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State Highway Dept. Proposals.

—Oil market closed at $1.78.

—You can get it at Hopkins' store. tf

—Oil and gas leases, best form, for sale at this office. tf

—The regular preaching services will be held in the M. E. church next Sunday evening.

—Several of Tionesta's citizens are attending U. S. district court at Pittsburg this week.

—Hopkins can dress you from head to foot, young man or old, and do it at a minimum cost. Try him. 1t

—Something new in jelly work. Imitation California Apricots. Only 10 cents a pound at the Racket Store. 1t

—F P. Amsler is erecting a dwelling on his lot on the West Side, near the P. R. R. station, and expects to be living in it before the summer is far advanced.

—Cocoanut Bon Bons, 10 cents pound. Fresh, juicy cocoanuts. Pure sugar and rich cream. Sounds good, doesn't it? Ask for a pound at the Racket Store.

—The straw hat, negligee shirt and light clothing season is about here, and we're prepared for it with a good stock of these accessories. Call. Hopkins. 1t

—Eggs from Partridge Wyandottes that won special, first and second prizes at Warren Poultry Show. $3.00 per setting. J. G. Richards, Mayburg, Forest Co., Pa.

—The 28th annual encampment of the Pennsylvania Division of the Sons of Veterans, U. S. A., will be held at Williamsport during the week beginning June 8, 1908.

—Don't put off your summer sewing till the weather gets hot. Make your selection of dress goods now while the stock is large and varied. Hopkins has the goods. 1t

—Fifty thousand plants for sale at C. A. Anderson's greenhouse, Tionesta, Pa. Tomato, cabbage, cauliflower and celery plants; also flowering plants, such as pansies, carnations, asters, etc. 2t

—The jury panel for the May quarter session court has been dismissed and no cases will be tried at the approaching term. All jurors have been notified that their presence will not be required.

—C. E. Huntington, who was interested in the Gusher oil field in the early excitement, died in Birmingham, Ala., recently. He was formerly a resident of Warren, Pa. His wife and one daughter survive.

—At a meeting of Capt. Geo. Stow Post held Monday evening, Comrades S. D. Irwin, G. W. Robinson and D. W. Clark were appointed a committee to prepare a program for the proper observance of Memorial Day.

—The subject of Rev. H. A. Bailey's sermons at the Presbyterian church next Sabbath will be: Morning—"The Royal Wedding and the Invited Guests." Evening—"The Wedding Garment Required, and What It Is."

—The M. Wile Co. clothing is famous the world over for style and wearing quality. It costs no more than many of the lower brands of goods but has them all beat a mile. Hopkins is sole dealer in this place and carries a large line in stock. 1t

—A twenty-five cent can of Campbell's Stain will restore the finish on four ordinary chairs. Any lady can use it. When applied it flows out under the brush, and dries without showing lap. A seventy-five cent can of Campbell's Floor Finish will do an ordinary floor one coat. Ask Boyard's Pharmacy for color card.

—Following is the list of letters lying uncalled for in the Tionesta, Pa., post-office for week ending May 6, 1908: Irvin Vcree, Mrs. Merrette St. John (3 letters), Mr. W. F. Hill, Mr. F. L. Nearing.

D. S. Knox, P. M.

—J. W. Lucart got a strong gasser in his test well on the Moses Mealy farm, near Newmansville, Tuesday. The gas was developed in the fourth or Clarion sand and was reported to be throwing water from the well forty feet in the air.

—The famous "Queen Quality" shoes for ladies are handled in Tionesta solely by Hopkins. They speak for themselves, being unequaled for style, beauty, comfort and wearing qualities. A trial will make you a "Queen Quality" customer.

—A change has been made in the time of departure and arrival of Rural Route Agent Johnston with the mails on Route No. 1. Hereafter the mail will depart from the Tionesta post office at 9 a. m., and returning arrive at 4:30 p. m. Persons interested should make a note of these changes.

—The Forest County Summer School opens next Tuesday, May 12th. Classes will be conducted in history, physiology, methods, and geography first four weeks: civics, reading, spelling, writing, and primary methods second four weeks; and algebra, Latin, arithmetic, and grammar full eight weeks.

