

MORO LEADER.

FRATERNAL ORDERS.

ANCIENT ORDER UNITED WORKMEN.
Moro Lodge, No. 64—Meets every Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock in I. O. O. F. hall. A standing invitation to attend is extended to all sojourning brothers.

W. H. RAGDALE, M. W.
H. S. McDANIEL, Recorder.

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Mrs. FLORA BOLDT, Recorder.

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Moro Lodge, No. 113—Meets every Saturday evening. Visiting brothers cordially invited to meet with us. J. B. HOSFORD, N. G.

H. S. McDANIEL, Sec.

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W. J. MARTIN, C. C.
Wm. HOLDER, Clerk.

PROTECTED HOME CIRCLE.
Sherman Circle, No. 320—Meets every Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Visiting brothers and sisters invited to meet with us.

J. M. PARRY, Pres.
C. L. IRELAND, Sec.

PLEASE READ.

The MORO LEADER will not be charged up to any one who has not ordered the paper. Any one getting copies of the LEADER need not be afraid to take them out of the P. O., for they will not be asked to pay for it only from the time of subscribing. All papers sent to you before are a free gift. We do this for the purpose of letting all see what kind of a newspaper we publish, and in this way expect to prove that we publish the best paper in Sherman county.

Cigars in prime condition from the new show case. Try one. P. O. store.

Mrs. H. S. McDANIEL left Saturday morning for Hood River for a few weeks' outing.

Miss Sadie Gideon, who is quite ill, is at Wm. Holder's under Dr. Smith's care.

Machine extras, all kinds, full line hardware, etc., at Klondike store.

Charles Florer, son of J. M. Florer, is down with typhoid fever at The Dalles.

For terms on Moro property call on or address R. E. Hoskinson.

Mrs. Comstock of Kent passed through Moro (having just returned from California) last Friday.

New barber shop, next door to Moro Hotel. Give me a trial. J. C. Williams, proprietor.

LEADER AND WEEKLY OREGONIAN 1 year \$1.75 in advance.

Don't forget to place your farm to sell with R. E. Hoskinson.

Business at the hotels and restaurants in Moro is very good, and well it may be, for they are all good, and run to please the public.

If you desire to look your best, have your laundry done by the Troy Laundry Co. A. E. Cousens, agent. Call on him for prices.

Send in your name and \$1 for the MORO LEADER, and get all the news of all the county for a year.

Finest on the coast. What? Why, that car of buggies and hacks for sale by the Moro Mercantile Co.

Frank Watkins has a No. 1 well, walled up with brick, with plenty of good water, on his lot on Main street. His new barn is almost completed.

L. D. Holder, successor to Hayes & Holder, can furnish the public first-class meals at the City Hotel.

Send \$1.75 and your name and address to the LEADER, Moro, and receive the LEADER and WEEKLY OREGONIAN one year.

Will buy your fat cattle. Will sell you choice beef, pork, mutton and vegetables. PAGE & PARRY, Moro.

G. N. Bolton arrived here last night from Moro, on a ten days' visit. Mr. Bolton is a son-in-law of J. R. Smith—Lebanon Criticism of Aug. 10.

The City Hotel is now under the management of L. D. Holder, who will continue to conduct the business in a first-class manner. Give us a call.

The Columbian Southern R. R. Co. have established a station at Klondike, Oregon. As no agent has yet been stationed there it will be necessary to prepay freight billed for that place.

70 dozen pairs of overalls, made especially for our trade, have arrived and are going into the harvest field fast. M. M. Co.

We have made arrangements to furnish the LEADER and WEEKLY OREGONIAN at the very low price of \$1.75 per year in advance.

You can get shaved eight times for one dollar, and hot or cold baths for 25 cents at Concess' tonorial parlors.

Up-to-date advertising is the principal ingredient in successful business. Don't advertise for the sake of contributing a few grudging dollars to the support of a newspaper. Advertise as a business proposition to increase your sales. Antelope Herald.

Fine job work at the LEADER press room. Call and see our samples.

