

The Observer

MORO, SHERMAN CO., OREGON:

Official Paper for Sherman County.

FRIDAY.....February 2, 1917

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.
11 a.m. preaching services.
In the evening we will worship
in the Presbyterian Church.
Please make a special effort to be
present at all these services.
Everybody invited.
John Robertson, pastor.

Presbyterian church:
Sabbath School at 10 a.m., F. E.
Fagan, superintendent.
Services morning and evening.
All are invited to worship with
us. Millions will repeat John
3:16 next Sunday. Scores have
been saved by reading it. Will
you not ponder it?
Hours of meeting 11 a.m. and
7:30 p.m.
Services in Monkland at 2:30.
You are invited.
A. J. Adams, Pastor.

Hugh Shull is a Portland visi-

tor. See Mullikin "the harness mak-

er" at Wasco, Oregon.

L. N. Huls of Portland was a

Moro visitor last Friday.

A. S. Johnson of Kent is visit-

ing the Portland auto show.

Elfin Ross was home from Was-

co for a short visit this week.

Mrs. L. Barnum returned Sun-

day from a visit to Portland.

Editor Ireland of the Observer

is a Portland visitor this week.

Viava Home Remedies can be

had from Mrs. Grace Bourhill.

Attorney J.B. Hosford has been

slightly indisposed for the past

few days.

J. C. Freeman was a business

visitor at The Dalles Monday.

Mrs. G. A. Simon was a Moro

visitor Friday from Grass Valley.

Royal Bakery Bread fresh daily

at the Moro Trading Co.'s store.

C. E. Johnson and family re-

turned Sunday from a trip to Port-

land.

See those shoes at less than one

half of original cost at Bourhill &

Co's.

Frank Olds and wife are Grass

Valley visitors this week in Port-

land.

The Delphian club will meet

next week at the residence of Mrs.

Rose.

A bouncing boy was born to

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Axtell last

Monday.

Judge Krusow arrived home

Sunday from a visit at Portland

and Salem.

Ginn, Coleman & Co. sold a

roller feed mill to Elmer Barzee

Monday last.

Postmaster A. M. Bryant of

Grass Valley is visiting his father

in Portland.

Best fresh bread daily from Ore-

gon Bakery, The Dalles, at Bour-

hill & Co.'s.

Martin Hansen and wife were

visiting this week in Hood River

and Portland.

J. A. Hardin is an interested

auto show visitor in Portland,

leaving Sunday.

Abstracts promptly made by the

Sherman County Abstract Co.,

Moro, Oregon.

The community festival promi-

ser to be a great success. Tickets

are selling rapidly.

Minnie, youngest daughter of

Henry Peters of Kent, died Satur-

day from pneumonia.

Go to the Moro Trading Co.

for bread, cakes, etc. Received

daily and always fresh.

C. R. Belshee has rented the

Red Barn and will use it for his

chop mill and feed depot.

Gus Schilling, who has been

sick at Kent for several weeks with

pneumonia, is very much better.

Donald McDermid is a visitor

in Portland, where last week he

took some of the higher Masonic

degrees.

The social dance last Friday

evening was enjoyed by all able to

attend, and lasted until 3:30 Satur-

day morning.

The opera house lights have

been changed by the management

so that the main auditorium lights

are now controlled from either

the stage or the moving picture

machine station.

The Belshee Harness Shop sold

a set of their unexcelled heavy

harness to Arthur Smith the first

of the week.

Attention is called to the adver-

tisement of d. g. horses and mules,

farm goods, etc., by Fred Henna-

gin February 7.

C. E. Sheets has finished wiring

the Red Barn and it is now re-

ceiving electric light from the city

service station.

Ploughing at several farms be-

tween Moro and the Columbia

river was begun last week during

the good weather.

A new postoffice is being pe-

titioned for in this county at Mil-

ler Station, on the main line of

the O. W. R. & N.

Jas. Taylor, residing near Bour-

bou station, returned Sunday from

a visit with his father at Monta-

villa, near Portland.

C. C. Young and wife, who

have been visiting with Mr. Young's

sister, Mrs. F. E. Fagan, returned

Friday to The Dalles.