—Orie Sharon, the two-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Bingman, of Nebraska, died Saturday, May 2d, after a short illness of pneumonia. The funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock, conducted by Rev. W. O. Calhoun, and the remains were interred in the Lutheran cemetery at Newmansville.

—One of the pretty pieces of instrumental music just published is "Heart's Content Waltzes" by Edna A. Scherer, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. J. F. Scherer of Endeavor, one of our county's accomplished pianists. The editor of the Republican is indebted to the Reverend gentleman for a copy of the pleasing and catchy composition.

—Preparations are being made to begin work on the new M. E. Church. The removal of the building on the lot will be the first step, and that work will be in operation in a few days. We understand the house, which was originally erected by the late Hamilton Stow over fifty years ago, will be sold and moved to a new location.

—A number of our curious exchanges are propounding this mooted conundrum: "Do trout shrink after being caught?" Answering which we will state that since the 6-inch law went into effect and where it has been enforced, they do. Prior to that time they expanded or became much longer after being caught—just according to who was telling the story.

—Mrs. L. J. Hopkins had the misfortune to dislocate her ankle last Friday evening while returning from a neighboring call. About two years ago Mrs. Hopkins met with a similar accident to the same ankle which renders the present injury doubly painful, but she is recovering rapidly and is now able to bear much of her weight on the lame foot.

—A Washington dispatch under date of April 28, says: The contest over the appointment of a postmaster at Marienville has been settled by the announcement that Representative Wheeler has recommended the appointment of George Songer for the place to succeed J. H. Morrison, who has served eight years. Mr. Morrison's term will not expire until July 1, when the commission of the new postmaster will be issued.

—Last Friday morning, May 1st, Henry Blum hauled a big load of lath, 2500, on sleds from the mill, located two and a and a half miles up Tubbs run, to the mouth of the stream, and found the going pretty fair. This is an event to date from, we think, and is a performance which is not likely to be repeated in several generations. Hauling lumber on sleds in Forest county in May is calculated to bring one to the belief that the seasons are really changing.

—Somebody has made the rather blood-curdling discovery that the silver quarter is an unlucky coin. It has thirteen stars, thirteen letters on the scroll held in the eagle's beak, thirteen marginal feathers on each wing, thirteen lines in the shield, thirteen horizontal bars, thirteen arrow heads, and thirteen letters in its name. All this is scary enough, but there are plenty of everyday people who will not overlook the fact that thirteen quarters make three dollars and a quarter—when you can get that many together.

—In Warren county E. S. Knapp of Sheffield was elected county superintendent of schools by a vote of 105 to 38 for O. J. Gunning and 37 for C. L. Munroe. City Supt. Henry Pease was re-elected in Titusville. D. W. Armstrong was re-elected superintendent in Venango county, as was also John D. Goodwin in Crawford county. In Oil City C. A. Babcock was defeated for city superintendent by James J. Palmer of Greenville, by a vote of 8 to 10. N. P. Kinsley was elected in Franklin.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Gayley, of Ronceverte, W. Va., spent last week visiting among old friends and relatives at Nebraska, where they lived for several years prior to going to West virginia. Mr. Gayley spent a few hours in town Friday and made the Republican a pleasant call while here. He is an expert saw-filer, but as there seems to be more demand for millwrights in his section at better pay, and as he is also an artist in that line, has lately been giving most of his attention to that work in the past year.

—A monument to the famous Bucktail regiment was dedicated at Driftwood on Tuesday of last week. The bronze figure which surmounts the pedestal is six feet tall and represents one of the hardy, straight-shooting men of which the regiment was composed, dressed in the garb of a lumberman. It cost $2,200, which was paid by the state, the people of Cameron county contributing to purchase the handsome granite base. The monument stands in the center of the town and marks the place of the rendezvous of the three companies recruited by General Kane, the Elk County Rifles, and the Cameron County Rifles.

—Last Thursday, April 30th, was a day long to be remembered for its erratic weather conditions. About five o'clock in the morning a snow storm set in, and the fall of the beautiful continued incessantly until late into the night. Down in in the valleys the depth of snow on Friday morning was between four and five inches, while on the hills it measured six to eight inches. It is estimated that fully a foot of snow fell during this period, but most of it melted as fast as it settled to the ground. We hear of other snows in May, but we guess this establishes a new record for this latitude.

