

# Thinking of New Spring Hats?

Mrs. Mortenson will have some of the newest and most appealing Styles on display on the following dates

**Moro**  
Saturday, Mar. 11  
**Grass Valley**  
Saturday, Mar. 18

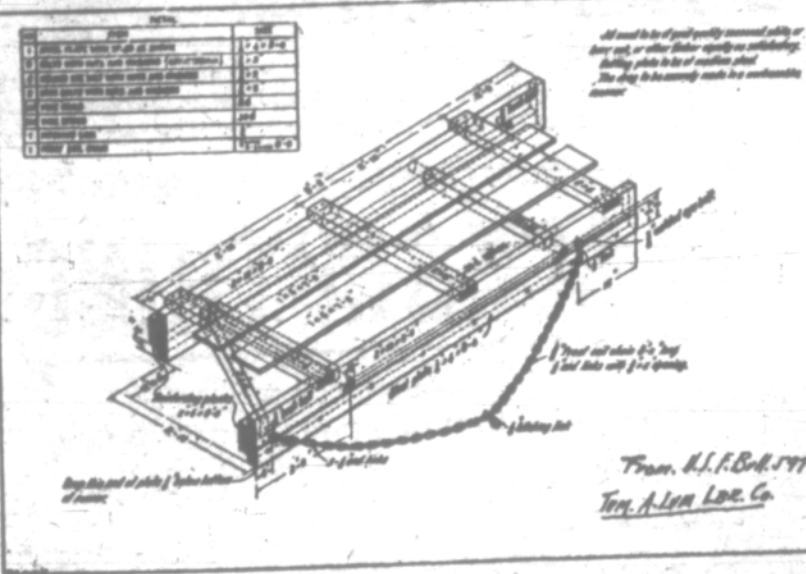
## THE WASCO MARKET

I handle all kinds of Fresh and Cured Meats. Fish, Oysters and Crabs in season. Also all kinds of vegetables.

I am in the market for anything you have to sell in the line I am handling.

Come in and see me. Write or phone about your cattle, veal, poultry, eggs, butter, and green or dry hides.

**L. S. HINES, The Meat Man**  
WASCO, OREGON Phone Main 373



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\$1.30 for All Lumber for this  
Tum-A-Lum Road Drag

Modeled after  
U. S. Government  
Design

"Ask H. U. Martin of Moro"

**TUM-A-LUM LUMBER CO.**

"The Home of Tum-A-Lum"

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**Farmers' Union Warehouse**

Lowest Market Price

J. A. HARDIN, - - - Moro, Oregon

## The Observer

MORO, SHERMAN CO., OREGON

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FRIDAY.....March 3, 1916

**Kureks 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.  
Mrs. NELLIE CUSHMAN,  
Worthy Matron  
Mrs. MAY BARNUM, Secretary.

**Farmers Educational and Co-Operative Union of America**  
MORO LOCAL NO. 41  
Meets in I. O. O. F. hall each 2nd and 4th  
Saturday afternoon. Visiting members  
welcome. W. S. FOWELL, President.  
C. G. Silver, Secretary.

**Local Church Announcements**  
for Sunday, March 5.

**Methodist church:**  
Sunday School at 10:00 a. m.  
Preaching service at 11 a. m.  
and 7:30 p. m.  
Everybody welcome.  
John Robertson, pastor.

**Presbyterian church:**  
Sabbath School at 10 a. m.  
Preaching service at 11 a. m.  
and 7:30 p. m.  
Services in Monkland at 2:30.  
If you cannot come in motor car  
or buggy, come as your pastor  
will—afloat.

Let us make the day the most  
fruitful of good of all days of the  
year; and we can if we come in  
the spirit of him who said: "I  
will take the ark of salvation and  
call upon the name of the Lord.  
I will pay my vows now in the  
presence of all the people."  
—David.

A. J. Adams, Pastor.

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

Wes Rigdon is a business visitor  
in Portland this week.

G. B. Bourhill returned home  
from a visit at Portland, Tuesday.

T. E. Hulery and family were  
visitors this week at the Rufus  
home of Mr. Hulery's parents.

Mrs. Wm. Morrison returned  
Monday from The Dalles, where  
she has been under treatment for  
her eyes.

