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Old type metal makes the best and the cheapest babbling. The Observer has a lot of such material for sale cheap.

Agent Berrian is having a full screen set of doors attached to the Eastern Oregon Land Company's Main street office front.

For best possible vision guaranteed, try A. L. Golder, Doctor of Optics. Up to date optical parlors. The Dalles, 23-24 Vogt block.

The return game of ball played between Moro and Wasco, on the field at the latter place was won by error by Wasco, the score being 5 to 6.

Don't forget that we have some exceptional values in face curtains, from 50c pair up; a nice, brass extension curtain rod free with each pair of curtains. M.C.Co.

Lost in Moro Saturday May 29th an oval, gold, beauty pin, size a little larger than a dime, initial R in center surrounded by a wreath. Finder please leave with Fred Rose at the M. C. Co.

Ladies' shirt waists in silk, net and fine lawns, from 65c to \$5. Don't fail to see this, the biggest assortment ever shown in Sherman county. A new shipment just received. Moro Commercial Co.

Capt Short, of the Open River steamer Teal, has informed Judd S Fish, secretary of The Dalles Business Men's Association, that there is at the down river terminal of the Oregon Portage Ry all ties, rails, fish plates, spikes and other material, for the extension of the line into Dalles city.

Writing to Assessor Otto Peetz for statistical information, the Celilo Milling and Power Company say it is about to utilize 150,000 horse power of the Celilo falls, which is to be the greatest power plant on the Pacific coast, and also to establish a site for manufacturing plants second to none in the state of Oregon.

A number of Hood river residents are kicking themselves because they have been stung by the old portrait enlargement game. It seems to be the same old story of fraud. We feel sorry for the victims, of course the newspapers can run the scamps out; but so long as you open your doors, your heart and your purse, to a scoundrel—expect to be stung.

Are automobiles becoming more popular, or homes less attractive? Does the excitement of the joy-ride tend to lessen the pleasures of the fireside? Each reader may answer for himself. But in a classified advertisement in a late issue of the Spokesman-Review under: City real estate for sale; an advertiser offers to sell a good home, in a fine location, "and take an automobile as part pay." He seems anxious to make a deal, too; for he says: Easy terms.

The Pic Nic at Col. Buckley's.

The picnic at Buckley's Sunday by invitation of Colonel C A Buckley, to the citizens of Sherman county generally, was a great success. 23 automobiles in attendance from Moro, Grass Valley and Wasco, and from the Kent region, showed the hearty response. The gathering cordially mingled into the form of a social reunion, and everybody had a grand feast of enjoyment. Mr and Mrs Buckley are preparing to leave for New York next month on their annual visit to the old folks at home. The bountiful luncheons were a very entertaining feature of the day. The conversations were diversified by exhibits of stock on the farm, notably his splendid family of Belgian horses and colts, which it would be difficult to duplicate anywhere in the United States. Various matters of public interest were discussed in an informal way, such as the county fair, good roads, an auto association, etc. Preliminary steps were agreed upon for ways and means of creating a fund to pay for the acreage negotiated for permanent fair grounds, and an automobile association was organized with temporary officers until permanent organization is effected. Membership dues were fixed at \$10 each, and 23 members were enrolled.

A Women's Great Idea is how to make herself attractive. But without health, it is hard for her to be lovely in the face, form or temper. A weak, sickly woman will be nervous and irritable. Constipation and kidney troubles show in pimples, blotches, skin eruptions and a wretched complexion. But Electric Bitters always prove a godsend to women who want health, beauty and friends. They regulate stomach, liver and kidneys, purify the blood, give strong nerves, bright eyes, good breath, smooth, velvety skin, lovely complexion, good health. Try them. 50c at Moro Pharmacy.

The wife of a policeman told the judge in a recent divorce court that she forgave her husband when he neglected her, when he swore at her, and when he threw dishes at her head, but when he declared she was not "swell" she could stand it no longer and wanted a divorce. Now the court would like to have some one define the word "swell." They know what it means in an Astoria fish cannery. Ask Sam Elmore.

