

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. A. M.
Wright, superintendent. Classes
for all ages and graded lessons.

Presbyterian Church:
Sabbath school at 10 a. m., F. E.
Fagan, superintendent.

11 a. m., regular services.
7:30 p. m., evening service—
note the hour.

Services at Monkland: Bible
school at 2 p. m., preaching at 3
p. m.

You are cordially invited to all
of these services.

B. Trueblood Smith, pastor.

W. F. Hulery has finished mov-
ing into the Hansell residence.

No Glare Lenses to fit all cars in
stock at Hulery Bros., Moro.

Mrs. F. E. Fortner is visiting
with her parents near Klondike.

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

J. F. Foss and wife went to the
Round-Up at Pendleton Wednes-
day.

Girl wanted for general house-
work. Mrs. Ray Havnar, box 98,
Moro.

Roy Powell is a business visitor
at Portland this week, leaving
Wednesday.

L. J. Lucas and wife were visit-
ing in Moro Monday afternoon
from Wasco.

S. J. Rutchy is a visitor in Moro
this week from Clem in Gilliam
county. His new location must
agree with Doc as he was looking
the best we had seen him for years.

Osgood Headlight Lens, sold
by Foss & Co., comply with Ore-
gon state law.

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

Joe Rutledge was home this
week on furlough from the Mare
Island training camp.

No Glare Lenses pass city and
state requirements. Sold by Hu-
lery Bros., Moro.

Rev. Robertson and wife left
by auto Wednesday morning for
their new work at Dufur.

John T. Whalley is in Moro
from Portland, visiting with his
daughter, Mrs. Otto Peetz.

Mrs. F. S. Campbell is a visitor
from Albany at the Hans Thomp-
son home east of Monkland.

Dr. Morgan and wife of Wasco
were visitors Sunday at the home
of Dr. Morgan and wife of Moro.

All auto owners should help
make night driving safe. Buy your
No Glare Lenses at Hulery Bros.

About 15 of the boys and young
men of Moro left Wednesday to
attend the Round-Up at Pendle-
ton.

Mrs. E. M. Leslie is a visitor
from North Yakima with her
mother, Mrs. Rust, living south of
Moro.

Miss Thelma Buxton and Miss
Faith Ginn are at Rochester, N. Y.,
for the winter, attending Bible
school.

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

Fred Hennagin and family left
Wednesday morning for Pendle-
ton and the contest of champions
at the Round-Up.

O'Meara Bros. unloaded two
40-horse Best tractors at Moro
Thursday, one each for J. N. Lan-
dry and O. P. King.

Robt. Urquhart and family have
moved into town and are now at
home in the residence bought re-
cently from W. D. Wallan.

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.

It is reported that W. H. Hill,
living south of Moro, has taken
the prescription for auto lever and
is now driver of spick span new car.

A. E. Eslinger was in Moro last
week advertising a sale of farm
goods at his farm south of Grass
Valley to take place on the 24th.
The place he is now farming has
been leased to Roy Tiller of
Monkland. Mr. Eslinger expects
to leave soon for Kansas City.

First Sherman County Contingent

All business places in Moro were closed Wednes-
day morning until after the departure of the morn-
ing train to allow the citizens of this community to
meet at the depot to give the 12 young men leaving
Sherman county for war duty a hearty hand clap,
tell them how much the community thought of
them in their devotion to country, and a cheer as
the train started with them on their trip to the train-
ing camp at American Lake.

The 12 stood in double line while their pictures
were taken, after which Mayor Barnum introduced
each one by name to the crowd and gave a short
talk to the men leaving, their friends and the "stay
at homes." This was followed by an address by At-
torney J. B. Hosford, who commended the young
men for the step they were taking to uphold their
government.

