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 Regular communication each 2d and 4th Thursday evenings monthly. By order of Mrs. I. A. MAY JOHNSTON, Secretary.

Moro Lodge, No. 113, I. O. O. F. Moro, Or.  
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**Mrs. Minnie Biggerstaff** is visiting with her parents.

Special meetings are being held at the Moro M.E. church.

A J Syron has had a tussle with the gripe this week, but is now able to come to town.

Mrs. Henry Goetjen now a resident of Riverside, Wash., is visiting friends in Grass Valley.

M. A. Bull has accepted office as city marshal and was busy this week collecting city water rents.

If you want Pittsburg hog fence remember that Crossfield is now making up orders for his second carload.

Dr. O. J. Goffin writes us that he will leave Portland January 21st for the east where he will take up post graduate work.

J. M. Syron is visiting in the Palouse country, in the neighborhood of Spokane; he expects to be away until February first.

J. B. Morrison was a visitor this week from Grass Valley. He reports more snow at Moro by four inches than fell at Grass Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Gibson, who have been visiting at the home of Mrs. F. R. Messenger, returned to their Grass Valley home Tuesday.

The Observer has printed several jobs of butter wrappers with the special ink required. Every thing necessary to do the work right is on hand.

One of the nicest watch charms it has been our pleasure to see was that worn by N.H. Goetjen; it was a Christmas gift from Wm Carter and is emblematic of the fraternal order of Eagles.

Our fancy work department has the latest designs and good assortment; is under the personal attention of Mrs. E. W. Cooper who will be glad to help any one. Cooper Bros. Grass Valley.

Fred R Messenger is the owner of an imported gray Percheron stallion, three years old, weighing 17,000 pounds. The horse has been purchased primarily for the Messenger farm, and will be kept in that neighborhood.

Grand opening of the Moro Theatre Saturday, January 18. Moving pictures, dancing and an oyster supper, all for a dollar. Ladies with escort free. Picture show begins at 7:30, followed by dancing and oyster supper.

Mr and Mrs Sam Brisbine returned last week from a visit with friends and relatives in the Willamette Valley; both are well pleased to return, Sam said that every time they planned to go any where it always poured down rain.

E. W. Lewis is now ready to trim your hair in approved fashion. The Moro barber shop has its shears reground and edged in Portland and has added a new supply of Red Cross hair brushes, including the all metal handle and back Sanitax brush.

Ginn & Coleman have moved their implement business to their new location at the foot of First street. They have overhauled the implement warehouse which they purchased from the M H & I Co; putting in a modern front entrance and strengthening the building and foundations. They have now one of the best appearing store rooms in town.

**James R. Belshee.**

It is written: "In the midst of life, there is death also."

J. R. Belshee, one of the early pioneer farmers of Sherman county, who had but recently purchased a home in Hood River was stricken with paralysis while at work at his home Wednesday January 8th, dying almost immediately. Only the evening before, at the annual meeting, he had been elected an officer of the Christian church.

Funeral services were from the Moro M. E. church; Rev. J. H. Swift, pastor of the Hood River Christian church, preaching the sermon; interment was in the family plot at Rose cemetery.

There remain to mourn his loss Mrs. Anna Belshee, Hood River; Mrs. Wm Kenny, Valley, Idaho; Miss Nellie Belshee and Wilfred Belshee, Hood River; and sons Clay and O. L. Belshee, Moro.

**Card of Thanks.**

We wish to thank the people of Moro for their kindness to us during our bereavement.

**MRS. ANNA BELSHEE AND FAMILY.**

N.H. Goetjen and wife of Duror were Sherman county visitors this week. Mr. Goetjen was here partly on legal business connected with his fathers estate.

Ray Hulse is care taker at the W F Jackson farm while Mr and Mrs Jackson are away; the last heard of Will he was an interested member of the third house at Salem.

