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**Moro Commercial Co.**

L Comini paid us a visit en route to his farm in Gilliam last week.

Miss Hazel West left for Otis, Lincoln county, Monday, where she will teach school.

Mr and Mrs B F Peetz are preparing to occupy the Lonney Belshie residence, lately vacated by Sheriff Freeman.

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

Attorney George Mowry and B F Peetz have combined their offices in the W W M Co bank building; and this is not a merger in restraint of business.

A party of Burlington, Iowa, capitalists, are negotiating for the 3,400 acre tract of Johnson Bros. Dufur property, and will cover the same with fruit trees.

Now you can buy your Haviland China as you want it to fill an assortment at the Moro Hardware Implement Co., where a full line of these goods are kept in stock.

When your feet are wet and cold, and your body chilled through and through from exposure, take a big dose of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, bathe your feet in hot water before going to bed, and you are almost certain to ward off a severe cold. For sale by all dealers.

Mr and Mrs L Barnum returned from Portland Monday, where pleasure and business was the combination for a week; including the play starred by the famous Maxine Elliott.

The Moro Commercial Co. is making a great reduction on all knit goods, such as wool shawls and scarfs, sweaters, infant's head wear, etc. Bargains that you can not afford to pass up.

J B Mowry and son, W S, expect to go into the poultry business next spring, on the Mowry Cherycroft property, on a large scale, adjoining this city; poultry is profitable business when properly handled.

The funeral of Mrs George E Thompson took place in Vancouver Saturday. A large number of friends and relatives from this county attended. Mrs Thompson was greatly beloved by a large circle of friends, and her death is sadly and sincerely mourned.

Did it ever occur to you that it would be a good plan to give your wife and the kitchen stove a rest on Sunday and take dinner at The Hotel Moro? The woman who cooks all the week is worthy of a rest on Sunday and will appreciate a good dinner, which she has not had to cook herself.

Mr and Mrs Whitworth Lord, of The Dalles, celebrated their golden wedding anniversary Saturday evening January 14th. The reception was held from 8:30 to 11 o'clock. Mr and Mrs Lord were married January 15, 1861. This golden wedding was the social event of the season in our sister city.

G A Meloy left Moro on the 16th for White Salmon, Washington, where he has purchased a hardware and grocery store. Postmaster J M Parry has purchased the Meloy residence, one of the best in this city, but will not take possession until June, as Mrs Meloy and the family wish to remain here until the close of the present term of school.

Remember your horses during the cold days of winter; blanket them warmly and they will not only feel much better but amply repay you in the increased work they will do. Besides, nobody of a merciful disposition would leave his horse unblanketed in the open in winter. If you haven't got the blankets you can buy them in this city of Louis Heydt.

The sad news of the death of Mrs Lottie Sargensen, at Ellensburg, Wash., was received by wire late Friday evening. Saturday morning Mr and Mrs H S McDanel and Mr and Mrs EA Cushman left Moro by team to attend the funeral. Mrs Sargensen was a sister of Mrs McDanel, Mr Cushman, Mrs DE Vatin, Mrs Laura and America Moore. HA Moore and wife and Mrs Laura Moore, were also in attendance. This is truly a very sad incident, surrounded by all the comforts of a good home, loving husband and everything that makes life worth living. Lottie is stricken by pneumonia, and besides two pretty daughters leaves a son five days old. To the bereaved ones The Observer extends heartfelt sympathies.

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**Rufus Correspondence.**  
January 17, 1911.  
Lagrip is getting quite common. We are having a little touch of winter.  
The old Columbia is full of floating ice.  
Mrs J T Morris, of Camas, is visiting relatives here.  
Langford's have 11 little chickens; and two hens setting.  
The Rufus water works is on a strike since the cold weather set in.  
C A Tom and Willie Chrisman are spending a few days at Stanfield.  
Bruce Millard is the proud possessor of a new buggy and harness; look our girls.  
Mr and Mrs Langford have a new girl at their house. Louie won't hardly speak to common people now.  
Vernon Chrisman's team took a lively spin a few days ago; he is still picking up scraps of the buggy and harness. No one hurt.  
J S Fowler has a gang of carpenters at work on a new dwelling here. When completed the building will be occupied by his mother.  
Earl Bozarth is helping Lindeman and sons with their well, which is down 40 feet with about 10 feet of water; they will go about 10 feet farther if they can keep the water out of their way.