—Hart Lawrence left yesterday for Perry, N. Y., where, with his brother, John, he will engage in mercantile pursuits. Their goods have been ordered, but shipment is withheld until the building they will occupy, a new brick block, is ready for them, which will be in a few days they expect. The firm name will be Lawrence Bros. Their many Tionesta friends will wish the boys abundant success in their new home.

—In its monthly oil report the Derrick says an all-round increase was recorded in developments in nearly all fields during April, but the gain in new production was not sufficient to offset the slump that occurred in March. More wells were completed than in the past two months, but the amount of new production falls short of the February report. Field work makes the greatest showing since last December. While the increased activity resulted in a gain of 150 in the number of completed wells, the increase in the new production was less than 3,000 barrels.

—It is too early to say whether or not the heavy snows and hard freezing of last week has entirely killed the fruit in this latitude. That considerable damage has been done there is scarcely room for doubt. This is true of pear, plum and cherry trees, on which the blossoms were quite advanced, but as to apples, especially the later varieties, it is thought little if any damage has been wrought, and it is thought this fruit will be saved unless later frosts should finish them. The best weather prophets are predicting an unfavorable May, with much stormy, cold and wet weather. About such as we had a year ago.

—David Wright, the unfortunate man who was badly injured at Endeavor three weeks ago, was taken to Oil City Wednesday and placed in the hospital. Miss Elizabeth Frawley the Oil City nurse who has been in attendance since the accident, accompanied the patient. Wright is getting along well from the shock to his system caused by the amputation of one of his legs, but it was thought that his recovery would be more rapid if he were taken care of at a hospital. It will be remembered that the accident occurred while Wright was acting as brakeman on the Wheeler & Dusenbury lumber railroad at Endeavor.

—On Tuesday of last week H. R. Sigworth of Johnlowen and J. L. Hepler of Newmansville purchased from A. C. Urey his livery stable in this place, taking possession of the same on Saturday. The purchase includes the barn and lot and everything pertaining to the livery business. The new owners are well and favorably known to our people and as both are hustling business men their success in this new venture is a foregone conclusion. Mr. Urey has not yet decided what business he will take up in the future. For the present he will keep his residence in Tionesta and devote his time to the management of a large farm which he owns near Sandy Lake, Mercer county. Note the ad. of the new firm in this issue of the Republican.

—The large number of undersized trout which fishermen have caught and had to throw back this season has led to a demand for an amendment to the game laws reducing the size from six to four inches. Said a local angler to the Titusville Herald yesterday: "A large proportion of the speckled beauties thrown back die. If the size was made four inches, the limit reduced to 35 a day, and the season shortened from three to two months, most trout fishermen would be pleased. Otherwise the state authorities will shortly find it necessary to stop fishing entirely for a few years to give the fish time to increase sufficiently to furnish a good day's sport." The suggestion is not a bad one, but the jump from 6 to 4 inches is too much. The size could well be reduced to five inches, where it was some years ago, and the result would not pe harmful to the propagation of the fish. But the average legislature scarcely ever does anything sensible when dealing with the fish and game laws.

—The efforts of Dr. Alexander C. Whitehill and Miss Madaline Whitehill, who were united in marriage at Brookville, Jefferson county, Wednesday morning, to escape the attention of their friends and slip away on their honeymoon trip, came near resulting in a tragedy. When they reached the Brookville depot, after a roundabout drive to "lose" their friends, their train was already under headway. Dr. Whitehill directed his wife to run and jump onto the moving train, while he delayed a moment to get their baggage. In attempting to board the train Mrs. Whitehill missed her footing and was forced to hang onto a guard rail, in imminent danger of being thrown beneath the wheels. By getting under full headway alongside the moving cars, Dr. Whitehill managed to place his arms under his wife's shoulder and drag her out of danger, with only a slight soiling of her traveling gown to show for her misfortune. Dr. Whitehill was once a crack baseball player and helped the Tionesta team win several games some years ago.

Resolutions of Respect.

