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## The Observer

MORO, SHERMAN CO., OREGON:

Official Paper for Sherman County.

FRIDAY, August 25, 1916

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 2nd 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. POWELL, President. C. G. SILVER, Secretary.

Local Church Announcements for Sunday, Aug. 27.

Methodist church:  
Sunday School at 10:00 a. m.  
Preaching service in Spaulding at 12 (noon) and in Moro at 8:00 p. m.  
Everybody welcome.  
John Robertson, pastor.

Presbyterian church:  
Sabbath School at 10 a. m., J. E. Coleman, superintendent.  
Services morning and evening, at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.  
A cordial invitation to all.  
A. J. Adams, Pastor.

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

A new and complete fresh stock of groceries at Bourhill & Co.'s.

G. E. Lewellen was a business visitor this week in the Rose City.

Holt 16-foot harvester in good shape for sale; terms; see Crossfield.

The R. W. Pinkerton combine is threshing on the W. F. Jackson farm north of Moro.

Omar Says has moved his combine to the Ragsdale quarter, near Moro, farmed by R. T. Morgan.

Mrs. R. D. Jackson and children have returned from a most enjoyable summer outing at Seaside.

Return engagement of the Inter Mountain Wagon Shows, presenting "The Girl of Eagle Ranch," 20 people with band and orchestra. Friday, Aug. 25, at 8:15.

The Revolving Rod Weeder, made in Cheney, Washington, is sold in eight different states and in Canada. It is the most substantial and satisfactory implement for summer fallow land. Geo. W. Hansell, local agent.

George Meloy, jr., had a very narrow escape last week from being crushed on the combine of Roy Powell, where he is separator tender. His teddy bear suit caught in the sprocket and he only saved himself by hanging onto a nearby ladder with all his might.

Says a wayside philosopher: "When he is 20 a man is busy showing his knowledge. When he is 80 he is busy concealing his ignorance." Why, we don't know about that; when he is 80 his conviction is that nobody knows as much as everybody did when he was 20.

The Hudson Super-Six, model 1917, now being delivered to Sherman county purchasers by the J. R. Kaseberg agency located at Wasco, is the same model that will be on the market next spring. J. R. Kaseberg has had the Sherman county agency for the Hudson Super-Six for a long time, but this is the first he could guarantee prompt delivery. If you want an up-to-the-minute car and one that will be identical with the model marketed next touring season, call upon J. R. Kaseberg at Wasco.

**\$100 Reward, \$100**  
The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one graded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.  
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Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Mrs. Wm. Morrison returned Wednesday from The Dalles.

Fresh baker's bread received daily by express by Bourhill & Co.

Mrs. E. C. Clark and children returned Wednesday from Portland.

Eugene Amidon has moved his combine thresher to the Chris Anderson farm.

C. L. Powell and L. J. Pape are each dickering for some of the E. O. L. Co. land near Erskine.

O. G. Says harvested 50 tons of hay and 6404 sacks of wheat from his 320 acres west of Moro.

Friday, August 25. Big Western play with 6 vaudeville acts. Twenty people with band and orchestra.

Attorney Duffy, L. Barnum and K. A. McPherson were trying fishermen's luck at Shearer bridge Sunday.

Don't forget Friday, August 25. "The Girl of Eagle Ranch" under canvas. Band concert on street at 1:30 and 7 p. m.

F. E. Dunton and family drove to The Dalles Sunday accompanied by Mrs. Dunton's mother, who returned to her home at Molalla.

The Hockman & Martin combine is threshing on the H. W. Strong farm, securing 15 sacks to the acre of turkey red and 12 sacks on bluestem.

The city water mains and reservoir was allowed to go dry Tuesday so that they could be more easily cleaned and put in condition for another year.

W. S. Powell, manager of the Moro Co-operative Warehouse Company is in the market for all kinds of grain. When ready to sell get his prices. 4t-11

Miss Marie Morrison is home from attending the summer session of the State Normal at Monmouth and expects to return within the next two weeks to continue her studies at the regular term.

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

H. A. Moore and wife and son Harry in one auto and H. S. McDaniel and wife, accompanied by Mrs. Leah Sibray, were visitors in the county this week at the E. A. Cushman farm and with relatives at Grass Valley and Moro.