Mrs. W. A. Woods is a Port-  
land visitor this week at the home  
of her parents, Mr. and Mrs.  
Dan McLachlan.

Marjorie and Ralph Haynes  
were week-end visitors at the  
Kent home of their parents, re-  
turning Monday to school.

M. C. Davis has leased his farm,  
known as the Callaghan place,  
east of Grass Valley, to J. D.  
Dunlap and has moved to Port-  
land.

The DeMoss Lyric Bards are  
now touring the Willamette val-  
ley. Because of road conditions  
they have shipped their auto and  
are using the trains.

Dr. Freeze the Eye  
Specialist will make  
regular trips to Moro  
each month during 1916. Call  
Moro Hotel.

S. D. Montgomery left Thurs-  
day for Dorr, Wash., by team to  
look after his ranch recently pur-  
chased in that part of Klickitat  
county and will spend a few days  
in repairing the place. He will  
move the family as soon as the  
roads are in shape to travel.

The school boundary board  
met at the court house Wednes-  
day and on the petition of the  
Moro district for territory to be  
taken from the Erskine district al-  
lowed the Moro district eight of  
the eleven sections petitioned.  
This gives 1 1/4 miles additional  
railroad to the Moro district.

**Deafness Cannot Be Cured**  
by local application, as they cannot reach  
the diseased portion of the ear. There is  
only one way to cure deafness, and that is  
by constitutional remediation. Deafness is  
caused by an inflamed condition of the mu-  
cous lining of the Eustachian tube. When  
this tube is inflamed you have a running  
ear, or imperfect hearing, and when it is  
entirely closed, deafness is the result, and  
unless the inflammation can be taken out  
and this tube restored to its normal con-  
dition, hearing will be destroyed forever; also  
ears out of use are seized by Catarrh,  
which is nothing but an inflamed condition  
of the mucous surface.  
We will give One Hundred Dollars for any  
case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that  
cannot be cured, by HALL'S CATARRH CURE.  
Send for circulars free.  
W. J. HALL, M. D., 1015 Broadway, New York, N. Y.  
This Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Prof. Dunton and family were  
visitors at Kent this week.

Carbolinum, fresh stock, now  
on sale at The Observer Store.

N. P. Hansen, manager of the  
Moro Commercial Co., is a busi-  
ness visitor at Portland.

Roy Kunsman returned Satur-  
day from Portland, where he has  
been attending business college.

John McDermid was a visitor  
at Kent Tuesday with the view of  
purchasing mules for his farm  
near Wasco.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Fuller  
returned Saturday from a visit of  
several weeks with his parents at  
Castle Rock, Wash.

J. G. Medler moved his barley  
crusher to Wasco last Monday  
and will crush over 1000 sacks of  
grain for the W. W. M. Co.

The horse advertised last week  
in the Observer by George Hen-  
nagin was claimed by C. R. Bel-  
shee. It left its pasture early last  
winter.

Dr. C. L. Poley was called to  
Grass Valley Friday in consul-  
tation with Dr. Taylor to see  
Lloyd Wilcox who is seriously ill  
with typhoid fever.

Mrs. L. H. Martin has recov-  
ered from the effects of a fall on  
the slippery sidewalk, last Decem-  
ber, and was able to attend the  
Farmers Union dinner Saturday.

Eugene Amidon is building an  
annex to his farm home, 12x12  
feet, to be used as a room for his  
washing machine. The building  
is built on skids for convenient  
moving.

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 Book  
Store.

Misses Ora and Fern Davis,  
daughters of M. C. Davis living  
east of Grass Valley on the Cal-  
laghan farm, were visitors in  
Moro last Friday at the home of  
Miss Faith Ginn, enroute to their  
former home in Portland.

The Tumalum Lumber Co. has  
been unloading new fourteen and  
sixteen foot cedar poles for the  
new phone line soon to be con-  
structed out of Moro. This line  
when finished will serve W. B.  
Johnston and the Boardman dis-  
trict.

