

The Observer

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

There is not a business within the range of Sherman county (large or small), that would not be benefited by an advertisement in THE OBSERVER.

Society Directory.

I.O.O.F.—MORO LODGE, No. 113, meets every Saturday night at 7:30 o'clock. All visiting brothers are cordially invited to attend.
S. S. HAYES, N. G.
H. S. McDANIEL, Secretary.

A.O.U.W. MORO LODGE No. 64 meets every Tuesday evening. All visiting brothers are invited to attend.
L. W. HESTON, M. W.
H. S. McDANIEL, Recorder.

DEGREE OF HONOR.—HEARSHY LODGE No. 2, A.O.U.W.—Meets in Odd Fellows hall every Monday night. Sojourners respectfully invited to attend.
Mrs. FLORA BELTON, C. of H.
Miss MARY FROST, Recorder.

WOODMEN OF THE WORLD. MORO CAMP 351 Woodmen of the World meets in Odd Fellows hall every Wednesday evening. Visiting woodmen are invited to attend.
W. H. HOLMES, C. C.

CITY AND COUNTY.

R. J. Ginn has returned from Portland.

Kerr & Buckley started in shearing Monday.

Lettuce, onions, radishes, etc., at L. K. Moores.

Ransom Smith has leased the Grass Valley Hotel.

For sale cheap—one 2 Gang plow Enquire of R. J. Ginn.

Rev. Bailey is holding a series of meetings in Grass Valley.

Dr. Smith's hep wine has started well upon its annual tour.

Potatoes for seed sold at \$1.75 per sack in Moro last week.

Passenger traffic on The Dalles-Moro-Antelope stages is good.

A. B. Craft of Rufus was up to his farm near Moro last week.

Fresh pickled salmon bellies, a prime article, at L. K. Moores.

L. K. Moore shipped a lot of flour to Antelope on the 24th by stage.

C. E. Jones of Emigrant Springs, was in Moro on business Monday.

THE OBSERVER and the Oregonian this year as last, only \$2.50 at this office.

Remember the Wasco ball at the Armory Friday night. See ad. on 2d page.

Moore Bros. have invested in a handsome family carriage of the surry style.

If in search of land for a trade, or a home in Moro, call upon Ragsdale & Logan.

It is said that Adah Wallace Unruh comes home from the east a far back number.

Bert Stone and brothers have purchased the threshing outfit of N. W. Thompson.

A. E. Cousins has begun work on his new building fronting the Bolton drug store.

The Dalles stage Friday night brought up some handsome guinea hens for Antelope.

C. M. Whitlaw was able to be out for a short walk Friday and is rapidly recovering.

The Dalles is talking up an electric railway to cross the DesChutes within 10 miles of Moro.

Mrs. John Hayes of Grass Valley who has been very sick, was able to sit up last Saturday.

The pioneers of Oregon will meet in The Dalles this year in re-union on the 15th of June.

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

R. C. Craven was compelled to retire to his room from a severe indisposition on the 23d.

The Gracian-Turkish war question has stimulated the wheat market according to prediction.

It is said that J. M. Benson was offered \$60 for his Coco cat by Mr. Floyd. Read Coco ad.

A. D. McDonald, the efficient manager of the farmers warehouses, was in Moro on the 22d.

From April first freight between The Dalles and Moro will be 50 cts per 100 lbs. DOUG. ALLEN.

If New Orleans escapes this flood people who are discounting miracles will have to take a back seat.

Mrs. Wm. Henrichs returned from Portland via The Dalles stage Friday, very much improved in health.

The guardian of the weather gave us a lovely day for the Odd Fellows' anniversary ceremonies on the 24th.

The variations in prices of wool ought to be better understood. Two fleeces might be of the same quality the one weighing fourteen pounds not worth as much per pound as the one that weighs eight pounds. Wool men buy on a scored basis, and they pay nothing for dirt this year.

THE BANK OF ENGLAND SAFE



You get the lowest prices best qualities latest styles, etc., by ordering direct from manufacturer. Send for samples and rules for self measurement. Every article exactly as represented and prices to all alike. Mail orders receive prompt attention.

A. B. STEINBACH AND COMPANY
Wholesale and Retail
Clothing, Furnishings and Hatters.
First and Morrison, Portland, Ore.

Judicious advertising pays. Competition is the life of advertising.

Judgment in advertising is just as essential as judgment in buying goods.

