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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.

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

Write it 1909. Turn over that new leaf.

Try to make this year, and all the years to come, better for yourself and for your neighbor.

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

Castro saw his first snow storm on Christmas, in Berlin. It was more gentle than the frost he left behind him in Venezuela.

The steel and harvester trusts admit that they are no longer infant industries in need of the high tariff nursing bottle.

Why do boys leave the farm? It must be because they are too timid to tackle the \$778,000,000 for this year's crops.

The Taft Inaugural Ball will be held in the Pension building; but the inaugural ball of the opposition will probably be held in the N. Y. World office.

The future historian must be careful in handling the public documents of 1908; he might easily imagine things of this period worse than they are.

There are three Annanses in the New Testament; but only one is known to the world.

Cham Clark is not so classy simply because he is minority leader of the house.

Mr Rockefeller's proposed gift of \$50,000,000 to Oriental education is calculated to sadden the University of Chicago; perhaps he is discouraged with the Occidental pupils turned out.

The war between the President and congress which the lurid correspondents have been heralding, is going to be like those paper conflicts that were raging so fierce recently between the United States and Japan.

The Centennial Anniversary of the birth of Abraham Lincoln will occur on the 12th of next month.

To grow old gracefully; to find the heart becoming more mellow with the passing years; is something everyone should seek after.

A Texas paper complains that the latest American battle ship ordered will cost \$9,000,000; that one broad side will burn up \$17,000, and that at the end of two hours fighting her guns will be worn out.

Don't forget that it is the duty of every reader of this paper to write to some friend at a distance and tell him of the advantages of Oregon.

Proper Expression for Proper Roads in Sherman County Correctly Presented.

Communication from Col. C. A. Buckley.

As one who is deeply interested in the welfare of Sherman county, and its residents, I desire to make a suggestion that I believe will be to the interest of all.

At the present time nine-tenths of the transient men escape the poll tax, and thereby the county loses this work.

A small road district should be the means of creating more harmony in the district, and if they would all work faithfully at a favorable time, it would be but a few years until we could point with pride to "good roads" throughout Sherman county.

There is considerable in the words of Col. Buckley to commend. Sherman county possesses the means and the ability to provide every needed adjunct to securing of good roads, when properly awakened without chasing after the phantoms created by traveling speculators whose principal desire, it seems to us, is to reach into the pockets of thrifty stay-at-home taxpayers.

Why not organize a Home Development League for Sherman county?

The Electoral Vote for President.

Table with columns for States, Taft, and Bryan. Lists electoral votes for various states and totals for both candidates.

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NATURE'S WARNING.

Moro People Should Recognize It. And Heed It. Kidney pills come quietly—mysteriously. But nature always warns you.

Circumstantial Evidence. "Nora?" "Yes, mum." "Is Johnny in the kitchen?" "No, mum."

IN MEMORIAM.

The glories of our mortal state. Are shadows. Not substantial things. There is no armor against fate.

Mary A. Hulse, wife of O. P. Hulse, was born at Waverly, Ohio, May 6th, 1894. Married to O. P. Hulse December 16th, 1876, at Wilmington, Ohio.

From all earthly scenes our friend is gone, but she will never be forgotten. Her friends, which are many, will ever keep her memory fresh within their hearts.

Mrs. Hulse was a long-time sufferer, but with heroic fortitude, until God called her, and her spirit took its flight.

The funeral was one of the largest ever held in Moro. The family desire us to return their thanks to the many sympathizing friends and neighbors who rendered so much comfort to them in their hours of sorrow.

There will be no cull timber in the Taft cabinet.

Dr J R Morgan, Dentist, has arranged his appointments for Wasco for two weeks in each month beginning with the 15th day.

Fever Sores.

Fever sores and old chronic sores should not be healed entirely, but should be kept in healthy condition.

Real Estate Snaps

145 acres, joining Moro, a snap at \$5,000. 620 acres 2 1/2 miles from Moro, 400 acres fenced, plenty of water, very good improvements.

486 acres at \$80 per acre, plenty of water, good house and barn, in one of the best localities in Sherman county.

I have a farm in Morrow county consisting of 727 1/2 acres; good wheat land plenty of water; 1/4 mile from post office. \$20 per acre. Would entertain an exchange proposition.

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For Particulars ask W. B. McCoy, Moro, Oregon.

The Customer Who Came Back. Made us. We pleased him by giving him value, not by what we told him. He forgot that, as soon as he left the store. The clothes we sold him had to get him here again.

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Information Wanted. We have several parties who are looking for homestead locations or relinquishments, also some good timber claims.

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