

## The Observer

MORO, SHERMAN CO., OREGON

Official Paper for Sherman County.

FRIDAY... December 29, 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 2d and 4th Thursday  
evenings monthly.  
Mrs. Nellie Cushman,  
Worthy Matron  
Mrs. May Barnum, Secretary.

Farmers Educational and Co-Oper-  
ative 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

Methodist church:  
Sunday school at 10 a.m.  
Preaching service in Spalding at  
12 (noon) and in Moro at 7:30  
p. m.  
All are welcome.  
John Robertson, pastor.

Presbyterian church:  
Sabbath School at 10 a.m., J. E.  
Coleman, superintendent.  
Preaching services at 11 a. m.  
and 7:30 p. m.

"For where two or three are  
gathered together in my name,  
there am I in the midst of them."  
—Matt. xviii:20.  
These words by the Master ought  
to assure the attendance of every  
christian.

A. J. Adams, Pastor.

Dodge cars are built honestly  
and, in the light car field, are the  
best values in the automobile  
market. Walther-Williams at The  
Dalles sells them.

A. J. Lindahl, of this city, and  
Miss Bernice Dimick, of Hub-  
bard, were married at the home  
of the bride's parents during hol-  
iday week. They will make their  
home in the Smith cottage on  
Hood street.

D. E. Stevens, superintendent  
of the state and federal, experi-  
ment station at Moro, leaves next  
Monday for Corvallis to partici-  
pate in the farmers' and home  
makers' week, and the first  
annual northwest grain conven-  
tion. Mr. Stephens will deliver  
an address Wednesday on cultural  
methods suited to the great wheat  
belt.

### Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach  
the diseased portion of the ear. There is  
only one way to cure deafness, and that is  
by constitutional remedies. Deafness is  
caused by an inflamed condition of the mu-  
cous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When  
this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling  
sound 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 condi-  
tion, hearing will be destroyed forever; also  
cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh,  
which is nothing but an inflamed condition  
of the mucous membrane.  
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.  
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.  
Sold by Druggists, etc.  
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Will James left last week for a  
short visit at Portland.

An auto tire chain is at this of-  
fice, waiting for the owner.

Mrs. Dan McLachlan is a visi-  
tor from Portland at the home of  
her son, D. J.

Mrs. Frank Hennagin enter-  
tained her sister, Miss Carrie Bai-  
ley, during holiday week.

Milton Damon and wife were  
visitors from Portland Christmas  
at the George Hennagin home.

For sale. Stock and grain farm  
of 680 acres at Biggs, Oregon.  
Address box 901, The Dalles, Ore.

The Delphian club meets next  
Tuesday, the 2d, at the home of  
Mrs. Ireland. All members are  
invited.

Permits for the importation of  
127,706 canaries were issued by  
the agricultural department during  
the past year.

Mrs. Robert Urquhart arrived  
home Friday last from an extend-  
ed visit with relatives in Ontario  
province, Canada.

If you are contemplating pur-  
chasing a light car write Walther  
Williams Co., The Dalles, for par-  
ticulars about the Dodge.

Marie Morrison was able to  
leave her studies at Monmouth  
long enough to spend the holiday  
season with her parents in Moro.

Theodore Johnston has re-  
ceived a thorough Poland China  
boar from the O. A. C., purchased  
when he was at the stock show at  
Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dougherty  
were Moro visitors from Culver  
during Christmas week. Mrs.  
Dougherty is in charge of a school  
at Grand View, 12 miles west of  
Culver.

Miss Ethel, youngest daughter  
of Mr. and Mrs. McDonald, is at  
Wasco under special care of a  
physician. Her friends will be  
pleased to know that the treatment  
is becoming most successful.

Moro high school won and lost  
at their double-header basket ball  
games with Grass Valley last Fri-  
day. The final scores were: Moro  
high school girls 10, Grass Valley  
11; Grass Valley high school boys  
7, Moro 19.

At an eugenic competition at  
Portland last week the two little  
boys of J. E. Wallan received a  
score of 99 and 98 respectively.  
Mr. Wallan is a cousin to W. D.  
Wallan of Moro, and the boys  
are grand nephews of Mrs. O. B.  
Messinger of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Rasmussen  
and her mother, Mrs. Ruggles,  
were guests during the holidays  
from Pendleton at the home of  
J. N. Landry. Mrs. Rasmussen  
was formerly Miss Sara Ruggles  
and has a number of friends here  
who did not know of her mar-  
riage.

