

The New Oregon Statesman's Valley News and Correspondents Page

CLOTH MAKERS OPPOSE TARIFF

Protection For Wool Growers Not Needed, Manufacturers Declare

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—(AP)—Appeals of wool growers for a higher tariff on their raw product ran up against stiff opposition from clothing manufacturers at the third day's hearing on wool duties today before the house ways and means committee.

Appearing for 30 manufacturers employing 50,000 people, William Goldman, of New York, opposed the grower's proposal to increase the present rate of 31 cents a pound on the clean content of wool in the grease to between 36 and 40 cents on the ground that it would place an unnecessary additional burden on consumers' clothing costs. There already were \$200,000 a year on account of the tariff, he said.

Wants It Left As Is

He preferred to have the entire wool schedule left as it is, but said if the committee saw fit to raise the rates the manufacturers of clothing should have a higher differential between the cloth and finished garment duties. A differential of 10 per cent was proposed yesterday by the woolen worsted and yarn manufacturers who also supported the growers' plea for higher raw duties.

Goldman contended the wool growers had grown prosperous under the existing tariff and that while they had increased their production in the six years of its operation by 32 per cent, consumption of raw wool had declined 22 per cent on account of high prices. He modified this later by saying the decreased consumption partly was due to change in clothing fashions.

Suits Now Wear Longer

Another factor in smaller consumption of raw wool, he said, was the increased popularity of the two-pants suit which enabled the average man to beat the rising costs of clothing at retail. These suits, he added, double the life of the ordinary suit.

Goldman cited unemployment in the clothing industry and said any increase in rates would only enhance this situation. He asserted the existing duty of 31 cents a pound amounted to 93 cents a pound before it reached the consumer, which was equal to \$3.50 on a suit of clothes and \$7.50 on an overcoat.

Maintenance of existing rates on woolen felt hat bodies a suit of clothes and \$7.50 on an overcoat.

Maintenance of existing rates on woolen felt hat bodies was advocated by Louis M. Cohn, New York, on behalf of the American association of felt and straw goods importers. Representatives of 12 domestic manufacturers appealed for raises in these duties yesterday.

BOX SOCIAL PLAN OF MOTHERS' CLUB

PLEASANT POINT, Feb. 9.—(Special)—The Mother's club met at the home of Mrs. E. P. Mills Friday for its regular monthly session. A special meeting will be held at the same place Friday, February 15, to finish the quilt on which the members have been working. A box social will be held Friday, February 22, at which the quilt will be sold. The money received for the quilt and other proceeds of the social are to be used in paying off the debt on the play shed at the school.

Harry Beardsley has been making improvements on his farm recently. He has had several men blasting stumps and grubbing. L. S. Girardin has been helping him with the stump-puller.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Hatterso were calling in this vicinity Wednesday.

H. C. Todd, teacher of the Pleasant Point school, is ill with pneumonia in the Salem hospital. Harry Beardsley was taken to Salem Friday, seriously ill.

Mrs. C. C. Mitchell is in Salem taking care of the Lanetrie family, several of whom have been ill.

Mrs. O. H. Rosenbaum is reported ill.

The Girls' Sewing club met with its leader, Mrs. E. P. Mills, last week and started its work, but held no meeting this week on account of the suspension of school work in the absence of the teacher who is ill.

Miss Helen Kohl was called home from Corvallis to the bedside of her father, Frank Kohl. He is now reported to be much improved.

Rebekah Lodge Plans Contest

SILVERTON, Feb. 9.—(Special)—At the regular meeting of the Rebekah lodge Thursday night, plans were formulated to stage a contest among the lodge members, to stimulate more interest in meetings. Two captains to head the two teams are Mrs. Frances Gihrie and Mrs. Pearl Allen. Attendance and dues in advance are both given points as well as perfection in some of the secret work of the lodge. Following the regular meeting, cards were enjoyed by the members. A pot luck lunch was served.

They say a carpenter known by his chips.—Swift.

Epworth League Is Entertained At Colyer Home

BROOKS, Feb. 9.—(Special)—Mr. and Mrs. John Colyer entertained the Brooks Community Epworth league at their home on Monday evening. Miss Constance Buchanan, president, conducted the business session, after which music and games were enjoyed.

