

The Observer

MORO, SHERMAN CO., OREGON

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THE OBSERVER has a fine stock of blank paper and is prepared to turn out the finest, neatest and most artistic job work. We have the material to do it with; material that no other office has. Call and see us.

CITY AND COUNTY.

Woman suffrage won at the Mc Cullum school house debate.

The Rutledge Epworth League give some excellent entertainments.

Thanks to Harmony Circle, Kings Daughters, for kind remembrances last week.

J. W. Engberg is putting in a blacksmith repair shop on his Bigelow farm.

While Bro. Asbury of the Canaan News is cavorting around in Mexico his sub. at home is in a peck of trouble.

The Aerometer depot in Moro is in R. J. Ginn's new building 40x52 opposite his old stand.

Misses Dai Anderson and Maude Belshee are completing their course of study at Monmouth state normal.

Armsworthy & Florer are now very nicely at home in their new shops built by R. J. Ginn 20x52 on Main and First streets, and are now ready for orders.

We are now well stocked up with harness for heavy work, just at the season when there is a demand with farmers and teamsters for such goods, so call and inspect our stock before purchasing elsewhere. Heydt & Co., Moro, Oregon.

Mr. Lucas and family have moved into Wasco from Grand Dalles.

George Washington's birthday was universally observed by schools etc., Monday.

A daughter was born to the wife of Michael King at the home of J. M. Hansen on the 9th.

We extend sincere sympathies to Mr. and Mrs. John Holman on the death of their babe. The funeral was largely attended on the 20th.

Phil Robinson of Bigelow is taking a three months outing on the upper John Day, a region historic for the sorry trials of prospectors in the hard winter of 1894-5.

No more "monkey and parrot time" with the Moro Water company. Prompt payments will secure prompt water and nothing else goes.

Those who think the back home of winter has been broken may be deceived. Observer Blinky says there will be much cold weather before the first of April.

J. M. Dunahoo advances a good idea for facilitating the mail service in Sherman county, to wit: A line from Rutledge, via Monkland, to Moro, daily, connecting with the north and south daily line at Moro. Also a line daily from Sherar's Bridge to Grass Valley; in addition to The Observer suggestions. His plans for Bigelow, Crow, Gorman, etc., are such as we proposed. Now is the time to work up the plans proposed, before the next schedules are arranged in Washington.

Get a new yearly subscriber for THE OBSERVER. Collect \$1.00 and send it to us and we will make you a present of the N. Y. Tribune for 1897, the subscription price of which is \$1.00.

Why haul your flour from The Dalles, when you can save money by going to the Dufur mills? They have a large stock of flour on hand and their prices are lower than the lowest. Give them a trial.

Donnell's drug store is still at the old stand opposite A. M. Williams & Co.'s store. Call when in need of drugs or any thing in the drug line. Orders sent by the Dalles-Moro stage will receive prompt attention.

Rev. J. M. Morrison preaches in the Boardman school house at 3 p.m. on the first Sunday in each month. The school meets every Sunday at 2 p.m. Mrs. J. M. Hansen is superintendent, and Mrs. M. King secretary and treasurer.

Persons who are buying second-class fruit trees from abroad can get the same kinds of trees of Tillett for less money. The Glacier says: He has 2,000 second class trees, two to three feet high, well rooted—Yakima, Spitzenburg, Ben Davis, Gano, King, Red Russian, Delaware Red and Jonathan—which he will sell for \$25 per thousand. Or, if you wish first class trees at regular rates, he can accommodate you.

The best way to buy anything is to borrow it first.

Get a package of Schilling's Best tea of your grocer. He pays you your money back if you don't like it.

That's our way of lending.

A Schilling & Company

R. C. Craven is in the valley on business.

R. J. Ginn has the best thing on two wheels—cheap as dirt. Call and see it.

Dr. Smith is laying pipe from his aerometer well to his residence connecting Bolton's premises also.

