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Moro Lodge, No. 113.
I. O. O. F. Moro, Or.
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Sam BISSAN, W. M. HENRICH, Secy.

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Birthday Postal Cards at The Observer Book Store.

H W and Maybrey Strong were guests of Mr and Mrs Perry Strong at Wilcox Sunday.

The school meeting at Erskineville elected L L Peetz director, and W A Norcross clerk.

J M Axtell, and his nephew, Chester, are sight seeing in the valley, with headquarters at Eugene.

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

Mrs H J Umberger entertained Friday afternoon at 500. Mrs E H Moore received first prize and Mrs Lee second.

Send The Observer to your absent friends. It gives all the local news, and is better than a letter. Mailed four months for 50c.

Mr and Mrs James Woods are abroad on their annual tour. This year their visits will include White Salmon, Walla Walla and Walla-wa county.

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

Stock of Undertaking goods in Moro for sale, at 50c on the dollar of invoice price, less 10 per cent for all cash paid down. Will invoice about \$700. Inquire at The Observer office.

The school meeting in Moro was enthusiastically in favor of building a new building on the site of the present superannated structure. L Barnum was elected director, and J. M. Parry reelected clerk.

Avenarius Carbolinum is a germ destroyer. It destroys the cause of decay in posts or timber. The U S Government, the O R & N Co, Multnomah county and the city of Portland, are making general use of it on bridge timbers, etc. The Observer Book Store is distributors of the pure article in Sherman county.

Read The Observer. Old newspapers for sale at The Observer office.

Score cards and pencils for whist and 500, at The Observer Book Store.

John Tonkins, at the Racket Store, buys eggs, hides, and every kind of farm produce.

"Button, button, who's got the button?" reward is offered the one who has it. See adv.

A bathtub trust is announced, but no combination in restraint of water and soap is yet in the field.

George Hennagin is razing the house on the tract he bought of J C Coy, and is moving it to his home place.

Robert Kaseburg and family are quitting Sherman county for Montana. He has sold his farm outfit to Wasco parties.

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

Don't forget the 4th of July dance at Rudolf opera house, after the celebration. A party of first class order awaits your attendance.

When the Danes say they credit Dr. Cook because he is an American, the compliment is certainly clever. In telling it to the Danes prepare for the retort charming.

At a meeting of the council Monday night John McCune was appointed auditor and clerk, with other duties pertaining to the office of marshal.

Please leave all jewelry in need of repairs with Gilbert Davis, my Moro agent, and it will receive my immediate attention. W. F. Newell, the Grass Valley jeweler.

Our line of muslin and gauze underwear for ladies and children is very complete and prices reasonable. Now is the time to buy, while there is a large assortment. Moro Commercial Co.

The temperature of the weather in this latitude Sunday and Monday, part of the time was more like that of January than June. It brought us a real old time down east thunder and lightning storm with hail stone variations.

Mr and Mrs Claud Spoon are now living in Portland. Mrs Ida Strong has just returned from a visit to them, and also with John I Miller's, at Hood River, and Judge Brock's, at Washugal, Friday. All well and prosperous.

Following is a list of successful pupils in the recent 8th grade examinations: Moro, Marie Douma, Ruth Thompson. Wasco, Tracy Hines, Golden Barnett, Mary Tate, Evelyn Medler, Ross Morrow, Monkland, Belle Morrow, Percy Elmira Gow, Robert R Morrow, Grass Valley, Anna Patens, Veda Westfield, Arlie Coon, Klondike, Stella Ogle, Fannie Venable, Maude Pickard.

The Eastern Oregon Land Co, successors to The Dalles Military Wagon Road Co, is now prepared to offer a large part of their holdings for sale through Balfour Guthrie Co, and an Eastern Company. The offerings include 50,000 acres in Sherman county wheat lands. They hope to sell it in tracts of 160 to 640 acres, to bona fide farmers—and so do we.

Stork Postal Cards at The Observer Book Store.

Miss Eva Landry goes to Adams next week, on a visit to relatives and friends.

Fred Messinger has living Chinese pheasants on his farm, and they are protected, too.

New York has its flat-iron structure, and after next fall Prineville will have its Pancake building.

Truman Strong has been with his aunt and uncle, Mr and Mrs A B Wolfard, at Biggs, for the past two weeks.

Ellsworth Woods and bride, nee Miss Eva Norcross, took their departure for their new home in Wallawa county Monday.

Two more Sherman county Masons, G A Meloy and W L Raven, united with the Scottish Rite fraternity in Portland last week.

Mrs Ella Wolfard and Miss Vivian Strong are to visit friends in Portland, and Mr and Mrs Wm. Slater, of Newberg, this week.

Capt and Mrs Stanley returned from their visits to The Capitol City, the Rose City and the Cherry City—Salem, Portland and The Dalles, delighted with the trip, his first in about 14 years.

