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Church and Society notices FREE, except when for money making purposes.

Before coming to the city to trade readers are requested to examine The Observer advertising columns.

We will not be responsible for the neglect of subscribers to notify us of changes in their address.

It is easy to say that a state is doubtful. We name Texas.

Greece is talking over the back fence with Persia for the first time in 2399 years.

When the aeronauts form a trust we will know that navigation of the air is a success.

The aeronaut who can sell an air ship to any government at a big price certainly has ability to make money fly.

Send The Observer to your absent friends. It is better than a letter, and gives all the home news.

The Standard Oil Co will expend 13,000,000 for new pipe lines, but "not one cent" for court fines—if it can be avoided.

One nice thing about Hobson's prediction of war between the United States and Japan is that Japan is to get licked.

The American people are much more amused than interested when a frothy politician tells them that they have ceased to rule their government.

Sales of special one way tickets from all points in the United States to all points in Oregon begins September 1st and continues until October 31st. See adv.

There are seven candidates for president, and seven for vice president. It required vigilance on the part of the notification committees to prevent the quality of eloquence from souring before they could get around.

France may have a chance next month to subscribe for a \$400,000, 000 Russian loan. With England also taking of a \$500,000,000 loan, the French peasant should soon be able to see clear through to the toe of his stocking.

It has taken 100 volumes in Chinese to print the life of Li Hung Chang, and yet he lived but 78 years. If Minister Wu lives 200 years it will require a whole library to do him justice.

A physician says that only a monomaniac can think of one subject continuously for five minutes; and yet any body can recall a politician who never thought of anything but an office since he has been old enough to vote.

Distrusting the banks an Arkansas man in 1894 buried \$10,000 in greenbacks in an old tin pail. For the decaying mass which he dug up last month he has been able to collect \$9,075, thanks to the efforts of a treasury redemption expert.

The United Chambers of Commerce of Japan have extended an invitation to representative men of business of cities along the Pacific coast to participate in an excursion which will leave San Francisco on the 25th. The trip will consume about 90 days, "and the visitors will see the famous chrysantheums at their best."

The most elaborate book ever published in Oregon is now in process of preparation by a firm whose books in other sections of America are in a class by themselves.

ABOUT ELECTING PRESIDENTS.

There are numbers of things about electing a President and vice President of the United States not very clearly understood by all.

Oregon has four electoral votes in the electoral college, one for each United States senator and member of congress.

The largest majority on the popular vote ever given any candidate for president was that of Roosevelt when he 'whooped up' to 2,500,000 more than all the other candidates.

The only serious difficulty growing out of the electoral college system was in 1876, when fraud was charged in several states and congress created an electoral commission of 15, seating Hayes over Tilden by 8 to 7.

Panama mosquitoes have been all exterminated; also canal pessimists.

That Goldfield miner who left his fortune to the girl who jilted him must have been mighty glad of it.

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High Grade Auto-Car for \$1,400.

For a number of years the man of average means has been waiting to see a high class automobile placed on the market for a moderate price, and at last the wish is about to be gratified.

The E M F will be sold on a basis of \$1,400 delivered f o b Portland, and is the only five-passenger car of this type with 106-inch wheel base, that has ever been offered for anything approaching this amount.

Realizing the superior qualities of the E M F car, and that it is in a class by itself, the well-known Studebaker Bros Company has joined with the Everett-Metzger-Flanders Company in its manufacture.

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IN MEMORIAM.

Hall of Lupine Reb. Lodge, No. 116, Moro, Or., August 28, 1908.

To the Officers and Members of Lupine Rebekah Lodge, No. 116, I. O. O. F.:

We, your committee on resolutions, submit the following: Whereas, It has pleased the Supreme Ruler of the Universe to whose will we all must bow, to take away our sister Marie Woods; therefore, be it

Resolved, That Lupine Lodge has lost one of its most esteemed members, the community a kind, hospitable neighbor, and the husband a dearly loved wife.

Resolved, That by this great loss we are reminded that all must pass through the valley of the shadow of death, and while we know that words avail little in such a bereavement, yet they are our only medium through which we can express our love for our departed sister, and extend our sympathy to the afflicted family.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be placed on the minutes copies sent to the bereaved husband and family, one to the county paper and one to the Pacific Odd Fellow, for publication.

Respectfully submitted, MAE JAMES, EVA RUDOLF, NELLIE MELOY, Committee

Additional Locals.

L G Hillhouse and wife, of Lawrence county, Mo., are here on a visit to Mr and Mrs J B Wheat. Mrs Wheat and Mrs Hillhouse are sisters.

Astoria gill-netters bit off more than they expected to apparently, when they attempted to put the up river fish wheels out of business. Now, within sight of Astoria fish traps fairly line the north shore of the Columbia river.

The miles and miles of floating dead herring off the coast of Oregon, north and south of Yaquina, is a puzzle to mariners who sailed through the mass, en route to Portland last week. About thirty odd years ago the bay at Astoria and the roadstead for 14 miles across and up presented a similar scene, on flood tide one day and the mystery was never solved.

Political Information.

Electors are voted on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November.

Electors meet at the state capitol the second Monday in January and vote by ballot.

The votes are counted by congress the second Wednesday in February.

The president-elect is to be inaugurated on March 4 next.

A Pittsburg girl offers \$450 for a husband. But if she gets one at that price he will have no assurance that she will not trade him for a 30 dollar pinola.

Science and Sound Fact. "The workings of the human mind when asleep are full of wonder," remarked a scientist who was paying a visit to an acquaintance.

"O'Brien," replied his hostess, "and in nearly every case I have found that I was awakened by the fumbling of my husband's key at the front door!"

Impertinent. Speaking of a man noted for his impudence, an acquaintance said: "Blank's impudence was second only to that of a waiter I heard about the other day."

"Look here, waiter," said a guest, "this fish is not cooked properly."

"I know it, sir," said the waiter, "but you told me it was for your wife."

"Well, what of that? asked the surprised guest.

"That if the lady was your wife she couldn't be very particular."

Moro Public Schools

THE COMING TERM

The Moro Public Schools will begin Monday, September 14th. The prospects are very encouraging for an increased attendance, especially in the advanced grades.

Prof. Blough, the newly elected principal, is a man of wide teaching experience, and superior attainments. He comes to us highly recommended, and we predict for him, and his able corps of teachers, a successful school year, beyond any doubt.

The upper room in the brick addition is to be renovated, and set apart for a public library. While the library will be under the direct control of the school, it will be open to the general public.

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Moro Lodge, No. 113, I. O. O. F., Moro, Oregon. Meets every Saturday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Not the Kind He Wanted. "Little Willie ran away to hunt redskins."

The Local Churches

Moro Presbyterian Church.

Services in Moro Presbyterian church next Sunday, Morning and evening. Sunday school at 10 a. m.

Menklund Presbyterian Church.

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Regular services every Sunday, at 11 a. m. Rev. Perry Chandler, Pastor.

Sunday School at 10 o'clock. P H Buxton, Supt.

Ladies' Aid Society, every Thursday, at 2 o'clock p. m. Mrs O G Huls, President.

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