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MORO, OREGON

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The Famous Good Stover Gas Engine,  
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MANUFACTURERS OF

Wheat Racks, Water Tanks and Troughs,  
Auto Springs Made to Order.

Yours for Service,

**GEORGE N. CROSFIELD**

Make my store your stopping place  
when in Wasco.

The modern army is transported by machinery, butchered by machinery and cremated when dead by machinery. The field of battle has become an abattoir.

The state food commissioner wants additional legislation to allow a campaign for exterminating rats. Possibly wants an official rat commissioner to boss an official rat catcher.

W. L. Parrish was a visitor from Albany at the home of L. W. Ross this week. Mr. Parrish was on his way to Gilliam county, where he and his sister have farming interests that need his attention.

L. W. Ross, the jeweler, has opened up an ice cream parlor, also candy, cigars and tobacco, located in his jewelry store, and is prepared to serve the public with the very best that can be had in this line.

Every farmer and fruit grower, including any one with a breed of pure cattle, poultry or horses on the farm, should arrange to have an exhibit, however small, at the Sherman County Fair, October 7, 8, 9 and 10.

Mrs. Dick Patjens was a visitor from Portland at the home of Mrs. Carl Peetz. Mrs. Patjens formerly lived near Grass Valley several years ago when the family were extensive farmers in the pioneer days of the county.

The war in Europe has caused the price of tin in New York to raise from 30 cents to 65 cents a pound and it may go to a higher price. This will affect the price of canned goods during the balance of this year and for next year as well.

A little thing like a war in Europe never bothers the genuine baseball fan when the home club is near the top. The other day we asked E. H. Moore for the news as he opened his copy of the Oregonian, but all he gave us was the standing of the Coast League clubs.

All folks of intelligence realize that farmers work too hard during a large portion of the year to have much inclination for reading when work is done. But they owe it to themselves to read their home papers and also to read the experiment station bulletins.

Oats in the Palouse country are commanding the best price for some time. Outside buyers are taking all they can get for shipment to the Sound. It is believed that from there the oats will go to England by way of Canada and that the latter country is buying for the English army.

Wheat hauling is rapidly becoming the modus operandi of every farmer in Sherman county. A few, like E. A. Cushman, have graduated from that phase of farm work and are waiting for proper weather conditions to seed their summer fallow preparatory for another gamble with nature.

Dan MacGregor, hauling fruit for the Altermatt Fleck orchards at Rufus, had the misfortune to have one of his horses die at the Moro barn Friday night. The horse was first noticed to be sick when at Demoss, and in spite of efforts to save the animal, it died a few hours after arriving at Moro.

The state game and fish commission are considering stocking Sutter and Blue lakes in central Oregon with trout from the Bonnevile hatchery. Odell lake is now supplied. This will be good news to fishermen of Sherman county, who make these lakes their headquarters during outings.

Dr. J. R. Morgan writes from Newport that he and Mrs. Morgan expect to return from their outing this week and will be ready to attend to any one needing dental attention after the first of September. Beginning Tuesday, Dr. Morgan will be at Moro and Wasco at the regular dates scheduled.

Mayor J. C. Freeman has been requested by A. B. Fletcher, president of the American Road Congress and State Highway Engineers of California, to name three delegates to attend the session of the fourth annual congress to meet at Atlanta, Georgia, during the week of November 29th. Expenses to be paid by the delegates. Mayor Freeman would be glad to appoint any one contemplating a journey to the southern states.

## An August Birthday Party.

Mrs. Laura Ireland entertained Monday afternoon in honor of what may be termed an August birthday, six being present and four having birthdays in this month, and two of those present having the same natal day. The afternoon was pleasantly passed with fancy work and the telling of jokes and stories, each guest having previously been charged to be ready with at least one short story. Refreshments were served, consisting of cake, punch and fruit jello. Those present were Mrs. A. J. Adams and daughter, Mrs. Nichols, Mrs. Carrie Jackson, Mrs. Lottie Lee, Miss Eliza Morrison, the last named and Mrs. Ireland both having their birthday happen on the same day, that of the date selected for the gathering.

## We Want Your Fruit Trade.

We have good camping grounds, plenty of water and hay. Canning peaches and pears are now ready. Some varieties of grapes are also ready and other varieties ripening fast. Prunes are due within a short time. Our peaches are choice, grown on young trees. Italian prunes will be extra good as soon as they mature.

Do not get our orchard confused with another of the same name. This is the old-time Fleck Orchards. We have satisfied customers all over the county and want a continuance of their trade as well as yours on a mutual basis of satisfaction. Remember the Fleck Orchards.

