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I have established a Millinery business in Moro at the Moro Trading Company store where all the latest styles in merchandise that is particularly pleasing to ladies will be on display commencing.

Friday March 15th

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MORO, OREGON.

Official Paper for Sherman County.

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post office at Moro, Oregon, July 25, 1891.

G. L. IRELAND, Manager.



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

Service Flag Dedicated

Moro opera house was taxed with a capacity audience Sunday afternoon in honor of the Service Flag Dedication program arranged by the committee for the acceptance by the city of the Service Flag made and presented to the City of Moro by Mrs. May Barnum in honor of the young men who have enlisted in the national forces of the United States from this city.

The program began shortly after 3 p. m. with the rendition of a medley of national airs by Mrs. Lewellen on the piano; followed by the singing of "The Star Spangled Banner" by the audience, led by E. E. Barzee and accompanied on the piano by Mrs. Lewellen; a recitation by Gwendolen Foss; a masterly address by J. B. Hosford; a vocal and instrumental solo by Mrs. Ina Kunsman; the reading of the Roll of Honor, names of 33 young Moro men who have joined the service; the presentation of the Service Flag and its acceptance on behalf of the City of Moro by City Recorder F. E. Fagan; a flag drill by 20 boys and girls from Mrs. Muir's primary school room; concluding with the audience again being led in song by Mr. Barzee, singing "America."

The Flag Drill by the young boys and girls was exceptionally well rendered. After an intricate march the Young Americans marched to the front of the stage and spoke the "Salute to the Flag" in unison. It was carried out so nicely, that the audience insisted upon an encore.

The names of those represented upon the Service Flag and branch of service are:

Sam Pinkerton, Carlton Ross, Roy Kunsman, Willis Buxton, Clarence Rutledge, Joseph Rutledge, Roy Bowman, Ben Hockman, Archie Blue, Claud Butcher, Ben Tomlin, Carl Tomlin, Serel Seroy; in the Navy.

Ralph Greer, Ed Smith, DeWane DeVenny, Jim Reid, Carl Nollis, Louis J. Sturza, Louis Armstrong, Robert McGregor, Charles Morrison, Elmer Hodges, Frank Worth, Ralph P. Brisbin, Roy Benson, Jim Benson, George Mahrt, Augustus Mahrt, J. C. Harper, Philip Searcy, Wilkie Waddins; in the Army.

George Tomlin, in the Marine Corps.

The Service Flag is prescribed by the government to be a white field bordered with red; upon the white field is placed a Blue Star for each man in the service of his country. In case the person represented by a Blue Star makes the Supreme Sacrifice the star is changed to one of Gold. Upon the Service Flag dedicated Easter Sunday by Moro was one Gold Star for Jim Reid who was drowned at Fort Stevens last January.

E. A. Race has been placed in charge of the construction work and material for the new elevator being built by the Farmers' Elevator & Supply Co.

Play's Real Meaning.

Play, according to Professor Pyle, is the revival of man's older self. It is the truest expression of his real self, stripped of the latter-day formalities, dignities, habits and other artificial things with which "society" hedges about an otherwise free man. The middle aged man can be looked at either as a mold into which some super-Frankenstein has poured the youthful enthusiasm, hopes, aims, honesty, tenderness and muscular play or as a man obsessed with his own selfishness.

Baby Natural Monopolist.

There is about the baby none of the subtle deceitfulness of the old, practiced bore who deftly turns the conversation to his own exploits and affairs. Baby simply takes off the muffle from his personal self. The entire household attention turns at once to his affairs. He monopolizes the conversation with his breathless account of his hunger or his connection with the open snafy pin—and that is all there is to it.

Reward for Return

Small rear side curtain for a Cole auto, lost Saturday night on either of the north roads leading from Moro. Leave at Observer office or notify R. W. Pinkerton Moro, Oregon

He Is Needed at Home.

A great amount of persuasion has been brought to bear during the last several weeks to induce our fellow townsman, L. Barnum, manager of the Bank of Moro, to become a candidate to represent the 29th district, of which Sherman county is a part, in the next state legislature.

There is little question as to the ability of Mr. Barnum or his knowledge of business conditions throughout the legislative district embraced in the three counties of Sherman, Wheeler, and Gilliam that would prevent him being able to present the needs of this section for consideration by those selected to frame and amend the statutes in Salem next winter.

Mr. Barnum has fortified himself to withstand personal interviews and a large number of letters advocating his candidacy for the office, by the thought that he will serve his county more completely and in larger degree by putting aside all thought of office at this time and devote his time to the various governmental affairs with which he is burdened.

He is county chairman of the Liberty Loan committee, no light task, as upon him rests the ultimate financing of loans to those who borrow to buy bonds from the government; if any one in the county should fail to be able to do his or her part for the success of the Liberty Loan, it is the personal duty of Mr. Barnum to know why.