Mrs. P. Waldo Davis celebrat-  
ed her natal anniversary on the  
29th of February, something that  
many cannot do. In the early  
evening, friends and neighbors  
gathered for an impromptu sur-  
prise that made for a very pleas-  
ant reminder of the day.

Manager B. L. Carson, of the  
Pacific Telephone and Tele-  
graph Co., was a business visitor  
in Moro Tuesday from The  
Dalles. He reports a new phone  
line as being under construction  
out of Wasco, going southeast,  
with twelve subscribers, ten be-  
ing new phone users.

The attendance at the Farmers  
Union dinner and business meet-  
ing last Saturday was the best in  
the history of the local union.  
More than 250 plates were served  
at the noon cafeteria lunch. A  
program of instrumental and vo-  
cal music and readings preceded  
the afternoon business meeting.

The grand stand at the Sher-  
man county fair grounds is to be  
remodelled soon by Contractor  
Ramey to provide more conven-  
ient seating. All the old floor will  
be taken out and new seat rows  
built of 3-ft long matched flooring.  
In place of the board seats the di-  
rectors will place individual fold-  
ing opera chairs.

John M. DeMoss has had a  
large 6-foot sign painted by J. P.  
Noonan that he will place at  
the entrance to his farm below  
DeMoss, which has been named  
Sunrise Farm. One side of the  
sign will face the south bound  
trains and on that side has been  
painted, besides the name of the  
farm, "Welcome to DeMoss."

The evening of Washington's  
birthday C. A. Tom and family  
entertained at their home near  
Rufus with a five hundred party.  
F. E. Brown walked off with the  
gentlemen's prize and Mrs. Marie  
Watkins won the ladies' prize.  
The evening of the 25th, Mr.  
Brown and family entertained  
the club, but our informant does  
not say whether Frank again got  
the prize.

Always read the Observer.

T. E. Hulery has had a phone  
placed in his residence.

Thrill forms the main basis for  
all improvements and progress.

The usual Dorcas social will be  
held next Wednesday, the 8th, at  
the home of Mrs. A. J. Adams.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. E. L.  
Bogart, at their Moro home, a  
nine pound boy on the 29th. Dr.  
Poley attending.

W. B. Curry and A. T. Striker  
have placed their order with the  
O'Meara Implement Co. for a  
16-horse Holt Caterpillar.

Chester Fuller has lost the  
thumb of his left hand from blood  
poisoning, caused by a rusty nail  
puncture while splitting wood.

The Tumalum Lumber Co. de-  
livered six thousand feet of short  
length flooring to the fair grounds  
this week, to be used in remodel-  
ing the grand stand.

A. C. Thompson and family  
are home from their trip by auto  
to California. On the return they  
drove from southern California to  
San Francisco and shipped their  
car from there to Portland, com-  
ing by train.

The Home Bakery, E. C. Clark,  
proprietor, has moved from the  
McCoy confectionery store to the  
building formerly occupied by  
the Fleck Orchard Store. Rye  
and Graham bread has been  
added to the list of on sale.

Supt. Fagan is arranging for a  
local teachers' institute and school  
board convention to meet at  
Moro Saturday, March 11th.  
State Superintendent Churchill  
and a member of the State Tax  
Commission will be present and  
address the meetings.

A letter from Rufus reports the  
snow all gone and fall wheat  
looking good. Most of the sur-  
plus water has run off, leaving  
the roads in bad shape. It is  
said that many are out of feed,  
owing to the long winter, but that  
farm work will start about the  
first of this month.

Will Herd has purchased an im-  
ported Belgian horse for service  
in Sherman county and will make  
the farm of Grant Morgan his  
headquarters for the coming sea-  
son. The horse is one of the best  
and comes into Sherman county  
well recommended. See the ad-  
vertisement on another page of  
this paper.

Erbin Jensen, who has been  
farming the C. A. Tom place at  
Rufus, has secured a five year  
lease of a farm near Stevenson,  
Wash., and expects to move there  
next week, shipping his stock,  
farm implements, feed, etc., by  
boat from Rufus. This will be  
the first time a through boat ship-  
ment has left Sherman county.