J. A. Selleck, the postmaster at Boyd, is visiting in the county at the home of J. A. Nicholson and family. Mr. Selleck is a nephew of an old Sherman county pioneer, O. E. Leet.

According to reports the Moro basket ball team was greatly surprised at the game put up by the Grass Valley team at that city last Friday evening. Moro team and their enthusiastic supporters did not anticipate the additional strength manifested by their opponents in the game during the match played.

**IN MEMORIAM.**

**Mrs. Ellen Jane Cullen Buchanan.**

Those of us who are advancing in years; do we ever stop to consider that this grand country of ours, known far and wide as the Oregon Country, is not so very old as time is measured by destiny? As we peruse the several news papers that come to us from over the state we see each week an announcement that one more pioneer has passed to the Land of Many Mansions; where no longer is in store hardships, such as only a pioneer could know but only rest, which most likely had been dreamed about and never realized in this age of modern inventions.

And, now, closer home to us; is another pioneer passed to her rest. Mrs. Ellen Jane Cullen Buchanan who died at her home in La Grande, Oregon, the morning of January 5th, 1913, at the advanced age of 83 years 6 months 13 days. She was married to William D. Buchanan in Miami county, Ohio October 19, 1849, and crossed the plains by ox team to Oregon in 1865. They made their family home at LaGrande, except for a brief time when they moved to Harney county, where Mr. Buchanan died April 19, 1906.

Mrs. Buchanan was a member of the Christian church for forty-two years; all who have known her testify to her patient, beautiful life; always thinking of others welfare; anxious that her children become Christians and follow in her foot steps. During her last sickness nothing seemed to please her more than songs by her children from the familiar hymnal.

Funeral services were from the LaGrande Christian church, Rev. A. J. Adams, the pastor, preaching the sermon. Interment was at Island City cemetery. There remain to mourn her loss seven children, who were all able to be with their mother when the messenger came: Mrs. Joseph Spencer and Mrs. Judge Harrison, of LaGrande; Wm Buchanan, Baker City; Joseph and George Buchanan, Harney City; Mrs. W. J. Martin Walla Walla; Mrs. L. H. Martin, Moro.

**The Sphinx no Longer a Secret.**

Professor G. A. Reisner, explorer of the ancient ruins of Egypt for the Harvard scientific museum and the Boston Museum of Fine Arts claims to have discovered the secret of the Sphinx. He claims to have found an entrance to the interior and found a temple dedicated to the sun. It is older than any of the pyramids, and its date is somewhere around 6,000 B. C., the most ancient in Egyptian history. The tomb of Menes, the king, who posed as a god and who fashioned the Sphinx, is also within it. There are tunnels leading out into caverns which have not yet been penetrated, for the work has been going on only six months. The Sphinx is carved out of natural rock, but within are caves and buildings of a city of gold, which was perhaps once open to the air. At present the excavations are confined to a chamber. The head of this chamber is 60 feet long by 14 wide. It is connected by tunnels with the Temple of the Sun, which rests within the paws of the Sphinx.

**Does Sherman County want a \$1000**

The crop improvement committee of the grain exchange of Chicago has a standing offer of \$1,000 a year to any county that will devote a like sum for crop improvement. The money is used to employ a trained agriculturist to advise the farmers of the district of more scientific agricultural methods and to assist them netting greater returns than are being secured by present methods. Kickitak county, Washington and Marion county, Oregon, are the only counties west of the Rockies to make use of the offer. The crop committee has arranged with the United States government to take up this work after the first year, to support the work with advice and the same amount of money annually.

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**Lost, Strayed or Stolen.**

Two sorrel ponies, one black 2-year old colt, one 5-year old roan horse, these branded AP on left shoulders; one 5-year old gray mare, no brand; one 10-year old bay horse, O brand. Left on December 22d, 1912. Reward for information leading to their recovery. P. H. ZOBEL, 3rd 13-1621, Monkland, Oregon

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