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

The Sherman county wheat fields will not make the yield at first thought possible for this year.

G. A. Simon and family have returned from a ten day auto trip going by way of Goldendale, Sunnyside and the Horse Heaven country to Kennewick and returning by way of Walla Walla, Pendleton, Ione and the McDonald ferry.

Special term of circuit court was convened Monday by Judge D.R. Parker. Clifford Beveridge was placed on trial for stealing from the railroad at Rufus, being returned from the reform school as unmanageable, his defense was insanity which the jury denied and brought in a verdict of guilty; a one to seven year penitentiary sentence was given him.

Three auto touring parties were camped last week at Demoss park under an agreement made several months before when they had become acquainted on the road, to again meet at Demoss at this time.

Baby Seriously Injured.

Marie, two year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Benson, was severely burned Sunday afternoon while playing with matches.

When first discovered Marie was going down stairs and evidently struck the matches against the side wall; the two girls tried to smother the flames with an old coat, not succeeding they used water.

Dr. Poley was not at home and Omar Sayers, with R. T. Morgan, made the drive to Wasco in thirteen minutes for Dr. Morse.

The little girl is now resting easy and hopes are entertained of complete recovery. Dr. Poley was called Tuesday night to relieve an attack of convulsions and since then the patient has been gaining strength.

Death Calls Young Man.

Harvey Austin May died at his home, near Spaulding chapel, Friday, June 25th, age 25 years. He was born near Solomon City, Kansas, and at the age of four moved with his parents to the Willamette valley and later to Shegman county.

He attended business college in Salem where he met Miss Inez Jones of Gervais, Oregon, whom he married October 8, 1912. He was employed in Portland, Ore., until October, 1913, then moving to Sherman county where they have since resided.

He is survived by his young wife and two year old daughter; his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. May; three sisters, Grace and Lulu, of Monkland, and Mrs. Guy Boyer, of Heppner; two brothers, Wallace, of Monkland, and Everett, of Corvallis.

Funeral services were conducted Sunday afternoon from the M.E. church at Moro, the edifice being filled with friends of the family, Rev. Robertson preaching the sermon. Interment was at the Moro cemetery, twenty one automobiles and two carriages following the funeral party to the last resting place of the departed.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to extend our most sincere thanks and appreciation to our many friends and also the members of the Woodmen of the World for their assistance and sympathy during the illness and burial of our beloved husband, son, and brother.

Mrs. Harvey May L. D. May and family.

Because of the funeral service the baseball game scheduled for last Sunday, between Goldendale and Moro was called off by T. E. Hulery, manager of the Moro team.

Three Score and Ten and Eight.

A most pleasing social event to close last week was the twelve o'clock "old fashioned" birthday dinner prepared by Mrs. J. A. Armstrong and Mrs. R. A. McFadden in honor of the 78th birthday of G. F. Armstrong, a veteran of our civil war.

In response to printed invitations there gathered at the noon hour a jolly company of guests to partake of the magnificent feast of viands that filled the long table in the dining room.

Those present were Rev. Robertson, Sheriff J. C. McKean and wife, Attorney W. C. Bryant and wife, Editor C. L. Ireland and wife, E. H. Moore and wife, G. E. Lewellen and wife, Isaac Thompson, G. F. Armstrong, wife and family.

Sherman County Realty Transfers.

John C. Lauer to Geo. E. Lewellen; lots 6 and 7 block 19 Moro \$1600.

American Life and Accident Insurance Co. to W. C. Bryant and N. P. Hansen; n/2 sec 1/4, sec 1/4 n/w 1/4 sw 1/4 ne 1/4 sec 8 tpls 19e, \$750.

A. K. Fuller to Geo. Ferneding; s 1/2 ne 1/4 sec 30 tpls 18e, \$15,000.

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The new county road down Hay Canyon as far as the wheat warehouses, is now finished with exception of one or two bridges. Tools and implements used for the work were brought into Moro and stored until again needed by the county.

F. E. Brown and family were guests Tuesday of Mrs. J. F. Foss, from Grants. Mr. Brown is county fruit inspector and was on business connected with his office. He reports the orchards of this vicinity as being in fine condition and well cultivated.

Hugh McIntyre, a former resident of Sherman county now living at Athena, was a visitor in the county on the 26th looking after his farm interests. Mr. McIntyre was traveling in his own auto and was accompanied by his two sons, Harold and Neal, and Cas Cannon, also of Athena.

Our Moro plumber, Chas. E. Davis, had his workshop transferred to Grass Valley for a few days this week where he has been making old and leaky watering trough as good as new by lining them with galvanized iron.

Combining Business With Pleasure.

Carl McKean has had a Ford for some years, but he is just beginning to realize its possibilities for pleasure and business. The other day he was in a hurry (to phone) he looked around and the car butted into a pole near the Court house and Carl went as high as the phone wires; that's business, for the garage. Monday, east of Moro, Carl ran out of gasoline, says its his first time, the car ran a considerable distance, down hill, on its reputation and Carl hiked four hot miles to Jim Kenney's for a new supply; that's pleasure, to help any one in trouble. The same day Carl had a blow out stop him in front of Hockman's; that was a relief, from further worry.

