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B F Hoover wishes to sell some very fine residence property in Moro, the brick yard. See Adv.

W M Barnett of Wasco has macaroni seed wheat for sale. The only sure dry country wheat.

Francis Fitzpatrick was killed by a train near Wyeth on the night of the 7th, a short distance east of the station.

Macaroni wheat, carried a ten cent premium last season and W M Barnett guarantees five cents this season. Seed wheat for sale.

You can always find it profitable to use the classified adv. columns of The Observer. They bring buyer and seller together.

J N Frost, one of the killed in the O R N smash at Troutdale on the 7th was an uncle of G M Frost of Moro, on route to Seio from Walls Walls.

I have been entrusted with some money which I can loan in Sherman county without any commission. M Fitzmaurice, J F Moore's office, Moro, Oregon.

Of all the Baking powders that Mrs Sarah T Rorer, Cookery Editor of The Ladies Home Journal has used, she pronounces Cleaveland's superior to all others, and uses it exclusively in her cooking schools and for daily household use.

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The political atmosphere in this county is quite pleasant. Only four candidates have thus declared themselves.

Capt John McNulty died in the Dalles on the 9th, aged 76 years. He was a steam boat captain of the Oregon State Navigation Co. on the Celilo Dalles run in the early days.

Two practicing physicians and one dentist of Condon are reported insane. It seems remarkable that three bright men in one small town should become insane at about the same time.

The steamer Dalles City was sunk last week four miles below the Dalles. There were over 50 passengers all of whom escaped to dry land. The cargo was damaged about \$750 worth.

Miss Harwood received word last week of the serious illness of her sister Lillian in Salem, and began preparations to go there, but she did not start as word came favorable before train time.

The funeral of Mrs Laura N Roberts, of Colfax, Wash., who died at San Diego last week, was held in Portland. Mrs Roberts was a sister of Mrs Robt, mother of G L at The Villa. Mrs Roberts was 60 years old. Her father, Henry Miller, was a well-known Oregon pioneer. Her husband was John Roberts, son of a pioneer missionary.

Old Dan, the faithful family horse belonging to Mrs Chris Anderson is dead. The good old fellow died in his comfortable stall at the farm stable, with his blanket on, Monday, aged about 30 years. Up to quite lately old Dan has been in the habit of rounding up the cows at milking time, but he has listened for the bell for the last time. His former owner was Hans Hansen, and when he went to Denmark he gave Old Dan to Mrs Anderson.

That murder on the railroad track turned out to be a case of drunk. One of the fellows fell between the rails, and was not discovered in time for the engineer to stop.

It is reported that old man Brown, with the Queen on the visit of that delectable gull to Moro last week, got his leg pulled for \$2,100. Another illustration of the fool and his money parting.

A steamer came into Astoria last week from Yokohama carrying ice a foot thick in her rigging. All throughout the voyage the temperature was below freezing, and it snowed every day out except the last two.

A light-house keeper 40 miles south of Yaquina bay, picked up a barnacle-covered barrel of whisky last week which came ashore in the surf, and telegraphed headquarters to be told what to do with it. Don't that beat you?

Bend Bulletin. A Bend man Sunday saw six deer at the foot of Sugar loaf bottle. They were very tame, leisurely walked away and then turned around and looked at him. It is presumed that the heavy snow in the country above has driven the deer to that vicinity to seek food.

Sherman county is a great wealth producer. In fact, it is overflowing with wealth. It has broken over the levee toward Texas, Alberta, Washington, Wheeler county and even Mexico. If this money could be induced to work at home the result would be profitable, not only for the average citizen, but for the investor himself.

When N W Thompson found out last spring that he had to re-seed about 600 acres, making him at least 1000 acres for spring sowing, he jumped in and bought more teams. Last week he sold \$700 worth of horses at an advance of 33 1-3 per cent, and if he should have to re-seed this spring will have home bred animals to do it with.

P M Ruggles returned from the hospital Tuesday.

J B Golt, civil engineer, was a Moro visitor Saturday from the Dalles.

B N Hawks is enjoying a visit from an old schoolmate, F H Coolidge, of Pendleton.

H S McDanel, Dr Logan and W F Jackson are again at home from Texas. Satisfied.