Extras for all kinds of machinery for sale at the M. M. Co.

President Lytle and General Manager O'Reilly, of the C. S. R. R., were in Moro last Thursday looking tanned and dusty from constant traveling in the interests of their road.

Photo envelopes at P. O. store.

After long delay, partly because of lack of building material, J. R. Martin's fine 3-story block is nearing completion, and is quite an imposing structure.

If you want to know the live business men consult the advertising columns of the LEADER.

R. B. Montague, a cousin of Dr. I. M. Smith, and deputy county clerk of Linn county, was in Moro a few days last week visiting. We acknowledge a pleasant call last Wednesday.

Ranches sold and leased by L. W. Hunting, Moro.

Frank Watkins has quite a large barn erected on his lot on Main street in the rear of his residence.

Patent medicines and sundries, full stock, P. O. store.

Henry Peterson has been under the weather for a week or two, but is now better and able to be out on the streets again.

Put up your teams with McCoy & Hulse when in Moro, and your horses will admire your judgment.

Latest novelties in perfumes and toilet articles. Complete stock at P. O. store.

McCoy & Hulse are already of the opinion that they have too small a building in which to conduct so large a livery business as they find themselves engaged in.

Splendid stock latest styles writing material, blank books and inks, at P. O. store.

T. P. Beach, Esq., of San Francisco, secretary of the E. O. L. Co., was in town Monday with T. A. Hudson.

The new beverage, "Admiral Dewey," one of the latest and best refreshing drinks, on tap to-day. Call and see for yourself. E. B. WHEAT.

If you want blank deeds, mortgages, notes, legal blank covers, etc., call at the LEADER job office and inspect our blanks and prices. We will show the neatest blanks at most reasonable prices.

Lumber, lumber, "till you can't rest, at J. O. Elrod's new yard, opposite the foundry. Prices can't beat."

T. A. Hudson, general agent of the Eastern Oregon Land Co., is in Sherman county attending to the interests of his company. He is making Moro his headquarters.

We are overstocked with men's dust-coats, and will close them out at most any old price. Come in and get one or more. M. M. Co.

Mesdames J. D. Wilcox and C. W. Moore of Grass Valley, were in Moro Monday, for a short time, visiting friends.

Just received at the M. M. Co. a carload of the celebrated Bain wagons, made to order for the Sherman county trade.

McCoy & Hulse have had to add to their barn accommodations, and also put in more horses to supply the demand for teams. A business run on business methods pays.

Lumber, shingles, moldings, wood, etc., at led-rock prices, opposite foundry, Moro. J. O. ELROD, Prop.

S. S. Hayes, wife and family, and Mrs. America Moore and Master Harry, departed for the coast last week for an outing of about three weeks. They go to Clatsop, and perhaps will visit other places before returning.

If you want a high grade, first-class 1898 model bike for less money than you can get in any other place, come and see ours. F. H. MEADER & CO.

Moro Lodge No. 64, A. O. U. W., sent Wm. Slater Monday as a nurse to care for E. W. Elrod, who had the misfortune to lose his hand last week in a threshing machine belt.

F. H. Meader & Co., of Moro, Or., have the agency for Butterick's dress patterns, and expect a shipment of same in a few days. They will keep all the latest styles constantly on hand.

The LEADER leads all other papers in Sherman county in giving the most complete and reliable news, up to date, and in the most readable form.

A fine rocking chair, made of hickory, and upholstered, was raffled the other day by the maker, and Mrs. E. M. West held the lucky number, thus winning the prize.

Now is the time to have your property insured. Everything will be dry and inflammable soon. We will insure anywhere in the county and give you any one of the following old companies: Home of New York, Phoenix of Hartford, Imperial of London, Pennsylvania of Philadelphia, Home Mutual of Cal., or Ethna of Hartford. Have your farm-house and barn insured. The rates are very low on farm property.

MORRIS BROS., Agents.

