

## The Observer

MORO, SHERMAN CO., OREGON

FRIDAY, May 23, 1913

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.  
F. E. FORSTER, Secretary.

Moro Lodge, No. 113,  
I. O. O. F. MORO, Or.  
Meeting every Saturday  
evening at 7:30 o'clock.  
Visiting members are cor-  
dially invited. Members  
expected to be present.  
F. A. SAYES, Noble Grand,  
A. R. KESSINGER, Secy.

Personal Talk With You  
The price of The Observer is \$1.50 per  
year, 75 cents for six months, 50 cents for  
four months—but if paid in advance we  
accept \$2.50 in full for 2 years. Shorter  
terms than one year 12% cents per month.  
A Blue Mark here will answer an in-  
quiry, when entered upon our calendar,  
giving the date of the paper as the date at  
which your current subscription expires.

Elegant line of mens dress shirts  
at Freemans store.

Herman Pape was in Moro  
Monday in his new auto.

New line of tie clasp scarf pins  
just received by L. W. Ross.

Mrs. J. R. Morgan returned  
from her trip to North Carolina last  
Friday.

Abstracts promptly made by the  
Sherman County Abstract Com-  
pany, Moro, Oregon.

Word from Hood River is to  
the effect that straw berries from  
that section of Oregon will begin  
to appear about June first.

Don't forget that we have "Bon  
Ton" and "Royal Worcester"  
corset, sizes 18 to 34 in a good  
range of styles Moro Commercial  
Company.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Boothby  
were up from their Columbia river  
orchards visiting with their daugh-  
ter near Grass Valley over last  
Sunday.

Cooper Bros., at Grass Valley,  
are offering a new selection in  
ladies three quarter length silk  
gloves; they also have a good line  
of ladies hosiery and silk hose.

Cow and hog day will be cele-  
brated at Stanfield May 24. Un-  
der the auspices of the commercial  
club at that place an enthusiastic  
rally will be held and dairying  
and hog raising will be boosted.

L. W. Ross has the "direct from  
factory" high grade Tutthill line  
of cut glass, the best that has  
ever been brought into Sherman  
county. This warranted cut glass  
line is included in the Special  
Bargain Sale, without reserve.

## New Stock - - - Just Received

Ladies shoes and oxfords,  
white, tan, patent and gun metal  
Styles that will please you.

Mens and Boys shoes that are  
absolutely right in style  
and quality.

Hosiery-the famous Armor Plate  
all sizes in various colors.

## Moro Commercial Co.

## THE STAR BARN

LIVERY FEED AND SALE STABLE  
Grass Valley, Ore.

Barn Located near Hotel Vintia  
Special Attention for Commercial Travelers  
Transient Teams Given Prompt Attention.

George Ellard, Proprietor

AUTOMOBILE FOR HIRE

Hair nets, two for 5c. at Free-  
mans store.

Mens hats, new spring styles, at  
Freemans store.

Ladies and childrens straw hats  
at Freemans store.

Miss Ida May Johnston has been  
visiting this week at the home of  
Mrs. J. T. Foss.

Always in stock, beautiful Birth  
Day Postal Cards, at the Observer  
Book Store.

Ev. Sink returned to his home  
at Portland last week after a visit  
with relatives at DeMoss and  
Wasco.

The Moro Commercial Co. has  
just received a new stock of ladies  
kid gloves of the following color  
white, black, tan, grey and mode.

The Moro Hardware and Imple-  
ment Co. last week sold a three  
bottom 16-inch Oliver plow to J.  
B. Holman and a two bottom 14  
inch John Deere plow to W. C.  
Todd.

Prof. Thomas Shaw, agriculturist  
for the Great Northern Railway,  
has been engaged by the Hill lines  
in Oregon to give a series of  
lectures at different points up the  
Deschutes river, ending his trip in  
that section this week.

An assortment of hand painted  
China is included in the Bargain  
Sale of L. W. Ross; regular priced  
plates up to \$2.50 each offered as  
low as \$1.35. A sugar and cream-  
er Colonial pattern, can be had  
for only \$1.85.