Those present were Miss Constance Buchanan, Miss Lola Aspinwall, Miss Marje Dunlavy, Miss Viola Colyer, Miss Beulah Aspinwall, Miss Victoria Colyer, Miss Elizabeth Dishes, Miss Reta Colyer, Miss Lena Riggs, Miss Francis Colyer, Miss Addie Colyer and Miss Pearl Colyer; Rev. D. George Cole, Grant Buchanan, Georgia Harris, Donovan Buchanan, John Dunlavy Jr., Peter Dishes, Frank Riggs, Charles Snowley, Frank Dishes, John Colyer Jr., Mrs. John Dunlavy, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Harris and Mrs. M. E. and Mrs. John Colyer.

Jim Ferrel is critically ill at the home of his brother, George Ferrel, north of Brooks.

Ransom Trammell and his eight year old daughter, who have been ill with influenza and pneumonia are getting better slowly. Dewey Trammell has also been quite ill. Mr. and Mrs. Trammell and family came here recently from Oklahoma.

Mrs. A. E. Harris was a recent guest at the home of Mrs. Joe LaFollett.

Special evangelistic meetings will be held at the Brooks Community Methodist church beginning Tuesday, February 19 to March 3, every evening except Saturday. Evangelist Harry G. Crouse, B. A., of Portland, will be one of the chief speakers.

BABY CHICK SEASON IS TO BEGIN SOON

NORTH HOWELL, Feb. 9.—(Special)—A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Marjorie Schapp at the Silvertown hospital last Sunday evening.

Several from here attended the I. O. O. F. and Rebekah visitation at Silvertown Saturday evening. Among them were W. H. Stevens, Everett Milne, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Coomler, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Wierner, Kenneth Coomler and S. C. Rickard.

In spite of the snow and extremely cold weather, incubators are being set and others made chicks hatching.

Prominent among the poultrymen and women of this locality are K. D. Coomler, S. C. Rickard, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bump, Mrs. A. T. Cline, Mrs. Amy Beer and Vic VanBracklin.

G. J. Darkens has been confined to the Silvertown hospital for more than a week.

The home economics club and husbands of members were invited to meet with Mr. and Mrs. Royce Allen of North Winter street Salem last Thursday. The men visited the legislature and the women talked business and garage affairs. A delicious dinner was served at one o'clock.

Those from here who drove in for the day included Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Wiesner, Mr. and Mrs. M. Dunn, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Coomler, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Wiesner, Amy Beer, Daisy Bump, Diademina Cline, Cardine Aspinwall and W. H. Stevens.

Bojes to Attend Family Reunion

HUBBARD, Feb. 9.—(Special)—Mr. and Mrs. Orville Boje and children, Marie and Gordon, left Friday afternoon for Delake, Ore., to be present at a family reunion at the home of Mrs. Boje's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wagener, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Carl, Eugene, whose birthday will be celebrated on this occasion, and a brother, Charles Wagener, an employe of the Mountain State Power company of Albany, expect to be present.

Seeks The Oldest Horse

DES MOINES.—(AP)—Iowa's department of agriculture wants to find the oldest horse in the state. Last year a 30-year-old stallion was discovered.

Clough-Huston Co's History of Salem and the State of Oregon

THAT the United States and Great Britain were not plunged into war by the dispute over the boundary lines, is due quite largely to the efforts of Calhoun and Buchanan.

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TRAINING SCHOOL HOOP TEAM WINS

INDEPENDENCE, Feb. 9.—(Special)—The Independence training school girls played a game of basketball with Monmouth grade school Wednesday. The score was 14 to 9 in favor of Independence. The boys of the training school played the student teachers. The teachers won the game 14 to 1.

Andy Wilson, 38 years of age and a G. A. R. member, is seriously ill at his home in North Independence. His children have been called home.

Independence is taking heart as far as her future is concerned. The new J. C. Penny store and the 20th Century have been operating for some time and a new office building has been erected and now the possibility of a new library is in evidence. The new building is to cost \$5000 and the equipment \$1000. Plans are being made so it may soon be built.

Frank Frierson, who has been manager of the Associated store, will move to Salem in a few days where he will take up a different line of work for the same association. Elmer Frye will then take over the management of the store.

A car driven by Lyle Webb ran into the S. P. electric train at a crossing south of Independence last Friday afternoon. The car was completely demolished and Webb barely escaped being killed. At least \$300 damage was done to the train.

The Rev. A. B. VanZante occupied the pulpit of the Presbyterian church Sunday and has become the regular pastor of that church. He will move his household effects from Portland soon. His family consists of a wife and two children, a son, Ellsworth, who is a student at O. S. C., and a daughter, Jean, who is a graduate of University of Washington and now assists Dr. DeBusk in the research department of the Portland public schools.

