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FRIDAY..... JULY 17, 1908

Carrie Nation says she will tear off the first sheath gown she sees on a woman. Needless to say, Carrie has quite a following these days.

Sherman county farmers are feeling pretty well, thank you; today. Having their fields in soak. Drizzles of four consecutive nights did the work in a very satisfactory manner.

A water spout burst on the Wasco bank of the Des Chutes, just above free bridge. Sunday afternoon, that completely half dammed the river. Mr Rohr says the stream was never so muddy before at The Villa, as it was last Monday.

The old Pennsylvania Dutch Dunks recommend Hickory Bark Cough Remedy. Guaranteed to cure your cough, and guaranteed to be pure. Made from the bark of the shell-bark or white hickory tree. For sale by Moro Pharmacy and all dealers everywhere.

The O R & N Co are now running trains into Lewiston on regular schedule time. As soon as the S P S extension up Snake river is completed to Texas city that road will also operate a through service between Portland and Lewiston. The road from Texas city to Lewiston is owned jointly by two companies.

CAN YOU afford to trifle with so serious a matter as to neglect a bad cold or cough, when for a trifling amount you can secure a bottle of Hickory Bark Cough Remedy, that is guaranteed to cure or money refunded? Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. For sale at Moro Pharmacy, and dealers everywhere.

If you don't see what you want in the Moro Commercial Company's store just ask for it. They have the goods, but at present are cramped for room to display the stock fully.

The way trains connect at Biggs now, passengers have ample time both coming and going, for an extra nice dinner at The Biggs, with Mr and Mrs JJ Heckard. Don't forget The Biggs, in your travels; there is time enough. The table is supplied with everything nice, and the rooms are new, neat and clean.

Low rates East are now on by the O R & N Co for this season as follows round trip direct to Chicago \$72.50 St Louis \$67.50; St Paul \$63.15; Omaha \$60.00; Kansas City \$60.00. Tickets on sale May 4, 18, June 5, 6, 19, 20, July 6, 7, 22, 23, August 6, 7, 21, 22. Good for return in 90 days, with stop over privileges at pleasure within limits.

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Type-writer paper at The Observer office.

Plenic-dinner plates at The Observer Book Store.

L V Moore has purchased brick in Moro for more improvements at his farm.

Count Zeppelin did what he pleased with his airship up to a height of 6000 feet, and naturally took the permission.

Eleventh-hour conversions to temperance and anti-gambling are likely to become quite common with some candidates.

A current magazine has an article on "How to know mad dogs." It certainly is a bad time of the year to know them.

Boston needn't kick at the hot weather. So long as it continues to be found of beans it will have to be accustomed to baking.

A German experimenter is about to test a new boat in the Niagara whirlpool. This looks like scatteration when the public is so deeply interested in flying machines.

Mr and Mrs Hamilton and Mrs Coe, arrived from Iowa on the 9th. Mrs Coe is the mother and Mrs Hamilton the sister of C F Coe, at whose farm home they are guests.

Society complains that the new sheath gowns are too hot to wear in summer because they must be flannel lined to make them cling. In which dilemma the use of flypaper has been suggested.

The cotton crop of the United States sells for twice as much money as it brought ten years ago and corn has made a similar advance. If money is an object the boys should be cautious about leaving the old farm.

Plenty of Long silk Gloves at the Moro Commercial Company.

Latest and up to date bracelets, L W Ross, Wasco jeweler.

Pencils, 10 cents per dozen, rubber insert, Observer Book Store.

Great conveniences are the picnic-dinner plates you buy at The Observer Book Store.

Self-cleaning oil cans are the thing. See them at Moro Implement and Hardware store.

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

Type-writer oil, the best 3-in-1. Lubricates, cleans and polishes, prevents rust. Try it The Observer Book Store.

Seventy-five dozen of the very latest shades of mens ties, at the Moro Commercial Co. Make your selections.

Superior round nickel tipped and rubber top pencils, two-for-5-cents and some for 10 cts per doz., at the Observer Book Store.

A small Oregon Soldier Button, mounted on a pin, was lost in Moro Wednesday afternoon. Finder please leave at The Observer office and claim reward.

Buy the genuine imported avianic carbolicum; the imitation being offered is only a temporary remedy if at all. If genuine one application lasts for all time. Ask to see our sealed packages. The Observer Book Store.

Inks, mullage, cards, envelopes, paper of every kind, tablets, every style, at The Observer Book Store.

