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YAKIMA SHEEPMEN WEAR "VIRGIN" WOOL

NOVEL SCHEME TO BOOST OWN PRODUCT

Oregon Wove Pure Wool Fabrics Made Up by Home Tailors Cost Only \$50

Yakima, Washington sheepmen have hit upon a novel scheme to boost the demand for wool while giving them the added advantages of wearing strictly all-wool clothing at little more than one-half the prices being paid for eastern woven goods containing an unknown percentage of shoddy. The following dispatch from the Washington city to the Oregonian says:

"Yakima last night sent to the annual meeting of the Washington State Wool Growers' association in Spokane, probably the best dressed bunch of delegates that ever left this city. They comprised Yakima sheep men, every one of whom wore a new suit tailored from 'virgin' wool, as contrasted with cloth composed partly of 'shoddy,' or wool previously manufactured one or several times into cloth and again reduced to shreds for re-use.

"The sheep men some time ago agreed to go to the convention thus attired. They made a deal with an Oregon woolen mill for the cloth, which was guaranteed to be composed entirely of 'virgin' wool, and which came in a variety of nifty patterns. It cost, laid down here, \$14 a suit. The tailoring was done in Yakima shops and cost about \$35 a suit, depending on the quality of linings, fittings, etc., and other details. Clothing experts declared that the suits, when completed, were superior to those which have been selling here at from \$75 to \$85.

"The wool men announced their intention to make a deal for further supplies of similar cloth from some northwest mill, to be sold to others desiring to follow their example.

"They also went to Spokane expecting to put on a campaign, through the association, for more general consumption of mutton."

WEST WILL SET MEN'S STYLES THIS YEAR

Styles in men's clothing will be set in the West, this year, for the first time in history.

At the second annual convention of the Pacific Coast Merchant Tailors' Association, which meets in Los Angeles for three days, January 11, 12 and 13, fashions for the spring season will be discussed, together with problems of labor, prices and workmanship.

"This is the first meeting in the industry, this year," explained Sam G. Levy, president of the organization. "The national association will meet in Chicago during the latter part of the month, but the national officers are waiting with interest to see what is done in the West. The ideas developed here will have a potent influence upon the action of that body in setting the styles for America in 1921."

More than 300 delegates from all parts of the Pacific coast will attend the session. In addition, men prominent in the tailoring industry from the east, will be present to address the convention.

One of the most important topics to be discussed by the delegates, is the proposed program of co-operative advertising, which contemplates an expenditure of \$5,000,000 on a national scale covering three years.

President Sam G. Levy and Thomas H. Lipps, secretary of the Los Angeles exchange of the association, will leave for Chicago immediately after the convention, with the officers of the national association, to complete final details of the gigantic advertising program.

A CARD

My appointment as Highway Commissioner by Governor Olcott has been secured by the perseverance of my many friends in Morrow county and elsewhere. I take this opportunity of thanking them sincerely for their efforts in my behalf and hope that I shall be able to merit the confidence they have reposed in me, to the end that Morrow county and Eastern Oregon will have fair representation on the Board of Highway Commissioners.

W. B. BARRATT.

COUNTY TREASURER ELECT RESIGNS

Miss Katie Minert, recently elected county treasurer, tendered her resignation to County Judge Campbell last Saturday after declining to qualify.

In a statement to the Herald Monday morning, Miss Minert said that her action was prompted by a disagreement with the county court regarding the location of her office.

T. J. Humphreys, former treasurer, has been prevailed upon to retain the office, the county court having agreed to furnish him with an office in the court house and provide for a deputy when needed.

HEPPNER MAN AT U. OF W. INJURED

Leo Nickolson, well-known Heppner boy, now a student in the University of Washington, met with a painful accident the other day when some of the bones in his hand were broken while playing basket ball. "Nick" made the varsity basket ball team last year and it is said that he is considered one of the strongest players on the team this year. He expects to recover the use of his hand in time to help his team maintain its standing and to again win his letter.

