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E. J. Collins & Co., - East End Grocer,  
The Dalles, Oregon.

Not too late yet. Come or send, we treat you just the same. Freight is cheap on the Wasco railroad.

NO TROUBLE TO SHOW YOU OUR GOODS AT ANY TIME.

The Observer

MORO, SHERMAN CO., OREGON.  
WEDNESDAY, December 8, 1897

Entered as second class matter at the Post office at Moro, Oregon, for transmission through the United States mails.

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.

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

TREASURERS CALL.

All outstanding Sherman county warrants now to and including No. 904, Series C, dated April 25th, 1895, are now payable at this office. Interest will cease from this date. Dated at Moro, Oregon, the 25th day of November, 1897. GEO. N. BOLTON, By W. STANLEY, Deputy, Co. Treasurer.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF FIRM.

Owing to a contemplation of a dissolution of the partnership of the firm of Moore & Rollins, all parties knowing themselves indebted to the above named firm will be required to make a full settlement of the same this fall.

MOORE & ROLLINS

Sept. 1st, 1897. Grass Valley, Oregon.

NOTICE TO THE TRAVELING PUBLIC.

Office Columbia Southern Railway, Wasco, Or., November 25th, 1897.

Time schedule for passenger trains: To take effect Monday, November 1, 1897. Leave Wasco 7:30 am, arrive Biggs 8:30 am. Leave Biggs 6:15 pm, arrive Wasco 7:15 pm. Connecting with O.R.N. passenger train at Biggs for The Dalles and Portland and train No. 4 from Portland.

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TIMBER CULTURE, FINAL PROOF—Notice for Publication.

United States Land Office, The Dalles, Oregon, November 19th, 1897. Notice is hereby given that

THOMAS J. FARRA.

of Estlinville, Oregon, has filed notice of intention to make final proof before Wm. Heintz, County Clerk, at his office in Moro, Oregon, on Saturday the 8th day of January, 1898, on timber culture Application No. 3028, for the sec. 2 of section No. 28, in township No. 10 north range No. 16 east, viz: He name as witness: L. K. Moore, E. A. Moore, H. S. DeDaniel and A. C. Huff all of Moro, Oregon.

Money-back talks.

Schilling's Best

are quick goods.

For sale by Moro Mercantile Co

Wheat. Wheat. Wheat.  
Farmers' Co-operative Warehouse  
(ASSOCIATION)

IS NOW RECEIVING WHEAT AT ALL SHERMAN COUNTY POINTS.

STORAGE 35 cts PER TON.

Farmers this is your own institution and you should not be deceived by what others, who are only working for their own interests, may say or advertise.

Of what might have been  
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Pearl Ornduff, disconsolate after the marriage of his friend Arthur Molesworth, is hopping around over Kansas, Missouri and Iowa, perhaps endeavoring to freeze.

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Farmers, have your envelopes printed with your return address on them? We will print 100 for \$1.00, 200 for \$1.75 and 500 for \$3.00, and furnish the envelopes. Call and see samples.

They cash patron of the M.M.Co. stores in Sherman county for the balance of this year has a chance to secure one of three elegant presents: \$60 steel range, \$30 sewing machine or a \$5 eight day clock.

Mrs. F. E. Smith returned home from Johnson Springs last week, so much better that she feels almost well. She is tireless in praises of the curative qualities of the mineral waters which have done so much for her.

The death of Michael King occurred in Portland on the 2d. The remains were brought to Sherman county for interment. A good man gone. Michael will be grievously missed. We extend heartfelt sympathy to the sorrowing family.

M. G. Johnson of Gorman was a visitor to Moro on business last week. Gorman and Blalock are in the year with others who enjoy the blessings of prosperity under a couldn't larry for the feast which the secretary of our interior was preparing to spread for them.

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C. E. Jones has recovered from his recent illness and is now at his Emigrant Springs estate. One of his most desirable improvements this year on the farm is a supply of water, secured by drilling.

When you drive in to Wasco with a load of wheat you will see the Columbia Commercial Co.'s big sign just west of the county road, and there is where you will get your wheat stored and forwarded for 35c per ton.

Ragsdale & Hoelkinson have dissolved. Mr. R. retiring. The business will be continued by Mr. Hoelkinson at the new offices in the E. Peoples' building, where, in addition to his law practice, some rare bargains in real estate are offered.

Prof. Geo. DeMoss and Waldo Davis, of the L'Vie Bards, took a sleigh ride over to Monkland Saturday. Homeward bound they waded in The Observer's culinary but couldn't larry for the feast which the secretary of our interior was preparing to spread for them.

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