The banks have lately reported an unprecedented amount of cash on hand. A financial cloud soon rolls by when a competent party is in control.

Coiners of new words should remember that airship, aeroplane and aviator are an embarrassment in the cockney dialect. Automobile made trouble, aeronautics should not add to it.

One of the new ocean liners has developed 65,000 horse-power and burns over 1000 tons of coal daily. The figures look big, but several navigation companies are planning to leave them far behind.

A government report states that in the United States 2,600,000 cattle die annually from disease, exposure and neglect. This country always feels uncomfortable when the statistics of waste are brought up.

It is understood that fresh African hunting stories are not to count until after March 4th. Mr. Bryan will be at leisure after November 3d but is too considerate to steal thunder at the headwaters of the Zambesi.

Australia's pest of billions of rabbits resulted from the importation of two from England 1852. If something like this should happen to the beef trust in the South Seas or elsewhere the public would feel glad.

North Pacific waters are alive with whales. The captain of the steamer Tabor, now in the river, declares that he never saw as many before in his life as he did in the North Pacific, while the South Pacific has been pretty well fished out of these marine elephants, the northern waters of the ocean seem to be the playgrounds for thousands of them.

To utilize a ham hock so that the last morsel of meat may be as good as the first: As soon as it is done remove the skin and put all the meat through a meat chopper, reject-ignis, etc. Mix fat and lean well together and pack in glasses as you would any potted meat. Keep in ice box. Nice for lunches or can be sliced for the table.

Cure for Hangnails. The skin at the base of the nail must be kept free, for hangnails are made by the tearing away of tags of skin about the nail. By careful attention to the condition of the nails these painful little defects can be avoided. When hangnails have formed, however, they should be cut away close to the skin and should never be pulled out, as this is decidedly painful.

The man I wish to marry, says a contributor to the August Designer, is one who would, if necessary, when washday comes, roll up his sleeves and bend his back over the wash-tub; who would be the first to turn out on cold winter mornings and build the fire; who would be ready to walk the floor at midnight with a oolicky baby; who would spend many of his evenings at home with me instead of loafing around bar-rooms, street corners, or other places of amusement, talking clap-trap and politics; who does not indulge in intoxicants of any kind, who does not consider that he is it. In short, I wish to marry a man. As to looks and age, while they count, nevertheless they are a minor consideration.

Hatfields 1908 contract closed on the 10th. No rain yet.

That old City Hotel shack ought to be removed or boarded in.

Claude Johnson has returned to Wasco, and is now with the W. W. M. Company.

The Moro Pharmacy is changing hands today. Geo E James will be the new proprietor.

Lola Messenger returned from a visit to Grandma Sutton Sunday. She witnessed the fire in Newberg.

Attorney Wagner of Rosalia, is over taking a look at Sherman county with the possible view of locating in Moro.

Roy Axtell finished a first class job of interior decorating last week, at the new farm residence of F. W. Sayre, one of the most convenient in Sherman county.

Peary has obtained the money needed and is off again for the pole. When he gets there he may find Zeppelin cutting the figure eight and other curlicues overhead.

A new tale of pirates' buried gold comes from the South Sea islands. It has never been explained why pirates were so frugal as to bury treasure instead of spending it.

Austria, with its limited coast line, will pay this year \$2,755,740 in subsidies to its chief steamship line. The reasons why the American flag is disappearing from the sea are easy to find.

Hon. C. J. Bright of Wasco, has been appointed deputy district attorney for Sherman county by district attorney elect Burdette, who has now fully qualified for the position.

Bulletin: R E Duff and J M Charters are in Portland buying lumber and making other arrangements to begin work on their contract to build the stock yards for the railroad company.

The Canadian government has decided to confine the coastwise trade on the Pacific coast of Canada to British vessels hereafter, thus excluding a large number of American ships which have engaged in that trade.

Chronicle: Charles Pool, brother of Mrs F T Mullikin has returned for the summer from Stockton, where he was employed by the Holt harvester company. Mr Pool will probably spend most of the summer in Sherman county.

Mitchell Sentinel: Attorney W C Bryant of Moro, spend Friday night in town on his way home from Canyon City and other points. The attorney is a very interesting man to converse with, and we should judge from his general appearance that he is a man that would hold his own in the court room.