BREEZY NEWS NOTES FROM TOWN OF CECIL

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Krebs and Miss Georgia Summers of "The Last Camp" returned from Portland on Friday where they had been visiting friends during the holidays.

Misses Malinda, Sara A. and Ruth May of "Lone Star" ranch, left on the local on Saturday for Monmouth Normal for the winter months.

Miss Mildred Henriksen of Rhea, left on Sunday for Canby high school where she will resume her studies.

Miss Minnie H. Lowe and brother, Robert, left on the local on Sunday for their respective schools in Portland.

Misses Annie and Violet M. Hynd and Bernice Frankland and Master Keith Logan of "Fairview", were passengers on the local for Heppner. They all were bound for their studies at the Heppner high school.

Miss Gertie Pettyjohn of Morgan, was calling on her friends in Cecil on Saturday.

Roy Stender and his bride of "Seldomseen" passed through Cecil on Monday enroute to Portland for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Minor of Heppner, and Mr. and Mrs. Phil Brady of Ione were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Krebs at "The Last Camp" during the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. McEntire and family of "Killarney" made a short call in Cecil on Sunday on their return journey from Heppner.

David Hynd of "Rose Lawn", Sand Hollow, who has been visiting with his brother, the "Mayor", for a few days, left on Tuesday for Heppner.

Miss Zella Kelly and Miss Lois Eastly of Hood River, arrived in Cecil on Sunday, ready to open their respective schools after their vacations.

Henry J. Streeter of Four Mile, was visiting J. W. Osborn in Cecil on Monday.

Miss Winnie Lake of Boring, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Winter at "Shady Dell." On Friday evening a large party was given by Miss Hazel Winter at "Shady Dell" in honor of Miss Lake. Dancing, games, etc., were indulged in till midnight when a fine supper was served. Every one declared they had "the time of their lives."

Charlie Blacket, who has been visiting friends in Idaho for some time, returned to Cecil on Monday and will resume his work for Mr. A. Henriksen on "Willow Creek" ranch.

Johnny Curran of Juniper Canyon was doing business in Cecil on Thursday.

Grover Curtiss of Rhea has been visiting his parents at the Grand Dalles, Wash., for the last few days.

H. Willis of Morgan, is a busy man these days hauling hay from Cecil.

Phil Brady and W. E. Ahalt of Ione, were busy during the week, hauling grain from Cecil warehouse to Phil's ranch near Ione.

Ralph Winter of Four Mile was an Ione visitor on Thursday, also Clarence Winter of "Shady Dell."

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"As Much Emphasis Now on Educational Training as on Military Drill."

By COL. J. T. AXTON, Chief of Chaplains, U. S. A.



On the barracks wall at Delhi, India, this inscription will be found:

"When war is on and strife is nigh,
God and the soldier is all the cry;
When war is o'er and peace is cited,
God and the soldier are quickly slighted."

This may have been true of some former period, but it is not true concerning the World war. This nation is nearer to God than before the mighty conflict, or the war's greatest lesson has been missed. I believe that we are nearer to God in all the relations of life than before we entered the titanic struggle, and the soldier is not being slighted. The best evidence of this lies in the fact that an average of more than four hundred splendid young men from all walks of life are enlisting every day for duty in the regular army.

The call to military service is especially strong now because of a nation-wide interest in military affairs and because the War department has sensed the need for making every hour a man spends in the army profitable to that man. Fully as much emphasis is being placed upon the moral and educational training of our troops as upon military drill, target practice, discipline, or any of the other things that are essential to the making of a fine soldier.

The comprehensive educational system is in charge of picked men who specialize in it; while moral training is quite properly committed by the congress of the United States to a corps of chaplains, composed of men who know how to put stress on those religious elements that appeal to healthy young men.

Public confidence in the regular army was never so high as today, and our people may be sure that the whole aim of those in authority is to justify that confidence, by developing the individual soldier along lines that will make him a thoroughly useful citizen when he returns to civil life.

CUPID STARTS ON ANOTHER YEAR'S WORK

Adkins-Brown
Albert Adkins, well-known young business man of this city, and Miss Marian Luella Brown, popular young lady of Gresham, were married at the home of the bride's parents at Gresham, New Year's day. The happy young couple arrived in Heppner Thursday evening where they were greeted by a host of Mr. Adkins' friends. They will reside in Heppner.