John D Rockefeller is as lost to the view of the Goddess Justice as if he were a Peuter fake or the husband of Miss Marie Ware.

That old Grizzly outlaw in the Bend country was not captured by its pursuers. But they killed a big black bear on the hunt.

An even teaspoon of Cleaveland's Baking Powder will do as much or more than a heaping teaspoonful of other baking powder. Ask J W Messinger & Son, they sell it.

Washington's birthday will be celebrated by a first class dance in Moro, February 22d. Only \$2 for dance and supper at The New Moro.

The Dalles Chronicle: Mr and Mrs E V Littlefield, and little son, who have been guests of Judge and Mrs Bradshaw, have returned to Moro.

Lay down the farm, if necessary, but be in attendance at the stock association meeting in Moro Saturday, 24th. See notice on 2d page new today.

A DeMoss springs girl, orphaned and only 13 years of age, was held last week as a kleptomaniac, and will find refuge in the boys and girls home.

Olaf Lieum, a brother of Mrs S H Baker, died in Grass Valley on the 8th, aged 16 years. The remains were sent to North Dakota for interment.

Dick Morgan made a hurried trip to Linn county recently, on account of serious illness of his father. He has returned, leaving the old gentleman out of danger.

Miss Edna Strahl is in Portland this week attending the usual spring opening of millinery goods, and will make selections for the coming season at Mrs J P Strahl's.

Mrs E H Moore entertained the Darcas society Wednesday. Mrs Parr entertained the Tuesday Afternoon Club this week. Mrs Logan will entertain the club next Tuesday.

Two boys from Kent, accused of larceny from a building, were let off Monday by Justice Brock, for want of sufficient evidence. It was a close shave for the youthful offenders.

Miss Faye Fulkerson was a guest of Miss Mowry parts of Tuesday and Wednesday. The appearance of Miss F certainly proves that Sherman county is suitable to her health.

Early next month our stock for commencement programs will arrive, and teachers anticipating use of such material will do well to call at The Observer Book Store and see our samples.

Sheriff McCoy left Tuesday with an irrefragable boy from Wasco for the reform school, and a girl from DeMoss for the aid society. Mrs McCoy accompanied him to look after the girl.

This (Thursday) evening, will mark the last appearance of those very clever artists, the Van Cleve Stock Co, in this city. Everybody will want to attend. The play is a good one. See last page.

Mrs Gibson was reported as rapidly nearing the end of her life Tuesday. She has long been a patient sufferer from disease of the spine. Death came to her relief Wednesday evening at the home of her daughter, Mrs Fred Messinger, in this city.

A real pretty Valentine party was given Tuesday night at Cherry Croft, the hospitable home of Mr and Mrs J B Mowry, by Miss Ida, their only daughter, to a host of admiring friends. It goes without saying that it was the party of the season.

New York City, and all along the Coast, got it in the neck last week. Cold! So cold that one man was frozen so hard that sharp knives could make no impression on his flesh. Niagara was frozen so that thousands of people were seen on the ice at the foot of the falls.

The Peoples' building had another narrow escape from fire Wednesday night. The Rogers barber shop had been using a box filled with sawdust as a spittoon, and receptacle for lighted cigar and cigarette stubs and it burned a hole in the floor six inches square, close by a partition. The fire was not discovered until morning.

Mrs Shockley was detained at Casadero by her little one taking the measles. The child was exposed on the trip down by a lady on the train whose little one was broken out. The incident has marred the visit of Mrs S no little, and put Tom's thimble. But all well that ends well. Her mother arrived here Tuesday and Mrs S may return this week.

Washington's birthday ball in Moro, will be a grand affair. See small bills.

Mr and Mrs Cotton Morrow of Wasco, lost their little three year old child this week.

Sample copies of this paper may be had at The Observer business office—5c. per copy.

S P Conroy, father of Mrs Tonkins, was visitor with Rev Tonkins and family on his way home from Madras to the Dalles.

Mr Clark, of the Phallamont stables, was here Monday with a traveling man, whom he accompanied to Grass Valley and return.

E W Elrod and wife and Miss Emma Chambers, were Moro visitors Sunday. Miss Chambers remained over, the guest of Mrs J O Elrod.