**Sunday Excitement on Main Street.**  
A big old Jack rabbit escaped from the round up Saturday, and lounged around the Hosmer & Case establishment where many of its kindred were lying dead. In the forenoon of Sunday it was aroused by the snap, snap, snapping of 50 guns, more or less, in the hands of a mob of licensed hunters, all determined upon having the blood of bonnie. But it chose Main street as its safest way of escape, up and down which it coursed with the speed of an Oldfield, finally disappearing at the railway station, where the depot cat and Jap Rose fixed him in the grip of death. It was an exciting scene; fortunately nobody was shot.

**Lost a Ride, Changes in the Weather.**  
Charley Is On His Ear.  
Biting wintry breezes sweeping over the New West with a low barometer and a storm center near Seattle, gave the Inland Empire within the week, a touch of cold that depleted the surplus stock of the fuel dealers. At the same time the crest of the wave that paralyzed the Middle West was moving this way but was modified by the breezes from the Japan current in Oregon and Washington. In the meantime Old Sol held the fort, and shone upon us day by day. Wednesday the Chinook came in and now it is summer once more, and what d'ye think? Charley is consulting a lawyer to find out if he can make us pay for dusting his robes? fixing up the Blue Barn sleigh bells? pulling the Goose-neck family bobs together? etc. Don't get too fastidious; we may have lost a sleigh ride, but the assembly is in session yet for 30 days, and no living man can say what's going to happen?

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Meets the first and third Thursday evenings of each month. Visiting members cordially invited to meet with us. By order of W. M. J. M. PARRY, Secretary.

**Bethlehem Chapter**  
No. 78 O. E. S.  
Regular communication each 2d and 4th Thursday evenings monthly. By order of Mrs. ANNA MOORE, W. M.

**Moro Lodge, No. 113.**  
I. O. O. F. Moro, Or.  
Meeting every Saturday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Visiting members are cordially invited. Members expected to be present. A. R. KESSINGER, N. G. W. M. HENRICH, Secy.

Subscribe for the Observer.

P H Buxton has taken the agency of E Peoples' Funeral supplies at Moro.

Hon CW Moore has been chosen president of The Dalles Commercial and Athletic Club.

A number of Moro young people attended and enjoyed the dancing party at Grassvalley Saturday night.

L W Ross, the Wasco Jeweler, has just received a nice line of gentlemen's watch chains that he will guarantee to wear.

Most complete stock of suit cases ever shown in Sherman county, now on display at the Moro Commercial Co's store.

A few ladies suits, ladies and childrens coats, and ladies skirts, to close out at a very low price. Ask about them at the Moro Commercial Co.

When you have a cold get a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It will soon fix you up all right and will ward off any tendency toward pneumonia. This remedy contains no opium or other narcotic and may be given as confidently to a baby as to an adult. Sold by all dealers.

Don't forget it; if in need of any article, in the furniture line, the place to buy any part of such furnishings is at the Moro Hardware and Implement Co.'s

A P Altermatt, of the Fleck Orchard Co, near Rufus, was here on the 16th, planning extensive improvement of his properties, one of the finest in the Oregon Inland Empire.

Athletics has begun to attract the public school pupils. Principals of four city schools in this county met last Saturday with Supt. Bryant and started the ball rolling for the 1911 spring field meet.

The moon passed between the earth and Saturn early Sunday morning; it is claimed that Saturn has more rings working around it than has the earth, and if so the occultation may have been timely.

Birthday Postal Cards at The Observer Book Store.

Mr and Mrs J C Freeman are now at home in the O W Axtell residence.

Special prices on men's corduroy pants. Extra good quality \$2.50 at the Moro Commercial Co.