It will pay any man to advertise who deals in something that people want.

No article was ever made that was so good that it was its own best advertisement.

Those who have made advertising most profitable are the ones who keep at it all the time.

One clear, convincing and speaking fact will effect more than pages of glittering generalities.

Your advertising, as well as every corner and cranny of your business and social life should be illuminated by the clear, white light of truth.

Nothing stands in the long run like rock-ribbed truth.

Every one who is interested in advertising knows that there are hundreds of articles on sale over the country that would never have been known to the general public had it not been for advertising them.

That advertising does pay and pay big when given constant business, brainy attention, is proven by the colossal fortunes made, and being made in trade, with advertising recognized as an important and essential factor.

When you visit New York city call at 234 Temple court and peruse THE OBSERVER, on file at E. Katz's Eastern Advertising Agency.

Mrs. Ed. Smith of Grass Valley who was in the city all last week, at the City Hotel, under treatment by Dr. I. M. Smith for rheumatism was able to return home Sunday.

The lady has been very severely afflicted but has borne the trying ordeal with great patience.

Splendid opening for a tin smith. Probably no better location for a first-class tinner could be found in the state than at Moro. There is also a shop and a complete outfit of tools that could be rented or bought at very low figures and on most advantageous terms. There is no reason why the right man should not avail himself of this excellent opportunity.

Moore Bros. have just received another car load of Mitchell header trucks. They have had these trucks made especially for this trade. They have had a big heavy tire put on the hind wheels for the purpose of standing long and hard breaking. Don't buy a header truck until you see these. They have also a lot of extra wheels for header trucks, besides a full line of other Mitchell wagon extras.

A mine of soap has been discovered on the Mohave desert. It only needs to be put into shape for the market to command the highest price of that article. There is no making over to be done, for it is perfect in its kind. A small bit placed on a black greasy railing and then moistened cleaned the paint to a whiteness that no manufactured article could ever excel.

Mr. Hammond is making a great success of the Herrin gallery in The Dalles. He has already sent out two traveling galleries. Of course he has sent the best to Moro. Mr. Allatt is the manager and operator of this branch and Mr. Hammond will see to putting on the fine finish for which he is noted. Mr. Allatt will leave Moro Monday for Grass Valley where he will be for the next ten days.

The Chronicle's daily reports of the Columbia rise are eagerly sought. Given by feet and tenths, anybody can understand just where the flood is at. On the 21st the stage of water in The Dalles was 28.4 a. m., 29 ft. p. m. This is some higher than April 21, 1894. The rise that year reached 60 feet June 6th. The rise was gradual from May 29th, 51 feet, up to June 6th when the full commenced and receded to 43.2 June 18th.

Wanted!
Your tea trade from now on.

Schilling's Best wants it—your money back if you don't like it.

A Schilling & Company San Francisco

Misses Maggie and Nellie Bolton and Mr. Johnston of Dufur have been visiting friends in Grass Valley.

Wm. Walker gave us a pleasant call on the 22d. He will be in the field again this year with his threshing outfit.

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

Dr. Rollins of Grass Valley has been pretty sick since his return from Spokane. He is just able to be out again.

Mrs. Dora Williams has received her commission as postmaster in Moro for the period of 4 years from April 3d 1897.

J. H. Berger's new building in Grass Valley will be inclosed this week. It will be used as a furniture store next fall.

If The Dalles people mean business their electric railway should strike Sherman county near the Fulton canyon.

James Mackin, one of our substantial flock men, was a passenger on the Antelope stage for The Dalles Friday evening.

Hon. W. H. Moore left on Monday for The Dalles, Portland and—well in these times it might be hard to say where else.

A postal informs us that E. E. Lyon has returned to Wasco from California, and will remain in Sherman county for some time.

Wild geese were killed with broom sticks from house-tops in Topeka, Kas., April 12th. This beats Sherman county goose killings.

Elder Neece is suffering from a complication of diseases. Dr. Smith was called from the anniversary hall to attend him Saturday.

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

Boorhill & Co. have purchased the Mahany building in Grass Valley, which will be raised and finished off for their hardware business.

Andrew McDonald has sold a number of horses out of his band this spring at price averaging \$60 per head. He has some good ones yet for.

Weaver & Nagle have the finest soda works in The Dalles. They have the reputation for perfection in syrups, carbonated drinks, sodas, etc. See ad.

Presley King, Chaplain of 131, in attendance at the Odd Fellows celebration Saturday, is 70 years of age and has affiliated with that order 43 years.