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

H. W. Strong sold part of his crop Saturday for \$1.14, which was 4c less than W. S. Powell would have been glad to pay. Eugene Amidon sold this week for \$1.20 when Powell would have paid 2c more. Better see Powell before you sell.

The W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of Mrs. Buxton Friday, Sept. 1st. All members are requested to be present and if possible bring your dues, as county convention and state convention are drawing very near. Those interested are invited. Mrs. Buxton, president.

The Newberg Graphic quotes B. F. Pike, former assessor for Sherman county now living at Newberg, as saying that when he saw the fine growing crops on a recent trip he made to his old home in Sherman county it made him have a longing to get back on the farm again.

Hereafter Salem will be officially known as the "Loganberry City" in place of the "Cherry City," taken some years ago from The Dalles. Loganberry products were originated by business men of Salem and the name is rightfully theirs, as well as all the advantageous advertising that would accrue from their adopting the name of "Loganberry City."

Because of green grain growing on sucker roots in the same stool with mature wheat, Fred J. Krurow had to stop heading and threshing, and stack for later threshing. Because of the time lost by change of harvesting, he lost part of his crew and was in Moro Tuesday after men. He secured three off the train that afternoon and beat the train into Grass Valley in an effort to get more and fill out his crew.

### Will Investigate Express Rates.

The Public Service Commission of Oregon has on its own motion brought an investigation of rates as assessed and collected on milk, cream and dairy products by the American Express Company between points in eastern Oregon. The commission is impressed with the importance and far reaching effect which this investigation may have upon the price of a commodity of almost vital importance to the public, and of inestimable value to the dairy industry which is now in its infancy in eastern Oregon and which promises to become one of the leading sources of revenue in the near future. The present low rates on long hauls permits Seattle to draw her supply from points as far distant as Snake river and branch line points in eastern Oregon. As illustrative of the possibilities and importance of the dairying industry to Oregon, Wisconsin's annual revenue from her dairy produce exceeds by several million dollars the value of the annual gold production of the United States and Alaska. While Wisconsin is nearer the large markets, the cost of production is less here in Oregon. The determination of the reasonableness of the rates on milk, cream and dairy products in this case must necessarily be a conclusion based more or less on general facts and conditions.

Viava Home Remedies can be had from Mrs. Grace Bourhill.

Mrs. Sarah Landry and grandchildren are visiting in Portland.

Robert Urquhart has purchased the Erskine farm of 280 acres from L. Barnum.

Mrs. C. L. Powell and children returned Wednesday from their summer outing at Newport.

It you need dishes for the cook house call at Bourhill & Co.'s while the sale is on. See adv.

Wm. Mahrt's thresher began work in the Fairview section last Monday on wheat for R. A. Murray.

The Experiment farm is having O. A. Ramsey build a machine shed to house their separator and other farm machinery.

If you have a news item, tell it to the Observer. Don't imagine we know it and then wonder why it is not in the paper 'phone it in.

Lucetta Elliott, Mary Knnsman, Lula and Kathleen Meloy took dinner at Roy Powell's cookhouse last Thursday, where Mrs. Meloy is chief cook.

O. H. Hadden and family are moving to Milwaukee, Oregon, where Mr. Hadden has work on a large new high school building being erected at that place.

The finest grade of breakfast bacon, home cured by themselves, is on sale at Lee Hines Wasco Market. It is made from light weight, special selected hogs, and costs less per pound than other brands.

Two Revolving Rod Weeders have been sold in this locality this month just because you can destroy your big weeds with the Revolving Rod Weeder and leave your ground in good condition. See Geo. W. Hansell for prices.

Wm. C. Allen and Susanna E. Hilligas were married Saturday night at Moro by Justice of the Peace Ross. In the haste to become one, the happy couple routed Dr. Poley out of bed to give the health certificate. County Clerk McPherson to grant the license and Judge Ross to tie the knot; all of which happened shortly before midnight.

Heppner business men are putting out along the line from Pendleton to The Dalles markers indicating to automobile tourists the Blue Trail, at this time the most feasible route from Pendleton to Portland. Heretofore there has been no marking on this road and automobile tourists have been at a loss to follow the course and often have taken the wrong road.

Reports from all parts of the county continue to come in stating that this harvest will be very much larger than any one expected. Threshing in the Kent district has temporarily stopped because of green wheat on sucker roots being too green to mix in the sack with the matured grain now waiting harvest in the same fields. This is the first time such conditions has existed in Sherman county.



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