Rev. and Mrs. A. J. Adams  
were dinner guests Christmas at  
the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. L.  
Ireland. A small fir Christmas  
tree, festooned with strings of pop  
corn and set off with little toy  
wooly animals and a gift for each  
one present, occupied the center  
of the table.

See Mullikin "the harness mak-  
er" at Wasco, Oregon.

Miss Bessie Watkins returned  
Friday from The Dalles.

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

Perry Jonston is spending the  
holidays in Portland this season.

E. H. Moore and family enter-  
tained J. F. Foss and family at  
dinner Christmas.

Thoroughbred Brown Leghorn  
Cockerels 75 and 50 cents each.  
Jas. Stewart, Moro, Ore.

George Hansen spent the major  
portion of his holiday at Mon-  
mouth, wrestling with the measles.

Mrs. J. M. Axtell entertained  
her son and family, from Hills-  
boro, during the Christmas sea-  
son.

Deputy Sheriff R. C. Ornduff  
and wife spent Christmas in The  
Dalles at the home of Mrs. Orn-  
duff's mother.

A. J. Bronquist from Hood Riv-  
er was a visitor during the Christ-  
mas holidays at the home of his  
sister, Mrs. C. E. Hill.

Mrs. M. V. Hennigan, son Ho-  
mer and daughter Maggie, were  
visitors this week from McMinn-  
ville at the home of her son Frank.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. G.  
E. Lewellen was brightened Wed-  
nesday afternoon, December 27th,  
by the birth of a son. Dr. Poley  
was in attendance.

All members of the Dorcas so-  
ciety are requested to attend the  
meeting next Wednesday. Elec-  
tion of officers and action on re-  
ports will be the program.

If you are contemplating pur-  
chasing a light car write Wal-  
ther-Williams Co. at The Dalles  
for literature about the Dodge  
Bros. automobile. It's the best  
value for the money.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Norcross  
had a family reunion and dinner  
at their DeMoss home Christmas.  
Those attending were Ellsworth  
Woods and family from Weston,  
G. A. Potter and wife from Klond-  
ike, and B. F. Peetz and family  
from DeMoss.

One of the welcome Christmas  
presents received in Moro this  
week was a check from the fed-  
eral government to O. B. Messin-  
ger for \$2000. Given under au-  
thority of the Sherman county set-  
tlers' relief bill recently passed  
through the efforts of Congress-  
man Sinnott.

George Walling was appre-  
hended near Biggs Tuesday and  
brought to Moro charged with  
larceny from the dwelling of G. C.  
Andrews, west of Wasco. Wall-  
ing was working for Andrews and  
is accused of leaving in a hurry  
with property not his, while Mr.  
Andrews was with his mother, who  
had been taken sick Christmas  
day.

Mrs. John Graham, a pioneer  
resident of Sherman county for-  
merly living near Rufus, died at  
her home in The Dalles last Fri-  
day. T. E. and W. F. Hulery  
of this city were grandsons of Mrs.  
Graham. The funeral services  
were held Sunday, being attended  
by W. F. Hulery and family, T.  
E. Hulery and family not being  
able to attend.

### Christmas in Kent.

More than 200 people were  
present at the Christmas exercises  
given in the assembly hall of the  
new school building last Saturday  
under the auspices of the Kent  
Sunday school. Mr. Jerry Wil-  
son, superintendent of the Sunday  
school, acted as master of cere-  
monies. Two large Christmas  
trees were nicely decorated for  
the occasion. After the program  
presents were distributed and a  
treat given to each one present.  
Several young people from near-  
by districts took part in the pro-  
gram, and much credit is due to  
Miss Anna Kelley, Miss Jessie  
Hill, the parents and school chil-  
dren for its excellence.

Song, "Joy to the World," con-  
gregation. Invocation, Rev. Live-  
ly. Song, "Christmas Carol." De-  
cember Spelling Lesson, First  
Grade. "A Puzzling Question,"  
Lyle Hogue. "A Note to Santa  
Claus," Martha Wilson. "A Visit  
to Grandma's," Rachel Sullivan.  
"Jolly Old Santa," Della Helyer.  
"Suppose," Clarence Mitchell.  
Song, "Christmas Time Is Come  
Again." "Sly Old Santa," Roy  
Justesen. "My Stocking," Marie  
Schilling. Christmas exercise, 3d  
grade. "The Night Before Christ-  
mas," Thelma Dellinger. "Little  
Bells of Gladness," 7 children.  
"Merry Christmas," Durward Hel-  
yer. "Scaring Santa Claus," Dar-  
rel Haynes. "The Wiser Way,"  
Frank Sias and Willie Young.