W. H. Moore sold Jim Wilson  
of Kent a new auto Monday and  
while W. H. was not looking Jim  
got busy and began to learn the  
whereofers of auto driving by hav-  
ing a spin to DeMoss. W. H. says  
the kind of cars he sells are easy  
to learn how to handle.

Among the attorneys attending  
this term of court was Judge R. R.  
Butler, W. H. Wilson, M. G. Ellis,  
C. J. Bright, F. W. Wilson, of The  
Dalles; Allan R. Joy, B. S. Hunting-  
ton, of Portland; and former dis-  
trict attorney J. E. Burdette, now  
located at McMinnville.

Mrs. F. E. Fagan is at Medford  
this week as delegate from the  
local lodge to the state Rebecca  
assembly; Miss Ita Webb is also a  
delegate from this lodge, the two  
meeting in Portland. J. C. Harper  
and Otto Peetz are delegates from  
the local I. O. O. F. lodge to the  
state lodge which meets at the  
same place and time.

W. S. Degton, attending circuit  
court this week as a juror, reports  
a very heavy rain in the Klondike  
section all day Sunday, May 18,  
while at Moro no rain fell and at  
Wasco, but a few miles away, there  
was only a slight shower. This  
evens up the moisture in the Klon-  
dike section to about an average  
over the county and warrants good  
crops of all kinds in all parts of  
Sherman county this season.

Try the famous Sunday dinner  
at the Hotel Moro.

Best maulage and brushes at the  
Observer Book Store.

F. E. Brown of Grants was a  
visitor in Moro last week at the  
home of his son, F. E. Jr.

Childrens silk hosiery in pink,  
blue, tan, white, black; at Free-  
mans store.

Carbolinum, fresh stock, direct  
from Germany, now on sale at  
The Observer Book Store.

Miss Beulah Hays, a former  
Moro young lady, was severely  
hurt in an automobile collision in  
Portland last Sunday afternoon.

Mens and Boys suits, made to  
fit and fit to wear, at the Moro  
Commercial Company store.

Raymond Heinrichs, a young  
nine year old Moro boy, has been  
demonstrating what can be done  
on a city lot this season. From a  
space of ground about 25x50 feet  
he has sold \$19 worth of radish,  
onions, and lettuce. As the differ-  
ent crops have matured he has  
prepared the ground for another  
reseeded and has thoroughly  
applied the principles of intensive  
farming. Any boy can do as well,  
if he cares to do so.

Three Farmers' Bulletins, re-  
cently issued, should be in the  
hands of every farmer. They are  
No. 528, "Hints to Poultry Raisers,"  
and No. 533, "Good Seed Potatoes  
and How to Produce them." Any  
one interested in building a  
septic tank should get a copy of  
Farmers Bulletin No. 527, which  
contains a very good article on  
"Sewage Disposal for Rural  
Homes." These bulletins are free  
upon application to the Secretary  
of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.

### Moro 6 Grass Valley 4.

The Grass Valley baseball team  
was defeated by the local team  
here Sunday on the home grounds  
by the score 6 to 4. Feature of the  
game was "Cap" Rutledge stick  
getting one triple couple  
two baggers and a single, out of  
four times at bat. Moro will go  
to Goldendale Sunday to play  
that team.

### Proposed County Roads Inspected.

The county board of road view-  
ers, composed of I. N. Lemmon of  
Grass Valley, B. W. Anson of Klondike,  
and Wm. Heinrichs of Moro,  
the last named acting county  
surveyor, have been busy nearly  
all of last week inspecting, survey-  
ing, assessing damages and benefits  
along the route of new proposed  
roads in the county.

One of the most important roads  
that occupied their attention was  
the R. W. Kaseberg road west of  
Wasco, which when finished will  
serve as a connecting link between  
the roads adjoining the John  
Fulton farm and the Victor Ander-  
son farm, below the old Love  
place. Where this road is proposed  
to be placed is now a private  
road that is used by all autoists to  
and from this county and The  
Dalles. About the only change  
will be building of fences and  
elimination of gates.