Columbus Items: There has been quite a cleaning up among the dogs in this town. They were all shot excepting a few pointers and since then the train ran over one of those, belonging to Mrs Love, cutting off both hind feet. Perhaps some visiting angel will take pity on us and continue the good work.

The town-cow, that good old auxiliary to the family support, is of all animals the one most deserving of sympathy. Annually, at this time of the year in this county, she is left without a morsel of green feed, and the industry of her chase after noxious weeds even, is returned with a brutal kick or a club. God help the family cow.

Chronicle: Mr and Mrs Don Wheat and Mr and Mrs ID Pike and family of Moro, came into the city last night, arriving from White Salmon on the steamer Teal. They had been camping at Trout lake for the past two weeks. They had an enjoyable outing, and the trip going and returning was very pleasant. They went from Moro to Trout lake by way of Goldendale and Glenwood in their own conveyance.

At a Kentucky picnic last week 50 persons were poisoned from eating ice cream, and for a while it was thought that a number of them would die. An excursion train from Cincinnati took several hundred people to the picnic and many from surrounding country were there to spend the day. Ice cream in abundance was served and nearly all those who partook of it were affected. All the available physicians were called upon.

Moro Lodge 113, I O O F, installed officers by J. R. Howell, D D G M, on the 11th as follows: G A Meloy, N G; J O Elliott, V G; R M Braeb, secretary; W D Wallap, treasurer; O W Axtell, War; S P Brisbane, Con; J C Hookman, J G; J E Blue, O G; W B Johnston, Chaplain; J M Axtell, L S N G; J M Dunahoo, R S N G; Roy Kessinger, R S V G; W A Raymond, L S V G; B F Shull, R S S; H C Roggie, L S S.

Free supply of genuine carbolicum just opened at the Observer Book Store.

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

Mr. Crabtree and family have taken the premises vacated by Mr. Cady. Mr. Crabtree is now the railway agent in Moro.

Miss Julia Woods is a regular attendant on the Chautauqua program at Gladstone, also Hon B. F. Pike and wife of Moro.

Old type makes the very best of Babbitt metal. We have it for sale and when you need any call at The Observer office. Prices are right.

Have you noticed how tender the beef is lately? Some say it is because Mr Cochran has now a tender-hearted clerk, Mr Morrison, at the block.

A ship has arrived in the river from Hongkong with 4,000,000 grain bags from Calcutta. The Walla Walla penitentiary surplus of 850,000 sacks are on the market at \$6.90 per 100, f o b cars.

The opening of the new store building for business of the Commercial Company in this city will be preceded by a grand ball July 24th, and supper at the Hotel Moro. See posters, a general invitation is extended to all.

Miss Covey, one of the leading teachers of Sherman county, returned on the 14th and will be the guest of Miss Alice Hule, until the season for pupils to resume studies. These ladies will be Culinary Queens with the Hule thrashing outfit.

Moro will support a bakery, a shoe-shop, a clothes-cleaning establishment, bootblack stand and a regular milk ranch. All are badly needed, and there is good money in each. No half made man or woman need apply. Active, progressive, up to date people are wanted.

Chronicle: From about four acres A. Seehler got a yield of cherries sufficient to receive a check for \$1,811. He took the cherries to Seufert Bros' cannery. Mr Seehler will have the check photographed, so that all who see the picture will be able to realize more fully what a paying industry the cherry grower maintains.

Sentinel: Seattle capitalists who purchased the townsite of Roosevelt, Klickitat county, are having machinery placed on the ground preparatory to boring for artesian water. This company paid T B Montgomery \$50,000 for the land, consisting of several sections.

Astorian: A pest known as the black ant has worked considerable damage on the roof of the Shively school eating holes about the size of a small pea through two thicknesses of shingles, and so many in number that during a heavy rain the water leaks through in large quantities. A composition of tar and asphalt will be given the roof which is expected to exterminate the pests.

Because the Lewiston Tribune contained the announcement of the winner of a lottery conducted by the Owl drug store the paper was denied admission to the mails Sunday morning and almost the entire mail edition failed to reach subscribers. Postmaster McEachron noticed the announcement of the winner in a lottery in which the drug company gave away prizes and notified the Tribune. A few early copies passed through the postoffice, but the bulk of the sacks found their way back to the Tribune office.

