

The Observer

MORO, SHERMAN CO., OREGON:

Official Paper for Sherman County.

FRIDAY.....Aug. 17, 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-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

Methodist church:
Sunday school at 10 a.m. A. M. Wright, superintendent. Classes for all ages and graded lessons. Preaching service at 11 a.m. and union service at 8 p. m. All are cordially invited.
John Robertson, Pastor.

Big stock Harvester Goods at Crosfield's.

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

See the Rotary Rod Weeder. Moro Hdw. & Imp. Co.

For sale, 2 good saddle horses. Geo. N. Crosfield, Wasco.

Come and see the Fireless Cookers at Ginn, Coteman & Co.

Royal Bakery Bread fresh daily at the Moro Trading Co.'s store.

Postmaster J.M. Parry and wife are enjoying a vacation at Newport.

W. F. Jackson and family returned Wednesday for an outing on the Metolious river.

Ask for Preferred Stock groceries for sale by Moro Trading Co. Easily the best.

James Woods left Thursday for a visit with his sons in and near Weston and Walla Walla.

Crosfield, at Wasco, is and has been selling fruit and berry Sugar at \$8.60.

Abstracts promptly made by the Sherman County Abstract Co., Moro, Oregon.

Miss Katherine Kuks is a visitor from Milwaukee at the home of her cousins, J. F. Foss and family.

Parties wishing extra copies of this issue of the Observer can secure the same by applying at this office early.

Miss Eunice Coleman, who has been visiting with her sister at Seattle, arrived in Moro on the Tuesday train.

Manager J. C. Harper, of the Moro Trading Co., was a visitor at Portland during Buyers' Week, returning Sunday.

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Marie Peetz, daughter of B. F. Peetz, had her tonsils removed by Dr. C. L. Poley in his office at Moro on Tuesday last.

Isaac Thompson received this week the sad intelligence of the death of his sister living in Illinois. She was 85 years of age.

E. H. Moore and family are home from an auto trip that extended through the Willamette Valley and as far as Newport by-the-sea.

Mrs. A. Rose returned from Portland Tuesday, where she met her father, J. H. Badger, who had come by steamer from Los Angeles for a summer visit in Sherman county.

Miss Alva Haskell, who has been visiting Miss Olive Hunter for the past two weeks, accompanied Messrs. Hunter and Ginn on their Washington trip, and enjoyed themselves immensely.

W. T. McCoy has enlisted in the aviation corps of the United States army, with station temporarily at San Diego. Mrs. McCoy accompanied him as far as Portland, where the enlistment papers were completed. Since the above was in type Mr. McCoy has returned, his enlistment having been held up at Vancouver, though he was passed at Portland.

Crosfield has one 5 1/2-foot new Mower, also one 10-foot Self-Dump Rake for less than cost.

Come in and look at our Men's Ready-to-Wear Clothes. Moro Trading Co. Summer weights now in.

Water trough and tank material now on hand for any size job. Get your order in early. See Foss & Co. about it.

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.

Rev. Robertson and wife expect to return from their vacation the last of this week. Mr. Robertson writes that he finds the roads of the Willamette valley quite dusty and the weather warm and dry.

Dr. J. N. Shaw, V. S., has received his commission as Second Lieutenant, Medical Corps, Veterinary Section, and is now awaiting orders to report for service. His commission dates from July 16.

When an autoist buys tubes, blow-out patches or boots, they want fresh stock. Foss & Co. have a complete new, fresh line of anything wanted of this kind, and of dependable manufacture also.

T. B. Henderson and family of Pendleton, were visitors at Moro last week on their way to Crater Lake. On their return they will visit for several days with Joe Hendrichs and wife, sister of Mrs. Henderson.

Lots better than wheat and a better feed for hogs is Albers Bros. Berkshire Hog Feed, made from molasses, corn, barley, wheat and other ingredients. For sale by Independent Warehouse & Milling Co., Wasco.

W. H. Ragsdale and family are home from their auto camp vacation tour. While on the trip they made visits at the homes of Mr. Ragsdale's brothers in central Oregon; Ray near Mitchell and C. P. near Dayville.

The Observer this week prints a complete official review of all the work of the Military Service Board for Sherman county up to and including Thursday afternoon August 16th. Save this copy of the Observer for reference.

G. W. Hansell has leased 2200 acres near Lewiston, Idaho, and bought 600 acres adjoining his leasehold, including the complete farming outfit. The boys will run the farm while Mr. Hansell will remain at Moro for the present.

The concrete foundation for the T. S. Reese new home in Hay Canyon is finished, and while waiting for it to set Contractor Ramsey is putting the finish onto the Neil McDonald residence in the same section of the county.

C. E. Sheets and family have returned from an auto camp tour of the Metolious section. The first part of their vacation was given over to an auto trip down the Columbia highway and through the Willamette valley as far as Corvallis.