He is Food Administrator for Sherman county, another task that will grow in importance the nearer we come to harvest. At this time this position compels giving considerable time to questions pertaining to Food Administration regulations.

If this were not enough Mr. Barnum has devoted a large part of his time to the successful financing of subscriptions to the Red Cross, Army and Navy Y. M. C. A., the Belgian relief work, the Armenian relief work, and many other war activities. It is largely due to him that Sherman county has a reputation of always doing its share and a little more in war measures that need the support of "the people at home."

Mr. Barnum has told the editor of the Observer at numerous times that he was not seeking office at this time; he did not deny that it was an honor he would appreciate, to be able to represent the district in which he has lived virtually all his life in the state legislature, but he has always said that he considered he would be doing more for the people of Sherman county by remaining at home and help them finance their needs and necessities and more than all else he could not do this by being away from his office for a period of three or four months at the close of the business year. Newspaper surmise as to his candidacy has been without his sanction and it is to be regretted that any newspaper in the county in referring to this matter has seen fit to couple with it reference to a factional opposition fostered in thought by a personal enmity that is not as real in degree or extent as it is fancied to be by some not as well posted as they should be when referring to such a subject.

Easter Sunday Observances

The Easter services at the Presbyterian church were all well attended. The Sunrise Service was enjoyed by a goodly number of early risers from both churches. It put one in tune with the true spirit of Easter and was well worth the effort of rising earlier than usual upon Sunday. At the morning service in Moro there were received into the Church ten new members. Following the reception of new members was a most profitable Communion Service. In the evening the Bible School gave a splendid Easter program that was well attended and appreciated.

At the Monkland Presbyterian church in the afternoon there was given a special Easter service by the Bible School of that church. In the preaching service that followed six infants and small children were dedicated to God in baptism. Two new members were received into the Monkland church. This service terminated very appropriately with the Lord's Supper.

Moro Methodists and their friends had an Easter they cannot soon forget.

In the morning seven were baptized and four united with the church. The choir gave two beautiful anthems, and Mrs. Mason sang "O How I Love Him," by Ackley, which was an inspiration to all. The sermon pointed to the fact of the resurrection, its results showing that the foundation of the Christian religion was the empty tomb of the risen Lord.

The evening was given over

to the Easter program, the first division of which was given by the Beginners' and Primary department of the Sunday School. They were not only pleasing, but their short Easter messages came with force. The second part of the program was given by the Junior and Intermediate departments. This section was given with a continuity of thought, expressing the power of and the need of Christianity in the world with America's responsibility.

Mrs. Don Wheat, Millie Benson, Mrs. Mason and Dow De Long sang solos, and the choir gave two anthems. The climax came when five girls gave The Holy City in pantomime while Mrs. Mason sang the solo.

The benevolent offering was very gratifying.

At Spaulding Chapel the regular Sunday School hour was followed by a splendid program after which a community basket dinner was served. It was a good fellowship hour. After the dinner we had a song service followed by the Easter sermon by the Pastor.

A. S. Porter and wife, from Wasco, were visitors. Easter Sunday at the home of Mrs. McClelland.

The Farmers' Elevator & Supply Co. have been busy the last week unloading lumber for their new elevator they will build this season in Moro.

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.

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.

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

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 Sheriff

To the Republican voters of Sherman county, Oregon: I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Sherman county, subject to the will of the Republican party voters at the primary nominating election to be held on May 17th, 1918. It nominated and elected I will fulfill the duties of the office to the best of my ability.

John B. Thompson,

Grass Valley, Oregon

For County Clerk

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of County Clerk, subject to the will of the Republican party at the primary nominating election to be held on May 17th, 1918. It nominated and elected I will perform the duties of the office to the best of my ability.

K. A. McPherson.

To the Voters of Sherman County

I herewith announce myself as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for County Sheriff at the primary nominating election to be held May 17th, 1918.

If nominated and elected I will do my duty.

Robert Urquhart

For County Judge

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Republican nomination for County Judge of Sherman county at the primary nominating election to be held May 17th, 1918. If nominated and elected I will give to the taxpayers of Sherman county my careful attention for a business like administration.

E. D. McKee,

Wasco, Oregon

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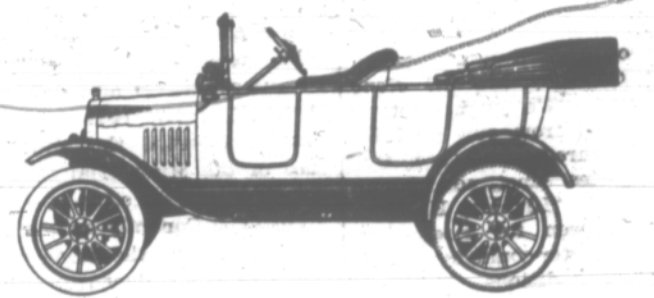
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