The undersigned committee on resolutions, appointed at the May meeting of Capt. George Stow Post, G. A. R., to draft resolutions on the death of comrade John Harkness Wentworth, report that again death has invaded our ranks, by the removal of our beloved comrade above mentioned.

Resolved, That we, as a Post of the G. A. R., do mourn the loss of this good comrade from our ranks; that we cherish his memory as a good and efficient member of our order, devoted to its principles. That in memory of his virtues as a soldier who served his country in the field in the time that tried men's souls, and in time of peace was devoted to the grand cardinal principles of fraternity, charity and loyalty, he is devoutly remembered, and we cherish his memory as a devoted son of the republic. That a copy of these resolutions be engrossed on our minutes and a copy be presented to his family and published in our newspapers.

S. D. Irwin,
B. F. Feit,
C. A. Hill, } Committee.

Notice to the Public.

We are building a stone culvert between the railroad crossing and the upper county bridge at Nebraska. A way is provided for driving around, but the public is warned against unnecessary travel by night for the period of ten days from date. J. A. Small, Pathmaster.

Nebraska, April 29, 1908. 2t

PERSONAL.

—Paul Clark was a visitor in Sharon a few days the last of the week.

—Jake Siggins was home over Sunday from the Westmoreland county gas field.

—A son was born on Friday to Mr. and Mrs. Salvatore Rich, new citizens of Tionesta.

—Mrs. Charles Hinkle of Erie is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Clark.

—Mrs. Wm. Lawrence is visiting her daughter, Mrs. E. W. Fitzgerald, in Kane.

—J. F. Mealy of Tylersburg was fraternizing with his brother Odd Fellows here Tuesday evening.

—Mr. and Mrs. Howard Thomson of Oil City are visiting the former's mother, Mrs. Mary L. Thomson.

—We are indebted to our old Republican friend W. A. Connely, of Hickory twp., for a pleasant call Monday.

—W. S. Hendricks of Kellettville was a business visitor in Tionesta Tuesday and was one of our pleasant callers.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Fitzgerald, of Kane, are rejoicing over the arrival of a daughter at their home on the 28th ult.

—Mr. and Mrs. Orlo Stroup were made happy Eriday, the 1st inst., by the arrival of a handsome little girl at their home.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Landers went to Titusville Saturday for a visit with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William White.

—Landlord Weaver was passing out a fine brand of cigars Friday on the arrival of a bouncing boy at his home at an early hour that morning.

—Mrs. T. F. Ritchey entertained the Sabbath school class of Mr. Ritchey on Friday evening last, in honor of new members coming in.

—Orrin Anthony has moved his family from Grunderville to West Hickory, and will be employed at the barge yard at that place during the summer.

—Mrs. Lawrence Watson, *nee* Miss Margaret Nickle, of Carrolltown, Cambria county, Pa., was the guest of Miss May Sanner, over Thursday night.

—In the list of teachers elected Monday for the Warren schools, we find these familiar names: Mildred Catlin, Minnie Shawkey and Charlotte MacLean.

—Rev. J. F. Scherer, of Endeavor, was a Tionesta visitor Saturday between trains, being a guest at the home of his fellow dominie, Rev. Harry Bailey.

—Miss Maud Green left Saturday for a visit with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Green, in Kinzua, and her aunt, Mrs. Ida McMillan, in Warren.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Stillman, Mr. and Mrs. Allan Turner and daughter Nellie of West Hickory returned this week from their winter trip to Florida.—Tidioute News.

—Mrs. Suie M. Sharpe of Tionesta, Mrs. Orion Siggins and Miss Morrow of West Hickory, were of the party of D. A. R. members entertained by Mrs. Lillian Hunter at her home in Tidioute Thursday.

—C. M. Shawkey has received word that Mrs. Charles Shawkey, of New York City, was operated upon yesterday for appendicitis and that the operation was successful and a speedy recovery is looked for.—Warren Times, May 1st.

—Newton and Frank Zahniser of Bridgeport, Illinois, who have been located in the Indiana and Illinois oil fields for the past four years, were guests of their sister, Mrs. Harry Canfield, during the past week. They left yesterday to return to Bridgeport.

