

The Observer

MORO, SHERMAN CO., OREGON

Official Paper for Sherman County.

FRIDAY December 7, 1917

Eureka Lodge No. 121.
A. F. & A. M. MORO. OF.
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

Presbyterian Church:
Bible school at 10 a.m., F. E.
Fagan, superintendent.
Morning worship at 11 a.m.
Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p.m.
Evening worship at 7:30 p.m.
Services at Monkland: Bible
school at 2 p.m., preaching at 3
p.m.
A cordial welcome waits you at
all services.
B. Trueblood Smith, pastor.

Methodist church:
Sunday School at 10 a.m.
Evening service at 7:30 p.m.
Services at Spaulding next Sun-
day morning.
You are cordially invited to all
of these services.
Dow DeLong, pastor.

JAMES STEWART
STOCK AND BRAND INSPECTOR
SHERMAN COUNTY
Address: MORO, ORE.

DEPUTIES
L. Schadewitz, Dr. Jos. Saunders, V. S.
Kent, Ore. Moro, Ore.

Pathe Gold Rooster Plays at

Moro Theatre
Tuesday, Dec. 11th

Laughs and Tears and Thrills
a plenty in the photo-play

"POTS AND PANS PEGGY"

as portrayed by

Miss Gladys Hulette

It's about a wonderful little Irish
girl and her brothers and sisters,
her chauffeur lover and some im-
portant stolen government papers

ADMISSION 10c and 20c

C. L. Powell was a business vis-
itor in Portland last week.

J. A. Nicholson was a business
visitor in The Dalles Friday.

Majestic steel range, hard to
beat, at Ginn, Coleman & Co.

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

Call and see the Universal Blue
Beauty range at Ginn, Coleman
& Co.

Ray Ragsdale has sold his farm
in Wheeler county and will live
in Moro this winter.

Mrs. G.B. Bourhill has returned
from a visit at Portland with her
sister Mrs. R.L. Campbell.

W. F. Jackson and wife left
this week for Long Beach, Cali-
fornia, where they will spend the
winter.

Dr. Jos. Sanders was called to
Kent Wednesday to operate on a
valuable 3-year old horse belong-
ing to Mr. Haggerty.

The official registration of the
rain fall last week, at the experi-
ment farm, totalled 1.86 up to and
including Saturday noon.

Mrs. George Stoddard and son
Elmer I. Stoddard and wife were
visitors at Moro from LaGrande
on Thanksgiving day at the home
of Mrs. Stoddard's sister, Mrs. D.E.
Stephens.

Attention is called to the adver-
tisement of sale of live stock and
farm machinery on Dec. 11th by
Roy Rich at the Murray ranch
located three miles east of the
Hay Canyon warehouses.

George Hennagin and family,
in the Boardman district, enter-
tained royally on Thanksgiving
day with a dinner in the late after-
noon and a dance at night, serv-
ing breakfast the next morning to
a few who remained.

Thos. McFadden returned last
week from Gilliam county where
he has been seeding the farm re-
cently purchased from J. B. Hos-
ford, located near Shuttler station.
As part consideration Mr. Hos-
ford took title to the Ned Florer
property owned by McFadden.

A national Red Cross drive is
now on for more members. The
fee is \$1 for a year. Members of
the local auxiliary will canvas this
week for additional members.
Half of the fee will be retained by
the local for its war work for the
purchase of supplies, the balance
will go to Washington for national
relief work.

Teachers' Examinations.

Notice is hereby given that the County
School Superintendent of Sherman county
Ore., will hold the regular examination of
applicants for state certificates at the Court
house in Moro, Oregon, as follows:

Commencing Wednesday, December 19,
1917, at 9 o'clock a. m., and continuing
until Saturday, December 22, 1917, at 4:00
o'clock p. m.

Wednesday forenoon—Writing (Pen-
manship), Music, U. S. History, Draw-
ing.
Wednesday afternoon—Reading, Phys-
iology, Manual Training, Composition,
Domestic Science, Methods in Reading,
Course of Study for Drawing, Methods in
Arithmetic.

Thursday forenoon—Arithmetic, History
of Education, Psychology, Methods in
Geography, Mechanical Drawing, Dom-
estic Art, Course of Study for Domestic Art.

Thursday afternoon—Grammar, Geo-
graphy, Stenography, American Literature,
Physics, Typewriting, Methods in Lan-
guage, Theory for Primary Certificate.

Friday forenoon—Theory and Practice,
Orthography, Physical Geography, English
Literature, Chemistry, Physical Culture.