Another surveyed was that  
known as the A. B. Potter road  
which will eliminate the road from  
Klondike to Wasco where it uses  
the canyon west of Klondike and  
puts the road more on the hillside;  
the new route will join a road lieg-  
ing more to the north about a  
quarter of a mile from Wasco and  
both come in on the same street.

Another was the Dick Ogle road  
which ask the court to authorize a  
change of what is known as the  
old Leonard bridge road to the  
side of the canyon in place of the  
south side, as at present. This is an  
important road crossing into  
Gilliam county and, while it  
entails some rock work, should be  
changed as asked by the petitioners;  
an easy grade can be obtained  
that will not wash in the winter  
months.

Another road change was that  
asked by C. F. Taylor adjoining  
land owned by J. T. Peters and W.  
H. Ragsdale southwest of Grass  
Valley. The change only involves  
a quarter of a mile on what is known  
as the Shearer grade road.

Cough Medicine for Children.  
Too much care cannot be used in selecting  
a cough medicine for children. It should  
be pleasant to take, contain no harmful sub-  
stances and be most effective. Chamberlain's  
Cough Remedy meets these requirements  
and is a favorite with the mothers of young  
children everywhere. For sale by all De-  
alers. Advertisement.

### Circuit Court Proceedings.

The regular May term of the  
Sherman county circuit court con-  
vened Monday with Judge D. R.  
Parker presiding.

Monday evening the grand jury  
reported an indictment against  
Conley Harbin for assault with a  
dangerous weapon; an indictment  
against Alvie Venable for larceny;  
an indictment against Ed. Tomlin  
for assault and battery. A not  
true bill was reported in the case  
of W. W. Findley, held for assault.

The court adjourned early Tues-  
day afternoon having disposed of  
all business to come before it.

In the case of Ed. Tomlin a fine  
of \$100 was paid.

In the case of Alvie Venable, a  
sentence was imposed and he was  
paroled in the custody of the  
sheriff.

In the case of Conley Harbin, a  
plea of not guilty was entered and  
the case was continued; one wit-  
ness being absent.

Considerable of the time of the  
grand jury was taken up with ques-  
tions of violations of the local  
option law and infractions of the  
state law governing the sale of  
liquor at Moro, Kent, and Grass  
Valley.

In the case of Albert Hill, charged  
with horse stealing, convicted in  
this court on an appeal to the  
Oregon supreme court reversed;  
Bonds amounting to \$2500 were  
declared forfeited by Judge Parker,  
because of the non-appearance of  
the defendant Albert Hill.

### An Expression of Appreciation.

Guy W. Pickard, writing from  
Wasco under date of May 21st, says  
that he wishes to thank the people  
of Moro who have so generously  
helped him financially and other-  
wise since he had the misfortune  
to loose his arm in the machinery  
of a well drill. Mr. Pickard is now  
able to be about Wasco and when  
he becomes stronger will accept a  
position with W. H. Yancy in his  
confectionery store.

### Local Church Appointments

The theme at the Presbyterian  
Church Sunday morning will be:  
The Test of Discipleship; or How  
may I know I am a Christian?  
Children's Day program in the  
evening. We shall look for you  
at both services.

## SUMMARY OF THE OREGON NEWS

### The Rapid Reader's Review of Recent Reports Rewritten

The Pan-Hellenic association at the  
University of Oregon has ruled that  
freshman girls living in sororities  
must wear simple gowns, devoid of all  
finery, at dances and parties.

Thirty-two students will be gradu-  
ated from the Albany high school this  
commencement. Of this number 21  
are young women. June 6 will be  
graduation day.

Labor Commissioner Hoff has re-  
ported that accidents in Oregon for  
April totaled 411, of which 14 were  
fatal. There were 146 accidents in  
connection with railroad work and 78  
in connection with sawmill work.

Judge Hamilton, in the circuit court  
at Roseburg, dismissed the petition  
for a contest of the Drain majority  
election filed by N. D. Cool, who was  
beaten by Charles E. Hazard by one  
vote in an election recently held there.

The Anvil has worked herself off  
the beach and was towed up and  
beached opposite Florence for repairs  
before going to Portland. The vessel  
is in excellent shape after a month on  
the beach. She is not leaking badly.