Moro is well supplied with transportation facilities now—two lines of stages to The Dalles, two to Wasco daily, and one south to Grass Valley and Antelope. In a short time the C. S. R. R. will be completed to this place, when the stages to Wasco will be discontinued.

CLOSING OUT SALE.

Positively closing out at cost, to make room for new goods, men's suits and pants. MORO MERCANTILE CO.

A FINE LEMON ORCHARD.

Ten-acre tract of land near San Diego, Calif., 700 lemon trees, 2 1/2 beginning to bear, balance 1, 2 and 3 years old, 40 orange, 40 guavas, and 14 loquat trees. Best society, best schools, best climate, abundant water for irrigation. Cost as it stands over \$4000; will sell at \$3000, or take Oregon or Washington land in part payment. Inquire at once of L. W. HEXTON, Moro, Oregon.

Finest rigs in the county, at any hour, day or night. McCoy & Hulse.

Elwood Thompson, one of the model farmers south of Monkland, was in town Monday.

Water tanks, round or square, any size, and on short notice, the best to be had. Moro Mfg. Co.

C. M. Fouts of The Dalles was in Moro Monday, and will remain in the county for a time.

If you want to buy a farm remember R. E. Hoskinson. He has some fine bargains.

Frank Watkins has begun the erection of a large feed yard and shed over a hundred feet long.

The LEADER is the best paper in Sherman county to send to your friends in the east to let them see what kind of a country we have.

Just received at Moro a large lot of Drapers, made to order for the M. M. Co., by White, Cooley & Cutts, Marysville, Cal. Any one needing Drapers will save money by buying them.

Martin Holman reports wheat turning out 22 to 28 bushels per acre where he is heading and threshing.

The front of F. H. Meader's new brick is nearly completed. The roof is being put on, and work of fitting up inside is rapidly progressing.

Any one wishing to purchase harness, saddles, bridles, or anything in the harness line, will save money by first consulting us. We now have a large stock of hand-made harness on hand. Come and see our new stock of saddles, grass mats and ring bits. HEYER & CO.

In the trespass case of the State vs. J. R. Martin, J. D. Oxley and Ralph Noyes, tried before Justice Marsh at Wasco last Wednesday, the defendants were found guilty and fined, the principal \$20, and the others \$5 each.

Take a drive behind one of those spirited teams to be found at McCoy & Hulse's, and you will get your money's worth.

The ornamental brick work on the front of D. M. Radley's new block is quite tasteful, and shows the skill of the artist, John Kay, who did the work.

Several large steam threshing machines are running full blast near Moro preparing golden wheat to exchange for golden eagles.

The Otay Press, of San Diego county, Cal., say lemon orchardists are making lots of money on lemons. Moro alone uses the product of a small orchard.

Sheriff Holder says that when he stated that Moro had the only soda fountain it was all right, but since then others have followed his good example and started in to quench the thirst of the public.

W. N. Meserve, ex-county surveyor of Columbia county, called at this office Monday. He is interested in the lumber business, and is looking up business in his line here. He may invest in Moro property before leaving.

Boone Wheat is having his bowling alleys repaired by leveling up and covering with hardwood, and when completed they will be in first-class condition. Charley Stokes and Louis Crandall are doing the work, and that is a guarantee that it will be well done.

A. D. McDonald and family have gone to Spokane to reside. This move was undertaken because of the benefit to Mrs. McDonald's health that is expected from the change of climate. A host of friends here and in The Dalles regret their departure, but hope they may be successful and enjoy their new home.

Rev. Richard Hargreaves, formerly principal of the Baptist academy at Grass Valley, Or., has been called to fill the Baptist pulpit at Athena and Weston. His first sermon will be given to-day at Athena.—Sunday Oregonian.

Mrs. Canaries & Co. are still in Moro taking photos and are kept busy. They take views in the country when called upon to do so. Their work speaks for itself, and is the very apparent reason for their being kept so busy.

In another column we print an interesting letter from W. E. Lee, at Camp Merritt, San Francisco. He left Moro early in the summer, going to The Dalles, where, after quite a delay, he was enlisted as one of the Oregon recruits. He expected and hoped to be sent forward to Manila this week, but it seems now that he, and all the rest at Camp Merritt, are doomed to disappointment, though it is possible that a few may yet be sent.

