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See advts of first class stallions on 2d page today. Pasteur is owned here. Dicknomah belongs in Wasco county, and both have splendid records.

The New Bigge is certainly a most deservedly popular hotel, and mine host, J. J. Heckard and wife, are entitled to a very liberal patronage. The table is supplied with everything nice, and the rooms are new, neat and clean.

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You'll find him everywhere you go,
And with free hand he spends his dough.
He never seems to sleep or eat,
He's always seen upon the street.
He hustles 'round to beat the band,
And gives each one the good, glad hand.
If formerly he passed you by,
He now tries hard to catch your eye.
It seems he does his best to know
The health of Bill, and Jim and Joe.
He never fails each babe to kiss;
(A most unpleasant task is this).
His name, we scarcely need to state—
He is the festive candidate.

See Page for spuds.

Wild flowers are small this spring but they are very fragrant.

If you want a cheap suit of clothes go to J. W. Messinger & Son.

To keep your head cool on sultry days, buy a summer hat of J. W. Messinger & Son.

Mr and Mrs Stacey of Weiser finished their visits in this region and left for Portland Monday.

The seeds sent to us by Senator J. M. Gearin didn't go half way 'round. Let what may be said by kickers, the free seed distribution by congress is popular.

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

Stationery, paper, pens, ink, pencils and all sorts of ictas, at the Observer Book Store.

Our "ads" attract attention and advertise. When you get our advertising, you get business bringers.

Avenarius Carbolineum is a germ destroyer. Decay being a germ, it destroys the cause of decay in posts or timber. The US.Government, the ORNCo., Multnomah county, and city of Portland, are making general use of it on bridge timbers, etc. It is the best chicken lice destroyer on the market, and will sweeten and preserve a water trough, pig pen, stable, etc., and keep away flies. It is a guaranteed article. The Observer Book Store is distributor of the pure article in Sherman county.

To Cure a Cold in One Day.

Take Laxative BromoQuinine tablets All druggists refund money it it fails to cure. E.W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

Miss Saidie Ruggles is teaching the Rutledge school.

If you want an uptodate summer hat go to J. W. Messinger & Son's.

Father J. B. Wheat received some early Ohio seed potatoes this week, and was distributing them around to growers who will give them ample test.

Miss Lois Ruggles was up from the John Day gardens Saturday with fine fresh table onions, a bunch of which we acknowledge, with thanks.

H. L. Ward and wife of the Eastern Oregon Land Co., made Portland friends a visit last week. Mrs W. remained awhile in the rose city.

Those interesting in breeding should not fail to see the Thoroughbred Black Mammoth Jack, Byron West. His ad. appears in this paper on the 2d page to day.

Judge Geo. W. Brock and family left for their new home at White Salmon, Wash., Monday. They will be 1600 feet below the altitude of Moro, and sheltered from winds.

There is food for serious reflection in the statement made by Chief Tanner of the G. A. R. that the veterans are passing away at the rate of 60,000 a year. At this rate there will soon be very few of the old soldiers left to whom the nation may do honor.

Madras Pioneer. Attorneys J.F. Moore, of Moro, and John Gavin, of the Dalles, who have been looking after contest matters in Madras for a week past, left on Tuesday afternoon for their respective homes. Mr Moore is well known throughout this county, having practiced his profession at Prineville for ten years.

Common fruits are not properly appreciated as food. They have dietic value and plenty of it. Fruits supply a diversity of sugar acids and the necessary waste of bulky material for the aiding of the intestinal movement. Fruits and fruit juices keep the blood in healthy condition.

Spuds only $1.25 per 100 pounds, at The Moro City Market.

Miss Grace Sells left for a visit with her father in Portland this week.

E. E. Barnum is the proud father of a boy born this week at the farm home.

Page says $1.25 per 100 is all he is asking for spuds, at the Moro City Market.

One of Martin Holman's daughters submitted to an operation in a Portland hospital this week.

Mrs W. F. Jackson, who has been quite ill, is recovering. Mrs Robert Kaseburg is staying with her.

Mayor J. O. Elrod and Manager J. N. Fordyce of the Sherman Trading Co., made Portland a flying visit on business last week.

