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FRIDAY.....April 12, 1912

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A Blue Mark here will answer an inquirer, when entered upon our calendar, giving the date of the paper as the date at which your current subscription expires.

Eureka Lodge No. 121.
A. F. A. M. Moro, Or.
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. PARKY, Secretary.

Bethlehem Chapter No. 78 O. E. S.
Regular communication each 2d and 4th Thursday evenings monthly. By order of Miss Ida May Johnston, Secretary.

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.
ROY BENSON, N. G.
W. M. HENRICH, Secy.

Miss Ida Mowry left Tuesday for The Dalles to accept a position as nurse.

Alex Hunter this week moved into the residence now owned by Don Wheat.

Geo O Mowry, one of Portland's legal fraternity, was a visitor to his old time home a few days, returning Tuesday.

O F Barnhart, a scientific chiropodist, of Portland, was at Hotel Moro Thursday relieving people of their corns and bunions by his painless process.

Geo W Berrian, E O L agent at Moro, is very busy this month with early preparations for the coming harvest, which is to be a bountiful one; so everybody says.

T A Weinke, candidate for district attorney, spoke at the Moro opera house Thursday. Mr W has been over the district twice and is very sure of the nomination.

While trying to fit a rear wheel of his auto with what is known as an oversize tire the tubing blew up, breaking the axle off at the shoulder, and nearly seriously injuring W D Wallan.

We are again indebted to Mrs James Woods for culinary favors; this time a custard pie and a supply of home made cookies. And also to Mrs Sheets for a nice supply of exceedingly palatable soup.

Moro Presbyterian church should be filled to capacity next Sunday morning and evening. It will be the last day Rev Adams will occupy the pulpit before departure for his new field at Eugene.

Miss Myrtle Lewis, a Portland young lady well known in this city, and Max Wood, son of attorney C E S Wood of Portland, will be united in the holy bonds of matrimony next month. The Observer extends the happy couple many kind wishes in advance of the ceremony.

The Dorcas society wish to thank all who helped make the reception Tuesday evening in honor of Rev and Mrs Adams such a pleasant occasion. There was but one unpleasant thought to mar the evening: the loss from Moro of those in whose honor the reception was planned.

Try the famous Sunday dinner at the Hotel Moro.

Birthday Postal Cards at The Observer Book Store.

H M Shull's new Chalmers' Detroit wears license No. 5679.

N J Sinnott has the lead for congressional nominee in this county.

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

Concrete work has begun on the bridges crossing crooked and DesChutes rivers.

A E Moretz is enjoying a visit from his brother-in-law, Mr Adams, of Indiana.

Geo S Shepherd will be the congressional nominee in the 3d (Multnomah) district.

As the winter was mild and ewes in fine condition, a big per cent of lambs has resulted; in some flocks as high as 105 per cent.

Mrs Briggs who has been visiting with her daughter, Mrs Haden Brisbin, the past winter, returned to her home in the east last week.

Adams county, Indiana, has just finished spending \$1,000,000 for improved roads; now the taxpayers want them protected from excessive loads and traction engines.

Remember that the Observer makes a specialty of job printing of every description, and it is the duty of every business and farm in the county to support its local printer, as it is for the patronage of all home institutions.

The mother of Mrs J A Rasmussen died at her home in Washington county on the 5th. Mrs Rasmussen was compelled to leave her husband sick at home in the Monkland district, to be at the mother's bedside when the final summons came.

LaFollette, candidate for president of the United States, will be in Oregon this month. Thomas McCusker, his Oregon manager, is authority for the statement that a good part of each of his speeches will be devoted to how the east likes Jonathan Bourne. Next Friday LaFollette will know how Oregon likes Bourne.

Alex Hunter suffered a fracture of the right forearm and a bruised face last week when a part of his harness failed permitting his driving team to run away. The buggy upset in front of I K Axtell's; the team circled, demolishing part of C L Ireland's fence, and left one horse in the yard; the other horse went across the street with the buggy to I K Axtell's side fence which was broken and the buggy and harness left for repairs.