R. J. Ginn has made close connections with the Standard Oil Co., and is now pumping oil in Moro at bed rock prices.

Mr. Puffingham, a young man from the Kelsey ranch, was brought to Moro Sunday to be treated by Dr. Smith for an affection of the lungs.

George McMillin, a young man very highly respected in the community, was buried in Wasco Monday. Death occurred from lung troubles.

Eastern woolen manufacturers care not a penny for the sheepmen, they want protection for themselves and being the strongest organization get what they want.

The Sherman county Horticultural society constitution and by-laws will be printed in THE OBSERVER March 4th. If you want an extra copy order it this week.

That little daughter that came to Ira McDonald's home was all right only it wasn't Ira's home, nor a daughter, as he is a bachelor and had sold his home to R. Newton.

Hon. M. A. Moody of The Dalles made his annual snow shoe trip to Cloud Cap this week accompanied by W. A. Langill, of Hood, River, F. W. Leadbetter, of the Oregonian staff, Thomas Balfour, of Lyle, and M. T. Nolan, of The Dalles.

A. B. Niles, of the Niles-Vinson marble works, Walla Walla, one of the largest and best known houses on the Pacific coast made this office a pleasant call last week. He has been rustling in Sherman for the interests of his firm.

Sign that petition at the Moro store for a depot at Rufus. A station that nets the railway company \$100,000 yearly ought to have a depot, without a petition; but somebody in the office at Portland who is stuck on Goldendale requires to be jogged up a bit. Sign that petition.

P. L. Kretzer last week finished drilling a well for John Medler, going down 80 feet, finding 38 feet of fine water. Mr. Kretzer has just completed a well for Frank Ravborn, in 10 hours going 55 feet and in the next foot finding a good supply of extra fine water.

The W. C. T. U. at Grass Valley have prepared a program to be given in the church next Sunday evening Feb. 28th. Miss Eaton of Wasco, is expected to be present and address the meeting. The Loyal Temperance Legion has prepared several songs, recitations, readings, etc. Revs. Henton and Hargreaves will give short addresses.

Mrs. Katie C. Engberg and Baby Engberg were guests of Mrs. G. N. Bolton the evening the men folks organized the Woodmen in Moro, which gave THE OBSERVER Senior an opportunity to see the prize baby of the Inland Empire. It would be hard to find a prettier or better behaved infant anywhere, and both parents have just grounds for their deep seated affections for the little fellow.

China mustard is getting to be one of the worst pests our farmers have to contend with. Its most troublesome feature is in heading and threshing. When tender cattle do much to destroy it but when left to its own sweet will its roots take hold with a firmness that baffles the strength of a man to pull it up. Its seeds lie dormant in the ground for hundreds of years.

Oregonians need not go outside of Oregon to find every kind of scenery. We have our own Switzerland, Italy, Spain and England right at home, barring the antiquities, and old Father Time is hurrying up to furnish us with these as fast as he can. Of all the natural scenery in the United States with its wonderful variety, from placid rivers and lakes to roaring mountain torrents and cataracts, fertile valleys to monotonous expanse of prairie, rolling hills to the grandest mountains, there is probably no more inviting spot than Sherman, Wasco and Gilliam.

The Bally Ditch company has for rent three or four 40-acre tracts of fruit and garden lands under their ditch on the Columbia river below Umatilla which they wish to rent for a term of one or more years, for one-fourth of crops raised; water will be furnished without charge; the renter to plant such trees as are furnished and care for them during the lease, lands lay well and are within half a mile of depot; or will sell on easy terms, long time and easy payments, low rate of interest. For information, call at the company farm or write to The Bally Ditch company, Umatilla, Oregon.

Dr. Sanders arrived in Moro on the 23d.

Sun sets this evening at 5:50—rises tomorrow 6:35.

Wm. Wing and family have moved to Goldendale from Wasco.

Frank Belshee is the proud father of a handsome boy, born the 21st.

This day 1818 history tells us the Horner captured the Peacock. What pupil in school can give particulars.