A pleasant and enjoyable birth-  
day party was tendered Ray  
White and little May Brock on  
the 25th at the home of Mr. and  
Mrs. L. S. Brock near Rufus.  
Those present were J. G. Medler  
and family, Frank Medler and  
family, W. B. Rice and family,  
J. K. Mersinger and family, Miss  
McGregor, A. Buhman and family.

Congressman Nick Sinnott has  
succeeded in securing favorable  
action on the measure appropri-  
ating money for those Sherman  
county settlers who located on  
what they supposed was public  
land, but were later ousted by a  
court decision holding that the  
land belonged to the E. O. L. Co.  
The bill reimburses for the value  
of land and improvements at the  
date they were dispossessed.

Thursday morning, below De-  
moss, the freight train met with  
a mishap, four cars loaded with  
wheat going off the track. No  
damage was done except to the  
track and cars. The passenger  
train, following the freight, trans-  
ferred mails and express to cars  
ahead of those derailed and used  
the freight engine to make the  
round trip to Biggs. The wrecker  
was called from The Dalles to  
clear the track.

The Clarke Cutaway is an up-  
to-date farm implement sold by  
Ginn, Coleman & Co. It is short  
coupled with seat over the hind  
section. There is no danger of  
falling off and becoming hurt by  
the last section. Levers are in  
front of the seat and can be regu-  
lated without stopping the team.  
It is impossible for the sections to  
track, regardless of side hill or  
level land. Call in and look  
them over.

## "Bank of Moro"

MORO, OREGON

TO BUILD a Bank that will never know com-  
pletion, but that will advance continually to meet  
advancing conditions

To Advance Deposits and Service to a  
Notable Degree.

TO CREATE a personality that will be known  
for its strength and friendliness.

TO ARRANGE and Co-Operate activities to the  
end of winning confidence by meriting it.

TO STRIVE always to secure the satisfaction of  
every customer.

This is the aim of "BANK OF MORO" that is  
being impressed more and more indelibly, as the  
years go by upon the character of the business it-  
self; that is being expressed more and more ef-  
fectively as the bank grows stronger in strength  
and understanding.

The Satisfaction of Every Customer---the slo-  
gan that expresses the ideal of this Bank.

## THE BEST PLOW

IS FOR SALE BY

**GINN, COLEMAN & CO.**

We have the best full chilled plow on the market and in-  
vite inspection at our sales room.

We sold four in Sherman county last year and could  
have sold more if we could have gotten them.

Every man that had the handling of this plow last year  
said it was the easiest to handle that he had ever used.

It is adjustable to 12-inch, 14-inch, and 16-inch; comes in  
two or three bottom and can be added to or reduced as  
wanted.

The plow share has the usual smooth cutting edge in front  
and also a patented corrugated bottom on the shear;  
this permits of cleaner and better cutting with less pull on  
the horses.

It is built high; has good clearance; and will not choke  
in stubble and scours extra well.

It can be raised and lowered while the team is going and  
in every way can be considered a first-class, number  
one plow.

## THE VULCAN PLOW

SOLD BY

**GINN, COLEMAN & CO.**

Sole Agents for Sherman County

MORO, OREGON

## Good Water

And plenty for all purposes, is one of the  
principal assets of good and successful  
farming. The water is there for you, and  
only needs development and the cost is  
small. See A. S. JOHNSON about it and  
make up your mind to stop hauling water.

HAULING WATER IS LIKE PAYING RENT

**A. S. JOHNSON**

"The Man Who Gets Water"

KENT, OREGON

## MORO HOME BAKERY

E. C. CLARK, Proprietor

FIRST STREET NEAR MORO HDW. & IMPLMT. CO.

FRESH BREAD DAILY, 5c a Loaf. All Bread  
wrapped in air tight wax paper sanitary package.

Specialty of Home Cooked Doughnuts, Pies and Cakes

SPECIAL ORDERS FOR ANY KIND OF BAKING GIVEN PROMPT  
ATTENTION

## FEED & SALE STABLES

Farmers are invited to "Tie In"

Single Horse, 10 cents. Team, 15 cents

Feeding 25 cents a head, including Stall Room

No Extra Charge for "tie in" When Driver Furnishes Feed

**W. H. EASTER, Moro, Oregon**  
LIVERY SERVICE ON CALL

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