J. B. Matney was up from John Day Monday looking over the water melon market. He will be able to supply everybody this year and stop importations.

Our Dalles correspondent speaks as if the C. & S. Ry. had run up against a barrier. We hope this is a mistake as Sherman county needs that development.

Prof. Brown is preparing to move his Pumpkin Ridge house down to Grass Valley. He will place it near Berger's building, add to it and set the lots in fruit trees.

Henry Krause, the leading saddle and harness dealer of Sherman county, sold 65 sets of harness at his Wasco store from January 1st to April 20th this year.

Water rent is due on the 24th. Don't forget this fact. Call at Ragsdale & Logan's office, in the City Hotel building, and pay your water rent, on or before the 24th.

J. G. Potter has started a meat market in Wasco and will keep on hand the best to be had. He will run a wagon this summer over the same route he did last year.

J. Price who is in charge of the P. D. and M. Co.'s mill and distillery at Grant, paid us a call on the 22d. Mr. Walker is in California but is expected home next week.

Mrs. Jane A. Watkins drove to Arlington last week, going up through Klickitat county. She was called to the bedside of her mother Mrs. Williams, who is quite sick.

W. R. C. Let us have a good attendance on the 1st day of May for initiating members. Also, making arrangements for the camp fire at Moro on the 8th of May. MAHALA PIKE.

The Lochhead feed yard fell into good hands when L. S. Davis & Co. became purchasers. When you go to The Dalles be certain to feed your team at these yards. See ad.

Maier & Benton are the most liberal dealers in The Dalles in the line of hardware, tinware, stoves, groceries, etc. Be certain to remember Maier & Benton when you go to The Dalles. See ad.

Something that takes in tree culture, or in orchard cultivation is the new Diamond harrow, adjustable for from 3 to 12 feet, so as not to bark the tree. For 2 or 3 horses. Will be made to order by Arnsworthy & Co. Moro. Call and see it. It is cheap and is one of the most useful implements on the farm.

Judd Fish of The Dalles Umatilla carries a fine specimen of purple eye-ris on his left optic. He refuses to converse about where he got it as he fully "expressed himself" at that time.

A Portland gentleman visited Monklund last week inquiring about how much patronage would be likely to sustain a railway built into Sherman county from the main ORN line.

L. D. Holder has acquired a Rhapsody tint to his complexion, since taking C. M. Whitlaw's seat on the box of the Antelope stage, that would set the Summer sea side girl wild with envy.

J. B. Matney whose farm is along the John Day below the old emigrant crossing in this county, informs us that that river has been higher this month than it was any time in the flood of '94.

Rev. Frank Spaulding and family who have been in the missionary service in Brazil for several years, returned to Oregon last week.

Mrs. S. and children are in Moro, guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Ginn.

Send your orders for barbed wire to Mays & Crowe, The Dalles. They are making red hot prices when cash accompanies the order.

Two pointed Glidden wire, at \$2.35 per 100 pounds, and Genuine Baker for \$2.45.

J. G. Potter is an up-to-date market man. At his place in Wasco you will find liver, bolona and all kinds of sausages, a wholesome and appetizing change from beef, pork and mutton. Mail orders filled by return stage.

Hay stacks in Sherman county met the new grass this spring with very satisfactory and gratifying glory.

No stock is dying in this bright little spot of earth on account of the prolonged winter and the smallness of the haystack.

Mrs. Ragsdale and W. H. mother and brother of Miss Cordia Ragsdale hurried to The Dalles last week because of the serious illness of the latter. Miss Cordia is improving and will be able to return home in about two weeks.

If you want stationary, sponges, Hiers' root beer, Paines celery compound for the blood, purges, stomach bitters, perfumes, Millins' food, fine soaps, or rubber goods call at the Moro drug store. We have them. A. D. BOLTON & Co.

Greek operations in Turkey are so far crowned with success. Phalaris, where the Greeks have fallen back from Larissa, cannot be far from Pharsalia, where Julius Caesar defeated Pompey and made himself master of the world.

The Moro electrical power and light plant is certain to be put in. There will be power sufficient to run a 100 barrel flouring mill, and Messrs Moore Bros. are looking around for a practical mill man to become interested in the plant.

The Odd Fellows' anniversary celebration Saturday closed with a banquet at the City Hotel. The day was fine, attendance large, and ceremonies decidedly interesting.