Wilson-Elder

Friends of David W. Wilson and Miss Luella Elder were treated to a surprise Sunday when it became known that they were quietly married Saturday evening. The interesting ceremony was performed by Rev. Livingstone, pastor of the First Christian church at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alva Jones, close friends of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson.

Mr. Wilson is connected with the Farmers and Stockgrowers National bank, and Mrs. Wilson also holds a responsible position in the law offices of Sam E. Van Vactor. Many friends will unite in best wishes for both couples.

Lapham-Winnard

Mr. Stanton Lapham, Jr. and Miss Elverda Winnard, well-known young people of the Heppner country, were married in this city Thursday, January 6, 1921, Rev. Livingstone performing the ceremony. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Winnard and the groom is a respected young man of Eightmile. Mr. and Mrs. Lapham went to Portland for a short visit, on Friday.

HEPPNER MEN ARE TO ORGANIZE CLUB ALONG BROTHERHOOD LINES

A preliminary meeting attended by 15 or 20 business and professional men was held at Hotel St. Patrick Monday evening to discuss the matter of forming a Men's Brotherhood club in Heppner. The club is to be formed along the lines of the brotherhood clubs now doing good work in many towns and cities and will work for the civic and social betterment of the community, and for better acquaintance and closer business and social relations between the men

of Heppner. Those present were enthusiastic in getting behind the idea which was first suggested by Rev. Livingstone who called the meeting together.

It was decided to hold the next meeting Monday evening, January 24 in the hotel dining room when a light dinner will be served. The club will be permanently organized at that time and officers will be elected. It is understood the policy of the club will be to hold dinner meetings at the hotel regularly.

WILL ENTERTAIN HEPPNER AUDIENCES

Fun and Philosophy, real entertainment, something you will enjoy every moment of, is the promise made by members of the Patron-Teachers association in regard to the entertainment to be given here on Wednesday evening by Professor Klemme, of the extension department of the Bellingham normal college. Mr. Klemme is recommended as one of the best entertainers in the northwest. He will speak to the high school students Wednesday forenoon, to the Patron-Teachers association at 3:30 in the afternoon, and to the general public in the evening. The entertainments are all free and a general invitation is extended for the evening meeting.

JOHN DAY DISTRICT ELECTION BEING HELD TODAY

An election is being held today in the John Day Irrigation district when two directors will be elected to succeed C. C. Clark, of Arlington, and Ed Reitman of Ione, whose terms are soon to expire.

A spirited contest is expected as it is understood there are two tickets in the field for the places to be filled. Messrs Clark and Reitman, present incumbents, have been nominated to succeed themselves and C. A. Minor, of Heppner, and A. W. Wheelhouse of Arlington, have also been nominated.

Reports from the three district voting precincts received as we go to press show the following result:

Reitman 12; Clark 13; Minor 57; Wheelhouse 56.

NEWS NOTES FROM HEPPNER HI SCHOOL

The first basket ball game of the season will be played at Heppner on Friday, January 14, between the Heppner Hi team and the Lexington Hi. As both teams have been playing some stiff practice, a pretty fast game is expected. The girls of both high schools will also have a game on that night.

The topic that is to be debated upon is, Resolved, that the Principle of the Open Shop should be adopted in the American Industry.

Members of the team are: Affirmative, Audria Grogan and Margaret Woodson. Negative, Roland Humphreys and Elmer Peterson.

The first debate will be held with Ione on Friday, February 4. This will be the first time for some years that the H. H. S. has participated in the State Debating League. Heppner is located in what is known as the Umatilla District, which includes Umatilla, Morrow and Gilliam counties. The high schools in these counties will debate for district championship. The district champions will debate with the champions of the other districts at Eugene, for the state championship.

All debaters must be qualified students in the school.

The report for the month ending December 31, shows the total number of pupils in actual attendance, 325, which is 25 more than a year ago at this time. The total enrollment is 352 up to date. There were 219 pupils neither tardy nor absent.