Mrs McDonald, mother of Mrs Fordyce, was present with her daughter at the Easter services in Moro Presbyterian church Sunday.

Walter Parry will today take civil service examination in Portland, for Railway Mail service. Walter has been a student in this class for some time.

C. Forshaw, father of Mrs J. M. Parry, died at his home in Falls city, last Monday, aged 75 years. Mrs Parry and son Walter left for Falls city Tuesday.

Miss Howard, a teacher of ability from one of the colleges of Washington, would like to establish a class in Moro, both vocal and instrumental. Parents who may desire to have their children enrolled, please address Miss Howard, Wasco, Or.

C. L. Ireland has completed fencing his suburban residence home this week, set out fruit trees, roses and other flowering plants, and has five lots in wheat, which is now growing nicely. We don't want to appear boastful, but we do say that this improvement equals the best ever made in Moro.

Prof Bryant may well be proud of the success attending the Institute and School exhibition. The latter drew together as many as could be conveinently seated in the opera house. The children rendered their program most excellent. Prof. Pratt's remarks, which closed the entertainment, were quite impressive.

The Willapa Pilot last week issued a special oyster edition on first-class paper, embellished with half tone cuts of oyster scenes, boats, and men prominently identified with the business. It is full of information, historical facts and biographical sketches. The edition is a credit to the compilers, and the industry should derive some benefit from it.

The I. O. O. F. will celebrate the anniversary of Odd Fellowship by meeting in Moro M.E. church Sunday at 11 a.m ,at which time Rev. Adams will deliver an address suitable to the occasion. The fraternity of Wasco and Grass valley have been invited by the Moro lodge. Everybody welcome. Lodge members will meet in the Lodge hall at 10.30 sharp, and proceed to the church in a body.

Dell Calbreath and wife, Miss Eva Landry, Mrs Heckard and children accompanied Grandma Calbreath to Biggs one day last week, on her return to her home. By the breaking of the kingbolt the hack seperated, and a bad mixup resulted. Fortunately none were seriously injured. Dell is a good horseman which was all that prevented a disaster.

The last trip of the Columbia river steamer Mountain Gem, Capt. W.P. Gray, extended to Kennewick, the pioneer trip to that point for steamers for commercial purposes. Kennewick is opposite Pasco, 250 miles from Portland by water and 393 by the Northern Pacific. Within a few days the steamer W. R. Todd will be in service between Kennewick and White Bluffs, 45 miles farther up the Columbia.

Arnolds' circus is receiving six car loads of strange wild animals in Portland, direct from the jungles of Africa, which will make Arnold Bros.' Show bigger and better than ever. Like all circuses, it had a small beginning, but is rapidly developing into one of the most important canvas shows in the west. The tour of Arnold Bros.' will extend through all the important cities of the Pacific Northwest. They are great favprites in Oregon.

Among maples, the rock or sugar maple is claimed to be the best. It is a handsome tree from the start, stately and well balanced in maturity. Its foliage is deep and cooling in summer and gorgeous as sunset in autumn. It will bear more mutilation and ill-usage, and still thrive, than almost any other tree. As a wayside tree in exposed situations it has no superior. As a pasture shade for stock it is one of the best of trees. It will give comfort to stock and please the eye.

San Francisco Destroyed.

An Earthquake Reported Wednesday Which Paralels Vesuvius For Terrors.

All Telegraphic Communication Cut Off.

Wednesday rumors were in the air that an earthquake shock had levelled every building in San Francisco, Cal. above two stories high; that the heart and business center of the city was on fire and no water to quench the flames as all the water mains had bursted in the upheaval; that 2000 people had been picked up dead on the streets, and that there is no way of estimating the number of dead buried under the debris of fallen buildings.

All avenues for obtaining news of the cataclysm were cut off, and nothing of a positive nature confirmatory of the dire calamity could be secured, except flying rumors passing over the wires via San Deigo and Salt Lake City.

Base Ball Sunday. Wasco v. Moro, on the Moro diamond at 1 o'clock sharp.

Grassvalley Reds and Antelope "play ball" Sunday on the Grass valley diamond.