An advance proof of the ballot on  
which the people of Portland will  
choose a mayor, an auditor and four  
commissioners from a maze of 90  
names June 2, shows that it will be  
two feet ten inches in length.

N. F. Thorne of Ashland has been  
taking Dr. Friedmann's turtle serum  
treatment as a precautionary measure  
against tuberculosis. He is said to be  
the first person in southern Oregon, if  
not in the entire state, to try the new  
cure.

The Polk County Fire Patrol associa-  
tion has been organized at Dallas,  
and is one of a chain that are being  
organized in timbered regions through-  
out the state. Of the 200,000 acres  
of timbered lands in Polk county, 140,  
000 were represented at the meeting.

According to an ordinance intro-  
duced at the council meeting at Albany,  
it is proposed to light the streets of  
the residence district of Albany with  
100 watt lamps at each corner and  
three cluster lights at each corner in  
the business district. Several blocks  
of new pavement have been ordered.

L. S. Keisley, 60, a prominent res-  
ident of North Powder, was killed when  
an automobile skidded and turned tur-  
tle four miles south of Haines. Miss

Nettie Slater, 16, suffered a fractured  
skull and internal injuries, and may  
die. Three other occupants of the  
car were slightly injured.

United States Senator Chamberlain  
will introduce a bill providing that all  
proceeds from leases and other re-  
venues of Crater Lake Park shall be  
available for the construction of roads  
and bridges within the park. These  
proceeds now go into the general  
treasury fund.

A Japanese mail carrier was attack-  
ed at La Grande by two unknown men  
who held him up in a dark alley. One  
threatened him with a dirk, while the  
other rifled the pouch of registered  
mail. They seemed to have been in-  
terrupted, and made a hasty flight  
without taking much of value.

Commercial fishermen near Oregon  
City drew from the Willamette six  
Japanese who had been trolling for  
Chinook salmon. The orientals be-  
came entangled in the eddies below  
the falls and their boats were capsize.

A number of Russian families are  
expected to arrive soon to locate on  
lands of the Klamath country. The  
leaders of the colony took options on  
several hundred acres. The first fam-  
ilies to locate have arrived and are  
making an exhaustive investigation  
of the lands before making permanent  
selections.

W. L. Snider and son of Stella,  
Wash., have purchased the old Palm  
mill property at Clatskanie, recently  
burned, of the Rose City Lumber and  
Shingle company, of Portland, and  
will at once begin the work of clearing  
away the debris preparatory to erec-  
tion of a shingle mill, which it is  
planned to have in operation in the  
early fall.

Captain James Keating, one of the  
best known pilots on the Columbia  
river, accidentally fell overboard from  
a launch at Astoria and was drowned.  
He was 40 years old, and had resided  
in Astoria practically all of his life.

Attorney General Crawford has given  
out an opinion at Salem to the  
effect that the signature of any signer  
to a referendum petition may be with-  
drawn at any time prior to the taking  
of official action thereon.

Officials of the O. W. R. & N. have  
announced the surveys of two propo-  
sed extensions—Candon to Fossil in  
Gilliam county and Pilot Rock to  
Ukiah in Umatilla county. The  
former extension would involve 20 miles  
of track, and the latter 45 miles. The  
officials say that if the expense is not  
too great, both lines will be built.

Under direction of government offi-  
cers, the Indians of the Umatilla re-  
servation will, sometime during this  
summer, assemble to hold memorial  
ceremonies similar to those recently  
held at Fort Wadsworth, New York  
harbor. Garbed in their historic tra-  
pings the Indians will gather around  
their tombs and with weird chants  
raise the stars and stripes, dedicating  
themselves to the American govern-  
ment and a nobler civilized life.

### SLAVES OF THE DESERT.

A Lashing Taken With Gratitude by  
the Emir's Servants.

Abd-el-Rahman wore a heavy scowl  
that boded ill for some one, and his  
fingers caressed his rawhide koorling as  
he watched the camel being led in.  
When all was ready to start he called  
out four men, and four dejected look-  
ing Arabs answered shamefacedly to  
the summons.