A flouring mill and a straw paper mill will both be established in Moro soon after electric power is introduced.

Work horses for sale, on easy terms, by Andrew McDonald, five miles east of Monkland. Call and see before purchasing elsewhere.

D. W. Pierce of Goldendale, is in the field for agent of the Yakima Indian reservation, with lots of good backing. We wish him success.

The Dufur flouring mill have changed hands. Jones & Co. having sold to Heister & Son, Messrs. Heister will be well received among the customers of the mills.

There is special business of importance to be attended to by the Moro Odd Fellows Saturday evening which makes it necessary that every member be present.

Mrs. John Neece, nee Miss Rachel Reid, has returned from a visit to friends and relatives near Bigelow. Johnny came in Saturday and bought 100 feet of rope, but not to restrain Mrs. N. He said it was to be used to straighten out lines in his garden.

Tom Tag tells us that failing to distinguish himself as a son of S. L. Everett has turned inventor. His latest being a "dump cart," to say nothing of wind mills, choppers and saw mills which Vene uses in lieu of the buggy. Patent applied for.

In a few days L. K. Moore will move the Moro Cash Store into the new quarters next door to THE OBSERVER office. Having plenty of room in the new place Mr. Moore will now stock up with a superb line of gents' furnishing goods, suits, gloves, hats, shirts, etc., etc.

The first annual ball at Grass Valley Monday night was a grand success, marking an epoch in the history of Sherman county Odd Fellows; all of whom who "trip the light fantastic" will want to be in attendance at the 2d annual grand ball one year from now.

Moro camp, Woodmen of the World, was organized in this city last week with 23 members. Following is a list of officers for the current term: Consul commander, W. H. Moore; adviser, L. R. J. Ginn; clerk, E. F. Craven; banker, Wm. Holder; recorder, E. E. Barnum; watchman, C. H. Williams; sentry, Lloyd Smith; managers, Frank Sayers, M. Damon, C. E. Brown; physician, I. M. Smith.

Messrs. Moore Bros. have taken a hand in the matter of water supply for Moro and it is to be hoped there will be no further annoyances. Under the present movement rigid rules will be enforced. Consumers must call at Ragsdale & Logan's office and pay for the water consumed on or before the 25th of each month, or the water will be shut off. No comments are necessary. It is a matter of fact that "no pay no water" is to be the rule.

In calling attention to the advertisement of the Salem Woolen Mills company today in another column we wish to impress upon the minds of the public generally the fact that this is a home institution. It is not an oppressor but a supporter of our Oregon wool industry. It is a large establishment, with the manager of which, Mr. Bishop, we prize a long standing acquaintance. The mills are now running to the full capacity. Ninety hands are employed, 25 women and girls and 65 men. There is not on the way another set of cards and two miles which, when set up, will increase the number to 100. The quality of cloth turned out is highly satisfactory.

Bicklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by A. D. Bolton & Co.

Important—To those expecting to get Right-Laps and Tornadoes for this spring use. We will only have a limited supply and we are getting calls for them in Wasco and Klickitat counties. We prefer to sell them in Sherman county as they are "The Greatest Thing on Earth." Send in your order without delay.

Moore Bros.

The Sales of Hood's Sarsaparilla are the largest in the world because the cures by Hood's Sarsaparilla are wonderful, perfect, permanent. It is The One True Blood Purifier.

Hood's Pills are the best for constipation and liver troubles. Headache, neuralgia, and other ailments. Headache, neuralgia, and other ailments.

HOW IS YOUR EYESIGHT?

Dr. J. C. Lannenberg, Eye Specialist

Graduate of Spencer Ophthalmic College, New York City.

Will be in Moro during Court Week

Doctor Lannenberg is located in the Vogt block, The Dalles, Oregon. People having weak eyesight should not miss this opportunity to have their eyes properly examined and fitted. The doctor has instruments with which he can examine every part of the interior of the eyes and can tell in an instant whether he can benefit you or not. Many children complain of pain in the eyes and feel unable to keep up with their classmates in school. They undoubtedly have trouble with their vision, which if corrected will benefit them for life. Cross eyes can be straightened with proper glasses.