A Dreadful Wound from a knife, gun, tin can, rusty nail, fire-works, or of any other nature, demands prompt treatment with Buckley's Arnica Salve to prevent blood poison or gangrene. It is the quickest, surest healer for all such wounds as also for burns, boils, sores, skin eruptions, eczema, chapped hands, cracks or piles. 25c at Moro Pharmacy.

FIELD DAY CELEBRATION,

Gathering of the Masses, An Ideal Day Good Order, Best of Feeling.

Field meet day for 1910 was celebrated by the schools of Sherman county at Grass Valley on the 27th, on the finest grounds in this section, being level, free from dust and well policed.

The special train from the North End of the county arrived about 11 o'clock a. m., bringing 129 excursionists from Wasco, and 114 from Moro. Several came by the afternoon train to witness the evening exercises making a very heavy passenger train north bound after the day.

The Vintia Hotel, under the efficient management of Mrs L V Rinearson, must be specially commended for their prompt service to 400 patrons at noon, and possibly twice that number at evening. Six waiters soon served the hungry guests with a better meal than the majority seemed to anticipate, because of the throngs in the hotel corridors.

The track event was won by Grass Valley with a total points of 85; Moro next, with 24; Wasco 23; Morrow district 12. Knighton of Grass Valley was the star of the meet, with 31 points won; five 1st and two 2d.

Declamatory contest C Division Ruth Smith, Grass Valley, gold medal; Lois Barnett, Wasco, silver medal; B Division, James Morrison, Grass Valley, gold medal; Katherine McDonald, Wasco, silver medal.

Oratorical contest: Foster Gow Wasco, gold medal; Giles French Grass Valley, silver medal.

Judges of the declamatory contest were Superintendent of Wasco county schools J T Neff, Rev. D V Poling, of The Dalles, and Rev. Bertram Warren, of The Dalles.

We congratulate the winning track team: Moro has won a cup once; Wasco has won a cup twice, thus being entitled to its permanent ownership; and now Grass Valley has won a cup once; the cup in use must be won twice before it can be retained permanently.

We also wish to congratulate the winners at the evening exercises, especially Foster Gow of Wasco, who has attended school under difficulties that would cause most boys to quit before he reached the success he attained at Grass Valley. At the same time we regret very much that Moro was accorded no place among the medal winners. We have no knowledge of the score of the contestants, but believe it must have been very close, and very difficult for the judges to decide.

Funeral of Lemuel Sells.

The death of Lemuel Sells occurred at his home in this city, at noon Memorial Day. He was past 71 years of age and his death was due to an affliction of the bowels from which he has long suffered. He was born near Indianapolis, Indiana, and has been in active pursuits all his life, an esteemed citizen wherever his lot was cast. At the time of death he was Collector and Marshal of the city of Moro. He leaves a wife and one son, Emmitt, in this city, Mrs P C Angel, of Oakland Cal, J W Sells of Great Falls, Montana, and G M Sells of North Bend, Oregon, all of whom were at his bed side when the final summons came, except G M, who could not get here. Much sympathy is extended to the bereaved family, who lost in him a kind, loving father and husband. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Adams, Tuesday afternoon in the M.E. church.

The family wish us to express their sincere thanks to the neighbors and friends in Moro and vicinity who so kindly assisted them during this trying ordeal of sickness, death, and burial.

Fourth of July at DeMoss.

Arrangements are being made to celebrate July 4th, 1910, at De Moss Springs as usual. Both this city and Wasco have signified the intention to join in helping the movement. Arrangements are under way by which the Cornet Band of this city and the Lyric Bands will alternate in furnishing the music. Concessions for the occasion are now being disposed of.

Kept the King at Home "For the past year we have kept the King of all laxatives—Dr. King's New Life Pills—in our home and they have proved a blessing to all our family," writes Paul Muthlake, of Buffalo, N. Y. Easy, but sure remedy for all stomach, liver and kidney troubles. Only 25c at Moro Pharmacy.

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The City and Its Needs.

