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C. L. IRELAND Manager.

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.

Fine Business Record

Farmers of Sherman county will be interested in the knowing that the Wasco Warehouse Milling Co. have several weeks ago completed making their settlements in full for all wheat bought by them during the season just closing.

We understand that the Wasco Warehouse Milling Company is the only business house operating in the county of Sherman to have all their wheat purchases completed so early, notwithstanding rumors to the effect that they might be the last when the market opened.

Another feature of their settlements, we are told, is that the dockage for wheat sack weights has been less than competing companies; they main-

taining the usual dockage of three quarters of a pound while some others have docked a full pound; also, the W. W. Mill Co. commission is figured on the net-weight of the wheat after the sack weight is taken off and other companies figure on the full weight with that of the sack added.

These two items of dockage and commissions would amount to quite an extra sum if a farmer had many sacks to sell and the early complete returns is also well worth while.

A Word of Appreciation

We are taking these means of thanking the farmers of Sherman County for their loyalty in the way they are ordering Harris Combined Harvesters for the taking care of their crops for 1918; and also the customers who ordered and used Harris Combined Harvesters during 1917, for their past business and must say that we look forward to a greater number of harvesters to be placed. Those who have not placed their orders for Harris Combined Harvesters, we ask them to take the matter up with our agents, the O'Meara Supply & Implement Company, at Wasco, Oregon.

The Harris Manufacturing Co. Stockton, California.

Milton A. Miller, Collector of Internal Revenue for the State of Oregon, has been notified by the Treasury Department at Washington, D. C., that the time for filing the 1917 income tax returns, including individuals and corporations, has been extended to April 1, 1918, thus giving an additional month to that provided by the War Tax Act of October 3, 1917.

Local Church Announcements

Presbyterian Church:
Bible school at 10 a.m., F. H. Fagan, superintendent.
Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p.m.
Service at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.
B. Trueblood Smith, pastor.

Methodist church:
Sunday School at 10 a.m.
Morning worship at 11 a.m.
Evening service at 7:30 p.m.
You are cordially invited to all of these services.
Daw DeLong, pastor.

Lieut. Bates Transferred

First Lieutenant George H. Bates, U. S. A., who has been transferred from the Eleventh U. S. Infantry, stationed at Chattanooga, Tenn., to the Northeastern Department Headquarters at Boston, arrived in town Saturday, accompanied by his wife, for an over Sunday visit to his brother, Fred Bates. Lieut. Bates has served several enlistments in the regular army, his continuous service covering a period of 20 years and has been on duty in many states in the Union; besides in Cuba, Porto Rico; the Philippines, Hawaii, Alaska and Alaska. He was recently promoted from first sergeant to first lieutenant, winning his commission by his thorough proficiency in military tactics and his fine record as a soldier. Although in town but a short time Lieutenant Bates was greeted by a host of friends.

The above is a clipping from a paper published at Hoosic Falls, New York, and refers to a son-in-law of R. J. Ginn of this city.

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank our many friends and neighbors for the kindness and loving sympathy shown us during the illness and loss of our son and brother, Joseph, also for the beautiful floral offerings. Mr. and Mrs. Schaeffer
Mrs. Lois Barzee

I desire to thank all who have helped me with their kindness and sympathy in the time of trouble and death of my husband.
Mrs. Alice Holder

The Republic Truck

The O'Meara Supply & Implement Company of Wasco, takes pleasure in announcing that they are Sherman county distributors for the Republic Farm Truck, in sizes from one to five tons.

We have selected the Republic Farm Truck from a large field to choose from. Its sales in Oregon during 1917 was greater than the combined sales of its five nearest competitors. The prices are reasonable, considering the high class of the machine.

Our well known service will go with this truck at all times.
O'Meara Supply & Imp. Co.,
Wasco, Oregon.

L. J. Simpson, whose announcement for the nomination for Governor on the Republican ticket appears in the Observer this week, makes a most unusual and candid appeal for public support in his platform. In part he says:

"I am a Republican and believe in the principles of the Republican party, and above everything I am an American and believe in the principles of my country. I am not a member of, nor affiliated with, any particular faction or part of the Republican party; nor am I pledged to support any of the candidates for office at the coming primary election. I pledge the people of Oregon, that, in conducting my campaign I will not support any particular candidate for office in preference to the other candidate for the same office; that I will not promise appointment to office or political patronage to anyone; that if nominated and elected I shall enter office with neither promise nor pledge to redeem, except those which I give to the people themselves; reserving the right to make such appointments and to conduct the office with whatever unprejudiced independence the best interests of the people of Oregon and the development, peace and welfare of the State shall demand. If the voters decide that they do not desire that I be their candidate I will give my undivided support to the Republican candidate of their choice."