A ladies purse lost, will be thankfully received at this office. Can be identified by an old coterade bill with the contents, which was a keepsake.

It is remarkable the number of sege rats that have appeared above the surface this month. All large, sleek and fat. Some say it is a sign of high water in June!

R M Braish is doing the decorating in the new bank building soon to be occupied by Manager Hayes of the Gordon Bank, in the old postoffice building.

Mayor J O Elrod and C K Cochran are en route home from Texas via Mexico and California. They expect to spend several days at different points of interest.

T R Shockley will move his tonorial parlors from the Elrod brick to the room just off the office of the hotel, in the Moro hotel building, about the first of March.

W O Hadley is putting in the winter quite out of the usual for him, as most of his time is taken up in nursing his rheumatism. He is at present at this place in Skamania.

Almost everybody in this county received a lovely Valentine on the 14th in the shape of about 3 1/2 inch of snow. A foot of it would have been proportionately appreciated.

Miss Cashie Murray fell on the way to church Sunday night, breaking the bone of her left ankle, and the opposite ligament. She is at the home of Mayor Elrod, under treatment by Dr Goffin.

A larger number of teachers than usual were in attendance at examinations this week which were conducted by Supt. W C Bryant, Successor to Supt G M Frost, resigned.

O M Heacock will occupy the room to be vacated by T R Shockley after March 15th, with an office for the proper fitting of and care of the eyes. An opening will be made between the two rooms and they will be thrown into one!

We certainly have so far had a very remarkable winter. Orchards show a lively green in the sunlight, and vegetables are out of the ground an inch or two at least at The Villa. It is no blessing however, when there is an unnatural season, for the fruit crop usually fails as a result of abnormal conditions. It is said that the peach crop of Columbia river valley orchards is probably ruined because the blooms came too soon and were blighted as a consequence.

Mrs Edith Tozier Weathered, of Portland, has been chosen by the Oregon Journal to chaperon the young ladies who are to be given a trip to Honolulu.

NEW SAVINGS BANK AT HOME.

Oregon Savings Bank Will Have a Palatial Portland Home.

The Oregon Savings Bank will celebrate its 2d anniversary by occupying its new quarters, Sixth and Washington street, Portland, nearly ten times the size of its present office. Perhaps, says The Journal, no better evidence of growth could be brought out than the necessity for this increase of expansion to accommodate the business of this Bank. It attests in no small measure the popularity into which the organization has grown. The new building has a depth of 80 feet, running midway the block on 6th street and an average width of 46 feet. The interior fittings and furnishings are abundant in marble, mahogany and bronze, and will go to make up the most exquisitely furnished banking quarters on the Pacific coast. The effect of the white marble counters the solid cast bronze architecture and rich mahogany doors and woodwork forms one of the most harmonious and artistic settings an artist could imagine.

On entering the new banking quarters the visitor steps through two light, full panel plate glass swinging doors into the main lobby paved with white tile. Running the length of the left side of the building are the officers desks and counters of the banking department proper. On the right is President W H Moore's private office, a public telephone booth, a directors room in massive mahogany and a ladies reception lobby, to which is connected a private retiring room. At the extreme end of the bank are two massive vaults, one for the use of the bank and one for the safety deposit vaults, 3,500 in number, of steel and marble construction. The vaults are entered through massive burglar-proof doors of over 2,000 lbs each, and which cost \$3,000 each. At the right of the lobby at the rear is the safety depositors lobby, booth and coupon rooms, for the private use of safety deposit customers. Near this is a large room for the use of various corporation, customers of the bank, and directors meetings. The aggregate amount of money spent upon the new building in installing the new fittings and furnishings will probably exceed \$25,000.

"We feel greatly gratified over the patronage that has been accorded the Oregon Savings Bank," said President W H Moore, "and can look upon its growth with great pride. The fact of the matter that we have outgrown our present quarters months ago is evidence of the full confidence and liberal patronage of the public, which to a great extent is due to our offering the workingman the savings idea, a 4 per cent interest upon his money, a safe investment. January 1st operations began with this new and larger home, on which we have secured a 15-year lease. We move into the new quarters March 1st."

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