A. P. ALTERMATT, Owner.

## Sherman County Realty Transfers.

Dating to August 22, 1914.  
F. W. Sims to M. Z. Donnell, sec 34 of sec 33, s 1/2 of sw 1/4 of sec 34, tp 2 s, r 18e, W. M.; ne 1/4 of sec 4 and nw 1/4 of nw 1/4 and n 1/2 of sw 1/4 of sec 3, tp 3 s, r 18e, W. M., \$14,000.

## Local Church Announcements

for Sunday, August 30.  
Methodist church:  
Sunday School at 10 a. m.  
Preaching service in Spaulding at 12 (noon) and in Moro at 8 p. m.  
All are heartily invited.  
John Robertson, pastor.  
Presbyterian church:  
There will be services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. "What shall it profit a man if he shall gain the whole world and lose his own soul?"—Jesus. Mark 8:36. Come.  
A. J. Adams, pastor.

Bluestem wheat was up to a dollar at the close of the market in Portland last Saturday, with the price of other wheats trailing about ten cents behind.

## Organ for Sale

Walnut case, full rich tone. Estey parlor organ; in good, first-class condition; price when new, \$125; will take \$25 cash, as need the room. Call and try it or write to Mrs. F. R. MESSINGER, 3ta28\* Grass Valley, Oregon.

## Farm and City Property for Sale

Five acres joining Grass Valley; has house, barn, two wells, incubator house and other improvements. Also 160-acre homestead about 15 miles southwest of Grass Valley; has house, barn, spring water, etc. For particulars and terms write to Mrs. MARY C. BOYER, 3ta21 Grass Valley, Oregon.

## Combine Harvester For Sale

20-foot Houser Haines combine in good condition. This is a good buy for any one wanting a harvester. Have finished my work for this season. Bankable note accepted. The machine will stand inspection. Come and see it at my place, three miles east of Monkland. J. A. RASMUSSEN, 3t Monkland, Oregon.

## Livery Automobile Service

To or from any point, particularly Sherman county? Experienced driver and car always ready. Phone me at my expense from any place. Reasonable charges with plenty of time given commercial men to "make" towns. GEORGE ELLARD, Grass Valley, Oregon.

## Travelers at Biggs

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

The Ladies of Moro and vicinity  
are invited to attend a

## Fall Millinery Opening

At Moro, Oregon,  
Saturday, September 5

MRS. F. E. FAGAN

Miss Delma Powell, of Brownsville, trimmer

## FOR THE NEXT THIRTY DAYS

WE HAVE made a special arrangement whereby we can save you some money on a gasoline engine or cream separator. This arrangement only holds for the next thirty days. Call in and let us tell you what we can do.

The cheapest way to feed grain is by the use of a feed mill. We sell them. Ask us about them. The price is reasonable.

## Moro Hardware & Implt Co

J. F. BELSHEE  
Moro, Oregon,

DEALER IN

Harness Supplies of all Kinds

Have received a complete line of Saddles  
For Ladies, Men and Boys.

Repair Work Neatly Done In Prompt Time.

## DIGESTER TANKAGE

MADE BY THE UNION MEAT CO.  
NORTH PORTLAND, ORE.

## NOW ON SALE IN MORO

Whether you raise three hogs or three hundred, you cannot afford to overlook this famous hog food. Read what J. M. Fruits, of Joseph, Oregon says about DIGESTER TANKAGE.

Union Meat Company  
North Portland, Ore.  
Dear Sirs—  
In reference to the results obtained from your Digester Tankage, I have found it to be a profitable and satisfactory feed. It has no superior as a feed for brood sows. Its high percentage of protein makes it a great developer for the unborn pig. It makes strong boned pigs with nice glossy coats. In the show ring it has no equal to my judgment. During the past winter I have fed tankage to my young pigs and have never met with greater success.  
Very truly yours,  
(signed) J. M. Fruits.

DIGESTER TANKAGE is made from fresh, wholesome pieces of meat. It develops bone and muscle and makes pigs GROW. Endorsed by all leading Agricultural Experiment Stations and by the best breeders and feeders in every state. It's a meal in form, fed wet or dry, mixed with other foods. DIGESTER TANKAGE can be purchased in Moro at our Warehouse. We have purchased this famous hog food in a carload lot and can give you the benefit of this saving in freight. If you want your pigs to grow into fat, healthy hogs, send in your order now to

## GINN & COLEMAN

Moro, - - - Oregon.

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

We Cordially Solicit Your Patronage.

## The Observer

MORO, SHERMAN CO., OREGON:

FRIDAY August 28, 1914

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. PARRY, Secretary.