Friday afternoon—School Law, Geology,
Algebra, Civil Government.

Saturday forenoon—Geometry, Botany.
Saturday afternoon—General History,
Book-keeping.

F. E. Fagan, County
School Superintendent.

P. L. Scammel was a visitor in
Moro Wednesday from south of
Grass Valley.

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

The usual Dorcas social for
December will be Wednesday at
Mrs. Robt. Urquhart's.

T. E. Hulery spent the most of
the week at Kent, installing an
electric light system in the Irby
store.

Mrs. Jennie Miller returned to
The Dalles Friday, after a brief
visit home with her mother, Mrs.
D. A. Maxwell.

The basket social scheduled for
Harmony school last Friday was
postponed to this Friday because
of the stormy weather.

Mrs. R. P. McKeown and daugh-
ter is visiting in Moro this week
from Kansas City at the home of
her brother, J. E. Coleman.

Mrs. Margaret Cushman, who
has been visiting with her former
schoolmate friend, Mrs. T.J. Hen-
kle in the Hay Canyon district,
left Friday for her home at Sulli-
van, Wisconsin.

Mrs. P. C. Axtell left Monday
for Oakland, California, where
she will visit with her sister, Mrs.
J.W. Hollenbeck. Mrs. G.E. James
will accompany Mrs. Axtell, the
two meeting at Eugene.

R. J. Ginn has purchased 1030
acres of land in Gilliam county
near Mikkalo. It is well equipped
with buildings, having a new five
room house and a 2-story 60-foot
barn. Mr. Ginn's son, Harold,
will farm the place with tractors.

Alexander Hunter of Moro and
Mrs. Caroline J. Nelson of Port-
land were married Wednesday
evening at the home of Mr. Hun-
ter by L. W. Ross, justice of the
peace for Moro district. A wed-
ding supper was served after the
ceremony.

Mrs. T. E. Hulery entertained
Monday evening in honor of her
brother, Chas. McKinney, who
expects to soon complete arrange-
ments that will permit his enlist-
ment in the coast artillery at Fort
Stevens in the same company his
brother Homer is enlisted.

R. M. Walker had the front
axle of his new Mitchell car break
at the center Wednesday after-
noon. He was coming into Moro
from Grass Valley when the acci-
dent happened on slaughter house
hill. Slow speed saved the car
and its driver from injury.

The stork visited the new home
of Myles E. Martin and wife, at
Heppner, at 1:30 a.m. on Thurs-
day morning, leaving a fine
baby boy. Mother and child are
doing nicely, with the assistance
of Mrs. W.A. Norcross of DeMoss
who is visiting with Mrs. Martin
and family.

The ladies of Moro Red Cross
are being assisted with their knit-
ting by some of the men of this
city. Wm. Shields has finished a
pair of bed socks, a sweater, and
a muffler and is now at work on a
second muffler. J. M. Axtell is
another who is using odd moments
knitting for the soldiers, he is now
at work on a muffler.

Franklyn Farnum and Agnes
Vernon come to Moro Theatre
Saturday to present the photoplay
comedy drama "The Clock" based
on a story by Aaron Hoffman.
The hero of the piece is a young
man who keeps bad hours and
nurses worse habits. When these
defects are finally cured by the
girl he loves the surprising out-
come makes the best conclusion a
photoplay ever carried.

J. C. Barry was in Moro from
Kent on Thursday. He brought
word of a three cornered business
deal at that place now underway.
J. K. Irby is selling all his station-
ary, confectionery and dry goods
to the Kent Commercial Co., now
owned by J. M. Wilson, and A. A.
Dunlap; the K.C.Co. sells all their
hardware and farm implements to
J. K. Irby and their confectionery
and stationary to J.C. Barry.

Rev. B. T. Smith, county secre-
tary of the Army and Navy dept.
of the Y.M.C.A., this week sent
to state headquarters a remittance
of \$3000. The quota assessed to
Sherman county was \$1660, about
half the amount forwarded by the
county committee. The amount
from each section of the county
was, Wasco and Rufus, \$1066;
Grass Valley, \$600; Kent, \$400;
Moro making up the balance.

Slight whiffs of snow were seen
in different parts of the county on
Saturday last.

Mrs. C. L. Poley returned Fri-
day from a visit of several weeks
in Iowa and Illinois.

Complete line of Wood and
Coal Heaters in stock at the Moro
Hardware & Implement Co.