—Frank Coleman, who spent the past two years in the oil fields of Roumania, in southern Europe, came home a couple of weeks ago, and has since been quite sick, though it is hoped not seriously so. He is with his brothers in Allegheny and Washington counties.

—H. W. Rathbun, the erstwhile versatile writer of the "Merely Incidental" column of the Oil City Blizzard, is here this week on a business mission, and may finish up his visit with a day on some of our prolific streams, being an expert angler and possessing a keen six-inch-trout eye.

—Rev. H. A. Bailey gave a talk to the Knights of Valor club at Tidioute Friday evening, the occasion being their regular banquet which is held periodically. There were upward of a hundred young men, members of the organization, present, and the occasion was one of much interest and pleasure to all concerned.

—John A. Mong, employed on the Bowman lease in the old Pithole field, was a caller a the Republican office last Wednesday. John is thinking seriously of trying the Illinois or Oklahoma oil fields for a while, and has a good offer to go to the Peru, South American, field, but that's going a good way from home.

—Rev. T. N. Thompson, for a number of years a Presbyterian missionary in northern China, is home on a furlough, and has been engaged for some weeks in this Presbytery in exploiting the cause of missions. He paid a visit to the Tionesta church the past week, and gave two intensely interesting talks Sunday morning and evening to good congregations.

—Hon. C. A. Randall was apprised of the death on Saturday evening last of his elder sister, Mrs. Daniel Lundy, of Pleasantville, Ontario, a short distance north of Toronto. The funeral being held on Monday he was unable to reach there in time for the burial. The deceased was aged about sixty-six years, and leaves surviving her husband and seven grown children.

—Dr. J. George Becht, principal of the Clarion State Normal School, announced last week the names of the students from the Senior class who were selected by the faculty as honor students. Twelve were chosen and of these Forest county gets two, Miss Lena Anderson of Brookston, and Ira Shoup of Muzette. Mr. Shoup was one of the six chosen to deliver orations on commencement day.

—Rev. W. O. Calhoun returned Friday evening from New York City, where he had gone Wednesday to return with Wm. D. Hunter, who has been under treatment in the Manhattan State Hospital since January 22d. Mr. Calhoun reports that Will has completely recovered and was the picture of health, but that the physician in charge thought it best for him to remain in the hospital for several weeks, after which he will be able to come home alone.

Prof. Morrison Succeeds Himself.

The convention of School Directors held at the court house in Tionesta yesterday afternoon for the purpose of electing a Superintendent of Schools proved to be merely a formal affair, but one candidate being presented to the convention.

The Convention was duly called to order by Supt. D. W. Morrison, and D. B. Shields, of Jenks twp., was named as President, and Leon Watson, of Kingsley twp., was named as Secretary of the convention.

The question of fixing the salary was the first to come before the convention. Prof. Morrison explained that the average school term in Forest county exceeding seven and one-half months the salary of the superintendent for the ensuing three years would be not less than $1,500. Upon motion of Q. Jamieson the convention unanimously agreed upon that sum.

The placing of candidates in nomination was then taken up, and in a well-timed speech Dr. J. C. Dunn, of the borough school board, placed Prof. D. W. Morrison before the convention. This nomination was seconded by Dr. C. Y. Detar of Kellettville, and there being no other candidate named the convention proceeded to the election by *viva voce* vote. Every director present, 37 in all, named Prof. Morrison as his choice, and upon the conclusion of the roll-call President Shields declared him duly elected as superintendent of schools for the ensuing three years.

Prof. Morrison was called upon for a speech to which he responded with a fifteen minutes' talk that was edifying and instructive, closing by thanking the directors for the confidence reposed in him as evidenced by their unanimity of action. The convention then adjourned *sine die*.

Following is a list of all the directors of the county, those marked thus (*) being absent:

Barnett Twp.—*A. R. Slaughenhaupt, *J. H. Barton, *Mrs. Jennie Potter, *G. W. VanHorn, *Mrs. Wm. Callen, *Mrs. Elizabeth Croasmun.

Green Twp.—Fred. Weingard, *Fred. Klinestiver, William Blum, *Thomas Sibble, P. A. Wolfe, H. A. Dotterer.