The present spring and summer is to be a record breaking wool producer in the Inland Empire. Inspector James Stewart, an authority on this topic, shows that the current clip will be of finer grade and heavier fleeces. Reports from the range say all sheep in the Columbia valley came through the winter in splendid condition and the average increase will be about 120 per cent. The weather was cooler than usual, but there was little snow and rain during the winter, which resulted in heavy fleeces, and fat, healthy sheep.

NOTED RUPTURE EXPERT HERE

Seely, Who Fitted the Gear of Russia, Will be at The Dalles Hotel The Dalles.

F H Seely of Chicago and Philadelphia, the noted truss expert, will be at the Dalles hotel and will remain in The Dalles Friday and Saturday only, April 19th, 20th. Mr Seely says: "The Spermatic Shield Truss as now used and approved by the United States government will not only retain any case of rupture perfectly, affording immediate relief, but closes the opening in ten days on the average case." This instrument received the only reward in England and in Spain, producing results without surgery or harmful injections. Mr Seely has documentary references from the United States government, Washington, D C, for your inspection. All charity cases without charge, or if any interested call, he will be glad to show the truss without charge or fit them if desired. Anyone ruptured should remember the date and take advantage of this unusual opportunity.

Primary Election Officers.

A list of judges and clerks for the primary election April 19th, as appointed by the county court: No. 1, Bigelow—A Hapgood, H E Everett and C W Johnson, judges; J T Johnson, Ernest Ferrell and J M Yocom, clerks.

No. 2, Grant—Chas. Tom, I F Hill and A P Altermatt, judges; F E Brown, Wm. Oehman and C M Kuypers, clerks.

No. 3, Wasco—A S Porter, Clark Dunlap and J H Johnson, judges; J P Yates, V H Smith and J M Woods, clerks.

No. 4, Monkland—A M Wright, J A Rasmussen and A Nish, judges; R W Belshee, W A Woods and P C Axtell, clerks.

No. 5, Moro—F A Says, J M Axtell and E E Barnum, judges; W D Wallan, P H Buxton and G E Lewellen, clerks.

No. 6, Grass Valley—W D Graves, R C Bennett and J B Morrison, judges; Geo. Vintin, Roy J Baker and J S Michell, clerks.

No. 7, Rutledge—T B Searcy, Martin Hansen and A Smith, judges; J C Adams, J B Thompson and V B Eakin, clerks.

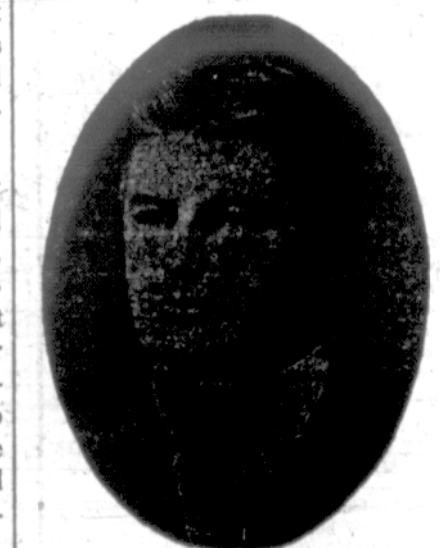
No. 8, Kent—Perry Strong, S B Holmes and W S Hall, judges; L Schadewitz, J M Wilson and Fred Haynes, clerks.

No. 9, Biggs—A B Walford, J E Colman and T J Miller, judges; C F Fulton, J J Miller and Wm. Ellis, clerks.



Ben W. Olcott, Secretary of State and leading republican candidate for the nomination and election to the same office is an expert public accountant and his experience in that line has stood him in good stead since he has been placed in charge of the Secretary's office which has been put upon an economical business basis. It is easy to VOTE FOR OLCOTT.

For Representative in Congress.



CLAUDE C. COVEY
Warmsprings, Crook County. Candidate for Democratic nomination for Representative in Congress, Second Oregon District.

Political Announcements.

For County School Superintendent.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the nomination of County School Superintendent of Sherman County, subject to the decision of the republican voters at the primaries to be held April 19th, 1912. If nominated and elected, I shall perform the duties of the office faithfully and conscientiously, and do all in my power to advance the educational interests of Sherman county.

FRANK E. FAGAN.

Announcement.