A big social dance is advertised
to take place at Moro on Dec. 14.
Pound's orchestra will furnish the
music. Supper will be served at
Hotel Ellsworth.

Mrs. J. C. Wright was a visitor
last week at the home of Mrs. Wm.
Henrichs. Mrs. Wright's home is
near the headwaters of Metolious
river where they have a home-
stead well within the government
forest reserve.

The special city election called
for last Friday to levy a tax in ex-
cess of the six per cent limitation
resulted favorably to the proposi-
tion. The city tax for Moro next
year will be the highest in the his-
tory of the city, about 18 mills.

Rev. DeLong and wife were at
Hood River this week attending
a meeting of the Methodist Epis-
copal ministers of The Dalles dis-
trict. Rev. DeLong was on the
program for an address on the
topic of a "Community Survey
as Viewed by a Churchman."

The special school meeting called
for last Saturday by the board
of directors for Moro district vot-
ed to raise \$13,000 by special tax
for school purposes during the
coming year. This will be done
through a special levy of about 15
mills.

The Ladies Aid of Moro M. E.
church will serve a chicken and
noodle dinner at noon this Sat-
urday, December 8th, in the Ginn
& Coleman building, foot of First
street. To be followed promptly
at 2 o'clock by the annual bazaar
sale of articles of utility and fancy
work. Every body is invited to
attend.

A movement has been inaugu-
rated to hold a 6-day Chautauqua
for all Sherman county at DeMoss
Park during the coming summer,
preferably in June. The idea is a
good one and should be encour-
aged by every one as it will help
relax the mental and physical ten-
sion caused by the effort to meet
the exacting demands of the war
and place all in better position to
do the part demanded of them
more efficiently.

Sow Strayed Away

Lost one brood sow; Poland
and Berkshire mixed; color dark;
weight about 275lb., write me or
phone at my expense.
Harry Key, Grass Valley, Ore.

Beans For Sale

Home grown little white navy
bean; the best on the market; in
25lb., 50lb. and 100lb. packages;
15 cents a pound; delivered any-
where by paid parcel post in 25lb.
for 30c extra or in 50lb. for 60c
extra; larger lots delivered free at
Moro or Wasco.
Harry Key, Grass Valley, Ore.

Sows and Pigs For Sale

Hampshire sows and pigs for
sale; eligible to register. Address
E. W. Knapp
Monkland, Ore.

Registered Poland China

Boar for sale; has proven to
be a good sire; for particulars see
or phone Theodore Johnston
n30tf Moro, Oregon

Farm For Rent

1560 acres in Gilliam county,
4 miles south east of Olex, 900
acres summer fallow; good well;
fair buildings; over 1400 acres in
cultivation; north slope and lays
well. Rent, 1/3 crop delivered or
will furnish summer fallow and
seed on part for 1/2 crop delivered
Want good reliable renter capable
of handling same. Address H. J.
Seeck, 505 East Weidler street,
Portland, Ore., phone East 4767.

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Sam Brisbane, Moro, Oregon.

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A practically new 1917 Studebaker, 6-cylinder, 7-passenger
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Franklyn Farnum,
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Clever Supporting Company

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Time to Laugh. Time for Fun.
"Six o'clock; - Time to Get Up"
Laugh and world laughs with you
"Let's go and see this Smiler."

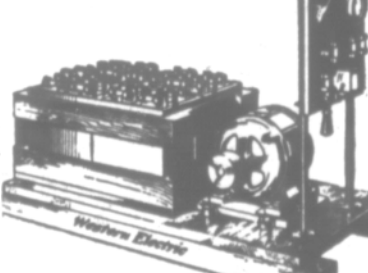
Moro Theatre

Saturday, Dec. 8th

ADMISSION 10c and 20c

Western Electric

Farm Lighting Plant



Brighten Up The Farm

This is what a Western Elec-
tric Lighting Plant on your
place will mean to you:

- No dark nights.
- No gas to explode.
- No pressure tank to blow up.
- No water to carry.
- No lamps to fill.
- No matches to burn.
- No smoky chimneys to clean.

Turn a Switch anywhere day or night
and get a good strong flood of light.

For Sale By
Walther-Williams Hdw. Co
The Dalles, Oregon,
Agent for Wasco and Sherman Counties

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.

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THE DALLES. ORE.

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attention received by the traveling public.

Rates moderate priced. Rooms equipped with modern
conveniences and newly refurnished throughout.

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IT IS NOT WHAT YOU MAKE

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This bank is the result of what has been saved
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MORO, OREGON.

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