"The Longest Day," Hazel Barry.  
"The Evergreen Club," small  
boys. "What Said Santa Claus,"  
girls and boys. "Through the  
Telephone," Earl Harbin. "Christ-  
mas Day," three girls. "Just Be-  
fore Christmas," William Thomp-  
son. "Silent Night," six girls.  
"Santa," Ethel Helyer. "Santa's  
Air Ship," Lloyd Johnson. "The  
Empty Stocking," Ruth Adams.  
"Christmas Coming," Richard  
Bennett. "Lullaby," Thelma Del-  
lenger. "The Angel's Song,"  
Margaret Sullivan. "Christmas  
Evening," Josie Amick. Dialogue  
"For Another's Sake," "The  
Brownie Men," six children.  
Song, "Jingle Bells."

The chairs ordered by the school  
board for the assembly room of  
the new school building arrived  
last Thursday.  
The school board has granted  
permission to the young people  
to use the old school building for  
basket ball. The boys have been  
having some lively scrimages this  
week.

Patrons of the Kent Hotel en-  
joyed a fine Christmas dinner  
Monday.

The school board had the school  
furniture moved from the old  
building and the lodge hall this  
week. Everything is being put in  
good order for school next Tues-  
day.

F. E. Dunton and family en-  
joyed the holidays with relatives  
at Monitor and Molalla.

Soren Hansen and son Ova and  
nephew Justensen were Moro vi-  
sitors last week from Kent.

L. J. Gates drove by auto from  
Kent to The Dalles Saturday, to  
be with his family over Christmas.

Clare Axtell and family are at  
Moser this week spending the  
holidays with Mrs. Axtell's sister,  
Mrs. E. A. Race.

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.  
Fred Beymer and wife and  
brother, Peter, were visitors from  
Klondike at the home of Wesley  
Fuller this week. Mrs. Beymer is  
a sister to Wesley.

At the Christmas tree in the  
Presbyterian church Saturday  
evening, Rev. and Mrs. Adams  
were presented by the member-  
ship with a set of Haviland china  
pie plates, cups and saucers.

About 90 members of the local  
lodge I. O. O. F. attended the  
home coming entertainment last  
Saturday. In the absence of the  
Grand Master the speech of the  
evening was delivered by Attorney  
J. B. Hosford of this city.

W. C. Miller writes his cousin  
from his old home in North Caro-  
lina that he is on his way back as  
soon as possible. The children  
got hold of the whooping cough  
on the journey and froze onto the  
measles as soon as the family ar-  
rived. W. C. says he would as  
lief be sick at home, and the visit  
is spoiled.

Miss Elpha McDonald, who is  
attending high school at Hood  
River, was visiting with her par-  
ents, Mr. and Mrs. Neil McDon-  
ald during the holidays.

B. F. Peetz has shipped all his  
field peas raised this season to the  
department of agriculture at  
Washington, D. C., for purposes  
of experimenting with their growth  
in other sections. They are a  
special variety, and while not rare  
are hard to secure.

Basket ball is scheduled for this  
(Friday) evening at the Moro  
opera House between the Moro  
high school and the high school  
alumni teams. The probable line  
up for the school is C. Ross and  
C. Moore, forward; L. Stewart,  
center; C. Andersen and S. Sear-  
cey, guards; J. Searcey, substitute.  
For the alumni—B. Tomlin and  
R. Kunsman, forward; C. Says,  
center; H. Pinkerton and G. Me-  
loy, guards.

Capt. Will Johnson and his  
faithful band of hunters will pay  
their forfeit for loosing the annual  
hunt of the Moro Rod and Gun  
club to Capt. W. T. McCoy and  
his band on Friday, January 5th.  
All members of the club are in-  
vited to attend the entertainment  
provided by the losers. A mov-  
ing picture show will be given in  
the afternoon, free to all, begin-  
ning at 2 o'clock. Doors open  
for the smoker at 8 p.m. The  
program for the occasion is secret,  
but will be edifying, elucidating  
the dangers and temptations of  
those who risked their chance of  
a free smoke.

