

The Observer.

MORO, OREGON.

Official Paper for Sherman County.

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We will not be responsible for the neglect of subscribers to notify us of changes in their address. Nor will the notification of a Postmaster that the subscriber has "Removed" settle the bill of a delinquent.



"My Country 'Tis of Thee, Sweet Land of Liberty."

A process has been patented by California people to make silk from sawdust, and a by-product of the process is said to be a high grade smokeless powder. It may be better to wear silk "undies" made from clean sawdust than the same thing made in New Jersey from old tin cans.

Peculiarities in Transportation Costs

It costs more to send a letter through the mails from New York to Portland than to ship a \$5 Dunlap, Knox or Stetson hat the same distance by freight.

At some factory in the east that pair of shoes you are wearing, and which has doubled in price, was loaded into a car and hauled 3000 miles to the Pacific Coast for one-third of what the barber would charge you for a shave.

That suit of clothes you have on was hauled in freight trains one-eighth of the distance around the world at a total cost of about 19 cents.

New York banks are said by the New York Times to now hold very small blocks of Liberty Bonds. This is accounted for by the fact that most of these banks received only a relatively small amount of the bonds they subscribed for, and that they have made sales to their customers of those they did receive under the allotment. The fact that the banks are not loaded down with these bonds is regarded as a very healthy condition for the Liberty Loan bond market as it shows that there is a popular demand for the bonds.

July Term County Court

Warrants were ordered paid amounting to \$1552.12 account salaries of county officers; the approval of reports of county officers for the six months ending June 30, and warrants ordered drawn to pay the following claims:

K A McPherson, expenses, express	\$ 14 90
C L Poley, county physician, sal.	45 58
Jas Stewart, stock inspector	50 00
Mrs Herman Douma, widow pen.	17 50
C Lindeman, dep. sheriff, elec	3 00
J O Garrett	3 00
W H Myers	3 00
W H Bennett	3 00
Helen Walley, dep. Assessor	6 00
L W Ross, canvassing	7 50
W L Westfield, auto H.	3 00
W C Rutledge, sheriff's office	3 00
F A Ellis, check writer	21 85
Sam Brisbane, hall rent, election	11 04
J F Kearney, district sealer	11 50
O B Messenger, drayage	5 00
L Grimes, labor, court house	4 00
F E Fagan, Supt. expense	58 95
Irene Barnes, 8th grade exam.	6 00
R J Baldwin	6 00
Nina Searcy	6 00
E R Curtin	6 00
P N Lemmon, pauper	17 35
Norris S & L Co, vault repairs	235 65
Ind Whse & M Co, pauper	7 00
Bourhill & Co, court house	4 50
Lee Stewart, const. H.	13 75
Homer S Wall, county surveyor	1 70
Moro Trading Co, court house	1 50
J C Freeman & Co	1 50
Wasco pharmacy, clerk's office	126 47
Glass & Prudhomme, office sup.	6 80
Homer S Wall, county surveyor	6 50
Remington T Co, clerk's office	7 25
Moro H & I Co, court house	41 60
Chas Downing, witness fees & mi.	30 00
Eleanor Shaw, court reporter	66 00
F H Fowler, dep. assessor	66 00

Jurors Fees and Mileage.

J O Elliott	8 40
Henry Johnson	4 60
B F Kee	10 40
Bruce Millard	9 00
Theo Justesen	9 00
C E Hill	6 00
L H Nahouse	8 00
R P Hulse	6 00
Myles Martin	6 80
W E Garrett	8 60
Fred Hennagin	8 60
D A Maxwell	7 00
R S Macnab	10 10
Ray S Hansell	4 60
C H Howell	4 60
E W Mason	10 40
H C Hapgood	8 40
R W Kaseberg	8 40
W C Harper	13 20
W C Helyer	13 20

Fees and Mileage as Grand Jurors

C W Johnson	9 40
Guy Hoskinson	11 60
Chas Hull	9 00
C F Guyton	13 40
C B Hearing	8 90
L Maurus	8 90
J S Fowler	9 40

Witness Fees and Mileage, Gr. Jury.

Joe Stinger	4 80
W M Walker	5 40
J T Johnson	4 00
Wm Scott	6 60
H K Porter	4 80
Norris Rasmussen	5 00
C A Harper	4 00
Frank Hagenbeck	4 00
Ray Brady	4 00
Perry Venable	4 00

Judges and Clerks of Election.

W J Ferrell, judge	4 74
J M Yocum, clerk	4 74
J T Johnson, clerk	4 74
A S Johnson, clerk & mileage	8 74
H H Brackett	4 74
A P Altermat	5 30
G E Wilkerson	9 30
CA Tom	5 30
L Payne	5 30
J S Fowler	8 00
V A Morse	8 00
Chas Golliber	8 00
Mabel Dunlap	8 00
J A Smith	8 00
W B Curry	12 00
W A Woods	7 50
P H Zobel	4 75
P C Axzell	4 75
C J Thompson	4 75
W L Dillinger	4 75
J C Freeman	6 00
J M Axzell	6 00
G E Lewellen	6 00
F E Danton	6 00
F E Fagan	6 00
J B Morrison	4 35
John Hays	4 35
Roy French	4 35
Fred Derby	4 35
Roy Walker	4 35
Jesse Martin	3 90
James Blagg	3 90
J B Thompson	7 30
V B Eakin	3 90
Marie Smith	3 90
S B Holmes	5 80
E A Hoskinson	11 20
Fred Haynes	5 80
Guy Hoskinson	5 80
Louis Schadewitz	3 65
Guy R Palmer	3 65
J J Miller	3 65
W S Fields	9 00
J H Stiles	3 65
Chas Willard	6 00
Chas Everett	6 00
C M Snider	6 00
Mrs C M Snider	6 00
V H Smith	6 00
Fred Medler	4 70
H W Strong	4 70
Chris Anderson	4 70
Theo Johnson	4 70
W T McCoy	4 70
Sam Arbuthnot	5 20
W E Garrett	5 20
John Bressler	5 20
John Conrad	5 20
Mrs John Conrad	5 20
I D Pike	5 20

That Highway Route

The Arlington Independent in its issue of August 2d states that "Arlington has been putting up a fight for the Columbia River Highway which is finally bearing fruit and it is now a foregone conclusion that the highway will come up the Columbia river instead of taking an interior route."

