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A TYPICAL PICTURE OF YOUR CONVENTION CITY



Sheep shown on J. G. Barratt winter and spring range

City Extends Hospitality

Registration Necessary to Receive All Benefits; Free Banquet, Luncheons, Dance Features.

Visiting wool growers, welcome!

All the facilities of this fair city have been placed at your disposal to make your 38th annual convention a success. Reference to the official programs herewith will give you complete details of the events for today and tomorrow.

All visitors are asked to please register so that they may receive the full benefits of the entertainment program. In arranging the entertainment features, it has been the idea of the local committee, headed by J. G. Barratt, to keep the cost nominal. They believe they have accomplished this in asking only \$1 from the men, and 50 cents from the ladies registering.

When you register you will receive the official convention button, entitling you to all the courtesies of guests of the city. You will also receive a souvenir 50-cent piece of Sheepskin Scrip, a local medium of exchange in the late depression, and in addition you will be issued luncheon, banquet and dance tickets.

The luncheon tickets of the men are to be used at the Lions club luncheon today noon at the Elks hall, with a warm welcome attached. The luncheon tickets of the ladies will be used tomorrow noon at the Business & Professional Womens club luncheon at Hotel Heppner, where a warm welcome awaits all. The dance tickets, issued the men only, are to be used at the get-acquainted dance tonight at the Elks hall, and everyone is urged to attend.

Your badge is all that is necessary to entitle you to a plate at the free banquet tomorrow evening at the Elks hall. This is a joint affair for all visiting men and ladies.

Every effort has been made to provide living accommodations for everyone, and if you have not made reservations your needs should be made known at Hotel Heppner or at the office of Frank W. Turner, first door south of the hotel entrance.

Courtesy cars have been provided for your convenience, and you should have no hesitancy in availing yourself of their use.

Attractive Exhibits Are Being Arranged

Among exhibits to interest convention attendants are those of Botany Woolen Mills, Passaic, N. J., the U. S. department of agriculture, and the various showings of the county auxiliary chapters.

The Botany mill exhibit is one of the finest things of its kind, showing latest weaves and textures in woolens and their uses. It is expected to be of special interest to the ladies who will be accorded a special presentation at their convention sessions.

Of much interest also will be the exhibits of the county auxiliary chapters, presented in a contest for state and national prizes.

Since drouth relief has removed all the cattle from Grant county, Herman Oliver has started attending sheep conventions—with his wife this time.

Free Banquet Tomorrow Promises Lively Time

Open season on after dinner speakers has been declared for the big annual banquet tomorrow evening, beginning at 6:30 at the Elks hall, a joint affair for wool growers and auxiliary. A "Swede" campender has been hired to look after the boss's interests, and the boss himself, O. M. Plummer, dean of toastmasters, is expected to levy heavy tribute on the right of free speech.

Becket's orchestra will play lively music while the guests assemble. Yorgie Yorgenson is the "Swede." He will gaze fixedly into the crystal bowl and reveal what he sees there. Yorgie has a reputation in his own right around Pendleton, from whence comes also Eileen Manning, tap dancer. Marvin Roy, Pilot Rock virtuoso, will sing.

Piece de resistance has been supplied by Swift & Co., in the form of prime lambs, to be boned and roasted. Crown Mills has supplied the flour and hall decorations, Safeway Stores has given coffee, Morrow County Creamery company aided with butter and ice cream, Pacific Wool Growers donated favors, and Forshaw's of Pendleton assisted with the flowers.

An unusual note will be given the affair by the aid of Standard Oil company's broadcast car, with George Austin, himself in person, the company's announcer who made a big hit at the last Rodeo in Heppner at the microphone.

Harold Cohn, banquet chairman, expresses deep appreciation to all the above-named donors, and to the many other individual contributors who made staging of the free banquet possible.

Eastern Star Tea Tendered Ladies

Ruth chapter 32, O. E. S., will be hostess to all visiting ladies at Masonic temple this afternoon following the ladies' call upon the woolgrowers' convention at 3:00 o'clock.

This is expected to be an enjoyable get-acquainted hour, and a warm invitation is extended to all the ladies.

An Apology

The rush in issuing this edition prevented the Gazette Times from contacting all local business firms, and apology is extended all those not contacted, among whom we realize there are many who will be disappointed in not being given an opportunity to extend a message of greeting in this manner.

