

# LADIES' SUITS, DRESSES AND COATS

For this week our line is very complete. Our business has been beyond our expectation in this line. The opportunity of buying right at home from so large an assortment is appreciated by our customers, as is shown by the way these suits, dresses and coats have been walking out.

Just today a new shipment is in, containing many pretty dresses. Come in--you will be welcome and we will take pleasure in showing you our assortment. If we haven't what you want we will try to get it for you.

## MILLINERY

Mrs. Rabb is here every day and showing pretty new hats—making to order and retrimming. Just today she has a new shipment of trimmed hats and they are beauties. Select your hat here where you can get what you wish at the price you wish to pay, and be assured of the individuality in style and color you so much enjoy.

## MILLINERY



## ARROW SHIRTS

It is because of the sterling qualities possessed by ARROW Shirts, that you see them so strongly featured in shops like ours. If you buy an ARROW you will get the fullest quota of value offered at the price. The ARROW label is a sound guaranty that the garments are worth their price at all times. Any merchandise that sells at a fixed price is exceedingly good merchandise and that is why we carry ARROW Shirts.

## "Best Ever" Suits for Boys

Those of you who were at the Style and Fashion Show Friday night saw the splendid showing made of boys' suits—the fit and snap of which were very apparent. These were "Best Ever" suits and for sale by us. Why not try one of these for your boy? Priced from \$5.00 to \$16.00—many as low as

\$1.98

## Honey

We have just received from Hemmett, Calif., a shipment of 1000 pounds of honey direct from the Densmore Farm. This is pure honey direct to you from the maker—pure as the flower and very fine. You can purchase this in any quantity you wish.



How is your old hat? If it's a bit shabby or a bit too cool, let's look over the new ones and see if we can fix you up. Very likely we can, for there is almost everything here in the way of color, shape and sizes. Good new styles, having the military touch; many splendid, dignified, staple hats; novelties in all the shades men's fancy dictates—all moderately priced at from \$2.00 to \$4.50. This includes the famous Stetson.



## A BEAUTIFUL SHOWING

All the shoes shown at the recent style show were from our own stock. There's a beautiful array of the pretty new styles and models in fetching two-tone; also in black kid and suede top, as well as fabric top. You can be suited here, and at a saving of from one to three dollars the pair over city prices.

# WESTON MERCANTILE CO.

## BREVITIES

Good, rich chaff for sale. Even O'Harra.

J. V. Bell has recovered from a threatened attack of typhoid fever.

Lloyd Ritchey has gone to La Crosse to follow the tonsorial trade.

Mrs. Susan Tucker is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Zigman, near Walla Walla.

Let me show you the Big Four Overland—the most wonderful car value on the market at \$1010. Will advance \$100 October 1st. Dr. Kennard.

S. A. Barnes bought 16,000 bushels of wheat Tuesday on a basis of \$1.86 for No. 1. His recent purchases of feed barley at \$45 per ton have totaled 4000 sacks.

A local citizen takes occasion to remark, "naming no names," that some people seemingly find it easier to keep a worthless cur dog for the annoyance of their neighbors, than to keep the wolf from the door.

Charles Skinner and Theodore Miller, stockmen of Ritter, Grant county, were visiting here Saturday and Sunday at the home of Mr. Skinner's brother, Weston's chief of police. They had driven a band of beef cattle to Pendleton for shipment.

Methodist Church, Sunday, September 23.—Sunday school at 10 a. m. Talk to children at 11 a. m., subject, "A Fight." Sacrament of Lord's Supper. Epworth League at 7 p. m. Preaching at 7:30 p. m., subject, "From Third to Ninth Hour." All welcome. Come and help boost. Yours to win in Christ, S. E. Powell, pastor.

Wanted—More members of the Red Cross to come and work on Tuesdays and Fridays, as there is a large amount of work to be done. Also, old muslins are very much needed for wrapping surgical dressings; and it is said there is a dearth of games and puzzles for convalescents in the hospitals in France, and we are asked to furnish what we can in that line for their amusement. Bring them with you to the Red Cross meeting. Chairman R. C.

Ira Charlton of Harrington, Wash., who went to school in Weston more than a third of a century ago, was here Wednesday for a visit, and found a number of old friends and schoolmates to welcome him. Mr. Charlton owns 1400 acres in the neighborhood of Harrington, which is a celebrated bluestem section. Harrington is the largest primary wheat shipping point in the United States. Mr. Charlton took occasion to highly compliment Weston's band, which he heard at the City park. He "tooted" about 15 years himself.

Dr. O. P. Low of Portland, formerly of Arlington, has succeeded to the practice of Dr. Smith, and expects to begin next Monday. Meanwhile Dr. Watts will answer emergency calls. Dr. Low is a graduate of the Medical College of the University of Oregon, and has had 20 years of successful practice. For the present his family will continue to reside in Portland.

The Weston Concert Band goes to Pendleton tomorrow to play one day's engagement at the Round Up.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Warren are leaving next week for their homestead in Lake county.

