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CHANGES ARE BEING MADE

Most things change so slowly that they are hardly noticed. That is the reason for dedications, inaugural speeches, etc., to mark an actual accomplishment or change for the better.

Change in Sherman county since the war has been remarkable. The horses were gone from the farms before that to make a farm day shorter and more fruitful. Since the war chemicals have taken much of the uncertainty out of wheat growing by killing weeds and providing nitrogen for crops. The farmer used to depend on mechanical soil tillers for one and on nature for the other. Neither was as reliable as chemicals.

So our economy is different. A man used to be able to get over 300 acres with a 12 horse plow team before the weeds got too high and the soil dried out. Now he'll do 1000 in less time. He used to think 10 sacks was a good crop and now is a bit apologetic and full of excuses with less than 35 or 40 bushels or almost twice as much.

It may be that before long there will be a bridge at Maryhill

or thereabouts and Highway 97 will be filled with trucks and tourists to change the county's economy; it may be that industry around the dams on the Columbia will make so good a market for eggs, butter, fresh meat that it will be uneconomical to be a wheat grower; it may be that a road up the Deschutes will end the comparative isolation of local fishermen.

That there will be change is certain. Those who plan on things remaining as they are are always wrong. The question is what is going to change first and how much.

SHERMAN HIGH SCHOOL

The official name of the new high school under Union High School District No. 1 is to be Sherman High School, an appropriate name and entirely proper. We are happy to note that the board decided to drop the "county" out of it and make it plain Sherman.

Certainly the new high school will be in position to offer courses suitable to the youth of the county whether they wish to become farmers, stockmen, or to go on to higher schools for more learning. It should be large enough to offer stimulating competition to youth.

Perhaps for its colors it will take the yellow of ripening wheat and the blue of the open sky; possibly its athletes will be known as bulls, for our favorite domestic animals, or coyotes, after our sly predator. In any event, there it is—or soon will be—a new and

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Moro Personals

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Meets 2nd and 4th Tuesdays of each month. Visiting members welcome. Laura Grabenhorst, N.G.; Vada DeMoss, Secretary

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of the Estate of Ernest Eslinger, deceased, at the office of T. Lester Johnson, attorney at law, Moro, Oregon, within six months from the date of the first publication of this Notice, to-wit: February 3, 1956.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given, that the undersigned Mayme P. Elliott and Edna H. Weedman, have been appointed joint executrices of the Estate of Elizabeth E. Potter, dec., and have qualified as

such. All persons having claims against said Estate are hereby notified to present them, duly verified, to the undersigned, either at the residence of Mayme P. Elliott, Wasco, Oregon or at the office of John M. Stapleton, attorney for said Executrices, Vogt Bldg., The Dalles Oregon, within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice, to-wit: February 10, 1956.

LEGAL NOTICES

SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 23, GRASS VALLEY, WILL RECEIVE SEALED BIDS UNTIL 8:00 O'CLOCK P. M., APRIL 9, 1956 FOR A NEW SCHOOL BUS, SIX OR EIGHT CYLINDER, 24 PASSENGER, HEAVY DUTY UPHOLSTERY, 1 1/2 TON CHASSIS, TWO SPEED AXLE, 6-7.50 X 20, 10 PLY TIRES AND 7.50 X 20, 10 PLY SPARE TIRE, FOUR SPEED TRANSMISSION, OIL BATH AIR CLEANER, OIL FILTER, HYDROVAC BRAKES, WINDSHIELD WASHERS, DEFROSTERS, AMPLE HEATING AND ALL OTHER SPECIFICATIONS TO MEET THE OREGON SCHOOL BUS CODE. THERE IS A USED BUS TO BE TRADED IN THAT MAY BE SEEN AT GRASS VALLEY. THE DISTRICT RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REFUSE ANY AND ALL BIDS. EVA CANTRALL, CLERK

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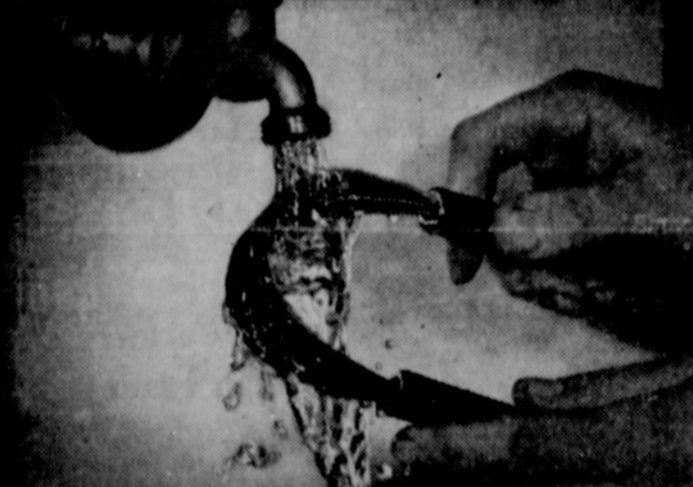
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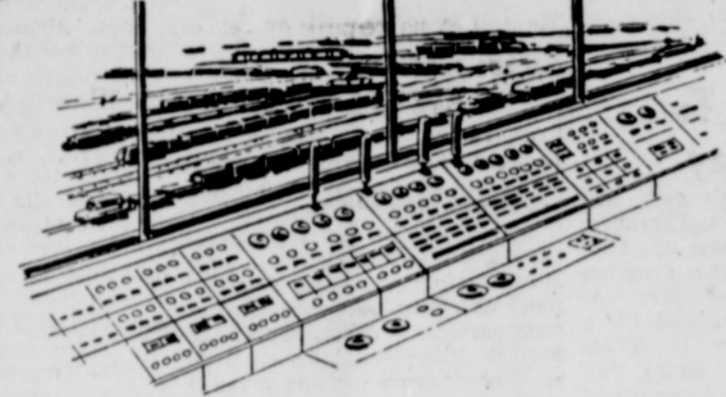
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It won't be long now!

The time is fast approaching when the new seven-digit numbers will go into effect in Moro and Wasco. On March 3, at 11 P. M. will be good-bye to the old numbers and hello to the new! The new telephone directories will be in the mail February 28, and will list all the new seven-digit numbers. Here is the prefix for each community:

MORO - Jordan (JO 5)
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