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## STATE WOOL MEN TO MEET.

### Call for Convention at Baker on 14th and 15th.

To members and all others engaged in the wool and sheep industry:

Call is hereby made for the 14th annual convention of the Oregon Wool growers' Association to be held at Baker City, Oregon, on Tuesday and Wednesday, November 14th and 15th, 1911.

The O.-W. R. & N. Co. have granted a 1-1-3 fare for round trip ticket. Be sure and get a receipt for ticket going to convention; this will entitle you to 1-3 fare for ticket returning.

Never in the history of this association have we been confronted with more serious problems. The special session of congress attempted to slaughter the tariff on wool. There is no question but a similar attempt will be made by congress this coming winter to reduce the duty on wool to a minimum or place it on the freelist. We must vigorously conduct the hardest fight ever made in order to educate and convince congress and the American people that our industry is entitled to the same measure of protection as is given the products of any other kind of labor. We must insist before congress that the wool grower is entitled to a tariff on wool that he may realize from his business the actual expenses of operation, plus a reasonable profit, in order that he may live and not be forced into bankruptcy. President Taft vetoed all wool tariff legislation until the tariff board reports in December. We must get ready for the soon coming struggle which will mean the prosperity or ruin of the sheep business.

Some of the questions before the convention will be: Wool Tariff; Railroad Rates on Sheep and Wool; Railway Service on Live Stock; Quarantine and Control of Contagious diseases; Forest Reserve Grievances; Scalp Bounty Law; Wool Sales and Wool Markets; Mutton Markets; Sheep Killing Outrages.

The Baker Commercial Club and citizens of that energetic town are making elaborate plans for our entertainment and are leaving nothing undone to make this meeting a most enjoyable and momentous occasion; several spicy entertainments have been arranged, including a sumptuous banquet; this promises to be the greatest convention of the association, and that in itself is enough to bring every wool grower in Oregon to the meeting.

Please give your association duties serious and urgent consideration. Come and participate and be a part of this convention. Bring your friends.

Yours, respectfully,  
DAN P. SMYTHE, Secretary.  
By order of the Executive Committee.

## LOST.

Somewhere on Condon road between Heppner and Rock Creek, a Duber-Hampden gold watch; case somewhat worn; no chain. Finder please deliver to Mack Smith, marshal of Heppner.

Insure your house with the Oregon Fire Relief of McMinnville—the old reliable company.  
GEO. CURRIN, Local Agent.

## Resolutions of Condolence

At a regular communication of Heppner Lodge No. 69, A. F. & A. M., held in their Temple on the 4th day of Nov. 1911, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

Whereas, It has pleased the Almighty Ruler of the Universe to remove from our midst our beloved brother, Julius Keithly, who has for so many years been a true and faithful brother among us, and for his upright and Godly life we trust he has entered the Celestial Lodge above where the Supreme Ruler forever presides. Brother Keithly was one of the charter members of Heppner Lodge No. 69, A. F. & A. M., and one that was always ready to lend a helping hand to distressed worthy brothers, their widows and orphans wheresoever dispersed, and whenever it came to his knowledge. Be it therefore

Resolved by Heppner Lodge No. 69, A. F. & A. M., that while we bow in humble submission to the will of that one before whom all Masons bend their knees in reverence, we do not the less mourn for our brother who has been taken from us. His labors are ended here below but we trust he has entered upon a higher and nobler life which can only be reached through the portals of death.

Resolved, That these resolutions be spread upon the records of Heppner Lodge No. 69, A. F. & A. M. and a copy thereof be transmitted to the family of our deceased brother, and to each of the newspapers of Heppner.

P. O. BORG,  
FRANK GILLIAM,  
H. A. EMERSON,  
Committee.

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## ORDINANCE 123 IS AMENDED.

### City Council Takes Off Limit to Saloons.

At the regular meeting of the city council, held in chambers on Monday evening, all the members were present except Aiken, and after the usual routine business, the reading for the third time of Ordinance No. 127, brought that instrument up for its final passage.