Mission Society Members Guests Of Mrs. Hardie

SILVERTON, Feb. 9.—(Special)—Mrs. Thomas Hardie was hostess at the parsonage on Thursday afternoon to the Ladies' Methodist Missionary society. Nineteen members and eight visitors were present. An interesting talk was given by Mrs. Luce, national field secretary of the Methodist Home Missionary society. Following the meeting Mrs. Hardie was assisted by Mesdames Ed Adams and F. A. Moore in serving lovely refreshments. Mrs. Luce, while in this vicinity, is the house guest of Mrs. Canoe of Salem.

Mrs. H. S. Butler was hostess on Friday evening at a 500 party. Four tables were in play during the evening. Following play which was progressive, delightful refreshments were served.

In honor of Mrs. Pearl Harvey who is leaving soon for Marshfield, Mrs. Clay Allen entertained at her home on Friday afternoon. Following a social hour delightful refreshments were served. Among those present were Mesdames Floyd Allen, J. H. Riches, J. Gihrie, Miles Ottaway, Burns Renwick, Lertald, the honor guest.

LUMBERJACK IS SLAIN; INQUIRY WILL BE MADE

PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 9.—(AP)—A department of justice agent was en route to Chiloquin, Ore., tonight to investigate the murder of Whitey Ward, 36, lumberjack, found dead in his cabin there Thursday. Perry John, an Indian, was being sought for questioning.

War Veterans in Business

MINNEAPOLIS.—(AP)—Seven years ago the Minnesota American Legion auxiliary established a workshop so a few disabled war veterans might make paper poppies. Now the shop does an annual business of \$21,000, making toys and gifts as well as poppies.

Past Matrons' Group Meets At Upperle Home

JEFFERSON, Feb. 9.—(Special)—Members of the Past Matrons' society of the Eastern Star, met at the home of Mrs. Guy Apperle, Thursday afternoon. Those present were Mesdames W. H. Sherman, F. E. Wall, D. H. Looney, C. M. Smith, G. C. Mason, Lee Farlow, R. C. Thomas, Charles McKee, H. D. Mara, Earl Lynes, G. M. Apperle, Henry Shields and Earl Phelps.

Quite a crowd from Jefferson accompanied the basketball team to Shedd Wednesday night, when the Jefferson boys won by a score of 23 to 8, while the girls' team lost by a score of 18 to 29.

Miss Goulding of the county health demonstration at Salem is giving a series of lectures on hygiene at the Jefferson school. The first lecture was held Tuesday for the girls of the high school and eighth grade. There will be lectures each week, and a different lecture in hygiene will be given at each meeting.

Roy Chalm, who has been ill with bronchial pneumonia, is recovering slowly.

RELIEF CORPS HAS INTERESTING MEET

HUBBARD, Feb. 9.—(Special)—General Rusk Relief corps No. 39 of Hubbard met Friday afternoon at the I. O. O. F. hall. The attendance was good and an interesting meeting was enjoyed.

A new member, Mrs. Nova McKenzie was initiated and installation of officers, with Mrs. Susie Ott as installing officer, was held for the new president, Mrs. Edna Mack, and for Mrs. Meta Friend and Mrs. Anna Stauffer, color bearers. These officers could not be present at the public installation which was held January 25.

The new president appointed the following committees: relief committee, Anna Stauffer, Elizabeth Grimm and Ava Malone; executive committee, Susie Ott, Ella Stauffer and Cora Smith; auditing committee, Sadie Scholl, Nettie Salls and Maud Biggood.

In memory of Nettie J. Unger, past department president who died at her home in McMinnville, January 19, the charter of the corps was draped and will remain thus for 30 days.

As the next meeting will be on Washington's birthday, arrangements were made for a patriotic program.

Mrs. Harvey is Honor Guest at Thursday Party

SILVERTON, Feb. 9.—(Special)—Mrs. Mike Dolan entertained a group of friends at her home on Thursday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Pearl Harvey who is leaving soon for Marshfield. Following a social hour, lovely refreshments were served. Among those present were Mesdames Albert Webb, Will Eagan, Maud Gordon, Mary Andrews, Chas. Amos, I. L. Stewart and the honor guest.

On Wednesday afternoon, the Local-Berian class of the Christian church presided Mrs. Harvey with a lovely handkerchief shower at the home of Mrs. L. L. Stewart.

Mrs. Harvey is leaving very soon to spend the spring months with her son, Owen, in Marshfield. Late in May, she plans to leave there for the east, and will be accompanied by her daughter, Miss Mildred Harvey of Portland. They will visit in Iowa and North Dakota before going to Anderson, Missouri, where Mrs. Harvey will be with her parents. Miss Mildred will return to the coast after a few weeks' visit in the east.