G. N. Bolton is at Yaquina bay, sniffing the salt sea air, and gaining strength rapidly.

Sam Monahan reports business good with the evening stage running between this place and Wasco.

The Klondike Threshing Co. are doing good and rapid work. They threshed over 1100 sacks of wheat Monday and moved four times.

Work of excavating for another brick 25-60, adjoining Radley's, has been completed and brick-laying begun.

R. F. Hoover, successor to D. M. Radley, began Monday to manufacture brick at the yard on the hill with the new machine.

McCoy & Hulse is the new sign on the front of the Altamont Jr. Stables. It was painted by Windom & Stilwell.

W. A. Wallis of Rufus has returned from a two weeks' outing. He paid the metropolis of Sherman county a visit Tuesday.

T. A. Hudson kindly furnished us with particulars of the fire at The Dalles Monday morning, for which we extend to him our thanks.

Work on the foundation for the new bell tower and house for the fire company's apparatus has begun.

J. H. Landry has his barn and wood-house completed, and they present a neat and substantial appearance.

Howard Coon of Grass Valley has leased his farm, and after harvest will go into the John Day country, near John Day City, where he has a good situation.

Wm. Hoggard expects to have his bowling alleys completed and ready for use in about a week. When done they will be as fine a set as can be found anywhere.

H. A. Page and A. H. Barnum started this morning for the foot of the Blue mountains in Wasco and Crook counties to gather beef cattle that Page & Parry have ranging there.

It is expected that E. W. Elrod will be moved to this place to-day or to-morrow, where he can be under the constant care of Dr. Smith, and have his arm dressed to the best advantage.

John Coon of Grass Valley has purchased a new Buffalo Pitts Separator, 36x60 in size, and expects to begin operations with it to-day or to-morrow.

Emmett Swann, the knight of the brush and paint pot, has been busy since coming here painting window signs, etc. He began to paint a drop curtain for the new opera house to-day.

The wind-mill that stood at the Water Co's well for some time, has been removed, it no longer being needed to pump water, since the new steam pump has been in operation.

Died—At Grass Valley, Or., Tuesday, Aug. 16, Claude Marquis, son of J. H. and Mrs. Marquis, aged about 18 years. He had been sick only a short time, and death was unexpected. The news came shortly before going to press, and we have not learned particulars more than above stated. Mrs. Wm. Holder, his aunt, left immediately for Grass Valley.

A visit to the studio of Miss Mulkey, and a careful examination of the work of her pupils, reveals the fact that right here in Moro are several ladies who exhibit excellent taste for the very useful and ennobling art of painting. It is evident also that rapid progress is being made by them under the skillful tutelage of Miss Mulkey. It would be useless, and perhaps unwise, to endeavor to say which amateur shows the best latent talent. Indeed it would be difficult for any one not posted to detect by a cursory examination anything short of excellence in any of the studies by the pupils.

There will be a grand fireman's ball Friday evening, Aug. 26, at Moro in the new Meader brick block on Main street. Sheriff Holder has kindly agreed to let the fire company have possession of his ice-cream parlors for that night, and these refreshments may be had. This promises to be a very enjoyable affair, as indeed all dances given by the fire company are, and should be liberally patronized, as any profit will go toward helping keep up the volunteer fire department, thus directly and indirectly benefiting everybody.

CASSIE SPALDING.

LAND NOTICES.

Timber Culture, Final Notice—Notice for Publication.

UNITED STATES LAND-OFFICE, The Dalles, Oregon, July 11, 1898. Notice is hereby given that Jason M. Wakefield has filed notice of intention to make final proof before the Register and Receiver, at his office in The Dalles, Oregon, on Wednesday, the 24th day of August, 1898, on timber culture application No. 3012, for the N. E. 1/4, S. W. 1/4, S. W. 1/4 and S. W. 1/4 of Section No. 24, in Township No. 1, S. of Range No. 15 E., W. M.