Following is the complete official list of those who
have left Sherman county for American Lake: the
first two men left September 5 and the others on
Wednesday of this week:

Serial No.	Name	Address	Order No.
56	James Frederick Perkins	Wasco	23
289	Albert Edwin Benefield	Klondike	22
258	Charles S. Forrester	Kent	1
373	Arthur Smith Munger	Grass Valley	6
433	Jim Reid	Moro	11
10	Frank Schamel	Grass Valley	12
140	Alex Hanley	Grass Valley	13
75	Stacy A. Wilson	Rufus	21
218	Roy Ermon Bosart	Wasco	30
350	Marrison A. Duncan	Kent	35
391	Arthur Dean Olds	Grass Valley	41
128	Hiram Leedy	Wasco	47
54	John Golden Barnett	Wasco	36
363	A. Conklin Buckley	Grass Valley	49

The names of those printed above as having left
for American Lake and the following list is the com-
plete official roster of those certified for war duty
from Sherman county by the District Board at La
Grande, up to and including September 17. A num-
ber of exemption claims are pending before the Dis-
trict Board and a further report is due at any time.

432	Lewis John Sturza	Moro	14
18	Eugene Viatin	Grass Valley	15
390	Amanuel T. Ramos	Wasco	29
343	Theodore Justesen	Kent	27
103	Walter Henry Grebe	Wasco	54
20	Ira France Davis	Wasco	57
388	Frank Paul Worth	Moro	59
222	Wyatt Cleveland Ison	Wasco	65
297	Christopher R. Polson	Kent	66
368	Titus Frederick Wineberger	Grass Valley	68
122	Carl R. Noles	Moro	70
312	Viggo B. Haufalt	Kent	73
90	Lynden Jay Lucas	Wasco	74
191	Glenn Edgar Maurer	Wasco	75
168	Arthur S. Minks	Grass Valley	77
175	Mark Herberson Miller	Wasco	79
424	William Frank Rader	Klondike	78
49	John Oliver Henderson	Rufus	84
336	W. J. Bryan Newton	Kent	82
278	Cleo Herbet Wing	Wasco	80
8	Robert C. Lindeman	Rufus	85
357	William Todd McCoy	Moro	90
23	Earl Thomas	Wasco	91
349	John Erickson	Kent	93
331	Norman Henry Smith	Wasco	92
102	Charles A. Jones	Rufus	94
435	Roy Clayton Harper	Wasco	97
113	Wesley C. Fuller	Moro	98
156	James D. Kenney	Moro	99
267	Arthur Benjamin Davis	Wasco	100
	Roy D. Carpenter	Greeley, Colo.	

Mrs. E. A. Race and children
arrived in Moro Tuesday from
Mosier and, with Mr. Race, will
make this city their future home.

G. A. Potter, Chandler dealer
for Sherman county reports the
sale of two cars this week, one
each to David Reid and Hugh
Walker.

Mrs. Poley requests the Observ-
er to announce that the Red Cross
will meet Friday, September 28th,
in the banquet rooms of the I. O.
O. F. hall.

Osgood Headlight Lens do not
dim the driving light but controls
and throws the beam where nec-
essary for safe driving. Sold by
Foss & Co.

John Muir began operating a
city dray the 15th of this month.
Mr. Muir expects to have two
teams working after the first of
next month.

Osgood Headlight Lens has re-
ceived the highest endorsement of
Oregon Headlight Committee.
Sold by Foss & Co., Moro. Sizes
to fit any car.

Leslie Bell and family were vis-
itors at Moro Thursday from Kent.
They were driving their recently
bought Maxwell car for the first
time this far.

R. C. Ornduff has bought from
W. F. Hulery one of the three
lots formerly part of the Hansell
residence property and expects to
build next spring.

George Hennagin and family
left Tuesday for a visit at Portland
and with Mrs. Hennagin's father
at Kelso, Wash. They expect to
return early next week.

The Farmers' Union is having
a coal house built at the end of
their wheat warehouse and will
equip it with a large platform scale
for weighing hay, grain, coal and
stock.

To assure all lovers of dancing
who attend the Harvest Ball at
Moro on the 21st a good time,
Manager Ross has secured Pounds
orchestra from Wasco to furnish
the music and has put the hard
wood floor of the opera house in
the best possible condition for the
occasion.

Four 2d-hand cars for sale rea-
sonable; all in good condition.
Two 4-cylinder Studebaker, one 5
the other 7 passenger; 4-cylinder
Overland; Ford. Foss & Co.,
Moro.