Bethlehem Chapter No. 78 O. E. S.  
Regular communication each 2d and 4th Thursday evenings monthly.  
F. E. FORTNER.

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.  
HENRY RUGGLES, Noble Grand.  
F. E. FAGAN, Secretary.

Advertise in the Observer.

Try L. W. Ross' chocolate ice cream soda.

Try the famous Sunday dinner at the Hotel Moro.

See Millikin "the harness maker" at Wasco, Oregon.

S. S. Hayes is a business visitor in the county from Portland.

Go to L. W. Ross for your cold drinks and ice cream dainties.

E. W. Lewis was a business visitor in Moro from Kent last Monday.

I. D. Pike is in charge of the W. W. M. Co. warehouse at Eskineville.

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

Master Elbert DeMoss was operated upon by Dr. Poley Tuesday morning for adenoids.

J. O. Thompson has purchased the sale and feed stable business in Moro from Alex Hunter.

F. L. Kee and O. P. King were visitors in Moro Saturday from Grass Valley, traveling by auto.

Best Diarrhoea Remedy.  
If you have ever used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy you know that it is a success. Sam F. Guin, Whately, Ala., writes, "I had measles and got caught out in the rain, and it settled in my stomach and bowels. I had an awful time and had it not been for Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy I could not possibly have lived but a few hours longer, but thanks to this remedy, I am now well and strong." For sale by all dealers.—Advertisement.

Abstracts promptly made by the Sherman County Abstract Company, Moro, Oregon.

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

Wm. Turner secured a neat set of buggy harness from the Belshee harness shop at Moro last Monday.

Mrs. May Barnum and sister, Mary, returned Saturday from a visit to the ocean beaches at Newport.

Mrs. A. S. Porter and daughter were visitors last week from Wasco at the home of J. F. Belshee and family.

Mrs. Agnes Brisbine was called to Hillsboro this week by the illness of her daughter, Mrs. S. E. Hoover.

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Powell Monday evening at the Poley sanitarium in Moro.

Assessor Otto Peetz has returned from his vacation spent in the mountains of Skamania county, Washington.

Eugene Amidon has finished his combine harvest run of work and has housed the machine until another season.

The ladies of the Dorcas Society will sell ice cream and cake at Dorcas Hall on Saturday afternoon, August 29th.

Mrs. W. B. Johnston returned Tuesday from a visit with relatives at Vancouver and Washington, Washington.

Sherman County Fair this year will be October 7th, 8th, 9th and 10th. Remember the date and bring an exhibit.

L. C. Gow was in Moro Wednesday from his John Day farm with another assortment of those famous cantaloupes.

The city council is having a well dug in the city park in an endeavor to supply the town with a larger supply of aqua pura.

Ben Tomlin has so far recovered from the loss of his toe in a harvester as to be able to be around town without a crutch.

Tom Craig is up from Camas, Washington, plastering the addition to the A. H. Barnum farm residence. Mr. Craig expects the work will require his attention for the next three weeks.

L. W. Ross has just received the nicest line of candy ever shown in this city. Your patronage will be appreciated.

Edw. Tomlin is gradually gaining strength in his broken leg, and Dr. Poley expects to allow him to sit up some time this week.

Carl Tomlin and Miss Georgia Fuller were married Saturday evening at the home of Jas. Tomlin in Moro, Rev. John Robertson officiating.

Mrs. F. R. Messinger is advertising a bargain in an organ, simply because they need the room it takes in the house. Look up the adv. and see.

Mrs. M. C. Selleck returned to her home at Boyd, in Wasco county, last Friday, after a pleasant visit at the home of J. A. Nicholson and family.

L. J. Pape was in town Tuesday and took home with him a dandy set of light buggy harness, sold by the Belshee harness shop at less than war prices.

L. L. Peetz is now stack threshing in the W. A. Ruggles neighborhood. He expects to finish this week and have his machinery all put away until another season.

Seth Hayes returned to his Portland home last Friday. Seth had made one of the crew for Asa Eslinger, who finished threshing last week and housed his machine for the season.

Rev. John Robertson expects to leave Monday for Pullman, Wash., where he will attend the annual meeting of the Columbia River conference of the Methodist Episcopal church.

Mrs. C. L. Weaver was a visitor last week from Milwaukie, Oregon, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. Nort. Mr. Nort is in charge of the section at Moro for the railroad company.

Your chickens will soon pay for them selves in increased egg production if you will use a quart can of carbolinum around "the chicken house and perches; you can get it at the Observer Store.

J. H. Elliot has received word of the death of his oldest brother at the family home at Waterloo, Iowa. Mr. Elliot is unfortunate in that of the deaths of three brothers, two sisters, his father and mother he was only able to attend but one funeral.