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.

E E Barnum and party returned from Warm Springs Saturday. The trip seems to have been a benefit to Mr B's health. The springs are hot, warm is no name for them, and if there was anything like accommodations there, would be visited by tens of thousands every year.

T Clay Neece was arrested by Sheriff J C Freeman Saturday and taken to The Dalles the next day, on a warrant charging him with stealing a colt from Mr Sharp in Wasco county. Mr Sharp followed Neece, and recovered the colt, a valuable yearling Percheron mare, and the accused was held on bonds for his appearance before Judge Bradshaw, in the Circuit court for Wasco county.

About 10.30 Sunday forenoon Jupiter Pluvius opened the head-gates of his irrigation system and poured out upon this vicinity tons of hail stones and water aggregating .20 of an inch in about 30 minutes. The shower ran by streaks across the county from Wasco into Gilliam, with here a streak of mud and there a streak of dust, showing the work and track of the storm from Kent to the North End. At Ed McMillin's farm the downpour was equal to a cloud burst, which destroyed his large barn.

Father Wheat left us a bouquet of beautiful roses Saturday, in further evidence of the fact that good old Sherman county roses cannot be excelled. But, Brother; cut out that elusive, insidious lupine, imported from France about 40 years ago, and prized by the Webbees because it was such a pretty flower at a time when flowers were indeed scarce. Don't let it get a root hold in Sherman county. It cost more than \$200,000 to eradicate it from Yamhill, Polk and Marion—and still it is a pest to the valley farmer.

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

Belled cows can't stop the tin-tinabulation of the bells, while they sleep, and that disturbs the repose of the Hub.

Dr J A Reuter and E A Williams, of The Dalles, took a scooter across this country in the thunder storm Sunday, returning from Bend.

Mrs M L Hoskinson is enjoying a visit from her brother and family. Mr Coleman, who has sold his eastern property and will locate in Oregon.

J C McKean received a brief visit this week from his cousin R E Carroll, of West Finley, Pa. Mr Carroll is an extensive land owner in Pennsylvania.

Mrs Watkins, of the famous Locust Blossom Poultry Farm, southwest of Wasco, accompanied by a couple of lady friends, were Moro visitors on the 16th.

A physician claims that with the advance in medical science a man should live 120 years. This would give Bryan a chance to find an issue in 12 or 15 more battles.

Gen. Frank Bell has put off "the war" five years, until aeroplanes to carry five people are perfected. Add 20 years for "the war," Frank; then maybe the aeroplanes will carry 25 people.

M. C. Dickinson and Phil Metchan, of Portland, acting for H. Wittenberg, president of the greater Oregon home rule association, filed with the secretary of state an initiative petition for an amendment to the state constitution, "giving cities power to regulate or prohibit liquor traffic within their own limits." While the petition only required 8,000 signatures, it contained 14,322 names, each of which has been checked and verified.

Astorian thought Old King George had come back Monday evening, when the United States gunboat Yorktown run up the flag of Great Britain and fired seven guns in the harbor. As the shots reverberated forth hundreds rushed to the docks, thinking Astoria was being bombarded. But it was done out of respect for the British vice consul (an Astoria boy), who had called upon the commander and his officers, and was leaving the vessel for shore.

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Rufus Correspondence.

Miss Buttermore is visiting with Mrs Oehman.

J A Pyburn took a drove of fat cattle below last week.

Vernon Chrisman has purchased a driving team of Ed Phillips.

Miss Alta Lindeman is clerking at the store while Margurite is at the hospital.

Don't forget that Rufus will be heard from at the Orchard on the Glorious 4th.

Mrs Fowler had an operation performed June 16th. At last report doing fine.

C M VanMarter gave a good lecture on prohibition at the church June 20th.

Mr Hulery's young folks are on an outing in the Mt. Adams country and report they are having a good time.

Mrs J T Morris, of Camas, is visiting with her daughter, Mrs L Langford's this week.

Mrs Geo Wilkerson and Miss Leah Tom are visiting their sister Mrs Hoggard at Stanfield.

Several are busy haying, among others, F E Brown, Ed Phillips, T A Fowler, Altermats and Deyo.

C Kuypers, Wm Oehman and Mr Adams, are up near the mouth of Crooked river after speckled beauties.

A fine large rattler was killed under the sidewalk between Hill's store and Phillips' residence one day last week.

At the annual school meeting Mr Tom and Mr Hill were elected on the school board; Mr Wilson and Mr Kuypers retiring.

C H Lindeman and Anson Tom have returned from upper DesChutes and tell some great yarns about the fish they didn't catch.

Miss Margurite Lindeman who was operated upon for appendicitis at The Dalles hospital June 16th was getting along fine at last report.

Mr Deyo has a gang at work on his new building which will be used for a bowling alley, and a shooting gallery. Size of building to be 20 x 100 feet.

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