Posters are out announcing the

annual Masque Ball to be held at

the Moro opera house on the

evening of February 9.

The wet snow and rain last Sat-

urday changed the packed frozen

dirt roads into a mess of mud

holes within a short time.

If you are contemplating pur-

chasing a light car write Walther

Williams Co., The Dalles, for par-

ticulars about the Dodge.

Neil McDonald was in town

Tuesday from Hay Canyon and

purchased a drill and disc harrow

from Ginn, Coleman & Co.

Mrs. Bronquist, mother of Mrs.

C. E. Hill, left on Monday last

for San Francisco, where she will

reside with her two daughters.

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.

At the meeting of the Farmers'

Union Saturday a contract was au-

thorized for 1000 cords of wood.

Delivery to be made during the

summer.

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.

Sam Brock returned Sunday

from The Dalles, where Mrs.

Brock recently submitted to a sur-

gical operation, from the effects of

which she is rapidly recovering.

If you are contemplating pur-

chasing a light car write to Wal-

ther-Williams Co. at The Dalles

for literature about the Dodge

Bros. automobile. It's the best

value for the money.

At the meeting of the Dorcas

society last Wednesday the mem-

bers present were regaled with a

bountiful supply of homemade

candy, accompanied by the com-

pliments of Mrs. Adams.

Carl Schadevitz of Kent left

Sunday to attend the Holt manu-

facturing Co. industrial school at

Spokane. He will specialize on

magneto troubles, common to

motor driven harvesters.

Requests for free government

seeds are coming in fast and our

supply will soon be exhausted. If

you want flower or vegetable

seeds furnished free by Uncle Sam

now is the time to let it be known.

The Dorcas Society social will

be held next week on Wednes-

day at the residence of Mrs. J. C.

Freeman. The change in date

from the 14th to the 7th was made

necessary by the Community Festi-

val opening on the 14th.

I will gladly pay a reward of

\$50 to anyone for information as

to who marked and cut the dis-

play window of the Moro Hard-

ware & Implement Co. with a dia-

mond or other disfiguring instru-

ment. J. C. Freeman, owner of the

building.

Moro high school boys lost to

the Grass Valley high school boys

in the double header basket ball

game Friday evening by a score of

28 to 19. Moro high school girls

won from the Grass Valley high

school girls, the same evening, by

a score of 7 to 6.

O. L. Belshee, L. L. Peetz, Joe

Peters and T. C. Lee left Satur-

day for Spokane to attend the

school maintained by the Holt in-

terests in teaching the operation

of their Caterpillar tractor. A

number are also attending from

other parts of the county.

Probably a dozen elevators are

under contract to be built this

spring in eastern Oregon. Bulk

handling of grain is now a fact

and within a very short time any-

one who markets wheat by the

sack will be penalized for the dirt,

weeds, etc., it may contain.

The Morrow Brothers, F. L.

and L. M., have signed a building

contract with Hedges & Huls for

their new concrete garage to be

built at Wasco. Excavation is

now being made for the new build-

ing, which will be 80x100 feet. It

will pattern somewhat after the

Foss & Co. garage of this city.

A Percheron horse association

in the Monkland district has been

formed by T. S. Reese, W. A.

Woods, M. E. Martin and C. J.

Thompson. They recently pur-

chased a pure bred black Percher-

on horse at Spokane. W. A.

Woods at the same time also pur-

chased several pure bred Percher-

on mares, while C. J. Thompson

has had a number of pure bred

Percheron mares for several years.

Clyde Woods and Woltord

Belshe were nearly overcome

Friday with carbon monoxide gas

while chopping feed at the Belshe

farm. The exhaust fumes, by lack

of exhaust pipe, were allowed to

collect near the engine, and both

were nearly overcome before re-

alizing the danger. This gas is

colorless, odorless and tasteless,

and should not be confused with

ordinary engine exhaust. One

strong inhalation is generally fatal.

Surprise the Boys.

(Communicated.)

A few of the Moro girls were

delightfully entertained at the

home of Mrs. J. C. Freeman Sat-

urday evening, Jan. 20.

Neale was entertaining a few of

his boy friends at a stag party and

Mrs. Freeman invited a few of the