The Emir spoke to them dispassion-  
ately, as one might speak to one's dog,  
and then, tossing his koorling to the  
nearest of the four culprits, he bade  
him lay on a dozen of the best, while  
he watched and criticised each stroke  
with grim earnestness.

It was not a pleasant sight to watch,  
and I thought it policy to turn aside,  
but the rest of the caravan thoroughly  
enjoyed the exhibition and greeted each  
well laid blow with approval.

When the punishment was completed  
each of the culprits in turn came for-  
ward and kissed the Emir's feet, thank-  
ing him for his mercy and calling Allah  
to witness that they were his dogs to  
do with as he wished.

From their subsequent conduct I have  
no reason to believe that they did not  
mean every word they said, though at  
the time I was skeptical. It is not ev-  
ery day that one learns such an object  
lesson in humility and feudal service.—  
Wide World Magazine.

### Sound Sleep.

"What did you mean by waking me  
out of a sound sleep last night?" "The  
sound was too disturbing!"

### Fresh Jersey Cow.

For Sale; 2 year old this  
spring. Price \$80. Inquire of,  
MRS. M. L. HOSKINSON,  
Moro, Oregon.

### Dissolution of Partnership.

Notice is hereby given that  
the Moro Commercial Company,  
a co-partnership consisting of N. P.  
Hansen, George E. Lewellen and  
Simon Elcock has been dissolved  
by mutual consent. Mr. Elcock  
retires from the business, while  
Messrs. Hansen and Lewellen con-  
tinue at the same place under the  
same name of Moro Commercial  
Company. The members of the  
old firm wish to thank the people  
of Sherman county for the patron-  
age given in the past and the new  
firm hope for a continuance of  
the same.

Dated at Moro, Oregon, this  
7th day of May, A. D. 1913.

N. P. HANSEN,  
GEORGE E. LEWELLEN,  
SIMON ELCOCK.

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### Travelers at Biggs

Should try our famous chick-  
en plate dinners; all kinds of nice  
sandwich, pie, cake, good coffee.  
WOLFARD LUNCH COUNTER

## Moro Hardware & Implt Co

General Hardware

Headquarters for

Paints and Oils of all Kinds.

A Complete Line of Furniture.

Gasoline, Auto Oils and Supplies.

Full Supply of Pipe Fittings and Pipe.

Give us a call you will find  
our prices are right.

## The Grain Growers Conveniences

Are not alone confined to Rural Free Delivery of mail  
and the Telephone. There is another convenience which all  
farmers should have—and many do have—a checking ac-  
count with a good bank. The possessor of such an account  
avoids the risk of having his money on his person or about  
his home where it is in danger of fire and thieves.

His bills paid by check are not only a valid receipt, but  
also a convenience in his home transactions where very often  
the necessary change for concluding settlement is not at hand.  
Don't stop to think this over, but start an account now with

## The Wasco Warehouse Milling Co. Bank, of Moro.

R. J. GINN

J. E. COLEMAN

## GINN & COLEMAN

DEALERS IN

Glass, Paints, and Oils. Bone and Alfalfa Meal.

AGENTS FOR

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For all kinds of machinery carried in stock  
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I sell for cash only

Fine Diamonds, Jewelry, Watches,  
Clocks and Optical Goods.

Satisfaction Guaranteed or Money Refunded

## MORO BRANCH

## TUM A LUM LUMBER CO.

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## WOOD - COAL - POSTS

Lumber, Cement and Lime,  
Windows, Doors, Moulding.

Special prices on Wood in car load lots where  
one or more are buying.

## NEW GOODS JUST ARRIVED Our Stock is Complete and Seasonable

A new lot of Mens Dress and Work Shoes.  
An extra line of Mens Sox and Under-  
wear in Spring and Summer Weights.

Our Stock of Groceries is Always complete.

Case Goods and Quantity Lots at Special Prices.

## COOPER BROS. GRASS VALLEY, OREGON.

Try a Want Ad. in  
The Observer. It Pays. IF YOU WANT TO SELL OR BUY