This ordinance bears title "An ordinance to amend Section 7 of ordinance No. 123, of the City of Heppner, entitled, 'An ordinance to provide for the licensing, taxing, regulating and restraining the sale or disposal of spirituous liquor, brandy, wine, and all fermented and malt liquor, beer and ale, and prohibiting the sale or disposal of spirituous liquor, brandy, wine, and all fermented and malt liquor, beer and ale, within the City of Heppner without a license, and prohibiting the purchase or attempt to purchase spirituous liquor, brandy, wine, and all fermented and malt liquor, beer and ale, the sale of which is prohibited by this ordinance.'

"Section 7.—The number of licenses issued under this ordinance shall not be limited to any definite number."

As will be seen this affects only Section 7 of the liquor ordinance and removes therefrom the limitations on the number of licenses that can be issued. It is understood that there will be at least one more license granted but it is doubtful if the present council will allow more than six saloons to be run at one time.

Councilman Aiken presented his resignation and the same was promptly accepted.

Judges and clerks for the coming election were named as follows: Judges, John Hughes, Wm. Wilson and Wm. Ayers; Clerks, J. V. Crawford, W. P. Cox and C. H. Rhea.

The recorder was instructed to post proper notices of election for the first Monday in December.

The following bills were audited by the finance committee and ordered paid:

W P Scrivner.....	\$ 5 75
Cox & Beamer.....	1 50
Martin Reid.....	3 46
Allan McFerrin.....	5 00
Frank Gentry.....	2 00
M W M Co.....	30 00
Gilliam & Bisbee.....	102 30
Thomas Brennan.....	2 50
Mack Smith.....	76 75
J P Williams.....	16 65
H A Emerson.....	8 33
Harold Cox.....	3 75
George Moore.....	42 50
Gas Elder.....	13 50
Sid Robinson.....	4 62
Jess Hale.....	1 87
Walt Richardson.....	2 50
Wm Cowins.....	2 50
Wm Ayers.....	2 50
Oscar Minor.....	5 00
Wm Baird.....	54 25
A H Currier.....	50
H L & W Co.....	99 60
Chas Williams.....	1 25

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## WHITMAN FOREST.

The annual fire report of the Whitman National Forest just prepared by Supervisor Ireland shows many interesting facts. It shows that, out of a total area of 949,176 acres, but 103 acres, or approximately .00011 of the entire area, was burned over during the past season. The estimated loss was 141,000 feet B.M. of sawtimber, valued at approximately \$100.00, besides \$10.00 damage to young growth and to forage. A total of 52 fires has been reported by the rangers, nearly all of which were discovered and extinguished while small, only two having burned over an area greater than ten acres. This comparatively large number of small fires reported and the scarcity of large ones speaks well for the efficiency of patrol.

Needless to say the Supervisor and Rangers are extremely well pleased with the result of their work. Last season's disastrous record has not been without its beneficial effects. A more efficient organization on the part of the Forest Service has been effected and better cooperation on the part of the local population obtained.

During the past season Forest officers were stationed upon several of the highest points upon the Whitman, keeping constant lookout for fires. Such observation stations were maintained at North Powder Lakes, upon Vinegar Hill in the Greenhorn Mountains, upon Dixie Butte, and upon Baldy Mountain, about 20 miles south of Austin. These men reported all fires seen to the central office and some one was immediately sent to extinguish them. Telephone connections rendered part of these lookout points extremely valuable and emphasized the importance of such connections from a central office to all points throughout the Forest.

All men employed upon the Forest, even though not on special fire patrol, always regarded this as their first duty and were on constant lookout for fires.

Not the least effective feature of the past season has been the cheerful and willing cooperation on the part of settlers throughout the country in reporting and fighting fires. Without this assistance even the most thorough organization would be ineffective and the Forest Service wishes to express its appreciation for the extremely valuable assistance which has been so rendered. The putting out of a small smoldering fire or telephoning to some Forest officer reporting a smoke which has been seen may seem a small thing, yet it may save a loss of thousands of dollars and is always fully appreciated.

The fire season always carries with it a feeling of anxiety and uncertainty. Each season teaches its lessons and helps in the improvement of the fire protection plan, but always there is danger and when everything is apparently safe, bad fires are liable to occur. Hence the need for an efficient organization and continued vigilance on the part of the Forest Service, for constant and hearty cooperative assistance on the part of local residents and of users of the Forest, and for constant care and thoughtfulness on the part of every one upon or passing over our public forests. Without this we can look for nothing but disaster and loss; with it we may expect many seasons that are no more destructive, or even better than the one just past.