We made some angry last week by our criticism of city affairs, we expected that. We have also been threatened with retaliation if we persist, and do not let things go on in their serene way; we also expected that. We have been told that the garage and repair shop were going into the old city hotel building, regardless of opinion in the matter, we also expected to be told that. We have been told that the article we published last week was all lies, we expected that might be said by some. We have also been told that we publish The Observer for no other reason than to vent our spite. That was a new deal, from a supposed friend, upon whose corn we happened to tread.

Taking up the last matter first, will say that the publishers of The Observer could not be in continuous business in Moro for 16 years, seeing different people whose schemes we have seen fit to oppose during that time, go their several ways, some not mourned very badly; without having the every day people back of us. No newspaper can succeed if it only has its own ax to grind.

As to the article in question being all lies, how is it that workmen went to the reservoir Monday to do repair work?

The garage and repair shop may go into the old city hotel building, if the council does not see fit to meet and pass an ordinance preventing the location of such a dangerous business in the heart of the business district, but there is a state law, known as the recall, by which the officers of a city, county, or even the state, who neglect to attend to the vital interests of their constituency, may be put out of office and others elected in their places. Also, the people of Moro have the power, by initiative petition, to enact ordinances without the consent of the city council. So if the garage should be located where we are assured it is to be, regardless of the wishes of a majority of the people of Moro, it would be an easy matter to make its business operation there an expensive luxury for its owner.

Should any person buy that building for such a purpose he would do so with his eyes open as to what the people will, and will not stand for. There may be a few who think we are saying this on our own incentive, but when a garage goes into that building there will most likely be a surprise for some one. None in Oregon can any more guarantee what can, or cannot be done by any city, county or state officials in Oregon, until after the votes are counted.

As to the threat of retaliation upon us for doing our plain duty to the public, we may say that if it should come to pass we shall let the people of this city know how it is done. In advance we may say that we shall take care of ourselves.

It was accidentally discovered Monday that there are now two pipes leading into the city reservoir, which are connected by a Y and valve; that the valve stem is broken, and all that needs to be done to give Moro at least 3 1/2 feet of water reserve at all times, is to repair that valve stem, put in a box to operate the valve in case of fire, and pump the water.

That discovery alone is worth to the city all the information east.

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Two sons of Rev Lowther returned to Prineville Monday.

Miss Sara Ruggles is having a lovely outing visiting in California.

Dr. Morgan is now at his Moro office to attend to all calls for dentistry.

The Observer is the best advertising medium in the Inland Empire. Test it.

An enjoyable ice cream social was given at Rutledge Methodist Church May 19th.

The use of dust from vacuum cleaners is in demand to dust patterns with in foundries.

W H Moore, former mayor of this city, was here this week renewing old-time acquaintances.

Some great bargains in ladies tailored suits and coats, ask about them. Moro Commercial Co.

Mrs Edna Cooledge of Hood River was here on visit to her parents, Mr and Mrs J P Strahl, last week.

Mrs Amanda Martin returned from her Harney trip Sunday. Her mother returned with her as far as La Grande.

A new lot of ladies linen tailored waists. Nothing neater for the summer. Call and see them at Moro Commercial Co.

It is a tie between Frank Sayres and J O Thompson, both living off green peas and new potatoes grown in their gardens in this city.

In consequence of a burned bridge on the C S Ry, Saturday night, below Wasco, all trains were delayed Sunday about ten hours.

M.C.Co have the finest line of mens and boys negligee and golf shirts ever shown in the county. Many patterns and shades in pongee, soisette, chambray, etc.

The drilled well at the Pinkerton farm is finally finished. Water in abundance was struck at a depth of 680 feet, and while the supply seems to be inexhaustible, the quality is par excellent.

That man who went fishing for cat fish in the Illinois river and found a pearl worth \$1,500 probably never got a bite. The man with fisherman's luck never is any great success at money making.

Mrs Emmett Sells is at Walla Walla yet, at the bedside of her mother, Mrs Huffman, who is seriously ill, much the same as was the father of Emmitt in this city. It is doubly sad to both to be so afflicted.

Several of the Moscow combine harvesters will be in use in fields of this county when the 1910 harvest is ready to cut. The first one sold by Mr Martin went to H C Jorgensen, on the Tom Callaghan Evening Shades Farm.

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