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FRIDAY.....MARCH 30, 1906

J A Weatherford has become a citizen of Kent.

O M Heacock has a fine assortment of Diamonds.

Mr and Mrs Fred Guinther were in Moro on business last week.

A D McDonald was in attendance at court last week, leaving for Spokane Sunday.

Miss Seales has this week added a fine assortment of hats and millinery to her stock in the Idleman building.

Fred Guinther cured a valuable horse last week by careful attentions, and thus has preserved a good \$500 team.

Some of the small fry on the Oregon editorial fraternity mourn the loss of the Rabbitsville Water Wagon. Hearst's graphic gems(?) may now fill an aching void in the laughing stock.

The job to saddle the non-productive Barlow road upon the people will scarcely succeed at the polls this year. This scheme is not a winner. In the petition it is set forth that the highway is much used in crossing from Western to Eastern Oregon and that it would be a great advantage to the stockmen especially to abolish the toll. This road crosses the Cascades about 35 miles south of the Dalles. If the stockmen want it let them buy it. The franchise (and that is all there is to it), belongs to the Pacific Coast Abstract Guaranty and Trust company, and they want \$24,000 for it. The road does not pay expense of keeping up bridges, chopping out fallen timber, etc.

TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION.

Institute and Meeting in Moro on Saturday April 14th.

Program, morning and afternoon session:

Primary Language.....Miss Bain
Discussion by Mrs. Thomas, Miss Bailey.

Intermediate Language.....Miss Bain
Discussion by Miss McLeod, Miss Darby.

Advanced Language.....Mrs. Shyback
Discussion by Mr. Ashurst, Miss Blair.

Evening Session
Opening song.....Audience
"America."

Recitation.....Jeanette Rutledge
"Color Guard."

Solo.....Intermediate Grades
"There is Hope in the Children."
Recitation.....Hazel Dunahoo
"Kentucky Belle."

Flag Song.....Intermediate Grades
Recitation.....Allie Huls
"Missionary Ridge."

Solo.....Prof. Johnson
Patriotic Address, by M. L. Pratt,
State Lecturer for the G. A. R. of Oregon.

The morning and afternoon sessions will be held at the High School, Moro, Oregon, Saturday, April 14, 1906. Morning session will begin at 11 o'clock. A lunch will be served in the school building to all teachers and to visiting friends.

The evening session will be held at the new Opera House. Every one is cordially invited to attend, since this is to be the last Institute for the school year. We should like to have every teacher in the county present. W. C. BRYANT,
County School Superintendent

Mrs W A Bressler and Mrs C T Cook are very sick at their homes in this city. Mrs Bressler has been threatened with appendicitis. Mrs Cook's illness is the result of confinement and loss of her child.

R A Nelson at DeMoss, wants a housekeeper.

The Observer should be delivered in Spokane every Saturday forenoon. Why is it held until Monday, Mr Nasby?

Engberg & Montgomery who tried traction engine power for plowing on the Blacklock ranch, have discarded it and returned to horses for their plowing. The land has too many knolls and pitches for an engine.

Meers Hornaday and Waite are checking up the Moro branch of the Wind River Lumber Co. preparatory to R O Lyon severing his connection with the company as he goes to Coeur d'Alene to handle lumber for another company. Mr Hornaday will be resident agent in place of Mr Lyon.

February 29, 1898, there was just such another dust storm as passed over the Inland Empire this month, March 10, 11, 12, 1906, only the storm of 1898 was manifest in every portion of the United States, covering plate glass windows with a paste like mixture which, when it became dry, baffled the genius of window washers. Some of it entered The Observer office, and lodged on type in cases where nothing but use and age effaced it. The dust of the storm this month was very much the same where it fell moist. The dry particles were so very fine and high that objects were obscured a quarter of a mile away, and where it fell to the ground covered everything with fine yellow particles to the depth of the 16th part of an inch. All along the line from Edmondton to Klamath, our clippings show the same mysterious guess as to where it came from. In 1898 the Scientific American said it was not of the earth, and one cosmogonist convinced the writer that this little sphere of ours had passed through a comet just then. It may be that this episode may be accounted for in some similar manner.

Easter Sunday A D 1906 will be April 15th.

A McDermid was a Moro visitor Wednesday.

J O Elrod and wife were Portland visitors this week.

The Star Restaurant has closed up. Everything sold out.

H A Thompson and Taylor Burgin are loitering in and about the Old Illabebe this week.

Talk about robins, birds, Harbingers of Spring! Just you watch for Shandy in shirtsleeves. That'll tell the story.

The Woodmen of Moro, gave a banquet in the Opera hall Wednesday night after initiating several new members.

Our little friends Gladys and Ulla Sanford, of Shaniko, are guests of Mrs Eva Landry, and other friends in Moro this week.

C K Cochran, et al, made an early drive and spent Tuesday on John Day river, and they didn't go fishing for trout either.

The Tuesday Afternoon Club was entertained by Mrs H S McDanel this week. The next meeting will be at Mrs E H Moore's.