The oration by Mr. John T. Whalley was full of practical illustrations of the beauty and benefits of Odd Fellowship.

Cutting scraps, at Heydt & Co.'s saddlery in Moro. It was a serious cut in saddles that attracted quite a crowd. Heydt & Co. propose to keep up the cut just as long as anybody wants a saddle. Other goods, harnesses, whips, etc., are going off like hot cakes. Call and price these goods before you buy.

M. Z. Donnell, the popular Dalles City druggist was once a Sherman county boy and has scores of old-time friends and acquaintances up this way who will be pleased to know that he is prepared to give them a square deal in the drug and fancy goods line. He has a fine store well stocked. See ad.

The project of extending the Sherman county telephone line to Antelope from Grass Valley is meeting a hearty response in Antelope business circles. Sheriff Holder is in Portland this week. One of his errands is the purchase of 6000 tons of heavy wire to be used in connection with the long-distance lines.

Since the opening of the locks and the advent of spring, the trip to Portland by The Regulator Line is a most delightful one. The steamers have been remodeled, and every comfort is offered. The specialties of the line are magnificent scenery, safety, quick time, attentive employees, excellent meals and economy.

Mrs. L. Seely having sold her millinery business to Mrs. S. Landry at so great a discount that she can continue to sell goods less than they can be bought anywhere on the coast. Mrs. Seely wishes to thank her customers for their liberal patronage and assures them they had better call on Mrs. Landry at her residence back of the harness shop in Moro before purchasing elsewhere.

Something to Know.

It may be worth something to know that the very best medicine for restoring the tired out nervous system to a healthy vigor is Electric Bitters. This medicine is purely vegetable, acts by giving tone to the nerve centres in the stomach, gently stimulates the liver and kidneys and aids these organs in throwing off impurities in the blood.

Electric Bitters improves the appetite, aids digestion, and is pronounced by those who have tried it as the very best blood purifier and nerve tonic. Try it. Sold for 50c or \$1.00 per bottle at A. D. Bolton & Co.'s drug store.

Buckley'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.

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District School Report.

Following is the report of Monklund school for the month ended April 16: Average enrolled, 13; average daily attendance, 10. Six pupils have not missed a day or hour.
ELLA G. MARSHALL, teacher.

W. C. T. U. Announcement.

The annual W. C. T. U. convention for Sherman county will be held at Grass Valley May 18th and 19th.

Mrs. Della Cox will be in attendance. Mrs. Cox will lecture in the interest of the work at Monklund Friday evening May 14th; Spaulding chapel, Saturday evening, May 15th; Moro, Sunday morning and evening, May 16th; Grass Valley, Tuesday evening, May 18th; Wasco Thursday evening, May 20th; Rufus Friday evening, May 21st.

Letter From The Dalles.

The O. R. N. have steamed the old-time D. S. Baker back to her former moorings alongside the old incline. It is done so in case an 1894 flood comes the company will have an outlet without depending on the D. P. A. N. Co.

Wm. Rufeno of the steamer Regulator, wd. to Hymens Throne the beautiful Miss Jennie Russell of this city, Easter Sunday. The couple availed themselves of an opportunity of a bridal trip on the afternoon local to Portland.

Easter has come and gone without the proverbial rain, even if fair Luna, with its full blush of promise said so. The churches were beautifully decorated and the services were appropriate to the occasion. At the Congregational church, eight were received into fellowship.

The old Columbia is on its regular "jam." The past few hot days softened, wonderfully, the "congeal element," and all the streams heading in the Cascades and Blue mountains and the Clearwater section were filled to overflowing with raging torrents, and a rise of three feet in the river here was quite remarkable for this season of year. The cool wave checked the rise.

It is rumored, with some foundation, that The Dalles is to be lighted by electricity generated at Klickitat Falls in Washington. The report goes that the present electric company will consolidate with the Oregon City electric power company and thus furnish electric power for manufacturing and milling purposes, besides lighting up this city. The rumor has not been verified but is believed to be a fact as soon as the engineers report on its feasibility.

The Biggs and Wasco railroad project in the minds of some, is a question of quain fate. It is understood that the average grade up is over one hundred feet per mile, for the whole distance. The last five or six miles of the survey reveals fifty to sixty feet per mile. That being the case, it seems to some that a matter of doubt exists as to its construction. It is also understood that the Eastern Oregon Land company will have nothing to do with the enterprise.

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