Rooms having no tardies were the 8th, 7th, 6th, 5th and 1st grades.

The high school enrollment is 97, with but two tardies.

We are all pleased to have our old school mates, Marie and Helen Corrin, back with us again, Marie having enrolled as a junior, and Helen as a freshman.

Mr. Klemme of Bellingham normal will speak to the high school on Wednesday.

It has been reported that Miss Daffoe of the music department, is detained at her home in New Rockford, North Dakota, because of smallpox.

The Parent-Teachers' association will hold their meeting at the school house on Wednesday, instead of Tuesday.

The junior class held a dinner-party at the school house on Friday evening, January 7, 1921.

The domestic science room was the scene of merry-making. The room was artistically decorated with the class colors, green and red.

The table was tastefully set with place cards on small candle holders. A house narcissus adorned the center of the table.

The dinner was delicious, consist-

BARRATT WINS PLACE HIGHWAY COMMISSION

GOVERNOR NOTIFIES HEPPNER MAN OF APPOINTMENT

Choice Gives General Satisfaction in This and Adjoining Counties

Universal gratification was expressed by Heppner people Sunday when a message was received by W. B. Barratt from Governor Olcott announcing Mr. Barratt's appointment as a member of the State Highway Commission to fill the vacancy occasioned by the recent death of the late F. E. Kiddle.

Immediately upon the receipt of the news of Mr. Kiddle's death, friends of Mr. Barratt in this county, suggested his name for the position, A. Henriksen of Cecil, being one of the original boosters. A meeting of the Heppner Commercial Club was hastily called and a strong telegram was forwarded to Governor Olcott recommending Mr. Barratt and urging his appointment. Numerous individuals also joined in sending telegrams to the same effect. After that but little publicity was given Mr. Barratt's candidacy, but his supporters did not lose faith in the ultimate outcome even when the news of Jay Dobbins' appointment was sent out, the feeling here among those in rather close touch with Mr. Dobbins being that he would not accept the appointment.

Saturday it was known here that Nelson, of Umatilla county was about to withdraw and that the influence of that county would swing to the Heppner man and when the news came Sunday morning Heppner people were not particularly surprised even though they were all delighted with the result.

Mr. Barratt is well fitted for the position in point of character, ability and force. He is a native of England and has been a resident of Morrow county for 37 years, being engaged in the sheep business during all that time. He is a successful business man and is financially in a position to afford to give his time to the service of the state in this most important position of trust and responsibility. He has recently retired from active management of his stock interests, having turned them over to his son, and will be in a position to give all the time necessary to his new duties.

It is expected Mr. Barratt will assume his place on the commission at the next regular meeting of that body early in February.

Mr. Barratt has a wide acquaintance throughout the state. He was formerly president of the Oregon Wool Growers' association, and also served for several years as a member of the local school board. He is at present a member of the Oregon Livestock Sanitary commission.

AMERICAN LEGION ACTIVE

Heppner Post, American Legion, is a live wire and manages to have something doing every once in a while. Last Saturday evening a business meeting was held in the council chamber when the following officers were elected for the ensuing year. Commander, E. R. Crege; vice-commander, Walter H. Moore; adjutant, Marshall Phelps; financial agent, Burrell Gardane.

The boys will give another of their million-dollar smokers next Saturday evening when a pleasing program will be presented. Every fellow who thinks he is some pumpkins as a wrestler or boxer is especially invited and assurance is given that somebody will be found who will try to take the conceit out of him.

The boys are also arranging to bring a 5-reel war picture to the Star at an early date which will be announced later.

The Ladies Aid of the Federated church held a social following their regular business meeting last Wednesday afternoon and a delightful afternoon is reported by those who were present.

ing of mashed potatoes, hamburger loaf, gravy, hot biscuits, Waldorf salad, bananas and whipped cream, cake and chocolate.

After dinner a number of interesting games were played, after which, all went home with the words that they had never enjoyed a better evening. We were all very sorry that four of the members of the class were not present.