PAINTED POST.

Story of the Incident That Gave the Place Its Name.

There's not a drummer between New York and San Francisco who hasn't at some stage of his drumming career made game of the name of the town of Painted Post. And after everybody laughs you may hear the query, "But I wonder where it did get its name?" Here is the story:

In the summer of 1770 the English and Indians under a loyalist, McDonald, and Ilakattoo, a renowned Seneca war chief, returned north from a raid by way of Pine creek, the Tloga and the Conchocton. They brought with them their own wounded and some prisoners taken at Freely's fort.

Under the elms at the confluence of the Tloga and Conchocton Captain Montour, a half breed and a noted war chief, died of his wounds. He was the son of Frontenac by the famous Indian Queen Catherine. He was buried by the river side, and above his grave was placed a post on which were painted various symbols and devices. This monument became known as the painted post and was a landmark often visited by the braves and chiefs of the Six Nations.

The post stood for many years after the settlement of the country. Finally it rotted down at the butt and was preserved in the barroom of a tavern until 1810, when it disappeared. Some say it was swept away during a freshet—New York Sun.

MILITARY ARCHERS.

Bows and Arrows Were Used in Battle Up to a Century Ago.

We think of the bow and arrow as medieval weapons of war abandoned by the nations of Europe four or five centuries ago. The bowmen of Creecy are the last of any prominence in English history. Yet it is only about 100 years since soldiers fought with bows and arrows in European wars, and that, too, on the fields of southern Belgium.

It was in 1813, when all Europe was armed against Napoleon. Every one of the allied nations brought every possible resource of men and means to further this end. Among them was Russia. To the war she sent soldiers from the newly conquered tribes that dwell upon the steppes of Asia—Bokharians and Turkomans and Tartars and other half savage peoples. Many of these regiments were armed with bows and arrows.

Jominal, the military historian, speaks of a great number of these that fought side by side with the Prussians in eastern Germany and in Belgium, and he says that these bowmen held their own against the French infantry. Their aim, he says, was surprisingly good, and they could shoot an arrow with effect almost as far as a musket ball was effective, but in those days that was not much more than 100 yards.—Exchange.

Little Lesson in Efficiency.

Utilize all your opportunities. If the bathtub leaks keep the potted plants under it.—Pittsburgh Post.

Squelched.

Old Sparkleigh (trying to make an impression)—So, Miss Bright, you have taken up kindergarten work. Deeply interested in childhood, I suppose. Miss Bright—Not in second childhood, Mr. Sparkleigh.—Chicago Tribune.

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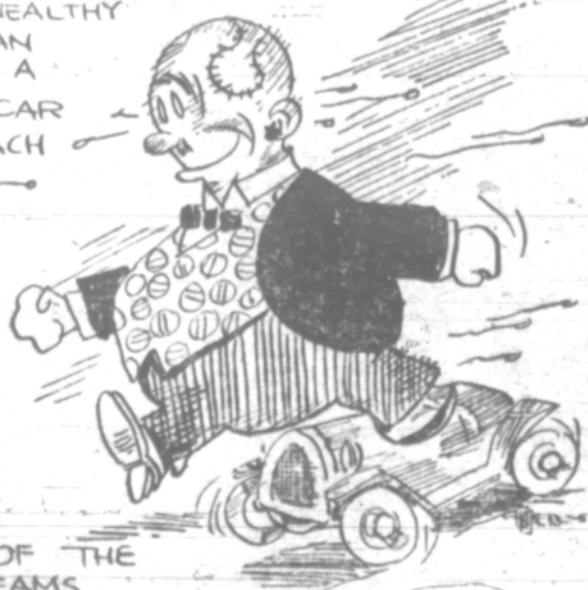
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Ninth Annual Pioneers' Picnic and Celebration at DeMoss Springs, Oregon July 3d and 4th

There will be a grand musical and literary program and basket dinners both days July 3d a fine program of sports, ball game between Hay Canyon and Boardman, and a Baby Show.

Among the sports will be the Sack Race, Foot Race for young and old, Grease Pole, Nail Driving Contest for Ladies, Stake Driving Contest for Men, 50-yard, 100-yard, Hurdle races, Horse races, etc., for cash prizes.

A special building is prepared for an exhibit of grain, each farmer is requested to bring a sample to be placed on exhibit. Cash prizes awarded.

An all days meeting and Sunday School will be held in the Park on July 4th. Special services by the pastors of the county.

Hon. John Fulton, George G. DeMoss, John Hastings, G. A. Simon, C. L. Ireland, executive committee.

John Fulton, chairman grain display committee. John Hastings, chairman sports committee.

Mrs. Daisy Mobley, Mrs. Lizzie Davis, Mrs. N. P. Hansen, baby show committee

G. A. Simon, Geo. DeMoss, Mrs. Akers, music and literary committee