

LEXINGTON WHEATFIELD

ANNUAL CLEARANCE SALE

COMMENCING JANUARY 15th, ENDING JANUARY 30th

Sale on Outings, your choice of 10, 12 1-2 and 15 cent outings at the low price of 9 cents
6 and 7 cent Outings during this sale at 5 cents.

Mens Neckties, any 35, 50 or 75 cent necktie in our store, during this sale at 19 cents.

Mill Ends and Semnants, are at your disposal at a sacrificed prices.

Wool Undershirts, we are selling at less than cost of manufacturing in order to make room for new goods

We are offering all our Neglige and Golf Shirts at prices that will surprise you, to make room for our new stock

We are determined to close every old garment of any kind or description in our stock at even more than reduced prices, so we can open up our new spring goods with no old ones on the shelves to make our stock look old or shelfworn, are willing to sacrifice in order to carry this out. We expect to open one of the Brightest, Neatest stocks, in the spring, ever shown in Morrow county.

LEACH BROTHER'S

LEXINGTON, OREGON

THE PRIMARY LAW

Some Features of it Which Are Very Essential.

In case some of our readers are not acquainted with the new primary law which was adopted by the people at the June election, 1904, we are endeavoring to set forth some of the most essential features in the article which follows:

As it has been heretofore voters in registering for the ensuing election were not required to state their politics, but that was under the old system which did not reflect upon the present primary nominations. A voter, under the law as it now is, wishing to take part in the republican or democratic primaries, to nominate republican or democratic tickets, which ever the case may be, must, when he registers, state to the registering officer that he is a member of either the republican or democratic party, and the officer will be required to enter him as such under the heading of "Remarks" on the registration blank. Unless the voter does register as such he will not be permitted to vote in the primaries for the nomination of candidates in either of these respective parties.

On going into the primaries on primary election day the voter will be given a democratic or republican ticket depending, of course, on how he is registered. In case he should not be registered as either he will not be allowed to vote in either of these respective parties' primaries, or if he has failed to state his politics in his registration he will not be allowed to vote in the primaries at all.

This must not, however, be construed to mean that the voter must vote at the regular election in June according to the way he has registered, for then, as it always has been, he can vote for who ever he chooses, be he republican, democrat, socialist or prohibitionist.

The voter must remember that the old way of nominating candidates through conventions has been superseded by this new law and that they will now be nominated by the people direct. This is why the voter under the new law is required to state his politics in his registration—simply for the protection of the candidates; that is to say, that neither party can go in forces to the other party's primary election and use their influence in electing weak candidates for office.

COUNTY NEWS

Heppner Times—

H. N. Burchell was in Heppner last Friday from his ranch near Lexington.

T. J. Mahoney and W. T. McNabb of lone, were business visitors in Heppner Tuesday.

Jeff Evans, a prominent wheat-grower of Lexington, was a business visitor in Heppner the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Ayers returned Monday from their eastern trip. While away they visited in Pennsylvania, Ohio, Illinois and Indiana, taking in all the large cities of those states. They were away about six weeks and report a very pleasant trip.

At the annual meeting of stockholders of the First National bank, held the 9th inst., the following officers and directors were elected: President C. A. Rhea; vice-president, T. A. Rhea; cashier, Geo. Conser; assistant, E. L. Freeland; directors, J.

B. Natter, A. L. Ayers, C. A. Rhea, J. P. Rhea and T. A. Rhea.

Wm. Hughes, who came in Sunday from the interior, where he has been looking after his livestock interests, informs The Times that both cattle and sheep are looking well in Grant county. He says there is some snow over there and the stockmen are having to feed some, but that hay is plentiful and no stock will suffer though the remaining weeks of winter weather should be severe.

Nat Webb, Jr., arrived Monday evening from Walla Walla where he spent the holidays with his parents. Mr. Webb is recently from Weiser, Idaho, where he looks after a band of sheep. He reports that there are no sheep being sold in his district as the wool growers prefer to hold onto their flocks, even at what they consider a fair price, as they believe the profits will be greater for them to hold onto their sheep. He says sheep are doing fine over there. He has been feeding since the first of November, but hay is cheap, \$4 a ton, and the sheep are given all they will eat.

Heppner Gazette—

The dog poisoner has again appeared in Heppner and several valuable dogs were poisoned this week. A blooded hunting dog belonging to Wm. Cowins, which was chained up in Mr. Cowins' lot, was among the victims.

Wm. G. Crabtree, of Monument, was in the city Tuesday. Mr. Crabtree states that the snowfall in the Monument country this winter has been unusually heavy. The first snow of this winter appeared there on the 26th of last November and has never entirely disappeared since that time. As yet, stock has not suffered, and there have been no losses. Stockmen generally are well supplied with feed.

lone Proclamer—

Alex Young went to Portland Monday to enter a hospital for medical treatment. He was accompanied by his son Frank.

Some person entered the cellar of the Hotel lone one night last week and helped himself to about 15 pounds of ham and a sack of potatoes.

J. H. Blake presented a stuffed eagle to J. A. Woolery this week. The eagle measures over six feet from tip to tip and was killed by Ben Hasbrook about a year ago.

W. P. Myers and family departed Monday for Laidlaw, Crook county, where they will reside in the future. Mr. Myers had charge of W. H. Doby's business during the latter's absence last year, and made many friends while here who hate to lose him from our midst.

Mrs. W. P. McMillan and children arrived from Lexington yesterday for a visit with her parents Mr and Mrs. R. F. Wilmot.

The Oregon Journal has made arrangements to publish the letters of W. J. Bryan in its Sunday issue. Mr. Bryan is on a two year tour of foreign lands, and his letters will make excellent reading, as Mr. Bryan is a brilliant writer. The Sunday Journal is a great newspaper, filled with all the good things of newspaperdom.

If you cannot find what you want in the Drug line try Davidson Bros. of lone, they carry the largest stock of Drugs and Chemicals in Morrow Co. Mail and Telephone orders promptly attended to.