# ROYAL

## BAKING POWDER

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## School Notes.

BY SUPT. NOTSON.

On the 1st inst., I visited the school at Castle Rock. This school is under the direction of J. A. Gibbons. The pupils are wide awake, and were working diligently. The building has been repainted inside, new outside doors have been put in place, excellent single desks and revolving chairs have been provided, a new physiological chart and a fine set of maps have been purchased recently, and a new flag is displayed from the flag-staff. The pupils have individual drinking cups. The library consists of 170 volumes of well selected books, and they are kept in a splendid sectional book-case.

The next day, I visited the school in Joint-District No. 39. Mrs. Mary Lundell is the teacher. A new fuel house has been built. The windows are provided with good window-boards and neat sash curtains. A thermometer aids in regulating the temperature. The pupils each have a folding drinking cup. The pupils are very much in earnest in their work. They are having a series of debates. To get material for debate and for the work in agriculture, they have sent to the Agricultural Department for a number of the farmers' bulletins, and are making good use of them.

## Earning By Saving.

Any article on the disagreeable task of saving money must have a bitter taste. It must present some poignant, wholesome truths. One of these is: We are imbued with the idea people like us for what we can spend upon them. This is a big mistake. They may seek us as they seek the passing ray of sunlight over a flower-bed. When they need friends who really count for shelter and help, they prefer the sturdy oaks, rich-rooted in solid ground. No, it is not that everyone worships the golden calf. People who amass fortunes have certain admirable, stable qualities which we all would like to have—strength of character, will-power, self-denial, being true to one's self. It does take strength and self-denial to be true to one's self. By the last I mean to live as one can afford to live, on one's income. Most of us try to make our few dollars stretch over the same ground occupied by persons with incomes twice as large as we possess. We spend our all in "making a good showing." This is laudable from the viewpoint of progression, but one should use her wits and do this and save a little at the same time. Just compare the person who does not save with the one who has this quality. The latter has the things which really count with the world at large—the bank account, the permanent home, the physical comforts—and is the power in the community.—The Ladies' World for November.

## For Horse Stealing

Sheriff Hayes and Marshal Smith upon advices received from Sheriff Taylor, of Pendleton, arrested and lodged in jail here on Saturday, G. W. Burgess, who is accused by the Umatilla authorities of horsetealing. Dist. Atty. Van Vactor, upon investigation of the case caused Burgess to be placed under \$250.00 bonds, and the man was taken to Pendleton on Tuesday. Burgess claims there is a mistake as to his stealing any horses, and that he can easily show that he came into possession of the animals on a bona fide trade.

## At the Churches.

M. E. CHURCH SOUTH.  
Rev. E. P. Warren, Pastor.  
Sunday School at 10 a. m.  
Epworth League, 6:30 p. m., led by Blanche Minor, Subject, "Answers to Prayers." Preaching at 11 a. m. by Prof. W. C. Howard and perhaps at 7:30 p. m. Watch the bulletin board.  
Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. at Liberty schoolhouse, Eight Mile, by Rev. E. P. Warren.

BAPTIST CHURCH.  
Bible School, 10 a. m. Preaching services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. "God's Standing Orders for the Christian." Street meeting, 7:15 p. m. Theme for evening service, "Tekel." All are welcome.

M. E. CHURCH.  
Rev. Seldon Ewing, Pastor.  
Regular services Sunday morning and evening, Nov. 12. Sunday School, 9:45 a. m. Public preaching, 11 a. m. Epworth League, 6:30 p. m. Public preaching 7:30 p. m. The pastor would like to meet as many people as possible at these services.

## Circuit Court

The jurors have all been served and everything is in readiness at the court house for the opening of the regular November term of Circuit Court on next Monday. The old grand jury will come together on Friday for consideration of such business as may be called to its attention, and will finish its work and make a report at the opening of the new term. The first case set down for hearing on Monday is the re-trial of M. A. Mills on charge of horsetealing. There are a number of cases to be investigated by the grand jury and several new indictments are likely to be presented. It was expected that Judge Parker of Condon would preside at this term of Court and have the local option cases that have been on the docket for so long, but there is no definite information as to this. The docket is a short one as it now stands.

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