Ford roadster just overhauled, newly painted, for sale by the Barnett Auto Co., Wasco.

Maxwell touring car, for sale by Barnett Auto Co., Wasco. Starters, lights, and all in good shape.

Political Notices

For County Sheriff
To the people of Sherman county: I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of County Sheriff, subject to the will of the Republican party at the primary nominating election to be held on May 17th, 1918.

I believe in supporting our National Government and the enforcement of our state laws and if nominated and elected, promise to fulfill the duties of the office to the best of my ability.
P. H. Buxton.
Paid Adv.

To the Republican Voters of Sherman county Oregon
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of County Treasurer for Sherman county at the Primary Nominating election to be held on May 17th, 1918.

If nominated and elected I will give my best and careful attention to the business of this office.
Geo. B. Bourhill, Moro, Ore

For County Treasurer
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Republican nomination for County Treasurer subject to the will of the Republican party voters at the Primary Nominating Election to be held May 17th, 1918.

I believe in supporting our national government and in the enforcement of our state laws. If nominated and elected I will fulfill the duties of the office to the very best of my ability.
F. E. Fortner, Moro, Ore

An electric driven loud sound horn; five good spark plugs; for sale at the Observer office.

Cadillac touring car, completely overhauled and newly painted. For sale by Barnett Auto Co., at Wasco.

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

Sale of Storage Goods
To whom it may concern: To satisfy the charges for storage, and expenses therewith, I will sell at public auction Saturday, March 16th, at 3 p.m., a number of parcels of personal property, tools, etc., left in my care for storage by Mrs. O. T. Burnett. Packages will be opened at time of sale before sale.
J. F. Belshec, Moro

Caterpillar Tractor for Sale
Holt 60 h.p. caterpillar for sale, price \$2500. Just overhauled and in first class condition. This is at my ranch 4 miles from Olex. Anyone in the market for a Caterpillar will be well to see it.
J. O. Elrod, 517 Corbet Bldg Portland, Oregon.

Jersey Bull for Service
Pure bred Jersey bull; season \$2.50, in advance; at my farm. eo3f22 Tom Fraser, Moro.

Fresh Cow For Sale
Jersey cow with heifer calf, come fresh in January. Price, \$60
W. L. Dilling, Monkland, Ore.

Wheat Ranches Wanted
We have cash buyers for eastern Oregon wheat ranches, provided the price is right and the land is O.K. Let us hear from you if you wish to sell. J. L. Hartman Co., No. 7 Chamber of Commerce Bldg., Portland, Oregon. 4j17

Belgian Stallion for Sale
Chestnut sorrel Belgian stallion No. 5225; weight 2000 lb; age 11 years; sound in every way; guaranteed a breeder; can show eighty head of his colts. Will sell for cash or on terms with approved note. For particulars address
W. I. Ebbert, box 176
tj4 Condon, Oregon

Undertaking Supplies
Caskets and Robes always on hand; special supplies and caskets ordered at any time.
Sam Brisbine, Moro, Oregon.

Here is a Bargain
Half section Sherman county land; fenced; no buildings; good spring of water for stock; the 320 acres, about half tillable, for only \$4500; can you beat it? Ask the J. A. Hardin Realty Co., Moro.

Livery Automobile Service
To or from any point, particularly Sherman county. Experienced driver and car always ready. Phone me at my expense from any place. Reasonable charges with plenty of time given commercial men to "make" towns.
GEORGE ELLARD,
Grass Valley, Oregon.