Harmony Twp.—W. J. Gorman, W. G. Morrow, R. O. Carson, F. J. Cubbin, Geo. L. King, F. M. Hoovler.

Hickory Twp.—W. O. Fuellhart, *J. F. Scherer, George Crider, *F. L. May, J. A. Anderson, I. M. Fox.

Howe Twp.—*A. D. Goal, W. H. Jackson, *A. Showers, A. M. VanHorn, A. C. Gregg, *O. E. Rupert.

Jenks Twp.—*W. H. Taylor, A. H. Sigworth, D. B. Shields, *A. D. Neill, H. S. Sutton, J. H. Russell.

Kingsley Twp.—C. B. Zuendel, Leon Watson, A. L. Weller, C. Y. Detar, Wesley Whitehill, William Deshner.

Tionesta Twp.—A. L. Thomson, Jacob Smearbaugh, C. F. Ledebur, F. L. Reib, J. H. Allio, J. E. Swab.

Tionesta Boro.—J. C. Dunn, J. R. Clark, J. C. Scowden, *J. J. Landers, *W. G. Wyman, Q. Jamieson.

Porkey.

The winter we have been having the past week finally wound up with a hard freeze. Hope the fruit isn't frozen.

Robert Burdick accompanied his daughter, Mrs. Wm. Barney, to her home in Robinson, Ill. Mr. Burdick expects to be gone a month.

Mr. and Mrs. James McMichael and Miss Lois Welsh of Sheffield visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Welsh, at Balitown, over Sunday.

Mrs. J. Littlefield was a Sheffield visitor Friday afternoon.

The ball at Stover's hall wasn't very well attended Saturday evening, owing to the bad condition of the roads and weather.

The S. & T. train was delayed Saturday forenoon on account of a slide on the track. The train made its regular trip in the afternoon. Quite a number went out to Sheffield from here in the afternoon, returning in the evening.

Katherine Hepler returned to her home at Tionesta, Saturday, her school being closed Thursday of last week with a picnic in the afternoon. The weather being bad the tables had to be set in the school room. Everybody enjoyed the picnic, especially at the table. Flowers were in abundance. Even the salad dishes were decorated with flowers.

Grace Reese of Mayburg visited the Misses Nora and Jessie Stover of Minister over Sunday.

Commissioner H. E. Gillespie attended the road meeting at Bluejay Saturday afternoon.

O. E. Rupert attended the school entertainment at Mayburg, Thursday evening of last week.

Our pathmaster, George Blum, deserves credit for his work on the roads; also the new railing on the bridge across the run below Mr. Kinney's residence.

House cleaning seems to be the order of the day, but the stormy weather has caused quite a delay. Cheer up, ladies. The sun will shine again.

Mrs. George Blum had the misfortune to run a thorn from a cactus in her thumb. The thorn broke off and her hand has been very painful ever since.

Sunday school was quite well attended Sunday morning but should have been better. Had there been a dance, ball game or a picnic the weather wouldn't have been too bad to attend.

We would like if the people going home from the ball game would be more careful in crowding over the foot bridge, as there is danger of the bridge going down.

Letter to A. F. Ledebur,

Tionesta, Pa.

Dear Sir:—Two cans of paint look alike; two paints look alike, when opened; two jobs look alike, so long as they're new—unless one is scant.

They are far from alike: one is paint and the other is trash.

The gallon price is not far from alike. They don't cost alike. One takes 10 gallons to paint a house; the other takes 20. The cost of one job is $50; the other $100—it may be $90—the job that costs least is the good one; wears twice as long as the other.

There are two ways of telling godd paint: by the name; by the number of gallons it takes for a job—least gallons, best paint. By the name Devoe; by least gallons.

Yours truly,
F. W. Devoe & Co.

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P. S.—Dunn & Fulton sell our paint.

The Commissioners of Warren county have decided to erect a soldiers' monument in the court house yard of that county the coming summer.

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See Window Display.

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Here's the short boxy coat in the new shades of covert cloths, silk and serge lined, not only good looking, but very handy for the man who walks, as the best selling lengths are 36 inches long, which length makes a coat that does not look and feel like winter coat as when cut longer, or as a sack coat when cut short and "bobby."

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