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TWO SCOUT GROUPS OUTLINE ACTIVITIES

JEFFERSON, Feb. 9.—(Special)—The Cub Scouts held their regular meeting Saturday afternoon, while the Boy Scouts held their meeting in the evening. Next Wednesday the Boy Scouts will meet the McMinnville boys at Jefferson school gymnasium for a basketball game. On February 18 the executive for Marion county will meet with the scouts and exemplify the work. When the charter will be given to the local organization. This meeting will be held in the Methodist church.

Howard Hampton has recovered sufficiently from his gotta operation to be brought home from the Salem hospital Tuesday.

Mrs. Dora Brownlee and son, Harold, of Castle Rock, Wash., were renewing acquaintances in town Monday. The Brownlees were former residents of this vicinity. Mr. Brownlee being an employe of the Jefferson Mill company for years.

ALLEN PORTER FAMILY TAKES NEW RESIDENCE

SILVERTON, Feb. 9.—(Special)—Mr. and Mrs. Allen Porter moved this week from south Third street into the house just vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Sewell Shepherd on Oak street. The Shakespears have just purchased a new four room home of Oscar Storass on last Hill.

Triple Link Club Meets Wednesday

SILVERTON, Feb. 9.—(Special)—The Triple Link club will be entertained by Mrs. Ruth Kottke next Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Fred Baker will assist the hostess in entertaining.

Good Program is Given By Pringle

PRINGLE, Feb. 9.—(Special)—Friday evening the Pringle community club held its regular semi-monthly meeting at the schoolhouse with Rex Jones, presiding. After a short business routine the program given by the ladies' division followed. The program opened with a play, "Buying the Community coffee pot," song by the Girl's Reserve; sketch, "Taking the Census;" song by Mrs. E. Conklin and small son Howard; monologue, "The Cheerful Hostess," piano solo by Mrs. J. M. Coburn; dialogue, "The Crystal Gazer," recitation by little Mary Alice Jones; instrumental duet by Gladys and Helen Hilliker; sketch, "Bound for Detroit;" monologue, "How to Manage a Husband;" and closing song, "Let Me Call you Sweetheart."

The program committee in charge included Mrs. George Adams chairman and Mrs. Charles Grabenhorst, Mrs. Frank Clark and Mrs. A. Jelderks.

Mrs. Charles Grabenhorst and Mrs. E. Clarke will have charge of the entertainment for the social evening Friday, February 22.

Izaak Waltons Elect Officers

SILVERTON, Feb. 9.—(Special)—Fourteen were present at the first regular meeting of the Izaak Walton league Wednesday night, held in the social club rooms. The following officers were elected: president, Dr. P. A. Loar; secretary, Cal Schlador; chairman of the membership committee, F. B. Patty; publicity committee, Roy Davenport.

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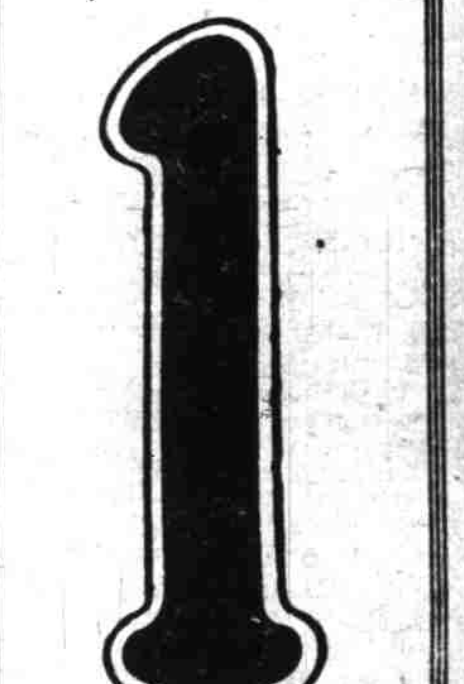
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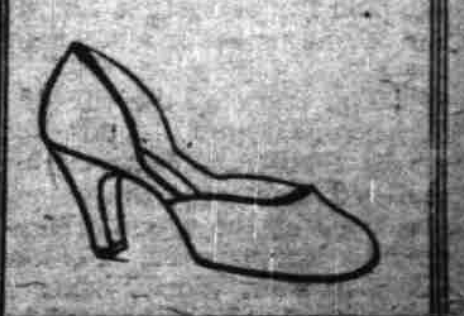
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