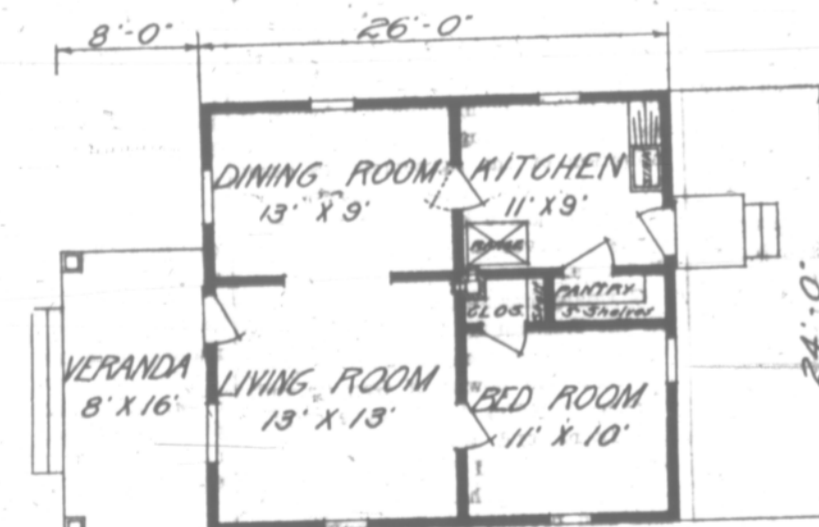
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MORO, ORE.
GARAGE
Blacksmith and Machine Shop
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Iron, Steel and Coal, Hardwood Carriage and Wagon Material.

A New Sherman County Home



The above is a Tum - A - Lum Home, known in our Plan Book as the No. 489, it is 26 x 28 feet and has a Veranda 8 x 16 feet. This new Sherman County Home is to be built for E. R. Barzee, on his Gordon Ridge Farm, about two miles north west of Moro. All the Lumber, including sub-walls; the Floor Paper between walls; the Windows, Doors, Lath, Lime, and Cement for the full basement; the Brick and Lime for chimneys; the Window Sash, Weights, and Cord; was all purchased at our yard right here in Moro.

Mr. and Mrs. Barzee are to be commended upon this selection of their Home and we know that, when finished by the well known Contractor, O. A. Ramsey, they will be well pleased with their choice of a Home



FLOOR PLAN T-489
Floor Plan of the new Sherman County Home of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Barzee

We have 200 other homes to select from. Also plans for grainaries of different sizes and types.

Order Early. Avoid the Rush.
"See H. U. Martin about it"
The Tum - A - Lum Lumber Company
Moro, Oregon.

In Keeping With the Big Thought of the Day

The daily press reflects a sentiment throughout the nation which clearly indicates a new condition.

Men are wanted everywhere. The work of this war is being carried on largely by those who never before have been in public office or in public work. Men who have been too busy, too engrossed with their own tasks, are leaving their work to others and giving their time and ability to the cause which is ours, yours, everybody's.

It is a time when politics in the ordinary sense must not be considered. It calls for all the ability that can be mustered.

Oregon to be a successful part in this unit plan for the defense of Democracy, must likewise place the thought of the times before everything.

In another part of this paper appears the announcement of L. J. Simpson as a candidate for the nomination for Governor on the Republican ticket. Mr. Simpson was urged to become a candidate by his many friends in every part of the state, because of his business record, his understanding and knowledge of Oregon's resources, industries and needs; because of his public-spiritedness, which of recent years has led him to tasks which have been more important to him than his own affairs.

L. J. SIMPSON IS CLEARLY THE MAN WHO CAN GIVE OREGON THE ADMINISTRATION NECESSARY TO THIS PLAN OF NATIONAL EFFICIENCY.

His campaign will be directed straight to you as voters, as individuals who do your own thinking.

We are firmly convinced that you will not allow politics to influence your decision, and that you will vote for the man who is best fit to help the people of Oregon, develop the state's vast resources, and to prepare for, and participate in, the great reconstruction that is to follow.

We believe you will weigh issues more closely than ever before, and that L. J. Simpson will be your choice.

What You Can Do

First—Talk over his candidacy with your friends.
Second—If you believe that L. J. Simpson is worthy of your support write a letter to this committee.
Suggest how his cause may be advanced. We, in turn, will tell you how you can help.
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Issued by
"Simpson for Governor" League
Pittock Block, Portland

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Racine and Winner Fanning Mills
Kentucky and Superior Drills

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Largest stock ever in Sherman county to select from.

Furniture, Mattresses, Window Shades,
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MORO, OREGON

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Porcelain Bath Tub.
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Shop in Brick Building next Observer Office
E. W. LEWIS, Proprietor.
MORO, - - - - - OREGON.