Some Few Testimonials.

Heppner, Or., Nov. 23, 1896

To whom it may concern:

Dr. J. C. Lannenberg, the leading eye specialist of the Pacific coast, has been in Heppner for several weeks past and has successfully treated many, among them my daughter and myself. Indeed he has been most successful in every case and of course has the confidence of all physicians who have taken the pains to examine into his work, as well as the general public. I have no hesitancy in recommending him to all needing his services.

OTIS PATTERSON, Editor Heppner Gazette

Heppner, Or., Nov. 17, 1896

This is to certify that Dr. J. C. Lannenberg, who has been in our midst a few weeks as an optician and oculist, has done the most satisfactory work on the eyes of many of our leading citizens and that the glasses he fitted me out with (a Brazilian crystal) is the most complete, having an accommodating power that is wonderful as compared to the ordinary glass. I can most cordially recommend his work. Very truly,

Dr. E. R. SAINBURN

Heppner, Or., Nov. 17, 1896

I can heartily recommend Dr. J. C. Lannenberg, the optician and oculist, to the public. The work done for my family is of superior order and gives most complete satisfaction. It is not often that a specialist of the doctor's ability visits our town and those suffering with weak eyes should not miss this opportunity.

D. J. McFAUL, M. D.

The Dalles, Feb. 20, 1897.

To all whom it may concern:

I was for a long while troubled with weak eyes and inability to read by lamplight and upon arrival in this city of Dr. J. C. Lannenberg I consulted with him. He gave me a very thorough test and examination and then fitted a pair of eye glasses for me. I can truthfully say that I am now able to read and work under a lamp as well as in the brightest day light and have not been troubled with any head aches or feeling of weakness of the eyes since he prescribed for me. I would heartily recommend him to any one in need of his services and feel justified in saying that he is a conscientious, honorable gentleman and thoroughly proficient in his profession. Respectfully yours,

D. S. DURN

The Dalles, February 20, 1897

To whom it may concern:

I desire to say that Dr. J. C. Lannenberg has been for some time and is now a permanent resident of The Dalles, Oregon. That he has examined the eyes of, and furnished glasses for, many persons here, some of whom are my immediate neighbors, and all within my personal knowledge, are well pleased with his work and the results. He has also treated my wife's eyes and furnished her with glasses and the result is entirely satisfactory. I take pleasure in introducing the Doctor to any who may require his services.

Very Respectfully,

J. F. MOORE

The Dalles, Or., Feb. 20, 1897.

To whom it may concern:

I can highly recommend Dr. J. C. Lannenberg to those that are troubled with weak eyes. He fully understands the eyes and gives satisfaction. Many people here in The Dalles speak in the most complimentary words of the good the Doctor has done for them. The glasses fitted to my eyes gives me comfort and ease while reading.

Respectfully,

E. JACOBSON

The Dalles, Feb. 22, 1897.

My eyes, though strong, had been giving me trouble recently, especially after reading by lamp light. A dull heavy pain following that indulgence. A pair of glasses fitted for me by Dr. J. C. Lannenberg, immediately relieved this. I have personal knowledge of several cases of eye troubles that were speedily relieved by him, and take pleasure in recommending him as one who thoroughly understands his business.

JOHN H. CRADLER, Editor

Something to Depend on.

James Jones, of the drug firm of Jones & Son, Cowden, Ill., speaking of Dr. King's New Discovery, says that last winter his wife was attacked with la grippe and her case grew so serious that physicians at Cowden and Pana could do nothing for her. It seemed to develop into hasty consumption. Having Dr. King's New Discovery, in store and selling lots of it, he took a bottle home and to the surprise of all she began to get better from the first dose and half a dozen bottles cured her sound and well. Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds is guaranteed to do this good work. Try it—free trial bottles at A. D. Bolton & Co's drug store.