### Notice of Stray.

Come to my place, about five  
weeks ago, sorrel filly, coming 3:  
years old, with white face but no  
visible brands. The owner is re-  
quested to call for same, prove  
property, pay charges and take her  
away, otherwise it will be sold as  
by law provided.  
Myles E. Martin,  
3rd29 Moro, Oregon.

### Bargain in Registered Stock

A number of young Polan-  
China pigs, eligible to register, are  
offered for sale at \$12.50 each.  
For particulars inquire of J. T.  
Ashby, Grass Valley, Ore.

### Brown Leghorn Roosters.

A few Brown Leghorn thoro-  
bred roosters for sale at a reason-  
able price. Write or phone to  
Clarence Sparling,  
3rd22 Moro, Oregon.

### Notice of Sale of Stray.

Come to my place near Klond-  
ike, in Sherman county, Oregon,  
a red heifer, age between a year-  
ling and a 2-year-old, has left ear  
cut "V" on point, with no visible  
brands.  
The owner of the above de-  
scribed animal is hereby notified  
to call for the same, prove prop-  
erty, pay charges, and take it away.  
Otherwise it will be sold as pro-  
vided by law at the farm named  
in this advertisement to the high-  
est bidder for cash at 10 o'clock in  
the forenoon of Tuesday, January  
2, 1917.  
W. R. Reid,  
2nd22 Klondike, Ore.

### For Rent or Sale

A residence in Moro. Will  
sell at a bargain and give terms to  
suit. Two lots 100x100 feet in  
fine location, can be made a very  
pleasant home. Inquire of  
n3tf J. M. Parry, Moro

### \$50.00 Reward.

A reward of \$50.00 will be  
paid to any person or persons  
furnishing evidence of the viola-  
tion of any provision of the pro-  
hibition law in Sherman county  
sufficient to warrant an indictment  
by the Grand Jury. C. M. Hud-  
leston, District Attorney.

### Undertaking Supplies

Caskets and Robes always on  
hand; special supplies and caskets  
ordered at any time.  
Sam Brisbane, Moro, Oregon.

### Mortgage Loans On Improved Farms

At the lowest rates and  
on long time. Repay-  
able in such instalments  
as the borrower may  
wish. Liberal prepay-  
ment terms arranged.  
No commissions charged.  
Loans closed promptly.  
Mortgages purchased.

WM. MacMASTER  
701 Corbett Bldg.  
PORTLAND - OREGON.

## GREETINGS

WE FEEL at this time that our unusually suc-  
cessful business year has been due very large-  
ly to the loyal support and patronage ac-  
corded us by the people of Moro and Sher-  
man county. Be assured that the business you have  
tendered us is very much appreciated and we will do  
everything possible to merit the continuance of this  
pleasant relation.

With best wishes for a very happy and prosperous New  
Year, we remain

Yours truly,

MORO TRADING CO.

## 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

## We Wish to Thank

Our patrons for their business dur-  
ing the past year, and solicit a con-  
tinuance during the coming year.

We wish you a Happy and prosper-  
ous New Year.

Moro Hdw. & Imp. Co.

## FARM LOANS 6% NO COMMISSION

Eastern Life Insurance money can be borrowed of us on first-class farms at  
6% without commission. Write to us direct and save money. Give full  
details in your first letter.  
We refer to any bank in Portland.

DEVEREAUX Mortgage 607 CONCORD BLDG.,  
Company, PORTLAND, OREGON

## A Happy, Prosperous and Bountiful New Year

If our wish to all our customers and friends. We desire to  
thank you for the business favors received during the past year  
and hope for a continuance of the same.

BOURHILL & CO.  
MORO, ORE.

DO A LITTLE MISSIONARY WORK IN YOUR  
idle days by telling your neighbors of the good  
qualities of The Observer. If you can't get their sub-  
scriptions, send us their addresses and we will send  
them sample copies. We pay for all soliciting you do  
Subscribe for The Observer. Best Weekly published  
in the Inland Empire. Everyone reads it.

## Horses Wanted!

### HORSES, MARES AND MULES

Ranging in weight from 1000 to 1600 pounds, standing 14 1/2  
to 16 hands high, solid color in the light classes—very dark  
greys and roans will do in heavies. Must be broken gentle  
enough to handle well; in fair flesh and sound; ages 5 to 8. I  
come to buy, not to "spot" for others. Will be at

Kent, Wednesday, January 10th.

Also will be at

Ashwood, Wednesday, January 3, 1917,

Antelope, Saturday, January 6,

Shaniko, Monday, January 8

J. R. HINSHAW.