Sunday morning at the M E church, Rev J R Hall will preach. In the evening the pastor C T Cook. All are invited to come.

Rev C T Cook will hold Quarterly conference for the Wasco Methodist church Saturday and quarterly meeting Sunday morning.

J T Boothby of Kent, was a visitor Monday. This visit gives us a Boothby on our books, a name familiar to our business in Oregon for more than 40 years.

Wm J Clark, republican candidate for State Printer, is a well known practical printer. He is a son of that old time editor and publisher, S A Clarke. He asks all old timers and their sons and all others to vote for him primary day, April 20th. His name is the first on the list of printers.

"Alice Blue" Waltzes, by A A Ford. Just off the press. Most beautiful melody. Title page: Alice, blue color, splendid photo of the White-House, entwined with circlet of ribbons and golden wedding bells. Every copy includes a steel photo-gravure, full figure, likeness of Mrs Nicholas Longworth. Post-paid 25 cents. Orchestration furnished to orchestra leaders gratis. Send for 64 page catalogue free. National Music Co., 72 74 Wabash Ave., Chicago, Ill.

A M Wright of Monkland, has entered the field legally for reelection to his present position as one of the Commissioners of Sherman county, having been invited to do so by scores of taxpayers of all parties who appreciate his worth. He will represent his principles, prohibition, in the contest; but in future as in the past, if re-elected, will represent the best interests of Sherman county. Vote for A M Wright for county commissioner. March 24th, 1806, Lewis and Clark left Fort Clatsop retracing their path to American civilization 4000 Miles. Ezra Meeker this year, 100 years behind them goes back with a cattle team over his trail of 50 years ago. Ezra has the wherewith to pay for his daily bread. Lewis and Clark have no wherewith to buy nor any bread in sight. These two pictures presenting Oregon in early times are commended to the thoughtful citizen of today.

The Ladies Aid Society of Moro M E church have chosen officers as follows for the current term: Mrs Ramsey, president; Mrs Freeman, Vice-president; Mrs Braab, Secretary; Mrs Dunahoo, Treasurer. This Association is doing a wonderful good in their sphere, by way of aiding the church. Meetings are held regularly once a week in the class room, which presents something the appearance of a work shop when the association is in session.

At St. Michaels church, Wasco, Divine services will be held Passion Sunday, April 1st, at 11 o'clock a.m. Services will not be held in Wasco again until May 6th the Anniversary of the dedication of the church. I have something very important to say to the Catholics of this mission and I want all to be present at Mass next Sunday. I beg also to remind them of their Easter duty which must be completed with under pain of grievous sin and of severance from the church. Rev. M. J. Hickey, Rector.

Why don't you register? We despise the law, but must take the medicine as it is doled out to us. Only 625 electors in Sherman county were enrolled up to last Monday in Sherman county precincts as follows:

Kent	156
Grass Valley	136
Moro	129
Bigelow	9
Grant	38
Monkland	51
Wasco	82
Rutledge	24
Total	625

Commissioner Al M Wright was able to be in the city one day last week.

The Dorcas Society are to meet at Mrs Wm Henrichs' Wednesday next. The meeting this week was at Mrs HS McDanel's.

Mrs Lottie-Vintin Rinearson was called to Reno last week to attend her husband who was very sick with typhoid fever.

Mrs L D Holder was a guest of her sister Mrs Jennie Poes a few days last week while Uncle Alex McDonald was here from Spokane.

A farm hand from the Dalles was knocked out of his buggy and broke a leg Saturday. Dr Logan is attending him at Fred Guinther's.

Mrs W H Moore is the guest of her mother, Mrs Cushman, in Moro this week. Mrs M came without notice, and her visit is quite a surprise to many friends.

E A Cushman has taken Mrs Andersons Demoss cottage; O B Messinger has taken Mrs Strongs house; Mr George takes the Anderson cottage vacated by Mr Lyons.

We give it up. That storm of March 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 1906, will never be forgotten in Sherman county. It killed the best wheat, and will cost farmers \$200,000 in this county alone.

Mr and Mrs CL Ireland paid a family visit to Mr and Mrs GL Rohr at the Villa Sunday afternoon. The Villa is just lovely to look upon now, and fruit will be more plentiful, in many varieties, than was hoped for a week ago.

At the citizens meeting held last Tuesday evening in Moro Opera house, for nominating city officers, 56 ballots were cast for councilmen. The three highest being nominated S S Hayes, Dolph Heyatt, and W H Ragsdale were so declared. Mr Wallen was nominated by acclamation for treasurer.

Sherman County Notes

ERSKINEVILLE.

We welcome the Erskineville Bud to our sanctum. Miss Grace Thompson, editor. The Bud is published for the benefit of the school, and it is new, interesting, and very nicely compiled, weekly, at 5 cents per month. We quote from its pages.

Chas Nish of Monkland, visited our school Thursday forenoon.

Little Miss Florence Brown spent two days in school this week.

Lizzie and Nellie Buffington, Grace Thompson, Frances and Harvey Thompson, Katie, Lulu and Geo. Meloy have their names on the roll of honor this week.