It dismisses as not worthy of notice the delegation of Sherman county men who visited Arlington recently in an endeavor to secure harmonious action, with the following assertion: "Arlington went on record at the meeting of the Columbia River Co-operative Highway Association which was held here last month, as favoring the all river route and it is our opinion that if Wasco (meaning Sherman county) wants the road diverted they will have to battle alone"

It is a matter susceptible of proof that a statute enacted by the legislature can be amended by a succeeding legislature. If that be admitted it might be wise for Arlington and the state highway commission as well to listen to a little argument before they take too much for granted. It will be impossible for the state highway commission to make more than a beginning grading a route "across Sherman county through Arlington" before the election of another legislature in which probably the counties lying east of Sherman may take more than passive interest. It is not a good idea for any community to imitate the dog starting to cross the foot bridge with a bone in its mouth. It lost the bone.

Wait for Dr. Freeze if you need eye service. Regular trips each month to Moro and other towns.

The Oregon Agricultural College

Where trained specialists with modern laboratories and adequate equipment give instruction leading to collegiate degrees in the following schools:

- AGRICULTURE, with 15 departments;
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- PHARMACY;
- THE SCHOOL OF MUSIC, offers instruction in the principal departments of vocal and instrumental music.

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REGISTRATION BEGINS OCTOBER 8, 1917. Information on request. Address, Registrar, Oregon Agricultural College, Corvallis, Oregon.

Board of Equalization

Notice. There will be a meeting of the County Board of Equalization for Sherman county, Oregon, at the Court House in Moro, on the second Monday in September, that being the 10th day of September, 1917, to publicly examine the Assessor's Rolls, correct all errors in valuation, description of lands, lots or other property assessed by me. All petitions must be made in writing and verified by the oath of the applicant, and filed with the Board within 15 days from the time it is by law required to meet.

Otto Peetz, County Assessor.

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MORO, OREGON

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In its round trip nearly from pole to pole the Arctic tern covers 22,000 miles. Its daily journey is at least 150 miles, and this is probably multiplied several times by the zigzag twistings and turnings in pursuit of food.

Bestowing kindness and receiving favors should alike be cheerful and unhesitating. A benefit which slides slowly from the hand loses its grace.

Germany has bestowed 430,000 iron crosses. The census taker can not enumerate its' wooden crosses.

The numerous fronts of the world-war make it a merry-go-round for the demons of destruction and agony.

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MORO, OREGON

THE REO Automobile

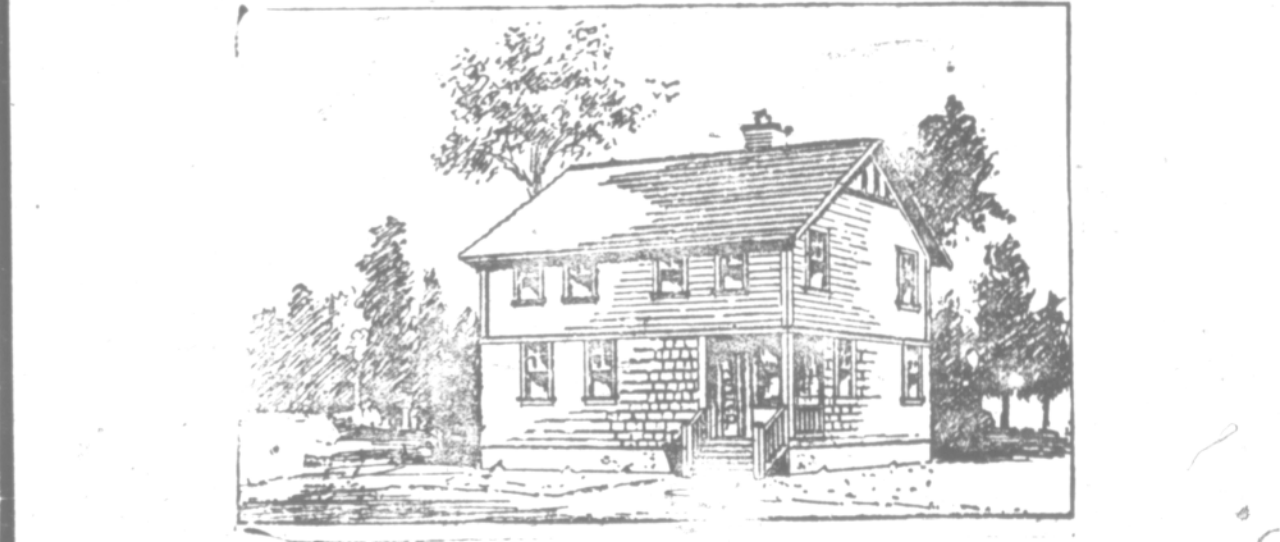
Just go down the line and make comparisons. Where is there a car at or near the price that is in the same class? Think of the quality, the reputation of the REO; consider the bigness, the larger tires, the genuine leather upholstery, the low upkeep, accessibility, oversized bearings, economy—and it's one cinch it can clean up any other car at or near the price.

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50 bushels of corn would buy	16,000 Shingles	25,000
5 hogs would buy	33 windows & doors	58

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