Engineer Sheets is wiring the
Jas. Woods residence for electric
light service. Uncle Jim says he
is also going to build a concrete
walk to connect with the sidewalk
in front of the Smith property.

Harvey Martin and family left
Wednesday for the Round-Up
at Pendleton. During the ab-
sence of Manager Martin the busi-
ness of the Tumalum Lumber Co.
will be in charge of John Muir.

Mrs. Nelson and daughter and
her three grand children are visit-
ing at the J. N. Landry home
from Oakland, Cal. Mrs. Nelson
is a sister to Henry Ruggles and a
double aunt to Mrs. J. N. Landry.

The purse put up for the Free-
for-All trot as well as other racing
events will sure bring a good string
of horses into competition at the
annual Sherman County Fair to
be held at Moro October 10, 11,
12 and 13.

A. M. Wright and wife, accom-
panied by H. B. Belshee and wife,
left Friday for a visit at the state
fair at Salem. They are traveling
by auto, shipping their car at The
Dalles, and will visit Eugene be-
fore returning.

This year the Sherman County
Fair Association is putting up
twice the premium money for rac-
ing events of any county fair in
the northwest. All previous years
the Goldendale management had
more race event money than any
other, but this year "Sherman
County Leads."

Willis Buxton has been prom-
oted in naval rank and ordered to
Harvard University for a five
months' special course in electrical
engineering at government ex-
pense. He will specialize in wire-
less telegraphy under government
instruction. He is one of the boys
of Moro who improved his time,
studied by correspondence courses
and was able to seize opportunity
when it came his way.

Roy Tiller moved Monday to
his new farming location south-
west of Grass Valley. The place
that he had been farming was
bought last year by D. J. McLach-
lan, jr., who will farm it with what
he has been working.

Dr. C. L. Poley, Druggist Jack-
son, County Clerk McPherson
and Assistant Superintendent
Schneiderhan of the Experiment
Farm, made a party for the Round-
Up, leaving Moro Wednesday
afternoon by auto to Rufus.

J. N. Landry and C. G. Silver
and families expect to leave the
last of this week for a visit at the
Oregon State Fair at Salem. They
will each take their autos, ship-
ping from The Dalles around the
new road construction on the Col-
umbia highway.

J. A. Thompson is having new
buildings put up on his farm in
the Hay Canyon district for
use by Harvey Thompson. The
house will be 24x24 and the barn
18x36 feet. The Moro yard of the
Tumalum Lumber Co. is furn-
ishing the material.

Subscriptions to the Red Cross
come due on the last payment
October 1, and must be remitted
by G. B. Bourhill, local treasurer
of the relief fund, not later than
that date. All who have not paid
their subscription are requested to
do so at once, making remittance
to Mr. Bourhill at the Farmers'
State Bank at Moro.

The Army and Navy Y. M. C.
A. need funds with which to
supply each army and naval training
camp with a war library. Moro
has been asked to subscribe \$100
for this cause during the week of
September 24 to 29. The work
is in charge of a committee of la-
dies and each adult in Moro is
asked to be generous and donate
one dollar when they call.

School will begin for Moro dis-
trict next Monday in the new
building. Temporarily the pri-
mary classes will again use the
building they occupied last term.
Because of interference with car-
penter work, no pupil will be ad-
mitted to the school building until
ten minutes before school; also,
there will be no recess morning or
afternoon, school being dismissed
earlier each day.

C. C. Richmond, assistant sec-
retary of the Sherman County
Fair Association, will be in active
charge of the grounds and build-
ings for a week before the open-
ing of the fair on October 10th.
Those wishing allotment of space
in the pavillion or stables should
see Mr. Richmond; those wishing
to arrange for concessions and in-
formation as to the general man-
agement of the Fair should see F.
E. Fortner, secretary.

After he had finished with his
1917 harvest, Chris. Anderson
sold his McCormick harvester to
Douma Bros. through Ginn, Cole-
man & Co. Mr. Anderson liked
the machine and its work so well
that he refused to make delivery
of his used harvester until he had
an acceptance of his order for a
new McCormick from the harves-
ter company to be delivered June
1918, in time for work next har-
vest.