Eyes accurately fitted at Heacock's. If he don't fit, it costs you nothing.

St. George, an English shire with a record has passed from Portland ownership into the hands of I. D. Pike, for the Pike farm purposes.

Dr. Goffio, Dentist James, Jeweler Heacock and James Cochran returned from the Valley Tuesday. The latter accompanied by his wife.

Roy Powell was called to Roseburg Saturday night by a telegram announcing the dangerous illness of his fiancee, a Douglass county lady.

If you have headaches and dizzy spells don't take medicine as it is only a temporary cure. The trouble is probably in your eyes. Heacock makes no charge for examining.

This is a most significant question, propounded by The Telegram: "Is the City of Portland to have the terminal business of another transcontinental line of railroad, or are we to allow half a dozen men to defeat that consummation, and against an overwhelming popular desire for the advent of the road bring humiliation and lasting detriment to the municipality?" Several weeks ago The Observer pointed to the sudden and final termination of this hostility. After it comes 14 story buildings in The Webfoot Metropolis will be considered from 10 to 12 stories too high, and $100,000 50 foot front lots may be turned to potato patches.

"The Lord helps those who help themselves." Yes, even armless people. A short time ago a number of Moro people received a descriptive circular of an armless girl in Indiana. The pitiful story of her life was recited therein; how she lost her arms by amputation after they had been burned to a crisp on a stove, and how, after years of practice, she was able to sketch a few pictures by holding a pen or pencil between her toes. A letter was enclosed with the illustrated circular asking the gift of a quarter. The response was surprising. In fact, it takes 20 clerks to handle the business and money accumulating at the Indian home where the girl herself and the man who concocted the circular letter scheme, are receiving an income close to $500 a week from the generous American public. The man in the bargain gets half the proceeds for the brilliant idea he planned and has successfully worked.

O. M. Heacock is one of Oregon's registered opticians, he having successfully passed the state examination in optometry at Salem.

Friends of Mrs L. V. Moore will be pleased to learn that she is now recovering, having rallied nicely from a surgical operation at home.

"Mud-Rake" Phillips is still clawing at the senate in the May Cosmopolitan. "10 cents at the news stands."

The first bi-monthly soiree of the Moro Terpsichorean Club was held in Opera hall Tuesday evening. An average number of dancers were present and all had a good time, but not so good a time as will be had on May 1st, the date of the next club dance.

April 19, 1806, Lewis and Clark speak about the submerged forest at the cascades of the Columbia river, not yet obliterated by the hand of Time, as follows: "During the whole course of the river are the trunks of many large pine trees standing erect in the water, which is 30 feet deep at present, and never less than 10. These trees could never have grown in their present site, for they are all very much doted and none of them vegetate, so that the only reasonable account which can be given of this phenomena is that at some period (which the appearance of the trees induces us to fix within 20 years), the rocks from the hillsides have obstructed the river and caused it to spread through the woods. The mountains are high and broken, and the romantic view occasionally enlivened by beautiful cascades rushing from the heights, forming a deep contrast with the fire, cedars, and pines which darken their sides." A landslide is what submerged that forest and created the cascades of the Columbia. One may plainly see now it happened by comparing the Colville reservation slide of the 29th of last month, when millions of tons of rocks, sand and forest trees, swept down the mountain side 1000 feet into the Columbia, completely filling the river channel and piling debris hundreds of feet high on the opposite bank. The grandeur of this slide, dwarfed in contemplation of that spectacle of more than one hundred years ago at Cascade locks, was witnessed by three men, one of whom was carried along with it; but, as if by a miracle, lives to tell the story. We have four photographs of this slide which so completely dammed the river that for six hours no water passed the spot, then the measureless forces of the torrent ate its way through the obstruction, and once more swept on untrammeled to the Pacific ocean, as when the Cascades of the Columbia were formed.

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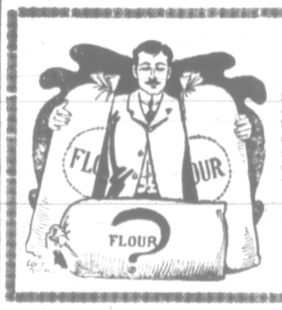

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