouver Barracks will bring two army planes here which will be equipped with a new type dusting device designed and built by W. J. Chamberlin, assistant professor of entomology.

Professor Chamberlin is himself an aviator in the reserve corps and has made extensive studies of former dusting experiments by airplane for the control of crop pests and diseases. The experiment here will be the first ever attempted with apples, though airplane dusting of cotton fields, peach orchards and cantaloupe groves has met with considerable success in the south and east.

A mixture of lead arsenate and sulphur at the rate of about 25 pounds to the acre will be applied from the air in the coming tests for the control of codling moth and apple scab. It will be put on at the time for the regular early spray. The entire acre is expected to be covered in about five minutes after the machines get in the air.

Adverse weather conditions are such a limiting factor in spraying large acreages in the limited time when the application is effective, that the successful use of airplanes in the work would be a big step in disease pest control, as hundreds of acres could be covered in less than a day at just the proper time and no more cost for application, says Professor Chamberlin.

SUSPENDERS ARE UPHELD

The Junior class practice of wearing suspenders is the inspiration for the following article, written by Jack Couledge of the La Grande high school.—Editor's Note.

SUSPENDERS.

Twenty years ago the suspender, or "falling," was an essential part of the wardrobe of every well-dressed man. No pair of trousers with these attached, could possibly stand up over the wearer's hips. A short time ago, however, the vogue of the belt came in. An air of slouchiness was to be observed in the clothing of males who used the belt, as contrasted with the neat and straight hanging trousers of the preceding generation.

What was the reason for this? It was merely the selfish vanity of those who thought only of their personal appearance. In the opinion of certain young men the appearance of suspenders was not complimentary to their masculine beauty, and this means of support was therefore discarded in favor of the more spectacular belt. It may be still observed, however, that the real reason, those who look for real values, and not merely superficial appearances, still adhere to the old reliable gaiters.

In view of all these things, it is not a movement to revive the use of suspenders as an article of male apparel to be commended? Therefore, every right thinking man over in the Junior class of the La Grande high school, a vote of thanks for their recent activities in this movement.—Jack Couledge.

HORNBY IMPROVING

ST. LOUIS (AP)—Rogers Hornby, who was struck on the head by a pitched ball last Thursday, will probably be back at second base for the Cardinals Tuesday. Dr. Robert P. Hyland, chief physician, announced Monday night.

papers is provided for evening reading in a steam-heated room, and after mattress beds await the weary traveler at night. Regular inmates have the use of a phone and a radio set, and there is a supply of soap for the children.

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HAINES DEFEATS COVE BASEBALL SQUAD, 19 TO 10

COVE (Special)—Friday afternoon the boys' baseball team of Cove played Haines at Haines and lost by a score of 19 to 10.

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE table with columns for Club, W, L, Pct.

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SPORT NEWS

LA GRANDE'S TEAM STRONG

With overwhelming victories over the Baker and Union track teams and a decisive win over the Pendleton and Walla Walla squads the Blue and White athletes seem in a fair way to capture first honors for the second time in the Eastern Oregon Track and Field meet which will be held here Saturday, May 3. Preliminaries will be run off in the morning and the finals in the afternoon.

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NATIONAL LEAGUE table with columns for Club, W, L, Pct.

NEW YORK (AP)—Jack Rees was in good form Monday and subdued the Phillies, the Giants taking the second game of the series.

CINCINNATI (AP) B. H. E. Chicago 5 12 0 Cincinnati 2 7 2 Batteries: Kautzman, Keene and Hartnett; Lague, Hamilton and Wingo.

PHILADELPHIA (AP)—Sam Gray, youthful right hander of the Athletics, shut out New York Monday, 5 to 0. How Shewkey, of the Yankees, was driven from the mound in the fifth by an attack which included a homer from the bat of Al Simmons.

DETROIT (AP) B. H. E. St. Louis 19 12 2 Detroit 5 12 2 Batteries: Gaston, Vangilder, Parham and Dixon; Seaver, Hollman, Wells, Johnson and Hatcher; Woodall.



Billy Evans Says

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PHITTSBURGH AT ST. LOUIS, postponed, rain.