I hereby announce to the voters of Sherman county that I am a candidate for the nomination of sheriff, of Sherman county, Oregon, at the coming democratic primaries, and if nominated and elected, I will perform the duties of the office to the best of my ability.

J. C. MCKEAN.



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District Attorney.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of District Attorney of the 11th Judicial District, subject to the approval of the Republican voters at the primary election to be held April 19th, 1912.

If nominated and elected I will, necessary devote all my time and attention to the duties of the office, and will at all times keep in mind the interests of the taxpayers of the district. I am under no obligations to any man, corporation or set of men. My duty to the people of the district will be my greatest endeavor and will be paramount in the government of my office and public prosecutor.

T A WEINKE, Condon, Oregon

For District Attorney.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of District Attorney for the eleventh judicial district, subject to the will of the republican voters at the primary election on April 19, 1912.

If nominated and elected, I will devote all necessary time to the business of the people of this district; I will prosecute all lawbreakers vigorously and without fear or favor regardless of political affiliations or personal friendship.

J K STARR, Fossil, Oregon.

To The Voters of Sherman County.

I hereby announce that I will be a candidate for the nomination of County Assessor on the republican ticket at the coming primaries, and if nominated and elected I shall give my earnest attention to the duties of the office and promise that they will be fulfilled to the best of my ability.

OTTO PEETZ.

To the Voters of Sherman County.

I hereby announce that I will be a candidate for the nomination of County Clerk on the republican ticket at the coming primaries, and if nominated and elected I shall fulfill the duties of the office in an honest and conscientious manner, and to the best of my ability.

K. A. McPHERSON.



BEN SELLING

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For County Judge.

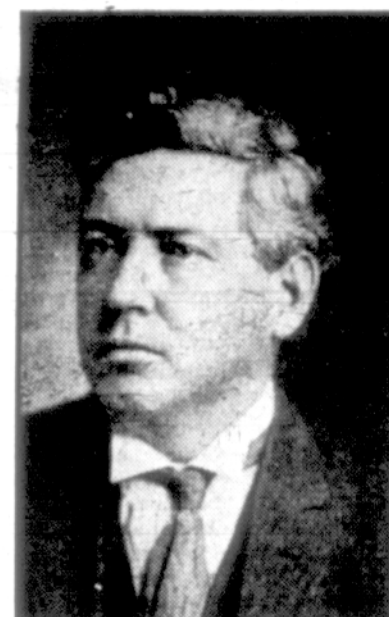
I hereby announce myself a candidate for the nomination of County Judge, of Sherman county, Oregon, subject to the decision of the republican voters at the primaries to be held on April 19th 1912. If nominated and elected, I shall perform the duties of the office faithfully and conscientiously.

FRED KRUSOW.

To Sherman County Electors.

Not having sought for the office but being requested by numerous voters to allow myself to become a candidate for the County Judgeship, I have decided to accept, and hereby announce my candidacy for such office. I have had actual business and banking experience for nine years past and have read law for eleven years. If nominated and elected to the office, will conduct same on a clean, conservative, business basis to the interest of all Sherman county citizens with special favors to none.

ROY J. BAKER.



N. J. SINNOTT
Progressive republican,
"with the interests of Eastern Oregon upper most."

If nominated and elected I will, during my term of office, advocate laws for the prevention of gambling in farm products; an income tax; the popular election of United States senators; presidential primaries; maintenance of the Oregon system; free use of forest reserves and natural resources consistent with liberal conservation ideas; restoration to Oregon of its share of the reclamation fund; a tariff modeled on the difference in cost of products home and abroad.

To The Voters of Sherman County.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the nomination on the republican ticket, for the office of Treasurer of Sherman county, Oregon, at the coming primaries. If nominated and elected I will perform the duties in as careful and businesslike manner as my ability will admit.

W. D. WALLAN.

Announcement for Joint Senator.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination of Joint Senator from the Eighth Senatorial District comprising the counties of Sherman, Gilliam and Wheeler, subject to the will of the republican voters of said district at the primary election on the 19th of April, 1912. If I am nominated and elected I will faithfully perform the duties pertaining to said office to the best of my ability, and that I will abide by statement

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