He names as witnesses: W. E. Gilhouse, S. Smith, Lee Smith and W. Smith, all of The Dalles, Oregon. J. L. MOORE, Register.

NOTICE.

We have the agency for the Little Giant threshing machines and tread power. We can sell a 3-horse power and thresh for \$550. Call and see us. MORRIS BROS.

Editor Brown, of the Grass Valley Journal, and his wife, are at Ashland enjoying themselves.

Old cast iron bought by the Moro Manufacturing Co. at Moro. \$7 per ton paid for all suitable. Bring it in.

Teachers' Examination.

At the teachers' examination held in Moro, beginning last Wednesday, Miss Inez Kuney and Miss Daye Anderson assisted Supt. Ragdale as board of examiners. Three applicants appeared personally and were awarded certificates as follows: Mrs. Ina DeMoss and Miss Margaret Wheeling, 2nd grade; Miss Winnie Wheeling, 3rd grade. There were two applicants went before the Multnomah county board for examination for Sherman county certificates, and were successful, namely: Miss Lulu Rybee 1st grade, and Mr. Eddison W. Downing 3rd grade. One from Lane county failed to pass the examination.

CHURCH NOTICES.

Rev. C. D. Nickelson will preach next Sabbath at 11 A. M. Rev. R. Warner, the Presiding Elder, will preach in the evening. With the morning sermon Rev. C. D. Nickelson will finish his conference year in Moro.

Serious Accident.

Last Thursday evening, near Bigelow, E. W. Elrod had the misfortune to get his left hand entangled in a belt that flew off the pulley on a threshing machine, actually torn off. About 2 o'clock the next morning Dr. Smith, assisted by Dr. Olive Hartley, amputated the arm below the elbow, and at last report the patient was resting as easy as could be expected. Strong hopes are entertained of his recovery, unless blood poisoning should set in. Mr. Elrod is the father of our leading lumber dealer, J. O. Elrod, and is well and favorably known. He is a member of the A. O. U. W. Lodge at Moro.

Fire at The Dalles.

Word came Monday morning from The Dalles that a fire destroyed property there to the value of perhaps \$125,000 Sunday night. The fire originated in the new ice factory, and spread to adjoining buildings. All of the block bounded by Federal, Laughlin, Second and Third streets, all of the block east of that except J. T. Peters & Co's building, and one-half of the block north of Second street, are now smoking ruins.

Among the larger losses are, Mays' & Crowe's large hardware house, J. M. Filloon's hardware and implement establishment, Pease & Mays' warehouse, Louis Committ's marble yards, Weaver & Nagel's soda works, and Gunning & Hockman's blacksmith shop, and A. Sandrock's wagon shop; also J. R. Sadelman's cold storage.

A Pleasant Surprise.

MONKLAND, Or., Aug. 6, 1898.—[To the Editor.]—Received an invitation to spend a few days in the country. Wednesday morning we found a team ready at the parsonage to take us out. We soon found ourselves once more viewing the lovely golden wheat fields of Sherman county. Then our friends told us we were to spend the day at the home of Mrs. Annie Elliott. Arriving there about 9 o'clock in the forenoon, we found the rooms already full, and received a hearty welcome from old-time friends. Still others kept arriving, but first slipping into the kitchen, they were soon all busy with needle and thimble getting ready for an old-fashioned quilting bee. By noon we were all ready to do justice to the chicken, cake and pie, and many other good things prepared by the ladies. We all spent a very pleasant afternoon. In the evening the writer was presented with two lovely album quilts, one the gift from the young ladies and gentlemen of Moro and vicinity of Spaulding chapel. As I look over the names on my quilts of all those that have had a part in this pleasant surprise, I want to thank you all, and as we go on our journey to other places, we will always look back with pleasant remembrances of the noble-hearted people of Sherman county.

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BUSINESS CARDS.

WM. HOLDER Will run a team from Red Barn, Moro to Wasco and return every day.

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