Grace Thompson, Lizzie and Nellie Buffington, Frances and Harvey Thompson get a half holiday this month.

Mr Thompson planted some trees in their yard this week.

Mrs Bull of Moro and Mrs Brown of Monkland visited in this vicinity this week.

All who are not tardy or absent during the month get a half holiday.

Lula Meloy and her sister Katie have 44 stars each.

Emma Maus and Willie Buffington have 20 stars each.

The intermediate and advance division are taking examinations this week.

Circuit Court Proceedings.

MARCH Term, 1906.
OFFICIAL ROSTER.
HON. W. L. BRADSHAW, Judge.
FRANK MENEFEE, Dist. Atty.
H. S. McDANEL, Clerk.
G. E. JAMES, Deputy Clerk.
W. B. MCCOY, Sheriff.
B. F. PEETZ, Deputy Sheriff.

CALENDAR.

784 Eo McCoy, et al v HE Smith et al
C J Bright for pliff
S W Stark for defts

Judgment for costs.

794 FH Meader v Wm Hoggard, et al
SW Stark for pliff
JF Moore
EV Littlefield for deft

Judgment for costs.
838 Harry Ornduff v CE Jones et al
S W Stark for pliff
Continued

840 Oregon Trading Co v JM Johnson
SW Stark for pliff
CJ Bright for deft
Order made for distribution of assets in hands of the sheriff

842 W Partridge & Co v CE Jones
CJ Bright for pliff
SW Stark for deft
Judgment for plaintiff

844 John Almeter v JW Glassbrook
Roy J Baker, and
Huntington & Wilson
for defts
EV Littlefield and
Ragsdale & Meindl
for defts

Defendant allowed plaintiff to take judgment.
845 Myra Brown v M A Brown
EV Littlefield for pliff
Referees report filed, and decree

860 Sherman Trading Co
v Hall & VanKirk
EV Littlefield for pliff
CJ Bright for defts

Settled
861 Wasco Lumber Co v JR Hall
EV Littlefield for pliff
CJ Bright for deft

Settled
862 E Peoples v JL VanKirk
and JR Hall
EV Littlefield for pliff
CJ Bright for defts

Continued
865 Oregon Trading Co v CP Pollard
EV Littlefield for pliff

Settled
868 Oregon Trading Co v The Only
Weeder Co
EV Littlefield for pliff
WH Wilson for deft

Settled
869 JB Morrison v Charles F Temple
and Jennie Hand
Ragsdale & Meindl
for pliff

Default and judgment for pliff
890 DR McGregor v C. S. Ry. Co.
JF Moore for pliff
Cotton, Spencer &
Wilson for defts

Verdict for pliff \$30
863 Adolf Perrault v Almer G King
Sam Pederson and John S Wray
EV Littlefield and
Berkey & Cowan for pliffs
Roy J Baker and Baker
& Fisher for defts

Verdict for pliff \$1,500 and \$150 for
attorney fees.
864 IN Sargent v Johnathan McInnis
Menefee & Wilson for pliffs
Ragsdale & Meindl for defts

Decree for pliff, deft not caring to
appear farther.
866 HP Steers v TW Johnson et al
Menefee & Wilson for pliff
Continued for service

867 Dave Biggerstaff and John Bigger-
staff v City of Moro
Jas F Moore for pliff
Writ of review sustained

868 JI Smith v Val Workman et al
WH Wilson and SW Stark
for pliff
CJ Bright for defts

To be heard at the Dalles
870 Webber & Co v Chas Warren
SW Stark for pliffs
Order to sell attached property

871 Edward B Moon v Adolph Hoppold
EV Littlefield for pliff
CJ Bright for deft
Continued

872 Oregon Trading Co v IA Large
EV Littlefield for pliffs
SW Stark for defts
Verdict for pliff \$440

873 Oregon Trading Co v JL Smith
EV Littlefield for pliff
SW Stark for defts
Ten days allowed to file answer

875 EE Kaseberg v WS Cooper
EV Littlefield and
WV Wilson for pliff
Jas F Moore
WD Fenton for deft
Continued

876 FH Meader v WS Cooper
EV Littlefield and
WV Wilson for pliff
Jas F Moore
WD Fenton for deft

Verdict for pliff \$150. Motion for
new trial overruled. Deft allowed
60 days to present bill of excep-
tions.
877 J H Bottemiller, admr, v W F Guy-
ton et al
Ragsdale & Meindl for pliff
Settled

877 John Dere Plow Co v WA Norcross
Ragsdale & Meindl for pliffs
Judgment by default

796 Wilmerding-Lowe Co v
Geo E Wallis
SW Stark for pliffs
Judgment by default

880 OP King v Nettie Gertrude King
and John Earl King
Hosford & Ragsdale for pliff
Confirmation of sale

824 CR Rollins v Dennis rd sup 6
Jas F Moore for pliff
Frank Menefee for deft
Submitted for future report

GP Higginbotham v J & J W Hays.
C J Bright for pliff
Default and judgment

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