

The Observer.

MORO, OREGON.

Official Paper for Sherman County.

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C. L. IRELAND.....Manager.

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Meeting to Elect Officers.

Sherman County Branch No. 1, of the National Hughes Alliance, Moro, has now about 70 charter members. It will receive its charter in a few days from New York. Temporary officers are: Chairman, C. L. Poley; vice-chairman, P. H. Buxton; secretary, F. E. Fagan; treasurer, Mrs. Nellie Muir.

We desire and welcome the active participation of all men and women voters who are for Charles E. Hughes, irrespective of their party affiliations.

A mass meeting will be held at the Moro Opera House Wednesday night, Oct. 4th, at 8 o'clock for the purpose of electing permanent officers and delegates to the state-wide conference and rally to be held in Portland Oct. 7.

Enrollment slips for new members may be secured for the asking. No membership charge.

Another Sherman County Record.

C. L. Powell was in the Observer office this week and while here told something of his crop harvested this year with his combine thresher off his 500 acres of Sherman county wheat land that he had in crop.

From the entire field he harvested 8900 sacks of wheat, 80 acres being what is known as spring plowing and the balance the regular run of farming.

From 200 acres of this 500 acres in crop he harvested 4700 sacks of turkey red wheat, the wheat averaging better than 140 pounds to the sack as it was delivered to the warehouse. In fact, the first few loads went over 145 pounds to the sack.

This only proves the contention of those familiar with the average farming methods in vogue in Sherman county as compared with other sections where wheat is the staple crop, that this county is the banner wheat producing country of the United States if proper farming methods are followed and farming is made and considered a business in place of merely getting the work done and over with as soon as possible, regardless of season and condition of the land.

J. S. Stewart, of Fossil, representative in the last legislature from Sherman, Gilliam and Wheeler counties, has filed with Secretary of State Olcott certificate of nomination as an independent candidate for representative from these three counties, comprising the 28th district.

Rufus Items.

Mrs. Curran left Sunday for her home at Hood River.

Uncle Bud Coats' three brothers of Idaho visited him last week.

Mrs. Marsh of Spokane is visiting her mother, Mrs. Pyburn, this week.

Mr. Warren, who is working near Moro, visited friends in town Sunday.

Forman Chrisman employed an additional man at the warehouse this week. The wheat continues to roll in.

Bifford Fleck, Byard Fleck and George Blackburne were among the Rufus people who attended the Round-Up last week.

The fruit truck from the Fleck Orchard continues to make frequent trips to the interior of Sherman and Wasco counties.

Miss Deyo took the opening exercise period at school Tuesday morning telling why Mr. Hughes should be elected. We were quite converted to Republicanism until Thursday morning when Culver Payne answered her speech from a Democrat's point of view. In spelling neither Pearl Pyburn nor Beulah Brown missed a word during the week. The boys will "shine" next week.

An Open Letter.

The Presbyterians of this town cordially invites those who are not connected with any other church to visit them with a view of becoming regular attendants and active workers in the organization.

Elsewhere in this issue will be found announcement of the services for the coming Sunday. We try to have good music. The pastor will preach as good a sermon as he can. We trust there will be a hearty handshake and a spirit of real friendship for everyone.

Many people do not realize the good the churches are doing in our community. We accept the good they do as we accept the breath of life from our Heavenly Father; as a matter of course. If the two churches and the good influences they exert were suddenly and permanently removed from our community not one of us would care to live and rear our children here.

Every honest man wants to pay his debts. Will you repudiate yours? A. J. Adams, pastor.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank our many dear friends for the help, kindness and great sympathy shown us in the severe trial which we have just undergone in the loss of our dear son and brother, George. With us their kindness shall never be forgotten. The Lord reward them.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Wright and Children.

REAL AUTOMOBILE VALUES

Our type 55 Demonstrators will be here within a very short time and before the newer models are ready for delivery we are going to move every used car that we have in stock. This is your opportunity to buy a good automobile at a price that makes its purchase a sound investment. We know that you will realize too the advantage in buying from an old established house. Prices and descriptions of the following cars will appear in the October 6 issue of the Observer. If in the market for a good used car at an honest price it will pay you well to investigate these prices.

Alco.....	1913.....	5 Passenger
Buick.....	1910.....	Roadster
Buick.....	1911.....	5 Passenger
Cadillac.....	1913.....	5 Passenger
Cadillac.....	1911.....	5 Passenger
Cadillac.....	1912.....	5 Passenger
Cadillac.....	1913.....	5 Passenger
Cadillac.....	1913.....	7 Passenger
Cadillac.....	1915.....	7 Passenger
Cadillac.....	1916.....	7 Passenger
Dodge.....	1915.....	5 Passenger
Dodge.....	1916.....	5 Passenger
Dodge.....	1916.....	Roadster
Dodge.....	1916.....	Delivery
Ford.....	1914.....	Roadster
Ford.....	1913.....	5 Passenger
Glide.....	1914.....	5 Passenger
Jackson.....	1911.....	4 Passenger
Locomobile.....	1912.....	4 Passenger
Marion.....	1913.....	5 Passenger
Maxwell.....	1911.....	Roadster
Pierce.....	1911.....	7 Passenger
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Velie.....	1910.....	Chassis

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TRAINED INSTRUCTORS WANTED

Every resident of Eastern Oregon has a vital interest in the passage of this measure for Eastern Oregon pays HIGH SALARIES to her teachers and is entitled to the services of TRAINED INSTRUCTORS.

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The annual cost of maintenance of the proposed State Normal School amounts to BUT ONE 25TH OF A MILL OR 4 CENTS ON A THOUSAND DOLLARS of taxable property. Isn't it worth this to you to have your children trained to become USEFUL AND PRODUCTIVE citizens?

STRONG ENDORSEMENT

J. A. Churchill, the State Superintendent of Public Instruction, voices the sentiment of the educators of the state when he says: "Oregon's greatest need for its rural schools is the teacher who has had full preparation to do her work. Such preparation can best come through Normal School training."

"I trust that the voters of the state will assist in raising the standard of our schools by establishing a State Normal School at Pendleton. The location is central, the interest of the people of Pendleton in education most excellent, and the large number of pupils in the public schools will give ample opportunity to all students to get the amount of teaching practice required in a standard normal school."

The educators of the State insist that Standard Normal Schools be located in towns of 5000 population or more and having ENOUGH GRADE PUPILS FOR TEACHER PRACTICE.

BE LOYAL AND VOTE RIGHT

Show your loyalty to the best interests of Eastern Oregon and of the whole state by working for this measure and by voting YES FOR NO. 308. By voting YES for No. 308 you will help to GIVE TO THE SCHOOL CHILDREN OF OREGON THE SAME ADVANTAGES ENJOYED BY THE SCHOOL CHILDREN OF OUR NEIGHBORING STATES.

Eastern Oregon State Normal School Committee

By J. M. Gwinn, Secy., Pendleton, Ore.

(Paid advertisement)

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