About forty members attended
the Dorcas social for September
at the Manse Wednesday after-
noon. Mrs. Marjorie Harper
favored the party with a vocal
solo and Mrs. Ina Kunsman with
an instrumental selection. After
refreshments Mrs. Laura Ireland,
on behalf of the Dorcas, present-
ed Mrs. Ina Kunsman with a hand
painted chocolate set, it being a
custom of the society to give its
newly wedded members a gift of
esteem.

If anyone wants to do a real
favor and show personal appreci-
ation to the soldier boys in France
for what they are doing toward
helping our country in its time of
need let them give them a gift of
individual comfort, such as the
Oregonian tobacco fund is doing
at this time. For 25 cents you
can send a soldier boy a 45-cent
package of tobacco and cigarettes.
A better gift or more for the mon-
ey cannot be had. Postmaster
Parry has consented to handle
this fund at Moro; pass the 25 or
50 cent pieces to him for forward-
ing. Each package is an individ-
ual gift with the donor's name on
an addressed and stamped post
card. For each 25 cents given
you will receive a card from some
soldier in France.

An Editorial From the "Oregonian,"
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IS LUMBER REALLY DEARER?

It is generally understood that the lum-
bermen of the Northwest have had a tough time
for quite a number of years, but there are a
few people, aside from those interested in some
branch of the business, who understand fully
or even partially the great slump several years
ago and the prevailing unfavorable conditions
at the present time.

It is estimated by government officials that
in normal times about one million people are
employed in the lumber industries of the United
States, and that one-quarter of these, or 250,-
000, are employed in the Northwest—Oregon,
Washington and Idaho. But during several
years, up, say, to the first of July, 1916, 25 per
cent of these men were idle.

When the loss of wages to over 60,000 peo-
ple is added to strikes, car shortages and the
low price of lumber, it can be seen that the
lumbermen have had their worries. But many
think, since the war orders began to pour into
the mills and dealers, that once more the lum-
bermen are profiting. Is this true? Is it not a
fact that lumber comparatively is today one of
the cheapest commodities on the market?

An advertisement of the Tum-A-Lum Lum-
ber Co. makes the following statement: "In
1914 a Tum-A-Lum barn cost 40 hogs; in 1917
same barn cost 24 hogs. In 1914 a Tum-A-
Lum house cost 480 bushels of wheat; in 1917
same house cost 225 bushels of wheat. In 1914
a Tum-A-Lum silo cost 220 bushels of corn; in
1917 same silo costs 110 bushels of corn; in 1914
a Tum-A-Lum machine shed cost 20 tons of alf-
alfa; in 1917 same shed costs 10 tons of alf-
alfa."

Nowhere have we seen the facts as to the
present comparative prices of lumber so tersely
stated.

See H. U. Martin About It

Tum-A-Lum Lumber Co.

Moro Trading Co.

Wool Blankets
Men's Suits
Stag Shirts
Mackinaws

ORDERS FOR

Ladies' Made to Measure
SUITS and COATS

Moro Trading Co.

We Have a Good Stock of
FURNITURE,
RUGS,
LINEOLEUMS,
AND MATTRESSES

Everything you want to help in HOUSE CLEANING
and getting ready for Fall, such as

Paints, Varnishes,
Shades, Curtain Rods,
Jardinieres, etc., etc.

Moro Hardware & Imp. Co.

Farmers' State Bank

MORO, OREGON

Paid Up Capital - - \$25,000.00

We are now open for business and are pre-
pared to care for the needs of all customers.
This bank is owned by Sherman County farm-
and will be operated in the interests of the
farmers. Come in and see us. Let us know
your needs. We write Fire Insurance—let us
insure your grain.

W. H. RAGSDALE, President.

W. F. JACKSON,
Vice-President.

GEO. B. BOURHILL,
Cashier.

FLECK ORCHARD STORE

FOWLIE & PAYNE, Props.

Store at Moro | Orchard at Rufus

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NOW IN MARKET

Early Crawford and Snock Peaches,
Bradshaw Plums, Tenant and Italian Prunes,
Grapes and Bartlett Pears.