Messrs Hosmer & Chase bagged several Jack rabbits Saturday; skinning the bunch grassers with their Webfoot fielding.

J H McCune expects to resign as city marshal about the first of next month, and devote all his time to his farm work.

Henry J Maier, of The Dalles, a member of the board of regents of the state normal schools, attended a meeting at Salem Monday.

If you would like a first class optician to visit Moro, write to Dr A L Golder, The Dalles, Oregon, and if sufficient number respond he will make the trip.

When you have an auction sale you will need to advertise it to get profitable results. If you have the ad properly set, and we do it, posters can be printed from it.

If you are wanting a watch of any grade it will pay you to call and see what we have to offer. You will find our prices cannot be beaten any where. L W Ross, the Wasco jeweler.

The district convention of Rebecca lodges of Sherman county will be held in Moro Odd Fellows hall tomorrow (Saturday) evening. Miss Addie M Grant, of La Grande, Grand President of the Assembly, will be present.

Rev Walton Skipworth will hold his second quarterly conference at Spalding and Moro Jan 21st, 22d, Preaching Jan 22d, at 11 a. m., at Spalding, and 7:30 p. m. at Moro. All are cordially invited to attend these services.

News of the death of J W Benson, June 6th at Oroville, Wash., of heart disease, reached Moro this week, and his son Harry left on Tuesday to make arrangements for bringing the remains to Moro for final interment. Mr Benson was one of the pioneers of Sherman county.

Showing what system is capable of doing at church as at home, \$18 was contributed last Sunday at the Presbyterian church for home missions, because of invitations sent through the post office with cards and envelopes to make contributions easy. People are willing to help when they know how to go about it.

Fred A Young recent purchaser of what has been known as Collins Hot Springs, failed to find the beautiful stream of "naturally hot water" gushing from subterranean depths, as was represented by his fraternal brother, Cap GT Belcher, and started suit to recover \$40,000 of the amount paid for the place. Fred did not discover that the water is artificially heated by a clever deception, until after he had been buncoed.

Pocket Maps of Oregon and Washington. The Observer Book Store.

The Dalles is going to be a beautiful city some of these days; pretty soon, too.

C F French, and C D O'Leary, representative citizens of Grass Valley, were Moro visitors last week.

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Attorney J A Wilson expects to leave for the Central Oregon Inland Empire in the spring, to make his future home.

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Wm Rudolf is planning to put an interesting drama on the Moro Opera House stage soon; several local stars have been engaged for the play.

J C Fowlie of Shaniko, cashier of the Eastern Oregon Banking Co., was in Moro on business on the 16th. He says Shaniko is one of the living cities yet.

A F Watkins, late of Sherman county, relocated near Ridgefield, Washington, where he is still in the poultry business, and his place is known as Cherry Dale Farm.

The January thaw this week has resulted in ruining the fine prospect for sleighing. "Twas ever thus since childhood's hours;" now scat, snow; get out from here and don't come back.

Delegations of young people at both Wasco and Grass Valley, have signified their intention to be present at the all-night dance at The Rudolf tonight (Jan 20th). Come, and our young people will please you.

Local capitalists have incorporated the Prineville and Eastern Ry Co, and will build 18 miles of first class railway to a connection with the Hill and Harriman lines west of Prineville; the grade will be less than 1 percent, the entire distance.

At the regular meeting Friday evening, Rebecca degree lodge installed the following named officers for the current term: Marie Wheat, N G; Essie McKean, V G; Alvina Reiden, R S; Mary J Taylor, F S; Oneita Webb, Treasurer. A banquet was given after the installation, to which members of the Odd Fellows lodge were invited.

Twelve hunters in the employ of the forest service have been sent to Wallowa county to assist the state and county officials in exterminating rabid coyotes. The government hunters are all expert marksmen besides being versed in trapping and poisoning. They are expected to aid greatly in killing the coyotes that have bitten persons, dogs, sheep and cattle, spreading hydrophobia and causing a reign of terror throughout the county.