Baker City gets the freemen's tournament this year. June 8th.

A short sword, probably lost during the Indian war, was found in Umatilla county recently.

Elder J. T. Moore has located with his family in a pleasant and prosperous pastorate in Arkansas.

Saw dust in Portland commands lumber prices and mill men have rigged machinery to chew up piles of slabs. It is called a hog but it wasn't invented in Salem.

Whenever you want to go east see Chariton, agent of the N.P.R., Third and Morrison Portland. He will furnish you all the information desired over one of the best roads on the continent.

Klamath people do not throw themselves on pitfalls, no matter how much display they make at funerals. Down below the Falls a plain board at the head of a mound tells the public that "thirteen of them fight" engine or planted here.

Speaking of runaway colts "a good one" is told on O. P. King. Having a buggy span he thought 20 miles and back one day during the late snow would break them but the sleigh and some other things made more of a showing in that line than the colts.

A beet sugar factory in Levi, Utah, paid \$57,000 for beets in the single month of October. The profits to the farmers of 3200 acres was \$97,150. Sherman county is better equipped with soil and climate for sugar beet culture than Utah. Outside the dairy business, this branch of farming will pay better than any other.

Antelope had a female barber, and instead of whooping around and raising Bob Ingersoll's no-such-place about it, the woman quietly raised a purse of \$400 and gave it to an old back to marry the shaver and take her away. The nuptials were said in The Dalles and the happy couple started on a bridal tour to Mexico.

The bonded debt of this nation, left for posterity to pay, is enough to cause posterity to eternally denounce the present generation and still the fake is piled. The Dalles is wanting some more of it. Portland, in fact every place of any note on the coast (except Moro) is bonded right up to date. In the east the contagion has spread fearfully. The debt of New York city is \$118,000,000. The debt of Philadelphia is \$34,000,000; of Boston, \$43,000,000; of Brooklyn, \$57,000,000; of Cincinnati, \$26,000,000; of Baltimore, \$15,000,000; of Chicago, \$12,000,000; of St. Louis, \$20,000,000, and of New Orleans, \$15,000,000. When greater New York adds Brooklyn and the outlying provinces she will have a pretty stiff debt on her hands, but such is the history of visionary schemes and spend-thrift movements.

Old papers for sale at this office—15c a package.

You get THE OBSERVER for one year for One Dollar from the date of payment of arrears.

Hereafter we will charge for all local notices of entertainments where an admission fee is charged at the door.

The Dufur roller mills will give you more flour according to grade of wheat, than any mill in Wasco or any other county.

Dr. J. C. Lannenberg, Eye Specialist, office in the Vogt block, The Dalles, Or. Glasses fitted by the most scientific method known.

The Hood River nurseryman Tillett has Lambert cherry trees at 25 cents each. Also, Bing cherry trees at 10 cents. Buy of Tillett.

"All things free" Free speech free admission free. At the dedication of the new Christian church, Rufus, Or., Feb. 28th. Everybody and his wife come and we will make you truly welcome.

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Are featured peculiar to Hood's Pills. Small in size, efficient, thorough. As one man

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say: "You never know you have taken a pill till it is all over." See C. L. Hood & Co., Proprietors, Lowell, Mass.

The only pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

I.O.O.F.—MORO LODGE, No. 113, meets every Saturday night at 7:30 o'clock. All visiting brothers to our city cordially invited to attend.

R. S. HAYES, N. G. H. S. McDANIEL, Secretary.

MORO CHOP MILL RUNNING.

Parties wanting grain chopped will be accommodated in Moro, on short notice, six days in the week, by calling at the Mill or leaving orders with

L. D. HOLDER, Proprietor.

MORO WATER COMPANY NOTICE

For the benefit of consumers furnished by the Moro Water Company, I wish to give notice that each and every family or household using, will be charged the same rate, \$1.50 per month, payable on the 1st of each month.

L. D. HOLDER, Superintendent.