Miss Genevive Henkle is a visitor from Morgan, Morrow county, at the home of her aunt, Mrs. A. C. Thompson. Miss Henkle and Mrs. L. H. Martin were traveling companions Wednesday upon Mrs. Martin's return from a visit at Morgan.

Rev. U. S. Crowder, pastor of the M. E. church at Wasco, returned Tuesday from a vacation spent in Canada. He reports witnessing the landing of a returning contingent of wounded Canadian soldiers from the battle fronts of Europe, by hospital ships via the Panama canal.

Mrs. L. H. Martin returned on Wednesday from a visit with her niece, Mrs. Ben Morgan, at Morgan in Morrow county, where a nine pound baby girl arrived August 3d. While visiting at the Morgan home Mrs. Martin also enjoyed a visit with her sister, Mrs. W. J. Martin, and her niece, Mrs. Claudina Wooten, both of whom now live near Walla Walla.

The irrepressible John M. DeMoss rushed into the Observer office just before closing time Saturday afternoon last, left an order for job printing, reported that he was now driving a new "Sally Ford" car and that his bunch of 5 1/2-month-old White Leghorn pullets were laying eggs regularly, "turned around and rushed right out again."

W. D. Wallan returned Tuesday from a business trip to Lewiston and Pendleton. While away Mr. Wallan bought a farm near Lewiston. He expects to resign his present position as cashier of the Bank of Moro and county treasurer, and move his family to the new location.

Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Fagan, parents of F. E. Fagan, accompanied by their son W. G., wife and child, motored over from The Dalles last Saturday for a weekend visit with the family of the School Superintendent. They all returned home on Monday except Mrs. P. C. Fagan, who will visit for some time with the family of her son.

A letter received by Dr. J. N. Shaw from President E. O. Holland of Washington State College commending Dr. Shaw for the excellent scholarship maintained during his period with the college concludes by quoting Secretary of War Baker who recently said, "We want to be discriminating in our enthusiasm and prevent people getting the notion that they are not helping the country unless they are doing something different, which very often is not the case at all."

The issue of the Observer this week contains a complete list of all persons registered for military service in the United States army from Sherman county and a list of the first 60 called for examination by the local board, together with the action of the board, the claims for exemption and by whom and if allowed. The board is now examining Nos. 61 to 120. The result on 17 men of this list is published in another place on this page, and action upon the names called will also be published at a later date.

Officers of the Moro Red Cross Auxiliary are in receipt of a communication advising them that a supply of knitting yarn will shortly be supplied them for making sweaters, socks, etc., for the soldiers in France. This will be work that must be finished quickly, and all who can knit are requested to communicate with Mrs. C. L. Poley, president, so that they may assist. Directions will be supplied with the materials. A group of persons qualified to instruct those who wish to learn will help anyone who desires to assist in the work.

Secretary of State Olcott has forwarded the Observer a complete copy of the motor vehicle laws that went into effect August 1, 1917. This includes laws relating to operation of motor vehicles over country roads and defines when one vehicle has the right-of-way over another. In case of accident it might be well to know positively that the "other fellow" did not have to stop and you are in wrong because you did not know. A copy will be forwarded on request to the secretary of state at Salem.

Alex. Hunter and R. J. Ginn made a business trip to Alderdale, Washington, last week by way of Arlington, looking over some land prospects. The return was made through Goldendale and Bickleton. At the latter place they met Rev. Mr. Adams, whom they report as well pleased with his new location. The crops in that section they found in excellent condition and good yields are assured. The round trip of 235 miles was made in Mr. Hunter's new Oakland car without a mishap of any kind, though while examining the car after returning home Alex discovered a puncture which had not shown before.

A meeting of the officers of the various women's organizations of Moro met at the home of Mrs. L. Barnum Tuesday evening and organized a local council of the Women's Committee of the Council of National Defence by electing Mrs. R. C. Ornduff chairman, Mrs. W. C. Bryant vice-chairman, Miss Ina Hansen secretary, Miss Bessie Bourhill treasurer. Similar organizations have been organized in each community of the state by Mrs. C. H. Castner of Hood River under direction of the National Headquarters at Washington and with the approval of the War Census Bureau. Its aim is to record in definite form the voluntary training capacity and willingness for patriotic service of each woman of the nation. Further details will be published later.

CONSERVE the DOLLARS

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Horses for Sale.

Three span of good work horses. Inquire by phone or otherwise. H. B. Belshee, tf-jy20 Monkland, Oregon.

For Sale.

Two good milch cows; one span good brood Mares; one 3 1/2 heavy Wagon. Inquire of Homer D. Belshee, J9tf Monkland, Ore.

For Sale.

A 24-in. Farquhar 2d-hand Separator, cheap. Moro Hdw. & Imp. Co.

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