PROGRAM

Thirty-eighth Annual Convention Oregon Wool Growers Association Heppner, Jan. 14-15, 1935

HIGH SCHOOL GYM-AUDITORIUM

Monday, January 14

- 10:00 a. m. Opening of the convention—Fred A. Phillips, President.
Music—Heppner Band.
Invocation—Rev. Joseph Pope.
Address of welcome—C. J. D. Bauman, President Lions club.
Response to address of welcome—Herman Oliver, Pres. Oregon Cattle & Horse Raisers Assoc., John Day.
President's annual address—Fred A. Phillips.
Report of secretary—Walter A. Holt.
Developing the Columbia River—Herbert G. West, Executive secretary, Inland Empire Waterways Association, Walla Walla, Wash.
Committee appointments.
Announcements.
- Noon
- 1:30 p. m. Music—High School Male Quartet.
Water development for Oregon ranges—Burton E. Palmer, Director of Work Division, State Relief Committee.
Meeting livestock credit needs—W. E. Meyer, Pres., Intermediate Credit Bank, Spokane, Wash.
Music.
Selling the wool—Paul Carpenter, Marketing Specialist, O. S. A. C. Extension Service, Corvallis.
Unsolved problems of the industry—Mac Hoke, Pres. Northwest Livestock Production Credit Corporation.

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What the Women Are Doing

MEETING PLACE: MASONIC HALL

Women's Auxiliary to Oregon Wool Growers

Monday Morning

- 10:15 Invocation
10:20 Music.
10:25 Address of Welcome—Mrs. John Wightman President Morrow County Chapt., Women's Auxiliary to Oregon Wool Growers.
10:30 Response to Address of Welcome—Mrs. James Morrow, Sec.-Treas., Women's Auxiliary to National Woolgrowers Assoc.
10:40 Introduction of Officers, Past Officers, Distinguished Visitors.
10:45 Annual Report of the Activities of the Women's Auxiliary to Oregon Woolgrowers Assn.—Mrs. Herman Oliver, President.
11:00 Report Secretary-Treasurer—Mrs. George Fell, Courtrock.
11:10 Presentation of Woolen Articles, exhibit sent by Botany Worsted Mills, Passaic, N. J. (Exhibit in Masonic Hall).
11:25 Music.
11:30 Appointment of Committees and Announcements.
11:40 Adjournment for lunch.

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Local Folks Cooperate In Staging Convention

One hundred percent cooperation of the folks of Heppner was given in providing facilities for the staging of the 38th annual Oregon Wool Growers convention.

A preliminary meeting of representatives of various organizations first met and elected J. G. Barratt, the association's vice-president, as general chairman. He named his co-workers on the general committee who included Ralph Thompson, president Morrow County Wool and Lamb club; Mrs. J. J. Wightman, chairman Morrow county woolgrowers auxiliary; Mrs. Lucy E. Rodgers, C. B. Cox, C. J. D. Bauman and Spencer Crawford. Joe Belanger, county agent, is general secretary of the hospitality group.

The general committee named special committee heads as follows: Banquet, Harold Cohn; reception, D. A. Wilson; finance, E. L. Morton; courtesy, R. C. Phelps; housing, F. W. Turner; publicity, Jap Crawford and Josephine Mahoney. There were many helpers on the various committees, and wholehearted support was received from everyone.

The general committee budgeted all expenses and made every effort to provide high quality entertainment at low cost to the visitors. The city is indebted to many kind friends outside its borders in making this possible, including entertainment talent and others who have generously cooperated.

Local woolmen contributed largely to the staging of the free banquet, to be given in the same spirit that would be accorded friends and neighbors in their own home.

In every sense the general committee and the entire community have expressed a true and hearty welcome to the convention.

President's Luncheon Slated at Hotel Today

Mrs. Herman Oliver, state auxiliary president, will honor a group of visiting national and Washington state officers at noon luncheon today at Hotel Heppner.

Among the honored guests will be Mrs. Grace Stewart, president national auxiliary; Mrs. James W. Morrow, secretary-treasurer of the national auxiliary, and Mrs. W. A. Roberts, president Washington auxiliary.

J. G. Barratt and R. B. Ferguson made a trip out to the top of the mountains Saturday just to make sure the snow was being cleared from the Heppner-Spray highway and that visitors from the interior could get through.