## Cow Inspection is Free

Contrary to reports in circulation here, it costs nothing to have cows inspected under the new dairy law. J. M. O'Harra is in recent receipt of the following communication from Dr. W. H. Lytle, state veterinarian:

"Replying to your letter of September 9th will say the law applies to all cows whose products are sold for human consumption. All that is required of you is that you write this office and make application for a test. This test is administered free of cost when performed by inspectors from this office. As soon as this application is made you are exempt from any further requirement of the law until such time as we can make the test."

A letter conveying similar information was also received by Frank Snider.

## Longfellow Read Law.

The post Longfellow read law in his father's office, but never practiced. He was only twenty-eight years old when he became professor at Harvard university, and he had previously been professor at Bowdoin college.

## WESTON PAYS TRIBUTE TO ITS SOLDIER BOYS

A large and representative gathering of Weston people was held Wednesday afternoon at City park in honor of Ernest L. Blomgren and Sylvan Kennard, members of the Second Idaho here on a furlough, and of Dr. Charles H. Smith, who left that evening for American Lake cantonment to begin his duties as an officer of the Medical Corps.

Martial music was played with much spirit by the Weston Concert Band, and a feeling and appropriate address was given in behalf of the community by J. W. Porter. In well chosen words Mr. Porter expressed Weston's pride in its soldier boys and its sorrow at the parting. He presented envelopes containing tokens of the community's regard to the two young soldiers present and to their Weston comrades in arms in the Second Idaho—Sidney Barnes and James Kirkpatrick.

Privates Blomgren and Kennard left Wednesday evening to rejoin their regiment, which leaves next Tuesday for Charlotte, N. C. They were guests of honor at a pleasant party given Tuesday evening by Claud Price.

Weston is now represented as follows in the service of Uncle Sam: Medical Corps—Elmer Tucker, Leonard Blomgren, Dr. C. H. Smith, Infantry—Floyd Corporan, Matt J. Vanderpool, Guy M. Johnson, Edmund L. Wood, E. L. Blomgren, S. Barnes, J. Kirkpatrick, S. Kennard.

Marine Corps—Charles Bulfinch. Navy—Glenn Morrison, Lloyd Killgore, Lloyd King. Artillery—Hugh Taylor. Aviation Corps—Earl G. Olsen. Troop D—Rudolph Proebstel, Earl Rose.

In addition, Herman O'Harra is at the officers' training camp, Presidio, and Dr. A. F. Sempert is taking the examination for the Dental Corps.

## You'll Know Him.

Sometimes Trouble masquerades as Joy, but we recognize him before he plays one tune on the fiddle, for the fiddle strings snap, and the dancers fall down, and darkness drowns the lights.

## IT WAS JOE KEY'S NAME; BUT HIS WIFE SIGNED IT

At a recent meeting of the district military board, held in Pendleton, J. H. Key, a leading Weston farmer, came in for rather a severe roasting on the part of Walter M. Pierce because of his alleged lack of patriotism.

It seems the district board had received a letter with the names of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Key attached, saying that they would not support their daughter, Mrs. Harrison C. Kirk, and her two children in the event that her husband—one of the young men in the Umatilla county list—was drafted into the army.

It is quite likely that Walter would not have handed out the strong line of talk with which he is credited, had he been acquainted with the facts.

Here they are—and they constitute rather a good joke on Mr. Key: As is not unusual with the wives of drafted men, Mrs. Kirk has been exceedingly anxious to get her husband exempted. Wishing to make out as strong a case as possible, she wrote the letter in question and sent it to her mother with a view to getting her parents' signatures. Mr. Key was absent from home with his harvesting outfit. His wife signed both her own name and her husband's to the letter and forwarded it to the board.

Joe says with a smile that he is neither trying to get his son-in-law into the army nor to keep him out; but that if the boy is compelled to serve he (Joe) will surely see that the wife and children do not come to want.

## MISS HANNA BEGINS HER WORK IN MUSIC

Miss Edna Hanna, representing the Malen Burnett School of Piano Playing, came to Weston on Wednesday and met her pupils as usual at the Lavender home. Miss Hanna has decided to change the day for Weston pupils from Wednesday to Saturday, in order to accommodate pupils from the country who could not arrange for Wednesday lessons. Those wishing to consult Miss Hanna about terms and courses will find her at the Lavender home each

Saturday, beginning September 29, from 8 a. m. to 5 p. m. The people of this city and vicinity should realize the unusual opportunity offered by Miss Hanna, as she has had many years of experience as a teacher and comes directly from Lindenwood College, St. Charles, Mo., where she held the position of Dean of Music. She is a graduate pupil of Malen Burnett and had further training in Europe under Alexandra Raif in piano, Hugo Kaun in harmony, counterpoint and composition and Teresa Emerich in voice. Miss Hanna is making arrangements for a recital to be given here in the near future, which event should interest all the music lovers of Weston.

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