Sometimes it is difficult to get good corned beef, or it is desirable to save a piece of fresh beef in this way. The easiest method is to stir coarse fine salt into cold water until a brine is made strong enough to float an egg and expose a spot as large as a 10-cent piece. Put in the beef, lay a plate on it and a stone to hold it down. After two days, or four at the most for 5 or 6 pounds, the beef will be ready to use, and is often relished better with early vegetables than fresh meat.

Cliffs Bulletin: The rain maker over in Sherman county, who has been operating since May in an endeavor to cause 2.50 inches of rain to fall over that part of the country before July 10, is short in his efforts and stands to lose the \$700 bait hung up by farmers should that amount of rain fall in the stated period. This fake has been successfully worked on gullible farmers of that neighborhood once or twice before, when nature provided a sufficient amount of rainfall, and the failure of any considerable quantity of rain to fall in that, or any other part of the great wheat belt of eastern Washington and Oregon this year, should be evidence conclusive that no advantages accrue to the farmer from the operations of rain making fakirs.

Dr Sanders is able to be about, but is yet quite feeble.

Dufur had a glorious rain, both Sunday and Monday night.

Miss Frances Sayers is entertaining Miss Johnston of Iowa.

Miss Hazel Bentley has returned from her Hood river outing.

Ira K Axtell has leased his fathers farm, and J M will move into Moro.

Dan McLachlan has a fine concrete cistern now, in connection with his new well.

It is said that Pater's book furnished the pointers that has let Neuhausen out. Great is Pater.

Ireland Bros., B F and O L, will run a Buffalo Pitts thrasher in the Kent country this harvest.

The rain drops pattered Moro roofs and flecked the dust herabout, Sunday and Monday evenings.

Mrs Berrian returned from the Rose city Saturday, bringing with her a bright youth, Master Ellsworth son of her sister.

Mrs Coleman and Mrs Hoskinson returned from Portland Monday, leaving Mrs Ginn improving, and out of danger.

This county has afloat thousands of dollars in Canadian paper money and look out for it, and discount every dollar 10 percent.

II A Stuart was at home a few days this week from the new mines, but is off again with Horace Strong M E Miller, et al.

Everybody don't agree as to wheat prospects in Sherman county, but recent inquiry develops far better than the talk 10 days ago.

Mr. Coolidge returned to Athena Wednesday, after a very pleasant visit here. Mrs Coolidge remains a while longer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs J P Strahl.

Attorney M E Miller caught the gold fever and struck out south Tuesday, piloted by Horace Strong. When he gets back we'll have some news from the front.

John Tonkins has finished a 30-foot well for L V Moore, that carries 25 feet of pure, cold water. The water bubbles up in force to keep the pressure in spite of all pumping to date.

The weather is all right. Saturday and Sunday were hotter than Friday, but nobody fainted. Even at 96° the hottest, sleeping was fine that night favored by the prevailing sea breeze.

Charles Huck received a consignment of blackberries from the Miller farm at Des Chutes city this week that were the finest black berries we have seen in Moro for over 14 years.

Chas Pool is in the county again prepared for the work of the harvest of 1908; which we are proud to be able to say, will be a good one; except in a few spots that never should have been ploughed.

Among the good effects of Sunday's storm Heppner received a bad dose of bad effects. The water sprout of June 1903 was repeated in miniature, destroying much valuable property. Fortunately no lives were lost.

Jim Kelly has gone from Moro, leaving a good business-stand, that was paying him \$25 every week. An opening for an industrious clothes cleaner survives the departure of James, who became too fresh to enjoy prosperity.

Be Careful: A Drewry dispatch states that Mrs Joe Molley and a 15 year old daughter were seriously injured Saturday morning by the explosion of a dynamite cap which had been put in the range with some rubbish they had gathered up in the house. The mother was badly burned about the face and hands, while the girls burns are on the hands and back.

Children are to have a part in the district fair to be held in The Dalles next October. The exhibits will be open to the high, public and parochial schools in Crook, Sherman, Wheeler, Wasco and Gilliam counties. These exhibits must be the work of the pupils of the school. Flowers, vegetables, art, mechanical, needle, poultry, cooking, etc. will be represented in the exhibit.

The persistence with which the Portland Business College insistently hammers away at quality is most admirable. If there is any one feature on which special stress should be placed in educational matters it is thorough work. This splendid school has an advertisement in our columns, to which attention is called. It is not often that The Observer prints an announcement so attractive and so well worded. Anyone interested in a practical education should write for a catalogue of the Portland Business College, and learn of the many advantages it offers.

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